



## THE POWER OF FLOWERS

Floral motifs in fashion, furniture, and home accessories will take center stage at **The San Francisco Fall Antiques Show** (October 25 – 29). This is the oldest continuously operating international art and antiques show on the West Coast. It features approximately 60 dealers from across the United States and Europe, offering for sale an extraordinary

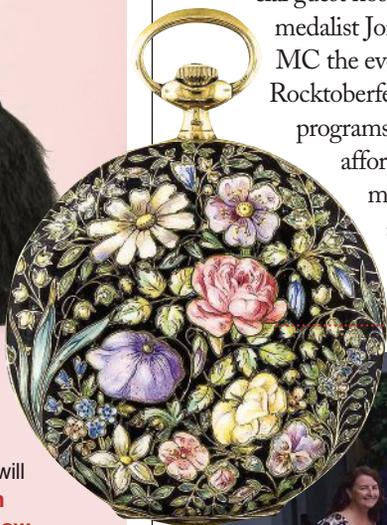
range of fine and decorative arts from around the world representing all styles and periods, including furniture, silver, ceramics, glass, jewelry, rugs, textiles, paintings, prints, photography, books, sculpture, and *objets d'art*. This year's theme, **Flower Power**, is a nod to the city's 50th

Anniversary of the Summer of Love. Fashion designer **Andrew Gn**, known for his unabashedly glamorous gowns and couture tailoring, will serve as the Show's Honorary Chair. [www.sffas.org](http://www.sffas.org)

## Get Ready to Rock

Silicon Valley's favorite fall fundraiser is back.

The stage is set for **Children's Health Council's (CHC)** fifth annual **Rocktoberfest** event, to be held Saturday, **October 21**, in a rustic outdoor setting at NCEFT in Woodside. Volunteer Co-Chairs Rachele Analla, Sydnee Brooks, Jere King, and Rebecca Schnitt have been hard at work putting together a fun-filled evening that includes dancing to 80's dance favorites Tainted Love, a wide selection of craft beers and local wines, and farm-to-table refreshments. Special guest host Olympic gold medalist Jonny Moseley will MC the evening. Proceeds from Rocktoberfest will support CHC programs and help provide affordable, accessible, and multicultural care to children, teens, and young adults facing ADHD, anxiety and depression, autism, and learning differences. **For tickets and more details, visit [www.chconline.org/rocktoberfest](http://www.chconline.org/rocktoberfest).**



## Groundbreaking

Palo Alto's Avenidas looks to a new chapter of serving seniors in the community.

For over 40 years, **Avenidas** in downtown Palo Alto has provided seniors with tools for positive aging. After raising \$18 million dollars, the leaders and supporters of Avenidas broke ground on a major renovation project that will rehabilitate the nonprofit's current building and create state-of-the-art new space, including a new wellness center. [www.avenidas.org](http://www.avenidas.org)

Avenidas Capital Campaign Associate Julie Roche, President of Vance Brown Builders Loren Brown, Capital Campaign Co-Chair Fran Codispoti, Lead Donor Curtis Priem, Palo Alto Mayor Greg Scharff, State Senator Joe Simitian, Avenidas Board Chair Jim Phillips, Architect Kevin Jones, Avenidas VP of Development Mary Hohensee, Vance Brown Project Manager Tim Stitt, Palo Alto Vice Mayor Liz Kniss, Avenidas President & CEO Amy Andonian.

