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HPREC President's Message *By Bernard Bruand*

Summer is here, and by the time you read this page, the picnic will be far behind us and 4th of July will have passed. I wish all of you a happy summer.

Picnic: This year's picnic was held as last year at Cuesta Park in Mountain View. Signups were slightly less than last year. Again, it looks like graduations, weddings or other spring activities conflicted with the date. I was in this situation personally and could not attend. We will consider alternative date options when planning the 2017 Picnic, referencing survey data to target a best possible date.



Nominations for Board: Every Club's success depends on volunteers, either as board members, or leading or contributing to activities. We have two confirmed candidates for the Board. We are looking for more. Please contact me or any board member if you can participate in the Club at any level or activity. See below and on [page 6](#) for more details.

Board strategy workshops: We have continued working on what we started last fall.

- 1) **HPREC Value Proposition:** We got strong feedback, thanks to all. The newsletter is the most appreciated value in the Club, as it reaches everyone, including people who can't join other activities. We will continue to invest in publication and mailing, while still encouraging people to get the online version to reduce cost. Using first class postage insures people without online access can read it in a timely manner.
- 2) **Volunteers:** We have been relatively successful at getting new volunteers to help in the Club. As mentioned in the [January newsletter](#), Mona Foley and Darlene Cano have taken over the membership data management workload, Dan Burke has joined the Tech team, and Gene Marshall is starting to help with the newsletter work. At the June board meeting, we did an inventory of tasks and roles needing volunteer replacements. **Here is a prioritized list of gaps and needs.**
 - a) **Tech Team lead:** Paula Hoelker-williams will leave the board and the Tech Team at the end of October after many years of strong dedication and contribution. Thanks Paula.
 - b) **Secretary:** After many years as Secretary, **Chris Gandel** would like to have more time for other activities and workload; ideally she would like to stop at the end of October, so we need someone ready to join the board as Secretary. The main role of this position is to record and publish the minutes of the monthly board meetings. Many thanks, Chris, for your years as Secretary.
 - c) **Longer term:** We need to consider a **Treasurer** replacement as **Gordon Mullen** has been doing it for many years and would like to focus on other activities and new family members.
 - d) **Longer term:** We are also looking for volunteers able to take on technical aspects of the Club's **website**, and **membership management tools**. **Tom Jew** (webmaster) and **Ed Tang** (membership) would like to see fresh help on the Tech Team to plan a transition over the new two or so years.

Contact me or any board member if you can help your Club, even for part of a role. And feel free to contact me with any comments, suggestions or offers to help at ba.president@hpretirees.org. Have a great summer.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Upcoming Activities, Events, Trips and Volunteer Opportunities

This table combines information about all the Club's social gatherings into an easy-to-use table that is sorted by date. Scan this list, check off the ones you want to attend, and be sure to add them to your calendar.

Type	Date and Time	Description and Location	Sign Up Deadline
Bowl \$	July 11, 11 am – 12:30 pm	Homestead Lanes, Cupertino	Just come!* or see Page 16
Hike	July 12, 10 am – 3 pm	San Francisco Presidio Hike	Just come!* or see May issue
Hike	July 20, 10 am – 2 pm	Palo Alto's College Terrace Lite Hike	Just come!* or see May issue
Golf \$	July 21, 10 am – 3:45 pm	Golf at Sunnyvale Golf Course	See Flyer in May issue or Page 12 of this issue.
Volunteer	July 23, 8 am – 4 pm	Marine Science Institute, Redwood City	See Flyer in May issue
Bowl \$	Aug. 8, 11 am – 12:30 pm	Homestead Lanes, Cupertino	Just come!* or see Page 16
Hike	Aug. 9, 10 am – 3 pm	Huddart (San Mateo) County Park Hike	Just come!* or see Page 17
Volunteer	Aug. 11, 9:30 am - 1 pm	St. Anthony's Padua Dining Room	See Page 11
Hike	Aug. 17, 10 am – 2 pm	Bedwell Bayfront Hike (Menlo Park)	Just come!* or see Page 17
Golf \$	Aug. 18, 10 am – 3:45 pm	Golf at San Jose Municipal Golf Course	See Page 12
Trip\$	Aug. 24, 6 – 11:30 pm	Beautiful, the Musical, SF	See Flyer on Page 13
Volunteer	Sep. 8, 9:00 am - 12 pm	RAFT	See Page 11
Bowl \$	Sep. 12, 11 am – 12:30 pm	Homestead Lanes, Cupertino	Just come!* or see Page 16
Hike	Sep. 13, 10 am – 3 pm	Fall Creek Hike	Just come!* or see Page 17
Golf \$	Sep. 15, 10 am - 3:45 pm	Golf at Spring Valley GC, Milpitas	See Page 12
Hike	Sep. 21, 10 am – 2 pm	Shoreline Loop Lite Hike	Just come!* or see Page 18
Trip \$	Sep. 17-23	"Southern Charm" 7-day Tour: Jekyll Island, Savannah, Charleston & more	See Flyer in March newsletter or Page 15 of this issue.
Golf \$\$	Sep. 19, 9 am -8 pm	Bill & Dave Charity Golf Classic Palo Alto Hills Golf and Country Club	See Page 10
Trip\$	Oct. 15, 9 am – 6:30 pm	MBARI Open House, Moss Landing	See Flyer on Page 14
Golf \$	Oct. 20, 10 am – 3:45 pm	Golf at Los Lagos GC in San Jose	TBA
Holiday Luncheon \$	Dec. 12, 11am – 2 pm	David's Banquet Center, Santa Clara, across from 49ers Levi's Stadium	Save the Date on Page 5

* Online Events Calendar: Go to www.hpretirees.org/hprec and click on Calendar of Events.

Welcome Aboard! *By Oscar Lombardi, Membership Co-Chairperson*



I would like to extend a warm welcome to the following **NEW** members who have joined our Club during April and May 2016: **Andra Marynowski, Ken Carlson and Theresa K. Chen.** *Welcome aboard and thank you for joining HPREC!*

The HPREC Club Membership now stands at 1,069!

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Membership Report *By Oscar Lombardi, Membership Co-Chairperson*

Club membership! Please remember that the Club is as strong as its membership, so we continue to encourage all of you to think of friends and/or ex-colleagues who have retired from one of the companies that form our Club but are not yet members of HPREC. A positive word from you on the benefits of being a member may just be what is needed to convince them to join. As usual, here are some tips and an incentive to help you with the task.

You can win a Gift Certificate! Our Bay Area HPREC Club is continuing its campaign to increase membership, and we need your help!

Please keep up your efforts to remind your friends of the opportunity to join HPREC. None of the companies provide the Club with retiring employee's names for privacy reasons, so we rely mostly on word-of-mouth. 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/Keysight, and members can live anywhere. I will repeat what I have mentioned in a previous HPREC newsletter:

To help all of us in our recruiting efforts, utilize our **INFORMATIVE BROCHURE** highlighting the key activities and benefits that come with being a member of HPREC. This brochure is available on the www.hpretirees.org/hprec website. Click *HPREC Brochure* on the left navigation bar to access the tri-fold brochure. Please print out some copies and give them to your HPI, HPE, Agilent or Keysight retiree friends. Or, if you would like hardcopies sent to you, send an email to me at ba.membershipchair@hprec.org and provide your mailing address and the number of copies you want.



To encourage participation, HPREC offers **TWO \$50.00 GIFT CERTIFICATES** to be awarded at the HPREC Holiday Luncheon in December 2016. Here's how you can qualify for the drawing. Each person you encourage to join HPREC (with dues paid) will automatically 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 chance of winning a certificate (only one winning certificate per member).

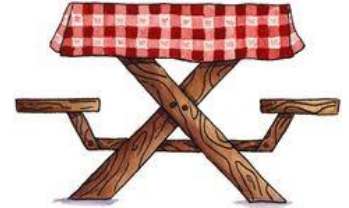
All entries from November 1, 2015 through October 31, 2016 (end of our fiscal year) are eligible. New members should enter your name on their enrollment form for you to qualify (either online or mail-in form). (If you have already referred new members who have joined and paid this year, just let me know.) All members of the Club are eligible to win (except the membership chair). If you have questions or comments, please send an email to me, Oscar Lombardi at ba.membershipchair@hprec.org.

So, let's go out and talk to our friends and increase our membership level! You will be doing the new member and the Club a real favor. Thank you!

2016 HPREC Picnic *By John McGowan. Photos by John McCabe*

Saturday, June 11 was a beautiful early summer day for the HPREC picnic at Cuesta Park in Mountain View. Elizabeth Shen and Jo-Ann Butler (Picnic Co-Chairs) were in the park by 9 starting to set up, and the volunteers had the signs and badges and drinks ready before guests began arriving at 11. The caterer was setting up a terrific lunch of chicken and ribs with a pair of salads, rolls and cookies and watermelon for dessert. A vegetarian meal option was added this year. More than 100 HPREC members and their guests enjoyed the weather and relaxed conversation along with the lunch and beverages. There was plenty of food for all, and the beer, wine and water were welcomed.

Cuesta Park proved to be a great venue for us again, shady and reminiscent of HP's Redwood Grove. People had a chance to enjoy the outdoors while catching up with friends from HP/Agilent. Jo-Ann and Elizabeth shared their thanks for all the volunteers who helped make the 2016 HPREC picnic a success. Many individuals raised their hands to take on specific responsibilities that contributed to our smooth, efficient and happy gathering under the beautiful redwoods in Cuesta Park.



Howard Taub brought the blue and white balloons and tied them all around the picnic area; John McGowan and John McCabe got all the signage up, both of which helped tremendously in directing people to the picnic area. Chris Gandel and John McGowan brought drinks and ice, so there was no chance that any attendee would go thirsty. Carol Nakamoto obtained and brought the raffle prizes from HP and the Club (yay!!!) and signed everyone in. Our many food servers: Margaret and Bob Capriles, Johnny Ratcliff, Dick Stevens, Robert Bos, Gene Marshall, John McCabe and Chris Gandel kept the lines moving and added a very well received personal touch by addressing everyone by name as they served, and June and Jeff Edwards bought, bagged and distributed cookies for the perfect sweet dessert to accompany the watermelon after a hearty barbeque meal. John McCabe was our official photographer, capturing the many animated conversations and happy smiles. Even those who helped with clean-up did so energetically and with big grins. Finally, HPREC Board members such as Gordon Mullin, Paula Hoelker-williams, Chris Gandel (again!) kept the Bingo games going, the prizes flying and the laughter loud.

Ken Peterson won the HP Officejet Printer and Bob Heideman won the HP Photosmart Printer (Thanks HP!). Maryann Konton and Johnny Ratcliff were winners of \$25 VISA gift cards provided by the Club.

Many people stopped by to say how good the food was, and what a wonderful experience they had. All of us who pitched in are really happy that attendees had a great time. We hope more of our Club members will join the fun next year and be inspired to bring friends along as well!

What a great day! Hope to see everyone next year!



(L-R): Bob Steward, Gordon Mullin, John McGowan



The beautiful Cuesta Park Picnic Grove



(L-R): Dick and Helena Hornor, Yara Lizanaga



Carol Nakamoto and Jo-Ann Butler checking members in.



Ken and Carmen Peterson with his HP printer prize.



Elizabeth Shen setting up the signs.

Save the Date! HPREC Holiday Luncheon Monday, December 12

Please mark your calendars for Monday, December 12 as the date for the 2016 HPREC Holiday Luncheon. The Club has been able to negotiate a contract with David's Banquet Center in Santa Clara again for our traditional turkey dinner, to celebrate the holiday season. There will again be prizes and plenty of time to get together with friends from HP, Agilent and Keysight and enjoy a delicious lunch. For those who live far from Santa Clara, contact John McGowan or Jo-Ann Butler to see if we can arrange carpool rides or other options to attend. For those worried about knowing enough people at the event, contact your friends now and consider inviting them to join you as guests.



Become a Board Member, Get Involved! *By Oscar Lombardi, Nominations Chair*

I have returned, almost in one piece, from my two-month pilgrimage in Europe to very good news: an HP retiree Club member has put his name forward to appear on the year end ballot for the selection of new HPREC Board members. We are also pleased to have Carol Nakamoto, who served for many years on the Board, and had a four-year absence from being a Board member, agree to “re-up.” But we still need more new Board members to help us with the Club activities in order to serve you better. Please read on!



We are always looking for fellow retirees who want to share their talents and leadership experience or perhaps just want to help out. You will not only be able to reconnect with friends, but also become involved with making sure our Club stays strong and relevant. HP, Agilent and Keysight look at retirees in the Bay Area as an excellent resource, and we continue to enjoy a special relationship with them.

Every year, a few Board members conclude their terms with the Club, so we are looking for new people who are interested in serving on our Board and helping us make the Club even better and more valuable to the membership. It's a very exciting time as we continue to evolve the HPREC to better serve the multiple generations of retirees that are now part of the membership. If your talents are in the administrative, planning, IT,

marketing, or communication skills, we can find a place to utilize your interests. Terms are for three years.

The Board members' activities and duties are pretty straightforward. The Board meets on the first Wednesday of each month at HP's Palo Alto headquarters at noon. The meetings are about 90 minutes long, and a typical agenda includes reviewing the finances, committee reports, upcoming events, condolences and other Club business, including strategies to remain of value to our membership and to discuss members input for improvement. In addition to the monthly Board meetings, Board members are usually on at least one committee. The committees typically meet once a month, but this can vary depending on the particular committee. Board members may also participate in planning some of the events like the Spring Fling (March), Summer Picnic (June) and Holiday Luncheon (December); plus we also focus on ensuring that communication on relevant HP and legacy company news are made available to our members.

Our Nominations Committee is beginning to work on the slate of nominees, so don't hesitate to speak up! If you have any questions or have an interest, please contact me, your Nominations Committee Chair, at ba.nominations@hpretirees.org.

DeltaDental Update for 2017 *By John McGowan*

Elizabeth Shen manages our relationship agreement with Delta Dental to provide dental insurance to current members of HPREC (who reside in California). She has been working with our account representative at Delta, and advises that there will be two changes in 2017 to the program. The first is a small (4 ½%) increase in the rates for the existing DeltaCare HMO plan. The *quarterly* premium rate for a member and 1 dependent will rise from \$146.91 to \$153.52.



The second larger change is that members will also be offered the option to purchase insurance under a Delta Dental PPO program, which includes a larger number of participating dentists. The *quarterly* premium for a member and 1 dependent will be in the range of either \$315 or \$360, depending on the plan coverages and deductibles selected. Under the PPO plans, implants, orthodontia and other specialties are not covered, and there will be a \$1,000 per person cap in coverage per year. Details will be provided on our website in the next month or so, and we would appreciate feedback on which of the PPO plans members prefer. Our new Delta Dental insurance plans and rates will take effect on January 1 of next year.

Volunteer Recognition *By Oscar Lombardi*

Dear fellow HPREC Club members,

In this publication, we feature **Gary Ruppel**, whose name you may recognize from the hiking reports or if your memory serves you well, as a member of the HPREC Board around the year 2000, when he served for six years.

Gary joined HP at the tender age of 16. A resident of Palo Alto, Gary was attending Cubberley High School and together with five other students was selected to go to an HP facility on Saturdays to learn electronic skills including “breadboarding”, or in modern terms, putting electronic components on circuit boards. One of the first (and big) tasks assigned to Gary on Saturday mornings was to “gas up” Dave Packard’s Chrysler Imperial when he came in for some weekend work. Pleasing the boss is always a good start if you want to have a long career with the company!



Gary continued working for HP for four years as a part-timer while he earned his degree in Industrial Technology and Industrial Relations at San Jose State University. Gary left HP for a period of three years to work for PG&E while studying for his MBA; shortly after obtaining his MBA, Gary returned to HP where he remained for over 36 years, 25 of this was spent working for the Components Group, plus various HR assignments including Corporate. In addition to working in the Bay Area, Gary worked in Loveland, Colorado, and also together with his wife, Eileen, on an HR Project in Beijing, China.

At the time of the HP Agilent split (1999), Gary elected to go to Agilent given that he had spent the majority of his career with the Components Group. However, this assignment was short lived since both Eileen and Gary decided to retire in 1999 from HP and Agilent respectively.

After retirement, Gary joined the HPREC Board, where he served for six years. As part of his work with the Board, Gary headed the "day trip" group under the Travel Committee and for the past few years he’s been compiling the Club’s hiking activities for the newsletter as well as leading hikes. He also serves as the Club Historian.

Gary also worked on a project with Ed Miller (another long term HP employee) to establish term limits for BOD members to give other folks a chance to serve and bring in new ideas for our Club members.

On a personal note, Gary is married to Eileen Hobbs Ruppel; they have two children, two grandchildren and a great grandchild on the way in July; Gary just turned seventy-five and is looking forward to his next quarter-century accompanied by his loving wife, his family, and lots of really good friends, many of which are former work associates. In his own words...“What a lucky fellow am I!”

Thank you Gary for your contributions to all HPREC members!

LATEST - Updates, new info since last newsletter.

www.hpretirees.org/hprec - HPREC (Our Club's website, maintained by HPREC volunteers)

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DRIVE - As we gear up for our annual membership drive in the fall, here's what to expect (dates approximate):

1. **By Aug 15** - PLEASE provide us your email address (or update it, if needed), so that we may accomplish items #2 and #3 with you involved. Go to our home page (above), go to **Member Info Updates** under **Popular Links**, and fill in the form with your email address. You can choose which Member Options you wish to activate, if any. Refer to your annual Membership Directory, Web Introduction pages for the username and password.
2. **Sept 1** - An email will be sent to all who have provided us their email address inviting you to renew your membership online AND, now, **for the first time, you will be able to vote ONLINE for our new Board members' slate for FY2017**. In the email you receive, it will include a link to an invitation that allows you to vote ONCE (I know the temptation is high to vote many times...haha). Anyway, we'd really appreciate you trying out this **new** web improvement as a way of getting your voice heard and a way for the Nominating Committee, who handles the Board elections each year, to have the survey system automatically tally the results (still anonymous). Being from HP, we all love cutting work out of a process, don't we!
3. **Sept 15** - Everyone will continue to receive a paper mailing of their Dues Renewal Invoice and the Ballot. Either use the online features or send in the paper forms, but not both.☺

Our dues are still just \$15. The Board decided to do a further analysis this coming year of ways to incent members to pay and vote online before considering any potential dues rate change. Other considerations: reducing mailing of paper newsletter, and reducing number of "reminder" notices needing to be mailed for dues payment. Please make every effort to renew BEFORE THANKSGIVING, so we can avoid the extra Club expense of mailing a Dues Reminder to your home. It takes \$\$ and volunteer time to handle this, so be kind.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS - As mentioned in the last newsletter, we are now linking the Calendar of Events on the website to page **two** of each issue of the newsletter, where the events and activities chart will now consistently reside. Hope you don't mind this change...less labor for the volunteers.

NEWSLETTERS ONLINE - Again, check out our update to the Newsletters link in the left navigation bar. It's now called **Archived Newsletters** and we've posted newsletters dating back to November 2009. *We will no longer be deleting older issues, another labor saving task.*

www.hp.com/retiree - (Maintained by HP Inc (HPI) for retirees)

HP has plans to remove the duplicative material from this site, as it resides on HP Continuum (scheduled for some time in May). This original HP retiree website will remain for all retirees to access as it does not require a password to browse, other than in the Discounts area.

www.hpcontinuum.com - (Maintained by HPI for HPI designated retirees)

HP Continuum is now with the new vendor. Check out all the tabs, including Discounts (MarketPlace). Reminder, the **user name and password have changed to access Benefits (vendors/merchants)**. See **Passwords** section of the paper newsletter (if you receive one), or in the email I send you notifying you that it was posted online, or in your 2016 Member Directory. If you view the Benefits Fair video of retiree interviews on the hpcontinuum site, that password is hp2016.

www8.hp.com/us/en/hpe/jobs/retiree/overview.html - (Maintained by Hewlett Packard Enterprise (HPE) for its retirees)

As our Club begins to have HPE members, we will expand this section.

www.bayarea.hpway.org - **Bay Area Employee Programs** (Maintained by HP affiliated volunteers)

Discounted offerings made available to HP employees are passed along to retirees; *see password section for info*. You can also access this website from the Club's home page (under Discounts/Benefits).

Here are time-sensitive ONLINE offerings:

- **SHN Orpheum Theater, SF**
 - *Beautiful, the Carole King Story* (Aug 9-Sep 18) ****An HPREC event is planned for this play as well, so check the flyer in this newsletter on Page 13 if you'd like to participate with the group.**
 - *Hedwig and the Angry Inch* (Oct 4 -30)

Discounted tickets are available for pick up at the HP Employee Store: 3000 Hanover St, Palo Alto in Lobby 20D; HP Inc, Agilent and Keysight retirees will continue to have access to this HPE headquarters Lobby D (back of building); no special access or appointment needed, as HP Store is in front of security doors inside lobby.

Store hours: Wed-Fri 11:30-1:30 except HP holidays: Phone: 650-238-0525, answered when volunteers are present.

www.hpalumni.org - **HP Alumni Association** (Maintained by volunteer HP retirees/former employees)

Join at no charge; use the online Benefits forum to compare notes on US retiree health plans – year-round and during Annual Enrollment. Check out their website for a wealth of information and selected forums to join.

BASICS – *BASIC information about the HP-related websites listed above can always be found in your annual Member Directory or on the Club's website, under **Web Introduction**. It is not repeated in the newsletter as it does not frequently change and for space considerations.*



Passwords are not shown in the online newsletter for security reasons. They are in:

- Annual Member Directory mailed to your home
- Paper version of the newsletter
- Bi-monthly email from me notifying you that the newsletter has been posted online

Program	URL	Username	Password
HPI (Discounts area) <i>New!</i>	www.hp.com/retiree		
HP Continuum (News, Benefits, Contacts)	www.hpcontinuum.com		
Bay Area Employee Programs (Discounts)	www.bayarea.hpway.org		
HP Branded Merchandise	www.hpstore.com <i>click on Partners</i>		
Passport Unlimited (dining discounts)	www.bayarea.hpway.org		
Online HPREC Member Info Updates form (Note: password is case sensitive)	www.hpretirees.org/hprec/		

Contact Carol Nakamoto at CarolsCorner@hpretirees.org or call me (phone number in annual member directory) if you need help with a website.

JOHN WASTLE'S HP MEMOIR IS NOW ONLINE *By John Minck*

Our latest HP Memoir was recently published on the website www.HPMemoryProject.org. John's title; *International Procurement Can Be Fun...!!!!* tells of his years traveling the globe, setting up sub-contract sources of components which saved HP production costs and made our products more competitive.



This is a story about the HP Way, installing the HP work culture in a class-society in Europe and full-on inter-HP-divisional politics. John grows up in Scotland in an industrial apprenticeship role and enters the HP production functions in the Tooling Dept. He moves into the beginnings of fabricated parts outsourcing and serves his career in crucial International Procurement Operations. He and his team brought the HP Way into his subcontractors around the globe. His narrative has some rough edges, and many Nixonian (expletives). It has some disguised personalities, and is long at 148 pages. But it reads like a novel, and you will be charmed by this memoir of life in the HP production trenches.

It also serves as an HP travelogue, as he describes the dozens of countries he visits. His descriptions of HP travel expense-account living are charming. Many of the trips also lead to detailed descriptions of the foods that are offered. You can imagine his local hosts in exotic countries like Malaysia, seeking to impress him, recommending local delicacies like sea cucumbers or chicken feet.

Read all about it at, http://www.hpmemoryproject.org/timeline/company/memories_home.html

Bill Hewlett and Dave Packard Charity Golf Classic *By John McCabe*



Would you like to honor Bill and Dave with respect, fond memories, and dedication to their philanthropy? Would you like to see that at-risk youths, ages 10-25, receive the medical care they need? Would you like to play the prestigious Palo Alto Hills Golf Course? If so, go to billanddavegolf.com to register for the 2016 Bill Hewlett and Dave Packard Charity Golf Classic and/or to make a donation. All of the money raised will go to the Teen Health Van of the Lucile Packard Children's Hospital Stanford. Since 1995, this event has contributed over \$661,880 to support the children's hospital and the Teen Health Van's work providing at-risk youth, ages 10-25, with expert, multi-disciplinary care for complications arising from homelessness, poverty, and untreated illnesses.

Questions? Please contact **Lynne Houghton**, the Tournament Chair, at lynnemhoughton@gmail.com or **John McCabe** at leonaandjohn@att.net.

HPARV “Done in a Day” Volunteer Opportunities

Join your fellow HP/Agilent/Keysight retirees at the following events:



St. Anthony's Padua Dining Room.

We will prepare and serve food. Some tasks require standing.

For the past 35 years, the Padua Dining Room has pursued its mission to provide hot, well balanced meals to people in the community. They serve low-income people with as many as 600 hot, nourishing meals a day, six days a week.

Date & Time: **Thursday, August 11, 2016, 9:30 am – 1 pm**

Place: St. Anthony's Padua Dining Room

3500 Middlefield Road, Menlo Park, CA

Directions: From Highway 101, take exit #406/Marsh Road; go southwest.

In 1.3 miles, go right onto Middlefield Road. Padua Dining Room is 0.5 of a mile down Middlefield Road on your left.

From Highway 280, take Highway 84/Woodside Road to Middlefield Road and turn right. Padua Dining Room is 1.3 miles down Middlefield Road on your right.

RSVP **hp.agilent.volunteers@hotmail.com** or call **John McCabe** at 650-328-3472
by **July 29, 2016.**



RAFT, Resource Area for Teaching, is a nonprofit organization that believes hands-on teaching is the best way for teachers to teach and students to learn. Their goal is to assist teachers, nonprofits and community groups by providing materials and ideas for day-to-day teaching and for supporting professional growth. They provide creative hands-on activity kits, educational resources, workshops and inexpensive materials to enrich pre-K

through 12-grade education and community group programs. RAFT's products, services and low-cost teaching supplies enrich and improve the education of over 600,000 young people in the bay area each year.

Volunteering at RAFT is fun, easy and convenient. Volunteers help keep the cost of RAFT products affordable for educators by sorting the different raw materials that are donated and packaging RAFT hands-on learning activity kits. Casual dress and closed-toed shoes are recommended. Work is generally clean and low-impact.

Date & Time: **Thursday, September 8, 2016, 9 am - 12 pm**

Place: RAFT Volunteer & Processing Center

1160 Kern Ave., Sunnyvale, CA 94085

Directions and more information: <http://www.raftbayarea.org/location-sobrato-center>

RSVP **hp.agilent.volunteers@hotmail.com** or call **John McCabe** at 650-328-3472
by **August 25, 2016.**

HPREC Golf Tournaments in August and September



Notes:

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

San Jose Municipal Golf Course

1560 Oakland Rd
San Jose, CA 95131
408-441-4653

Date: **Thursday, August 18, 2016**

Starting Time: **10:00 am**

Reservations due by: Saturday, **August 13**

Cost: **\$42** (includes \$3 prize fund)

For further information, contact John McCabe

Email: leonaandjohn@att.net

Phone: 650-328-3472

To register for this tournament:

1. email the information below to the tournament host, John McCabe, at leonaandjohn@att.net cc Phil Smith at smithphil06@gmail.com
2. Mail a check payable to HPREC Golf and mail this form to:

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Spring Valley Golf Course

3441 E. Calaveras Road
Milpitas, CA 95035
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Starting Time: **10:00 am**

Reservations due by: Thursday, **September 1**

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For further information, contact Shelia Highe

Email: sheliahigh@sbcbglobal.net

Phone: 408-887-4387

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Monterey Bay Aquarium Research Institute

Saturday October 15, 2016 \$40 (cut-off date is October 1)



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Dave Packard founded the Institute in 1987 as an independent entity, separate from the Monterey Bay Aquarium. He recognized three areas of nascent technology that made his vision for a major ocean-research program particularly timely.

Highlights of the Open House include science exhibits, technology demonstrations, deep-sea videos, presentations about research and robotic submarines. See: <http://www.mbari.org/about/mbari-open-house/> - for details.

The Open House, which only happens once a year, will be October 15, 2016, noon to 5 pm. We will leave Cupertino at 9 am in order for attendees to have a “no host” lunch at Phil’s Fish Market Restaurant or other restaurants in the area across from the Research Center.

Bus leaves Cupertino 9 am, returns approximately 6:30 pm.

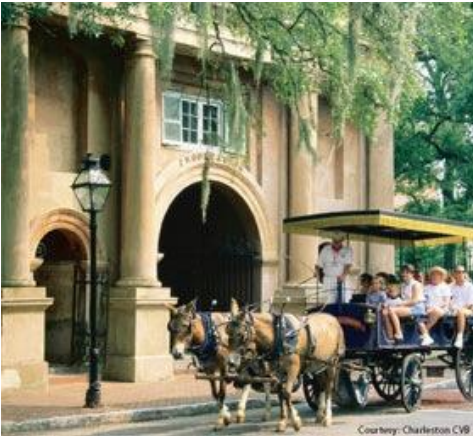
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HPREC Monthly Activities *Compiled by Lidia Donez*

Golf *By John McCabe*



A combination of travel plans, NCGA events, graduations, back injuries, surgery recovery and a few other great excuses left us with only seven golfers playing on May 19 at **Spring Valley** in Milpitas. Thankfully, the management at Spring Valley let the two groups go out, and we were able to have a mini-tournament, minus only the closest to the pin competitions. Among the men, **Chet Meyer** shot a 77 for a net 63 to lead the group; Chet led with only 31 putts as well. Among the women, **Kim Newberry's** 82 resulted in a net 68, and **Susan Bybee** had the honor of fewest putts with 34. The golfers who won the top golf ball prizes were:

Men's Flight:	Chet Meyer	Net 63
Low Putts	Chet Meyer	31
Ladies Flight:	Kim Newberry	Net 68
Low Putts	Susan Bybee	34

Twenty HPREC golfers played in our June tournament at **Santa Clara Golf and Tennis Club**, including eight women. Our golfers were in top form. Eight bettered their course handicap. **Susan Bybee** and **Rhonda Louie** tied for low net in the ladies bracket. **Peter Poon** shot a whopping 8 under net 64 to lead all the men. Our golfers were also quite good on the par threes. **Rhonda Louie** won the competition on the ladies only closest to the pin hole, and she made her birdie putt. **Artie Schleifer** made his birdie putt on both the par three holes where he was closest to the pin. **Ben Lee** putted within 14 inches on the 17th hole and won the closest to the pin competition there. The top prize winners were:

Men's Flight:	Peter Poon	Net 64
Low Putts	Artie Schleifer	30
Ladies Flight:	Susan Bybee	Net 67
	Rhonda Louie	Net 67
Low Putts	Judy Owen	30
	Rhonda Louie	30
Closest-to-the-Pin	Artie Schleifer	Hole #4
	Rhonda Louie	Hole #8
	Artie Schleifer	Hole #13
	Ben Lee	Hole #17

We have some great courses lined up for our next HPREC golf tournaments. The Golf flyer for the July 21 **Sunnyvale** tournament hosted by Marilyn Roellig was in the [May newsletter](#). If you get this in time and you want to play, contact Marilyn at 408-245-9325 or her mroellig@comcast.net email. We will return to play **San Jose Municipal Golf Course** on Thursday, August 18 and the **Spring Valley Golf Course** on Thursday, September 15. We hope to get a good turnout for both tournaments. If you are interested in playing in either the San Jose or the Spring Valley tournaments, or both, check out the Golf flyer in this issue of **HPREC NEWS**. Send an email to the host(s) saying you want to play, and carbon copy Phil Smith. Then make a check payable to HPREC Golf and mail it to Phil using the information on the flyer.

"I've spent most of my life golfing. The rest I've just wasted." - Author unknown

Bowling for fun! *By Bernard Bruand*

Come join us at Homestead Lanes at 20990 Homestead Road, Cupertino. It's the 2nd Monday of each month. Price is \$4.00/game (we bowl 2 games). Shoe rental is separate. The next few bowling events are **July 11, Aug. 8 and Sept. 12 from 11 am - 12:30 pm**. If interested, contact Bernard Bruand at ba.president@hpretirees.org or find his phone number in the Club Directory.



Hikes in August and September *By Gary Ruppel*



Huddart (San Mateo) County Park	Tues. Aug. 9, 10 am Rainout: Tues. Aug. 16, 10 am	Free	Leader: Dee Baily 650-854-8039 H, 650-520-7779 Cell *Day of hike only*
<p>Meet at: * the usual carpool locations at the Arastradero Preserve parking area. Take I-280 and turn southwest on Page Mill Road. Proceed .5 mile to Arastradero Road and then go .5 mile to the Arastradero Preserve to form carpools.</p> <p>To go directly to Huddart Park, take King's Mountain Road out of Woodside. The Huddart Park entrance road is on the right. *Please get a parking permit at the entry kiosk (no charge for seniors) to avoid getting ticketed; there are staff there on weekdays! Meet at the Zwierlein Picnic Area.</p> <p>Huddart (San Mateo) County Park has about 1000 acres of second-growth redwoods, tanoak, coast live oak, bay laurel and Douglas fir. It seems even larger, due to its extensive trail system and many picnic and recreation areas. This is a nicely shaded hike with a thick overhead canopy, so we'll keep cool in the August climate!</p> <p>Bring: Water, lunch, rain gear (optional) and \$2.00 to reimburse carpool drivers.</p> <p>Length: ~5 miles. Duration: About 3.0 hours. Difficulty: Moderate: ~1100 ft. cumulative elevation gain</p>			
Bedwell Bayfront Park in Menlo Park	Wed. Aug 17, 10 am No rainout date, we go rain or shine unless it is pouring	Free	Leader: John McCabe 650-328-3472
<p>Meet at: the large paved parking lot near the restrooms at Bedwell Bayfront Park in Menlo Park. Take 101 to the CA-84 E/Marsh Road exit. Take Marsh Road east .8 mile to the park entrance. The restrooms are straight ahead just a little beyond the park entrance. There is ample parking.</p> <p>The relatively flat 2.3-mile trail around the perimeter of Bedwell Bayfront Park is part of the San Francisco Bay Trail. The park's 160 acres are surrounded on three sides by the Don Edwards San Francisco Bay National Wildlife Refuge.</p> <p>Length: 2.3 miles. Duration: About 1.5 hours. Difficulty: Easy. Dogs OK. Wheelchair accessible.</p>			
Fall Creek	Tues. Sept 13, 10 am Rainout: Sept. 20, 10 am	Cost: \$10 parking and \$3 for carpool drivers	Leader: Jim Holl 408-446-2963, 408-528-5846 Cell
<p>Meet at: The parking lot located at the northeast corner of Hwy 9 and Santa Cruz Avenue (across from the green colored Hult's Restaurant) in Los Gatos. The sign at the lot says "Free Unlimited Parking - Northside Lot". To get there, take Hwy 17 South toward Los Gatos. Exit at Hwy 9 - Los Gatos/Saratoga and continue West on Hwy 9 (approximately 1/3 mile) to the parking lot on your right just before Santa Cruz Avenue. The carpools will depart at 10 am.</p> <p>Fall Creek (a unit of Henry Cowell Redwoods State Park) is in Felton. Note that this hike is well suited to hot September weather. The trails are completely shaded, and the locals claim that the creek runs all of the time. Fall Creek features the former site of lime kilns and a barrel mill and is second-growth mixed evergreen forest. Most of the hike will be along creeks with minimal elevation gain.</p> <p>From the carpool site, take Hwy 17 South from Los Gatos to Mt. Hermon Road (exit 3) West (turn right toward Felton) for 3.5 miles to Graham Hill Road (where road ends), right for 0.2 mile to the next stoplight (Hwy 9). Turn left on Hwy 9 and go through downtown Felton for 0.7 mile to the entrance of Henry Cowell Redwoods State Park. Turn left into the park and proceed to the Park Entrance Station. The entrance fee is \$10 per vehicle (bring your Annual Pass if you have one). We will have about twenty minutes to visit the restrooms, gift shop and Roaring Camp railroad. Next we will move the cars to the trailhead on Felton Empire Road.</p> <p>Bring water, lunch and \$3.00 to reimburse carpool drivers. Light walking sticks will be useful if you have them.</p>			

Length: About 5.2 miles. Duration: About 4.5 hours to return to the parking lot. Difficulty: Moderate. The elevation gain is 500 feet. No Dogs. Not Wheelchair Accessible			
Shoreline Loop Lite Hike	Wed. September 21, 10 am No rainout date, we go rain or shine unless it is pouring	Free	Leaders: Gary and Eileen Ruppel 650-494-0530 or 650-888-2144 Gary Cell or 650-575-4264 Eileen Cell
<p>Our route will be along the marshland, southeast along the east side of the Shoreline Park and then returning back by the lake and retracing our steps to the parking lot. If folks wish to make a midway stop at the Snack Bar and grab a cup of coffee or a cool drink (or even a sandwich) one is welcome to do so.</p> <p>Meet at the parking lot at the east end of San Antonio Road in Mountain View. To get there from the south, take Hwy 101 to San Antonio Road. Turn right at the stoplight and proceed to the parking lot. If coming from the north, take the San Antonio exit, go to the stoplight and make a U-turn and head back east going over the freeway to the end of the parking lot.</p> <p>Length: About 2.5 miles. Duration: 1.5 hours. Difficulty: Easy. No Dogs. Not Wheelchair accessible.</p>			

* **The Usual Carpool Location** is the Enid Pearson Arastradero Preserve parking area. From I-280, exit on Page Mill Road and go SW for about half a mile. Turn right on Arastradero Road and go 1.2 miles. The parking area is on your right. Join your fellow hikers near the restrooms.

Hiking Email List: Updates, specifics and reminders will go out to the “HPREC Hiking Distribution List” about one week prior to the hike. If you are not on that list, contact John McCabe at leonaandjohn@att.net.



HPARV Volunteer News

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HPREC Volunteers at RAFT *By John McCabe*

As always, HPREC volunteers had lots of fun at RAFT. RAFT, Resource Area for Teaching, is a nonprofit organization that believes hands-on teaching is the best way for teachers to teach and students to learn. Each time we are there, we make kits that are different from any kits we made before. This time, some of us made Kumihimo kits. The kits contain a simplified version of an ancient Japanese braiding technique. They tie together art, history, and mathematical patterns in a fun activity suitable for all ages.

Others of us made magnetic coils for Simple Motor kits. These kits provide the material for students to create a simple spinning motor. Students create opposing magnetic fields using a coil of magnet wire and a ring magnet. The motor converts electrical energy into kinetic energy—the energy of motion. The kits we made allow students in grades four through 12 to learn about electricity, magnetism, electromagnetism, motors, experimental variables, energy and matter, and cause and effect, all while having fun.



(L-R): Artie Schleifer, Marsha Lee, Mike Tada, Marialis Seehorn, Carol Arnett, Larry and Veronica Zieminski, John McCabe, Ana Clark, and Irene Wright.

HPREC Hiking News *Compiled by Gary Ruppel*

Three San Francisco Tiled Stairways and Lands End Hike

By Jim Holl (leader) with photo by John McCabe

On May 10, nine hikers gathered at San Francisco's Tiled Steps at Moraga Street at 16th Avenue. The weather became sunny as we climbed the city's 10-year old tiled stairway featuring a sea to sky theme. The succulent plantings were in great shape, and the views toward Ocean Beach were superb. The group then walked north along 16th Avenue for two blocks to reach the top of the Hidden Garden Steps which were tiled just three years ago. We descended these newer steps and then turned around to admire the colorful large flowers and animals displayed in the tiles. The group then drove



(L-R) Marcia Adams, Ted Adams, Sara Roos, Chuck Sieloff, Janet Holl, Jim Holl, Janis Andrews, Peggy Jacquet, and John McCabe.

to the Lincoln Park Steps which are located at the end of California Street near 32nd Avenue. These newly tiled steps are quite wide and feature beautiful geometric floral patterns.

Next up was the Sutro Baths where the Lookout Café on Point Lobos Avenue is located. We walked a loop through the Lands End area along the Coastal Trail. We had fine views of the Golden Gate area and passed the California Palace of the Legion of Honor. Many wildflowers were in bloom including lupines and paint brush. We saw one very large bird of prey, which was confirmed by John McCabe as a young golden eagle.

Getting there: Take Hwy 280 to San Francisco. Use one of the three left lanes to take exit 49B for California 1 N toward 19th Avenue/Golden Gate Bridge. Continue onto Junipero Serra Boulevard. Use one of the left three lanes to turn slightly left onto 19th Avenue. Turn right onto Ortega Street. Turn left onto 16th Avenue and admire the "Story Book Houses" on the left. The Moraga tiled steps are at Moraga Street at 16th Avenue.

To reach the Lincoln Park tiled steps, drive down Moraga Street to 19th Avenue. Turn right and immediately get into the far left lane. 19th Avenue becomes Crossover Drive. Turn left onto 25th Avenue. Turn left onto California Street and you'll see the Lincoln Park steps at the court at the end of California Street.

From the Lincoln Steps, turn right onto 32nd Avenue. Turn right onto Clement which becomes Seal Rock Drive. Turn left onto Alto Mar Way. Turn right onto Point Lobos Avenue. Turn right into the large parking lot above the Sutro Baths.

Monte Bello Ridge OSP – Stevens Creek Nature Trail

By Gary Ruppel (leader) with photo by John McCabe

Eleven hikers took advantage of a wonderful day to walk the Stevens Creek Nature Trail at Monte Bello Ridge Open Space Preserve. This hike was a substitute for a hike to Mindogo Hill at the Russian Ridge OSP. Your leader and his intrepid spouse (Eileen) had hiked to Mindogo Hill as a pre-hike the week before. We followed a route that was quite difficult given a very warm day and multiple ascents and descents of varying difficulty. We did see, however, a coyote and a bobcat on the trail. We decided that a more doable hike for the group would be the Stevens Creek Nature Trail at Monte Bello given that a good portion of the hike is downhill in shaded woodland. Of course, what goes down must go up; however, the day was cool, and we took our time on the way back. The 3.8-mile loop has sign posts explaining the terrain and its inhabitants both flora and fauna. Interpretive sign posts are helpful in understanding the area. We did not see any large mammals, however many western fence lizards. Marcia Adams, being an inquisitive sort, asked if there were any "eastern" fence lizards. None of us eleven hikers could answer that question, other than to state "not in the west."

Upon further research, it has been determined that, indeed, an "eastern" fence lizard actually exists in the eastern U.S from



New York to Florida and east to Texas.

One of the more interesting stops was at a "sag pond" which was created by a slippage along the San Andreas Fault. The pond had water in it supporting a vast number of lily pads along with ferns and cattails.

(L-R): John McCabe, Artie Schleifer, Janis Andrews, Marcia Adams, Jim Holl, Marilyn Roberts, Mike Fischer, Eileen Ruppel, John Kwan, Michele Olston, and Gary Ruppel.

Getting there: From Hwy 280, take Page Mill Road west about five miles. The parking lot for the Preserve is on the left. Trail guides are available as well as restrooms.

Lake Elizabeth Lite Hike *By Eileen Ruppel (Leader) with photo by Larry Byler*

Five Lite Hikers enjoyed a 2-mile walk around the 83-acre man-made Lake Elizabeth in Fremont. Lake Elizabeth is in



Fremont's Central Park. The 83-acre lake is named for Fremont's sister city, Elizabeth, Australia. It was a perfect weather day. The sun was shining, temperatures were in the mid 70s, and the slight breeze was enough for the small sailboats on the lake. We saw a million (maybe a slight exaggeration) Canada geese, a few mallards, squirrels, and pigeons. The Warm Springs BART Extension has not opened just yet. We were able to determine the path the line takes under the lake.

(L-R): David Karwowski, Eileen Ruppel, Larry Byler, Jim Holl and Sylvia Tucker (from Phoenix)

Getting there: From Hwy 880, take Stevenson Boulevard NE: turn right on Paseo Padre Parkway. Parking is available at the Central Park Visitor's Center as well as restrooms. The full address is: Lake Elizabeth, 40000 Paseo Padre Parkway.

Sympathy

By Bernard Bruand

Shirley Ann Burke, 83, Santa Rosa, passed away peacefully at her home on Tuesday, April 19, 2016, surrounded by the love and presence of her children. Shirley was born in July 1933 in Oakland, CA to Lou and Adeline Fennessy, the youngest of two children. After marrying the love of her life, Edward Burke, Sr. in 1956, the couple moved to Santa Rosa where they continued to raise their family and eventually retired. Many may remember Burke's Market in Sebastopol, which Shirley and Ed owned and operated during the 1960s. Later in life, Shirley worked as a supervisor at Servodyne Corp. and at HP/Agilent. When time allowed, Shirley was always game for 'a little gamble' at the casino. A committed Catholic, Shirley was a member of St. Rose Parish and Resurrection Catholic Church. Shirley's love for, and dedication to, family were most important to her in life. She showered them with love and affection, and instilled strong family values and long-lasting traditions that she will live on through. She was deeply proud of her grandchildren and never missed an opportunity to cheer them on at a sporting, performance, or award event. One of her favorite celebrations was hosting an annual St. Patrick's Day dinner, which she helped plan this year with 34 family members attending. Our memory will always hold her as a strong, witty, generous and loving woman who was deeply devoted to others. Shirley joins in heaven her beloved husband, Edward, Sr. and children Edward, Jr. and Maureen Brown. She is survived by their children Linda Miller (Rich), Deborah Roberts, Pam Janes (Bob), Eileen Basich, Tom Burke (Laura), Janet Casaleggio, Patricia Toimel, Michael Burke and her sister Rosalind Griffiths. She is also lovingly survived by 26 grandchildren and many great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews. A Funeral Mass was held on Wednesday, April 27, 2016 at 10:30 a.m. at St. Rose Catholic Church, 398 Tenth St., Santa Rosa. Private Burial, Calvary Catholic Cemetery, Santa Rosa. Donations may be made to Sutter Care at Home, 2855 Telegraph Ave. Ste. 601, Berkeley, CA 94705. - See more at: http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/pressdemocrat/obituary.aspx?n=shirley-ann-burke&pid=179728538&eid=sp_ommatch#sthash.h9Mg93E6.dpuf

Frank David, 74, Santa Rosa, May 15, 1942 - April 22, 2016. Frank Koler David passed away unexpectedly on April 22, 2016, in Santa Rosa, CA, with his loved ones by his side. Frank was a kind, polite, and loving man who was always considerate of others' feelings. He started off each morning by asking his wife, Vicki, "What can I do for you today?" Frank was born on May 15, 1942, to Gyda and Dr. Thomas David in Sacramento, CA. He attended Sacramento City College in 1962, and then went on to attend University of California Berkley where he obtained his Bachelor of Science from the College of Engineering in 1965. He then studied at Oregon State University and earned a Master of Science in Electrical Engineering. He worked at Hewlett-Packard as a Microwave Engineer for over thirty years where he contributed to several patents. Frank enjoyed his work as an Electrical Engineer, though, and so couldn't stay away for long. Shortly, after retiring, he went on to work as a consultant for businesses throughout the Bay Area and North Bay and continued working until the time of his passing. Frank lived his life by the guiding philosophy of "do what is right" and applied that principle to all aspects of his life. As such, he was a trusted confidant, a hard-worker, an incredible listener, a generous spirit, and a genuinely honest man. Frank also loved finding solutions to make things work better - to make them work "right." Whether at work or at home, he was always tinkering to make improvements. Curiosity propelled Frank throughout his life, and he was an intelligent man that loved to read and learn. He had a broad range of interests and could talk with others about a variety of subjects including politics, philosophy, bicycling, gemstones, kayaking, real estate, wine, and travel. Additionally, he was a self-taught jack-of-all-trades that could work on home improvement projects, landscaping, and cars. Frank is survived by his wife of forty-seven years, Vicki David; the couple's two children, Kim Morgan (David) of Danville, CA, and Marc David of Walnut Creek, CA; son-in-law, Michael; daughter-in-law, Caryn; and three grandchildren, Alex, Blake and Mia. He is also survived by his sisters, Carole and Susie; brother, Rick; and numerous nieces and nephews. He will be dearly missed by all who met and knew him. A Celebration of Life was held June 5, 2016. Donations may be made to Doctors Without Borders at: www.doctorswithoutborders.org

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Irving Hurd Hawley, Jr., 74, May 27, 1942 - April 6, 2016. Irving Hurd Hawley, Jr., died on April 6, 2016, in Bellingham, WA, after a month-long battle with Acute Respiratory Distress Syndrome (ARDS), with his wife, daughter, son and dear friend by his side. He is survived by his wife of forty-four years, Joan F. Hawley; the couple's two children, Jessica Barter (David) of San Mateo, CA, and son Christopher (Sandy) of Seattle, WA; and four grandchildren, Matthew, Allison, Rylan and Graysen. Irv was born in Bellingham on May 27, 1942, the only child of Joanne Madsen Hawley and Irving Hurd Hawley. He spent his youth on the Hawley poultry farm, where he developed an aptitude for working outdoors and a keen sensibility for mechanics and carpentry. He attended Campus School at what is now Western Washington University, Fairhaven Middle School and graduated from Bellingham High School in 1960. He obtained an engineering degree from Harvey Mudd College in Claremont, CA, in 1964. Irv began his 33-year career with Hewlett-Packard Company in Palo Alto that same year and earned his Master's in Electrical Engineering from Stanford University in 1967. Irv put down roots in California, marrying his wife Joan in 1971 and raising his two children in Sebastopol, CA, where they lived for 31 years. In 1996, Irv and Joan bought a fixer-upper home on Lopez Island and spent the next seven years remodeling it. In 2004 they

moved from Sebastopol back to the family home in Bellingham and spent the next twelve years, until his death, splitting their time between their two Washington homes. Irv loved the outdoors and especially loved living on Lopez Island. He was most content working outside on construction projects. During their marriage Irv built six garages, two gazebos, and four play houses. He could build and fix just about anything, loved reading (especially non-fiction), enjoyed motoring around Aleck Bay, driving his antique cars and building vintage model cars and airplanes in the evenings. He found great joy in being able to help others-friends, family, and neighbors. Irv adored and was adored by his wife, children and grandchildren. He will be remembered as a kind, highly intelligent, and generous man whose gentle nature, witty sense of humor, and quiet wisdom will be sorely missed. His family is profoundly grateful to PeaceHealth St. Joseph Hospital ICU for the wonderful care Irv received during his month-long stay. A summer memorial is being planned. To share memories and condolences, please visit: www.molesfarewelltributes.com In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Harvey Mudd College Class of 1964 Endowed Scholarship Fund, Office of Advancement, 310 Platt Blvd., Claremont, CA 91711, or on line via www.hmc.edu/give - See more at: http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/pressdemocrat/obituary.aspx?n=irving-hurd-hawley&pid=179728541&fhid=9055&eid=sp_ommatch#sthash.vq9GVxaU.dpuf

Karen Sanaye Kawamura, May 14, 1951 - Mar. 12, 2016, Resident of Saratoga

Karen, age of 64, died peacefully on March 12 at home in Saratoga from cancer. She was born in Tokyo, Japan, and moved to California when her father was discharged from the US Army in 1952. She worked at several companies before joining HP where she worked for 25 years, retiring in 2012.

Karen is preceded in death by her parents, Katsuji and Kiyoko Kawamura, and sister, Jane Kawamura. She is survived by her sisters Cheryl (Charles), and Nadine (Bill), nieces Jennifer, Jodi (Justin), and nephew Rob, great-nephews and nieces, Thomas, Halle, Andrew and Ashley. Karen loved spending time with family and friends, and collecting cookbooks. We will miss her jams, pies and holiday treats. A celebration of Karen's life was held on Sunday, May 7th from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm at the Saratoga Prospect Center's Friendship Hall located at 19848 Prospect Road, Saratoga. She will be greatly missed by all who knew her.

Donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, Humane Society or charity of choice.

The family would like to thank Nadine, Bill, Jennifer and Jodi, the Hospice of the Valley, and Palo Alto Medical Foundation for their gentle care.

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Jeffery Martinez, 54, August 18, 1962 - April 12, 2016, San Jose, CA

It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of Jeff Martinez. He was a Navy man to the end and a Iraq War Veteran. Jeff fought a valiant battle against Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) for over 10 years. A 1980 graduate of Oak Grove High School he joined the U.S. Navy after graduation and served both active and reserve duty from 1980 - 2006. In his last tour of duty he was assigned to the NAVAIR Weapons Division in support of Operation Southern Watch, Enduring Freedom and Iraq Freedom. Jeff was a life-long resident of San Jose and worked for Silicon Valley companies Watkins Johnson, Metaphor/Sequence and Hewlett-Packard. He ended his career working for Summerwinds Nursery at the Almaden Valley store. He is survived by his beloved mother Gloria Martinez, brothers Rick Govea of San Diego, CA and Albert Martinez of San Jose, CA, and his nephews Garrett Govea, Thomas Martinez, Jerry Martinez and niece Gabby Martinez. He was preceded in death by his father Joe Martinez and brother Jerry P. Govea. His spirit and sense of humor will forever be missed. A Memorial Service was held on Saturday April 23, 2016, at the Oak Hill Funeral Home, Chapel of the Oaks located at 300 Curtner Ave, San Jose, Ca.

Oak Hill Funeral Home & Memorial Park

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Nicholas Kuhn, 82, passed away on April 28, 2016, in Santa Rosa, California after a brief illness. He was born in Chicago on November 30, 1934, to Nicholas and Marguerite Reynolds Kuhn. He is survived by his sister Marguerite Kowaleski, his children Tom (Casey), Jim (Heidi) Noh-Kuhn, Rosemary, John (Kerry), and Mary Catherine. His grandchildren, Mitchel Kuhn, Madilyn Kuhn, Sereana Raiyawa, and Niko Raiyawa, and great-grandchild, Kayla Kuhn, knew him well and will miss his quirky humor and warm heart. He was predeceased by his loving wife Joan Mitchell Kuhn, sister Winifred Downing, and grandson Kevin Kuhn.

Nick grew up on the South Side of Chicago. As a boy, he enjoyed playing sports, especially basketball, and going to sporting events, particularly the Chicago Blackhawks, White Sox, and Cubs games. He shared stories of his excitement seeing Satchel Paige pitch, even though he was pitching for the opposing team.

Nick often referred to his school days at De La Salle Institute on the South Side of Chicago, and the prestigious Fournier Institute of Technology, which he attended for three years before its closure and led to his graduation from the University of Illinois. He received

a master's degree in Electrical Engineering from Illinois in 1958. He continued to maintain friendships with people from these schools until his death, telling lively stories of their shared camaraderie.

In 1956, Nick met Joan on a blind date, where they watched a movie and attended a jazz club. Over the years, there were jokes about his falling asleep during the movie, but he also went back to the theater at midnight in hopes of correcting the change error made by the attendant. It was true love after that! They were married on August 16, 1958, and spent their honeymoon driving out to California, where they lived in first in Cupertino, then Palo Alto, and finally in Santa Rosa from 1994 to the present. Nick and Joan raised five children. What kept them together, they used to joke, was the deal that whoever left first had to take custody of all the kids. In serious moments, Nick spoke of having children as being the most influential experience of his life. His devotion to Joan was an inspiration to many around him.

Nick's first job after college was with Hewlett-Packard in Palo Alto in 1958, and after moving to Santa Rosa, he continued to work for them until his retirement in 1999, marking 41 years of service. Throughout his career he made significant contributions, generated multiple patents, and was well known in his areas of focus, including Microwave and Communications engineering, technical Marketing, and training. Many colleagues from those 41 years have spoken of his significant influence in their careers, and how much they learned from his teachings. As a co-worker, his retirement left an empty space in the company. As a friend, his presence will forever be felt in the hearts of many.

Nick was a man of great faith and spiritual practice. He worked to effect and influence change in long-held traditions from the inside working out. He was a devoted and active member of various Catholic parishes and groups, including the Cursillo movement, Maranatha, St. Anne's, Call to Action, Resurrection, and Emmaus. Nick was always concerned with social justice and worked on behalf of the Farmworkers unions and Catholic Worker.

It was common for Nick to integrate his engineering expertise into his leisure activities. The family remembers his dedication to swimming, and not just going to the pool every day, but going on the internet and studying professional swimmers and their strokes, right down to the position of their hands, the height of the elbow, and how to create a "little" splash. Nick was also passionate about skiing, backpacking, and fly fishing, especially when doing these with great friends. He maintained a very active life to the very end - he had a ski pass for this season - and continued his education. Nick's desire for lifelong learning extended to classes at SRJC and Sonoma State until very recently. He was also a frequent world traveler and particularly enjoyed trips with his wife, siblings and in-laws.

Nick will be remembered for his sweetness and humor, close friendships, and integrity. His constant intellectual exploration, particularly when considering spirituality and science, is often commented on by friends. Still, it was his unique devotion to his family that seems to have been the hallmark of his life.

A memorial service for Nick was held on May 15 at 3:30 pm at Resurrection Church, 303 Stony Point Rd., Santa Rosa, CA. IPlease consider a donation to Santa Rosa Catholic Worker, 437 A Street, P.O Box 3364, Santa Rosa CA 95401, or Memorial Hospice, 439 College Ave, Santa Rosa, CA 95401.

<http://www.lastingmemories.com/memorial/nicholas-j-kuhn?lifestory>

Jon Rufus Musser (1948 - 2016), 67, Petaluma, CA.

Jon Musser died in his sleep the afternoon of Monday, May 2, 2016. Jon was born October 22, 1948, at Petaluma General Hospital, the second child of Wayne and Roberta Musser. He was afflicted with cerebral palsy, causing arm spasticity and tremor. Despite this, he was a full participant in the various childhood activities of the Grossland Way neighborhood and its adjacent creek, including street softball, monopoly, and all possible card games. Playmates were the children of the Behrens, Deevy, Gold, Patterson and Stone families, later Millers and Battaglias. Jon attended McNear and Petaluma Junior High Schools, was an Eagle Scout and DeMolay Master Counselor, played on the Petaluma High School tennis team, and valued his friendships with (among others) Ron Rosager, the Hotaling twins and Mike Morgado. Jon excelled academically--he was the valedictorian of the Petaluma High School Class of 1966. He attended Washington University in St Louis, pledged Sigma Chi, then transferred to the University of California, Berkeley, where he was elected a member of Phi Beta Kappa following his junior year, graduating with a degree in history. He worked for a time for Hewlett-Packard in Santa Clara. During his early adulthood he was an artist, studying with and a friend of the Coastside painter Galen Wolf. As a writer he was most proud of "I Have Been to Wildcat Beach" and "Two Rails to Kankakee.. He overcame his physical impairments to earn a pilot's license. In hopes of improving his condition he worked with Moshe Feldenkrais in Israel. He was a fan of jazz music, particularly Miles Davis and the writings of Ralph Gleason, shared with his family the pleasure of the 49ers of the 1980s, and enjoyed the Applebox, his cabin at TwainHarte, as well as trips to Nevada and Indiana. For most of his adult life he suffered from his cerebral palsy and terribly from physical and psychiatric complications of neurosurgical procedures intended to relieve his tremor. He was respected for and will be remembered by his family, friends and caregivers for his intelligence, seemingly infallible memory, and for the tenacity and willpower required continuously over decades to live the best he could. Jon was predeceased by his father Wayne (the son of Rufus Musser, thus Jon's middle name). He is survived by his mother, Roberta Kessler Musser of Petaluma, his sisters Anne (Jim) Schroeder of Petaluma, Janet (Dennis) Govan of Lafayette, brother Gene (Gloria) Musser of Madison, WI, his nephews Dan (Molly) and Scott (Brooke) Musser, Andy (Jeanne) and Chris (Elizabeth) Schroeder, and Eric (Tracie) and Mark (Ashley) Govan, as well as eight great-nephews and nieces, and by his uncle John (Carol) Kessler. The family would like to thank his caregivers, most recently Leah and Raven, helpers Pamela and Sue, his physicians Edward Loker, Alan Dubin, and Michael Johnson, and counselor Keith Kilburn. He enjoyed his many conversations with his friend Guy Lounibos. He received tremendous and

longstanding support from the Govan and Schroeder families. Condolences may be forwarded to Anne Schroeder, 818 Middlefield Drive, Petaluma 94952. Contributions in Jon's memory MAY be made to Petaluma People Services Center, 1500A Petaluma Boulevard South, Petaluma 94952. A private family service of remembrance will be held at a future date.

Funeral Home: Parent-Sorensen Mortuary and Crematory – Petaluma, 850 Keokuk Street Petaluma, CA 94952

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Jean Elizabeth Collins, 86, June 14, 1930-May 12, 2016, Resident of Portola Valley

Jean "Jeanie" Elizabeth Collins was born in Spokane, WA on June 14, 1930, and passed away peacefully due to complications of Parkinson's disease on May 12, 2016. Jean is survived by her husband of 62 years, Richard "Dick" D. Collins; brother, Robert Cryor; and nephews and nieces, Dennis Cryor, Lea Cryor, and Chuck Cryor. She was preceded in death by her parents, Albert Lea Cryor and Maryellen Cryor and her brother, Donald Cryor.

Jean spent her childhood primarily in Spokane, WA, Seattle, WA and the family cabin at Spirit Lake, Idaho. She moved to Palo Alto her senior year in high school and graduated from Palo Alto High School. She started college at the College of the Pacific in Stockton but after one year of college her love of flying pulled her away from college, and she entered the aviation workforce. She began working at Nystrom Aviation FBO at the Palo Alto Airport where she met her husband Dick. After Nystrom, Jean worked for Kaar Engineering and then later started her own company, Delcon Corporation, with several co-workers. Delcon Corporation was later sold to Hewlett Packard.

Jean had many interests including quilting, animals, wildlife rescue, and was a pioneer aviator. She also enjoyed scuba diving, water skiing, and traveling all over the world. She created many magnificent quilts and received a number of awards for her quilts. Jean could have easily opened a fabric store with all of the fabric she had collected over the years. She took the adage to heart that "The one who dies with the most fabric wins." I think Jeanie won.

Jean loved animals and she always had a menagerie in and around her home whether it be a number of bird and hummingbird feeders in the yard, bee hives, parakeets, chipmunks, owls, or neighborhood dogs that she fed and welcomed into her home. She loved observing the habits of animals whether it be crows, ravens, owls, deer, coyote and/or turkey vultures. Jean was also involved in the local wildlife rescue organizations. Her specialty was owls and she loved to rehabilitate sick and injured owls and re-release them to the wild.

Jean was also a pioneering woman in the field of aviation. She received her pilot's license at sixteen in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, before she obtained her driver's license. She was very proud of her first solo flight on July 10, 1946, in a Piper J-5 Cub Cruiser. She later received her commercial pilot's license while working at Nystrom. Jean participated in a number of Powder Puff Derbies across the country. She was a member of the Ninety-Nines of the San Francisco Peninsula and later a charter member of the Santa Clara Valley Chapter of the Ninety-Nines.

Jean and Dick built a Swift aircraft and became heavily involved in the International Swift Organization. Jean utilized her drafting skills to create schematics of various Swift systems for the Swift Maintenance Manual. Plus Jean used her graphic skills to create numerous Swift T-shirts for fly-ins across the country. Jean thoroughly enjoyed all the aviation friends that she met across the country at various Swift fly-ins.

Jean was a talented, creative, caring woman who was a head of her time. A memorial service will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to your local Parkinson's association or wildlife rescue.

View the online memorial for Jean Elizabeth Collins

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Barbara Howell Shafer, 82, March 9, 1934 - May 21, 2016

Barbara died peacefully at her home after a brief battle with cancer. She was born in Manhattan to Herman Claus and Fritze Imhoff Schutt and lived in Scarborough, NY until moving to Framingham, MA in the sixth grade. Her summers were spent at camp in New Hampshire and working in the family garden, a whole acre of which her father had planted with fruits and vegetables, from which she traced her love of food and cooking.

Education was of paramount importance to her family (her father had earned two PhDs in Germany). She attended elementary school at the Scarborough School and graduated from her beloved prep school Beaver Country Day in 1951. Barbara came to California to attend Mills College, but left after a year, graduating from Connecticut College in 1955 with a BA in Art History.

Her wanderlust and quest for adventure were lifelong. After college she moved to Boston where she worked for United Airlines. It was during this period she met her first husband, David Thompson, whom she married in 1955. They moved to Palo Alto, where her daughter Stephanie was born.

Barbara was fearless and bold, both as a young married and then newly single woman. She worked for Hiller Aircraft and in the Human Resources department of Hewlett Packard, where she was one of the first 100 employees. Her favorite job during this period

was at MRI in Palo Alto, working for the esteemed social worker Virginia Satir. This was an exciting time in her life, all about people and understanding the human condition.

In 1968 she met Napa native Richard Howell and moved to the Napa Valley where her son Tim was born. She knew when she arrived that she was living in a special place. She loved everything about the creative, intellectually curious people the Valley was attracting during that era, which she later fondly recalled as a period of potluck suppers among people just settling into the wine business.

She conducted wine tours and would make picnics for her clients and found she enjoyed the picnics better than the tours, so she started a small catering business. Barbara opened a bed-and-breakfast business in their Victorian house in Rutherford. She was widowed in 1988.

Her last two decades were filled with adventure, community projects and family time. Barbara married the love of her life, vintner John Shafer, in 1998 and finally got to enjoy the sort of travel she had long dreamed of, visiting all parts of the world for music and art tours and to promote Shafer Vineyards. She loved all types of music, but particularly 1960s folk music and classical opera.

Her passions were people, music, the arts and food. She will be remembered by countless friends as a consummate hostess and amazing cook. She lit up a room with her smile and bright blue eyes. Her warmth and genuine interest attracted so many people to her from all walks of life. Barbara was caring, kind and principled.

Peace was Barbara's mantra. She was empathetic for the plight of the voiceless and vocal about her own principles and politics. Barbara was a supporter of UNICEF, Amnesty International and Habitat for Humanity, and volunteered her time to non-profits in the Napa Valley.

In addition to her devoted husband John Shafer, Barbara is survived by her daughter and son-in-law Stephanie and Scott Mayer, her son and daughter-in-law Tim and Janele Howell, grandchildren Spencer, Cooper, Fritze, Ellie and Sam, her sister Marlene Folsom, niece Lili Folsom and nephew Sam Folsom along with an extended Shafer family including Libby, Doug and Brad, and 13 additional grandchildren whose presence in her life she treasured.

In lieu of flowers, please send a tribute donation to Nimbus Arts, 649 Main Street, St. Helena, CA 94574 (707) 963-5278. www.nimbusarts.org

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Doug Andrijasevich, 70, Jan. 1, 1946 - May 16, 2016, Resident of Santa Clara

Doug passed away peacefully at home after battling multiple health issues. He was born in Aberdeen, Washington, to Frank and Connie Andrijasevich. His younger years were in Montesano Washington then moved to California while in High School. Doug graduated from Cupertino High School in 1964. He worked for General Micro Devices, Fairchild, Hewlett Packard, United Airlines and retired from Stanford University. He enjoyed sailing, was a member of the San Jose Sailing Club, watching car races, was a US swimming official and a member of the Santa Clara Optimist Club and Mopar Alley Car Club.

Doug is survived by his wife of 50 years, Margie, children Matt (Lise) of Encinitas, Lara Kimball (Russ) of Eugene Oregon, granddaughters Iris and Penelope Kimball. He is also survived by his brother Gary Andrijasevich of Santa Cruz and sister Becky Gangitano of Dixon and numerous nieces and nephews.

A celebration of Doug's life was held on Saturday May 28 at the family home in Santa Clara from 3 to 7 pm. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Humane Society of Silicon Valley or your favorite charity in Doug's name.

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Theodore Charles Anderson, 81, November 21, 1934, June 1, 2016, Resident of Santa Cruz

Our beloved husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, brother, uncle and friend Theodore (Ted) Charles Anderson entered into rest June 1, 2016 surrounded by his family. For 81 years, Ted loved, built, served and above all, in all his endeavors, he "always tried to do his best."

Ted is survived by his wife Sara, his four sons and their spouses, as well as 16 grand and great-grandchildren.

Ted was a scientist, engineer, mathematician, builder, a traveler – and member of the million-mile club, having traversed the equivalent of the globe multiple times – family man, mariner and patriot. Beyond his family and home and garden projects, Ted was a true seaman at heart. His vessel, the Sandra Dee, sat as the central hub for innumerable family memories. As captain of that ship, Ted introduced sons, daughters-in-law, grandchildren and countless friends to the wonder and scope of the world's oceans.

He was born on November 21, 1934, in Washington D.C. to parents Oscar T. and Susan I. Anderson. He met the love of his life, Sara, at age 12, whom he married after high school. Ted built his legacy at Hewlett Packard, the CIA and the Coast Guard Auxiliary. His family was his most important asset, and to them he suggests that they remember to, "Always try to do your best."

Services for Theodore C. Anderson were held Saturday, June 11th at 10:30 a.m. at Alameda Family Funeral Home, 12341 Saratoga-Sunnyvale Rd., Saratoga CA. 95070

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