What's Happening?

Tuesday, March 30
Abatement and Demolition Update from the College of Marin regarding the Bolinas Marine Science Laboratory. 6-7pm via Zoom. Meeting ID: 951 36098 1714

April 12
Hearing Date for BCLT 31 Wharf Project. Time TBD; more info inside.

Inside

Stephen Ratcliffe sent us a poem!

Marin moves from Red Tier to Orange Tier (What does that mean? Look inside)

County offers rental assistance on unpaid rent; applications open now.

The Bolinas Hearsay News is produced on the ancestral occupied territories of the Coast Miwok Peoples. The Hearsay recognizes the genocide of Indigenous Peoples in California and the systemic inequities that persist today because of our past and present state of colonialism. —Submitted by Editor
Happy Birthday!

March 24
Lawrence Ferlinghetti (remembered)
Paul McDowell
Jackie Aver
Neshama Franklin
Sara Trivelpiece

March 25
Petrona Matzar
Alexander Brebner
Laura Lee Miller
Lauren Pollock

March 26
Annika Hogan
Io McNaughten
Robbie Rushke

Visit www.thenewblackbartpoetriesociety.wordpress.com to see an expansive tribute to Joanne Kyger on the fourth anniversary of her transit, lovingly put together by Sara Safdie. Thank you to StuArt for the heads up.
—Submitted by Nicole Lavelle

Dear friends and neighbors,

The hearing date for the coastal permit for the BCLT project at 31 Wharf Road has been scheduled for April 12, the time is yet to be released, but we expect it to be in the afternoon.

This hearing will be held over zoom and we would like to encourage people in support of the project to attend and speak to why you are in favor of the project.

If you have yet to send in a letter of support, please do so as soon as possible! Letters can be sent to mlevenson@marincounty.org. Please send letters in by no later than April 10.

If you are interested in joining the meeting you can find the meeting link and timeframe on the day of on the County of Marin website.

As always thank you for your support of the BCLT and dedication to the Bolinas Community.

—BCLT Staff

Submitted by Evan Wilhelm

Interviewees Wanted

Do you have a strong opinion regarding the existing Eucalyptus trees in Bolinas that you would like to share?

To Whom It May Concern,

We are reaching out on behalf of the Tamalpais High School Academy of Integrated Media (AIM). The AIM Program is a two-year program for Juniors and Seniors to learn about video editing software and the process of documentary making. This semester we are excited to start working on our first big documentary project of the year.

Our group will be investigating the Eucalyptus trees in Bolinas and how they contribute to fire danger. We would like to speak with you to hear your thoughts on the issue of fire safety in Bolinas and whether or not you believe the Eucalyptus trees should be removed or preserved. We would also like to hear your thoughts on how Eucalyptus tree removal affects California monarch butterflies.

If you’re interested we could do a Zoom interview or a COVID-safe socially distanced interview. We think your perspective would be a valuable asset to our documentary if you would be willing to collaborate with us.

Contact us if interested!
aim.eucfresafety@gmail.com

Thank you for your interest,
Sabine, Bella, Yasha, and Nathan
The AIM Program

Submitted by Bella Mann

Measure B
Bolinas Marine/Science Field Laboratory

Abatement & Demolition Update

Tuesday, March 30, 2021
6:00 PM - 7:00 PM
Go to zoom.us/join and enter the Meeting ID: 951 3098 1714

For more info please contact:
Nídro Farias, Director of Capital Projects, (415) 485-9518

Star Route Farmstand

Cool Coastal Greens and then some!

Friday 12 - 5 PM • Roadside In Our Field

College of Marin
measurebcom.org
The Marin County Rental Assistance Program is opening an online application on Tuesday, March 23rd. Low-income Marin County residents can apply to receive 80% of unpaid back rent due between April 1, 2020 and March 31, 2021.

This application does not ask for any citizenship information and is open to all eligible Marin County renters. Receiving assistance from this program does not affect public charge.

To be eligible, an applicant’s combined household income* should be below the following by household size (your household includes anyone living in your unit, including children under 18):

- Household of 1: $97,600
- Household of 2: $111,550
- Household of 3: $125,500
- Household of 4: $139,400
- Household of 5: $150,600
- Household of 6: $161,750
- Household of 7: $172,900
- Household of 8: $184,060

* this income will be determined by the household’s current income, as opposed to annual income for tax purposes

Questions? Please email RentalAssistance@MarinCounty.org, or call (415) 473-2223.

Requests for disability accommodations may be made by phoning (415) 473-2223 (Voice), CA Relay 711 or by e-mail at RentalAssistance@MarinCounty.org. Please do not call the line more than once, as it slows down the process.

Staff will be available to assist applicants who do not have access to a computer or smart phone or need additional assistance.

More information is available at www.MarinCounty.org/RentalAssistance

—Submitted by Don Smith

La Programa de Asistencia con la Renta con el Condado de Marin está comenzando con su aplicación electrónica el 23 de marzo. Inquilinos de bajo ingresos en Marin pueden recibir asistencia con 80% de la renta que no han pagado (deuda al arrendador) entre el 1 de abril de 2020 y el 31 de marzo de 2021.

Ofrecemos este programa a todos que viven en el condado de Marin, independientemente de su estado de ciudadanía. Recibiendo asistencia de este programa no se afecta el cargo público.

Para ser elegible, los ingresos* combinados de la casa del solicitante deben ser bajo los próximos puntos por tamaño de casa (una casa esta definido a incluir todos quienes están viviendo en su unidad de casa, incluyendo niños al menor de 18 años):

- Casa de 1: $97,600
- Casa de 2: $111,550
- Casa de 3: $125,500
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*estos ingresos serán determinados por los ingresos actuales, a diferencia de los ingresos anuales que se utilizan para el pago de impuestos.

¿Preguntas? Por favor envíe un correo electrónico a RentalAssistance@MarinCounty.org, o llame (415) 473-2223. Para solicitar acomodaciones para personas con discapacidades, llame (415) 473-2223 (voz), CA Relay 711 o por correo electrónico RentalAssistance@MarinCounty.org. Por favor deje de llamar la línea más de una vez. Nuestro personal estará disponible para ayudar a personas que no tienen acceso a una computadora o teléfono que puede conectarse al internet, o si necesita ayuda completando la solicitud.

Más información está disponible en www.MarinCounty.org/RentalAssistance

Hello readers!

The Hearsay is about to being an effort to process our archives, something that happens every decade or so. We’re looking to borrow folding tables for the months of April and May. We would need to borrow them for the entire two months. We’d treat them well! I can pick up in my truck and return to you when we are finished.

If you (or your organization?) has some to loan, please emailnicolelavelle@gmail.com.

Thank you!
—Nicole Lavelle
RECAP: 1st Session
Thursday March 18th 2021
Bo-Stin Young Stewards of the Land

For our first spring session we meet up at the Commonweal Parking Lot and we had a total of 13 Young Stewards ranging from 4th-8th grade present. The rain just stopped when we gathered, and the kids were eager and excited to get out and adventure. We played a name game and introduced our theme for the spring which is “Interconnectivity”. Last fall we focused on individual elements and now we are weaving them together and looking at the nourishment / containment / influence cycles in relationships. Today’s focus was the Ocean, what does it take care of and what takes care of it, were questions to ponder.

We walked down to RCA beach, stopping to hang under the trees along the way, and decided to cut through the wild irises and icicle plants to get to the beach instead of the muddy and slippery path. Some of the kids rolled right down the sandy hillside, squealing with laughter, just to run back up and do it again – such a treat to witness!

At the beach we snacked, played a game of Lizard Tails and everyone got busy making Beach Sculptures. One group made a Theater, another a Corporate Business, a third made a Coyote and the fourth one made a Magical Hub. We did a sculpture walk to see everyone’s pieces before heading back.

Reflections on the Ocean included that it provides us with much-needed food and shelter for animals that live in it. The relaxation that occurs when sitting by it and the fun it provides when playing in it. And how many stories and myths are about the ocean and how our Earth and World all started from the Ocean!

At the closing circle one of the kids expressed her delight with the rain that day which made the whole adventure more mystical and exciting. A fabulous start for our spring session!

With Rain Blessings,
Lia Sabbatini, on behalf of the:
Bo-Stin Young Stewards of the Land

p.s. To make a donation to our after-school program, please visit: www.patreon.com/BoStinYSL

Dear friends,

Max Lesser, Laurie Curtis, and I are showing our art at Toby’s Gallery from April 2–28. Our work includes my botanical mandala photographs, Max’s oil and watercolor paintings, and Laurie’s maiolica pottery.

Over the past year, as we kept our distance from each other and re-centered our lives to home, we turned inward to expressing our creativity. These pieces attest to the power of art to bring hope and joy, and get us through difficult times.

Now that we’re gradually re-awakening to life in a post-vaccination world, we want to share what we’ve created with you. Due to ongoing COVID restrictions that limit crowd size, we won’t be having an opening gala, but please stop by or schedule a distanced visit with me at the Gallery by replying to this email.

Toby’s is open Monday–Saturday from 9am–5pm, and Sunday from 10am–5pm. All the art is for sale, and we invite you to come find your own special piece. In addition, I’ll have materials there for you to make your own mandala to photograph and preserve its ephemeral nature. I’ll also have copies of my book and a new line of greeting cards.

Our websites, and Instagram feed show the range of what you’ll find:

mandalasbotanical.com
https://www.instagram.com/maxlesser/
lauriecurtis.net

Best wishes to you!
Carol Whitman

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I missed Bolinas last summer due to COVID. I paint Bolinas and my favorite work is all from Bolinas. Hiking miles and miles with heavy pack, I have explored many sacred places in Bobo through paint. —Mara Thygeson

Alana and Mar Mar, submitted by Leanne Kriz

Submitted by Aubrey Trinnaman
Marin Progresses from Red Tier to Orange
Improved COVID-19 indicators prompt a more open economy

San Rafael, CA – The State of California has announced that Marin County will be moving from “red” to “orange” status in the Blueprint for a Safer Economy during the COVID-19 pandemic, effective Wednesday, March 24.

The move from tier 2 or “substantial risk” status to the less restrictive tier 3 or “moderate risk” level is based on consecutive weeks of progress in Marin’s coronavirus case statistics. Marin joins Santa Clara and San Francisco as Bay Area counties moving to tier 3 this week, San Mateo County achieved orange status on March 17.

The primary changes allowed under the state order as Marin moves into tier 3:

- Retail & grocery stores: can expand indoor capacity to 100%.
- Restaurants – indoor dining: can expand indoor capacity to 50% or 200 people (whichever is fewer).
- Museums & movie theaters: can expand indoor capacity to 50% or 200 people (whichever is fewer).
- Houses of worship: can expand indoor capacity to 50% or 200 people (whichever is fewer).
- Weddings/funerals: can expand indoor capacity to 50% or 200 people (whichever is fewer).
- Family recreation/entertainment facilities: can expand indoor capacity to 25%.
- Gyms & fitness studios: can expand indoor capacity to 25% and reopen indoor pools.
- Breweries/wineries that do not serve food: can expand indoor capacity to 25% or 100 people (whichever is fewer).
- Bars that do not serve food: can operate outdoors only.
- Non-essential offices may reopen (but working remotely is still encouraged).
- Higher education: can expand indoor capacity to 50% for indoor lectures.

Changes to business sector guidelines are available on the Marin Recovers website or the California Blueprint for a Safer Economy website.
3.24

high thin white clouds in pale blue sky above ridge

sound of first bird chirping on fence in foreground

increment of four itself referred to condition body

form of gravitation field from standpoint of degree

going head first off front of board before hands go

up head hits sand seeing stars electric shocks body

red orange edge of sky on horizon across from ridge

shadowed line of swell approaching mouth or channel
HEARST NEWS CLASSIFIEDS

HOUSING WANTED

LOCAL FAMILY OF 3 IN NEED OF HOUSING BY JUNE
Keith, Meadow, and Emrys are seeking a 2-3 bedroom home in Bolinas or close by. Hoping to stay long term or at least two more years until Emrys finishes the Bo-Stin School. Open to bodywork, caretaking, or yard work trade as part of rent. Please call/text Meadow at 510.393.0195 with any leads. Thank you!

ME 4/6

SOLO HARD-WORKING MAN gardener, baker, designer-with small sweet dog seeks Bolinas living space. Available for and experienced with adjunct property maintenance, gardening and errands. Longtime CA. resident. Strong local references available. Thanks, Tom.

tkabrittsde@gmail.com 707-572-2863

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JP 4/19

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To learn more and apply, visit: https://bolinasmuseum.org/about/join-the-team/

PERSONALS

OLIVE OYL SEEKS BLUTO
Me: Tall and light, smashed face, aging eyes.
A fairy by candlelight and crone in grey sun.
You: Obsessed by a thought, handsome under cover.
Literacy, curiosity, a donkey?

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LOST MAIL KEY SUNDAY, 1/31.
My mail key fell out of my pocket somewhere between Buzz's shop and the groin. It's on a NMDLND keychain (little white van). If found, please return to post office or call x9632. Thank you.

X 2/3