

Hueneme Pilot

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Events Calendar

Dec. 24, 2009, to Jan. 6, 2010

Rose Society demonstration

9 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 9

Stage Coach Inn Museum Garden

The Ventura County Rose Society and the Gold Coast Heritage Rose Group will sponsor the eighth annual pruning demonstration of Old Garden Roses by Gregg Lowery at 9 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 9, at the Stage Coach Inn Museum Rose Garden.

Lowery is the owner/operator of Vintage Gardens, a Northern California OGR nursery, with more than 2,000 cultivars available for purchase. Lowery has been in the forefront to preserve Old Garden Roses for their diverse genetic pool as well as for historic interest.

The Stagecoach Inn Rose Garden is an award-winning garden of Old Garden Roses prior to 1909 at the museum on 52 Ventu Park Road, a mile south of the Ventura Freeway in Newbury Park. The museum complex also features a re-creation of a Chumash village lifestyle as well as other facets of early California life.

There is no charge for this presentation. For more information, contact Kathy Ayers at 805-498-0861 or Janet Sklar at 818-993-6622.

Urinary tract seminar

6-8 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 12

Community Memorial Hosp, Ventura

Community Memorial Health System kicks off its 2010 seminar series with a free seminar on disorders of the female urinary and genital tract on Tuesday, Jan. 12, in the eighth-floor Nichols Auditorium at Community Memorial Hospital, 147 N. Brent St., Ventura.

Dr. Jill Hall, a Ventura obstetrician/gynecologist who specializes in urogynecology, will lead the public education program from 6 to 8 p.m. Hall will review in laymen's terms the subjects of vaginal looseness, prolapse and leakage of urine. She also will discuss options on how to medically and surgically manage these benign disorders.

Space is limited, so reservations are recommended. Call 805/652-5436, or register online at www.cmhshealth.org/rsvp.

"Chemo Brain"

6:30-8:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 28

Community Memorial Hosp, Ventura

Forgetfulness and mental fog are sometimes experienced by people who have undergone chemotherapy, hormone therapy, immunotherapy, radiation therapy or surgery.

"Chemo Brain" will be held from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Jan. 28 in the Community Memorial Hospital Board Room, 147 N. Brent St., Ventura.

Dr. Lorne Label will review the causes and manifestations of "chemo brain" symptoms, current medical research, risk factors, and treatment strategies. Label is a clinical professor of neurology at UCLA and on staff at the UCLA Neurology Clinic.

This program co-sponsored by The Wellness Community Valley/Ventura and the CMHS Cancer Resource Center. To RSVP, call 805-652-5459.

ONGOING

Winter Fantasy Music & Light Show

5-10 p.m. through Jan. 3

Plaza Park, Downtown Oxnard

A computer choreographed music and light show that plays on the quarter hour each hour from 6 -10 p.m. through New Year's Eve at the Historic Pagoda in Plaza Park, downtown Oxnard. More than 27,000 lights dance to holiday music. Bundle up, bring a blanket to sit on and come down to watch. For information, call 805-385-2705.

Tall Ship Hawaiian Chieftain

Jan. 11-21

Channel Islands Harbor, Oxnard

The public is invited to experience a taste of 18th century shipboard life as the Tall Ship Hawaiian Chieftain docks at Channel Islands Harbor, 3900 Pelican Way, Jan. 11-21.

The Hawaiian Chieftain is an authentic replica of an 18th century rigged ship. Tours and sails are available. Sail lengths and prices vary. Call 1-800-200-5239 for information or reservations.

Agueous IV exhibit

11 a.m. to 5 p.m. through Jan. 31

Maritime Museum, Oxnard

See artwork by members of the prestigious American Society of Maritime Artists and view the museum's permanent collection of 17th century Dutch seascapes, historic ship models and local history exhibits. For information, contact curator Jacquelyn Cavish, 805-984-6260.

Ventura County Philatelic Society

7:30-9 p.m. 1st & 3rd Mondays

Church of the Foothills, Ventura

The Ventura County Philatelic Society meets from 7:30-9 p.m. on the first and third Mondays each month at the Church of the Foothills, 6279 Foothill Road, Ventura. Admission and parking are free. Contact: vcpsforyou@lycos.com.

Conejo Ventura Mac User Group

7 p.m. 1st Thursday

Tech Development Center, Ventura

The Conejo Ventura Mac User Group, an educational user group, meets at 7 p.m. the first Thursday each month in the Ron Halt Classroom, Technology Development Center, 5200 Valentine Road, Ventura. Admission and parking are free. Contact: Susan Herrera, 805-504-3610.

Mended Hearts of Ventura

7 p.m. 1st Tuesday

**Community Memorial Hospital,
Ventura**

Mended Hearts of Ventura, a group for those who have had heart surgery or a stent implant, meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday each month at the Community Memorial Hospital, 8th Floor, Ventura. Speakers include leading cardiologists, nutritionists, dietitians and others from the area. Contact: Dick Hiser, 805-646-4636.

"Celebration of Great Americans"

Reagan Library, Simi Valley

through Feb. 1

The Ronald Reagan Presidential Library and Museum has opened its latest temporary exhibit, "Heroes: A Celebration of Great Americans," which pays tribute to soldiers, citizens and leaders.

From John Hancock to Rosa Parks, from the American Revolution to the attacks on 9/11, this exhibit features stories and artifacts from historic figures and events through Feb. 1.

The Reagan Library, 40 Presidential Drive, Simi Valley, is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily. For information, visit www.reaganlibrary.com.

**Whale watching
Channel Islands Harbor
through April**

The Channel Islands Harbor celebrates the migration of the Pacific Gray Whale with the 14th annual Celebration of the Whales from Dec. 26 through April. Whale watching excursions to the Channel Islands National Park are offered daily from Channel Islands Harbor.