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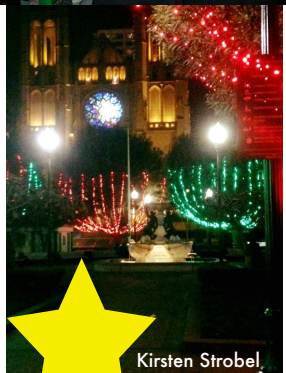
Dear Members,

What a great Tree Lighting Celebration we had this year! Many thanks to all who contributed time, talent and treasure to making this happen! The fountains were splashing and gleaming like they haven't for a long time. The children counted down from 10, the lights came on and the Cathedral bells rang- creating a magical moment for us all. Along the way we were honored to recognize the terrific service of our local Firefighter and Police Officer, Lieutenant Frank Hsieh, SFFD and Captain David Lazar, SFPD; to hear words of welcome and blessing from Supervisor Julie Christensen and the Very Rev. Malcolm Clemens Young, the new Dean of Grace Cathedral; and to dance to the music provided by the Mark Robinson Trio. Cookies and hot chocolate were provided compliments of the Big 4. Lots of new toys were collected for the SFFD Children's Toy Drive. Check out the complete list of folks responsible for the Tree Lighting on the next page.

Make sure to take a look at our calendar of events for fun things that are coming up and please note that our next Happy Hour is at Osso on Dec.14, which is a Monday night. (Not Sunday night as was printed in error in our Notables Newsletter.) Hope to see you there! Come soon for a walk around the Park-the new lawns are beautiful,

Warm regards,

Barbara Mount



Kirsten Strobel

Coming Soon:

Dec. 14, MONDAY, 6-7:30pm:

HAPPY HOUR at OSSO. No host cocktails and complimentary appetizers.

RSVP [Fran@nobhillassociation.org](mailto:Fran@nobhillassociation.org)

Jan. 6, Wednesday: Jazz at the University Club RSVP Required. Call Dan [415.800.7502](tel:4158007502)

Jan. 10, Sunday: 7:30 PM, Bay Area Cabaret, Venetian Room, Fairmont, John Pizzarelli & Jessica Molaskey. For information call 415-927-4636 (See next page also.) [info@bayareacabaret.org](mailto:info@bayareacabaret.org)

Feb. 15, Monday: Nob Hill History, presented by Hudson Bell and Ron Henggeler, TBD

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# Huntington Park Tree Lighting 2015

## Our sincere thanks to:

Supervisor Julie Christensen  
The Very Reverend Dr. Malcolm  
Clemens Young, Dean, Grace  
Cathedral  
Chief Greg Suhr, SFPD  
Deputy Chief Mark Gonzales, SFFD  
Honorees: Captain David Lazar,  
SFPD and  
Lieutenant Frank Hsieh SFFD

**Co-Chairs:** Christina Deeb and  
Israel Hernandez

**Park Committee:** Greg  
Galanos, Greg Cheng, Hudson  
Bell, Allan Casalou

**Park Renovations:** Charlie  
Williams, Daniel Choi, Dick  
Rholoff, Katy Untch

**Executive Board:** Michael  
Baier, Stan Landfair and Judy  
Keyes

**Sponsors:** The Masonic, the  
Fairmont, the Intercontinental Mark  
Hopkins, the Stanford Court and  
the Scarlet Huntington.

**Refreshments:** The Big 4, Nob  
Hill Cafe

**Music:** The Mark Robinson Trio

**Light Installation:** The Silk  
Peddlars-Bobbi and Dan  
Baumgarten, The Masonic, Allan  
Casalou and Dick Gentschel, Ty  
Humpert, Hudson Bell, Rose Rose,  
Brandy Marts, Anne Chognard,  
James Ammerman, Dan Mount

**Cathedral Bells:** Greg Cheng  
and Grace Cathedral

**Publicity:** Tony Malandra, Fran  
Hildebrand, Todd Stein

**Photography:** Ron Henggeler



Hats off to our Firefighter and  
Police Officer of the Year...

*Lieutenant Frank Hsieh and the  
Firefighters of Station 41  
and  
Captain David Lazar and the Police  
Officers at Central Station*  
**CONGRATULATIONS!**  
Thanks for your great service to the  
Nob Hill Community!



*There is still time to donate a toy  
for a child in need!*

Just bring a new unwrapped toy  
to Station 41 and place it in the  
SFFD Toy Barrels located there.

*Happy Holidays, everybody!*



**Bay Area Cabaret presents John Pizzarelli & Jessica Molaskey**

Sunday - Jan. 10, 2016 - 7:30 p.m.

Venetian Room - Fairmont San Francisco

Special NHA Discount!

Bay Area Cabaret invites Nob Hill Association members and their guests to attend this exclusive San Francisco engagement of Grammy-nominated jazz guitarist/vocalist John Pizzarelli and Broadway star Jessica Molaskey. The husband/wife duo return to Bay Area Cabaret with their latest show, *Grownup Songs*, hailed by *Time* magazine as one of its "Top 10 Shows of the Year" and of which the *NY Times* raved, "*When these musical opposites combine forces, the whole they embody is much greater than the sum of its two equally formidable parts. And at the opening night performance of their new show, Grownup Songs at Café Carlyle, they hit a new peak... In a phrase: this was it.*" This show contains an artful mix of music by Stephen Sondheim, Billy Joel, Irving Berlin, Jonathan Larson, Bud Powell and Adam Guettel, all of it arranged to allow the audience to experience an intimate evening of storytelling, inspiration and emotional truth.

***Special NHA discount:***

Go to <http://www.bayareacabaret.org>, where Nob Hill Association members and their guests can purchase tickets for the special NHA price of \$40 by using the code **NHA** when ordering online.

Bay Area Cabaret is a nonprofit performing arts organization that has been presenting world renowned artists from Broadway, jazz and popular music for over twelve years. In 2010, the Fairmont San Francisco invited Bay Area Cabaret to reopen the legendary Venetian Room, after it had been dark as a musical venue for 21 years, making it our permanent home and breathing new life into this elegant and historic showroom.

Experience a memorable evening of beautiful music in one of the jewels of our city - uniquely Nob Hill, uniquely San Francisco, and right in your own backyard. We look forward to experiencing a Venetian Evening with you!