# Oceanids News

# UC SAN DIEGO OCEANIDS BI-MONTHLY NEWSLETTER VOL. XLIX No. 5 Summer 2012



Newcomers' 4th of July Picnic at The UCSD International Center 5 p.m.

Menu:
Hot dogs with buns and condiments, Potato Salad, Coleslaw,
Brownies, Watermelon,
Wine and Lemonade.
COST: \$6/adult and \$3/child 2-10

years. Infants Free!
You MUST make reservations by
June 30th

Parking is FREE on the UCSD campus on July 4th. For more information, call Ginny at 858-847-0172 or Jennie at 858-755-2348 or email Georgina at gbsham@gmail.com

### AAH....SUMMER





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#### BOARD MEETINGS: first Thursday every month

Oceanids Pavilion, International Center Coffee and refreshments: 9:30 am, meeting starts at 10:00 am

#### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hello, once again, all you Oceanids out there:

Tomorrow I will see a lot of you at the Spring Luncheon; the sign-up has been very good, and we'll miss the rest of you.



I'm finishing my first year as Presi-

dent-in-Training, and I must say the trip has been more enjoyable than I expected. The people in this organization are really exceptional, and it's been a pleasure and delight to get to know many of you. I hope during the coming year to have contact with more members whom I don't yet know.

One way this could happen is if you let us know, when you turn in your renewal next fall, that you would be willing to be contacted when we need help. I've said before that organizations tend to depend on relatively few of their members for their operations, but I'd love to see more individuals involved - and I find it's very rewarding. (Confession: I was a very marginal member until the nominating committee asked me to consider being president!)

I've come to know that the major connection for many members is their participation in the interest groups. This is as it should be; they are wonderful. But don't forget the luncheons, the holiday party, and the monthly Sounding Board luncheon talks during the academic year.

Thank you for making Oceanids the thriving organization that it is. Tell your friends (they don't have to be UCSD-connected), and tell us - or me - how we can improve ourselves.

Have a great summer!

Ruth Stern

Oceanids has an e-mail mailing list!

The purpose of the listserv or e-mail distribution list is to allow our President, Board members, Interest Group chairs or anyone else with an important announcement to contact our membership.

You will get an e-mail when the Oceanids News is available on our website.

If you have questions, have an announcement for Oceanids, or are a new subscriber, please e-mail the list-serv administrator, Judy Vacquier, at jvacq@sbcglobal.net Also, anyone who would like to make corrections to the directory and/or to our database (from which we obtain the addresses for 'Oceanids news' mailings,) please e-mail Mary Cutchin at marycutchin@yahoo.com.

#### **NEW WEBSITE ADDRESS**

http://ccom.ucsd.edu/~oceanids/

You will also find the new website in your 2011 directory. Please bookmark the new website and be sure to check it frequently this year for our interesting Oceanids activities.

#### UC San Diego Retirement Association Spring Art Show and Sale

Thursday, May 31, 2012

at the

UCSD Retirement Resource Center

# Open to the Public 3 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Featuring: Painting, Photography, Calligraphy, Jewelry, Textiles, Sculpture, & Handicrafts

Entertainment: Joe Smith, Paraguayan Harp

UCSD Campus - University Center Enter campus - Turn Right at Villa La Jolla Dr. Park in Gilman Parking Structure at top of hill Follow pedestrian signs one block to show.

#### Oceanids support UC San Diego's 4<sup>th</sup> Annual PhD Career Conference

This Annual PhD Career Conference is dedicated to providing concrete and comprehensive perspectives regarding employment and career development for PhD, Master's and postdoctoral researchers, and Oceanids have provided financial support since its inception. As the organizer Joe Cribari says "Oceanids' support has been a big help in making this an ever-growing and successful event during the last three years." Last year's event exceeded all expectations attracting nearly 400 graduate students, postdocs, faculty, alumni and staff; a 20% increase over the previous year. Attendees included dozens of industry professionals and distinguished junior faculty —many UC San Diego alums—representing the sciences, engineering and the humanities, who, during the day's panel sessions, shared their secrets to career success, while emphasizing why it's essential to prepare *early* on in a doctoral career for life beyond graduate school. The need for this conference has only increased, with securing employment during the current economic circumstances presenting daunting challenges and uncharted territory for many graduate students and postdoctoral researchers.

Attendees responses are overwhelmingly positive. "The PhD Career Conference greatly broadened the view of career opportunities I have with a PhD degree and encouraged me to continue and complete my degree."

"I really enjoyed the "So you want to be a Professor" panel; I thought the speakers were really candid and helpful. It's the sort of brutal honesty that you usually only get once it's too late to do anything about it".

This year's conference will be held on May 19, and the Keynote Speaker is Jane Chin PhD whose talk is titled "How to Change the World with your PhD.

Liz Winant

#### A new fund to assist our international students

Started with a generous gift from Rita Atkinson, the Oceanids Board has established a fund to assist our international students. The Oceanids Emergency Fund for International Students has a name that explains its purpose, which is to provide emergency funding for international students, with a preference for undergraduates.

The Financial Aid Office has a loan fund specifically for international students that was started many years ago and is helpful for significant financial needs that may arise for students far from home. This new fund is meant to provide assistance for smaller emergencies where students need immediate assistance, and is a grant not a loan. Awards from the fund are overseen by the Dean of International Education Lynn Anderson, who will annually report to Oceanids.

It is the hope and intention of the fund that the recipients will contribute back to the fund in the future to keep it self-perpetuating. In the meantime, Oceanid members and others may contribute the fund along with our other scholarship and fellowship funds. For more information on contributing to Oceanids Fellowships, Undergradaute Service Awards and this new Emergency Fund, please contact Liz Winant (lwinant@ucsd.edu) or Kim Signoret-Paar (kspaar@ucsd.edu).

#### Citizen of the world

Sometimes out of the blue pop up in my mind, in French and for no apparent reason, the following three verses that I find myself murmuring or even enunciating aloud.

Je suis un citoyen du monde En tout lieu où la vie abonde

Le sol m'est doux et l'homme cher. \*

Then as I speak it, I always stop for a few seconds before ending with a name, **Schiller**.

(<u>Schiller</u> when pronounced the French way rhymes with "<u>cher"</u> and it never fails to please me as I say it.) I had always thought from the time I first heard this fragment of a poem that Schiller, about whom I knew close to nothing, had written it and that obviously in this version it had been translated from German into French.

Recently, again for no reason, I googled it: I was surprised to find out that in fact the writer was a quite well known French poet by the name of Sully Prudhomme . Yet at the same time I also learned that the first verse of the stanza read: "Je m'écriais avec Schiller". It reassured me: Schiller then was at least at the source of the writing.

So in a literal translation the poem read,

\* I exclaimed with Schiller,
"I am a citizen of the world
Every where that life abounds
The ground is sweet to me and man dear."

The year is either 1941 or 1942. The world is at war. Yet for a child in Algeria where I live, parts of life remain somewhat normal. School dominates our days, and at home in spite of our father's absence there are still enough adults to provide us with a sense of security. At the "lycée" that I attend, I am in a classroom where the math teacher is scribbling on the blackboard some algebra equations that have sent me into despair because I cannot understand in the least what they mean, or for that matter what they would ever be used for. I am overwhelmed by a sense of doom: the world is grey, opaque, incomprehensible, and for me there is no way out. The teacher is a middle-aged woman also dressed in grey, with a monotonous voice, and a rigid attitude. Her hair is cut "a la garconne" (with an urchin cut), she wears round glasses and as she writes on the blackboard with her right hand, her left arm remains tightly held against her body as if paralyzed, her hand clenched in a fist. She appears only interested in the signs that she scribbles white on black on the board and does barely seem to know that we exist. She rarely speaks. But her name I do remember well: Benzécri, Mademoiselle Benzécri. When and how she had introduced the above poem to us I do not remember, though now I can well imagine her reasons and ponder over them. Yet she must have recited it to us often enough for me to be able to recall it so clearly, after so many years. And to this day I know nothing of algebra and my ears close instantly when numbers or equations of any kind are mentioned but out of the despair experienced in the mathematics class always spring up as if illuminated the words of that poem and their lofty meaning.

Mademoiselle Benzécri did not teach me any mathematics; even though she rarely spoke and much less preached, the message of the poem she recited in class has stayed with me throughout my life as it comes to surface at intervals over and over again: the hopeful leitmotiv of those most tragic years.

#### Odette Filloux

A great big Thank You to Mary
Woo for making the name tags
and place cards for the Spring
Luncheon. They certainly added a
touch of class. Barbara B.

#### **Interested in Chairing an Interest Group?**

The Gardening Group is looking for a new chair. If you are interested, please contact Mary Hanson, 858-456-1304, mhanson@san.rr.com.

#### OCEANIDS' INTEREST GROUPS

Interest Groups are the backbone of our Oceanids organization. They are here to meet the many varied needs of UCSD families, especially those new to the UCSD campus and the community. If you don't find an activity you would like to participate in, please contact Mary Hanson (858 456-1304), Interest Group Coordinator. If five or more Oceanids wish to start a new group, please let her know so we can inform other members. All we ask is that your members be Oceanids. If you are not yet a member of Oceanids, please consider joining us by contacting Mary Cutchin, 858-459-8074, marycutchin@yahoo.com or by submitting the application form in this issue.

Since the newsletter is posted on the Oceanids website we will, for security reasons, not publish addresses. Please call the contact for the necessary information.

#### All ABOARD

Contact: Barbara Bank at (858) 484-4597 or barbara@sdna1.ucsd.edu Contact chair person about next outing.

Next meeting: ?

#### **AVI SET BIRDERS**

Contacts: Liz Winant (858) 481-7447, lwinant@ucsd.edu
Our birding group meets promptly at 8am the second Monday of each month during the academic year. The La Jolla group will meet at the corner of Dunaway Dr. and Glenwick Pl. in La Jolla. The North County birders will meet at a TBD location. We will carpool from these locations to sites around the county. Members will be called or e-mailed.

Next outings: June 11 and September 10.

#### **BOOK GROUP**

Contact : Tobe Barban Rothaus (858) 551-8083 or Janet Goff (760) 753-3472

We meet on the second Tuesday of every month at 9:30 AM for chatting; 10 AM for discussion. All are welcome, new and old readers alike. Please join us.

Date/ Title and Author/ Host/ Discussion Leader

JUNE 12: "Freedom" by Jonathan Franzen/Barbara Penn/TBA JULY 10: "Murder on the Leviathan" by Boris Akunin/Estelle Shabetai/Donna Weeks

AUG 14: "In the Garden of Beasts" by Eric Larson/Ruth Stern/

Marianne Burkenroad
SEPT 11: Annual Planning Meeting/Host is Coyla Wilson

Next meetings: see above

#### **BOARD GAME ENTHUSIASTS**

Contact: Marianne Burkenroad, 858-454 5931 or maburk2011@gmail.com
Please contact Marianne Burkenroad about the summer schedule.
Next meetings: ??

#### CAFÉ ESPAÑOL

Contact: Beate Menzel jrblmenzel@sbcglobal.net or 619 401 1557 This conversation group is designed for fluent Spanish speakers who wish to keep up their Spanish and learn new vocabulary. We meet the first Wednesday of the month. One hour of conversation and one hour of reading aloud and group discussion. We will also try Scrabble in Spanish! La proxima reunión de Café Español será el miercoles, primer de agosto, 1:30-3:30, en la casa de Vicki Lindblade. El segundo de mayo al mismo tiempo nos vemos en la casa de Alicia Flores.

Por favor mande una carta electronica a Beate Menzel (jrblmenzel@ sbcglobal.net) o llame a ella (1 619 401 1557) para informarla si quiere venir.

Next meeting: NO MEETING IN JUNE, JULY, but August 1.

#### CAFÉ FRANÇAIS

Contact: Mary Hanson (858) 456-1304; mhanson@san.rr.com Notre prochaine réunion aura lieu le 13 juin à 1h chez Mary Hanson. Puis nous serons en vacances jusqu'au mois d'octobre.

Next meeting: June 13.

#### **CINEMA SOIRÉE**

Contact: Roswitha Enright (858) 459-7375

The group meets at a designated home on the **second Sunday** of each month (all year long) at 7:00pm for socializing; movie discussion starts at 7:30pm sharp. Light refreshments will be served. You will be contacted by e-mail about which movie to see and where to meet. For more information call Roswitha.

Next meetings: June 10, July 8, August 12, September 9, etc.

#### **DAY BRIDGE**

Contact: Beate Menzel (619) 401-1557 or jrblmenzel@sbcglobal.net We meet the **first and third Tuesdays** of the month all year long at various members' homes. We start at 10am and usually end at or before 3pm. Everyone brings her/his own lunch. The hostess will provide drinks. Call for information.

Next meetings: All year.

#### **EVENING BRIDGE**

Contact: Barbara Bank at (858) 484-4597 or barbara@sdna1.ucsd.edu The couples Evening Bridge Interest Group meets at 7:00pm on the **fourth Saturday** of the month all year long at one of our members' homes. If you wish to play on a regular basis, or just occasionally, please contact Barbara Bank.

Next meetings: All year.

#### **GERMAN KAFFEEKLATSCH**

Contact: Roswitha Enright 858 459-7375 (renright@ucsd.edu) This group is for beginners and experienced German speakers alike. Guaranteed no pressure. Just come on the **3rd Tuesday at 4pm** and have a good time. Only German spoken. If you want to join, please call Roswitha.

Next meetings: All year (not this June)

#### **GOURMET GROUP**

Contact: Susan Starr 858 455 1630 or susanstarr1@gmail.com
This is a group for those who like to try cooking new things. We meet several times a year, at members homes, and each person brings an assigned dish or course. The group is currently full but if you'd like to be notified when there is an opening, or a new group is forming, please email Susan Starr at the address above.

Next meetings: Please call contact.

Growing old is mandatory;

#### **GRACIOUS AGING**

Contact: Stephanie Freeman, 619-417-2969
This group has an age requirement. You must have lived 80 years to participate!
We meet to discuss a variety of topics on the first Monday of the month from 11:00 to 2:00 at the Quaker House, 7380
Eads Ave. in La Jolla. Bring your own apple (lunch). Call Stephanie to confirm or

for more details.

Next meetings: All year.



#### HIKING IN AND AROUND SAN DIEGO COUNTY

Contact: Roswitha Enright (858) 459-7375, renright@ucsd.edu We meet at 8:30am on the second Saturday of each month (October to May or June) at the La Jolla Village Shopping Center parking lot and carpool to the starting point of the hike. Bring a lunch, plenty of fluids, sturdy shoes and sun protection! Friends and family are invited. Call the week before the hike if you would like to come.

Next hike: October 13.

#### MICROBREWERY BEER TASTING

Contact: Barbara Bank at 858-484-4597 or bbank@ucsd.edu
Judy Vacquier at 858-459-7834 or jvacq@sbcglobal.net
San Diego is home to many award-winning handcrafted beers.
We will visit a different brewery tasting room or ale house one
Saturday each month to sample beer and food alternating with a beer tasting potluck at members' homes.

Next meeting: No meeting in the summer.

#### **MOVEABLE FEAST I**

Contact: Liz Fong Wills (858) 454-6858; lizfongwills@yahoo.com This dining-out group is currently at capacity but we are taking a wait list.

Next meeting: contact Liz Fong Wills

#### MOVEABLE FEAST II

Contact: Mary Cutchin (858) 459-8074 or marycutchin@yahoo.com This group meets every other month for drinks at a member's house. From there we carpool to the restaurant. Contact Mary Cutchin for information and reservations.

Next meeting: Call contact.

#### **MUSEUM FRIENDS**

Contact: Barbara Starkey 858-453 0779 or bstarkey@san.rr.com This group meets on a somewhat irregular basis. Upcoming trips will be posted on the Oceanids listserv. Check your newsletter as well.

Next meeting: Call contact.

#### PHOTO DIGERATI

Contact: Jane Takahashi jtakahashi@san.rr.com

We meet on the second and fourth Tuesday from 1 to 4 pm each month. 1st meeting is at Jane's home. On the 2nd meeting we go on a field trip. This is for all who are interested in learning more about digital photography. For more information call Jane. **Next meetings: Call contact.** 

#### PIANO AND CHAMBER SOIRÉE

Contact: Judy Vacquier (858) 459 -7834 or jvacq@sbcglobal.net
This group is for amateurs who need a motivation to practice
and want to perform in a relaxed, fun setting among friends. We
welcome piano, chamber instruments and voice, classical, jazz
and popular music, solos and ensembles. We usually meet the
fourth Sunday at 4 pm, but watch for exceptions. This group is
currently at capacity and has a waiting list. The next meeting will
be at the home of Vicky Yablonski on Sunday, June 24 at 4 pm.
Please RSVP to Judy at 858-459-7834 or jvacq@sbcglobal.net and to
Vicky at victoria.yablonski@gmail.com. Contact Judy re: meeting
in July..

Next meetings: June 24.

#### **SOUNDING BOARD**

Contact: Judy Vacquier (858) 459 -7834 or jvacq@sbcglobal.net **Next meetings: October 4.** 

#### **STAMP GROUP**

Contact: Betty Shor (858) 453-0334 betty.shor@gmail.com We do not meet on a regular basis, but welcome other collectors to join our informal exchange.

#### **WEDNESDAY COFFEE**

Contact: Georgina Sham 858-459-1336 Liz Fong Wills 858-454-6858 Marie Perroud 858-657-0373

Come join our social group of Oceanids, newcomers, postdocs, students, and their children for refreshments at the International Center every Wednesday, 10am-12 noon during the academic year. You'll make friends and learn strange and wonderful American customs.

Visit the Kitchen Exchange where newcomers can rent kitchen, household, and baby equipment for a small fee.

#### **WINE TASTING I**

Contact: Elisabeth Smith 858-279-1233 e-mail: egsmith99@hotmail. com Exploring the taste sensations of a new wine or an old vintage, this group meets the third Friday monthly. Members rotate as hosts. This group is again open to new members. For questions, contact Elisabeth Smith.

Next meetings: All year.

#### WINE TASTING II

Contact: Barbara Scholz (858) 350-6014 or bscholz@hotmail.com We meet monthly. Members rotate as hosts. The cost for wine and food is shared among the people attending (approximately \$8.00 per person).

Next meeting: call contact.

#### WITS II

Contact: Bev Douglas (858) 453-4938

WITS II uses the principles of NAIC to study and evaluate companies for stock purchases. We meet on the 4th Wednesday from 3:30 to 5pm. If fewer than 5 will be available we do not meet. **Next meeting: All year.** 

**SOUNDING BOARD** is a lecture series of speakers during the academic year, every first Thursday at 12 noon, sponsored by UC San Diego Oceanids and the UC San Diego Faculty Club. Oceanids, faculty and friends meet at the UCSD Faculty Club in a specially designated room to eat lunch and listen to fascinating speakers. Lunch is \$12.50 for guests and \$8.50 for Faculty Club members. In order to get the room for free we do not bring our own lunch but purchase it at the Faculty Club. Coffee and iced tea are provided in the meeting room. A parking permit can be obtained at the front desk. You can be sure of a lively discussion!



## NO SOUNDING BOARD UNTIL OCTOBER!!

#### Oceanids 2012 Fellowship Awardees:

Frieda Daum Urey Academic Fellowship(\$3,500 each)

James Daniels - Anthropology

Alessandra Brivio - History

Frieda Daum Urey Endowed Fellowship(\$3,000 each)

Tiffany Dunbar - Biology

Yvonne Wu - Music

Bertha Lebus Scholarship (\$2,000)

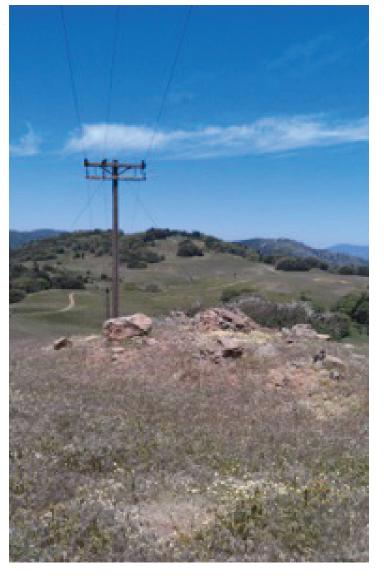
Kevin Smith - Psychology

Liz Winant

#### PLEASE....

Put this important date \( \)
ON your calendar:
Saturday, October 20
for the Oceanids
Potluck Fall Brunch
at the

International Center



**CARTA** (Center for Academic Research & Training in Anthropogeny), which is an organization at UCSD devoted to the study of human origins (aka anthropogeny).

**CARTA** hosts 3 public symposia each year on different subjects related to human origins. Typically, these symposia take place in April, October, and December of each year. The schedule for this year:

Oct 5, 2012 (Fri) -1 pm - 5:30 pm

Human Origins: Lessons from Autism Spectrum Disorders

http://carta.anthropogeny.org/events/autism-a-window-human-origins

**Dec 7**, 2012 (Fri) – 1 pm – 5:30 pm The Evolution of Human Nutrition http://carta.anthropogeny.org/events/the-evolution-of-human-nutrition

Please check the websites for more information.

Dear Oceanids,

Perhaps you have someone dear to you who has very poor or no vision.

One of our members alerted us to a wonderful organization. Her daughter has struggled with blindness for several years. Since she found out about the San Diego Center for the Blind a couple of months ago, she has been going to the free classes and counseling. It has profoundly changed her outlook on life, she has made new friends and sees hope for a future.

The SDCB is a not-for-profit organization and is funded solely by private donations. They do not receive any government funding and are not reimbursed by insurance companies for their services.

The Center has programs in San Diego, 5922 El Cajon Blvd, SD, CA 92115 (619 8238373) and in Vista, CA 92084 on 1385 Bonair Rd. (760 7585956).

Free transportation to and from the Center is provided.

You might want to consider a donation to this worthy cause.



#### OCEANIDS IS OPEN TO ALL WHO ARE INTERESTED IN UCSD

Print your name as you would like it to appear in	n the OCEANIDS DIRECTORY. Check here if you don't want to be listed:
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OAKLAND — University of California President Mark G. Yudof announced on May 3 that he has selected Pradeep K. Khosla, dean of Carnegie Mellon University's highly regarded College of Engineering, also known as the Carnegie Institute of Technology, to serve as the eighth Chancellor of the University of California, San Diego.

Citing Dean Khosla's accomplishments as a leader, educator and researcher, Yudof said he emerged as the top candidate after an international search.

Details of the appointment will be voted on at the May 16 meeting of the UC Board of Regents. Khosla will succeed Marye Anne Fox on Aug. 1. Fox, who announced her resignation last year, will continue serving as chancellor until then.

"In slightly more than 50 years, UC San Diego, under the leadership of Marye Anne Fox and her predecessors, has become one of the world's top universities," Khosla said. "I feel fortunate, humbled and energized to have the opportunity to contribute to that excellence while embracing the challenges of integrating world-class research with an undergraduate educational experience that will remain accessible to all, regardless of family income."

Khosla and his wife, Thespine, are the proud parents of Nathan, 21, Alex, 14, and Nina, 11.

Oceanids' eBay Fundraiser Fetches over \$2,500 in 2012

Thanks to Oceanids' donors and the hard-working Oceanids' eBay team, our eBay fundraiser brought in over \$2,500 this year. The money from sales of donated items on eBay goes into our UCSD Foundation Oceanids account and supports student activities such as the Chancellor's Run, the Ph.D. Conference, the Student Health Clinic and Friday Café. Here are a few of the many items that sold, among 116 donations from Oceanid members, family and friends.

We are likely to undertake this successful fundraiser again so please keep a place in your closet for possible donations to Oceanids! Again, many thanks to our generous donors and to members who worked on the 4-month event, from January through April 2012. Charitable donation receipts will be sent out in the next few months to donors whose items sold. If you donated an item that didn't sell, please consider donating it again next year.



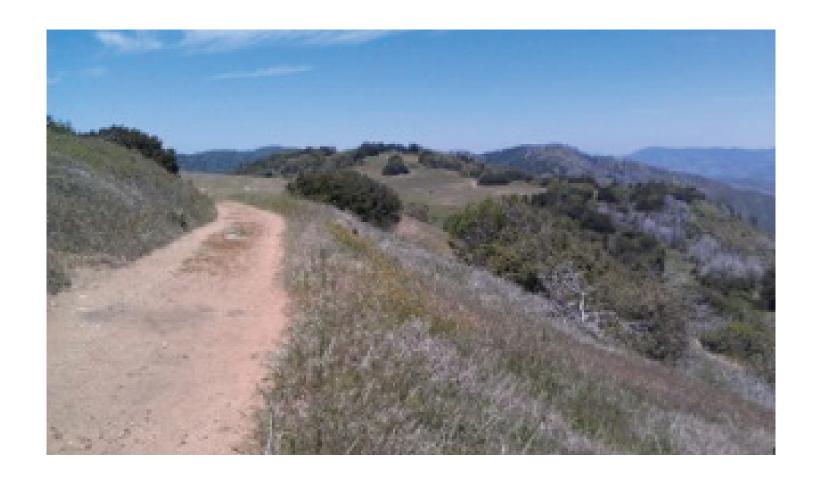






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Tax receipts for the sold items will be sent out to the donors in a few weeks



# **JUNE 2012**

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