

Everyday Chores



22nd Annual Harvest Dinner and Auction

TO BENEFIT THE

AGRICULTURAL HISTORY PROJECT

**Saturday
November 10, 2007**

**Crosetti Building
Santa Cruz County Fairgrounds**

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*Welcome to the
22nd Annual
Harvest Dinner and Auction*

Music provided by Sagebrush

No Host Bar, Hors d'oeuvres and Silent Auction – 5:30 p.m.

Dinner – 7:00 p.m.

Oral Auction and drawings will be held after dinner.

Auctioneer John Kegebein, *Agricultural History Project Volunteer CEO*

Enriching Our Lives with Agricultural History

Since its inception in 1986, the Agricultural History Project has constructed three buildings, an educational center and gazebo and made numerous other improvements to its site at the Santa Cruz County Fairgrounds. Its volunteers have participated in many art and historical exhibits in the county, hosted weekly school visits, accumulated, catalogued and restored numerous artifacts, and for the 21st year presented *Yesterday's Farm* at the Santa Cruz County Fair. In 2006 AHP was selected as *The Organization of the Year* by the Pajaro Valley Chamber of Commerce.

All of this is accomplished through thousands of hours of time by dedicated volunteers and with funds from memberships and other fundraising efforts including this annual event – *The Harvest Dinner and Auction*. AHP is a non-profit public benefit corporation [501c(3)].

**The Agricultural History Project
appreciates your support!**

Please patronize the merchants and businesses that have so generously supported our auctions.

Silent Auction Rules

1. Gifts are displayed with brief descriptions and notations of any limitations on item use. Values listed are estimates only and are not warranted by the Agricultural History Project for tax purposes or general value.
2. A bidding sheet is displayed with each item. Bid by clearly writing your bid number and bid. Minimum bids and bid increments are listed on the bid sheets. Bid sheets may not be removed from the bid area.
3. The silent auction tables will close at various times. Times will be clearly announced. The bid number with the highest bid at the time of table closure is the winner.
4. Payment may be made by cash, check, Visa or MasterCard at the end of the Live auction after time is allowed to determine the winners and prepare checkout forms.
5. Take the receipt issued by the cashier at the checkout tables to auction attendants in order to collect purchased items.

Live Auction Rules

1. To bid on an item, raise your bid number until the auctioneer acknowledges your bid. Bidding is closed only by the auctioneer.
2. Payment must be made by cash, check, Visa or MasterCard at the cashier's table at the close of the Live Auction.
3. Take the receipt issued by the cashier at the checkout tables to the auction attendants in order to collect items purchased.

General Rules

1. Items purchased must be paid for and removed from the premises at the end of the event. Items may be removed from the premises only with a valid receipt.
2. All sales are final. There will be no exchange, refund, or substitution either by the donor or the Agricultural History Project.
3. All licenses, State sales tax, and/or Federal excise tax must be paid by the purchaser.
4. Dates for trips, airline reservations, etc. must be made by the purchaser. Unless otherwise noted it is the responsibility of the purchaser to make reservations to use the gift as soon as possible.
5. Some items have limitations or restrictions. These are noted on the certificates. The Agricultural History Project makes no warranties, assumption or liability, or representation of any kind with respect to said items, trips or services described in this program
6. Auction officials have final authority to settle any disputes.

Live Auction 2007

1. An Afternoon at the Circle P

Have you been out to the Circle P Ranch? What a fun Victorian farmhouse tucked into the base of the foothills on Thompson Road! Enjoy a meal prepared by Susan Am Rhein and either a gentle walk or drive into the hills over looking the Pajaro Valley. Soak up some local history. For up to 20 people

Donated by

Don & Diane Cooley and Susan Am Rhein

2. Sail Away on the Chardonnay

Invite your friends and associates to your exclusive party for up to 40 people aboard the luxurious 70 foot Chardonnay II. You will sail through California's national park in the ocean – the Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary. See protected wildlife and enjoy the exhilaration of a two hour sail aboard the Chardonnay II. Trip must be completed by July 31, 2008.

Donated by

Santa Cruz Beach Boardwalk

3. What time is it?

If you had this modern German wall clock with Westminster Chimes you would know. Isn't there a perfect place in your home or office for this unusual piece?

Donated by

Allison Rider

4. Interested in Tasting Some Wine?

Tour the Byington Winery in the scenic Santa Cruz Mountains. Enjoy a tasting of 5 premium Byington Wines during your exclusive tour of the beautiful Italianate chateau, including the vineyard, crush area, production area, and stunning cave. Participants must be at least 21 years of age. Tour & tasting are for 30 people.

*Donated by
Byington Winery*

5. Dining Italian Style

Stan and Judy Nielsen will prepare an Italian dinner for 10 at their lovely hill-top Corralitos home. This fine meal with feature hors d'oeuvres, antipasto, Caesar salad, Osso Bucco, dessert, fruit & cheeses. Gather you friends and enjoy.

*Donated by
Stan & Judy Nielsen*

6. A Lake Tahoe Experience

Visit beautiful Lake Tahoe and stay at a condo in Incline. A fireplace, 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, 2800 sq ft. This 2 story delight this could all be yours for 5 days - Monday thru Saturday. Subject to availability.

*Donated by
Valley Packing Service*

7. Your Personal Photo Shoot

Maybe there is a group photo you would like to have taken. A special group of family or friends? Or maybe just you and someone special. Bay Photo, Watsonville, has donated a photo shoot anywhere in Santa Cruz County. There is magnificent scenery all round us. You decide where to have a picture taken.

Donated by

Pat Works, Bay Photo Watsonville

8. Register-Pajaronian Full Page Color Ad

What would you do with a full-page ad in the Register-Pajaronian? Thank all the wonderful volunteers that helped with the Harvest Dinner? Donate it to a non-profit? Advertise your business? Surprise someone special? Think of the possibilities. A great opportunity to reach thousands of people with your personal message. (No political ads, please)

Donated by

the Register-Pajaronian

9. Practice your Parade Wave

Have you ever wondered what a parade looks like from the inside out? Ride on the AHP wagon in either the Watsonville 4th of July parade or the Aromas Day Parade next August and see. This is for up to 15.

Donated by

AHP

10. Sweet Day in the Pie Shop

You may be able to make an apple pie but can you make a Nita Apple Pie – or berry for that matter? Spend a day in Nita's Pie Shop at the Gizdich Ranch to learn the ins & outs of perfect pie preparation. This day includes a pie to take home.

*Donated by
Nita Gizdich and Gizdich Ranch*

11. Cozy Cabin in the Woods

Enjoy four nights at Kirk DiCiccio's cozy cabin set in the Sequoias of Mi Wuk Village on Hwy 108 above Sonora. This is a beautiful two bedroom cabin with a large deck and is close to skiing, shopping, fishing and lakes. Subject to availability.

*Donated by
Kirk DiCiccio*

Auction Donors

Thank you for supporting our very generous auction donors.

John and Clara Radin

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See you all next year!