



California
VACATION CLUB

CALIFORNIA Vacation Club

A Newsletter for California Vacation Club's Homeowners and Guests



The "Beat" Grows In Napa

The Napa Valley continues to grow and a number of new attractions have popped up or expanded in recent months providing even more entertainment options here in Napa, especially for live music. The newest edition is the revival of the Uptown Theatre in Downtown Napa. This Napa landmark originally built in the 20s has been renovated over the last 14 years to its original glory and opened to rave reviews in May. It has already hosted such big names as Big Bad Voodoo Daddy, Cindy Lauper, Foreigner and Blues Traveler. It is also intimate enough to host the comedy stylings of Ron White and Margaret Cho. Of course, if you are looking for music on a more nightly basis, Silo's Jazz bar is the spot. Inspired cuisine paired with world-class local, domestic and international jazz performers feed the soul Thursday through Sunday. As always, many of the wineries will also be celebrating the season with music throughout the vineyards. For more information I would recommend the following websites.

www.silosjazzclub.com

www.uptowntheatrenapa.com

www.napavalley.com/events.html

Getting Better Every Day

Through the 3rd Quarter, Grand Pacific Resort Management is pleased to report that even in this struggling economy, owners have been enjoying more time at the resort and our revenues have increased. This success has allowed for numerous improvements around the property which you will be able to enjoy upon your next stay.

New linens throughout, all new paint inside and out, as well as new furnishings will be the first things you will notice upon your next visit. Activities have also been expanded with additional on-site wine tastings in addition to the new wine and Segway tours. New creative activities have been added as well with our "Crafts a la Cart Program", RiverPointe Print Shop and Photography classes.

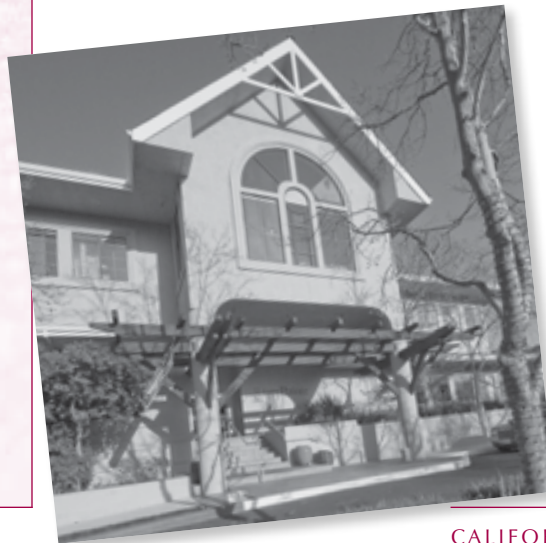
In the upcoming year, the Board has planned for an increase in the reserve contribution that will allow the resort to make additional improvements to the interior and exterior of the units.



The strategies approved by your Board and implemented by the Management Company to keep the resort financially stable have been extremely successful. Regional Director of Operations, Mary Dieckmann, was recognized by the Board of Directors for her hard work on this project.

As always, the Board and Management are dedicated to delivering you the most value for your hard earned dollars and look forward to your comments on all the great improvements around the resort.

James Tennery, Resort Manager



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Employee of the Quarter

For the Employee of the 3rd Quarter we selected Eva Navarro who works in our Housekeeping Department. Her units are always completed thoroughly and ahead of schedule. Which allows her to regularly jump in and help teammates who may be behind. She has also helped to complete a number of recent projects to help reorganize the Housekeeping areas.



Calendar of Events

November 20th - 21st, 2010

Holiday in Carneros

Holiday in Carneros is a multi-winery open house event featuring food and wine pairings, live music, unique tasting opportunities, special pricing and more. \$35 in advance, \$40 day of event. 10am-4pm. 800-909-4352

November 27th, 2010

Napa Christmas Parade

Join your family, friends and neighbors for Napa's Annual Christmas Parade. Since becoming an evening parade, Napans have figured out how to add lights to any entry, cars, horses even children. Santa wraps this one up and leads everyone to the Oxbow Public Market for free cookies and hot chocolate. 5pm. 707-257-0322

December 4th - 5th, 2010

Rutherford Passport Weekend

Experience the wineries of the Rutherford Appellation as never before, with exclusive barrel tastings, wine and food pairings, sales of future

wines and special Passport Weekend discounts. A portion of ticket sales will be donated to a Napa Valley charity. To purchase tickets, visit www.rutherford-appellation-wineries.com, \$65/weekend, \$50/Sunday only. 11am-4pm. 707-332-5585

December 18, 2010

VOENA: Voices of the Season - Oh Holy Night

Experience VOENA, in authentic Victorian costuming, singing with voices that have taken the world, including The White House, into the heavenly realm of angels. This VOENA group of children's voices blend the originality of their director, Annabelle Marie, with ethnic diversity and traditional favorites. 7:30pm at the Napa Valley Opera House, 1030 Main St., Napa, \$15-\$30. 707-226-7372

December 19, 2010

Napa Valley Wine Train - Santa Express

The Santa Express Train is a magical experience for the young and the young at heart. Ride the express train with our special guest, Santa! Ole' Saint Nick is going to bring some friends (including one with a nose that glows so bright) and carolers on board. This is a fabulous holiday experience for the whole family. \$20-\$40 per adult, children free. 9am-10:30am. 800-427-4124



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Board of Directors Meeting Highlights

September 14, 2010

President Don Wudtke called the meeting to order at 10:05am. Board members in attendance were Donald Wudtke, Mary Dieckmann, Doreen Bechard and Janelle Brown. Hank Cairo was unable to attend. Representing management were Nigel Lobo, Vice President of Resort Operations; Patrick Fernane, Regional Director of Resort Operations; Jay Anderson, Area Manager; James Tennery, Resort Manager and Cindy Jacques, Insurance Manager. Hayley Hughes took the minutes.



The following actions took place:

- The Board approved the minutes of the July 20, 2010 Board of Directors' Meeting.
- The Board received an overview of the general liability (property/casualty), Umbrella (excess liability), DIC (earthquake and flood), environmental policies and Workers' Compensation policy renewals.
- An overview of Front Desk Operations, Housekeeping, Maintenance, Landscaping, Activities and fiscal performance was presented.



- The Board approved the Assessment Resolution Agreement and authorized Mary Dieckmann to sign on behalf of the Association.
- The Board approved the proposed 2011 operating budget as submitted.
- The meeting was adjourned at 10:50am.

Note: If you wish to have a copy of the Minutes for your records, please send your request along with a (\$.63) stamped self addressed envelope to Grand Pacific Resort Services, L.P., 5900 Pasteur Court, Suite 200, Carlsbad, CA 92008, Attn: Lois Sklar.

Confirmation of 2011 Meeting Dates

Tuesday, January 18, 2011 – 10am at RiverPointe

Tuesday, April 19, 2011 – 10am at RiverPointe

Tuesday, July 19, 2011 – 3pm at RiverPointe

Tuesday, July 19, 2011 – **Annual Owners' Meeting** – 4pm at RiverPointe

Tuesday, September 13, 2011 – 10am at RiverPointe

Note: Owners are welcome to attend any regular Board meeting. Board meeting agendas are posted at the resort four days prior to the meeting. If you would like a copy of the final agenda for any Board meeting mailed to you, please contact your Resort Manager prior to the meeting. Since meeting times and location are subject to change, please contact your Resort Manager in advance to reconfirm the exact time and location.

Make the Most Of Your Ownership

As part of our efforts to ensure you have all of the knowledge you need to maximize the use of your vacation membership, we offer monthly classes detailing all the not-so-secret ways to get all you can out of your Membership.

Class Schedule

November 20, December 18

Classes held 6:30pm in the RiverPointe Clubhouse. To reserve your spot, please contact the Front Desk at 707-252-4200.



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Calendar of Events

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January 15, 2011

Vintage Sports Boosters Annual Crab Feed

Crab and Pasta Feed benefits Vintage High School athletics. Held 6pm at the Chardonnay Hall, Napa Expo. Silent and live auctions. Tickets available at Napa Community Bank; The Bank of Napa; and the Vintage High School office. 707-255-5409

January 30, 2011

Dmitry Sitkovetsky with the Napa Valley Symphony

Mendelsohn - The Hebrides, Mozart - Violin Concerto No. 3, Stravinsky - The Firebird Suite. 3pm at the Lincoln Theater, 100 California Dr., Yountville. 707-944-9910

December 1st - March 14th, 2011

"Changing Earth: Photographer's Call to Action"

Produced in conjunction with The Ansel Adams Gallery and Blue Earth, the exhibit features works from a variety of acclaimed photographers who document the tough reality of earth's regression through their photographs. Sparkling wine reception at Mumm Napa. 10am-5pm daily. 707-967-7700

*Event dates and times are subject to change.

January 24th - February 28th, 2011

"4 on Form" Exhibition

Napa Valley Museum features four California artists who explore form found in nature. Fain Hancock, Chiara Mondavi, Marc Pandone and Peter Scaturro share their affinity for natural form yet express their appreciation for its influence in individual ways. 55 Presidents Circle, Yountville. \$4.50 adults, \$3.50 students and seniors. 10am-5pm daily, closed Tuesdays. 707-944-0500

January 30th - March 27th, 2011

Mustard Festival Visual Art Competition

Artists from throughout California are invited to enter traditional, contemporary, impressionist, or abstract flat and three dimensional works of art in the annual Napa Valley Mustard Festival Visual Art Competition. 707-938-1133 x109



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California Vacation Club at RiverPointe Napa Valley

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Board of Directors NOMINATION



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The Annual Meeting of the California Vacation Club will take place on July 20, 2010.

There are two Board of Director seats open this year. Below is the information your Board of Directors needs to place your name in nomination for the Board Member Election. The space available on the meeting notice is limited, so **DO NOT SEND A RESUME**. Please try to limit your input to the space provided on this form. If you need more space, you may attach an additional page to this form.

*In order to ensure your name is placed in nomination and appears on the proxy for consideration by your fellow members, this nomination form must be postmarked **NO LATER THAN MAY 3, 2010** (Certified, return receipt requested)*

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Education: _____

Qualifying Experience: _____

Objectives: _____

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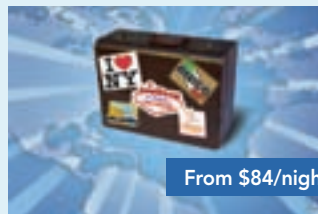
1. Online: www.ResorTime.com/GPR
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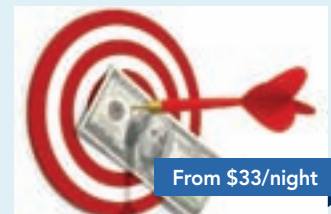
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