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Spring

Del Mar Foundation Newsletter

2008

**Summer Twilight Concerts**

*Let's Rock-n-Roll!*

**June 17**

7 PM  
Atomic Groove  
A Variety Dance Band

**July 15**

7 PM  
Midnight Ramblers  
Rolling Stones Tribute

**August 19**

7 PM  
Cactus Twang & Whyte, with Grano & Nash  
Special Guest: Eve Selis  
Back to the Garden - A CSN&Y Retrospective

**September 21**

5 PM  
Soul Seduction



**A Huge Thank You to Our Concert Underwriters!!**



Pam Slater-Price and the County of San Diego



Del Mar Thoroughbred Club



El Pollo Loco



The Poseidon Restaurant



Epazote



Pacifica Del Mar



## Who We Are and What We Do

The Del Mar Foundation was founded in 1982 as an outgrowth of the "Del Mar Days" community celebration. For over twenty six years our mission has remained the same: 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.

The Foundation is best known for the popular summer concerts at Powerhouse Park, for support of the City's Junior Lifeguard Program, for contributing funds toward the restoration and construction of the Del Mar Library and the Powerhouse Community Center, and for helping to preserve the lagoons to the north and south of Del Mar.



## There Are So Many Ways You Can Help

**We would love to have you join us plan activities for the Del Mar community!**

Joining one of our committees is the way you can shape what happens in your community. It is so true that our community is what we make it. Would you like to see a Halloween Parade? Or revive the Payasada horses? How about a particular band at the Twilight Concerts? Interested in seeing a night of Gypsy music at First Thursdays? Do come join in and meet wonderful neighbors in the process. We promise you will have a good time doing lots of hard work. The Del Mar Foundation would love your help.



**Cultural Arts Committee**  
CA@delmarfoundation.org

Cultural Arts Committee meets the first Wednesday after the First Thursdays event on the balcony of the Powerhouse.



**Summer Twilight Concert Committee**  
Info@delmarfoundation.org

The Twilight Concert Committee starts meeting in the Winter.

## Recent Grants

Del Mar Hills Grant



A special check for \$820 covered the costs to take all the third grade students and teachers from the Del Mar Hills School to study animal and plant adaptations of the wetlands to our San Dieguito Lagoon. What a terrific educational experience.

Del Mar Heights Grant



Working together to reduce waste, recycle and reuse in the school environment is the goal of committed 4th, 5th, and 6th graders who want to "Go Green." The Del Mar Foundation granted the PTA \$1,200 to help make this noble cause a reality.

Shores Acquisition Grant



With a check for \$35,000 to the City of Del Mar escrow fund, the Del Mar Foundation shows its commitment to Del Mar's campaign for open space.

**Grant Applications Due:**  
February 1 • June 1 • October 1  
Applications on [www.delmarfoundation.org](http://www.delmarfoundation.org)

San Dieguito River Valley Grant



A grant to the San Dieguito River Valley for \$1,200 brought excited students from the Del Mar schools to a very special Lagoon Day.

Junior Lifeguard Program



Our Junior Lifeguard program is the best in southern California if not the world. The Del Mar Foundation's \$3,000 grant to this program ensures that children, no matter their income level, can partake in this important program.



**Children's Committee**  
Children@delmarfoundation.org

The Children's Committee meets the last Wednesday of the month on the balcony of the Powerhouse.



**Investment Advisory Committee**

## Or maybe you would like to help financially...

Enclosed in this newsletter is an envelope which allows you to contribute to the Del Mar Foundation in any way you can. Our operating expenses are used to support community-wide events and many wonderful much-needed grants to community organizations. It is a one-stop way to give back to the community. The Del Mar Foundation is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization and donations are tax deductible as allowed by law.



# MEET OUR DONORS!

## Thank you Chuck Freebern!

When Chuck Freebern made his gift to become one of the first Benefactors to the Del Mar Foundation's Founding Endowment, he believed it was a natural course of events. After all, he was the President of the Del Mar Foundation when the Board began the long-range plans for the endowment, in what would become a "leap of faith" for the Foundation.

Those of you who know Chuck might not be surprised by his gift. In his retirement from teaching music, Chuck decided to take up the trumpet, an entirely different instrument from the clarinet that he played both as a student and professionally for more than 50 years. Learning to play the trumpet, the instrument he always wanted to play as a child, was a bit of a "leap of faith" too! Talking to Chuck you get a feeling that it seemed to be a logical thing to do. But switching from clarinet to trumpet is no easy task.

Beginning an endowment is not an easy task either. Why is that? Well, quite simply, when there are so many needs today, tomorrow often gets forgotten. Thanks to the foresight of past Presidents and Board Members like Chuck, the Foundation is able to build an endowment today, for tomorrow.

Today the Del Mar Foundation is in the middle of building a Founding Endowment, a key part of its organizational long-range plan. It has always been a dream that there would be an endowment that would grow, reducing the need to raise annual funds and increasing the size of grants made to community organizations.

Now Chuck plays trumpet in not one but two concert bands. As Chuck will tell you, doing something you have always wanted to do, like playing the trumpet, is worth the effort! We here at the Del Mar Foundation thank you, Chuck, for your support as a Founding Endowment donor and past Board Member. All of Del Mar will benefit from your gift, ensuring that the Foundation will be able to continue to provide a bright future for Del Mar.

### Become a Founding Endowment Member

It takes a unique group of visionaries to make a place like Del Mar special. Might we count on you? This is an opportunity which will close at the end of 2008. Your pledge can be spread over four years.

With your membership in this elite circle, you will receive:

- Complimentary First Thursday tickets and VIP parking
- Reserved seating & VIP parking at Twilight Concerts
- Recognition on all Del Mar Foundation publications
- Annual Reception for Founding Endowment Members
- Bronze Plaque in prominent location



\_\_\_\_\_ Benefactor \$10,000    \_\_\_\_\_ Leader \$25,000    \_\_\_\_\_ Champion \$50,000

#### Come Join Us - A Small Group and Growing!

**Champions :** Lynn & Charlie Gaylord, Joel & Rosanne Holliday

**Leaders :** Darrese & Sam Borgese, Jacquelyn & Richard Earnest

**Benefactors :** Cornelia & Joe Bruderer-Schwab, Kim & Mark Filanc, Kathy & Jerry Finnell, Chuck Freebern, Emily & Cory Grant, Dick & Carol Hertzberg, Carl & Sharon Hilliard, Patti & Joe Jelley, Carolyn & Tom Kling, Jill and Scott MacDonald, Nancy Stoke, Alice & Joe Sullivan, Kenneth Swanson, Betty Wheeler & Dwight Worden

For more information, please contact Shelley Moore at (858) 635-1363 or [contributions@delmarfoundation.org](mailto:contributions@delmarfoundation.org)

## Upcoming Events

- May 28** – Children's Committee Meeting, 9 AM, Powerhouse balcony
- June 1** – Deadline for Grant Applications, [www.delmarfoundation.org](http://www.delmarfoundation.org)
- June 1** – Children's Concert, Craft at 12 noon (rsvp required), 1 PM Concert, Powerhouse
- June 12** – Del Mar Foundation Board meeting, 8:30 AM, Annex
- June 5** – First Thursdays, Camarada, Subscribers only
- June 17** – Twilight Concert, 7 PM, Powerhouse Park
- June 25** - Children's Committee Meeting, 9 AM, Powerhouse balcony
- July 4** – Fourth of July Parade, 9 AM, Powerhouse Park
- July 10** – Del Mar Foundation Board meeting, 8:30 AM, Annex
- July 15** – Twilight Concert, 7 PM, Powerhouse Park
- August 14** - Del Mar Foundation Board meeting, 8:30 AM, Annex
- August 19** – Twilight Concert, 7 PM, Powerhouse Park
- August 27** – Cultural Arts Meeting, 8:30 AM, Powerhouse balcony
- September 4** – First Thursdays, San Diego Opera Talk, Subscribers only
- September 10** - Cultural Arts Meeting, 8:30 AM, Powerhouse balcony
- September 11** - Del Mar Foundation Board meeting, 8:30 AM, Annex
- September 21** – Twilight Concert, 5 PM, Powerhouse Park
- September 24** - Children's Committee Meeting, 9 AM, Powerhouse balcony
- September 26** – Back-to-School Bingo Night, TBA
- October 1** – Deadline for Grant Applications, [www.delmarfoundation.org](http://www.delmarfoundation.org)

Check [www.delmarfoundation.org](http://www.delmarfoundation.org) for more information

The Foundation is an incorporated non-profit 501(c)(3) organization governed by a 15-member volunteer Board of Directors. We are an active, hands-on organization, relying on volunteers and donations from a cross-section of the community. We depend on your financial contributions large and small to continue our work.



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Executive Director



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THE CULTURAL ARTS COMMITTEE INVITES YOU TO

# first thursdays

2008-2009

10 events only  
**\$175**

# first thursdays

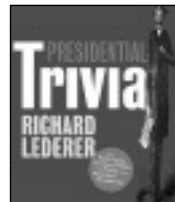
King Lot Parking  
all 10 events  
**\$50**

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ september 4 Nick Reveles</li> <li>■ october 2 Richard Lederer</li> <li>■ november 6 California String Quartet</li> <li>■ december 4 Westwind Brass</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ january 8 Fred Benedetti &amp; George Svoboda</li> <li>■ february 5 Scott Martin Latin Soul Band</li> <li>■ march 5 Peter Sprague String Consort</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ april 2 Holly Hofmann &amp; Mike Wofford Jazz Ensemble</li> <li>■ may 7 Chunky Sanchez</li> <li>■ june 4 Arthur Dong</li> </ul>	<p><b>2008-2009</b></p> <p>Refreshments at 6:30; Event at 7:00 All events are at the Powerhouse.</p>
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**september 4**  
Nick Reveles  
of the San Diego Opera  
Reflections on a Life in  
Music

**february 5**  
Scott Martin  
Latin Soul Band  
An Intoxicating Blend of  
Latin and Soul



**october 2**  
Richard Lederer  
Presidential Trivia: the  
Feats, Fates, Families,  
Foibles, and Firsts

**march 5**  
Peter Sprague  
String Consort  
A New Mix of Jazz and  
Classical



**november 6**  
California String  
Quartet  
Bohemian Rhapsody

**april 2**  
Holly Hofmann  
& Mike Wofford  
Jazz Ensemble  
with Flute and Piano



**december 4**  
Westwind Brass  
Music for the Holidays

**may 7**  
Chunky Sanchez  
"Southwest-Chicano-  
Barrio Folklore" Music!



**january 8**  
Fred Benedetti &  
George Svoboda  
An Evening of Classical,  
Flamenco, and Gypsy  
Guitar

**june 4**  
Arthur Dong  
An Evening of  
Conversation with  
the Oscar-Nominated  
Filmmaker



Optional Parking Special:

We have made arrangements with the King Parking Lot across from the Powerhouse for parking for the ten First Thursday evenings for a flat fee of \$50. We will validate your parking ticket as you arrive each evening. If you are interested in this parking option, please write a separate check for \$50 payable to John King, and enclose it with your ticket order. This is the ONLY way to obtain the discounted rate. We hope this parking option will make your First Thursday evenings more convenient and enjoyable.

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Subscribe Today! **first thursdays** Subscribe Today!

Please reserve \_\_\_\_\_ season tickets @ \$175 per person. Total \_\_\_\_\_

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We need your opinion. The First Thursdays program has been sold out now for several years. In order to make the series available to a larger number of people the Cultural Arts Committee is considering offering each program twice on the same day: 1) wine and cheese at 4, program at 4:30 2) wine and cheese at 6:30, program at 7.

- I would like to subscribe ONLY for the traditional time (wine 6:30, program 7:00).
- I would like to subscribe ONLY for the earlier time if it becomes available (wine 4:00, program 4:30).
- I would like to subscribe for the traditional time (wine 6:30, program 7:00), but if the earlier time becomes available I would like to switch my subscription to the new time (wine 4:00, program 4:30).

If you have further questions, call the number below, or contact us by email. [ca@delmarfoundation.org](mailto:ca@delmarfoundation.org)

If we decide to offer the earlier option in the 2008-2009 season, and if you have expressed an interest in it, we will contact you by phone or email. Meanwhile, only the traditional option is available.

Make check payable to and mail to The Del Mar Foundation, PO Box 2913, Del Mar CA 92014

For informaton call: (858) 635-1363

Limited Seating! Subscription sales will open to the public in early May.

\* All events are at the Powerhouse.  
 \* Wine and cheese: 6:30PM Event: 7:00PM  
 \* Program Subject to Change Without Notice.

