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Safely Holding a Garage Sale

In our last newsletter, we explained our reasons for going ahead with the Annual Maidu Neighborhood Garage Sale. We said folks should only participate if they felt, given their personal health situation and the situation in the community, that they felt they could safely hold a sale at their home. We also recommended following current guidance on interacting in a public situation.

Since then we've contacted the Placer Count Public Health Department to ask them what the guidelines are that folks should follow if having a garage sale. After a personal visit to their offices, they told us that they thought that the guidance issued by the California Department of Public Health for Farmers Markets would suffice. You may see those guidelines at

https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/OPA/Pages/NR20-024.aspx

The Farmers Market guidelines are toward the bottom of the page. Among other things they say

- Ensure that social distancing of six feet per person for non-family members is maintained and make clear that family members can participate in activities together, stand in line together, etc.
- Limit the number of customers at any given time as necessary to reduce outdoor/indoor crowding and lines to meet social distancing guidance.
- Offer additional hand washing or sanitizing stations throughout the venue.
- Increase frequency of cleaning of tables, payment devices, and other surfaces.

These are not all the guidelines. Please see the complete list at the link above. In addition there are separate face mask guidelines, including wearing them, "while outdoors in public spaces when maintaining a physical distance of 6 feet from persons who are not members of the same household or residence is not feasible." This mandate applies to everyone. See the "GUIDANCE FOR THE USE OF FACE COVERINGS" at the www.cdph.ca.gov web site (search for the June 18, 2020 or later information) as there are exceptions, (continued on top of page 3)

Correction: Garage Sale on Saturday, August 22nd

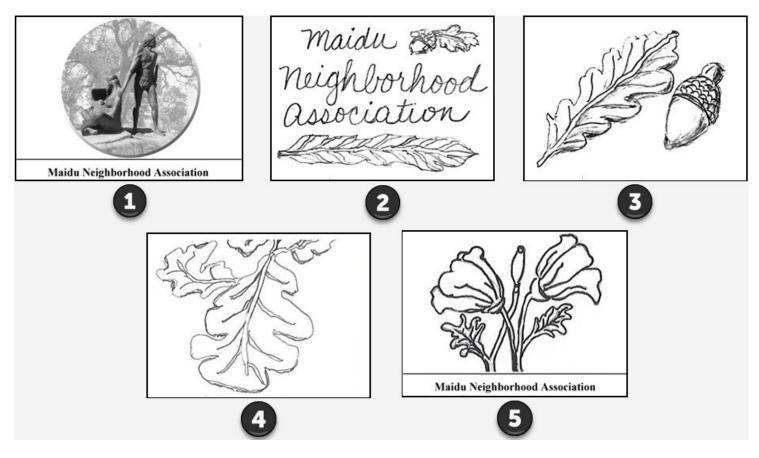
Last month we incorrectly identified the date we set for the Maidu Neighborhood Garage Sale. It will be a week earlier on Saturday, August 22nd. So, to get you address on our map, sign-up (using the form below) by August 15th.

2020 Garage Sale Registration	
Name	Telephone #
Street Address	E-mail
\$10 enclosed for August 2	2nd Garage Sale which supports the Maidu Neighborhood Association events all year.
I do not plan to participate	, but I would like to donate \$ to the Maidu Neighborhood Association.
I would like to help with r	nap distribution or filling of balloons the day of the sale.
I would like to donate a ra	ffle prize. Each person or business donating will be acknowledged in this newsletter.
Make your check out to Maidu Neighborhood Association. Send form & check to Mary Steele, Treasurer, 1390 Cloverdale	
Circle, Roseville, CA 95661, by August 15 to get your address listed on the map.	
Ouestions? Send email to feedback(at)maiduna.com	

Board Considers Change to Association's Logo

The Maidu Neighborhood Association board is deciding if it should update the Association's logo (as seen on the previous page at the upper left corner). We want to share some designs under consideration, and ask you if you have ideas about a logo. You can tell us or show us via email. Send your response to feedback[at]maiduna.com.

If we change the logo, we want it to be something that best represents our neighborhood. What would a realtor say are the best things about living here? What appeals to you? In short, what, to you, says "this is the Maidu Neighborhood"? Note that the following are not necessarily final versions, and any ideas you have do not have to be "final" either.



We would like to thank some neighbors for their work on logos, some of which are not shown here. Alex Winters created and submitted three logos, not shown, to the board in May 2019. They included Maidu tribe themes including two that had the statue in Maidu Park. Geoff Kragen has created multiple versions of logo number 1, above, with this latest version incorporating the statue in Maidu Park and one of the neighborhood oaks near the corner of McLaren and Rocky Ridge. Kris Reid sketched logos 2 through 5 using local natural leaves, acorns, feathers and poppies as her inspiration. Our existing logo, on the front page, was created several years ago by Lance Hibben and incorporates a tree, hills and a creek. All of these neighbors were extremely generous with their time to help us out.

We plan to meet outdoors at the Pavilion near the basketball courts in Maidu Park this month on the fourth Tuesday, July 28th. Please plan to bring your own chair so you can sit at an appropriate distance from others. If weather conditions are unfavorable (too hot, polluted air), we may cancel and meet online instead. Notice of cancellation, should it be necessary, will appear on our Facebook page, Nextdoor, and Maiduna.com..

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i.e., some people who do not have to wear a mask such as children under age 2, persons with a medical condition, mental health condition, or disability that prevents wearing a face covering (would obstruct breathing), and persons who are hearing impaired, or communicating with a person who is hearing impaired, where the ability to see the mouth is essential for communication. Note, the face mask guidance does not say who supplies the masks, so stores that are giving them out are probably doing it to make their shoppers feel safe, not under obligation.

We hope this information helps you picture how you can have a safe garage sale if your circumstances allow that.

On Our Radar

- 2020 Initial Slate Announced—The Association will hold its annual election of board members at the September Annual Meeting. About half of the board positions are up for election each year with board members usually serving a two-year term. We welcome anyone who would like to be a candidate. Existing board members who agreed to run for another term make up the initial slate. They include Alan Bartley, Melinda Shrader, Mary Steele and Scott Reid. There is one board position open. Contact us at feedback[at]maiduna.com if you are interested in learning more or would like to be a candidate.
- Two Board Members Retire, New One Joins—We would like to thank Ken Nitschke and Dave Steele for their years of service to the Maidu Neighborhood Association as board members. We would also like to welcome Melinda Shrader to the board. She is filling Dave's seat. We are lucky we have such dedicated neighbors to volunteer to help us out.
- **Corona Virus Testing**—We are happy to report our two neighbors who had COVID-19 testing done last month (see our story in last month's issue) both had their tests come back negative.
- Two Businesses Move—Both *Michaelangelo's* and *Smallcakes* are leaving the Rocky Ridge Town Center. Michaelangelo's, which calls itself a "Gift and Home Store," is moving about 10 minutes away to 8789 Auburn-Folsom Road, close to the Granite Bay US Post Office south of Douglas Boulevard. You may also order from their web site at www.shopmichaelangelos.com. Smallcakes, known for cupcakes, is closing its location due to COVID-19 impacts. A Smallcakes store remains open at 1090 Pleasant Grove Blvd., Suite 150, in west Roseville.
- Goats Arrive—By the time you read this you will no doubt be seeing goats back in the neighborhood. They started their work along Linda Creek near Champion Oaks Drive. They will go to Maidu Park except in areas near the recent oak tree plantings where Park staff have done hand-mowing instead. Since the goats often attract neighbors, remember to socially distance.
- A Reminder to Socialize—One neighbor, Alan Bartley, wanted to share these thoughts: With stay at home and social distancing isolating us from each other I feel it is important that when we are out we should acknowledge each other. When we meet on a walking path we should make eye contact and greet each other. Little gestures will help with our basic need for human contact. If the person is wearing ear buds or talking on the phone a little wave or facial expression is probably better than a verbal one. Probably the most dangerous aspect of Covid-19 is the isolation from each other.

Our Events—Our Association has developed a tradition of having the following events. We set the dates for each one as the time approaches to match the availability of the people who will help put them on, but they usually don't vary by more than a few weeks from year to year.

- August 22—Annual Neighborhood Garage Sale.
- September 26—National Night Out & a Movie.
- October 17—Park Clean-up.
- <u>December</u>—Santa in the Neighborhood

For more Information

Go to mna.rcona.com/2020 -links. Or scan this QR code with a suitable app. There are links there to our related sites including our Facebook page.

