

Memorandum from .

The Newsletter of Friends of 40Prado P.O. Box 12444 San Luis Obispo, CA 93406 www.friendsof40prado.org/donate.html

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Community in Concert:

Community in Concert was a great success, bringing in a profit of \$130,000! We would like to thank everyone who showed their support by attending, and a special thanks to Gil Stork for being such a wonderful M.C. during the "raise the paddle" portion of the program. Also, the event would not have been possible without the generosity of our sponsors and vendors.



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Open House at 40Prado!:

All donors and volunteers are invited to an Ice Cream Social / Open House on September 20! As you can probably imagine, CAPSLO staff are eager to move clients into the new center as soon as possible, but they have saved that day for a special open house. This is our way of saying once again "Thank You!" for all your support – not just for supporting construction of the new building, but for your ongoing support over all of the years since Friends of Prado Day Center started 1999. Please come see what you have helped accomplish!

When: Thursday, September 20, 2018, 3:00 to 6:00 p.m.
Where: 40 Prado Road (of course!)
RSVP (*PLEASE!*): Mary Matakovich, 805-595-2526 or mmatakovavila@gmail.com



Beds and Mattresses!

As you know, the mission of Friends of 40Prado is to raise support funds for operating expenses of homeless services. But having a new center at 40 Prado Road is exciting, and a number of you have expressed interest in contributing somehow to what's inside the building. Well, thanks to all of our donors' generosity, and especially thanks to the great success

> of Community in Concert, we are happy to announce that Friends of 40Prado is contributing an extra \$65,000 to CAPSLO – beyond our commitment for operating expenses – for the purchase of high-quality beds and mattresses for the men's, women's, and family dorms at 40Prado. We will always honor our commitment to support operating expenses first, but with your ongoing generosity, we look forward to being able to contribute additional support for the building itself.

Construction Update:

We are excited to announce that construction of the new center will be complete on August 30! During September, work will continue on the grounds, including finishing the landscaping and installing playground equipment. Also, equipment and furnishings, including the new beds and mattresses, will be set up inside. At this time, we expect to open the center to clients on October 1.

Don't miss the Open House and your chance to see the new center before it is operational! See opposite page for the details.





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Food, fun and camaraderie at Community in Concert.



Ray Riordan and Deborah Amorteguy serving wine.

Donations / Volunteer Opportunities

For more information about Friends of 40Prado, visit <u>www.friendsof40prado.org</u>. To make donations, go to <u>www.friendsof40prado.org/donate</u>. If you would like to volunteer at Prado Day Center, Maxine Lewis Memorial Shelter, or 40Prado, please call 544-4355 x121 or email <u>volunteer@capslo.org</u>.