

Press Contact:

Virginia Wright, Director of Development

831-688-8840 x285 | virginiaw@cbridges.org

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: SEPTEMBER 20, 2018

[editor's note: event photos available upon request]



An evening under the redwoods: Oct. 12 dinner benefits San Lorenzo Valley and Scotts Valley families

FELTON, Calif. — The Mountain Affair, a dinner benefiting Mountain Community Resources (MCR), will be held on Friday Oct. 12 from 6 to 10 p.m. at Ristorante Casa Nostra in Ben Lomond. MCR staff and volunteers invite community members to come enjoy a fine Italian dinner, local wines, live music by The Dull Richards, and a silent auction with artisan goods donated by the Santa Cruz Mountains Makers' Market. This year's Mary Hammer Green Heart Award, recognizing outstanding MCR volunteers, will honor Rick Roberts (1944-2017) for his years of service with the food pantry.

“From kick starting an on-site natural health clinic to bringing two new counselors onto our staff, there is so much to celebrate this year at MCR,” said Roxanne Moore, program manager of Mountain Community Resources. “We hope that you'll join us for a celebration of our valley community, which helps fund critical programs for local people.”

The Mountain Affair is Mountain Community Resources' largest fundraiser, making it possible to serve hundreds of families each year throughout the San Lorenzo Valley and Scotts Valley. All proceeds from the event support MCR's parent education, one-on-one counseling, food and clothing pantry, youth probation support and more.

Tickets to The Mountain Affair are on sale at CommunityBridges.org/Events. Individual tickets are \$75 through Sept. 30 and \$85 each thereafter. To read more about Green Heart Honoree Rick Roberts, please visit CommunityBridges.org/Events.

ABOUT MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Since 1982, Mountain Community Resources has been providing community outreach and advocacy, parent education, clothing, food pantry services and more to over 400 families throughout the San Lorenzo Valley and Scotts Valley communities. From health care enrollment to emergency relief, MCR is the go-to resource for so many neighbors in need. Mountain Community Resources is part of the Community Bridges Family Resource Collective. Learn more at www.communitybridges.org/mcr.