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There were several big announcements this week. A new angel group is forming to support the coastal lifestyle culture with focus on technology, sports, health, agriculture, specialty food. Organizers of the new one-stop shopping Monterey Bay Internship Portal reveal their plans. The County has hired a new economic development manager to head a newly created division.

Last week we started updating you on companies that got their 15 minutes of local fame and then went quiet. This week we give you two more updates. If you missed Sand Hill RAW pitch night, read up. And, guess who joined Calliope Waterworks?

All this, and more news that you need to know! Start reading!

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Top Stories:

- [Five locals form a new angel group, *Angels by the Sea*](#), to support the coastal lifestyle culture with focus on local technology, sports, health, agriculture, specialty food.
- ["Our Hilary" joins Calliope Waterworks as CMO](#), and will leverage her public office experience to address our water shortage. *"Calliope is part of the solution."*
- *"The Internship is the New Interview!"* In a collaboration of philanthropy, education, and business, key community partners kick off [the new Monterey Bay Internship Portal](#).
- Ten intrepid entrepreneurs took center stage at [Sand Hill Angels RAW pitch night in Santa Cruz](#). *"The better we understand your business, the more likely we are to invest."*



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- What happens when three UCSC students housemates -- all Computer Science majors -- get tired of leaving notes about chores that tend to be more passive-aggressive than useful? [They write an app, of course.](#)
- What ever happened to... (part 2). More on [companies that got their 15 minutes of fame, and then went quiet](#). What are they up to now?
- [County of Santa Cruz hires new Economic Development Manager](#) to head a new division tasked with servicing existing businesses, creating jobs, and increasing the county's tax base.
- "There'll be frikkin' lasers," says Cruzio cofounder, Chris Neklason. With that, [Cruzio invites you to their annual Open House Extravaganza on Nov 6.](#)
- Dovetail Genomics launches commercial DNA sequencing-assembly service. [Learn more now...](#)



- HACK UCSC is Jan 29-31.
Organizers call for volunteers to help with everything from event prep including graphic design, websites, finding sponsors, etc., to help on the actual days of the event, such as registration, food runs, clean up, etc. [Interested? Let them know.](#)



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Events

Note: Dates, times, and locations are all subject to change. Be sure to check the meetup website for your event.

- Tue Oct 27, 6:30pm: [Mobile Ranger's New App Launch Party](#) at The MAH.
- Wed Oct 28, 6pm: [Santa Cruz WordPress Meetup](#) at Cruzio.
- Tue Nov 3, 7pm: [Drupal Group monthly meeting](#) at NextSpace.
- Wed Nov 4, 7:30am-5pm: [Monterey Bay Economic Partnership \(MBEP\) State of the Region](#) at Chaminade Conference Center.
- Wed Nov 4, 6pm: [Santa Cruz New Tech Meetup](#) at Cruzio.
- Thu Nov 5, 6:30pm: [Tech Raising](#)

[Meetup: Building Artisan Brands - Lessons Learned with Frank Krueger](#) at NextSpace.

- Fri Nov 6, 12-2pm: **[Innovation Salon on Blue vs. Green Economy](#)** at CSUMB BIT Building Room #104, Seaside.
- Fri Nov 6, 6-9pm: **[Cruzio Annual Open House Extravaganza](#)** at Cruzio.
- Tue Nov 10, 6pm: **[Startup Monterey Bay Tech Meetup](#)** at The Press Club, Seaside.

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