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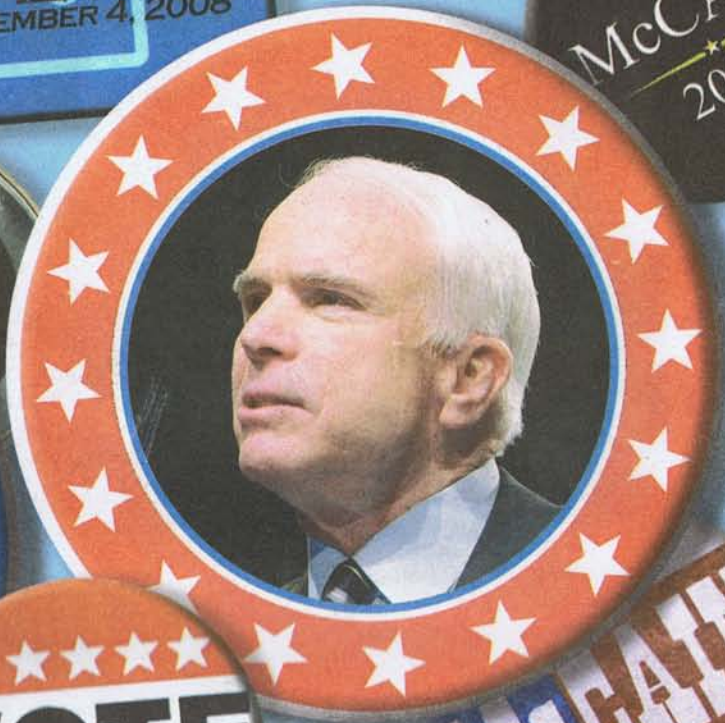
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Short shorts ...

Rabbi Eric Weiss and **Marilyn Hoffman** will be honored at Creating Hope: the Art of Healing, Shalom Bayit's annual fundraiser, at 11:30 a.m. Nov. 9 at the Contemporary Jewish Museum in San Francisco. **Kate VanZanten**, **Linda Kalinowski** and **Carol Platner** are chairs of the event, and **Nancy Goldberg** and **Isabel O'Donnell** are presenters. Call (510) 451-8874 for information ...



Rebecca Fox

Rabbi Sanford Akselrad of Las Vegas is the guest rabbi at the lectureship named for his late father, **Rabbi Sidney Akselrad**, at Congregation Beth Am in Los Altos Hills on Nov. 14 and 15 ... **Linda Twain** of American Jewish Committee reports that a blog report by Katie Fehrenbacher about AJC's October event featuring **Shai Agassi** was picked up by the New York Times. Agassi is the founder and CEO of the startup Better Place that wants to place charging spots and battery-swapping stations for electric vehicles across the nation ... San Francisco metal sculptor **Rebecca Fox** is one of 17 artists participating in the 2009 Heart Artist public art project. The hearts will be auctioned off to benefit San Francisco General Hospital. ■

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