

### **Mastick Holiday Closures!**

Mastick Senior Center will be closed for the following holidays:

Veteran’s Day - Wednesday, November 11, 2009

Thanksgiving - Thursday, November 26 &  
Friday, November 27, 2009

**Alameda Adult School Update:** Alameda Adult School classes will be cancelled on Wednesday, November 25, 2009.

### **Meal Service Information:**

A traditional Thanksgiving dinner will be served at Christ Episcopal Church, 1700 Santa Clara Ave. (at Grand Street), Alameda, on Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, November 26, between 11:00 am and 2:00 pm. This festive dinner is **free** and open to the public.

### **Mardi Gras @ Mastick Senior Center**

Our Annual Open House event held on Sunday, September 20, had a tremendous turnout with over 350 coming out to enjoy the festivities. A special thank to the Mastick Senior Center Advisory Board, Advocacy Committee, Alameda Currents, Mastick volunteers, class instructors (i.e., Alameda Adult school), class participants, and staff that made this event a wonderful event for the center and the community.

### **Daylight Saving Time Ends**

**Sunday, November 1**, marks the ending of Daylight Saving Time. Please set clocks back one hour. This is also a good time to replace batteries in smoke and carbon monoxide detectors, remote controls, and other electronic devices. Also, consider rotating or assembling disaster supplies. **Note: Batteries can be properly disposed of at Mastick Senior Center.**

### **Computer Classes**

Alameda Adult School instructors provide computer instruction in a friendly, relaxed atmosphere at Mastick Center. This six-week winter term begins **Monday, November 30**, and runs through January 22. Class instruction is provided **free** through the Alameda Adult School. There is a \$7 materials fee. Registration forms outlining winter class offerings and prerequisite information are available in the Coffee Area. **Sign up in the office or call 747-7506.**

The winter quarter classes are as follows:

Monday.....Computer Care

Tuesday.....MS Publisher

Wednesday....MS Office Suite—Word Beginning

Thursday.....MS Office Suite—Excel Beginning

Friday.....Ms Office Suite—PowerPt Begin.

**Tuesday am....Digital Photo Editing & Organizing**

### **Mastick Book Club**

On **Tuesday, November 3**, Book Club members will review “Vegetable, Animal, Miracle” by Barbara Kingsolver with Steven L. Hopp and Camille Kingslover at 1:00 pm in the Media Room. On **December 1**, Book Club members will review “The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society” by Mary Ann Shaffer & Annie Barrows. Any questions, please contact the Mastick Office at 747-7506.

### **Mastick Supporters...**

The Mastick Advisory Board and Staff thank you for supporting Mastick Senior Center! During the month of October, we would especially like to thank Ursula Van Wassenberg and the individuals making memorial donations on behalf of May Mew and Ruth Seabock.