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“Good Egg” Award Nominations Due

Do you know a person who helps us all remember Petaluma’s heritage and how proud we should be of Petaluma and of the contributions Petalumans have made to our lives? The Butter & Egg Days Parade is looking for a “Good Egg” who has done just that.

The award was created 28 years ago to honor people who work to keep Petaluma’s history alive for all of us. It is an honor awarded by The Butter and Egg Days Committee to recognize a legacy of positive promotion begun by

booster Bert Kerrigan, who worked from 1918 to 1926 to establish international recognition of Petaluma as a center of commerce and agriculture. Kerrigan’s promotion of Petaluma as “The World’s Egg Basket” included National Egg Days celebrations that inspired the modern Butter and Egg Days events.


The Good Egg Award is presented annually to a Petaluma citizen whose “egg-ceptional” effort over time has helped preserve, promote and contribute to the positive promotion of the city of Petaluma, its history and

its people. He or she will be introduced at Butter & Egg Days Opening Ceremonies at noon on Saturday, April 17, at the Petaluma Historical Museum. The Good Egg will also ride in the Butter & Egg Days Parade on Saturday, April 25.

To nominate a “Good Egg”, send a nomination form (available on the previous page) or letter to: The Good Egg Award Committee, c/o Petaluma Downtown Association, 6 Petaluma Boulevard North, Suite B-6, Petaluma CA 94952. Your letter should identify how your prospective Good Egg has helped to preserve Petaluma history, helped others to remember and honor historic Petalumans or Petaluma achievements, or helped to promote Petaluma history within the community or beyond. All nominations must be received by 5 PM on Friday, February 19.


To have a nomination form mailed to you, call the Butter & Egg Days Parade office at 707.763.0344. You can also pick up Good Egg Nomination Forms at the Petaluma

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Ross Parkerson, Alice Forsyth, Mayor M. Patricia Hilligoss, Kathleen Schmelz, Izzie Barlas, Fred Schram, Susan Warren Villa, Katie Watts, Bill Hammerman, Lucy Kortum, Katherine Rinehart, Don Bennett, and Kathy Fries.

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