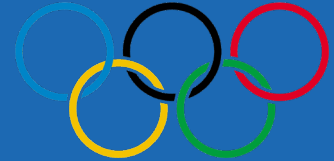


CALIFORNIA MONTHLY ANNOUNCEMENTS AUGUST 2021



FUN DAYS IN AUGUST

August 9: Book Lovers Day
August 10: Smores Day
August 13: Left Hander's Day
August 16: Tell a Joke Day
August 27: Just Because Day



NEW
EXHIBITION

NO WORD FOR 'art'

Contemporary Hmong-American
Art of Northern California

EXHIBITION DATES:
July 29 - Sept 26



There is no word for “art” in the Hmong language, which can make it difficult to explain what fine art is to older Hmong generations. Many Hmong-American youth are discouraged from creative careers by the older members of the family. This is a story that is unfortunately repeated across cultures currently, and many people are afraid to pursue art as their career though it is their passion.

As a society, how do we value art? This exhibition will explore the complexities of Hmong-American identity from the perspective of artists throughout the north state, and provide opportunities for conversations regarding the significance of art. More info [HERE](#)



CHICO SUMMERFEST



The Chico SummerFest is a festival celebrating “All things SUMMER!”

This year’s SummerFest is hosting Live Music, Great Food, CornHole, Gambling Tables, Kids-Zone, Inflatables, Games, Vendors, Shade, and Fun-Filled Competitions.

Saturday, August 21: 1-9pm
<https://www.chicosummerfest.com/>

July Compass Award Winners

Alicia Perez
Edith Salinas
Russell Griggs
Innovations Team

There are now 2 ways to nominate someone! Do what works best for you!

1. Call Recognition and leave a voicemail: 763-494-4553 ext. 222
2. The form can be found and submitted through the website: <https://www.mainsl.com/compass-nomination/>

Congratulations 7th St Centre of the Arts!



7th St has been selected to receive the Celebration of Heroes award as a “Team Hero” for their outstanding work in embracing Inclusion and creating acceptance and opportunities for persons with developmental disabilities and their families in the North State Community.

Africa Mission Trip 10th Anniversary!

The Mains'l mission team leaves for Africa in 4 weeks! In response to the ongoing needs in Zimbabwe we have created a Mains'l Mission Treasure Chest, which is a way for you to support our project efforts with a financial donation, if that is something you'd like to do. Using our US partner, H2O for Life, we have created a link to our Mission Page, where people can send payment directly to the site. Here is a link to the site: [LINK HERE](#).



Thank you, in advance, for your support and/or generous contributions!

COVID 19 Update

We have seen a rise across the world in COVID cases by the Delta variant. CDC has newly edited its recommendation for fully vaccinated people to wear a mask in public indoor settings in areas of substantial or high transmission. Our practices have not changed. Continue to wear face coverings (masks) while working with people supported; masking is especially critical when indoors and when physical distancing is not possible.

Have you checked out Crews Quarters yet?

With Crews Quarters you can:

- View your Job (Training) requirements status
- Register for events – Virtual and In-Person Trainings
- Initiate Self service items- Updating personal info- address, email, phone number, Personal contacts, Direct Deposit information and Demographics
- Document center- View information and Download forms & flyers
- To-Do's, Messages & Notifications

This is the just the first phase – we plan to introduce even more ways for you to effectively update and monitor your own information and training in the coming months.

OPEN POSITIONS

Direct Support Professional

Supported Living Services: Part Time & Full time

Support Coordinator

Supported Living Services: Full time

Job Coach

Employment Eandevors: Part Time

College Plus Program Specialist

College Plus Redding: Full Time

Independent Living Skills Program Specialist

Independent Living Skills: Part Time

**See attached for our
SUMMER REFERRAL BONUS!*

Check out the attached flyers!

- Action for Happiness Calendar: August
- Medica: Playing it safe under the sun
- Summer Referral Bonus Information
- Africa Mission Trip Donations Wish List