



## S.N.A.I.L. News

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**JUNE 2003**

### **SNAIL General Meeting** *Thursday – June 5<sup>th</sup>*

No guest speaker tonight. We will finalize the plans for dumpster/garage sale weekend.

*Location:* Columbia Middle School  
Teacher Lounge

*Time:* 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

All SNAIL area residents and guests are welcome.  
It is OK to bring children.



Mayor Julia Miller visited the SNAIL booth at the Health and Safety Fair held at the Columbia Neighborhood Center on Morse Ave. on May 10, 2003. Attending the booth is Elaine Rowan, SNAIL Chairperson.

### **Art and Wine Festival – Sunnyvale** *June 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>*

One of the largest events of its kind in California featuring Arts and Crafts from over 500 vendors, wine tasting from eight regional wineries, beer from local breweries; and 25-30 food and soda booths run by and benefiting local charities. Includes music, live entertainment, and a children's area.

### **Dinner –Hardy's German Restaurant** *Wednesday – June 11<sup>th</sup>*

Each month, we pick a different restaurant in Sunnyvale to show our support in the community. Tonight, we have chosen Hardy's German Restaurant. Our get-togethers are fun! Socialize with neighbors, both new and old.

*Location:* Hardy's German Restaurant  
East Evelyn (across from  
Murphy St.)

*Time:* 6:45 p.m.

Call Jeannie Biddle at 734-0739 for more information and reservations.

### **City Council Budget Vote** *Tuesday – June 17<sup>th</sup>*

The City Council will approve next year's budget at the Council meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the City Council Chambers.

### **Dinner at the Dump** *Saturday – June 21<sup>st</sup>*

"Serving up a trashy affair". Don't let this title fool you! This is a BBQ dinner/dance is a fundraiser for Sunnyvale Community Services and Leadership Sunnyvale. Tickets are \$40.00 and a portion of the cost is tax deductible. For more information, call 565-9900 ext. 800.

### **SNAIL Dumpster Day** *Saturday – June 28<sup>th</sup> (only)*

Please see the flyer for dumpster locations. Please do NOT dump on Friday. The dumpsters will be emptied many times on Saturday so there's no need to rush!

*Grants from Resources For Families and Communities and the Community Foundation of the Silicon Valley have assisted us with the publication of our newsletter. Smoking is not permitted at our activities.*

## SNAIL Yard Sale Weekend

*June 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup>*

The location is 810 Carolina, the same as last year. See the flyer. Remember to donate, call Connie at 739-8490.

## Emergency Preparedness Workshop

*Monday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>*

Sunnyvale neighborhood associations are hosting a Community Emergency Preparedness Workshop at 6:30 p.m. at the Columbia Middle School Multipurpose Room. For more information, contact Peter at (408) 730-7739 or email [pbassett@ci.sunnyvale.ca.us](mailto:pbassett@ci.sunnyvale.ca.us).

## Upcoming Tax Increases

The new budget reflects the recent cutbacks. The next step will be increased taxation, but for now, officially, the City Council is only *considering* "whether to increase existing or establish new local taxes." An *ad hoc* committee has been formed to assist the City Council in its considerations. Public meetings are scheduled on *June 10<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, and 30<sup>th</sup>*, all at 7:30 - 9:30 AM, in the Sunnyvale Library, Program Room B.

## Free Help For Immigrants

For those SNAIL residents that missed the May presentation by Mohammed Hassan from Resources for Families and Communities, SNAIL has some copies of the 160-page booklet he gave out, "Immigrant Rights, Responsibilities & Resources in Santa Clara County". Although the booklet is meant to assist new immigrants, it is full of information that is interesting to everyone. If you would like a free copy, call Jim at 737-9479, send an email to [np@snail.org](mailto:np@snail.org), or pick up a copy at the next SNAIL meeting. The booklet is also available in over 10 languages by contacting Mohammed Hassen at 528-6700 or [mahassen@rfcommunity.org](mailto:mahassen@rfcommunity.org)

## Founders' Corner

"Government...is force. It is a treacherous servant and a fearsome master."

George Washington

"In questions of power, then, let no more be said of confidence in man, but bind him down from mischief with the chains of the Constitution."

Thomas Jefferson

## SNAIL BOARD and CITY of SUNNYVALE SUPPORT STAFF

<b>Chairman:</b>	Elaine Rowan	690 West Fernwood Circle	749-1846
<b>Vice Chair</b>	Connie Cook-Turner	810 Carolina Ave.	739-8490
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