

# Industry Highlights:

This Month the Gilroy Chamber of Commerce Features Pets / Ranching / Veterinary Services

## Bright Ranch

11695 Turlock Avenue – San Martin  
683-2041

## Dog Behavior Rehab

P.O. Box 1271 – Morgan Hill  
(831) 588-9684

## Gilroy Veterinary Hospital

9565 Monterey Hwy. - Gilroy  
842-9348

## LTD Equestrians Ranches

16275 Monterey Road, Suite F  
– Morgan Hill  
778-2228, Ext. 1

## Orchard Veterinary Hospital

1205 First Street - Gilroy  
842-1333

## Princeville Pet Hospital

7995 Princeville St. #100 - Gilroy  
848-3443

## Rancho Los Laureles

7530 Kentwood Court – Gilroy  
842-2932

## Silacci's Feed Barn, Inc.

8787 Monterey Hwy. - Gilroy  
842-4778

## Renewals *continued from page 7*

### 10 years & over

Faria Drywall, Inc.  
Garlic City Glass, Inc.  
Gilroy Computer  
Gilroy Exchange Club  
Gilroy Foundation  
Greenstreak Landscaping  
Harris & Associates  
Heinzen Manufacturing International  
Joe Rosa Drywall Company  
Littlejohn's Fine Jewelry  
Marx Towing  
Mission Valley Ford  
Rock Zone  
S.V. Family & Occupational Health  
Sherri Stuart  
United Rentals  
van Keulen & van Keulen, A.P.C.  
Eleanor Villarreal  
W.E.R.C.  
Western Appliance  
Weston Miles Architects, Inc.  
Westwood Cleaners

## BUSINESS PROMOTION OPPORTUNITIES

### LTD Equestrian Ranches delivers the total solution

LTD Equestrian Ranches is a Project Management Company for the development of equestrian facilities. From backyard barns, arenas, pastures or round pens to large commercial training facilities, LTD Equestrian Ranches assists clients with master planning and design, project budgeting, product purchasing and construction management.

Lauren and Tom Del Sarto founded LTD Equestrian Ranches after moving to Gilroy from Portola Valley in 2003. While developing their own ranchette in the Rucker area, they realized that there was no "one stop shop" for constructing equestrian facilities. Aware of the large number of horse owners moving to the area, Lauren and Tom spent a year researching this business opportunity and established LTD Equestrian Ranches in 2005.

Lauren brings a lifetime of equestrian competition and 20 years of professional project management to the company.

Her work is supported by a strong board with over 40 years of construction and property development nationally. LTD works with a full spectrum of product manufacturers, nationally acclaimed equestrian architects, and many qualified subcontractors from the Gilroy/Morgan Hill area.

"We are delighted to offer such a valuable service. Many horse owners have a dream, but don't know where to begin," stated Lauren. "People don't realize that building a barn is similar to building a second home. And there are a tremendous number of options available. We work with clients to create a realistic plan, establish a budget and timeline,



Lauren Del Sarto sits in front of one of her signature projects offered through LTD Equestrian Ranches.

and manage the entire construction process from contractor bids and permitting through final inspections and landscaping."

LTD Equestrian Ranches is located in Morgan Hill and can be reached at 408.778.2228. Their website is [www.LTDEquestrianRanches.com](http://www.LTDEquestrianRanches.com).

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drafted in 2005.

- Monthly Government Relations Committee (GRC) meetings featured speakers on current issues affecting local businesses from the Gilroy EDC, Santa Clara Valley Water District, Fire Fighters Union, Santa Clara Civil Grand Jury, SB 680 Traffic Relief, Home Builders Association, Downtown Specific Plan, Hecker Pass Specific Plan, and the South County Airport Expansion.
- GRC subcommittee organized the City Council Election Forum.
- Chamber Board took proactive positions on candidates.

### Special Events Division:

- South Valley Business Showcase and "Mixer" provided a cost-effective marketing venue for the business community.

### Operations and Development Division:

- Community Investment strategy developed.
- Implementation of I.D. Scanners at Garlic Festival provided higher level of

alcohol management.

- Continued community-wide alcohol management strategies.

### 2006 Initiatives

The Gilroy Chamber of Commerce 2006 Plan of Action was approved by the Board of Directors, and a copy of the Plan is available electronically. Within the Plan, the Board has identified three priority initiatives to further benefit the Chamber membership and

underscore the organization's Statement of Purpose:

- Actively promote and market the Gilroy Chamber of Commerce to improve communication of business programs and services;
- Develop short- and long-term financial plans to ensure the financial stability of the Gilroy Chamber of Commerce;
- Research additional legislative advocacy strategies.



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