

MOSQUITO BYTE

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Chief's Corner

by Chief Bob Davis

The Mosquito Fire Department and the community is deeply saddened by the sudden loss of one of our own. It is with a heavy heart we announce the loss of Fire Fighter Cory McGee. Cory lost his life in a vehicle accident while on his way home on 10-5-12. He was hired in August as a seasonal fire fighter with our fire department. Cory grew up in Camino where his parents own the McGee Christmas Tree Farm. After high school, he attended college in San Luis Obispo. He attended a fire academy with the dream of being a Fire Fighter. Cory's short time on this earth touched many lives. He was a quiet young man with a big heart. Please join me and our Fire Department in extending support to his family at this difficult time. Chief Bob

Fireman's Prayer

When I'm called to duty
God wherever flames may be
Give me the strength to save some life
Whatever be its age.

Help me embrace a little child
Before it's too late
Or save an older person
From the horror of that fate.

Enable me to be alert
And Hear the weakest shout
And quickly and efficiently
To put the fire out.

I want to fill my calling
And To give the best in me
To guard my every neighbor
And protect their property.

And if according to your will
I lose my life
Please bless with your protective hand
My children and my wife.

MVFA, MFPD, SCPOA ...WHO ARE THEY?

by Byte Staff

Occasionally, there is a degree of confusion by residents when trying to draw the distinction between the three "organizations" in our community. Here's a very abbreviated explanation of those three organizations and who they are and what they are about. Please feel free to come to any of the organizations' board meetings (see Byte calendar) to ask a question or give suggestions.

The Mosquito Volunteer Fire Association (MVFA)

A non-profit, community-wide organization - if you live up here in the Mosquito/Swansboro area you're automatically a member of MVFA. MVFA's stated role in their articles of incorporation is to provide community support and community fire education. MVFA owns and manages the Finnon Lake property but their major source of funding is through public donations and "fund raisers". MVFA organizes, funds and puts on the Community Christmas Dinner, Easter Egg Hunt, Community Picnic and the children's Halloween Party. MVFA also publishes the Mosquito Byte and the Mosquito Phone Book. Additionally, when donations permit, MVFA also purchases small tools, implements or medical equipment which they then donate to the Fire Protection District. MVFA has no employees and all of the things that they do are done by volunteer staff without any form of compensation.

The MVFA is governed by a 7 member Board of Directors elected by the community residents for two year terms. The election is held at the Christmas dinner in December. The Board meetings are open to the public and held at Fire Station 75 at 7:00 PM on the 1st Thursday of each month.

The Mosquito Fire Protection District (MFPD)

A State of California Special District charged with the responsibility of providing fire suppression, fire prevention, and first responder emergency medical services within District boundaries. MFPD was created in 1978 by the voters living in the District at

that time and is a tax supported entity. Their assets include the Fire Station, the Station grounds and the fire equipment. MFPD does **NOT** own or manage the Finnon Lake Property. The members of MFPD are its paid staff and the men and women living in the community who volunteer their time as firefighters, support group members or district board members.

The MFPD is governed by a 5 member Board of Directors who are "public officials" elected for 4 year terms by the District's voters in the State's General Election. Board meetings are open to the public and held at Fire Station 75 at 7:00 PM on the 2nd Thursday of each month.

Swansboro Country Property Owners Association (SCPOA)

A Homeowners Association that governs the Swansboro Sub-division (which is a part of the Mosquito community). SCPOA members are those people owning property within the sub-division. The SCPOA Board is responsible for managing the homeowners association business. They are funded by assessments on the property owners. SCPOA owns and maintains the airport, the roads within the subdivision, and the common areas such as Dyer Lake, Catfish Pond and Trout Lake. SCPOA does **NOT** own or manage the Finnon Lake Property.

The SCPOA is governed by a 7 member Board of directors elected for 2 year terms by SPOA members at their annual meeting in February. Board meetings are open to the public and held at Fire Station 75 at 6:00 PM on the 3rd Thursday of each month.

Mosquito Volunteer Fire Association by Teresa Wren

Halloween came early this year on the hill with the Ghost and Goblins all gathering at the fire station for an outstanding Halloween Party. The haunted house was under construction all day to make it just scary enough for the little ones to enjoy. The cakes and cup cakes for the cake walk were all decorated in a yummy Halloween theme. The inside of the fire station was covered with decorations and several games were set up for the children to try their luck at winning a prize. I would like to thank Alyson Fox and Allison Moalli and all their helpers for their commitment to our community and doing this event, year after year for all the children on the hill. I would also like to thank all those who baked goodies and brought candy for the Halloween Party.

I was very pleasantly surprised when I went to the campgrounds to prepare for the weekend to see the disc golf parking lot completely cleared of weeds and trash. I also noticed that several of the campsites were also cleared. I would like to thank Joe Lima, Tom Harris and Tom Stuart for their efforts in making the area clean and safe.

Mark your calendars for MVFA's Annual Christmas Dinner scheduled for Saturday December 8th. We are pleased to announce the ENTIRE Dinner will be provided by MVFA. The menu will consist of turkey, ham, dressing, mashed potatoes, vegetables, rolls, dessert and drinks. Dinner is planned for 6pm so plan and get there early so you can visit with old friends and maybe meet some new ones.

I have heard from a reliable source that Santa also plans on being at the Christmas Dinner from 5:30 to 6:00pm to visit with the children and give them a little goodie bag. So, don't be late as Santa has a busy night.

These website's contain information about Finnon activities, check them out:

MVFA's official site:

<http://www.finnonrecreationarea.com/>

Finnon Lake

<http://www.finnonlake.com/>

Our next MVFA Board Meeting is Thursday November 1st at 7 PM at the Fire Station.

MVFA Board Vacancy

by Linda Buchanan

Over the last several years the MVFA Board of Directors has collaborated with the RCD to ensure completion of the Finnon Restoration Project, developed a plan to retire our outstanding bill for dam safety fees with the Department of Water Resources and continued to promote events and activities that benefit the entire community. How does this all happen? Through the efforts of the dedicated group of volunteers that make up the MVFA Board of Directors and strive to make this community an even better place to live. Currently there is vacancy on our Board and we invite any interested community member to help in these efforts by volunteering to join us. The compensation is nil but the rewards are great. Here is your opportunity to make a difference

in your community. If you are interested in being a board member please contact Teresa Wren, Board Chair at 622-3903.

SCPOA -Nothing new to report this month.

Our next regular meeting will be on November 15th 6:00 PM at the Fire Station, we hope you will join us.

Blood Drive

by Kim Purcell-Kirkpatrick

Thank you to everyone who attended the Mosquito blood drive, Blood Source was very impressed with what our small community was able to do in it's first drive. We had 30 people signed up to donate as well as several drop-ins, and we ended up providing 24 pints of life saving blood. Thanks again to all who helped and to those who volunteered to donate blood.

Halloween Party Thank You

by Alyson Fox and Allison Moalli

Halloween Party Thanks to everyone who helped make the Halloween Party another tremendous success!! We had a great turnout, and everyone, especially the kids (and isn't that what it's all about?), seemed to have a lot of fun! Speaking of kids – they all looked terrific in their costumes! And so did a lot of the grown-ups!! Everyone enjoyed collecting candy while playing the various games – Deep Sea Fishing, Haunted Toilet Toss, Squirt-Out-The-Candle-In-The-Jack-O-Lantern, and, a new one (and very popular!!), the Candy Drop! Children and adults alike enjoyed getting wonderful Halloween designs painted on their faces (an enormous thank you to the talented Dee Harris!), and lots of fun was had winning treats in the Cake Walk. For those who were brave enough, a trip (or two!) through the Haunted Gold Mine delivered the requisite fright on this pre-Halloween night! None of this could ever have happened without all the time and energy of our terrific team of volunteers and the support of our wonderful community. A big THANK YOU goes out to the following: Chief Bob Davis, Mary Joseph, and Curtis Schleth at the fire station, Dave Angelo, Dave and Phoebe Fox, Tom Harris, Ed Igoe, John Moalli, and John Stubblefield on our Haunted House construction (and destruction) team, Phoebe Fox and Olivea and Alexa Flickinger-Renzi for being our team of scare-ers inside the Haunted

House, Jerry and Karen Pullin for the donation of the front-yard inflatables, all the wonderful people who helped host games during the party including Catie Friedberg, Sheila Igoe, Pat Johnson, Crystie and Lynzie Manson, John Moalli, Nese Orlosky, Florene Stenbock, John and Kellie Stubblefield, Justin Walsh, and Bill and Teresa Wren (a special thanks to Teresa for the after-party refreshments for the clean-up crew!), everyone who stayed (and came back the next day) and helped to clean up, and to all the people in our community who generously donated candy, prizes, and baked treats!! We had other on-the-spot volunteers (including the Kotaska girls and a friend), who stepped in and helped out when they saw a need. Thank you to ALL!! It's a big job, but a lot of fun, and we can't wait to do it again next year!!

Christmas Basket Recipients

by Sharon Hern

Over the years, MVFA has helped families in our community who have found themselves in a "less fortunate" position at Christmas Time. Traditionally, we have been able to provide the recipients with a full Christmas meal along with gifts for any children family members. So that we can begin our planning for 2012 we are asking for the community's help. If you know of someone in our community whom you think could use this kind of help please get the following information to us: Adult names, children's name and age, address and phone number. You can give the information to Bob, Curtis or Mary at the Fire Station, Sharon Hern (Christmas Basket Chairperson) 626-5268, or Teresa Wren (MVFA President) 622-3903. The information given is treated as "confidential".

Want to help by donating.... we are looking for canned and boxed foods, vegetables, hams and gifts for children. Please remember opened boxes, outdated food and perishables cannot be accepted for donations. We will be distributing these baskets on December 15th so don't wait too long to donate. Gifts for children should be unwrapped so we can match them to the children's age and please don't forget our pre-teens and teenagers. Donations may be dropped off at the fire station. Thank you in advance for your help and may you have a wonderful holiday.

"2013" Mosquito Phone Book

by Sharon Hern, Byte Editor

The Mosquito Phone Book is reprinted every "odd" years and now the 2013 Phone Book is being compiled. The phone book will be printed in December and available for purchase in early January 2013.

Why should I be listed in the Phone Book? The phone book also serves the Phone Tree Committee. The Phone Tree is used to notify those listed in the phone book of any item of vital interest to the community, such as notifications in case of a fire. If your in the current book you'll remain in the new one. BUT any additions, corrections or other changes must be received by **November 15th**. If you have any questions, please contact me at 626-5268.

Want to Advertise in the Phone Book? You can have your business card printed in the advertising section of the phone book for a fee of \$5.00. If you are interested please send your business card and \$5 check to: MVFA Phone Book, 9009 Orval Beckett Court, Placerville, CA 95667-9040. Need to receive it by **November 15th** to be included!

2011 Mosquito Phone Book Updates

Here's some changes to be made in your 2011 Phone Books. (Changes to a current listing are underlined.)

Addition:

HOLMES, Mark. 957-2072
7135 Indian Way

McCALLUM, Millie. 621-4897
3300 Cableview Court

Change:

FIELDS, Joe & Sharlyn. 440-0240
2273 Swansboro Road



Crafters

by Sharon Hern

Our final Craft Sale will be held at the Cold Springs Community Church, 2600 Cold Springs Road on **Friday November 9th 9-5 and Saturday November 10th 9-3**. We have a variety of "Holiday" items for sale, both Fall and Christmas. We hope to see you there. Our proceeds from our craft sales are used to support community activities and projects.

We will resume our Craft Meetings in January.

Attention Mosquito/Swansboro Rv Owners

by Mosquito RV Club

We put an article in the Byte previously asking anyone with an RV to please contact DOT and ask them to trim the overhanging trees and bushes on Rock Creek Road to prevent damage on tall RV's. In contacting them again, they said "no calls" were received. We are not sure if they were not received or if DOT did not make a 'record' of the calls. Did anyone call? We would appreciate it if anyone did, please call again and be sure they make a report of it. That is what we had to do in years past.

Please check the roof of your RV if you have taken it down Rock Creek Road this year. The rain's are coming! We have had damage in the past, including replacing the roof vents/bubbles patched holes torn by tree limbs, etc. (Our unit it 13'6" tall)

Upon our return from a recent trip we discovered Rock Creek Road has caused huge additional damage to our roof! The RV dealer suggested a "new roof" as the damage was "major", and there are so many patches from past problems. The cost of this is "MAJOR".

Please check your roof's, call DOT, 642-4909 or 621-5918. They are very nice, but do need to know the damage that is being done.

News from the Café

by Frank Ethridge

Well another month has passed and the leaves are changing color and falling. Thanksgiving is almost upon us and we will be happy to help you with your side dishes or dinners as you need. Looking forward to Christmas, the parties and friends that drop by

don't forget us for all your catering needs and specials dinners so please call us or come down and we can customize a menu for you and your event.

Theme Night Dinners:

Wednesday- Family Night

Thursday- BBQ

Friday-Asian

Saturday- South of the Border

Sunday - German

Hours for the Café are Wednesday thru Sunday 8am to 8pm. **We will not be open on Thanksgiving Day** as we too will be spending time with our loved ones.

Please note: Days that the Café will be closed In November:

Nov. 4th all day

Nov. 22nd all day

We still have a few books about the Chili Bar Fire here at the Café, just \$20 that goes to the MVFA

Don't forget about our web page www.rockcreekcafe.com and shoot me an email if you want to join our email list or follow us on face book.

We would like to thank the MVFA and everybody on the Hill for their continued support.

Thank-you all from the crew at the Café.

Recipe of the Month

by Chef Frank

Sourdough Stuffing with Fruit and Kielbasa Sausage

1 large sourdough round loaf cut into 3/4 inch squares (lightly cut hard crust off)

2 T. extra virgin olive oil

1 pound Kielbasa sausage, 3/4 inch slices or half rounds

2 cups Granny Smith apples, peeled and chopped

3/4 cup walnuts, halved (I like to roast them in the oven at 350 degrees for 20 minutes)

1/2 cup dried cranberries

2 cups yellow onion, chopped

1 cup carrots, chopped

2 cups celery, chopped

1 T. dried sage

2 cups turkey stock

salt and pepper to taste

To make the stuffing buy a large round sourdough loaf (1.5 -1.75 pounds). Remove the crust and cut it in squares. Place the bread in a baking pan and then in a 325 degree oven for 30-45 minutes to dry the bread. Careful to not dry it so much that it resembles a crouton (you don't want it that hard). When the bread is done place it in a large mixing bowl. In a sauté pan heat the oil and add the onions, carrots and celery. Sauté about 8-10 minutes or until slightly translucent. Add the sausage and cook 5-10 minutes and then add the apples and cranberries. Cook 5 more minutes stirring constantly. Add the stock and pour the mixture over the bread. Add the dry sage and dry walnuts (you can chop the walnuts). Mix well and be sure that the stuffing is not dry, if it's too dry add some more stock. Add salt and pepper to taste. Also, even though it is not on the ingredients list, some of the old timers like to add a couple of raw eggs to the stuffing. If you do this mix very well. Place the stuffing in a lightly buttered 12-by-16-inch or two 8-by-12-inch casserole dishes. Bake for one hour.

Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility

Location: El Dorado Disposal Material Recovery Facility

4100 Throwita Way, Placerville, CA 95667

Times: **ONLY** Fridays & Saturdays - 9am to 4pm

Household items that will be accepted include:

Paint, Brake Fluid, Adhesives/Sealants, Batteries, Floor/Furniture Cleaners, Antifreeze, Solvents/Thinners, Pesticides/Herbicides, Aerosols & Photo Chemicals.

Maximum limit of containers that hold up to 15 gallons of any liquid material. For further information please call 295-2800.

WANTED

All CA CRV ALUMINUM CANS, BEER BOTTLES AND PLASTIC WATER BOTTLES.
Please drop off bags from 8-5 at the fire station or call Sandi at 626-6248 for pick up service.
MVFA THANKS YOU!

CLASSIFIED SECTION**MEETINGS:**

MOUNTAIN FELLOWSHIP -Sunday Bible study begins at 9:30am then a Celebration service at 11am. Mountain Fellowship is a non-denominational congregation of Christ's church. The Celebration service features contemporary music, prayer, testimony and the Word of God. All events meet at 3342 Stope Drive in Swansboro. For more information call 295-0503 or www.mfom.net.

EMBROIDERER'S GUILD - Hanging By A Thread Chapter of the Embroiderer's Guild of America meets the 2nd Monday of each month at 6:30 pm in the Planning Commission meeting room in the EDC Government Center Building C. Call Adeline Penn at 621-2639 or <http://www.hanging.ega-gpr.org/index.html>

FREE:

HORSE - Brown Arabian gelding. Can't afford to feed anymore. Very sweet. Call Sharron at 295-9155. (11)

QUILTING MATERIAL - Antique fabric, partially done squares, needs finishing. Call Darlene at 621-1173. (11)

WANTED:

BRUSH CHIPPINGS - By the truckload to mulch our garden and small orchard. Call Fred Adams at 642-9441. (10)

SERVICES:

PET CARE - Pet feeding while your away. We will give your pet the same love and care as you would if you were here. No pet too large or too small. Reasonable rates. Call Devin & Dylan's Pet Feeding Service at 295-9165.

YARD SERVICE - Lawn & garden service weekly & biweekly, one time yard cleanups, weed eating, hedges, pruning, dump runs, bark deliveries, gutter cleaning, pressure washing, deck staining, fence and home repairs. Highly dependable. Lic# 047282 Call Mark at 957-2072

IN -HOME CARE PROVIDER - IHSS registered. Current CPR, First Aid, and Livescan. All aspects of service. Extensive experience in adults with disabilities. Available in the Greater Mosquito area. Call Heather at 344-8210.

TUTOR - Fully credentialed Tutor with 20 years of tutoring experience. Homework, Reading, English Composition & Math remediation/enrichment. For further information call Joyce Radmanovich at 626 7062.

CLEANING SERVICE - The Moreno Sisters Cleaning Service provides reliable, responsible, reasonable and ready to go cleaning. Call Silvia at 621-4152.

WILLOW HOUSE - Parties and gifts. Call Kelly at 295-9165 or order on line any time at www.kellyhern.willowhouse.com

CALIFORNIA GARDENS - Landscape Design and Consultation. Web site at www.california-gardens.com or email li@california-gardens.com

PRODUCT SAVINGS - Are you interested in saving 30-40% on products you use every day? Are you in need of extra income? Would you like to be your own boss? Work from home on your own time. No inventory to keep track of. No products to sell. No orders to take. Call Becca at 205-0450 for more info.

YARD WORK - Weed-eating and dump runs. Reasonable Rates. Call Beau Etheridge at 919-5296.

LOG SPLITTING - \$25/hour and light electrical work. Call Phil Etheridge at 919-5296.

FRED tenNAPEL HANDYMAN SERVICES - Anything from A to Z you can't do, I will. Home 626-4281, Cell 391-4258. Lic# 044903.

MOSQUITO AUTO - All general vehicle repairs including brakes, tune-ups and specializing in transmissions. Also repairing chain saws, weed eaters, lawnmowers and blade sharpening. Call Hippie at 642-2867.

LOCAL REALTORS - Rusty & Debbie Harris, Swansboro Land & Homes, Inc. Lic.#01781489. Area specialists since 1975. Office next to Fire Station at 8781 Rock Creek Rd. Stop by for free maps & info. Happy to put our experience to work for you; buy, sell, short sales & REO's.. Call 622-6822. Swansbororealestate@gmail.com or www.swansboro.metrolistpro.com.

D & R SERVICES - Wood-Cutting and Yard Work- Two-Hard Working Student's @ \$9.50 an hour or by the job. 3 years experience and references. Call 530-919-8115 and leave a message with brief detail and best time to call back.

GIFT WRAPPING - All Year! All Occasions! Forget gift wrap or tape? Bring your gifts to me and I will wrap them for you. Large selection of gift wrap, gift bags and more, for all occasions! VERY reasonable prices! Call Becca at 530-903-6620.

SEARS & SONS LAND MANAGEMENT - Herbicide weed control- Dump runs- Light tractor work- Log splitting- Firewood sales and More! Friendly honest service. Call Dustin K. Sears Sr. Home 344-8402 or Cell 363-4991.

ARBORIST- Semi-retired, local arborist available for consultations and summer fruit tree pruning. Call 510-926-3947 or email: dennisljames@gmail.com.

IMAGES by CAROL SCHULTZ - Expanding photo card business to include enlargements, posters, card bundles (for gift giving) and high quality magnets. Call or email for price list. Special requests welcomed! Carol Schultz at 621-1301 or csstamper@aim.com.

OPTOMETRY CLINIC - Dr. Dan Morrill in Placerville. Eye examinations, eyeglasses & contact lenses available at Precision Eyecare, 532 Main Street, Placerville. Open Tuesday thru Friday 9:00AM to 5:30PM, Saturday by appointment. Call 622-8300 - most insurance accepted. (New Patients Welcome!)

HIGH SPEED INTERNET - Depending on your location you may be able to get broadband service from 300Kbps to 4Mbps (50 to 500 times faster than dial-up) This is not satellite. We also offer computer repairs, software services, telephone services and repair. Located in Swansboro. Call Bryon at 530-417-1963 or alt2connect@att.net.

AVON - Avon products are now available on the hill. Call Shannon at 621-2530. If unavailable please leave me a message.

EVERGREEN HERB & SCHOOL of INTEGRATIVE HERBOLOGY - 28th year on the hill! Herb classes, garden tours, plants and consultations. www.evergreenherbgarden.org or call 626-9288.

NOTARY - Will travel, Loan Docs experienced. Call Shannon at 621-2530.

HOUSE HELPER - Mother of 3 needs work!. Need help around the house with any small projects? I will do house cleaning, painting, yard work, weed eating and anything else you may need help with. Excellent References! Please call Kelly Stults at 621-4168.

NEED HELP WITH YOUR CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS? - Call Big Dave, 40yrs experience, 25yrs right here on the Hill. Very Dependable, with excellent references. I am experienced in all phases of construction and masonry work. i.e. retaining walls, rock walls etc. have pictures. \$25/hr for construction work. Call 621-4168.

VHS VIDEOS CONVERTED TO DVDs. - Have any family vacations, precious memories or baby pictures on videos? I can copy them to DVDs for you. Call Dee at 642-2333.

RIDLEY K-9 ACADEMY - Professional dog training and dog walking services. For more information visit www.ridleyk9academy.com or call Garrett at 409-1879.

WELDING & FABRICATION - Steel, Stainless steel, Aluminum. Certified to military standard. Call 626-0691.

KIRCHNER TREE SERVICE - Line clearance certified, hazard tree removal, close quarter removal, view enhancement, trimming, topping, mistletoe removal. Certified Arborist on staff. Call 626-6325 ask for Jared.

CHIMNEY SWEEP - For hire, 35 years experience. Wood/pellet stoves, fireplaces, dryer vents, gutters. Repairs, stove & chimney installations/repairs, problem solving. Call Richard Smith at 306-2438.

VETERINARY CLINIC OF MOSQUITO - Rattlesnake vaccine boosters are available at Veterinary Clinic of Mosquito, 9200 Rock Creek Road, Mosquito. Open Monday thru Friday, 9 am to 6 pm by appointment. Pamela Steinke, DVM 621-9999.

CHANA'S DOG SITTING SERVICE AT THE CAFÉ - You're hungry and you have a dog to watch. You don't want to run in and out every 5 minutes to check on your pet, so call Chana at 622-0210 or 344-8015.

TRACTOR & BACKHOE WORK - 4x4 BACKHOE, Driveways, Gravel needs, Dirt moving, Grading, House pads, Power & phone lines, House, Barn & Garage footings, Water lines, Culverts, Brush Clearing, Stump Removal, Septic Systems, I Dig your needs!! Licensed & Insured. Call Jim Collins at 417-2827 or e-mail jbackhoe@att.net.

MURALS AND MORE - Unique wall treatments for your home. Local personal references available. Call D. Harris for ideas and prices at 642-2333.

REAL ESTATE SERVICES - Live the American Dream; the ownership of a home and a little acreage to call your own! Sally Long Johns, your resident Mosquito Road Realtor, will help you buy or sell any property in El Dorado County! Utilize your new neighborhood website www.mosquitoadneighbors.com, or 295-4641 or toll free 866.SALLYRE, snlongjohns@yahoo.com.

CATERING-FOOD SERVICES - Special event planning. Large or small. We will help you design your menu. Catering on the Hill by Rock Creek Café. Call Frank at 622-0210 or FAX 530-622-0211.

ATTENTION BUSINESS MINDED INDIVIDUALS - In need of an extra income? Consider a proven solution. No Selling, No Inventory, No Taking Orders. Work from home on your time. Absolutely No Risk. Over 2 decades of positive growth. Call Angela or Debbie Soto at 626-8536.

CREATIVE ADMIN SERVICES - Your office and project support team specializing in Office Management, Business/Personal Contact Mgmt. Event Coordination, Online Services, and Much More. Visit our website at www.creativeadminsolutions.com or call 295-1779.

NO MORE DROPPED CELL PHONE CALLS! - Swansboro is a cell phone reception nightmare. Install a cell phone signal booster designed specially for difficult reception areas in your home and stop dropping those cell phone calls. Save big \$\$ when you eliminate your expensive land line phones. Call Chuck at 295-0503 for info & site evaluation - Sierra Life Technologies.

HANDCRAFTED GLASS ITEMS - Birdbaths, flower pots, plates, bowls, etc. Also handmade wooden jewelry boxes. Affordable and unique. Studio open most days, call first. Do your gift shopping here on the hill! Call Pam or Dave Angelo at 621-3688.

RESPIRE CARE - available in Swansboro/Mosquito, M-F, weekends or overnight as needed. Also available for short periods of time (barring previous scheduled commitments) and/or for hospice care for your family member. I have 9 local home-care references to verify my skills and the level of care I will provide for your loved ones. Call Nancy West at 626-7975.

VICK'S PLUMBING - Specializing in kitchen and bath remodeling. Offering over 30 years of experience. Call me for repairs & installation of water heaters, garbage disposals, ice makers, etc. 30% discount for seniors. Call Victor Garcia at 626-6493 or cell 957-0170.

NOTARY SERVICE - I am a "Mobile" Notary Public living right here in Mosquito. I am experienced in all areas of notary work including loan packages, real estate transfers, etc. Call Elaine Galvan at 295-0503.

SWANSBORO VACATION CARE (formerly Jill of all Trades): all species pet care at my home or yours. Watering and mail pickup available, too. Mosquito resident since 2001. Call for references, quote - Elisabeth Bingham 306-2350.

VEGAN VEGETARIAN COOKING CLASS - First Thursday of every month. At Camino Adventist Church, 3520 Carson Road, 11:00 am to 1:00 pm. Have fun meeting new people, learning healthful lifestyle principles and discovering tasty new recipes. Handouts and generous samples included. Interested? Call Fred or Diana Adams at 642-9441 to reserve your space.

FOR RENT:

HOUSE - 2 bedroom 1 bath home on airport available for rent at \$1200 per month. Hangar space negotiable. Call 642-1200 for more information.

FOR SALE:

OAK HARDWOOD FLOORING - Bruce hardwood engineered oak flooring. 9 full boxes, 22 sq ft/box and one almost full box. Some edge pieces also. \$100 OBO for all. 626-1204 (11)

TUMBLING COMPOSTER - Still in the box, you get to assemble it. I paid \$100 for it: make me an offer. Or trade for ? Call Vicki at 626 7062. (11)

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS - Twin quilt & sham \$10, matching pair of twin quilts & shams \$20, dressmaker dummy decorative earring/jewelry display \$4, hard cover books Lemony Snickets books #1-6 \$5/set, Twilight graphic novel \$2, pirate books \$2/each, blank journal \$2). Can email or fax pictures. Call 626-7396. (10)

SEASONED WOOD - Oak & Soft wood, delivered. Call Bob at 642-9335. (10)

VALLCO 13.6" FISHING BOAT - New 8hp Mercury 4 Cycle motor with electric start. Boat, Trailer, Motor, \$2,000. Call 621-1173. (10)

CHILDREN'S ITEMS - Set of 20 pinking shears on a carousel \$5, nursery rhyme theme hatbox \$2, toy barn \$2, girl's china tea sets 504-\$1/piece, Toy Story toys \$1-\$5 piece. Can email or fax pictures. Call 626-7396. (10)

TABLE SAW - Ridgid 10" Contractor saw on factory rolling stand. \$250.00. Call Lou at 621-4613. (9)

2004 CUSTOM MOTORCYCLE TRAILER w/spare and ramp. Holds one bike, great for Harley's \$900 call Mark at 957-2072 (9)

CONTOUR CORE SCULPTING SYSTEM - Front (abs) and Back belts. Complete with Manual, workout DVD and extra gel pads. Used once. \$150 OBO. Call 205-0450 (9)





LEG MAGIC - Cardiovascular exercise system. Manual and workout DVD included. \$100 OBO. Call 205-0450 (9)

PROFESSIONAL INCUBATOR - Avey Cabinet Incubator. 4 shelves. Holds 240+ eggs (depending on type of egg). Adjustable thermostat control. High and Low temperature alarm. Used once. \$500 OBO. Call 205-0450 (9)

BALL PYTHONS - Males and females. regular, het-albino, pastel, and albino. Total of 6 for sale. Need a good home. starting at \$50. Call 205-0450 (9)



November 2012

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
ALL MEETINGS ARE HELD AT THE FIRE STATION UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED				1 7:00 PM MVFA Board Meeting	2	3 10:00 AM Support Group
4  Set Your Clocks Back	5	6  Election Day	7 5:00 PM Rock Creek Cafe's Family Night Special** Chicken Piccata	8 7:00 PM MFPD Board Meeting	9	10
11  Veteran's Day	12	13	14 5:00 PM Rock Creek Cafe's Family Night Special** Chef salad	15 6:00 PM SCPOA Meeting	16	17
18	19	20	21 5:00 PM Rock Creek Cafe's Family Night Special** Tamales	22  Happy Thanksgiving	23	24
25	26	27	28 5:00 PM Rock Creek Cafe's Family Night Special** Sloppy Joes	29	30	

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