

The Bolinas Hearsay News

Wednesday, August 21, 2013

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WHAT'S HAPPENING

Wednesday, August 21 KIDS FIRST DAY BACK TO SCHOOL Watch for kids in traffic in the morning

BCPUD (UTILITY DISTRICT)

Regular monthly meeting of the Board, 270 Elm Rd, 7:30pm. (Agenda inside)

Thursday, August 22

ELI

New band showcase @ Smiley's, 8:30pm, no cover.

Friday, August 23

TV MIKE & AWESOME GUESTS

Live music @ Smiley's, 9:30pm

Saturday, August 24

ARTIST'S RECEPTION

Llewellyn Ludlow's surf and landscape paintings @ Bolinas Gallery, noon. Info: 2677

A NIGHT IN MOROCCO

Feast, music, slides & stories; fundraiser @ Community Center, doors 6:30pm, dinner 7:30, \$40. Info:269-9013

THIS OLD EARTHQUAKE

Live intelligent rock @ Smiley's, 9:30pm. Cover.

Sunday, August 25

GROUP PORTRAIT OF KWMR AT ALMOST 15 Come pose for an Art Rogers picture of KWMR community. Plus music by the Detroit Disciples & libations. Party at 4pm group portrait @ 6. KWMR Station, 11431 State Route 1, Pt. Reyes.

Tuesday, August 27

STORYTELLING

Neshama Franklin tells a very personal story at the Marsh in Berkeley along with 3 other performers. 7pm for music, 7:30 for stories. 2120 Allston Way. Carpooling possible. Call Neshama at -0636

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Gushing Woman to Burning Man

Hard to believe that I'm actually going to Burning Man this year. I've always been involved with the Labor Day festivities in Bolinas and avoided going to the dusty desert to burn things. I even started an alternative festival here in Bolinas called Gushing Woman. But this year is different, and I'm taking the blue effigy of Gushing Woman to Burning Man. Here's the story of how it began:

Gushing Woman started in the summer of 2007 at Bill Braasch's birthday party. I was in a festive mood. I had been playing guitar and singing birthday songs.

"It's your birthday.." I told Bill. "I'm gonna gush all over you." meaning that I was going to continue to sugar coat him with music and verse.

Soon afterwards a friend told me that she had just bought her ticket for Burning Man?

"Burning Man, going to the desert to burn things?" I said. "I think I'm going to stay here in Bolinas on the beach and celebrate the ocean, water and renewal rather than fire and the apocalypse."

"Besides," I was verging on a rant. "With the recent

understanding of global warming I think burning fossil fuels and the automobile culture are over. I wonder what the carbon footprint of Burning Man is?" and then I added, "Everyone will walk, kayak or bicycle to my festival."

"What festival is that?" my friend inquired. "Are

you planning a riposte to Burning Man?"

"Uh, kinda. It's called . . . " I thought quickly.
"Gushing Woman." I blurted out. "The festival's called Gushing Woman, and we will honor water instead of fire on RCA Beach instead of Black Rock Desert."

The next morning I whipped up a poster advertising the event. I shrunk a copy and put it in Friday's Hearsay News. On Monday I received a call from Michael Rafferty at Commonweal.

"StuArt, are you the organizer of the Gushing Woman event?" he asked. "I could tell by the way you drew the exploding sweat beads on the poster." Michael got right to the point. "We're hosting a group of meditators

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LIVING POTENTIAL SHARING YOUR GIFTS WITH OTHERS



The gifts we are born with and those we work to develop throughout our lives vary in form and function. Some we find use for every day, while others are only of value in specific circumstances. Many times we overlook opportunities to share our unique gifts with others. It may be fear of criticism that holds us back or the paralyzing weight of uncertainty. Ultimately, we doubt that our innate talents and practiced skills can truly add to others' lives, but it is the world as a whole that benefits when we willingly share our gifts.

Whether you have been blessed with the ability to awaken beautiful emotions in others through art or industry or your aptitudes transmit more practical advantages, your gifts are a part of who you are. As you make use of them as best you can, be assured that your contribution to global well-being will not be overlooked.

Your personal power is defined in part by your gifts. To use your talents is to demonstrate to the world that you understand yourself and are truly attuned to your capabilities. Your earthly existence provides you with ample opportunity to explore your purpose, to utilize your skills in a life-affirming way, and to positively touch the lives of others while doing so. You may feel that your gifts are not as valuable or worthy of attention as those of others, and hide them away. However, every one that's lying dormant in your soul has the potential to fill a void in someone else's life. Just as your existence is made richer by the love, support, friendship, aid, and compassion of others, so, too, can you add richness to their lives. Your natural ability to soothe hurt, inspire compassion, bake, dance, knit, organize, or think outside the box can be a boon to someone in need.

As you embrace your gifts and allow their light to shine, you will discover that more and more opportunities to make use of them arise. This is because your gifts are a channel through which the universe operates. By simply doing what you are good at and love to do, you make a positive difference. The recognition you receive for your efforts will pale in comparison to the satisfaction you feel when fulfilling your innate potential.

MADISYN TAYLOR

Magi & StuArt have put together a FINE roster of entertainment for the Labor Day festivities on September 2nd, which includes both well-known, established musicians and also new up-coming ones like Chelsea Meyer, an 18 yr. old singer, song writer!

This is the day that we HONOR all the hardworking people in our Community and also in our Nation! It is a BENEFIT for our own Bolinas Community Center. This is also the day we celebrate our towns' Mutual Creative Spirit with GREAT Music, Song, Food, Auction & Dancing! We have SO MUCH TALENT in our small town, it is both WONDERFUL as well as AMAZING! There will be TWO stages: Local bands will

be on the street in front of the Bo C.C., Starting

at 12:00 noon & beginning with Charlie & his

all-time favorite band, 'Just Friends'. The other

place will be the deck-stage in front of the Plaza

Co-op, starting at 1:00 PM. There will be so much

GOOD FOOD & DRINK, please plan to come &

Mary

PARTY with us at lunchtime!



Washed Ashore The Village Elliott: 8/13

Their are times life is thrown in the breach
And the end of our lives we do reach
Like young whale washed ashore
To an fate we deplore
When he washed up upon Stinson Beach.

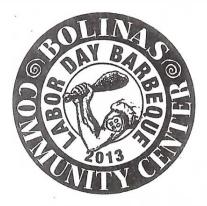
Elliott Kolker Stinson Beach, Ca

You can help:

- ★ Silent Auction set-up and staging. (Sat. or Sun.)
- ★ Chop party & food prep. (Sun.)
- * Barbecue, cooks and servers. (Mon.)
- ★ Drinks and Beverages. (Mon.).
- ★ Desserts, donation of home-made goodies or be a Boberry Cobbler Baker. (Mon.)
- ★ Set-up Crew. (Sùnday or Mon.)
- ★ Street Closure Teams, Olema-Bolinas & Mesa, Brighton & Wharf (Mon.)
- * Kids Korner. (Mon.)
- ★ Green Team, recycle and clean-up (Mon. eve.)
- * Kitchen Clean-up (Mon. eve.)

Contact us for specific hours and for other volunteer opportunities. 868-2128 or Lia@bocenter.org.





On Labor Day Monday **September 2**nd the Bolinas Community Center hosts Bolinas's biggest party. Join your community for **dancing** on Wharf Road to a line-up of local bands, tasty **barbecue**, great **salads**, homemade **desserts**, a fun **kid's corner**, and a unique Silent Auction. This is the BCC's primary fund raiser of the year and we count on you!

Start your search now for fabulous items to donate! Something that could be a great treasure to someone else. When you donate, we'll give you a tax receipt so you can reduce your taxes, and you'll glow with the knowledge you are supporting the Center, the heart of our village.

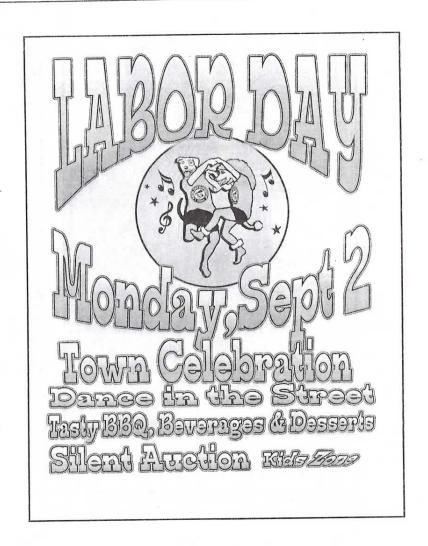
Drop off donations at the office Thursday August 29^{th} through Saturday August 31^{st} , 10:00-4:00.

email: Randi@bocenter.org or call us at 868-2128.

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Please join us 12 noon to 6 p.m. on Labor Day.

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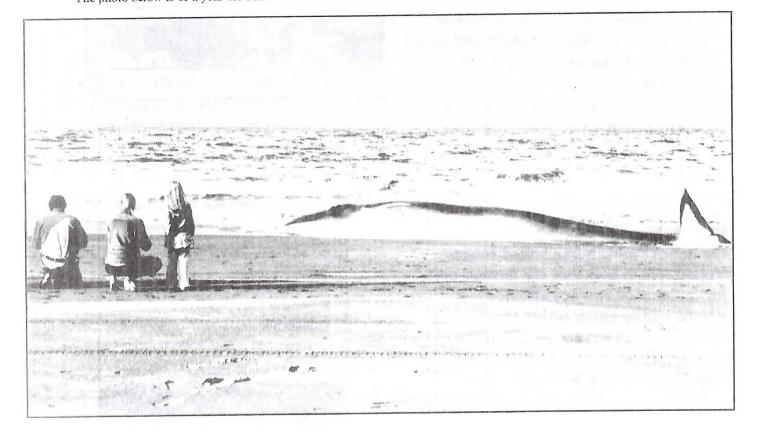
GRO's 15th Annual BOX SHOW is closing September 8, 2013

Every time I tell you about the box show you say I really want to see that and then it goes by. September 8th the show closes with a wild, amazing, live auction of the boxes that people want to fight over. The party is 3 to 4pm and the live auction is at 4 but really try to show before it's over so no regrets. There are some incredible boxes some people have spent a month locked in the room working on their box to donate it to this benefit for GRO and its programs.

The San Francisco Symphony! Featuring Warren Haynes and Jerry Garcia's original compositions, as great after getting there which turned out to be tricky, as well as classic interpretations of his timeless standards that were hallmarks of Garcia and the Grateful Dead's shows. Collaborating with the Symphony, renowned vocalist/guitarist

-Vickisa

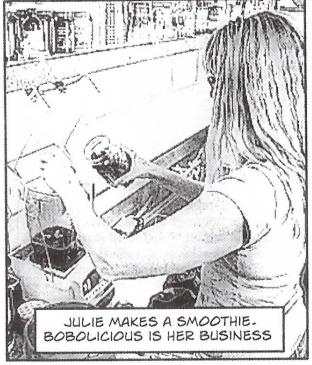
The photo below is of a year old Finn whale that washed ashore on Stinson Beach. No longer alive, how sad





IIT'S CALLED A SMOOTHIE
BECAUSE OF THE SMOOTH PROPERTY
OF THE EMULSION. A SMOOTHIE IS A
BLENDED AND SOMETIMES
SWEETENED BEVERAGE MADE FROM
FRESH FRUIT. IN ADDITION TO FRUIT,
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BAKERS NEEDED

September 2nd is Labor Day, yay!
As usual, there will be lots of food.
I am looking for people to bring to the dessert table home baked sweets.
Volunteers to help run the dessert table for an hour or two are also needed.
People will so enjoy eating the goodies and we will all have a lot of fun!

All proceeds benefit BCC.

Call 868-9052 to offer help!

Thank you, June McAdams



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MIDNIGHT ON THE WATER

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Friday, August 30

RICHARD DIEBENKORN SHOW

Docent Jim Kohn, PhD discusses the DeYoung's current show of Diebenkorn's paintings "The Berkely Years, 1953-1966" at the Firehouse, 6:30pm

Saturday, August 31

STORYTELLING

Neshama Franklin tells folktales for all ages at Olema Ranch Campground, 8-9pm. Follow the tiki torches to the campfire.

Monday, September 2

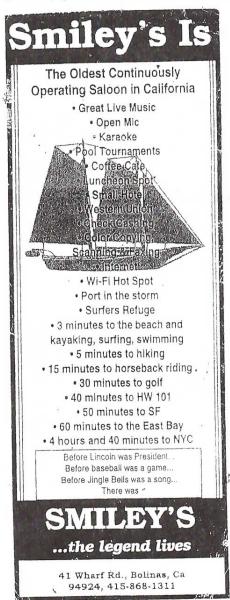
LABOR DAY

Street party downtown, live music, dancing, B-B-Q to benefit the Bolinas Community Center, noon onwards

Sunday, September 8

THE BOX SHOW CLOSING PARTY

Gallery Route One, Pt. Reyes Station, 3-4pm



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that weekend and we're concerned about a bunch of people tramping through the area on the way to RCA Beach."

I hear you." I answered. I wondered if the Gushing Woman Festival might already be getting too big and out of hand. I imagined hundreds of blissed out Gushers mobbing the beach. I wanted to avoid any problems.

'Gushing Woman is a celebration of water and the watercourse way." I explained. "We'll just flow to Brighton Beach closer to town, where it will be easier for elders and children to attend."

I realized that as promoter of Gushing Woman it was my job to gather the appropriate symbols and rituals for the event. When I invited Karen, she asked me what she should bring. I told her I didn't really know.

"I have apples." she said. "I'll bring apples."

I immediately pictured a beautiful sharing ritual around apples. The apple was a perfect symbol for Gushing Woman and the abundant universe. After all one could count the number of seeds in an apple, but how about the number of apples in an apple seed?

I did an Instant I-Ching reading on the Festival. (that's when I open a book at random and read a line.) The book was "Lazy Man's Guide to Enlightenment" by Thaddeus Golas. I opened the book and looked. "No Resistance" is what it said. "No resistance here below." I thought.

That Saturday before Labor Day the first Ğushing Woman Festival took place. Everything about the event seemed appropriate and full of meaning. A small group gathered at noon on Brighton Beach. We held hands in a circle around the blue Gushing Woman effigy I constructed out of plywood. We chanted, sang, danced and prayed together. I passed around the circle with the "Bliss Mister," a spray bottle filled with fresh, blessed Bolinas tap water, and sprayed everyone's upturned face with a delicate mist of bliss.

Jennifer at Commonweal had given me a Kleenex box cover as consolation for moving the festival off of RCA Beach. The top of the box was a molded Easter Island statue. Tissues were dispensed through the nose of the statue. I decided to incorporate the Easter Island box cover as a ritual object. I went around the circle a second time with the box of Kleenex and had everyone draw a tissue from the nostrils. Then we waved our tissues in the air like white flags and shouted, "We surrender to the bliss." It was a wonderful moment and I could feel the bliss gushing

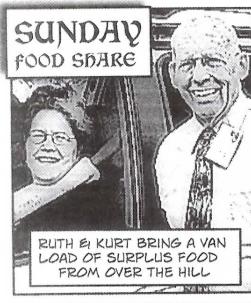
By that time the tide was rapidly rising We moved the Gushing Woman effigy to higher ground, but soon the foamy ocean was once again swirling around our feet. I brought a watermelon to share with my fellow Gushers. I found the watermelon to be another great symbol of the abundant universe. But this watermelon was on the verge of over ripeness and when I cut into it with my pocketknife a torrent of watermelon juice gushed out. Ocean foam and watermelon juice gushed together.

I finally understood how Gushing Woman is a celebration of water. Water is the Sacred Feminine, call Her Gushing Woman or call Her Goddess. Water has consciousness that transcends human mind. Consciousness and water are the same. Sparkling is a good word to describe the consciousness of water.

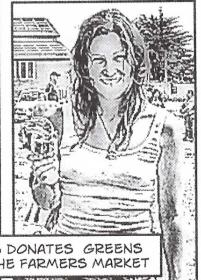
The consciousness of water is, after all, the same as the consciousness of Life on this planet, a blue-green, watery sphere floating and flowing in the vast ocean of the universe.

Gushing Woman, let it flow, No resistance, here below. Lovelight falling, on us all, Gushing Woman, waterfall.

Gushing Woman, let it be. There's enough, for you and me. Move your body, clap your hands, Gushing Woman, abundance dance.

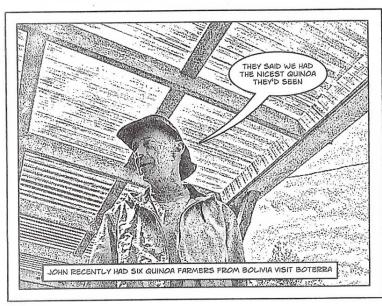












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StuArt Chapman, editor June McAdams, ads Michael Rafferty, press



LOST & FOUND

FOUND

DOG, MEDIUM SIZE, FM WHITE POODLE FOUND ON BIG MESA ON 8/16. NO TAGS. IDENTIFY COLOR OF COLLAR. 868-2888 MAUD & BOB

MD 8/19

MISSING BIKE: GREY SCOTT W/2-MILE STICKER

& mountain bike wheels. Missing Sat. from Altura.

Call Finn 868-9689 with any information

F 7/29

FOUND: WATERPROOF DIGITAL CAMERA

found this morning (7/24) on the beach. Call 2004 to claim

SH 7/24

LOST: OLIVE GREEN CAP (FROM BUZZ'S SHOP)

with buttons on it. Reward? Steve-759-0846

SH 7/8

LOST: DIGITAL CAMERA MEMORY CARD:

4G in plastic case with name "Knight" on back.
July 4 downtown or walking up Terrace to Big Mesa.
Call Marc or Cathy at 0265

M S-C 7/12

LOST: METAL BUCKET WITH GOURD RATTLE

Fell out of truck, possibly between Elm & Mesa on way out of town early on Fri. June 28th. John Glavis 415 203-5675

JG 6/28

LEFT AT LAUNDRYMAT DOWNTOWN -

tie-dyed American flag. Please return if found. Thanks, Eat Dog. 2531

ED 6/24

LEFT @ BOLINAS COMMUNITY CENTER-

almost black-ladies scarf-cotton knit-called "infinity" as it is one circle that wraps around. Please! 868-1280

JS 6/17

LOST-PLASTIC BAG WITH SLIPPERS-INSIDE

they are especially made orthotics I need. If found, please email serena@serluce.com

SL 6/10

CLASSES



Weekly Schedule

Monday

Chi Gung w/ Susie Stewart

Pilates w/Lisa Townsend (pre-register 868-0473)

10:00 - 11:30 a.m.
5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday

Yoga w/Lisa Brendel 9:30 - 11:00 a.m.

Bo Babies & Toddlers (Free Hangout) 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Pirate Pizza in BCC kitchen (pre-order 328-1066) 4:30 - 7:30p.m.

CommUnity Nights W/ Free Movies, Games or Music Call 868-2128 or visit www.bocenter.org for details

Wednesday

Pilates w/Lisa Townsend 8:30 -10:00 a.m.
Theater with Patrice Daley 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.
Biblia en Español 8:00 - 9:30 p.m.

Thursday

USDA food bank
Congolese Dance w/ Sandor (He is back now!)

12 noon
6:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Frida

Pilates Mat Class w/Lisa Townsend 9:00 - 10:00 a.m. No Place Like Home (Free Brunch 4th Fri of Month) 10:30 - 11:30 p.m.

Saturday

 Yoga w/ Lisa Brendel
 9:00 - 10:30 a.m.

 Kids Movement Class (ages 3-5) w/ Lisa Townsend
 11:00 - 12:00p.m.

 Ballet w/ Erika Townsend
 12:00 - 1:30 a.m.

Sunday

Yoga w/ Trishna (no classes 7/21 or 8/11) 9:00 - 11:00 a.m.
Ninjutsu Martial Arts for adults w/ Martin 5:00 - 6:30 p.m.

Check the Library marquee or Calendar in BCC Foyer for special events. For More Info call 868-2128 or visit www.bocenter.org

How to contribute to the Hearsay News in person

Come to the office at 270 Elm at Maple, behind the BPUD office on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays 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 mailbox 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 as they might become separated) & drop into door slot.

HAPPY HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!

August 21:

Rowena Forest

August 22:

Susie Buell Vickisa Feinberg Chris Whitefield Leondro Brady Whitey Whitefield

August 23:

Donald Guravich Melinda Griffith



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CS 8/21

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CR 8/23

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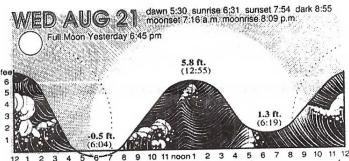
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CH 9/13

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BRR7/28

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PK 8/2