

Log In

NEWS CHANNEL 546 KION

YOUR CENTRAL COAST NEWS SOURCE

SpringHill Suites Hartford Airport...
\$98 Covered By Expedia's Best Price Guarantee
Expedia.com

RSS

E-Mail

SEARCH

HOME NEWS WEATHER VIDEO COMMUNITY CONTESTS PERFECT HEALTH CENTRAL COAST EXPERTS THE CW T23

Home / News / Local News

Carmel celebrating 100 years of history

Sophia Miraglio, Wake Up Central Coast Reporter, sophia.miraglio@kionrightnow.com

POSTED: 06:28 AM PDT Apr 01, 2016
UPDATED: 09:07 AM PDT Apr 01, 2016

Print

0

Tweet

A A A

Carmel centennial celebration

CARMEL, Calif. - Carmel-by-the-Sea is having a year-long, city wide 100th birthday. Their unique history is at the forefront.

"A man named Santiago Duckworth purchased the land in the hopes of creating a catholic resort, however there was a recession so he was forced to sell the land," said Carmel City Clerk and History Librarian Ashlee Wright.

Frank Powers and Frank Devendorf bought the land, which is where Carmel's story really begins.

"You got a lot with a tree. They were very forgiving of the people that couldn't pay up front. Lots of people didn't build houses right away they lived in tents or small log cabins or things of that type," said Wright.

They decided to market the area as an artist colony.

"We have four performing art centers in one square mile. It just speaks to how much we continue to value the arts as much as our founders," said Carmel Mayor Jason Burnett.

From brick and cobblestone, to wood shingles and green spaces, you can find a little slice of history on every block.

"You can look at historic photographs and see homes, and houses and business that really have not changed," said Wright.

There are still no addresses, meaning that the Carmel Post Office is a pretty popular spot.

"There's that great sense of community. You stop by the post office, you chat with your neighbors and friends you get the latest news and gossip. Carmel has really stayed true to itself," said Wright.

Local Weather Forecast

Salinas

Monterey

Santa Cruz

Salinas

Feels Like: 62° F

Wind: 13 mph at West

Humidity: 56%

Dew point: 46° F

Barometer: 30 inches and falling

Sunrise: 6:51 AM PDT

Sunset: 7:29 PM PDT

ENGLISH METRIC

More Weather »

advertisement

SpringHill Suites Hartford Airport...

\$98

Covered By Expedia's Best Price Guarantee

Expedia.com

Most Popular Stories

Articles

Slideshows

Videos

California is first state to approve \$15 minimum wage

Young man shot to death in Greenfield

Protestors visit Driscoll's Watsonville headquarters

UPDATE: Driver in deadly Highway 1 crash behind bars

Greenfield slain woman: mother of two

Salinas Fire officials give update on Dick Bruhn fire

Slow Down! Principal worries about kids and speedy drivers

Despite winter rain, the dry season ahead may mean trouble for the drought

"Just this railing right here that I'm standing next to, we debated that at a city council meeting. You know there was a lot of attention to just every single detail. Because it's those details that add up to the beautiful town where we live," said Burnett.

www.carmelcentennial.com

KION Copyright 2016

Weekly Deals



HOVER FOR CIRCULAR



HOVER FOR CIRCULAR



HOVER FOR CIRCULAR

Toolbox

 Facebook

 Twitter

 Contact Us

 RSS Feeds

 iOS App

 Android App

 Classroom Makeover

Event Calendar



Nadja Salerno-Sonnenberg, Violinist,
Sun Apr 3 3:00PM
[More Info](#)



Events Near You

Today Tomorrow Weekend

Songhoy Blues
Santa Cruz

NAMI Provider Education
Santa Cruz

Cosmic Hosts: The Art of Tasting
Santa Cruz

Choose Your Community

HOME

NEWS

- Super Bowl 50
- AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am
- Election Coverage
- Salinas Child Abuse Investigation
- Local News
- Madyson Middleton Case
- Special Reports
- CA Drought
- Nation/World
- California Rodeo Salinas 2015
- Ask KION
- Manhunt Monday
- Education
- Politics
- Health
- Archive

WEATHER

- Radar
- Weather Spotters
- Domenico's On The Wharf Camera
- Earthquake Preparedness
- Almanac

VIDEO

- Video Gallery
- Photo Galleries

COMMUNITY

- Project Santa
- Contest Rules
- Classroom Makeover
- Wonders of the Central Coast

CONTESTS

- Premo Roof Rescue

PERFECT HEALTH

CENTRAL COAST EXPERTS

THE CW

TELEMUNDO 23