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## Placentia Founders Society

# The Green Shingle

News from the Bradford House

Winter 2018

## PFS Concert Series is in Full Swing! Santiago String Quartet and Aviara Piano Trio to play at the House



The Santiago String Quartet and the Aviara Piano Trio will perform the second and third concerts of the four-concert Chamber Concert Series on Sundays, Feb. 25 and March 4, respectively. All concerts start at 3 p.m. and are free to the public. Doors open at 2:30 p.m.

The Santiago String Quartet (top left) will play at 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 25. Violinists Linda Owen and Carmen Hensley; violist Lisa Santana; and cellist Patty Hicks will perform Ludwig van Beethoven's String Quartet in F Major, Opus 18 #1, and Heitor Villa-Lobos' String Quartet No. 6.



Sunday, March 4, the Aviara Piano Trio, (bottom left) composed of Robert Schumitzky, violin; Erin Breene, cello; and Ines Irawati, piano, will perform a program of Felix Mendelssohn's Trio No. 2 in C minor, Opus 66, and Gabriel Faure's Trio, Opus 120.

### On the Calendar



- Board Meeting, Feb. 20th, 6:45 PM
- Chamber Concert, Santiago Strings, Feb 25th, 3 PM
- Restaurant Fundraiser, Meat Up BBQ, Feb. 28th, 11 AM-9 PM
- Chamber Concert, Aviano Piano Trio, March 4th, 3 PM
- Public Tour, March 11th, 2-4 PM
- Library Speaker, "History Matters", March 18th, 1:30 PM
- Board Meeting, March 20th, 6:45 PM
- Art Gallery, March 25th, 1-4 PM
- Public Tour, April 8th, 2-4 PM
- Board Meeting, April 10th, 6:45 PM
- Historical Bradford Play, Valencia Drama, April 14 & 15 TBD
- Chamber Concert, Avanti Ensemble, April 22nd, 3 PM

\*unless stated otherwise, all events will be held at The Bradford House



Our condolences to the families of two of our long time members: Pat Irot and Pat Jertberg.

Both worked as volunteer researchers and archivists for the History Room of the Placentia's library as well as supporting the Bradford House

## From the President's Desk



**Nancy & Steve Murray  
at PFS Holiday Party**

What a busy few months, especially December with our Members Holiday Party, the Chamber of Commerce Mixer, and our Super Holiday Tour all in the same week! Then came January with taking down holiday decorations, QuarterMania, a fund-raiser at Craftsman Pizza, and the beginning of our Concert series. And February will bring the start of our third grade student tours which continue into June with hundreds touring. Great fun. Enjoy the pictures included in this issue.

We thank our membership for their continued support as we work to raise funds, preserve the Bradford House, and share it with the public. If you like what we do, consider becoming a bit more involved. We will be filling board positions this Spring for next year's Board of Directors. Or, how about training to be a docent for either adult or student tours or both. Let us know if you are interested. We have great fun and share the work when an event is held.

Sincerely,

*Nancy Murray*

## Restauraunt Fundraisers

Many thanks to those who are supporting our Dine-In Fundraisers! Marie Callender's in October was a great success. And we saw so many familiar faces joining us last month at Craftsman's Woodfired Pizza!



Carolyn Davis and Family



Janet Hayes, Tina Maraj,  
Shani Murray & Nancy Murray



JoAnn & Nelson Woodard, and  
Kathy & Charlie Frazee



...invites you to a  
**Fundraiser for the  
Placentia Founders Society**

**When: Wednesday, February 28, 2018**

**Time: 3 PM - 9 PM**

Present this flyer and 15% of the proceeds (excluding alcohol) will be donated to the Placentia Founders Society (The Bradford House)

MeatUp BBQ, 1450 N. Kraemer Blvd., Placentia, CA 92870

Mark your calendars now to remember to come to Meat Up BBQ on February 28th. Use the above flier. Your meal will help us provide transportation for our 3rd-graders to experience Placentia's history at the Bradford House

# History Matters

**WITH STEVE BERRY**

SUNDAY, MARCH 18 FROM 1:30 - 2:30 P.M.

BRADFORD PARK, 136 PALM CIRCLE, PLACENTIA, CA 92870

The Placentia Library District and the Placentia Library Friends Foundation are combining forces with the History Matters Foundation to raise money to digitize our collection of historic Placentia newspapers. Join us and award winning, New York Times bestselling author Steve Berry as he discusses his newest book in the thrilling Cotton Malone series, *The Bishop's Pawn*. This gripping modern-day thriller deals with one of the great unanswered questions of the 20th century. Why was Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. murdered? All money raised will be spent on the newspaper digitization project.

**VIP TICKET - \$100:**  
Includes a beer and wine pre-reception meet and greet with Steve Berry, front tier seating to Steve Berry's lecture, a dessert bar, tour of the Bradford House and a signed copy of *The Bishop's Pawn*, before its release date. \$60 of this ticket may be tax-deductible.

**GENERAL TICKET - \$50:**  
Includes a dessert bar reception, tour of the Bradford House, seating to Steve Berry's lecture, and a signed copy of *The Bishop's Pawn* before its release date. \$20 of this ticket may be tax-deductible.

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TO PURCHASE TICKETS PLEASE VISIT:  
HISTORYMATTERSPLACENTIA.EVENTBRITE.COM

We would like to thank our partners: The Placentia Library Friends Foundations, the City of Placentia, the Placentia Historical Committee, the Placentia Founders Society, and of course the History Matters Foundation.

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## PFS Holiday Party & Events



Left to right. Alice Husovsky, Eleanore Rankin, Kay Pfaffle, Sharon Keulen, Rhonda Shader, Karen Pena, Alice Husovsky, Judie Dee, Sharon Keulin, Beth Woodard, Jackie Shumway and Andrea Murray.



Bob Board, John Walcek, Karen Pena, Susan Zanayed,

December was busy for the PFS crew. We hosted our membership holiday party on Dec. 3rd with 60 guests enjoying the festive atmosphere and good food. Santa passed out gifts and Carolann Tassios performed on the piano. A few days later we were pleased to host the Placentia Chamber of Commerce holiday mixer.



Tina Maraj, Randy Tovar & Matthew Wolfe

## Quartermania: Fun , Fun , Fun!

Quartermania was a new Fundraising event for PFS. We have been looking for an event that would not be time intensive, and we think we have found a successful option. The event was held at JT Schmid's in Anaheim. There were about 50 attendees, including men, women, and even few youngsters! Some were PFS members and their friends and others were followers of the Quartermania events. All joined in the fun as we waved our paddles in the air hoping to win prizes. It was a nice afternoon for all. We realized a profit of \$800 to assist with our planned projects and events.



Left to Right: Event coordinator Judie Dee with new member Janet Trott, new members and BIG winners Sharon and Matt Wolfe, Janet Hayes and a vendor, and JP Murray, our youngest guest.

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The Bradford House

The Placentia Founders Society was established in 1974 to preserve and maintain the Bradford House, which was built in 1902. Now it is a living museum, providing a glimpse into the lives of a pioneering family who made their fortune in the citrus industry. The House is open to the public for docent-led tours from 2-4 p.m. the second Sunday of each month.

### Placentia Founders Society Board of Directors, 2017-18

#### Officers

President—Nancy Murray

VP-Activities—Judie Dee

VP-Curator—Beth Woodard

VP-Education—Kay Pfaffle

Secretary—Janet Hayes

Treasurer—Tina Maraj

Parliamentarian—Alice Husovsky

#### Executive Committee

Concerts—Lynda Baker

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Historian—Pat Graham

Maintenance—John Walcek

Director at Large—

Jackie Shumway, Carolyn Davis,

Wendy Elliott

Membership—Eleanore Rankin

Newsletter—Lynda Baker,

Tina Maraj

## L ♥ VE PLACENTIA

**Saturday, April 28, 2018 8 AM to Noon**

Get ready to show your love for your community by volunteering for Love Placentia. You can choose the Bradford House by signing up to work that morning at the historic home. We will be cleaning the interior and the exterior and doing some yard work. All ages are welcome. We especially like family groups and those earning service hours. Go to [www.loveplacentia.com](http://www.loveplacentia.com) to sign up to volunteer.

