

Calendar

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2009

• Cold Stone Creamery fundraiser "World's Largest Ice Cream Social" to benefit Make-A-Wish Foundation. Anyone willing to make a donation with a love for ice cream and a heart for children can join the celebration 5-8 p.m. 130 E. Grand Ave.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2009

• Richmond Street Fair live music, arts & crafts, rides, food, fun and games. 9am-5pm. Website: www.richmondstreetfair.com

• St. Michael the Archangel Episcopal Church *An Evening in Monte Carlo*, 6pm-10pm. Admission-presale \$25, \$30 at the door. No one under 21 years old admitted. 361 Richmond St. 310-322-2589

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2009

• St. John's Lutheran Church and CDC Open House BBQ 11:30am at 1611 E. Sycamore Ave. All are welcome. There will be games for children and tours of the preschool. Please RSVP by emailing <mailto:info@stjohnselsegundo.com>.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2009

• California Republican Assembly-South Bay Chapter will meet at the El Segundo Library 6:30-8:30 p.m. Information 310-406-5429.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2009

• The El Segundo Public Library presents a free Resume Workshop, 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. with Barbara Safani, resume expert, and author and owner of Career Solvers. The workshop is hosted by tutor.com, an online tutoring and homework help site.

UPCOMING

• The 2009 Flu Shot Clinic for citizens over 50 will be held at the Joslyn Center on Friday, October 2nd 10:00 a.m. to 12 noon. For info 310-322-9033 between 9 and 1 M-F. Date, time and place for a separate clinic for swine flu shots will be announced later.

• Cotillion social skills enrichment class begins for 4th and 5th graders October 8. Will meet for 5 parties every other Thursday beginning 3 to 4:15 pm after school Center Street cafeteria. Cotillion social etiquette with Mrs. Pottenger For more information call 310-977-6995 or registration info www.freewebs.com/cotillionelsegundo

• Volunteers tall and small are invited to help plant 19 new trees on Penn St. under the guidance of Tree Musketeer's Youth Planting Supervisors during the first of a series of Hometown Forest plantings. Sunday, October 11, 9am-12pm. Contact Amie at 310-322-0263 or <mailto:volunteers@treemusketeers.org> to sign up.

• El Segundo Class of 1974 is having a 35th reunion party on October 17. For more

info email Evelyn at 74reunion@gmail.com

• Have fun and learn about water reliability at West Basin's 11th annual Water Harvest festival focusing on the Seven Wonders of California's Water World. Games, Prizes, Free Food, Costume Contest, and more. Saturday, October 24th 10am to 2pm. 1935 S. Hughes Way, El Segundo.

ONGOING

• El Segundo High School PTA Fundraisers: *Shopping for Students*, when you shop at Manhattan Village, it helps El Segundo public schools participants earn a share of \$4000! Bring your original receipts dated from September 1, 2009 through April 30, 2010 to the Concierge, (located adjacent to the Apple Store near Macy's). Flyer information www.shopmanhattanvillage.com ESHS PTA recommends *Welcome Driver*, approved by both the DMV and the Driving School Association of California. You will get a discount of \$25 if you enter the code below when you register. You will also support ESHS PTA (\$25 per registrant). Go to <http://www.welcomedriver.com> click on "students sign up now" and enter: ESHPTA

• St. John's Lutheran Child Development Center is now enrolling! Christian Based Curriculum, ages 2-5. Call Ms. Patty 310-615-0211 or visit our webpage www.stjohnselsegundo.com

• Free Meal Program for the unemployed at Hank's Pizza and Snax Burgers 202 Imperial Avenue. Program runs through December 31, 2009. Dine-in only, 5:00pm - 9:00pm. Unemployment verification is required, El Segundo residents only, beer and wine excluded, one free meal per week for each member of the household. Call for more details: Hank's 310-335-0066. Snax 310-640-9766.

• Mommy Tails, a happy hour for moms at Heir Children Store 10am-12Noon Plaza El Segundo-The Edge. Share stories, parenting tips, unwind; complimentary juices, snacks. Story hour for children upon request with advance notice 310-647-5993.

• Find out about MITI... moms meeting weekly to pray for their children and schools. momsintouch.org or contact Martha Cason at 640-6811 or casonmartha@yahoo.com

• The El Segundo Seniors Club Travels. For dates and registration deadlines call Chuck 310-640-0891 or visit The Joslyn Center.

• Fall Season-Concerts in the Library 2:00-4:00 pm in the Friends of the Library Room, 111 West Mariposa Avenue. All programs are free, held on the third Sunday of the month. 310-524-2728. •

People



CONGRATULATIONS HELEN!

On September 13, 2009 long time resident **Helen Moore** celebrated her 94th birthday with family and friends with a ride on neighbor Will Worthington's Harley.

Obituaries



GAIL KAREN STEVENSON FEBRUARY 1, 1941 – SEPTEMBER 16, 2009

The world will never be the same:

With her husband John holding one hand and her son Eric holding her other hand, our Gail peacefully left us after an intense four and a half year battle with ovarian cancer. Besides being an incredible, loving wife and mother, Gail had an enormous number of friends of varying ages and from many walks of life. She was a fun loving, honest and very generous spirit who loved her family and many friends. Often times she would have lunch with a different group of

friends each day of the week and then come home gushing "we had such a great time".

Gail was born in San Francisco, CA to Russell and Dorothy Boye and graduated from Burlingame High School in 1958. After graduating from Lawton College, she worked as a Medical Assistant for several doctors in the Beverly Hills area. In 1970, Gail and John began their 39 years together and sustained a happy and loving marriage, which resulted in one son, Eric. Without a doubt, her most satisfying professional years were those spent working as an Administrative Assistant at El Segundo High School. It was at ESHS were she displayed her natural affinity to connect with both students and faculty alike.

Gail is survived by her husband John, her son Eric, her daughter-in-law Sue-Jean, and her very special granddaughter Allie (age two), who all reside in El Segundo along with her aunt Gloria Rasmussen of Walnut Creek.

In lieu of flowers, Gail had asked that a contribution be made to support a very dear friend, Lindsay Weems (age 32), who is just beginning her battle against ovarian cancer. Please send contributions to "Getting it done for Lindsay" in care of John Stevenson, 328 Whiting St. El Segundo, CA 90245.

Services will be on Thursday, September 24th at 1:00 p.m. at the United Methodist Church, 540 Main St. El Segundo. Reception will follow at Occasions, 139 Richmond St. El Segundo.

SMITTY

Smitty, a Terrier-Poo, passed away on Sep. 10, at the age of 17. He was part of the original owner/dog group instrumental in getting our Dog Park started; he participated in several Christmas Parades; and two of the Nuts For Mutts competitions in the Valley.

Smitty will be greatly missed by Pat, Sammie, and many friends.



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