



## PACIFIC GROVE WEEKLY SUMMARY

March 27, 2015

### **1st Annual Easter Egg Hunt and Easter Sunday Brunch**

The Pacific Grove Golf Links and Point Pinos Grill are holding a free Easter Egg hunt for children 10 and under, as well as a Easter Sunday Brunch, on Easter Sunday, April 5. The Egg Hunt will start at 9:00 a.m. sharp. Please see the attached flyer for both events.

### **Good Old Days Parade and Festival—April 11 and 12**

PG's signature street festival and fair, sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, will be this year On Lighthouse Avenue on April 11 and 12. The largest arts and craft show in the county, the Good Old Days boasts over 225 art and food vendors in downtown Pacific Grove, a Saturday parade down Pine Avenue, live entertainment on five stages, old-fashioned games and contests, and lots of family fun. The parade will start on Pine Avenue at 10 a.m. on Saturday morning.

Please see the attached flyer. A detailed schedule of events is accessible at:

<http://www.pacificgrove.org/files/Good%20Old%20Days/2015/Good%20Old%20Days%20On%20Going%20Events.2015.pdf>

### **FIRE DEPARTMENT**

**Pacific Grove Youth Baseball and Softball** - The Monterey Firefighters Association provides league sponsorship of Pony Baseball each year. The current season has just started and the photo below is from the last season when the team won two county-wide tournaments. The Firefighters Association believes that support of youth sports is extremely important in bringing together community and youth in a positive example of cooperation and sportsmanship. Two Monterey Firefighters also volunteer as coaches for the team.



**Fire Agencies Receive Grant for Firefighter Breathing Apparatus** - Five Monterey County fire agencies have received two regional grants to purchase new self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). The two regional grant applications were approved for \$1.7 million by the Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program, thanks to the strong support of U.S. Rep. Sam Farr (CA-20).

The fire agencies will be displaying the new equipment and recognizing Rep. Farr's efforts at a **press conference scheduled for Tuesday, March 31, 2015 at 10:00 a.m. at the Coast Guard Pier, Monterey, California.**

The fire agencies that purchased the new SCBA equipment include: Monterey County Regional Fire District, Monterey Fire Department, Salinas Fire Department, Seaside Fire Department, and the Big Sur Volunteer Fire Brigade.



**Hyperbaric Chamber** - Michael, Karen, Andy, and Ariel Hattori planted a tree in memory of Tak Hattori, who served 44 years as Medical Director of the Pacific Grove Hyperbaric Chamber. He treated over 375 patients; saving the lives of hundreds.



Meg Donat and Cathy Seyferth help Albert put the finishing touches on the Hattori Memorial tree.

### **LAW/POLICE DEPARTMENT**

**Weekly Highlights.** Attached you will find Chief Myers' Weekly Police Report for the week of March 20, 2015 to March 26, 2015, with the Year-to-Date Monthly Highlights.

### **LAW/POLICE DEPARTMENT/LIBRARY**

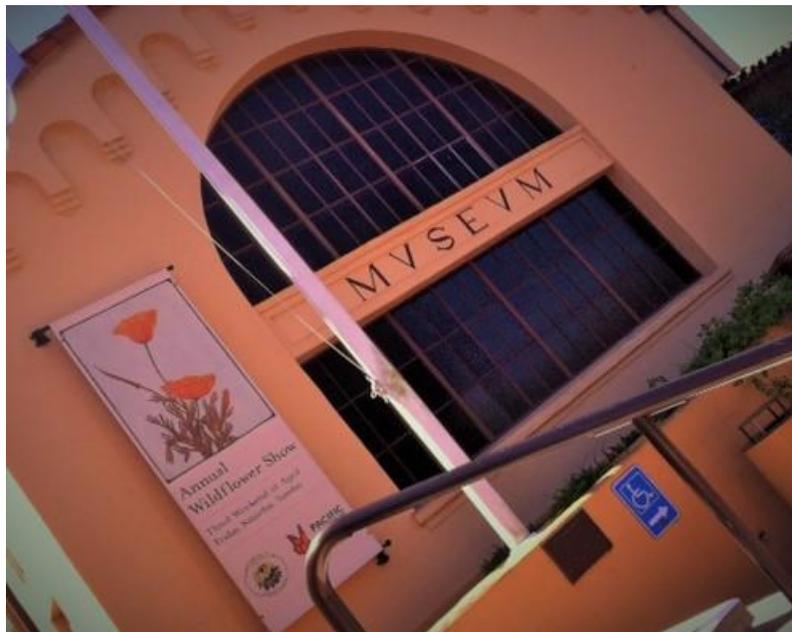
On Monday March 23<sup>rd</sup>, the Pacific Grove Public Library, the Police Department, and Fire Department joined together to host an informational booth at the PG Farmers Market. The focus pertained to youth reading programs, bicycle registration, child identification kits, and fire safety. Thanks, in large part to PG schools getting the word out, staff estimates over 100 children

stopped by to say hi. City staff plan on hosting future booths at the PG Farmers Market to provide information on other programs and services, so be sure to check us out.



## MUSEUM

Stop by the Pacific Grove Museum of Natural History anytime between 11 and 3 p.m. on Saturday, March 28, for Science Saturday: Bees, Wasps, honey and hives. We'll examine bee stingers and wasp nests, taste honey made from different California wildflowers, create a beeswax candle to take home, and play games about pollination! Come see what the buzz is all about! Admission is always free on Science Saturdays. The Museum will open its doors from 6-7 p.m. on Tuesday, March 31, to new volunteers interested in serving their community in a variety of opportunities. Staff and current volunteers will be on hand to answer questions and provide details on their Museum experiences.



## **PUBLIC WORKS**

This week the Public Works Department staff continued its work on the ocean front along the turnouts and road edge. Staff completed the resurfacing of the turnouts with new decomposed granite two weeks ago. This week they continued with improvements by cutting back the ice plant that had overgrown on to the DG walkways, and resurfacing those paths with new DG. These improvements make walking along Ocean View safer as there is now a continuous path that is approximately 4 feet wide from Asilomar Boulevard to Esplanade. Please see picture below.



## **RECREATION**

The Recreation Department will sponsor Pacific Grove's thespian Howard Burnham, who will perform Sir John Betjeman, England's best-loved poet of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century Poet Laureate. Please see the attached flyer for more information.





# Pacific Grove Golf Links

## 1st Annual Easter Egg Hunt

Sunday, April 5th 9:00AM

Bring the entire family and enjoy a

**FREE** Easter egg hunt!

Kids 10 and under welcome to hunt!



*Join the Point Pinos Grill for Easter Brunch!*

A First Class offering on Easter to Include:

### **Chilled Seafood Display**

Poached Sweet White Shrimp, Dungeness Crab Legs, PEI Mussels,  
Little Neck Clams, Oysters on the 1/2 shell

### **Wild Smoked Salmon Benedict**

**Carving Stations, Omelet Station, And MUCH MUCH MORE!**

\$37.95/person

\$12.95/children 10 and under

**Reserve your spot today!**

**831-648-5774**



PACIFIC GROVE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE 58<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL

# Good Old Days

April 11 & 12, 2015

Saturday and Sunday  
Downtown Pacific Grove

STREET FESTIVAL and FAIR



5 Stages • 60 Bands & Shows

220 Arts & Crafts • 35 Food Vendors

PG Rotary Parade • Carnival Rides • Petting Zoo • Pony Rides

Beer & Wine Garden • Kiwanis Pancake Breakfast

YMCA Fair • Quilt Show • Classic Car Display • Firemen Challenge

**FREE ADMISSION**

SPONSORS:

Union Bank of California, California America Water, J.R. Rouse/Sotheby's,  
Central Avenue Pharmacy, Asilomar Conference Grounds, & Safeway.

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**Pacific Grove's thespian, Howard Burnham  
to perform as Sir John Betjeman**

Sir John Betjeman, England's best-loved poet  
of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century  
Poet Laureate and "Teddy Bear to the Nation"

**Sir John Betjeman**



at

The Little House in Jewel Park  
(148 Grand Ave., Pacific Grove)

**Saturday, April 4, at 5:30**

\$10 at the door

**(Sponsored by Pacific Grove Recreation Dept.)**