

BOLINAS HEARSAY NEWS

Friday, June 10th, 2016

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WHAT'S HAPPENING??

Friday, June 10

WHITHERWARD acoustic music @
Smiley's, 9pm, cover.

Saturday, June 11

SOUP SATURDAY free lunch, St Aidan's,
noon. All welcome.

URBAN GRASS reggae-grass music @
Smiley's, 9pm, cover.

Sunday, June 12

SUN FESTIVAL AND BABY BLESSING
Wharf Road Beach, Gathering 10:30am,
Ceremony at 11 am followed by Grand Pot
Luck at Downtown Park.

OVANDO Live low-fi folk music @
smiley's, 8pm, no cover.

Monday, June 13

MESA PARK BOARD MEETING
Firehouse Community Room 7pm

Tuesday, June 14

**RISE & SHINE RADIO SHOW ON
KWMR**

With Mary Siedman and Amber Distassi.
This week's special musical guests: SOL
DOC from 8-9am

CRAFTERNOONS AT THE COMMONS
Come work on your stuff with friends at the
Bolinas Commons, 3pm

Wednesday, June 15

BCPUD MEETING
270 Elm Road, 7pm

Thursday, June 16

ADULT COLORING IN THE LIBRARY.
7pm. free event, supplies and treats provided.
come draw in this fun evening!

Friday, June 17

ELECT TO LAUGH
Comedy show with Will Durst, Community
Center

DALE POLISSAR & SI PERKOFF
Mellow Jazz at Tony's Seafood, Marshall 6-
8pm

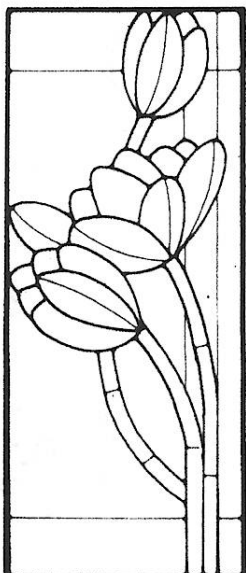
What's Happening cont. inside

HAPPY HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!

June 10: Ben Pfeiffer
Timo Brown

June 11: Burr Heneman

June 12: Mickey Earl Sobel
Robert Dun
Patty Smith
Gabrielle Mitrany
Jon Moore
Ed Chiera



THIS SUNDAY JUNE 12th

STARTING WITH A BABY BLESSING AT 10:30 AM

on the Wharf Road End of the Beach, followed by food,
festivities and May Pole at the Downtown Park. You should bring
water, shade, ground cloths, musical instruments, masks, costumes
etc, and food for the pizza oven later in the park. This year's
Beautiful poster art was drawn by Ananda.

-Jeff Manson, Friday Ed.

TODAY'S HEARSAY BROUGHT TO YOU BY:

(((JEFF MANSON: PASTE-UP)))

(((KATHLEEN O'NEILL: ADS)))

(((LEANNE KRIZ: PRESS & DIST.)))

(((MICHAEL RAFFERTY: FOUNDER & PUBLISHER)))

& You: Everyone is a Reporter!

what's happening

Saturday, June 18

READ TO A DOG

Share a book at the Bolinas Library, 11 am

Sunday, June 19

COMMUNITY BLESSING FOR OUR WATER

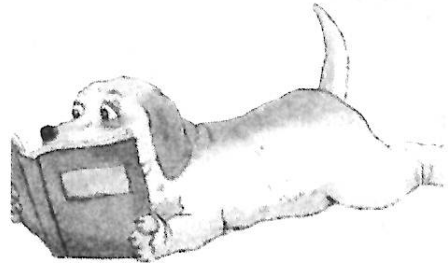
Meet in the Pt. Blue Palomarin Field Station ("PRBO") parking lot on Mesa Road at 9am

Tuesday, June 21

OPENING DAY of Faultline Institute's summer term. everyone is a teacher, everyone is a student: bolinascommons.org/faultline

MARIN COUNTY
FREE LIBRARY

**READ TO A DOG
SHARE A BOOK
AT THE BOLINAS LIBRARY**



**SIGN UP AT DESK OR JUST COME ON IN
SATURDAY, JUNE 18th at 11AM**

All Library events are free. Call 415 868 1171 or visit www.marinlibrary.org

Requests for accommodations may be made by calling (415) 471-3220, using TTY or TDD for the California Relay Service or Emailing library@marincounty.org at least four work days in advance of the event.



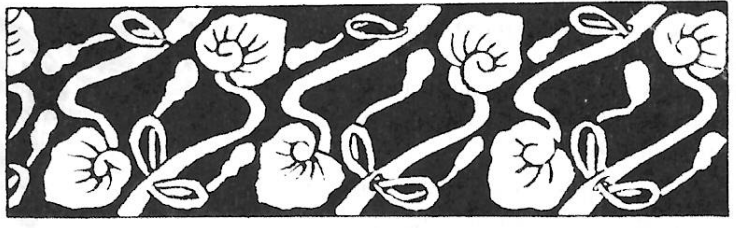
This (Thursday) morning one of the huge dump trucks doing the road work on Highway 1 flipped over in front of the gates of Martin Griffin Preserve (Audubon Canyon Ranch) along Bolinas Lagoon. Staff members Leslie Melendy and Yvonne Pierce were out on the highway, assisting with directing traffic. All traffic in both directions (was) closed for several hours.

Cheers,

Wendy Coy | Communications Manager | ACR



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READING TO JOHN


On Tues. 6/14 at 10 am on KWMR (89.9) I'll read that piece on tanning road kill hides I didn't get to last time, plus a story from Aggie Murch's new book about a doctor who finally faces mortality up close and personal. I'll end with reviews.

--Neshama Franklin

"I can see again!"

**CLEAR LIGHT
WINDOW WASHING**

**Call Dale
415/868-0782**

PRECIOUS RESOURCE, WATER 

Living with finite resources – in particular, Water – is not a new idea in Bolinas. We are a community that as been grappling with what “sustainable” means for a long time.

The visionaries who managed to gain control of the BCPUD after the oil spill, realized that there was a limited supply of water available. In November of 1971 they instituted a moratorium on new water permits, which halted the construction of new homes. In 1990, the BCPUD enacted a moratorium on new sewer connections, to address the limited capacity of the sewage collection system.

Our gratitude for this place, this community, and the small creek that supplies most of the water for our town is a beautiful thing to express collectively.

Please join us for the Water Blessing on Sunday, June 19, 9 AM - meeting at the Palomarin Field Station on Mesa road, then heading down to the creek from there.

With Gratitude for Water,
Lea Earnheart & Alethea Patton



ATTENTION ALL BABIES AND SMALL CHILDREN !!!

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BRING YOUR PARENTS TO WHARF ROAD BEACH JUNE 12TH, WHERE WE WILL THEN GATHER FOR MORNING GREETINGS AT 10:30 AM, WITH AN ENSUING CEREMONY THAT STARTS AT 11:00 AM..

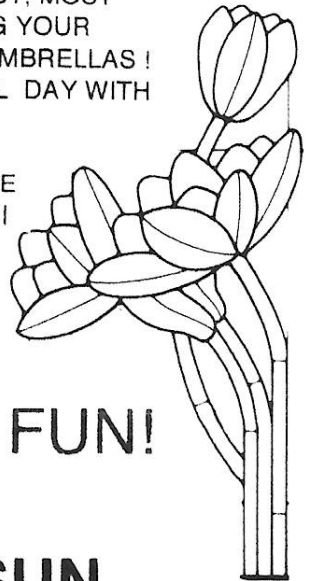
THIS IS OUR ANNUAL RITUAL FOR BLESSING AND WELCOMING ALL YOU NEW SOULS INTO OUR BEAUTIFUL COMMUNITY OF BOLINAS !AFTER THE CEREMONY, EACH CHILD WILL BE GIVEN A HAND-MADE BLESSING BAG FILLED WITH A PRAYER AND SMALL TREASURES.

THEN ALL OF US WILL PARADE TO OUR DOWN-TOWN PARK FOR A GRAND POTLUCK PLUS PIZZA- FIRED OVEN ! AFTER THE FEAST, THERE WILL BE A MAY POLE FOR EVERYONE'S ENJOYMENT !

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PLEASE WEAR YOUR BRIGHTEST, MOST FESTIVE CLOTHING, AND BRING YOUR MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS AND UMBRELLAS ! COME AND SHARE THIS JOYFUL DAY WITH US AS A COMMUNITY !

PEACE AND LOVE
MARY AND MAGI
BARROR



COME HAVE FUN!
AT THE
**FLOATING SUN
FESTIVAL AND
BABY BLESSING**
10:30 GATHERING
WHARF RD. BEACH
- BABY BLESSING
THEN PROCESSION
TO THE PARK FOR
-POTLUCK, MUSIC
COMMUNITY!



Hello All!

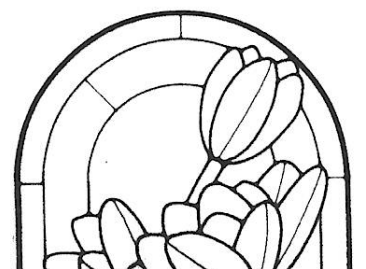
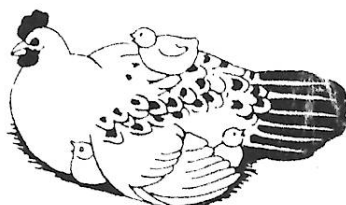
Attached is picture of some of us who marched in the Western Weekend Parade wearing the colors of CERT and WMDC...next year ??

Anne Sands

From Left to Right:

Gregory DeMascio (CERT and KWMR), Marty Frankel (Marin Medical Reserve Corps), Ann Griffin (CERT and Point Reyes Disaster Council), Lynn Axelrod (Point Reyes DC Coordinator), Kathy Hunting (CERT and Pt Reyes DC) and Anne Sands (Bolinas DC, CERT Coordinator for Zone 5 and West Marin Disaster Council Coordinator).

PHOTO CREDIT to Dave Mitchell



BOLINAS COMMUNITY PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT

BOX 390 270 ELM ROAD BOLINAS,
CALIFORNIA 94924 415 868 1224



A Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors
June 15, 2016 7:30 p.m.

1. Call to Order.
2. Roll.
3. Manager's Report.
 - Update on the Wharf Road Lift Station Pump Replacement Project.
 - Update on the BCPUD Chlorine Disinfection Byproduct Reduction Project: Limited Duration Employment Agreement with Lewie Likover for FY 2016-17.
 - Update on BCPUD/BFPD Survey of Obstructions and Encroachments in the Public Rights-of-Way on the Bolinas Mesa.
 - Drainage Project Manager's Report.
4. Public Hearing: Draft Fiscal Year 2016-17 District Budget.
5. Community Expression.
6. Request for Financial Relief from Quarterly Water Bill pursuant to BCPUD Resolution 553 - 420 Overlook Road (N. Sweet).
7. King Coastal Permit and Well Drilling Application - 350 Lauff Ranch Road, Bolinas.
8. Segal Variance and Tidelands Permit, APN # 193-082-07, 105 Wharf Road (to raise existing structure).
9. Master Improvement Plan (Phase 1) for the BCPUD Wastewater Treatment and Disposal System (B. Green, Oswald Green Technologies, Inc. and R. Dawyot, Allied Engineers, Inc.)
9. Water Supply Update.
10. Volunteer Committee Reports.
 - Bolinas Lagoon Advisory Committee:
 - Downtown Parking & Traffic Committee: *Appointment of Leila Monroe.*
 - Resource Recovery: *Memorandum of Understanding between the BCPUD, Bolinas Fire Protection District, Stinson Beach County Water District and Stinson Beach Fire Protection District Concerning Payment of Permit Costs for the Resource Recovery Center.*
 - West Marin Mosquito Control Coordinating Council:
 - Land Stewardship Committee: *Exercise of Option to Renew Lease on Sewer Pond Lands - Mickey Murch.*
11. Other Business.
 - a. Board Committee Reports.
 - Finance: *Engagement Letter from Doran & Associates for FY 2015-16 Audit.*
 - Legal:
 - Mesa Septic, Flood Control and Roads:
 - Operations:
 - Park and Recreation:
 - Personnel:
 - Sewer:
 - b. Minutes of the May 18, 2016 regular Board meeting.
 - c. Warrants.
 - d. Scheduling of Next Meeting(s):
12. Adjournment.



Sing It!

by StuArt

Mark Butler and I were talking about the upcoming Sun Festival.

"Would you write a song to welcome the babies during the baby blessing?" Mark asked.

"Yes, of course." I answered without hesitation as I remembered the spontaneous song that happened a couple of years ago.

Tom D'Onofrio was still with us, and he was carrying the babies around the circle to allow the townspeople to welcome them to Bolinas. I was walking beside Tom shouting out the babies' names to the crowd and strumming fandangos on my guitar. I felt the strumming increased the pomp and pleasure of welcoming the babies.

"Sing it!" Melinda shouted at me at the start of the second go-round.

"Sing it?" I questioned as I strummed and shouted the babies' names.

Is there a song here? I thought to myself.

Part of me seemed to detach from the frenzy and listen carefully. I heard the babies' names being shouted out and the cheers of the crowd. And of course there was the guitar with its own, incessant fandangos. I listened carefully amidst the tumult.

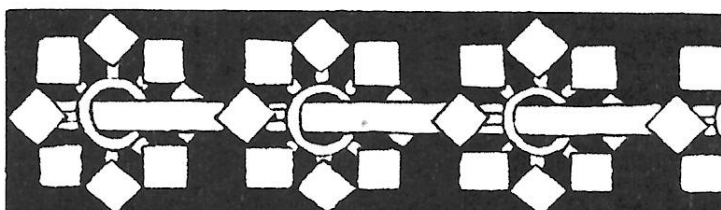
The song was already there. By the third go-round I was singing the names and "Welcome to Bolinas."

By the fourth go-round the crowd was singing along with me. And every go-round it got better and better.

It was too much: the joyous singing and welcoming of the newborn and the beautiful Community Circle gathered on the Holy Beach.

It was too much, and I dissolved into blissful, ecstatic reunification with the absolute.

Let's do it again Sunday.



BOLINAS COMMUNITY PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT

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There will be a Public Hearing on the proposed FY 2016-17 operating budget of the Bolinas Community Public Utility District at 7:30 p.m. on June 15, 2016, at the District office, 270 Elm Road, Bolinas. Interested members of the community are encouraged to attend the hearing.

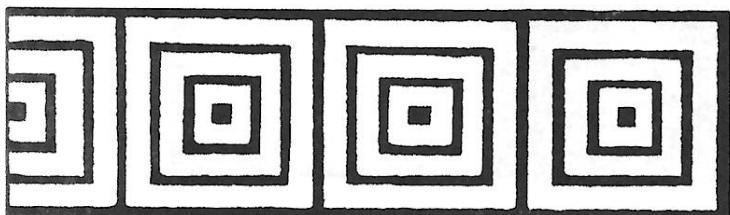
Adoption of the budget will be on the agenda of the July 20, 2016 meeting of the District's Board of Directors. A draft of the proposed budget is available for inspection at the District office Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. It is also available on the District's website at www.bcpud.org.

Jennifer Blackman
 General Manager

SOL DOC on the RISE & SHINE SHOW Tuesday, June 14 - 8-9 AM KWMR - COMMUNITY RADIO



submitted by Mary Siedman



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EAC Annual Member's Meeting and Dinner

2016 Friday, June 10, 5:00 PM

For more information, visit
<http://eacmarin.org/>

12x12 Art Exhibit & Silent Auction - Closing Party Sunday, June 12, 2:00 PM

Free This is our third year featuring the 12 x 12 Art Show, and it's thriving! Local artists donate works of art measuring approximately 12" by 12" for a silent auction to benefit the Dance Palace. You'll find photography, fiber art, painting, collage, watercolors, and mixed media, all created locally and lovingly. Take a look when you're in the area, place bids on your favorite pices, and then join us for a reception on Sunday, June 12, for the closing party, with light refreshments and some last-minute competitive bidding!

POINT REYES BOOKS

Training in Compassion
 A Study & Reflection Group with
 Elizabeth River & Jaune Evans
 Saturday, June 18, 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.
 Point Reyes Presbyterian Church

Kate Levinson
 An Emotional Currency Workshop™
 Saturday, June 25, 10:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
 San Rafael
 Tickets: \$125

Stephen Jenkinson author of DIE WISE
 Wednesday, July 27, 7:00 p.m.
 Point Reyes Presbyterian Church

Patricia Holt's "Contemporary Classics"
 Monthly Book Discussion Group
The Knockoff by Rhonda Pollero
 Tuesday, June 28 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.
 Bookstore



Jacob Needleman author of
I Am Not I
 Reading & Conversation
 Saturday, June 25, 7:00 p.m.
 Point Reyes
 Presbyterian Church
 Free event.

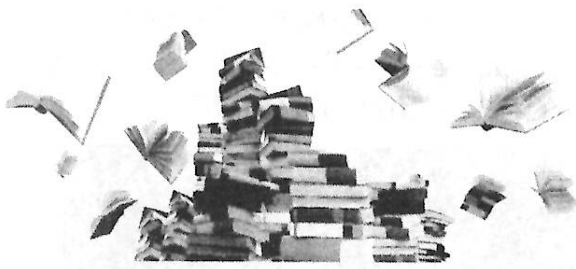
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For more information on these and other events, visit www.ptreyesbooks.com



NOTICE: BOLINAS BOOK EXCHANGE IS STILL NOT ACCEPTING BOOK DONATIONS FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE!!!

Many of you are probably familiar with our 10 year+ honor system/donation based/book exchange, which continues to keep its doors open thanks to the support from folks like yourself!

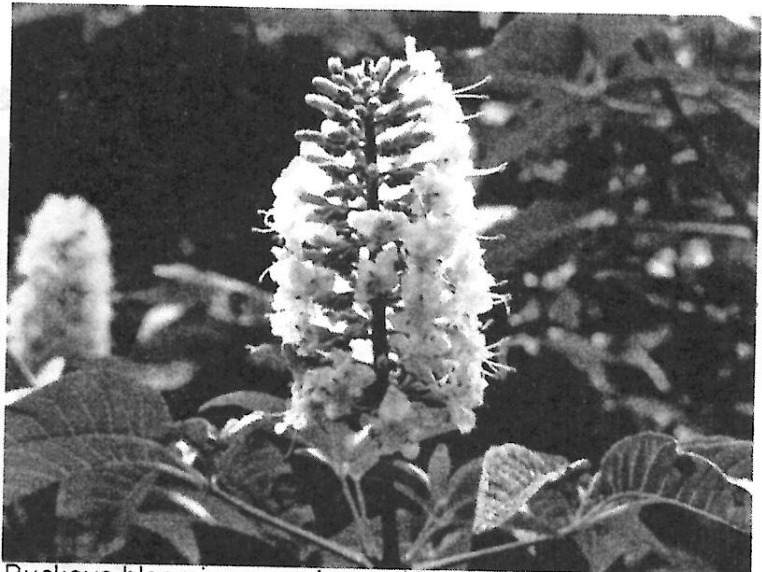
This volunteer operation loves and depends on your book donations, but for the rest of the month of June we please ask to hold off on bringing your boxes down. We are lost in a jungle of books right now and need a moment to catch up.

Word about the book donation process; TO KEEP IN MIND WHEN WE OPEN THE BEADED CURTAINS AGAIN-


Usually we ask donations be brought to the back room where we further sort. We would kindly like to ask that as you give us your old treasures to do a little weeding yourself before they end up with us, using our best judgement whether or not they would be a good fit for the store; damaged/moldy/ torn covers/old year books/out of date manuals/ grocery receipts/ greeting cards/ you get the idea- might not make it to our shelves.

HELP US!!!

Love the Book Exchange? Become a bookstore angel, help shelf and get first dibs on great material.....contact Van 9078 or if you bump into Melinda, Jeff, Ananda or Perry let them know! Thanks!



Buckeye blooming near Arroyo Hondo Photo by Vicki Hall



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BOLINAS FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NOTICE OF ADOPTION PRELIMINARY BUDGET FISCAL YEAR 2016-2017

Notice is hereby given that the Bolinas Fire Protection District has adopted a preliminary budget for the FY2016-2017. It will be available at the Bolinas Fire Station at 100 Mesa Road on June 13th - June 17th between the hours of 9 AM to 4 PM for public viewing.

Notice is further given that on June 27, 2016 at 7:00 PM at the Bolinas Fire Station located at 100 Mesa Road the Bolinas Fire Protection District Board of Directors will be fixing the final budget for the year 2016-2017 at their regular meeting in accordance with Section 139003 Health and Safety Code. Any person may appear and be heard regarding the increase, decrease or omission of any item of the budget or the inclusion of additional items.

Anita Tyrrell-Brown
Fire Chief
Bolinas Fire Protection District



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Firehouse Community Park Agency
Mesa Park Board Meeting
June 13th , 2016 7 PM
Bolinas Firehouse Community Room
Contact: mesaparkboard@gmail.com

Call to Order:

Board Members Present:

Others Present:

Community Expression:

- 1.

Downtown Park:

1. Center post to replace chain pricing
2. Swivel fitting replacement for backflow pump
3. Order hand dryers for bathrooms

Mesa Park:

1. Norcal well quote for fixing backflow
2. Order new cap for water tank, there is a hole in the lid

Treasurer's Report:

1. Measure for the next election: Could we ask Jane to help us. Mark and Victoria will subcommittee about wording and applying for the election. Charles will, at the same time, talk to Jack about more private funding.
2. Mesa Electric payment.

Old News:

1. Website Completion
2. Need to run an ad for bathroom maintenance twice a week 4hrs a week. Respond to weekend calls as well as sick time. Contract only.

Other:

- 1.

Approve Warrants:

1. Total \$3911.25

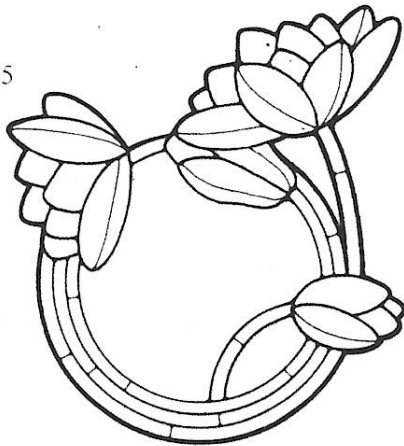
Approve Minutes:

Next Meeting:

July 11th

Meeting adjourned:

-Victoria Maier



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KB 6/17

WANTED

A PAIR OS SOLID DOORS (NO HOLLOW CORE)
for Freebox. Approximately 30 x 80 inches.
Please contact SuArt -6927

SC 6/10

LOOKING FOR RED BRICKS
Ilka Hartman-868-0419

IH 6/10

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR DATA COLLECTION IN
Bolinas, please contact: boparkingcommittee@gmail.com
to sign up and help your community!
Contact information: Liza Sternik, 90 Oak Road, Bolinas, Ca.
94924 or 415-656-6004 or boparkingcommittee@gmail.com

LS 6/20

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LOST AND FOUND

FOUND: FISHING GEAR ON BEACH.

Give description of what you lost and it's yours. - 302-0426

C6/8

FOUND: DARK BLUE HOODIE WITH PAIR OF socks
applique and small dark blue woman's top-long sleeves, high
neck in dirt road. if yours, call 415-301-0776

JL 5/23

LOST: SNARE DRUM LOST ON ELM STREET

Possibly on way to Grateful Dead night Friday 5/13. It was
believed to have been moved to the side of the road on Elm
Street sometime that day. If you found it please let me know-
415-672-9764. Poor little drummer boy

CC 5/16

LOST: CASHMERE & WOOL GREY ZIP UP SWEATER

made by Michael Starrs on beach Friday 5/6. Please call
Sehehera @ 868-0321 if found

SVD 5/9

LOST RING, GOLD WITH LIGHT GREEN STONE.

I've looked everywhere so guessing lost last week or so of April.
Downtown, little mesa loop, burnt park, library, book exchange,
people's store plaza areas. 415-342-7369

NC 5/6

LOST: DARK FEDORA CLASSIC MEN'S SMALL BRIM

hat- small reward. Call 868-0778

DA 5/2

CLASSES



Weekly Classes and Events Schedule

MONDAY

Somatic Exercise w/ Cenize Rodriguez 8:45 - 10:00am
Bo Babies & Toddlers Open Play Group (free) 10:00 - Noon
Modern Dance for Youth w/ Lisa Townsend 3:30-5:20 pm
Pilates w/ Lisa Townsend (pre-register 868-0473) 5:30-6:30 pm
Yoga w/ Angela Sterpka 7:00-8:15 pm

TUESDAY

Senior Stretch w/ Anna Gottreich 11:00 - 12:00 pm
Aerial Arts for Youth 3:30 - 6:00 pm

WEDNESDAY

Pilates w/ Lisa Townsend 8:30 - 9:45 am
After-School Theater w/ Lisa 3:30 - 6:00 pm
Diaspora w/ Amber Hines 6:30 - 8:00 pm

pm

THURSDAY

USDA food bank 12 noon
Congolese Dance w/ Sandor 6:00 - 7:30 pm

FRIDAY

Pilates Mat Class w/ Lisa Townsend 9:00 - 10:00 am
Ballet w/ Erika Townsend (no class 4th Fridays) 10:30-12:00pm
No Place Like Home (Free Brunch 4th Fri of Month) 10:30 - 11:30 pm

SATURDAY

Diaspora Dance w/ Amber Hines 9:00 - 10:30 am
LTDCo w/ Lisa 10:45 - 12:30pm

SUNDAY

Brazilian Dance with Anna Gottreich 11:00 - 12:15 pm
CommUnity Night (see website for details) Noon - 6:00 pm

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Healing is a two-way street. We can *cure* illness at a physical level with supplements, drugs, and technologies, but I believe we can only truly *heal* at the spiritual level. Physical conditions are a gift from spirit to help us understand what is occurring spiritually that requires our attention. That is the beauty of illness. Although there is suffering involved, that is how we are built. Our physical, mental, emotional, and spiritual lives are ultimately an opportunity to return to wholeness.

This approach is not for everyone. If one only sees life as physicality on the material plane, then this may not make a great deal of sense. However, if someone is attuned to the spiritual dimension, then an openness to this approach provides food for thought.

Perhaps our most important and meaningful purpose on earth is to grow spiritually. We all have spiritual work to do, and we know it. Although there is a tendency to romanticize these efforts, spiritual growth is not usually easy. If we can truly understand and accept this, that may allow the inherent suffering associated with this growth to become more of an option, rather than a requirement. This makes it possible to find joy in the process of shifting our focus from our own narcissistic needs to sharing, giving, and loving unconditionally to make others happy. If the underlying energy of the universe is love, then it makes perfect sense that we are simply the consciousness of the universe reflected upon itself.

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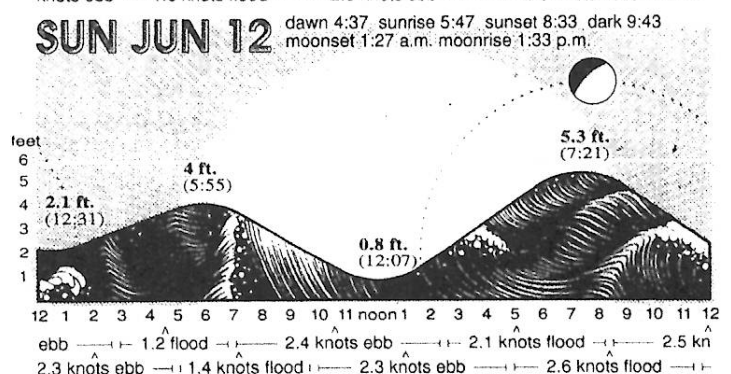
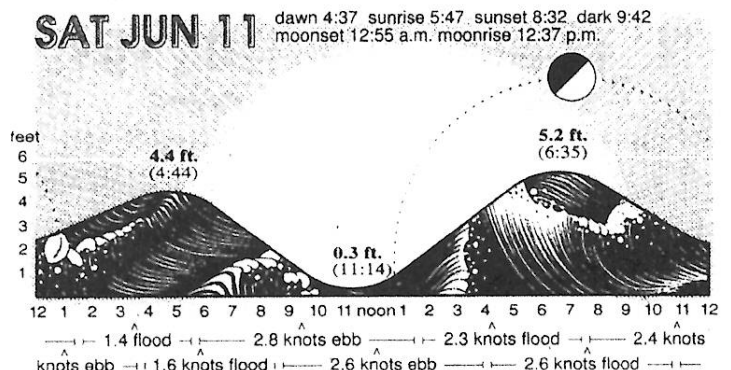
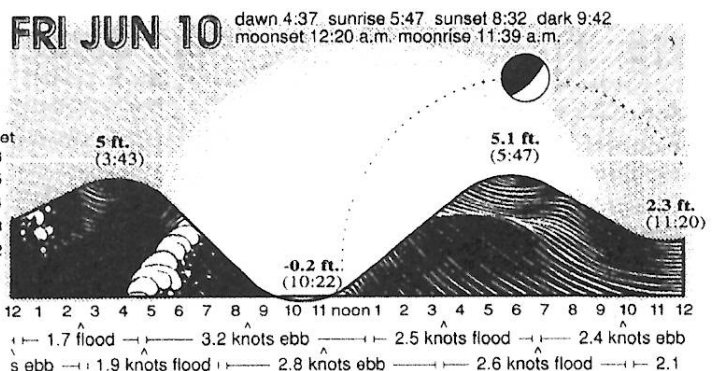
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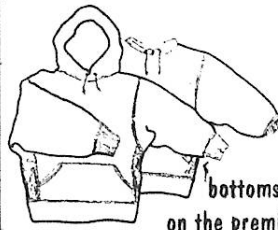
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