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Editor's Note



I think May is my favorite month of the year! The hills are still green; my fruit trees are plump with the promise of apples, apricots, peaches, pears and figs; the orange, red and yellow nasturtiums are creeping everywhere; the irises are putting on a show; the roses and peonies are almost ready to burst into flower; the sunflower seedlings are higher every day; the garden fountain is gurgling; the patio furniture and bright pillows and umbrellas are out; there are birds everywhere and the bullfrogs are calling from the pond. I am surrounded by so much new life! In our family, the twin babies from one set of parents are thriving and a new grandbaby is expected in September from another set of parents.

Running my errands around town to the post office, the grocery store, the Chamber – everyone seems to be waving and smiling (at least it looks that way behind their masks). It feels like good things are coming our way!

I'll see you around town!

Dana



Sara Hagen says "I.SEE" what's new in Cloverdale Connect each month!

Shop and Support Local Cloverdale

The Chamber of Commerce has launched its Shop and Support Local Cloverdale Instagram page. We encourage the community, businesses, residents and visitors to follow the page. Follow the new account on Instagram at shoplocalcloverdale. Tag @shoplocalcloverdale and #shoplocalcloverdale on your private social media postings. To feature your business on the new Instagram page, just email any photos & a brief description of your photo to savanah@cloverdalechamber.com.

Our board president, Erin Mewes, will help you set up Instagram and learn how to use the platform to grow your following on social media. Email erin@cloverdalechamber.com to set up a complimentary appointment. Thanks for helping us promote Cloverdale and all of the wonderful shops, restaurants and services that you can find here. Shop Local Cloverdale.



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Joyce Power

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Don't miss the special *Mother's Photo Album* on pages 8 and 9



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Historically, June has always been the most popular month for weddings – which was the reason why the term “June bride” was coined. The month of June was named after Juno, the Roman goddess of Marriage. *Cloverdale Connect* is celebrating Weddings & Anniversaries in the June issue no matter what month you were married or committed.

Submit your wedding, anniversary or commitment photos (**Add a 25 word “love” message for \$25**) via email info@cloverdaleconnect.com or mail to P.O. Box 404 by Friday May 21st to be in our special album in the June issue.



Moms -We Wouldn't “Be” Without Our Mothers

They build our hearts, souls and futures. They shape who we are and how we as “mothers” ourselves pass this same nurturing to our children.

Our mom, **Ann Smith**, is one of the perfect ones...

She is the most loving person. She will go out of her way to do for others before she would think of doing for herself. Cherishes her children and grandchildren - passing on her open heart to them as well.

Our mom is crazy too, must be where I get it! She is the go-getter of the family, I should say both Mom and Dad are. Work from sun up to sun down in the yard and garden. She is a fashion queen! Loves to shop and she always looks beautiful, easy for her!

Mom knits baby caps and blankets for new mothers that she donates to the local hospitals. She volunteered her time at the Cloverdale Senior Center and also Meals on Wheels. She visits elderly and brings things to those that are unable to go out into the community on their own.

She is loved by so many, her family, friends and those that have just met her.

My mom--- oh how we love her so much!!

Lori Smith-Freitas, Daughter
Gregg Smith, Son

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I.SEE Optical Open in Cloverdale

Sara Hagen is still in shock that she has her own eyeglass store, I.SEE. Optical in Cloverdale. It was a long time thought and dream in the back of her head, but she never really thought it would be any more than just a thought. But during the initial COVID shut down when life was totally upside down for all of us, Sara needed to think about her future and what she could do to give herself more security.

Sara’s optical career started in San Diego during the last uneasy time in our history, the 2008 recession. Her previous career came to an abrupt end when the company she worked for laid off half the company on one Friday afternoon. Her landlord at the time was looking for someone to hire as a receptionist at her Optometry practice, Sara didn’t know the slightest about eyewear fashion, eye health or the medical field – she had to learn from the ground up. She worked for two amazing doctors, Caroline Cauchi, OD & Jamie Peters, OD of Vision Solutions in San Diego for 8 years. They both took the time to teach Sara everything she could possibly need to know about eye health, optics and eyewear fashions. Most importantly they taught her that educating herself is the most important part of optical. She is always reading articles, taking additional classes and doing online research to keep up on the latest technology and fashions.

Sara brought that work ethic with her to Sonoma County almost 5 years ago and has continued her optical career with the same work ethic, to give her best to each and every client she encounters. Sara is proud to bring high quality, handmade, sustainably made, fun and functional eyewear to Cloverdale. As a huge animal lover, she spent five years fostering cats when she lived in San Diego. She has both dogs and cats at home where she now lives with her “fantastic supportive partner” David. In her spare time, she enjoys wine tasting, hiking and kayaking.

\$4,000 in Rotary Scholarships

The Rotary Club of Cloverdale is awarding five scholarships valued at a total of \$4,000 to graduating seniors at Cloverdale High School. Deadline for entries is May 15.

The scholarships will be awarded toward:

- A Junior College education.
- Vocational education.
- Overcoming past obstacles and a path to achieve future goals.
- Academic achievement.
- Athletic education

The applications generally require a short essay outlining the student’s goals and achievements. Applications are available from High School counselor Kathryn Ulrich at ulrichk@cusd.org or from Cloverdale Rotary scholarship chair Ann Elston at annelston@lossing.com. For more information contact Mark Thayer, Secretary, Rotary Club of Cloverdale, 707.894.5789



WELCOME TO THE OFFICE

Billy Hickman

Billy Hickman has been a Sonoma County resident for about 25 years now. Life’s travels has taken him half way across the country to relocate in the Amarillo, Texas area for 6 and a half years. While living in Texas Billy was engaged in project management as project manager for a fast moving oilfield service company. Sonoma County is where he was raised and he couldn’t imagine raising his children in a better place. Billy’s motivations and goals in Real Estate are client’s satisfaction and honesty. His passion, love and desire to help people is what motivates Billy. God has blessed Billy with a very beautiful family that has been by his side every step of the way. When dealing with Billy you can rest assured that your feelings, thoughts and care are in great hands, which is why Billy has chosen W Real Estate for his real estate home. The team, expertise and compassion of W Real Estate is one of a kind and speaks for itself. Billy is here to help you with any real estate needs. He is ready to meet you.

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Cooking with David Maciel Sponsored by Ray’s Food Place

I was asked whether vegetarian recipes and Italian frittata can lend itself to both meat and non-meat eaters. What you choose as fillers is up to one’s individual taste. I have laid out the basic recipe which is a blank canvas and some ideas of what you can add.

Note that any meats you add need to be pre-cooked and all grease poured off and allowed to cool. All other veggies are chopped well, so that they cook evenly. This will feed four to six and leftovers can keep for several days in the refrigerator.

Basic Frittata Recipe:

- 12 large eggs (fits a 12-inch skillet or cut in half for a 6-inch skillet)
- ¼ cup unsweetened almond milk, or any milk
- 2 garlic cloves, minced
- ¼ teaspoon sea salt, more for sprinkling
- Freshly ground pepper
- ¾ cup of Jack, Swiss, Cheddar or your choice of cheese or combination

Instruction:

Preheat the oven to 400°F.

In a large bowl whisk all the ingredients together and mix well, folding several times. Add to the skillet and stir to mix evenly. Bake for 15 to 20 minutes and check center with a fork - it should come out clean. Let set for 10 minutes - the egg will continue to cook.

For fillers let your imagination run wild in this area - it’s fun to experiment. There are no boundaries in what you can add: ground turkey, pork sausage, bacon, or ham, peppers – Bell, Jalapeno or sweet Italian, fresh herbs - thyme & basil, and/or tomato, mushrooms, and spinach.

Friday Night Live Dates Announced
WEEKLY CONCERTS TO RUN JULY 2 – OCTOBER 1, 2021

The Cloverdale Arts Alliance, a non-profit organization dedicated to bringing cultural arts to northern Sonoma County has announced 2021 dates for its popular Friday Night Live at the Plaza free concert series. This 18th season of weekly outdoor concerts in Cloverdale's downtown plaza is scheduled to run for 14 successive Fridays, July 2 to October 1. Due to ongoing COVID-19 concerns CAA has built in a cushion by slating the series to begin about a month later than usual.

"Friday Night Live promotes the best of Cloverdale and small-town America" says Cloverdale Arts Alliance Executive Director, Mark Tharrington. "We believe a vibrant local arts scene raises the quality of life for our entire community and are committed to doing everything we can to get the FNL series up and running again this summer."

Tharrington added, "We are moving forward, booking bands, and getting ready, with the understanding that planning live, outdoor music events has potential obstacles and unknowns. We are optimistically anticipating the FNL venue in downtown Cloverdale will lend itself to compliance with pandemic-related restrictions, and CAA will be able to procure necessary permits."

It is important to note that funding for Friday Night Live at the Plaza is generated by generous local individuals, businesses, winery sponsors, and also event concession sales. Tharrington said "We at Cloverdale Arts Alliance truly appreciate the continued community support and enthusiasm for FNL, which is our signature program." He added, "We also appreciate the community's patience and understanding as we do our best to navigate this unprecedented situation."

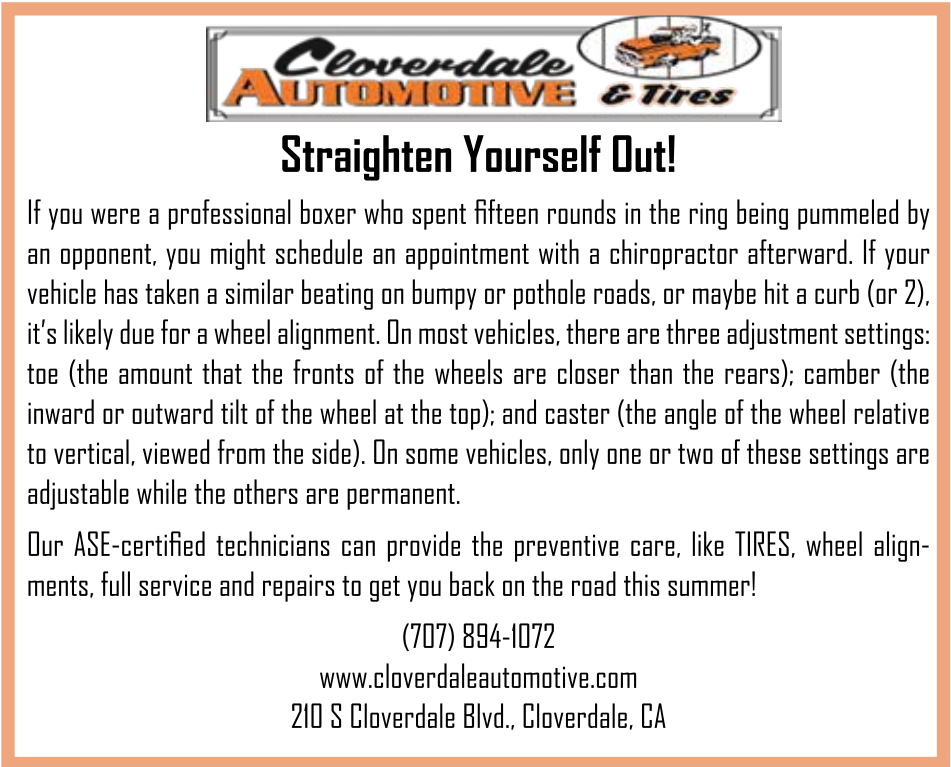
Cloverdale Arts Alliance also provides the community with arts related programs including a cooperative Art Gallery located 204 N. Cloverdale Blvd. From within the Gallery CAA offers a myriad of music events such as THE Jazz Club, Americana Night, Blues Night, Acoustic Music Workshop, and Beatles Study Group. Other CAA programs include Art Classes for children and adults, Discovering Art workshops, and Wine Appreciation Classes. For more information go to www.cloverdaleartsalliance.org.



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Whisker Talk:
News, advice, and
observations on life with pets
by Brigid Wasson



Spring is so beautiful in Sonoma County and we are all loving the opportunity to get out and enjoy walks in nature. For those of us with dogs, it's a great time to hike together or to play off-leash where this is allowed. There are some dangers for dogs in nature, and one you might not think of is the foxtail. The foxtail is a kind of grass with barbed seeds. Like other seeds, they will stick to the fur of animals and drop off elsewhere to grow in a new location. Foxtails seek moisture, and they are barbed like a fish hook, so when a dog walks through the grass, they can easily go up into the nose, ears, or other bodily openings. Once out of sight, they continue burrowing into the body, causing infection and tissue damage. I once knew a dog who lost his leg due to foxtails entering between his toes! Keep your dog safe by first clearing your property of foxtails. When you hike, keep your dog on the trail and away from dry grass. After every walk, do a full body check and remove any foxtails.

If your dog is sneezing or pawing at his face or ears, call your veterinarian right away.

Let's Travel

Craig Clark

If your upcoming plans include a flight, those plans also had better include wearing your favorite mask. If not, you won't be going anywhere but back to your house — guaranteed.

Passenger Arden Dmitrenko seems to have been surprised by United Airlines' reaction to his mask rebellion during his recent trip. Soon into the relatively short three-hour journey, the flight attendant noticed that Dmitrenko's son had removed his mask. She approached the family and reiterated the same information that United Airlines repeatedly announced upon boarding the aircraft.

United Airlines requires all passengers over age 2 to wear a mask at all times during the flight. You may lower your masks temporarily to eat or drink, but they must remain on at all other times.

After Dmitrenko told the flight attendant that he refused to make his child wear a mask, she walked away. But when she returned, she had a face covering for the boy. Confident that he was within his rights to refuse to force his child to wear any mask on the flight, Dmitrenko thought that was the end of the story. When the flight landed in Texas, things went from bad to worse for the family. As he left the aircraft, Dmitrenko was surprised when he learned that security wanted to speak to him. The interview concluded with the agents making a copy of Dmitrenko's identification. Afterward, they informed the family that United Airlines had canceled their return flight. They were not welcome on board United Airlines again.

The airlines are willing to ban passengers — permanently. The airlines don't often tolerate passenger shenanigans and recently, all of the major airlines have shown a particular willingness to ban mask-less passengers. Don't push this mask issue, or you may find out that you can't fly anywhere even after the pandemic passes. Airlines often share information about troublesome passengers. So, if one airline blacklists you, multiple airlines might do the same.

From the Elliott Advocacy Team

May In Bloom

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ANYTIME FITNESS Is Back Open

ANYTIME FITNESS is once again open to the community! They have made sure the club is clean, safe and ready for your use. As they prepare to open threir doors, they want to emphasize that safety is their top priority. No short cuts or exceptions will be made to keep their members and staff safe.

To help keep our community safe they will be implementing the following:

FACE MASKS: Per state guidelines, all members will be required to wear a face mask at all times while in the club until further notice, no exceptions.

POPULATION CONTROL: To safely stay within county population capacity guidelines club visits will be limited to 1 hour and attendance mitigated by staff.

LIMITING THE SPREAD OF GERMS: During staffed hours the gym will be thoroughly cleaned regularly with CDC approved hospital grade COVID-19 disinfectant. The same disinfectant will be used in the individual spray bottles for members to wipe machines before and after use. Hand sanitizer will be in the lobby and throughout the gym.

SOCIAL DISTANCING: Members will keep 6 feet of distance between themselves and others. Equipment may be moved, removed, closed off or temporarily disabled to maintain social distance requirements. They are able to keep a majority of their equipment open.

CONTINUED AT HOME SUPPORT: If you do not feel comfortable returning to the club after opening day, they will continue to support you at home with their training app. Call for any questions.

These guidelines are subject to change.

If you have any questions please contact ANYTIME FITNESS via email or phone listed below. They kindly ask for your continued patience in their replies as they receive high volumes of calls and they will do their best to reply promptly.

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Kiwanis

Mother's Day Breakfast



Date: May 9, 2021

Time: 9 a.m. until meals are gone

Place: Citrus Fair Drive-Thru

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Jeremy Jojola – Wood Crafter

Jeremy Jojola graduated from Cloverdale High School in 1988 and is a fifth generation Cloverdalian. He is a grandson of Odell Berry, who worked in the woods driving heavy equipment and from whom he learned forestry and woodworking. Jeremy also learned rough woodsmithing and recognition of forest products from Bill Birchfield, longtime logging industry worker. In addition, Jeremy studied woodworking at Cloverdale High under teacher Ed Beltramini, where he learned to use shop equipment.

Jeremy acquired a portable Alaskan Sawmill that allows him to mill slabs on-site up to 50" wide and almost unlimited length, in various woods such as madrone, oak, redwood, fir, walnut, pine, and more. As a longtime local resident, Jeremy has access to all these varieties of trees. The larger pieces require more than one person and his son-in-law Alfredo Arreguin has been recruited as an assistant.



In addition to cutting the slabs, Jeremy creates tables and other finished furniture pieces from them. Many people may be aware of redwood "burls" which are growths on the tree caused by injury. When sawed they reveal "curlywood" and "birdseye" characteristics highly prized by decorators. Jeremy handcrafts bowls and other decorative items out of madrone, pepperwood and buckeye burls that are far less common than redwood. Want to know more and see his work? Contact Jeremy Jojola at KnottyWood1301@gmail.com.

The Creative Corner

Christy Latchford

"It wasn't raining when Noah built the ark" - Howard Ruff

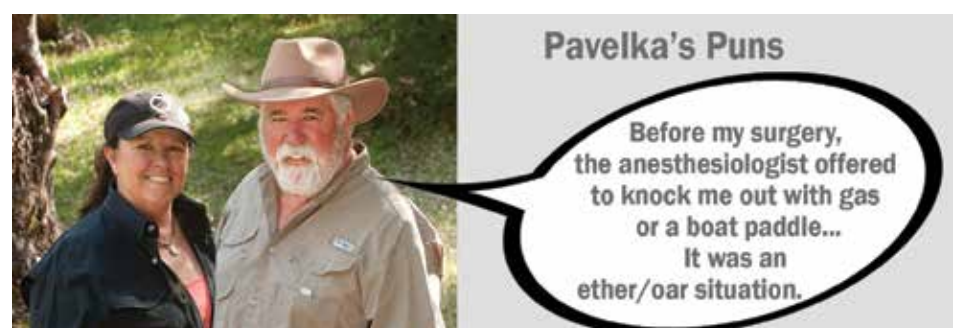
I am going to venture a guess that all living in Cloverdale over the past few years have gotten used to getting an emergency bag prepared for fire season, which has hit us a bit early this year and thanks to the Cloverdale Fire Department and Cal-Fire most of us have not felt the heat yet.

With the effects of Covid and a crazy last year, many of us are so emotionally wrung out, the idea of prepping for another character-building summer seems too daunting a task. I would also venture a guess most of us have got some kind of system down and with each year we learn how to refine what works best.

This year I thought to myself "ya know what we need?" One bag that houses the core basics for my mom, husband, self and of course our furry friends. This is not a bag I plan on leaving out as a reminder, but instead have opted to get an EMT bag (empty) and fill with the most important basics, medications, prepackaged food, financial documents, passports, and of course our Covid Vaccine cards, so even if God forbid another late-night panic occurs, at least the bag is ready and easy to spot amongst the other junk that builds up in our closet throughout the year as life moves forward.

Checking in with neighbors and exchanging contact info, having something that even at the peak of stress can be easily spotted, and participating actively in the closest thing we can do to be ready, but to minimize the panic that can take over any of us and turn our brains into mush.

The best part? Not only are you prepared to take the important stuff you will need, but by doing it early, perhaps creates a sense of calm and allows the best chance possible to enjoy the summer ahead that we have all been waiting for with a smile.



Pavelka's Puns

Before my surgery,
the anesthesiologist offered
to knock me out with gas
or a boat paddle...
It was an
ether/oar situation.

My Heart, A Small Town

Eleanor Kruger, 4th Grade

Just a hint of golden sunlight.
No noise, everyone on the block is asleep.
My heart is trapped in a rush hour.
Busiest time of the day.
Feelings come in left, right, and center.
Happy, sad, confused, betrayed, content.
A traffic jam of emotions.
My heart is a small town.
Everyone knows each other.
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Children as happy as playing badgers.
My heart is a big city.
Skyscrapers, as tall as mountains
Strangers brush past,
Never knowing, never knowing.

Heaven's Closet Has Re-Opened

The thrift shop at the United Church of Cloverdale, located at 439 N. Cloverdale Blvd., is now open on Saturdays 10am-2pm. They will only be open Saturdays until further notice. Shoppers must follow posted protocols – Masks are required.

The House that Love Built

Michele Armanino



Early last Friday morning, I knocked on the red, double doors at Church of the Good Shepherd and was greeted by Reverend Tim McDonald who called out to me, “Just come on in!” I had been

curious about a prominent Prayer Board that stands in front of the charming, white, Gothic style Episcopal church on the corner of North Main Street in Cloverdale.

Rev. Tim explained that Church of the Good Shepherd is all about “caring for the greater community.” He motioned to the sign outside of the church which reads: “All Are Welcome!” It is apparent, by the many pieces of tattered paper pinned to the Prayer Board, that people in the community are drawn to this sign of hope. There are petitions for help: “Please pray for my healing heart.” and prayers of thanks: “Thank you God for all.” It doesn’t matter to Reverends Tim, Jane Snibbe or Bob Scott what denomination you are or who you are, if you need prayers, you’ll get them.

“This is the house that love built”, said Rev. Tim who further explained that the redwood church was built by the collaboration of Catholics and Episcopalians together back in 1888. Ever since, the theme of the church has been one of fellowship and community.

With the Pandemic hopefully winding down, Rev. Tim hopes to continue Sunday coffee hour in the church’s garden and Thursday night get-togethers at the Veteran’s Hall where people listen to music, drink wine and play board games. He has great hopes for a Skunk Train jaunt and visiting San Francisco and Ukiah museums in the future. And, as Reverend Tim emphasized, “All are welcome!”

New Interior Designer Comes to Town

Jennie Crain was born and raised in the SF Bay Area and her interest in design was apparent at an early age as she was always redecorating her many doll houses and her bedroom. She took her first design class at the Montgomery Ward furniture department in Oakland when she was just 12 years old. On Saturdays, she and her dad would often tour model homes being built throughout the Bay Area.

For many years, Jennie worked at various furniture stores in Missouri, the Bay Area and Sonoma County, gaining experience in interior design. After four decades in retail sales, design and management, in March 2021 she retired from full time retail, moved to Cloverdale near family and started her own interior design consulting business, Intentional Living by Design.

When someone hires Jennie as a design consultant, they are getting her time, talent and expertise. If they are moving to a new place, she’ll help them decide which existing furniture pieces should make the move, be sold, be donated or be passed down to a family member. If they want a new look for their current home, she and her client will decide together what that look should be and if specific functions or lifestyle accommodations are needed.

Establishing realistic expectations, regarding how long it will take and how much clients want to invest is a necessary first step. They can make furniture purchases at their favorite store or Jennie can spend time exploring options together with the client. Consignment stores are a great resource for selling pieces no longer wanted and buying gently used, quality pieces that suit the current need. Repurposing or upcycling with a new finish or change of hardware gives new life to an old favorite. This also keeps those pieces out of the landfill. When new furniture is on the wish list, there are good sources throughout Sonoma County and the Bay Area.

Contact Jennie Crain at jennie.il.bd@gmail.com or call her at 707-273-2415. You can chat with her about your wants, wishes and dreams for your home and how she can help you reach those goals.

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Mother's Day Photo Album



This is my beautiful mother Claudia Russell and my father Bill Wasson. The picture was taken in 1970 at the Burlingame post office where they met. They had precious little time together. My mother died in a car accident just two years later, the day before what would have been her first Mother's Day. I send my love out to all the other motherless daughters (and sons) who struggle through this holiday

– Brigid Wasson



Annika and Charlotte Lewis



Natalie Pesce and the twins



The last picture of Ron Pavelka's Mom Birdie before she "flew the coop"



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Our Mother's Day Pamper Package filled with gifts from Skin Care by Amanda, Zini's, Cloverdale Cottage Garden, Beauty Bar, The Outpost, Plunder Jewelry, Porterfield Creek body scrub, Snake River Stamped Jewelry and more was won by **Mary Neustadt and Danielle!** Winner was chosen by random drawing from all photos entered. Thanks for showing Mom some love in the May issue of Cloverdale Connect!



Carolina Díaz 79 years old, the rock of the Díaz family. All that we are or ever hope to be , we owe it to you and all your sacrifices. We love you!



Our mother, Dina Giovannetti, now deceased but one of the best in life! Happy Mother's Day in heaven!



Jacinda's Mom, Julia Fort



Mary and Danielle
Mother's Day Package winner



Ann Smith



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Judith and Pamela



Monique Frankston always loved passing through Cloverdale and we know she's smiling down on us well pleased and satisfied with the place we've decided to call home

Mother's Day Photo Album



Peggy



Maria Montiel a hard working Mother of 4! Supports her family in every way! And is a really good friend!



Peggy and Dana



My Mother in Law, Cindy Ostermann, who worked at Jefferson Elementary for over 20 years. Cindy, Noah & Rhiannon



Vickie and Karson Ferrero



My Mom Terry was so proud of this Cadillac she bought right before she passed. Such a happy day - 1996



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Doris Jean Julius

Doris Jean Julius passed away suddenly on March 27th 2021 in Cloverdale, CA at the age of 90. She was preceded in death by her husband Robert (Bob) Julius in 2012. Doris is survived by her children, Lawrence (Melinda) Grimes, James Grimes, Melonie (Al) Delsid, and Daniel (Carol) Grimes, 9 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

The family would like to thank the staff at The Villas Assisted Living in Cloverdale. A memorial service will be held May 25th, 2021, at 2:00pm at Fred Young Mortuary in Cloverdale.

Donations in her name can be made to your favorite charity.

Cloverdale Performing Arts Center

As we prepare for the eventual re-opening of the theatre, we are hoping to build a list of volunteers who are willing to help with future projects. We are a community theatre and we cannot thrive without the help and support of the community. We are looking for those with time, knowledge, and an interest in the following areas:

Grant Writers: knowledge and experience writing and filing grants for non-profits.

Stage Managers: work closely with the director to create a schedule, attend every rehearsal and show, take down blocking, send out rehearsal notes, set up production meetings, call the show.

Scenic Designers: Working closely with the director to create the design and facilitate the build of the sets for future projects.

Set Construction: Helping the designer build the sets prior to the opening of a show.

Costume Designers: someone with a knowledge of sewing who works with the director to design, create, or pull costumes for shows.

Lighting Designers: create the lighting plot & design for shows, and adjust the instruments to carry out that design.

Sound Designers: Work with the director to pull or create sound files to create the pre show and intermission playlists as well as the sound cues for the show.

Light Board Technician: Runs the light board during the run of a show or for a special event.

Sound Board Technician: Operates the sound board during the run of shows or special events.

House volunteers: Under the guidance of the House Manager, the house volunteers help take tickets, guide patrons, or work the concessions.

Please contact amy@cloverdaleperformingarts.com if you are interested in one or more of the above volunteer positions.

Cloverdale Adds Resources for Education

With Cloverdale Schools now back in person, the Cloverdale Unified School District school foundation, CARE (Cloverdale Adds Resources for Education), is excited to partner with the teachers and schools to provide community resources for Cloverdale's kids as they slowly emerge from their COVID-Distance Learning experiences. We are happy to have provided support for a number of school projects this year: the Spring Planter Project will result in artful gardens popping up around town, the Cloverdale High School Garden Project is starting construction with the kids return to class, and the Holiday Book Tree program has resulted in another round of new books to all three school libraries this year.

Join us in supporting student access to arts enhancements like the Ane Rovetta Art program at Jefferson and continued development of a robust agriculture program at all three schools, including a California Future Farmers of America chapter at Cloverdale High School. CARE is a non-profit 501(c)3 organization (Tax ID #68-0279772).

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Facts From The Past

Kay Wells

Do you ever get the urge to go dancing? But where? Well, many decades ago Cloverdale had a Dance Club! It was a dressy affair held monthly at the Veterans Hall, limited to 50 couples.



Recently, a beautiful player piano was donated to the Historical Society Museum, together with about 100 rolls, many of them foxtrots. We plan to have a foxtrot dance party in the fall (Covid permitting). So locate your dancing shoes and join us in the foxtrot! Instructor provided, in case you've forgotten how it goes: slow, slow, quick, quick, in 4/4 time. A gentleman named Harry Fox invented it in the 1920s.



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Cloverdale Library News

Donna Romeo

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Probiotics: The Good Bugs

Gina Berry, MS, RD, CLT

Probiotics are good bacteria that live in your GI Tract and emerging research shows just how important they are. Our GI tract contains trillions of microbes, with 4,000 different strains of bacteria having diverse roles. The bacteria in our intestines weighs 1-3 pounds on average! About 1/3 of our microbes are common to most people, while 2/3 are specific to each of us influenced by our environment, lifestyle, where we live, eating patterns, where we work, how and where we were born, and more. Some of the bacteria produce important neurotransmitters, such as serotonin and dopamine, and new research is finding reduced microbial diversity and certain bacteria are associated with mental illness.

How can we ensure a healthy gut flora? Eat probiotics to replenish your microbes! Try some fermented foods like sauerkraut, miso, and kimchi. Yogurt with live active cultures and Kefir, a yogurt-like drink, are great ways to get probiotics. Kefir is especially good because it has multiple strains of beneficial bacteria. Keep your body and mind healthy by eating some good bugs – probiotics!



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Here is some information on the Handy Art paint: Handy Art® Student Acrylics will clean up with water while wet, but dry to a permanent, water resistant and flexible semi-gloss finish. Handy Art® Student Acrylics are certified AP non-toxic.



Cloverdale Project Grad



Graduation is just around the corner and the CHS Class of 2021 is in its final weeks of school. As a final fundraiser, Cloverdale Project Grad is excited to announce the "\$21 FOR 21" online fundraiser. Here's your chance to make a \$21 donation to the CHS Class of 2021 via Venmo (@CloverdaleProjectGrad-59158). If you don't have Venmo, feel free to send your donation to Cloverdale Project Grad, PO Box 141, Cloverdale, CA 95425. All proceeds go toward the celebration gift bag that will be passed out to all CHS graduates this year.

Cloverdale Project Grad has already received many generous donations from local service clubs, businesses, patrons and parents. It's contributions like these that make our efforts possible. Thank you!

Sonoma Family Meals

Did you know that Sonoma Family Meals donates hundreds of meals to our Cloverdale community members, families, and elderly in need? The El Milagro Restaurant family is always happy to help out with that loving gesture. Please consider donating to this fantastic organization. They have gotten so many folks in Cloverdale through this difficult past year.



Sonoma Family Meals' mission is simple: Serving nutritious, lovingly-made, restaurant-quality meals to Sonoma County residents experiencing disasters and food insecurity regardless of age, race, gender identification or immigration status. Sonoma Family Meals work directly with local nonprofits and government agencies to identify those in most need and get food directly to them. Since 2017 SFM has served more than 450,000

chef-made meals, and that number continues to grow. The grassroots organization employs one female chef and has worked with more than 2,000 volunteers, active in the Tubbs Fire (serving displaced families until Dec. 2019), Sebastopol floods, PSPS events, Kincade Fire, COVID-19 pandemic and ongoing fires.

Since March 2020 SFM has paid more than \$1.2 million to their restaurant network and served more than 450,000 meals. Unlike the fires that swept through Sonoma County in 2017 and 2019, SFM is facing an entirely different disaster with coronavirus. Their usual model of bringing hundreds of volunteers together to cook is not in compliance with social distancing.

Sonoma Family Meals' COVID-19 Model: Paying their network of Sonoma County restaurants to cook hundreds of lovingly prepared meals each day. It's a win-win for local businesses and food insecure seniors, immigrants, farm workers and families.

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Kleiser Park Clean Up



Members of the Cloverdale Rotary Club descended on Kleiser Park recently for the annual Spring Cleanup and laugh session. Among the members attending were President Kevin Kostoff, Past President Bob Cox, President Elect Jim Novak, Iris Konik, Joan Tillman, Mark Thayer, Ken Allen, Russ Klein, Bill Hoyer, Jim DeMartini, Frank Crivello and Robert Redner.

New Competitive Cheer Program

Lightning Athletics is a new competitive cheer program in Cloverdale. Lightning Athletics took their team Storm to Orlando, Florida this month and earned 1st place at the Quest! The Quest is a prestigious national recreation cheer competition. By competing virtually this season, the team was able to earn not only an invitation to attend but also a partial paid bid because of their outstanding performance! Many of these athletes attended and won last year too under their previous name, Cloverdale Competitive Cheer. The program is run by Crystal Stone and Savannah Hemphill who plan to continue to bring opportunities for our youth to cheer, stay active and be involved in our community. Check them out at lightningathleticscheer.com



Cherry Creek Village Construction

The Cloverdale Community Outreach Committee (also known as Wallace House) announces the commencement of construction to revitalize one of its housing locations. Cherry Creek Village will consist of 24 one, two, and three-bedroom apartments, in five two-story residential buildings and one community building, located at 520 South Cloverdale Boulevard. The development previously hosted a small community of nine (9) low-income households. All households that had been living at the facility have been relocated. The planned development will raze the site; except for a three-bedroom unit, and newly construct 22 low-income housing units; one unit will be a manager's unit. Construction is expected to take approximately 18-24 months.



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Deb Delfino



Growing up in Healdsburg, living & working in Sonoma County her entire life, She attended Santa Rosa, JC, & worked full-time at the Fairchild Semiconductor Company in Healdsburg in 1975, as the Production Managers Secretary, until the plant closed after 10 years.

During her time working for Attorneys in Santa Rosa, the 1980s to the 1990s, driving home to Geyserville at this time, from Santa Rosa, she would be the only vehicle after 5:30 pm, on the 101 freeway north, past Healdsburg after work. Times have changed!

Then in 1998, she started working in Cloverdale, as a Real Estate Agent with Century 21 Less Ryan Realty, building relationships continued today. You can currently find her working out of the W Real Estate office here in Cloverdale.

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13th Annual Bike Ride October 9



Photo Chelsea Judith

Plan now to join the Rotary Club of Cloverdale for a bike ride through the uncrowded routes of Northern Sonoma County while experiencing the glorious fall colors of the vineyards. The event will start Saturday, October 9, at 7 a.m. Join your hosts for the 13th annual Asti Tour de Vine, a 25k, 50k, 100k, 100m (century) bicycle tour. Ride charming rural valleys past autumn-hued vineyards, alongside the meandering Russian River, and on pathways overlooking Lake Sonoma.

We have many rides to choose from, including the easy carefree 25k for the beginner rider and our extreme 100 mile challenge we call the Rockpile Rumble. Along the way, enjoy our harvest-themed rest stops and healthy foods and snacks which are included with your registration, SAG support too. Register starting May 1 at <https://www.astitourdevine.com/>

At the end of your ride, a bountiful luncheon, prepared by the Cloverdale Rotary Club and served with wine, awaits you in Cloverdale at the Historic Asti Winery. This delicious bountiful lunch is included in each riders paid registration. Additional lunches can be purchased for \$35.00 for family and friends during the online registration process.

This bicycle tour is a fundraiser for the Rotary Club of Cloverdale. We will be using the proceeds from this event for local scholarships for students, and support for many local and international projects. So take this opportunity to ride in a “de Vine” autumn day of cycling, food and fun in Sonoma County’s Wine Country!

The Rotary Club of Cloverdale will adhere to public health directives in place at the time of the ride.

For More Information Contact: Iris Konik, Chair, Ride Committee, Rotary Club of Cloverdale, iriskonik@gmail.com

Everybody Loves DAD

Show **DAD** some love as we feature photos of fathers in the June issue of Cloverdale Connect in the Father’s Day Photo Album. **Submit your photo** of **DAD** via info@cloverdaleconnect.com or mail to P.O. Box 404, Cloverdale 95425 no later than Friday May 21st. A winner, chosen by random drawing from the photos submitted, will win a Father’s Day Prize package.



with Mino Ahmed

Born & raised in Ethiopia, Mino Ahmed now makes her home in Sonoma County. A pastry chef, recipe developer and food stylist, her passion for food and the culinary arts comes through in her food, photos and prose. Learn more about her journey and food on her website, the Empty Plate: <https://www.theemptyplate.blog/>

Recipes & Ingredients will be provided upon registration.

The class is virtual and \$25 per person, and all of the proceeds go directly to Cake4Kids. Cake4Kids partners with agencies that support youth in foster care, homeless, domestic violence or human trafficking shelters, substance abuse programs, and refugees. They deliver cakes and other special treats to these youth to celebrate their birthdays and other exciting moments in their lives.

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Artist Cynthia Handel shares that “Blue Swan” came about as she was walking in Yellowstone. “These beautiful white swans came floating by in early spring. The sky was this intense deep blue color and the piece became this deep intense color. I hope to create a sense of calm and place when people look at the blue screen piece. My hand and mind created this swirling, curved form much like the necks and movement of the swans. I have investigated sculpture and

performance for the past 20 years. My work combines fabricated steel, cast bronze and iron elements with silk, wood, beeswax and fire. All of which are poetic and graceful, intuitive and intimate much like a dance of the body - the movement of the iron on the paper and the artist. My work is inspired by organic forms, urban structures and hybrids of these forms. Each piece is a result of marks, gestures and multiple layers of decision making.” Sponsor: Management Connection, Cloverdale, Call Janet @ 707-293-7426 for purchase information

Citrus Fair Evacuation Center Committee

The Citrus Fair Evacuation Center Committee has worked with a host of dedicated volunteers: Red Cross, CERT volunteers, and the City of Cloverdale, to devise an organizational chart designed to meet the next fire emergency. The Committee is now looking for more volunteers to be prepared to care for fire refugees at the Citrus Fair. All the Committee asks is that if you want to help out at the Citrus Fair, and can afford to be away from your family for a day or more when the next fire begins its march across Sonoma County, please email Jim DeMartini at jim@cloverdalelaw.com. The Committee will send you the current organizational chart and you can choose the job you feel best fits your skills.

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Cloverdale Senior Center News

Melanie Hall

Phew! Hard to believe that it is May already! In response to the last year, the Senior Center modified to act in ways it never had before. Over the past year, the Senior Center staff and volunteers have assisted in distributing 126,720 fresh meals to our community through Sonoma Family Meals. We have also coordinated with Council on Aging to distribute over 36,000 meals to seniors. Collaborating with Redwood Empire Food Bank and Catholic Charities of Santa Rosa, we have distributed perishable and non-perishable grocery items here at the Senior Center to almost 1,000 seniors and others in our community. Every Monday since September 25, Senior Center volunteers and staff, along with volunteers from La Familia Sana and Redwood Empire Food Bank, have distributed grocery items at the Citrus Fairgrounds to nearly 8,000 needy households. The Senior Center Board President, Al Myers, is spearheading a Food Insecurity Taskforce group with many community stakeholders participating in making sure no one in our community goes hungry now and in the future.

We now get ready for the next stage of getting back to “normal.” The good news is that we have moved to a tier that allows us to reopen with small select activities at the Center gradually. There will continue to be safety protocols in place, wear your mask, safe distance, sanitize, and wash hands, but we finally get to see each other and have some fun! Some of the activities we have been offering are haircuts by Anna for seniors, Yoga and Qigong in the Park, and Bean Bag baseball in our front yard. The podiatrist also comes once a month with a scheduled appointment. For more information about our reopening activities, please, call the Senior Center at 894-4826.

On another subject, the Senior Center has two vacant seats on our Board. We would like to have more diversity on the Board, representing the community we serve. If you or someone you know is interested, please contact us for more information.



Cloverdale resident of 13 years, Scooter Delfino, enjoying the latest edition of Cloverdale Connect

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