

Dear Members, Neighbors and Friends,

Happy summer to you all!

Congratulations to our director and business member, Joe Omran, owner of LeBeau's Market, for his certificate of honor, presented by the Board of Supervisors in May. We are very lucky to have Joe here with us on Nob Hill. If you haven't stopped by in a while for a roast chicken or for some amazing ribs, you are missing out! (See pictures and story on p. 2.)

A big shout out and thanks to Lt. Tony Martinez and our local SFFD Station 41 for the amazing neighborhood firehouse tour (see p. 2). We "sold out" and will try to arrange a second chance soon. Kudos and thanks also go to Joe Omran and LeBeau's for the delicious snacks.

This month we feature two of our business Members, Parallel 7 at the Ritz Carlton and The Fine Mousse. Be sure to support your amazing local businesses! What a fantastic way to have a fabulous Sunday Brunch and also to watch the Bachelor (and Bachelorette)! Intriguing? You will find all the details on pages 3 and 4.

Remember--Wind Down with Wine, Bourbon & a Movie at the Top of the Mark! Tuesday evenings from June 7 through August 30 join with friends at the Top of the Mark for wine and bourbon tasting and a movie. June 28 is Star Trek 4: The Voyage Home. Kovac Bourbon tasting starts at 5:30 and the movies start at 7:00. Thanks, again, to Maarten Drenth and our friends at the InterContinental Mark Hopkins for these fun summer evening gatherings!

Mark your calendars for Nov. 13, the II Divo Concert. This a group of four beautiful singers. Check them out here on Youtube: II Divo. Tickets for purchase here: <u>II Divo Tickets</u> Purchase your tickets soon! Thanks to Allan Casalou and our Masonic friends!

I will try to get at least one more summer E-Blast out in late July, pending travel commitments! All the best to you and safe travels! Barbara Mount

Coming Soon:

6/28 Tuesdays through August 30. Wind Down with Wine, Bourbon and a Movie. Top of the Mark! Tasting 5:30. Movie starts at 7:00.

7/6 Jazz Night at the Univ. Club 6:30, RSVP <u>415 800 7502</u> (direct) dan@uclubsf.org

7/30: Walking Tour of Nob Hill with Hudson Bell

9/18: Rosé in the Park

11/13: Il Divo (Masonic Center) Buy tickets now! *Il Divo Tickets*

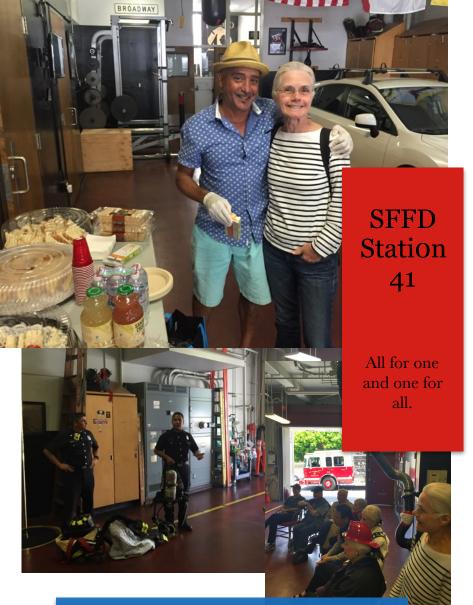
11/28: Annual Tree Lighting in Huntington Park

For more information: fran@nobhillassociation.org

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Joseph Omran Honored at City Hall

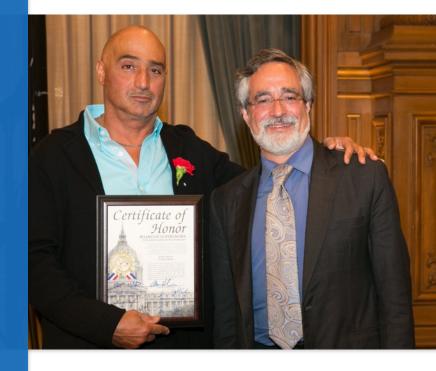
At the Tuesday May 24 meeting of San Francisco's Board of Supervisors, Le Beau Market's owner and community leader Joseph (Joe) Omran received a Certificate of Honor from the Board. In recognition of Small Business Week, Omran, who is on the Board of the Nob Hill Association, was presented the award by Supervisor Aaron Peskin. He was selected from all the businesses in District 3 which spans Nob Hill, Chinatown and North Beach as this year's representative of exceptional small businesses in the District. Congratulations to Omran for this well deserved award.

On June 11 at 1:30pm a band of Nob Hill Association members convened on the neighborhood's fire house, Station 41, on Leavenworth near Clay to meet the brave firefighters who protect the Hill and learn how they keep us safe. Joe Omran, owner of Le Beau Market, was ready for the information seekers with a tasty repast of sandwiches, fruits, vegetables and his homemade dip. Lieutenant Tony Martinez was called in to sub for our own Lieutenant Frank Hsieh who was promoted to Captain at another station for the day.

Association members knew that our meeting could be interrupted at anytime by an emergency but fortunately it was not.

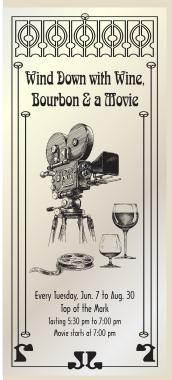
Members learned about the fire protection clothing that firefighters wear to protect them during a fire. They discussed how the fire department knew about disabled people that would not be able to navigate stairs; Martinez emphasized that buildings need to keep current records of disabled residents at the front desk easily accessible by fire department staff. They discussed the type of calls the station gets including many medical ones. Each firefighter is a trained EMT. And what is greatest on the firefighter's wish list? A way of knowing the temperature of a fire while standing outside of it.

Association Member Bonnie Kaiser said the meeting was "informative and fun".Member Joe Seidler thanked the firefighters for all they do for us. The Nob Hill Association echoes these members' thoughts.









Tuesdays at the Top of the Mark! 5:30 Drinks 7:00 Movies

The Mark is celebrating its 90th birthday with Kovac Bourbon bottled especially for the celebration. It will be tasted by moviegoers to compliment the June 28 movie: Star Trek4: The Voyage Home. Movies and tastings continue on Tuesdays through August 30.

As part of the birthday festivities, the Mark is offering Throwback Sundays and Mondays through 8/29 with discounts on selected drinks and appetizers.

NHA Business Member, The Fine Mousse has added Roman Style Pizza to the menu!

The Fine Mousse is still serving up hand-cut french fries (we put the mandolin slicer to work in the kitchen) and other bar snacks (olives, Brussels sprouts, beet salad and more) but we are now working with SF-based crust company, Agricola, headed by Italian natives, to bring Roman-style pizzas to the neighborhood. With toppings ranging from mozzarella di Buffala to basil to San Marzano tomato sauce to gorgonzola and Italian speck it's hard to eat just a slice of the oval-shaped pies. The fluffy crusts are made in a three-day cold fermentation process -- and it makes for some enjoyable and filling eating.

We're doing a lot of fun, creative things with the wine list. Stay tuned for orange bubbly! Our list is always evolving. We also launched happy hour earlier this year. Every evening between 5 pm and 7 pm we offer specials, including free small fries with any bottle purchase.

The Fine Mousse has become the spot to watch the Bachelorette and Bachelor on Monday nights. (FunCheapSF has us listed as an every Monday night activity: http:// sf.funcheap.com/event-series/bachelorette-bingo-snacksreality-show-sf/) A few weeks ago one of the contestants stopped by for a drink! Even without the celebrity sightings, it's pretty fun watching the dramatic reality show -- especially with Bachelor(ette) Bingo!



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Something wonderful is being offered by Business Member The Ritz Carlton and Parallel 37! Coming up on July 10 (Second Sunday Brunch)





Second Sunday Brunch at Parallel 37 Every Second Sunday of the Month

The hotel's award-winning signature restaurant Parallel 37 presents an elaborate Sunday Buffet Brunch every second Sunday of the month by Chef de Cuisine Michael Rotondo featuring a creative spin on California cuisine with delectable fare such as:

Chef's action stations including hand-carved roasted meats such as prime rib and rack of lamb

Raw Bar with delicacies such as oysters, crab, shrimp and other fresh seasonal

seafood Specialty eggs dishes such as Truffle Eggs Benedict Assortment of Dim Sum Selection of Sushi Artisanal local and international cheeses and charcuterie Assortment of seasonal salads Artisanal breads An elaborate Dessert Bar Customize-Your-Own Bloody Mary Bar Mimosas

Offered every second Sunday of the month from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. \$115 per guest, exclusive of tax and gratuity.

For more information and to place a reservation please visit www.ritzcarlton.com/ sanfrancisco or call Restaurant Reservations at (415) 773-6198.

Welcome to our new Business Members!



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Grace Cathedral

Grace Cathedral presents

Mind Travel: Solo Piano featuring Murray Hidary who will present a solo piano performance and visual arts installation.

> Go to Gracecathedral.org for tickets. Wednesday June 29 Reception in the labyrinth 7:00 Performance 7:30-9:00

