

**BAY AREA LIFE – PRODUCTION NOTES**

Some initial thoughts about potential interviewees/places to shoot.

* Potential shoot dates: late September/early October
Eight-hour shoot with host/cameraperson; one night accommodation
Lead time to air: 2~ weeks
Potential air dates: October 15 (Sun) + October 21 (Sat)
Lives on [ABCNews7.com](http://abcnews7.com/) forever
VMC gets B-roll
Focus: Mushroom Festival
* Foraging – interview Adrienne Long + Sid Hillman at Stanford Inn – vegetarian mushroom entrees
* Horseback ride forage – does Ricochet Ranch do this still? or maybe spotting mushrooms from Catch A Canoe kayaks
* Botanical Gardens – Mario Abreu mushroom walk + talk
* Skunk Train – maybe out of Willits?
* The Bewildered Pig – special mushroom dish + interview with Janelle
* Pennyroyal Farm – do they have a mushroom-laced cheese or would they consider … or what’s the best Pennyroyal cheese to pair with mushrooms?
* Cowlick’s for Candy Cap mushroom ice cream
* Stone & Embers – special mushroom pizza or other Patrick seasonal invention
* Saucy – see Stone & Embers (except Phil/chef)
* Hopland Research Station or Solar Living?? Classes, talks?
* Marc Dym – mushroom and beer dinner at LRI – mushroom/beer pairings
* Or… North Coast Brewing… if they’re doing a dinner this year
* Eric Schramm – mushroom expert and forager
* Any art exhibits using mushroom dyes?
* Wines – Toby Hill/Natacha Durandet – how to pair mushrooms with Pinot