



Dedicated to a continuing rural atmosphere

**From The Field**

By Eric Anderson

I'd like to wish everyone in our community a very special Holiday Season! At the December 6<sup>th</sup> town council meeting there'll be pot luck deserts and community service awards. Come down, have a cup of coffee, some desserts and socialize.

The town council has recently written several letters commenting on various projects. I encourage everyone to also write letters to the Board of Supervisors, San Dieguito Planning Group and the Planning Commission on these issues. The most important letter was in opposition to the Harmony Meadows General Plan Amendment for over 200 homes where, under the current general plan, only 20-25 would be allowed. This project threatens to extend sprawl into a rural area. Information on this and other projects can be found on our web site. Thanks to Joe Benson for updating our web site.

The Bridges 6 & 7 is scheduled to go to the Planning Commission and we're working hard with The Escondido Creek Conservancy and the Nature Conservancy to try and acquire the large parcel (7) of over 80 acres containing some high value gnatcatcher habitat. The parcel has been appraised and we hope to keep moving forward. The developer, Lennar, has made it clear that they are going forward with their plans to develop.

Finally I'd like to thank BJ Williams and the Sheriff's Department for their response to issues raised at the last town council meeting.

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**Town Council Meeting – Wednesday, December 6<sup>th</sup> @7:30PM**  
**At The Elfin Forest/Harmony Grove Fire Station**  
**Topics: Dessert Pot Luck and Community Service Awards**

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## The Winners Are

By Joe Alemanni

Congratulations to community members Sue Varty for re-election to the Division 4 seat on the Olivenhain Municipal Water District's Board of Directors, Scot Cheatham for election to the Rancho Santa Fe School District Board, and finally Jacob Philips for election as President of the Rancho Santa Fe Student Council.

Also, Scot, I swear spelling school as "scholl" in the byline of your article last month was a typo on my part. I'm glad my public scholl education didn't adversely affect your campaign.

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## DSL Update

By Shelley Fontaine

As you may already know from our last newsletter update, AT&T is committed to delivering high-speed DSL to Elfin Forest. Unfortunately, it will take some time to process the easement paperwork and upgrade equipment along Fortuna Del Este & Elfin Forest Road. The easement paperwork has been drafted and is in the process of being signed (probably this week). Once the paperwork is signed it should take about three months - so hopefully installations can begin the early part of next year.

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## Community Foundation Grants And Request For Candidates

By Betsy Keithley, Secretary EFCF

The board of directors for the Elfin Forest Community Foundation met on October 24, 2006 to evaluate the only grant proposal submitted by the October 15, 2006 deadline. \$3000 was granted to Karen Gardner and Peggy Petitmermet for improvements to the Fire Wise Garden at the Fire Station. Congratulations! The community thanks you for your involvement and commitment to helping maintain the rural environment of Elfin Forest and Harmony Grove.

Elections for the Board of Directors of the Community Foundation are held in February. If you are interested in running for election, please contact Betsy Keithley at ekeithley@ucsd.edu.

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## Nominate Someone For A Community Service Award

By Karen Gardner

So many people in our valley do so much. At the next town council meeting we want to thank them and acknowledge their efforts. Here's your chance to nominate your friends and neighbors for their contributions to a maintaining a continuing rural environment.

There's no limit to how many people you can nominate. Please e-mail you nominations to Karen Gardner at [karen@vintagematerialism.com](mailto:karen@vintagematerialism.com) or call her 760-744-9500. Please be sure to tell her the name of the person, why they are being nominated, and their phone number. Nominations are due by December 1.

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## Jazzercise At San Elijo Hills

By Donna Brown

Jazzercise classes are now being offered at the San Elijo Hills Recreation Center. A New Customer offer is available. Babysitting is available for all morning classes. For local information call 760-752-1909 or check [www.jazzercise.com](http://www.jazzercise.com).

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## Elf Alerts – NOTE THE CHANGE

Elf alerts are periodic email messages regarding important local events and supplement the newsletter. To subscribe, contact Karen Gardner at [karen@vintagematerialism.com](mailto:karen@vintagematerialism.com). Your email info may be shared with the fire department but no one else. Have you changed your email address? Tell Karen. Thanks to Rachel Barnes for handling Elf Alerts since March.

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## Calendar For December

Date	Time	Event
Wed 12/6	7:30 PM	Town Council Meeting@Firehouse
Tue 12/5, 12/19	7 PM	Fire Training@Firehouse
Wed 12/13	7 PM	Fire Auxiliary
Mon 12/11	7 PM	Fire Board@Firehouse
Sat 12/23	8 AM	Fire Training@Firehouse
Sat 12/2, 12/16	10 AM	Bookmobile@Firehouse

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## Harmony Grove Meadows Conflicts With Community Vision By Mid Hoppenrath

Over five years ago, the residents of the 100-year-old agricultural community known as Harmony Grove embarked on a unique journey. Together with the San Diego County Planning and Land Use staff and county supervisors, neighbors planned the future growth of their community with a goal that had never been considered before; to preserve their rural lifestyle while accommodating a nearly eight-fold increase in population.

The very essence of this plan was the Village Development Pattern, a village core with housing densities diminishing with distance from the center. This pattern, which integrates and adds to existing large lot rural home sites at the periphery, is featured in the county staff recommended Draft GP2020 Map that has been consistently supported by the community.

Inexplicably, the Board of Supervisors voted in June of 2004 to include a second map for study in the GP2020 process, called the Board Alternate Map. This second map responds to the requests of non-resident landowners and allows high density development beyond the village core, destroying the essential Village Development Pattern in Harmony Grove.

The Harmony Grove Meadows project, a plan for 217 clustered homes on sewer located on 111 acres near Country Club Drive and Harmony Grove Road has been submitted (again) to the county by SunCal developers. This high-density suburban project follows the Board Alternate Map, and among other problems, will make it impossible to downgrade Country Club Drive to a residential road. In contrast, only about 25 large-lot rural homes on septic systems would be allowed by the community-supported Draft GP2020 Map. The county has asked the Elfin Forest / Harmony Grove Town Council, among other agencies, to submit comments on this project.

The EFHG Town Council has posted these comments, additional project information, and a site map of this proposed project on the Harmony Grove Meadows page of the EFHG Town Council Web site, [www.efhgtc.org](http://www.efhgtc.org). Problems with the project as currently proposed include that the application has

no plan that follows the Draft GP2020 Map, the CUDA (current urban development area) category it requires is inappropriate for this rural area, the development is in conflict with long-established community traffic goals, and bringing sewer service beyond the Village core is growth-inducing in an existing rural area.

Because Harmony Grove Meadows does not follow the accepted planning model for the Harmony Grove community and is in direct conflict with numerous long-standing community goals, the EFHG Town Council strongly opposes the project and has urged the county to deny this application. You can let the county know what you think of this project and the two GP2020 maps by contacting ALL of the supervisors:

Bill Horn - [bill.horn@sdcounty.ca.gov](mailto:bill.horn@sdcounty.ca.gov)

Dianne Jacob - [dianne.jacob@sdcounty.ca.gov](mailto:dianne.jacob@sdcounty.ca.gov)

Greg Cox - [greg.cox@sdcounty.ca.gov](mailto:greg.cox@sdcounty.ca.gov)

Pam Slater - [pam.slater@sdcounty.ca.gov](mailto:pam.slater@sdcounty.ca.gov)

Ron Roberts - [ron.roberts@sdcounty.ca.gov](mailto:ron.roberts@sdcounty.ca.gov)

Please remember to **copy** the county planner, Bill Stocks, and our Department of Planning and Land Use representative Stephanie Gaines:

Bill Stocks - [william.stocks@sdcounty.ca.gov](mailto:william.stocks@sdcounty.ca.gov)

Stephanie Gaines - [stephanie.gaines@sdcounty.ca.gov](mailto:stephanie.gaines@sdcounty.ca.gov)

The Harmony Grove community is serving as a county-wide bellwether for continuing collaboration between county staff, county supervisors, and county residents. Throughout the five districts, voters are watching to see whether our county supervisors will value hard won community-county cooperation and support the Draft GP2020 Map, or value private developers' interests and support the Board Alternate Map. One thing is certain, the results will have far-reaching implications for all the residents of San Diego County.

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## *chaparral* By Email

If you're not already receiving a full color, PDF format copy of the *chaparral* by email send an email to [alemanni@allea.com](mailto:alemanni@allea.com) to be added to the list. The PDF version is free to regular "hardcopy" subscribers and only \$10.00/year for the PDF version only.

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# Minutes Of Elfin Forest/Harmony Grove Town Council Meeting

By Steve Barker

**Date:** November 1, 2006

**Call to Order:** 7:30 PM.

**Members present:** Eric Anderson, Steve Barker, Cheri Smith, Jacqueline Arsivaud-Benjamin, Mid Hoppenrath, Bill Wilgenburg and Betsy Keithley.

**7:30:** Meeting to order and introductions.

Chairman **Eric Anderson** introduced the November "Elf", Jacob Phillips, 8<sup>th</sup> grade Rancho Santa Fe school student and President of Rancho Santa Fe Student Council.

Treasurer **Betsy Keithley** reported a current balance of \$23,984, with \$240 of income for October and \$539 in expenses. The major October expense was legal fees related to Bridge's development. Betsy also reported that she had received notice that the Cielo del Norte development had applied to the county for an extension of their permits until December 2011.

Action Item: Betsy to follow up with the County and get back to the Board with more information.

Board member **Cheri Smith** reminded the members present that nominations for Community Service Awards are currently being accepted and will be awarded at the December meeting.

Board member **Jacqueline Arsivaud-Benjamin** reported that the hazmat disposal event was a major success, with over 160 cars dropping off old electronics and other hazardous materials.

Jacqueline also reported that the Garden Festival Planning Committee is in full swing for the April 21, 2007 event.

Action Item: Volunteers are needed and are asked to contact Jacqueline or **Karen Gardner**.

Jacqueline is also the Board representative for the Bridges Committee and she reported that the project will be heard before the County Planning Commission on December 15, 2006.

Board member **Mid Hoppenrath** reported that the Harmony Grove Meadows Subcommittee was preparing comments for Board review and subsequent submittal to the County prior to the November 10, 2006 deadline.

Mid also reported that comments on the Harmony Grove Village draft specific plan amendment (SPA), map and 3 multiple use permits are due back to the County on November 27, 2006.

Action Item: The subcommittee will draft comments for Board review and subsequent submittal to the County.

Eric thanked **Lori Vitale** for organizing Halloween trick or treating in the community.

Open Forum: Karen Gardner and **John Phillips** reported on recent vandalism and partying involving local young people. The incidents occurred on Circa de Media and also the Hover/Quail Ridge area.

Action Item: The Town Council will follow up with the Sheriff's Department.

**Bruce Krider** and **Tina Pope** from Palomar Pomerado Health gave a presentation about the new hospital planned to be built just east of Harmony Grove, off the new Citricado Parkway extension. The Palomar Medical Center West will have 30% more beds than the existing Palomar Hospital and double the ICU beds. The facility is planned to open in 2013.

**Adjourned:** 9:30 PM.

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## *first christmas*

By Jaisa Bishop

we'll see Christmas  
lights  
you and I  
creamy white  
like orange gingerbread frosting  
shimmering like a cascade  
of luminous snow flakes  
that we'll roll into big  
round balls of snowmen  
who melt like hot fudge  
poured  
over a sumptuous  
hot chocolate sundae  
as we savor every bite  
by the fire  
dreaming  
of tomorrow's blessings

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## TECC Update

By Jeff Swenerton

Since its creation in 1991, The Escondido Creek Conservancy (TECC) has preserved over 1,000 acres of open space in the Escondido watershed through direct purchase or by working in cooperation with the County of San Diego and local developers. Just before leaving Elfin Forest you can observe the large restoration project to reestablish native vegetation of chaparral, oaks, and sycamores that were destroyed by the blocking of sunlight by the taller non-native eucalyptus trees.

Much of this work is being done on a large parcel of TECC property acquired from donations. This stretch of the creek downstream beginning at the Elfin Forest Recreational Reserve promises to be one of the most beautiful in all of San Diego County except for 17 home sites planned for Cielo Azul at the top of the "Way Up Trail". TECC attempted unsuccessfully to purchase the land and continues to lead the opposition to this project.

On another parcel adjacent to the Reserve, work has commenced in the Del Dios Highlands Preserve (formerly known as the "Derbas property") including eucalyptus tree removal and trail engineering. TECC is funding the work with support from several agencies including the California Conservation Corps. Eventually there will be trail connections to the Elfin Forest Recreational Reserve, Harmony Grove, and San Dieguito River Valley.

The Lennar Bridges Units 6 and 7 EIR has been released. County DPLU staff recommends denial of this project. This proposed development will substantially impact the core nesting areas of the California Gnatcatcher, a federally listed threatened species of bird. It's the view of TECC there is no way to mitigate the impact of 29 homes on 87 acres and we are therefore strongly advocating for an acquisition alternative (no development).

Three major TECC events are in the process of planning including a February tree-planting day along Escondido Creek, a Cleanup Day (in cooperation with the Town Council), and a Spring Membership Celebration Event. More information is coming. All funding for land acquisition and other important missions of TECC is supported by donations. In January, we'll be launching a major membership campaign and would appreciate all Elfin Forest residents consider becoming a member.

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## Get Ready For The 2007 Elfin Forest Garden Festival

By Evelyn Alemanni

"Hidden Treasures in the Valley of the Elves"

Since 2003, the Elfin Forest Garden Festival has earned a reputation of being the finest in all of San Diego County. Visitors have come from five states and three countries. Garden writers have called it the best organized, and most fun. America in Bloom judge and University of Arkansas horticulture professor, Gerald Klingaman, said that Elfin Forest gardens are among the finest he's ever seen, as close to paradise as it comes.

April 21 is your chance to visit some of Elfin Forest's most inspirational gardens. Most of the gardens on the tour will be open to the public for the first time ever, and most of them are more than two acres in size. But you'll enjoy more than gardens. There will be experts giving free garden advice, lunch, a book signing featuring Steve Brigham and his "Ornamental Trees for Mediterranean Climates", a garden marketplace, and much more.

Advance tickets are \$20. Lunch is \$10. Tickets on April 21 are \$30. Save money and order your tickets now. They make great holiday gifts. Order tickets online at [www.elfinforestgardens.info](http://www.elfinforestgardens.info).

If you'd like to be a sponsor, vendor, or volunteer, please contact:

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Karen Gardner –  
760-744-9500 [karen@vintagematerialism.com](mailto:karen@vintagematerialism.com)

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## Giant Sweet Potato Unearthed

By Joe Alemanni

A giant sweet potato was recently discovered by one of our highly trained basset hounds, Harley, just in time for Thanksgiving.



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## Your Art On A Garden Festival Shirt - Last Chance

By Evelyn Alemanni

One of the many delights of our garden festivals has been the unique t-shirts designed for each one. I'm proud to own a commemorative t-shirt from each of the three previous festivals. As we did in 2005, we're soliciting your design concepts. The art submitted will be displayed for the community to vote on at the December holiday party.

Guidelines are simple: your design should include the words "Elfin Forest Garden Festival" and, optionally, a graphic element to support the theme, "Hidden Treasures in the Valley of the Elves". All the printing will be in one color of ink - it can be any color - on any color t-shirt.

Submit your designs as a .jpg file and email it to me at [alemanni@allea.com](mailto:alemanni@allea.com) before November 30<sup>th</sup> or bring a drawing to the December town council meeting (holiday party) for consideration. You can submit as many designs as you want. The designer of the winning motif gets a free t-shirt!

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## AAA Pro General Contracting & Home Inspection

By Jeff Mullen

Hi, I'm Jeff Mullen owner of AAA Pro General Contracting & Home Inspection services. My ad is on the back page. I'm a longtime journeyman carpenter and commercial painter with strong drywall, texture, mechanical, tile and plumbing skills.

To qualify for a B license one must prove to the state, through elaborate testing, working knowledge and experience in multiple construction trades. I enjoy remodeling older homes, building patio covers, and doing home inspections (under 3% of certified home inspectors are licensed & bonded general contractors). It seems like good thinking to hire a builder to inspect a building. Give me a call at 760-743-1851. I will be happy to help with your remodeling and repair problems.

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## Past *chaparral* Issues On Web

Past issues of the *chaparral* are now posted at [www.efhgtc.org](http://www.efhgtc.org) in downloadable PDF format.

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## Preparing For DSL

By Joe Alemanni

As Shelley Fontaine has made us aware, DSL Internet access may soon be widely available in Elfin Forest. As one of last households to get an AT&T DSL connection, I want to describe our experience so you can be prepared.

Asymmetric Digital Subscriber Line (ADSL or DSL) is a technology that shares the same pair of copper wires used to provide your home telephone service. Asymmetric because download is assigned a larger portion of the DSL bandwidth than upload (generally about 80%-20%).

The first step in the installation process is for an AT&T technician to select a high-quality pair of copper wires to connect with the closest DSL terminus. This may involve avoiding or repairing wires with previous splices and removing "loading coils" (basically metal donuts used to improve the line's electrical characteristics for telephone service). It took AT&T technicians six months to finally provide us a pair that worked correctly, let's hope that's not typical.

A DSL modem (you'll usually purchase from AT&T) is used in your home to separate the DSL signals from your phone service. It also requires the installation of small in-line filters (3 or 4 are provided with the modem) to prevent interference with your telephone. We installed our DSL modem right at the point our phone service enters the house requiring only a single filter. The Internet connection is then distributed from the DSL modem by 10BaseT (or 10 megabit per second) Ethernet.

We wanted to share this Internet connection among computers on our home network and do so using a Linksys WRT300N Wireless-N Broadband Router (about \$130.00) which has 4-wired Ethernet ports, 802.11N, G & B wireless support, built in firewall, and is designed to work with a DSL modem. We connect the router to a gigabit Ethernet Linksys 8-Port Workgroup Switch (about \$80.00) to allow our wired computers to talk to each other at gigabit speeds and share the slower Internet connection.

I'm hoping the new equipment soon to be installed by AT&T may allow us to attain a speed beyond our current 2.5 megabit download and 450 kilobit upload. Start trying to recruit the most hyperactive teens you know for your on-line game clan.

## What's Happening At The Fire Department – December 2006

By Battalion Chief Dawn Pettijohn



Training this month allowed us a break from the classroom. Everyone was thrilled at the chance to get out, lay some hose and throw some ladders. Practicing skills from the North Zone Training

Manual, the intent is to be proficient and trained to the same standards as our neighboring agencies so to assist in large incidents. The North Zone includes all agencies in the North County area and we are expected to know the skills in the manual just like our paid counterparts. It's a huge expectation for volunteers, but we are committed to succeed.

Our ambulance RA2891 participated in a Zone wide mass casualty drill at Legoland late last month. A scenario of a collapsed amusement park ride with thirty victims was attended by all the North Zone agencies, along with Mercy Air 5 and San Diego Copter 1. This type of large scale simulation involves all aspects of emergency response, from the engine companies to the hospitals receiving patients. Accessing and extricating patients, assessing medical condition and triage, coordination of a sea of ambulances and routing to hospitals all over the County to ensure that no one hospital is overburdened. This type of training is vital to ensure we are prepared for disasters

We're busy planning our year end business meeting and Christmas party. It's our chance to bring the Department and our beloved Fire Auxiliary together to say thanks. It's also our chance to poke fun at each other by reminiscing on events of the year past.

Sadly, we mourn the loss of the five USFS firefighters on the Esperanza Fire. This tragic event really brings home the importance of our recent training on Wildland Fire Behavior, Safety, Tactics, Strategy...and just how quickly everything can go horribly wrong. Our hearts go out to their families and their brotherhood of fellow firefighters.

So we bring 2006 to a close. The Department continues to grow and change, standing firmly on its own. Many thanks to all who support and appreciate what we do. Merry Christmas to all, and we hope that the Holidays find you and yours happy and healthy and sharing with the ones you love.

## In Memoriam

By Evelyn Alemanni

Our sweet, gentle basset hound, Benito von Hasenfreund (Benny) went to the "big couch in the sky" on October 30 after a brief struggle with sarcoma just short of his tenth birthday. Benny was a soft and snuggly 65 lb. lap dog who loved to have a bath. He learned how to say "I want one," eliciting delicious treats from everyone who heard him say it. Liver brownies baked by his human grandmother were among his favorite treats.

Benny shared the comforts of the Elfin Forest Basset Spa with his adopted "cousins" Sadie, Chula, Harley, and Lady Priscilla XXV, all rescues. Benny was an obedient and affectionate dog...not because of training, but because it was his nature. He loved all living creatures. Despite losing his vision to glaucoma in 2004, Benny was able to run and play, go up and down stairs, find his way around the yard, and locate every delicious treat. Most people did not know he was blind unless they were told.

We miss him.

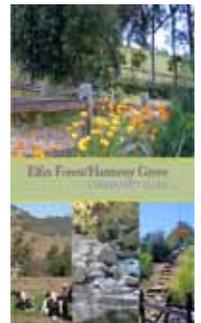


*Benny. Photo by Patti Newton*

## Get Your Community Guide

By Evelyn Alemanni

Our community guide is available at all town council meetings. This beautiful, keepsake edition has nearly 200 color photos showing our community's past and present. They make wonderful gifts and an indispensable marketing tool for realtors. It provides resources for rural living, a history of our community, and much, much more. The price is \$20.



# What Every Gardener Wants

By Evelyn Alemanni

Ah, Christmas. Time to think about gifts for our gardens and gardening friends. To help you plan your holiday shopping, here are some cool gift ideas; gifts that you give to a gardener or your own garden.

## Gifts for gardeners:

- **Gloves.** Every gardener needs several good pairs. Low budget – try Target. For \$4.99, you can get some very nice nylon/spandex gloves that last a long time, are comfortable, and fit very well. Buy several pairs, these are a great value. For the upscale gardener, there are bionic garden gloves designed by hand surgeons which claim to help your hands as you garden. Try [www.bionicgloves.com](http://www.bionicgloves.com).
- **Hats and sunscreen.** We all know what sun exposure does to skin. Help your gardening friends stay youthful looking – buy them a hat and sunscreen, SPF 15 or higher.
- **Clippers.** Every gardener needs clippers. Felco pruners are the very best. Most nurseries and hardware stores carry them. They're pricey, but worth every penny.
- **Seeds.** Uh-oh. Be careful with this gift. Seeds are wonderful, but be sure you buy something that the recipient really wants. Seeds are wonderful gifts to tuck into a greeting card. Or, give a gift certificate for seeds. Try [www.thompson-morgan.com](http://www.thompson-morgan.com), [www.territorialseeds.com](http://www.territorialseeds.com), or [www.burpee.com](http://www.burpee.com).
- **Gift certificates:** Oh YES! These are the best. Most nurseries will be happy to create a gift certificate in any denomination. Do this and your gardening friends will really appreciate being able to get whatever they want (assuming the amount is right – ok, just keep adding zeroes before the decimal point)!

## Gifts for the garden:

- **Fountains, art, statuary.** The focal point you always wanted. Think large pots, bronze statues, water features or gazing balls.
- **Compost! Manure!** The really avid gardener will be eternally grateful for a truckload of chicken or horse manure, or compost. Try El Corazon in Oceanside – they have compost in amazing varieties (who knew?) AND they deliver.
- **Bare root roses.** December is when bare root roses and fruit trees start arriving in the nurseries. Check out the selections. These are fabulous additions to the garden.
- **Humate.** To help your new plants grow, you need some magic. Humate is it. And mycorrhizae. These are magic potions that enhance the soil and help plants develop. Check [www.marilynsown.com](http://www.marilynsown.com).

MAJOR BIG HINT: I hope someone notices this list... AHEM!

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[www.andersonslacostanursery.com](http://www.andersonslacostanursery.com)

[www.efhgtc.org](http://www.efhgtc.org) (town council website)

[www.elfinforestgardens.info](http://www.elfinforestgardens.info)

[www.coburntopiary.com](http://www.coburntopiary.com)

[www.elfinforestcommunityfoundation.org](http://www.elfinforestcommunityfoundation.org)

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# Hometown Halloween Photos

By Joe Alemanni

This year's Hometown Halloween, organized by Lori Vitale, brought out a good variety of ninjas, witches, geishas, devils, Indians, swinging British secret agents, magicians, and an adorable little mermaid. A dog left guarding the treats was no match for this group of tricksters.

(Photo credit: Patti Newton.)



## News From Questhaven Retreat



Sunday worship is at 10:45 AM.  
All are welcome.  
20560 Questhaven Road.  
760-744-1500  
[www.questhaven.org](http://www.questhaven.org)

**Study groups** meet on weeknights. Please call the office for times and locations.

**Weekly Meditation** - Wednesday at 7:30 PM.

Dec 3 - The Mystical Key - Understanding Christ as the Gateway - *Rev. Jonathan Wiltshire*

Dec 10 - May Christ's Light Shine Through Our Lives - *Rev. Phyllis Isaac*

Dec 17 - Lord Emmanuel-God Realized in Man - *Rev. Susan S. Cary*

Dec 22-24 - Christmas Retreat-When Christ Enters You - *Rev. Blake Isaac*

Dec 31 - Setting the Course for 2007 with Reflection, Hope and Joyous Expectancy - *Laurel Rivera*

## HG Spiritualist Church Services

The Harmony Grove Spiritualist Church services are:

Saturday: Healing 1 PM – 2 PM  
Church Service 2 PM – 3 PM

Sunday: Healing 10 AM – 11 AM  
Church Service 11 AM – Noon

## Sheriff's Department Contacts

In an emergency, please call 911. For non-emergency reporting, contact the following:

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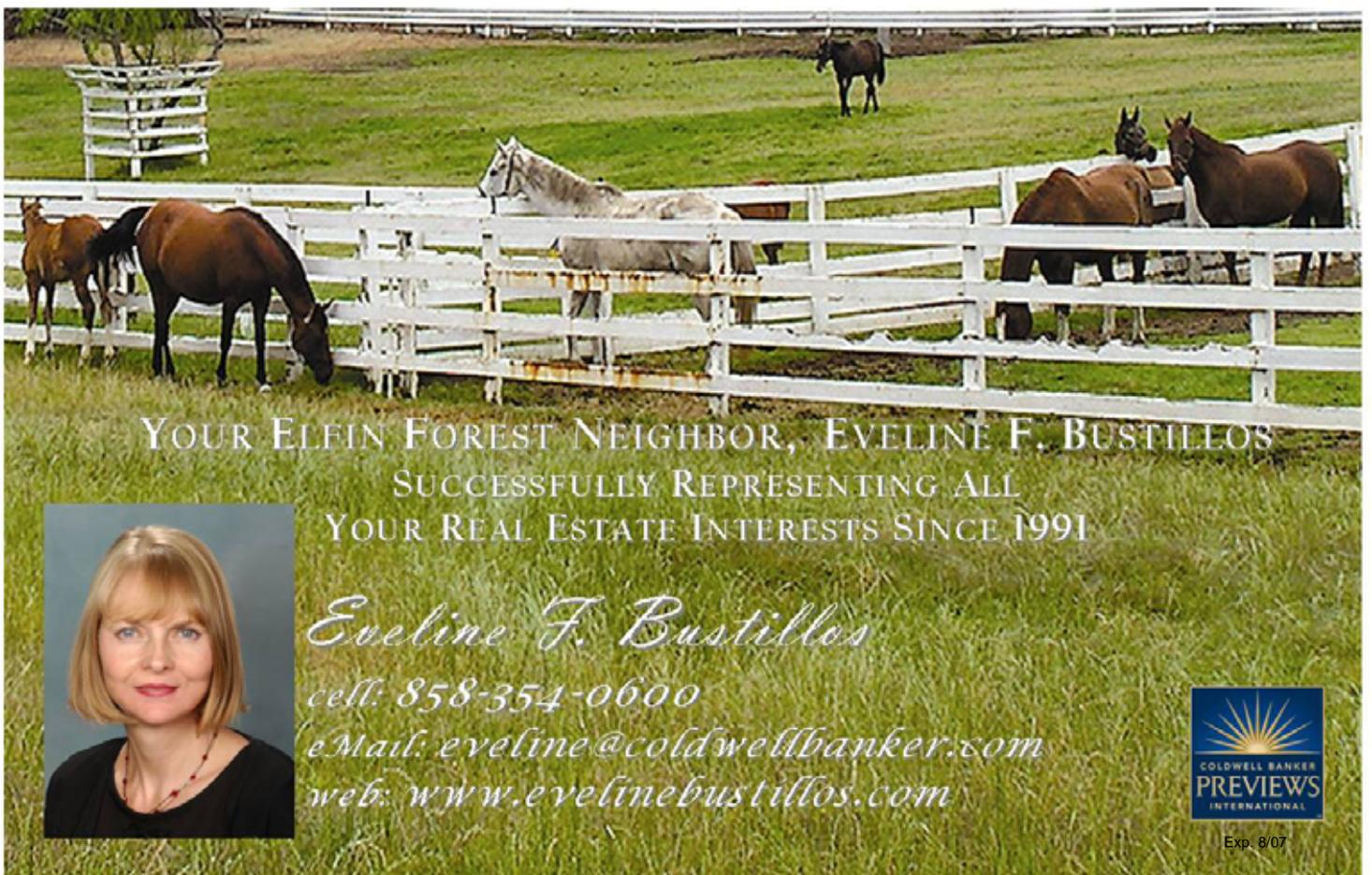
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