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It starts on a beautiful crisp Friday, February 24th after lunch the "Granada voyagers" will departed for Marin County and the historic Muir Woods. A quick 45 minutes over the Golden Gate bridge in our private deluxe coach and we arrive at what appears to be something out of "Jurassic Park."

The National Monument preserves the last old growth coast redwood forest in the San Francisco Bay Area. The cool moist forest supports a surprising abundance of plant and animal life, from the coast redwood (the tallest type of tree on Earth), to the slimy banana slug, from the amazing Coho salmon to delicate trilliums. This forest refuge welcomes visitors from all over the world to experience the magic of the redwood forest.

After a 15 minute orientation from a friendly Ranger on what to look for and what to do, we will start deeper into the woods. Trails for the more ambicious through the glenn and up the path or the more luxuriant members of our group will have snacks with sodas and ice cream.

To breath the air and walk through these woods, truly is an experience not soon forgotten. After a few pictures of the peace and happiness, we will set out again for the Granada and dinner on the other side of that Golden Gate. Sign up at the front desk for a great time.



Photography by: Kevin McGlynn

#### A Granada Welcome to

Michael Griffith Alice Straus Alice Levin Vicky Jin John Deegan Ashley Zimmerman Dan Finn Lorana Chickadel

### **Granada Super Bowl XLVI Party**



That time of year for the, February 5th NFL Super Bowl XLVI and time for the Granada Super Bowl Party! Super Bowl XLVI Indianapolis, IN.

New York Giants vs New England Patriots

Refreshments will be served. The game begins at 3:25 pm on FOX Granada TV Room and the big screen TV. Come join the fun!

# February 5, 2012

## February Birthdays

#### RESIDENTS

- 3 **Ruby Stebbins**
- 4 Dick Schrum
- 6 Cecilia Peche
- 6 Tom Luby
- 7 **Evan Rhoades**
- 12 Jim Bennett
- 12 Frances Ward
- 14 Gordon Lam
- 16 Autumn Bryant
- Jeanne Lam 17
- 19 Sik Fong Ma Kwong
- 20 Catherine Bernard
- 26 Harry Phillips
- 26 Channing Cassett
- Marilyn Helmers 26
- 28 Rachel Pallett
- 28 Harry Tom Miller
- 28 Diane Sullivan



## Homeland Security

There is a video surveillance system in the Granada that surrounds our building. Four cameras located at the exact spot to see everything that is going on from the front door, up and down Sutter Street and around the corner of Hyde Street. So, for your safety the monitor is located behind the front desk so activities are observed 24 hours a day. Between the video surveillance equipment and the telephone PBX,

the ability to recognize a possible emergency situation is heightened.

When you go outside now, see if you can spot the cameras.



Are you ready for some more football? No? Our Super Bowl Party is scheduled for February 5th in front of our big screen TV with plenty of refreshments. I'm sorry the 49er aren't there but next year, Go 49ers! Valentine's Day is here too, Febuary 14th. Sweethearts, I have my share: April is back in school after the Christmas break, Gabby, my San Francisco girl and Mary Angel my lifelong sweetheart are fine. Mom, I don't forget, in fact a long-lost cousin, Nigel from England went to the church where my mom got married during WW II and got a copy the marriage certificate for me! To celebrate Valentine's Day in the Granada we will have a Valentine dinner. something in the shape of a heart. How about that Chinese New Year dinner, year of the Dragon is a symbol of good fortune and intense power in Eastern culture. In Chinese tradition, the Dragon is regarded as a divine beast. Remember my door is always open. Thanks

#### **EMPLOYEES**