



Saratoga Foothill Club Historic Landmark Foundation Report

June 2010

A Very Good Year

On behalf of the Board of Directors I want to thank each of you who have donated generously to our Foundation this year. Despite the recession your gifts have enabled us to move forward with renovation of our beautiful Julia Morgan designed Clubhouse.

While it is not visible, this year we have successfully addressed our drainage issues with a French Drain hooking up to the sewer. The rainy winter tested this work and I am pleased to report that it is dry under our Clubhouse for the first Spring since it was built!

We are ready to get bids from architects to remodel our restrooms. The \$13,500 grant from the City of Saratoga for architectural drawings is in the bank and we have completed our research and needs assessment for the restroom remodel.

Our goal is to allow easy access to the Clubhouse and restrooms for people with walkers and wheelchairs. By Fall we will have biddable plans and a clear idea of the cost of this project.

Thanks to all who have supported our fundraisers this year. We have had three successful events—the Holiday Wreath and Candy Sale, the Art Lecture Series presented by Fran Rushing on Matisse and Picasso, and the Bonhams and Butterfield Appraisal Clinic. In addition to raising funds, these events have been opportunities to open our beautiful Clubhouse to the community.

Please enjoy, also, the new Foundation informational brochure we have published this year.

Cindy Ruby
Foundation Chair

We encourage you to make a donation today to the Foundation to support the preservation of the Foothill Clubhouse. An envelope is enclosed for your convenience.



Club President Mary Ellen Comport (left) and Foundation Vice Chair Susan Perry take a break from Antiques Appraisal Clinic duties. Our very successful May 13 fundraiser brought in close to \$9,000.

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