

# The SCCAR eScoop

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## Get the Skinny on the Housing Market

Leslie Appleton-Young, C.A.R.'s Chief Economist, will be at SCCAR on February 11th for a Housing Market Update! Learn what's happening and where the market is going in 2011.



### Information will include:

- > California & National Data
- > Market data will also include Santa Cruz, Santa Clara and Monterey Counties
- > Market data on the cities of Aptos, Santa Cruz and Scotts Valley

Friday, February 11th  
 1 - 3 PM  
 SCCAR Office  
 \$15 SCCAR Members  
 \$30 Members at the door  
 Register [online](#) or call SCCAR at 831-464-2000.

## Wake Up Tomorrow at Tour!

Be here at 8:30 to participate in networking with fellow members, hear the latest tidbits related to your industry, market your listings and hear a one minute mortgage update...all within 30 minutes! Program includes coffee and a snack to get your morning started!

Thank you to this week's sponsor, Jose Mendoza, Meyer Mortgage!



For a complete list of classes, [click here](#).

### Upcoming Events

1/20  
[Tour & Marketing Meeting](#)

**Office Hours:**  
**8 AM - 5 PM**  
**Mon. - Fri.**

## Last Day to Register for License Renewal

Renew your license before new testing changes take effect this April! Attend Duane Gomer's Continuing Education Class this Friday. This course will satisfy requirements for all types of renewals.



Friday, January 21st  
 8:45 - 11 AM  
 Cost: \$70 SCCAR Members, \$85 Non-members.

Register [online](#), complete and fax a [registration flyer](#) or call 831-464-2000. Course material will need to be picked up at SCCAR prior to class.

## Seeking Homeowners in Need

The Annual REALTOR® Service Volunteer Program (RSVP) is back for its fourth year and is gearing up to assist those in need! RSVP is a one day community outreach program that will take place on May 18th. The program provides free assistance to qualified seniors who cannot otherwise perform certain household tasks. If you know of someone RSVP can help download our [Homeowner Application](#) and bring/mail the completed form to SCCAR.



Interested in helping out for a few hours? [Click here](#) for more information and a volunteer application.

## Housing Foundation Grant \$\$ Update

In an effort to continue to 'never turn away a qualified grant recipient', the SCAOR Housing Foundation has lowered the Closing Cost Grant amount to \$2,000. Additionally, buyers who qualify for our new HOA Dues Grant Program will qualify for a \$1,000 Closing Cost Grant.

Our mission is to help as many low income first time homebuyers obtain the dream of homeownership and believe these changes will go along way in achieving that goal.

For more information about either of these programs and how to contribute please visit [www.scaorhf.org](http://www.scaorhf.org).



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