

Paradise Valley, oil on canvas by July Guzman, currently on display at Gospel Flat Farmstand

## WHAT'S HAPPENING?

Friday, May 3

KELLY MCFARLING

live Americana @ Smiley's, 9pm, \$8

Saturday, May 4

FREE COUNTY PARKS

Open admission to parks & boat ramps

JULY GUZMAN

Art show at the Farmstand, Opening reception, 6-8pm

Sunday, May 5

LARNER SEEDS OPEN HOUSE

Native wildflower garden, books, seeds and snacks, come enjoy. 230 Grove Rd. 12-4:30pm

Tuesday, May 7

**FOLKTALES IN FAIRFAX** 

Neshama Franklin at the Wui Wei Tea Temple in Fairfax, 1820 SFD Blvd., 7pm

Saturday May 11

COASTAL SCRUBBERS

hometown local family band playing all 100% gold country rhythm & blues for your dancing pleasure all night long at Smiley's, 9pm \$10

Sunday, May 19

SPRING CONCERT

presented by Molly Maguire and Bill Quist. Fundraiser for a new foundation, Calvary Church, Brighton & Wharf, 2-3pm

#### INSIDE TODAY'S HEARSAY

WELCOME TO GEORGE KRAKAUER, OUR NEW FIRE CHIEF °

° NEW MOON of MAGIC & OPPORTUNITY °

° LARNER SEEDS OPEN HOUSE THIS SUNDAY °

° MEASURE W TOT TAX WORKING GROUP °

& MORE...

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY BABY

May 3:

Susie Whaley

May 4:

**Gary Fontan** 

**David Liebenstein** 

May 5:

Sandy Dierks

May 6:

Kristina Amoroso

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#### Marin County Wildfire Forum Set for Saturday in San Rafael

Event includes officials from fire agencies, local and state government offices

What: More than 250 residents have RSVP'd to attend the Marin County Wildfire Forum, a free public educational session about local wildfire prevention happening in neighborhoods throughout the county. More walk-up attendees are expected. The keynote speaker is Shannamar Dewey, a Paradise resident who will share her first-hand account of the Camp Fire. Fire chiefs and other experts will talk about vegetation management projects on open space lands, emergency preparedness efforts at the community level, and what needs to happen next to meet Marin's "Lesson's Learned" goals that were created after the October 2017 North Bay Wildfires. This is the first coordinated session that takes a countywide approach and includes stakeholder agencies from all over Marin. As Marin County Fire Chief Jason Weber said, "A wildfire knows no boundaries."

When: Saturday, May 4, 10 AM to noon

Where: Embassy Suites

101 McInnis Parkway, San Rafael

(Closest entrance to main ballroom is on south side of building next to canal)

Hosting agencies: Marin County Fire Department, FIRESafe Marin, Marin County Fire Chiefs Association, the County of Marin, Firewise USA

Agencies participating: Sheriff's Office of Emergency Services, San Rafael Fire Department, Sleepy Hollow Fire Prevention District, Marin County Parks, Marin Humane, Marin Municipal Water District, PG&E, One Tam, Central Marin Neighborhood Response Group, Marin Community Emergency Response Teams (CERT), Marin CHP, City of Novato Margaret Todd Senior Center, American Red Cross, representatives from the Insurance industry

Speakers:

Shannamar Dewey, Paradise resident
Todd Lando, FIRESafe Marin
Christie Neill, Marin County Fire Department Battalion Chief
Jim Chayka, Marin County Parks Superintendent
Jason Weber, Marin County Fire Department Chief
Bill Tyler, Novato Fire Protection District Chief

Background:

In a <u>recent countywide resident survey</u>, residents marked emergency preparedness as one of their most important priorities. In late 2017, fire chiefs in Marin collaborated with other officials to develop the "Lessons Learned" report – basically a roadmap for Marin's own wildfire prevention and emergency preparedness efforts. The report emphasized that in addition to expanding on existing work, a coordinated countywide approach to wildfire prevention and community preparedness will be critical to meeting the local wildfire challenge.

Media RSVP: Laine Hendricks, <a href="mailto:lhendricks@marincounty.org">lhendricks@marincounty.org</a>; 415-359-4508

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Thanks... Anne Sands





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# Change of chiefs at Bolinas fire station

By Teresa Mathew

The Bolinas Fire Protection District will have a new chief at the helm as it prepares to tackle new issues, some bolstered by funding and others driven by increased need.

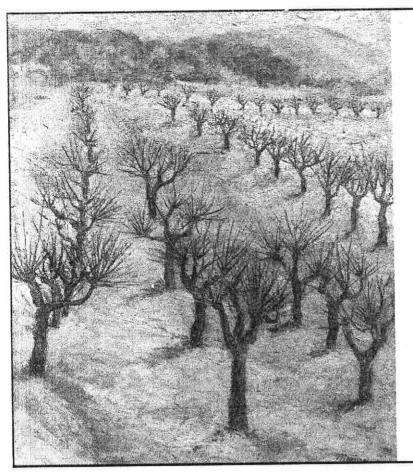
Anita Tyrrell-Brown, who has led the department for over 15 years, is retiring in June, and this month George Krakauer—a Bolinas native who joined the volunteer force

a decade ago—became the district's acting chief. He will take over the official post with Chief Tyrrell-Brown's departure.

The transition will be the smoothest the district has ever known, Chief Tyrrell-Brown said. She announced her plans to retire two years ago to give the board ample time to find her replacement.

Initially, she was concerned that it would be a difficult search: she needed someone who lived in Bolinas, knew the town and community, was skilled in the operational aspects of the job, and See this week's Point Reyes Light for the rest

the story.



#### Marius Starkey Solo Painting Exhibition Bolinas Gallery, 52 Wharf Road

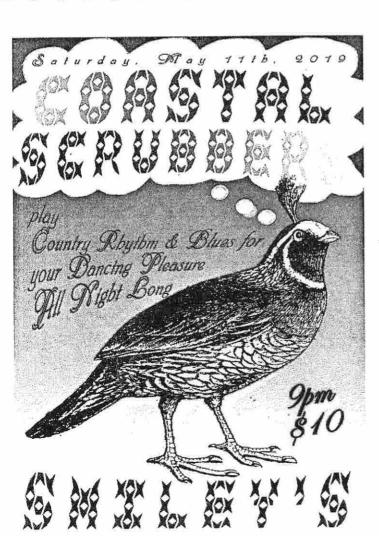
Reception:
Saturday, May 4th From: 10am to 5pm

Exhibit Dates From:
Saturday May 4th to Sunday, May 30
Gallery OPEN every weekend from 10am to 5pm

Email:artistmarius@gmail.com Web: www.artistmariusstarkey.com

Coastal Health Alliance is hosting a meet and greet to introduce our newest MD, Steven Aussenberg and our Acupuncturist, Alexis Richardson. Come join us on Wednesday, May 29th from 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm in Bolinas at 88 Mesa Road.

Dinelle Abram



# BOLINAS COMMUNITY CENTER

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Monday May 27th

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Hello Everyone,

What an amazing day Saturday was! Thank you to all who came out to enjoy the Art Garden & Food Festival! It was foggy but we sure did heat it up with Pizza in the oven and Oysters on the BBQ!

The Art & Garden Food Festival marks my one year anniversary working for the BCC. I am truly honored to be a lifelong community member and work for the community center! It has been a wild ride learning all the different events the BCC does every year. It has made me so happy to be able to put on events that bring our community together to laugh, drink and dance! I hope that the community knows how much I love this town and I hope that I can continue to bring smiles to your faces at each event!

Thank you to Barbary Coast Bistro, Nuria & Doug, Carmen and Nan for serving such delicious food from your booths!

Thank you to the Craft Venders, Rachel, Maitreya, Lynn, Jamila, Lauri and Keith!

Thank you to all the bands that played on the BCC stages, Psychedelic Seniors, September, Peter Nevin, Zim, Bolinas Stinson School Students, Anny, Five Against Four, and Jan Broek & Friends! The Music was amazing!!!

A really big thank you to all our volunteers because this event would not happen without all your help!

William ,Zim ,Mark , Ed,

Michael, Omar, Tommy, Nay, Sam,

Bonnie, Molly, Mark, Liz, Nick, Penny.

Bronwen, June, Pam, Arline, Jill, Eleanor, Bobbi, Meg, Soozy, Diana,

Jim, John, Nicole, Kelly, Blair, Zack, Leanna, Leondro, Schehera, Susan, Ned, and Jenny

Thank you June for all your hard work on the dessert table!

Jesse and Alex for doing the Parking and Shuttle!

Thank you Jerry for renting us the

Thank you to StuArt, Kathleen and Soozy for hanging all the donated art for the silent auction!!

A big thank you to StuArt for making such amazing signs for the event! Love that RainBO slinky!!

Thank you World Centric for your donation of biodegradables worth \$400!

Thank you to Smart and Final for your \$200 donation to the event!

Thank you Sola Winery for your donation of Sauvignon Blanc and Cabernet Sauvignon!

Thank you Thackrey Wine Co. for your wine donation and to Shari for the delivery! You are an amazing company!!

Thank you Lagunitas for your beer donation!!!!!

Thank you to Hog Island for your generous oyster donation! Those were some delicious oysters!!

Thank you Star Route Farms for your mixed green donation!

Thank you Princess for making your delicious princess dressing for the event!!

Thank you Maji and Mary for the Blackberry Vinegar!

Thank you Eleanor for such amazing flowers!!

Thank you Maji for putting the plaza stage together and making it run so smoothly!

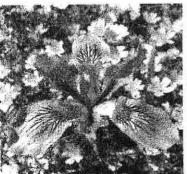
Thank you Don for making the hall stage sound so great!!!

A HUGE thank you to the Artist and Art lovers, for all the generous art donations!

Cheers. Kate Ryan-Ross, General Manager



Sunday, May 5th, 2019 12-4:30pm



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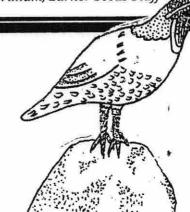
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-Judith, Jeff, Tina, and William, Larner Seeds Staff



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# West Marin Group to Advise on Tax Revenue Uses Applications accepted through May 28 for Measure W Working Group

San Rafael, CA – With a new transient occupancy tax (TOT) for West Marin in place since the start of this year, a public working group is being formed to help recommend uses for the tax revenues to support community housing needs. Applications are being accepted until May 28 for the Measure W Working Group, convened and overseen by the Marin County Community Development Agency (CDA).

The Measure W tax rate increase in West Marin became effective January 1, and County staff has focused on getting short-term rental operators - especially those using online reservation platforms such as Airbnb, HomeAway, or VRBO - to register, report and pay TOT. Measure W, designed to address tourism impacts on West Marin communities, will generate about \$1.3 million each year. It increased the TOT in West Marin from 10 percent to 14 percent for hotels and short-term rentals, and it applied a 4 percent tax to commercial campground visitors. The geographic boundaries affected by the tax rate increase include all of coastal West Marin from Muir Beach to Dillon Beach and inland communities including Nicasio and the San Geronimo Valley. A list of parcels affected by Measure W is available at marincounty.org/tot.

The ordinance, which has no sunset date, requires all funds will be used exclusively in West Marin. Distribution of revenues will have local oversight and annual audits.

TOT is collected by business operators from short-term rental guests (stays of 30 days or less) on behalf of the County. The funds are used in variety of ways to reduce the impacts of tourism and to fund projects that benefit the West Marin. Funds for enhanced fire and emergency protection services, rental support, new construction of long-term housing, and housing for persons with disabilities are among the options that could be funded in part by TOT revenue.

The Measure W Working Group will form this summer and begin with initial monthly meetings at West Marin locations to be determined later. The group's feedback will help inform CDA's recommendations to the Marin County Board of Supervisors, which must approve appropriations of Measure W funds. The Working Group

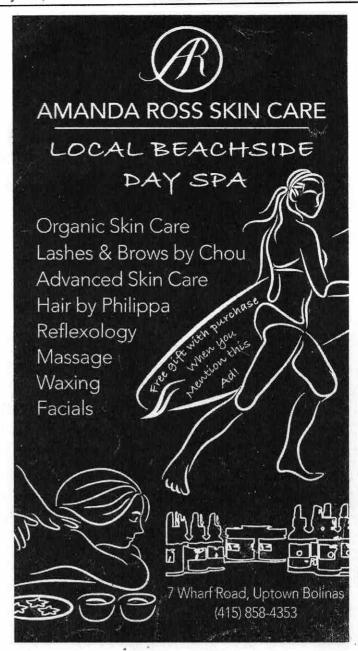
will be composed of up to seven members, who will be selected by CDA Director Brian Crawford after applications are reviewed. Anyone with an interest in housing, who lives or works in West Marin is encouraged to apply.

The application deadline is 5 p.m. May 28. Questions may be emailed to CDA Planning Manager Leelee Thomas.

For more information on the requirements of short-term rental operators visit www.marincounty.org/str.

-submitted by Brent Ainsworth





#### NEW MOON of MAGIC & OPPORTUNITY

May 4th brings a new beginning courtesy of a New Moon at 3:45 PM PDT at 14 degrees of Taurus. This earth sign is ruled by Venus, tuning you into the beauty of life and what you need to ground your ideas in the real world. Energy follows intention, so set some that will guide you to attract and manifest what you need.

You've completed something, made some tough decisions and left something behind. The Aries lunar cycle of preparation, heaviness, and retrogrades, gives way to a cycle of opportunity and magic. Focus on the resources you'll need to ground the ideas and bold daring impulses brought to you under the aegis of the Aries cycle. Sensual Taurus calls you to slow down, stop and smell the roses, acknowledge and celebrate the fertile magnificence of Spring and celebrate your 5 senses. It's time to get your magnetic mojo working.

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#### Weekly Classes and Events Schedule For May

#### MONDAY

9:30am - 10:45 am Somatic Exercise 12:30pm - 2:30pm BOBO Baby Group After School Theater w/ Lisa 3:30pm - 5:00pm 5:30pm - 6:30 pm Pilates Mat w/Lisa Townsend

#### TUESDAY

Elder Diaspora Dance w/Amber Hines 9:00am - 10:15 am Pirate Pizza: Call (415) 328-1066 to preorder 3:00pm - 7:00 pm BCC Board of Directors Meeting (3rd Tues of month in library) 5:00pm 3:45 pm - 5:45 pm Aerial Arts for Youth w/ J. Haigood Contemporary Dance w/Lisa (teens & adults) 6:30pm - 7:30pm

#### WEDNESDAY

8:30 am - 9:45 am Pilates Mat w/Lisa Townsend F.L.A.G.ship in front of Library (0-5yrs) 1:15pm - 2:30 pm 2:45pm - 5:00pm After School Theater w/ Lisa

#### THURSDAY

USDA Food Bank 12:00 pm 7:00pm - 8:00pm Qoya with Tiffany - only the 16th

9:00 am - 10:00 am Pilates Mat w/Lisa Townsend Ballet w/Erika Townsend (No class on the 28th) 10:30 - 12:00 pm No Place Like Home (Free Brunch 4th Fri of Month) 12:00 pm

#### SATURDAY

Diaspora Dance w/Amber Hines

9:00 am -10:30 am

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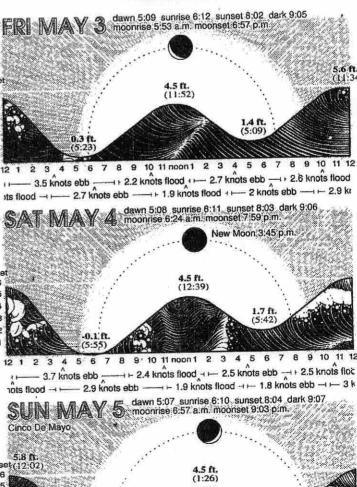


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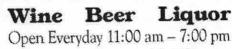


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