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MRPOA Crown Princess! Ass'n President Gives Birth

MRPOA Prez Melanie Goudzwaard is the proud, if frazzled, mother of Amelia Sadie Goudzwaard, born at 10:46 PM on July 15, in Los Angeles. Amelia weighed 9 pounds, 9 ounces at birth, and is described by her dad, Maurice, as "Beautiful." All of us on Malibu Road wish the new family well.

An unconfirmed rumor (from an unreliable source) has it that Melanie plans to seek continuous reelection as President of the MRPOA until Amelia is old enough to assume the responsibilities of office. Ms. Goudzwaard could not be reached for comment.

BOND ISSUE SURVEY

Response from MRPOA members to our July survey indicates overwhelming and enthusiastic approval of the November Bond Issue proposal. While we received but 60 responses to our eminently unscientific study, a *resounding* 54 were enthusiastically in favor.

The proposal put forth by the Bond Issue Coalition will, if okayed by voters in November, raise \$15 million for the purpose of acquiring land for park, recreation, community center or open space throughout Malibu. Moreover, the Bond Issue and its proceeds will make Malibu eligible to apply for and receive grants of additional funding from state, federal and private foundation sources, thus helping to limit commercial development and related traffic congestion.

Film Permits & Your MRPOA

Please – if you are renting your property for filming or taping, make sure that Al Lerner (or other MRPOA Board Member) has signed the permit. This means that MRPOA has received its filming fee. These monies are essential for the work the MRPOA does on

behalf of its members! If you have questions, call us at 310.317.1040.

ANNUAL BEACH PARTY SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

It's *that* time again – for fun on the sand! You'll have great food from *Monrose*, free drinks, rockin' live music, games for the kids, and best of all, a chance to see old neighbors, meet some new ones, and give your friends a taste of The Good Life, Malibu Road style.

The time – 4-7 PM. The place – The Field of Dreams (adjacent to 24712 Malibu Road). There'll be great raffle prizes, nifty *Old Road* sweatshirts for sale in assorted colors, a bonfire and all-around good fun – and – it's only \$25 for adults and \$12.50 for kids (you can't go out to a restaurant for that kind of money).

But – in order to ensure that we have enough food and drink for everyone, we'll need your payment by September 7th. Walk-Ins will be welcome, but the price at the gate will be \$30 and \$15! So PLEASE send your check and reservation today – and save money in the bargain!

Checks should be made out to MRPOA. Our address is: MRPOA
PO Box 415, Malibu, CA 90265. For more information, please call 310.317.1040.

TRANSIENT PARKING

Responding to concerns about overnight RV parking on Malibu Road, Representatives of MRPOA and other residents attended a recent meeting of the Malibu City Safety Committee, urging the City to adopt permit parking along the entire length of the road, with *no* overnight parking of *any* unauthorized transient vehicles. The City council will consider the measure at its August 13th meeting. You are urged to attend, and to make your views heard.

Newsletter written by Tom Sawyer