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Editor's Note

"June is busting out all oh-over!" Did you just sing along? Summer is here and things are looking more positive every day - Friday Night Live's coming back soon, graduation, the Lion's Club Father's Day breakfast, a fantastic bike event in July, and hopefully, summer travel.

With this June issue, Cloverdale Connect is making layout changes due to the tremendous response from advertisers, additional content and reader submitted photos. The current "Cloverdale Cares" page will be moved to the website under a new tab: "Resources". Taking its place will be the new "Our Cloverdale Community Cares" page with news and articles about the positive things our service clubs, non-profits and residents are doing.

We have moved our "Your Community Connections" section with Business Card ads into the interior of the paper for better visibility with expanded space for advertisers. "Cooking With David" has been moved to the back page so it's easy to see it when you're cooking.

Thank you to our readers and advertisers as Cloverdale Connect grows, adjusts and continues to serve our Cloverdale community.

Dana



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First, does your pet travel well? The majority of cats don't, although there are a few who enjoy accompanying their families on RV trips and even walking on a leash! Many dogs enjoy travel, but not all. Some are stressed away from home or will behave aggressively around strange dogs or crowds of unknown people. Some dogs get carsick, which could be a minor inconvenience on a shorter drive or days of misery on a long road trip.

How will you keep your pet secure while traveling? Is your dog used to being on a leash or hanging out in a crate? These tools can help keep him contained and safe in many situations. Do your research on your travel destinations. Are they pet friendly? What are the rules? Are there times you will not be able to bring your pet along, such as on tours or sports activities. Who will look after your pet at those times?

Packing well is as important for pets as for people. Make a list of items you will need including food, medications, toys, and bedding. Is your pet up to date on vaccines? bring the records along in case they are required at hotels or other places you may visit. A little planning will make your vacation with pets a fun and memorable one.

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Look for our 1st Anniversary Cloverdale Connect Quiz in the July 2021 issue! You might win \$100!

Let's see how much YOU know about Cloverdale Connect! Don't miss it!



Pavelka's Puns

Just so everyone's clear, I'm going to put my glasses on.



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Pick's Drive-In

Mary Jo Winter

Pick's Drive-in has been a Cloverdale landmark since it was built in 1923 at the height of Prohibition. The building was originally a Reed and Bell's Root Beer stand. Until 1945 when the franchise agreement expired, Reed and Powell was a franchise of A&W Root Beer.

Sometime during the 40's, the business was purchased by Lynmarie Hoyer's grandparents, Mayo and Johnnie Mae Pickard, who had operated a café at the Greyhound Bus Terminal in Santa Rosa.

The Pickards moved to Cloverdale, changed the name of the root beer stand to Pick's, and started selling hamburgers made with the same secret relish recipe that had made them so successful in Santa Rosa.

Claudia Clow purchased Pick's, building and all, around 1990 and was very "hands on" in the business until she sold it in 2016 to current owners, David and Debby Alioto, who also own Healdsburg in Healdsburg.

This past March, a new Cloverdale homeowner by the name of Justin Beth rescued a vintage Pick's sign that Claudia had offered for free on Facebook Marketplace. The sign, which was believed to have blown over in a wind storm, was bolted to a large metal frame with square headed bolts on the restaurant's rooftop. An electrician by trade, Justin's plan was to clean it up, leaving the patina, restore the electrical internals and hang it up.

For many Cloverdadians, their first job was behind the counter at Pick's. Birthdays and first dates have been celebrated there. It's often a "must stop" location for travelers passing through town. A few years ago, the daughter of a couple who met and courted at Pick's, brought them back for their 50th wedding anniversary.

As long as folks crave a great burger and a touch of nostalgia, Pick's is destined to remain a popular gathering spot for locals and tourists alike for many years to come.



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Farmyard Feed, owned by the Cook family, opened its doors 10 years ago, in April 2011. The Cook's goal at the very beginning was to provide a feed store for their household, local residents, ranchers and farmers who had no choice but to go to out of town to purchase their ranch feed, household pet food, supplies and stock.

When you stop by Farmyard Feed, you'll find Mary, Merilu, or Heather available to answer questions and help you find what you're looking for.

Just before the Covid-19 Pandemic, the Cooks added a small nursery to the back of the store. Featuring mostly succulents right now, it could easily be expanded. "We welcome small growers wishing to use our shop to sell, barter, or share produce which they have an over-abundance of. Hosting a local, grassroots produce exchange is also something Farmyard Feed is willing to do if there are individuals willing to organize and promote that effort," said owner and garden enthusiast Mai Cook.

In addition to having cage-free fresh eggs daily, Farmyard Feed also stocks pet birds, bearded dragon lizards, chickens and ducks and was just was chosen to be the area distributor for American Metal Buildings. There are many styles to choose from and prices include set-up and delivery.

And if having a feed, pet supply and small garden isn't enough, Fleur de Mai, a collection of gifts from all over the world, is also on the premises. Brought back from the family's travels, you'll find interesting clothes, accessories and a host of other gift ideas.

Come by, help them celebrate their 11th year and see what Farmyard Feed offers to the Cloverdale community. They're open Monday through Saturday at 27709 Dutcher Creek Road. For more information call 707-894-5992, or visit them on Facebook at Farmyard Feed and Country Store



Greg Carter
4/12/2021

The Carters moved to Cloverdale in 1998 . Greg was the original owner of Cloverdale Computer. He joined Kiwanis in 2005. He brought the Imagination Library to Cloverdale. In the last 10 years nearly 30,000 books have been given to local kids. Greg also joined Toastmasters, Friends of Lake Sonoma, Relay for Life, 4-H and Scouting. Over the years Lake Sonoma became his sanctuary, as he hiked and ran every trail. Fittingly his Celebration of Life will take place on June 27, at the South Lake Trailhead at Lake Sonoma 2 -5 P.M. This will be an open house style event and masks will be required. Greg is survived by his siblings Savannah and Stan, his wife Julie, his children Greg, Will and Clay, and grandson Ezra.

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Cloverdale Library News
Donna Romeo

Our Summer Reading Program runs from June 1 to August 14. We have over \$10,000 worth in prizes from local businesses! All you have to do is read to earn free books and be entered into our weekly drawings. We also have many virtual events offered for all ages and a family friendly virtual community scavenger hunt where you could win a Sonoma County Regional Parks pass! Please stop by the library to get our program of events. It's in English and Spanish and includes a reading log.

The library is now open longer hours for in-person express services. We are open on Monday and Tuesday from 1pm to 6pm and Wednesday through Saturday from 11am to 4pm. We still offer curbside service as well during our new open hours of 12pm to 6 pm on Mondays and Tuesdays and from 10am to 4pm Wednesdays through Saturdays. If you have any questions or want help registering for one of our events, please do not hesitate to come by or call us at 707 894-5271.

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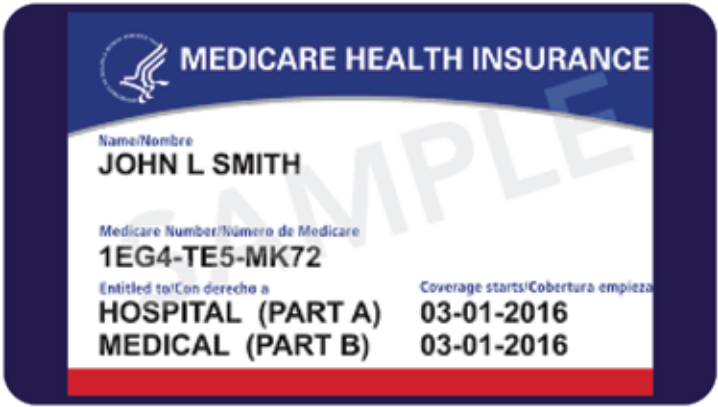
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June is Elder Abuse Awareness Month
Melanie Hall

Abuse. So many thoughts come in my mind when I hear this word. First I think of mistreatment in some form, emotionally, physically, financially and more. When this word is applied to a situation that a senior 65 years and older is involved in, it is heartbreaking on so many levels. Under California law, elder abuse can be both criminal and civil. Elder abuse can be neglect; this is a caregiver’s failure to provide assistance with basic needs such as cleanliness, healthy meals, shelter and keeping an elder safe. Abandonment of an elder who cannot properly take care of himself or herself, by a caregiver is another form of abuse as is isolation, and/or abduction. A caregiver can be family members, spouses, as well as paid staff. Some abuse can stem from a caregiver who just cannot handle the pressure and stress of taking care of someone who is frail and cannot help themselves. Last year in 2020 there were 111 reported cases of elder abuse in Cloverdale, remember what is reported is usually about a fifth of actual cases.

It is our responsibility to report elder abuse in its many forms. What can we do as a community to help support caregivers before they are so stressed that they do something they may regret? Here are some ideas; offer to sit with the elder so their caregiver can take a break, call and check in with the senior and caregiver, offer to run errands, or make a meal and deliver it to their home. I treasure the time we have with our elders and know we must keep them safe.

If you witness a case of elder abuse in the community call Adult Protective Services at 707-565-5940 or 800-667-0404



Let’s Travel
Craig Clark

Malta, a stunning island nation in the Mediterranean Sea, will pay you to visit this year. Opening June 1 to tourism, Malta’s travel incentives will offer vouchers for both hotels and diving excursions. If you’re interested in getting paid to stay in a hotel or dive off the coast of Malta, this might be for you. Travelers need a negative COVID-19 PCR test as of now, but it is expected that evidence of full vaccination will be sufficient in the near future. You can find up-to-date information on Malta’s Tourism Authority website, <https://www.mta.com.mt/en/home>

You can get a voucher for up to 100 Euros (\$120) per person for a hotel. The amount you’re eligible for will depend on the star-rating of the hotel and you must stay at least three nights to qualify for the incentive.

In May, the U.S. Senate approved the Alaska Tourism Recovery Act that would permit large cruise ships to operate cruises to Alaska this summer. The measure goes to the U.S. House for approval before it can be sent to President Joe Biden for his signature. The purpose of the effort was to circumvent the Canadian decision to close its ports to large cruise ships until 2022. Under the U.S. Passenger Vessel Services Act, all foreign flag passenger ships are required to stop at a foreign port when transporting American citizens between two U.S. ports. The large cruise ships traditionally have sailed either from the port of Vancouver, Canada, or Seattle, Washington on their summer cruise programs to Alaska. The closure of the Canadian ports was effectively blocking the cruise lines from Alaska this year.

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Power of a Backup Offer

Anne Miserlian Baker

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Why backup offers are great for sellers: First, a backup offer strengthens the seller's outlook. This mighty document can provide peace of mind to the seller regarding their choice of offers. If something happens to the first buyer, there is another buyer ready to close.

Second, the backup offer can shorten the timeline for the seller. If the current buyer cancels, the next buyer slips right in to purchase the home. The closing timeline can be very quick, especially with good communication between agents.

Third, a backup offer can stabilize mid-contract negotiations. Often, the seller's position prior to accepting an offer, is quite strong. However, once in contract, the buyer may require concessions that don't work for the seller. The backup offer again gives the seller strength with the alternate buyer ready to close.

Fortunately, the backup offer is also good for the backup buyer. If the original buyer cancels within the terms of the backup offer, this amazing instrument eliminates future competition for the backup buyer. The house doesn't go back on the market. Instead, the backup buyer immediately goes into contract. If you are lucky enough to win backup position number one, be happy, because you may just end up owning that home!



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Homeschooling

Jackie Yarbrough

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Some people choose a path similar to what is being offered in traditional schools, while others seek out alternatives such as Waldorf and Montessori. Some people kind of mix and match and ultimately design what works best for their family and kid/s. State standards are available to everyone to use as a guide.

Here are some great resources that I have used many times:

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The Creative Corner

Christy Latchford

Here in Cloverdale we are used to the heat when it starts to dominate our summer days. But, not all of us have been through tough droughts before and this summer promises sadly to be a doozy. So for those of us who have house plants, gardens, etc...a sense of panic can set in when we are told we will be expected to cut back 20-25% on our water usage.

No need to panic my plant loving friends! There are many simple ways we can save and repurpose our water that does not involve pickle barrels or heavy things to lift. They just involve utilizing a few strategically located containers and a willingness to adapt. My creative recommendations? A 5 gallon bucket for each shower(ACE sells them) and also a large container that can fit in your kitchen sink.

These two I am recommending as most can relate to having to let water run until it gets warm and having a vessel near each to catch the colder water can then be used for those cherished plant babies. Will you need to carry a heavy bucket? Heck no! The premise here is simply to catch water free of soaps and chemicals. Once in the bucket you can dip a smaller watering can, a ball jar, a plastic cup or whatever you have that can be dipped in and then carried to plants in need of a drink.

I challenge all to give it a try as you might find you are quite surprised at how much water is usually lost down the drain and how with a little adaptation we can not only help our plants survive this drought, but cut down on our water bills as well.



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Gina Berry, MS, RD, CLT

Last month we learned about probiotics, beneficial bacteria that live in our GI tracts. Probiotics need food to stay healthy so they can do their jobs. This food is called prebiotics! This term was not coined until 1995 and this relatively new concept is being studied as a way to manipulate the health of the good bacteria throughout our body. The most common prebiotics are soluble fibers like fructooligosaccharides, inulin, and galactooligosaccharides. Prebiotics are easy to get in regular everyday meals and snacks. No special food or supplements necessary!

Prebiotics are found in fruits and vegetables such as bananas, apples, onions, leeks, kale, asparagus, and artichokes. They are also in beans and lentils and whole grains such as oats, buckwheat, and corn. Kefir (a fermented dairy beverage) is great because it has both probiotics and prebiotics all in one healthy drink and you only need a couple ounces daily to get thousands of good bacteria.

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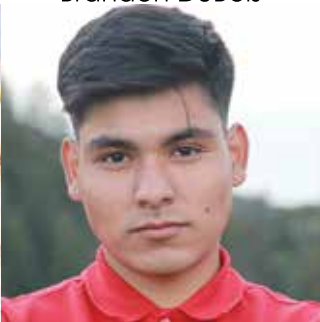
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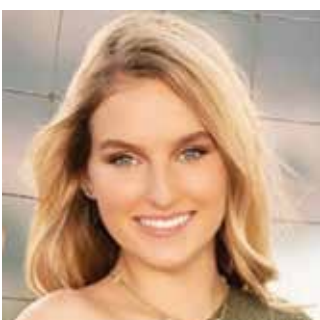
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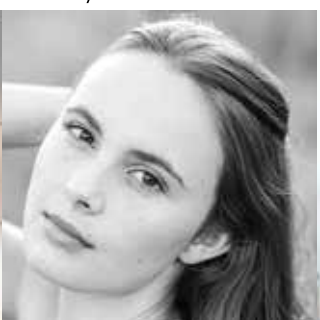
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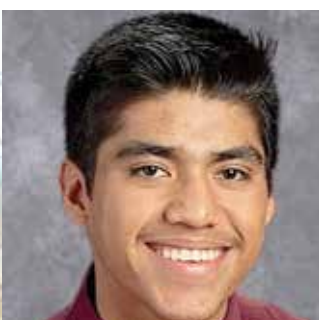
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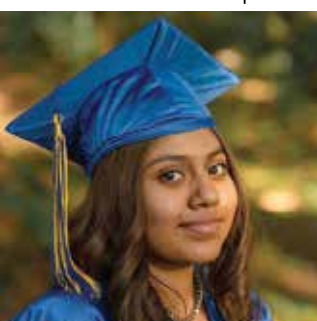
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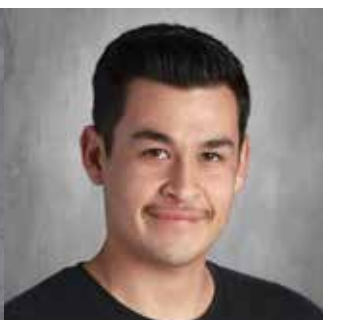
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Cloverdale Project Grad would like to thank our local businesses, service clubs, patrons and families that donated to our cause. It was through the support of their generous donations that we were able to raise enough funds to honor each graduate with an end of year celebratory gift. We appreciate all of your assistance over the past year. Thank You!



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"Congratulations Alyssa! We are so proud of you and all that you've accomplished at CHS. On to the next adventure!"

Love - Dad, Mom & Boys

"Grace Gloeckner, we are so proud of you!"

Congratulations to you and the rest of the CHS Senior Class 2021!"

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Father's Day Photo Album



Eric Nettleton - father of four, ICU RN, Rockstar and loving husband



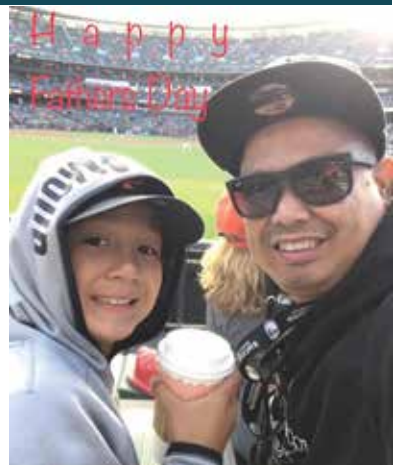
Johnny Butts, awesome Dad to Gwynn, Sydney and Ava.
Happy Fathers Day!



Feliciano Díaz, father of 13 wonderful children. Thank you for all you do. Feliz Día del padre, te queremos mucho



Joe Wedge and Domica Zytkevicz (Wedge) circa 1994



Thank you for all you do, Happy Father's Day Reggie Misa



Luis Lua a young father, who loves to spend time with his family and friends and help the community as much as he can.



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Matt Ostermann, is the most wonderful father. He is kind yet firm, hard working yet present, and so loving to his sons Noah (6) and Dylan (22). He is such a great Dad!



Nick and Asher

Father's Day Prize Package
One lucky entry will be chosen by random drawing as the winner of the prize package courtesy of our participating sponsors:
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Our dad, Joe Giovannetti, one of the best! He'd give you the shirt off his back & ask you if you wanted the one in his closet!



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Lucky to have 3 generations of dads in our family living in a few houses all on the same street in Cloverdale for the last 8 years - Bob Vaillette, Kieran Buckley & Ron Timms



Mason and Kevin Kostoff



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Zac Lewis and the twins 12



Sean Haynes and his boys Spencer and Nicky



Our names are Danielle and John and this is our dad Danny. He is hardworking and even volunteers a lot in Cloverdale. We love him tons



Tim with sons Rhys and Leighton

Father's Day Photo Album



Aaron you are such an amazing dad, Jack is so lucky to have you!



Agrid with his daughter Lydia



Best Dad Ryan Hall



Annika and Kenyon Lewis



Chad Zytkevicz with Harper and Ryan



Braden Moffett and our kids Alyssa, Ryan & Jason



Chester Breazeale long time resident of Cloverdale and his 3 granddaughters Shelley, Rori and Kacie



Ellie Roe (Mom), Gracie Roe (Niece), Ralph Roe (Dad)



David Toews



Albert Azcarate, May 21st took his final breath. Dad we will continue to remember your teachings, your humor and hugs. See you in Heaven

June Word Match Game

Match the words on the left side to its match on the right side.

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| 1. Boots, work clothes | A. Sonoma County Library |
| 2. Networking, Events | B. Cloverdale Connect |
| 3. Summer Evening Fun | C. Management Connections |
| 4. Ribbons, Fabric, Thread | D. Ray's Food Place |
| 5. Senior Advocacy, Activities | E. The Outpost |
| 6. Books, Magazines, Internet | F. Chamber of Commerce |
| 7. Stylish Eyeglasses, Sunglasses | G. Friday Night Live |
| 8. Jobs, Careers | H. Kiwanis |
| 9. Pizza, Beer, Salads | I. Papa's Pizza |
| 10. Groceries, Deli, Bakery, Wine | J. Cloverdale Senior Center |
| 11. Auto Repair | K. Creative Notions |
| 12. Community Paper | L. I.SEE Optical |
| 13. See's Candy | M. Cloverdale Automotive |

Food for Hope Michele Armanino

Back in 1989, Betty Kunakov, a Cloverdale resident, felt a need to help feed the less fortunate folks in her town. A meeting of concerned citizens culminated into the creation of The Cloverdale Food Pantry located in a shed alongside the United Church of Cloverdale (Ivy Church.) Thirty-two years later, the pantry is still thriving at its current location at 202 Commercial Street.

"Ninety-nine percent of all donations come from within our own generous community!" Betty exclaimed. Every four months, each of the four entities (Living Water Church, St. Peter's, Ivy Church and Kiwanis Club) that support the Food Pantry, take a turn collecting and distributing food to approximately forty to eighty people each Friday between 1-3 p.m.

Carolyn Talvitie, a Cloverdale Food Pantry board member, commented that during the Pandemic, a safe drive through was arranged each week so that people could continue receiving their staples. "No one should ever go hungry," Carolyn emphasized.

Cloverdale Food Pantry is thankful for the local businesses who donate to their cause, such as: Dahlia and Sage, Rays, The Grocery Outlet, Panaderia El Palomo Bakery, Redwood Empire Food Bank, Costeaux Bakery and locals with gardens and citrus trees! A number of people aided by the pantry's services now volunteer at the facility assuring that the cycle of kindness continues. They know that food generates hope.

Congratulations to the class of 2021!



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Bicycle Rodeo & Safety Day Coming in July

Last year, David Maciel began restoring bicycles and passing them along to those in need. He has now renovated countless bicycles and has put smiles on the faces of so many kids in our community. What began as a humble hobby has been the catalyst for a big event coming this summer.

On Saturday July 17th from 9AM to 1PM, the Bicycle Rodeo & Safety Day, a free event, will be held at the Cloverdale Citrus Fair. This event is hosted by the Cloverdale Chamber of Commerce and Jane & Ron Pavelka. Participants are the Cloverdale Chamber of Commerce, Cloverdale Police Department, Northern Sonoma County Fire (formerly the Cloverdale Fire Dept), Sonoma County Sheriff's Dept., Sonoma County Bicycle Coalition and Second Life Bicycle Rescue, along with exclusive media sponsor, Cloverdale Connect. Bike helmets will be available. In addition, the CHP will be conducting and installing car seats for kids as well. More details coming soon.



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Cloverdale Arts Alliance Gallery Presents "IMPRESSION"

The Cloverdale Arts Alliance Gallery, located at 204 North Cloverdale Blvd., is reopening, and offering its latest art exhibition, "IMPRESSION," beginning June 5, 2021. Due to COVID-19 guidance, there will not be an opening reception for the exhibition. Gallery hours are 11am to 5pm on Saturday and Sunday.

Guest artists for this exhibit are Spencer Brewer, Assemblage, Esther Siegel, Assemblage, and Jenny Lynn Hall, Plaster/Oil Abstract Painting. Resident artists are Laura Paine Carr, Jane Gardner, Pamela Heck, Terry Holleman, and Hanya Popova Parker. Pamela Heck, Acrylic Painting/Mixed Media, is the featured resident artist for "IMPRESSION". For more information, visit <http://www.cloverdaleartsalliance.org>.

Cloverdale Lions Father's Day Drive Thru Breakfast

Don't miss the Cloverdale Lions Club Father's Day breakfast on Sunday June 20th. This year it will be a drive thru event at the Cloverdale Citrus Fair. Drive thru hours are 8am until 11am with scrambled eggs, pancakes and sausage. Cost is \$8.00 per person, \$5.00 for children under 12 years old.

Friday Night Live At The Plaza Weekly Concerts

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.**

What happens in Cloverdale when you call 911?

Louise Young

Our town is fortunate to have an ambulance service all to itself. Before you call 911, make sure it's a real medical emergency. If you want to report a threat or a crime, call the police. That phone number is 707- 894-2150. If you want to report a fire, call the fire Department at 707-894-3545. Often in emergencies other than medical, people call 911 when they could call the service they need directly, thus keeping the 911 line open for medical emergencies.

What's a medical emergency? When someone is hurt in an accident or attack, when a person is threatened with physical harm, or when someone at home is in need of trained help that you are not able to provide, that's when to call 911.

When you call 911 in Cloverdale, first to arrive on the scene will be the Cloverdale Fire Department. There is a qualified EMT on every shift, ready to answer 911 calls. Soon to follow is the Cloverdale Ambulance, which is staffed with a qualified paramedic and an EMT 24/7. It is housed in downtown Cloverdale, making it readily available to anyone in town. If the Cloverdale Ambulance is out on another call and unavailable, Bell's ambulance will be dispatched from Healdsburg when needed. In either case your person will be transported to the hospital of his or her choice.

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From the Board

It is with disappointment that we announce that CPL will not be able to hold our traditional league play this Summer due to extremely low numbers of players. In all 4 divisions of play (T-ball through Majors) we did not have enough girls to have even two teams in order to make any sort of league play happen.

The Board will be meeting to discuss various possibilities so that we can still offer up some sort of softball to our kiddos this year which could include:

- Possibility of a Travel team that would practice here in town, and travel to local tournaments
- Skills Clinics (by age group/skill level)
- Softball Camp

As soon as we can determine what the possibility of the Travel Ball teams will be, we will be contacting all of those who submitted registration forms with more information.

For those 2020 registrants who chose to roll over your registration fees to the 2021 season, we will now offer up the opportunity to refund your fees.

We appreciate all of our CPL families, our volunteers, our Board members, and appreciate everyone hanging in with us until we can come together again in league play next year.

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Loren Madsen, "Best of Show" Winner

Loren Madsen of Laytonville, has a unique sculpture, "Nests", as part of the Cloverdale Sculpture Trail, in front of the Cloverdale Nursery on Cloverdale Blvd. near Citrus Fair Dr. "Nests" consists of several elements, cylindrical "bases" and tear-drop-shaped pieces which nest in the vertical cylinders. All were turned by Loren on his homemade wood lathe. The composition of the sculpture is Douglas fir and its dimensions are 8' high x 8' 10"


x 8' 10". The sponsor of "Nests", Best of Show winner, is Marne Dupere of 14 Ft.

Madsen is known for his data-driven and statistical sculptures, he also enjoys "making" things. A move to Northern California inspired him to make sculptures from the trees on his property. According to Loren, "Since the mid-1990s I've worked in two areas: data-based sculptures and also somewhat traditional expressive abstract pieces. As the data-based works require lengthy fine-focused efforts, the more expressive pieces are a relief and a joy. I am delighted to share them.

For more information visit www.cloverdalesculpturetrail.org. At the web site there is a map with the location of the sculptures exhibiting in the Sculpture Trail, which is a year-round exhibit.

May Weather Recap for Cloverdale

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- Two white or brown mushrooms diced
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- 1/3 cup shredded cheddar cheese
- Pinch of salt & pepper

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To grill, sear the outside of the patty on direct heat for one to two minutes just enough to brown the outside. Then finish indirect until the center of the patty presses firmly. About 5 to 6 minutes. You can also do these on the stovetop in a pan & finish in the oven on 375 degrees

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