



# Pinole **Historical** Society E-News

## MUSEUM DINNER, VETERANS DAY MEMORIAL HIGHLIGHT NOVEMBER HISTORY EVENTS

**T**he second annual Pinole History Museum fundraising dinner will be held Saturday, November 2, from 5 to 8 p.m. at the St. Joseph School auditorium, 1961 Plum Street, the site of last year's immensely successful dinner.

Along with a great dinner—honey-mustard chicken, organic pastas, seasonal vegetables, salad, wine, dessert—there will be keyboard entertainment by Joe Lim, the Pinole Valley High School Director of Choirs and Piano Studies, fabulous raffle prizes, and a silent auction. You don't want to miss this! Event tickets are only \$35.

There's a dinner order form in this E-News. You can order online at [www.pinolehistory-museum.org](http://www.pinolehistory-museum.org). Order your tickets today — we expect to sell all 200 seats, as we did last year.

Your support will help MAKE HISTORY HAPPEN in Pinole,

as we begin the long road toward converting the nearly 140-year-old, Victorian-era Faria House into a world-class, small-city museum.

With your help, the Pinole History Museum will achieve its mission, which is to enhance the preservation and collection of artifacts that represent Pinole history and culture, and educate and inspire Pinole residents' community affiliation and civic pride.

### **VETERANS DAY MEMORIAL**

The Pinole Historical Society invites you to the 12th annual Veterans Day Memorial and Flag Retirement Ceremony on Monday, November 11, from 11 a.m. to noon in Fernandez Park.

We hope you can attend as the society and the City of Pinole honor the brave men and women who have served — and continue to serve — to protect the freedoms we treasure.

*The Pinole Historical Society  
and the  
City of Pinole*  
invite you to participate in the  
12th annual  
**VETERANS DAY MEMORIAL AND  
FLAG RETIREMENT CEREMONY**  
Monday, November 11, 2019  
11 a.m.-noon, Fernandez Park, Pinole

Please join us as we honor our veterans,  
past and present, living and deceased.

*To donate a flag for the retirement ceremony,  
please call (510) 724-9507  
or e-mail [info@PinoleHistoricalSociety.org](mailto:info@PinoleHistoricalSociety.org)*

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For more information, contact the  
Pinole Historical Society  
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Pinole  
**Historical**  
Society



*The November 1 PHS program at Kaiser has been cancelled.  
We will reconvene in the new year on February 7, 2020.*

# Pinole Historical Society



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## Board of Directors

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## OCTOBER AT THE PINOLE LIBRARY

### The Friends of the Pinole Library Fall Book Sale

#### Saturday, October 19 – 10 AM to 4 PM

Thousands of books will be organized into more than two dozen categories for easy browsing. Members of the Friends of the Pinole Library are welcome to come to the pre-sale beginning at 9 AM, and will receive a 10% discount on all purchases. Memberships will be available at the door. This fundraising event supports the Pinole Library throughout the year.

#### Sunday, October 20 — 10 AM to 2 PM Stuff-A-Sack Book Sale

Stuff-A-Sack Book Sale will be hosted by the Friends of the Pinole Library from 10 AM to 2 PM. Buy a double-strength bag for \$5 and fill it to the brim with books.



## LIBRARY NOW OPEN 35 HOURS PER WEEK

**Tuesday: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.**

**Wednesday: Noon to 8 p.m.**

**Thursday: Noon to 8 p.m.**

**Friday: 1 to 5 p.m.**

**Saturday: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.**

**Sunday: Closed**

**Monday: Closed**

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# PINOLE HISTORY MUSEUM FUNDRAISER AND DINNER

**Saturday, November 2, 2019      5 p.m. to 8 p.m.**  
**St. Joseph School auditorium**  
**1961 Plum Street, Pinole**

Tickets for the Pinole History Museum’s second annual fundraising dinner on Saturday, November 2, are on sale! Tickets are only \$35.

The event — dinner, entertainment, raffle — will raise money to establish a museum in the historic Faria House at 2100 San Pablo Avenue.

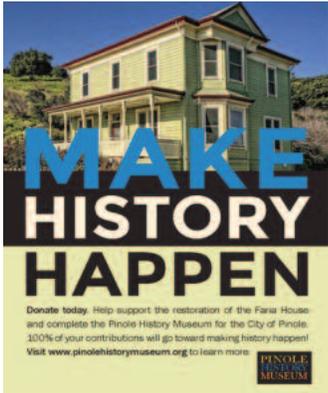
To order tickets, use the coupon below to mail checks (payable to PINOLE HISTORY MUSEUM) or credit card information to P.O. Box 285, Pinole, CA 94564. Or, order online at [www.pinolehistorymuseum.org](http://www.pinolehistorymuseum.org). Tickets will be held at the door.

Thanks for helping to MAKE HISTORY HAPPEN!



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# of tickets @\$35 \_\_\_\_\_ Total enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks payable to **PINOLE HISTORY MUSEUM** or provide credit card information below. Mail to P.O. Box 285, Pinole, CA 94564

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_ CVV \_\_\_\_\_

**TICKETS WILL BE HELD AT THE DOOR**

# PINOLE HISTORY MUSEUM

**YES, I WANT TO MAKE HISTORY HAPPEN**  
**BY DONATING TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE PINOLE HISTORY MUSEUM.**

My donation will help the museum enhance the preservation and collections of artifacts that represent Pinole's history and culture.

Enclosed is my gift of:

\$25    \$50    \$100    \$250    \$500    \$1,000\* or other \_\_\_\_\_

\*With a gift of \$1,000 or more your name will be placed on the museum's Wall of Honor.

Please make checks payable to **PINOLE HISTORY MUSEUM** or provide credit card information below. To donate online, please visit [www.PinoleHistoryMuseum.org](http://www.PinoleHistoryMuseum.org).

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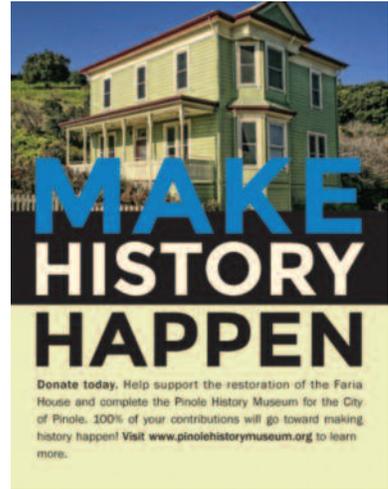
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Amount of Donation \$ \_\_\_\_\_  I've included the museum in my will or estate plan

**Mail your donation to Pinole History Museum, P.O. Box 285, Pinole, CA 94564**

The Pinole History Museum is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, Your donation is tax-deductible to the extent permitted by law.



## CHIPOTLE MUSEUM FUNDRAISER

**T**he Pinole History Museum received the following message via e-mail on September 24 from Chipotle's corporate headquarters:

*"Guac on! Congratulations on your Chipotle fundraiser on 09/23/2019 at our restaurant located at 2696 Pinole Valley Road, Pinole, CA 94564.*

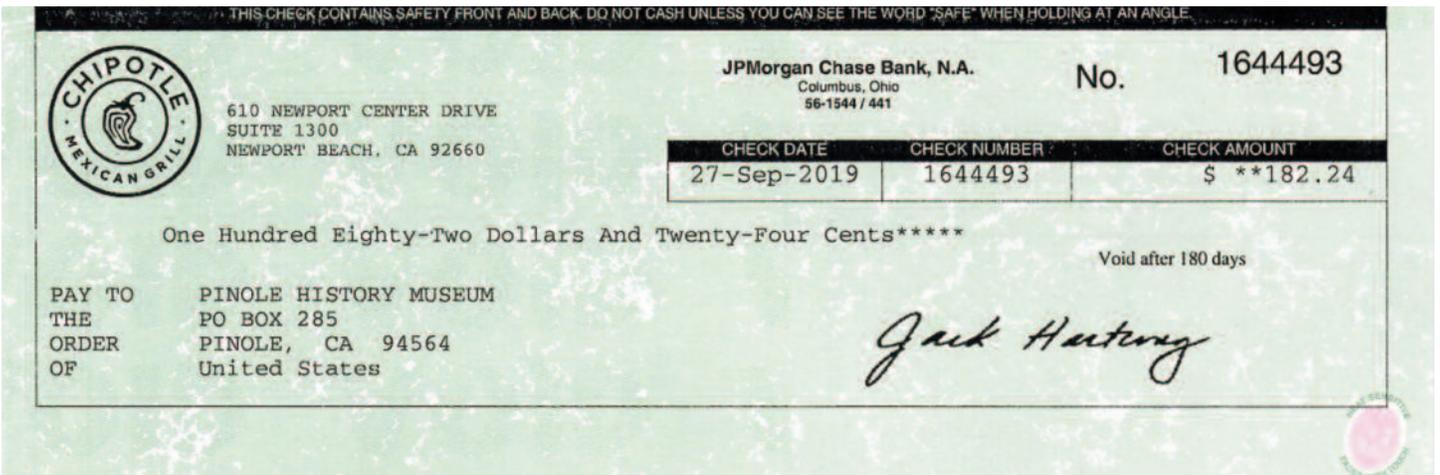
*Your organization will receive a check from Chipotle for \$182.24, which is 33% of the sales brought in by your supporters."*

That means museum supporters spent \$546.72 at Chipotle on September 23 to help **MAKE HISTORY HAPPEN** in Pinole.

The Pinole History Museum board of directors is so grateful for your support. **THANK YOU!**



*Some hungry museum supporters at Chipotle.*



# PINOLE HISTORY MUSEUM

## We thank our donors for their generosity and support

Want to MAKE HISTORY HAPPEN?

Send a check payable to **Pinole History Museum**  
to PO Box 285, Pinole, CA 94564, or donate online at

[www.pinolehistorymuseum.org](http://www.pinolehistorymuseum.org)

### Up to \$99

Frank Acedo  
Bob Antaki  
Adila Araya  
Michael Ashburne  
Ralph Bedwell  
Jimmy Boucher  
Ross Browne  
Sharon Bullock  
Karla Butler  
Janet Bywater  
Joe and Lea Campbell  
Joyce and Dwight Carbone  
Mary Di Cecco  
Christine Costa  
Marvin Dutra  
Alex Clark  
Earl and Cecilia Combs  
Crocketts Premier Auto Body  
(Tom Welsh)  
Marge Dean  
Brian and Kathy Donohue  
Mary Drazba  
David Dumolin  
Mary Ann Egger  
Mark and Darlene Elms  
Bruce Ezzell  
Lois Faria  
Julia Faulkner  
Peter Fimbres  
V Fimbres  
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Tashia Flucas  
Mary Collins Gallagher  
Maria Gallo  
Cindy Wilson Gattenby  
Margaret Gelhaus  
Nancy and Gary Gill  
Terry Gilliam  
Kay Green  
Marilyn Griego  
Julie Hawks  
John and Ann Heintz

Colin Hill  
Mike and John Janda  
Pete and Sherry Janke  
Roy and Kristen Javellana  
Sonny Jackson  
Kay Johnson  
Deborah Jordan  
Shirlee Kahila  
Yevgeniy Kazinets  
Frank Kelly  
Virginia Kennedy  
Peggy Kirton  
Nancy Lee  
Andre Le Mont Wilson  
Richard and Patricia Loomis  
Steven Lopez  
Laurelle Martin  
Jack and Nancy McFarland  
Patty McGoldrick  
Tracy McKendell  
Lisa Melgarejo  
Ariel Mercado  
Meyers Nave (Mike Riback)  
Bill and Diane Miller  
Nancy Miller  
Deborah and Joe Miglia  
Rob Moitoza  
Mary Myers  
Donna Mythen  
Christine Nadeau  
Carolyn and Jon Nelson  
Tom Netemeyer  
Terry O'Donnell  
Charlene O'Rourke  
Kate Owings  
Don Patterson  
Bob Polacchi  
Jan Parfet  
Pam and Ron Patzlaff  
Jim Payne  
Pinole Garden Club  
Robin Raber-Luna  
Pat Rei

Mary and Danny Rinaldi  
Julia V. Roundy  
Juanita Sayo  
Paul Sekins  
Robert Shea  
Danna Shirley  
Diane Sielbert  
Celeste Silvas  
Fran Silver  
Nancy Snodgrass  
Dan Steele  
Karen Stella  
Elaine Sturtevant  
Arlene Tapia  
Ginny Taylor  
Jeanette Tramm  
Jim Ulversoy  
Edgar Vovsi  
Kay Warfel  
Ora Webber  
Mary Whaley  
Carole Whitmarsh  
Martha and Ken Wong  
Judith Yacovetti  
Rie Yag  
Pat York

### \$100 to \$249

Lois Boyle  
Hank and Doreen Covell  
Belinda Espinosa  
Stella Faria  
Joel and Jo Ann Gannotti  
Avram Gimbel  
William Green  
Judy Hamilton  
Sally Johnson  
David Smith & Mary Ruth  
Kelley  
Anne Kesti  
Mike and Sharon LeFebvre  
Margie Liberty  
Richard and Claudia Lindsay

Dennis Lorette  
Mary and Warner McMains  
Elizabeth Barroca Miller  
Pete and Cathy Murray  
Arnold Ode  
Walt Peterson  
Maureen Powers  
Carole Price  
Richmond Elks Lodge  
No. 1251  
Mark and Donna Rubin  
Doris Salmi  
Jennifer Sobol  
Gary and Colleen Tipp  
Jan Torbet  
Steve and Fran Welstand  
Ann Wilson  
Chris Wimmer

### \$250 to \$499

Edward Downer III  
Steve James  
Bob and Carol Kopp  
Betty Viramontes

### \$500 to \$999

Katherine Kiehn  
Edit Villarreal

### \$1,000 to \$2,499

Happy Sashimi (Lyla Yu)  
Alex and Nita Jason  
Joy Jennings  
William McMaster  
Mechanics Bank  
Brian and Susyn Normington  
Shirley Ramos  
Vincent Salimi  
Chiyo Shidara, D.D.S.

### \$10,000+

Jeff Rubin and Norma  
Martínez-Rubin

# VISIT THE PINOLE HISTORY MUSEUM AT WWW.PINOLEHISTORYMUSEUM.ORG

**PINOLE  
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Birds-eye View of Pinole, Cal.



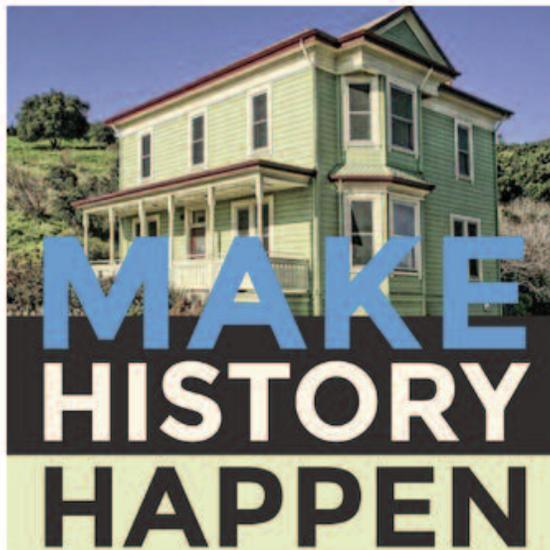
**Give a little to  
make a big impact.**

Your donation will help make history happen and make the Pinole History Museum a reality.

[DONATE NOW](#)

## OUR MISSION

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[Donate Now](#)

## MEMORIAL DONATIONS

Donations made  
“In Memory Of” or  
“In Honor Of”  
a special someone  
may be sent to:  
Pinole Historical Society  
P.O. Box 285  
Pinole, CA 94564

## ARTIFACTS DONATIONS

If you have any items of  
historical interest about  
Pinole to donate,  
please contact the  
Pinole Historical Society  
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or (510) 724-9507

## TAX-DEDUCTIBLE

As a 501(c)(3) non-profit  
corporation, all donations to  
the Pinole Historical Society  
are deductible as per the  
limits of the law.  
Thank you for considering  
donating to the  
Pinole Historical Society.

# PINOLE'S HISTORY IS ON PINOLE COMMUNITY TV

**F**our historical videos have added to the Pinole Community TV website:

- Pinole Historical Society – School Bells and Ink Wells (Old Pinole Schools)

- Pinole Historical Society – The Presidential Rosies (Rosie the Riveters in Washington, D.C.)

- Pinole Historical Society – A Flood of Memories (Floods in Pinole)

- Maritime

**Contra Costa County – A history of the maritime industry in the county.**

These additions bring to 35 the number of Pinole-history videos on the city's website. We thank Dave Snell and Stewart McCale of the PCTV staff for their good work in getting these videos online.

And, we thank Bob Kopp, who recorded many of these events for the society.

Miss one of our history programs on PCTV? Don't despair. The city's website has a dedicated

section devoted to Pinole's history on its “Videos Online” page. You can view the numerous PHS programs right on your computer.

Go to the city's

website [https://www.ci.pinole.ca.us/city\\_government/pinole\\_tv/archived\\_meeting\\_events](https://www.ci.pinole.ca.us/city_government/pinole_tv/archived_meeting_events). and scroll down to PINOLE HISTORY.

You'll find our quarterly programs, interviews, Veterans Day programs, George Vincent's two walking tours of historic down-

town Pinole, and the very fine, PCTV-produced, 12-part series based on the society's Historic Walking Tour brochure.

Also there are recorded interviews with several prominent Pinole citizens, including Ed LeFebvre, Charlotte (Fernandez) Shea, former fire chief Alex Clark, and former mayors Jack Meehan and Tom Cutino.



***The Pinole Historical Society promotes awareness and appreciation of history through preservation and education, and chronicles the city's heritage for current and future generations.***



## SUPPORT THE ACTIVITIES OF THE PHS BY BECOMING A MEMBER IN 2020

For only \$30, you can help the PHS accomplish its mission of bringing the history of Pinole to our residents through exhibits at the Pinole Library, quarterly membership programs, history programs in schools, Pinole Community TV programs, Walking tours of downtown Pinole, the Veterans Day Memorial and Flag Retirement Ceremony in Fernandez Park — and you'll have the satisfaction promoting and preserving Pinole's history for future generations.

**JOIN THE PINOLE HISTORICAL SOCIETY (OR RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP)  
AND HELP PROMOTE AND PRESERVE THE HISTORY OF OUR CITY.**

**Please mail the membership application today!**

# Pinole **Historical** Society

## 2020 MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

PINOLE RESIDENCY NOT REQUIRED FOR MEMBERSHIP

MEMBERSHIPS ARE FOR THE 2020 CALENDAR YEAR (EXCEPT LIFETIME MEMBERSHIPS)

**PLEASE SEND CASH, CHECK, OR CREDIT CARD INFORMATION TO  
PINOLE HISTORICAL SOCIETY, P.O. Box 285, PINOLE, CA 94564**

NAME: (each member): \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY/STATE/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL (please!): \_\_\_\_\_

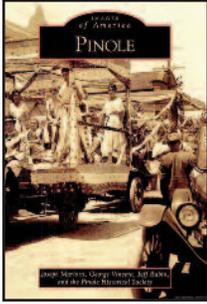
CIRCLE ONE: Annual-new (\$30)    Annual-renewal (\$30)    Business (\$50)    Life (\$150)

METHOD OF PAYMENT:  Cash     Check (Payable to Pinole Historical Society)

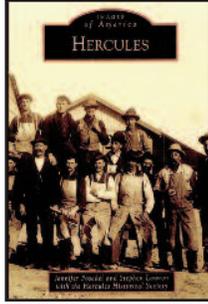
Credit Card: ( Visa     MasterCard     American Express     Discover)

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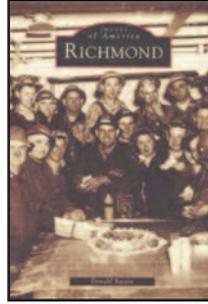
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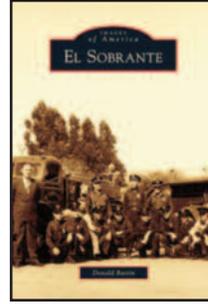
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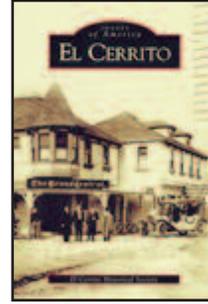
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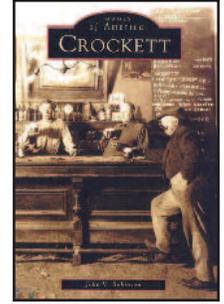
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El Sobrante



El Cerrito



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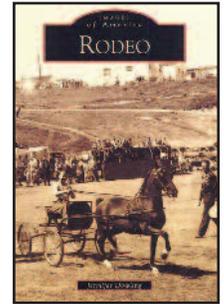
# LOCAL HISTORY BOOKS AVAILABLE FROM THE PINOLE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Pinole Historical Society sells these Arcadia books at the Pinole Farmers' Market every other Saturday through December.

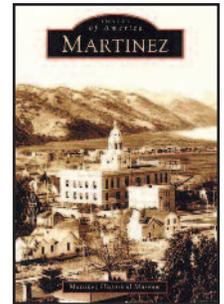
The Pinole, Pinole Through Time, Hercules, Richmond, El Sobrante, El Cerrito, Maritime Contra Costa County, East Bay Hills, Tilden

Park, and Napa Valley books are \$25, including sales tax. The Crockett, Rodeo, Martinez, and Port Costa books are \$23, including sales tax.

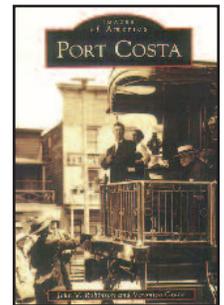
Mail order prices (below) include shipping. We accept Visa, MasterCard, Amex, and Discover credit cards.



Rodeo



Martinez



Port Costa

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

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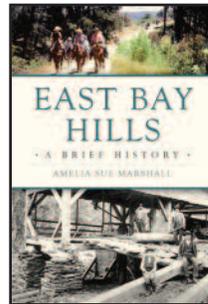
- Check: Payable to Pinole Historical Society
- Credit card ( Visa  MasterCard  Amex  Discover)

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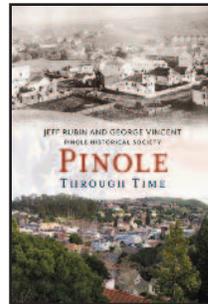
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- # of Maritime CCC @\$30 \_\_\_\_\_
- # of East Bay Hills @\$30 \_\_\_\_\_
- # of Crockett @\$28 \_\_\_\_\_
- # of Rodeo @\$28 \_\_\_\_\_
- # of Martinez @\$28 \_\_\_\_\_
- # of Port Costa @\$28 \_\_\_\_\_
- # of Tilden Park @\$30 \_\_\_\_\_
- # of Napa Valley @\$30 \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ \_\_\_\_\_

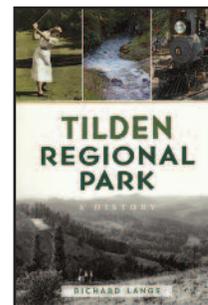
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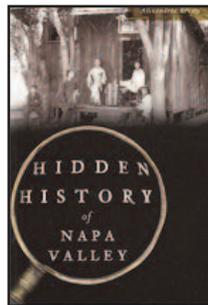
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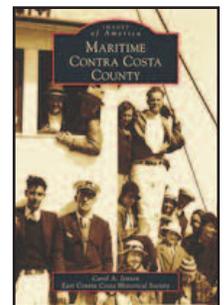
Pinole Through Time



Tilden Park



Napa Valley



Maritime

# WANTED

by the

## Pinole **Historical** Society

**ANYTHING THAT MIGHT BE  
SIGNIFICANT IN PINOLE'S HISTORY**

**PHOTOS:** People, family, events, buildings  
(particularly buildings no longer standing)

**MOVIES:** VHS, Beta, camcorder, DV tape, 8mm,  
Super 8mm, 16mm, 35mm film of parades  
and events, floods, fires, etc.

**ALL PHOTOS AND MOVIES WILL BE RETURNED.**

**MEMORABILIA/ARTIFACTS:** Documents, programs,  
pins & ribbons (events, sports, political), sports,  
trophies, Fiesta del Pinole/Holy Ghost gowns, etc.

We are collecting, digitizing, cataloging, and preserving  
these items to exhibit, educate, and entertain.

**Contact the Pinole Historical Society**

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