# NEWSLETTER

## Entry Sign Update

At the May 2007 Del Cerro HOA annual membership meeting, interest was expressed in a new "monument style" stone entry sign. In August residents were polled on their sign preferences (including the existing wooden signs) and were asked to vote on which, if any, of the 4 plywood mockups they liked best. In all, 43 residences participated and 39 viewed the mockup alternatives. The winner was a 4-ft. sign with a tapered stone base supporting a wood beam-framed wood sign as shown in the mockup photo. The cost of the new sign (approximately \$6,000) will be covered by City Beautification Grants, \$3,000 this year for the footing & base structure and \$3,000 next year to

add the stone veneer and sign. This year's grant was approved in October and necessary permit applications will be submitted to the City soon.

Submitted by Al Edgerton.



### Of the Hill...

One of our neighbors was "in the pink" by accident. Working on the slope behind his house, he was splattered by gooey fire retardant from a passing helicopter. No explanation. He doesn't smoke, nor does he have red hair. But his wife says, he's hot!

It's not the Austrian Alps, but recently our hill has been alive with the sound of a garage band. At one point in our history there were several such groups, then they gave up? grew up? but the return of such musicians is good to hear!

Yung and Catherine Li are new to Del Cerro, (but not to the Peninsula). They live on Oceanaire along with their two sons: Kevin, a student at Peninsula High, and Michael, a student at Cal Poly.

The Blackwoods, John and Marie, came from Connecticut to Oceanaire with two sons: Jack, enrolled at Peninsula High, and Jim, who's at Ridgecrest.

There are several other recent arrivals: Jim and Colleen Lee on Coveview and Bob Hart, who is readying his home on Oceanaire.

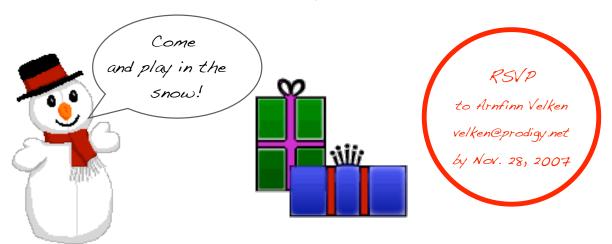
George and Diane Ringer are at home on Crestwind, but will eventually move to their remodeled home on the same street. The Ringers have five-year-old twins, Rex and Nikki, who are kindergartners at Vista Grande. George proves you can go home again. As a youngster he once lived on Oceanaire.

Another family who've chosen Del Cerro: Eric and Marketta Barnett with their three daughters live on Oceanaire. The girls are Erica, Cierra and Ariel.



The Del Cerro Homeowners' Association Invites you to attend The Annual Holiday Party

# SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2007 - 3 - 7 PM AT THE VILLARDI'S HOUSE, 25 CRESTWIND



Golf carts will be available to help people up and down the drive

In order to defray some of the expense: Adults: \$10.00 Children: \$5.00

### Please bring:

- ★ a dessert or side dish to share,
- ★ a prize for the raffle,
- ★ and a new, unwrapped toy to donate to Toys for Tots



<sup>\*</sup>YOU ARE WELCOME TO BRING YOUR OWN WINE OR OTHER ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE TO SHARE.

#### Please Communicate With Your Board

If you have a neighborhood question, or have any ideas for future newsletters, please contact a Board member. We usually meet on the second Monday of each month. If anyone would like to attend a Board meeting to raise an issue, feel free to contact a Board member to find the date of the next meeting and to place your item on the agenda.

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