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Free Movie Night at the Orinda Theatre - Alfred Hitchcock's "The Trouble with Harry" at 7 p.m. Thursday, April 10. Special Guest Jerry Mathers known for his role in "Leave it to Beaver" and who played Arnie Rogers in this Hitchcock classic.

Second Annual SAGE (Students for the Advancement of Global Education) Benefit Concert from 7 to 9 p.m. Friday, April 11 in the Acalanes High School Performing Arts Center. Many talented Acalanes students will perform, and SAGE members will talk about the situation in Afghanistan and what SAGE has done to help. Most importantly, Budd MacKenzie, the founder of Trust in Education, will give a short speech about his recent travels to Afghanistan and efforts there. It's going to be an entertaining and educational night, and all members of the community are encouraged to come! It is a program for those of all ages. Tickets: \$10 for adults; \$5 for student and seniors.

Dogs and their people are invited to Lafayette's First-Ever Dogtown Downtown Community Event from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, April 12, which includes a Grand Parade and friendly competitions in the following categories: Best Dog-Owner Team Trick, Looks Most Like Owner, Waggiest Tail, Best Costume (dogs only!) Pet adoptions will be available and animal rescue group representatives will be on hand to discuss educational topics. For more information about Dogtown Downtown, including the presentation schedule and go registration link. (See story www.lllcf.com/dogtown. page B6)

The Stroke Support Group of Contra Costa County will hold its April meeting in the Lesher Auditorium at John Muir Medical Center - Concord Campus, (2540 East Street, Concord) from 7 to 9 p.m. Monday, April 14. Speaker Eileen Nevitt LCSW will discuss "Stroke: It's a Family Affair." After the program, attendees will break up into three coping groups: stroke survivors without aphasia, stroke survivors with aphasia, and caregivers and families of stroke survivors – each group led by a trained professional. For info, contact Ann Dzuna at (925) 376-6218. Free.

Attend a community workshop to provide input on hillside development in Moraga from 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday, April 16 in the Hagarty Lounge at De-LaSalle Hall at Saint Mary's College. Learn about the project, share your thoughts, hear ideas and opinions of Moraga residents, help ensure the town policies and regulations address the issues you care about. For more info go to www.moraga.ca.us/hillsides or contact Ellen Cark, senior planner, (925) 888-7041 or eclark@moraga.ca.us.

Lamorinda Republican Women Federated welcomes luncheon speaker Mike Winther at noon, April 17 at the Orinda Country Club. Mike Winther is the president for principle studies and sits on the board of scholars at the Mackinac Center for Public Policy. For luncheon information and reservations contact Elsie Euing at (925) 254-8617 no later than April 14. Cost: \$25. Men are always welcome.

Russ Aubrey will discuss his wanderings through Cuba and will discuss the culture and history of this historic island at The Widowed Persons Support monthly meeting at 7 p.m. Monday, April 21 at the Lafayette-Orinda Presbyterian Church. For directions and info, call Ruth at (925) 376-0321.

Talk is cheap; become a volunteer emergency communicator. Earn your amateur "ham radio" license free in just six evenings with the help of an experienced, licensed instructor. Classes start at 7 p.m. April 22 in Orinda City Hall's Sarge Littlehale room. Final class includes administration of the FCC exam. All ages are welcome. Call Keith at 788-2762, k6kwr@arrl.net

Performers for Progress, the nonprofit, student-run organization produced at Miramonte High School each year is coming up again at 7 p.m. Friday and Saturday, April 25-26. This year will be unlike any other as MHS collaborates with the three other district schools that will be hosting acts. Miramonte's jazz band will be playing as well. Proceeds from the show will be donated to charity. It is a wonderful, family-friendly event, and it is something people will certainly not want to miss!

Widowed Persons Support - "Lunch Bunch," due to Easter-later in month, will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, April 26 at Back 40 Texas BBQ, 100 Coggins Lane, Pleasant Hill. The WPS group welcomes members and friends. Call Ann at (925) 482-0318 for reservations.

The Saklan School welcomes the community to their annual rummage sale from 8 a.m. to noon Saturday, April 26. Bring any items from your home or garage for this community event. Find great buys, sell or trade any items of your choosing. The rummage sale takes place at The Saklan School, located at 1678 School Street, Moraga.

Joaquin Moraga Intermediate School is hosting the first annual Peace, Love, and Pancakes Breakfast and Art Sale. It is a student-run pancake breakfast and art sale from 9 a.m. to noon on Sunday, April 27 at JM, to benefit the students at the JBFC schools in Magu, Tanzania. Cost is \$10 per person. In addition to donating funds for scholarships for students there, JM hopes to be able to fund a number of other projects, including installing solar panels, a biogas system, windows for new science labs, and a new pig pen. More information about the school in Tanzania can be found at http://www.jbfc-online.org/jbfcmodeleducationempowerment.html. For ticket info, visit http://jm.moraga.k12.ca.us/plp.

The United States Congress has designated America's Days of Remembrance as the nation's annual remembrance of the Holocaust. In Contra Costa County, Yom HaShoah 2014 will be conducted in the Sanctuary of Temple Isaiah beginning at 4:30 p.m. Sunday, April 27. Excerpts from the opera, "Another Sunrise," will be performed. Members of the general public are welcome and encouraged to attend this free program to honor those who survived, all who perished, and the Righteous Among Nations who rescued survivors. Location: 945 Risa Road, Lafayette. For more info, call (510) 318-

Area residents who own classic cars are **invited to participate** in the 6th annual Moraga Classic Car Show, which takes place from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, May 10 as part of the 2014 Moraga Community Faire. The \$30 registration fee includes an entry ribbon, lunch for two, a commemorative photo, and a chance for owners to display their restoration work to the public. Prizes will be awarded. The registration deadline is May 1. To register, go to www.moragachamber.org/faire or call (925) 247-4629.

Are you ready to dance, walk, run, jog? Come to JF Kapnek's 11th annual Family 5k/1k FUN Run!! Come help celebrate Kapnek's accomplishments in our efforts to diminish the effect of the HIV/AIDS epidemic on the children and families of Zimbabwe. Grab your friends and join us at 9 a.m. on Sunday, May 4 at Miramonte High School. Come get your face painted, crafts for the kids, fun kids 1k run, healthy brunch, prizes for the top 5k runners, and much more! Go to Active.Com (keyword Kapnek) to register. For info, email Carey@JFKapnekTrust.org.

Lafayette Juniors 15th Annual Kitchen Tour will be from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, May 17. Tour six special Lafayette homes with unique rustic, ranch, Cape Cod, open concept, traditional, and farmhouse style kitchens. The tour benefits First Place for Youth, STAND!, the Lafavette Library, SEED. and Twin Canyon Camp. Tickets: \$40, with a box lunch available for \$15. Purchase tickets online today at www.lafayettejuniors.org or from Douglah Designs and Premier Kitchens in Lafayette.

Please join us to celebrate the 100th Anniversary of The Orinda Library from 3 to 5 p.m. Saturday, May 17 in the Library Plaza. Enjoy live music performed by three local Orinda high school musical groups and other activities. Enter to win one of several fabulous raffle prizes and enjoy delicious birthday treats for all.

SENIORS

Apple Basics - Facilitated by Sharon Beck, Owner of Mac-Senior from 10:30 a.m. to noon on first and third Thursdays in the Cedar Room, Lafayette Community Center.. This series will start at the very beginning: the technology needed for wireless communication, your Apple ID, iTunes, iCloud and the basics of iPad and iPhone usage. Topics for future sessions will be determined by participants' input and needs. There will be time for Q&A at the end of each class. Please note: this series deals with Apple devices only. Cost: \$1 members; \$3 non-members.

Recreation Department and Friends of the Orinda Library continue their gentle prodding of Orindans to embrace more balanced lifestyles with another Health Matters for Boomers and Beyond program Friday, April 11. Health and aging experts will be present at the Orinda Library from 9 a.m. to noon to discuss strategies for preventing elder financial abuse and ways in which residents, business owners and city leaders can come together to make Orinda more aging friendly. In between presentations by Shirley Krohn, Senior Assembly Member with the California Senior Legislature, and Andrew Scharlach, Ph.D., professor of aging at the University of California, Berkeley's School of Social

The Orinda Library, Parks and Welfare, attendees may try out free Tai Chi, line dancing, or yoga sessions. For more information, visit www.friendsoftheorindalibrary.org; or contact Beth Girshman, head librarian: bgirshma@ccclib.org, or (925)254-2184, ext. 15.

GARDEN

Lafayette Garden Club Annual Plant Sale at 10 a.m. Thursday, April 10 at the Lafavette Christian Church, 584 Glenside Dr. You can purchase seedlings, flowers, and potted plants of all sizes and varieties. Very reasonable For info, email prices. cpoetzsch@gmail.com.

Please submit events to: calendar@lamorindaweekly.com





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Lamorinda Sunrise Rotary Club

We meet Friday mornings at 7 am at Celia's Mexican Restaurant, 3666 Mt. Diablo Blvd, Lafayette. For more info, please email us at lamorindasunrise@gmail.com

April 11:

Former LA Times reporter Jack Cheever will speak about his new book about The Pueblo Crisis: **ACT OF WAR**

April 18:

Registered dietitian and board certified nutritionist Tinrin Chew will discuss "Nutrition, Life Quality and Aging -What's Your Nutrition IQ?"

Save the date: Motorama, Lafayette's premier auto show, is June 15th!

Lafayette Rotary Club



Step in on a Thursday. If you are interested in joining Rotary we welcome you to join one of our lunch meetings. Thursday at noon Oakwood Athletic Club Lafayette. April 19, 10 a.m.:

April 17 Speaker: Wei-Tai Kwok on "Act now on Climate Change"

Bring your family to the **Candy Scramble** Lafayette Plaza Park, downtown

date!

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