

# GLEN GAZETTE



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## YOUR COMMUNITY NEEDS YOU

Many of the Monterey Peninsula "pluses" that you enjoy could not operate without the army of volunteers that freely give of their time and energy. For example, the recent AT&T Golf Tournament which netted over a million dollars in charity for our community was successful because your friends and neighbors volunteered to be marshalls, starters, score keepers, bus attendants, etc. etc.

If you ever ask yourself "Why am I sitting here watching TV day after day?", why not consider donating some of your time. You'll be blessed!

The following organizations can use you:

- The Monterey Bay Aquarium 373-3333  
Your president, Doug Nordman and his wife, Marge, have been faithful volunteer guides at the Aquarium. Call Doug for details. Perhaps you can help fill the void they will be creating when they leave.
- Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce 373-3304  
Needs help for special events only such as Good Old Days, April 22-23. Guides needed for the Victorian Home Tour.
- Monterey Peninsula Chamber of Commerce (Shaun Fennessey) 649-1770  
Help needed on regular basis at the Chamber and for special events.
- Monterey History and Art Association 373-2553  
If you've never toured the Adobes to see what the Docents and other volunteers do, plan to attend the Adobe Tour on April 29. It's a treat.
- Old Monterey Preservation Society Lu Portman 649-7111
- Museum of Natural History (PG) 372-4212
- Carmel Foundation (8th & Lincoln in Carmel) 624-1588  
"The Carmel Foundation functions with a spirit and concern of a good and thoughtful neighbor. It has no message to deliver, no creed to preach and supports no political theory. It strives to bring into the lives of the members a measure of dignity, serenity, comfort and companionship."
- Hospice of the Monterey Peninsula 649-1772  
Training for new volunteers begins in April.
- Meals on Wheels 758-6325  
Our neighbors, Bernard Wileman and Vince Capra participate in the this program and can answer your questions.
- AT&T Pro Am 649-1533  
This list is by no means complete. Check with your hospital and your child's or grandchildren's schools for opportunities to serve.

Don't forget to thank your own neighbors who volunteer time to improve the Glen: Craig Wooley keeps our tennis court and gate in fresh paint; Doug, above and beyond the call of president, and with Marge's help, has kept the gate functioning and the lake clean.; Vince Capra has volunteered to do gate jobs after Doug leaves.

### In the words of President Bush:

"We as a people need to renew our sense of commitment, to take greater responsibility not only for ourselves, but for one another...Ask what can I do for another person? How can I make someone else's load a little lighter..."

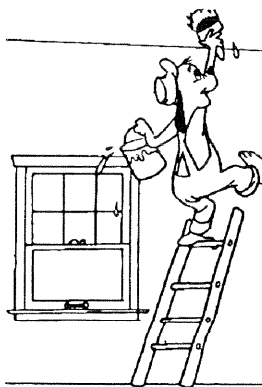
Each of us can make this a kinder and gentler nation just by the way we treat one another each day."

## RECYCLING

Marge Nordman has been collecting your aluminum and glass containers from the mailbox cartons and has accumulated over \$40 for The Glen's special projects fund. Marge is leaving soon and now that we have the recycling habit, we need a volunteer to continue the work. The job takes less than an hour per week and requires several weekly collection walks. Call Marge at 647-9386 for more information.

## PAINTING

At our last meeting, the Board selected Brocker Painting to repaint our home exteriors at a cost of \$63,500 - about \$1060 per unit. This money is in our treasury. The painting is scheduled to start around 1 May and will take four to six weeks. The Board will put out more information when we get ready to start the job, and we'll have to work together to ensure that our units are painted properly and that we get quality work for our money.



## WATER RATIONING

The Water Management Board recently set limits on water consumption and the Board has had a lot of questions from residents. The limit for Glen residents is the larger of the following: a 20% reduction from last year's water use or a maximum of 46 gallons per day per person (gpdpp).

Higher limits are available for those with washers in their units (57gpdpp) or with special health or gardening needs (122 gpdpp). However, those limits are only in effect if you apply for (and receive) a waiver from the Water Management Board.

Our landscaper has turned off the sprinklers for the rainy season and he has made several repairs and improvements in the system. If you see any leaks or waste from our sprinklers please notify a Board member right away.

## STRANGER AT THE DOOR?

What to do when an uninvited someone appears at your door to solicit funds or to convert you to something: the neighborly gesture is to inform the person that The Glen is a private community for residents and their invited guests only. Door to door sales, etc. are not allowed. If the person is insistent, remind him or her that this is trespassing and the authorities may be called. "Goodbye" and a firm closing of the door will complete the gesture.



## SPEAKING OF NEIGHBORLY —

Glen Lake Drive is 'our' private driveway and therefore not cleaned by our city street sweeper. If each of us picks up our own trash, the crew we pay for gardening will have more time to garden (weed, trim, rake).



Next Board Meeting will be  
March 15.

The location will be posted at the mailbox.

## THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER

*I've resigned as President of the Homeowner's Board of the Glen of Pacific Grove, effective Wednesday 22 February 1989.*

*Marge and I have sold our house and expect to close soon. Although we won't be homeowners anymore, we'll be renting from the new owner until 1 June 1989 and I'll be glad to help with any questions that come up.*

*However, I still don't have a successor. In the last year, the Board has made many important decisions and has caused profound improvements in The Glen. . . both in common areas and in the budget. The big jobs are on schedule and I'll be around to help with training, so now's the time to step forward and volunteer for President. Thank about it and give me a call.*

*I've enjoyed the last year and I've certainly learned a lot. I thank you all for your help and cooperation.*

## A Going Away Bar-B-Q

for our

President, Doug Nordman, and his wife, Marge

Date: April 15th

Final details will be published in the March Newsletter.

This will probably be a Bring Your Own Meat and a Side Dish Affair and will be held at the tennis court.

We need your help. If you have any suggestions or would like to serve on the committee, please call the Welcoming Committee:

Jenny Artellan (646-8848)

Virginia Capra (372-0302)

Anna Lorenzen (375-1876).