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The Parca Auxiliary proudly announces **Cirque de Mai**, its annual Spring Luncheon and Fashion Show. This year's event will be held on Wednesday, May 20th in the lovely garden of a beautiful Hillsborough home. After strolling in the garden, entertained by the whimsical sights and sounds of Le Cirque, guests will be invited to step into the colorful, Le Grand Chapiteau (the big tent). The Ringmaster will personally welcome them to sit, eat and enjoy the show. As an infectious rhythm boldly plays in the background, the lights brighten, the red curtain opens and the fashion show begins!

This year's Fashion Show will be more exciting than ever. The Parca Auxiliary is thrilled to announce that contemporary designer Trina Turk will make a guest appearance and showcase her fashions in a special and extended segment in the Fashion Show. The Parca Auxiliary and Trina Turk are taking fashion on the Peninsula to a whole new level.

Trina Turk, a West Coast native, launched her own fashion line in 1995. Inspired by the multicultural mix, architecture, and landscape of Los Angeles and California, The Trina Turk Collection is full of the Season's most casually sophisticated and must have silhouettes. Trina's philosophy is to create wearable, optimistic fashion that incorporates the best aspects of classic American sportswear. Trina Turk has boutiques in Los Angeles, Palm Springs, Fashion Island and New York. This spring she will be opening a new boutique on Burlingame Avenue.

Parca Organization is a private, nonprofit association that serves people with developmental disabilities and their families in the Bay Area. Since its founding in 1952, Parca has been committed to providing opportunities for disabled people of all ages to help them experience choice, control and individuality in every area of their lives. In addition to skills training for adults, Parca offers respite care for children and teens; childcare and recreational programs for children; and support groups, information and referral services for families. Developmental disabilities include mental retardation, autism, cerebral palsy, epilepsy and other similar neurological disorders.

Founded in 1985, the Parca Auxiliary is a small group of Peninsula-based women dedicated to raising money and awareness for Parca Organization. Every spring, the Auxiliary hosts a luncheon and fashion show that is the primary fundraiser for Parca Organization. The generous donations from the event's sponsors and guests help contribute to the success of Parca's clients throughout the year.

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