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Celebrating Our First Anniversary!



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Editor's Note

Wow! It's hard to believe this is already the First Anniversary Issue of *Cloverdale Connect* - our thirteenth edition! Thank you to our readers, our advertisers, local non-profits and service clubs - all of you who have made this journey together with us. What started out as a way to keep the community connected last year when we were all feeling so isolated, has blossomed into a vibrant local community paper. I like to think of *Cloverdale Connect* as a monthly "community hug". It is hard to express my heartfelt appreciation for the

many, many positive and encouraging comments I have received saying things like: "I love this paper", "We read every issue", "Thank you for this little community paper". All I can say is "Thank YOU!" Everyone who has commented, invested in advertising, sent a story idea, written an article, participated in a contest - it is YOU who have created this paper - *Cloverdale Connect* is simply bringing our community together. Happy Anniversary! Let's stay connected!

Dana



Beware of Rental Scams - Anne Miserlian Baker

A friend called me one day and told me he thought he had been scammed. He had sent \$1,500 in bitcoin as a security deposit for a house he thought he was going to rent. He wanted to know if there was any way to get the money back.

Unfortunately, he was the victim of an internet scam. Frustrated, my distraught friend told me the whole sad story.

He had responded to a rental advertisement on a well known social media site. The scammer promptly responded to all of my friend's inquiries through email correspondence. The home was perfect. And, best of all, it was affordable. My friend hoped he could see it and rent it.

After quite a few friendly exchanges, the predator told my friend that he was chosen. He was instructed to send \$1,500 immediately to hold the home. Happy and grateful to be

given this amazing opportunity, my friend sent the funds without hesitation.

He was promised that the lease and keys would follow. But, they never came. That was a very tough lesson. Sadly, it could have been prevented with just a little bit of coaching and insight. From my friend's eyes, everything he saw looked legitimate. I was able to easily confirm that the photos and the description had been stolen right from the same website.

Also, a quick Google search of the perpetrator's email address revealed several previous complaints. Consider calling your real estate agent or local title company.

For more information on rental scams visit <https://annebaker.net/rentals/beware-of-rental-scams/>

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Piacere (With Pleasure!)
Michele Armanino

Jose and Mary Pelayo fondly recall the time a young couple from Ukiah came into their Italian restaurant, Piacere, to celebrate their first anniversary. In the midst of a Pandemic, the newlyweds hesitantly asked the Pelayos if they could purchase take out and eat at the park across the street. Mary said she personally brought the young pair their dinners and set them up on the picnic table. “They were so happy, that they came back again this year on their anniversary!” Mary exclaimed. “Piacere” means, “with pleasure” in Italian and this kind gesture clearly defines the name of their Ristorante!

Chef Jose Pelayo has been cooking at a variety of restaurants in Sonoma County since he was seventeen years old. Roberto's Restaurant (off Highway 12), and the Acapulco Restaurant in Santa Rosa were among the many. Jose creates his own sauces and recipes, one of which, Veal and Prawns, is an all-time favorite. The seafood comes fresh from Bodega Bay and when in season, you can find salmon, scallops and oysters on the menu. As Chef Pelayo and I chatted, he displayed a heaping tray of glistening, freshly shucked oysters ready to be barbecued that evening! If the restaurant isn't too busy and a customer is craving something that's not on the menu, Jose will happily whip it up for them! Vegetarians and gluten-free customers can find eggplant parmesan, pasta primavera, polenta and more to satisfy their Italian food appetites.

When I asked Chef Jose what he liked best about having a restaurant in Cloverdale for over two decades, he quickly responded with, “It’s a small town and everyone knows you!” “We’re like a family!” Mary added, “We’re kid friendly!” Jose knows that his veal entrees and well thought out specials, in particular, draw customers to Piacere. Mary laughed heartily and commented, “That’s what we do every night, talk about what we should make for tomorrow!”

\$100 Cash Giveaway Reader Contest!

Enter to win by answering the **Cloverdale Connect** Quiz!



- ◀ What month did Guy Fieri appear on the front cover?
- ◀ What's the funniest Pavelka Pun of the year?
- ◀ Who writes the cooking column?
- ◀ Who writes the pet column?
- ◀ Who writes Creative Corner?
- ◀ How many business card ads are in the July 2021 issue?
- ◀ What's the web address for Cloverdale Connect?

Submit your answers by mail to

P.O. Box 404 Cloverdale 95425 or

email to info@cloverdale.com by July 16th

to be eligible to win \$100 CASH in a random drawing!

Museum To Reopen

Kay Wells

The **Cloverdale History Museum** is set to reopen in July. Visitors will be treated to 3 new exhibits:

POMO BASKETS from the private collection of Silver Galletto, himself an accomplished weaver and member of the Pomo Cloverdale Rancheria. Baskets were created for practical purposes but also to trade with other tribes, often decorated with beads, polished abalone shells, and bird feathers. Come see beautiful examples on exhibit in the museum.

POP McCRAY and his rustic resort, the Old Homestead built in 1900, which could accommodate 100 guests in cottage tents, plus 40 rooms in a large hotel. He established a beach on the river with rowboats and a large paddlewheel boat. Visitors came mostly by train. The resort was totally self-sustaining, growing vegetables and Pop hunting enough game to feed guests. Learn more about this early pioneer, who arrived in Cloverdale in 1864 after a 6 month journey west, with Pop driving the oxen, by visiting the Museum photo and video display on the first floor.

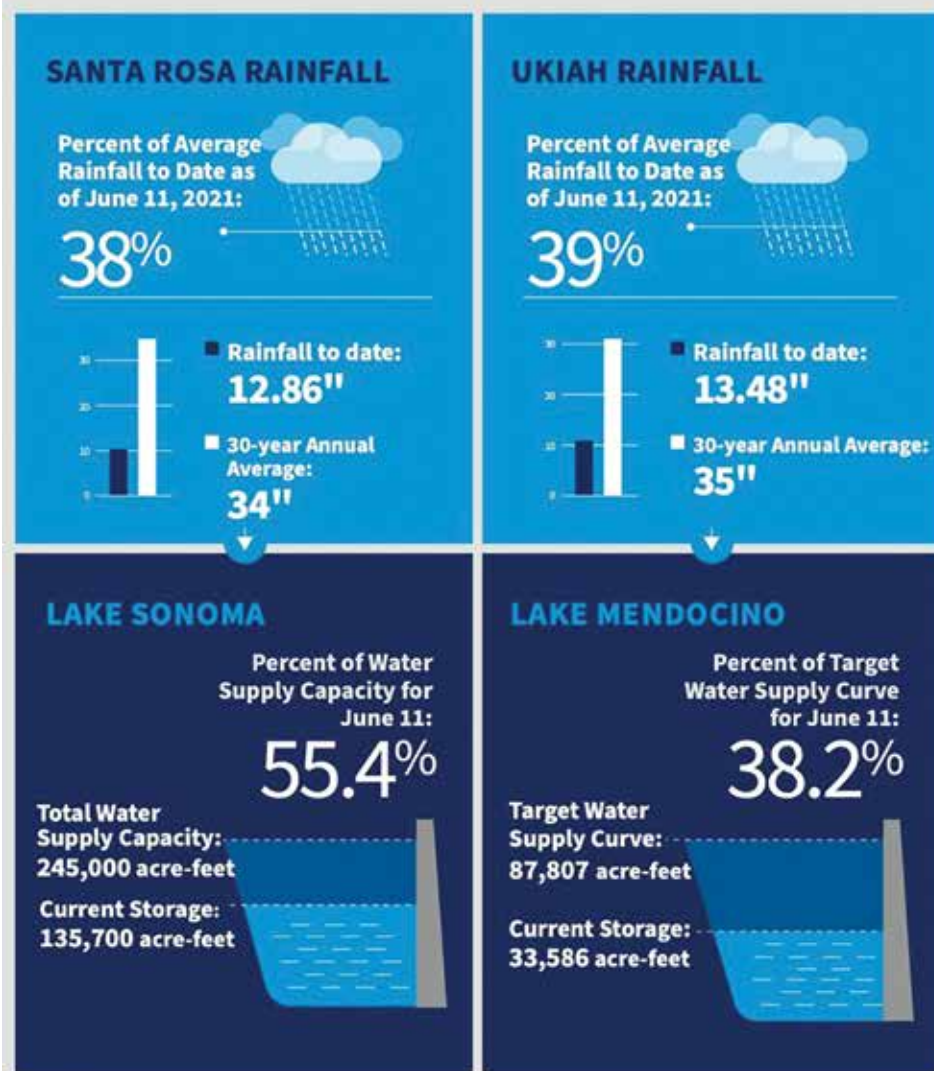
The LUMBER INDUSTRY's importance in Cloverdale history from 1850-1900 will be revealed in the first floor Cooley Room, now renamed the Redwood Room. Photos and early lumbering enterprises will remind you of days gone by.

The **Cloverdale History Museum**

215 N. Cloverdale Blvd.

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Current Water Supply Levels



Produce Market Day Re-Opening

Come shop at the Cloverdale Senior Center on Friday June 2th from 10am-Noon as they re-open their popular Market Day with fresh affordable produce and convenient and easy access. Market Day, a COVIA community service, promotes wellness and provides a social connection. Market Day location: 311 N. Main St., Cloverdale



Summer fun is BACK at the Sonoma County Fairgrounds with the Summer Fun Fest, presented by the Sonoma County Fair July 28-August 8 (Closed Monday and Tuesday). Hours of operation are noon - 10pm Wednesday, Thursday, and Sunday, and noon - 11pm Friday and Saturday. Tickets are on sale NOW! For more information, visit SonomaCountyFair.com

The traditional 2021 Sonoma County Fair has been postponed to 2022 when they will bring back the Hall of Flowers Exhibit, Live Horse Racing and a full livestock exhibit program. The Summer Fun Fest, presented by the Sonoma County Fair will be implementing any masking or social distancing requirements mandated by the State of California or the Sonoma County Health officer.

The Summer Fun Fest will also feature fantastic Dirt Acts in the Chris Beck Arena. On Saturday, July 31st Westec presents PRCA Rodeo at 7pm. On Sunday, August 1st they will have Jaripeo El Chapo De Sinaloa ecuestre Ganaderia Rancho Fueria Tecoman. Doors will open at 3pm and the show starts at 4pm. Monster Trucks will return to Chris Beck on Friday, August 6th and Saturday, August 7th at 7pm presented by WGAS. And finally, Destruction Derby is back on Sunday, August 8th at 6pm. All Chris Beck event tickets require a separate Fair Admission ticket. Tickets are only available online and to comply with COVID protocols, limited is capacity each day.

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The Creative Corner
Christy Latchford

As we all dive into our first post-Covid summer I reached out to my tribe to get some ideas on how we can all support each other and our community while re-engaging with society. HUGE thanks and love to Savannah Snyder, Jenn Craig, Ashley Porter and of course my mom Jude for helping round out some great ideas!

1. Consider bringing a water bottle along on walks with your pups through neighborhoods, so as they do their business you can sprinkle over their tinkle so to speak to help keep it from burning lawns that are running on precious little water and to show respect to those who have worked hard to keep lawns green.
2. Rock it old school and bake a yummy treat to either welcome a new neighbor to the neighborhood or an old one to remind them how appreciated they are.
3. Offer some of the fruits of your labors in your garden to an elderly friend/neighbor in need.
4. If you know someone is older or disabled in some way when walking, take their paper from their driveway and put it on their porch to save them from going out into the heat.
5. Offer water to your mail carrier, garbage pick-up guys or honestly anyone looking in need!
6. When out walking, carry a bag to pick up garbage along the way.
7. The chalk revolution does not need to end with quarantine! Leave a message of hope or even a bucket of chalk so kids walking by can color and create some joy.
8. Remember to ask permission before hugging someone as you may not know what their current anxieties are on the subject.
9. Embrace patience. Everyone has been through the same storm the last year +, but not all in the same boat. Slow down and be mindful that we all recover from traumas at a different pace, so be kind.
10. Lastly and one of the most important, as many of us celebrate the mask restrictions being lifted, please remember many will still be wearing masks and often it will not be Covid related at all. Again, an exercise in respect, we have no idea why others may still have a need. Don't take it personally, just be happy that you don't have to any longer and let it go.

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Surprising Passport Facts You Need to Know from SMARTERTRAVEL

Craig Clark

When sending in your old passport for renewal the Dept. of State recommends that applicants use a trackable shipping method, such as Priority Mail Express. It is recommended that applicants mail their documents in a sturdy envelope such as a Tyvek envelope, which will protect damage in transit.

You May Need to Renew Sooner Than You Think

Don't take your passport's expiration date at face value. Some countries have a six-month or three-month passport validity rule that requires your passport to be valid for a certain amount of time after your date of entry.

Your Passport Has Identity Theft Deterrents

If your passport was issued after August 2007, you've got an e-passport with a small integrated chip in the back cover that stores your passport information and a biometric identifier based on your photograph. There are metallic elements in the cover of the passport, making it impossible for the passport to be digitally "read" until it's physically open.

Weight Change? You May Need a New Passport

If you've lost (or gained) a lot of weight, so much so that you look different than you do in your passport photo, you'll need a new passport. The same is true or if you've added or removed large facial tattoos or piercings.

Photo Restrictions

The photo must have been taken within six months of your application date, and must reflect your current appearance. You must directly face the camera and your expression should be neutral. According to the Bureau of Consular Affairs, "Photos with exaggerated expressions and squinting will not be accepted." And uniforms and "clothing that looks like a uniform" are forbidden as well.

Damage Can Render Your Passport Invalid

If your passport has been significantly damaged, it's time for a new one. Water damage, significant tearing (especially on the book cover or the page with your personal data and photo), unofficial marking on the data page, and torn out visa pages are among the types of damage that will likely mean you'll need to apply for a replacement.

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Pavelka's Puns

 The neighbor kid asked me today "Where is Walla Walla?" I told him somewhere between ting tang and bing bang!



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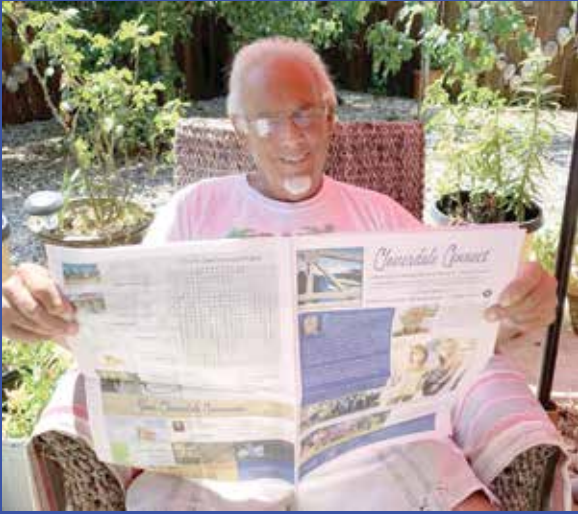
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Car Washing Tips In A Drought

David Maciel

With the drought and water restrictions in place washing your car in the driveway may not be an option this summer. That's the bad news - the good news is there are two ways to keep that fresh washed look without using water or very little. I have over 35 years of auto detailing experience and wanted to share some ideas on how I keep my car clean.

There are two products I like. Rinse-less and no water washing. Rinse-less is a product that you mix with a gallon or two of water using a cleaning solution I will list later. Waterless wash is a spray on cleaning solution that will remove surface dirt and grime with no harm to the cars finish.

How do they work? Both solutions have dirt emulsifiers and lubricating agents that loosen the dirt and grime and wipe off and are safe on any cars surface. The process is much like washing the car with water. For best results try to work on the car when it's not blasting hot out or in the direct sunlight.

Optimum ORN is a rinse-less wash that you mix one ounce of solution per-gallon of water. I use a large sea sponge and work on one panel at a time. Simply wipe panel down with the solution and dry the area. *Poorboys World Spray & Wipe* works in the same manner but is a spray on wipe off process. It helps to use micro-fiber towel but any clean cotton towel will work. Keep turning the towel as you move around the car. *Meguiars* and *Mothers* waterless wash products are available at most auto parts stores. The rinse-less wash and spray & wipe are only available online. These are the two I use because I found them to be cheaper (even with shipping) and great quality & results.

<https://poorboysworld.com/spray-and-wipe-waterless-wash.html>

<https://optimumcarcare.com/product/optimum-no-rinse-wash-shine1>

New "Little Library" Now Installed



Cloverdale's Rotary Club recently completed their latest project, a "little library" modeled after Cloverdale's old schoolhouse. The books are furnished by the **Cloverdale Kiwanis Club** so it is a collaborative service organization project. The new "little library" is located at the corner of School St. and N. Cloverdale Blvd., just south of Cloverdale High School.

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Cloverdale Library News

Donna Romeo

Our Summer Reading Program is in full swing. You can still read and win prizes. Best of all you can join us in one or more of our many virtual programs! Some highlights include our kid's story-times, daily teen events, and a variety of adult programs including our new Creative Bug events. We have too many to list here, but we have a booklet you can view online or pick up at the library. If you have any questions or want help registering for one of our events, we are happy to help you at the library! Simply call us: 707-894-5671 or come in during our open hours: Monday and Tuesday from 1-6 and Wednesday through Saturday from 11-4.

We also have weekly Take and Make Kits! Each Monday is a new kit. The four kits for July are Make Your Own Bug Jar, Sand Art Summer Treats, Mosaic Picture Frames, and a DIY Pencil Pouch with Puffy Paints. These kits are available on a first come, first serve basis, while supplies last. The kits are recommended for ages 5 and up with adult supervision.



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The **Cloverdale Lions** cooked up a great Father's Day Breakfast once again this year with pancakes, eggs, sausage and coffee at the Citrus Fair.



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Whisker Talk

Brigid Wasson

“Helping pet lovers live their best life”

Every 4th of July, thousands of dogs around the US go missing. The sound of fireworks is so loud and unusual that it frightens them into hiding and running away. Here are some steps you can take to prevent this from happening to your dog.



- 1) Make sure your dog has identification including a collar with tag (worn at all times) and a registered microchip. This will ensure his quick return should he go missing.
- 2) Secure your home on and around the 4th. Ideally your dog will be inside the house with windows and doors closed. If outside, make sure the fence and gates are in good order. I once saw an old Labrador scale a six foot fence after hearing firecrackers!
- 3) Don't take your dog to events. While socializing with your dog is fun, if he runs away in an unfamiliar area he may be much harder to find.
- 4) Use only safe and sane fireworks at home. If you're not a pet owner you may not be aware of the impact that illegal fireworks have on pets. Be a good neighbor and enjoy the big fireworks at a legal and safe show.



Tina Reuser Dogali

April 21, 1970 - May 16, 2021

Tina Reuser Dogali was a caring friend, a loving daughter, a protective sister, and a wonderful mother. Tina grew up in Sonoma County but spent some time in Colorado and Nebraska. She loved being part of the family business and worked her way through the company doing everything from picking sticks to washing trucks to being a loader operator and finally, settling into the office as dispatcher.

Tina is survived by her son, Henry Dogali, her father, Bruce Reuser and her “mom” Darlene Reuser. She also leaves behind her siblings, John Reuser (Starla), Tammy Johnson (Tim), Merle Reuser (Peggy), Paula Mello (Bryant), Bobbie Kitson (David), Elissa Kalista (Joshua), Amanda Higgins (August), and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her mother, Loretta Bernhardt Sells and her step-mother, Soleda Higgins Reuser. In lieu of flowers the family asks that in the spirit of Tina commit a random act of kindness for someone in need.

Comedy Is Coming To Cloverdale

Comedians Marc Yaffee, Adam Stone and Nicole Tran are coming to the Cloverdale Citrus Fairgrounds outdoors and under the stars for one night only on July 24th at 8pm. All seats are social distanced seats and no masks are required. Tickets going on sale now. You can purchase tickets for 1 person or up to a table of 8 people. There are only 200 tickets available and 100 have already sold. It's clean comedy and all ages are welcome.



If you are holding March 28 Marc Yaffe tickets, this is the rescheduled show for ticket holders.



Purchase tickets in advance at the Cloverdale Fire Dept. with \$5.00 of every advance ticket sold at the fire station going directly to the Fire Department. There will be a full bar provided by Cloverdale Fire Dept. Come out for a night of comedy under the stars July 24th!

Home Maintenance Tip

Clean refrigerator coils once a year. Over time, dust, grease, and dirt get stuck behind your refrigerator.

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Water is a resource that our community shares, and it is critical that we all protect and conserve this valuable resource. Supervisor James Gore shares the importance of water conservation in our system. Click here to watch his important message on why we need to work together to conserve water.

These are a few of the water-wasting activities that are prohibited year-round in cities in Sonoma and Marin county:

- Washing sidewalks, walkways, driveways or other hard surfaced areas with a hose. Use a broom instead.
- Irrigation runoff to streets and storm drains from overwatering or sprinkler-overspray of landscapes.
- Using a hose without a self-closing shutoff nozzle to wash cars, boats, or trailers.
- Irrigating outdoors during and within 48 hours following measurable rainfall.
- Using potable water in decorative water features that do not recirculate the water.

Please visit Water Conservation | Cloverdale, CA - Official Website for information on the current water conservation status in Cloverdale. For additional water saving tips and resources, please visit the Sonoma-Marín Saving Water Partnership website.

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Carry a reusable water bottle with you during the day, have an extra glass of water with meals, and set a reminder on your phone. Make a pitcher of "spa water"! Add any combination of these to your water: lemon, lime, orange, watermelon, cucumber, berries, peach, basil, mint, tarragon, rosemary, or thyme. Enjoy!

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Each ornament made with heart and signed with one too. To see what she has on display, call 707-894-2037, but please leave a message or email smokey-bears-one@sbcglobal.net and you can have that craft show shopping experience!

Our Readers Share Why They Enjoy

Cloverdale Connect

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I actually look forward to reading **Cloverdale Connect** each month. First reason is because it's FREE! Second is because I feel so isolated from what goes on in Cloverdale, even though I live right in the middle of town!

My boys keep me at home and, well, so did Covid. I always felt like the last one to know anything. So when **Cloverdale Connect** comes, I get the low down on what's happening and what's gonna happen! I also get the bonus history lesson about Cloverdale, which is always exciting. Every month the paper seems to get bigger and bigger! I love that. There must be a lot going on in this little ol' town. Thank you **Cloverdale Connect** for keeping me connected!"

– **Olaunda Johnson aka: OJ**

"So happy to see a paper I can hold in my hand with lots of local information."

– **Mark Thayer**

"I absolutely love that a local community member, Dana, took the reins and went out on a limb to create **Cloverdale Connect**. It is perfect for our community! Thank you, Dana and staff!"

– **Angela Cordova**

"I really enjoy **Cloverdale Connect**. I have lived in Cloverdale almost 23 years and love the city. I took the Reveille until it went online so Connect (sic) saved the day or should I say month! Keep up the good work. Thank you!"

– **Linda Elliott**

"I love reading **Cloverdale Connect** because it gets me caught up with what's happening around town!"

– **Evelyn Hayes**

"Hello Team **Cloverdale Connect** - I like reading **Cloverdale Connect** to keep up to date on the local happenings in our community. I also enjoy reading the contributed articles. Thank you for bringing the community together via a print periodical."

– **Heather Ward**

"Great local paper. Loved finding it in our mailbox today!"

"Love the paper. I've lived in Cloverdale for 53 years."

"Thank you so much for your hard work on the **Cloverdale Connect** newspaper! I enjoyed it very much!"

"I was pleased to find this premiere edition of your new Community Newspaper. I appreciate your courtesy of enquiring about our interests and opinions. Thank you for the opportunity to respond to your survey so easily. I think you are on to something. May this endeavor be all that you are hoping for and more."

"Great newsletter, I really enjoyed reading it and doing the crossword puzzle"

"Thank you for creating this little paper"

"I just want to let you know how much I enjoyed the **Cloverdale Connect** paper. These nice uplifting stories are good for the soul. It will be nice to look forward to the little paper of happiness."

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CHS Graduating Class Breakfast

The **Cloverdale Lions** recently showed up to cook breakfast for the Cloverdale High School graduating seniors. Dozens of students enjoyed pancakes, sausage, and scrambled eggs.



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Welcome Back to the Cloverdale Senior Multipurpose Center
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Here we are halfway through 2021 , hard to believe! The good news is that Governor Newsom announced June 15 that the state of California would fully reopen which is much awaited news for many businesses who were either closed completely during the pandemic or only able to allow a small amount of people in their facility. We are thrilled to be fully reopened.

I am happy to announce that we will be bringing back our Covia/Front Porch wholesale produce market on Fridays, 10:00, start date June 25 (except July 2 as we will be closed in observance of the Independence holiday). On July 8, 10-11:30, the Senior Center will host a focus group in coordination with Sonoma County Department of Health Services and Center for Well-Being on the subject of farmers markets and the accessibility to them for seniors. One of the topics will be what available subsidies/discounts for purchasing nutritious foods there are. For your participation in the focus group, you will receive a \$25 gift certificate for a grocery store. Please call the Senior Center, 894-4826 to sign up.

The Senior Center will be hosting a five part nutrition education series paired with cooking classes courtesy of Catholic Charities of Santa Rosa starting this month, please call for further details. We continue with Haircuts with Anna, Podiatrist by appointment, Bingo, Yoga, Chair Yoga, Qi Gong Practice, Bean Bag Baseball and Strength Training. Card Games will resume this month and soon we will begin with a lunch program.

We ask at this time that all members who are not fully vaccinated continue to wear their facemask when they enter the building, those who are fully vaccinated may enter without their mask. Please do not join any activity or visit us if you are exhibiting symptoms that could be related to Covid, we appreciate your cooperation.

Creative Notions, CSMC craft store, is open Wednesdays, 10-4, with a 50% off Sidewalk Sale table, Thursdays, 10-1 and Fridays, 10-4, please come by and see what new items we have. Now let’s get this party started!

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- Loaner bikes will be provided if kids need one.
- Visit with local community organizations!
- Papa's Pizza and Flavia will be serving food.

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Cloverdale Rotarians Deliver School Supplies In Yelapa



Cloverdale Rotarians recently took time out from a brief vacation in Mexico to deliver school supplies and PPE gear to a school in Yelapa, Jalisco, Mexico. This involved hauling 120 pounds in suitcases from the U.S. plus additional items purchased at Home Depot in Puerto Vallarta. Thanks to Elvia Osnaya, Lynmarie Hoyer, Gina Dericco Hatcher, and Tiffany March Kinsey for again showing the Rotary Motto of "Service Above Self."

Thank You From Cloverdale Project Grad

Cloverdale Project Grad Committee would like to express our gratitude to everyone who gave to the CHS Class of 2021. From the parents who came to meetings and helped with fundraisers, to the businesses, service clubs and private donors who made monetary donations, we can't tell you how much your contribution was appreciated. Our graduates were treated to amazing congratulatory gift bags on June 11th. Congrats to our graduates and best wishes as we pass the reins to the parents of the Class of 2022.



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Ingredients

- 2 lbs pork loin
- 2 TBS vegetable oil
- 1 TBS each minced garlic & ginger
- 1 TBS olive oil
- 1 TBS sesame oil
- ½ cup soy sauce
- 4 TBS sugar
- 1 ½ cups water
- 1 TBS chili garlic sauce
- 2 green onions chopped for garnish (optional)

Cut the pork into 1 inch pieces and sauté in pan with the vegetable oil for about 3 minutes on medium heat, until the pork is no longer pink & starts to brown

In a medium bowl mix the remaining ingredients, pour over the pork and bring to a boil. You might think there is too much water, but it will reduce down. Once it's boiling, reduce the heat to low and simmer for 30 minutes uncovered stirring occasionally. There should be about 3 tbsp of sauce left. Serve over rice or noodles



June Word Match Solution

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2. Cloverdale Chamber of Commerce
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