



# Village Voice

## ***Upcoming Meetings***

- August 4th-National Night Out. Join the Alameda County Sheriff's Office for a FREE dinner (St. Johns Parish)
- August 20th-San Lorenzo Village Homes Association Board Meeting (SLZ Hall)
- August 24th-Sheriff's Advisory Meeting (SLZ Hall)
- August 30th-Cop Shop Flea Market (Old Mervyn's Lot)

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## **Marijuana Ordinance**

*Part of an article printed by the Daily Review by Jason Sweeney*

The crowd attending Wednesday night's forum on medical marijuana didn't seem satisfied with proposed changes to Alameda County's marijuana ordinance. So county Supervisors Alice Lai-Bitker, Nate Miley and Gail Steele took what seemed to be a logical step: They appointed members of the community to draw up suggestions for changes. No deadline was set for the group's work. Miley singled out Susan Beck, secretary of the Cherryland Community Association and one of the more outspoken forum participants, to lead the community effort. Beck said Thursday that she would like to see the county adopt an ordinance that would serve patients, improve business districts and protect youths and at-risk populations.

"The current model, from what we can tell, attracts a lot of patients from outside the area," she said. "We don't want to be the central distribution point for marijuana for this entire region of California." Beck said her group is working with the San Lorenzo Village Homes Association on a model for medical marijuana distribution in the county's unincorporated areas.

Wednesday's well-attended meeting was a follow-up to an April 22 meeting at which the county supervisors sought community input in preparing to redraft the current medical marijuana ordinance.

## **National Night Out**

Please join the Alameda County Sheriff's Association at their  
26th Annual National Night Out Event!

*"A Good Night To Get To Know Your Neighbors"*

Tuesday August 4th, 5PM-8PM

St. John's Parish Gymnasium

270 East Lewelling Blvd, San Lorenzo

**SAN LORENZO VILLAGE  
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1-5:00PM  
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## *HOT AUGUST NIGHT*

*at the HOA*

Do you have an a classic car you would like to share? Do you like live music and free food? Do you want to spend some time with your neighbors and meet fellow homeowners?



The Board Meet and Greet for August will be outside the Association Hall and feature live music and free food for San Lorenzo Residents. Come out meet your board and stay for the Association Meeting.

## **COP SHOP FLEA MARKET**

Sunday August 30th  
8AM-4PM, Old Mervyn's Lot

The Crime Prevention Unit and the community have teamed up again to raise funds for the rental of the COP SHOP.



Clean out your closets, basements, attics, garages and sell your trinkets and treasures.

2 Car Spaces -\$30.00

3 Car Spaces -\$40.00

(plus \$10 refundable deposit for trash pick up)

BBQ for Sale

**Reserve your Space TODAY!**

510-667-7770

## **Homeowner Queries and Questions**

**EMAIL: SLZVHA@aol.com**

**Q:** *What is the Homes Association doing about all the dead lawns?*

**A:** *The Board is and always has sent letters to homeowners regarding the "general maintenance" of their lawns. Due to the current water shortage the HOA sends to these homes watering tips and also has a book that is available for drought resistant plants and grass alternatives.*

*It is important to keep all our lawns well maintained as it is the ultimate goal and mission of the Homes Association to keep property values high. If you have further questions about lawns please contact the Association office.*

*It is ALWAYS our goal to work with our Homeowners.*

## *Women's Resource Night*

The Community Engagement Committee (CEC) is looking for San Lorenzo female owned businesses' for a night of networking, shopping and business building.

Get a low cost booth and share your products, ideas, resume, etc. with local women. The CEC will be hosting a night in September that will be FREE for all the women of San Lorenzo and will allow them to learn about your business, do some early holiday shopping and enter into drawings for raffles and prizes.

Space is limited so reserve your spot today! Only one person from EACH business category will be represented so don't miss out on this great networking and fabulous business building opportunity.

Please contact:

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