

# S.N.A.I.L. News

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Representing over 800 households Established in 1995

#### **APRIL 2003**

## SNAIL General Meeting Thursday –April 3rd

Topic: Schools in Our Neighborhood Speaker: School Administrators from

Columbia and Bishop Schools

Do you have questions about the schools in our neighborhood? This is an opportunity to meet with the school officials to discuss our concerns.

Location: Columbia Middle School

Teacher Lounge

*Time*: 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

All SNAIL area residents and guests are welcome. It is OK to bring children.

# Daylight Savings Time Sunday – April 6<sup>th</sup>

Reminder – move clocks one hour *forward*, and change the batteries in your smoke alarms.

# Volunteer Opportunity –National Youth Service Day - Sunnyvale Saturday - April 12<sup>th</sup>

National Youth Service Day is a part of the initiative sponsored by Parade Magazine and AT&T. Youth teams will fix up the site and park at Columbia School. Adults are welcome to assist. You can sign up with a group or as an individual. Call Claire at 730-7533 or cgarcia@ci.sunnyvale.ca.us.

# Sunnyvale's Garage Sale Day Saturday - April 26th

Join others in Sunnyvale on April 26<sup>th</sup> for "Garage Sale Day." There is no need to register your sale with the City of Sunnyvale.

To receive a Garage Sale Kit, call the Sunnyvale Recycling Program at (408) 730-7262 or download the kit online. The kit will be available on **March 31**.

# People's Earth Day Sunday – April 27<sup>th</sup>

Resources for Families and Communities, along with other non-profit groups, is celebrating People's Earth Day. Planned family activities include progressive performance, visual arts, multi-cultural foods, and health resources.

For more information and location, please call Elaine at 749-1846 or e-mail at: chairperson@snail.org

## Dinner –Hardy's German Restaurant *Monday – April 28th*

Each month, we pick a different restaurant in Sunnyvale to show our support in the community. This month, we have chosen Hardy's German Restaurant. Our get-togethers are fun! Socialize with neighbors, both new and old.

Location: Hardy's German Restaurant

East Evelyn (across from end

of Murphy St.)

*Time:* 6:45 p.m.

Call Jeannie Biddle at 734-0739 for more information and reservations.

## **New Police Dispatch Number**

The Sunnyvale Public Safety department has a new dispatch phone number to report issues that require IMMEDIATE attention but are not a lifethreatening emergency. For example, if you see speeding cars (in progress), graffiti being painted on a fence, a broken traffic signal, or even a vehicle blocking your driveway, call 730-7180. If you have doubt as to whether or not the issue is an emergency, it is OK to call 911 anyway. Issues not requiring immediate attention may be called in to the desk officer at 730-7110. If you have any questions about public safety, call Officer Dave Falletta, SNAIL's Neighborhood Resource Officer, at 730-7148.

### Did you know...

Vehicles cannot be stored on private property in an inoperable, wrecked, or dismantled condition, unless the vehicle is located in an enclosed building out of public view. If you have any questions about neighborhood appearance issues, please email np@snail.org or call Jim at 737-9479.

## Parking Near Light Rail

There is free parking available for the VTA Light Rail Lockheed Martin station in the parking lot on 5th Avenue, off of Mathilda, behind the Juniper Networks building. Most of the parking spaces are for Juniper Networks employees, however, some spots are designated for Light Rail passengers. These spots are indicated by the words "PARK N RIDE" painted on the asphalt. From these parking spots, it is just a short stroll via a controlled pedestrian crossing across Mathilda to the Light Rail station.

#### Founders' Corner

"They that give up essential liberty to obtain a little temporary safety deserve neither liberty nor safety."

Benjamin Franklin

"He who knows nothing is nearer to the truth than he whose mind is filled with falsehoods and errors."

Thomas Jefferson

## SNAIL BOARD and CITY of SUNNYVALE SUPPORT STAFF

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