



Harbor Views

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Summer is often a time of gatherings with family and friends while enjoying the beautiful outdoors. It is a time to recharge our batteries and renew our spirits. As we look ahead, the new 2026–2027 CWC Board is already bringing fresh and fun ideas for activities and fundraising to support our Half Moon Bay Scholarship Fund. At the same time, we are proudly reflecting on our many accomplishments. Over the past 40 years, we have awarded more than 180 scholarships totaling over \$450,000 to local Half Moon Bay seniors.

Please mark your calendars now for our 40th Anniversary Gala on September 11 at the Oceano Hotel. This milestone celebration will be a wonderful evening to dress up, enjoy great food and wine, dance to a live band, and try your luck at casino tables—all while supporting our scholarship fund. The event will also help raise community awareness of the meaningful work we do. This special evening will be open to the public, so please invite your friends and family. More details will be shared in upcoming newsletters—we look forward to celebrating with you in style!

As we approach the end of this fiscal year, it will be bittersweet to bid farewell to our departing board members. Several of these dedicated women have served the club for over a decade in various roles. Their generous time and talent have been truly remarkable, and we are deeply grateful for their leadership. Keep an eye out for upcoming highlight biographies celebrating their contributions.

I am also pleased to share that we have filled all open board positions. Myoung Kang and Tina Der Torossian have accepted nominations as Co-Directors of Fundraising Events. The board has approved them, and they will be presented for general membership approval at the May luncheon and general meeting.

On May 20, we will hold our annual Scholarship Award Night at Half Moon Bay High School. It is always incredibly rewarding to see the students receive their scholarships. A limited number of CWC members may attend; if you are interested, please reach out to me directly. Thank you to our Scholarship Committee for their time, care, and dedication to this important work.

We hope to see you at our May 21 General Meeting and Luncheon. We are delighted to feature local professor and author Tina Seelig, who has generously agreed to speak with us. Additionally, she will be available to sign copies of her recently published book for purchase.

With warmth,
Emma Bowman, CWC President

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May 2026

- May 7:** Coastside Gives
- May 14:** Board Meeting at the home of Virginia Perry, 10 AM
- May 18:** CWC 2026-27 Planning Meeting, 9 AM – 3:30 PM
- May 21:** Lunch Bunch meet at Fattoria e Mare, 11:30 AM
- May 21:** Spring General Meeting Luncheon at Fattoria e Mare, 11:30 AM



You Are Invited!

What: Spring General Meeting & Luncheon

When: Thursday, May 21, 2026, 11:30 am to 2:30 pm

where: Fattoria é Mare, 315 Main St., Half Moon Bay

This is our last event before our summer hiatus. Meet the new 2026-27 Board Members and bid farewell to departing Board Members.

GUEST SPEAKER: Dr. Tina Seelig, bestselling author of several books on creativity and innovation. Her latest book, *What I Wish I Knew About LUCK* will be released in May by Harper Collins. Tina has a PhD in neuroscience from Stanford and is the Executive Director of the Knight-Hennessy Scholars at Stanford University.

Menu

Starter: choice of:

- Heirloom Tomato Bisque
- Caesar Salad

Entrée: choice of:

- Tortellini a la primavera, Genovese Pesto and Spring Vegetables
- Slow braised Osso Bucco, polenta & romolada
- Pan Seared California Halibut, vignarola

Dolci: choice of:

- Tiramisu
- Lava Chocolate Cake

Soft drinks, iced tea, lemonade, coffee & tea provided

Cost: \$60.00 per person including guests. (Friends/gentlemen are welcome to attend). please book by May 15th. Click [HERE](#) to pay online with a credit card or PayPal or send a check to CWC, PO Box 3242, HMB, CA 94019. Note entrée choice on the memo line. **Please book by May 15th with your entrée selection.**





Get Involved! CWC Special Interest Groups

The Coastside Women's Club events and activities are varied, and many! Visit our website at www.coastsidewomensclub.org and click on the calendar icon to go to our online calendar. Click on any calendar event to open up the activity for more information.

INTEREST GROUP	DESCRIPTION	GROUP CHAIR
American Mah Jong	Meets Tuesdays, 2PM at the Senior Center	Wendy Rudisill
Book Club	Meets last Monday of the month, 2PM	Teri Mallon
Bunco Night (Evening)	Meets once a month in the evening	Myoung Kang
Crafty Ladies	Meets monthly. May 15 – Stitch & Sip, 1PM w/Sophia	Natalie Cooper Sharon Weight
Duplicate Bridge	Meets Fridays, 11:45AM at the Senior Ctr	Kathy Hamilton
Evening Book Club (Evening)	Meets last Wednesday of every other month, 7PM	Ema Bowman
Hiking Group	Meets Tuesdays, 1PM May 5 Hike with Sandra	Sandra Adams Ema Bowman
	May 12 Hike with Sandra	
	May 19 Hike with Ema	
	May 26 Hike with Sandra	
Hiking Group (Saturday)	Contact Ema for information	
Lunch Bunch	Meets Second Thursday of the Month at 1PM.	Bonnie McGuinness
Monday Bridge	Meets Mondays, 1PM at the Senior Center	Kathy Hamilton
HMB Nine and Wine Golf	Meets Wednesday afternoons	Virginia Perry
Sunday Matinee Theater	Meets seasonally. An option to join for lunch before the show.	Sophia Wambach
Theater & Dinner (Evening)	Meets seasonally. Enjoy a dinner in downtown Half Moon Bay prior to the show.	Judy Kocher
Walk and Talk	Meets first Wednesday of the month, 11AM	Peggy Airo

We invite proposals for new or related Interest Group ideas, which will be evaluated by our Interest Group Director. To establish a new interest group, there must be enough interested participants along with a designated Interest Group Chair.

CWC Covid Policy

For all CWC activities, we ask that you review the most current guidelines on the San Mateo County Health website: www.smchealth.org/coronavirus.



Sharon Weight is our Helping Hands Coordinator. Please let her know if any of our members may need a special card, flowers, check-in, and/or assistance.

COASTSIDE GIVES: THANK YOU for Lifting Our Community

by Deborah Pierce, Director of Fundraising

Thank you to everyone who contributed to Coastside Gives this year. Your generosity once again showed how deeply our community believes in supporting Coastside youth. Because the campaign is still underway at the time of this writing, we'll share the full results in the next newsletter. In the meantime, thank you for showing up with such heart.

To donate, simply visit:

www.coastsidegives.org/organization/Coastside-Womens-Club

Questions can be directed to dpierce@coastsidewomensclub.org.

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COASTSIDE GIVES

DONATE NOW!



COASTSIDE WOMENS CLUB

Scholarships for
HMB High School Seniors

SAVE THE DATE

SAVE THE DATE

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Casino de Monte Carlo

What: **CWC 40th Anniversary Celebration & Fundraiser**

When: **Friday, September 11, 2026**

Time: **6 PM – 11 PM**

Where: **The lovely ballroom of the Oceano Hotel & Spa, Half Moon Bay Harbor**

Plan to join us for an elegant evening as we celebrate **40 years of the Coastside Women's Club**—four decades of women supporting women, uplifting Coastside youth, and strengthening our community.

- **6–7 PM** · Champagne Reception with live music by Coastside Jazz Trio, featuring Caleb Dillon–Murray on Sax
- **8–11 PM** · Dinner, Dancing & Casino

This will be an unforgettable night of sparkle, celebration, and community. This milestone event honors our legacy and looks ahead to the next chapter of service and community connection.

For four decades, the Coastside Women's Club has championed Coastside youth and strengthened the fabric of our community. This celebration honors the scholarships that have opened doors for local students, the programs that have supported families, and the countless ways our members have shown up with generosity and purpose.

The milestone also recognizes the women who built and sustained this work—leaders, volunteers, and friends whose dedication has created a welcoming place to connect, serve, and make a difference. Together, they've shaped a tradition of caring that continues to ripple through the Coastside.



COASTSIDE WOMEN 40TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION & FUNDRAISER

— MONTE CARLO NIGHT —

Benefiting the Scholarships Fund



SEPTEMBER 11, 2026
OCEANO HOTEL • HALF MOON BAY



WELCOME
New Member
Susan Benham
Anna Teisseyre

May Birthdays

Shelley Boots
MJ Brusher
Priscilla Klass
Deborah Pierce
Wendy Rudisill
Manju Thomas



Connections
WORD GAME

Connections is a game featured daily in the New York Times. How to Play: Categorize four words into four groups based on one common theme. Each word can only be used once!

BUNKER	FORK	GROUP	STREET
DIVIDE	DRIVE	FAIRWAY	TEAM
ALLEY	PARTY	PART	ROUGH
CLUB	GREEN	LANE	SPLIT

Theme 1	Theme 2	Theme 3	Theme 4

(Answer Key on Page 16)



May 28, 2026
7:00 PM

Myoung Kang's
Home

All are welcome to join including novices. It would be ideal to get a few more people to play, so please invite your friends. Please bring \$5 for the winning pot.

To sign up, please email Bunco Chair Myoung Kang at: myoung.kang@gmail.com



Join Us to Celebrate
Our Scholarship Recipients!

Scholarship Awards Night
HMBHS Auditorium
May 20, 2026, at 6:00 PM

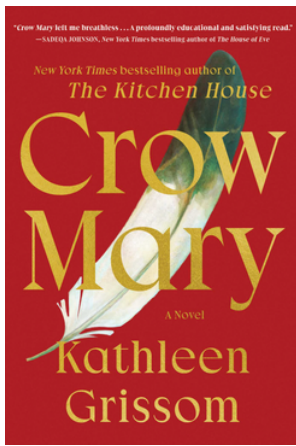
We diligently work throughout the year to collect the special dollars that transform into dreams for **ten graduating seniors** at HMB High School. These dreams are college or university education, which we generously fund with **\$8,000 scholarships** for these intelligent, determined, hardworking, and deserving young men and women from our community.

During the awards night, they discover that they are the recipients of a Coastside Women's Club scholarship, and the joy is palpable for both the donors and the recipients. Several of the recipients are first-generation college students.

If you have attended this ceremony before, you know how inspiring it is. If you haven't been, make this the year you witness in person the fruits of our members' hard work.

Please join us in celebrating our future leaders and take a bow for your role in helping them achieve their goals.

Sherry Booth, Scholarship Director



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“Crow Mary: A Novel”

In 1872, sixteen-year-old Goes First, a Crow Native woman, marries Abe Farwell, a white fur trader. He names her Mary, and they embark on a long journey to his trading post in Saskatchewan, Canada. During their travels, she befriends a Métis woman named Jeannie, becomes a lifelong adversary to a wolfer named Stiller, and, despite discovering a dark secret about Farwell’s past, falls in love with her husband.

It all begins well with Abe and “Crow Mary,” but their happiness is disrupted by unforeseen events. The winter trading season passes peacefully. However, on the eve of their return to Montana, a group of drunken whiskey traders brutally murders forty Nakota, despite Farwell’s valiant attempts to intervene. Mary, seeking refuge from the hail of bullets, witnesses the heinous act of kidnapping and rape of five women by the murderers at their fort. Desperate for help, she pleads with Farwell to save them. When he refuses, Mary takes two guns, stealthily infiltrates the fort, and rescues the women herself, witnessing unspeakable acts of violence and murder.

What follows is a trial, a court system heavily influenced by white military power, and the pursuit of justice by a heroic Native American woman who will never be acknowledged for her acts of bravery. Consequently, she sets off a whirlwind of colliding cultures that reveal the worst and best in the cast of unforgettable characters, ultimately pushing the love between Farwell and Crow Mary to its breaking point.

Crow Mary is a compelling story with strong characters, an interesting plot, and a vivid depiction of what it must have been like to be a Native American woman at a time when her world was irrevocably changing.



c. 1880, Montana Territory.

April 27, 2026: “Beautiful Ugly” by Alice Feeney, presented by Carolyn Valoria.

May 18, 2026: “Crow Mary: A Novel” by Kathleen Grissom, presented by Kathy Belick.

June 29, 2026: “Lilliana’s Invincible Summer” by Cristina Rivera Garza, presented by Robyn Monger.

July 27, 2026: “No More Tears: The Dark Secrets of Johnson & Johnson” by Gardiner Harris, presented by Lisa Rojany.

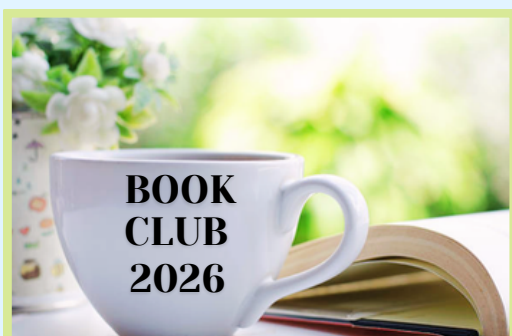
August 31, 2026: “Brooklyn: A Novel by Colm Toibin and “Long Island” by Colm Toibin presented by Teri Mallon & Lisa Rojany.

September 28, 2026: “The Café on the Edge of the World” by John Strelecky, presented by Bonnie McGuinness.

October 26, 2026: “Night Road” by Kristen Hannah, presented by Suzie Hilgeman.

No meeting in November or late December due to holidays!

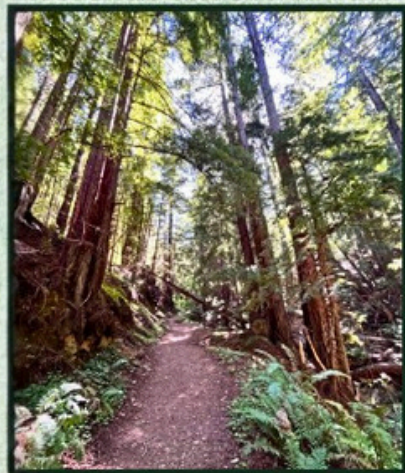
December 7, 2026: Planning Meeting and Holiday Party.



April 7, 2026

Montara Mountain Hike

We had a great 7-mile hike in perfect weather on Montara Mountain.



We had 4 hikers and managed 7 miles with some good steep climbs! As usual, we had some great conversations both up and down the hills. We all felt very lucky to live near an incredibly beautiful reserve.

March 31, 2026 – Coastal Trail

It was very windy, cold, and threatening to rain when we started our hike. However, we soon got caught up in some great conversations, and the stunning views never seem to get old or boring. We were all very glad that we didn't let the uncertain weather discourage us.

We walked a bit over 5 miles and, once again, agreed it was a wonderful hike! We reflected on how fortunate we are to live surrounded by such beauty and to have found such a great hiking group.



March 24, 2026
Purisima Creek Reserve

It was a gorgeous day to be hiking in the Purisima Creek Reserve. The trails are no longer muddy, the sun was out with lots of dappled sunlight coming through the trees, and there was a slight cool breeze to keep us comfortable.



New Chapters for Our Long-Serving Board Leaders

Celebrating our departing Board members for their 10+ years of dedication and community impact.



Judy Kocher

Originally from Chicago, I have spent more than 35 years living and working abroad, dedicated to cross-cultural understanding. My background includes Peace Corps service in Thailand, assisting Southeast Asian refugee resettlement, and managing expatriate support programs. Throughout my expatriate life, I found that women's organizations were an ideal way to build community while contributing through philanthropic service. My leadership roles have included President of the American Women's Club of London, Vice President of AWC Thailand, and President of Soroptimist International, Bangkok.

Settling in Half Moon Bay after my most recent career as a Cross-Cultural Consultant, I was excited to join the CWC, where my 10+ years of Board service have helped me make new friends and deepen my connection to the community. I served as VP, Programs from 2015-2018, President from 2018-2021, Past President from 2021-2022, and again as Programs VP from 2022-2026.



Bonnie McGuinness

I resided in Connecticut for sixty-seven years. I graduated from the Yale School of Radiology as a Registered Radiologic Technologist and worked as a Medical Radiologic Technologist until the age of thirty-nine. Subsequently, I earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Health Administration and Business Administration from Quinnipiac University.

My career then was a Claims Adjustor for serious injury cases and a Medical Malpractice Adjustor at Aetna, Farmers, and Travelers Insurance Claims. I held a home office position at Travelers, where I coordinated and adjusted major Malpractice Claims.

I moved to HMB 14 years ago to be with family and joined CWC, where I have held many positions, including Helping Hands, Lunch Bunch, and most importantly, the Scholarship Selection Committee. I have served on the CWC Board in the positions of Recording Secretary, Parliamentarian, and Interest Group Director. I am in hopes that I have demonstrated love, wisdom, and sharing in all my endeavors within CWC. Additionally, I have grown as a person in knowing all my fellow CWC members.

I will continue as Lunch Bunch coordinator as well as remain on the Scholarship Selection Committee. My time will be spent between HMB and Maine.



Sharon Weight

I was an elementary teacher for 26 years and then an administrator for 14 years in the Campbell Union School District. I also taught classes at SJSU in the teacher education MA in Teacher Leadership Program before retiring and moving to Half Moon Bay in 2012.

We have loved our time in HMB and all the friends we have made, especially through CWC. Joining the CWC Board has been a joy! I have learned so many new things, such as candle and soap making (who knew!!) and, as the Treasurer, the QuickBooks bookkeeping program...all part of my belief in lifelong learning.

As we move on to our next adventure, we are sad to leave the area we love so much and our many friends. Wish we could take you all with us! But a new adventure awaits closer to family! If ever you want to take a road trip, we would love a visit to show you around the Shea Homes Trilogy Bickford Ranch 55+ community near Lincoln, California. Our new address in September will be 4670 Southview Drive, Bickford Ranch, CA 95648. Thank you all for the wonderful memories I will cherish forever!

Coastal Repertory Theater Saturday Dinner & Theater - June 20, 2026

Join us for the next Coastal Rep dinner & theater gathering on Saturday, June 20th. We will be seeing "The Laramie Project."

In October 1998, Matthew Shepard, a 21-year-old gay college student, was brutally attacked and left to die outside Laramie, Wyoming. His death sparked a national conversation about hate, justice, and the power of community. Created from hundreds of interviews with the people of Laramie, The Laramie Project is a groundbreaking work of contemporary theatre that confronts prejudice and reveals both the depths of intolerance and the resilience of compassion. This powerful play challenges audiences to reflect on the world we live in and the change we can create together.



Please buy your tickets on the Coastal Repertory Theatre website (www.coastalrep.com). Note, there are discounted prices for seniors and students.

Let Judy Kocher know if you would like to meet for dinner before the show. For more information or to confirm your participation, please email Judy at the email address in the membership directory.



We all had a wonderful time at Angeles' house to discuss *The Correspondent* on April 1st. Angeles hosted a lovely meal of soup and salad. We had some great discussions about the book, relationships, letters, and how people communicate. This is such a thoughtful group of ladies!

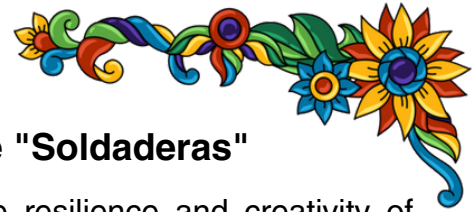
Ema will host the next book club on **Wednesday, June 3rd at 7 pm** at her home to discuss *The Briar Club* by Kate Quinn. A notice will be sent closer to the date.

CRAFTY LADIES WORKSHOP SOAPMAKING WORKSHOP APRIL 18, 2026



Tax on Cleanliness

For 141 years (1712–1853), England had a Soap Tax. It was so high that soap was treated like a luxury item — revenue officers actually placed locks on soap-boiling pans at night to prevent "illegal" soap making. When the tax was finally repealed in 1853, the industry boomed.



Celebrating the Women of Cinco de Mayo: The "Soldaderas"

Cinco de Mayo marks the 1862 Battle of Puebla and highlights the resilience and creativity of women. History remembers Zaragoza, but the Soldaderas won the battlefield. Without these women, the Mexican victory would have been impossible. These women were the backbone of the resistance, traveling with the troops to provide medical care, cook, and manage logistics. Many women disguised themselves as men to fight on the front lines, while others served as spies and couriers. They managed the "movable camps," foraging for food, cooking for the troops, and tending to the wounded under fire.

Margarita Neri and Adela Velarde Pérez (the inspiration for the famous song La Adelita) broke gender norms by taking up arms and leading soldiers into combat.



Margarita Neri: The "General" of the Revolution

Margarita Neri was a formidable commander who rose to prominence during the early 20th-century conflicts that echoed the spirit of the Battle of Puebla. Neri was a recognized military leader. She commanded a force of over 1,000 troops in the states of Guerrero and Morelos. Known for her strict discipline and tactical brilliance, she was so effective that she reportedly vowed to behead any man who did not follow her orders.

Adela Velarde Pérez: The Inspiration for "La Adelita"

While Neri represents command, Adela Velarde Pérez represents the courage and spirit of the female volunteer. Her name became so synonymous with women in the revolution that female soldiers are still called "Adelitas" to this day.

Adela was a nurse from Ciudad Juárez who joined the revolutionary effort at a young age. She founded the Cruz Blanca (White Cross) to provide medical aid to wounded soldiers on the battlefield. She is widely believed to be the inspiration for "La Adelita," one of the most famous corridos (folk songs) of Mexican history. The song portrays her as a woman of immense beauty and bravery who was adored by the troops.

Beyond her medical work, she became a cultural icon. In modern Cinco de Mayo celebrations, the floral "Adelita dress" is worn to honor her and the thousands of anonymous women who sustained the army through care and combat.





Coastside Women's Club

PO Box 3242
Half Moon Bay, CA 94019
www.coastsidewomensclub.org

Supporting the community through interest groups, educational opportunities and fundraising for Half Moon Bay High School "Success Booster" Scholarships

It's time to renew your membership! The new year starts **June 1st!** We have many exciting events planned for our **2026-2027 40th Year**. Look for a flyer in July!

Please renew before **July 15th** so we can finalize our membership roster.

Membership is \$55 per year (about \$4.50 per month)! You may pay by check made to **CWC, PO Box 3242, HMB** or click [here](#) to pay by credit card.





Friday Duplicate Bridge

Join us for a game!

When:

Every Friday
11:30 AM - 2:30 PM

Where:

Senior Coastsider Center
925 Main Street, HMB

Cost:

\$10 per session (pays for room rental and Director's fee) The rest goes to the CWC HMBHS Scholarship Fund.

Looking for a fun and engaging way to spend your Friday? Join our Duplicate Bridge Club! We offer a welcoming and supportive environment for players wishing to acquire Masters Points.

We may look serious, but we're really not! Our ACBL Directors, Art and Kai, help and instruct when needed! But, we have a lot of laughs along the way! Definitely not a stuffy group!

Come along and enjoy a game of friendly competition and fun conversation. We look forward to seeing you there!

Contact Us

For more information or to register your interest, please contact:

Kathy Hamilton
katham3@gmail.com
650-281-7200



Qualifications for joining Nine & Wine:

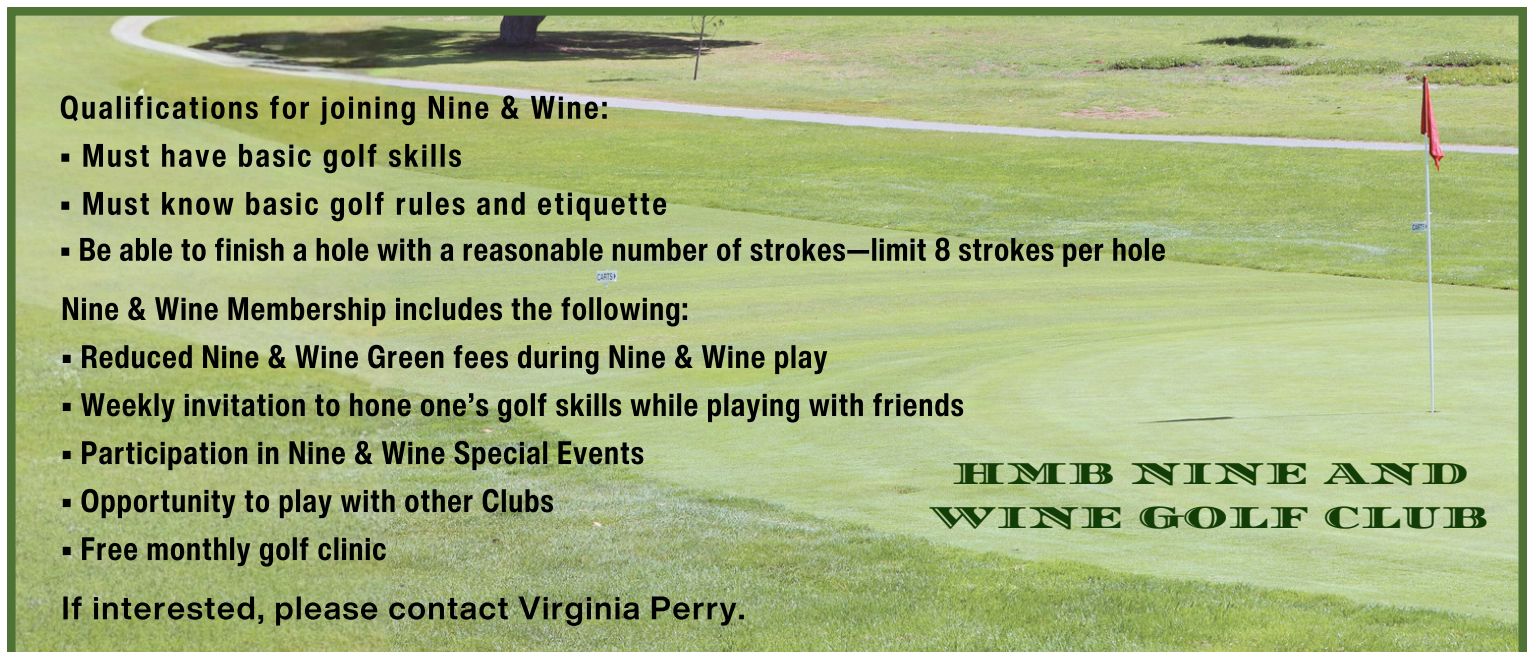
- Must have basic golf skills
- Must know basic golf rules and etiquette
- Be able to finish a hole with a reasonable number of strokes—limit 8 strokes per hole

Nine & Wine Membership includes the following:

- Reduced Nine & Wine Green fees during Nine & Wine play
- Weekly invitation to hone one's golf skills while playing with friends
- Participation in Nine & Wine Special Events
- Opportunity to play with other Clubs
- Free monthly golf clinic

If interested, please contact Virginia Perry.

**HMB NINE AND
WINE GOLF CLUB**



RECIPE *of the* MONTH

Chicken Pasta Salad Recipe

This chicken pasta salad recipe is packed with flavor, protein, and veggies, and is super easy to make. It's ready in under 20 minutes from start to finish. The homemade dressing adds a burst of tangy and herby flavors that perfectly complement the other ingredients, taking this chicken pasta salad to the next level.

Prep Time: 10 mins Cook Time: 10 mins Total Time: 20 mins
Servings: 6 servings

INGREDIENTS:

- 2 medium **cooked chicken breasts**, shredded or chopped
- 2 ripe **avocado** pitted and diced
- 1 pound cooked **rotini pasta** (or bow tie, penne, and macaroni)
- 1/2 cup chopped **red onion**
- 1 cup **cherry tomatoes**, halved
- 1/2 cup freshly chopped **basil**
- **Salt** and fresh cracked **pepper**, to taste
- **Optional:** bacon, black olives, cucumber, or fire-roasted corn



Dressing:

- 1/2 cup **white wine vinegar**
- 1 tablespoon **Italian seasoning**
- 3/4 cup **extra virgin olive oil**
- **Salt** and **pepper** to taste
- **Optional:** croutons

Note: The dressing can be customized to suit individual tastes by adjusting the amount of vinegar or seasoning used.

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. In a large bowl, combine the salad ingredients, the shredded chicken, pasta, onion, avocado, cherry tomatoes, and basil.

2. For the dressing, in a jar or another bowl, combine the ingredients: white wine vinegar, extra-virgin olive oil, Italian seasoning, and a pinch of salt and pepper.

To customize your pasta salad dressing, add a tablespoon of Greek yogurt, or use apple cider vinegar for a milder taste.

3. Drizzle your chicken pasta salad with the dressing. Toss gently until all the ingredients are combined. Alternatively, serve dressing on the side with croutons.

4. Serve the chicken pasta salad immediately, or chill for later.

(Recipe courtesy of Sophia Wambach)

Beyond the Apron: The 1954 Mrs. America Competition

In 1954, the Mrs. America pageant experienced a major transformation that redefined the competition for the mid-century era. The 1954 pageant served as a cultural time capsule, reflecting how society highly regarded the profession of the housewife.

The 1954 pageant was heavily sponsored by major appliance and food brands like Gas Appliance Manufacturers and Betty Crocker. The grand prize often included a "Dream Home" filled with the newest high-tech gadgets of the time, such as automatic dishwashers and gas ranges.

The 1954 Mrs. America competition was not only a beauty contest, but also a "decathlon of domesticity." Finalists were judged on specific household skills, including:

- **Cooking & Baking:** Prepare meals under the watchful eyes of judges.
- **Sewing:** Demonstrate the ability to mend and create clothing.
- **Ironing:** Display speed and precision with the latest steam irons.
- **Home Decoration:** Show skill in creating attractive, practical spaces.



Photo courtesy: State Library and Archives of Florida.

Mother's Day Clue Search Puzzle Answer Key

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|------------|------------------|
| 1. ALONE | 15. FATHERS |
| 2. CANDY | 16. FLOWERS |
| 3. CLEAN | 17. JEWELRY |
| 4. NEVER | 18. PERFUME |
| 5. PHONE | 19. CHILDREN |
| 6. RELAX | 20. DRAWINGS |
| 7. VISIT | 21. NATIONAL |
| 8. BRUNCH | 22. PICTURES |
| 9. FORGOT | 23. PRESENTS |
| 10. LETTER | 24. SHOPPING |
| 11. SECOND | 25. SLEEPING |
| 12. SPRING | 26. BREAKFAST |
| 13. SUNDAY | 27. RESTAURANT |
| 14. WILSON | 28. APPRECIATION |

Hidden Message: EVERY DAY IS
MOTHER'S DAY

Connections Word Game Answer Key:

Golf course: bunker, fairway, green, rough
Road names: alley, drive, lane, street
Organization: club, group, party, team
Separate: divide, fork, part, split

Deadline for Summer 2026 newsletter is May 17th. Please share interesting articles or photos in Word format and photos in .jpg or .png files. Please email submissions to: swambach@coastsidewomensclub.org.

Sophia Wambach
CWC Newsletter Editor

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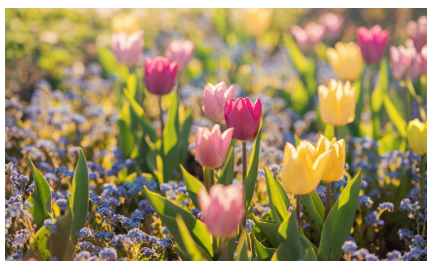
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**Coastsidewomensclub
Officers and Interest Group Chairs**

The Coastsidewomensclub (CWC) is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization whose mission is to raise funds for scholarships for deserving HMB High School seniors. We also provide social and educational activities for the women of the San Mateo County coastal communities as well as events for the community at large.

All donations to our scholarship fund are tax deductible. Our fundraising activities have been many and varied including dinner dances, auctions, donation drives, tennis tournaments, painting parties, bingo games, bridge tournaments, and other fun events, resulting in total contributions, since 1986, that exceed \$450,000!

Membership Means More.

Come Join Us by visiting our website: www.coastsidewomensclub.org and fill out a New Membership Application.

Annual dues are \$55 from June 1 to May 31 of the following year. New members who join after January 1 pay \$25.00 (January 1 to May 31).

If you prefer, you can mail your check to: CWC, P.O. Box 3242, Half Moon Bay, CA 94019.

For membership questions, please send an email to: info@coastsidewomensclub.org

Please Note: For Security and Privacy Reasons, member contact information is in the password protected Membership Directory on the CWC Website.

CWC Special Interest Groups

American Mah Jong

Wendy Rudisill

Book Club

Teri Mallon

Bunco Night

Myoung Kang

Crafty Ladies

Natalie Cooper &
Sharon Weight

Duplicate Bridge

Kathy Hamilton

Evening Book Club

Emma Bowman

Hiking Group

Sandra Adams &
Emma Bowman

**HMB Nine & Wine
Golf Club**

Virginia Perry

Lunch Bunch

Bonnie McGuinness

Monday Bridge

Kathy Hamilton

**Sunday Matinee
Theater**

Sophia Wambach

Theater & Dinner

Judy Kocher

Walk & Talk

Peggy Airo