HPREC NEWS

Agilent Technologies

Fun, friendship, memories for members of the Bay Area Hewlett-Packard/Agilent Retired Employees Club

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Martha's Message



By Martha Maris
HPREC President

Think redwood trees, a pleasant sunny day in June, sizzling steaks with all the trimmings, maybe a game or two of bingo (great prizes) and best of all – lots of former co-workers and friends with whom to share a memory or do some catching up. There you have it -- all the ingredients for our upcoming summer picnic at the HP Cupertino Site's Redwood Grove. I'm looking forward to seeing many of you there! Be sure to sign up on the flyer inside, if you haven't already done so. This annual picnic is one of our most fun and relaxing events of the year, so don't miss it!

For those of you who attended the Spring Fling in March, you know what a good time we all had. Plus we very much appreciated the excellent presentation by Agilent President and CEO **Bill Sullivan**. Bill gave a most interesting overview of recent developments at Agilent, and how the organization will look going forward. I thought the Q&A session afterwards was particularly thought-provoking with some excellent questions from all of you and good follow-up by Bill.

A special thanks **to Harold Kaye** who coordinated the overall Spring Fling event along with assistance from **John Weidert** for managing the program; **Vera Robertson** for handling all the reservations and reports; **Lynn Cortes** for creating the flyer; **JoAnn Hill** for creating the name tags; and **Gordon Mullin** and **Fran Low** for greeting attendees and handing out name tags.

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If you have any suggestions or feedback, please contact me at mailto:mmaris@sbcglobal.net or (650) 965-4964.

Recognition of Ray Tatman



Ray Tatman

In keeping with our focus on recognizing people behind the scenes, it is with very mixed feelings that I acknowledge a most revered club volunteer who has just retired as the club's technical architect, team-builder and sustainer of our technology program -- for certain this time, he says, after several unsuccessful attempts in the past. (We kept begging him to stay a little longer!) **Ray Tatman's** final day with the HPREC Tech Team was April 28 when he attended his last meeting of the group. We are going to miss Ray a lot, but certainly understand his wish to devote more time to other interests.

Ray became actively involved back in 1998 when we needed someone to create a Web site for the club and a database independent of HP. "Not that anyone's counting," Ray says, "but that's 4,193 days!" He knows this thanks to the handy calculator he discovered on Windows 7.

While Ray has been the lead on many of our technical projects and the one to move things along, he is the first to say that everything has been a team effort. "I simply could not have done what I did without a group of very technically skilled

and committed people," says Ray. "We've had a lot of fun working together and learning new things. With a group of strong people on the team who have a lot of new ideas, I know I'm leaving the work in good hands."

Ray has been both a two-term HPREC Board member and an ongoing volunteer. In addition to keeping things moving along on the technical side and being a true team player, Ray has been a friend and supportive mentor to many of us, myself included. He has the respect and appreciation of us all. Thanks, Ray, for almost 12 years of dedicated service to the club. You will be missed!

HPREC Nominating Committee Chosen to Select Slate of Officers and Directors



By Homer Wong

This year's Nominating Committee – approved by the HPREC Board – consists of John Weidert, John McGowan, Deihleen Claffey, and Homer Wong, who will chair the Committee.

The Nominating Committee has begun its search for new members to the HPREC Board for a three-year term starting in November 2010. The Board meetings are held on the first Wednesday of every month from 12:00 – 2:00 p.m. at the HP headquarters in Palo Alto.

HPREC is governed by a 19-person Board of Directors consisting of four Officers and 15 Directors, of which five positions expire in 2010.

This is a great opportunity for retirees to utilize the skills and talents that made them successful in their careers with HP and Agilent. Sharing your time and talent provides an opportunity to make a difference in the success of HPREC. It's also a way to stay connected with fellow retirees, the company from which you retired, and the community.

Opportunities
A wide variety of opportunities are available. We are looking for the following skills and areas of interest: Marketing, IT, Communications, Organization/Planning. Strong leadership and teamwork skills are critical. Specifically, we are looking for people to lead our technical team and newsletter (Deihleen has recently been chosen as our Vice President and will be phasing the newsletter editor role to someone by the November issue.)

We want your help in suggesting names of club members to serve on your Board of Directors. Please contact members of the Nominating Committee with your suggestions no later than June 25, 2010.

Petition for Nomination to HPREC Board of Directors
Any member of the HP Retired Employees Club is welcome to petition for nomination to the Club's Board of Directors.

If you wish to petition for nomination, you need to prepare a Petition Form. To obtain this form, please e-mail or write the Nominating Committee Chairperson at homer_wong@hotmail.com or

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An HPREC member qualifies to have his or her name placed on the ballot by submitting a completed petition form signed by at least twenty-five (25) qualified members of HPREC to the Nominating Committee Chairperson no later than June 25, 2010.

You can view the list of current HPREC Officers and Board Members in your 2010 HPREC Membership Directory that was mailed to your home in February, or on the HP Retiree Web site: www.hp.com/retiree (click on Retiree Clubs, Bay Area, Club Officers and Board Members.)



Members! Members! Members! Win! Win! Win! Gift Certificates!

Our Bay Area HPREC is continuing our campaign to increase membership, and we need your help.

There is a high probability that each of you knows at least one other eligible person who could join our club. The benefits are many, and the cost is very low. Remember, eligibility to join requires only a minimum of 10 years with HP and/or Agilent, and members can live anywhere. If they are just short of the 10-year minimum, they can apply to the HPREC Board for membership consideration.



To help all of us in our recruiting efforts, we have prepared an **INFORMATIVE BROCHURE** highlighting the key activities and benefits that come along with being a member of HPREC. This brochure is available on the www.hp.com/retiree Web site. Under "Get Involved", click on Retiree Clubs, then Bay Area, and then click the item "HPREC Brochure" under Club Information to access the tri-fold brochure. Please print out some copies and give them to your HP or Agilent retiree friends. Or, if you would like hardcopies sent to you, send an e-mail to our HPREC Membership Chair, John Weidert at: **john_weidert@scualum.com**.

To encourage participation, HPREC will offer **TWO $50.00 GIFT CERTIFICATES** to be awarded at the HPREC Holiday Lunch on December 6th. Here's how you can qualify for the drawing. Each person you encourage to join HPREC (with dues paid) will put your name in the drawing pool. Bring in more than one member, and you will have your name added to the pool an additional time. Bring in three new paid members and get three chances to win! There is no limit to how many paid members you can bring in and increase your chances of winning a certificate. We encourage entrants to attend the luncheon, but you are not required to be present to win.



All entries from November 1, 2009 to October 31, 2010 (our fiscal year) are eligible. New members should write **your** name on their enrollment form for you to qualify. (If you have already referred new members who have joined and paid this year, just let John Weidert know.) All members of the club are eligible to win (except the membership chair.) One winning certificate per member.

So, let's go on a recruiting binge and increase our membership level! You will be doing the new member and the club a real favor. If you have questions or comments, please send an e-mail to John Weidert at: john_weidert@scualum.com.

Are you a techie and need a creative outlet?

How about volunteering some time to become a member of HPREC's fun, dedicated technical team?

We are looking for someone to assist in enhancing and maintaining HPREC's membership database application. Seeking programming skills which include a good working knowledge of VB6, VBA and MS Office.

For more information, contact Phyllis Hoff at (650) 968-2460.

Spring Fling Luncheon

with Guest Speaker, Bill Sullivan, Agilent CEO
By Marialis Seehorn, Carol Nakamoto, and John Weidert
Photos by Harold Kaye

HPREC's Spring Fling Luncheon is always a festive affair, one that is highly anticipated and always enjoyed by attendees. This year's event was no exception. One hundred thirty HPREC members and guests from HP and Agilent Technologies enjoyed the usual lively and fun-filled conversation with old friends and an excellent meal prepared by Mariani's Restaurant staff (the fish was especially delicious!) topped off with chocolate sundaes for dessert.

Martha Maris, President of HPREC, welcomed several guests from HP and Agilent who were attending. From Agilent: Steve Beitler, Manager, Silicon Valley Government Public Affairs, and Karen Lewis, Executive Director of the Agilent Technologies Foundation. On the HP side: Camilla (Cam) Nelson, HP Office of Social Global Innovation, and Anna Mancini, HP Corporate Archivist.

The highlight of the luncheon was our speaker, William (Bill) Sullivan, President and CEO of Agilent Technologies. In his introduction, John Weidert, HPREC Board member and Agilent Liaison, noted that Bill joined HP in 1976 and during the course of his career developed considerable expertise in telecommunications, data communications and computers. In 1999, when Agilent was spun off from HP, Bill was named Agilent's Senior Vice President and General Manager of the Semiconductor Products Group (SPG). He was appointed to his current position in March 2005.

Retirees and guests were quickly caught up in Bill's enthusiasm for Agilent's new technologies and product lines. He discussed Agilent's recovery from the second downturn and its emergence as stronger and better positioned to become the leader in the chemical analysis and life science fields. During the downturn, Agilent employees across the board took a 10% pay cut, and the company was restructured into three units: Electronic Measurement, Chemical Analysis and Life Sciences.

Bill provided some details on how each unit was focused on contribution, not only to its core technology but to the changing methods used in testing and research. This is particularly evident in the Life Sciences unit, where Agilent products are integrally involved in the search for disease biomarkers by scientists. (See note below) "Environment and health care are two areas where we can make a significant contribution," Bill added. Other product offerings assist the surveillance/ terrorism field (jamming the detonation signal of IED's in war zones), food safety, and crime forensics analysis (most of the products seen on the TV program, CSI, are from Agilent.)

One of Agilent's most valuable resources, Bill noted, was its "experienced employee base." Despite the downturn, Agilent has continued to focus on its employees by maintaining benefits and providing opportunities for collaboration. Bill referred to a previous situation wherein they were trying to increase the output of one testing system. After getting a divergent group of engineers together, the problem was quickly resolved. "We know how to do that!" commented Roseville based engineers.

The upcoming merger with the Analytical business of Varian Associates, which shares a similar "employee culture," will further broaden Agilent's technology resources and product lines and "realize sources of value for customers and stockholders." The deal will, hopefully, close sometime this spring.

Afterward, Bill fielded a number of questions from the audience covering a wide range of topics from doing business in China to the effect of the new Health Care Bill on Agilent.

We also want to thank HPREC Board member Harold Kaye and his industrious committee for making this event so enjoyable: Lynn Cortes (flyers), Gordon Mullin and Fran Low (welcome table), Vera Robertson (reservations), JoAnn Hill (name tags) and John Weidert (guest speaker coordination).

Spring Fling photos:



Bill Sullivan



John Weidert, Bill Sullivan, Karen Lewis



Deihleen Claffey, Jim Tyler, Martha Maris



Herbert Knoesel, Gisela Knoesel, Stan McCarthy, John Toppel



Pat Capshaw, Pat Alvarado, Lynn Cortes, Roland Cortes



Lynda Robinson, Fran Low, Mitzi Jividen



Johnny Ratcliff, Ken Peterson, Carmen Peterson

Be sure to mark your calendar for the Holiday Luncheon, December 6, 2010. Our speaker will be Nick Roelofs, President of Agilent's Life Sciences Group.

CATCHING UP – *Where are you now?*

Bob and Jan Grady



If you're hoping to catch Bob and Jan Grady – don't blink! You'll miss them! After both retired from HP in the late 90's, Bob from a 28-year career in software engineering development, management, and consulting and Jan from a 24-year career in IT management, they find themselves busier than ever and having fun.

While with HP, Bob was known for authoring three books on software quality; however, what probably wasn't known was that he was also one of the first in the valley to experiment with solar. In the 1980's, he purchased some discarded solar panels from an HP site and reinstalled them on their roof where they have continued to heat their home. After retiring, Bob did some software consulting and wrote another (as yet unpublished) book.

Jan used her technical skills to build the initial Web site for East Palo Alto's Eastside College Prep where several HPREC members continue to participate in a tutoring program for middle schoolers. She also enjoyed the luxury of "uninterrupted time," a rare event when she was working.

However, as Bob readily admits, there came a time when "painting and golf became more important!" (Jan enthusiastically agreed!)

Both love to paint and include time for this hobby in their U. S. and international travel. Bob is into oils and landscapes, and trips to Yosemite and elsewhere provide plenty of scenery to capture on canvas. Jan uses watercolors to paint flowers and landscapes.

As for golf, they manage to play at least twice a week, with each other or sometimes with other retired HPers.

They've also tried to keep their connections to other former HP employees. Jan founded the HP Retired Women's Group, which provides members with opportunities for networking and socializing. Together with a number of HP retirees, she performs with the South Bay Philharmonic (www.southbayphilharmonic.org), formerly the HP Symphony Orchestra. Jan plays the flute and piccolo. Time with children and grandchildren, art workshops, a family Web site, choir, and a cooking club complete her schedule.



Busy? Jan happily admits, "I never had time to have so much fun while working." (I think the Gradys are on to something!)

Sam Szteinbaum

"Sam retired from HP in late 2008 after almost 25 years at the company. His last role at HP was that of Chief Learning Officer within HR, which he did after a number of business roles within the PC and printer groups.

Since leaving, he has joined three different technology company boards. He is Board Chairman at Asetek which makes liquid cooling devices for

computers, a board member at Corsair which makes components - memory, power supplies, cases and cooling components for PC enthusiasts as well as a board member at Sococo which is developing breakthrough software to enable real time communications for remote teams.

In addition to his board work, he is active (with his wife) running their own preschool and commercial real estate business. The Wonder Years Preschool operates at 3 locations: San Carlos, Palo Alto and Mountain View. The last facility was built by them from the ground up. They are planning to expand to a fourth facility also in Mountain View later this year. Check out their Web site: www.thewonderyearspreschool.net

John Toppel

I retired in 2004 after a wonderful 31-year career that took us around the world to live in Hong Kong, Australia, Mexico, Switzerland and Korea. With the Compaq merger coming on line, I knew the end would be coming, so I headed back to school, in the evening, to get my masters degree in Counseling. I had been a guest lecturer at Villanova University where my son was a student. With retirement and graduation in the same summer, the Dean at Villanova gave me a chance, for a one-year special assignment, to teach a course in international business and work in the career office. With this experience I found my new passion and "my after-HP career."



Returning home to the Bay Area, (Margaret stayed and took care of the house and finances during my nine-month stint in Philadelphia) I started teaching part time at Santa Clara University. After the first courses, the opportunity came to become a full-time professor in the Management Department. I jumped at the opportunity and am now in my fifth year at SCU. I also help with the international programs for the business school.

Working with the students and helping them to understand and appreciate the world of international business is incredibly rewarding and exciting. The students are enthusiastic, engaged and very capable. Being able to share with them a life time of the HP Way business experience that I learned in my career, combined with their eagerness to learn, is just plain fun.

Today, Margaret is retired from Addison Avenue and is project managing a house remodel in Arizona. I am not sure when we are going to go there because teaching is much too enjoyable to even begin to think about retiring again.

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To be featured in CATCHING UP, please send an e-mail answering the following questions and a picture to HPREC_News@yahoo.com.

1) What position did you have when you retired from or left HP/Agilent?
2) What year did you retire from HP/Agilent?
3) How do you enjoy your time, since leaving HP/Agilent?
4) Is there anything you've done since leaving HP/Agilent that you'd like the HPREC members to know about?

I'm looking forward to hearing from many of our members (management and non-management levels!), who I know are doing exciting and valuable things for our communities and our world.

(*Articles will be published based on space available, content interest, and at the discretion of the editing team.)*

A Guy Named Walt and the Marine Mammal Center

Article and photos by Pat Fausett & Carol Arnett

After several days of rain in early April, we were thrilled that April 7 dawned clear, warm, and absolutely spectacular. Forty-four adventuresome HPREC members boarded a bus at 8:30 a.m. and started the drive into San Francisco's Presidio Park for the beginning of a magical day. Our first destination was the newly opened Disney Family Museum in the heart of the former Army post.



The museum building itself is very modest, but once you enter, you are zoomed back in time to the beginning of the Walt Disney era of storytelling, animated movies, lyrical musicals, tales of heroic animals, and incredible television episodes of The Mickey Mouse Club, Spin and Marty, Tinker Bell flying around the castle, and more. The museum is a fabulous compilation of Walt Disney's life and how he grew up and created his magical World, especially Disneyland and Disney World. The photographs of Walt's early life and his family scenes were extremely interesting. Several of us were humming many of the familiar tunes from the Disney movies. With the recent death of actor Fess Parker, Walt's Davy Crockett, the exhibits of that phase of Disney were particularly poignant. And how many of us grew up singing "Zip-a-Dee-Doo-Dah" from Walt's *Song of the South*? We were told that it usually takes three hours to see the complete museum, but we had half that time. None-the-less, we all agreed that we had an excellent taste of the exhibits, and private return trips are definitely in many members' future plans.



After leaving the museum, we had a fun picnic lunch on the Presidio grounds. We had ordered sandwiches from the Disney cafeteria, and brought chips, cookies, and water along with us from Costco. The picnic site was a bit short on tables, so a few of our members were very creative as to where they perched themselves for their lunch!

We made a brief stop at the viewing post on the west side of the Golden Gate Bridge. The views of the city, the bridges (both Golden Gate and Bay Bridge), Alcatraz and the Marin Headlands were a photog's dream. The day was crystal clear and we all marveled at the beauty of our great state of California!



Our next stop was the newly built Marine Mammal Center in Sausalito. This facility opened on June 15 of last year, and the "hospital" is a state of the art center. There are over 175 baby seals and sea lions being cared for in the various areas of the hospital. And, since opening this new facility, they have treated more than 1500 marine mammals, returning many to their natural habitat. To watch the babies being tube fed is amazing, and to learn that the volunteers must actually teach the baby seals and sea lions to "fish" for their supper was very interesting. The size of a full grown elephant seal is astounding, as evidenced in this photo of our guide standing next to a full size statue of one of these magnificent creatures. The 90 minute tour was excellent, the environmental discussions were stimulating, and the gift shop was great.

The bus ride back to Cupertino was peaceful, as many of us were tired from all the fresh air we had during the day, and naps were in order. A super fun excursion for our HPREC family!

TRAVEL TALK
By Pat Fausett

Your Travel Committee has been very busy these past several months planning and executing some fun excursions for our membership. As we develop new itineraries, we seem to come across some "opportunities" to improve both our processes and the execution of the trips themselves. Therefore, in this issue we want to address a few areas that we have identified as "the need to know more about."

First of all, with the guidance of the HPREC Board of Directors, we have altered our payment requirements. You will notice that we have a price for a trip if paid by a certain date, and then a different price if reservations are made after the first due date. We have elected to add an additional $5 charge for reservations received after the original cut-off date, as we have found the volunteers are spending an unusual amount of time updating all the counts and data for the event in a very small window of time. The large events, like the Holiday Lunch, Spring Fling, and Picnic are especially impacted with last minute calls and additions…so we are hoping to encourage early sign-ups to avoid this crunch.

We are also aware that many of us have mobility issues when it comes to stairs, walking on uneven grounds, and just plain walking. Therefore, we are making notations on our trip fliers as to the "Activity Level" the trip may have. If you still have concerns about what the trip may involve, please do not hesitate to contact the leaders of the trip, as noted on the fliers. And a word of thanks...calls about trips and events have been made within the calling guidelines, as listed on the fliers, as well.

When lunches and dinners are listed on the fliers, please know that we try to accommodate all food requirements from our members. Many restaurants will substitute a vegetarian meal if we give them enough notice. However, when this comes to the larger events, such as the Holiday Luncheon, this is difficult to make exceptions, as the menu is set when serving over 300 people. If we have turkey listed as the main course, we cannot change it to ham or fish...we are sure you understand.

For longer trips, such as the 4 day adventure to Palm Springs in 2011, we have been informed that HP will no longer let us park cars on their sites overnight. This is an insurance and legal issue for them, so we have been seeking an alternative parking place for longer trips. Right now Vallco, Village has a parking area that we could use, once we discuss the specifics with their security people. This will be on a case-by-case basis, and we are continuing our dialog at this time. For "Day Trips" we will still use the Cupertino site of HP.

Lastly, we would like to clarify our member-guest policy for trips. Every member is entitled to bring one paying guest, and that guest will be included in the acceptance process. However, if the member wants to bring more than one guest, those guests will be put on the Waiting List until the cut-off date for reservations. If the trip has MEMBERS on the Wait List, all members will go before the additional guests. We do this because this is your club…you pay your dues…and all members should be in the queue prior to additional guests being accepted.

HP PICNIC

Saturday, June 5, 2010
11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
HP Cupertino Site
Redwood Grove

We have some great trips coming up, so check out the fliers in this edition. The Mothball Fleet in Suisun Bay is a real prize…see the ships before they are gone! We are also working on a sawmill tour and day in Petaluma, a tour of The Cowgirl Creamery, the SF Ballet for December's "Nutcracker", the SF Pacific Orchid Expo in 2011, a trip to Vision Quest Ranch in Salinas, a trip to the newly re-opened Oakland Museum, and a cruise on the Bay in Roosevelt's Potomac yacht. Come join us for some great FUN!!!

San Francisco Stairways Walk

By Jim Holl



On March 9, 23 HPREC hikers traveled to two San Francisco districts to sample some of the best stairways in the city. The group assembled at the base of the famous Moraga Tiled Stairway at the corner of 16th Avenue and Moraga Street in the Inner Sunset district. The group picture was taken on this stairway which was developed by the local homeowners who were inspired by a tiled stairway in Brazil.



Led by Jim and Janet Holl, the group moved to the Upper Market district and visited the Vulcan Stairway, the Saturn Stairway, Corona Heights, and the Randall Museum. The visibility was exceptional this day, and the hikers enjoyed views of the Marin Headlands, the East Bay, Downtown San Francisco, and Golden Gate Park.



This was the first HPREC hike for Juli and Cedric Hughes. Cedric is a recent HP Retiree.

If you are interested in exploring these areas of San Francisco, please refer to Adah Bakalinsky's Stairway Walks in San Francisco.

Note: The April hike to Los Trancos and Monte Bello Ridge Preserves was postponed twice and cancelled on the third attempt due to rain. It will be rescheduled at a later date.

Little Basin Open for DAY USE Hiking Only

Submitted by Gary Ruppel

(For information only for HPREC members - from the Little Basin Web site maintained by POST and Sempervirens Fund.)

Due to the high expense of operations and the ongoing delay in transferring the property to California State Parks, overnight camping will no longer be available. Reservations for day use are not required.

This change was made necessary due to the continuing California budget crisis, which has caused a crippling lack of funding for State Parks and prevented the agency from being able to take ownership of the property to date from POST and Sempervirens Fund. We encourage anyone who wishes to accelerate this process to support the "YES for State Parks" campaign, an initiative proposed for the November 2010 ballot. The campaign seeks to establish a stable source of funding for State Parks through the creation of a State Parks Access Pass. To learn more about this effort, please visit www.yesforstateparks.com.

If you have any questions about access to Little Basin, please contact Sempervirens Fund Executive Director Reed Holderman at (650) 968-4509 or POST Director of Communications Nina Nowak at (650) 854-7696, x 306. Thank you for your understanding and your continued interest in Little Basin!

Retirement Planning Seminar

On April 12, 2010, HPREC sponsored the "After HP/Agilent" seminar on retirement planning presented by Mary Lynne Schoenbeck. The attendees (several pictured below) learned a few good tips!

Mary Lynne shared a lot of information and several insights for enjoying retirement, including:

- The importance of having a circle of supportive people in our lives.
- The value of being curious and positive, taking risks, being persistent (about the right things) and flexible.

Mary Lynne shared an interesting acronym to help manage any stress:

BREADS

B=breathe
R=relax
E=exercise
A=attitude (positive)
D=diet (good nutrition)
S=sleep (get enough of it)

Overall, Mary Lynne noted that we are pioneers as we age at this point in time -- with better health, longer life expectation and more opportunities. She encouraged us to uncover the gifts we were born with, share these gifts and remember how unique we each are!



Before the seminar, Janis Andrews talks with Byron Anderson while John McGowan (far right) converses with Hal Eubanks.



Mary Lynne Schoenbeck encourages seminar attendees to live fully during their retirement.



Reviewing the seminar agenda are Suzanne Bellamy, Mary Lynne Schoenbeck (seminar leader), John Toppel and Cord Phelps.



Seminar participants take time to complete a values clarification worksheet.

HPREC Monthly Activities

By Pat Musachia



Golf *By Phil Smith*

We had 23 golfers for the first tourney of the year at Santa Clara on March 25th, under cool and breezy conditions. Many of the scores showed that, indeed, some of the golfers were a bit rusty at the game after the winter layoff. The winners for Santa Clara were:

Men's 1st Flight	John McCabe	net 67
Low Putts	Phil Smith	34
Men's 2nd Flight	Roy Matsuzaki	net 62
Low Putts	Roy Matsuzaki	32
Women's Flight	Delores Lovlien	net 69
Low Putts	Marialis Seehorn	30
Closest-to-Pin	Ben Lee	Hole #4
	Marialis Seehorn	Hole #8
	John McCabe	Hole #13
	Roy Matsuzaki	Hole #17

At the Sunnyvale Tournament, played on April 22nd, we also had 23 players vying for the coveted prizes. We dodged the rain, but found the fairways were aerated, making them challenging to play. The winners for Sunnyvale were:

Men's 1st Flight	Phil Smith	net 74
Low Putts	Jim Schultz	28
Men's 2nd Flight	Bill Morimoto	net 71
Low Putts	Carl Cottrell	35
	Rich Lujan	35
Women's Flight	Shelia Highe	net 72
Low Putts	Pat Hanson	29
Closest-to-Pin	Bev Murphy	Hole #4
	Marialis Seehorn	Hole #8
	Carol Surrell	Hole #13
	Marialis Seehorn	Hole #15

We have some great golf scheduled each month through October. To make sure you get in on the fun and have a chance for the coveted prizes, sign-up to play! Don't worry about how good you are; the handicap system will level the playing field. The sign-up sheet for Los Lagos (June 17) and Santa Clara (July 15) is in this newsletter, so get your envelope ready!

Law #5 of golf: No matter what causes a golfer to muff a shot, all playing partners must solemnly chant "you looked up," or invoke the wrath of the universe.



Bowling for fun! *By Carol Nakamoto*

The next few bowling events are **June 14, July 12 and August 9 at Palo Alto Bowl from 3:00-4:30.** It's **always** the 2nd Monday of each month. Price is $5.00 per person for 2 games (includes shoe rental). If interested; contact Carol Nakamoto at carol_nakamoto@hotmail.com or (650) 941-3678. All skill levels welcome. *Note: Recent news - Palo Alto Bowl signed an extended lease…yeah!*

Social Bridge Group



When: The first and third Tuesdays of each month, June 1 and 15 and July 6 and 20 at 1:00 p.m.

Place: Classic Residence by Hyatt – across from the Stanford Shopping Center at 620 Sand Hill Road, Palo Alto in the Sausalito Room, second floor.
Contact: Elizabeth Kan (650) 854-4052



June/July Hiking Schedule

By John McCabe

Date: Tuesday, June 8
Rainout Date: Tuesday, June 15

Hike Leader: John McCabe (650) 328-3472

Hike Location: Palo Alto's Foothills Park. Bounded by Portola Valley, Los Altos Hills, Pearson-Arastradero Preserve and Los Trancos Open Space, the 1,400-acre Foothills Park is a nature lover's paradise. Miles of trails provide access through rugged chaparral, woodlands, fields, streams, a lake and provide spectacular views of the bay. Our route will be some 4.7 miles in length with one climb of 500 feet in 1.5 miles (some stairs).

Meet at: the usual carpool site at the 280 & Page Mill Road Park-&-Ride at 10:00 a.m. Bring $1 to reimburse the drivers along with your lunch and water. This park is open to Palo Alto residents and their guests - so don't go directly! There should be enough Palo Alto people with us in case they check. It's only a short drive up Page Mill.

Date: Tuesday, July 13
Rainout Date: Tuesday, July 20

Hike Leader: Ed White (650) 964-1532

Hike Location: Castle Rock State Park, from the main entrance on Skyline Boulevard. We last did this hike in 2005. We'll try to duplicate Rod Carlson's route, which features the Vaqueros sandstone climbing rock itself, plus Castle Rock Falls, Goat Rock and lunch at the interpretive shelter. Round trip is 4-5 miles, with a mix of sun and shade, and some drop-dead views of the San Lorenzo River drainage.

Meet at: the 280 & Page Mill Road Park-&-Ride, at 10:00 a.m. to carpool. Bring $3 each to reimburse carpool drivers. Bring water and lunch. To meet us at the hike site, take Skyline Boulevard (Highway 35) 2.5 miles south of Saratoga Gap, which is the junction of Highways 35 and 9. The main entrance parking area is on the right. There is a parking fee.

To change your address or phone number contact:

John Weidert,
Membership Chair

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Thanks.

Preservation policy an historical first in Cupertino

City leaders set to review heritage site guidelines

By MATTWILSON

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For the first time in Cupertino's history, the city is developing a policy to identify and protect historic city sites.

The city council will look at a historical preservation policy on April 6, which could put guidelines in place to address how to preserve and honor historic structures that may need to be renovated, restored or removed.

For the past two years, the Historical Preservation Advisory Committee has been working on guidelines and creating a list of sites for the city's historic inventory. The recommended policy pertains only to publicly owned properties. City planner Gary Chao said there is no current ordinance to determine best practices for preserving historic sites, and in the past, the council has made decisions on a case-by-case basis.

Committee members evaluated numerous city sites, looking at each one's aesthetic, historic, social, cultural and economic merit. The committee also analyzed each site through an architectural lens to see if the design reflected a particular era or master craftsmanship.

"Most of the sites we chose had at least one of these themes or more," said Helene Davis, a member of the preservation committee and Cupertino Historical Society. There are about 30 sites on the list, but the city could add more. Some historic sites the committee reviewed are the replica Baer Blacksmith Shop, De Oro Club on Homestead Road, the now closed Montebello School, the **Glenndenning Barn on the Hewlett-Packard campus**, Nathan Hall Tank House and the Hammond-Snyder House near Gate of Heaven Cemetery. "Quite frankly, Cupertino doesn't have a lot of historic places," Davis said.



In 1850, Robert Glendenning came to West Side, which is now part of Cupertino, where he operated a ranch. When he died in 1884, the land along Homestead Road was given to his children, Mary, Margaret C., Ellen, Joe, Jim and George. Today the Glendenning Barn, complete with fruit trees and a picnic area, can still be seen in the middle of the HP campus. The Cupertino City Council will be looking at a historical preservation policy on April 6 that could help future decision-making when making changes to historic structures.

The council will be reviewing the recommendations April 6, but will not make a decision until the city has an opportunity to collect more public input this spring.

A preservation policy has been in the works for years. George Monk, who served on the preservation committee, also worked on similar city initiatives in the 1990s. "The city needs guidelines on what to do with old things. We have ordinances for fences, so why not an ordinance for protecting historic things?" Monk said.

Monk said that the city might want to consider taking a stance on honoring some newer or private historic buildings, such as the first Apple Inc. building in the city. Monk said the Apple building might be the most important historic site short of the DeAnza party camp near Blackberry Farm,where the Spanish exploring party that gave Cupertino its namesake stayed. Davis said it is important to protect what little Cupertino has.

The City Council public hearing will be April 6. The meeting begins at 6:45 p.m. in Cupertino Community Hall 10350 Torre Ave.

Note: For former employees on the HP Cupertino Campus, this is the barn that still stands at the HP Redwood Grove, where HPREC currently is allowed to hold our annual HPREC Picnic. Copied from San Jose Mercury News by Carol Nakamoto

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Fred Kohler and Kuo-Jung

Kuo-Jung Chang and Fred Kohler Enjoy Retirement Activities

By John McCabe

In retirement, **Kuo-Jung Chang** and **Fred Kohler** are doing what they enjoy and enjoying what they are doing. Fortunately for this husband-wife team's community, this includes lots of time volunteering.

Before she retired in 2007 after a fourteen year career in the Legal Department, Kuo-Jung thought about what she really enjoyed -- reading and food. In 1996, she began volunteering at **Recording for the Blind and Dyslexic (RFB&D)**, a national organization that records textbooks for reading challenged clients. She started going to their Palo Alto unit after work once a week, using some of the skills she had learned in her native Taiwan to direct the recordings. Kuo-Jung really enjoys this activity, the people she volunteers with, and the recording process. She noted that Bill Hewlett, who himself was dyslexic, was an enthusiastic supporter of the organization.

Kuo-Jung's love of food led her to the **Urban Ministry of Palo Alto,** a non-sectarian social service agency which provides clothing, food, shelter, care, and counseling to homeless and low-income clients. There Kuo-Jung, sometimes with the assistance of her husband, Fred, prepares and serves food to those who otherwise would go hungry.

Working with the nearby **Museum of American Heritage** gives Kuo-Jung the opportunity to maintain their garden with other volunteers. Last year, in conjunction with *Sunset Magazine*, they created a Victory Garden. Kuo-Jung also found time to help the **Costaño Elementary School** in East Palo Alto, by working with a group of volunteers to help build a lab room for their teachers.

Fred Kohler contributed to HP's Finance Department for 30 years before retiring in 2005. When he retired, Fred knew that he wanted to spend time volunteering.

Each year since retirement, Fred has been a tax aide for the **AARP Tax-Aide Program** (training available from AARP), which provides free tax assistance and tax form preparation service for low and middle income, as well as taxpayers age 60 and over. Fred says he enjoys meeting people and gets great satisfaction from helping others.

Through an HP connection, Kuo-Jung learned that the local **RFB&D** board was looking for new members with financial experience. Fred was elected to the board three years ago and became Board Chair last year. The run-down building that had housed the studio for 40 years was no longer suitable and was sold by the foundation that owned it. Fred was actively involved in the search for new studio and office space and the capital campaign to fund outfitting of the new space with new recording booths and related equipment. The campaign was successful and the move to the new studio in Palo Alto was completed in December. Last year at this Northern California Unit, 200 volunteers devoted nearly 4,000 hours to record over 220 audio books!

Note: **Recording for the Blind and Dyslexic (RFB&D)**, Palo Alto is looking to add to its dedicated group of volunteers, both for recording and for outreach to current and potential users of its services. Training is provided. Call for information: Tel. (650) 493-3717.

Volunteers at the Santa Clara County Science Fair

By Pat Castro

The 50th anniversary Science Fair held at the San Jose Convention Center was the biggest fair ever hosted by the Santa Clara Valley Science and Engineering Fair Association. There were 797 projects and 1041 students who had to be directed through the two-day fair. Fourteen HPARV volunteers on the first day and ten on the second day helped make it possible.



Left to right: Irene Wright, John McCabe, Nancy Lem, Sue Grasshof, Olga Wholey, Marilyn Gildea, Pat Castro, and Rose Mary Brodbeck.

Other volunteers included Barbara and John Trone, Janet and Chuck Totman, Marilyn Reiley, Kuo-Jung Chang, and Marialis Seehorn

Volunteers are what make the science fair happen. Up- front, there was setting up of the various stations that would move the students into the hall in an orderly fashion, putting tablecloths on the many tables and putting up signs to identify grades and categories for student projects. Some volunteers were directing parking in the outside lot. In the afternoon, volunteers were seated at the various steps in the check-in process giving students their badges and helping them find the table locations for their project set-ups. A few helped sell t-shirts, and they did such a good job that the shirts sold out.

The 490 judges arrived on the 2nd day to talk with the students and make their selections of the many winners. Clipboards had to be handed out, later retrieved, and put into the containers for storage. Others helped reimburse judges for their parking fees. A number had to monitor the doors to insure that the students stayed inside the hall. This was a big task especially with the large number of students this year. No child has been lost in 50 years! The volunteers are such a blessing for this organization.

Second Harvest

By John McCabe

The Second Harvest Food Bank of Santa Clara and San Mateo Counties collects and distributes surplus and non-marketable food to people in need in our community. Recently Janice Nakao and I spent the morning at the San Carlos Second Harvest facility as part of an HPREC – HP/Agilent Retiree Volunteer Done-In-a-Day activity. We sorted, counted, and packaged bins full of oranges. It was lots of fun and left us with the good feeling that what we did helped bring nourishing food to people.



Janice Nakao selects oranges.



John McCabe shows off some of the oranges they bagged.

Do You Know of a Done-In-a-Day Opportunity?

If you volunteer with an agency that could use the help of a group of HP/Agilent Retiree Volunteers for a morning or afternoon project, please email **hparvrsvp@yahoo.com** or call us (650) 857-2410 with the information.

Carol's Corner

By Carol Nakamoto, HPREC Web Communicator

HP Retiree and HPREC Web Sites

…for HP and Agilent retirees

OK, I'm going to try a new approach to this article, creating two sections:

BASICS – information that normally doesn't change but helps a new club member or someone who needs a refresher on how to navigate our retiree Web site, *and*
LATEST INFO - for the folks who know their way around, but just want the latest and greatest information.

Depending on your grasp of knowing how to find information, you can skip the basic stuff and go to the timely goodies.

Basics

This summary has been developed for the new user and to answer frequently asked questions, so you will know what's available on the Retiree Web site. Save this article for future reference.

Take a moment to browse the Retiree Information Directory A-Z (site map) just to see what's available. Also, you can click on a link to go directly to the information you're looking for.

HP Retiree Web site



www.hp.com/retiree is your path to all other Web sites in this article and has four main resource areas. Bookmark it. Access to the secure areas (news, discounts) is:

User name: ***** Password: *****
(For username and passwords, see notification e-mail that you received that the newsletter is online)

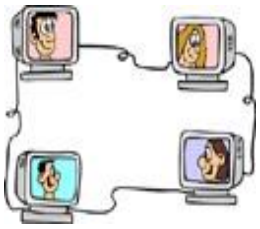
#1 - HP News & Information - the "Contacts" link includes HP and Agilent Contact and Change of Address information, plus daily/weekly news updates.

#2 - Get Involved **-** you'll find our HPREC Web site here, by clicking "Retiree Clubs, Groups and Alumni Networking," then "Bay Area." Other links include HP's Facebook, e-mail opt-in, volunteering with HP, etc.

#3 - Shopping, Discounts & Special Offers is where you'll find the Employee & Retiree Purchase Program (EPP) and Discount Programs from HP vendors.

#4 - Benefits - occasional updates on HP and Agilent benefit matters, the latest Medicare FLASH presentation, plus connection to the Addison Avenue Credit Union Web site.

Stay Connected via E-mail



To receive periodic e-mails from organizations that fit your interests, you have **three** places to sign up. For privacy reasons, these cannot be shared or connected.

a) For e-mails from **HP**, choose to Opt-in to Stay Connected to HP. This is a separate e-mail database from the HPREC e-mail directory.

b) For e-mails from **HPREC,** go to the Bay Area page, select Retiree e-mail directory. Read the features and benefits of joining, and follow the instructions. Once you add your e-mail address, your secure election will be quickly confirmed via e-mail, and you will receive club-specific access information that allows you to re-enter at any time to 1) update a changed e-mail address or 2) change your Member Options.

   These Member Options are:
   1) choose not to receive paper version of newsletter; 2) choose to receive an e-mail when the newsletter gets posted to club Web site; 3) choose to receive periodic e-mail messages from a member of the board that cannot wait for the next newsletter.

c) For e-mails from the **HP Alumni Association,** click on "Retiree Clubs, Groups and Alumni Networking," scroll down to Alumni Groups, follow the "To Join" instructions.

Other Helpful HP-related Sites

www.hpalumni.org - The HP Alumni Association operates online discussion forums for former HP and Agilent employees, not just retirees…plus it provides reference information and an opportunity to ask transitioning questions, includes termination checklists, historical stock prices for HP/Agilent/Verigy stock, job posts, LinkedIn networking, and much more. There is no cost to join. The HPAA is independent of HP and is also separate from HPREC membership.

www.bayarea.hpway.org is on an external server that lists HP employee planned events and discounts available to **HP retirees. Agilent retirees** may be able to receive many of these discounts as well.

Look for an "R" next to the vendor name for discounts that retirees are eligible for.
Examples:

-Books/Music/Flowers/Gifts
-Communications (cell phone service)
-Computer/Electronics
-HP Business Outlet EPP (refurbs)
-Entertainment/Travel
-Financial Services
-Health/Fitness/Beauty
-Home/Garden
-HP Box @ Flint Center
-Passport Lifestyle Dining Program
(2-for-1 dinners)
-San Jose Repertory Theater, and more.

To gain access to this Web site, use the same User Name and Password near the beginning of this article. To gain access to ordering a Passport card, the HP code is *****.

(For username and passwords, see notification e-mail that you received that the newsletter is online)

Also, find out what is offered for sale at the HP Store on the Cupertino campus. (Examples: movie tickets, amusement park coupons, See's candy discount for 1 lb. boxes, and more.)



Location of the HP Store:
(See map: www.bayarea.hpway.org)
44/46 Lobby (left side of Building 46)
19091 Pruneridge Avenue
Cupertino, CA 95014



Phone: (408) 447-4119
Hours: 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. Wed thru Fri
(closed HP Holidays)

Latest Info

This information is updated each issue.

www.bayarea.hpway.org

***Passport Card**
For those who've been trying to obtain a Passport Card (for 2-for-1 dinners, etc.), there was a temporary SOLD OUT period that hopefully will be resolved by the time this newsletter is distributed. For the latest information, check hp.passportlifestyle.com.

***Little Basin Recreation Site**
Day use available only. Reservations not required. Overnight use ceased March 15 due to economy/delayed sale.

***Great America**
Discounted one-day ticket available through June 13.

***Monterey Bay Aquarium**
$4 off ticket, can print online.

www.hp.com/retiree

*** HP Branded Gear**
By the time this newsletter is distributed, there should be some new HP Gear with a retiree logo available for purchase. You can also visit the site to see quite a few more cool items that don't have the retiree logo. Under Shopping section, click on Overview, then HP Branded Gear (lower right).

***Environment@HP**
Want help recycling HP products? Check out the available **Programs**.

***2009 Mark Hurd Retiree Briefing**
If you missed the briefing, the webcast is still available on the home page, under HP News.

Are you a techie and need a creative outlet?

How about volunteering some time to become a member of HPREC's fun, dedicated technical team?

We are looking for someone to assist in enhancing and maintaining HPREC's membership database application. Seeking programming skills which include a good working knowledge of VB6, VBA and MS Office.

For more information, contact Phyllis Hoff at (650) 968-2460.



by Herbert Knoesel

Claudia Mullin, 69, wife of HPREC board member Gordon Mullin, passed away February 17, 2010. She was born in British Columbia, Canada, but lived in Sunnyvale since 1968. She is survived by her husband of 51 years, Gordon; son James of Huntington Beach, CA; daughters Susan Schwanda of Melbourne, FL, Sandra Mullin of Aberdeen, WA, and 8 grandchildren. Claudia loved to sew, creating many beautiful garments, and was an accomplished watercolor painter. She enjoyed attending HPREC events and trips. She will be missed by family and many loving friends. *(Submitted by Gordon Mullin)*

Richard Masaichi Nakata, husband of HPREC member Merle Nakata, passed away on February 25, 2010. His generosity, sense of humor, love of family, and Hawaiian spirit will be greatly missed. Richard is survived by his loving wife, Merle and two children: Leighton Nakata and his wife Carolyn of Mountain View, and Judy Schmidt and her husband Paul of Los Gatos. Richard also leaves a sister, Helen Wong of Las Vegas. Together with Merle his greatest joy was spending time with their two grandchildren, Katherine and Robert Schmidt. *(Mercury News)*

Faustino "Tino" Rodriguez, 85, passed away on March 14, 2010. Faustino was a proud graduate of Fremont High School in 1944. After graduation, he remained active with Fremont High School earning him the title "Mr. Fremont" from staff and students alike. He and his uncle, Cipriano Gutierrez, operated "Seijo's Depot Bakery" on the historic Murphy Ave., from 1951 to 1966. He then became a financial analyst for R.J. Baker in Palo Alto, until he decided to work for HP until his retirement. Beloved husband of Manuela Rodriguez for 64 years, he is survived by his son, Daniel (Carol), of Eugene, OR, grandson Danny (Sarah), of Tempe, AZ, granddaughter, Amy (Erik), of West Linn, OR, four great-grandchildren, Kate and Anna Bucher of OR and Jack and Alex Rodriguez of AZ. Faustino also leaves his brother George Rodriguez (Lois Carroll) of Sunnyvale, and his dear brother-in-law Larry Gallego (Guilia) of San Martin, and many cousins, nieces and nephews. *(Mercury News)*

Barbara McKee, 77, passed away peacefully on April 19, 2010. Born in Berkeley, she graduated from UC Berkeley. For years she helped with the HPREC newsletter mailings and at our annual picnics. Besides bowling with HPREC, she enjoyed yearly weeklong fishing trips to British Columbia and Alaska. We will miss her gentle manner, kindness and beautiful smile. Barbara is survived by her companion of 16 years, Gene Doucette; son John McKee; daughter Paula Aerts; and three grandchildren. She was predeceased by her husband Jack McKee and her son Robert McKee. *(Submitted by Gene Doucette)*

Other Former HP Employees

William LeRoy Stringfellow, 66 of Bountiful, UT, passed away from complications of Multiple Myeloma. He was employed by Tandem/Compaq as a program engineer. He retired from HP as a program manager. Bill is survived by his wife, Linda Lee Stringfellow of Bountiful, UT, his daughters Patricia Sue Ellis of Prescott, AZ and Carol Lynn Austin of Phoenix, AZ. He had two grandchildren and one great-grandchild. *(Davis County Clipper, Utah)*

Vernon Darell Dougherty passed away on March 11, 2010. He was an HP/Agilent employee at several sites in Colorado and the Bay Area for 33 years. He retired in 2002 with 33 years of service to HP/Agilent. Born in Colorado Springs, CO, he lived most recently in San Jose. Darell is survived by his wife, Nancy Dougherty, as well as his 3 children Stacey Clow, Michelle (Micky) Dougherty, and Scott Dougherty. He also had 2 step-daughters and 3 grand-children. *(Submitted by Michelle Dougherty)*

Simon Cutting, 52, passed away on March 15, 2010. He was born in London, England, and had lived in San Jose since 1986. While at HP, he worked in the HP 3000 Support group throughout the 80s, and was part of the Kernel Development group for the first HP 3000 multiprocessor in the early 90s. He then worked on CICS database development in the later 90's until leaving HP in 1999. Simon is survived by Julie, his wife of 24 years, his mum, Jeannie, his brother Rupert and sister-in-law Carole, his sister Tania and brother-in-law Peter, and eight nieces and nephews. *(Mercury News and submissions by Tom McNeal and Rob Williams)*

Virginia B. Schulz, 76, 51-year resident of Palo Alto, died on February 27, 2010. Until her retirement in 2004 she worked 20 years in IT for different companies, among them HP. She is survived by children Charles, Edward, Virginia; grandson Matthew; sister Barbara; nephew David, niece Katherine; and ex-husband Charles. *(Mercury News)*

To place a notice please write to Herbert Knoesel, 633 Phil Court, Cupertino, CA 95014 or e-mail to: hp-rec@knoesel.com.

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HP Directory at 1-800-890-3100
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for HP / Agilent Retirees in the Bay Area

Did you know that facebook is growing in the senior population? Yes, it is a fact that the fastest growing segment for people joining facebook is the 50 and up crowd.

The **Bay Area HP/Agilent Retired Employees Club i**s keeping up with the times. We have a facebook page you can join. It is a great way to keep current with your friends from HP and Agilent and know what is going on in the retiree community. Post your pictures and let everyone know what is going in your life.

Once you have a facebook account, just do a search for the **Bay Area HP/Agilent Retired Employees Club,** and you can easily find us**.**

Come join us today!

www.facebook.com

It is free and easy!



HPREC GOLF TOURNAMENT

Place: Los Lagos Golf Course
2995 Tuers Road
San Jose, CA 95121
(408) 361-0250

Date: Thursday, June 17, 2010

Starting Time: 10:00 a.m.

Cost: $42.00 (includes $2 prize fund and $5 Merchandise Credit)

Notes:
Each HPREC member may invite one guest.
Golf carts are included in the cost of play.

For further information call:
Phil Smith at (408) 749-1656

Reservations due by: Friday, June 11, 2010

Make check(s) payable to HPREC GOLF and mail, with this form, to:
HPREC Golf
C/O Phil Smith
802 Beaverton Court
Sunnyvale, CA 94087

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HPREC GOLF RESERVATION

Los Lagos, June 17, 2010

NAME	CART?	E-MAIL**

** Only if not on file



HPREC GOLF TOURNAMENT

Place: Santa Clara Golf & Tennis Club
5155 Stars and Stripes Drive
Santa Clara, CA 95054
(408) 980-9515

Date: Thursday, July 15, 2010

Starting Time: 10:00 a.m.

Cost: $37.00 (includes $2 prize fund)

Notes:
Each HPREC member may invite one guest.
Pay for golf carts in pro shop at check-in.

For further information call:
Phil Smith at (408) 749-1656

Reservations due by: Friday, July 9, 2010

Make check(s) payable to HPREC GOLF and mail, with this form, to:
HPREC Golf
C/O Phil Smith
802 Beaverton Court
Sunnyvale, CA 94087

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HPREC GOLF RESERVATION

Santa Clara, July 15, 2010

NAME	CART?	E-MAIL**

** Only if not on file

EVENT: HPREC PICNIC 2010

____person(s) @ $20.00=_____Total
(PLEASE WRITE ONE CHECK PER EVENT)

PLEASE PRINT NAMES:

Member Name_____ Phone ( )_____
Spouse/Guest Name_____ Phone ( )_____
(Please CIRCLE if spouse or guest—is this person a member?…YES…NO)
Emergency Contact_____ Phone ( )_____ Member
Emergency Contact_____ Phone ( )_____ Guest

REMIT TO: HPREC, P.O. Box 86, Mtn. View, CA 94042-0086

Your reservation will be considered confirmed once we receive your sign-up form and check.

PICNIC!

Saturday, June 5, 2010
11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
11:30 Salad Bar—12:30 Food Service
2:00 Bingo

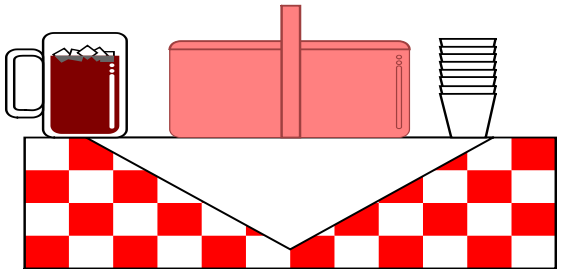


HP Cupertino Site, Redwood Grove
Between Tantau & Wolfe Road

Free HP T-shirt

Enter at HP Gate Entrance
On Pruneridge Avenue

Great Prizes!!!



Cost: $20.00 per person (adults only)

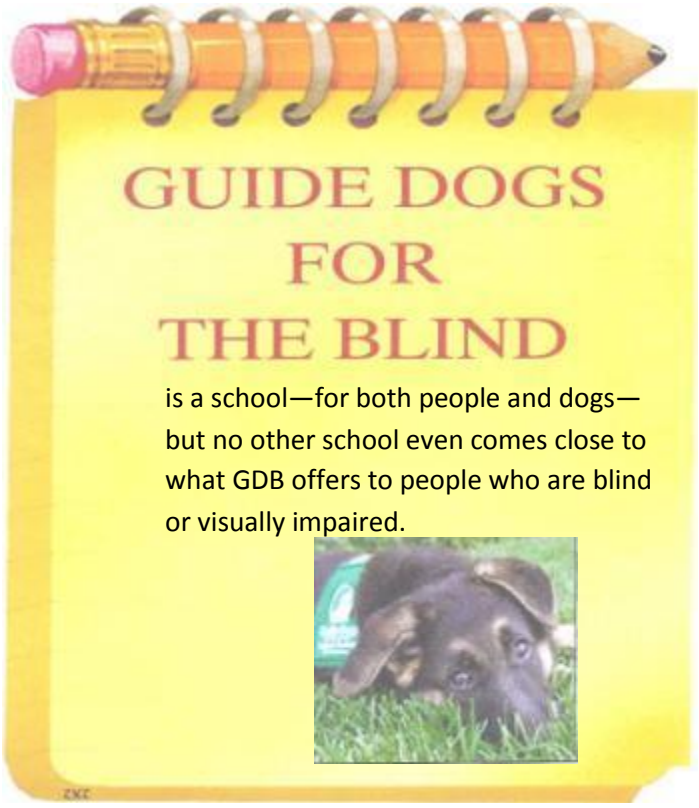
For additional information or questions, please contact the Event Coordinator during normal business hours of 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday – Friday. Exceptions for emergencies only, please.
Event Coordinator: Harold Kaye (408) 257-9629 or HUMYAGKAYE@aol.com

A DAY IN SAN RAFAEL

Wednesday, June 16, 2010
Leave Cupertino at 8:00 a.m.
Return to Cupertino at 5:00 p.m.
Limited to 44 people

Cost of trip (including tip for driver): **$57.00 per person if reservation received by June 6 (new cut-off date).**
Bring your payment to the Picnic on Saturday, June 5 and save postage.

- **TOUR: Guide Dogs for the Blind Campus, 10:00 a.m.**



(Donations of newspapers for the puppy birthing boxes

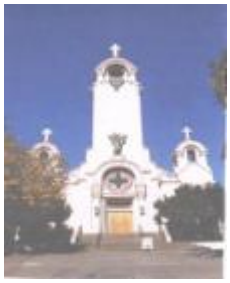
- **LUNCH: San Rafael Joe's**

***Choice of*:** **-Chicken Breast Picatta**
-Ravioli with Meatballs
-Chef's Salad

Includes salad, bread, dessert, coffee or tea

(If you would like a vegetarian dish, please notify Judy Coleman—see below)

- **DOCENT TOUR: Mission San Rafael, 2:00 p.m.**



For additional information or questions, please contact the Trip Leaders during normal business hours of 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday – Friday. Exceptions for emergencies only, please. Trip Leaders: Judith Coleman at (650) 856-9912 or jukiac@yahoo.com or Dee Hayes at (650) 493-6810.

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EVENT: A Day in San Rafael ____person(s) @ $57.00 per person = $_____Total
(PLEASE WRITE ONE CHECK PER EVENT)

PLEASE PRINT NAMES:
Member Name_____ Phone ( )_____
Spouse/Guest Name_____ Phone ( )_____
(Please CIRCLE if spouse or guest—is this person a member?…YES…NO)
Emergency Contact_____ Phone ( )_____ Member
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REMIT TO: HPREC, P.O. Box 86, Mtn. View, CA 94042-0086

E-MAIL ADDRESS FOR TRIP CONFIRMATION_____(Please print)

Choice of entrée: _____Chicken Breast Picatta _____Ravioli with Meatballs _____Chef's Salad

EVENT: Suisun Bay "Mothball Fleet" ____person(s) @ $80.00 per person by June 15 = $_____Total
____person(s) @ $85.00 per person after June 15 and by July 9 = $_____Total
(PLEASE WRITE ONE CHECK PER EVENT)

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REMIT TO: HPREC, P.O. Box 86, Mtn. View, CA 94042-0086

E-MAIL ADDRESS FOR TRIP CONFIRMATION_____(Please print)

Entrée choice: ____Chicken parmesan ____Meatballs w/angel hair pasta ____Caesar salad w/chicken breast
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See the SUISAN BAY "MOTHBALL FLEET" before it sails away!

Thursday, July 22, 2010



Limited to 32 people

Bus leaves Cupertino at 7:45 a.m. and returns to Cupertino around 4:45 p.m.

Cost of Trip:
$80.00 per person if received by June 15
$85.00 after June 15 and before cut-off date of July 9



9:30 – 11:30 a.m. (boarding at 9:15)

- chartered boat tour around one of the largest reserve fleet sites on the West Coast
- great view of one of America's most historic and powerful ships—the **USS Iowa**

12:00 noon Lunch in Benicia at Venticellos Ristorante Italiano
Choice of: Chicken parmesan, meatballs with angel hair pasta, or Caesar salad with chicken breast



1:45 p.m. Guided tour of the John Muir House in Martinez

- Victorian residence where John Muir lived from 1890 to his death in 1914
- See his "scribble den" where he wrote his campaigning conversation articles & books

For additional information or questions, please contact the Trip Leaders during normal business hours of 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday – Friday. Exceptions for emergencies only, please. Trip Leaders: Gail Eatock (408) 446-0428 or mailto:taichats2@att.netand Lynda Robinson (408) 292-9299 or robinson.lynda@att.net

HPREC DAY at the Charles Schulz Museum & Jack London State Park

Thursday, August 19, 2010
(Limited to 44 people) (Activity level = Easy)
Bus leaves Cupertino at 8:00 a.m. and returns at 4:30 p.m.

Cost per person: $51.00 if received by July 15
$56.00 after July 15 and before August 10 cut-off

Charles Schulz Museum
Docent led tour



Jack London State Park
10:30 a.m. Docent led tour





Lunch: Marie Callender's in Santa Rosa

Choice of: **Heartland Chicken Pot Pie, Lemon Pepper-Crusted Salmon, or Marie's Classic Quiche and Salad Sampler**
Choice of: **Apple, Chocolate Cream, or Lemon Meringue Pie**
Includes: **Fountain drink, iced tea or coffee**

For additional information or questions, please contact the Trip Leaders during normal business hours of 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday – Friday. Exceptions for emergencies only, please. Trip Leaders: Pat Fausett (650) 941-7063 or pat.fausett@sbcglobal.net or Carol Arnett (408) 732-5194 or carol_a94087@yahoo.com

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EVENT: Charles Schulz Museum & Jack London State Park
____person(s) @ $51.00 per person by July 15 = $_____Total
____person(s) @ $56.00 per person after July 15 and by August 10 = $_____Total
(PLEASE WRITE ONE CHECK PER EVENT)

PLEASE PRINT NAMES:
Member Name_____ Phone ( )_____
Spouse/Guest Name_____ Phone ( )_____
(Please CIRCLE if spouse or guest—is this person a member?…YES…NO)
Emergency Contact_____ Phone ( )_____ Member
Emergency Contact_____ Phone ( )_____ Guest

REMIT TO: HPREC, P.O. Box 86, Mtn. View, CA 94042-0086

E-MAIL ADDRESS FOR TRIP CONFIRMATION_____(Please print)

Choice of entree: **____Heartland Chicken Pot Pie** **____Pepper-Crusted Salmon** **____Quiche & Salad Sampler**
Choice of pie: **____Apple** **____Chocolate Cream** **____Lemon Meringue**

PALM SPRINGS

February 15, 16, 17, 18, 2011
Estimated cost of trip $700.00 per person

Bus will leave Cupertino area at 9:00 a.m. on February 15 and return late afternoon on February 18

INTEREST LEVEL FLYER

Trip includes:

- **Lodging at The Palm Mountain Resort and Spa (non-smoking; double/double or king)**
- **Continental breakfasts**
- **Luggage handling**



Itinerary:

February 16

- **Guided tour with Tram Ride, lunch at the top, Celebrity Tour of the Old Hollywood District**

February 17

- **Palm Springs Follies matinee**



- **Famous Palm Springs Village Fest in the evening**

February 18

- **On the way home, stop by The Living Desert for tram tour of the area**
- **The Wildlife Wonders Show**
- **Lunch at the Meerkat Café**
- **Stop at the Harris Ranch for dinner**

WE NEED 40 PEOPLE TO MAKE THIS TRIP VIABLE

It takes over 100 volunteer hours to put together a trip like this, so before we arrange for all the meals and buy tour tickets, we need to know your interest level. If you are sincerely interested in going on this trip, please let us know by sending in the "preliminary reservation" form by July 1.

Trip Leaders will contact all interested members by e-mail regarding the status of the trip.

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I AM VERY INTERESTED IN GOING ON THIS TRIP:

PLEASE PRINT NAMES:

Member Name_____ Phone ( )_____

Spouse/Guest Name_____ Phone ( )_____

(Please CIRCLE if spouse or guest—is this person a member?…YES…NO)

E-mail address for trip confirmation_____(Please print)

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IBERIAN EXPLORER
(Spain & Portugal)

May 8, 2011

16 days/14 nights

(Madrid, Segovia, Avila, Salamanca, Porto, Coimbra, Fatima, Obidos, Lisbon, Merida, Seville, Cordoba, Granada, Valencia & Barcelona)

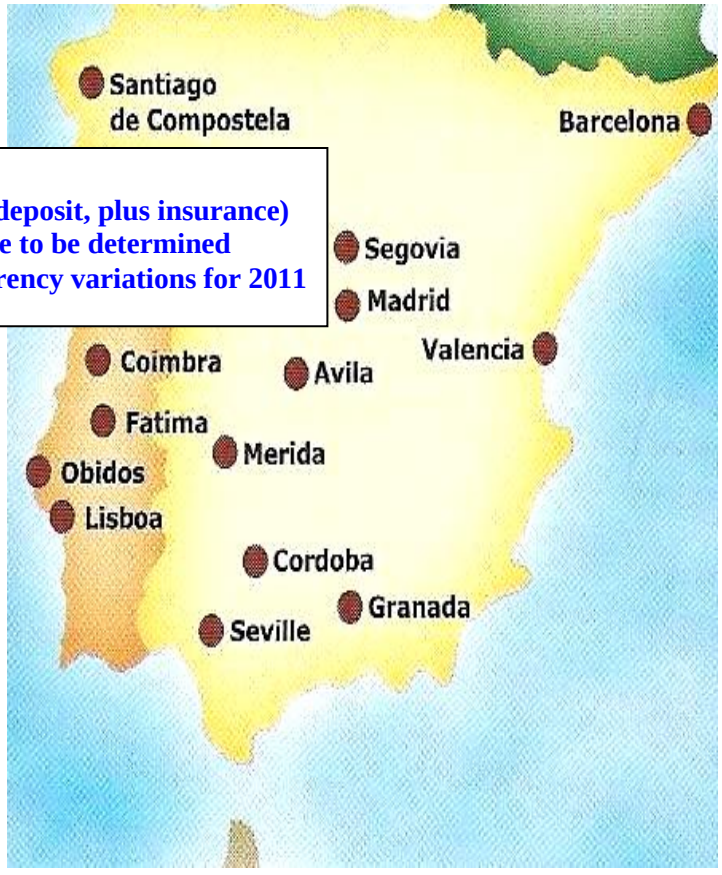


Tour includes:

- **Transfers: airport-hotel-airport**
- **Accommodations in First Class hotels**
- **Buffet breakfast daily, 6 dinners & Flamenco**
- **Exclusive HP deluxe air-conditioned motor coach (if group exceeds 40)**
- **Group cocktail parties**
- **Professional bilingual tour escort throughout**
- **Escorted sightseeing tours with bilingual guide in Madrid, Salamanca, Porto, Lisbon, Seville, Cordoba, Granada, Barcelona and Valencia**
- **Evening Illuminations tour of Madrid**
- **Baggage handling (1 piece per person) at hotels**

Fare: $2,775.00
($300.00 per person deposit, plus insurance)
Airfare, Taxes and Insurance to be determined
Price subject to possible currency variations for 2011





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Crystal Cruises return to *The Last Frontier* (Alaska)



Crystal Symphony will sail roundtrip from San Francisco for 12 days August 1, 2011

Fares starting at $4,690.00 per person;

10% deposit plus insurance



Exclusive Amenities:

- **2-for-1 Fares**
- **$1,200 per couple "As You Wish" Shipboard Credit**
- **Free Air (Credit of $400 per person if Free Air is not used)**
- **2 HPREC cocktail parties**
- **Crystal Society benefits for previous Crystal patrons**

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Coming Events

Jun 5	**HPREC Summer Picnic, Redwood Grove, Cupertino**
Jun 16	**Day in San Rafael & Guide Dogs for the Blind tour**
July 22	**Suisun Bay "Mothball Fleet"**
Aug 19	**Charles Schulz Museum & Jack London State Park**