



What's Happening

Calaveras Youth Mentoring Program

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Cool Summer Pool Party — New Location!

We're moving our annual pool party to Murphys Community Pool and we hope everyone — mentors, mentees, and families past, present, and future — will join us for our semi-annual whole-program event.



We'll have a BBQ potluck, so please bring a salad, chips, drink or dessert and we'll provide the hot dogs and burgers.

Bring your pool toys, noodles, and water game ideas and we'll have a great time!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Mentor Roundtable/Potluck CCOE	Tues, July 13 6-8pm
Summer Pool Party! Murphys Community Pool Murphys	Sun, August 22 1-6pm
Advisory Board Meeting CCOE	Mon, Sept 13 1:30-3:30pm
Mentee Training and Pro-Teen/Pizza Party	Wed, Sept 15 5-8pm

Check out our website at
www.calaverasmentoring.org

Know Someone Who Would Make A Great Mentor? Tell Them About These Fabulous Young People!

13-year old boy, Valley Springs, enjoys skateboarding, fishing, swimming, basketball, and would like to have new adventures, perhaps learn the guitar, and take apart and build an engine or a soapbox car.

13-year old boy, Valley Springs, enjoys hiking, fishing, swimming, snowboarding, bowling, basketball, baseball, soccer, loves to play board games, and would like to learn how to play a guitar.

10-year old boy, Valley Springs, enjoys bike riding, swimming, basketball and likes playing frisbee.

13-year old boy, Valley Springs, enjoys trap shooting, dirt biking, and likes to build model cars; he is currently building a glider.

8-year old boy, Mokelumne Hill, enjoys playing musical instruments, baseball, soccer, playing pool, video games, hiking and bike riding.

16-year old boy, Mokelumne Hill, passionate about free style dancing, basketball, swimming, mountain biking and any outdoor sports.

13-year old boy, San Andreas, would like a mentor with whom he can build projects; enjoys fishing, hiking, swimming, and riding bikes, and is learning to play the drums.

12-year old boy, San Andreas, enjoys baseball, football, boxing, wrestling, likes building rabbit cages, and listens to rock music.

12-year old boy, Angels Camp, enjoys working on classic cars, loves listening to 60's music, plays guitar and drums.

8-year old boy, Vallecito, enjoys playing with legos and pokeman cards, and likes baseball, soccer, hiking, fishing, swimming and gardening.

Congratulations...

New matches:
Cindy and Megan
Felicia and Amanda
Chuck and David

Anniversaries:
Tim and Jordan
Ralph and Jack

Calaveras Youth Mentoring Program

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The mission of the Calaveras Youth Mentoring Program is to connect Calaveras County young people in 1st through 12th grades with safe, positive adult role models who will offer support, guidance and friendship and help the youth make healthy life decisions.

Advisory Committee

John Brophy, County Superintendent,
Calaveras County Office of Education

Kathryn Eustis, Director, Youth
Development and Prevention Programs,
CCOE

Don Amo, Mentor and Inventor

Marian Coahran, Founder, Calaveras
Youth Mentoring

Karen Eggleston, Community
Volunteer

Teri Hall, Chief Probation Officer,
Calaveras County

Tim Hildabrand, Founding Mentor and
owner, HStar, Inc.

Kristi Johnson, Parent

Kristen Kardas, Social Worker, Calaveras
Works and Human Services Agency

Rudy Ortega, Mentor and Architect

David Sackman, Deputy Director,
Calaveras County Substance Abuse
Services

Sherri Sedler, Counselor, Bret Harte
Union High School District

Donna Shannon, Founding Mentor

Robert Silva, Director, ROP and Work
Experience Program, Calaveras High
School

Items of Interest

Calaveras Follies Nets \$23,000 for Youth Mentoring!

The 2010 Calaveras Follies, which took place April 17 at Frogtown, netted over \$23,000 for our program.

This year's Follies featured the largest cast ever -- 83 community volunteers who dedicated tremendous time and effort to create what many audience members considered the best show in its history. Superintendent of Schools John Brophy not only acted as master of ceremonies, but also won this year's Frog Oscar award with his performance of "My Way."



It took a talented team of more than 100 volunteers to produce the 2010 Calaveras Follies. Major financial sponsors were the Calaveras County Office of Education, Sandy and Wayne Fuller, Jillian Day Spa & Salon, Mark Twain St. Joseph's Hospital, Salon 66 and Marian Coahran, Signal Service Inc. and Ralph Emerson.

DVDs of all past Calaveras Follies are available at the Follies website, www.calaverasfollies.com, or by calling (209) 728-1691.



Mokelumne River Rafting Fun

The 2010 Mokelumne River Rafting Adventure on Sunday, June 6 raised over \$3,300 for the Calaveras Youth Mentoring Program. O.A.R.S. staff and guides were wonderful, and we deeply appreciate their enthusiastic support of our program. Special thanks to Steve Markle for helping

us promote the trips, our guides Dana, John, Alex, and KZ for keeping everyone safe and happy all day long, and to our careful and capable drivers.

Calaveras Mentoring Foundation

The new Calaveras Mentoring Foundation is busy applying for our non-profit status and gearing up a donor campaign and plans to produce next year's Follies and Moke River Trips!



When not busily recruiting mentors this Spring, we almost had a softball game (Cristina is recovering beautifully) and enjoyed Greg's graduation party!



Thank You!

Special thanks to all our cast, crew, sponsors, raffle donors and volunteers for another spectacular Calaveras Follies, O.A.R.S. for our glorious Seventh Annual Mokelumne River Rafting Adventure, Clark and Kathy Gehrke, SaveMart Shares, Ashley Mellin, Family 4 Fitness, HStar Inc., San Andreas Parks & Recreation, Heather O'Brophy, Pizza Factory in San Andreas and Mikey Habbestad.