

# 33<sup>rd</sup> annual Holiday Homes Tour

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8 • 10AM-4PM

*A benefit for Kare for Kids Fund*

## A FESTIVE START TO YOUR HOLIDAY SEASON!

This year's Holiday Homes Tour celebrates 33 years of spectacular holiday home design! Since its inception in 1986, the tour has featured beautiful private residences decorated for the holidays by professional designers. Visitors return year after year to discover trends in holiday décor and find ideas for their own homes.

Don't miss the opportunity to visit the historic Rancho Buena Vista Adobe. Shop at the Holiday Gift Bazaar where local artisans display and sell one-of-a-kind creations. Enjoy breakfast and lunch from a gourmet food truck. **\*Please note that this year's event will take place one week later than normal due to the Thanksgiving Holiday Weekend.**



### CREATE MANIFESTATION

This very unique home has a backstory for just about every piece you see. From the front door to the backyard, there is an intention behind every detail. Homeowners Chuck and Tania are both creative minds that have designed their home to illustrate just that. Art collected from New Orleans, Florence, Mexico, and Africa adorn the walls and shelves throughout. The backyard even boasts a puppet stage with room enough for 60. There is a great deal to take in, and even more to tell, the moment you walk in the front custom-made cherry wood door.

Designer: Janet Frerichs    Coordinator: Linda Gibney



### MODERN CLASSIC

In 2016, Robert E. Westfall, Jr. worked with Carlsbad Architect, Caroline Dooley, on an expansion to the front of an old mid-century cabin that was located on prestigious Highland Avenue in Olde Carlsbad. The goal was to create a signature piece of architecture to compliment other remarkable and unique homes on the street, while maintaining the dignity of classic mid-century design. The result is a timeless split-level home that one must closely study to determine if it is a new home or a remodeled gem from 1960. Surprise! It's both.

Designer: Beppie Mostert    Coordinator: Debbie Cramer

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## LUSH LANDSCAPES

This 4 bedroom, 3 bathroom beauty feels open the moment you step through the gates. A water feature greets guests at the front bringing an immediate sense of tranquility. The house itself sits in the center of the property surrounded by lush vegetation. There are a total of 16 citrus trees, 2 banana trees, 1 pomegranate tree, and various exotic palms and birds of paradise. Inside you'll find a true family home - the hutch in the foyer comes from the owner's great grandmother, the dining table a handmade gift from a brother, and a few rooms remodeled over the years to accommodate the children. You'll be sure to feel the warmth the moment you step inside.

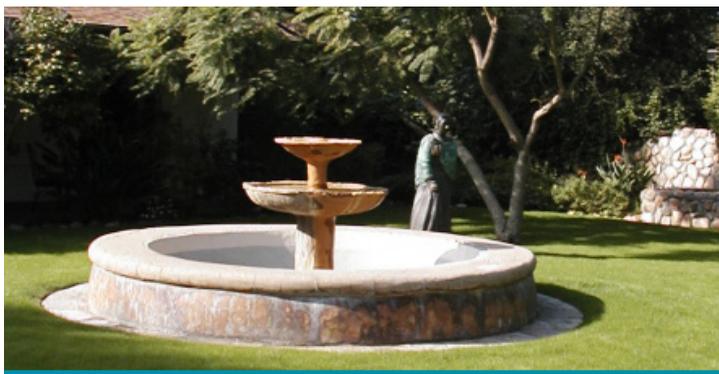
Designer: Jessie Hudson    Coordinator: Jane Penne-Morse



## SETTING ROOTS

Homeowners Chase and Kelsey have only been living here for 5 months but they are already deeply rooted to this home. The birth of their fourth child occurring unexpectedly in this very backyard! The home has only continued to enrich their lives ever since. With ample space in the yard to run around and a beautiful pool to swim in, this home is always where the heart is. The kitchen opens up to both the living room and pool area for a constant connection to what's going on whether you are cooking or relaxing, especially convenient for entertaining guests. The large windows of the front room allow natural light to flood in and warm the home.

Designer: Keely Brewer    Coordinators: Lauren Pitkin



## A LESSON IN NORTH COUNTY HISTORY

What was it like to live in North County in the mid-1800s? You will find answers with a visit to the historic Rancho Buena Vista Adobe, one of the featured stops in the 33rd Holiday Homes Tour. Docents will be on hand to answer questions and show visitors around the sprawling historic structure that was home to many prominent local families and Hollywood celebrities. As graceful today as in its early years, the adobe has a carefully tended garden and more than 20 rooms decorated with period furnishings and art that evoke the life and times of 19th century California.



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