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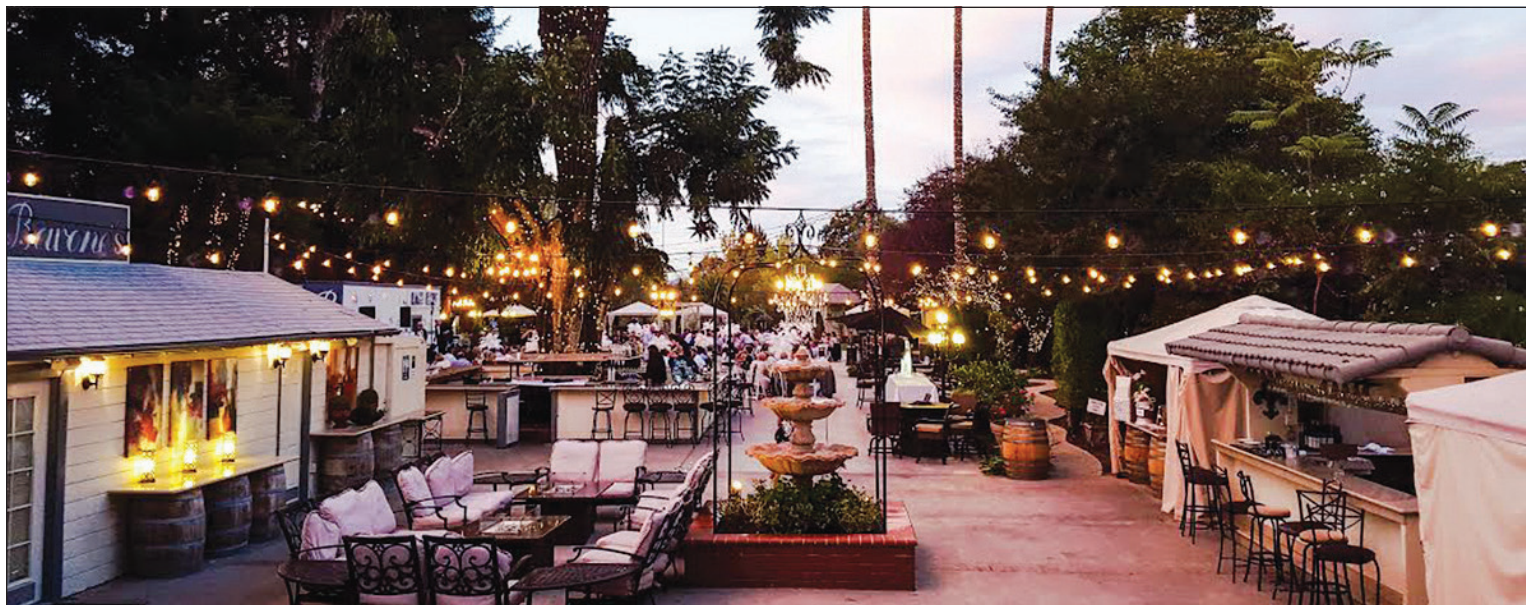
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Barone's continues to grow as a sought-after venue for private events, corporate entertaining, wedding celebrations and outdoor concerts.

## Barone's Restaurant: Celebrating 22 Years in Downtown

Celebrating 22 years in Downtown Pleasanton this past March, Barone's Restaurant & Gardens proudly continues to serve locals and guests alike - offering a warm and intimate setting, contemporary cuisine and exceptional service.

Barone's is a true 'labor of love' for owners Joe and Maricela Barone, whose attention to detail, unwavering dedication to quality and passion for their craft shines in every part of the Barone's experience.

On any given evening, patrons of the restaurant are greeted with a warm welcome by Joe himself, who remains a constant presence at

the restaurant and provides vision and leadership to veteran service and culinary teams.

In addition to its focus on fine dining, Barone's continues to grow as a sought-after venue for private events, corporate entertaining, wedding celebrations and outdoor concerts.

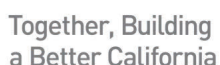
Whether you are joining Barone's for live music in the cocktail lounge, a signature dish in the dining room, hosting a special event or attending one of the famed Thursday Night "Music Under the Stars," they look forward to the opportunity to provide the personalized experience for which Barone's has become known.



Thursday nights in the summer, Barone's offers "Music Under the Stars."

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# Alameda County Fair & Pleasanton: What a Team - What a Legacy!

The Alameda County Fair, which first began in 1912, is well under way for its 105th appearance in Pleasanton, and there's still time to get in on the fun.

This year's theme, "Best... Summer... Ever!" appropriately illustrates our wonderful and unique city, which recently received national recognition for being one of the best cities ever in which to live and raise a family. And what says "family time" more enthusiastically than a county fair?

The Fair kicked off June 16th, with "Western Weekend," a nod to our past "cow town" roots, highlighted by an ambitious cattle drive of over 150 steers rumbling down Main Street to the Fairgrounds. This was truly a breath-taking occurrence and one I am sure our amazing Pleasanton Police Force are happy to have safely in the record books.

The horse races are drawing interest once again from residents and visitors alike, including our family. Taking place on the oldest one-mile track west of the Mississippi, this year features 12 days of racing, showcasing 8-10 races each day. Feeling the ground shake while watching world-class thoroughbreds run full speed to

the finish line is always an exhilarating experience- as is joining in with the celebratory cheers at the end.

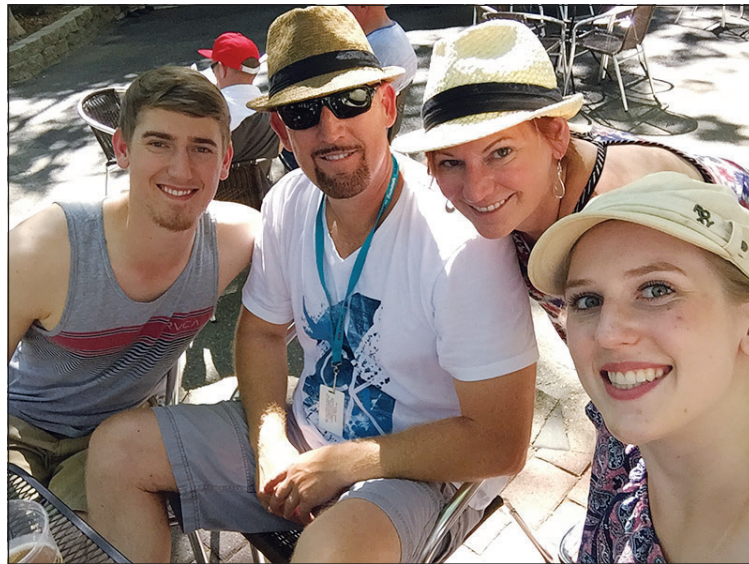
The Fair's amphitheater, which has seen many upgrades, is also enjoying record crowds thanks to an impressive concert line up. Whether inside watching performers live or relaxing on the grass in front of the big screen, it's a guaranteed good time.

Whether you come to the fair for the amazing food, stroll through

the art, photography and wood-working exhibitions, or gravitate towards the Active Sports Arena featuring Extreme Rodeo and RV Demolition Derby, the Alameda County Fair has something for everybody. There's still time to enjoy the view from the top of the ferris wheel, introduce your grandchildren to the farm animals, and take in an old-fashioned stage show or throw-back music concert. Join your family, friends and community members at the fair and make this your "Best...Summer... Ever!"



**Todd Moberg**  
2017 Chairman of the Board



The Moberg Family enjoying the Alameda County Fair, which runs through Sunday, July 9 this year.

## CMIT Solutions of Pleasanton Wins Prestigious "Community Service" Award

*Nation's Leading Information Technology Company Presents Local Entrepreneur with award*

Ken Norvell, managing partner of CMIT Solutions of Pleasanton won the "Community Service" award at the company's recent annual convention and awards ceremony in San Antonio, Texas.

CMIT Solutions is one of the nation's leading information technology companies, utilizing a franchise model to work with businesses of all sizes across multiple industries. Its annual convention brings together home office leadership and owners from across the nation for four days of training, information-sharing, and recognition of excellence.

"We've always taken pride in our franchisees accomplishments, and Ken's achievements are worth

celebrating," said Jeff Connally, president and CEO of Austin-based CMIT Solutions. "The 'Community Service' award reflects his ability to consistently make a difference in the lives of others. We recognize Ken's motivation to spread hope to those who need it most and are constantly inspired by the hard work he puts forth."



Ken Norvell

Norvell has led the Pleasanton-based office's business development for seven years, and his recent volunteer efforts include working with the Pleasanton Partnership in Education Foundation to help students become 21st century leaders and moderating weekly Job Seekers Network sessions to assist community members with their

career path. He has also supported Pledge to Humanity, which helps children and students in Haiti with education and medical supplies, and his efforts with the Wheelchair Foundation resulted in supplying 100 wheelchairs for those in need.

"This award marks such a meaningful milestone in my journey with CMIT Solutions,"

said Norvell. "Supporting my community has always been of upmost importance and it's rewarding to know my efforts have left tremendous impact. I look forward to building on this momentum and dedicating more of my time and resources to help those in need."

To further celebrate the recognition, CMIT Solutions' Alliance Partner CompTIA offered a \$1,000 donation to the Valley Veteran's Foundation - Norvell's charity of choice.

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## First Friday in August - fun, sun and golf

*Opportunities for you at Chamber's fundraising golf tournament*

The front nine is routed through the valley and the back nine sits on a higher elevation with the Happy Valley Creek winding throughout. Superior views of Mount Diablo fill the sky line to the north and incredible sanctuaries dedicated to the Callippe Butterfly are displayed. This is Callippe Preserve Golf Course, where the annual Chamber Golf Outing will be on Friday, August 4, 2017.

Whether you golf or not, the Chamber's Golf Outing, sponsored by Big O Tires of Pleasanton, DoubleTree by Hilton Pleasanton at The Club, Jimmy John's, John Muir Health - San Ramon Regional Medical Center and Swenson, is a great opportunity to get you and your business engaged and more exposure. The event is open to the public and sign-ups are coming in daily.

It's a fun-filled afternoon of golf, great food, drink and fantastic prizes, and with lots of great networking, business promotion and contacts to be made, it still counts as 'work'!

For more information and to sign-up for the golf outing, visit [www.pleasanton.org](http://www.pleasanton.org) and click on the link for August 4 Golf Outing or email [susie@pleasanton.org](mailto:susie@pleasanton.org).

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## Business Spotlight

# A Fiduciary Serving The Tri-Valley Community For Over 17 Years

Carr Wealth Management, LLC, specializes in financial planning and investment management services. Anthony Carr, the founder, has been a Certified Public Accountant for 30 years which gives him a significant advantage since tax knowledge is critical in virtually all planning or investment decisions. Anthony has also been a CFP Professional™ for the past eighteen years, but it's the CPA background that sets him apart from everyone else.

"My philosophy has always centered around straightforward, common sense principles backed by academic evidence that I believe most people can understand. It doesn't involve speculating on what's going to happen tomorrow because nobody knows what's going to happen tomorrow," said Anthony Carr.

The journey to reaching your objectives will typically take you through the **accumulation**, **distribution**, and **preservation** phases of the typical financial life cycle. Those who are in, or close to, retirement, usually

require more help since they face more issues in more areas, such as investments, tax planning, social security planning, IRA distributions, inheritances, and estate planning.



Anthony Carr

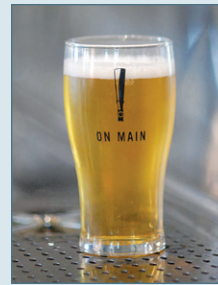
Carr Wealth Management, LLC, is a fee-only independent Registered Investment Advisory firm which prides itself in providing low-cost investment advice with high-quality service. "One of the most effective investment strategies to help build wealth is compounded growth – interest on interest, or earnings on earnings. The exponential impact of compounded growth can be staggering,

but many investors never take advantage of it since it's not in the best interests of some Wall Street firms to have them take advantage of it," said Carr.

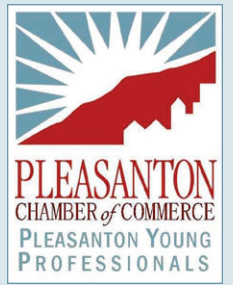
Please contact Anthony Carr (anthony@carrwealth.com, 925-484-1671) with any questions you may have, or if you would like to take advantage of a no-charge initial consultation. Please visit [www.carrwealth.com](http://www.carrwealth.com) to learn more.



The Pleasanton Young Professionals present



## 1ST ANNUAL CHARITY ON TAP



At this inaugural event, the Pleasanton Young Professionals will be raising funds to benefit the Alameda County 4-H Camp Academy Project.

The Alameda County 4-H Camp Academy Project is a Leadership Development program for teens between the ages of 14 and 19 years old. With the required completion of the project and selection processes, members can become tribe leaders, activity leaders, Dean or Director who plan and oversee all operations of the summer camp.

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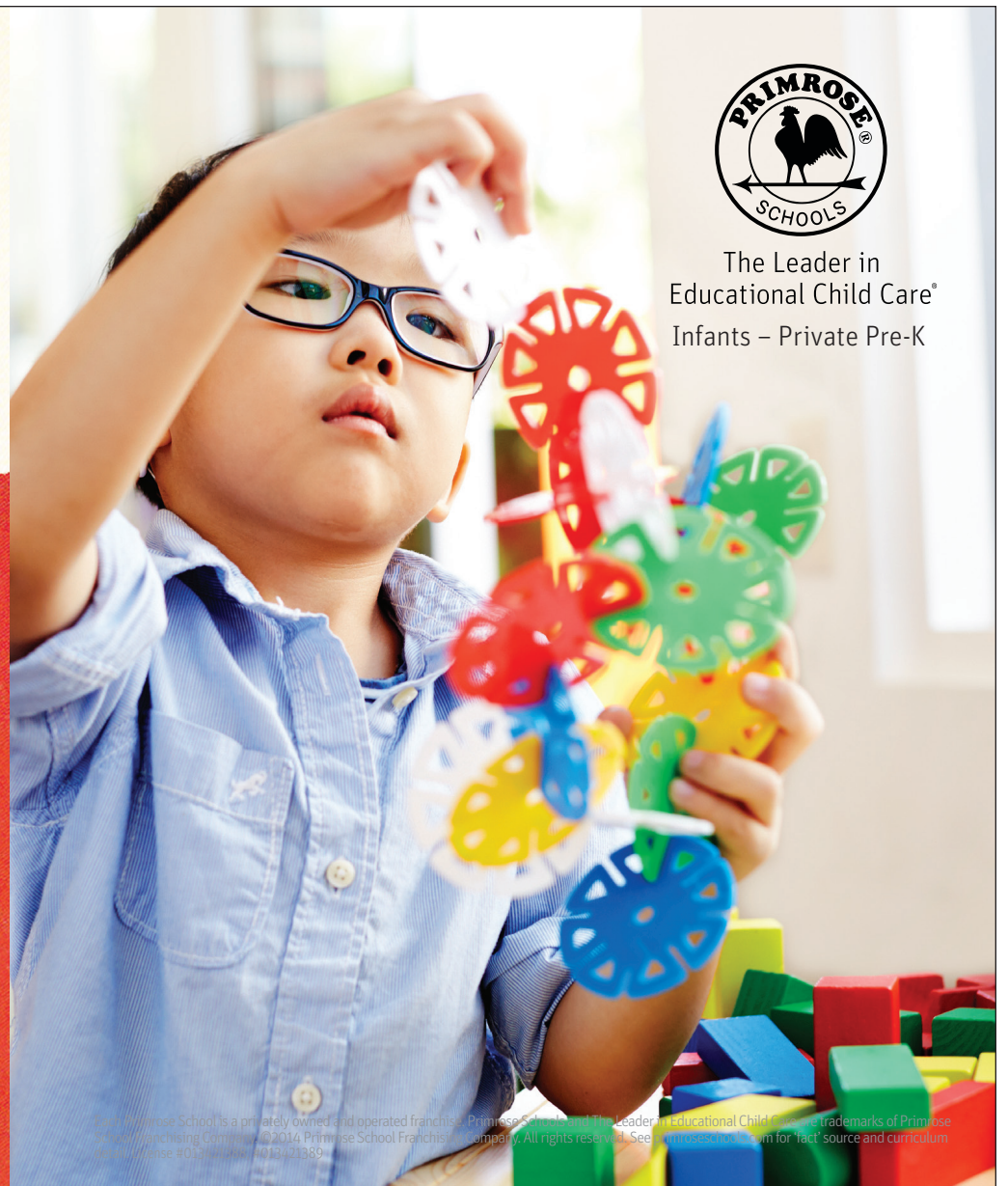
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## Leadership Pleasanton: Registration now open for 2017-2018 program

Recent grads say it best! "Leadership Pleasanton is an awesome opportunity to network and learn about the city. I am forever changed having participated in the program and have created new friendships."

"Leadership Pleasanton is a truly incredible experience. Beyond the amazing opportunity to learn about this wonderful city and build connections with the presenters each month, my greatest take-away has been the camaraderie with my fellow classmates."

"This class is great for anyone who wants to do something in their city but not sure where to start. A wonderful overview of opportunities in our great city."

"Leadership Pleasanton inspires and cultivates future leaders through an innovative and comprehensive program that builds on each class. This program does more than build on one's skills, it shifts the mindset of leaders and enables them to manage their own views of their community, local government, and how to get involved."

"Despite living in Pleasanton for 30 years, I never failed to leave the day without new knowledge and new ways to help my community."

"Growing up in Pleasanton and participating in a lot of volunteer organizations I thought I knew a

lot, but I have learned so many more interesting facts and history that I could not have learned without participating in the Leadership Program."

"Leadership Pleasanton was eye-opening and fun! I learned so much and met many wonderful people. Definitely worth it!"

"For me, Leadership Pleasanton was an incredibly rewarding program on a personal and professional level. It has been wonderful to learn about the history and heritage of Pleasanton and how the City has evolved over the years. I was amazed to learn about the established partnerships in the Tri-Valley and how the local Cities and non-profits work together to provide much needed services to the residents and business owners. The program has motivated me and my family to get more involved in our community and give back to others."

"Leadership Pleasanton has made me more informed citizen and ignited a greater passion for serving my community."

"Participating in Leadership Pleasanton was an awesome experience! I met an amazing group of people and learned so much about the city I work in. Definitely worthwhile - highly recommended whether you've been living/work-

### Leadership Pleasanton

*A Program to Develop Community Leaders*



Leadership Pleasanton Class of 2017.

ing in Pleasanton for ages or you're brand new to the city!"

Co-sponsored by the City of Pleasanton and the Pleasanton Chamber of Commerce, Leadership Pleasanton is an educational forum in which participants get a "behind-the-scenes" look into the myriad of private businesses, public agencies, non-profits and elected officials who make up the economic and political environment of Pleasanton. Through these contacts, interactive exercises and field trips, participants expand their knowledge and ability to influence

our community.

699 participants have graduated from Leadership Pleasanton and many have since become active community leaders, participating in areas such as City commissions, non-profit organization boards of directors and committees, Rotary clubs and more. They also benefit from relationships formed during the class.

The time commitment is one day per month for nine months the first Wednesday of every month from September through May. A continental breakfast and lunch are

provided each day.

Class size is limited to 30 participants. Those interested in finding out about community involvement or enriching their current level of participation are encouraged to apply. Curriculum information and applications are available on the Chamber website at [www.pleasanton.org/leadership-pleasanton](http://www.pleasanton.org/leadership-pleasanton) and at the Chamber office, 777 Peters Avenue, in downtown Pleasanton. For more information on Leadership Pleasanton, contact the Chamber at (925) 846-5858 ext. 203 or email [kate@pleasanton.org](mailto:kate@pleasanton.org).

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## Business Spotlight

## Balancing academics with extra-curricular at NurtureKids

**N**urtureKids Pleasanton is a learning center for children from Transitional/Developmental Kindergarten through 8th grade, offering after-school care, summer camps and tutoring. They provide excellent programs with a great balance between academic and extra-curricular activities.

NurtureKids Pleasanton prides itself on its ability to provide a learning environment for kids that is fun, creative, exciting and challenging at the same time. They have an experienced staff that is always willing to listen and adapt to specific needs of children. As a part of their curriculum, they provide various academic activities such as homework help, reading comprehension, creative writing, math club and public speaking. They also provide various additional activities such as computer programming, arts and crafts, dance, cooking, Lego-robotics, chess, taekwondo and table tennis. The goal of Nurture Kids is to provide quality programs at a reasonable cost in a loving, family-friendly environment.

"I took over the management at NurtureKids Pleasanton in early 2017," said Center Director Lavanya Bharadwaj.



"Before that, I worked in various electronics and renewable energy companies as a Scientist. Being a working mom with two kids, I always found myself running around driving kids from one activity to another, leaving very little time for us to enjoy as a family. I always thought to myself - if only there was an afterschool facility available that can provide various desired activities under one roof so that parents like me can spend more quality time with the family."

So, when this opportunity arose, Ms. Bharadwaj decided to start her own learning center with a goal of offering a quality program that provides a great balance between academics and extra-curricular activities with multiple options to choose from; all at a very reasonable cost.

Located at 4460 Black Avenue in Pleasanton, NurtureKids Learning Center is enrolling now for summer and fall sessions. They are also introducing a 'Kinder Readiness' program this Fall with the main focus on phonics, basics of math and preparing the kids to give them a head start with reading. Learn more at [www.WeNurtureKids.com/Pleasanton](http://www.WeNurtureKids.com/Pleasanton).



NurtureKids Learning Center Director Lavanya Bharadwaj and her family pride themselves on their ability to provide a learning environment for kids that is fun, creative, exciting and challenging at the same time.

**nurturekids**

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## What our members are saying

"Wente Vineyards has had a longstanding partnership and membership with the Pleasanton Chamber. It is a priceless opportunity to be a part of our neighboring community, with networking events and more!"

— Tricia A. Craig, Wente Family Estates



"The opportunities that the membership provides allow for us to share all that we have to offer; from The Estate Winery & Tasting Room, The Winemakers Studio, The Vineyard Tasting Room, The Restaurant, The Event Center, The Course, The Grill, The Concerts, and Murrieta's Well. We have something for everyone. We can also customize experiences and special occasions through our award winning onsite Catering & Events team."

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## Membership Anniversaries



During the past two months, over 100 businesses renewed their investment in the Chamber, thereby demonstrating their continued commitment to community excellence while realizing the benefits, services and representation associated with membership in Pleasanton's leading business organization.

We recommend that you look first to Chamber members for your business and consumer needs.

### 56 Years

Castlewood Country Club  
Pleasanton Garbage Service

### 40-44 Years

Graham-Hitch Mortuary  
Pleasanton Custom Care Pharmacy  
35-39 Years  
Big O Tires of Pleasanton  
Stanford Health Care - ValleyCare  
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Big O Tires of Pleasanton  
ClubSport Pleasanton  
Kaiser Permanente -  
Diablo Service Area  
Lupeika, Walt, CPA

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Sallmann, Yang & Alameda

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National Laboratory

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Pleasanton-Livermore  
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Tri-Valley Inn & Suites  
Valley Yellow Pages/AGI Publishing  
Open Heart Kitchen

### 10-14 Years

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## Business Spotlight

### Pleasanton Family Wellness Center



## Compassion only matched by experience

Kathleen Beaulieu founded Pleasanton Family Wellness and has been delivering services for over 22 years in the Bay Area. Her wide-variety of services are completely personalized and you are not "just a number" with Kathleen.

*The following are services offered at Pleasanton Family Wellness:*

### Diagnostic Testing, Nutritional Supplements and Support

The staff at Pleasanton Family Wellness Center works with each unique patient to help solve many of the puzzles in today's health care. We begin with the most troublesome or uncomfortable symptoms and after a thorough health history begin to prescribe diagnostic tests, medical grade nutritional supplements, individual nutritional counseling and support.

### Pregnancy and Post-Partum Support

Pregnancy is a thrilling time but it can be filled with unexpected aches and pains, or a need for additional nutritional and emotional support. Pleasanton Family Wellness offers every patient complete and individualized prenatal and post-delivery support. This care may include prenatal and post-delivery massage, nutritional support and supplements, as well as light therapy to support tissue healing after cesarean or vaginal delivery.

### Infant Massage Classes

Infant massage is a beautiful way to bond with your baby while providing relief from digestive disorders such as colic, constipation and chest congestion. You will learn to help your baby relax naturally and the parent-child bond can be visibly improved after massage. Pleasanton Family Wellness teaches massage techniques in private or group settings.

### Therapeutic Massage

The health benefits of touch extend beyond simply soothing aches and pains. In fact, a growing body of

research suggests that a professional massage is even better for you than previously thought.

### Post Injury or Surgery Recovery

In addition to treating the aches and pains of everyday living, Pleasanton Family Wellness has specialty training to provide treatment for life's unexpected events. Recovering from an automobile accident, knee, hip or rotator cuff injury surgery, the healing touch of massage therapy may be combined with light therapy or electric stimulation to provide pain relief and promote healing.

### Cancer Support

Doctors know that therapeutic massage can reduce stress, induce relaxation and ease the side effects experienced during chemotherapy, radiation and other cancer treatments. The staff at Pleasanton Family Wellness knows specifically that massage with a specific focus on acupressure points can reduce pain, nausea, anxiety and fatigue. These techniques can also help with blood circulation and toxicity.

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Family Wellness Center

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FALL 2017



## Business Spotlight

## Dentistry is our profession but people are our focus

Dr. Jacob DeVinney has the ultimate in “patients” as he and his dental staff create magical smiles. He has moved to Pleasanton and has acquired Amador Dental and Orthodontic from Dr. Craig Sjoberg, who will shift from his current role at Amador Dental into retirement.

Utilizing state-of-the-art dentistry implements and techniques, Amador Dental provides care for those seeking everyday dental procedures: whitening, fillings, crowns, root canals, and, also including the more intricate procedures: implants, dentures, orthodontia, and Invisalign. “We do everything, all in one place,” making it convenient for today’s busy lifestyle.

Each dentist, hygienist, and staff member at Amador Dental and Orthodontic, offers a caring touch where their patients can trust that their oral health needs will be well taken care of. Understanding how daunting a dental visit may be, Dr. DeVinney provides gentle dentistry, carefully explaining each procedure so that his patients are comfortable and confident with the dental procedures and the experience.

Upon six years of service in the U.S. Navy as a Hospital Corpsman and ENT surgical technician, careful consideration and a career shift beckoned Dr. DeVinney back to school. Graduating from Cal State



Jacob DeVinney, DDS of Amador Dental & Orthodontic

University, Dominguez Hills, as Summa Cum Laude, with a B.S. degree in Biology, he then earned his dental degree from Herman Ostrow School of Dentistry at USC.

Dr. DeVinney, his wife, a respected physician, and their two children, who reside in Pleasanton, hail from Southern California. As an esteemed dental professional, Dr. DeVinney feels blessed to live in such a flourishing area with perfect weather and those who, “Actually take good care of their dental health.”

As the new dentist in town, Dr. DeVinney, with his own award-winning smile and hospitable demeanor, welcomes new friends and patients to his dental office at the corner of Pleasanton Avenue and Bernal Avenue, located at 5000 Pleasanton Avenue, in Suite 110.

Dr. DeVinney, away from the office, enjoys spending time with his family, and consistently seeks ways to give back. He is overwhelmed with the friendliness in Pleasanton, where folks gather together to celebrate their community and generally take care of one another. Pleasanton, as a family-oriented town, Dr. DeVinney knows that this is the right place for his practice, and to raise his family.

We, at Amador Dental and Orthodontic, look forward to meeting you, and serving all of your dental needs. For more information, visit [www.amadordental.com](http://www.amadordental.com).



## Dinner with the Mayor!

Hosted by the Community of Character Collaborative

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**August 26th**

**6:00 p.m.**

4053 Walnut Drive, Pleasanton

Sign-up online on the Pleasanton Chamber's website:

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## Preet Brows: Threading, Waxing, Facial & Henna Salon

Preet Brows is a beauty salon on Valley Avenue in Pleasanton featuring temporary henna tattoos as well as eyebrow and other facial hair threading. In the coming

future, Preet Brows plans to have a licensed esthetician that can do all kinds of facials. To learn more, Preet Brows is on Facebook and also has a five-star rating on Yelp.



Visit Manpreet Kaur at Preet Brows, which is located at 4307 Valley Avenue, Suite D in Pleasanton or call 925-417-0101.

### Hours

Monday-Friday 10:00 am-7:00 pm  
Saturday 10:00 am to 6:00 pm  
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### Appointments

Walk-ins always accepted, we take reservations as well

### Salon Features

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Stop by for an Inspiration Guide or a Beer Passport

**Visit Tri-Valley** – Visit Tri-Valley, the destination marketing organization for Pleasanton, Livermore, Dublin and Danville, is celebrating a remodel of its offices in Pleasanton. Visit Tri-Valley has splashed its walls with Tri-Valley messages pulled from its inspiration guide and added the Beer Trail and Wine Country as well. Visitors are welcome to stop by for an Inspiration Guide or a Beer Passport at 5075 Hopyard, Suite 240 in Pleasanton. Check out our website: [www.VisitTri-Valley.com](http://www.VisitTri-Valley.com) or like us on Facebook or Twitter and follow what's happening in the Tri-Valley.

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