**Presidents Message**

If you haven't been by the 1883 One-Room School-house lately, make it a mission! Our gardens are expanding and we have created wonderful sitting areas, complete with umbrella covered tables, potted plants and shade. Our new storage shed on the north side now contains all of our “outside stuff” so we are not looking so cramped. The volunteer cherry tomatoes have yielded a huge abundance of sweet vine-ripened treats. Not only do we have plenty for our board and docents, but enough left over for the birds and unusual butterflies, too! Visitors are also offered a small bag to snack on.

We are winding up the final details for our Encinitas Heritage book. Final photos and manuscripts are being proofed along with match-ing “Then and Now” photos!

After nearly a year I have completed and published, “A Chronological Time Line of Historic Events in Encinitas, Leucadia, Oliv-enhain and Cardiff-by-the-Sea”. This detailed ring-bound reference book is a must for fact checking dates and historical events. Copies are sold $20.00 (tax included).

The historical society continues to be involved with the Encinitas Chamber of Commerce and looks forward to hosting another Sun-downer in 2020. Our docents also enjoy volunteering with sister non-profits, like the Surfing Madonna Half Marathon, the Surfing Madon-na Beach run and the Lions Club. We also serve as parking lot attend-ants on campus, helping earn extra money for our utility bills. In July we hosted the county wide CINCH organization which is made up of a variety of historic entities in San Diego County. We enjoy networking every other month with this group since we all have similar issues, goals and projects.

I am so very grateful to my hand-picked board of directors and the many docents that help keep the beloved schoolhouse open to the public. As we are ALL volunteers, we do rely on your memberships, dona-tions and grants. Thank you for your continued support!
Executive Board News

Gigi Lopatriello and Mike Wallace have been busy working to improve the appearance of the boathouses. This has been a huge project in preparation to celebrate the designation of the Encinitas Boathouses on the National Register of Historic Places, which happened on October 12th.

Vice President Dayna Donatelli coordinates the semi-annual Encinitas Street Fair, which is coming up Sunday, November 24th. We are so thankful for her service.

Please renew your membership
Annual dues allow us to maintain our beloved 1883 One-room Schoolhouse and grounds. Membership privileges include free research copies, regular issues of our newsletter, The Little Oaks via mailed hard copy or email, a Calendar of Events, and VIP nights (free for special events) and a 10% reduction on all books, pictures and materials. If you prefer we are happy to email the newsletter! Send us your email for our records.

Upcoming Events

Encinitas Street Fair
The one-day-only street fair is scheduled on Sunday, November 24th. Look for us at our usual spot at the corner of “F” Street and Highway 101 (west side). We will have several items for sale including photos, t-shirts, books, playing cards, aprons, and especially the newly released Time-Line! Please be sure to stop by to say “hello”!

The 25th Annual Heritage Tree Lighting Ceremony is on Friday, December 6th
It is hard to believe that the star pine tree on the corner of 4th and “C” has been lighting the holiday skies for a quarter of a century! Luis Ortez initially started decorating the tree with minimal lights and decorations subsequently years later friend Jim Filanc stepped in and provided the lift and needed equipment. The Chamber of Commerce financed purchasing LED lights three years ago. Last year the historical society (via grants) had the electrical source under-grounded to the tree's with it's very own address. Now there are no more temporary poles and connectors. Jim Filanc will again be our faithful master of ceremonies.

Park Dale Lane Honor Chorus, the San Diego North Coast Singers, the Brown Family Band and Supermoon will provide a fanciful holiday program of traditional music and carols for the entire family to enjoy. There will be a food truck at the event this year also! Precisely at 6:00pm we will flip the switch to light the tree and begin the holiday season just one day before our ever popular Holiday Parade. Our wonderful firefighters from Fire Station One will deliver Santa on a fire truck. We all look forward to this yearly event which is free for the entire family. It will be in the parking lot at Moonlight Beach starting at 4:30pm.

Schoolhouse Hours:
Fridays and Saturdays 12 to 3 pm.
WANTED: Volunteer docents for the 1883 Schoolhouse. Three hours once a month (Friday or Saturday). Assist visitors from around the world. Share exciting history of Encinitas. Please Call: Suzanne Spector at (760) 634-1753
Visit our updated website: encinitashistoricalsociety.org
Follow us on Twitter: @1883Schoolhouse

Our Mission
The Encinitas Historical Society is a non-profit organization dedicated to preserving and interpreting the City’s past through its research, library programs, exhibits, and publications. Grounded in 1980 by local citizens who recognized that rapid changing conditions could erase evidence of our town’s rich past. Today the mission is extended by a thirteen member Board, and a dedicated staff of volunteers are serving our community as a whole to preserving the Encinitas heritage.
Encinitas Boathouses

The dedication of the historic boathouses into the National Historic Register took place Saturday, October 12, followed by a reception on the Schoolhouse property. Dignitaries, board members, neighbors and families gathered on 3rd Street for the unveiling of the newly installed historical plaque. E Clampus Vitus organization created the bronze plaque. Representative (EHS and EPA board member), Sean Englert, Encinitas Preservation Association (EPA), President Tom Cozens, Historical Society President, Carolyn Cope and Encinitas 101 Mainstreet executive director Irene Pyun spoke at the event. The boathouses, now protected, will never be raised or sold or changed. The Olivenhain Town Hall was placed on the National Register in 1993. Biggest thanks goes to project manager Gigi Lopatriello and contractor Mike Wallace for “getting the job done”. Next, EPA plans to support the Bumann Ranch and the Derby House to achieve their recognition. The construction was financed thru the bi-annual historical bus tours and generous grants from the City of Encinitas and San Diego County Supervisor, Kristin Gaspar.

Four of the builder’s descendants, who came here for the dedication, posed with the commemorative plaque: Miles J. Kellogg, Stacy Alexander Karp, Rachel Brupbacher and her mother, Nancy Brupbacher.

EPA VP Sean Englert with his son Gunnar and “Ex-Noble Grand Humbug”.

Dedication Ceremony MC Tom Cozens, EPA president, with Encinitas Mayor Catherine Blakespear.

Photos above courtesy of Maurice Hewitt


Right: EPA Purchase of the Boat-houses, May 2008

Left: Dedication day Boathouses with the beautifully renovated landscape.

Right: EHS and EPA board members Mike Wallace & Gigi Lopatriello were instrumental in the landscape renovation.
Loss of a Friend

It is with heavy hearts that we announce the passing of one of our best supporters and members, Takeo Sugimoto. Born October 5th, 1927, his family was one of the first Japanese-Americans to farm the land in the area near the YMCA. Tak had been interviewed many times over the years, as he and his family were part of the Internment order following the bombing of Pearl Harbor at the beginning of WWII. Tak had recently written a wonderful memoir of his life in Encinitas and the many trials facing him during and after the war. He volunteered to serve our country both in Japan and Korea. Tak and his wife ran a successful pharmacy business in La Costa and raised their four children locally. He will be missed the visitors to the schoolhouse as he loved telling his life's stories to the many interested guests. Thank you to Tak’s family made a generous donation to the Encinitas Historical Society!

It Passed!

On October 9th, Governor Gavin Newsom signed SB 451, the California Historic Rehabilitation Tax Credit, adding California to the list of more than 35 states that have passed such incentives. The bill, which passed both the Senate and the Assembly with unanimous approval, will enable the renewal of aging structures and communities throughout the state, and promote the development of affordable housing. While SB 451 was introduced in February by Senate President pro Tempore Toni G. Atkins, it built on work we did in 2014, with the collaboration of the American Institute of Architects, California Council (AIACC). The California Preservation Foundation and the AIACC are co-sponsors of this crucial legislation. The passage of this bill cost CPF more than $40,000 in direct and indirect costs to get through the legislature, and will require annual lobbying to ensure it continued allocation. Join us in this fight by making a donation to the Advocacy Fund today. Your donation will be matched dollar for dollar (up to $50,000) and will help us move this important bill forward.

ON SALE NOW!
A Chronological Time Line 1850-2020 $20
Encinitas Boathouses $5
Stop by and see us at the Street Fair,
Sunday, November 24th

EHS President Carolyn Cope, Vice President Dayna Donatelli Membership Officer Marilyn Fowler, and Treasure Assistant Lois Aufman, attended the re-dedication of the Reche One-Room schoolhouse in Fallbrook. This is the abode on site.

Do You Remember: Where was the South Bay Shooting Club located in the 1890’s?

Hillcrest Street in Leucadia
PLEASE SUPPORT OUR TREASURE

THE 1883 SCHOOLHOUSE

Encinitas Historical Society
Membership Benefits

Membership privileges include free research copies, regular issues of our newsletter, The Little Oaks via mailed hard copy or email, a Calendar of Events, and VIP nights (free for special events) and a 10% reduction on all books, pictures and materials.

If you opt for the Business Membership, you will automatically receive free advertising in our newsletter, and your website will be just a click away in our Links & Volunteering page.

Join or renew your annual membership in the “Friends of the 1883 Schoolhouse” for 2019. Help to preserve our local history for generations to come and to provide numerous educational programs for our community including monthly walking tours of Historic Encinitas, development of heritage gardens at the Pacific View property and special events to engage our residents in supporting the work of the Encinitas Historical Society.

MEMBERSHIP INFO: ____New ____Renewal (Please check line)
Senior/$20 ____ Individual/Family/$25 ____ Business/$100 ____

PLEASE PRINT:
Name:
Phone:
Address:
Email address:

Would you consider volunteering as a docent for a few hours once a month on Friday or Saturday from 12 to 3 pm. Yes _____ No _____
How do you want newsletter sent? Email _____ Regular Mail _____

Mail form with check payable to:
EHS, 390 W. F Street, Encinitas, CA 92024

Donations to the nonprofit Encinitas Historical Society are tax-deductible.
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