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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE
 By Steve Margosian • Board President

June is now upon us and with it brings a passel of folks enjoying their annual vacation pilgrimage to PML. That means more bodies, more traffic, more kids and more people using the roadways. The quickest way to spoil a vacation is to have an accident especially when someone gets hurt. The posted speed limit within PML is 25 mph so slow it down. We have been working with the CHP and the Sheriff to add a little emphasis to this message. Inside the gates is not a "no ticket" zone so be forewarned and keep alert. A speeding ticket can really spoil your whole day.

June also brings with it the deadline for clearing your property. I've noticed a lot of folks warming up their weed whackers and dragging out the clippers. But there are a lot of procrastinators out there that still need to get going. Come the fifteenth, Larry the Fire Guy is going to be on your case to "Git 'er Done". Seriously, one of our greatest hazards is fire, so keep it clean. The compost area is open every day

to dispose of your clippings and the dump is open on Wednesdays and Saturdays to get rid of your trash (Please do not use the PML compost pile!).

Standard Disclaimer: The following comments reflect my personal opinions and do not necessarily represent the views of any other Board member or the management of PML.

Speaking of fire (you like that transition), there is a potential firestorm brewing. GCS D has just commissioned a fire study that recommends that a new firehouse be built out by the airport to the tune of about \$3,000,000 plus operating expenses. To fund this project, it has been proposed that a new Special Fire District be created that would encompass the Long Gulch Ranch and the vacant lots within that service area including the northeast portion of PML. The details are still a little murky but the bottom line sounds like a continuing annual assessment of about \$1050 per lot. Based on what I can glean from the report is that this would apply to approximately 30% of the GCS D ratepayers.

But wait, there's more! The fire district currently has an annual operating deficit of about \$190,000. This has to made-up

somehow. Guess where that money coming from? You got it, you! Now I know that the GCS D Board members are doing the best they can but this situation is getting out of hand and has to stop. They need to start looking at controlling expenses and at different solutions to the problems such as contracting it out to California Fire (CDF) and getting the County to pay more of their fair share. A lot of folks stand to be priced out of their homes. It's time to voice your concerns and stand up and be counted. We need to put a stop to these continuing little surprises.

Now from our bits and pieces file, the Club has instituted a completely new menu and from personal experience and the feedback we've had, people really like. You might want to check it out. Also check out the new look at the Stables now that the fencing project is complete. It came in on schedule and under budget. Good work people. Finally, just a reminder, the annual 4th of July fireworks display will be held on Saturday, June 30th so be sure and mark your calendars.

That's about it for now, have an enjoyable summer, have fun and keep it safe and sane for all.

On the Cover

Photo by Miguel Maldonado

Volunteer Firemen of Groveland

Pictured L-R:

Raymond Albanez, Louie Melchor, Jordan Matter, Jay Kraft, Sarah Pennington and Ron Demmers. Not pictured: Scott Lucas

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The Cost to PMLA Members for Pending Litigation

In response to property owner concerns and questions regarding pending litigation and the costs to the Association, we have listed the current pending cases by title and the amount the Association has paid so far.

Ken Lett v. PMLA
 (Arbitration)
 \$52,446.88

Ken Lett and Mel Kauffman v. PMLA
 (Member Lawsuit)
 \$50,048.63

PMLA v. Thomas Huey
 (CC&R Enforcement Lawsuit)
 \$74,174.76

Dane Nielsen v. PMLA
 (Lawsuit - Labor Code 132(a) Claim)
 \$21,040.00

Employment Opportunity

Pine Mountain Lake Association is currently accepting applications for Department of Safety and Country Club positions. Applications available at the Pine Mountain Lake Administration Office or send resume, cover letter, and references to Allie Henderson, H/R Administrator, Pine Mountain Lake Association, 19228 Pine Mountain Drive, Groveland, CA 95321: email to hr@pinemountainlake.com.

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GENERAL MANAGER'S MESSAGE

By Joe Powell, CCAM, General Manager

June Board Meeting Location

The June 16th Board meeting location has been moved to the Country Club to accommodate the Annual STCHS Wine Tasting Cruise Fundraiser. The meeting is scheduled to begin at 9 a.m. as usual. We ask that everyone refrain from drinking heavily until after the meeting. The Club opens for Breakfast at 8 a.m. and Lunch at 11 a.m. so it will be very convenient for members to try out the new menu before or after the meeting.

Fire Abatement

The Fire Abatement Program is in full swing. It is important that all members do everything they can to keep PML Fire Safe. Our Fire Safety Coordinator, Larry Woodruff will be inspecting lots and sending out notices to owners that do not comply with the Fire Safety Program. You will save all of us a lot of time and money by properly clearing your lot by the deadline. Remember, all lots must be in compliance by June 15, 2007. If you have any questions, feel free to call Larry at (209) 962-8616.

Wi-Fi Access at the Country Club and Marina

The Country Club and Marina now provide free wireless Internet access for members and customers. Members can now work on their laptops and still enjoy the Lake, fresh air and mountain views. Grab lunch and surf the net or have coffee and get some work done if you don't have access. We encourage all members to bring their laptops and give it a try.

Lake Dredging Project

The secondary environmental impact study is complete and the draft EIS report is being reviewed by our consultants at Moffat and Nichol. It is our hope that these will be the last of the requirements from Tuolumne County so that we can satisfy the concerns of all the other agencies involved and gain the granting of permits so that we can start our dredging project.

Main Gate Entrance Project

Our engineering firm has surveyed the area and prepared the necessary topographical plot maps for our architect. Once we have the final plans they will be submitted to the County for permit and we will put the project out to bid.

Roads Repair and Refurbishment Project

The Roads project is nearly complete for this year. Our contractor is scheduled to finish the rest of the designated roads by the end of next week prior to Memorial Day Weekend and the paint striping contractor has already begun his portion of the project. The million dollar project is ahead of schedule and under budget. Once the project is complete our roads engineering firm will prepare the new 5-year roads study. This study is an important and useful tool so that the Association will have good information to plan for the future funding and maintenance of our roads.

PMLA BOATING AND LAKE RULES Draft A

For your safety, California Boating Laws prevail. For your convenience, copies of the pamphlet "ABC's of California Boating Laws," published by the California Harbors and Watercraft are available at the Marina Store.

Listed below are further regulations that apply to Pine Mountain Lake boating usage. Failure to comply with them shall be grounds for termination of your privileges. Violations are subject to citation. All boats are subject to inspection to determine compliance with State Law and Association requirements. If you have any questions on the safety requirements of your boat, contact a Boat Patrol Officer or the Marina Store staff.

GENERAL BOATING RULES

Know our rules and abide by them for your enjoyment and safety.

All boats on Pine Mountain Lake must meet both State of California and Pine Mountain Lake registration requirements. Only property owners in good standing may register their boats.

REGISTRATION: Requirements for registration include: current liability insurance with a minimum of \$300,000, proof of PML residency, proof that the

boat meets California Boating Law safety requirements, compliance with PML non-wake enhancing requirements, and agreement to abide by lake rules.

PML non-wake enhancing regulations restrict the use of internal ballast tanks, external fins, foils, panels, or boat hulls specifically designed to increase wakes. Any boats incorporating these devices, registered at PML must adhere to PML's restrictions on not utilizing these devices.

All boats are limited to 5 mph except during water skiing hours, where the speed limit is 40 mph in the ski area only. All boats, except those signed up for skiing, must stay out of the ski area while skiing is in progress. Skiing or other high-speed boating activity is permitted during designated hours from May 1 thru October 31 only.

Open stack boats and others with a decibel level exceeding 82 db are prohibited. Likewise, radios or stereos may not be played at high volume.

Note that areas marked "no wake" mean no wake. These areas are marked with white buoys that say "No Wake". Boats may have to go slower than 5 mph in order not to create any wake.

No "Jet Skis," "Waverunners" or other similar variations of personal watercraft are allowed on Pine Mountain Lake (except authorized emergency or law enforcement equipment).

Only skippers (16 years and older with a valid driver's license) designated by a boat owner may operate a powerboat, provided that they know the lake and marina rules. Boat owners are responsible for informing their operators of all lake and marina rules.

Boat owners are responsible for the operation of their boats and the wakes they create regardless of who may be operating the boat.

Reckless operation and disregard for others may result in citation and forfeiture of lake boating privileges.

Boaters must stay inside the passenger/operator areas of the boat. Riding outside of the railing or gate is prohibited.

Powerboat operators may not tow or pull rafts, tubes, paddleboats, kayaks, canoes or similar craft.

In case of an accident, give any necessary assistance, then immediately contact the Boat Patrol (based at the Marina).

Sufficient life preservers must be aboard for each passenger. All boaters less than 12 years of age and non-swimmers must wear properly tied life jackets.

Give a wide berth to sail and manually operated boats, as they have the right of way.

Powerboats may not be operated within 50 feet of a swimming area.

When meeting another boat, keep to

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All Ads and articles must be received by 4:30 PM on the 10th of the month!

Articles are accepted as an e-mail attachment, on CD-R, on disk, laser printed or in these programs

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- Dunn Court Beach • Lake Lodge
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Every third Saturday of the month at the PML Lake Lodge. Meetings start at 9 AM.
*Unless scheduled otherwise

- June 16, 2007**
(will be held at the Country Club)
- July 21, 2007**
- August 18, 2007** (Annual Election)
- September 8, 2007**
(due to 49'er Fest)
- October 20, 2007**
- November 17, 2007**

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- Wednesday**
- July 4 Independence Day**
- Monday**
- September 3 Labor Day**
- Monday**
- November 12 Veterans Day**
- Thursday**
- Nov. 22 Thanksgiving**
- Friday**
- Nov. 23 Day after Thanksgiving**
- Monday**
- December 24 Christmas Eve**
- Tuesday**
- December 25 Christmas**
- Monday**
- December 31 New Years Eve**
- Tuesday**
- January 1, 2008 New Years Day**

OFFICE CLOSED ON THESE DAYS

PMLA Department of Safety Report

As of April 2007

CLASSIFICATION	MONTH	YTD
Vehicles Refused	142	405
Phone Calls Received	4419	16067
Amenity Alarms	5	19
Animal Related	17	49
Animal - Loose	24	80
- Impounded	0	12
- Registered	1	5
- Dead/Injured	7	49
- Disturbance	20	48
Assist-Dispatch (General)	54	278
Assist-Patrol (General)	157	633
Complaint-Non PML Res	11	20
Illegal Burn/Fire	4	24
Report Writing	8	19
Downloading Photos	5	15
Gate - Tamper	0	1
- Follow Through	6	14
- Malfunction	4	19
Confiscated Access Card	1	14
Mess/Pkg PU or Delivery	23	130
Posting Fliers	5	47
Miscellaneous	384	1200
Lost and Found	2	11
ECC Inspection	3	8
Lot - Fire Inspection	2	3
Hazard	7	61
Suspicious Circumstance	7	37
Suspicious Person	6	17
Suspicious Vehicle	5	18
Camp Envelope/Dump Sta.	34	70
Amenity Burglary	1	1
Residential Burglary	1	3
Petty Theft	5	10
Malicious Mischief	3	15
Trespass	3	11
Law Violations - All Other	2	10
Law Violations - TCSO	7	13
Training/Meeting	5	20
PML Reg Violation Resident	10	34
PML Reg Violation Guest	2	6
Vehicle - Illegally Parked	6	16
- Citation Issued	3	4
- Accident PML	5	13
Amenity Security Check	1970	7556
Resident Security Check	705	2162
Opening/Closing Buildings	253	840
Opening/Closing Gates	254	1021
Posting Tennis	60	206
Monitoring Tennis Courts	2	38
Personal Injury PML Prop	2	4
Weapons	0	3
Amenity P/U & Del to Bank	79	292
Patrol Vehicle - Maintenance	4	42
- Safety Check	94	359
Vehicles Admitted	8783	29678
Hetch Hetchy Realtors	278	723
Passes Issued	1979	7067
Fixed Post	15	73
Courtesy Notice Issued	4	36
Tennis Fees Collected	\$143.00	\$388.00
All Other Fees Collected	\$5,189.25	\$12,612.80

Editor's Note

We greatly appreciate your contributions but please note that the PML News fills up very quickly – often by the 7th or 8th of the month (long before the 10th deadline). To ensure that your submission is reviewed for publication please submit in full and as early as possible.

Please remember that the PML News is limited in capacity and your submissions are reviewed on a first-come-first-served, space-available basis.

We publish all PMLA related submissions such as Board & Management Business, Clubs, Activities & Events. Where space remains, we publish non-PMLA related submissions in our "Community" section.

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Two Members Elected for New Directors Terms Starting in August

Congratulations to PML Director, Rita Hart and Property Owner, Larry Santa Maria.

Rita and Larry were the two candidates for the two Board positions that will be available in August. Due to the fact that there were two candidates for the two open positions, on Saturday, May 19, 2007 the Board of Directors unanimously called

the election in accordance with the PML Bylaws. At the August Annual Meeting of the Members Rita and Larry will take their seats as the two newly elected Board members. We look forward to working with Rita and Larry and thank them for volunteering to serve as PML Directors.

—JOE POWELL
GENERAL MANAGER

DIRECTORS CORNER

By Ron Maguire, Vice President

PMLA Board of Directors

It looks like our spring weather is finally upon us and this is the call for all of us to go outside and enjoy our amenities to the fullest. I see more airplanes flying, more tennis players playing, the Stables are busier, there are more folks playing golf and the Lake and Pool are open for summer use.

On Saturday, May 5th, two Cinco de Mayo events were held. The PML Racquet Club held their Annual Cinco de Mayo Tournament and Main Street Market sponsored the Cinco De Mayo Celebrity Golf Tournament. Although wind was an issue, we had warm weather and sunny skies. I am pleased to say that both events ran very well and everyone I talked to thoroughly enjoyed their day.

The Celebrity Golf Tournament was followed by a concert on the driving range which was a standout. A thank

you is in order for one of our staff, Bob LeBarre. Bob was responsible for setting up the concert and more than that, having the Back Beat band come to PML to perform. The band was terrific. Due to the success of this event, we are considering future concerts, perhaps at the Marina or Stables. We certainly had a positive response from those folks who were at the concert.

As you read this, we will be starting our summer season at Pine Mountain Lake, which means our amenities will once again be filled with our members and their guests enjoying the use of all the facilities which make PML the great place it is. Please keep in mind that many of our staff are here to make PML as good as it can be, but sometimes must remind us of the rules which are in place to benefit the membership as a whole.

JUST CHARGE IT!

By Ken Spencer, PMLA Controller

Starting June 1st there will be an easier way to pay for your purchases at the Country Club, Pro Shop and Golf Snack Shack. Just say "put it on my account"! That's right the new and improved House Charge system at PMLA is here!

Approved at the May 19th Board of Directors meeting, Pine Mountain Lake property owners can now enroll in the House Charge Program and never have to worry about having enough cash on hand to have lunch or dinner at the Country Club or buy that new driver at the Pro Shop. The program is open to all registered property owners at Pine Mountain Lake and is one of the many advanced features in the Association's newly installed Point of Sale (POS) system.

Signing up is easy. Just stop by the Administration office, fill out the Mem-

ber Charge Agreement form, present a valid credit card to support the account, and have your picture taken for identification purposes. It's that simple. Come in today and let us explain the program in detail and answer any questions you may have.

Once you sign up you will be issued a member ID number. This number will be your key to charging your purchases to your open account. Our friendly staff will verify your account information and initiate the charge to your account. All you have to do is sign the receipt indicating your acceptance of the charged amount. What could be simpler?

So the next time it's your turn to buy a round for your golfing partners you won't have to wonder if you have your wallet with you or enough cash in your pocket to cover the tab. Just smile and say "charge it to my account"!

LETTERS FROM OUR READERS

Please note that all letters appear in the order received by the PML News

The Pine Mountain Lake News welcomes letters and articles for publication provided they meet the criteria established in the current PMLA Editorial Policy (See excerpt below - entire policy on file at the Administration Office). Letters must be limited to 250 words, typewritten using upper and lowercase letters (no handwritten material, no all-capital material) and signed with name, unit and lot by a property owner in good standing. LETTERS MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE EDITOR BY 4:30 PM ON THE 10th OF THE MONTH. Letters deemed by the Editorial Committee to be improper will not be accepted. Readers are advised that the opinions expressed in these letters are those of the individual authors, not of PMLA. Letters appear in order received.

LETTERS RECEIVED - 3
DENIED BY EDITORIAL COMMITTEE - 0
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MORE LARGE INCREASES IN YOUR WATER AND SEWER RATES!

Goveland CSD plan to increase your water and sewer rates yet again in May. Go analyze your bill!

We were one of a minority of customers who complained about this proposed increase. (It takes a majority of customers to get their attention). Some customers are suing.

In the April edition of the PML News we wrote the editor a letter pointing out the rapidly increasing costs of managing Pine Mountain Lake and especially the rapidly increasing and already very high costs of water and sewer.

Compare our rates to the Tuolumne Utility District which is based in Sonora. Their board are proposing rates increases to be effective July 07 as follows:

Water - average user - from \$34.80 to \$38.00 per month

Sewer - average user - from \$31.86 to \$33.93 per month

These rates are worlds apart (yet still within Tuolumne County!).

Look back at your GCSO bills for 3, 5 and 10 years ago.

Contact the board by phone, fax, mail or e-mail - tell them how you feel!

—THE CAMPBELLS
UNIT 5C LOT 318

REINVENTING THE WHEEL

I read in the May issue of this paper that GCSO General Manager Jim Goodrich would be starting a Community Calendar. About that time I received another outrageous hike in my GCSO bill that had a wrong payment date and the new 2007 debt charge

was higher than my Social Security COLA. His suggestion will be on the GCSO web site and a GCSO employee will apparently contact every Tom, Dick and Harry on community events already covered over and over in numerous sources readily available such as this very paper your reading!

Doesn't Mr. Goodrich realize he is reinventing the wheel all over again and certainly should know that this idea and other ideas he has had are not related to GCSO and done according to the article I read on GCSO time and money. Mr. Goodrich, please stick to GCSO issues such as making sure the bill sent out to customers has a correct payment due date!

This community does a fine job of disseminating valuable information of which I see Mr. Goodrich's name on quite a bit. In fact our GCSO General Manager is into every- thing excluding "Curves" and the Soroptimist Club! He certainly is into our pockets every time someone calls GCSO on non GCSO related issues!

—HARRY E. SHAW
UNIT 6, LOT 215

EXCERPTS FROM THE CITYGATE GCSO/LGR FIRE REPORT

The Long Gulch Ranch development, along with the existing approximately 993 developed and 279 vacant residential parcels outside of the LGR development on the east side of the lake, are all more than 8 minutes travel time from the District's only fire station. If all of the vacant residential parcels in the northern and eastern part PML development and the proposed residential parcels in the Long Gulch Ranch development are voted into a Community Facilities District to fund the third person each shift, it will cost each developed "and" vacant residential parcel about \$1,050 per year to provide this additional service level. If the remaining currently developed residential parcels in that same area agree to this annual special tax as well, the District could open the second fire station near the airport.

An annual CFD special tax of approximately \$1,050 (adjusted to reflect the annual inflationary cost of the fire services) on all Long Gulch Ranch property and vacant PML property north and east of the lake will support a third fire fighter on each shift at the present fire station and a second chief officer.

Of course the District should consider how to fund the cost of constructing the second fire station and purchasing the associated fire engine and other equipment. The estimated cost of this is about \$3,000,000, depending upon the size of the building.

Since the need for this station is being triggered by the LGR development, it is not uncommon to require a developer to provide the station and equipment.

—LARRY ROMANECK
UNIT 3 LOT 449

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the right.

Individuals wishing to blow out their motors may do so during high-speed boating hours and must first check-in with the Boat Patrol. Blow-outs will be limited to two (2) times around the ski pattern and must adhere to all high-speed boating rules. A maximum of 4 boats are allowed in the high-speed boating lane with skiers/boarders given priority over boats wishing to blow out their motor. No engine blowouts will be allowed between 6:00 pm and 8:00 pm.

Every effort shall be made to minimize wakes, especially those affecting shoreline properties.

All lake activity is suspended when CDF helicopters perform firefighting procedures or during other emergencies that require use of lake water.

The Boat Patrol will be in effect daily. Citations may be given for PML rule infractions. Two citations will constitute action for removing your boat from Pine Mountain Lake for the remainder of the season. Any boating or swimming rule may be changed in an emergency based on input from PML Management, Safety Dept, Sheriff's Dept, or other appropriate agency.

BOAT LAUNCHING & REMOVAL DATES

NO BOAT MAY BE LAUNCHED without current Pine Mountain Lake registration.

BOAT LAUNCHING AND REMOVAL is allowed only at the Marina boat ramp.

ALL BOATS NOT REMOVED from Dunn Court and the Marina area by October

31st of each year will be removed and stored AT THE OWNER'S EXPENSE.

NO TRAILER PARKING permitted, except for daily use, and only in designated areas. No trailer parking will be permitted the date of the Independence Day fireworks celebration.

DUNN COURT SAILBOAT OWNERS: Please relocate your sailboat the day before the annual fireworks display. This date may vary from year to year.

WATER SKIING AND WAKEBOARDING RULES

Homeowners wishing to register a ski or wake boat for the first time on PML will be given a tour of the lake and have these regulations and the PML Water-ski and Wakeboard Club's Good Neighbor Rules explained. This tour will be conducted monthly by the PML Boat Patrol, assisted by the PML WWC and must be completed before the homeowner may sign up for ski/wakeboard times at PML. Copies of the Good Neighbor Rules will be available to all boaters at the Marina.

Skiing and wakeboarding will be on a one-hour session, reservation basis. High-speed boating hours are generally as follows:

Day Morning Hours Evening Hours

<i>Monday</i>	9:00-12:00 noon	5:00- wakeboarding 6:00- slow boating 7:00- water skiing
<i>Tuesday</i>	9:00-12:00 noon	5:00- wakeboarding 6:00- slow boating 7:00- water skiing
<i>Wednesday</i>	9:00-12:00 noon	5:00- wakeboarding 6:00- slow boating 7:00- slow boating
<i>Thursday</i>	9:00-12:00 noon	5:00- wakeboarding 6:00- slow boating

Friday
9:00-12:00 noon

7:00-
water skiing
4:00-
wakeboarding
5:00-
wakeboarding
/skiing
6:00-
slow boating
7:00-
water skiing

Saturday
9:00-12:00 noon

4:00-
wakeboarding
5:00-
wakeboarding
/skiing
6:00-
slow boating
7:00-
water skiing

Sunday
9:00-12:00 noon

4:00-
wakeboarding
5:00-
wakeboarding
/skiing
6:00-
slow boating
7:00-
water skiing

On the Monday associated with the 3 three-day holiday weekends, wakeboarding will start at 4:00 P.M.

High-speed boating activities, wakeboarding or skiing, in the 9 am to 12 pm hours are not defined and will be worked out between the Marina Manager and the PML WWC.

Skiing and wakeboarding are prohibited November 1 through April 30. The speed limit for all boats during this time is 5 mph.

Reservations will be taken at the Marina Store (962-8631) up to 24 hours in advance and will be limited to one hour per day. Additional hours may be reserved on the day of interest. You may call or walk-in for reservations. When time slots become full, a stand-by list will be taken.

All users of the fast boat lane must check-in with the Boat Patrol prior to commencing their activity. The Boat Patrol will wait 10 minutes for a user with a reservation. After that, the time slot will be opened to the next fast boat user requesting time. If there are no reservations or ad hoc fast boat users in line, the fast boat lane will be closed to fast boat activities for the rest of the hour.

A ski-flag or light system is located at the Marina point. The flag or light indicates whether high-speed boating activity is or is not occurring. The ski flag will be dynamically raised and lowered based on whether the fast boat lane is open or closed on an hour-by-hour basis during reservation hours. Boaters can

also call the Marina Store for ski-flag or light status.

A maximum of four (4) boats will be allowed to ski at any one time. A distance of 100 feet shall be maintained between boats.

A counter-clockwise ski pattern shall be maintained.

To minimize shoreline wakes on the North shore, high-speed boaters shall stay as close as possible to the main beach buoys when traveling from the dam toward Big Creek. When traveling Big Creek toward the dam, high-speed boaters should stay as close as possible to the center of the ski pattern as safety permits. Always pass an approaching powerboat on the right.

All boats being used on PML waters must be operated in a manner to minimize the size of the wake produced by the boat. With the exception of pontoon boats and those boats traveling less than 5 mph, all powerboat operators shall operate at planing speeds as soon as practical when in the ski pattern.

Wake Enhancement: The use of devices, equipment, or placement of passengers on boats for the purpose of creating an enlarged wake is prohibited. Further, no such devices or equipment may be used on any boat in PML. Such devices and equipment include, but are not limited to; exterior panels or wings deployed underwater; rubberized, plastic or metal tanks or bags filled with any material; crowding of passengers to the rear; inside-the-hull water tanks or boat hulls designed specifically to enhance the wake. Additionally, the operator of an outboard or I/O drive boat must keep the out-drive down to optimally trim the boat to minimize the size of the boat's wake at all times.

Any boat that produces excessive wakes may be cited. Two citations result in eviction from the lake for the remainder of the calendar year.

Staging area for skiers is the White SKI BUOY outside the Marina. No other area! There is a voluntary drop area outside the 5 mph buoys at Fisherman's Cove. See Marina Store and Good Neighbor Rules for details.

Ski course is marked with red buoys. Stay inside of the red buoys. These buoys are not a SLALOM COURSE.

Ski boats must have a red or orange flag and an observer at least 12 years of age.

Ski boats returning to a fallen skier must make a starboard (right) turn to return to the skier while raising the red or orange warning flag. The boat operator shall make the 'turn-around' at a slow speed to minimize the wake. Obviously, safety is a concern, but anything a boat operator can do to minimize wake size is required.

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PML Junior Golf Clinics 2007
Come join us for more fun and Golf this summer!

June 27, 28 & 29, July 11, 12 & 13th, August 1, 2 & 3

Beginning Clinic 9:30 to 11:00 am & Intermediate Clinic 11:30 to 1:00 pm

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Each 3 day session costs \$30 per student with a maximum cost of \$60 per family.

PLEASE CONTACT THE GOLF SHOP FOR MORE INFORMATION.

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Class sizes are limited so sign up early!

We look forward to seeing you at this summer's clinics!

PINE MOUNTAIN LAKE ASSOCIATION
SUMMARY STATEMENT OF OPERATING FUND REVENUES AND EXPENSES
For The Four Months Ended April 30, 2007

OPERATION OF AMENITIES	Revenues					Expenses				Budget (NET COST) INCOME	Variance Bud - Act
	Members' Assessments Net of Discount	User Fees	Sales, Net of Cost of Sales	Miscellaneous Income	Total Revenues	Total Expenses	(Cost)/Income Before Depreciation	Depreciation Expense	(NET COST) INCOME		
Golf Course	\$ -0-	\$ 202,029	\$ 14,583	\$ (300)	\$ 216,312	\$ 344,207	\$ (127,895)	\$ 71,914	\$ (199,809)	\$ (226,888)	27,079
Country Club	-0-	715	71,862	5	72,582	253,973	(181,391)	11,740	(193,131)	(187,226)	(5,905)
Marina	-0-	60,470	-0-	-0-	60,470	24,254	36,216	17,475	18,741	50,818	(32,077)
Lake & Beach	-0-	600	-0-	-0-	600	33,055	(32,455)	4,575	(37,030)	(39,088)	2,058
Stables	-0-	20,223	-0-	-0-	20,223	55,036	(34,813)	6,249	(41,062)	(46,042)	4,980
Recreation	-0-	19,566	-0-	-0-	19,566	17,078	2,488	16,166	(13,678)	(20,534)	6,856
Roads & Facilities Maintenance	-0-	2,455	-0-	230	2,685	302,289	(299,604)	48,475	(348,079)	(370,879)	22,800
PROPERTY OWNER SERVICES											
Safety	-0-	14,941	-0-	112	15,053	232,122	(217,069)	5,011	(222,080)	(213,805)	(8,275)
Administration	-0-	64,214	-0-	25,411	89,625	393,041	(303,416)	4,416	(307,832)	(361,030)	53,198
ASSESSMENTS											
Assessments		1,336,334	-0-	-0-	1,336,334	-	1,336,334	-0-	1,336,334	1,340,456	(4,122)
Totals	\$ -0-	\$ 1,721,547	\$ 86,445	\$ 25,458	\$ 1,833,450	\$ 1,655,055	\$ 178,395	\$ 186,021	\$ (7,626)	\$ (74,218)	66,592

Notes to the Financial Statements

1. Total Revenues minus Total Expenses equals Net Income before depreciation. The annual budget for income before depreciation is \$0.
2. The Association combined the Operating Fund and the Property and Equipment Fund into one fund effective May 1, 2001.

CAPITAL EXPENDITURES 4 Months Ended April 30, 2007

	RESERVE FUNDS			NEW CAPITAL ADDITIONS FUND	TOTAL CONTRIBUTION TO CAPITAL
	AMENITY REFURBISHMENT FUND	CAPITAL EQUIP. REPLACEMENT FUND	TOTAL RESERVE FUNDS		
2007 Beginning Fund Balances	\$ 1,537,933	\$ 195,390	\$ 1,733,323	\$ 32,062	\$ 1,765,385
Interest Income	22,082	1,742	23,824	338	24,162
Less Bank Fees	82	21	103		103
Assessments Earned	278,032 ⁽¹⁾	94,367 ⁽²⁾	372,399	14,650 ⁽³⁾	387,049
Income Tax Expense			-		-
PURCHASES BY AMENITY					
Golf Course		(74,573)	(74,573)	(3,360)	(77,933)
Country Club	(52,343)	(92,857)	(145,200)	(715)	(145,915)
Bar	(7,059)	(5,494)	(12,553)	(7,348)	(19,901)
Marina	(9,564)		(9,564)	(2,221)	(11,785)
Lake & Beach	(47,889)		(47,889)		(47,889)
Swim Center			-		-
Stables	(44,074)		(44,074)		(44,074)
Recreation	(193)		(193)		(193)
Roads & Facilities Maintenance	(18,170)	(13,542)	(31,712)		(31,712)
PROPERTY OWNER SERVICES					
Safety	(1,793)	(28,697)	(30,490)		(30,490)
Administration	(66)	(8,716)	(8,782)		(8,782)
Total transfer to Operating Fund for property and equipment additions	(181,151)	(223,879)	(405,030)	(13,644)	(418,674)
Adjusted Fund Balances	\$ 1,656,978	\$ 67,641	\$ 1,724,619	\$ 33,406	\$ 1,758,025

Notes to the Financial Statements

- (1) The Budgeted Amenity Refurbishment Fund assessment for 2007 is \$834,095.
- (2) The Budgeted Capital Equipment Replacement Fund assessment for 2007 is \$283,100
- (3) The Budgeted New Capital Additions Fund assessment for 2007 is \$43,950.

FROM THE CHEFS TABLE

By Orpheus Brown, PMLA Executive Chef

Hello to all members and guests of the Country Club Restaurant..... this is the first monthly letter in our newspaper that I will be putting forth.

First, I would like to thank all homeowners and the variety of clubs and groups who have supported and praised Tom and my efforts over the last two years and your constant understanding and loyalty to us. Without which we would have never been able to pull off the overhaul of your Country Club facility as smoothly as we did.

Spring and summer are here and the season is upon us, with our extended hours and new menus I feel we have arrived and the beginning of the new Country Club persona. I'm excited that everyone enjoys and loves our Italian Tuscan theme menu and I promise to continually bring this concept up a notch every year.

If you would like to give me feedback, questions or concerns my door is always open to you. I work for you in creating a culinary palette that satisfies as many people as possible.

Starting in June my Chef's Table and

Wine Dinners are back and I'm looking to cook for as many culinary enthusiasts as possible. My Chef's Table is a six-course meal paired with an appropriate wine selection that I cook and plate in the dining room, right in front of you. If I have a reason for cooking this is it. Eating is obviously a necessity and a source for our families and friends to gather and celebrate, food surrounds every aspect of our lives and binds the world together.

I've always considered it a privilege to share food with strangers and their loved ones, also I feel a sense of duty to create the highest quality and safest food possible. There is no better way to do this than right in front of you with my reputation exposed and on the line.

I invite you to take a chance if you feel that this is new to you or visit again if you partook last year in my celebration of culinary gastronomy.

Thank you for your time and may I see you soon at the Country Club for food and fun.

Next month I will post a selected recipe and I welcome your input. ☞

Some Golf Article

By An Author

In the mid 1990's an old friend, Ray Scofield told me that while building a new Paiute Golf Course in the Las Vegas area a co-worker remembered working on this course during construction. His comment to Ray was they come and left very quickly. They did not bring in any topsoil to the fairways and in some cases removed topsoil to build the greens and tees.

With the lack of topsoil and a combination of clay soil and cart traffic permitted year around we have areas of severe soil compaction.

For this year, management has allowed us the funds to begin sand topdressing in problem areas. We will prioritize fairway landing areas and include our approaches to the greens.

What are the benefits? Applications of sand results in improved soil structure over time for better drainage, firmer surfaces, and turf that is more consistent. Application recommendations are 60 tons of sand per acre.

Here are some testimonials of golf courses that have done fairway topdressing.

Longview, Washington- The Mint Valley Golf Course has had to cope with a problem of monumental proportions for many years. During most of the year, the water table is very near the playing surface. Superintendent Dave MacDonald decided to address this issue with a fairway topdressing program. Since then, approximately 2 inches of sand has been applied on one fairway, and lesser amounts on several other fairways. Remarkable improvements have been noted. Areas which had been completely unplayable during the winter are back to playability. The fairways are now much drier and firmer than the roughs, and tire marking has been reduced. Although small areas of standing water still occur, these are being systematically eliminated with subsurface drain lines. Budget considerations do not allow for expansion of this program, but the Mint Valley Golf Course is well on it's way to providing the local citizenry extended and improved play.

Victoria, British Columbia- Victoria

Golf Club is one of the oldest courses in the west. For years, several low-lying fairways were virtually unplayable during the winter. Beginning in 1984, superintendent Alex Kazai started topdressing a 10,000- square foot landing zone on one fairway. By putting down ¼ inch per application, a total of 1 ½ inches of accumulated material in this area resulted in improved smoothness and better turf growth. After this success, a far more extensive program was started a year later. From April through September, weekly application of slightly less than ¼ inch of topdressing material were made. Approximately 2 inches of sand was applied per year, and the program was completed in 1988. This 6-inch layer of topdressing has turned three wet and often unplayable fairways into year-round quality fairways. Subsurface drainage is still needed in some areas, but the membership is pleased. These same results could have been achieved through reconstruction, but the cost would have been 8 to 10 times higher, and construction would have taken these holes out of play for a period of time.

Medina, Washington – The Overlake Country Club justifiably carried the nickname "Underlake Country Club" for many years. Miles of drainage tile had been installed, yet the golf course suffered from consistently wet conditions in the fall, winter, and spring. Superintendent Gary Sayre had a plan to topdress all of the par-4 and par-5 fairways over a 3-year period. Applications were begun in 1987 at a rate of about ¼ inch per application, and as of the end of 1989, 4 to 5 inches of topdressing has been applied. Improvements noted were better mowing under wet conditions, greater turf density, more consistent utilization of irrigation water, fewer weeds, and improved winter playing conditions. In short, another success story!

Summary

One point is certain. Fairway topdressing is a program that is rapidly gaining acceptance. As you contemplate improvements to your course, consider dressing up your fairways for 2000's. ☞



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PML Organized Groups & Clubs

Contact the individuals below if you are interested in joining!

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NINERS TEAM PLAY AT HOME!

By Jane Reynolds

The 9ers have now played two matches away and are preparing to play at home on June 7th. The teams coming will be Turlock, Elkhorn, PML, Sequoia Woods and Mace Meadows. The teams that played at Turlock were: Anne Clark and Barbara Davis, 1st flight; Claudette Babyak and Linn Faler, 2nd flight; Cyndy Krout and Wanda Patterson, 3rd flight and Jane Reynolds and Bev Oakley, Captain's flight. The team for Elkhorn was: Anne Clark and Barbara Davis, 1st; Claudette Babyak and Linn Faler, 2nd flight; Cyndy Krout and Pat Price, 3rd flight, and Jane Reynolds and Jane Hansen, Captain's flight.

It is nice to visit different clubs when playing team play. We will have two matches left after ours at PML. If you have an interest, please let me know.

Those that braved the cold winds during our 18-holers invite should be medaled; but it gave us something to laugh about while trying to play well. The lunch was delicious and it was nice joining together with our 18-holer friends. Some 9er winners were: Linn Faler & Flo Jansen with Joann Foster & Eileen Roberts came in first. Linelle Marshall with Marie Dean, Linda Cordle and Joyce Smith came in second. Cyndy Krout and Jane Hansen with Norma Menacho and Norma Baldinger came in third. Congratulation, ladies.

Reminders:

- June 5th Home & Home @ Oakdale
- June 7th 9 AM Shotgun - Team Play @ PML
- June 11th Discovery Bay Invite
- June 14th 8 AM Shotgun - Eclectic #1

- June 19th Team Play @ Sequoia Woods
- June 21st NO GOLF DUE TO PINE TREE INVITATIONAL
- June 21st Villages Invitational
- June 26th Open @ Alta Sierra
- June 27th Open @ Auburn
- June 28th 9 AM Shotgun (front nine)

PLAY DAY RESULTS:

April 5th, PUTTS DAY: 1st flight, Barb Davis, Darlene Hicks & Linn Faler, (19). 2nd flight, Flo Jansen & Wanda Patterson, (19). 3rd flight, Faye Buckley (19) and Judy Michaelis came in second. PARS: Linn Faler & Darlene Hicks #14. BIRDIE: Cyndy Krout #17. How good is that! LOW NET: Faye Buckley, 35.

April 12th, NINE HOLE/18- HOLE LADIES: 1st flight, Linelle Marshall (39) & Anne Clark (41). 2nd flight, Claudette Babyak (35) & Jane Reynolds (41). Third Flight: Cyndy Krout (37) & Flo Jansen (39). 4th flight, Faye Buckley (35) & Judy Michaelis (40). PARS: #14, Babyak, Clark, Krout & J. Reynolds. Marshall & J. Reynolds \$17. LOW NET: Faye Buckley (33), congratulations!

April 19th, PAR 4 ONLY PLUS 1/2 HCP: 1st flight, Claudette (24) & Barb Davis (28). 2nd flight, Cyndy Krout (22), Wanda Patterson (28) & Judy Michaelis (32). PARS: Barb Davis #14 & Wanda #17. CHIP IN: Wanda Patterson #17. LOW NET: Cyndy Krout (39).

April 26th, LOW NET: 1st flight, Geralyn Dielman (31). 2nd flight, Bev Oakley (34).

LOW NET: Geralyn Dielman (31).

Happy Summer Golfing! 🏌️

FIRE ABATEMENT

Now is the time to start clearing grass, weeds, brush and trimming those trees. Help Keep PML Fire Safe!

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For more information please call Larry at (209)-962-8616



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Racquet Club News

By Al Peirona

Cinco de Mayo was a beautiful day and the Racquet Club's social on May 5 was a huge success.

This was a mixed doubles, round-robin event with A & B divisions. Dorothy Broderson and Walt Bales captured the top A division honors and Jean Hammond and Brad Vaughn won the B division. Scores as follows:

A Division and B Division Results

D. Broderson & Walt Bales	11 pts
Jean Hammond & Brad Vaughn	13 pts
Kathy and Gary Oing	10 pts
Bambi & Josh Johnson	11 pts
Yvonne Mattocks & Dave Franz	10 pts
Dick Davis & Bob Mayrend	10 pts
Pricilla Park & Dick Thomson	9 pts
Craig & Melissa Johnson	9 pts
Ann Hankin & Don Looney	8 pts
Patti Couch & Dwaine Carver	9 pts
Sue Perry & Joe Sousa	6 pts
Jerry DeHart & Rosie Dolera	6 pts
Jack Linaberry & Leo Hornback	4 pts

While the tennis playing was loads of fun, the eating after the play by the play-

ers and eating guests drew raves from everybody.

Patti Couch, Ruthann Peirona and Dorothy Broderson prepared marvelous Mexican food. This consisted of beef and pork burritos, refried beans, fried rice, poppers and a 7 layer dip. All that, plus trimmings, sauces and guacamole dip.

No one should have gone home either hungry or thirsty.

- Longtime Racquet Club member Bill Broderson, deserves thanks for his effort in running the social.

- Many were helpful in clean-up - including Chris Franz, Dick Thomson and Walt Bales.

- Maintenance is to be commended for having all the courts and rest rooms at the Tennis Center clean and ready to go. Also, thanks to Safety for opening the Lake Lodge in order to get needed ice and then opening the gate at the courts.

- Tuesday BBQ Tennis Socials at the Tennis Center begin on June 5 (4 pm) and will run thru August.

- The second quarterly meeting will be on Friday, June 22. Davis Cup Tennis Social (country vs. country) follows on Monday, June, 25. 🍷

PML Men's Golf Club

By Dick Faux

Your Pine Mountain Lake Men's Club tournament schedule is halfway through the golfing season, with numerous tournaments scheduled for the next three months. The Motherlode Invitational, scheduled for July 19, 20 & 21st promises to be bigger and better so it is time to get your guests confirmed and your entry's submitted.

As always, entry forms and tournament information may be found on our website WWW.PMLMGC.com) or in the proshop. Listed below is the PML Men's Golf Club schedule of tournaments for the next three months:

PML Men's Golf Club tournament schedule

Tournament Date Format Registration Deadline Men's Club Monthly Special
Wed. June 13 A-B-C-D Computer Draw; 2 Best Balls plus Orange Ball
June 11 Club Championship Sat/Sun
June 16/ 17 36 holes, gold tees, individual stroke play, full handicaps. Low gross and low net will be paid in each flight. Player with the lowest gross score in the field will be the club champion.

June 12
Men's Club Monthly Special
Wed.
July 11
4 man team- 3 best balls. Horse race to follow.
July 9
Mother Lode Tournament
July 19,20,21
July 19 practice round. July 20- 2 man better ball. July 21- 2 man both scores.
July 16
NCGA Senior 4 Ball Qualifier
Sat.
July 28
2 man better ball. 55 years old to play. 2 lowest teams qualify. 90% of handicap is used. Max. index of 18.4
July 25

HOLE IN ONE CLUB:

Congratulations to Men's Club member Milt Foster for his hole in one at Manteca on 135 yard hole number 8. Way to go Milt...

QUOTE OF THE MONTH:

I don't say my golf game is bad, but if I grew tomatoes they'd come up sliced.

Arnold Palmer

Golf Rules Quiz

1. The ball of A and B are in the same heel mark in a bunker. B's ball is further from the hole. A lifts his ball under the rules and B plays and obliterates the heel mark. What should A do?
Q. 2. Is a fallen tree a loose impediment?

ANSWERS TO GOLF QUIZ

1. A is required to re-create his original heel mark, and place his ball in that lie. If it is still attached to the stump, No. If it is not attached to the stump, Yes.

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PML Boat Parade

June 30, 2007

Join the Fun!

here is the boat parade ad that Rick authorized. It should be 1/4 page, if possible.

Decorating Themes:
Patriotic or Any American Holiday

Trophie *I'm still working on this one*

- 3. Antique boats
- 4. Non-motorized boats

Register and get your entry number at the Marina, decorate your boat, join the parade. It's Fun!



By Perry Constantine

The PML Waterski and Wakeboard Club has been working with the PMLA Board of Directors and the Friends of the Lake on enhancements to the existing Lake Rules. The FOTL would like to have the ability to reserve a slow boat hour up to 14 days in advance and the WWC would like to have the ability to reserve a ski time 24 hours in advance (based upon the recent WWC survey). A simple plan to achieve both desires has been presented to the Board for their consideration. We are committed to working with the Board and other interested parties to find the best solutions for the entire membership. While we don't expect any changes to be in place by the start of this year's ski season, please check our website for the most recent updates.

During our discussions, it was learned that the greatest improvement in wake reduction that came out of our work 2 years ago on the Good Neighbor Rules (GNR) was the reduction of "power turns". A power turn is when a ski boat turns around at full power to return to a fallen or dropped skier. While this procedure is sometimes required where a skier is hurt or another boat is approaching at a rapid pace, it is most often not. The power turn generates a tremendous wake that is thrown directly at the shore of the lake. The PMLWWC recommends that boats pull back power

to idle and then make the turn back to the skier to minimize wakes when no immediate danger exists. This greatly reduces the wake generated and can be clearly seen on the Training DVD (available at the Marina Store for boaters signing up for skiing and wakeboarding).

While we received high marks for reducing the amount of power turns during the first several months of the first year the GNR were available, it was felt that many boaters returned to using the power turn as the season wore on and that some boaters ignored the rule altogether. Reduction of power turns is one of the best ways for the skiing and wakeboarding community to help our lakeshore and boating neighbors. Please only use power turns when absolutely required.

There are several other tips and rules for reducing wakes in our Good Neighbor Guide and Safety Laminate available at the Marina Store or on-line at www.pmlwwc.com. Please take a look!

The PML Waterski and Wakeboard Club is dedicated to the safe enjoyment of Skiing and Wakeboarding on Pine Mountain Lake. Our website is www.pmlwwc.com. If you're interested in getting on the WWC e-mail list and participating in our events and surveys, please send your e-mail to rwguard55-pml@yahoo.com. Membership is free! ☺

CalPilots Association President Visits PML Pilots

By Virginia Gustafson

Ed Rosiak, president of the California Pilots Association, was the featured speaker at the PML Aviation Association's May meeting. Mr. Rosiak's presentation about the challenges faced by small airports was interesting and sobering.

On behalf of its 356 members, the Aviation Association has also written to our elected representatives protesting a proposal to fund the FAA by dramatically increasing user fees on general aviation.

On June 2, the Aviation Association invites all area

residents to our Community Airport Day and PML Air Show at the PML Airport. Starting at noon there will be airplanes and helicopters on display and at 3:00pm you'll see world-class skydivers and champion aerobatic pilots. This event is free and open to the public.



Ed Rosiak, president of the California Pilots Association, meets with PMLAA president Allen Craig

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Friends of the Lake Busy with Fun on Our Lake

By Virginia Gustafson

It's June and the start of another wonderful season to enjoy all types of activities at our beautiful lake.

At our May meeting, Friends of the Lake heard a very interesting presentation from Dr. Todd Stolp from the Tuolumne County Health Department. Dr. Stolp provided a wealth of information on how water becomes contaminated and best ways to counteract water contamination.

Our June 10th event is the always fun PML "Poker Run." It starts at 4:30pm at the West end of the Marina with a potluck dinner followed by travel by boat around the lake to pick up your poker cards. Then, we return to the Marina and play

our hands. Fun prizes are awarded, but the most enjoyable part of the evening is a beautiful cruise around the lake.

In order to ensure we have enough boats to accommodate everyone, you must sign-up in advance. Call Paula Baker at 962-7916 if you'd like to participate. Tickets are 5:00 per person.

Our next big event is the annual PML Boat Parade at 6:00pm on June 30th. Mark your calendars, register at the Marina, and come out for a wonderful event for the whole community. See separate article for all the details.

We are also pleased to note the new swim buoys near the dam. Friends of

the Lake thanks the Association for their responsiveness to boaters' request for an additional safe place to tie-up and swim. Please be sure to follow the safety rules, including having a swim ladder and an observer on board your boat.

Friends of the Lake is a social organization dedicated to enhancing the health, safety and equitable use of Pine Mountain Lake. To join or renew your membership in Friends of the Lake, please mail a check for \$20/family, \$10/single to Friends of the Lake, PO Box 591, Groveland. Be sure to include your email address. Memberships will also be taken at the poker run. ☞

Computer Users Group

By Tom Carman

Groveland-Where in the world is Broad-band? This is a question we've all heard many times and the answer has never been good. Well, maybe things are changing. We now have the opportunity to hear directly from someone who is definitely in the know. Our June presenter is Tim Holden, President of Sierra Nevada Communications. He will give the CUG a presentation at the Lake Lodge Tuesday June 19th covering the subject of broad-band internet via cable and the products his company will be offering to us. Let's talk it up, invite your friends and remember that you do not have to be a member of the PML CUG to attend. Guests are welcome.

The CUG is composed of members at all levels of computer experience, and guests are always welcome. Remember, you do not have to be a resident of Pine Mountain Lake to attend the CUG meetings. For non-PML residents, please contact Gerald DeHart or Bob Oakley if you plan to attend so PML Safety Department can issue the proper pass. To learn other information about the CUG, such as past meeting content, our new BLOG, monthly newsletters, club by-laws, and officer info, check out the club's website listed in this article.

We look forward to seeing you on June 19th, 7:00pm at the Lake Lodge. The Multi-Media Sig will meet at 6:30 p.m. Be sure to check out the CUG Web Site at <http://www.geocities.com/pmlcug>. Further information about the CUG may also be obtained from Bob Oakley at 962-4799 or Gerald DeHart at 962-7429. ☞

ROCHELLE RODERICK PERPETUAL TROPHY

On December 9, 2006, Captain Dotty Davis and the 18-Hole Ladies Golf Club board voted unanimously to make the Club Championship Tournament award the Rochelle Roderick Ladies Club Championship Trophy. Rochelle was given this honor based on her record of winning the Club Championship for nine consecutive years, from 1992 to 2000. This is an impeccable record for any individual, at any club. She was presented the award at the Ladies Club Christmas luncheon on December 13.

On the Trophy Committee were Janice Mussatto, Eileen Roberts, Irish Moffit, Joanne Foster, and Chris Borego. The project was privately funded. The trophy sits in a custom made cabinet of cherry wood, and is displayed in the computer posting area, in accordance with Rochelle's wishes. All prior Champion's names are displayed in the cabinet, dating back to 1974, when the first Club Championship Tournament was played. The display is designed to display future Champions through the year 2073.

The Committee wishes to thank all of the individuals and organized groups who donated to this project. This elegant trophy display is a direct result of your generous contributions. Rochelle passed away on December 30, and we will miss her so. But as long as there is an 18-Hole Ladies Club at PML, Rochelle's memory and record will live forever. ☞

Rochelle Roderick Trophy Committee

Garden Club Clippings

Is everyone ready for the Garden Tour and Luncheon? It is coming very soon! Members please have your salads to serve 12--no tossed--at the Lake Lodge by 8:30. Please label your bowls and no spoons. The tour of the gardens begins at 9:30. Please be back by 11:30 for the luscious lunch. Table setters may set their tables on Sunday from 10 to 1. Parking is very tight so please carpool from home.

We are beginning to plant bedding plants at the Jail. It looks very nice after a crew weeded last week. Will accept

any and all volunteers. Call Terre Melin at 962-5743.

Dodie Hart from the Sierra Herbal Institute spoke at our May 14 meeting on herbs. She had some very interesting questions for us to contemplate. She even had all the answers! Real informative. She was wearing a beautiful medicine bag around her neck containing herbs a member made of beads for her.

Happy planting!! See you at the luncheon. ☞

Photo of trophy

Annual PML Boat Parade

June 30 at 6:00pm

By Virginia Gustafson

All PML boat owners are invited to participate in the annual PML boat parade around the lake on the afternoon of June 30. Plan your boat decorations with a 4th of July patriotic theme or to celebrate any American holiday. We expect to see Santas, Easter Bunnies and Giant Pumpkins intermingled with red-white-and-blue boat decorations. Should be great fun!

Join the fun. Stop by the Marina store and sign-up to participate in the parade. You'll receive an entry number to display on your boat for the judges.

Prizes will be awarded in four categories: 1.) pontoon boats; 2.) fishing or ski boats; 3.) antique boats, and 4.) non-mo-

torized boats such as canoes, sailboats, pedal boats and kayaks. Trophies for the best decoration in each category are on display at the Country Club.

To watch the parade, mark your calendars for 6:00pm on June 30, come out to any of the lake beaches, and cheer on your favorite boats as they sail by. Kent and Sandy Blankenburg will land their Seabee plane on the lake just prior to the parade, and Keith and Sylvia Zenobia will lead the parade in their unique amphibicar.

The annual PML Boat Parade is organized by Friends of the Lake. If you have any questions, please call Virginia Gustafson at 962-6336. ☞

Pine Mountain Lake Activities

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**For more information and reservations contact Nancy Perry at 962-8632
Or log onto pinemountainlake.com for anticipated itinerary**

Pine Mountain Lake Ladies Golf Club...April

By Sue Perry

April 5th Gross. Net. Putts

Ace of Aces: Eleanor Ellis, Marie Dean, & Jackie Sample ...71
1st Flight Hdcp...11-19
Low gross Priscilla Park...89
Low net Yvonne Mattocks...91
2nd Flight Hdcp...20-28
Low gross Sue Perry...98
Low net Mona Tompkins ...94
3rd Flight Hdcp...29-34
Low gross Grace Dickson...108
Low net Ina Rathert...108
4th Flight Hdcp...35-40
Low net Marie Dean...107
Eleanor Ellis...111
Jackie Sample...107
Low Putts Norma Baldinger...30
Birdies: B. Gibson # 6,
N. Baldinger # 14

April 12th 9ers invite the 18ers

It may have been the coldest play day of the year, but the company was warm and welcoming and the lunch was delicious. Thanks to Linelle Marshall and all the 9ers that helped to make it such a wonderful occasion! Lots of fun was

had by all.

April 19th Beat the Pros

The Pros Chris & Tony

Mussatto and Derodeff...63, Park & Scott...66, Tallman & Dwaitabee...68, Hankin & Davis...68, Dickson, G. & Tompkins...70, Mattocks & Hancock...71, Foster & Smith 71
Birdies J. Mussatto # 17

Good going ladies...you all beat the Pros!

April 26th Team Point Bogey

1st Place...127pts. D. Davis, P. Peebles, S. Perry, J. Sample
2nd Place...124pts. K. Edgerton, M. Scott, K. Bettencourt, A. Hankin
3rd Place...123pts. L. Dust, M. Raines, J. Smith

Birdies: B. Gibson#1, P. Breece #14, A. Hankin #17, K. Edgerton#14, K. Bettencourt# 14

The Easter Bunny was so good to Marlene Drew. She shot a hole in one on Easter Sunday on #14 ...she used her 11 wood . Congrats Marlene!

Kudos to the ground keepers for the wonderful job that they did this year with the aeration. The greens were in good shape for play the same week that they were done. (Love those slower greens!) Those that chose to play elsewhere missed a good day of golf. May will bring our Handicap tournament on the 17th, 22nd and 24th. Good luck to all who will participate. Our biggie for the year, The Pine Tree Invitational, is in the final stages of planning and development. Your committee has been working hard to provide you all with another wonderful event. The Chip and Putt Barbecue kicks off this event on Wed. , June 20th. Be sure to get your money in so that you don't miss out on all the fun! Lastly, do remember to sign up for the Saturday mixer on June 9th. You can bring a guest so here is a good chance to play that practice round with your Pine Tree partner. ☺

PML Men's Nine-Hole Golf Club

By Bob Cowley

Summer is here and Men's Nine-Hole Golf Club is ready!

Starting July 4th, we will be teeing off on the back nine at 7:30 AM, shot gun start. Bring your sun glasses for the 10th tee. We are currently teeing off from #1 at 12:17 PM.until then.

The "Challenge of the Sexes" between the Niner Men and the Niner Women was enjoyed on May 20th. We would like to thank the women for setting up the event this year and look forward to doing it again next year. Look to next month's issue of "The Pine Mountain Lake News" for details on the tournament and a report on the awards dinner.

Look for upcoming announcements concerning general membership meetings, news on members' handicaps, games to be played on future dates, and many other features of interest for our members and guests on our website at: <http://www.freewebs.com/pmlm9h>.

Membership in the Men's Nine Hole Golf Club is open to any man who is a member in good standing of the Pine Mountain Lake Association. If you are new to Golf or returning to Golf after an extended absence, please consider the Men's Nine Hole Golf Club as an alternative to playing 18 holes.

Please contact Wally Child 962-0723, Bob Oakley 962-4799, Bob Cowley 962-

6245 or Steve Thompson 962-6154, for further information on how to join us for our weekly games.

Games scheduled for June are:

June 6 Red, white, blue
June 13 Beat the Pro's
June 20 Four man scramble
June 27 Odd holes

Games scheduled for July are:

July 4 Green forward tee
July 11 One man scramble
July 18 Four clubs
July 25 Low net

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ANNOUNCEMENTS, ACTIVITIES, & CALENDAR OF EVENTS

CALENDAR

GOLF TOURNAMENT FOR LOCAL SCHOOLS JUNE 8TH

Time: 11am to 8pm on Friday.
Contact Dave Lint 962-7765 or Hetch Hetchy AOR 962-4034 for more details.

QUILT STROLL JUNE 9TH

On Saturday, June 9th, a novel art show will be presented in Groveland.

Sponsored by the SSSI, the Pine Needlers Quilt Guild will present their first annual QUILT STROLL.

From 9 AM to 4 PM stroll the Main Street of Groveland from the local banks to Mary Lavaroni Park. Admire or purchase the beautiful outdoor display of local quilts.

In the park you will see demonstrations in the art of quilt making. Also, in the park, you will find a boutique filled with quilt related items for sale such as table runners, wall hangings and place mats.

Come and enjoy the quilt stroll.
There will be refreshments and available parking.

GROVELAND FEATURED ON KVIE JUNE 12

Huell Houser, who does California's Gold on KVIE, Channel 6, came to Groveland and filmed for a broadcast. It will be shown on June 12 at 7:00. KVIE, Channel 6. The museum and library, Groveland Hotel, Charlotte Hotel, Irondoor Saloon were featured.

ON-GOING ACTIVITIES

COMMUNITY DRUMMING GROUP

Sponsored by the Gathering Place
Second Wednesday of every month
Time: 6:00 – 7:30 pm
Place: Groveland Library Conference Room (bottom floor)

Everyone is welcome, kids too! If you have a drum, bring it. We have extras.

SWISS BALL EXERCISE CLASS

SPRING SESSION: March 26 - May 30, 2007
Mondays and Wednesdays from 5:30 p.m. to 6:15 p.m. at the PML Lake Lodge. It's more fun than a barrel of monkeys! Get in shape, too!
\$30.00 per session (SORRY NO REFUNDS)
For more information please leave a message for Leah Stafford at 962-8600 and she will return your call.

This class is not to replace medically needed exercise. All participants must be healthy and physically fit. If you have any health concerns and issues in regards to your participating in this class, please

consult your physician before participating. Regretably there are no refunds offered.

HOT LUNCHES FOR SENIORS

Sierra Foothill Senior Management Inc. serves hot lunches at noon Mondays & Tuesdays at Groveland Community Hall, also Thursdays at Big Oak Flat First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall, 11345 Wards Ferry Road. For information and/or reservations, call 962-6700. Anyone 60 or older is welcome. If a couple, only one needs to be 60. A \$3.25 donation is requested but no senior is denied a meal. There is a \$6.25 charge for anyone younger than 60.

AMERICAN LEGION POST #300 WEEKLY LUNCHEON AND DINNER POTLUCK

2nd Tuesdays (lunch),
3rd Thursdays (dinner)
Luncheon meets at 11:30 at The Big Oak Restaurant, Hwy 120, Big Oak Flat. Potluck dinner meets at 6:15 PM at the Groveland Community Hall 209/962-5647.

BRIDGE AT THE LAKE LODGE

Mondays • 10:15 AM & 10:30 AM
All bridge players are welcome. Men (10:15 AM) call Bill Mingus at 209/962-4240 for reservations. Women (10:30 AM) call Norma Anderson at 209/962-0645 for reservations.

AEROBICS & SCULPTING EXERCISE BY VIDEO

Mondays & Wednesdays • 9 AM
Reach your fitness goals! These classes are suitable for all fitness levels. Classes are free. Join us at the Lake Lodge to be led by a variety of videos featuring certified fitness instructors. For more information and scheduling contact Barb at 209/962-6457 or Marie at 209/962-7905.

SIERRA CLUB HIKE OF THE WEEK

Thursdays • 8 AM
Midweek Hikes in the Groveland Area on Thursdays. Weather permitting, each Thursday meet at Mary Laveroni Community Park in Groveland at 8 AM for an approximate 6-mile hike. Bring a jacket, water, sunscreen and a snack in a daypack and wear hiking boots. The hike is generally followed by a no-host lunch at a local restaurant. Call Frank Oyung for further details 209/962-7585.

BRIDGE (DUPLICATE) AT THE LAKE LODGE

2nd & 4th Thursdays
All bridge players are welcome. Call Ann Laffin 209/962-6394 for information.

WOMEN'S SUPPORT/ DISCUSSION GROUP

Attention Pine Mountain Lake and Groveland Area Ladies: A new women's support/discussion group will be forming. Days and times will be determined by participants. It is time to do something for yourselves. Make new friends, get rid of some old emotional baggage, and share your knowledge and experience. Call me. Let's talk.
Ety Garber, PhD. 209-962-5205.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PINE CONE PERFORMERS ('SINGERS' AND 'PLAYERS')

The Pine Cone Singers will begin rehearsing for their spring concert on Tuesday, January 30th, at 3:00 PM in the Groveland Community Hall. Under the direction of Dennis Brown, the chorus is 47 members strong and growing! All voices are welcome. Dues are \$30. per season. The concert is slated for performance the weekend of May 18, 19, and 20. For further information, call 962-6892.

SWING DANCE LESSONS

Swing Dance Lessons, Monday Nights at the Pine Mountain Lake Country Club, 6-7:30 pm. For more info contact Tom Knoth at 209-962-5838

HIGH COUNTRY LINE DANCERS

High Country Line Dancers at Groveland Community Hall – 7-9 p.m. every Tuesday evening. Beginner line dancing lessons 7-8 p.m.; intermediate/advanced lessons and dancing 8-9 p.m. Everyone welcome! Instructor: Susan Nash. \$2.00 per person. For more info, call Carol Stevens at 962-5198 or Sue Salnick at 962-4155.

Employment Opportunity

Pine Mountain Lake Association is currently accepting applications for Country Club positions. Applications available at the Pine Mountain Lake Administration Office or send resume, cover letter, and references to Allie Henderson, H/R Administrator, Pine Mountain Lake Association, 19228 Pine Mountain Drive, Groveland, CA 95321: email to hr@pinemountainlake.com.

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MOVIES AT MOUNTAIN SAGE

What ever will you do with that friend visiting on a cold June day? Come drink a latte and catch an old flick in the cozy café of Mountain Sage. We thought you'd appreciate more than one, so on Saturdays we will have a theme of movies playing all afternoon and into the early evenings. Come let your hair down after a morning of shopping, hiking or playing and catch a classic scene! For specific movie listings, check with Mountain Sage at www.mtnsage.com or 962-4686.

WHITEWOLF ART GALLERY EXHIBITS

The Whitewolf Art Gallery features a new artist every three weeks. Come on in to see what's happening. Themed event to be announced for late summer. Please call 962-0342 for information or to inquire about exhibiting.

SOROPTIMIST MEETINGS

The Soroptimist International of Groveland will meet the first four Tuesdays of the month at the Pine Mountain Lake Country Club at 12:30 pm. For information regarding membership, please contact Gail Shaw at 209-962-0907.

POISON OAKERS SQUARE DANCERS

The Poison Oakers Square Dancers meet on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at the Greeley Hill Community Hall, 10332 Fiske Rd. We dance from 7:00 to 9:00 PM. Our caller, Buck Davis, comes from Turlock.

We welcome everyone who likes to dance – even if you have two left feet. We have adults and teenagers. It is such good exercise and you meet wonderful people.

For more information, please call Irene Rhyne at 878-3537 or Adrienne Carter – 962-4147.

Have an announcement, on-going activity or an event?
This is a great way to get Pine Mountain Lake residents (full-time and part-time) information about your fun so don't miss out!

Yosemite Bank Teach Tenaya Elementary Student to be Smart Savers

Local Event is Part of 11th Annual "National Teach Children to Save Day"

GROVELAND, CALIFORNIA—April 26, 2007—Tenaya Elementary School students today received a lesson on saving from Donna Torres, Customer Service Manager in honor of the 11th Annual National Teach Children to Save Day, sponsored by the American Bankers Association Education Foundation.

Spending, rather than saving, seems to be the norm among the youth of today, said Torres. "The future growth and prosperity of our economy - and our nation - depend on our ability to turn young spenders into savers."

According to Teen Research Unlimited, young Americans spent \$159 billion last year. Currently, fewer than 10 states require a personal finance course for graduation and only 26 percent of parents feel well equipped to teach their children basic personal finance, according to a recent financial education survey.

"Children who learn money skills at an early age will be better savers, money managers and, frankly, better future customers," said J. Mike McGowan, President and CEO of Premier Valley Bank. "The one thing most people saving for retirement have in common: they wish they had started sooner. Time is on your side if you start saving early in life."

The Teach Children to Save presentation included games and activities about saving, how interest makes money grow, how to budget and distinguishing needs from wants.

The ABA Education Foundation helps fill the need for financial education by connecting bankers and young people. The Foundation's lesson plans and annual events, National Teach Children to Save Day and Get Smart about Credit Day, have helped thousands of bankers teach money skills to more than 1 million young people.

Premier Valley Bank is a full service bank known as "THE Business and Professional Bank in Central California and THE Community Bank Serving the Sierra. The Bank's Directors are Jerry E. Cook; Mateo F. De Soto, M.D.; Surinder P. Dhillon, M.D.; Linda F. East; Richard H. Lehman; Michael S. Mathiesen; J. Mike McGowan; Thomas G. Richards; and Joe Williams.

The ABA Education Foundation, a non-profit subsidiary of the American Bankers Association, is committed to developing and providing education programs that lead to financial literacy. For nearly eighty years, ABA has supported the banking industry's efforts to teach personal finance skills in schools and communities across the country. The programs are specifically and uniquely created for young children, teenagers and adults to provide them with the skills they need to budget, save and manage credit. For more information, visit HYPERLINK "<http://www.aba.com/Consumer+Connection>" <http://www.aba.com/Consumer+Connection> or call 1-800-BANKERS.

What! No Ipod or Cell Phones?

By Thoren Bradley

When the news came through loud and clear yesterday that a new rule would go into effect at school on Monday, March 12th, lots of moans and groans could be heard all through the campus. The truth is, no public schools allow cell phones, iPods or MP3 players in the classroom. In fact at some schools not only can't you have these items you can't even wear a hat on campus either. If you do, it is taken and not given back until the last day of school. The Vice-Principals take them on the spot and you don't see them again until the end of school in June, and if you don't claim them on that day, they are donated to the Good Will stores or thrown out!!

The Education Code is the "law" by which public schools function. It is education code 48901 that says no student shall have any kind of electronic listening device on the school campus. Mrs. Bradley and the faculty and staff at Tioga have been quite tolerant by allowing us to have them in the classroom up until this point. But because it is becoming a daily problem with kids answering their phones, text messaging their friends and listening to iPods that are loud enough for everyone in the classroom to name that tune, as well as identify the artist singing it, Tioga faculty and staff have decided that students can no longer take advantage of their effort to give us some freedom with the law.

The new rule says you can have your IPOD in your possession, just not plugged in when you come into the classroom. You can still have it during breaks, lunch and school trips. Same thing with the phones, if it rings and disturbs class, it will be taken by the teacher and you won't be seeing it again for a while.

So here's the 411, don't bring it to class unless it's in your backpack or pocket and turned OFF. The good news is we can still have them during breaks and for field trips. So we had better quit complaining, because it could be that we cannot have them in our possession at all.

Important School Information

962-5104 Absent Child

962-4732 Transportation

962-5765 District Office

www.bofg.k12.ca.us

PML News Works with Local Journalism Students

Tioga High School students are submitting original articles and photography for the Pine Mountain Lake News. Where applicable, we will note which ones are done by a student.

We do encourage local youth of all ages to submit to us each month.

—PML STAFF

Tenaya Student of the Month

Student: Logan Shaw

Grade: 8th Grade

Parents: John & Sherri Shaw of La Grange

Nominated by:

Dave Palmer & Janet Zierenberg - 8th Grade Teachers

Logan is a delightful young man with a kind and helpful spirit and someone who is always willing to do his best and provide service to his community. Logan always has a smile and is a friend to all.



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Bethany Wilkinson — You make us prouder everyday. Congratulations! We love you.
 Mom & Dad

Alexa Summers — It's been a pleasure getting to know you this year. You'll go far in high school. Hats off to you! David & Christina

Cori Sanchez — We know better. You're not that sweet and quiet girl, but we won't tell anyone. Congratulations on all your hard work in school. David & Christina

Zack Perriera — Thank you for being a family friend. Your hard work has shown through this year. Congratulations on your accomplishments! David & Christina

Zack Perreira — Your future awaits you. Go for it! We love you.

Kayla Maier — Reach for the stars. Take life to the limit.

Stefan Karunos IV — The possibilities are endless. Now soar!

Alyssa Maguire — You are on your way. Always aim high.

Bethany Wilkinson — Life is coming at you. Take it by the horns.

Way to go!
 Tom, Michelle & Danielle Perreira

*All of the 8th Graders
 Legacy's to go on this page. :
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THE SOROPTIMIST SCENE

By Bonnie Phillips

While Soroptimist (SIG) definitely agree that women and girls are amazing; on May 1, they specifically recognized some very remarkable women at their annual awards luncheon. After a tasty lunch at Pine Mountain Lake

Country Club, the following presentations were made:

Brittany Bradley received the Violet Richardson Award and \$250. It is given to a young woman who is dedicated to volunteer service and has demonstrated

commitment to making the world a better place. Impressively, Brittany was also given the Youth Citizenship Award and an additional \$500. This recognition is given to an outstanding Senior High School girl for her contributions to her home, school and community. We sincerely hope these funds will help Brittany when she attends U.C. Davis in the fall. May you reach every college goal you set for yourself, Brit!

Although Michelle Mecredy was not able to attend the luncheon, she is receiving a Vocational Scholarship for \$1000. May it help you reach your career goals, Michelle!

The Woman of Distinction Award honors a woman who has made outstanding achievement in her professional, business or volunteer activities. She has demonstrated exemplary character and integrity, as well as outstanding ability and leadership. This year, Barbara Broad has been recognized for her work in founding and leading GAINsj, a community service group, which most recently has been heavily involved in expanding health services "on the hill". Along with the WOD award, the recipient is given \$100 to donate to her favorite charity. Not a surprise to anyone, GAINS will receive Barbara's contribution this year!

The Women's Opportunity Award recognizes a woman who is financial head of household and is motivated to achieve educational and career goals in either a vocational/skills training program or an undergraduate degree program. Soroptimist was pleased to present Patricia Bradshaw with this year's WOA and \$1000. Patricia is taking courses at Columbia to fulfill the prerequisites to enroll in the nursing program at Modesto J.C. She supports her three children and we sincerely hope this additional resource will help her realize her dream of becoming a nurse.

When "S" Club members attended their conference this year, Jane Collier came in second place for the region level Mary Ellen George Award. She received \$1500 and those funds will help her when she starts Humboldt State University in the fall. Jane will also be a guest at the Soroptimist Sierra Pacific Conference in

Burlingame on May 5 to be recognized for this outstanding achievement.

SIG also honored Judy Hawkins who has given so much to organize and coordinate "S" Club activities at Tioga H.S. She will be leaving some pretty big shoes to fill as she is passing on her "S" Club duties next year.

Soroptimist is extremely proud of each one of these women and congratulates each of them on their commitment and dedication to service and excellence!

The annual Family Wellness Faire was, again, extremely successful in providing the benefit of health screenings and health related information to over 250 folks in this community. 163 people fasted and had blood drawn for a complete blood panel by Sonora Regional Medical Center for only \$20. 98 folks received free bone density/osteoporosis screenings. Several learned that they have a potential problem that needs addressing. This type of early warning is the reason SIG sponsors the Wellness Faire...the sooner potential problems are identified, the sooner treatment can be sought to alleviate them.

25 children were entertained at the Children's Health Center, received some healthful advice, toured the ambulance and fire truck and completely enjoyed games, goody bags and refreshments.

Soroptimist wants to thank our sponsors: Black Oak Casino, Groveland Pharmacy, Mt. Zion Mortgage, The Union Democrat and Carron Tax Associates for financially supporting this community event. Additional thanks to all of our other contributors: Big Oak Flat-Groveland Unified School District, CA Raisin Marketing Board, GCSD, Groveland Rotary Club, Hershey's Chocolate, Laloni Ruhl, Main Street Market, Mountain Sage Nursery, Nuts 4 U, Pacific State Bank, PML Aviation Association, Tioga H.S. "S" Club and Zoo-Phonics. We are so appreciative of your continuing support. Finally, our heart felt appreciation to the over 30 exhibitors who supplied the Wellness Faire with their knowledge, time and materials. Our community is grateful!

For information about Soroptimist membership, contact Donna Thayer 962-5007.



(Left to right: Patricia Bradshaw, Barbara Broad, Jane Collier, Brittany Bradley)

Helping Hands

SUMMER DANCE CLASSES AT THE CLUB

By Carol Stevens

Monday nights at the PML Country Club will be jumping and jiving with ballroom and latin dance lessons. All classes will be "stand alone" on a drop-in basis. Each Monday in June, our instructor, Arno Lascari from Sonora, will be teaching two new "beginner" dances.

The time will be 5:50 to 7:30 pm.

The cost is \$15 per couple for a drop-in class or \$40 per couple for the entire month. The tentative schedule, subject to change, will be: 6/4 - foxtrot/samba; 6/11 - rumba/tango; 6/18 - bolero/cha cha; and 6/25 - waltz/salsa.

For more information, call Carol at 962-0406 or 962-7254.

Bytes & Bits From John

By John Sponseller

How cool is Google?

I've tried different search engines over the years, and I have to say I always find myself coming back to Google. It seem like Google literally has the answer for almost anything. The search box has a tremendous amount of capability that you can discover easily. It can do simple math, convert currency, distance, and weights and if you know how to ask, you can get an answer to almost anything as a result of its vast search library of books. There is an online service package that includes documents and spreadsheets and even allows you to chat with other users in real time while working on your documents. Another nice thing, you can save your work on the website, which allows you to access it from anywhere. I could write a book on Google, but here are some highlights that may peak your interest to explore this application further.

Google Books is a great resource for anyone. It's basically online book content that is searchable. These are books out of copyright and fully viewable. To try this out, go to <http://books.google.com> and click "Advanced Search". From here you can follow the prompts. If you establish an account with Google, you will be able to access more recent material still under copyright.

Hidden Tools for folks that do a lot of work from different PCs, Google's "Docs and Spreadsheets" has an online office application with a word processor and spreadsheet. You need to have a Google account to use this. Go to <http://docs.google.com> and log in. After you create your documents, they can be saved to Google's servers as well as your own hard drive. That way, if you are working somewhere else you can log on and access your docs on any PC. This also gives you another backup in case you lose your flash drive or hard drive.

Edit and Organize Photos This is a fun feature I really like. This is a free program you can use to edit and organize your digital photographs. It's called Picasa. (<http://picasa.com>) A stand alone application you can install and will work off line. You get all the common effects, red eye removal and so on, plus automatic photo find, memory tags with individual sheets you can assemble letting you print a photo up to eight or ten times larger than the original. Not the most powerful program out there, but the price is right and it's a lot of fun.

Calculator and Converter I use this all the time. Can't remember how many ounces to a quart? Pints to a gallon? This feature handles it all, including a currency

converter. Want to know how far your dollars will go in Mexico? Type in "currency of Mexico in U.S. Dollars" or "600 yen in U.S. Dollars" then click search. How about "120 pounds in kilos" It's fast, accurate and more readily available than the time it takes to search another conversion program.

Learning To Search When I first started to search the internet, I really got frustrated. The information is there, but knowing how to ask for it can sometimes be complicated. If you remember a few basic things about how Google looks at you search terms, it will be a lot easier. Google by default, searches for pages containing all the words. Articles, conjunctions and prepositions are generally left out. A plus sign can be placed in front of those words to force them to be included in the search. You can get better results if you use the minus sign to eliminate terms that will appear in irrelevant pages. For example, you might put "-pie" in a search about rhubarb, to get better results about the plant only. Another thing I like, Google isn't case sensitive so you don't have to capitalize.

Here are some useful modifiers you can try in the search box:

site: www.wherewanttobe.com
(restricts search to that particular site)

define:word
(Brings up a selection of definitions from various sources)

intitle:word
(Searches for pages with your word in the title)

"my phrase"
(Searches for a set phrase. If you don't put a phrase inside quotes, Google will look for pages with the word in any order)

I recommend you try these and play around with them. If you mix, match, and experiment a little you should have better and quicker results with your searches. So how cool is Google? In my opinion, Super Cool!

That's about it for this month. Again, I want to remind you, I'm always interested in your comments, suggestions for articles or just questions. Contact me at 962-7110 and I'll get back to you.

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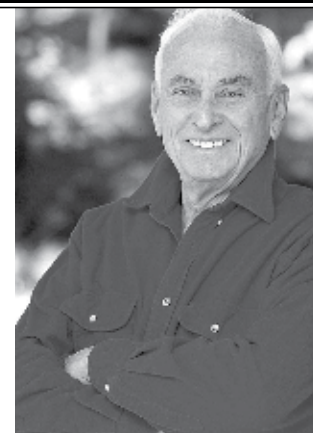
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Is it OKay to Saunter during an Art Stroll?

This question was posed to me during one of last year's Groveland Art Strolls (GAS) and now that the first of this years events is just around the corner (Sunday, May 27th, downtown Groveland from 11 to 5), I thought this might be a good time to remind everyone of some the rules of thumb for a proper Stroll:

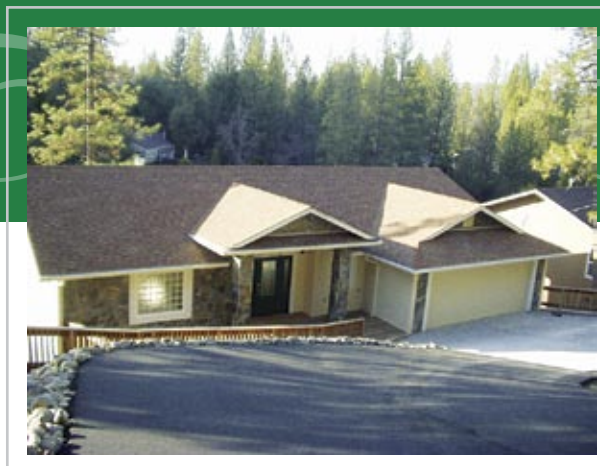
1. This is a family event, strolling, not sauntering is the traditional style. Save Sauntering for the evening hours.
2. You will meet friends, family, neighbors and lots of visitors while strolling.
3. Strolling has been tested and is the easiest of all walking styles for multi-tasking, such as hand shaking, gossiping and

greeting folks that are across the street from you.

4. Strollers are known to enjoy art work more. The synergy of a stroll and art has proven to relax the tensions right out of the air and is a benefit to all. Some even say that strolling reduces pollution.
5. The positioning of the artist booths

is about 10 strolling steps per booth (+/- some). A perfect strollers pace—no matter the length of your legs!

6. The downtown Groveland businesses will have set up special strolling walkways right to the cash register, please pick up items of interest on your way.
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Attached is a photo of the mustang captured at the Marina this morning. It was quite a show!

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30 Acres Mtn/Valley Views. Water well in. **\$449,500.** Boitano Road

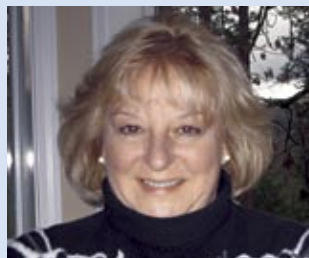
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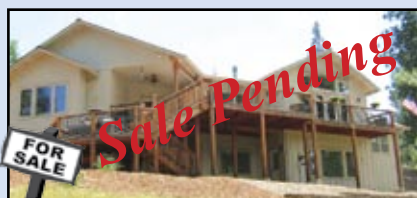
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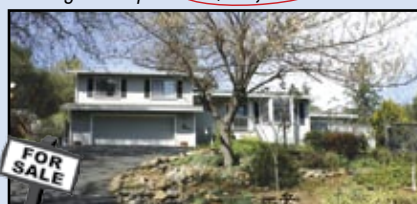
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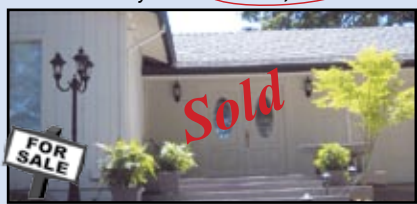
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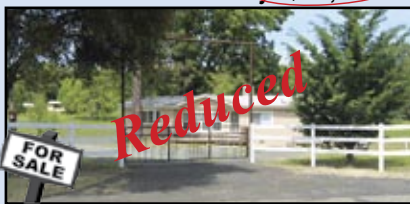
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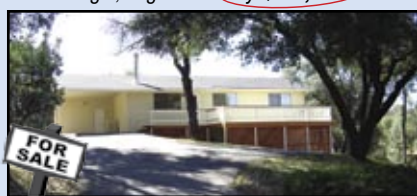
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Cinco de Mayo is a Sell Out for the Third Year!

By Sharon Hunt

The Gathering Place can not thank the community enough for its continued support. Three years in a row we have gone over the top on our fundraising goal. It is a wonderful feeling to know that the community is so solidly behind the Gathering Place! The decorations turned the Lake Lodge into a Mexican Fiesta, the weather cooperated, the Cinco de Mayo dinner catered by the Hotel Charlotte was delicious, the margaritas were the best ever and many people went home with great raffle and live auction items. Mike Dwaileebe walked away with the grand prize of \$350. Dick and Thelma Faux won the home cooked bar-b-que and swim party for 12.

It makes a difference when you believe in a cause, want to spend time with good friends, enjoy delicious food, go home with a prize and best of all have a great time!

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Groveland Public Library Launches Summer Reading Program

Super sleuths and daring detectives are invited to join 'Get a Clue @ Your Library' at the Groveland Public Library. The 2007 Summer Reading Program is open to young people, preschool through young adult, with programs, prize drawings, story hours, a reading club, and more. Families are invited to join the Read-to-Me portion of the program.

Schedule for the Groveland Library:
Mon-Thurs 3-5 pm, June 4th thru June 14th

- Monday June 4th "Get a Clue" Kick off Party**
- Tuesday June 5th Secret Message Relay**
- Wednesday June 6th "Master of Illusions" by David Simerly**
- Thursday June 7th Who Stole the cookies from the cookie jar - Finger printing by Mariposa Sheriff**
- Monday June 11th Library Scavenger Hunt**
- Tuesday June 12th Walk the Maze**
- Wednesday June 13th "Woeful Wheel of Wonder" by David Simerly**
- Thursday June 14th End of Program Party**

Registration for the Summer Reading Program begins on June 4th 2007

For more information, call the library at 962-6144 or visit their Web site at www.library.co.tuolumne.ca.us The library welcomes children of all abilities. All programs are free of charge.

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Camp Tuolumne Trails is a Beehive of Activity

By Virginia Gustafson

All winter and spring the camp for children with special medical needs has been a beehive of contractor and volunteer activity. If you haven't seen the project lately, drive out and take the tour. Things change every day. The irises planted last fall by Jane Dees and Bunny Herfurth are in bloom and the hill is covered with beautiful wildflowers.

Regrettably, delays in construction and the County permit and inspection process have forced us to postpone camp opening. We'll be open as soon as possible. Meanwhile, the camp is continuing to take reservations from groups of children with special medical needs for later in 2007 and in 2008.

Meanwhile, work goes on. Doug Leahy is framing the interior of the Great Hall. Foothill Concrete has built all the patios and bath floors. Dalrymple Construction put up the bathhouse roofs and built the bunkhouse steps and railings. Dino Baca is installing all our HVAC.

Tremen-

dous efforts continue on the volunteer side. Otis Fender is doing a great job of taping and texturing, Chef Victor of the Charlotte installed toilets and sinks in all the bunk houses, the Rotary Club built a bath house, and Jan Sloan, Carolyn King and Sandy DeRodeff and friends are getting all the painting and staining done. Paul Purifoy and his AmDev Communications colleagues are designing a great communication system for the camp.

This month we have three new volunteer projects:

Steve Costa (Costa Tree Service) is building the campfire amphitheatre and felling dangerous trees.

The Mountain Lutheran Youth Group is landscaping around the bunkhouses.

The Evangelical Free Church Youth Group is helping with site clean-up.

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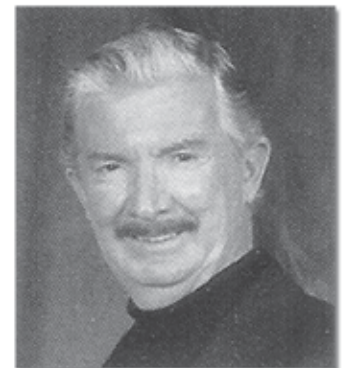
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Skier must raise one (1) ski (or wakeboard or kneeboard) when in water with slack towline to warn other boats in the area.

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Sailing Hours: Anytime

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Sailboats and all others must stay out of the skiing area during skiing hours.

The high-speed boating lane is outlined with red buoys. Stay out of this area while high-speed boating is in progress. Be aware of high-speed boating hours for your own protection. Avoid the east end of the lake (Lake Lodge and Big Creek entrance) during high-speed boating hours.

Sailing of rental boats in Big Creek is not allowed.

No windsurf boards without a sail are allowed on the lake.

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other than within 30 feet from your own private dock. (Tubes, noodles and "soft" float toys are allowed in the swim areas).

Inflatable boats, canoes and kayaks that are used on Pine Mountain Lake must be registered in the same manner as hard-bottom boats.

Do not venture more than 30 feet from your own private dock. **DO NOT** swim across or in the open lake area.

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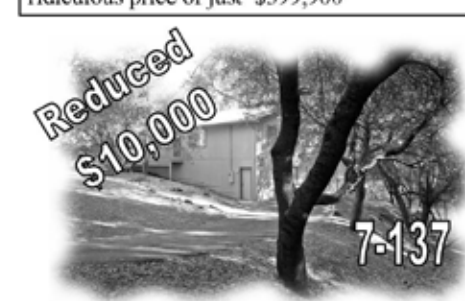
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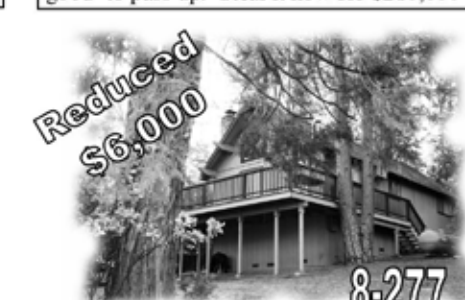
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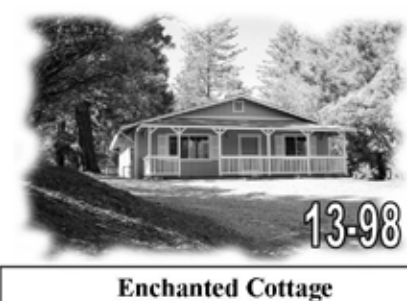
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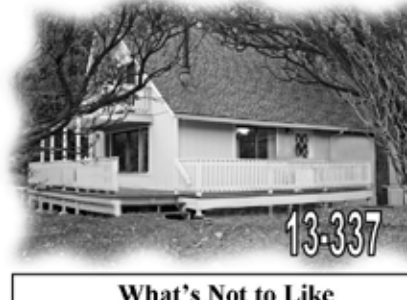
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Medical Center Announces Transition Plans

SONORA, CA (May 9, 2007) – Most residents of the area are well aware that access to health care services is changing. Based on the vote of the Tuolumne County Board of Supervisors, acute care, ancillary and clinic services at Tuolumne General Hospital are closing as of July 1. Sonora Regional Medical Center today announced further details of the transition of health care services.

"We are doing everything we can to ensure a seamless transition of health services," said Lary Davis, president of Sonora Regional Medical Center. "We share the view that this reduction of services may diminish access to healthcare for our community. However, the Medical Center is working collaboratively with County and TGH leadership to help minimize the impact."

While all the details of the transition are not finalized, a brief update follows.

To minimize wait times in the Emergency Department and provide the appropriate level of care, the Medical Center is opening a second Prompt Care on the West side of Sonora at 193 South Fairview Lane. Prompt Care Forest Road will be open 12 hours a day, 7 days a week. Prompt Care Indian Rock at 14540 Mono Way in East Sonora is open 7 days a week

from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

A new rural health clinic, Forest Road Health & Wellness Center, will open at 193 South Fairview Lane. Services to be offered include: primary care, specialty care, dental care and Prompt Care Forest Road.

Another move that will occur during this transition time is the relocation of the Medical Center's Anti-Coag service to the Forest Road Health & Wellness Center. Currently residing near the Cancer Center in the medical office building, this outpatient service will continue at 193 South Fairview Lane.

The Medical Center has been expanding its expertise in cardiology and pulmonology by recruiting new specialists. Providing the full continuum of care from prevention and diagnosis to treatment and recovery is very important. Cardiac Rehab and Pulmonary Rehab services will now be provided at the Forest Road Health & Wellness Center at 193 South Fairview Lane.

Cedar Road Family Medical Center will open at 20044 Cedar Road North in Sonora, replacing Mother Lode Medical Center at the same location. Current patients will be able to continue receiving their primary care there. The Medical Center's Job Care will be relocated to Cedar Road Family Medical Center and combined with TGH's existing occupational medicine practice offering the community's businesses practice offering the community's businesses a single location for their health care needs.

To accommodate a large increase in ancillary services volume like laboratory and diagnostic imaging the Medical Center is creating new processes and access points.

New lab draw stations will be available in Angel's Camp and at the Prompt Care Forest Road. Additional phlebotomists (laboratory assistants) are also being hired to serve more patients.

The Sonora Regional Imaging Center will be opening this Fall at 12811 Covey Circle in Sonora, adding digital mammography, 64-slice CT, 1.5T open bore MRI, ultrasound and general x-ray. During the several month transition time, a mobile CT scanner will be added to the Medical Center campus to accommodate a large influx in additional patients.

Other acute services departments like surgery, med/surg and ICU should be able to accommodate the additional patient load with appropriate expansion of staffing. The Medical Center has 172 open positions available. Julie Kline, Medical Center senior vice president for Patient Care said, "We are working very hard to fill all of our open positions for the community. It is encouraging to already have received 319 applications from qualified local candidates. Our goal is to help keep our local health professionals in the community."

Positions are available in almost every department of the hospital including: admitting, nursing, clinics, radiology, cardio-pulmonary, pharmacy, laboratory, rehabilitation therapy and more. Sign-on bonuses are being offered for some key positions.

Tuolumne General Hospital employees will be given priority for available positions, credit for years of service in the community with additional vacation time (up to \$4,250 value) and sign-on bonuses up to \$3,000 for hard-to-fill nursing positions.

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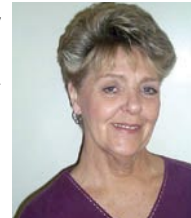


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Angus Richardson Solos at Iron Door

By Peter Barsotti

Sunday afternoon June 24th, at 5pm, Angus Richardson of the Band BROTHER brings his new solo show to Groveland for the first time.

First seen in our town at the Bettike Festival in 2004, brothers Angus and Hamish Richardson have become local favorites for their Australian Mongrel Music featuring elements of rock and world music drawn from many cultures, and their engaging demeanor that appeals to adults and children alike. This time around Angus brings us a new show of his own to our town. Now With the melodic style of Soul Asylum

and the energy of Dave Matthews, Angus' solo performance does justice to Brother, his regular band, and their unique Celtic-rock style. Song themes range from love to environmental awareness, showing that the music is socially conscious, but at heart is concerned with the human experience.

Departing from his role as the bass player in Brother, Angus proves that his control of a guitar is top rate, and is enough to make even an audience member's hands cramp. Equally as notable are his vocals, which he delivers with pitch, power, and control.

By far, Angus' strongest quality is his

ability to bring an audience into his performance. Whether it's a sing along, or stories of his native Australia, or the creation of his songs, reminiscences of love, surfing, traveling the world or even the fashion and virtue of wearing kilts- the audience feels that they're sitting in a living room with a trusted friend.

Although he's going it alone, Angus has the energy and passion of a full band. Never at a loss for words, his connection with the audience doesn't just end at drawing them into his stories. He draws them into the music itself.

To learn more about Brother or to contact Angus go to brothermusic.com or myspace.com/brothermusic.

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Adam Burns Band to Play Sierra Earth Fest June 2nd

Back by popular demand, The Adam Burns Band is coming to play the Sierra Earthfest June 2nd. In February 2005 a very nervous Adam Burns made his first public appearance as a singer / songwriter at a Tsunami benefit concert in El Portal, California. Adam grew up in rural England and had been playing guitar and singing since he was at high school. However, it was the creative and passionate community of El Portal that inspired him to finally bring his songs out of the closet. A couple of months after his first performance, Adam produced his first Album, Sittin on the Step. This collection of ramshackle, bluesy acoustic pop songs was recorded entirely in Adams pint-sized house by the Merced river. The Adam Burns Band was

born in April 2005, when drummer Greg Nespor and bassist Greg Archer joined Adams solo act for the Amstock music festival in El Portal. Soon afterwards, the addition of Kristin on vocals, violin and guitar completed the current line up. The band's first gig as a four piece was a party on Greg Archers deck, where they played a short but impassioned set to a small group of smiling, dancing friends. Since then, their act has grown to include over 25 songs, almost all of which are Adams original compositions. They released their first CD, 'Laika' in April 2006. A fervent mixture of Motown pop, funk, reggae and boisterous rock, an Adam Burns Band gig may just be the best night out you've had in a very long time.

The Adam Burns Band will be playing Saturday June 2nd at the Sierra Earth Festival at Mountain Sage in Groveland. Come bring the kids and a blanket, your dancing shoes and enjoy their contagious energy out in the garden. Our local dance troupe, The Sage Sisters will perform preceeding the band at 2:45. Organic food will be served all day until 7pm. Admission is free!

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Ancient Healing Art Coming to Groveland

Holistic healthcare practitioner Jon-Paul Salonen will present "Chill Skills", an introductory talk on Ayurveda—the ancient healing art of India—and staying in balance with seasonal influences this summer, on Saturday, June 2nd at 3:15 p.m. at Sierra Earth Fest at the Mountain Sage in Groveland. This will be a free talk and open to the public.

The follow day, Sunday, June 3rd, Salonen will present "Pacing It" a more thorough talk on Ayurveda and its applications to lifestyle management and understanding of individual health. This will be hosted again at Mountain Sage. This class will be from 11 AM to 2 PM with lunch included. The cost for this class will be \$20. Salonen will be helping attendees perform an Ayurvedic Self Evaluation to determine their "Dosha" or the propensities of their individual constitution. Extrapolating from that self insight there will then be a discussion on the different approaches and paces to life that can be appropriate to different the Doshas. For more information, please see www.blueoakom.com, the Sierra Earth Fest schedule at www.mtnsage.com or call Mountain Sage at 962-4686.

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Service Clubs Unite Once Again

By John Brunk

Once again volunteers worked together to really make a difference in the lives of those in need in Mexico. This was accomplished by the combined efforts of doctors, Tom Mihok O.D., Ted Mihok D.P.M., Jose Bustos D.D.S., and Brian Elliott O.D., along with Dr. Nadia Rosales, MD of Mexicali, and a team of volunteers from Americorps, Groveland, Riverbank, San Francisco, and Twain Harte Rotary Clubs, and the Alameda and Oakdale Lions Clubs, and friends and families. The mission included the donation of an ambulance that was procured by the Riverbank and Groveland Rotary Clubs to the Baja Rescue Corporation. The ambulance was transported from Groveland to the border by Walt and Pam Reimers of Groveland. Another aspect of the mission included 624 optical, podiatry, gynecology, dental and general medical examinations and treatments. On April 13 and 14, 27 US citizens worked side by side with members of the Calafia Rotary Club of Mexicali, BC, Mexico, in this goodwill mission. Dental extractions and fillings were performed in a portable 3 chair fully contained 30 foot van that was provided by the University of Baja California. Graduates of the dental school are required to do community work and were present to assist in the dental work. Jim Lima, a lens maker in Modesto, was present to assist both optometrists. Many of the glasses fitted came from Rotary Interact clubs in district 5220. Medical equipment donated by Keckler Medical/Jim

Whitworth an Oakdale Rotarian was donated to the Baja Rescue and the Mexicali General Hospital. Walkers, crutches, and porta-potties were donated by the Groveland Helping Hands. 22 cases of English/Spanish 5th grade books, donated by the Merced Sunrise Rotary and the Oakdale Lions, and paint and spackle from Valley Lumber found their way to the school. Dick and Doty Davis of Groveland donated 6 gross of school-inscribed pencils, sharpeners and inflatable globes to the school where the clinics took place.

While the exams were being performed at the Visita a Escuela Otilia U de Corta school, the interior of Hogar Emmanuel, a home for children whose parents are incarcerated, 8 miles southwest of Mexicali, was completely refurbished with paint, florescent lights, sheetrock, refrigerator, 3 washing machines and cabinetry for the boys' restrooms. 15 cases of food and one of the washers were donated by the Oakdale Lions Club. The total amount of the items donated and services was just over \$78 K, which does not include the value of the medical assistance given to the doctors nor the man hours donated to refurbish the interior of Hogar Emmanuel. It is gratifying to be involved in this type of an international service project. Plans are already underway for the project for next year. For information on how you can be involved in service to mankind call John Brunk, 209- 962-6276.



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Friends of the Groveland Library

By Nadine Pedron

THREE CHEERS FOR VOLUNTEERS!

There ought to be much more than that for them. And, actually, there was. About 200 of us scurried out of the unusual May storm into the bustling dining room at Mountain Springs. The County library staff was showing its appreciation for the many, many volunteers

who literally keep the libraries afloat. Festive tables with favors and flowers set the stage for a lovely luncheon, delightful entertainment provided by a student chorus from Summerville High and lively conversation with Friends of the Library from all over the county. All five of our county Supervisors were present to thank

us and to let us know how critical our work is to the survival and success of all of the branches. We learned that the thousands of hours freely contributed by volunteers represented what would have been \$75,000 of paid work last year. Without this significant help, the libraries would not exist as we know them today. Our Groveland library has a robust Friends group that enhances services provided to patrons every day! Let the cheering continue.

FOGL NEWS

. GET A CLUE! This is the theme for the Summer Reading Program, headed by Donna West. This popular summer offering for children will begin on JUNE 4th and continue for two weeks, Monday through Thursday from 3:00 to 5:00. The emphasis is on reading good books, particularly mysteries this year. There will be storytellers, a magician, crafts, contests, give-aways, snacks and a lot of fun. Come in to the library to register anytime after the last day of school (ages 3 - 13) or sign up on the opening day of the program (downstairs at the library).

. BOOK NOOK: Come in, any Saturday 10:00 - 2:00. You'll find a beautifully organized, large, lovely space filled with books: paper and hard back, adult and children's, fiction and non-fiction; audiocassettes, DVDs; reference books...and many smiling Friends volunteers, offering coffee, tea and cookies as well as book finding assistance. Book Nook is located downstairs at the library.

. TEEN SCENE: The friends have helped to purchase items for the teen area set up by our very fine librarian, Michalene Martin. There is a new space designated for teens with comfy chairs, easy access to books, magazines and reference materials specific to teens, as well as chess and other

mind-stimulating games.

. STORY TIME AT THE LIBRARY: Talented readers from our cadre of Friends volunteers read to preschoolers every Friday at 10:30. We have wonderful big books to enjoy, singing, puppets, flannel board activities and a great selection of children's books to check out.

. MEETINGS: Every 4th Tuesday we meet downstairs at 2:00. If you are interested in our lively, congenial group please come to visit...and hopefully join. For membership information please call Elsie Stock (962-4564). Next meeting: May 22nd.

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Groveland Rotary Finished Part at Camp Tuolumne Trails

By Herman Schaap and Sharon Hunt

Jerry and Paula Baker dreamed that one day they would be able to establish and build a camp for children with special medical needs. This summer the camp will welcome its first group of campers.

The members of the Groveland Rotary are very proud to have played a major part in building three of the log cabins and a bath house as their part in Tuolumne Trails project. The Groveland Rotary started their participation in October of last year under the leadership of President Herman Schaap.

Each year the Groveland Rotary undertakes a number of projects. They include Vocational Service ... supplying dictionaries to the third graders at Tenaya and Don Pedro Elementary School, and speech contests and scholarships for the students at Tioga High School. Our Rotary Club has been active of years in International Service which provides medical clinics, medical donations and the rehabilitation of schools and orphanages in Mexico and Guatemala. Some of our Community Service projects are cleaning up a portion of Highway 120, the yearly Easter Egg hunt at Mary Laveroni Park and participation in the annual community Christmas baskets. Where there is a need you will often find a Rotarian. The Rotary motto is "Service Above Self".



HEALTHY HEART RECIPE

This summertime recipe has a triple bonus. You've read before, in this column, about the benefits of using olive oil and herbs. You are also familiar with how your heart and your body weight benefit from eating fish several times per week. This Mediterranean Fish recipe uses all three of the above, plus is tasty and so easy to prepare! Perhaps, if you go out to catch a fish yourself - you'll also benefit from the relaxation and exercise as well. Buon Appetito!

Mediterranean Fish
(serves 4; 3 oz. fish and 2 tablespoons tomato mixture per serving)

- Vegetable oil spray
- 4 dry-packed sun-dried tomato halves, finely chopped
- 2 tablespoons water
- 8 Kalamata olives, finely chopped
- 2 tablespoons finely diced pimiento
- 2 tablespoons finely snipped fresh parsley
- 1 tablespoon chopped fresh basil leaves
- 1 teaspoon olive oil

- 4 mild, thin 4 oz. each, fish fillets (snapper or your favorite)
- 1/4 teaspoon paprika
- 1/8 teaspoon cayenne
- 1/8 teaspoon salt

Preheat oven to 300 degrees. Line a baking sheet with aluminum foil and lightly spray with vegetable oil spray.

In small microwaveable bowl, stir together the tomatoes and water. Cover with plastic wrap. Microwave for 30 seconds (until hot) and let stand for 5 minutes until tomatoes are soft. Drain well. Stir in olives, pimiento, parsley, basil, and oil.

Rinse fish, pat dry and place in single layer on baking sheet. Sprinkle with paprika, cayenne and salt. Bake 10 minutes, or until fish flakes easily when tested with fork. Transfer fish to a seving plate. Microwave tomato mixture for 30 - 60 seconds until warm and spoon on top of fish.

Nutrients per serving: calories 152; total fat 4.5 g; saturated fat 0.5 g; polyunsaturated fat 1.0 g; cholesterol 40 mg; sodium 246 mg; carbohydrates 3 g; total sugars 1 g; dietary fiber 1 g; protein 23 g.

GAINS

By Barbara Broad

GAINS has brought together students, parents, teachers, youth group leaders, and members of the community to form the Groveland Youth Center Advisory Group. They are working with the County Recreation Department and GCSD on plans for a new youth center in Mary, A's Park. It will be part of a focus on youth in the lower park, including the long-awaited skateboard park, a roller-skating rink, a basketball court, and a tot lot. GCSD and volunteers have laid the cement foundations in May, with financial help from Sonora Area Foundation, and the Groveland Skate Park Committee has ordered and paid for all the ramps!

The basic furnishings will be provided by the County, but the Advisory Group is raising funds for game tables, field trips, and special events. We need sturdy tables

that will stand up to a lot of use: a pool table \$1260, a ping pong table \$1150, an air hockey table \$2000, and a foosball table \$750. If you or your group would like to underwrite a table, we'll attach a brass plaque in recognition.

Local field trips can be bowling, rock climbing, and skating in Yosemite, and there are other special events, from \$120 to \$500.

Be part of this project to provide more activities and opportunities for our young people. You needn't sponsor a whole table or special event...any donation will help. Donations go to GAINS, P. O. Box 179, Groveland, 95321, and are tax deductible. If you have ideas or suggestions, contact Barbara Broad at GrovelandGAINS@aol.com or 962.7730.



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by Jan Trine

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Winners: The first place team, consisting of Terry Hardtke, Jason Hardtke, Uriel Vargas, Jeff Williams, Steve Pekarthy, and John Case, shot a 53 and was recognized during the band's only break. Our runner-up team (who shot a 58) was made up by Eddie Wright, Frank Hicks, Rich Graham, Terry Kizziar, Damon Hays, and Darren Maranz. The other competitions consisted of longest drive and closest to the pin. The women winners stand out Marie Rubio won the longest drive and Marche Kizziar landed her tee shot a mere 3 feet, 3 inches from the number 14 hole. Unfortunately, the winning men will remain a mystery (sorry, guys) until a future article in the PML newspaper which will also include the final amount that will be donated to the youth center.

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The Committee: Charlie Bishop (who secured the various wineries) and his entire bar staff for keeping the drinks flowing upstairs and downstairs; Tom Moffitt (who designed the concert stage), Alan MacDonald, and the maintenance staff for all their work before, during, and after the event; Tom Dorsey and the restaurant and club staff who met all of our needs; Orpheus Brown and his kitchen

New CPR/First Aid Instructors

By Joe Powell, General Manager

Congratulations to PML Department of Safety Sergeant, Bonnie Langfeldt and Officer Elechia Martinez for their successful completion of the American Heart Association Core Instructor Course. The intensive course includes training in CPR, First Aid and AED (automatic electronic defibrillator) units.

In the past it has been difficult to arrange certification for PML employees. Having in-house instructors will make it easier and cost-effective for future certification of our staff. It is great having staff members taking an interest and the time and effort to make us a more productive association. Thanks again ladies for a job well done!



The Groveland Fire Department's Website is All New!

By Fire Chief Shane Warner

Visit <http://www.grovelandfire.com/> to see what's happening. On the home page you will see a brief history of the department and pictures to acquaint you with the apparatus, staff and volunteers. Click the California state flag to see where it takes you. Use the horizontal navigation bar to get tips on fire safety in and around your home, the ABC's of CPR, and view the training and activity calendar. It even tells you how you can get involved!

The "Quick Links" vertical navigation links you to information on burn days,

burn permits, weather with radar and road conditions. It also connects you to Wildfire News, the Office of Emergency Services updates and Tuolumne County Offices. Be sure to check out the Photo Gallery and Cadet Album for action photos. And don't forget to click on my personal favorite, the "For Kids" link which connects you to "Smokey Bear", "Sparky the Fire Dog", "Staying Alive" and "Risk Watch." These kid-friendly websites offer lots of fun for kids and adults while teaching fire safety.

staff for the wonderful appetizers and southwest dinner faire; Chris Borrego, Tony Murphy, and Dave Berthold and the golf pro shop staff for a day of wonderful golf; Rick Whybra for coordinating the event with Pine Mountain Lake Association; Bob LaBarre for securing the band, sound system and celebrities, as well as overseeing the entire concert and its many aspects; and, finally, Tom Bickmore for securing tee sponsors, signage, portable toilets, additional golf-

ers, the assistance of Dick Stevens (and his volunteers), promoting the tournament and concert with everyone and anyone, and being there for us whenever we had a question.

Finally, we would like to thank the community of Pine Mountain Lake/Groveland, as well as the PML property owners and golf guests, for their support in this inaugural event. We hope to make the golf tournament a fixture of Pine Mountain Lake Golf and Country Club and look forward to next year.

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“NEW TRAILS A-WINDING” (APPLES & ORANGES)

By Country Mountain Rider Jim Soderberg

As far as pets are concerned, dogs surely get 1st prize for their much praised ability and intelligence. That might ruffle some cat lover's fur, but it's true, dogs come when called, fetch things, bark when they need to go outside, show obvious affection for their owners and have even been known to call 911 to alert the police when some kid falls into a well. “Lassie, go get help”. My mother had confided that her toy poodle Candy would ask to go outside, not bark mind you, but say in English, “I want to go out”. Sure mom. I didn't want to argue the point, she was getting old and that's what she thought she heard. Later, while watching the “T.V. Animal Channel” I was dumbfounded to see and hear a talking dog. Connie and I have a 14 yr. old miniature Schnauser Clive who may be a few I.Q. levels shy of being able to carry on a conversation, but he can still roll over on cue and because he's deaf and almost blind we must use close up sign language to get him started and if he can't muster the energy to complete the roll we push him the rest of the way. The point being.....He wants to please!!!

And then there's my Tennessee Walker

“Poke”. Like most horses he's on the other side of the spectrum, won't fetch, doesn't care where or when he relieves himself, shows little affection and won't go for help. “Silver, get Tonto and meet me at the end of town.” NOT!!!.... But like my dog he can and did roll over.....unfortunately on me!!!! During our club's Hells Hollow ride, gaiting downhill he tripped and fell to his knees and then began a slow motion careening over and down on his left side pinning my left leg. He immediately moved a little so I could extricate my leg and then very quietly laid back and remained still despite the commotion of riders around him. The onlookers were convinced that he was being protective of his downed rider by not moving his weight around in attempt to get up. Just suffering some bruised muscles I continued the ride and along the way I thought about Poke and what had happened and how fortunate I was to have a horse so considerate and smart. I'm becoming more of a “Horse Listener” now and I may even change his name to Mr. Ed if he starts talking to me.

Any one wishing information on Country Mountain Rider club events..Please contact Connie Soderberg at #962-5299.

Groveland Hotel Expands and Updates Breakfast Buffet

By Chef Greg Lutes

Chef Greg Lutes and his staff have been busy in the last few weeks. Busy refining and changing the substantial line up on the breakfast buffet served seven days a week at the hotel.

Fresh “made from scratch” Belgium waffles have been added. Top those off with fresh local berries in season and some fresh whipped cream and you will be in heaven. We are so proud of our new line up of delicious breakfast items we have decided to invite anyone who cares to join us in our breakfast indulgence. Once mainly for our hotel guests only, we are now excited to open our doors to the locals and anyone just passing by for a breakfast that will satisfy even the most discriminating diner. All for the very reasonable price of just \$12 plus tax.

In addition to the made from scratch waffles, we are baking daily cinnamon rolls, fruit and cream cheese filled Danish. There is a fresh fruit display; three kinds of healthy cereals, fresh squeezed orange juice, and four other juices. Farm fresh eggs cooked to order, a variety of omelets and the always popular “Rafters Skillet”, all with premium bacon, ham and country breakfast sausage. Add to that our locally

roasted fresh ground coffee that rivals that of the big name coffee chains and we think you will be well prepared to hike, bike, raft or simply enjoy the day after one of our soon to be legendary breakfast buffets.



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In the month of April the Kiwanis California –Nevada – Hawaii District held its meeting in Modesto at the The Seasons in Modesto, CA. The Lt. Governor, Denise Ganji made award presentations to several of the Kiwanis Clubs that were present. The Groveland Kiwanis Club had 3 members that were presented awards during the meeting.

Gordon Stevens was presented with a Distinguished Service Award for his leadership during the past year, even having been faced with some serious health problems. Gordon was chairman of the Kiwanis “Koat Give-Away” spending many hours collecting coats. He has been instrumental in the Kiwanis Koat Giveaway in which more than 235 coats were given away to both children and adults that needed them. He has given timeless hours to organize this project and has currently collected some 500+ coats for the next Kiwanis “Koat Give-Away”.

Gordon has assumed the chair position for the Fund Raising project that provide funds for the Children's Shopping Spree as well as other children's projects here

in Groveland. He has truly distinguished himself with Distinguished Service to club and community

Judy Connery was presented with a Distinguished Kiwanian Award for her tireless efforts in fundraising projects that have provided funds to serve the community of Groveland and support the projects of International and District Kiwanis.

Judy has chaired many service projects that have changed the lives of children that we serve, as well as seniors and our community in general. She has led the club with her service. She is truly a Distinguished Kiwanian.

Rudy Manzo was also presented a Distinguished Kiwanian award for his leadership. Rudy has come forward, initiated and led many fundraising projects. He has chaired the Children's Shopping Spree and Scholarship Program.

Rudy has chaired many service projects providing Senior Services and led the Groveland Kiwanis Club as Youth Services Chairman. He has led the club with seeming tireless service.



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Groveland Fire Department's Newest Volunteers

By Fire Chief Shane Warner

Graduation Day is June 2 for the newest Groveland Fire Department volunteers. They began in January of this year and have attended the Joint Basic Firefighter Academy classes through Tuolumne County Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings from 6:00 to 10:00 pm after working hard at their day jobs. For their last few weeks of training they will also be attending day classes an additional two days a week. Their training will total 200 plus hours of education. We appreciate their perseverance and commitment.

Soon these volunteers will respond, along with the regular Groveland Fire staff, to emergency incidents including structure and vegetation fires, medical aids, rescue, Hazmat and vehicle accidents including extrications. The volunteers also help with community events such as the Fill the Boot for Burn Victims and the 49er Parade and Chili Cook-off.

The Groveland Fire Department being a small mountain community station operates with a combination of career staff firefighters and volunteers. Without our hard-working volunteers we could not provide the same high level of service we currently offer.

We are proud to introduce you to these community-spirited volunteers: Raymond Albanez's day job is with GCSD working as the Chief Systems Operator (Collection & Distribution Supervisor), Ron Demmers is at GCSD in the Maintenance




Photo by Miguel Maldonado

Pictured L-R: Raymond Albanez, Louie Melchor, Jordan Matter, Jay Kraft, Sarah Pennington and Ron Demmers. Not pictured: Scott Lucas

Department, Jay Kraft works at GCSD as a Maintenance Mechanic, Scott Lucas is a Captain with the U.S. Forest Service, Jordan Matter is a high school student, Louie Melchor works at GCSD as a Collections & Distribution Operator, and Sarah Pennington is a student at Columbia College working as a waitress at the Groveland Hotel. As you can see these volunteers are a varied and capable group. We appreciate their dedication and are looking forward to welcoming them to our crew. A big thank you is also due to their families for their sacrifice and support to our community.

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State Park Becoming a Reality

By Jim Goodrich and Frank Oyung

After years of fundraising and discussions on its future home, the Groveland Skate Park made a big first step in becoming a reality in May. Over a six-year period, the Groveland Skateboard Park Committee raised over \$100,000 with fundraisers, like car washes run by the kids who will enjoy the new park, and by collecting aluminum cans and California Redemption bottles.

The Sonora Area Foundation granted GCSO \$25,000 to pour the concrete pads for the skate park and a new basketball court. These new facilities will be joined this summer by the County's new 1,400 square-foot Youth Center. The County received a \$220,000 federal grant for the building.

The concrete pad for the skate park was poured on May 12th. Over 8,000 feet of rebar and over 120 cubic yards of concrete were used to construct the slab. According to the workers at the pour, this is perhaps the largest single-pour slab ever built in Groveland.

A roller rink will be constructed around the circumference of the skate park in late May. After the rink is constructed, the form boards will be reused and set up for the pouring of the basketball court pad.

To help save costs, contractors and ordinary citizens in our community volunteered their labor to grade the skate park and basketball court sites, prepare all the form work and finish the concrete. Volunteers included Craig Miller, who did the excavation work; Doug Leahy, Dave Danberger, Randy Klaahsen, Dick Lennen, and Bob Lennen prepared the form work and laid the steel rebar; others who helped with either the preparatory work or the concrete pour included Lance Kirk, Mike Hawley, John Matthews, Herman Schaap, Walt Reimers, Rich DeJong, Bobby Wiggs, Tyler Matthews, Ron Dunlap, Pat Leahy, Rick Dielman, Jason Rivera, Joey Rivera, Shane Leahy, Vince Rivera, Jason Mickle, Josh Aguiar, Niki Aguiar, Matt Chapman, Michael Sebold, Kevin Henley, Mike Mckinnon, Stan Pesicka, Ryan Ahrehs, Rick Schone, Brett Woods, Phil Pritchard, Frank Oyung, Murry Smith, Dusty Miller, Jamison Kraft, Kelsie Klaahsen, and James Fox.

Also, special thanks to Lorna Doll for overseeing all the important logistics, like beverages and food preparation. She was assisted by Alicia McEwan, and Barbara Leahy.

At the concrete pour, pizzas were pro-

vided by Two Guys Pizza and cold drinks were donated by Main Street Market of Groveland. The Fire Department assisted with keeping the concrete pad wet while it set (which helped them with a little hose and water cannon training). They also took to the BBQ and helped make hamburgers for the hungry crew on Saturday. The food prepared by the Fire Department was provided by the Iron Door Saloon.

The ramps for the skate park will be delivered on June 12th, and should take about a week to assemble, depending on the turnout of volunteers. The assembly effort will be supervised by a representative from the factory.

Current members of the Groveland Skateboard Park Committee are Rolene Kiesling, Merle Heath, Dave "Stilts" Volponi, Rick Schone, Mark Watts, and Frank Oyung. On-going fundraising efforts will help pay for other facilities for the park, including a low fence separating the rink from the skateboard area, picnic tables, signs, and grass sod for the perimeter of the park.

Tax deductible monetary donations may be made to the Skateboard Park Fund, c/o GAINs, P.O. Box 179, Groveland, CA 95321.



Top to Bottom: Volunteers; Bob Lennon's son, Mitchell. Standing in front of the pad is Merle Heath and Frank Oyung, happy members of the Groveland Skateboard Park Committee. To left: The completed pad for the skate park.

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Water taxis will transport guests at 3:30 p.m. between seven beautiful lakefront homes where wines from noted wineries will be sampled, accompanied by delicious appetizers furnished by leading area restaurants in addition to Sierra Olive Oil sampling. Once again there will be a Coffee & Cookie Reception at 7:30 p.m. at the Lake Lodge upon your return from the tastings and Door Prize drawings.

Restaurants participating: National Hotel from Jamestown, Hotel Jeffery from Coulterville, Big Oak Restaurant, Groveland Hotel, Charlotte Hotel, PML Country Club, & Iron Door Café.

Wineries participating: Irish Vineyards, Milliaire Winery, Twisted Oak Winery, Muir-Hanna Vineyards, Mt. Brow Winery, Laraine Winery/Gerber Vineyards, & Ironstone Vineyards.

The event is limited to 225 guests and tickets, at \$40 per person. Please fill out the form below and mail it, together with your check payable to STCHS, to: STCHS, P. O. Box 1849, Big Oak Flat, CA 95305. Tickets and details of the event will be sent to you by return mail. You may also pick up an order form the Museum. Note that no tickets will be held – they must be prepaid by check (no cash, no credit cards). Ticket order forms will be accepted by mail only (processed by postmarked date).

Last year's sold out event was a great success and we're looking forward to another fabulous day on the lake with friends!

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THE DEERest Plant Profile

By Mountain Sage

Now really! A plant the deer won't completely devour? Even in Groveland area? Don't believe it? Well deer readers, spring is definitely here and we are sure everyone is wondering what to plant that the deer won't eat during these gracious months of spring and summer. We started to profile plants the deer don't seem to be eating up here on the hill to assist you in your gardening this summer. For copies of the past profiles, come on in to Mountain Sage. Have fun with your garden this spring, and enjoy the rewards all summer. Have questions? Please ask your local nursery person, as the deer up on the hill have a different palate than elsewhere. And always remember, deer don't read!

Cleveland Sage

Cal Academy Photo 1986
Common name: Cleveland Sage
Botanical: Salvia clevelandii

Vital Facts: Salvia clevelandii, or as it is known by its common name, Cleveland Sage, is a large graceful evergreen drought tolerant shrub 3 to 5 feet tall and 5 to 8 feet wide with gray green foliage and blue to purplish flowers throughout the summer. This California native sage blooms starting in early summer. Remove spent flowers to have blooms all



summer to fall. This sage stands out from other sages as it is evergreen throughout the winter, making it a great foundation plant the deer won't eat. There are many varieties of this popular sage that vary in hardiness, flower color and height.

Growing conditions: It prefers full sun and fast-draining or sandy soil. Make sure to amend your clay soil and not to plant in an area where water pools in the winter. Like many native sages of California, it is tolerant of dry soils, and seems to thrive on neglect.

A few fun facts: Native to the high mountainous areas of southern California, Cleveland Sage perfumes the air for a distance of as much as 20 feet with an enticing herbal scent. As with the 900 other species of sage worldwide, the seeds are edible. Native Americans would roast the seeds, grind them and mix them with water. The result is a nutritious porridge. Most common uses for the plant are harvesting the flowers for arrangements and salves, and using the leaves for salves, refreshing teas, and smudge sticks. The plethora of uses for this plant are too numerous to mention here. Consult your local herbalist and/or library for information.

Helpful Hints: Cut back in late winter to keep bushy and full for best bloom next summer. To best set off its silver color, use with contrasting colors including other Sages. It looks very nice with not only other sages, but native lupines, native California fuschia, lavenders, and germanders. To prevent deer from munching on this fragrant plant in the mint family, make sure to 'grow it hard', meaning to let it dry out between waterings. This makes any plant in the mint family (Lavender, Sage, Rosemary) increase the amount of fragrant oil as a defense against the sun and predators, such as deer. For more questions give us a call at Mountain Sage, 962-4686.

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HONORS DOCENT COORDINATOR MARY KELLY

By Rosemary Adams

Our Museum Staff recently honored our own Mary Kelly, Docent Coordinator, on the occasion of her birthday. The Docents and other Staff Members had gathered for dinner at the Charlotte Hotel, and a fine event it was. What Mary did not know was that we would be honoring her. It was a great treat to watch the smile and delight on her face when she realized that we had remembered her "Day" in such a special way. For our part, it was only appropriate to recognize this grand lady for all her tireless efforts for our Museum. Thank you, Mary.

Our Mary Kelly has many talents, not the least of which is writing, and we

have some of her works available in our Museum Shop. And, she has a new book now in the early stages of publication. We know it will be a great success and we look forward to having it for sale in our shop.

You will recall that we wrote recently about additions to our Hetch Hetchy Railroad Exhibit, wherein we mentioned an addition of railroad track segments that had been unearthed by GCSD. We requested any information that might be of help in identifying the track segment. We have learned through one of our visitors that the segment is a DERAILER. We appreciate this information. If anyone has more details on these artifacts, please let us know. Our thanks.

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KIWANIS MEXICAN DINNER
A HUGE SUCCESS

The Groveland Kiwanis Club held their Mexican Fiesta Dinner on April 28th at the Community Hall and had a fantastic turnout. The Hall has recently undergone a facelift and what a difference it made in holding a function like this. When the guests walked in they immediately fell into the Fiesta mode with all of the Mexican Decorations that were used to create the 'Ole feeling.

This year's menu consisted of Pork, Beef or Vegi Burritos, Mexican Rice, Beans and a soft drink beverage of their choice. There was also a Salsa bar set up for all to enjoy and boy did they enjoy. The salsa was being eaten freely along with an abundance of Guacamole dip and chips. Believe me when I say that no one left hungry. During the meal guests were treated to some Mexican Mariachi music by our own local guitar-strumming

singer, Rene De Lavera.

The event raised in excess of \$5,000, which will go towards the annual Groveland Kiwanis Children's Shopping Spree, and provide scholarships for graduating seniors from Tioga High School and Don Pedro High School. Some very wonderful merchants, in Groveland, Sonora and Jamestown donated prizes for the raffle. Our sincere thanks goes out to all of these merchants and individuals that contributed so generously to make this event such a huge success.

In closing we would like to thank everyone for their fantastic support that allows the Groveland Kiwanis Club to follow their creed, "Helping the children of the World, one Community and one Child at a time". We plan to make the next Mexican Fiesta Dinner will be even better.

Liz Reinhard Article
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R.O.O.F.B.B.
"CARING HEARTS .. HELPING OTHERS"
 By Rae Ann Bozzo

The R.O.O.F.B.B.'s annual spring luncheon was held on April 28 at the PMLCC honoring the past President, Jackie Baker, and her Board. The newly elected 2007-2008 officers were introduced. The 2006-2007 board presented Jackie with a necklace of hearts (for part of their slogan) "CARING HEARTS." There were three smaller hearts hanging from the large one indicating the three excellent years Jackie served as President. Jackie will continue serving on the Board as the Parliamentarian. The club was beautifully decorated with pink heart balloons and a great skit performance by Thelma Faux and Mary Brown. The luncheon was excellent. Orpheus, PMLCC Chef, and Tom Dorsey, PMLCC Manager, presented Jackie with a dozen red roses.

To date, R.O.O.F.B.B.'s have 90 members. The R.O.O.F.B.B.'s have contributed more than \$118 thousand dollars toward scholarships, charities, children's Christ-

mas shopping spree, and many other needs in our community. R.O.O.F.B.B.'s also sponsor dinners for the Monday night football games. They also sponsor an open golf tournament. Last year's "Rumble in the Jungle" was a great and successful fund raiser with fun and laughs by all who participated. This year's tournament and dinner will be held on SEPTEMBER 9 at the PMLCC. For more information, please call Corky Graham at 962-7816.

Congratulations to R.O.O.F.B.B.'s 2007-2008 incoming President, Nancy Whitefield, and her Board. They are Arlene Rueter, Vice President, Deanna Thomas, Secretary, Corky Graham, Treasurer, Rae Ann Bozzo, Historian, and Jackie Baker Parliamentarian.

Hats off to the 2006-2007 Board with a job well done. Jackie Baker, President, Nancy Whitefield, Vice President, Leanna Mattea, Secretary, Patty Stevens, Treasurer and Darlene Hicks, Historian.



Pictured are the present and past board members: Left to right Rae Ann Bozzo, Arlene Rueter, Corky Graham, Deanna Thomas, Nancy Whitefield, Jackie Baker, Leanna Mattea, and Patti Stevens. Missing, Darlene Hicks.

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Farmer's Market & Faire Begins June 9th!

Yes, it's true! A farmer's market is coming to the hill! Starting with a bang on June 9th, every Saturday morning from 8-11am there will be a Hilltop Farmer's Market & Faire located at Mountain Sage nursery. This event is sponsored by the Hilltop Sustainable Living Network in an effort to promote closer community relations, and a dependence on our own local talents. This will be a non-certified market, which is open to you small home growers as well. Have extra produce?

You will be able to sell, trade or give away your extra and not worry about it rotting in the field. Additionally we would like to welcome local artists and craftspeople to bring their wares to showcase and sell. Let's show off our local talents and gather each Saturday in a great garden atmosphere filled with music, art, food and community!

For more information to participate or support the event, please contact Regina at Mountain Sage 962-4686 or mtnsage@mlode.com. See you there!

Beginning May 25, The Groveland Hotel is serving lunch 11:00am to 2:00pm on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays.

Summer 2007 Lunch

Salads

Organic Tomato and Fresh Mozzarella
Fresh Basil, Balsamic Syrup and Tuscan Olive Oil
8

Sierra Caesar
Garlic Croutons and Home Made Dressing
6

Cobb Salad

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House Salad

Organic Greens and Romaine with Tomato, Cucumber, Carrots and Red Onion
Choice of Dressing: Ranch, Caesar, Balsamic, Walnut Sherry, Thousand Island
Blue Cheese or Oil and Vinegar
7
Small Salad
4

Grover Salad

Organic Greens, Romaine, Tossed in Homemade Ranch Dressing, Bacon, Blue Cheese
9

To Any Salad Above Add

Chicken 3
Shrimp 8
Crab 8
Salmon 4

Genealogy Chat

Happy June - where is the time going?

Our April meeting turned into a planning session as Jackie Root could not attend to give her talk on the Carlon Family - she will be our May speaker on

the 25th. No speaker is, as yet, scheduled for June...do you have a topic you would like to hear discussed? Rolene Kiesling will give her internet talk at the July meeting.

It was decided to design a "handout" detailing what the Genealogy Chat Group and the History Resource Center are about and how they can help those

looking for family roots, no matter

where in this country or overseas, and local family info from earlier times here South of the river.

A future field trip to the Lodi Family History Center was also discussed. They have full federal records from the Civil War amongst other things.

We want to thank Tami Hudson for helping us by reading the microfilms of early local papers for Groveland/Big Oak Flat news of note. If you have a few minutes and would like to help in this endeavor, come sign up, your help would be welcome.

Our next meeting is June 22nd, Library meeting room at 1:00 PM, and we hope to see you there.

Whitewolf Art Tails

The Gallery is pleased to announce the exhibit featuring the photography of local photographer, Rebecca Harvey. This exhibit is from April 30th through May 19th.

Rebecca Harvey is a wildlife photographer who has been involved in a variety of photography from nature to people. Her work has been featured in galleries in the San Francisco Bay area and currently at galleries in the Modesto, Manteca, and Sonora areas.

Michael is a wildlife artist from Sacramento who works in color pencil. He also makes the beautiful log frames you can purchase framing his artwork.

Milton Eisenhauer lives in Yucca Valley, California and is a wildlife photographer who

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April 30th - May 19th: Rebecca Harvey
May 21st - June 9th: Jim Leitzell, Dawn Leitzell
June 11th - June 30th: Maryanna Kingman
July 2nd - July 21st: Eddie Pavlu
July 23 - August 11th: To Be Announced
August 13th: September 8th Sierra Professional Artists
September 10th till end of year: TBA

On-going art in The Gallery includes the work of Michael Carey, Milton Eisenhauer, and David Wilkinson.

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HELPING HANDS HAPPENINGS

By Joyce Smith

Happenings Indeed! There is so much going on with Helping Hands. How does "Helping Hands Furniture Barn" sound to you?

This Proposal was a Board recommendation, presented during our General Meeting on May 10th. The proposal was given a lengthy discussion with many questions raised. The vote was taken and passed unanimously. We are all very excited about this new venture. Our new (additional site) will be in the building where the Feed Store was, across from the gas station in Downtown Groveland, yes, right on Main Street. We have so many requests from people wanting to know if we take furniture. We were limited as to what we could take due to space in the store. We could only take smaller items. Now, with the building becoming vacant, we will have room for furniture of all sizes, plus ample room for

storing out of season donations. Just another way we can help our community, plus helping residents get rid of unneeded furniture. So you see, our success in this venture will depend on your donations of furniture. We will not be able to pick-up your items, nor will we be able to deliver items purchased. If you have furniture items, call the store, 962-6830. You must make prior arrangements for furniture donations, **NO FURNITURE DROP OFFS**. We hope to have something in place by June 1st. Watch for our opening signs or call the store at 962-6830, for information. We will start off with limited hours so you can call or stop in the store for more information.

--Get out your calendars, I have some special dates to give you:

Thursday, June 14, **STORE CLOSED**. Our Helping Hands volunteers will be having their Spring Potluck. Volunteers are

asked to bring non-perishable food to assist our local food banks up here on the hill, plus your potluck dish, of course.

Starting in June, on the 1st Friday of every month through September, we will be open until 7:00 P.M. Other open times will be on Sundays of 3 day weekends, May 27th, July 1st and September 2nd. Not only will we be open, you can look forward to some great **SALES**. We had a young man from Canada in the store this week and he said he had been to a hundred or more thrift stores and we were the best anywhere. So when you have company, don't fail to bring them to the "Best Thrift Store", they won't be disappointed.

--Thanks to Robin Bodle for repairing one of our flower boxes in front of the store. Robin has done several things to help make things better for us. The flowers are a welcome sight. And, of course, Hanna and Marilyn helped with the flowers.

--Our General Meeting was held in the backroom, off the kitchen, in the Community Hall. The clean-up or sprucing up of the Hall is very appreciated. The curtains add a nice touch and wait until you see the restrooms. It was brought to our attention the kitchen was in need of serving spoons and other kitchen items. We found the needed

items in the store. Plus, we purchased smoke detectors and first aid kits for the Hall. Great teamwork everyone.

--Thank you letters were received from 29 students of Dave Palmer and Janet Zierenberg. Our donation enabled them to go on a field trip to San Francisco, where they walked across the Golden Gate Bridge and visited Alcatraz. Thanks for the letters and pictures kids, we appreciate hearing from you.

--Clothing giveaway was a great success as I stated in last month's article, but we want and need to thank the following Tioga students for helping take bags to the Community Hall as part of their Community Service: Nick Landrum, Noell Casteel, Christian Maxwell, Faith Rosenberger, Jeremy Niedens, Michael Byrns, Jane Collier, Sarah Ruckman, Alex Bigger and Hannah Sorensen. You really helped a lot. Must thank Carol Morrison and Sandi Graham for taking on this big task, as well as the other H. H. Volunteers. There were over 100 bags of clothing and countless other items given away during the two days.

My articles aren't usually this long, but there was a lot "you just had to know".

See you at Helping Hands.

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American Legion Flag Day Ceremony

On Flag Day, June 14th at 10 am, Groveland's American Legion Post 300 will hold a "Dignified Disposal of Unserviceable Flags" ceremony in the parking lot at Mary Lavaroni

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Thanks for your followup—Jerry Cozad.

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- June 23 - Monster House (animated)
- June 30 - No Movie this week – Fireworks in PML
- July 7 - Happy Feet (animated)
- July 14 - Racing Striped (animated)
- July 21 - Jumangi
- July 28 - Charlotte's Web
- Aug 4 - Spider Man 2
- Aug 11 - Karate Kid
- Aug 18 - Over the Hedge (animated)

To keep it a fun, safe event for all attendees, here are a few reminders:

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We've ordered a galore of hard to find organic herbs and are putting out more tables. We are stocking shelves and sprucing up the nursery. The amphitheatre is getting shade, and the herb garden is getting it's own workshop area. All for you! Our schedule is jammed packed with sustainable living and natural history demonstrations, various herb and natural healing workshops, belley dancing, great live music and just plain good 'ol fashion fun.

Some of the scheduled highlighted workshops include David Lukas, author of "Sierra Nevada Natural History" and "California Birds" will be back (by popular demand!) Meet our new organic chef on the hill Kd Gargan who will be sharing her culinary ethics on how to eat organic "real" wholesome, traditional food. Local

herbalist Dodie Harte of the Sierra Institute for Herbal Studies will lead an Herb Forum: how herbs work, how to use them, what to use herbs for. Thanks to Wild Women Workshops, there will be free yoga and writing clinics. Expand your horizons and learn of the growing trend of new energy efficient home-building with ZeroPower House's Chris Hurst and free workshop by the California Straw Bale Association (CASBA). Also highlighted will be Blue Oak Ayurvedic's John Paul Salonen teaching a workshop on "Chill Skills" for the summer. Kid events are numerous and zanny, sure to keep those little ones happy and learning! To see other highlights of our workshop series, please see posted schedule in this newspaper issue or our website www.mtnsage.com for more details.

Stay later with us in the nursery and view an early summer sunset grooving to the local favorites, The Adam Burns Band (www.adamburnsband.com) while enjoying lunch or dinner from our organic food booth. Bring a blanket and a friend, this is one day you won't want to miss! For more information, please contact 962-4686, or check our website link www.mtnsage.com for schedule information.



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Avalanche Ranch is an exciting way for kids to learn more about God's love," says Pastor Ron. "Kids will join nearly a million children in North America and

take part in a hands-on missions project that will reach orphans in Africa. Each day concludes at Showtime Roundup—a celebration that gets all participants involved in living what they've learned. Family members and friends are encouraged to join us daily for this special time (11:35 - 12:00) for Showtime Roundup. We hope Avalanche Ranch will get everyone wild about God in our community.

Avalanche Ranch begins of June 25 and continues through June 29th. Meet at Groveland EV Free Church, 19172 Ferretti Rd each day from 9:00am to 12:00am. For registration information, call 209-962-7131.

SECOND CHANCE SUCCESS!

By ETTY GARBER

The Second Chance Senior Prom, held on March 30th at the Pine Mountain Lake Country Club, was a great success! There was dining, dancing and picture taking. Of course, a king, Brian Moreno, and a queen, Andrea Albanese were chosen. Corsages were sold at the door and Tioga High School senior, Brittany Bradley, took pictures of the beautifully clad couples.

The "S" club members decorated the dining and dancing areas with stars,

sparkles and a mirrored disco ball, which revolved over the dance floor. Music was supplied by In The Mixx disc jockey. Proceeds from the prom helped to cover some of the costs for the Sierra Regional Conference that "S" club members attended March 2-4, 2007 at Asilomar Conference Grounds. Under the leadership and guidance of Tioga teacher, Jude Hawkins, both events, the conference and the prom, were very successful and lots of fun for all.



Left photo names are (left to right):

Joe and Maddy Sousa, Regina Tilley, ETTY GARBER, Al & Barbara Elliott

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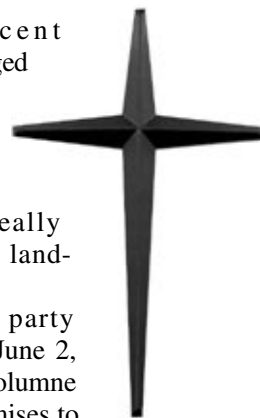
by Dorothy Parker

Those recent Spring rains changed our minds about passing through Spring quickly. However, a few late showers really brighten up the landscape.

A planting party will be held on June 2, 2007 at Camp Tuolumne Trails and it promises to be a rewarding event. The Mountain Lutheran Church ladies and three young ladies, Bethany Wilkinson, and Hillary and Kristen McAdams from the confirmation class are getting together to organize and celebrate National Join Hands Day by planting the grounds at the camp. This day is sponsored by Thrivent Financial, an organization that donates funds for worthy causes. This special day is set up partly to encourage adult and youth volunteers to work together on worthwhile projects.

An official confirmation service will be held on June 24, 2007 for Hillary and Kristen McAdams and Bethany Wilkinson. These girls have had two years of confirmation study under the direction of Pastor Ginger DuMars and are ready to confirm the promises made at Baptism. They are now spiritually prepared to actively participate as full members of the congregation.

Please remember that everyone is welcome at the New Mountain Lutheran Community Church. It is located at 13000 Down to Earth Court just off Ferretti Road, Groveland, and the worship service is at 10:45 AM each Sunday.



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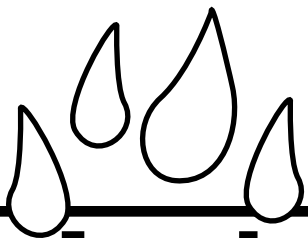
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eligible.

One name will
be drawn from
the correct
entries and
will be
announced
in the next issue
along with the
solution
to this month's
crossword puzzle.

**The WINNER of the May
Crossword Puzzle is M. L. Brown.
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**Local
Rainfall**

by Jerry Dickson

Date	Rain, Inches	Season (24 Hr. to 9 AM) Total	Season Total, Inches
From July 9, 06	---	---	13.18
From July 1, 2006	19.99	19.99	18.99
Mar 21, 07	0.20	0.59	20.19
Apr 12, 07	0.33	1.00	20.52
Apr 15, 07	1.12	1.00	21.64
Apr 22, 07	0.44	0.44	22.08
Apr 23, 07	0.45	0.45	22.53
May 3, 07	0.19	0.19	22.72
May 4, 07	0.20	0.20	22.92

A quick look back for years of low totals
at the end of March: 2001, 20.48"
1987 thru 1992 (6 yrs) only 13.45–20.32"
NONE of those seven years exceeded
23.75" at season end.

PML News Crossword Puzzle May 2007

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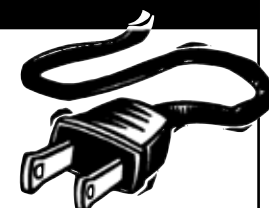
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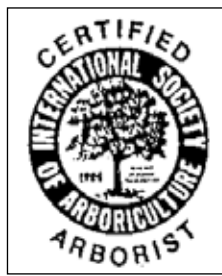
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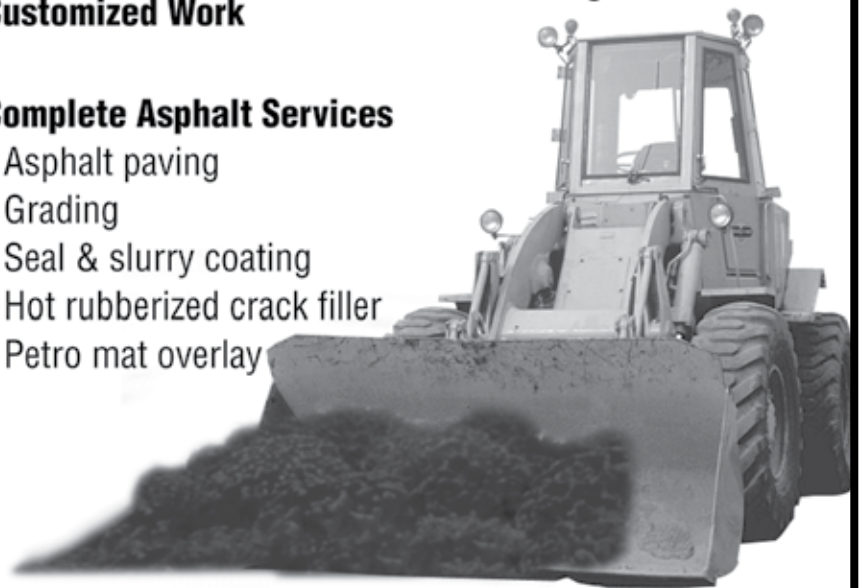
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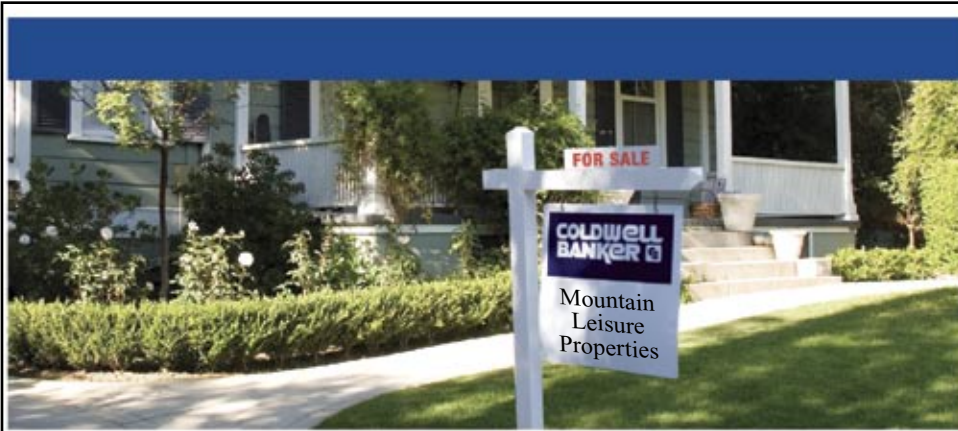
4/448 Pine Brook PARTIAL LAKE VIEW from Chalet-style home. 3bd, 1-1/2 baths, extra loft area and open-beam ceilings. Great room with free-standing fireplace. Newer laminate flooring, new roof in 2004 and newly painted exterior in 2007. Decks also being painted. \$345,000



4/168 Point View MAJESTIC MOUNTAIN VIEWS toward the greenbelt area. Great room with vaulted ceiling. 3bd, 3ba, main suite with deck access. New carpeting and most interior paint is new. Expansive front & rear decks and 2-car garage. \$449,950



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4/309 Buttercup UNDER CONSTRUCTION. 3bd, 2ba, home great location, not far from Lake Lodge & all amenities. Open floor plan with granite counters, tile flooring & carpets, fireplace, garden window in kitchen. \$399,000



1/121 Chaffee CLEAN, CUSTOM HOME on corner lot, near the golf course and lake. 3bd, 2ba, large rooms and lovely floorplan and knotty-pine cathedral ceilings. Low maintenance landscaping, storage area over garage and expansive decks. \$359,000



3/325 Cresthaven CREEK-SIDE SETTING. Nearly-new home on almost 1/3 acre. 3bd, 2ba, open floor plan. Sewered lot. Adjoining lot #324 also for sale. Buy both properties for a total of .62 acre. Great price for this home! \$319,000



6/191 Cottonwood REMODELED CHALET on .42 acre. Hand-crafted cabinets, new cntrl H/A and kitchen appliances. A fantastic buy! One of the lowest priced homes in PML. Furniture included. Septic being pumped & certified. \$275,000



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4/201 Point View PLENTY OF SPACE. Great full-time residence or vacation get-away. 4bd, 3ba, plenty of storage, wine cellar and workshop. Office could be 5th bedroom. Trees and mountain view. \$450,000



13/371 Tower Peak CUSTOM-BUILT HOME on a cul-de-sac. 3bd, 2-1/2 baths, 2-car garage. Slate tile in entry, hardwood flooring in great room, gourmet kitchen and private master suite. Views of pine-covered, mountain ridges from the spacious deck. Marina and lake nearby. \$429,000



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