

Letters to Sunday Datebook

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I just want to tell you how great it was to see an article about a really good musician (Jack DeJohnette) written by a really good writer (Lee Hildebrand) in the Pink section ("Beat goes on for drummer DeJohnette," June 6). More like it, please?

Ken Herrick, Richmond

Carmel's poodle day will be more than a parade

Thank you for mentioning Poodle Day in Christine Delsol's article "Carmel: It's a dog's world" (May 23). For the record, Poodle Day is not a costume parade on the beach. It is much more, starting with a parade at the Crossroads Shopping Center, where some poodle and poodle mixes will be in costumes, followed by free play at the beach and performances for those talented and willing. The day concludes with Poodle Cocktail Parties at the Cypress Inn and Forge in the Forest. There are already more than 100 poodles registered for the Oct. 2 event.

Proceeds will benefit NorCal Poodle Rescue. This organization takes any dog with curly hair, finding homes for lots of homeless dogs.

For more information on Poodle Day, go to our Web site, poodleday.com.

Sue Rose, Poodle Day administrator, Carmel

Some good reading for the middle of the night

I'm in Kaiser, recovering from surgery, and it's 3:55 a.m. I'm realizing how very much I enjoy Mick LaSalle and letter writer Andrew Moran (Ask Mick LaSalle, April 18), and Deb Kaplan's comments about each and both in the letters column ("Teachers, scientists and doctors deserve awards like the Oscar," June 6).

I'm also wondering if Andrew is related to Matt Moran and Martin "Moke" Moran, whom I taught in Lafayette in the late '60s and early '70s. They're great kids all - wild and brilliant.

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