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EVERY TUESDAY 1:00-3:30

Doors open at 12:15

Bingo Pad, \$10 – Win up to \$100! Additional pads \$8, ½ Pad alone \$6 ½ Pad with Full Pad, \$4, .50 Cent Pull Tabs, Multiple \$250 Winners!

Hot dogs, Chili, Chips and Soda available for purchase Must be over 18 to play. Open to the public, Doors open at 12:15



THE MID-COUNTY SENIOR CENTER IS A MEMBER OWNED, SELF SUPPORTING, NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION DEDICATED TO PROVIDING SOCIAL, RECREATIONAL, EDUCATIONAL AND HEALTHLY LIFESTYLE ACTIVITIES FOR SENIORS.

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Dear Members,

"Democracy is government of the people, by the people, for the people" Abraham Lincoln. These words also apply to us, the Mid-County Senior Center members. I would once again like to invite all members to be involved in the democratic process of nominating and electing members to our Board of Directors. All positions are open for nomination so please make your voice heard at the October General Meeting on October 17. The positions are President, 1st Vice President. 2nd Vice President, Recording Secretary, and Treasurer. The duties of each position are as follows:

DUTIES OF THE PRESIDENT

The President will preside at all meetings of the Board of Directors and at all Members Meetings, will, with the approval of the Board of Directors, appoint chairpersons of all Standing Committees and Special Committees; will countersign all checks for payment of approved bills; will sign all documents on behalf of the Corporation as authorized by the Board and/or Members; will act as ex officio member and advisor of all Committees other than the Nominating Committee. The President will exercise general supervision of the activities of the Corporation and of the coordinator and other employees.

DUTIES OF THE VICE PRESIDENTS

The Vice Presidents in their order will, in the absence of the President, perform his/her duties, including countersigning all approved checks and carry out such other duties as authorized by the Board of Directors.

DUTIES OF THE RECORDING SECRETARY

The Recording Secretary will keep accurate minutes of the Meetings of the Board of Directors, and of The General Membership Meetings. He/she will keep a list of the Chairpersons of Standing and Special Committees and Activity Chairpersons. The Recording Secretary will maintain the binder of all board meeting minutes and add motions passed at the board meeting to the monthly newsletter. A copy of the full board minutes will be posted on the members' bulletin board. The Recording Secretary will maintain the list of standing rules voted on in the board meetings during his/her term. The standing rules will be stored in the Bylaws folder in the office. The Recording Secretary should distribute the board meeting minutes to all board members within two (2) weeks following the meeting.

DUTIES OF THE TREASURER

- A. The Treasurer will see that all money for the Corporation is properly recorded and accounted for, and that it is deposited in the proper accounts as approved by the Board of Directors. The Treasurer will also report to the Board any serious deviations from the annual budget.
- B. The Treasurer will make monthly and annual reports to both the Board of Directors and the General Membership. The Treasurer will see that all bills to the Corporation (after proper documentation and approval) are paid.
- C. The Treasurer will maintain credit card(s) for the Corporation, which can be used by him/her to automate bill payments or for online payments as required. The Treasurer will be a member of the Finance Committee, Activity/Events, and the Building, Property & Technology Committee.

In addition to the Executive Board there are three Directors at Large who are also elected by the membership.

Curt Jewell, President



Be part of something lasting! By purchasing a commemorative brick, you're not only supporting MCSC, but also creating a permanent tribute that will be enjoyed for generations. Your personalized brick can celebrate a loved one, honor a milestone, or showcase your pride in our community. Bricks can be installed at MCSC serving as a lasting reminder of the people and families who make our community strong OR can be taken home to install as you wish.

Commemorative Bricks are \$100. You can personalize with a lovely note/unique symbol to honor your loved ones! Please place your order directly with Ana. All brick orders will be processed within 48hrs ©

BOWMAN RANCH BREAKFAST

Sunday – October 26, 2025 8:30am - NOON

\$15/ Adults - \$5/ Kids (ages 10 & Under)

OPTION#1

Scrambled Eggs w/ Cheese or Veggies, Hashbrowns, Bacon or Sausage, Fruit ALL YOU CAN EAT PANCAKES

OPTION#2

French Toast, Bacon or Sausage & Fruit



A Heartfelt Thank You to Our Newsletter Folding Volunteers

To our amazing newsletter folding team,

I'd like to extend my deepest gratitude for the time, care, and effort you put into helping get our newsletters into the hands of our community. What may seem like a simple task—folding, stuffing, sealing, sorting—is a vital part of keeping our communication strong and our community connected. And thanks to your dedication, everything goes out smoothly, accurately, and on time. Your attention to detail, patience, and teamwork don't go unnoticed. You turn stacks of paper into powerful tools for connection—and you do it all with a smile.

Thank you for being the quiet champions behind the scenes. I appreciate you more than words can say! With Love & Gratitude,

Ana Alvarez - MCSC Coordinator



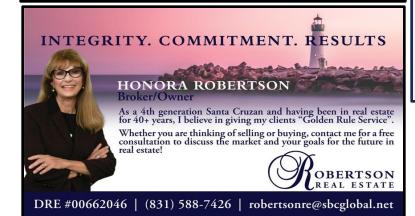




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The following motions were approved at the September 19, 2025 Board Meeting:

- * Motion: Approve "Massage Fundraiser for MCSC Solar" a 15-minute clothed massage session for \$15. Time can be increased up to 30-minutes for one dollar for each additional minute. All proceeds will be added to the solar fund. Submitted by Marilyn C.; seconded by Cindy. Unanimous approval.
- * Motion: Approve new activity "Walk to the Beach" a casual guided walk from MCSC to the village and back. Submitted by Tony, seconded by Marilyn C., Unanimous approval.

Submitted by Recording Secretary - Marilyn Jessup



Celebrating being 90 is no small feat! Whether it's for you or someone you love, turning 90 deserves to be honored with joy, gratitude, and celebration. We get together to engage in conversation; share stories & smiles!! Come join us on Friday -

October 10, 2025 at 1-3 PM for a VERY SPECIAL

Italian day featuring a movie called Uncle Nino. Our hosts: Ingrid, Martha & Carol will be serving spaghetti, breadsticks, green salad + dessert ... we look forward to seeing you then!!!



Fri. Oct. 17, 7-9PM Bay Bop Band

FREE Bossa Nova Class
Included with \$10
entrance fee
starting @ 6:00PM
with Dave Harzog

Board of Directors

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Newsletter: Ana Alvarez Receptionist: Ana Alvarez



Sunshine Committee:

Nancy Prevedelli (831) 476-4711

At MCSC, the members, volunteers and staff are important and are treated equitably and professionally.

Board of Directors, General Meeting minutes and financial statements are available upon request through the President, Curt Iewell.







CELEBRATE YOUR BIRTHDAY MONTH WITH US!!

To celebrate the members having birthdays the Board will host a cake party on Friday – October 17, @ 1PM



MASSAGE FUNDRAISER for MCSC SOLAR!

Get ready to relax for a great cause! We're thrilled to announce a Massage Fundraiser for MCSC Solar. Treat yourself to a 15-minute clothed massage with Susan Ray or Tony Alonzo for only \$15—and know that every dollar goes directly to support MCSC's solar project. It's self-care that gives back!

We're kicking things off with our first class at 9:30 AM on Monday, October 6, 2025, in the main room, an introductory session where we'll talk about the how, what, where, and why of this inspiring program. Proposed future classes will be held Mondays, so mark your calendars and bring a friend. Come join us, recharge your body, and help bring solar power to MCSC. Together, a little relaxation can make a big difference!



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Tom	Knott
Valerie	Kindell
Vicky	Howell
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ACTIVITY NOTES

BINGO

Tuesdays - BEST Game in Town! Doors & Snack bar opens at 12:15. Game starts at 1:00 PM.

CARDS & BOARD GAMES

Bridge for Fun: Thu 12-3PM **Duplicate Bridge**: Mon/Thu 11AM



Backgammon: Monday 12-2PM

Canasta: Hand & Foot Mondays & Thursdays 12:30-3:30PM

Mah Jongg: - Fri at Noon in the Annex.

Chinese Mah Jongg

Wed 12:30-3:30 PM in the Main

Room. **BEGINNERS WELCOME!**

Scrabble: Wed -12:30 PM. PEDRO - Every 1st Friday of the

month 1-3:30 PM

CHORALIERS PERFORMING ARTS

Practice for our 3 times per year live performances – includes singing, dancing, costuming, choreography, and set decoration. Tue 9:30 AM for vocal rehearsals, and dance practice on Thurs 8:45

CLUBS

Book Club: Meets 1st Fri at Capitola Library at 10:30 AM. Chess Club: Fri 1:00PM

Photo Club: Wed 1-3PM in the Annex. Come join us & learn how

to take better photos.

Ukulele Jam Club: All skill levels are welcome. Other instruments are welcome too - Come jam with us and have fun. Fri 10am.



See calendar for all details!!!



EXERCISE & FITNESS

Sr. Physical Fitness - All levels welcome. Wed at 9:30

Senior Stretch - Fridays at 9am. We work the whole body in a fun way! Gentle Yoga on mats -Mondays, 9:00-10:15am WIN - Fridays - 8:45 in the annex for weight information **International Folk Dance** Thursdays, 10-noon (M)

JAPANESE FLOWER ARRANGING: 2nd Saturday 10/11 in the Annex 10-12PM

SPANISH – Fridays 10:30-12:00 (M)

IMPROV Class 1st & 3rd Wednesday (A) 10.30-12PM 10/1 Canceled

90's CLUB

2nd Friday of the month (M)

ATTENTION



DANCING CANCELED FROM AUGUST 25 UNTIL OCTOBER 20, 2025





GARDEN UPDATE

We are so excited about the Garden and Craft Fair on October 4th. We hope everyone will come out and support us. Gardeners, we are so grateful for all the time you have volunteered in pulling together such a great event. The workday was done in September, so no further workdays in October. If you are behind on hours, please get with your district rep as quickly as possible.

Nominations for the 2026 Garden Committee will be coming in November. If you are interested in any position, please let Curt know. All positions are available. We can not keep a functioning garden without volunteers. Please consider running for one of these positions.





ALL GARDEN SALE & CRAFT FAIR Sat. October 4, 2025 9AM-2PM

Artisans: Lavender Products, Ceramics, Candles, crochet Gifts 'Upcycle Tins', Driftwood, Succulents and Much more!

From the Garden: Fresh Bouquets, Winter Starts, Organic Veggies, Pumpkins

Just for Fun: Art for Kids, Tour the Gardens or Buy a Scarecrow.

BBQ & Snacks Available for Sale

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GIFT SHOP UPDATE

The students at the Oshibana card making class spent a relaxing afternoon creating unique beautiful cards using dried flowers, watercolors and colored paper. You can see photos of the class on our MCSC website.

Registration is now open for the Oshibana Holiday Card Making Workshop on Saturday, November 15, @ 1-4pm.

Cost for all materials and instruction is \$25.

Registration is now open for the Birdhouse Workshop on Saturday, November 8, @ 1-4pm. Cost for all materials and instruction is \$35.

MCSC Photo Club October 2025 Schedule



October 1st - 312 Elements 102 October 8th – Field Trip (TBD) October 15th – 313 Elements 103 October 22nd – 533 Elements – PhotoMerge



STICK YOGA w/ **ARTHUR FAYGENHOLTZ** * FREE FRIDAY * OCTOBER 24, 2025 1-2:30PM



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<u>Ukulele</u>

September was a busy month with many new faces joining us! We welcomed Jack with his Irish drum to help keep the beat. Michael & his friends have been working on updating our song book. More info on that in the near future. The good news is that the proofs for our memorial bricks have arrived & we should be able to make our dedications pretty soon. It's hard to believe, but we are approaching the holiday season. I hear sleigh bells in the distance.

If you would like to join in our musical festivities, come play with us and share the ALOHA spirit.

Gardeners Crafting Scarecrows

