

# NIPOMO NEWCOMERS & SOCIAL CLUB

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**PLEASE NOTE:** The Newsletter DEADLINE is the 25<sup>th</sup> of the month.

## FROM THE PRESIDENT

The summer weather is finally here and I see lots of people out and about enjoying it! We're so lucky to live in such a beautiful area where the climate is so pleasant!

NNSC continues to host special events, and August is no different. August 6<sup>th</sup> will be a fun afternoon in Santa Barbara to attend a Polo match. I've never seen one in person, have you?

September will be a relaxing afternoon cocktail cruise on a Tiki boat in Morro Bay. October will enjoy another Wine meet-up. In November, we will take a trip to the small-but-mighty Santa Barbara Zoo.

Finally, our December event will be an amazing evening tour of Hearst Castle, all dressed up in Christmas decor. Get your tickets as soon as they are available, because these events sell out quickly. Watch for more information...

Hope to see you soon! ~Sally Hill

## OUT & ABOUT IN AUGUST

A sampling of local activities to check out online:

|                        |   |                  |
|------------------------|---|------------------|
| Tues                   | <b>SLO Farmers Market</b> – Farm Supply, SLO              | 2:30-5:30 PM     |
| Weds                   | <b>PB Farmers Market</b> – Pismo Beach Promenade          | 4-7 PM           |
| Weds                   | <b>AG Farmers Market</b> – by Smart & Final, AG           | 8:30 -11 AM      |
| Thurs                  | <b>SLO Farmers Market</b> – Downtown SLO                  | 6-9 PM           |
| Fridays                | <b>Avila Beach Farmers Market</b> – Free music, AB        | 4-8 PM           |
| Sat                    | <b>AG Farmers Market</b> – E Branch Lot, AG               | 12 -2:30 PM      |
| Fridays                | <b>Live Music</b> – Blacklake Golf Resort (weekly)        | 5 – 7 PM         |
| Sat/Sun                | <b>Live Music</b> – Blacklake Golf Resort (weekly)        | 1 – 4 PM         |
| Fridays                | <b>Concerts in the Plaza</b> – Mission Plaza, SLO         | 5-8 PM           |
| Every Sat              | <b>Concerts on the Green</b> – Sea Pines Resort, Los Osos | 2-8 PM           |
| Every Sat              | <b>Free SLOMA Tours</b> – Museum of Art, SLO              | 11 AM-12 PM      |
| Sundays                | <b>Summer Concert Series</b> – Heritage Sq. Park, AG      | 1-3 PM           |
| Sundays                | <b>Summer Concert Series</b> – Ramona Park, GB            | 3-6 PM           |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday | <b>Pacific Breeze Concerts</b> – Dinosaur Caves Park, SB  | 1-4 PM           |
| 8/2-9/9                | <b>Gold Fever</b> , G.A. Melodrama, Oceano                | days/times vary  |
| 8/4-6                  | <b>Orcutt Mineral Show</b> , Nipomo HS                    | 10 AM – 5 PM +/- |
| 5                      | <b>GM Truck Show</b> , Avila Beach Golf Resort            | 9 AM             |
| 5                      | <b>Coastal Dunes Writers Group</b> , Nipomo               | 10 AM            |
| 5                      | <b>Obon Festival</b> , SLO Buddhist Church, SLO           | 12-4 PM          |
| 5                      | <b>Curtis Cook Comedy</b> , Odd Fellows Hall, SLO         | 7-9 PM           |
| 10                     | <b>Patty Smith</b> , Fremont Theatre, SLO                 | 8 PM             |
| 11                     | <b>Outdoor Movie: Cars</b> , Ramona Garden Park, GB       | 6 PM             |
| 8/11-27                | <b>Stones in His Pockets</b> , SLO Rep                    | days/times vary  |
| 13                     | <b>Mother Corn Shuckers</b> , AG Rec Services             | 1 PM             |
| 8/13-9/18              | <b>Woodturners Juried Art Show</b> , M Bay Art Center     | 12-4 PM          |
| 8/17-9/10              | <b>Book of Will</b> , PCPA, Hancock CC                    | days/times vary  |
| 19                     | <b>Roadhouse Night</b> , Edwards Barn, Nipomo             | 5 PM             |
| 20                     | <b>Free Family Day</b> , SLO Botanical Garden             | 10- AM 4 PM      |
| 20                     | <b>Summer Concert Series</b> , Ramona Garden Park, GB     | 3 PM             |
| 20                     | <b>Day in the Park Car Show</b> , Santa Maria             | 3 – 11 PM        |
| 22                     | <b>Judy Collins</b> , Clark Center, AG                    | 7:30 PM          |
| 26                     | <b>Molly Ringwald Project</b> , Santa Maria Country Club  | 4-7 PM           |
| 26/27                  | <b>Stone Soup Music Fest</b> , Ramona Park, GB            | 10 AM -10 +/-    |



TGIF2 enjoyed food & company at Helen Dario's. (7/28/23)

## A NOON SCENE

The quiet August noon has come;  
A slumberous silence fills the sky;  
The winds are still, the trees are dumb,  
In glassy sleep the waters lie.

~William Cullen Bryant

## Sunshine Corner




If you know someone who is ill and can use a get-well card or a remembrance card, please contact...

**Chris Williams**  
805-619-7825



# AUGUST 2023 - SCHEDULE OF EVENTS NOTE: Check with activity chairperson for monthly schedule changes.

| Sunday                  | Monday   | Tuesday                  | Wednesday   | Thursday   | Friday  | Saturday |
|-------------------------|--|--------------------------|---|--|---|----------|
| 30                      | 31<br>July   | 1<br>Full Moon           | 2<br>10:00 Beach Walkers<br>1:00 Bridge 1                                       | 3<br>12:00 Lunch Bunch 2   | 4<br>1:00 Bridge 3  | 5        |
| 6<br>Santa Barbara Polo | 7<br>TBD Men's Golf - AM<br>12:30 Mahjong                        | 8                        | 9<br>10:00 Beach Walkers<br>1:00 Bridge 2<br>1:00 Hand & Foot 1                 | 10<br>TBD GGs  | 11<br>1:00 Mexican Train<br>1:00 Women's Poker<br>5:30 TGIF 1 | 12       |
| 13                      | 14<br>TBD Men's Golf - AM<br>9:00 Women's Hiking<br>1:00 Bunco 2 | 15<br>2:00 Mexican Train | 16<br>10:00 Beach Walkers<br>1:00 Bridge 2<br>1:30 Book Group 1<br>6:30 Bunco 1 | 17 1 <sup>st</sup> Day of School (LMUSD)<br> | 18<br>1:00 Bridge 3<br>5:30 TGIF 3                            | 19       |
| 20                      | 21<br>TBD Men's Golf - AM<br>12:30 Mahjong<br>1:00 Book Group 2  | 22                       | 23<br>10:00 Co-ed Hiking<br>12:00 Lunch Bunch 1                                 | 24<br>1:00 Hand & Foot 2   | 25<br>1:00 Bridge 3<br>1:00 Women's Poker<br>5:30 TGIF 2      | 26       |
| 27                      | 28<br>TBD Men's Golf - AM<br>9:00 Women's Hiking                 | 29                       | 30<br>Full Moon   | 31   | 1<br>September  | 2        |

## TIMBRE WINE TASTING Thursday, July 27, 2023



Good friends, beautiful weather, great wine!

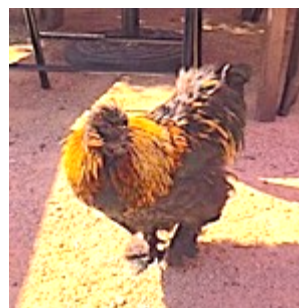


Welcome to new friends and old.

The Timbre Winery Tasting Room in the Village of Arroyo Grande was the site of our second wine meetup of the year. Twenty-one curious oenophiles enjoyed comparing tasting notes and communing with one of the infamous AG chickens! Thanks to Deb Sherry for organizing this fun event...



A relaxing afternoon for all...





# GROUP ACTIVITIES...



Women's Hiking at Estero Bluffs State Park, Cayucos. (7/10/23)



Racks of growing mushrooms...

Did you know that gourmet mushrooms are grown commercially in Paso Robles? Neither did the GGs, but boy, what an exceptional tour! Some of us bought kits so we could try growing mushrooms at home. Lunch afterwards was at Finca, where we could order mushroom tacos & burritos. Such a treat!



Bunco 2: Happy winners! (7/11/23)



Page Turners reviewed 'Tea Girl of Hummingbird Lane' at Susane Fiola's home. (7/17/23)



The GGs learned all about mushrooms. (7/13/23)



The Women hiked Morro Strand. (7/24/23)



# Activities Corner...



Good things are happening!

The newly-formed **Mexican Train II** started in June and everyone's having fun. We meet on 3rd Tuesdays at 2:00 PM in the Blacklake Community Room. We can still take additional members.

New Groups being formed:

- **3rd Bunco** group. This will be an evening group. There has been a lot of interest, but we need 12 players to get started.
- **Performing Arts/Theater/Musical** group. A Planning meeting will be held in August.
- A **second Beach Walkers** group to meet on the 1st and 3rd Mondays at 10:00 AM.
- A **Women's 9 Hole Golf Group** that is relaxed, non-competitive and out to just have fun...

If you're interested in participating in any of these activities, please contact Cici Wynn:  
[ciciwynn@gmail.com](mailto:ciciwynn@gmail.com) or call/text at (805)458-5942

## 2023 EVENTS - LOOKING AHEAD

**August 6** – Santa Barbara Polo – 4 PM, \$40 (see below)

**Sept 21** – Tiki Hut Morro Bay Cruise – 2 PM, \$29 (see below)

**Oct 19** – Wine Meet-Up (TBD)

**Nov 16** – Santa Barbara Zoo, 11 AM, \$25

**TBD** – Hearst Castle Xmas Tour, 5 PM +/-



Watch for updates & more information to come. Check out our website: [www.nipomonewcomers.com](http://www.nipomonewcomers.com)

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## POLO OUTING

**SOLD OUT**



Come join us for a Sunday afternoon Polo Match at the  
**SANTA BARBARA POLO & RACQUET CLUB**  
3300 Via Real, Carpinteria, CA  
(Will Prince Harry be there???)

**AUGUST 6<sup>TH</sup>**  
**4:00 PM**

**\$40 PER PERSON**

(CARPOOLING WILL BE AVAILABLE)

RSVP to Vicky Sady.

Send your **\$40 Check** by **JULY 6<sup>TH</sup>** to Vicky at:  
765 Mesa View Dr #107, Arroyo Grande, CA 93420  
(Payable to: NIPOMO NEWCOMERS)

laneasady@gmail.com  
or 916-202-2670

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## Morro Bay Tiki Boat Harbor Cruise & Early Dinner



**SOLD OUT**

Come join us for a 45-minute guided harbor cruise around Morro Bay. Enjoying local wildlife like sea otters, sea lions, and learn the history of the area. 1950s style tiki cocktails as well as a limited selection of beer and wine can be purchased with cash or card.

**Get into the TIKI GROOVE and dress in your favorite TIKI ATTIRE!**

**Thursday September 21, 2023 ✨ 2:00 PM**

Morro Bay Embarcadero - 845 Embarcadero, Suite D - Morro Bay

**\$29.00 per person for cruise**

(includes ticket, tax and tip)

**Space is limited**

**No Host Dinner to follow at the HARBOR HUT**

1205 Embarcadero, Morro Bay

Please send your check by **August 20<sup>th</sup>** to:  
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