



September 8:

Wholesome Family Fun at Chapter Picnic

The CLCA family event of the year is scheduled for Sunday, September 8, beginning at 10:30 a.m. at Cuesta Park, 615 Cuesta Drive, Mountain View. This event offers the opportunity to meet and play with not only your colleagues from CLCA, but also the families behind those individuals. Activities include the very competitive horseshoe competition, a chili cookoff, cookie competition, and scavenger hunt... all in addition to a great BBQ lunch!

For information and to register, see the form on page 5, or visit www.clcasfba.org.



SFBA GOLF!

Chapter Annual Golf Tournament September 17

Join us on Tuesday, September 17, at Spring Valley Golf Course, 3441 Calaveras Rd. in Milpitas, for the CLCA SFBA Annual Golf Tournament. Shotgun start at 1:30 p.m. Come out early and enjoy lunch and compete in the putting contest. Stay for dinner and prizes immediately following the tournament.

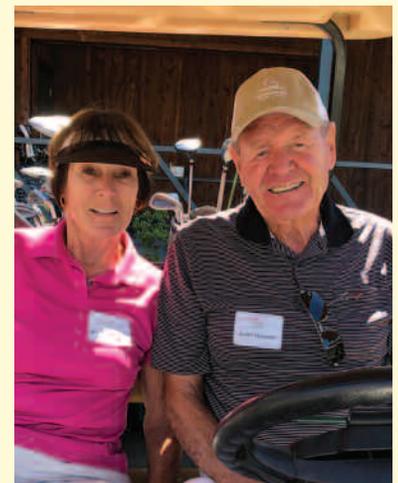
Save the date, get your foursome together, pull out your favorite pair of wild golf pants, and register today. If you don't have a foursome, we will include you in a foursome. And, if you are not a golfer, please join us for dinner.

For more information or to register, visit www.clcasfba.org.

When: Tuesday, September 17, 2019
1:30 p.m. Shotgun Start

Where: Spring Valley Golf Course
3441 Calaveras Rd., Milpitas

Info: Jeff Henninger
jhenninger@deltabluegrass.com



Now Accepting Trophy Award Entries

Entries are now being accepted for the 2019 CLCA Trophy Awards.

The SFBA Chapter award winners have been announced. Now that you've received local recognition for your great work, consider entering those projects in the statewide Trophy Awards Program. Even if you didn't enter the chapter awards, consider entering your best projects in the Trophy Awards and receive statewide recognition! Entries are due August 15.

The Trophy Awards is a celebration of excellence in landscaping. The California Landscape Contractors Association presents the Trophy Awards to:

- Recognize professionals who produce outstanding landscapes
- Create pride in superior workmanship
- Bestow public recognition on companies, institutions, municipalities and residents for their interest in a beautiful California.

The awards will be presented on the evening of November 15, 2019, at the Lake

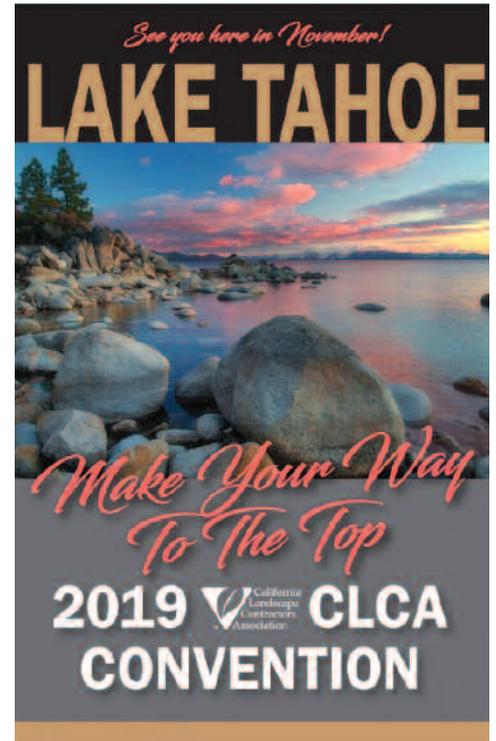
Tahoe Resort Hotel, South Lake Tahoe on the last evening of the 2019 CLCA Annual Convention.

For more information on the awards and to download an entry form visit clca.org/events/events-calendar/trophy-awards/

Learn! Engage! Relax! Enjoy!

Mix play with work as this year's annual convention focuses on the inspirational and practical knowledge you need for cultivating your team and propelling your business ahead and will be held at the Lake Tahoe Resort Hotel November 13-16. This is an excellent opportunity to see how your association works, meet fellow contractors and vendors from around the state and to take part in the governance of your association.

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Passing of Mary Lyngso

Mary Lyngso was born April 16, 1930 in the small town of Carrollton, Arkansas in the Ozark Mountains. She was the middle of three daughters.



When she was a young girl her family moved to the Hearst Ranch, King City, California, where her father was a cowboy on the ranch. From there they moved to Palo Alto, Mary graduated from Palo Alto High School. Mary met John in 1949 and they were married in the Danish Lutheran Church in San Francisco on August 28, 1950. They have three daughters--Terry, Linda and Pam --1 grandson, 4 granddaughters, 4 great granddaughters and 2 great grandsons.

John and Mary built Lyngso Garden Materials together, John ran the equipment and Mary ran the office in the early days. Mary and John were early members of CLCA. Mary was the bookkeeper at Lyngso Garden Materials, Inc for many years, semi-retiring in the early 1980's to travel throughout the United States and Canada with John in their motorhome. They also traveled through the canals in France and England. Over the years they have had several boats and loved to boat in the delta. Mary and John had many adventures together. Both Mary and John were always interested in Lyngso Garden Materials and stayed on the Lyngso Board after retirement.

They always lived in Belmont in homes that John's father Alfred built. They moved to The Trousdale in Burlingame in January 2019 and quickly developed a close community of friends.

Mary was a gentle person, these words reflect the way Mary lived her life: Listen with ears of tolerance, see through the eyes of compassion, speak with the language of love.

Lyngso Family
John, Terry, Linda and Pam

At right: Mary enjoyed being at the helm while boating.



Below: Warren Purdy installs Lois Hill, Ann Tsuda, Mary Lyngso and Sally Tanouye.

Bottom left: Mary in 1972.

Bottom right: Mary and John Lyngso at Membership Night in 2009.



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Auxiliary Report



Lesley Peters

More summer tidings to everyone! Hopefully the summer is passing smoothly and you are surviving the heat. Kids will go back to school soon. Yikes! The days go by so quickly.

It is with sadness that I report that Mary Lyngso passed away on Saturday, July 13 with her family by her side. Mary joined the Auxiliary in 1958 and was our SFBA Chapter President in 1963. She and John were supportive in so many ways to CLCA and the Auxiliary. We send our sympathy to John and their daughters Terry, Linda and Pam and their families. We will miss Mary's smiling face at our meetings.

The summer is a fairly quiet time for CLCA and the Auxiliary. We are busy making plans for the Auxiliary potluck on August 24 and the Chapter Picnic on September 8. The potluck is for Auxiliary members and their spouses and is the must attend event of the year. If you want to become an Auxiliary member and attend the potluck, there is a membership application elsewhere in this issue of the Bay Breeze. An application can also be found on the chapter website at www.clcasfba.org. If you have any questions about the Auxiliary, don't hesitate to contact me. We are a fun group of people and we do put on some awesome events! Come join us and meet new people.

Also in this issue of the Bay Breeze is a

reservation form for the Chapter Picnic on Sunday, September 8. The fun starts at 10:30 a.m., and the horseshoe tournament will start promptly at 11 a.m. I hope to see you there, cheering at the horseshoe tournament, tasting chili and savoring the entries in the cookie competition. Thank you to our Auxiliary committee (Alice Domine, Vicky Parrott, Charlene Ott, KC and Leeanna Coverdell, Rick Camin, Girvin Peters and myself) for continuing to organize this fantastic event. It is fun to watch the kids run around and find their treasures in the scavenger hunt, receive their prizes and eagerly await the announcement of the winners in the cookie competition. We have some awesome bakers in this group, young and old, and it is refreshing to see old family recipes being passed down to the next generation. A day filled with great food, great fun, and great friends. How could you go wrong? I look forward to seeing you there.

Coming up after the picnic will be the Auxiliary's last meeting of 2019, on Thursday, October 10. Chapter President, Gabriel Thomas will be our host for this meeting, meaning the chapter pays for our dinner! We welcome any prospective new members to this meeting as we finalize plans for the Holiday Party and make plans for next year. I can't even think about Christmas, much less 2020! More information about this meeting will be coming out soon.

We have a lot of fun events in the latter part of the year. I hope to see everyone at least once before the end of 2019! Enjoy the rest of your summer.

Celebration of Life: Mary Lyngso

Join the Lyngso Family for a Celebration of Life for Mary Lyngso.

Sunday, August 25, 2019, 4:30 pm

Please come for dinner and to share memories with each other and the family and to celebrate life.

Lyngso Garden Materials
345 Shoreway Rd
San Carlos, CA
650 364-1730 x 110

Please RSVP by 8/16/19 with number attending to: Terry Lyngso at tlyngso@lyngsogarden.com



Celebration of Life: Frank Dell

Frank H Dell of Dells Ivy Acres Nursery, a member of the SFBA chapter for over 35 years, has passed away. He was a long time supporter of our chapter.

A celebration of life will be held on
Thursday, August 8, at 11:30 AM
at Golden Hills Church- 2401 Shady Willow Lane Brentwood, CA



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CLCA SFBA Chapter Picnic



**Sunday, September 8, 2019
10:30 a.m.**

**Cuesta Park, 615 Cuesta Drive,
Mountain View**

**\$10 for adults and kids over 12
\$5 for kids 12 and under**

**Paying online through PayPal
\$11 for adults and kids over 12
\$5 for kids 12 and under**

ACTIVITIES

Horseshoe competition starts at 11:00 a.m. Sharp!
Chili Cookoff.....Noon
BBQ lunch12:30 p.m.
Scavenger Hunt1:30 p.m.
Cookie Competition2:30 p.m.

Cookie Competition Official Information

1. Two categories: Kids (15 & under) and Adults (16 & over).
2. Homemade cookies or bar cookies only.
3. Please tell us what your entry is called (Mary's Chocolate Surprise, for example).
4. Please let us know if we should be concerned about food allergies (nuts, for example).
5. Please make 2 dozen minimum.
6. Entry should not need refrigeration.
7. If you don't mind sharing your recipe, please bring a copy.

Horseshoe Competition Rules and Info:

RULES: All rounds will be played to 15, with the Final Round only going to 21. Both "closest to the pin" and "leaners" are worth 1 point and "ringers" worth 3 pts. All participants must be a CLCA member or accompanied by an attending CLCA member at the picnic.

INFO: In order to keep the game moving along, we will restrict the number of entries to the first 16 teams to sign up. You can sign up when you arrive, but only the first 16 teams will play. Sign up early and have fun!

Chili Cookoff Official Information:

- We have brought back the Chili cook-off! Bring your home-made hot and spicy or mild-mannered chili for all to taste.
- Please let us know if it is extra spicy, for those of us who like it milder. And for the vegetarians in the group, please let us know if your chili is meat-free.
- As with the cookie competition, please bring a copy of your recipe, if you don't mind sharing.

All prizes will be awarded after the cookie competition has been judged.

For information: Charlene Ott (650) 948-7858 or www.clcasfba.org

Please return reservations by Tuesday, September 3, 2019

RESERVATION FORM

Please complete and return this reservation form, with a check payable to CLCA SFBA Auxiliary, to: Charlene Ott, 609 Stardust Ln, Los Altos, CA 94024

Name(s) _____

BBQ Headcount

Telephone _____ E-mail _____

___ Adults @ \$10 \$ _____

___ Yes, I will be entering my chili in the Chili Cookoff

___ Kids 12 and over @ \$10 \$ _____

Cookie Competition Participant Names

___ Children under 12 @ \$5 \$ _____

Kids (15 and under) _____

___ Vegetarian meal(s)

Adults (16 and over) _____

Check enclosed \$ _____

Horseshoe Tournament Participant(s) _____

Play area at the park is available, and casual kids games will be on the lawn!

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An Open Invitation to All CLCA Members to Join the Auxiliary

On behalf of the San Francisco Bay Area Chapter of the Auxiliary, I would like to extend an invitation to you to become a member. Established in the early 1950's, the CLCA Auxiliary was formed as an assistance and support group to CLCA, but we are also equally interested in and involved in the future of the Green Industry.

Known as the Auxiliary since 2013, we lend a helping hand when needed throughout the year, whether in the form of organizing functions, providing refreshments during specific activities or just being there when the association needs us. The Auxiliary, in its continued dedication to the future of CLCA and the Landscape Industry, spearheads fundraising efforts for the Landscape Educational Advancement Foundation (LEAF). The Auxiliary established LEAF to generate, invest and award scholarships to Horticulture students throughout California. The Auxiliary meets three times per year (January, May and October) to work out the details of specific Chapter activities, along with several other fun events throughout the year. All representatives of CLCA members (regular, associate, or affiliate) are eligible to be members of the Auxiliary.

We welcome your participation on whatever level of interest you may have and wish to share. Our dues are \$25 per year--\$20 goes to the State Auxiliary (\$15 to the General Fund and \$5 to the LEAF Auxiliary Fund), and \$5 stays with our local chapter General Fund. If you are interested in joining our diverse group, please fill out the form below and return it to me with a check for \$25, payable to CLCA SFBA Chapter Auxiliary. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact me.

Lesley Peters
Girvin Peters Landscape, Garden Designer
185 Del Monte Avenue, Los Altos, CA 94022
650-941-4093 | gpland@sbcglobal.net

Yes, I would like to join the Auxiliary!

Name: _____

Spouse/Significant other's name: _____

Company Affiliation: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Email address: _____

Birthday (Month/Day): _____

Would you like to receive the Bay Breeze at home? Yes _____ No _____

Return completed application to: Lesley Peters, Girvin Peters Landscape, 185 Del Monte Avenue, Los Altos, CA 94022

Partners for Success

By Marin Vallalpando

It's time to dust off those golf clubs and head to the range to practice for the CLCA SFBA golf tournament coming in September. This is a great informal time to get to know other members, have some fun, and possibly walk away with a raffle prize or two.

The golf tournament and all of our chapter events are made possible by the generous support of our many sponsors. Please thank them for their commitment to our chapter both with an "atta boy" when you see them, and also by supporting their businesses.

If you would like to become a partner, please contact me, Marin Vallalpando at 408.586.9292 or email marin@zankerrecycling.com.

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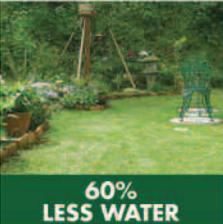
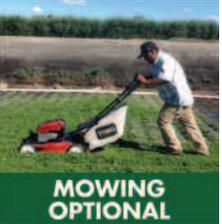
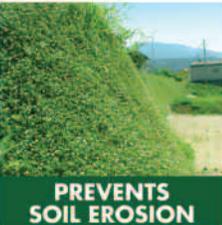
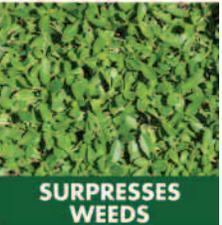
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