WHAT'S HAPPENING???

Tuesday, August 7
INTIMATE EVENING OF UNAMPLIFIED FOLK MUSIC
with Waxahatchee and Alex Bleeker feat. Danny Vitali. Try the pie @ Center In Inverness (behind the post office) 8pm

Wednesday, August 8
UTILITY DISTRICT (BCPUD)
Special meeting of the Board, 270 Elm Rd to pass downtown parking restriction, 270 Elm Rd, 11am. (Agenda inside)

Thursday, August 9
FOOD BANK
Weekly free food distribution at the Community Center, 11:45am.

LAND TRUST (BCLT)
Meeting of the Board @ School Library, 6:30pm

WE ARE THE WEST
Live music @ Smiley's, 8pm, no cover.

Friday, August 10
OPENING RECEPTION
Molly Brown show, and show by Bolinas School of Botanical Art, 1337 Fourth St, San Rafael, 5-8pm

THE SPIRAL ELECTRIC & TWIN DIMENSIONS
Psychedelic rock @ Smiley's, 9pm, $5

Saturday, August 11
SOUP SATURDAY
Free brunch @ St Aidan's, noon. All are welcome.

FREE STATE PARK ADMISSION
Second Saturday program in effect at Mt Tamalpais & Samuel P Taylor State Parks, 8am-6pm

INTRODUCTION TO THE ART OF VITALITY
Presented by Dr. Anna O'Malley & James Stark @ Commonweal Garden, 480 Mesa Rd, 10am-1pm. Info: naturainstitute.org/art-of-vitality. Potluck lunch follows.

CLOSING RECEPTION
for photographer Linda Conner's exhibit @ Bolinas Museum, 3-5pm.

THE MOSSWOODS
Live Country soul @ Smiley's, 9pm, $10

HAPPY HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!

August 6: Karina Salenger
Rhiannon Brock

August 7: Mechelle Cattell
Danny Harrington

August 8: Gregor Doherty
Serita Basilio-Lewis
Tina Ann
Wilbur Richards

August 9: Jody Spangler
Cindra Joy
Richard Brown
Memphis Russum
Charles Winstead
Robin Thompson

August 10: Susan Sanders
Lily Field
Bill Bruasch

August 11: Jim Anderson
Teri Jo Wheeler

August 12: Eleanor Lyman
Elijah Yerington

continued next page
Community Baby Shower!
August 19th, 11am-1pm, Downtown Bolinas Park. Bring your used baby items to pass onto the pregnant and newly delivered moms and a dish to share. If you have any questions call Beth Carusillo 415-299-4100

warmly,
Beth Carusillo
(415)299-4100

THE BOLINAS-FAIRFAX ROAD:
139 YEARS OF HISTORY

Historian & Author Brian Crawford shares the fascinating history of the Bolinas-Fairfax Road, built in 1878 to provide Marin with a crucial transportation link across the county. Intimately tied to the history of Marin County and its water wars, the road was recorded many times as dam and reservoirs were built. It was also the scene of runaway stagecoaches, landslides, fires, earthquakes, encounters with wildlife and one bizarre holdup. Brian’s illustrated talk features photographs and maps, including materials from the California Room’s Unrecorded Marin County Map Collection. Followed by a book-signing.

August 14 7:00 pm
STINSON BEACH LIBRARY
3521 Stinson Hwy

WHAT’S HAPPENING???

Sunday, August 12
COMMUNITY BABY SHOWER
Gathers at Downtown Park, 11am-1pm. Please bring used baby items to pass on, and a potluck dish to share. Info: Beth Carusillo, 299-4100

RAGMAN’S CAVE
Short film screening by Ole Schell, Community Center, 7:30pm

pastup..........Ned Riley
ads/books.......June McAdams
press............Jennie Pfeiffer
Comment: Septic systems & Cliff Erosion

At the recent community meeting on affordable housing, a long-time resident in the audience said that back in the day (late ‘60s?), she had talked to a soils scientist who had told her that septic systems on the mesa were causing the cliffs to erode. This is not true. Although septic systems from houses on Ocean Parkway may exacerbate cliff erosion, the cliffs are eroding due to the loose Monterey Shale, rainfall, and storm surf. The cliffs are eroding from Jack’s Creek up to Double Point — about 4 miles along the coast — a lot more than they are in Bolinas, and there are no houses there. There were major slides out there last year after the late rainfall. As well, there have been big slides out on the Holter property (just northwest of Poplar) where there are no homes.

All of our bluff landslides happen in winter during heavy rain periods. There might be septic system water that trickles into the ground water but not enough to cause a landslide. The bluff landslides are a combination of the ocean waves taking the toe of the cliff away along with major ground water moving through our linear aquifers.

This is the type thinking that caused the BPUD board of the ‘60s to propose building a sewer with ocean outfall for the mesa, which would have been an ecological, functional, and financial disaster. This was one of the main causes for the recall election in November, 1971.

Onsite wastewater treatment is often attacked by people who don’t understand the way it works, and this is magnified by bureaucrats and engineers seeking maximum profit from "upgraded" systems. I wrote an article on this in The Mother Earth News in 2008: https://shlt.net/septicmother

Failing systems ARE a problem when they contaminate drinking water, but that is not the case in Bolinas. Our water comes via gravity from Arroyo Hondo Canyon in pipes, not from groundwater.

The second thing this person said was that the sulfur smells on the beach come from failing septic systems. The sulfur comes from underground and has nothing to do with septic systems. Witness the sulfur water at the Steep Ravine hot springs — no houses anywhere nearby. There is a sulfur smell out on the reef (north of Jack’s Creek) — no houses there.

"At Bolinas, soft sands and silts of the cliffs in the Merced Formation are sheltered from the prevailing northwest winds but face the southerly storms of winter. Here erosion has also been dramatic..." From Geologic Trips, San Francisco and the Bay Area by Ted Konigsmark

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THREE GREAT THINGS ABOUT THIS PLACE...
- The calendar (Celtic) turned past the celebration of Lughnasas on August 2. It marks the beginning of the harvest season and the end of summer in Ireland...
- ...But not here — how wonderful it was yesterday to schmooze in the later summer sun with all the soccer friends who weren’t ready to go home.
- Can’t say our household isn’t taking advantage of this lovely summer weather — many of our activities have moved outdoors, particularly some memorable meals.

-- Ned Riley

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WHAT HAPPENED
8-6-18 Monday Morning Recap
Week in Review from Jennie Pfeiffer

One thing that happened this week was Saturday night’s MOVIE IN THE PARK, with a showing of “Zootopia” at Mesa Park, complete with popcorn, hot dog barbecue, all the fix’ns, and a crystal clear night. The wind died down at sunset, leaving a beautiful, albeit cold, night-- perfect for snuggling on and under blankets, or in lawn chairs, and picnicking while supporting the Mesa Park Little League snack shack. Lots of kids, dogs, and families enjoying a humorous tale of addressing and breaking stereotyping, and a look at friendships across traditionally predator/ prey lines. Thanks to Mark Lucanic and the Mesa Park Board for the first of hopefully many movies in the park. It took me back to drive-in movie days of my youth, with beds made for kids in the car, only here, no car. Later on drive-ins took on a totally different significance, but this Saturday night was all about family fun.

It was also Lughnasadh this week. On the Celtic calendar, this marks the point halfway between summer solstice and autumn equinox. It is a harvest celebration, the start of the busy season, what I call the Lughnasadh “haggling season” the time for haggling things from one place to another, getting ready for the coming of the inevitable (we hope) rains.

It was also a week for signing up to run for various public office seats that are coming open. I have signed on again for the Bolinas-Stinson School District Board of Trustees. I am still working on my passion for people, particularly the small ones, who will need to be prepared in the best way possible for their future role as productive citizens, protecting the planet and moving the species forward. In the coming weeks, I will be expanding on what my vision is for continuing and expanding our excellent pre-K - 8th grade program, here in the Hearsay rather than in the voter pamphlet because it is quite expensive to do that. To opt to put it in Spanish as well as English is over $400. My thought is that it should automatically be in Spanish as well as English, so I got my back up a bit and decided to say who I am and what I think, here in our local paper. This is the last week to sign on to run for school board if you are interested, so think about your vision and sign up by Friday. The more options, the better the choices. Jp
BOLINAS COMMUNITY PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT
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415 868 1224

A Special Meeting of the Board of Directors
August 8, 2018 11:00 a.m.

1. Call to Order.

2. Roll.

3 Community Expression

4. Text for Advisory Measure on the Ballot for the November 6, 2018 Election Concerning Parking Regulation in Downtown Bolinas.

"Shall the County of Marin enact a resolution pursuant to Marin County Ordinance 3662 to include Brighton Avenue, Park Avenue and Wharf Road in downtown Bolinas as County roads on which there shall be no overnight parking of vehicles, except for automobiles, motorcycles and pickups, between the hours of 11:00 p.m. and 5:00 a.m.?”

5. Contract between BCPUD and the Conservation Corps North Bay re: the Bolinas Eucalyptus Grove Hazardous Fuels Reduction Project, Subject to Certain Conditions.

6. Adjournment.

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Come to the office at 270 Elm at Maple, behind the BPUD office on Mon's, Wed's and Fri's between 9:30 & 10:30 am to have your article appear the same day, and until 11:00 am for classified ads.
Ad forms are also available anytime in the small mail box next to the Hearsay door. You can fill out the form and have your ad billed to you, or you can enclose payment (please note on your ad if you are paying cash in case they become separated) & drop into door slot.

Submit articles, ads and drawings by midnight Sunday, Tuesday or Thursday for publication the next day.
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SGV Nutrition Advisory Co.
LaF. Ed. Foundation (LEAP)
SGV Planning Group
Dance Palace Board
Point Reyes-Oceano 4-H
Belmont Community Center
Point Reyes Village Assoc.
Sinsson Beach Village Assoc.
W.M. Lions Club
Bolinas LIONS Club
W.M. Rotary Club
W.M. Chamber of Commerce
Skulline Unified School Board
W.M. Rotary School Site Council
KWHR Board
Inverness Public Utility District
Inverness Association
Inverness Park Association
Belmont Comm. Public Utility Dist.
Marin Municipal Water District
Bo-Stin Union School Board
Sinsson Beach Water District
Bodega Bay Public Utility District
Tomales Village Comm. Serv. Dist.
Tomales Town Hall Board
Tomales Design Review Board
Tomales 4-H Club
North Marin Water District
Belmont Fire Protection District
Tomales Bay Youth Center

3rd Thursday 6:00 p.m.
2nd Wednesday 5:30 p.m.
4th Thursday 5:30 p.m.
1st Monday 7:00 p.m.
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1st/3rd Tuesday 7:30 p.m.
3rd Monday 7:00 p.m.

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Dance Palace
WMS old gym
Belina Library
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Sta. House Café
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LOOKING FOR A USED CAR SEAT TO BORROW FOR
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VW 8/8

ANNOUNCEMENTS

AMAZING OPPORTUNITY!
Fund a volunteer-built skateboard park on the Rusty Bud Reservation in
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$/24 CS

HOUSING WANTED

CONSCIOUS TRANSEXUAL MALE TOMBOY
contemplating pregnancy & spiritual renewal in Bolinas
interested in renting a room for $1,000/month. quiet, meditative,
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contact: danielldelonnay1@gmail.com

DL 9/14

LOST AND FOUND

MY WIFE WENDY LOST A WATCH TODAY (SUNDAY)
in Bolinas, somewhere between Hawk's place, the Farmstand,
and downtown (People's Store and Bolinas Market). It has
sentimental value, since it was her Dad's. It's a white-faced,
silver watch with a black crocodile-like band.
Contact would be Wendy Jaffe at 415-250-1771

BL 7/9

LOST: INADVERTENTLY LEFT AT THE DOWNTOWN
Park Saturday (June 16) after the Baby Blessing/ Sun Festival-
my walking stick. Please call 868-0902. Mary M. Barron.

MB 6/20/18

FOUND: I PHONE T-MOBILE SERVICE @6:08pm TUES
July 10, floating in the water's edge by the wall - Where side of
the beach. Surf shops were closed so I left it at Coast Cafe!
Needs a password to open it. 46 % charge-still working.

N.B. #2227

NB 7/11

Classified ads that are free

As a public service, the Bolinas Hearsay News will print
ads in the categories LOST & FOUND, FREE and
RIDE SHARE at no charge. Maximum approx. 20 words,
it will run at least one week, often longer.
Drop your ad through the slot in the door at our office on
the left side of the PUD building at 370 Elm Street.
Or email to 868hearsay@gmail.com

FRE Box

MASSAGE TABLE
Not lightweight. Jutta at 415-686-2549

JH 7/13

FREE: LOTS OF PINT SIZED CANNING JARS.

MB 7/25

FREE: TWO FREE SOFAS, DIFFERENT STYLES - ONE
modern, one vintage. 2228

LC 7/25

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# KWMR Radio Schedule

**Mon**
- Art of the Song

**Tue**
- KWMR Music

**Wed**
- KWMR Music

**Thu**
- KWMR Music

**Fri**
- KWMR Music

**Sat**
- WEEKEND DAWN

**Sun**
- WEEKEND DAWN

### News & KWMR Morning Shows
- Day 6 (BBC) (repeat)
- As It Happens (CBC) (repeat)
- National Native News
- Day 6 (BBC) (repeat)
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- As It Happens (CBC) (repeat)
- National Native News

### TALK & CURRENT AFFAIRS
- Ocean Currents / Travel Talk / News
- Earth to Heart of the Valley
- New Planetary Radio
- Wishing The Morning

### Afternoon Music
- Afternoon Music
- McLeod's Delight
- The Curious

### Evening Music & Drama
- Celtic Universe
- The Jam

### Late Night
- The Last Alternative
- Grateful Dead Hour