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**Hospice of the East Bay**  
Become a volunteer with Anna's Program, a specialized program of Hospice of the East Bay, which provides support to women in Central and East Contra Costa who have been diagnosed with recurrent breast cancer. To apply for free training, call Hospice of the East Bay at (925) 887-5678 and ask for the Volunteer Department, or email volunteers@hospiceeastbay.org.

## PIONEER INFO CONTACT US

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Weddings, engagements, anniversaries, births and deaths all weave together as part of the fabric of our community. Please let us know of these important events. We ask only that the announcement be for a Clayton resident. You will find the appropriate form for your announcement on our Website. Attach your photo to the form. Make sure the image size you are about to send is at least 3 MB but not bigger than 6MB. The only format we accept is JPG. You can also mail or bring your print to the office and we can scan it for you.

Also on our Web site are forms for submitting Community Calendar items and press releases for your organization.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Clayton Pioneer welcomes letters from our readers. As a general rule, letters should be less than two double spaced pages and submitted at least one week prior to publication date. Letters concerning current issues will have priority. We may edit letters for length and clarity. All letters will be published at the editor's discretion.

Please include your name, address and daytime telephone number. We will not print letters from "anonymous."

E-mail your letter in a Word Document to tamara@claytonpioneer.com. Letters MUST be submitted via E-mail.



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## CALL FOR LOCAL ARTISTS

**The Clayton Community Library Foundation, (CCLF), a 501c3, non-profit organization is seeking artists, musicians, authors, storytellers and environmental groups to join them during the 5th annual Creekside Arts Celebration.**

This free public event will again highlight both visual and performing arts and entertainment for all ages, environmental groups, a local celebrity guest author and participation from local schools.

**This year's event will be held on Friday evening, February 29th; Saturday, March 1st and Sunday, March 2nd.** Friday evening will include an artists "mini-showcase" with a sampling of art for sale, a "live" rap-tor, a musical performance and refreshments. Saturday will include ongoing environmental groups, art sales, live demonstrations, authors book signing during "Meet the

Author", as well as performances by the local community. On Sunday the art sales continue along with environmental groups and performances by local professional musicians. The weekend celebration will be held in the Library Community Room, adjoining outdoor courtyard and interpretive area in the certified wildlife habitat. The artisans will be both demonstrating and selling their art-forms throughout the inside of the library as well.

Artists are requested to donate \$25 for participation as well as a small percentage (20%) of their profits that will go towards supporting the library wildlife habitat and environmental programs and related materials for the library. CCLF will provide all advertising and publicity for this community fundraising event.

Call **Arlene Kikkawa-Nielsen, Community Events Coordinator, CCLF at 673-9777, e-mail akikkawa@ccclib.org**

## Citizen's Advisory Committee Contra Costa Transportation Authority

The city of Clayton is accepting applications for a Clayton resident to serve on the CC Transportation Authority's Citizen's Advisory Committee (CAC).

The CAC serves the Regional Authority by reviewing and commenting on the Authority's implementation of Measures C and J (1/2 cent countywide sales tax).CAC's role includes reviewing compliance checklists submitted by the government jurisdictions in fulfillment of growth management requirements and advising the Authority on strategic policy issues pertaining to the ongoing business of the Authority.

**Applications may be obtained in person or by mail from**  
**City Hall, 6000 Heritage Trail, 673-7300;**  
**or download from the city's Website at www.ci.clayton.ca.us;**  
**or email the City Clerk at ljackson@ci.clayton.ca.us.**

Return a completed application to the City Clerk by **5 p.m., Jan 25, 2008.** The City Council's screening committee will review applications, interview applicants, and recommend appointments to the City Council. Appointment of the City's representative is expected to be made at the first meeting in February.



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