Lamorinda decks the halls



Photos Pippa Fisher



Homes across Lamorinda are looking extra festive right now. It seemed that more and more folks were stringing the lights a little earlier this year, in an attempt to bring much needed light and joy after a year sorely in need of

light and joy. In Lafayette's Burton Valley many homes were decked out, some complete with musical recordings and flashing lights. - P. Fisher

Campolindo Leo Club spreads holiday cheer



Photo provided

Leo Olivia, Leo Luca, Lion John and Lion Bob and Leo Marina

Submitted by Bob Murtagh

This the 20th year that the Leo Club has wrapped and delivered Christmas gifts to the patients at Moraga Post Acute Rehabilitation Center in Rheem. Normally the Leos and Lions would deliver the gifts and sing Christmas Carols with the patients. However, this year the gifts were delivered at the door to Leticia Trevino, social director at the center in time for Christmas.

Hopefully next year things will re-

turn to normal.

The Leos and Lions are involved in several local service projects. For more information contact Bob Murtagh at bobmurtagh@gmail.com.

Elementary students climbing the walls during shelter-in-place





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Third-grade twins Isaiah and Clara Sargent, age 8, who have been taking online classes through the Meher School in Lafayette, have literally been climbing the walls during their shelter-in-place experience. "They call their new hobbie 'wedging,'" said mom, Carolyn Talmadge, "and have been doing it often for the past two weeks." They started "wedging" after seeing it done by the donkey in the movie "The Star," Talmadge explained. – J. Wake

David "Scott" Treter

December 1, 1970 - November 9, 2020



avid "Scott" Treter of Lafayette, Calif., passed away peacefully in his sleep on Nov. 9 at the age of 49 after a nine-month battle with Sarcoma, a rare form of cancer.

Scott was born Dec. 1, 1970 in Berkley, Calif., and raised in Orinda, Calif., where he attended Del Rey Elementary School, Orinda Middle School (OIS) and graduated from Miramonte High School in 1989. He went on to the University of Southern California (Fight On!) where he studied economics in the entrepreneurship program and graduated in 1994. Scott then worked as Financial Advisor for Morgan Stanley for 25 years.

A devoted husband, father, son, brother and friend, Scott is survived by his wife of 19 years Sharon DeLauer Treter, his son Nathan Cole Treter

(17), daughter Addison Nicole Treter (14), his parents Diana Ferry Treter and Douglas Earl Treter of Orinda, Calif., his brother Jonathan Paul Treter of Denver, Colo., as well as many loving aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews.

Sharon was the love of his life and they shared a 35-year friendship that eventually "caught fire" after college. He was a staunch advocate and champion of his beloved children and will always be remembered as an incredibly adventurous and loving father.

Scott loved the great outdoors and especially the beauty of Tahoe. True to his warrior's heart, his greatest passion was downhill mountain biking with friends, bombing hills with the few who could keep up and snowboarding with his family. His sharp sense of humor and playful nature was infectious, but his genuine, unconditional love and support for others set him apart from the rest.

Scott will always be deeply loved by his family and an incredible tribe of lifelong friends and clients.

Due to the Coronavirus no immediate memorial service is planned, but a Celebration of Life will be held later next year.

Glenn Jay Robak

August 16, 1943 — November 17, 2020



lenn Robak passed away suddenly at age 77 Jin Houston, Texas. He was born in Richmond, Calif., to Joseph Robak Jr. and Bernice Robak. He was an avid Cal Bears fan, having attended University of California at Berkeley where he received a bachelor's degree and followed by a law degree. After university, Glenn met Carol Thompson (Robak) at the YMCA in Richmond and married in 1969. They moved to Moraga, Calif., where Glenn taught at Camino Pablo Elementary School for 35 years, He was devoted to his students and loved teaching academics and athletics to Moraga children.

Glenn was a devoted family man and loving husband to Carol Robak for 42 years until she passed in 2011. For the final two years

of his life, he was a partner to Barbara Gorman. Glenn had many interests including lighthouses, antiques, crossword puzzles. travel, football, tennis, museums and galleries. He enjoyed cooking and often spent time exploring new recipes. Glenn enjoyed being in his workshop, calling it his "happy place." He was very handy with tools and enjoyed helping others with their household projects. Glenn had a strong spirit, a silly sense of humor, a loving/caring demeanor, and a love for life. He was always welcoming to everyone who walked into his life. He had a remarkable ability to lift your spirits so that

Glenn is survived by his children, Carrie Robak Gifford and her husband Michael Ryan Gifford, and Jason Robak and his wife Marianne Green Robak, and grandchildren, Joseph Robak and Caroline Robak. He is also survived by his sister Joan (Robak) Ostenberg and her husband Gary Ostenberg and their children Kevin, Richard, and Brian. He was an uncle to many nieces and nephews, close to many students in the Moraga community, and had many wonderful longtime friends. He will be deeply missed by family and friends. We are all forever changed by his presence in our lives. The family will be hosting a celebration of Glenn's life at a future date. In lieu of flowers, contributions in memory of Glenn may be made to the American Heart Association at https://www.heart.org, The Parish School at parishschool.org, or Assistance League Thrift Shop at the Wayside Inn, Lafayette, Calif.

Jackie Reising



On Monday, Nov. 9, Jacqueline Jewell Reising passed away at the age of 82 in Walnut Creek, Calif. Jackie was born in Gary, Indiana to Pauline and Edward Jewell, the eldest of three children. She was a loving mother of three and took great pleasure in being a doting grandmother. Jackie now reunites with her late husband Paul Reising, after 49 years of marriage. While they lived all across the country together, they considered Moraga, Calif., their home.

Jackie was the consummate entertainer, the woman with never-ending recipes and menus. A meal at her house was never to be forgotten. She had a passion for volunteering and was active in service organizations, including the Moraga Women's Society, Garden Club and

Diablo Assistance League. She will be remembered as a class act—a charming, caring,

intelligent woman who loved her family around her. She is survived by her brother, Richard, her children, Patti, Jenny, and John, and her

six loving grandchildren, Kendall, Rachel, Jake, Shannon, Nicole, and Olivia. She was preceded in death by her husband Paul and her brother, Robert. A gathering will be held in her honor when it is safe to do so. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Diablo Assistance League.