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## THE LARK OCTOBER 2026

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### Community News

Happy October! As autumn arrives in San Mateo with crisp coastal air and vibrant seasonal energy, we're thrilled to step into a new month with our community. Grab a warm autumn drink, settle in, and read through this month's updates to see all the exciting news, local highlights, and festive events coming up across our neighborhood and right here at home!

### October Resident Event

#### October 30 - Saddle Up, Cowboy!

The excitement continues at The Lark! Join us on Friday, October 30th in the Resident Lounge & Event Space for our autumn resident celebration, Saddle Up, Cowboy! Get ready for an unforgettable evening filled with karaoke, top-shelf cocktails, festive refreshments, and a live DJ spinning your favorite hits. Show off your moves with line dancing and karaoke, or test your music knowledge with trivia and games like "Guess the Song." There will be plenty of opportunities to sing, dance, and celebrate with your neighbors—we can't wait to see you there!

[Stay in the Loop w/ Our Events!](#)



### Looking Back At Last Month

#### Pasta To-Go Night

Nothing brings a community together quite like good food and even better company.

Pasta To-Go Night was a hit at The Lark! We loved sharing a delicious dinner, seeing so many smiling faces, and creating those simple moments that make a community feel a little more like home.

Here's to good neighbors, full plates, and more nights together.

[That's Amore!](#)



## What Residents are Saying

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"Lived here for four years and had the best time. Ruby and all the staff make you feel so welcome and taken care of. I met some of my favorite people at the quarterly parties and enjoyed karaoke, games, food, dancing, and laughter! I also loved the amenities like the jacuzzi and gym. The surrounding neighborhood was perfect for a stroll and to run around. If you're looking to live in a great community, I would highly recommend living at the Lark."

[Share The Love!](#)

\*This is just a sample of our reviews.

## Local Feature

### Game Show Studio San Mateo

Looking for a unique, high-energy weekend outing right in town? Check out Game Show Studio at Hillsdale Shopping Center! Step into a real Hollywood-style studio setup complete with podiums, buzzers, and charismatic live hosts. Whether competing with friends in survey showdowns, spinning puzzle wheels, or testing your trivia knowledge, it's an absolute blast.

[Come On Down!](#)

[Contact the office to be featured in a future newsletter.](#)



## Live Well

### Autumn & Cultural Festivals Near The Lark

**Fall on the Peninsula is the perfect season to explore local culture right in our backyard!**

San Mateo's annual Día de los Muertos at College of San Mateo brings the community together on October 29th with traditional Aztec dance, live music, local food vendors, and vibrant altars. Just ten minutes away, Courthouse Square in downtown Redwood City hosts another incredible Day of the Dead festival on November 8th featuring giant skeleton puppet processions and Mariachi performances. For a classic autumn day trip, take a short drive down Highway 92 on October 17th and 18th for the Half Moon Bay Art & Pumpkin Festival to enjoy local craft brews, pumpkin treats, and coastal fall vibes.

[Day Of The Dead Details!](#)



# The Good Neighbor

## Resident Safety

### Looking Out for One Another

At our community, nothing is more important than your peace of mind and safety—and keeping our home secure is a true team effort! We recently had a wonderful example of resident awareness when a thoughtful neighbor noticed a door propped open, immediately removed the item, and ensured the door was securely closed. It's small, proactive actions like this that make all the difference. When we stay alert, avoid leaving valuables in our vehicles, and report any unusual activity to the leasing office, we protect our shared home together. Thank you to everyone who continues to keep an extra set of eyes on our community. Let's keep looking out for one another, securing our spaces, and working together to maintain a safe, warm, and welcoming neighborhood for everyone!



## Good Friends Make Great Neighbors

Do you know someone looking for a new home? Forward this newsletter and tell them about The Lark! Refer friends and family and get a discount on next month's rent.

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