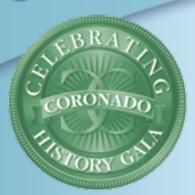
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### **Upcoming Events**

February 24
Wine & Lecture
Georgeanne Irvine,
San Diego Zoo Global

February 25

Youth Workshop: Architecture Painting Guided by artist Susan Stone

March 1

Member Event:
Grand Reopening
Coronado Museum Store

5:30 pm

March 18
Celebrating Coronado
History Gala

March 20 - June 12

3rd Grade

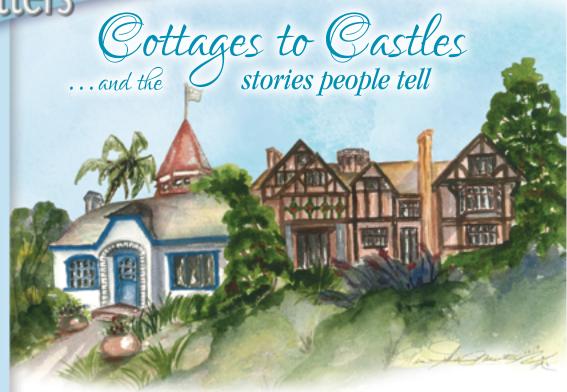
Education Program
(at Coronado Schools sites)

April 14 **Transportation Exhibit Opens** 

May 14 **Historic Home Tour** 

May 25 **Preservation Symposium** 

June 17
Lion Sons Dinner Party
With the
Kingston Trio Tribute Band



The Coronado Historical Association invites you to the

## Celebrating Coronado History Gala

**Please accept our invitation to attend!** The Celebrating Coronado History Gala will be held March 18, 2017 at the Coronado Island Marriott Resort and Spa. The Gala is the biggest fundraiser of the year and provides the financial resources to fund the many programs that benefit the Coronado community.

The theme this year is, Cottages to Castles...and the stories people tell.

The evening will begin with a hosted champagne reception and a silent auction filled with sought after items. The silent auction will be followed by a gourmet dinner ushered in with the music of Coronado resident Marilyn Rees. The emcee for the evening will be KPBS host Elsa Sevilla. Jim Shirey will lead the live auction and "Raise the Paddle." Coronado's own Gerry MacCartee and Nancy Cobb will delight once again with their presentation *Cottages, Castles and Condominiums:* a look back at Coronado Homes.

Honorary Co-Chairs of the event are Bob and Gail Bardin and Drs. Dennis and Holly Nappen. Current CHA Board of Directors member Debbie Bell is this years Event Chair. The event committee includes Lynda Willkie (Co-Chair), Jami Teagle-Burgos, Pat Flynn, Bobbi O'Connor, Donna Ball and Britt Zeller. The Hotel del Coronado is this year's Crown Sponsor and the event is presented with the generous support of Don and Leslie Budinger. The event artwork was created and donated by local artist Helen Moutes.



FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR Janet H. Francis

The members, volunteers, and staff of the Coronado Historical Association have shown great dedication and generosity over the past 48 years. Their visionary efforts have preserved a collection of over 20,000 photographs, 1500 objects and 1000 personal papers. A new donation of great significance was recently received from the Stockdale Family Trust. This collection of items that represent an extraordinary family and its history during a significant period in Coronado and United States history. The collection is a wonderful gift to the community, and it is a privilege that the Stockdale family entrusted CHA to care for these precious resources.

With the Celebrating Coronado History Gala just weeks away, I look forward to our members and the community coming together to once again celebrate Coronado's unique history and collectively raise the funds that ensure that CHA can continue the many programs that benefit the community. The theme "Cottages to Castles" is an appropriate one for a resort town – with all types of homes built around the grandest of castles, the Hotel del Coronado. Moreover, it's a celebration of the many styles of architecture found in Coronado and the unique people that have made Coronado home. Local artist Helen Moutes generously created and donated the unique artwork to represent the event. In the painting, you will probably recognize the Hotel del Coronado turret. Also, included in the scene is the Stevens Terry-Hansen-Mansion and the cottage.

This spring CHA will open a new exhibit highlighting transportation in Coronaodo from 1900 to 1939. It's interesting to note, it was the opening of the Sante Fe Railroad in 1885 that set the stage for Coronado's founders to both meet and plan a resort hotel around a master-planned resort community. Travelers came to town for "a season" with a full entourage of domestic help. During that time in history travelers saved significant time by train over traveling by horse and carriage or ship.

I hope you will take advantage of the many programs and activities planned this winter and spring, all aimed to engage Coronadans of all ages and stages of life. In particular, take note of the many youth programs planned. In addition to the 3rd grade programs that occur each spring, CHA is now hosting a quarterly youth initiative in the Coronado Museum. Each event is designed to connect kids to the historical aspects of our unique community though an engaging activity led by a professional guest.

Finally, many thanks to all of you who supported the year-end annual appeal. Through the generosity of those who gave, we are able to focus on telling the stories of our citizens in new ways.

Thank you!!

Most Sincerely, Janet Francis

## **Thank you to our Annual Fund FY 2016-17 donors**

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## A Donation of Historical Artifacts from the Stockdale Trust

The Coronado Historical Association is delighted to share the news that the Stockdale Family Trust has donated important historical artifacts to CHA. The artifacts include uniform pieces, prisoner of war items, medals, insignia, awards, and writings from the extraordinary life and family story of Coronadans Jim and Sybil Stockdale. As a part of the Coronado Historical Association's permanent collection, each item contributes to the study of the profound impact Admiral and Mrs. Stockdale had on Coronado as well as our nation's history.

In 2015, the Coronado Historical Association worked with Sid Stockdale to present STOCKDALE: CHARACTER, COMMUNITY, LEADERSHIP. The exhibit detailed the extraordinary life and family story of Jim and Sybil Stockdale. Vice Admiral Stockdale earned the Medal of Honor for his "valiant leadership and extraordinary courage" during seven years as a prisoner of war at the Hòa Lò Prison. The exhibition also told the story of his wife Sybil Stockdale, who, while raising

"The most important asset in the collection of Coronado's history is the life and stories of its people. CHA's ability to host events that enable expression of remarkable lives was on full display with last September's event honoring Vice Admiral James Stockdale and Sybil Stockdale."

#### — Don Budinger

their four sons in Coronado during his long captivity, fought tirelessly with fellow wives within the Coronado community and across the country to bring their husbands home. Sybil and many family members were on hand for the opening of the exhibit. Sadly, Sybil passed away on October 10, 2015, shortly after the exhibit opening.

Last September, Don and Leslie Budinger hosted a private reception in the new CHA Lecture Hall to highlight the remarkable impact that Jim and Sybil had on our community. Sid and Taylor Stockdale told personal stories of growing up in Coronado while their father was a Prisoner of war and they provided insights into their personal struggles and celebrations. Sid told one of the most profound stories when he recalled how



Above: Jim Stockdale exiting his aircraft

Left: Jim Stockdale's flight jacket

Stoic philosophy, which his father learned while at Stanford University, helped him overcome his situation while he was a Prisoner of war in Vietnam. Admiral Stockdale embraced the philosophy's values of self-control and fortitude as a means of overcoming his oppressive situation. Sid shared, "Dad would say, it is not so much as what they do to you as what you do with what they do to you." Thanks to the generosity of Mr. and Mrs. Budinger, a recording of the evening's presentation can be viewed at coronadohistory.org.

The Stockdale Family Collection is a hallmark of the Coronado Historical Association's extensive local collections and is cared for by CHA's professionally trained museum staff. Items are cataloged with acute attention to detail, carefully housed using appropriate materials, and stored within the Association's climate-controlled collections vault. Two artifacts, Admiral Stockdale's Prisoner of war shirt and cup, are currently on loan to the Dole Institute of Politics for an exhibition highlighting the strength and fortitude of the wives of Vietnam Prisoners of War.



Portraits: Top: Jim Stockdale 1979. Bottom: Syblil Stockdale 1980. Portraits by Margaret Holland, Sargent

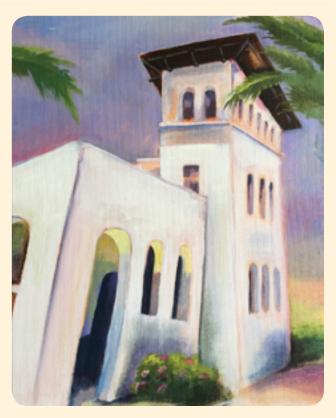
## **Education Corner**

CHA strives to make an impact in the community by sharing history with all ages. Part of that effort is to engage children in their school classrooms, in the community, and in the Coronado Museum. One program recently launched is quarterly youth workshops at the Museum.

The first quarterly initiative was the *Irving J. Gill's Architecture for Kids* workshop. CHA hosted two sessions led by local architects. The children focused on the principles used by Gill and applied what they learned by doing their own architecture drawing. A special thanks to BEEP San Diego, Laura DuCharme Conboy, Cauleen Glass, and the other volunteers who generously gave their time working with participants.

The next quarterly youth initiative, *The Architectural Brilliance of Irving J. Gill,* will be held Saturday, February 25, led by local artist Susan Stone. This workshop will focus on celebrating Irving Gill through painting. Step by step, young artists will create a painting and learn the many ways students can create compositions that focus on architectural design. This is be one project parents or grandparents will proudly want to display.

To reserve a spot for your student at this workshop, email at kestrada@coronadohistory.org.



Susan Stone is a professional artist with more than 20 years of experience as a painter, illustrator, graphic designer, art educator and instructor. To see more of her art visit www.artbysusanstone.com or www.facebook.com/artistsusanstone

## CHA Visits Silver Strand Career Day!

CHA's own Stephanie Washburn and Katelynn Estrada visited Silver Strand Elementary School to talk about what it's like to work at a Museum. Speaking to four 4th grade classes, Stephanie showed students treasures from the archives including Vice Admiral Stockdale's flight helmet. Emphasizing the importance of education, respect, and citizenship, Katelynn and Stephanie encouraged the students to learn more about careers in history.



# Who will be selected for the 2017 GEM Award?

The Coronado Historical Association created the GEM award in 2013. The idea was sparked by thoughtful efforts of homeowners



2017 GEM AWARD PRESENTED BY CORONADO PRIVATE BANK

to preserve and restore homes and turn them into architectural GEMs. The GEM selection committee looks for those properties that show the owners who by "Going the Extra Mile" (GEM) enhance the character of the community. The Award will be announced at this year's Celebrating Coronado History Gala. We hope you join us in honoring our GEM Award winner. This year's nominees: 611 A Avenue, 455 A Avenue, 1308 8th Street and 545 Palm Ave/544 D Ave.

Are you interested in receiving notifications about homes being considered for the Mills Act or homes considered for demolition? If so, email Katelynn at kestrada@coronadohistory.org. You will receive an email prior to each Historic Resources Commission meeting with key agenda items.

## Sacred Heart Church, A Family of Design

Sacred Heart Catholic Church has come a long way since 1887 when Father Ubach from Old Town San Diego, rowed across San Diego Bay to give the first Mass. At that time, the congregation met in a chapel inside the Coronado Beach Building located at 124 Orange Avenue.

The Church quickly enjoyed significant growth. In 1891, the congregation raised the needed funds to build and open Sacred Heart Church at the corner of Seventh Street and B Avenue. This original church now serves as the Parish Hall. At that time, church goers traveled to Sunday Mass by horse and carriage. Photos from the turn of the century show the hitching posts at the front of the church. A large majority of the congregation worked at the Hotel del Coronado.

By 1919, Sacred Heart's congregation had outgrown its space again. The church employed the services of the firm, Gill & Gill, Architects, to design an inspired structure at the corner of Seventh Street and C Avenue. Irving J. Gill formed the firm in 1914 with his nephew, Louis Gill. A famous architect in his own right, Louis Gill served as the draftsman and signed the final blueprints. Under the careful watch and direction of his uncle, Louis drafted the plans while Irving led the project design. *The Strand* reported about the significant time Irving Gill spent with Father Collins to create the structure. Irving Gill's vision of simplicity designed with the line, square and circle – seen in his mature style – resulted in a beautiful church – as Father Collins remarked, the "general effect will be one of plainness, every surface line, cover or emblem having a definite place and purpose in the Catholic form of worship."

What a wonderful story of two family members working together for the good of the church family.

At the dedication in 1920, Bishop Cantwell said, "Sacred Heart Church is one of the most perfect examples of ecclesiastical architecture in California."

The contributions of the building in the community were memorialized in 1980 when the Coronado Historical Association

designated the church a historic site. Bunny Mackenzie presented the plaque. An article in the Coronado Journal on April 3, 1980 noted, "Sacred Heart Church, designed by the noted San Diego architect Irving J. Gill in 1919, was dedicated as a historical landmark by the Coronado Historical Association in ceremonies March 23." Bob Odiorne, the President of CHA at the time, officiated.

As the church continues to serve the community, the programs, services, and members continue to grow and renovations are needed once more. To raise funds for the renovation, the Historic Emerald Ball will be held at the Hotel del Coronado on February 24, 2017.

According to Father Michael Murphy, pastor of Sacred Heart: "Coronado is blessed with many rich traditions associated with the Hotel Del Coronado, the presence of the United States Navy and the families that have lived in our community for generations. As we begin renovation of our parish facilities, we are very conscious of Irving Gill's design of the Church; creating gathering spaces that reflect its simple beauty".

The Coronado Historical Association wishes the Sacred Heart Congregation every success in the new chapter of their church.

Irving J. Gill: Coronado Refined is on exhibit at the Coronado Historical Association through March. Please visit, free of charge, Monday through Friday from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm and Saturday and Sunday from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm. Thank you to Pastor Michael Murphy and Parish Historian, Elizabeth Lenardi for their hospitality and contributions.

"Sacred Heart Church is one of the most perfect examples of ecclesiastical architecture in California."

— Bishop Cantwell

### **Stories of Preservation and Community**

## 1022 Park Place

by Leslie Crawford

For 120 years the house at 1022 Park Place has sat proudly through more than a century of change in Coronado.

In the 1890's, Coronado had no street addresses. The public record stated the property title as Block 15, Lot 4 of Coronado Island. If you were to ask directions, the property would be referred to as "the second house north of Star Park on the west side of Park Place."

The first owner of the property was a Mr. B.L. Muir. Mr. Muir had the distinction of being a pioneer Coronado citizen, having arrived in 1888. He was a prominent real estate agent in Coronado, selling many lots on the peninsula. Historically significant was his marriage at the Hotel Del Coronado's garrison on May 26, 1887 to Miss Lizzie Barber, the "first wedding performed on Coronado Island." The Reverend E.S. Chase performed the ceremony. He was the pastor of the First Methodist Church of San Diego and helped organize the Coronado Beach Methodist Episcopal Church in 1887. A whopping 150 people attended the wedding, extraordinary because the Hotel del Coronado was still under construction, and the first lots had only been sold 6 months before.

There is no clear documentation of permits or completion of building, but based on tax records, it is assumed the Muirs built the dwelling at 1022 Park Place in 1895. Tax records for the property in 1892 show \$50 with no change between 1894 -1895. A new assessed value of \$1,200 in 1896, a huge jump, presumes the completion of a new dwelling. The house was to be their summer residence, and rented out the rest of the year.

Like the Hotel del Coronado, the house is a rare example of Queen Anne Victorian architectural style, which was popular from 1880 to 1910. Queen Anne



Victorian features include a front facing gable with fish scale shingles, circular window, and eyebrow dormer window, no central hallway, and three interior chimneys winding through. Before it was enclosed in 1939, the porch extended across the front of the house, another classic Queen Anne feature. It is believed that many of the building materials were surplus from the building of the hotel due to the similar windows and ornate trim around the interior doorways. The house has been modified over the last 120 years. In 1922, an addition was added in the back of the house. In 1939, another addition was added to enlarge the kitchen, and the front porch was enclosed to enlarge the living room. Despite the changes over the years, the house remains true to its original appearance.

The home has had a number of owners through the years. CDR (Ret.) Don Hubbard has lived in the house since 1975. He has made friends with other people who have a connection to the house dating back to the 1920s. A few years back, these connected people, proudly calling themselves the 1022 Crew, gathered to share stories about their family members, previous owners, who were grandparents, aunts and uncles, and to the revel in history and memories of the house.

### **Welcome New Team Members**



#### **Kara Adams**

Kara Adams recently joined CHA as the administrative assistant for membership services. She will work closely with the staff to improve

engagement with members and also with visitors from outside of Coronado. Along with her administrative duties she is working in the museum store, and will help coordinate the many events CHA holds throughout the year.

After graduating from the Santa Fe University of Art and Design with a photography degree, she moved to San Diego with her husband. Kara has been published in magazines such as, "The Santa Fean" in New Mexico.



#### Kimi Moore-Macias

Kimi is the new manager of Visitor and Community Programs. Kimi comes to us with a strong background in

business development and communications. She worked for the U-T from 2003-2014, and was Director of Advertising and Operations beginning in 2008. She then moved to Brainworks Software as Business Development Manager from 2014-2016.

Currently she is working a combination of jobs: Director of Marketing and Sales for The Horvath Group Inc. and Airport Operations for Jet Blue.

Kimi lives in Chula Vista with her husband and two daughters.



#### Sedna Villavicencio

The Coronado Historical Association welcomed Sedna Villavicencio as a new Museum Associate this winter. Museum

Associates work in the store and museum. Sedna will also schedule volunteers for the Visitor Center and Museum. She was raised in Los Angeles but has lived in lovely San Diego for ten years. As a recent anthropology graduate from UCLA, Sedna says that she looks forward to learning more about Coronado's fascinating history and applying her training from school.

Prior to accepting this position Sedna interned in the collections department at the Museum of Man.

## The Legendary and Ever Evolving Hotel Del Coronado...

## A Cottage Fit for a King

Provided by the Hotel del Coronado

Few stories epitomize romance like Wallis Warfield Spencer Simpson and Edward Windsor, England's Prince of Wales. Wallis once lived in Coronado as the wife of the first ever commanding officer of Naval Air Station North Island. Edward visited The Del in 1920, arriving aboard the warship, HMS Renown, as guest of honor at a magnificent dinner in the Crown Room, followed by a reception.

While there's no proof that Wallis and Edward first met at The Del, we do know that they became a couple years later in England. When Edward became king in 1936 and realized he couldn't marry a divorcee, he renounced his throne for "the woman I love" and married Wallis in 1937. They became known as the Duke and Duchess of Windsor, lived mostly in France and became one of the century's most fashionable couples.

Wallis lived in four different houses in Coronado and one was a small cottage on Flora Avenue, just a block from The Del. In 1990 – to make way for a new house – the then-owners donated Windsor Cottage to the Coronado Historical Association. Hotel del Coronado, in turn, relocated the house to its property.

The circa 1905 home is a wonderful example of California beach



bungalow style, which was popularized in the early 20th century. The deep-red shingled residence, with green trim, features a hipped roof, gabled entrance, charming multi-paned windows and window boxes, as well as a fireplace and built-in bookcases. Built of pine, it was later stained to look like redwood and became known for a while

as the "Redwood Cottage".

In 1993, the house was expertly renovated and won San Diego's esteemed "Design Excellence Award." The structure was moved again in 2000 to complement the newly created "Windsor Lawn." Today, Windsor Cottage serves as a private clubhouse for guests of Beach Village and Club at The Del members.



## **Then and Now** From the Senior Center to the John D. Spreckels Center and Bowling Green

On 30 August 1972, the City of Coronado opened its Senior Center at 7th Street and Orange Avenue. Directed by Ms. Mildred Lawson, the center provided a space for Coronado's active senior population. In the first year alone the Senior Center provided bridge games, stitching classes, a fashion show, and sponsored a trip to Las Vegas. The Spanish Bungalow style building provided entertainment and companionship for Coronado's senior citizens. In 1974, "Rumors [had] it that a splendiferous trip was enjoyed by 42, plus the bus driver, HARRY WRIGHT (Aztec Bus Lines) on that three day jaunt to tour Hearst Castle, made recently by members of the Senior Center and "chaperoned" by MILDRED LAWSON." Over the years, the senior center provided everything from defensive driving classes to lawn bowling to western style Mahjong. The new building broke ground on 12 January 2016 and is modeled in a contemporary style.





### **Coronado's Postcard Ferry**

Have you seen a postcard with a Coronado ferry on it? Chances are that postcard depicts the ferry boat, *Ramona*. Commissioned in 1903, the *Ramona* is an iconic ferry in Coronado's history.

Built to replace the Coronado, Coronadans welcomed the Ramona to much fanfare. The July 1903 Tent City Daily Program eagerly published accounts of the ferry as it began its trek from San Francisco to San Diego Bay. Risdon Iron Works built the new ferry boat at a cost of \$75,000. The Ramona then aced a trial run in the San Francisco Bay with only "the heating of the shaft bearings" dampening its first run. From there, the ferry boat was tugged out of San Francisco Bay and further south to Gaviota before finishing its run to San Diego Bay under its own power. The ferry could hold a large capacity of coal, but not enough to complete the run to San Diego Bay. The conveniently larger Ramona arrived in San Diego Bay just in time to celebrate Coronado's Fourth of July. With more capacity than the Coronado, the Ramona handled the large crowds with ease, and residents were satisfied with the cost to build it. As the Tent City Daily Program noted, crowds of tourists flocked to Coronado and "the new ferry has come at a most opportune time. Its extra carrying capacity is a blessing and a relief to the traveling public as well as the transportation company."

Although generally pleased with the brand new ferry, a few Coronadans wished for the aesthetically pleasing mirrors from the *Coronado* to find a home on the new, larger *Ramona*. When one woman recommended "Let's make a motion to have the mirrors of the *Coronado* transferred to the cabin of the *Ramona*," the motion "was seconded in chorus by a score of women and not a few men." It seems women wished to ensure their hats were perfectly in place after a windy crossing!

Recently donated to the Coronado Historical Association, the original builder's plaque provides a unique opportunity to recount the history of Coronado's ferries and reminisce the transportation methods of the early twentieth century.







## **Connect to the Collection**

The Coronado Historical Association holds a collection of 20,000 photographs, 1,500 objects, thousands of pieces of ephemera, and more than 50 oral histories. **Connecting with the Collection** supports the care of all of the pieces that make up Coronado Historical Association's dynamic collection.

Your generous donation to the Coronado Historical Association's Connect to the Collection program helps pay for the installation, conservation, and ongoing care of the museum's collection.

Your support provides the funding needed to continue our mission to educate and inspire future Coronadans through the preservation of our most precious resources. For a list of artifacts you can support see our website or call 619-435-7242.

## Help bring Coronado's history to life and support the care of an artifact!



#### **Mission Statement**

Our mission is to encourage and promote the appreciation, preservation and understanding of Coronado's history, culture, and historical resources to enhance the essence of our unique Village community.

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## **New Accessions**

**Judy Clarke** – Digital Copy of 2009 Honolulu Star article. Pasadena History Museum – ...Fifty Years celebrating the Hotel del Coronado's 50th Anniversary

**Sacred Heart Catholic Church** – Thomas S. Hines' Irving Gill and the Architecture of Reform

**Carolyn Moorhouse** – 2003 CHS football magazine, International history medal, NASNI Chapel 60th Anniversary challenge coin. *In memory of John Moorhouse* 

**Stockdale Trust** – Items and ephemera relating to Jim and Sybil Stockdale including Jim's Medal of Honor, POW uniform shirt, and Sybil's Distinguished Service Award and ciphers. *In memory of Jim and Sybil Stockdale* 

**Daniel Clifford** – Evelyn Clifford's hand-stitched quilt depicting Coronado in the late 1970s

**Tom and Sandy Shortt** – Five digital images of the Shell station on the corner of 10th and Orange. *In memory of Walt Shortt* 

**Jack and Ronnie Lewis** – Photographs and documents relating to the Navy League and an early edition thesaurus. *In memory of John R. (Jack) Lewis* 

**USS Midway Museum** – 1918 ground cover from Rockwell Field. *In memory of Greg L. Walker* 

**William Sanders** – Hotel del Coronado Special Musicale by Hutton's program. *In memory of Pauline Sanders, beloved grandmother* 

**CDR Edward McQuiston, USN (Ret)** – Family photographs. *In memory of Mr. & Mrs. James Alexander Irwin* 

**Vicki and Ron Beaubien** – 2 videos of the last game at Carruthers Gym, 5 packets of Coronado Currency, 4 brochures of the Blumenthal Complex dedication, and 1 program of the Niedermeyer Field dedication. *In memory of Don Valliere* 

**Billy J. Taylor** – Correspondence from the last day of Coronado Ferry service. *In memory of William Evans Taylor* 

Oceanside Public Library – Coronado brochures and visitor guides from 1970s and 1980s

**Lou Ann Williams** – Historic designation research for 1124 G Avenue by Ray Brandes. *In memory of Ray Brandes* 

Joe Barton Jr. – two CHS yearbooks. In memory of Joe Barton

**Jonathon Burns** – 1932 family scrapbook. *In memory of Harry & Betty Burns* 

Wayne Hoffman – May 1961 copy of San Diego Magazine (right)

**Dennis P. Grimaud** – Coronado High School 1956 basketball SCIF championship team banner. *In memory of the class of 1956 CHS Basketball Champions* 

Leslie Crawford – 10 historical postcards and 44 pictures of the 2000 4th of July Parade

Bill Gise – 1903 builder's plaque for the ferry, Ramona, and 39 photographs

Mary Lou Luckett – plaques, photographs, and a model airplane related to her husband's naval career. *In memory of Captain Thomas W. Luckett* 

James Ulcickas – Four antique sinks used in the Coronado Chart House from 1969-2014





## New Exhibit Coming this Spring to the Coronado Museum **Transportation 1900-1939**

A new exhibit is just around the corner. The Museum's Transportation Exhibit will include hands-on activity areas, displays of historic objects from the Museum's collection, and historical information for all ages. The gallery is designed to serve children, their families, and adults by presenting the story of Coronado's earliest forms of transportation. The Hotel del Coronado, Tent City, and North Island created the need for different types of transportation and even innovations in transportation technology right here on the island. Ferries, trains, trolleys, and airplanes helped form Coronado's distinct identity. As volunteer Lorraine Roley said it best, "The roots of transportation in Coronado are grounded in the pioneering spirit and creative imaginations of the farsighted entrepreneurs who looked at flat, sandy scrubland and envisioned a resort community. Transportation services became part of the evolution of Coronado land development influencing the quality of life and the efficiency of movement across the island." We invite you and your family to join us as we journey through Coronado's transportation history and explore how it helped create the village we know and love today.



## Do you have a premium level membership?

Did you know that starting at the Silvergate Circle level of membership you can enjoy reciprocal museum membership benefits through the ROAM (Reciprocal Organization of Associated Museums) program?

Your ROAM privileges gives you access to free admission, store and restaurant discounts at hundreds of institutions nationwide!

Visit ROAM's website today to find out about restrictions and participating organizations.

Call 619-435-7242 ext. 103 to find out more about member benefits or to upgrade today!

# Museum Store Reopened!

Join us March 1st for the grand reopening of the museum in a newly remodeled space and streamlined design. The millwork features light wood that harkens to our white, sandy, Coronado beaches. The store fixtures are composed of largely recycled materials from the original store, along with environmentally sustainable materials. The selection of merchandise focuses primarily on items that reflect our island village, highlighting carefully curated pieces for the home, unique gifts for children, artisan jewelry, accessories, and Coronado's best selection of history books.

Other highlights of the new store include an emphasis on exclusive, limited edition items developed by local artists, logo items, and reproductions of photographs from the Museum's collection.



#### **Museum Store hours:**

Monday through Friday 9:00 am to 5:00 pm and Saturday and Sunday 10:00 am to 5:00 pm.

Proceeds from the Museum Store support the Museum's exhibitions and educational programs

## MEMBER NEWS

#### **NEW MEMBERS**

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#### **In Memoriam**

In sadness and with sincere condolences to their loved ones, we honor the passing of loyal members and supporters of the Coronado Historical Association.







Anne Friddle



Martha **Ferris** 

Not pictured:

Ray Paige

**Eleanor Schwartz** 

#### **RENEWING MEMBERS**

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