



NEWSLETTER OF THE GOLETA DEPOT PROJECT

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DEPOT FRIENDS PHOTO Don't forget about the photo of all Depot Friends, to be taken at the depot on Saturday, October 9th, at 2 pm. The photograph will be permanently displayed in the depot museum, along with the list of Depot Friends, and it is important to have as many of **you** in the picture as possible. Copies of the photograph will also be for sale.

Over 50 Depot Friends have already reported that they will take part. Add your name to the list! RSVP by calling 964-3008, anytime, or write to the Goleta Depot Committee, 300 N. Los Carneros Rd, Goleta, CA 93117.

Also remember that the dedication of the depot will take place the following day, Sunday, October 10th. The time for the dedication is also 2 p.m.

DOUBLE-HEADER BARBEQUE The June 5th BBQ at Stow House was a rousing success. Attendance was around 200 again this year and several hundred dollars were raised for the depot. Thanks to the **Goleta Valley Historical Society** for their continuing support of our project.

IN-KIND DONATIONS **Southern California Edison** kindly deducted \$200 from their bill for the installation of electric service to the depot.

The staking of the depot's sewer line was generously donated by **Waters Land Surveying Inc.**

FUNDING COUNTDOWN The project has received a major contribution, totalling \$2000, from the **Raytheon Company**. Special thanks are due to **Frank Umanzio**, local Raytheon manager, and to **George Adams**, of the Depot Committee, for making this important donation possible.

As of June 7th, we are within \$73,000 of the amount needed for project completion. This amount may be in cash or in kind.

LEASING Sub-lease agreements are nearing completion for the building's first three tenants: the **Institute for American Research**, **Goleta Valley Chamber of Commerce**, and **Santa Barbara Audubon Society**. The Audubon Society already has signed their lease and deposited the first and last month's rent. An October 1 move-in date is planned.

Dick Sandow, sub-leasing chairman, reports that there are still approximately 360 square feet of space in the depot available for lease. Tenants must be local nonprofit organizations. Initial leases are for a one-year period. For further information, Sandow may be contacted at Mid-State Bank, 967-0451.

** GOLETA DEPOT DISPATCH **
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FRIENDS OF GOLETA DEPOT The newest Depot Friends are:

Mr and Mrs Jose L. Valdez, Jr.
Sterling B. Iverson, DDS
Raytheon Company
Mrs Mary M. Ankeny
Southern California Edison Co.
Mrs John C. Harlan
Roberta Greenwood

Mr and Mrs William O. Wright
Michael and Susan Shillinger
Performance Engineering
James Higman
Waters Land Surveying Inc.
United Food and Commercial Workers, Local 899 Retirees
Mabel Haskins

Welcome and thank you all for your assistance.

DISPATCH Did you notice the addition to our masthead? We are happy to report that **Kimberly Press** will be donating the printing of future issues of the **Depot Dispatch**. A very special thank you to Kimberly's **Bill McNally** for his assistance in making this possible. Thanks also to **Charlene** and **Ken Doty** for helping prepare the May issue of the **Depot Dispatch** for mailing.

MUSEUM **Gene Allen** reports that **Roger Levenson** has given us some more artifacts for the Depot Museum, including two Southern Pacific lanterns and an engine plate from an old SP locomotive. **Roberta Greenwood** of Pacific Palisades has also donated several pairs of glass doorknobs, which will be used on doors on the second floor.

PATCHES At the end of May, Gene Allen attended the **Los Angeles Live Steamers Annual Spring Meet**. He took along some of our Goleta Depot patches and they sold like hot cakes! Model steam locomotive enthusiasts from all over the United States and Canada (Illinois, Arizona, British Columbia, Alberta, etc.) were among the purchasers.

DEPOT FRIEND OF THE MONTH The Friend of the Month Award for May goes to the many members of the **Cavalletto** family (one line of the family spells the name "Cavaletto") who have helped, in so many different ways, to keep our project going. In addition to several substantial donations and underwriting the restoration of five depot doors, the Cavallettos have also been very supportive of the project's many fundraising events. Norma (Mrs Jack) Cavalletto has worked tirelessly as a member of the fund-raising committee and has been responsible for heading the very successful drive to involve local financial institutions as depot donors. Betty Ann (Cavalletto) Denier is a new member of the fund-raising committee, who will be assisting in the acquisition of in-kind contributions. Congratulations and thank you all!

SUPPORT OUR BUSINESS CONTRIBUTORS! Another way that you can further the depot restoration effort is by patronizing the businesses that have made contributions to the project. Tell them you're a Friend of the Depot and let them know how much you appreciate their support. We can't succeed without them!

LAST CALL We will continue to accept bids on the antique mahogany piano (see the **Depot Dispatch**, Vol 2, No 4.) through the month of June only! For further information, call Phyllis Olsen at 964-3008 afternoons, or 967-6295 evenings and weekends.

DEPOT HISTORY The **Institute for American Research** is working on a history of the depot and the depot project and we are interested in talking to anyone who has **any** recollections or stories to share about the depot. This history will be printed by **Goleta Beautiful** and sold at the depot museum as a supplement to the depot tour. We hope to have it ready by the dedication in October, but to do so we need your help! If you can lend a hand, please call Gary Coombs at 964-3008 or 964-1325.

DEPOT BRICKS We are now selling the last of the bricks from the original foundation. These are being sold for less than current wholesale prices for used brick and are available only in large quantities. For further information, call Nancy Ried at 964-5785.

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Please enter my name as a Friend of Goleta Depot

Name

Street

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Individual/Family \$10 }
Student 5 } or more
Business/Organization 25 }

Make checks payable to: Goleta Beautiful Depot Fund
Mail to: Goleta Depot Project, Box 781, Goleta, CA 93116
All donations are deductible from State and Federal income taxes.