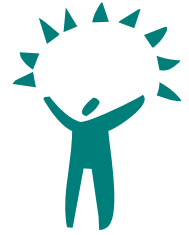




## The Mental Health Association Welcomes Three New Board Members



We are pleased to announce the three newest members of our Board of Directors: Aaron Clark, Ned Emerson and Ashley Woods.



### **Aaron Clark**

Aaron Clark is President and CEO of Monarch Wealth Strategies, a financial planning firm in Santa Barbara. He previously worked with A.G. Edwards & Sons — where he was recognized as being one of the firm's top financial consultants — and Wachovia Securities. A Santa Barbara native, Aaron holds a degree in Criminal Justice Administration from Santa Diego State University and is currently working toward a master's degree in Personal Financial Planning. He is a member of the Financial Abuse Specialist Team for Santa Barbara County and sits on the board of the Montecito Rotary Club.



### **Ned Emerson**

Ned Emerson recently retired after serving for over twenty years as an independent sales representative involved in selling sportswear to college bookstores. Ned holds a degree in Industrial Management from the University of California, Santa Barbara. He launched a screen-printing company while in college, which eventually became Shoreline Sportswear, and operated the business for 25 years. Ned serves on the board of United Cerebral Palsy, Work Inc. of Santa Barbara County, and joins his wife, Ann Lippincott, on the board of the Mental Health Association.



### **Ashley Woods**

Ashley Woods is Executive Director of the Morris B. Squire Art Foundation and Founder/Executive Director of Rumble Art. A graduate of Cate School, Ashley holds a degree in Literature and Art from Pitzer College and a master's degree in Contemporary Art from Sotheby's Institute of Art in London. Ashley also sits on the board of Art From Scrap and is a certified Americorps JumpStart teacher.

*A big welcome to all our new members!* ☺