# MOSQUITO BYTE

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CHIEF'S CORNER by Station 75



## The Mosquito Fire Department is looking for new members!

Are you intrigued by the idea of working long hours under dangerous, uncomfortable and often filthy conditions, wearing unfashionable and cumbersome clothing, being dragged away from friends and family with no notice, all for absolutely no financial compensation? If so, then you may be a perfect candidate to become a **Mosquito Fire Department Volunteer Firefighter.** We are always looking for new talent to join the department and reap the substantial benefits of helping friends and neighbors when their need is greatest. The most important attribute of the successful volunteer firefighter is the willingness and ability to make the substantial commitment of time and energy that is necessary to do the job. **Come to the Fire Station and check us out!** 

### SO, WHAT HAVE WE BEEN DOING?

It's been a busy month for your Fire Department. Since our last Byte article we have handled 8 Medical calls, 7 Public Assists, 1 Traffic Incident and 3 Fire responses. 1 would like to specifically mention three of these calls and compliment Battalion Chief Chris Johns and our firefighters for their exemplarily performance.

The first. We were dispatched to a medical call where a patient had fallen and received a "gash on the forehead." Our firefighters quickly arrived at the scene and began treating the patient. BUT, they didn't just concentrate on the head wound. Following their training protocols, they "assumed" that there might also injury to the neck and spine and stabilized the head and neck before permitting the patient to be moved. Further examination at the hospital revealed that, in addition to the head wound, the patient also had a broken bone in her neck. GOOD JOB FIREFIGHTERS! Your care and diligence no doubt save this patient further much more serious injury.

The second. We were dispatched to a "plane down" in our district with two people on board. Our fire personnel were on the scene in a matter of minutes and once again their training and skills kicked in. Under BC Johns' direction, firefighters immediately began treating one patient who was outside the plane while other firefighters began treatment and extrication procedures for the person who was trapped inside the plane. The patient in the plane was pronounced dead at the scene and the injured patient who was outside the plane was transported in serious condition to an area hospital by Cal Star. GOOD JOB FIREFIGHTERS! Your training, skills and professionalism were evident in handling this emotionally traumatic incident. The third. Our Water Tender 75 was dispatched as mutual aid to the "Sand Fire." Upon arrival at the staging area, they were immediately assigned to transport water from a distant point to the fire front. The skills and professionalism of the two volunteers assigned to the Tender must have been evident since the command staff at the fire kept Water Tender 75 in service for nearly 24 hours. (Our Volunteers took cat naps when time allowed.) Many of the other water transport vehicles were given rotational time off. GOOD JOB FIREFIGHTERS! The skills, ability and professionalism displayed in the presence of hundreds of firefighters from outside the district is not only a credit to you, but also a credit to the entire Department.

One last comment. Did you notice a group of men and women in yellow shirts at the pond at Maidu and Log Cabin a few Saturdays ago? Those were our Support Group volunteers. And just in case you were wondering, that big "thing" being towed by Utility 75 was our mobile pump which is used to provide water from our lakes and ponds to our fire engines and water tenders during a fire incident. Those yellow shirts are the volunteers who operate the pump. They are also the people you see controlling traffic at an emergency scene, delivering food and water to our firefighters in the field, and doing lots of other things to "support" our firefighters at an emergency. GOOD JOB SUPPORT GROUP! You are often behind the scenes but without you our Department would not function as efficiently as it does!

As you see, there is a lot of room for volunteers in our District. And it's a great way to help out the community in an emergency. So if you would like to join us or just find out more, stop by the Fire Station and chat with Chris, Mary, Crosby, Todd or Wade.

### In Memory of Dean Edson

### MOSQUITO VOLUNTEER FIRE ASSN.

by Teresa Wren

We certainly have had another hot summer with too many days over 100 degrees. Finnon Recreation Area started off pretty good this summer with campers almost every weekend. Since then, fewer campers at Finnon has reduced the revenue brought in. Help promote Finnon Recreation Area by telling your friends what a wonderful place it is.

MVFA depends on the revenue from camping, disk golf and day use to pay the Department of Water Resources our yearly fee of \$6,604. MVFA's Board does extra events every year like; Cinco de Mayo and St. Patrick's Day Dinners, Yard Sales and the MVFA picnic. All the proceeds from these events go to the Department of Water Resources for the back fees that include penalties and interest from years ago. If you choose to give a donation to MVFA for our back fees we are a 501(c) (3) non-profit organization and we will provide you with a tax deduction letter. Remember. Finnon Recreation Area is owned by MVFA, which is you the community, not SCOPOA or MFPD. The total we now owe in back fees is almost \$40,000 as of August 2014. I can't think of a better place to help than right here in your own back yard. I would hate to see us lose this wonderful asset.

I'm sad to say that John and Allison Moalli are moving off the hill. They have given so much to the community over the years always helping out in so many different areas. John has served on the Mosquito Fire Protection District Board for many years. Both Allison and John co- chaired, along with Alyson and Dave Fox, our Halloween parties, building the haunted house at the fire station with the help of many community volunteers. They have always donated food for the Christmas Dinner Baskets given to those in need on the hill. John and Allison attended almost every dinner we have had in support of MVFA and always stayed to help clean up. I think I can say, with confidence, that they will be missed by all. We thank them for all they've done for the community and wish them the best of luck in their new endeavors.

Our next event is the Spaghetti Dinner on September 13<sup>th</sup>. The proceeds from this event go to our Community Christmas Dinner. See more info in the BYTE.

See you at the next MVFA board meeting on September 4<sup>th</sup> at 7pm at the fire station.

### LOCAL FIRE HISTORY

by Jan Escamilla

Paul Hinds has written his experiences as the first paid MFPD Fire Chief during our 1979 fire which destroyed 5 structures and 7000 acres from Chili Bar up the American River Canyon through Finnon Lake and Crozier's Loop. The book includes an 11" x 17" topographic map depicting specific areas involved. Also included are: List of those on the scene; chronology of primitive MFPD fire equipment available in 1979 to us; and more.

This book is now available <u>digitally</u> on Amazon.com for **\$9.99**.

The **FINAL printed version** of this book is available at the Placerville News on Main Street

15 copies are left priced at \$20.00 each.

Proceeds from the sale of this 90+ page book will be directed to the **MVFA**. For questions contact Jan Escamilla 621-4271

### **MVFA News**

by Tom Harris

A special event will take place at Finnon Lake on Saturday September 13, 2014. Two Principalities of the West Kingdom - Cynagua and The Mists - will partake in the Cynagua Mists Battle. To get a better idea of what that means, please visit: http://cynagua.westkingdom.org and click "Calendar". Or go to http://cynagua.westkingdom.org.

This event is both educational and entertaining. Mosquito residents are welcome as visitors at no charge. The Principality of Cynagua, the sponsor of this event, will accept donations however, and the proceeds will go to the Wounded Warriors Project of California. Visitors are encouraged to "dress the part", and examples of this can be seen on their website. Tell the person at the entrance near the campground that you are a local resident.

Visitors are asked to park in one of the Day Use parking lots at Finnon Lake - (Disc Golf parking lot is OK) - and walk to the event located at the east end of the lake. The campground will be reserved for over 300 Cynagua participants. Tent booths will be set up by Cynagua for selling their "wares" at this event. Come ye to Finnon Lake on September 13th, and enjoy the festivities. The Mosquito Trading Post will return on Sunday, September 7th and 21st from 8:00 to 11:00 AM in the patio area and pavilion of Mosquito General Store. Fresh produce, live plants, herbs, eggs, baked goods, jams. jellies, soaps, crafts and more will be available. There will be live music by Paul Hinds and the Mosquito Road band - featuring Heidi Ethridge, a book exchange and brats on a bun! Call Joyce or Vicki at 626-7062 to reserve your spot and to receive more information.

Our community appreciates the more than \$1,800 in donations received so far for the purpose of repaying the deficit for repaying the Mosquito General Store parking lot. If you would like to make a donation for the parking lot project, please send your check with a note specifying so to MVFA, 9009 Orval Beckett Ct., Placerville 95667. MVFA is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization. Donations may be tax deductible, and a letter specifying the donation amount will be provided to you. Thank you for supporting the parking lot project, the MVFA and Finnon Lake Recreation Area.

### SPAGHETTI DINNER FUND RAISER

by Chef Pesto Meatbolli (aka Dave Angelo and Mary Ann Haywood)

If you want to experience a taste of "Old Italy"...then come to the Fire Station on September 13th (6pm til the spaghetti runs out) and take part in MVFA's annual Spaghetti Dinner. Again "Master Chef Pesto Meatbolli" and crew will provide for you an unforgettable meal of Spaghetti topped with your choice of a masterfully prepared red sauce or white sauce topped with meatballs OR Italian sausage. The meal will also include salad, bread, and desert. Coffee and lemonade will be available at no charge.

The recommended donation for this event is \$8.00 for adults and \$3.00 for children age 12 and under. The first \$500 of the proceeds will be used to fund our annual Community Christmas Dinner (which is FREE to all community members). Any amount in excess of \$500 will be used to help pay the State imposed Finnon Dam inspections fees.

MARK YOU CALENDARS - SEPTEMBER 13, 6pm. Also, we will have a raffle and ORDERS TO GO.

Come join us and your neighbors for a memorable meal and evening!

### RAFFLE!!! RAFFLE!!!!

by Dave Angelo and M.A. Haywood

Once again we will be having a raffle (last one of the year) and the proceeds will go to the Christmas Party. We would ask artisans and other community members to donate something for us to raffle at the Spaghetti Dinner on September 13th.

To donate, please call Mary Ann at 622-5477 or Teresa at 622-3903.

### **2013 Mosquito Phone Book Updates** by Sharon Hern

If you are listed in the 2013 Mosquito Phone Book and have changed your phone number or address, please let me know so that the Phone Book can be updated. You can call me at 626-5268 or email to sahern@exede.net.

Here are some changes to be made in your 2013 Phone Book.

Page 24 in the 2013 Phone Book is for additional listings.

### Additions:

HEIRONIMUS, Clay 6818 Log Cabin Lane 415-830-1176 SMITH, Barbara & Bill Ferguson. 2964 Highgrade Street 408-315-3482 or 408-438-8007

FERGUSON, Bill & Barbara Smith 2964 Highgrade Street 408-315-3482 or 408-438-8007

### Changes:

PERSICO, Connell 6818 Log Cabin Lane 530-215-4050

### **Firehouse Crafters**

by Sharon Hern

The proceeds of our Craft Sales are used to help with items needed by our Fire Department. **Our next meeting is September 26<sup>th</sup>** (see time and location below). We will be in full crafting mode, working on Christmas projects and finishing our Fall projects for our next Craft Sale in November.

Our craft meetings are generally held on the 4<sup>th</sup> Friday of each month from **10AM to 12Noon** at the home of Darlene Rood, 2211 Swansboro Road. Hope to see you on the **26<sup>nd</sup> of September**.

### GIRL SCOUT TROOP

by Sara Infante

Troop 747 Parent and Girls meeting Friday, Sept. 19, 2014 4:30pm-6pm Mosquito Fire Department Upstairs

Do you want your daughter to become a leader, an entrepreneur, have fun, make friends, while learning a variety of skills? Do you have a daughter in the grades kindergarten through third grade? If so, come to the Mosquito Fire Station, Sept. 19 for an information meeting about Girl Scout Troop 747. Your girls will enjoy a craft while you learn about the opportunities Girl Scouts can provide.

Troop 747 is entering its third year. Last year the girls learned about their environment and created blue bird houses that you may see as you walk around Finnon Lake. The girls participated in cookie sales, completed the WOW Water Journey and Between Earth and Sky Journey while participating in multiple field trips and activities.

If you have any questions or you are interested but can not make the Sept. 19<sup>th</sup> meeting please call Sara Infante at 707-689-1673.

### 2nd Annual Halloween Trunk-or-Treat

by Alyson Fox

Finnon Campground

Friday, October 31st 6:30-8:00

We had so much fun last year, we want to do it all over again!! Traditional Trick or Treating is a bit difficult in Mosquito/Swansboro due to the lack of things like sidewalks and street lights. For those of you who may not be familiar with the concept, a trunk-or-treat is like a neighborhood trick-or-treat, only we do it from our cars at a designated location. So if you want to be a "TRUNK-er", call or email me for instructions. It's lots of fun and there are prizes (and bragging rights!!) involved! If you want to be a TREAT-er, just show up Halloween evening at 6:30, wearing your costume, and ready to collect your candy and have some fun!! We hope to see you ALL there! Alyson Fox

626-7396 home/VM 350-0729 cell/txt foxforcefour13@gmail.com

### **MOSQUITO TRADING POST**

Share, Trade, Barter or Donate toward:

\*vegetables \*baked goods \*eggs \*herbs \*fruit \*arts and crafts \*sausages \*flowers \*home and garden services

call: 626-7062 for information or to reserve a space for yourself!

Summer/Fall Schedule

September 7 September 21 October 5 October 19 November 2

All Trading Posts are held outside the Mosquito General Market and Kitchen From 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Come and Enjoy!

### MOSQUITO GENERAL MARKET AND KITCHEN

Wednesday and Thursday: 10:00 am-7:00 pm Friday: 10:00 am-8:00pm Saturday and Sunday: 10:00am-7:00pm Monday and Tuesday: CLOSED

530-295-4980

### 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. Please consider this option when you organize your recycled materials. (Wine bottles don't have CRV! We can't use them)

<u>This is a very important fund raiser for</u> <u>the Finnon Lake Campground</u>, so <u>MVFA</u> THANKS YOU!

### **CLASSIFIED SECTION**

### LOST:

Black and white cat. Please call Shannon at 344-2309.

### WANTED:

Used refrigerator in working condition, preferably free. Call 295-0828. (9)

Canoe, kayak or small fishing boat in good working Condition. Call Daniel Adams at (530) 444-0163.

### FREE:

Free: Pine rounds, ready for splitting. We have plenty! You haul, call Tim at 408-859-3182

Horse/compost manure for home or garden call Cindy 530-621-1600

Firewood, soft wood. You cut and haul away. Call Lionel, 530-622-7472,

### FOR SALE:

Honda ATC 125M 3-wheeler for sale, \$350This 1984 classic has a new seat, new battery, new front tire and is ready to go. Call 925 360-8262 to make an appointment to see it, (9)

1980 MGB Roadster, Licensed till June, 2015, New Carpet kit, Battery, Alternator, electric Fuel Pump, and Visors, Top is like new and tires are excellent condition mounted on wire knock off wheels, 4 speed overdrive, Shows well and drives well, \$4,500.00, call Larry, 530- 621-1071 (9)

Chipper/ shredder- Craftsman 7.5HP \$380 firm. Table saw-Craftsman 10in. (new motor) \$120 firm. 916-765-3652 (8)

Triple Mix Horse Hay: I bought extra hay this year since I was hauling it up the hill anyway, it's not real heavy in grains, very clean and from a grower I trust. If anyone is interested please let me know, \$14 a bale. Call Kim Kirkpatrick at 409-2357 (8)

Water Ski - Jobe Pro Graphite Ski like new/w/case, \$60 OBO. Call Patrick at 530-622-4419. (8) OBO. Extras include Helmet, Jacket, Riding Pants, Gloves, etc. Plus, Power Commander (Injection Programmer). Riding Gear is medium size. Call Patrick at 530-622-4419. (8)

Antique style child's desk. Very unique multi drawer, \$250, open to offers. Call Patrick at 530-622-4419. (8)

1998 Harley Davidson XL Sportster 883 Hugger. Black with chrome back rest, engine guard leather saddlebags and windshield. Mileage 23,388. \$3,420,00. Call 621-0088 (7)

FRESH EGGS for sale on Log Cabin Lane, \$2.75 per dozen. Call 530-626-4882 or 209-765-8640.

SEASONED WOOD—Delivered, seasoned OAK \$290/cord. Call Bob at 642-9335.

### **MEETINGS:**

MOUNTAIN FELLOWSHIP – Meet new friends, get refreshed and restored. Join us for challenging Bible study, fun events and worship here in Mosquito. Groups for Men/Women/kids/young adults. We meet Sunday mornings 9:30am at 3342 Stope Drive and throughout the week. Check our website www.mfom.netor call 530-295-0503.

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

### MOSQUITO BOOK CLUB

Join the book club! Meets once of month to discuss a book chosen by the group. The current meetings take place on a Thursday afternoon at rotating houses. The time and day is flexible depending on the schedule of the group. Contact Jeanine at 621-3875 or sjkobza@gmail.com for more information.

EMBROIDERER'S GUILD – Hanging by a Thread Chapter of the Embroiderer's Guild of America meets the  $2^{nd}$ 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.htm

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2003 Suzuki SV 650s, w/stand. Extras available, \$1800,

### SERVICES:

Flu shots coming on the hill! Vicki DeKay, RN from Sutter, will provide flu shots at the September Spaghetti Dinner from 5 -6 pm. \$25 or free for most Medicare. Call Vicki for more information. 626-7062. (I am also available to come to your home if you cannot make it to the dinner.)

Affordable Custom Cabinetry, right here on the hill Quality Custom all wood construction; Kitchens, Baths, Built-ins, Closets, Entertainment centers, Bookcases, and more, Small jobs welcome. Lew's Woodshop 530-391-5898

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PET CARE - Pet feeding while you're 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

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HAIRSTYLIST/JUICE PLUS REP - My name is Jessica and I live on the hill and offer hair services. I do Color, Cuts, Perms, Styling, Makeup &, Mens/Children Cuts. You can come to my salon called Ava Jade Salon and Spa in Diamond Springs or I can come to you! I also sell whole food nutrition capsules called "Juice Plus". You can look it up at <u>www.jessicabitner.juiceplus.com</u> or call me at 530-409-8205 if you have any questions.

TUTOR – Fully credentialed tutor with 20 years of tutoring experience. Homework, reading, English composition and math remediation/enrichment. For further information call Joyce Radmanovich at 626-7062.

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# Important Phone NumbersFire, Medical, Police Emergency911Mosquito Fire non-emergency626-9017All other non-emergency621-6600CA Highway Patrol non-emergency622-1110Burn Day Information621-5897Mosquito General Market295-4980

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