De Anza Santa Cruz Arroyo Bulletin

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General Office Information

Hours M-F 8am-5pm Phone (831) 423-8660

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Facility Hours: 7 days/week

Clubhouse 8am-10pm Pool Area/Spa/Sauna 8am-10pm Fitness Center 5am-11pm Game Room/Laundry Room 8am-10pm

Rent Collection

Rents are due on the 1st of the month with a grace period until the 6th. Rents received on the 7th are considered LATE and will incur a \$25.00 late fee. Payments may be made in the office during business hours, in the mail slot if the office is closed, or mailed in. EFT is also available.

Garbage Collections

Garbage: Pick-up for the park is on Mondays & Thursdays.

Recycling: Pick-up is on Fridays.

Yard Waste: Large and loose yard waste must be taken to the large dumpster located in the maintenance area. Residents may bag up 2 bags of yard waste and place at their driveways for pick up on Mondays only. Loose yard waste will not be picked up.

Please dispose of items appropriately. No dumping allowed.

Clubhouse Reservations

The Clubhouse is available for resident's private events. Check with the office for date availability and to sign reservations forms. Only one event scheduled per weekend.



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Resident's website: www.deanza-park.org Contact email: deanzanews@gmail.com

Webmaster: Lorraine Smith

De Anza Arroyo Association

De Anza Arroyo Association plans and organizes park social events. Membership is open to all park residents. Dues are \$5/person/year. Board meetings are open to ALL residents. Meeting schedule will be posted in the Bulletin calendar.

Arroyo Officers

Past President: Susy Spano
President: Sandy Brunett
Vice President: Barbara Cordes
Secretary: Debbie Cameron
Treasurer: Sandi Dutra

Advisory Board: Joy Caragliano, Betty Loveland, Linda Raffel, Melisa Mulcahy, Aggie Malberg, Jean-Marie Mott, Dawn McConnachie

De Anza Homeowner's Association

The HOA meets every other month to discuss issues of concern to residents. Meetings are held the third Wednesday of the month at 7 pm. Membership is open to ALL park residents. Dues are \$10/unit/year.

HOA Officers

President: Merit Herman
Vice President: Tom Louden
Secretary: Amalie Sinclair
Treasurer: Eugene Markowitz

Board of Directors

Emergency Response: Gary Whitten
Policy and Procedures: Don Payne
Communications: Lorraine Smith
Park Concerns: Jim Cannon
GSMOL: Dave Allenbaugh

October						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
**PLEASE NOTE THERE HAVE BEEN SOME CHANGES TO THE CALENDAR FOR ACTIVITIES REGARDING DATES AND TIMES						
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BRIDGE is played in the Clubhouse on Fridays from 1 pm to 4:30 pm. They have room for 3 new members who are experienced players. Contact Ellie by texting her at 408-779-2451

<u>COFFEE AND DONUTS</u>. Visit with your neighbors in the Clubhouse on Fridays, beginning at 8 am. Grey Bears grocery delivery arrives around 9 am, and the group tends to thin out afterwards, as people leave to take their groceries home.

<u>GAME DAY</u> meets in the Clubhouse from 1pm-4pm on Tuesdays. The group usually plays Rummy for the first half of the period and Mexican Trains (a dominos game) for the second half. Contact Cher with any questions...831-459-0473

<u>MAHJONG</u> is played in the Clubhouse on Tuesdays from 1 pm to 5 pm. All levels welcome, including beginners interested in learning to play. Contact Marge Shaw with any questions...831-423-8374

MORNING MINGLE. Meet and greet your neighbors on Tuesdays from 10 am to 11 am in the Clubhouse.

<u>QI GONG</u> meets in the Clubhouse on Wednesday mornings from 8am-9am. Suitable for beginners and advanced. Teacher Nick Loffree leads simple Qi gong warm ups, stretches, flowing movements, and meditations to get the day off to a relaxed but energized start.

<u>READING GROUP</u> meets in the Library at 1 pm on the 3rd Wednesday of each month. Both fiction and non-fiction are included. Contact Sandra Walker with any questions....<u>walkmor@comcast.net</u>

<u>TAI CHI</u> meets on Mondays at 9 am in the Clubhouse. Relax, stretch, and improve your balance. Suitable for beginners and advanced. Teacher Marge Shaw leads the class through a series of Tai Chi relaxing-but energizing movements and routines. Contact Marge Shaw with any questions...831-423-8374

<u>WATER AEROBICS</u> meets Monday-Wednesday-Friday from 9am-10am. This is a low impact activity and is suitable for both swimmers and non-swimmers. Contact Alyce Amor <u>amorp139@aol.com</u> with any questions.

<u>YOGA</u> meets on Mondays and Wednesdays at 10 am in the Clubhouse. Teacher Mitra Treadwell leads a 2 hour class of invigorating yoga. Mitra has been practicing yoga for 50 years and teaching yoga for 43 years. Contact Mitra Treadwell mitrayoga@yahoo.com with any questions.







A Broad "View" Motivates new De Anza Neighbors in Space 66.

Retirees Richard Goering and Cindy Slade will never run out of scenery. From their completely rebuilt home at space 66, they can see almost all of Natural Bridges State Park along with tidepools, surf, sand, dolphins, and whales. No surprise, then, that their interests and involvements out in the world are wide and varied.

Before retirement, Richard was a Silicon Valley writer/editor with a focus on technology. With hundreds of articles, technical papers, and blog postings, Richard helped define a new technology called Electronic Design



Automation (EDA). It allows engineers to design and verify computer chips that may hold billions of transistors.

Working in the small rural town of Aromas, Cindy was the founder of the small town's vibrant Nextdoor Aromas social network neighborhood, with over half of the community's 3000 inhabitants eventually participating. She was also an active member of the Aromas Community Grange, and one of the founders of Transition Aromas, the local chapter of the international Transition organization, which promotes local

"resilience" in an era of resource scarcity. With sponsorship by Transition Aromas, Cindy launched the "Gathering of Gardeners," a quarterly gathering where participants share their experience and knowledge growing food in the local ecosystem.

Indeed, a love of gardening helped draw Richard and Cindy together. They met on-line through eHarmony in 2004. They were married in 2005. In 2006 Richard and Cindy bought a 2 ½ acre parcel in Aromas with a ramshackle farmhouse, a goat barn, a huge garden space, chicken coops, an orchard, a rental cabin and a year-round spring. They turned the site into a beautiful organic permaculture "farm'ette," with both wild and cultivated areas, rainwater catchment, raised bed and row crop vegetable gardens, medicinal herbs, native plantings, and enormous roses.

So why relocate now? Gardening on a large scale became more difficult as they grew older, and maintaining the property was taking too much time and effort. Cindy felt that they needed to be closer to resources for Richard, who was diagnosed with Parkinson's disease in 2014. Richard and Cindy still own the Aromas property, and several good friends are renters.

Richard was born and raised in Madison, Wisconsin where his father was a chemistry professor and his mother was a medical social worker. An only child, Richard's first love was classical music. He started playing the piano around age 8 and wrote some of his own compositions.

Seeking new horizons, Richard moved to Berkeley, California right after his 18th birthday and attended the University of California. Since he had always been a writer, his B.A. in journalism, awarded in 1973, was a good fit. But jobs were scarce, so Richard did several things – magazine articles, reporting for a weekly newspaper, educational filmstrips, PR (public relations), technical writing, and reporting from and about a cross-country bicycling trip.

And then, Richard encountered computers and electronics. In 1980-1981, he took classes in computer programming at the University of Missouri in Kansas City. He worked as a technical writer in Kansas City, and was invited in 1984 to join the staff of Computer Design magazine in Silicon Valley. He sold his two-bedroom house for \$27,000 and with his first wife, Elin, drove to Palo Alto in a Toyota Tercel with no air conditioning and a very upset cat.

Within a few years, EDA gained recognition as an important new technology and marketplace. For 17 years, Richard wrote for EE Times, then the premier international newspaper about the electronics industry. He was laid off in 2007 as print publications declined, but he spent an additional six years writing blogs and technical documents for a leading EDA vendor.

Richard traveled widely for work and play. Ports of call included Caribbean islands, India, Nepal, Tokyo, Greece, Germany, Switzerland, France, Mexico, Peru, England, Scotland, Hawaii, Alaska, and Canada. Today Richard enjoys photography, local travel, walking, good books, "mindfulness" meditation, and a card game called Quiddler.

Cindy Slade was born in Maryland, but grew up in Wayland, Massachusetts, where she especially enjoyed exploring the miles of bridle paths around her home. She excelled in sports, participating in the US Youth Games at age 14 in high jumping, sprints, and relay races. Cindy's family lived at the top of a hill, and 10 neighboring families joined together to clear a 100-yard ski slope with a rope tow and night lighting.

At age 16, Cindy's family moved to Saratoga, California – quite a culture shock in 1969! Cindy first attended Reed College in Portland, Oregon. While never attaining a degree, Cindy is a life-long learner and would have nearly enough credits to graduate if she ever settled into a major! Instead of finishing college, Cindy went to work in the field of quality assurance, taking her skills from microfilm, to digital watches, to the aerospace industry, to medical devices, and finally to the regulated field of organic agriculture, working for California Certified Organic Farmers (CCOF), headquartered right down the road on Delaware Ave.

Cindy's lifelong love of nature inspired her other interests, including hiking, gardening, permaculture, scuba diving, bird language, tracking, Native American spiritual practices, beach combing, and artwork incorporating the stones, artifacts, and driftwood she accumulated over the years. Alas, most have been given away as gifts! But a few remain, if you come to visit her beautiful "beach house."

De Anza Community Park News

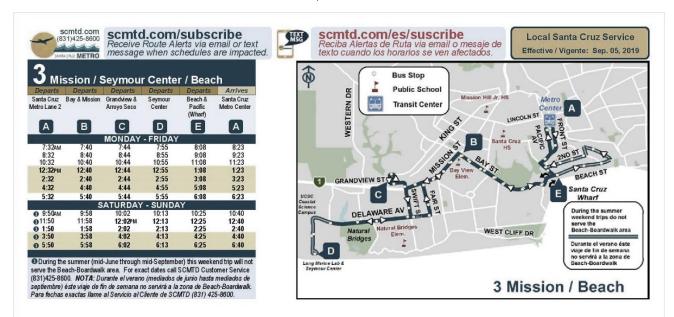
- New office hours! In case you didn't know the new office hours are 8 am 12 pm, Monday Friday.
 The remainder of the day will be scheduled for field tasks and other duties. The staff will be available for emergencies by phone or via email during the day.
- Bus Service Discount! As seniors, one thing we like to hear is DISCOUNT! Did you
 know Santa Cruz Metro offers a discount for cash paying seniors to ride the bus? It
 cost \$2.00 for a round trip visit into town with a valid ID. You must be 62 years or
 older. Exact change is required since bus drivers do not carry change. Website is:
 www.scmtd.com



A clearer map is available on the website with schedules.

Here is a list of valid ID choices:

- METRO Paracruz ID Card
- A Discount Photo ID Card/Paratransit ID Card issued by another transit agency
- A Senior Citizen ID Card
- Identification that displays date of birth (e.g. passports & birth certificates)
- Current State Driver's License, or current State ID Card



DeAnza residents may not know this, however, there is a podcast called Santa
Cruz Local that can be downloaded or watched on the internet. It provides
information on current events pertaining to Santa Cruz. It is informative and
concise.

Here are some ways to access the Podcast:

Go to your Podcast app on the iphone and download or Ask your

iPhone: "Siri, play the Santa Cruz Local podcast."

Ask your Amazon Echo: "Alexa, play the Santa Cruz Local podcast."

Ask your Google Home: "OK Google, play the Santa Cruz Local podcast."

Listen on KSQD 90.7 FM: 6:50 a.m. Wednesdays and Fridays, and between 5-6 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday during the "Talk of the Bay" show.



GSMOL News: Current information on legislative bills and 2019 Mobile Home Residency Law are now
available on the website. Dave Allenbaugh, our GSMOL Director, has updated the page on the website
for anyone who would like to see what the current information is regarding living in this lovely
community.

Go to **www.deanza-park.org** click on GSMOL/Commission under the HOA Association tab.

• Robocall Phone List: It was brought to my attention that some residents are not on the phone call list to receive information with Robocalls notifying the community of meetings, events, etc. If you would like to add your name to the list, please contact the office and fill out a form so your name can be added to the resident phone list. These calls are done approximately once a month when there is something needed to report regarding HOA meeting times/dates, Arroyo Association events, etc. Your number is not shared with anyone without your knowledge.



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LIMIT

- How to report vandalism, crimes, etc.
 - □ Vandalism can be reported on-line @ (http://www.cityofsantacruz.com/government/city-departments/police/report-a-crime/online-police-reporting-system) or the non-emergency number (831-471-1131)
 - You can also email the police chief @ (amills@cityofsantacruz.com) or your neighborhood sergeant @ http://www.cityofsantacruz.com/government/city-departments/police/neighborhood-policing-teams.
- **Drive the posted speed limit of 15 MPH** in the area, especially when people are walking with children or pets. Help to make De Anza a safe environment for pedestrians!
- A Huge thank you to the Arroyo Bulletin "walkers"! September was the first time the Bulletins were delivered to each home. This was made possible by Pat Chance, Kathy Caruso, Carol Smith and yours truly with assist from my hubby. If anyone would like to volunteer, we can always use help, especially if it's for back up. Many of us travel a lot or live here part time so having more people make it easier for delivery. Email me at deanzanews@gmail.com if anyone is interested in helping.
- Donated Stuffed Animals Appreciated...Make a child's Holiday a happy one!
 Do you have any "gently used" (or even new) stuffed animals you would like to donate for the children of the migrant camps in Santa Cruz County this holiday season?



If so, please contact: Pat Chance #191

E-mail: chanceconsulting2007@yahoo.com

Phone or Text: 209-484-4287

She will be happy to come by your place to pick them up and will be collecting until Thursday, December 12th.



October 11, Friday, 5:00 T.G.I.F. Bar Night

November 16, Saturday, 5:00 Thanksgiving Dinner

December 2, Monday 10:00 am
Christmas Clubhouse Decorating

December 14, Saturday, 5:00

Holiday Party Extraordinaire

Music: Our Fabulous Pool Band

Please try and attend one of these activities. They are fun and a great way to meet other residents of this wonderful community!

Appetizer Potluck

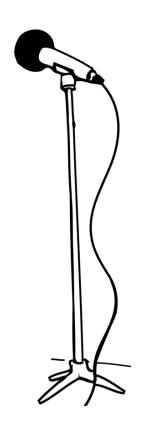
Friday, October 11 at the Clubhouse

Where everybody knows your name"

(that's because we're all wearing name tags!)

Bar open 5:00-8:00

Open mic at 6:30



Sing a song, tell a joke, play a tune; let us entertain you, let us make you smile!



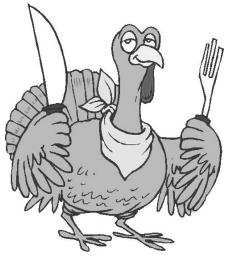




Take my wife....please...ba-dum-bum

Two Fabulous Events to Close out Arroyo's Year

The De Anza Arroyo Association hopes you have enjoyed our 2019 cavalcade of events as much as we have enjoyed bringing them to you. The final two months of 2019 will bring our two biggest community celebrations: Thanksgiving and Christmas. As in year's past we will need the help of as many residents as we can get to make both events the best yet! You have never disappointed us with your generous gift of time and talents. Here are the details for this year:



Thanksgiving Dinner Saturday, November 16, 5:00pm Toys for Tots donation kick off!

Each year the Arroyo provides the turkey, potatoes and gravy, and residents bring us their favorite side dish to share. It's always a feast made more special by sharing the meal and the memories with our wonderful De Anza family.

<u>Volunteer opportunities:</u> Turkey carving, decorating, kitchen help, serving, clean-up

Christmas Celebration Saturday Dec. 14, 5:00pm

Toys for Tots final donation

The holiday season brings our neighborhood together to eat, drink and make merry. There will be entertainment, dancing and an avalanche of finger foods and sweets. As always the clubhouse will be festively adorned.

<u>Volunteer opportunities:</u> <u>Decorating Dec. 2</u>, table set up, cooks, clean-up on Dec. 13/14.



Join in the fun!

To volunteer email: sjkids@pacbell.net



HOA BOARD MEMBERS CONTACT INFORMATION

HOA Officers

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Treasurer	Eugene Markowitz	deanzasantacruzhoa@gmail.com	831-535-2303

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Park Concerns	Jim Cannon	deanzasantacruzhoa@gmail.com	831-460-1320
GSMOL	Dave Allenbaugh	deanzasantacruzhoa@gmail.com	831-334-7178

Arroyo Association Officers

Title	Name	Email Address	Phone Number
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Vice President	Barbara Cordes	korthelakis@gmail.com	831-359-6216
Secretary/Membership	Debbie Cameron	debbiedcameron@gmail.com	831-234-3160
Treasurer	Sandi Dutra	s_dutra@comcast.net	408-373-4164

***Please note: There is now a <u>deanzasantacruzhoa@gmail.com</u> address that residents are encouraged to start using to communicate suggestions or questions to the HOA board. We as a whole, plan to review that email address on a regular basis to be able to give the HOA board information about what is going on in the community and concerns residents may have about HOA topics.