

The Summer Issue!

HAHA

**You Know You're
An Eichler
Owner When...**
your summer
tan comes from
sitting inside.

Upcoming Events

Summer Block Party

**We need an organizer for this
year's event! No planner, no party.**

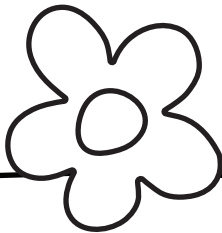
If you're interested in helping
out, please email [blockparty@
fairgleneichlers.org](mailto:blockparty@fairgleneichlers.org)

Bunco Game Night

Meets monthly
A neighbor's home
Time changes based on host

The ladies of Fairglen host Bunco Night once per month at their homes. Play Bunco, have a drink with your neighbors, and get a glimpse of someone else's Eichler. Bunco is an easy to learn dice game— don't be shy!

To be added to the Bunco Night list,
email Fiona at fionadsmith@gmail.com.

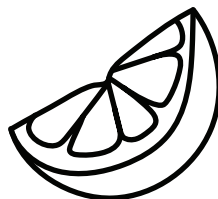


Garibaldi Cocktail

If your orange tree's bounty is overflowing, try the Garibaldi cocktail - a refreshing Campari and orange juice sipper, perfect for using up those fresh citrus fruits. It's a delightful Italian aperitivo alternative to the Aperol Spritz.

Ingredients

- 1 1/2 oz Campari
- 1 1/2 oz Freshly squeezed orange juice
- Ice cubes
- Orange Wedge (Garnish)



Directions

1. Squeeze orange juice. Fine strain to remove any flesh or seeds.
2. Blend or aerate the fresh orange juice at high speed to make it "fluffy" and frothy.
3. In a highball or collins glass, add the Campari and half of the aerated orange juice over ice. Stir gently to combine.
4. Top with fresh ice cubes and the remaining aerated orange juice.
5. Garnish with an orange wedge

Preserving History

Local neighbors Sally Zarnowitz and Peter Hurd were honored this May for leading a collaborative effort to add the Eichler Tract homes of Fairglen to the National Register of Historic Places. The award was given by the Santa Clara County Preservation Alliance (SCCPA) on May 17th at the SCCPA Preservation Awards Night.



The homes were added to the Register in 2019. Being added does not impose any zoning, design, or architectural limitations. However, it does cement the neighborhood's place in California history. Indeed, we live in a very special neighborhood of historic and unique homes.

Thank you to Sally and Peter for their efforts to honor and preserve our neighborhood.

A Curb Ramp Celebration!

Fairglen is a great place to walk. If you're out on a stroll, you'll see happy neighbors with dogs, scooters, and strollers. But until recently, you may have tripped over a curb! Now we have curb ramps, simple machines that allow us to roll off our sidewalks and into the streets.

Whether you use wheels for assistance or recreation...

*Whether you're old, young, or a dog...
Whether you're new or have lived here for years...*

Thank you, City of San Jose and all neighbors who sacrificed their parkways, plants, and sprinklers.

If your street does not yet have curb ramps, email the city at curbramp.request@sanjoseca.gov or call (408) 794-6463.

Move-Ins

Give a warm welcome to our neighbors who moved in this year.

1758 Comstock Lane	1648 Fairlawn Ave.
2308 Fairglen Dr.	2299 Fairlawn Ct.
2354 Fairglen Dr.	2408 Fairoak Ct.
2276 Fairhill Lane	1652 Fairorchard Ave.
2272 Fairhill Lane	1730 Hudson Dr.
1613 Fairlawn Ave.	1950 Margot Pl.
1632 Fairlawn Ave.	1978 Margot Pl.

We'd love to get to know you. Email blockhead@fairgleneichlers.org and introduce yourselves!



Margo rolls down ramp!

Move That Bod with Shazia

By Emma Siemasko

If you walk down Fairglen Drive, you'll pass Shazia Jafri's Eichler, which is home to SJ Functional Fitness, a boutique fitness studio that focuses on strength training and joint mobility.

Tell us a little about yourself.

I'm an ACSM Certified Personal Trainer, Functional Anatomy Specialist, TRX, and Animal Flow L1 instructor. I'm focused on helping people move without pain or joint stiffness. I work with a variety of clients— youth, athletes, seniors— all to move more freely and functionally. When I'm not working, I enjoy spending time with my family (plus two cats!), reading, and baking. I'm a proud Potterhead and Star Wars fan, too.

Why did you start SJ Functional Fitness?

Fitness has always been a hobby, but its impact on my life became especially apparent after injuring my knee while skiing in my early 20s. When I had my children, I knew that I wanted to keep up with them as well. After working in television production for 12 years, I turned fitness into a career when I joined Total Woman Gym & Spa in 2017. In 2019, I earned my credentials to train independently, then started my own studio during the pandemic.

How did you find your way to this neighborhood?

I'm originally from New York and still consider myself a "New Yorker who lives in California." My husband and I bought our Eichler in 2010. We moved into the neighborhood partly because we had friends who lived here, but we were also set on having an Eichler. The house needed a lot of work and we've been restoring it to its original grandeur ever since.

Why do you like living here?

I love the community! I never have to worry about my children being out by themselves because everyone is looking out for the kids. I love that it's an open, respectful, and tolerant community. Honestly, we're not as attached to our particular Eichler, as we are to this neighborhood.

Any tips for the neighbors as they work to stay fit over the summer?

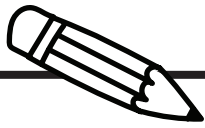
Stay hydrated! If you're going to move outdoors, do so early in the mornings or late in the evenings to beat the heat. It takes moving for 30 min 3x per week for three months to notice discernible change, so be patient.

To get in touch with Shazia, visit her website (www.sjfunctionalfitness.com), find her on Instagram (@sjfunctionalfitness), or give her a call or text (650-862-3863).

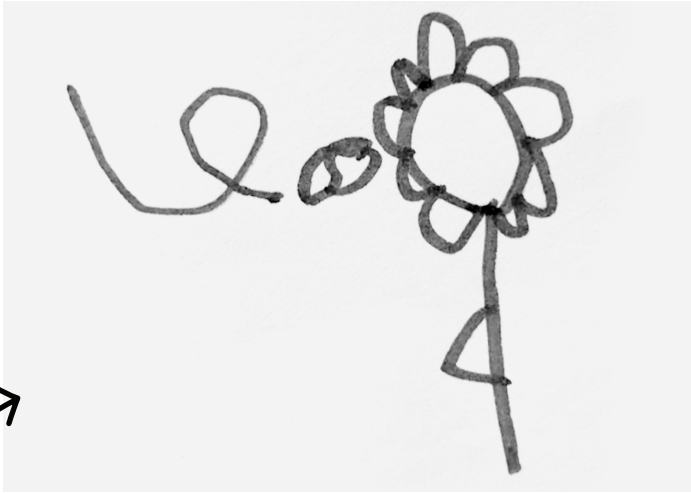
Neighbor
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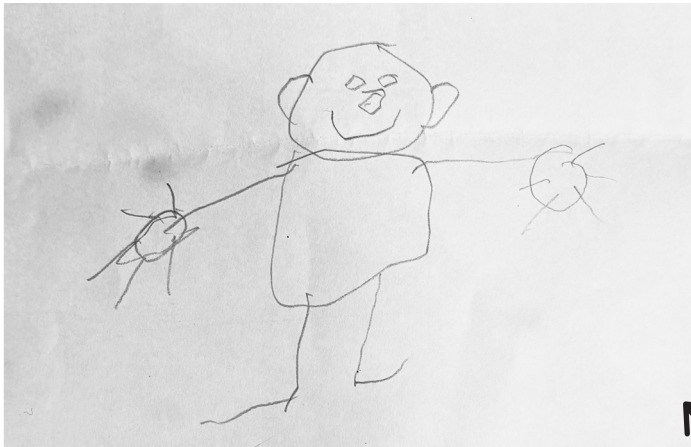
Shazia does a wall sit in her Eichler



Kids Corner



"A Bee Flying To A Flower" (George)



"Self portrait" (Julian)



Winona (1) enjoys a cruise through Fair Oak Ct.

Babysitters Available!

Sofia Vo Van: 669-262-0822
Maura Quigley: 408.679.9319

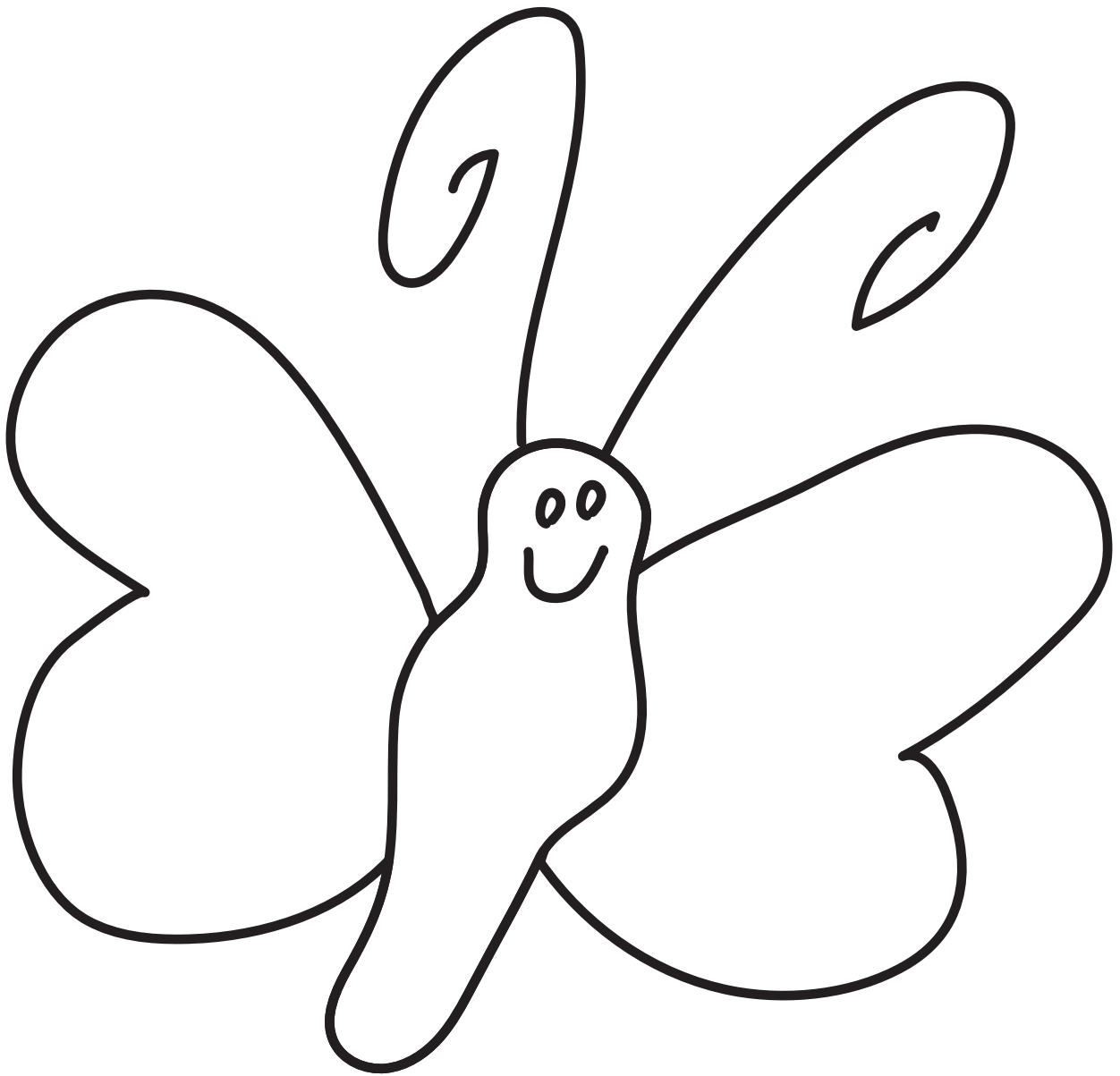
Text for rates and availability.



Pierce dribbles to Winona!



"Around Town" (Paige)



Color and Decorate

Directions: Get as creative as you like to color and decorate this happy butterfly! Send a photo to blockhead@fairgleneichlers.org to be featured in our next issue!

Furry Friends

Meet some of our neighborhood pets!



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Got news to share or want to get involved in the neighborhood? Contact blockhead@fairgleneichlers.org

