



Close Ties

Chris and Pat Weil Live, Work and Play in the Local Community

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Chris and Pat Weil count themselves lucky – the things that are closest to their hearts are also close to home. They live in Del Mar, the Christopher Weil Company (CWC), a firm that manages equity and debt portfolios, is located in Carmel Valley and they are involved in many local organizations that give back to the community. For them, however, nothing beats having their kids and grandkids nearby. “Our three grown children all live in the Del Mar/Carmel Valley area. We’ve logged innumerable hours at rec centers, parks and elementary schools in the area as we cheer on our five grandchildren all of whom play in the Sharks soccer rec league,” stated Chris proudly. He and Pat are also thrilled that their children work for CWC making it truly a family-run business. In fact, their son-in-law John Wells is the president and CEO of CWC.

The Weils are also dedicated community volunteers, supporting many local organizations and causes. Chris is the director of the San Diego Mainly Mozart Festival, the Patricia & Christopher Weil Family Foundation, and is a trustee of the UCSD Foundation. Pat is director and president of the board of the Patricia & Christopher Weil Family Foundation and is a member of

the board of The Preuss School UCSD. Chris and Pat formed The Patricia & Christopher Weil Family Foundation in 1998 with the mission to create educational opportunities by providing resources, time and support to children and families in underserved communities of San Diego. “Perhaps the one thing we pour our hearts into more than any other part of the organization is the scholarship program,” revealed Chris. Over the past 10 years, the Patricia & Christopher Weil Family Foundation has helped 130 students achieve their dream of receiving a college education.

Though Chris and Pat lead very busy lives, they manage to take time out for some fun and relaxation. Chris enjoys walking, hiking, classical music and reading. In addition, he’s a World War I history buff. Pat is a yoga enthusiast who loves cooking and entertaining. Chris and Pat also love traveling together and have had many adventures over the years. “We’ve road tripped in Canada, attended cooking school in Paris and toured the WWI battlefields in Belgium,” related Chris. It is safe to say that no matter how far from home Chris and Pat may travel, their hearts are always in 92130. ■



- Name:** Christopher Weil (76) and Patricia Weil (77)
- Community:** Del Mar; CWC is located in Carmel Valley since 1998
- Profession:** Financial services and philanthropy
- Education:** Chris is a graduate of UCLA with a degree in philosophy. Pat is also a graduate of UCLA with a degree in primary education.
- Family:** Son – Matthew Weil, Daughter-in-Law – Sventlana, Granddaughter – Yevdokia Daughter – Kit-Victoria Wells, Son-in-Law – John (President and CEO of CWC), Granddaughter – Rachel, Grandson – Noah Daughter – Caitlin Weil, Son-in-Law – Michael, Granddaughter – Amelia, Grandson – Winston
- Pet:** Granddog – Cosmo