

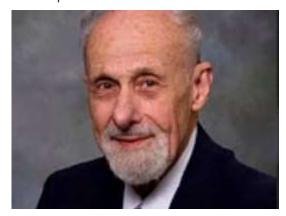
# **HUMANIST COMMUNITY** January 2019

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### Burt Liebert – We'll Miss You

The Humanist Community lost a great friend last month. Burt Liebert was an active member of the Humanist Community. He and his wife Marge would open their house for potlucks and gatherings on special occasions and Burt continued this involvement after Marge passed on in 2014. In recent years he and Emi Hester. another Humanist member, became close friends

He lived a life any of us would be envious of. He traveled the world, produced plays, and was a college professor. In his late 80's he was still zip lining in Costa Rica. At the age of 93, he was still teaching creative writing as late as this November. He's going to be missed by numerous friends and family members including the many kids he and his wife adopted/fostered.



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# **HCSV** Board Elections

Elections for the Board of the Humanist Community will take place on the last Sunday in February.

Alex Havasy and Herman Winick were elected for two vears last February and are in the middle of their terms.

Greg Alexander, Matt Courtney, Pam Erwin and Alfred Jan will run for another term. Two new candidates are Kakoli Banerjee and Ray Sundby.

Kakoli is a member of the Social Action Committee: she's presented at the Forums devoted to the California State Propositions in the last two elections.

Ray has had a varied career in Management in various Silicon Valley companies, as well as serviing on rescue missions on ski patrols.

Both Ray and Kakoli have been attending quite regularly, and both seem pragmatic and interested in working with the various issues facing the Board right now.

The board is required to have an odd number of members and we have another candidate who is out of the area and unable to confirm that they will serve. Since the deadline for the nominating committee will have passed, we will put this candidate on the slate by petition.

Members may add names to the ballot by petition submitted to the Nominating Committee five weeks before the election. The list of candidates, including those nominated by petition, will be submitted to the membership in writing two weeks prior to the election.

#### **Board of Directors**

Alex Havasv President: Vice President: Alfred Jan Treasurer: Greg Alexander

Members at large: Matt Courtney

Pam Erwin Paul Gilbert Herman Winick

## Join the Humanist Community

To vote in the upcoming Board election you must first join or renew your membership for 2019.

You can join the community by going to our website, humanists.org, then click on Join/Donate and follow the instructions on that page. Email renewal notices are being sent out. Paper notices will be sent to those who we don't have an email on file and do have a valid mailing address in our records.

# Happy Birthday

John Carpenter Alice Hoagland Roy Elder Bob Kresek Leslie Foster Dana St. George Celso Frazao Christine Vogdes Alex Havasy Robert Wallace Sena Havasy

## Special Thanks

#### Ambassadors' Club \$1000

Matt Courtney Martin Squibbs Pamela Erwin Lola and Bob Stephens

Mary Gordon Herman Winick

Sena and Alex Havasy Min and Edward Yates

Fran and Jim Naylor

#### Presidents' Club \$500

Carl Angotti Judith Banister Alfred Jan Hilton Brown III Jeff Justice Jean-Claude Roy

Christine Voqdas

and Greg Alexander

Arthur Jackson Nirmal Iyengar

Kindly consider a monthly donation!









# **EVENTS**

# January 2019

Sunday	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
Go to www.meetup.com/humanistcommunity for details and updates about these and other events Your RSVP is appreciated for planning.		3:00PM New Year Afternoon Open House Havasys	7:30 PM Freethought Discussion	3 7:30 PM Academic Video	4	5
6 11:00 AM Sunday Forum How-Do-We-Know: Astrology Astronomy and Cosmology Ron Garret 12:30 Buffet Lunch	7 (4)	8 Life Ring Secular Recovery Secular Recovery.org	7:30 PM Freethought Discussion	10 7:30 PM Academic Video	11	12 11:00 AM Fun Group: 2D Art Exhibit & Competition Triton Museum Santa Clara
Introduction to Artificial Intelligence Will be 1st Sun. in Feb, the 3rd	14	Climate Lobby now at the Quaker Meeting House in San Jose	7:30 PM Freethought Discussion	17 7:30 PM Academic Video	18	19 12:30 PM BLOOD DRIVE at Stanford 11:30 PM NY Para -1040 Gram Rd M Atheists of San Jose
20 11:00 AM Sunday Forum Courageous Women from Around the World Barby Ulmer 12:30 Buffet Lunch	21	22	7:30 PM Freethought Discussion	24 7:30 PM Academic Video	25	26
27 11:00 AM Sunday Forum The Wobblies Sena Havasy 12:30 Festive Buffet Lunch	28	29	7:30 PM Freethought Discussion	31 7:30 PM Academic Video	We A One Mont Sup Com	E ADVERTISING  Are Offering to Post of Your Events Each th on Our Calendar in port of Our Secular munity. Call Sena at 108-739-5638.