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## Round up your picnic baskets and blankets for the Del Mar Foundation's

## **2013 Summer Twilight Concerts**

Tuesday, June 18

**Atomic Groove** 

7:00 pm

Zel's Opening Act at 6:00 pm *The Donnis Trio* 

Tuesday, July 9

Mrs. Robinson

7:00 pm

Zel's Opening Act at 6:00 pm **Robin Henkel & Billy Watson** 

Tuesday, August 13

Back to the Garden Tribute to Crosby Stills Nash & Young

7:00 pm

Zel's Opening Act at 6:00 pm

Nathan James Trio

Sunday, September 8

Mark Wood & the Parrot Head Band

5:00 pm
Zel's Opening Act at 4:00 pm

Michael LeCleric

These concerts are made possible in part by these generous donors:

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#### **Executive Director's Corner**

Dear Neighbors and Friends,

Volunteers are the backbone of the Del Mar community. Imagine how different our community would be without them! Through the Del Mar Foundation alone, more than 20,000 hours of volunteer effort over the past 8 years have gone into making the community a better place to live. Multiply that by the many organizations that serve 92014 – Del Mar Community Connections, Del Mar Village Association, The Del Mar Art Center, Friends of the San Dieguito River Valley, Del Mar Rose Society, Del Mar Television Foundation, Friends of the Del Mar Library, Del Mar Historical Society, Del Mar Garden Club, Friends of the Powerhouse, to name a few – and you start to get the picture of what (and who) is behind this special town.

What motivates someone to volunteer? Some of the most common reasons given: I want to give back to the community; I like to stay involved and active; I want to make a difference to others. But have you ever heard someone say, "I volunteer because it keeps me healthy"? A United Healthcare article highlights studies showing that volunteering benefits the mind, body and soul – improving physical well-being, raising self-confidence and self-esteem, encouraging friendships that buffer against stress and illness, and perhaps even helping you live longer [http://bit.ly/HealthyBenefits].

You can probably anticipate my next question: **Do you want to get involved?** If your "dance card" isn't already full, there's a volunteer opportunity in our community that matches your interests. At the Del Mar Foundation we could use help with office work, organizing the wonderful events featured in this newsletter, writing and editing, publicizing activities, optimizing technology, and coordinating volunteers. Getting started is easy: contact me at kwilson@delmarfoundation.org or 858-750-5883. Volunteering, whether for us or for another Del Mar non-profit, is a win-win experience: the community benefits from your time and talent and you get the pleasure of connecting with others while contributing to a better Del Mar.

Tagore, a Brahmin humanist and poet, expressed it beautifully when he said "I slept and dreamed that life was happiness." I awoke and saw that life was service. I served and found in service, happiness."

Here's wishing a year of happiness to each of you!

Karen Wilson

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Green Flash...A quick glimpse at the numbers

\$1,000,000 Community Endowment goal

\$921,000 Endowment status as of December 31, 2012.

We are so close. Help close the gap today. Call Karen at 858-750-5883 to make your pledge.



#### **HOW TO CONTACT US:**

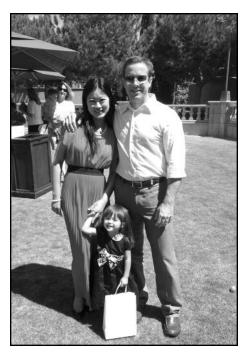
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OUR MISSION: To promote civic pride and cohesiveness, acquire and preserve open space, improve beaches and parklands, raise and grant funds, and sponsor diverse cultural programs and community events in Del Mar.

As Del Mar's oldest 501(c)(3) non-profit, the Del Mar Foundation – with the generous support of its donors and volunteers – provides programs, makes grants, and manages over \$1,500,000 in endowment funds which benefit the community and the San Dieguito Lagoon. The community endowment provides long-term funding stability for community needs. Best known for our Summer Twilight Concerts, First Thursdays and other cultural arts programs, and numerous children's events, the Foundation sponsors a wide array of community programs. The Foundation also provides financial support to community organizations and projects such as the Del Mar Library, Junior Lifeguards and the Beach Safety Center, the Del Mar Garden Club, Del Mar Community Connections, and the Shores acquisition. Over the years, the Foundation has served as an incubator or fiscal sponsor for many of the present day non-profits that so greatly enrich our community.



#### **Volunteer Spotlight: Cecilia Smith**

The Del Mar Foundation is in good hands with Cecilia Smith, a technology wizard who ably deploys our lively eblasts and serves on our Communication and Children's Committees.

Originally from Toronto, Canada, Cecilia moved south to attend the University of Buffalo, south again for work in Manhattan, then west to Los Angeles where she was the IT Director of the Fox Entertainment Group and where she met her husband Craig, an attorney. Soon, Craig was offered and accepted a job in San Diego and, for a time, they shuttled between the cities. They settled in the Del Mar area in 2010 after their daughter Makenna, now  $2\frac{1}{2}$ , was born.

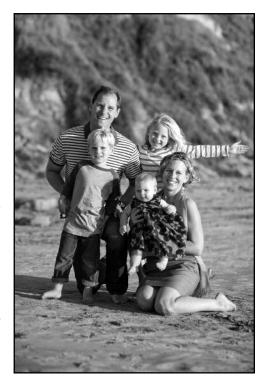
Cecilia first found the DMF online and graciously volunteered her considerable skills and time. She enjoys her committee work, exploring San Diego, cooking and traveling.

# Donor Spotlight: Erica & Mike Halpern

Erica and Mike Halpern were in touch with the Del Mar Foundation by email even before their move from Scarsdale, New York in 2012. They chose Del Mar after a methodical search for the ideal place to live with their children Hollis, 7, James, 5, and Blythe, 1, and were lured by the local life style and the Del Mar Heights School, where Erica is now president of the PTA.

We first met them at a Meet & Greet & Eat event and Erica soon joined our Children's committee where she has been active in establishing play groups. Mike is now on the Development committee.

Erica went to the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, then on to Columbia University for her MBA. Mike attended Yale and earned his MBA at UCLA. The couple met while both were working at Goldman Sachs. Mike moved to MSD Capital and handled investments for Michael Dell, and is now independent. They have traveled the world seeking adventure and to date Erica holds the title for most daring, with her solo journey through the tribal lands on the Afghanistan-Pakistan border in 2001.



Now their adventures are centered in Del Mar with their family, the Del Mar Foundation, the Del Mar Heights School, and Mike's work with the San Diego Social Venture Partners, a philanthropist group offering aid to non-profit organizations. And they have a new home in Del Mar they are getting ready to renovate as do Mike's parents who are moving to town. We welcome them all, and thank the Halperns for their leadership gift to our new "Young Families" donor circle.

The Young Families Donor Circle is a way for our community's young families to be a vital force for Del Mar's future by participating in our community endowment. Families in this circle have chosen to create a "teachable moment" for their children about the importance of giving for the benefit of future generations. For more information on how your family can join the Young Families Donor Circle, contact Karen Wilson at 858-750-5883, or talk with Kelley Huggett at any of the Foundation's children's events.

#### The Del Mar Foundation Board

Jill Weitzen MacDonald (President); Judd Halenza (VP), Bob Gans (Interim Secretary), Carol Ostroff (Treasurer), Phil Blair, Robin Crabtree, Kelley Huggett, Carolyn Kling, Steve Lutz, Julie Maxey-Allison, Tom McCarthy, Susane Roberts, Donna Shaw, T. Pat Stubbs, Betty Wheeler

#### **Our Upcoming Children's Events**

#### July 4th Parade Thursday, July 4, 9 AM

Del Mar Powerhouse Park Don't forget to decorate your bikes, strollers and wagons and join us for our annual parade around the park!



#### Beach Bonfire, Friday, October 11, 6:30 PM

Del Mar Powerhouse Beach

Join the Del Mar Foundation for Del Mar's only Beach Bonfire. Enjoy old fashioned family fun with tall tales, spooky ghost stories, lively songs & campfire marshmallows.

#### Children's Holiday Celebration, Sunday, Dec. 15

Del Mar Powerhouse Community Center Mark your calendars for our annual holiday party with a performance by San Diego Junior Theater!

# Children's Committee Monthly Meetings & Parents' Social May 29, Sept. 25, Oct. 30, Nov. 13, Dec. 4

10:30-11:30 AM in the Del Mar Library Children's area. Meet other Del Mar parents and help plan our Children's Committee events! Your children are welcome at our meeting.

## Children's Playgroups

Please join the Del Mar Foundation Children's Committee for Friday or Saturday Playgroups for ages infant-4 years old. Do you live in the 92014 area? Would you like your child to play with



other kids their age? Are you interested in connecting with other Del Mar parents? Please join us! There are playgroups for infants-24 months and 2-4 years. Full details, including dates, times, and locations are online: http://bit.ly/Playgroups

Parental supervision is required for all Children's Events. Donations and event ideas are also gladly accepted!

A special thanks to the City of Del Mar Department of Community Services, Jake's Del Mar, the Del Mar Library, San Dieguito Chapter of the National Charity League, and Pigtails & Crewcuts for their generous support of recent Children's events.

#### **Our Community Events**

#### Tuesday, May 21, 6:00 PM No Host Meet & Greet

Hotel Indigo, 710 Camino Del Mar

Meet in the bar or on the ocean view patio and enjoy a drink and appetizers with your friends and neighbors at this recently renovated hotel overlooking the ocean. It's happy hour until 7:30 pm in honor of the Del Mar Foundation. Please RSVP to hospitality@delmarfoundation.org by Friday, May 17.

#### Monday, June 10, 6-8 PM Meet & Greet with speaker Dr. Lawrence S.B. Goldstein, author of Stem Cells for Dummies



Powerhouse Community Center 6:00 PM: Gather for wine and

light refreshments

6:30 PM: Larry Goldstein

Lawrence S.B. Goldstein, PhD, is a Distinguished Professor, Department of Cellular and Molecular Medicine, Department of Neurosciences, Director of the UC San Diego Stem Cell Program. He is also Scientific Director of the Sanford Consortium for Regenerative Medicine, and author of numerous publications. His lab is working on developing understanding of, and therapies for ALS and Alzheimer's Disease.

#### Monday, Sept. 30, 6-8 PM Meet & Greet with speaker Architect Rob Wellington Quigley



Powerhouse Community Center

6:00 PM: Gather for wine and light refreshments 6:30 PM: Rob Quigley

Rob Quigley has just completed the San Diego New Central Library. Other work includes Balboa Park Activity Center, Little Italy Family Housing, The New Children's Museum, the Solana Beach Transit Station, the Gilman Mixed-Use Parking Structure, UCSD, and several single family houses in Del Mar.

## Monday, October 28, 6:00-8:00 PM Meet & Greet with speaker TBA

Powerhouse Community Center

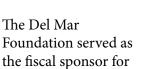
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# **Del Mar Foundation Grants & Fiscal Sponsorships**

The Del Mar Foundation regularly provides grants and related support, including fiscal sponsorship, to community organizations and projects. We review grant proposals throughout the year. Visit www.delmarfoundation.org/grants for more information, and email us if you would like help with your grant application or have ideas for grant-worthy projects: grants@delmarfoundation.org.

## Mosaic Wall Restoration Project:

As you've walked along Camino Del Mar this year, you've probably seen a crew, headed by artist Betsy Schulz and gardener extraordinaire Pat Welsh, making much-needed repairs to the Mosaic Wall in front of the Del Mar Library.



this mosaic wall when it was originally installed in 2002-03, and we are pleased to be supporting the restoration work with both a direct grant and fiscal sponsorship.



#### **Del Mar Historical Society**

On April 11, 1985, the Del Mar Foundation granted seed money to "the fledgling" Del Mar Historical Society to support its founding and initial operations. On January 3, 1986, Swede Throneson, President Pro Tem of the DMHS, sent a progress report to the Foundation, noting, "To date, we have incorporated as a non-profit organization, have saved Del Mar's most historical structure from being destroyed, and are looking forward to our first General Membership Meeting." Fast-forward to the present. The Del Mar Foundation has agreed to serve as fiscal sponsor of the DMHS, with responsibility for the Alvarado House Fund, which is intended to help fund the relocation of the Alvarado House once a permanent site for this "most historical structure" is secured. The Foundation will be managing this fund in much the same way it manages the Lagoon Endowment, which will be used to help maintain the environmental health of the San Dieguito Lagoon in the future.



### **Del Mar Community Building Update**

The Del Mar Foundation and Del Mar Community Connections are greatly benefitting from our offices and meeting spaces in the Del Mar Community Building, which we jointly renovated in 2012. Other community groups are using the meeting spaces as well, including the Friends of Del Mar Parks and the Del Mar Historical Society. Recently, Supervisor Dave Roberts began conducting a monthly "Face Time" meeting at the DMCB, on the 3rd Friday of every month from 3-5 pm. Information on reserving space is here: http://www.delmarfoundation.org/communitybuilding



#### **ROUND OF APPLAUSE: 2012 DONORS**

#### With appreciation and gratitude, we applaud our generous 2012 donors and sponsors.

## DEL MAR FOUNDATION COMMUNITY ENDOWMENT

#### **Founding Endowment Circle**

In 2007 and 2008, this visionary group of philanthropists pledged to fund an initial endowment and its start-up costs.

#### Champions -\$50,000 minimum

Lynn & Charlie Gaylord Rosanne & Joel Holliday Gay & Albert Hugo-Martinez

#### Leaders - \$25,000 minimum

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## **30th Anniversary Community Endowment Campaign**

To commemorate the Foundation's 30th anniversary in 2012, our goal was to increase the endowment to \$1,000,000, through pledges and gifts from returning and new Endowment donors.

#### Champions - \$50,000 minimum

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If there is an error in this listing, please accept our sincerest apologies and contact our office at 858.635.1363 or email kwilson@delmarfoundation.org.

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- All events are at the Powerhouse except for October and February, when the events will take place at St. Peter's.
- Wine and cheese: 6:30pm
- Event: 7:00-8:15pm
- Program subject to change without notice.

#### September 5 Peter Sprague

The Peter Sprague Quintet presents The Great American Songbook.

# October 3 The Kensington Trio

Piano, Violin, and Cello Gems. at St. Peter's

#### November 7 John Jorgenson Trio

Django-style Gypsy Jazz.

#### December 5 Chris Montgomery and Michael Ruhl

Swing into the Holidays.

#### January 2 High Society Jazz Band

Dixieland Jazz.

# first **E**thursdays























# February 6 Judy Huang Piano Classics.

Piano Classics at St. Peter's

#### March 6 Adrienne Nims

Traditional Celtic Music with a Bit of Spice (and Dance).

# April 3 Jonathan McMurtry

Shakespearean Actor Portrays the Bard's Characters.

#### May 1 Fred Benedetti & George Svoboda

Music for Two Spanish Guitars.

# June 5 Josh White Quintet

Exploring the Boundaries of Collective Improvisation.

#### **ACT TODAY!**

Season tickets for First Thursdays (\$175) sell out quickly each year! The subscription form is available online at www.delmarfoundation.com, or by calling 858-635-1363.