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June 2011
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Happy Birthday, Dave! Our Founder Turns 95!

Dave says, "It's my birthday—20% off for everyone!"

In 1961 (my dad might know the exact date), a sign went over the register at Cole Street Hardware: "There are no strangers here, just friends we haven't met!" That was the first day that Dave Karp took over the store he had just purchased on Cole Street. Fifty years ago, when my father was 45, Cole Street Hardware became part of my family. I was 10. (Guess how young I'll be this year!)

Prior to owning Cole Street Hardware, my dad worked in an electrical repair store owned by his father-in-law. Always wanting to have his own business, and the likelihood of my grandfather selling out being nil, Dave set out looking for his own store. A

salesman recommended the store on Cole Street to him. A lifelong resident of San Francisco, raised in the Mission, my dad had never heard of Cole Street before. He consulted a map, found the store, and fell in love. Just a couple of short months later, my father and mother could be found working their new store! (I joined them a couple of years later when I was 12, but that's a story for another day.)

Today, even though our business has grown, we still operate with Dave's sign over the entrance to each of our stores. And Dave, smiling, telling stories

and jokes, playing card tricks and reminiscing with anyone who stops to chat, can still be found

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Dave celebrates his 95th birthday on June 4.

We Win a Retail Innovators of the Year Award!

Each and every day, independent retailers are changing their playing fields, developing new ideas and blazing trails along the retail landscape. The Retail Innovators of the Year award program is dedicated to recognizing these retailers. Sponsored by the North American Retail Hardware Association (NRHA) and Vermont American, the Retail Innovators of the Year awards recognize retail pioneers who are raising the bar for others and setting a new standard for retail operations nationwide.



Last year, our operations manager, Robin Miller, was awarded this honor in the IT category. This year, COLE HARDWARE has been recognized in the overall category, which encompasses community involvement,

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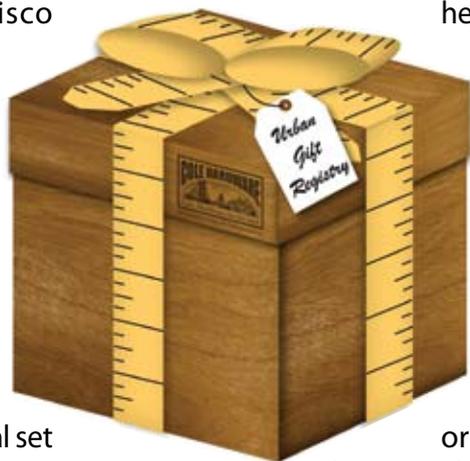
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Registries are no longer just for weddings and are now common for housewarmings, birthdays, and first apartments or even for recent high school graduates heading off to college.

With the mild weather and casual lifestyle we enjoy in the Bay Area, it's not unusual for couples to register for a deluxe Weber® grill to entertain their guests year-round or garden tools for their

outdoor areas that need some help.

A registry assists friends and family in choosing a thoughtful gift desired by the recipients and allows friends and family far and near to send a gift to a newlywed or new homeowner and feel they are part of the celebration.

Although Aunt Clara surely has heartfelt intentions when she chooses those his-and-her matching pink bunny slippers, a registry lets her opt for something really needed by her favorite niece or nephew.

After a visit with one of our registry attendants at any of our stores, we will set up your registry so your loved ones can order your gift online, order by phone or purchase it in the store. We'll keep track of what is purchased, too, so overlapping gifts are not a problem, and we will even deliver your gifts in the City for free. Our Urban Gift Registry is available for our tool, garden, home departments—basically our entire store, whatever your occasion.

To set up an appointment at one our stores or for any questions, simply e-mail gift@colehardware.com or call 415/753-2653 ext. 5.

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Saturday, June 4
Friday, June 3 at Cole Fox

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Enjoy a slice of cake and **SAVE 20% on everything that fits (or not) into a 5-gallon bucket!***

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*Sale excludes gift cards, MUNI, meter cards, special orders and sale merchandise. May not be combined with any other offers.

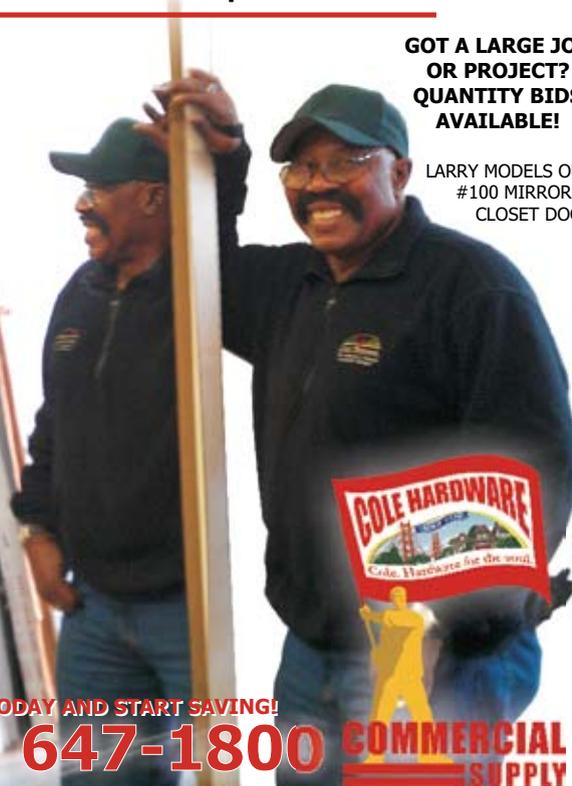
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merchandising (have you ever seen our cool window displays?), environmental efforts, IT and more.

Rick accepted the award on behalf of everyone at COLE HARDWARE during the Retail Innovators of the Year Awards and Lunch at the 2011 NRHA All-Industry Convention, which took place May 10–12 at the Bellagio hotel in Las Vegas. We're happy to be a part of San Francisco and thank our loyal shoppers for making us enjoy being a part of the community.

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in and around the stores. He loves the sun, and on nice days he can often be found visiting with people on the sidewalks or in nearby cafes. Of course, he's moving a little slower these days, but he's still plenty independent and very, very engaging. And of course, he is still my personal mentor and best friend. But not just me: Dave makes friends still today. Bringing joy to others is what brings joy to him and keeps him so

very young at heart. Age 16 or 60, he loves the stories of peoples' lives and always is ready to make them just a bit more sweet if he can. This is the main ingredient of his secret sauce for longevity. (A couple of other ingredients: Eat onions daily like most people eat apples. Salt your bacon, pickles and olives—they're really good when eaten by the jar! Yes, the man loves his salt.)

Dave's 95th birthday is Saturday, June 4. He'll be holding court from 11:00 until 1:00 at the Cole Street store. Come by for a piece of cake and a card trick and to say hello. And all stores will be celebrating Dave's birthday with a 20% off bucket sale. Whatever you can and can't fit inside the bucket is yours with a 20% discount. Oh, and the bucket is free with a \$20 purchase (while supplies last).

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Repair Prices:

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COLE HARDWARE: Your Source for Batteries!

These days we all have multiple portable electronic devices, but very limited options on where to get replacement batteries when necessary. All COLE HARDWARE locations have the ability to provide virtually every battery you might need.

Our battery program includes access to thousands of batteries and battery accessories that, if not in stock, we can generally get for you within a few days. We can correctly identify the battery for more than 100,000 devices! We have access to batteries for electronic devices such as cordless and cellular phones, cameras, camcorders, laptops, lighting fixtures, and power tools. We can also get you batteries for motorcycles, scooters, and personal watercraft, too!

Stop by any of our stores, and one of our friendly crew members can assist you. Simply have the manufacturer name and

model number of your device, if possible. For batteries that ship directly to our stores, you may select shipping options ranging from regular ground to next day overnight rates. We will do our best to get your replacement battery promptly. Here are some examples:

Motorcycle: Robin, our operations manager, needed a new battery for his 1987 BMW K75S. The battery was available to drop-ship for \$99.99.



Home Security System:

We had a customer come in looking for a battery for his ADT alarm system. We were able to locate the battery for \$21.99.

Two-Way Radio: One of our crew members was looking for a replacement battery for his Motorola EM1000R radio.

We located the battery in the warehouse we order from twice weekly, and the battery was delivered to the Cole Street store within two days. Because it shipped from our regular warehouse, there was no freight charge. (Sku 3298742, \$19.99)



FROM THE GARDEN CENTER

VISIT OUR GARDEN CENTERS AT COLE AND POLK STREET STORES AND EL JARDIN AT MISSION STREET



In the Garden with Rick

June Garden Tasks

Summers in the City are characteristically overcast and cool, but the marine layer usually burns off by the afternoon. Hopefully, this month will give us more sunshine than June Gloom. Whatever the weather, June is an excellent month to give your garden some attention to enjoy it for the rest of the year.

✓ Deadhead flowering plants that have bloomed, for a longer flowering season. Simply snap off the dead flower heads or trim taller plants with gardening shears. This will also help your plants bloom more.

✓ Place your indoor plants outside to enjoy some sunshine.

✓ When planting your garden, keep in mind that basil repels aphids, mosquitoes and mites; nasturtiums repel whiteflies and squash bugs; and marigolds repel just about all insects. Thai lemon grass, which grows into a decorative clump about 15 inches across and 2-feet tall, repels mosquitoes. These plants are especially good to include in your vegetable garden.



✓ Plant seedlings of heat-loving vegetables such as melons, peppers and squashes to be harvested in the fall.



✓ Keep an eye out for standing water and eliminate its sources to discourage mosquito populations.

✓ Aphids may continue to be a problem. To deal with them, first try a strong spray of water from the hose. You will need to do this for several consecutive days to see results. Still no luck? Move on to Safer brand's insecticidal soap (Sku 74805, \$8.49) or ladybugs (Sku 701166, \$8.99).



✓ To combat powdery mildew, it is helpful to prune out very crowded plants. This allows for better circulation. Watering early in the day will also help alleviate the problem.



✓ Annuals are plants that flower for one growing season. Petunias, marigolds,

zinnias and impatiens are all annuals. Although they need to be replanted each year, they work great as garden fillers in a sparse area of your garden. Annuals also allow you to easily change the look of your garden or yard.

✓ Perennials will bloom for three or more growing seasons. After blooming, the plants will go dormant, returning the following season. Because perennials multiply, they will need to be thinned out occasionally. Once planted, perennials require little maintenance. Daylilies, hostas, peonies and garden mums are all perennials.



✓ Newly planted trees should be watered deeply once a week. Add compost.

✓ Gather up and compost fallen leaves and fruit to discourage disease growth.

✓ Create a sheltered, organic haven for butterflies in a sunny area that does not get strong winds. Add a few flat stones where they

can bask in the sun and warm their wings for flight.

✓ Rhododendron and azalea faded blossoms can be picked by snapping gently to one side. Make sure to not break off any new growth beneath the faded flower.



✓ Pinch of basil buds to promote leafier growth.

✓ Make maximum use of scarce water by watering early in the morning or using a drip irrigation system.

✓ Continue to apply a 2" layer of mulch to conserve moisture and discourage weeds.



See you in the garden!



Malibu Compost Bu's Blend™ Compost

Malibu Compost spokesperson Bu is pleased to announce the introduction of her new 12-quart bags of compost. This compost repairs your soil's ecosystem, saves water and serves as a source of humus for planting and managing soil health, while also emanating energetic life forces to vitalize your vegetables, plants, flowers, lawns, gardens, farms and our earth.

Bu's Blend is handcrafted from a base of dairy cow manure, laid in windrows to mature, and treated with biodynamic preparations that contain specially



prepared doses of specific plant and mineral materials designed to increase microbial life and nutrients in the soil. The effects of these preparations used in biodynamic compost have been scientifically proven to enhance the flavor, nutritional value and

keeping qualities of produce, while eliminating the need for pesticides, fertilizers and other synthetic soil steroids.

The compost contains dairy cow manure, straw, vineyard wood chips, and biodynamic concentrations of yarrow, chamomile, valerian, stinging nettle, dandelion, and oak bark. (Sku 746746, \$9.99)

I Can See Clearly Now!

Meet Arrian and His Window Cleaning Team

Nothing compares to a spectacular San Francisco vista, but it's hard to enjoy the full brilliance if your windows are dirty. Arrian founded his window cleaning service on the premise that everyone deserves a crystal clear view of the City and a crystal clear outlook on life. Summer is an excellent time to have your windows cleaned after the winter rains have subsided.

Arrian's team literally cleans one window at a time, patiently and with great care, guaranteeing perfection in both quality and service. Their goal is to serve you in the safest possible manner and with the least impact to your home.

Whether your building is a single-family home or a skyscraper, Arrian and his team will clean



any residential or commercial building windows through a painstaking process. No job is too difficult, and Arrian's team specializes in hard-to-reach windows. They're practically aerial acrobats when working on high-rises.

Besides cleaning windows, Arrian offers a full array of other cleaning services:

Solar Panels: Currently, Arrian's team is the only company to employ a water-fed pole system, and they are able to do straight, nondetergent cleaning as well as to employ an environmentally friendly solution.

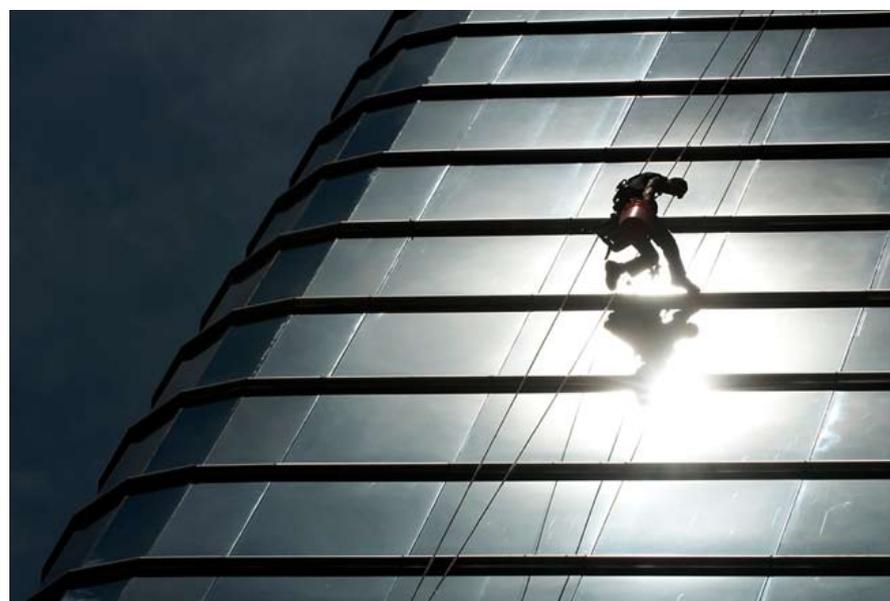
Power Washing: Before you replace a deck or patio due to fading, consider having it power washed. Bricks are returned to their original reds, and wood decks and furniture regain

their deep natural colors.

Skylights: The majority of dirt is on the outside of a skylight, but Arrian and crew can clean the inside panels, too.

Window Blinds: Blinds are notorious dust collectors. Arrian can use either a wet or dry option for cleaning blinds.

Chandeliers: Arrian's team will clean each individual crystal with a combination of solutions and dry chamois.



June Window Cleaning Special

\$25 Off Window Cleaning
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\$75 Off Home Spa Package
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Expires June 30, 2011

Window Screens: Using a liquid bar wetting method allows screens to be wet in place, ensuring no damage will be done with a high pressure cleaning.

Arrian and his team look forward to brightening your day and can be reached through our Repair Referral Service at **415/753-2653 ext. 3** or **homerepair@colehardware.com**.

Repair Referral Service

COLE HARDWARE'S Repair Referral Service was created to introduce our customers to the finest contractors and tradespeople we know. We have formed alliances with independent businesspeople in order to provide you with the very best in home repair, maintenance and remodeling. Some jobs may even be performed by qualified members of our staff.

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Bring the Outdoors In with New Windows

The benefits of replacing your old windows and doors with new are many—from the visual aspect of creating a new interior and exterior look or recreating your home's historical charm, to the saving on your heating and cooling bill each month. New windows and doors can also offer resistance to noise and safety for homes with children.

Summer is an excellent time to consider replacing old windows while the weather is mild. If your windows have seen better days, our Repair Referral contractors Gina and Mike are experts who can help you to choose the right windows and doors for your home, as well as manage the installation. There are many choices, from standard to custom. Gina and Mike have shared some of the benefits of each style of window.

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- Easy installation

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To contact Gina and Mike for a consultation, e-mail homerepair@colehardware.com or call **415/753-2653 ext. 3.**

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Remember, the blinds are custom-made to the sizes you give us—and are almost impossible to change—so please double-check each dimension.

Here are measuring instructions for horizontal blinds. Blinds may be hung inside the frame or outside the frame. In both cases the brackets that

hold the blind require at least 1" of flat surface on which they can be mounted. If there are obstructions (such as window handles or an extra-wide window sill) that will not allow the blind to hang straight down, projection brackets may be needed to extend the blind forward.

For installation *inside* the frame:

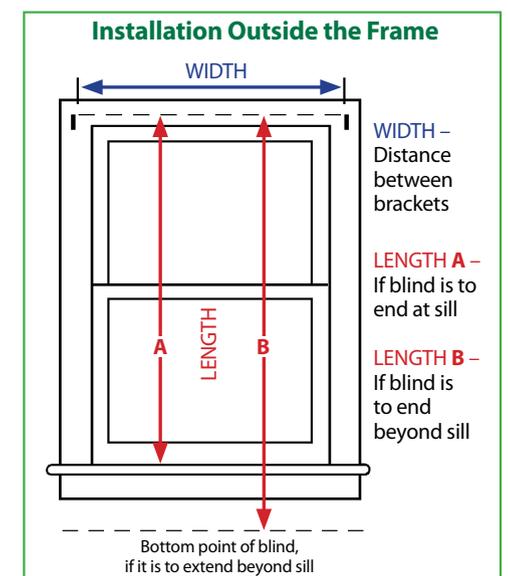
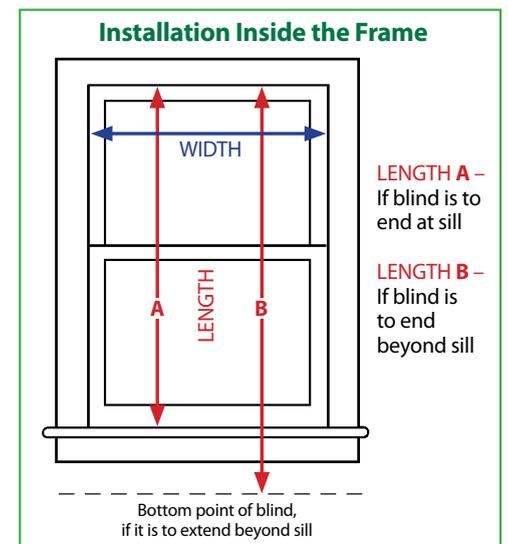
Width: Measure exact distance to the nearest 1/8" between inside surfaces of window frame at the top, middle, and bottom, and use the narrowest width. Do not make any width deductions. The factory will make the appropriate deductions.

Length: Measure exact distance to the nearest 1/8" from inside surface at top of window to sill at the left, middle and right and use the longest length. If you prefer blind not to touch the sill, deduct 1/4". If there is no sill, measure height to point where blind is to reach.

For installation *outside* the frame:

Width: Measure exact distance to the nearest 1/8" between the outermost points where the blind is to be placed. For optimum light control, this measurement should extend 3/4" beyond the window opening on each side (or 1 1/2" for the entire width).

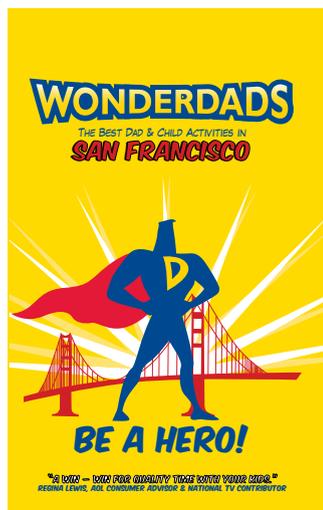
Length: Measure exact distance to the nearest 1/8" from where top of blind will be located to top of sill. If there is no sill or if blind is to overlap window frame, measure to point blind is to reach.



FATHER'S DAY—JUNE 19

WonderDads San Francisco Activity Guide

This activity guide features over 400 father-and-child adventures in the City. The ideal gift for a first-time dad or a dad new to San Francisco, the book includes restaurants, stores, outdoor recreation and unique adventures. COLE HARDWARE even rates a mention, along with other San Francisco institutions like Flax and Cliff's Variety. The guide offers inspiration for creating a fun, memorable day in the City. (Sku 940400, \$14.95)



Win Dave's Gift to You! A Packed Toolbox!

Enter to win Dave's packed toolbox! It's chock-full of everything that you will need to get started on repairs in your home, and a deck of playing cards, too—Dave still enjoys treating us all to a card trick or two on his visits.

Drop off this entry blank the next time you shop with us. You'll also can receive an additional entry form with every purchase through June 12.



Dave's Toolbox
Drawing Monday, June 13
Entry Blank:

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____



Leatherman® Freestyle™ and Style™ Combo Pack

Since 1983, Leatherman has been making tools that can endure just about anything and come back to work tomorrow. For Father's Day, Leatherman is offering a combo pack of two popular tools.

The Leatherman Freestyle CX features DLC coating for scratch and corrosion resistance, a premium 154CM stainless steel knife blade, which holds its edge three times as long as traditional stainless steel, powerful jaws, outside-accessible blade, and removable pocket clip. Can be used like a pocket knife or a multi-tool.

The handy Style CS is one unique clip-on multi-tool. With spring-action scissors, a file, knife, tweezers, bottle opener and mini-screwdriver, you'll never be without your most necessary tools. It fits in a pocket or clips on your pack or bag for easy portability.

This stylish team is perfect for any outdoor enthusiast or on-the-go urbanite who's always prepared. This is one combination that will make any dad's day! (Sku 878850, \$39.99)



Q & A with Dave Karp

When Dave Karp walks into a room, it is immediately brightened. In his half-century in the hardware business, he has served many a colorful character: hippies, starving rock stars before they became famous, Hare Krishnas, and more—all with a smile and a kind word or a joke. On the occasion of his 95th birthday, the *Hardware Hotline* caught up with Dave to get some of his insight and memories of San Francisco.

Q: How did your family end up in San Francisco?

A: My father came to San Francisco from Poland, by way of Toronto. I was born here in the Mission neighborhood and graduated from Mission High.

Q: What were some of your first jobs?

A: I helped sell fruit from the back of a truck. Later, I worked making curtains in a curtain factory.

Q: What did you learn?

A: That the sewing machines were made for right-handed people, and I am left-handed. I also worked for Western Telegraph delivering telegrams. My best customer was a gentleman who bet on the horses.

Q: Didn't you also have a job at one of the baseball stadiums?

A: When I was a kid in the 1920s, San Francisco had two minor league teams: the Seals and the Mission Reds. They both played at Seal Stadium at 16th and Bryant. I worked the

stands hawking snacks when I was about 10 years old. I would yell, "Peanuts, Homerun Kisses, chewing gum, and all kinds of candy!"

Q: How much did you charge the ladies for a kiss?

A: No, no. Homerun Kisses were a bag of candy. I usually earned about \$1 a day, but on one Ike Caveney Day, I earned \$2.50!

Q: Do you still enjoy baseball?

A: Baseball is one of my favorite sports, and I still follow the Giants closely—but only on TV now. I played right field and wanted to be a baseball player when I grew up.

Q: Do you have a fond memory of growing up in San Francisco you would like to share?

A: I remember in the summer we would pile a bunch of kids in my car and head to China Beach for the day. One of those kids was Lana Turner. Years later, when she was famous, I saw her at the Sir Francis Drake Hotel—but she didn't remember me.

Q: What would you tell young people graduating from high school today?

A: Get a college education, and don't buy so much on credit.

Q: How will you celebrate your birthday this year?

A: I will be at the Cole Street store celebrating with our crew members from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm during the day. Come and join me for a piece of birthday cake.



BARBECUE TIME

Let's Have a Barbecue!

Buying Mom a vacuum or iron for Mother's Day is not cool. But giving Dad a new Weber® grill for Father's Day is cool—he will enjoy countless hours of cooking up tasty treats for family and friends. Since we are able to enjoy outdoor cooking year-round in the Bay Area with our mild climate, a new Weber grill is an investment in savory meals for years to come!

Weber Genesis® S-330 Gas Grill

The Genesis gas grill takes all of the exciting features of the Genesis line and turns up the heat. This stainless steel rendition of the top-of-the-line gas grill creates an atmosphere of pure grilling excellence. Its high-heat Sear Station® burner, three standard stainless steel burners, and electronic ignition system are just a few of the noteworthy features you won't be able to resist.

With a cooking area of 637 square inches, the Genesis S-330 also boasts stainless cooking grates and Flavorizer® bars, a center-mounted thermometer, and enclosed cart with stainless doors and handles. Six tool hooks allow you to keep your favorite tools at arm's reach. The stainless model is in stock at Cole Street and special ordered from our other locations. (Sku 8295222, \$949.99) Also available for special order in black (Sku 8295396),



copper (Sku 8295404), gray (Sku 8295438), green (Sku 8295412) and red (8295420). The colors retail for \$849.99.

Weber Smokey Mountain Cooker/Smoker

You're going to want to take your time to enjoy every bite of deliciousness prepared in this slow-cooking marvel.

Two plated-steel cooking grates provide 481 square inches of space to cook meals low, slow and to a T. Features include glass-reinforced nylon handles, no-rust aluminum vents and fuel door, and lid thermometer. Inspiring recipes are included. In stock at Cole Street. (Sku 8201147, \$299.99)

Hibachi Cast Iron Charcoal Grill

Cook up a feast in your huaraches on your new hibachi! Durable cast iron construction provides 157 square inches of cooking space and three-position adjustable cooking grids. Wood grill handles allow for protected grid adjustment, and two adjustable air vents help control the charcoal burn rate.

Curved sides help keep food in place. (Sku 8306037, \$29.99)



Lazzari® Mesquite Charcoal

Lazzari mesquite charcoal brings out the best flavor in any food and is far superior to the alternative cooking fuels for barbecues. Unlike traditional charcoal briquets, which usually contain coal, wood scraps, fillers, sodium nitrate, lime or starch, Lazzari's mesquite charcoal contains only 100% mesquite wood—no chemicals, additives, petroleum, coal or fillers! All of the additives in traditional briquets cause more carbon dioxide emissions, too.

In the past few years, many restaurants have popularized cooking foods with mesquite. The use of mesquite charcoal lends a distinctive taste and pleasing aroma to food.

Because Lazzari mesquite charcoal burns longer, it's more economical, too. And who wants to cook their expensive steaks over a bunch of chemically enhanced charcoal briquets? Available in a 6.75-pound bag (Sku 800040, \$5.99) or a 20-pound bag (Sku 800041, \$13.99).



Sizzlin' Saturday!

Meet Nate, Our Weber Expert!

Meet Nate, our Weber sales representative, and learn everything you ever wanted to know about Weber grills! Nate will be explaining all of the cool features of the Weber barbecue line and answering any questions. Not sure which grill will work best for Dad? No worries—Nate will help you pick the grill best suited for Dad's cooking style. Not limited to purchases just for dads, of course! Maybe in your household, Mom is the Barbecue Queen!

All customers who purchase a Weber grill during Nate's visit will be entered in a drawing for special prizes.



**Saturday, June 11
11:00 am–3:00 pm
Cole Street Store**

Cooking Aprons

Men who like to grill, deep fry, or hickory smoke anything will love these high-quality men's aprons. Choose "Caution: Extremely Hot" or "I Turn Grills On": surely one of these will match Dad's personality. These are not only whimsical, but they have a sturdy construction and three strong pockets that make these quality men's aprons a new favorite. (Skus 698500–1, \$21.99)

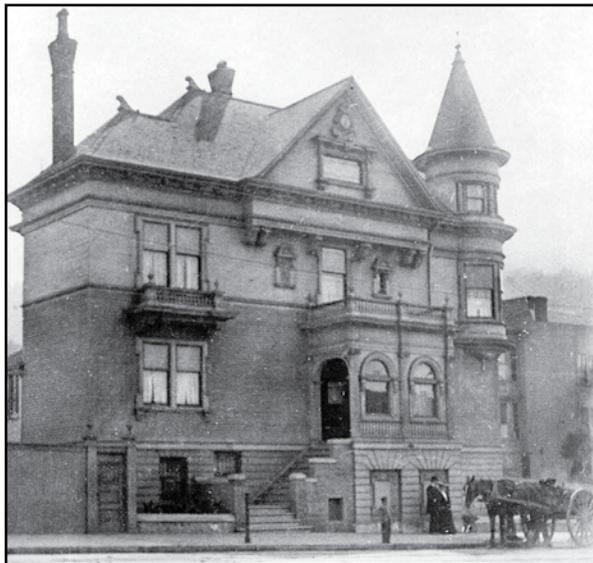


Coming Soon: The Greater Haight Historical Society

Includes Ashbury Heights, Cole Valley, Parnassus Heights, and Upper Haight

It's time to come together in the past! The Haight neighborhood has a rich, colorful history beyond the psychedelic 1960s. In order to research and promote the history of the Greater Haight—from the original landscape and inhabitants to the end of the 20th century, the Greater Haight Historical Society (GHHS) is being formed to solicit oral histories, photos, and historical items pertaining to the Greater Haight for cataloging and preservation. All aspects, all people, all periods are of interest.

The society is hoping for active family involvement and wants to sponsor a project for neighborhood children to research and create a playground map of the Haight. Suggestions and involvement in community projects are greatly encouraged. A community meeting will be held at the Park Branch Library in June. For more information and to be put on the mailing list



The Lange House still exists at the corner of Cole and Carl streets in Cole Valley. It was the manor house for Lange's dairy, which occupied much of the open land in the area in the 1870s. (Photo from *The Haight-Ashbury Map & Guide*)

to be alerted of the meeting, please e-mail Cosi Fabian at cosifabian@marypoopinspet.com.



Rewards member Allison celebrates Mardi Gras in her COLE HARDWARE T-shirt.

The COLE HARDWARE \$2* T-Shirt

Rewards member Allison sent us this photo of her and her COLE HARDWARE T-shirt celebrating Mardi Gras in New Orleans. E-mail us an image of you and your COLE HARDWARE T-shirt celebrating Carnival or Mardi Gras or any other festivity from around the world, and we'll send you a gift card for \$5. Our T-shirts are regularly \$9.99, but on sale this month for \$6.99. Assorted men's, ladies' and children's sizes. E-mail your photo to hotline@colehardware.com.

*Buy a T-shirt on sale this month for \$6.99, send us a photo, and receive a \$5 gift card—your total cost just \$1.99!

New Quaketips Blog!

Announcing Quaketips, a new blog companion to Matt Springer's earthquake preparedness resources website. Matt, who is on the faculty at UCSF, has given numerous public safety presentations about how to prepare your home for the next large earthquake. There is a lot of useful information on his website, but the Quaketips



blog will be used to occasionally post more detailed preparedness tips and articles of general quake-related interest. You can subscribe to receive e-mail updates of new posts, which will be relatively infrequent to avoid overloading e-mail inboxes. The blog is at <http://quaketips.blogspot.com>, and it includes a link to Matt's main earthquake preparedness website.

Summer Tick Alert!!

Small ticks, the size of a poppy seed, are showing up in vegetation, on wood, and on animals in San Francisco, the Bay Area and throughout California. Seeking a blood meal, they bite both people and animals. If infected with Lyme disease and co-infections, we and our pets can become ill.

Lyme disease is a bacterial infection that causes body-wide inflammation. Initial symptoms may include an expanding rash, flu-like symptoms, fatigue, muscle pain, headache or numbness. If caught early with appropriate antibiotics, Lyme disease can be stopped. Some people have no initial symptoms after a known tick bite, yet go on to develop



Lyme disease, so it's a good idea to consult with your doctor for a known bite.

If not recognized, however, Lyme can become chronic, with body-wide nerve-related and soft-tissue symptoms and alteration of most physiological systems, causing life disruption.

Co-infections such as babesia, bartonella and Ehrlichia add further challenges. All these illnesses are very expensive and challenging to treat.

Protect yourself and your pets in the first place! It's a very good idea to put tick repellent on yourself and pets. Derived from oranges, Orange Guard fends off bugs the same way the fruit does. Orange Guard is a water-based indoor/outdoor insecticide that may be used

around food, humans and pets. Made from d-Limonene (orange peel extract) and inert ingredients, Orange Guard is EPA-registered. We offer a 32 oz. ready-to-use Orange Guard spray. (Sku 7098643, **HOT DEAL \$6.99** Regular price \$11.99) See your vet or pet store for other pet remedies.

More info is available at www.lymedisease.org.

Submitted by Lyme patient advocate Robin Krop, affiliated with the California Lyme Disease Association. Robin is organizing the 2nd annual SF Lyme Walk for September 25, 2011. You can contact her at sfrobink@aol.com.





ENVIRONMENTAL INFO

GOOD FOR THE EARTH — WE TAKE ACTION FOR THE ENVIRONMENT!

Mission Street E-Waste E-Cycle E-Vent Saturday June 4

Our Mission Street location will sponsor a donation drop-off day on Saturday, June 4, from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm with our friends at Goodwill. Besides consumer electronics, we will accept clothing and accessories, home accessories, kitchenware, small appliances and bicycles. (Sorry, but we cannot accept large appliances, sofas, mattresses, snow skis, auto parts or furniture.)

Goodwill will take almost anything in good, clean, working condition. High-quality women's clothing and housewares are particularly needed and appreciated. As a guideline, if you



would give it to a friend or hand it down to a relative, it is perfect for Goodwill. This is a great opportunity to get rid of outdated computers, stereos and televisions properly and safely, so they stay out of our landfills. Take advantage of this opportunity to clean house!

COLE HARDWARE

**3312 Mission Street at 29th Street*
Saturday, June 4, 10:00 am–2:00 pm**

*Please note that the Goodwill truck will be parked on 29th Street.

Goodwill's Electronics Recycling

Since 2005, Goodwill has operated an environmentally and socially responsible computer and electronics recycling program. It's *free* and *convenient* for you to donate your computers and televisions, working or not. At our E-Waste E-Cycle E-Vent on June 4, we will partner with Goodwill to accept computers, computer accessories and televisions from residents at our Mission Street store.

Goodwill has partnered with Dell Inc. for their residential computer recycling program, called Dell Reconnect. The electronics recycling program and business computer recycling and reuse program is called ReCompute. Goodwill's computer and electronics recycling businesses create jobs, support their job training programs and help to protect the environment!

Reuse

Goodwill refurbishes high-quality donated computers to sell at their ReCompute retail store, located within the flagship store at 1580 Mission Street in San Francisco, which offers a variety of computer systems and computer accessories for sale. Stop by and shop for your value-priced, high-quality refurbished computer systems and accessories. Televisions and other consumer electronics are sold at all Goodwill stores (based on availability).

Recycling

Goodwill diverts over 2 million pounds of computers, televisions and other electronics away from landfills each year. All of the donations are recycled with recycling companies that have a strict policy of environmental stewardship, and nothing goes to a landfill.

Computers and electronics contain hazardous materials that are toxic to the environment when disposed of improperly. When computers and electronics are irresponsibly exported, some foreign workers are exposed to these hazardous materials. Goodwill is committed to environmental and social responsibility, and they properly recycle all of your electronics and create jobs locally!

Television Recycling

Goodwill is committed to responsibly recycling e-waste, which includes televisions. The television set components are safely broken down, after which, all glass from television screens is reused in manufacturing new CRT (screen) glass. All CRT glass is tracked to its final recovery as a component for new products. Their recycling partner is a signer of the Basel Action Network pledge, which is an organization that works to prevent the globalization of the toxic chemical crisis.

Recycle at COLE HARDWARE!



Bring to any of our four stores:

CELL PHONES:

Personal cell phones—batteries and chargers not required. PLEASE, no cordless home phones, car phones, walkie-talkies, pagers or two-way radios.

BATTERIES:

Rechargeable (NiCad, NiMH) and household (alkaline and carbon).



OLD LATEX PAINT:

- Recycle dry, clean, empty metal paint cans through your regular trash pickup. The latex paint containers you bring us should have paint in them!
- The ORIGINAL label on each can must CLEARLY state "latex," "acrylic," or "water-based" paint. No handwritten labels will be accepted.
- Be sure that lids are SEALED ON TIGHT and containers are rust-free and don't leak.
- You must not be a commercial paint user.
- Please limit your drop-offs to no more than 10 gallon-size containers (or 40 quart-size containers or a combination of both) at a time. Containers are counted by size, not by the volume of paint they contain.
- Take paint to the customer service desk.
- PLEASE, no brushes or rags!



PROPANE TANKS:

Small (14 or 16.9 oz.), empty, nonrefillable propane cylinders only. Household only. Limit 5 per visit.



SPENT FLUORESCENT BULBS:

CFLs, tubes up to 8 feet, U- and D-shaped tubes. Drop-off limit is 10 bulbs.



SCRAP METAL:

Copper and brass.

EXPIRED PRINTER CARTRIDGES:

Must be in plastic bags to avoid leakage.

SOFT PLASTIC RECYCLING:

Clean plastic only. Households only. One basketball-size amount per visit please.

For Bay Area recycling resources, visit www.colehardware.com/recycle.htm

WHAT'S IN SEASON

Home Canning and Preserving

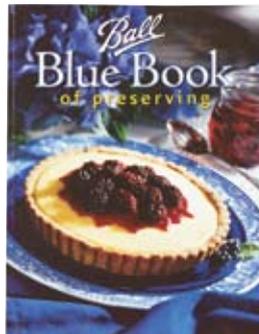
Home canning and preserving is a fun family activity year-round. Gardeners can enjoy their bountiful harvests for months to come. And if you don't have a garden, the farmers' markets so abundant in the Bay Area are full of freshly picked and locally grown fruits and vegetables.

Home canning is not complicated. It is a simple procedure that applies heat to food in a closed glass jar to interrupt the natural decaying that would take place otherwise. There are two types of canning methods: water bath (boiling water) canning and pressure canning.

Water bath canning, boiling jars of food in a boiling water bath, is a quick and easy way to safely can high-acidity foods such as tomatoes and fruits. Pressure canning is required for preserving low-acid foods such as carrots, green beans and most other vegetables. The pressure method takes a little longer but offers gardeners a way to can almost anything from their gardens.

Fruits and vegetables that are in season in June

to preserve include grapes, tomatoes, peaches and nectarines (late June), apricots, many berries, green beans and peas. Consider picking up a copy of the *Ball Blue Book® Guide of Preserving*, first published in 1909, for maybe some of the same recipes that your grandmother used! (Sku 65798, \$8.49)



Visit any of our stores to see our selection of Ball® canning jars—the same kind your grandmother used—in a variety of sizes. We offer a 21-piece fresh preserving kit that includes everything you need to get started with water bath canning. (Sku 6187850, \$69.99)

LauRose at our Mission Street location is our most enthusiastic canning crew member and will be happy to help you get started—she may even share her legendary pumpkin butter recipe with you!



Fagor® Pressure Cooker

The 6-quart Fagor pressure cooker that we carry is an excellent, high-quality tool for pressure canning. A pressure cooker is basically a metal pot with a special lid. The lid components vital to the function and operation of the pressure cooker are the rubber-sealing gasket, pressure regulator and pressure-relief valves. When the lid is properly locked, an air- and steam-tight seal is created. As the cooking liquid in the pressure cooker is heated over high heat to the boiling point, steam is created, and it remains trapped inside, creating pressure.

Even if you are not canning foods, a pressure cooker is ideal for everyday cooking and our hectic lifestyles. Cook risotto in 7 minutes and rice in just 5 minutes! Because foods cook so fast, less energy is used in the process. The Fagor model that we sell is 18/10 stainless steel, equipped with a low- and high-pressure setting, and extremely easy to operate. (Sku 634001, \$79.99)



COLE HARDWARE Rewards



How points are earned:

- ⇒ For every \$1 spent, one point is earned.
- ⇒ Points are converted to dollar value in increments of 100 points, converting to \$5 posted to your Rewards card quarterly. Leftover points remain in place.
- ⇒ Points are calculated daily and shown on receipts.
- ⇒ Dividends for 5% of purchases made in 2010 will be transferred to your new Rewards gift card when you come in to redeem after February 1, 2011.
- ⇒ For us to track your Rewards points, please identify yourself as a Rewards member each time you shop.

Rewards Member Benefits:

- ⇒ Membership is free, and you'll receive the *Hardware Hotline*, our monthly newsletter full of valuable information and promotions.
- ⇒ Free delivery in San Francisco with \$25.00 purchase.
- ⇒ New members receive an instant 5% discount on their first purchase for joining and a \$5 coupon toward their subsequent purchase of \$25.
- ⇒ Attach your Rewards key fob to your key ring—if you lose your keys, they'll come to us in the mail, and we will notify you.
- ⇒ Lifetime warranty on most products purchased at COLE HARDWARE.
- ⇒ Receive a birthday discount equal to 50% of your age, up to a \$100 discount.
- ⇒ We don't sell our customer list, and all information is kept confidential.

For more information, visit www.colehardware.com/rewards or e-mail service@colehardware.com.

CUSTOMER SERVICES

THE EVER-GROWING LIST OF EVERYTHING WE DO FOR YOU

ACE® Hardware: Our affiliation with ACE allows us to get quality products quickly and opens doors of the world's manufacturers, so we can get you what you need. ACE's buying power enables us to sell to you at the right price, too!

ATM and Credit Cards: We'll accept your ATM cards for payment. You can get cash back, too. We also accept VISA, MasterCard, Discover and American Express credit cards.

Balloons: We have free COLE HARDWARE helium balloons for the kids. Helium is available to inflate your party balloons for fifty cents per balloon.

Bridal and Gift Registry: We'll load your name and list of everything you wish to register in our computer. Your friends and family can then call us to place gift orders. Recipients receive a gift card equal to 10% of the total value of all gifts purchased. E-mail Julia@colehardware.com.

Business-2-Business: Members of the program receive free delivery, special pricing and personal service. Call our Cole Fox location at 415/777-4400.

Carry-Out Service: We'll be happy to load your purchases into your car. Just let the cashier know, and we'll take care of you.

Charge Accounts: For your convenience, we have in-house charge accounts for businesses. Stop by and fill out the simple application, and we'll open one for you.

Chauffeur Service for Senior Citizens: If you need help getting to our stores and you live in San Francisco, call us to arrange a mutually convenient time to pick you up.

Color Matching: We have terrific paint matching computers. Bring in a swatch of fabric or quarter-size paint chip and the staff can match just about any color.

Commercial Supply: We have an entire division devoted to servicing the needs of commercial and industrial customers throughout the Bay Area and beyond. We offer charge accounts, on-site account specialists, free delivery and the personal services of Joe, Damion, Melinda, and Rodney. Give them a call at 415/647-1800 or e-mail colesupply@colehardware.com

Community Savings Days: One day a month, we offer a 20% discount to students, seniors, school district employees and active members of the military or veterans. The promotion cannot be applied to Rewards accounts and is not valid on gift cards, Muni or special orders.

Coupons: We honor all manufacturers' coupons. If we carry the product, we'll honor any other store's coupons as well.

Delivery in San Francisco: Free delivery for Rewards members with purchase of \$25 or more. See store at the time of purchase for scheduling deliveries.

Digital Camera: Have a problem that you can't describe? We'll lend you a digital camera to take a photo of the problem so that we can better help you. (Note: Credit card required for camera loan.)

Discounts:

Birthday Discount: Come in on your birthday, show your I.D. and we'll give you a percent discount amounting to half your age. Must be a Rewards member. Discount is available only on your actual birthday and cannot be applied to sale/promotional merchandise, power tools, household appliances, water heaters, special orders or Muni. Discount applies to purchase for the personal use of recipient only. Maximum discount \$100.

Disabled Customer Discount: Sign up for our Rewards program, show your Medi-Cal card or other proof of disability, and

get 10% off all discountable merchandise in our stores.

Senior Citizen Discount (age 65 or older): 10% off all purchases of nonsale merchandise.

Student Discount: Show us your student I.D. and receive a 5% immediate discount, plus 5% annual rebate, custom key tag, use of our fax machines and more!

Electrician: Call our Repair Referral Service at 415/753-2653 ext. 3 Monday through Friday 8:00 am–5:00 pm and after store hours for emergency referrals 24/7. On weekends and during store hours, dial 415/753-2653 and press 3 for a direct referral.

eLine: The COLE HARDWARE eLine is delivered free, direct to your desktop. The eLine contains information on new products, practical tips and more (or less!). Sign up at www.colehardware.com.

e-mail: Write us at service@colehardware.com—any time!

Fax Service: Our fax machines are for your personal use. We do charge for our fax service—please ask for rates. Fax numbers: Cole Street: 415/753-0957, Mission Street: 415/647-6554, Cole Fox: 415/777-4453, Polk Street: 415/674-8917.

Gift Cards: We offer COLE HARDWARE gift cards and ACE Hardware gift cards in almost any denomination.

Glass Cut to Size: Plexi, single and double-strength glass cut while you wait. We can also special order curved, tempered, laminate and obscure glass, as well as mirrors and tabletops.

Hardware Hotline: We publish our newsletter every month of the year. See the online version at www.colehardware.com. It's homegrown and filled with interesting articles about hardware, our community and, of course, COLE HARDWARE.

Hours of Operation: We're open every single day of the year including every holiday.

Cole Street: weekdays 7 am–7:30 pm, weekends 8 am–7 pm

Cole Fox: weekdays 8 am–7:30 pm, weekends 9 am–5:30 pm

Mission Street: weekdays 7 am–7:30 pm, weekends 8 am–7 pm

Polk Street: weekdays 8 am–8 pm, weekends 9 am–7 pm

Lamps Rewired: We offer rewiring services for table and floor lamps. Contact our stores for information and pricing.

Lifetime Warranty: Your "complete satisfaction" dictates that we offer a lifetime warranty on just about everything we sell.

Locksmith Service and Key Cutting: We cut keys at all our stores including hard-to-find computer chip keys for automobiles. We have an expert locksmith on duty Monday to Friday at our Cole Fox store downtown (415/777-4400). We can also send a locksmith to your home or business 24/7. Call 415/753-2653 ext. 3 Monday to Friday 8:00 am to 5:00 pm, or after store hours, dial 415/753-2653 and press 3 for a direct referral.

Low Price Guarantee: Just bring in another store's ad and we will honor the lower price.

Muni: We sell monthly Adult, Youth and Senior Fast Passes, monthly Disabled Stickers, 1-Day, 3-Day and 7-Day Passports and Parking Meter Cards in \$20 and \$50 denominations.

Pipe: We cut and thread galvanized and black pipe, your pipe or ours. (Note: Cole Fox can't thread.)

Plumbing Service: Call our Repair Referral Service at 415/753-2653 ext. 3 Monday through Friday 8:00 am to 5:00 pm and after store hours for emergency referrals 24/7. On weekends and during store hours, dial 415/753-2653 and press 3 for a direct referral.

Recycling: Bring your old latex paint (S.F. residents only; liquid paint only—put dried paint cans into your own recycle

bin, lids off!), used rechargeable batteries (nickel-cadmium), used household batteries (alkaline and regular), copper and brass scrap metal (such as keys, bathroom and plumbing fixtures), cell phones, expired printer cartridges and spent fluorescent bulbs into any of our four stores, and we will send them off to be recycled into new products. See page 11 for details.

Repair Referral Service: Our alliances with competent, honest, quality tradespeople assure you excellent work on your home, property or office. We are a licensed contractor (#708403). Call 415/753-2653 ext. 3 or go to www.colehardware.com/homerepair.

Repotting Service: Pick out the plant and the pot, and our Cole, Mission or Polk Street Nursery staff will repot your plant for free.

Return Policy: We accept returns on just about anything. (Power tools, appliances, etc., may only be returned subject to manufacturer's warranty. Hand tools exchanged for defective replacement only.)

Rewards Program: Earn an annual 5% dividend on purchases and much more. Membership is quick and free. Sign up today!

Room Painting Software: All of our paint departments are equipped with room painting software. Simply bring in your camera's memory chip, upload your image and choose paint colors to review.

Rug Cleaners Rented: We have steam carpet and upholstery cleaners available for rent at each store.

School and Community Assistance Partnership Program: Nonprofit organizations whose mission is to improve the lives of those around us, either directly or through cultural enrichment, can join a special program of discounts and donations. COLE HARDWARE donates 10% of all purchases made by your organization's community. Go to our COLE HARDWARE Community Partners page for information and a list of partners (page 15). Also, be sure to check out www.colehardware.com/partners.

Sharpening Service: Knives and scissors sharpened while you wait or same day service at our Cole, Mission and Fox stores (Note: Fox doesn't sharpen scissors, just knives).

Speakers Bureau: Topics range from home repair, to gardening, to security, to small business, marketing and more. If you need a speaker for your organization, call 415/753-2653 ext. 5.

Special Orders: If we don't have what you need in stock, we'll do our best to obtain it as quickly as possible.

Tool Rental: We rent floor sanders, many hand and power tools, and garden tools, too. Contact our stores for availability. (Note: Floor sanders not available at Cole Fox or Polk Street stores.)

UPS Shipping Service: We ship packages all over the country for our Rewards members via United Parcel Service.

Website: Visit www.colehardware.com.

Windows, Doors and Window Screens: Window and screen repairs are available at our Cole Street and Mission Street stores. Contact these stores for information and pricing.

By the way, we sell hardware, too.



COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

BAY AREA BUSINESSES

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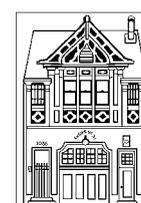


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5	6	7	8  World Oceans Day	9	10  Saturday, June 4 E-Waste E-Cycle E-vent! Mission St. Store <i>see page 11 for details</i>	11  Sizzlin' Saturday Cole St. Store <i>see page 9 for details</i>
12	13	14  Flag Day	15	16	17	18
19  Father's Day	20	21  First Day of Summer	22	23	24	25
26  Pride Parade	27 Student Monday	28 Teacher Tuesday	29 Senior Wednesday	30 Military Thursday	 COMMUNITY SAVINGS DAYS Special Community Members SAVE 20% <i>see page 13 for more details</i>	



Our founder Dave Karp, Purveyor of Hardware Wisdom

The COLE HARDWARE credo...

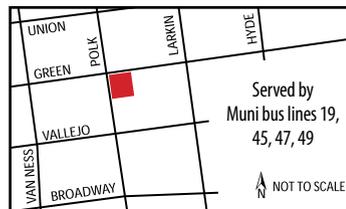
Commitment to savings:
Rewards program members receive a 5% annual dividend on purchases.

Commitment to the community:
We donate 10% of what you spend to local charities (you get to designate one of our school or community partner beneficiaries; see page 15).

Commitment to you: Over 80 years of guaranteed customer satisfaction.

Commitment to the environment:
Reducing our footprints by implementing environmentally sound practices in our stores.

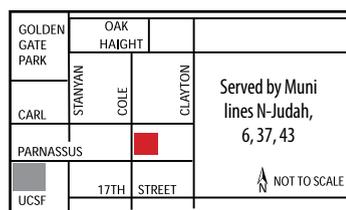
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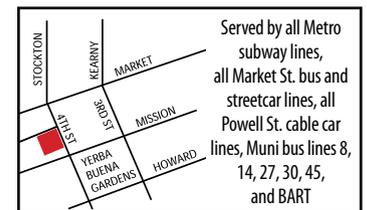
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San Francisco, CA 94109-1820
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Weekdays 8:00 am–8:00 pm
Weekends 9:00 am–7:00 pm



COLE HARDWARE
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Everyday 8:00 am–8:00 pm



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San Francisco, CA 94117-4316
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415/753-2653 Fax: 753-0957
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Weekends 8:00 am–7:00 pm



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