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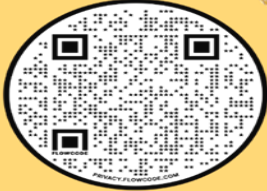
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Pancake
Breakfast**

When: Sunday
May 10th 2026

Time: 8am to 12 noon

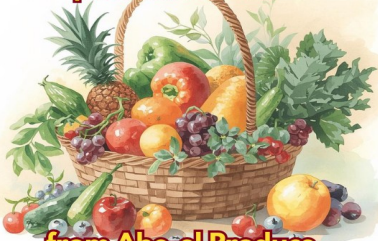
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building)

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Center Yard Sale**
30733 Kings Canyon Rd
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Fri May 1st 7am-5pm
Sat May 2nd 7am-4pm



Regina Robin Mimi Hammonds

June 25, 1957 – March 7, 2026

Regina is survived by her daughter, Amanda Fisher, and son-in-law, Trebor Fisher; and her daughter, Amber Markijantz, and son-in-law, Brian Markijantz. She was a proud grandmother to Cameron Bauer and her husband, Nathan Bauer, with a new baby on the way. Brian Jr. Hennessy, Maddison Markijantz, and Angel Baby Mason Markijantz,

She also leaves behind her adopted children, as well as many dear friends, cousins, and extended family members who will miss her deeply.

Regina moved from Arkansas to California in 2003 and truly loved the life she built here. She enjoyed traveling and spending time with her friends, and she had a special love for her dogs and granddogs. Above all, she loved her family more than anything and was always there whenever she was needed.



Regina Robin Mimi Hammonds
celebration of life
will be held **May 16th 2026**
at 12 noon at
35625 E Kings Canyon Rd ,
Squaw Valley, Ca. 93675
(The Old Domes Restaurant)

James Peter Oboskey

Funeral Service
May 9th 2026
11:30 am
Dunlap Cemetery
39100 Sans Baker Road
Dunlap Ca 93621
Memorial Luncheon
Gina's Place 1:30pm
Highway 180
Dunlap Ca



Doug Bardoff

Doug passed away after a lengthy battle with cancer.

He was an amazing chef, friend. And much-loved brother. He enjoyed the outdoors, fishing, and spending time with family. He will be greatly missed. There will be a future celebration of life for

Doug. Thanks to everyone who has kept him in their thoughts and prayers, your support has been unwavering



Michael James Puckett



Michael James Puckett, a beloved husband, father, son, brother, and friend to all who knew him, passed away on April 17, 2026 after a courageous battle with a long-term illness. He was 54 years old. Born on February 14, 1972, in Ventura, California, Michael came into the world on Valentine's Day and spent his life proving that was no coincidence. From the very beginning, he had a gift for making friends everywhere he went. He was kind, generous to a fault, and larger than life. A constant giver and never a taker, Michael was always there for anyone who needed him, and he really,

truly loved his family. Michael graduated from Saint Bonaventure High School in Ventura and shortly thereafter joined the United States Army, where he trained as a Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nuclear Specialist. Just before enlisting in the Army he met the love of his life, Maricella Ayala, and after a brief courtship they married in Ventura. Michael went on to earn both a Bachelor of Science in Health Science with an Environmental Health Science and Industrial Hygiene Option and a Master of Public Health with an Option in Environmental and Occupational Health from California State University, Fresno. Michael built a distinguished career spanning over 25 years in industrial hygiene and safety. He served more than eight years with the US Navy managing the industrial hygiene program for the Naval Hospital at NAS Lemoore with an Area of Responsibility across Northern California and Northern Nevada, and spent seven and a half years with the State of California Division of Occupational Safety and Health (OSHA). His crowning achievement was starting his own business, Central California EHS where he proudly became self-employed and guided his family into the practice. His professional credentials included Certified Industrial Hygienist, Certified Safety Professional, and Registered Environmental Health Specialist. He was also a proud member of the American Legion. When he wasn't working, Michael loved spending time with his grandchildren, golfing, and fishing. His work took him throughout California's interior, and he always made time to enjoy the sites and nature's splendor along the way. Michael is survived by his loving wife Maricella, his mother, Donna Puckett; his brothers, Stephen and William Puckett; his daughter, Gloria Chevalier; and his sons, Anthony and Joseph Puckett. He was preceded in death by his father, James Puckett, and his son, Jonathan Puckett. No words can adequately convey the depth of our gratitude for your presence during our time of grief. As Matt Haig once wrote, ***"People you love never die... Not completely. They live in your mind, the way they always lived inside you. You keep their light alive. If you remember them well enough, they can still guide you, like the shine of long-extinguished stars could guide ships in unfamiliar waters."***



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Greenhill - 3br2ba custom 2-story on nice 4.6ac Pending

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Sassafras - Older MH 3/2 on cul-de-sac 5ac \$ 175,000

Older "fixer" 3br2ba MH on very private cul-de-sac 5 acre lot. New well produces 17gpm, newly installed septic. Home in okay condition but needs finish work. Property backs up to large ranch area. Seller will consider carrying paper.

Ultra-Private Custom Country Home on 50 acres \$ 1,270,000

Magnificent 3,724sf plantation style custom w/ wraparound covered deck, gourmet country kitchen, formal dining, LR w/theater, pool, outdoor kitchen pavilion, nice pond, 4 stall barn, and miles of trails throughout the property. Very custom and very private. Owner may carry.

SV Road - Triplewide in "Like New" Condition - \$ 348,000

Completely renovated 3/2 triplewide with 2x6 construction on nearly level 2.44ac lot plus 2 story barn w/ 1/2 bath. All new metal roofs, new paint, new kitchen, flooring, new multi-unit minisplit HVAC, new fixtures and appliances, & much more. Seasonal stream, Indian rocks, fenced.

Developed hillside 5ac w/ 2 large pads \$ 154,000

This hillside lot has 2 large pads and a terrific view. Lot has well with pump, active electricity, and a septic installed but not hooked up. Also includes older double MH considered to have storage value. Each pad has separate drive. Owner may carry.

Sequoia Dogwood Meadows - 40 ac w/ meadow & stream - \$ 425,000

Truly unique 40 acres just west of Sequoia Lake with an active spring at the top, a gorgeous meadow in the middle, and a trout stream at the bottom. Great access with a newly built private road plus walking trails and lots of Dogwoods! Owner may carry with acceptable down & terms.

Sequoia Ridgetop - 40 ac adjacent to national forest \$ 350,000

Gorgeous private 40 acres just west of Sequoia Lake adjacent to the national forest. Terrific setting w/ multiple potential cabin sites along the ridge. Zoned RC which allows low intensity camps. Ultra private & very unique. Seller may carry with acceptable down and terms.

Empress Mtn Cabin - 2 lots, 4br2ba cabin, 6,000ft elev \$ 425,000

2 story, 3/2 cabin w/ garage under plus 1/1 guest cabin on 2 lots with 2.16 acres. Both cabins on smaller lot w/buildable larger lot. Overlooks Sequoia Lake at 6,000 ft elevation. Private gated entry off of Hwy 180. Cabin is in great condition. All furnishings included.

Lots - Land - Others

New - Ennis - Nice 5 ac w/ secluded place to build, OWC **SOLD!!!**
Cougar - End of cul-de-sac 5ac, massive view OWC **\$ 45,000**
Totem - Hillside 5ac, large pad, and new well OWC **\$ 92,000**
New - Ruth Hill - Nice hillside 6.7ac w/ 75gpm well lot OWC **Pending**
New - Neat 4.7ac hillside lot, very buildable OWC **\$ 45,000**
Cougar - Near Hwy 180, 5ac, well, valley view, OWC **SOLD!!!**
SV Road - 2.66 ac w/ pad & drive & seasonal creek **\$ 39,000**
Chuckwagon - Nice 4.7ac w/ xln't well, tank & large pad **\$ 95,000**
Ripple - 5ac corner lot, xln't terrain & view, nice setting **SOLD!!!**
Hopewell - 12.86 ac hillside parcel w/ steeper terrain **SOLD!!!**
Clearview - Hillside 5ac, well, pad, & elec, great views OWC **SOLD!!!**
Buttercup - Near Hwy 180, xln't 5 ac, views, nice terrain OWC **SOLD!!!**
Squaw Valley Rd - 2.3 ac, well, septic, power, & more **Pending**

New - Totem - Private 5ac w/ 21gpm well, very unique **\$ 117,000**
Panorama - Ridgetop 5ac w/ terrific views, OWC **SOLD!!!**
Empress Mtn - 4 ac lot at 6,000 ft w/ spring & forest **SOLD!!!**
Fawn - Ridgetop 5ac lot and pad, near Hwy180OWC **\$ 50,000**
Wonder Valley - Pinto - Large 2.67 ac lot, great views OWC **Pending**
Sesame - Mountaintop 10ac in 2 lots, well, MH, views OWC **Pending**
Bramble - Ridgetop 10ac 75gpm well, valley views OWC **\$ 105,000**
Fawn - Hillside 5.ac near Hwy 180 w/pad, huge views **Pending**
Longview - Amazing 5 ac, 100gpm well, active power **SOLD!!!**
Sesame - 2 lots w/ 10ac, huge Sierra views, OWC **SOLD!!!**
Cougar - Near Hwy 180, 5ac w/ valley views, OWC **SOLD!!!**
Ennis - Creekfront 5ac, huge pad, 30gpm well **SOLD!!!**
Squaw Valley Rd - Xln't 2.4 ac w/well, pad & creek **SOLD!!!**

BROKER'S CORNER - Will Squaw Valley's name be changed? The truth is that the jury is still out. The Federal Government has changed the name of the valley to Yokut Valley but the community is still Squaw Valley. The Fresno County Board of Supervisors has just adopted a measure to start litigation against the State of California to stop the state from changing our name. The lesson here is that it isn't over 'till it's over. We need to stand tall for our rights and let our voices be heard. There is more to come on this issue, so be ready to stand your ground. This is our community and we are proud of it. This nation was founded on the principle that individual rights count. DON'T TREAD ON US!!

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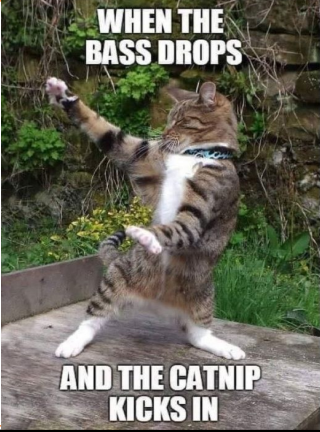


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For governor of California we endorse Chad Bianco. A Republican candidate, Bianco presents himself as a regular person focused on restoring safety, stabilizing state finances, and cutting burdensome regulations that he says hamper businesses and families. His campaign emphasizes public safety and strong support for law enforcement, fiscal restraint, and measures intended to spur economic growth across the state.

In the 21st Congressional District we endorse Lorenzo Rios. We spoke with Rios by phone and found him to be a veteran and proud Latino American committed to serving his community. Rios's priorities include improving public safety, supporting veterans and families, advancing local economic opportunity, and promoting accountable government. He frames his candidacy around practical solutions to California's pressing problems.

These endorsements reflect our paper's conservative orientation and our belief that candidates should be judged by their commitment to solving real problems facing Californians. We encourage voters to review each candidate's full platform and decide for themselves



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- 1 Bradley et al.
6 Cognac letters
10 Politest
12 "Downtown" singer Clark
14 Real ___
15 Vacation house, often
16 Kung ___ chicken
17 "___ Tú" (1974 hit song)
19 Roadway (abbr.)
20 Wandering singer
23 Ballet costume
24 Take ___ your leader (2 wds.)
25 Cupboard
27 Nudged
29 Trucker trackers (3 wds., abbr.)
32 "Over hill, over ___..."
35 Satie or Estrada
36 Schussing spot (2 wds.)
39 Sour cream concoction
40 Outdo
41 ___ a plea

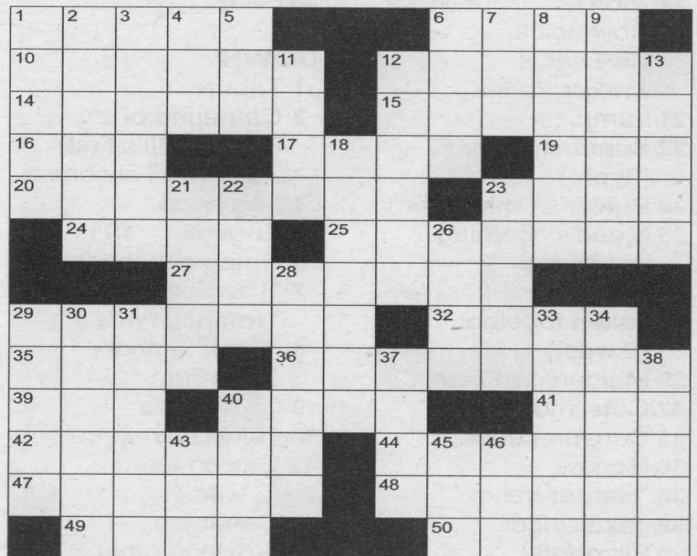
- 42 Weak
44 Make inconspicuous
47 Feel indignant
48 Rebuke severely
49 Fawn's dad
50 Salad plant

DOWN

- 1 Early afternoon hour (2 wds., abbr.)
2 Bungle the shot
3 Play opening (2 wds.)
4 Actress Peggy
5 Fast jet (abbr.)
6 Victory letters
7 Railroad stop (abbr.)
8 Reach the wire first
9 Nebraska river
11 One preparing to drive, in golf
12 Future attorney's curriculum
13 Alaskan native
18 Heats up leftovers
21 Porterhouse or T-bone
22 Stated
23 Wave type
26 Sleeping places
28 Cut in two exactly

- 29 Aromatic wood
30 Pickling solutions
31 Most mature
33 End a search
34 Divisions of time
37 Natives of (suffix)
38 Fencing swords
40 Singer Crosby
43 "Give ___ break!" (2 wds.)

- 45 Broadcast regulating gp.
46 "The ___ Side"



Upper Millwood: The Next Piece of the Puzzle

Maria Baker, Public Information Officer for OTFSC

Oak to Timberline Fire Safe Council's Upper Millwood Fuel Break has been approved and funded through CAL FIRE's Wildfire Prevention Grants Program at \$903,392. This 400-foot-wide shaded fuel break will run approximately three miles along Upper Millwood, Davis, and Delilah Roads, treating 128 acres within a Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zone.

The project sits adjacent to Kings Canyon National Park and the Giant Sequoia National Monument and will help protect roughly three dozen woodland properties, two large summer camps, a heliport, a communications facility, a hang glider launch site, and the Delilah Fire Lookout. It also strengthens protection for approximately 1,100 residents and 650 structures across Pinehurst, Dunlap, and Miramonte.

The project is designed to connect with planned fuel break work by the U.S. Forest Service Hume Lake Ranger District, creating a continuous landscape-scale fuel break from Highway 180 to Delilah Lookout. CAL FIRE is also joining in a region-wide Vegetation Treatment Project of prescribed burns and herbicidal treatments. That kind of coordination between local, state, and federal partners doesn't happen by accident.

As someone still new to this role, what impresses me is how interconnected all this work is. Each grant builds on the last. Roadside fuel breaks link up with community fuel breaks. Outreach brings in volunteers. None of it is happening in isolation, and none of it is happening without people.

These are your neighbors. They are board members and Firewise Community partners putting in hours behind the scenes, and volunteers showing up on a Saturday to help elderly and disabled residents clear brush. All of it aimed at preventing the kind of devastation our communities lived through during the Rough Fire in 2015, the KNP Complex in 2021, the Lightning Complex in 2024, and the Garnet Fire last summer.

These grants are not line items in someone else's budget. They represent years of effort by people who live here, working to make our foothill communities safer and better prepared for wildfire.

If any of that sounds like something you'd want to be part of, there's a place for you! Join the OTFSC board, get involved with your local Firewise Community, or show up for a single workday. Find us on Facebook, email info@oaktotimberline.org, or call (559) 336-4147.

Thank you to every neighbor, volunteer, and board member who has contributed to our community's success!

Sal's Astronomy Corner

Skywatchers have plenty to look forward to in May 2026, with several notable celestial events lighting up the night sky.

The month begins with the **Full "Flower Moon" on May 1**, named for the abundance of spring blooms. At peak illumination, the Moon will appear fully lit as it sits opposite the Sun, making it an easy and striking sight even for casual observers.

The highlight of the month arrives just days later with the **Eta Aquariids meteor shower**, peaking in the early mornings of **May 5–6**. This annual shower, created by debris from **Halley's Comet**, can produce up to around 50 meteors per hour under ideal dark-sky conditions. The best viewing time is before dawn, when the constellation Aquarius rises higher in the sky. However, bright moonlight in 2026 may reduce visibility somewhat, so finding a darker location will improve your chances.

Mid-month brings darker skies with the **New Moon on May 16**, offering excellent conditions for stargazing and even viewing the Milky Way in areas far from city lights.

Rounding out the month is a rarer event: a **"Blue Moon" on May 31**, the second full moon of the same calendar month. While it won't actually appear blue, this uncommon occurrence happens only occasionally and adds an extra highlight for lunar observers.

With meteor activity, bright lunar phases, and dark-sky opportunities, May offers something for everyone—from beginners to seasoned stargazers.

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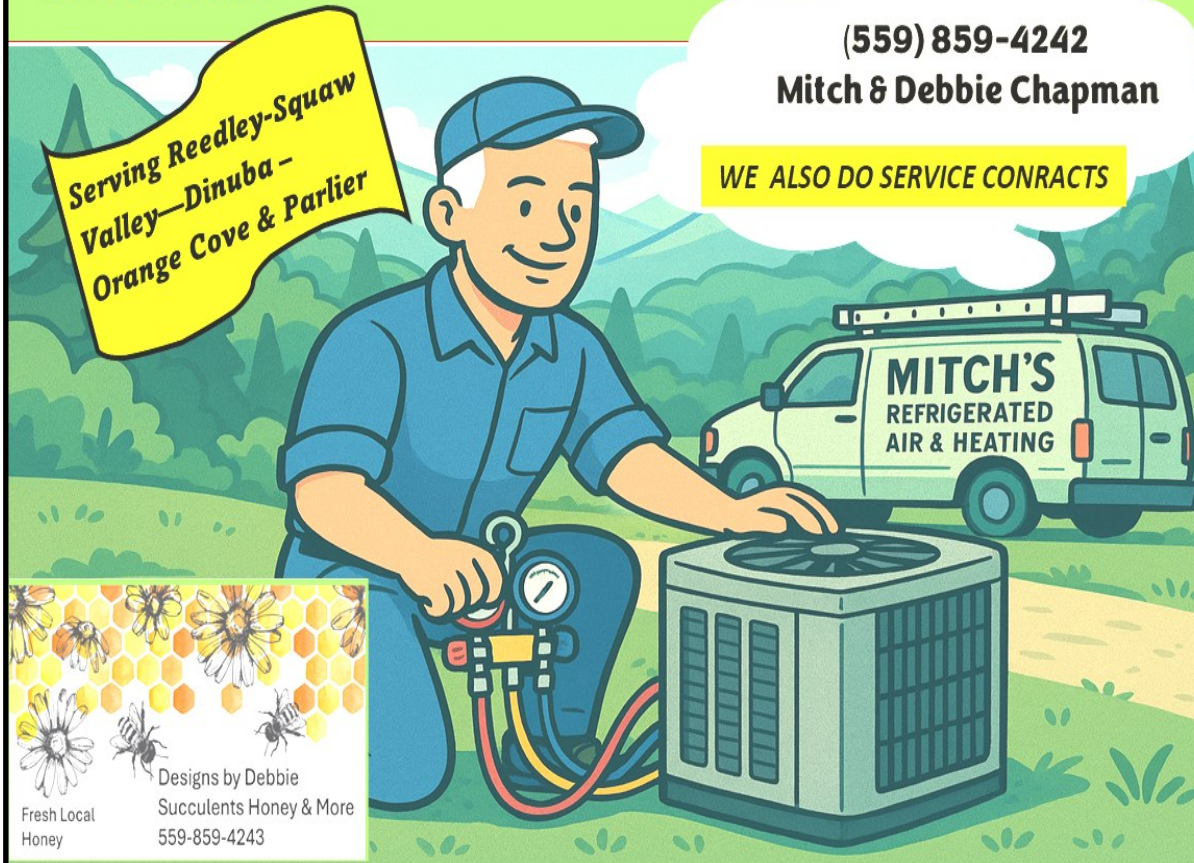
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PUZZLE 23



First Attempts at Growing Food

By Jasleen Moran

When the world shut down in 2020, one of our first priorities was food. Seeds were disappearing everywhere, so we gathered what we could, knowing that growing our own was going to be part of our survival.

At first, things looked promising. I started seeds, hopeful for rows of vegetables to feed our family of seven. But reality set in fast. The April rains gave way to scorching heat that dried everything out in a heartbeat. Our soil, untouched and uncultivated, wasn't ready to sustain life. We knew nothing about amending or treating it, and every sprout we tried to nurture seemed to wither away.

So, we adapted. We bought food-grade buckets, drilled holes in the bottoms, and turned them into makeshift planters. It was far from perfect, but it gave us a fighting chance.

Of course, the challenges didn't stop there. Underground critters like squirrels, voles, moles, and gophers saw our efforts as an open invitation. And above ground, the deer roamed freely, easily able to leap over a six-foot fence to help themselves to whatever managed to grow.

It was humbling. It was frustrating. And it was also part of the education the land was giving us. Growing food here wasn't going to be simple. It was going to take patience, resilience, and a whole lot of trial and error. Fast forward to today. We still don't have an in-ground garden. Our plants are still in buckets. But we haven't given up hope! Over the past six years, we've learned so much, and our vision has shifted toward permaculture. We're planning to establish hardy trees that can endure the harsh climate up here. Over time, they'll create a lush canopy, helping to restore nutrients and moisture to the topsoil naturally. In the meantime, our animals: sheep, goats, and chickens have been busy working the land. They have cleared all the brush and continue to till and fertilize the soil. It may not look like the garden we once imagined, but step by step, the foundation for abundance is being laid.



A THANK YOU TO SQUAW VALLEY

By Jarrett Smith

I grew up on the Central Coast in an anonymous community



(Mission Hills, CA near Lompoc, CA). The best way to describe where I am from is to say that is where they launch rockets or it is in between San Luis Obispo and Santa Barbara. I am thankful for where I grew up. But it never quite felt like home. Living in the fog and cold for most of the year was a bummer for me (although I understand why lifelong residents of the Central Valley would like it to escape the heat). I wanted something more, but I did not think it would be here. I decided to pursue a bachelor's degree and I landed with Fresno State. I heard lots of bad press and rumors about Fresno and the Central Valley as a whole. So for me, it felt like taking a chance. I figured I would get my degree for a reasonable price and move on somewhere else. Instead, I found home. My uncle and aunt bought property in Squaw Valley decades ago. When I was a kid, it was a fun place to go once a year to getaway. Now, it is home. The summer heat is something lifetime residents look forward to escaping on a weekend trip. But I embrace it as someone who has plenty of warmth to catch up on after living on the coast for two decades! The rolling Sierra foothills ensure a beautiful view constantly. Whether it is the golden hour shining brilliant colors in the sky and landscape, or snow-capped Sierra peaks in the distance, there is a view to enjoy 365 days a year. What a blessing it is to have Yosemite, Kings Canyon and Sequoia National Parks in our backyard. I feel I have a lifetime of exploring to do! So many trails to hike, rivers to soak in during the heat and snow to play and slide down. And living the country life always keeps me busy with things to do around the house and the property as a whole. Whether it is water-sealing the deck, weed whacking or tree trimming...I am kept busy and engaging on the weekends. I appreciate the community here as well. The community has a great balance of respecting privacy, but also are willing to extend a helping hand to someone in need. I have been incredibly blessed to call Squaw Valley home while I finished school and beyond. If the Good Lord is willing, I would be incredibly grateful to call Squaw Valley home for the rest of my life!



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
26 10am - Bear Mountain	27 10am - Art Club @ Bear 5pm - Firewise @ Bear 6pm - TOPS - Pat @ Bear	28 10am - Jus' 4 Kix Line 4:30pm - Yoga-Lengthen 5:30pm - CSA 35B Road 6:30pm - Mountain Rodeo	29 10am - Flying Bobbins 6pm - Walking Through	30 BMAC Yard Sale 4:30pm - OTFSC Hwy 180	1	2
3	4 10am - Art Club @ Bear 6pm - TOPS - Pat @ Bear	5 10am - Jus' 4 Kix Line 3pm - SFCC Meeting @ 4:30pm - Yoga-Lengthen	6 9am - Four Seasons 3:30pm - Dunlap Band of 6pm - Walking Thru the	7 10am - Living Lighter - 1:45pm - Fresno County 6pm - Bear Mountain Fiber	8 10am - Jus' 4 Kix Line 12pm - Senior Singles 7pm - AA @ Bear	9 10am - Jewelry Gems @ 1:30pm - Bear Mountain
10 7am - American Legion- 2pm - Closed rest of day	11 10am - Art Club @ Bear 6pm - TOPS - Pat @ Bear	12 10am - Jus' 4 Kix Line 4:30pm - Yoga-Lengthen 6pm - Isaiah 61 Prayer	13 10am - Flying Bobbins 6pm - Walking Thru the	14 9am - Friends of Bear 10am - Living Lighter - 12:30pm - Senior Games 6pm - Bear Mountain Fiber	15 10am - Jus' 4 Kix Line 12pm - Senior Singles 7pm - AA @ Bear	16 5pm - SFCC
17 10am - Bear Mountain 4:30pm - Pending MRA	18 10am - Art Club @ Bear 6pm - TOPS - Pat @ Bear	19 10am - Jus' 4 Kix Line 4:30pm - Yoga-Lengthen 6pm - Bear Mountain	20 10am - Flying Bobbins 5:30pm - American Legion	21 10am - Living Lighter - 4pm - Lego Club - class	22 10am - Jus' 4 Kix Line 12pm - Senior Singles 7pm - AA @ Bear	23 1:30pm - Bear Mountain
24 10am - Bear Mountain	25 10am - Art Club @ Bear 5pm - Firewise @ Bear 6pm - TOPS - Pat @ Bear	26 10am - Jus' 4 Kix Line 4:30pm - Yoga-Lengthen 6:30pm - Mountain Rodeo	27 10am - Flying Bobbins 6pm - Walking Through 6pm - Walking Thru the	28 County Elections 6am - Activity Center 10am - Living Lighter - 1pm - Scenic 180 @ Bear	29 7am - Activity Center 10am - Jus' 4 Kix Line 12pm - Senior Singles 7pm - AA @ Bear	30 7am - Activity Center
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For information on activities at the Bear Mountain Activity center go to
Bearthmountainactivitycenter.org

Do you have a musical instrument that you are no longer using? If so Dunlap School is in need. Please help keep music in our school by donating your unused instrument. Reach out to Principle Keith Merrihew (559) 305-7310 or contact us at SOS Classified News (559) 551-8053

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Luxury Foothill Living



Stunning 3-bedroom, 2.75-bathroom custom home perched on 4+/- gently rolling acres. This estate backs up to a large cattle ranch, ensuring an expansive sense of openness and tranquility.

31602 Tumbleweed, Squaw Valley, CA 93675
\$700,000
Lot Size Approx 4.42 Acres
MLS#642761

Off-Grid Retreat



This bespoke 1 bed/1 bath property features a newer custom-built cabin with an open floor plan and modern amenities. Enjoy expansive views and enough snow for winter enjoyment and cool summer nights.

44981 Todd Eymann Rd, Miramonte, CA 93641
\$475,000
Lot Size Approx 114.97 Acres
MLS#645441

Dinuba 55+ Gated Community



This remarkable 3-bedroom, 2-bathroom residence offers a rare sense of space and privacy. Outside, your private oasis includes an inviting 12x10 pergola, wrap-around cement walkways, and lush landscaping.

337 Village Dr, Dinuba, CA 93618
JUST REDUCED \$327,900
Lot Size Approx 5,280 Sq Ft
MLS#643366

Perfect Canvas



This incredible view lot offers exceptional vistas and is primed for development, featuring essential utilities already in place, including a well, water faucets throughout, power, and an older septic system.

37087 Pebble, Squaw Valley, CA 93675
\$140,000
Lot Size Approx 4.94 Acres
MLS#641060

Rare Miramonte Lot



This gorgeous lot is situated above 3,700' elevation and has incredible views toward the south valley. The parcel is accessed through a fire road and a private easement, adding to the privacy. The terrain is gentle to sloping.

APN 195-070-01, Miramonte, CA 93641
JUST REDUCED \$60,000
Lot Size Approx 15 Acres
MLS#641650

Elevated Lot



The lot is thick with mature native trees and brushes, making it home to much wildlife. Located over 3000' in elevation, enjoy huge open skies and stunning valley views! Come build your dream.

APN 190-430-43, Squaw Valley, CA 93675
JUST REDUCED \$30,000
Lot Size Approx 4.67 Acres
MLS#641651

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