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30th Annual Mountain Affair, Benefiting Mountain Community Resources (MCR)

Mountain Community Resources, a program of Community Bridges, is hosting its 30th annual *Mountain Affair* gala at Bret Harte Hall at Roaring Camp Railroads on Friday, October 23rd from 5:30-10:00 pm.

Peruse a unique selection of local artisan-made crafts donated by vendors from the Santa Cruz Mountains Makers' Market in the event's silent auction. Bid on exclusive vacation packages at the live auction, while enjoying live music by local blues band Old Blue, wine and beer by local vendors, and an elegant seasonal dinner catered by Back Porch.

Long-time volunteers of Mountain Community Resources, Paul Machlis and Mira Haslam, will be honored at the event as recipients of the 2015 Green Heart Award for their work at the center's weekly food distribution. Other guest speakers include former clients and supporters of Mountain Community Resources.

The 2015 Mountain Affair is sponsored by Jacquie Baker, Chris Currier, Linda Fawcett, Margaret Gallagher, Eric Hammer and Mary Hammer.

This event is Mountain Community Resources' largest fundraiser of the year, making it possible to serve more than 1,200 families throughout the San Lorenzo Valley and Scotts Valley community each year. Now in its 33rd year, the center is raising funds for its new afterschool youth program as well as emergency & disaster relief supplies in preparation for El Niño.

Tickets are \$55 each, or two for \$100 at MountainAffair15.Eventbrite.com.

About Mountain Community Resources

Since 1982, Mountain Community Resources has been providing community outreach and advocacy, parenting education, clothing, food pantry services and more to over 1,200 families in our rural community. From health care enrollment to emergency relief, MCR is the go-to resource for so many of our neighbors in need. Mountain Community Resources is part of the Community Bridges family of 10 programs. Learn more at www.communitybridges.org