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## Important Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Members will be held Wednesday, June 14, at 4 p.m. in the Clubhouse. **(More details on page 3)**

## Hot Tickets

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- **King's Brass Concert**  
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**Community TV channels:**  
CHANNEL 26: Club & Event notices  
CHANNEL 27 Currently playing:

- **Comcast Town Hall**
- **Fire Safety Presentation**
- **The Villages Fitness Center**
- **The Channel 27 Weekend Movie**

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(You can now access the monthly General Manager's Report with the link on Fast Lane.)

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## Daddios Big Band Concert is this Sunday!

Last year you were totally jazzed as you heard the Daddios perform! And, they're back! Please join us on Sunday, June 11 at 2:30 p.m. in Cribari Auditorium for spirited music and a rootin'-tootin' good time with your Villages buddies. To purchase open seating tickets for \$15, go to Cribari Auditorium from 10 a.m. to noon on Saturday, June 10 or contact Victor Clifford at 408-223-6444 or [vcclfrd@sbcglobal.net](mailto:vcclfrd@sbcglobal.net)

The band, under the direction of John Russell features trumpets, trombones, saxophones (alto, tenor, and baritone), and a rhythm section of piano, bass, guitar and drums.

The Villages is honored to have them back, so let's all grab a bunch of family and friends and head to Cribari to enjoy a lively afternoon of "all that jazz."

## 'Dancing on Film' to be presented by Fred Stern

Looking for enjoyable entertainment? On Tuesday, June 20 at 7 p.m. in Cribari Auditorium, Fred Stern will present another wonderful program—"Dancing on Film." He will bring you the most delightful dance numbers ever shown in movies, and tell behind-the-scene stories about them. Admission is free. All Villagers are invited.

You'll see and hear about such stars as Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers, Shirley Temple and Bill Robinson, Gene Kelly, and, for laughs, Groucho Marx.

The Village Brandeis Club is sponsoring this program. They will be serving soft drinks and light refreshments afterward.

We know you will enjoy Fred's special presentation. Please mark your calendar now for June 20. You won't want to miss this delightful evening of entertainment.

## See Tim Zimmerman and The King's Brass Concert!

Several years back we heard The King's Brass perform at the Villages. And we have invited them back for another exciting performance! Please join with your Villages buddies on Sunday, June 25 at 2:30 p.m. in Cribari Auditorium for a concert of spirited music. To purchase open seating tickets for \$20, go to Cribari Auditorium from 10 a.m. to noon on Saturdays June 10, 17 and 24, or contact Victor Clifford at 408-223-6444 or [vcclfrd@sbcglobal.net](mailto:vcclfrd@sbcglobal.net)

For more than 25 years, The King's Brass has performed over 100 concerts each season with three trumpets, three trombones, a tuba, keyboards and percussion. Playing a wide variety of music from Gabrieli to hymn classics, from Handel to jazz spirituals, from Christmas carols to patriotic marches, The King's Brass uses all corners of the concert hall to lift hearts and spirits in praise.

Tim Zimmerman is the director and founder of The King's Brass and a trumpet solo artist. Tim received his graduate degree from the Peabody Conservatory of Music of the Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore, Maryland. He has been a member of the Annapolis Symphony Orchestra and often assists with the Ft. Wayne Philharmonic. For 13 years, Tim served as Artist-in-Residence and Chairman of the Music Department at Grace College in Winona Lake, Indiana.

The Villages is honored to have them back, so head to Cribari to enjoy an uplifting afternoon and give The King's Brass another warm Villages welcome.

This event is sponsored by the Villages Music Society - Concert Band and the Villages Community Chapel.

## High-12 Pancake Breakfast; Sidewalk Art Sale make for delightful Saturday



Fred Hink (right) fulfills his duty as a line server.

Photo by Lou Alexander



The Ukulele Club brings some music to the Sidewalk Art Sale, held Saturday, June 3 in and around Cribari Center.

Photo by Ernie Murata



# COMMUNITY NEWS

## PULSE

Dear Readers: The Villager welcomes everyone's voice sharing ideas, opinions and accounts of life in The Villages in the Pulse column. Please follow the guidelines carefully.

Pulse deadline is 11 a.m. on Friday of the week prior to publication.

Pulse letters will be published in complete or abridged form at the discretion of the Publisher and in accordance with the editorial policies and rules established by the Club Board of Directors. (See VGCC Rule 1.30.) Opinions expressed by Pulse letter authors do not necessarily reflect the opinions of The Villager Publisher, staff, boards of directors or management.

All Pulse letters must be 200 words or fewer on a single topic relating to life in the Villages. Each letter must also include name, address, phone number, date and number of words.

Typed or legibly written letters must include your signature and may be hand delivered to the Pulse mailbox in Administration Building B or by mailing to the Communications Advisory Committee, 5000 Cribari Lane, San Jose, CA 95135.

E-mailed letters must include the text within the body of the e-mail and the subject line must read PULSE LETTER. Submit to: shinrichs@the-villages.com.

2 Pulse letters received this week.

0 Pulse letters not meeting Pulse Letter Guidelines.

2 Pulse letters published this week.

Since we had a most wonderful experience with an excellent waitress, we feel she needs accolades! Wednesday, May 31st, we had lunch with old friends of 40 years or so. We all met when we were five young couples at a local tennis club and became "bonded." We traveled together on outings to many places in the world and locally. We would play tennis for a whole weekend and then would get up and go to work on Mondays. As time went by, our tennis turned into a golf group and gradually we couldn't even get a foursome for golf! Knee, shoulder, hip replacements were quite common among us and now two walkers, canes and hearing aids are a reality. When we gathered for lunch, it became clear that we needed help in getting our orders, drinks straight. Along comes our waitress Miriam Landeros who could not have been more patient, helpful and understanding. She managed to get all our orders straight (which we couldn't do) and knew exactly where each order went. Our whole group felt that the Villages was one of our best outings and look forward to a repeat luncheon and, of course, will ask for Miriam!

—Phyllis and John Mueller

My husband and I had the good fortune to win two tickets in the Hamilton lottery and what a win it turned out to be! It began with a comfortable bus ride directly to the theatre, orchestra section center row seats for this most engaging Hamilton production, an excellent dinner in the wharf area of San Francisco and a relaxing bus ride home. All for only \$300! (I say that because the on-line theatre price for our tickets alone was \$480). We can't commend Ruth De Ponzi enough for putting this very special event together for Villagers' enjoyment! Another 'perk' for Villages living. Thank you!

—Melinda Dobbs

## Attention Pulse authors!

When you write your Pulse letters, don't forget to:

• Include your name, address and telephone number at the end of your letter. Your contact information is important in case the Communications Committee members have questions or need to verify your identity.

• Sign your letter if you are bringing a paper copy to the Pulse mailbox in Building B.

• Put the word count of the letter at the end of the letter—Remember, it's 200 words or fewer.

• Put "PULSE" in the subject line of your e-mail if you are sending it in electronically. (E-mail your Pulse letters to: shinrichs@the-villages.com)

Forgetting to follow the Pulse guidelines may result in your letter being delayed.

**Note:** The Communications Committee is now verifying the authorship of submitted Pulse letters. If a Pulse Letter is dropped off in Building B, we will call the author to make sure that person wrote and submitted the letter. If we cannot reach that person we will hold the letter until we can reach them. This means we may reject the letter for a week or more if we are unable to verify the authorship.

## ABOVE & BEYOND

The Villager staff was saddened to hear of the passing of Gil Chesterton in May.

Gil contributed many interesting profiles about his fellow Villagers for publication in *The Villager*. During his visits to *The Villager* office, he also shared many amusing stories and offered his advice about writing and editing based upon his extensive experience as a journalist and a teacher. Above and beyond that, Gil served on the Communications Advisory Committee in a voluntary advisory role with the mission of improving communications for his community. Gil always cared.

We would like to give our friend, Gil, the recognition he more than earned, and bid him a fond and heartfelt farewell.

—S.R. Hinrichs, Managing Editor of The Villager

## IN MEMORIAM

**Gilbert Keith "Gil" Chesterton**  
**March 20, 1934 to May 18, 2017**

There will be a reception in the Cribari Redwood Room on Saturday, June 24 at noon.

(Please see obituary in Classified Advertising Section.)

**William E. "Red" Cassidy**  
**July 16, 1925 to June 1, 2017**

(Please see obituary in Classified Advertising Section.)

### DEADLINES

**General Copy:** All general copy, other than sports, is due by 4:30 p.m. Thursday, seven days prior to publication. For editorial information call 408-754-1341 or 408-223-4655.

**Sports:** Sports copy is acceptable after deadline only by permission of the Managing Editor, 223-4655.

**Classified Ads:** Classified ads, renewals, cancellations and changes are due by 10 a.m. on the Monday before publication. Holiday deadlines differ. All classified ads must be in writing. You may fax classified ads to 408-274-2843 or e-mail to: ktran@the-villages.com. For more information, please call 408-754-1341 or 408-223-4655.

**Display Ads:** Display ad rates and placement may be arranged by calling Mario at 223-4657. Display advertising information is available on The Villages web site at: www.thevillagesgcc.com.

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### POLICIES

Publication of advertising in *The Villager* does not constitute endorsement. Licensed real estate professionals advertising in *The Villager* are required to name themselves as agent or broker, or list the name of the brokerage for whom they work as part of their ad. This is in compliance with Real Estate Law Section 10140.6.

All copy is subject to editing and must be submitted with that understanding. *The Villager* reserves the right to reject or discontinue advertising or articles that are deemed unsuitable.

**The Villages Communications Advisory Committee** "To inform and connect Villagers" develops operational plans, reviews rules and policies, and advises the General Manager and Club Board on issues pertaining to *The Villager*, including Pulse letters, Channel 26, Fast Lane and the web site. Residents having relevant concerns may attend meetings or call committee members by phone: Larry Miller at 408-238-1030, Diane Carr 408-528-8456, Barbara Karayn 202-641-6339, Lou Lively-Singh 408-838-5555, Pamela Oliver-Lyons 408-693-9250, and Peggine Romanow 408-528-8732.

### HOURS

*The Villager* editorial and classified advertising hours are Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. *The Villager* display advertising office hours are by appointment. Call 223-4657 to schedule.

*The Villager* is the official and legal communication medium for The Villages, a Senior Community. Its mission is to provide residents with timely information about activities, facilities and services at The Villages and to promote a sense of community by documenting and celebrating those common experiences that highlight life at The Villages.

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# BOARDS & COMMITTEES

## 2017 Annual Meetings of the Membership and Votes

By Julia Meadows, Interim General Manager

The three Villages Corporations (Club, Association, and Homeowners Corporation) are preparing for this year's annual membership meetings and votes. Votes will be conducted in May and June, and this year's annual meetings will be held on Wednesday, June 14 at 4 p.m. in the Villages Clubhouse.

*The Villager* newspaper is now publishing candidate statements and candidate questions and answers. This year, for all three corporations, directors will be elected by acclamation. However, per the governing documents, notices for the membership meetings will be sent to all members and included will be the ballots for the ballot resolution Excess Membership Income Over Membership Expenses Refunded to Members. An approval vote of these resolutions will enable the corporations to avoid income tax on operating surpluses by refunding these surpluses to the membership in the form of assessment reduction in accordance with IRS Revenue Ruling 70-604.

In addition, The Villages Homeowners' Corporation, will be conducting a separate vote on updating its governing documents.

**Club:** There will be two director vacancies on the Club Board. Those who will continue to serve during the ensuing year are Howie Blumstein, Rick Casey, Debbie Champion, Mike Poelot, and Wayne Weiler. The Club Nominating Committee has announced Jim Neill and Robert "Bob" Wilk as its candidate nominations, and both will be elected by acclamation with terms to begin June 14 and expire in June 2020.

**Association:** On the Association Board, there will also be two director vacancies. Those who will continue to serve during the ensuing year are Garry Ashby, Sherry Benz, John Campbell, Brooks Fuller and Peter Nicholls. The Association Nominating Committee announced Matthew Giordano and Frank Veloz as its candidate nominations, and both will be elected by acclamation with terms to begin June 14 and expire in June 2020.

The Association Board has set May 1, 2017 as the Record Date (Bylaws Section 3.6) for the 2017 Director Election. Only those members in the records of the Association on May 1, 2017, shall be entitled to notice and only members in good standing as of the record date shall be entitled to vote.

**Homeowners:** As with the Club and Association, the Homeowners' Corporation Board will have two director vacancies. Those who will continue to serve during the ensuing year are Mike Kane, Julian Rodriguez, and Greg Stewart. Teddy Morse and Jeannie Omel have declared their candidacies, and will be elected by acclamation with terms to begin June 14 and expire in June 2020.

All ballot packages have been distributed, with the deadline of Monday, June 12, at 8 a.m. for the return of ballots. Ballot counting will take place in an open meeting on Tuesday, June 13 at 9:30 a.m. in Vineyard Center, and the results are to be announced the following day, Wednesday, June 14 at the annual meetings.

Along with voting, your Boards encourage you to attend the Annual Meetings of the Members on Wednesday, June 14 at 4 p.m. in the Clubhouse. After the conclusion of the meetings, members will be treated to a community celebration with refreshments.

More BOARDS & COMMITTEES,  
MANAGEMENT and COMMUNITY  
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## FROM THE ASSOCIATION BOARD

### Association Painting

Association buildings are painted regularly to maintain their appearance and enhance their longevity.

For wood surfaces, they are being painted every six years; for stucco surfaces, every twelve years. The hardboard siding (Masonite) in Glen Arden and Olivas is being painted every five years and the Hardi Board (cement board) siding in Sonata and Valle Vista, every twelve years.

There has been communication with Benjamin-Moore, Kelly-Moore and Sherwin-Williams paint companies as well as others indicating that the Association is painting the buildings more often than necessary. One of the reasons for this advice is that the quality of the paint products has improved through the years.

One of the reasons for not wanting to paint too often is because of something called 'paint adhesion failure'. This is generally caused by paint layers becoming too thick where they crack and peel.

A consultant report from LCI-Consultants was obtained in June, 2013 recommending to management an upgrade in paint products to a superior Benjamin-Moore paint. The initial villages receiving this paint improvement were the Fairways, Sonata and Valle Vista in 2013. The final village receiving this paint is the Highlands which will occur this year.

It is not known how long this paint will last under our conditions, but the Board will monitor this closely. As more information and experience with this paint is gained, the Board may use that experience to set budgeted paint cycles.

It is recognized that it is important to stay abreast of advances in industry. Painting is only one example. It will be interesting to see the results.

—Bob Wilk, Association Director

### Clubhouse and Bistro to raise service fee to 18 percent

If the Club Board has heard anything from the members of the Food & Beverage Committee, supported by the feedback from hundreds of Clubhouse survey forms, service quality is just as, if not more important than food quality.

However, it is also evident to the Club Board that we are not competitive in our salary structure to attract and retain the kind of high-end server and staff we expect. Furthermore, when the San Jose minimum wage hike kicks in July 1, food costs will go up and many servers will be evaluating their current position versus other, more lucrative, opportunities, and we may lose some of our best current staff. The Club Board does not feel we can risk this.

Therefore, the service charge in the Clubhouse/Bistro will be raised from the current 15 percent to 18 percent effective July 1.

John Yu and the Food & Beverage committee recently finished a survey of our competition, Silver Creek, San Jose, and Almaden Country Clubs, and Rossmoor. Silver Creek and Rossmoor are already at 18 percent and San Jose and Almaden at 20 percent. But compounding the problem, average pricing on a sample of 15 items like a rib-eye steak, burger, salad, and beer or wine, found that Silver Creek (run by a management services company) is 47 percent higher, San Jose CC is 35 percent higher and Rossmoor is 28 percent higher. Essentially, it's a double-whammy, making a lower percentage on a lower tab.

While no one likes to see their costs go up, the Club Board feels strongly that our commitment to offer a quality dining experience in ambiance, food quality, and service mandates this change.

### Missed your Villager?

If you missed delivery of your weekly copy of *The Villager*, please call 223-4655 to report it. (Please do not call before 11:30 a.m.)

You may pick up a replacement copy of your paper at the newsstand at the entrance of Building B or go online to the Villages website—[www.thevillagesgcc.com](http://www.thevillagesgcc.com)—and download the current and past editions to your computer.

### Get in the Fast Lane!

Fast Lane is the Villages e-mail information blast. To sign up or get more information, contact Communications Coordinator Ken Patterson at 223-4681; [kpatterson@the-villages.com](mailto:kpatterson@the-villages.com), or go to Building B to sign up in person.

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# MANAGEMENT

## Villages Trees and Fire Blight

By Loren K. Olson, Villages Account Manager, BrightView Landscape Services

The purpose of this article is to provide general information to the community about the condition and treatment of trees affected by Fire Blight. It is important you know we understand the overall concern about the condition of the trees and the desire to preserve the urban forest here at The Villages.

Throughout The Villages several varieties of Pear trees exist. All flowering pear trees are susceptible to Fire Blight. The weather during the winter of 2016-2017 provided ideal conditions for Fire Blight to thrive. The periods of rain and then warm temperatures intermittently created this ideal condition. While this is a less than desirable pest, the pear trees, over time have become resilient to Fire Blight. The effects of the disease, as we all know, are leaf drop, and stem cankers. The disease will cause some branch die back, but there is no reason to expect any kind of catastrophic failure or sudden death of the pear trees. So what do we do about the situation?

Through our routine maintenance of the trees, BrightView will perform what is called a sanitation pruning. The process involves pruning of diseased branches 2-3 inches below any cankers and cleaning of tools to prevent the spread of the disease. This process will provide a reduction of the severity of the disease but will not eradicate the blight entirely. During the blossom season a foliar fungicide can be applied with 3 applications on 7 day intervals. Historically, this spray is only marginally effective for the season it is applied, and the fire blight will most certainly still be present and return again the next season. For that reason the decision to stop spraying chemicals on the trees was made several years ago. If we were to begin spraying again next blossom, you could expect 2-3 years before any significant results would be visible. And again, the disease would still return.

It is our recommendation, we proceed with normal maintenance operation of sanitation pruning, and evaluate the condition of the trees going into next winter. In early spring we then take a look and evaluate the possibility of foliar spray and weigh that against the use of chemicals.

## EPC to offer Free First Aid & CPR/AED Class

The Villages' Emergency Preparedness Committee (EPC) will offer, free of charge, an American Red Cross First Aid and CPR/AED class on Saturday, June 17, from 7:45 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Vineyard Center. To register for this class, please contact Simon Cintz at training@thevillagesepc.org or 408-274-4549. Each person must bring a mat or large towel for floor activities. Class size is limited. Upon completion of this class, you will receive an American Red Cross Certificate of Completion that is valid for two years.

AED (Automatic External Defibrillator) devices are available at eight locations throughout The Villages including our pools, gym and Clubhouse. They are designed to be used with CPR to help heart attack victims.

## EVF Clothing Sale postponed to 2018

The Evergreen Villages Foundation's Gently Used Clothing sale will not take place this fall. It has been postponed to August 2018.

More BOARDS & COMMITTEES,  
and COMMUNITY NOTICES  
on pages 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 & 26

## Comcast Voluntary Box Swap-Out

**Attention residents: Please note the X1 Platform Box requires Xfinity Internet service. For residents who do not have Xfinity Internet, and would like to upgrade to our X1 Platform box, please take advantage and sign up during the scheduled Comcast events. For those who already have Xfinity Internet, please come down and ensure you have the most updated equipment. We look forward to assisting you all!**

### Schedule of Xfinity Voluntary Box Swap-Out Events

As Comcast mentioned during its Town Hall events in February, representatives will be back on site to assist residents with swapping out their old Comcast equipment. Comcast team members will be working with and through each village individually. (See schedule below.) **Please ONLY come to the designated event on your village's day.** For some villages there will be more than one date to choose from. There will also be make-up days scheduled in the future.

For residents living in Olivas, Highlands (excluding single-family homes), Montgomery, and Cribari districts, please feel free to come at your leisure between the allotted time frames on your event days. There is no formal presentation at 1 p.m., Comcast will strictly be doing individual account reviews and scheduling appointments as needed. As we begin working with our larger districts, please check the schedule for which day is designated for your house number.

#### Montgomery

House #: 6001-6099

House #: 6100-6188

House #: 6189-6277

House #: 6278-6361

Friday, June 9 from 1 to 4 p.m. Montgomery Center

Monday, June 12 from 1 to 4 p.m. Montgomery Center

Tuesday, June 13 from 1 to 4 p.m. Cribari Conference Room

Thursday, June 15 from 1 to 4 p.m. Montgomery Center

#### Cribari

House #: 5001-5115

House #: 5116-5231

House #: 5232-5347

House #: 5348-5462

House #: 5463-5576

Friday, June 16 from 1 to 4 p.m. Montgomery Center

Monday, June 19 from 1 to 4 p.m. Cribari Auditorium

Tuesday, June 20 from 1 to 4 p.m. Cribari Conference Room

Thursday, June 22 from 1 to 4 p.m. Cribari Auditorium

Friday, June 23 from 1 to 4 p.m. Vineyard Center

We will keep you posted with the schedule of upcoming districts.

**Make-Up Days** will be incorporated into the last hour of our Cribari district event days. If you missed us during your designated district day and had any questions for us, please stop by at your leisure between 3 to 4 p.m. Tuesday, June 20; Thursday, June 22; and Friday, June 23.

**Attention Villagers—Please note:** In order to get Comcast's updated X1 Platform Box and voice-activated remote, you need to have Comcast's Performance Internet services. Comcast is onsite as a courtesy to assist with upgrades and waiving installation fees. There is no formal presentation as Comcast will strictly be doing individual account reviews. If you are unable to attend these events, you can call into the Dedicated Bulk Call Center at 1-855-307-4896. If you schedule an installation through the call center and not through attending an onsite Comcast event, you will be charged the installation fee. If you have attended an event and an installation charge appears on your bill, please wait to see your credit on the following billing cycle."

## Frequently Asked Comcast Questions:

1. Why wasn't my district listed in the paper?

**A:** Due to the size of the Villages, we are deploying a phased approach. This way we can ensure that your experience goes as smoothly as possible. Rest assured that we will get to you should you need assistance with this process. Comcast is committed to ensuring this is a great experience for the Villagers. Please keep an eye out on the paper as your district will be announced when the schedule is updated monthly. You can also check the office and Cribari Center bulletin boards for the event calendar dates.

2. What will I need to bring?

**A:** Nothing is needed for these events. You will simply provide Comcast with your address and phone number and we will schedule a tech appointment for you to swap out your equipment.

3. What if I am unable to make the event that is designated for my district?

**A:** After Comcast has completed all the district's events, they will be back on site and will host a list of events at varying times to catch anyone they missed.

4. Do I have to wait for the events or can I swap my equipment out now?

**A:** For your convenience, Comcast will be on site to schedule the appointments for you. However, you are more than welcome to schedule your own appointments and upgrade your equipment by calling our designated Bulk Services Call Center at 1-855-307-4896. **(Additional fees may apply if you do not wait for your scheduled village swap-out event.)**

5. Should I bring my old equipment?

**A:** No. Please leave all old equipment at home.

6. What is the purpose of this event?

**A:** This event is strictly to set appointments for technicians to come out to your unit and swap out your equipment with the updated equipment.

7. What if I don't want to schedule an appointment and I want to install it myself?

**A:** We will have Self-Install Kits available, too, for you during our events, or you can visit your local Xfinity Store and swap out your old equipment there. Please note you will only be able to do a Self-Install Kit for your Internet services. All X1 boxes will be installed by a tech.

# GOVERNANCE MEETINGS

## THE DACs

### Glen Arden DAC to meet June 12

We are holding a Glen Arden DAC meeting on June 12, at 4 p.m., at the Corporation Yard Conference Room.

## AC NOTICE

Association applications for Owner Alteration Requests for the month of July are due to the Architectural Committee on or before June 21, 2017. See Elissa at the Corporation Yard office to obtain an application. **Meeting date is scheduled for July 6, 2017 at 9 a.m. The meeting is being held in the Foothill Center.**

Association AC Landscape meeting deadline date is **June 21, 2017.**

## ENCROACHMENTS

The following encroachments have been submitted to the Architectural Committee and the Board of Directors:

- 5065 Cribari Bluffs—Drain Line.
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- 7369 Via Montecitos—Fence and gate.
- 7778 Beltane Drive—Patio tile.
- 8379 Riesling Way—Steps and landing.

Owners in the area are invited to comment to the General Manager's office.

**Deadline for editorial materials is the Thursday before the date of publication. If your notice is late, please call Kory at The Villager copy desk at 408-408-754-1341 to arrange for space to be available. You may e-mail your copy to: ktran@the-villages.com**

More COMMUNITY NOTICES

## SENIOR RESOURCE SERVICES

### The terrifying true story of a \$1 million scam

Losses from elder financial fraud and abuse are estimated to be more than \$36 billion a year. Yet many of these crimes go unreported or underreported—frequently because many victims feel embarrassed and guilty for having been taken in.

The June 2017 issue of Money Magazine gives the story of a widow who was taken by a fraudster she met through Match.com. The widow is now fighting back by being public with her story (but not her name). You can read the story at [www.money.com/sweetheart-scam](http://www.money.com/sweetheart-scam).

This is the section of the story that impressed SRS:

As is true with many couples of that age, her husband had taken care of all the financial

aspects of their life together. Every once in a while, her husband would say she should learn some of it, but then something would come up and they would put it off. When her husband got sick, he showed her how to access their bank account online, but that was all they managed before he died. So, when the acquaintance from Match.com said he might be able to help with her finances, she jumped at the chance. He said he was a CPA, retired, but he still did this for friends.

This true story is the perfect avenue to remind Villagers that SRS has a handout titled "Finances – What Does Your Spouse Need to Know."

There are two sections to the handout. The first sec-

tion, titled "Small Picture" lists everyday finances; e.g. where are the bank accounts, what is automatically deposited, which bills are paid automatically and how the accounts are reviewed and reconciled at the end of the month.

If one spouse typically pays all the bills, SRS suggests the other spouse take over that responsibility periodically—say once every six months. Let the spouse who has been handling the finances use the opportunity to talk about why things are done the way they are. Both must promise not to grumble or criticize but to use it as a mutual learning experience.

The second section titled "Big Picture" takes a general look at your finances such as what does it cost to live per month and how finances will change when one partner dies.

The handout also includes a reference to the SRS handout titled "Location of Important Documents and Information." Both documents are available at the SRS office in Cribari Center.

## BOARD MEETINGS

(The following are open meetings. All Villagers are invited and encouraged to attend.)

### Association

The Special Open Meeting to Count Ballots will be held Tuesday, June 13, at 9:30 a.m. in Vineyard Center.

The Annual Meeting of the Members will be held Wednesday, June 14, at 4 p.m. in the Clubhouse.

The Villages Association Board of Directors regular monthly meeting will be held Tuesday, June 27, at 9:30 a.m. in the Clubhouse.

### Club

The Special Open Meeting to Count Ballots will be held Tuesday, June 13, at 9:30 a.m. in Vineyard Center.

The Villages Golf & Country Club Board of Directors Study Session will be held Tuesday, June 13, at 1:30 p.m. in Foothill Center.

The Annual Meeting of the Members will be held Wednesday, June 14, at 4 p.m. in the Clubhouse.

The Special Open Meeting to Elect Board Officers will be held Thursday, June 15, at 9 a.m. in Vineyard Center.

The Villages Golf & Country Club Board of Directors regular monthly meeting will be held Tuesday, June 27, at 1:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse.

The Villages Golf & Country Club Board of Directors July Study Session will be held Tuesday, July 11, at 1:30 p.m. in Foothill Center.

### Homeowners

The Villages Homeowners' Corporation Board of Directors June Quarterly Meeting will be held Thursday, June 15, at 4 p.m. in the Cribari Conference Room.

### All Boards

The Special Open Meeting to Count Ballots will be held Tuesday, June 13, at 9:30 a.m. in Vineyard Center.

The Annual Meeting of the Members will be held Wednesday, June 14, at 4 p.m. in the Clubhouse.

## FOUNDATION FOCUS



Mary Lou and Benton White

### Look who's happy!

By Julie Sherman

Why are Benton and Mary Lou White smiling? Are friends coming to visit? Did they draw a winning lottery ticket? Nope! They are part of the growing number of Villagers who make a monthly, fully tax deductible contribution to the Villages through the Evergreen Villages Foundation Sustaining Donor program. Currently just over 3 percent of our community are sponsoring donors. They took the time to submit one quick form and now have our Villages accounting office do all the work! Their contribution is just added to their monthly bill and presto! A Sustaining Donor! All contributors to the Evergreen Villages Foundation receive a thank you letter, which can be used to fully deduct any contribution from their annual income tax obligation. Visit [www.evfsj.org](http://www.evfsj.org) for more information.

### SRS Reminder:

### Estimated tax due June 15

If you file forms 1040ES and 540ES, your second payment of estimated tax for 2017 is due Thursday, June 15. You owe 25 percent of your annual tax estimate to the IRS. California demands more. You owe 40 percent of your annual tax estimate to the California Franchise Tax Board. There is no fee to use the online Web Pay service to pay either tax or you may mail a check.

## Notice of Proposed Changes to Club Rules

At the May 30, 2017 Club Board meeting, the following proposed changes to Club Rule 1.04. RV Parking Area, Rule 1.11 Community Centers and Gazebo Park, and 1.03 Vehicle Parking were approved by the Club Board of Directors for 30-day notice publication prior to formal approval consideration at the July 25, 2017, monthly board meeting. The Board will consider oral and written comments regarding the proposed changes at the July 11, 2017, study session (1:30 p.m. at Foothill Center). Response to the proposed rule changes may be made by one or more of the following methods: 1) Participation in the discussion of the change at the Club Board of Directors study session at which the proposed rule change will be considered, 2) via e-mail with comments sent to the General Manager's office at least seven (7) days prior to the Club Board of Directors study session (jmeadows@the-villages.com), and 3) via written comments to the General Manager's offices delivered at least seven (7) days prior to the Club Board of Directors study session.

*The purpose of this revision is to make the Rule compliant with San Jose and California law.*

### Revise **1.03 VEHICLE PARKING**

#### **1. Regulations**

A. The Club provides vehicle parking space at all Club facilities. California Vehicle Code parking regulations apply within The Villages. Curb color codes and parking signs must be observed.

B. All resident-owned vehicles parked within The Villages must be registered and operational and, in the case of a golf cart or LSV, display a house number sticker.

#### **2. Vehicle Parking**

Vehicle parking within The Villages, where the Club has jurisdiction, is subject to the following rules:

A. No vehicle shall be built, repaired, or rebuilt in any Club common area.

B. Residents will keep Public Safety advised of parking needs so that management can address the issue.

C. Curbside overnight parking (11:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.) is prohibited on Fairway Drive, Villages Parkway, and Village View Drive from Foothill Circle to Village View Loop.

D. Provided emergency vehicle access is not impeded, and except for the restriction noted in Section G. 2.F below, temporary curbside overnight parking is permitted on other streets and cul-de-sacs for a maximum of 48 hours.

E. Vehicles parked between 11:00 p.m. and 5:00 a.m. in Club facility parking lots will be cited, unless otherwise posted, or with prior written approval has been granted by Public Safety.

F. Residents are responsible for the immediate removal and cleaning of any fluids, including, but not limited to, coolants, engine oil, transmission fluid, and gasoline that may leak from their or their guests' vehicle. Failure to comply may result in a monetary assessment against the responsible resident for the cost of the stain removal or street repair.

G. Resident motor homes, trailers, campers, recreational vehicles, boats and commercial vehicles, may be parked only temporarily in residential areas for the specific purpose of loading, unloading, and general housekeeping. In no case shall any recreational or commercial vehicles be permitted to be parked on a street more than 24 hours in any 48-hour period. See Section 1.03.1.H 2.G below for parking authorized oversized commercial vehicles.

H. Public Safety will direct an authorized guest driving an oversized commercial vehicle to park in the parking area north of the Public Safety Plaza. Such parking will be limited to 48 hours. Washing, performing maintenance, or driving the vehicle on residential streets within The Villages is prohibited. Moving vans, when authorized by residents and engaged in off-loading or loading household goods, are exempt from this rule.

I. Golf carts/LSVs must be parked in vehicle parking areas or other designated golf cart parking areas.

#### **3. Towing of Unauthorized Parked Vehicles**

Vehicles parked in unauthorized areas may be removed by towing, in compliance with the City of San Jose Municipal Code, 6.66. This will apply to resident as well as guest vehicles.

The Club shall not be liable for any damages incurred by the vehicle owner because of removal in compliance herewith, or for any damage to the vehicle cause caused by the removal. If requested by the owner of the vehicle, The the Club Board of Directors shall state the grounds for the removal of the vehicle. For information on towed cars, call The Villages management at 408-239-5246, or A&A Towing at 408-251-9000.

**Rule 1.04 RV Parking Area:** *The purpose of this revision to update the Rule after the repaving of the RV Lot, and to require insurance.*

Note: Rules deletions are noted in strike through font and additions are underlined.

### Revise **Rule 1.04 Recreational Vehicle (RV) Parking Area**

The Club owns the Recreational Vehicle (RV) parking area. The Club Board administers most aspects of its use, including any use-fee schedule. Space assignment and guest parking are administered by Public Safety.

The following rules apply to residents with assigned space in the RV parking area. Refer to Homeowners Corporation and Association Rules for RV parking rules in residential areas.

#### **1. Permitted Vehicles**

The following types of vehicles will be permitted parking space in the RV parking area:

- A. Motor homes
- B. Travel trailers
- C. Fitted, fold-down camping trailers
- D. Pick-up campers, either separately or mounted on a pick-up
- E. Boats on carrier trailers
- F. Car-top boats
- G. Vans that have been manufactured or modified specifically for mobile living. To qualify as an RV, a van must have permanently installed at least three of the following:
  - 1) Heating unit
  - 2) Sanitation
  - 3) Sink
  - 4) Stove
  - 5) Sleeping facilities
- H. Resident's vehicle automobile while temporarily replacing a recreational vehicle in assigned space, with notification to Public Safety.
- I. Two-wheeled car carriers.
- J. Prime mover vehicle for fifth wheel, boat, or trailer.

#### **2. Registration**

All registered owners of the prime mover vehicle must Permitted Vehicles identified in Paragraph 1.04.1 shall be Villages residents. Public Safety must shall be provided annually with a copy of the current validated vehicle State Registration or boat Certificate of Vessel. Public Safety shall also be provided annually with current proof of insurance. Vehicles parked in violation of this rule are subject to removal from the RV Parking Area.

Public Safety is responsible for space assignment. All persons' assigned spaces must be residents and current owner of the prime mover or boat. Public Safety may make temporary assignments for additional spaces at such time as empty spaces are temporarily become available. These secondary spaces may be assigned on a temporary basis to qualified space holders who desire storage of a prime mover vehicle for their fifth wheel, boat, or trailer. This space and must be relinquished if it becomes necessary for primary assignment.

#### **3. Space Condition**

Persons assigned spaces must keep that area in a neat and orderly condition, and keep their property within the limits of the assigned space. Any fluid spill, e.g. gas, diesel fuel, oil, coolant, etc., shall be removed immediately. Jacks, down riggers, front trailer supports and wheels of RV's that exceed 10,000 lbs. Gross Combined Weight Rating (GCWR) are to be supported by plywood at least two (2) feet square and 1/ 1/8 inch thickness.

For those RVs in perimeter RV Lot spaces, plywood at least two (2) feet square and 1-1/8 inch thickness shall be required under the wheels if the RV exceeds 10,000 lbs. Gross Combined Weight Rating (GCWR). Any fluid spill, e.g. gas or diesel fuel, oil coolant, etc., shall be removed immediately.

#### **4. Waiting List**

When there are no spaces available for applicants, Public Safety will maintain a waiting list for space assignments. Spaces are assigned to residents on a priority basis according to the date of receipt of application and space size availability. Applicants without any spaces have priority over those who have an assigned space.

#### **5. Guest RV Parking**

Public Safety may make space available in the Public Safety Plaza parking RV lot for temporary registered guest RV parking.

#### **6. Space Requirements**

Vehicles must have a current State Registration; boats must have a current Certificate of Vessel Number. Once a space is assigned, it will remain the possession of the resident as long as the resident owning the vehicle maintains a current vehicle registration and proof of insurance, pays the required fees, and remains a member in good standing. If the vehicle is sold, the seller may continue to rent the space for a maximum of sixty (60) days from the date of sale. A replacement RV, that qualifies under Rule Paragraph 1.04.1 1, Permitted Vehicles, must be registered within the sixty (60) days or the space must be given up. If the replacement vehicle is a different size than the one previously owned and no vacant space is available for the size needed, the previously held space is forfeited. The resident's name will go to the top of the priority list for the size space required. When a camper shell or car top boat is parked separately, a validated State Registration of the prime mover must be provided to Public Safety.

#### **7. Electrical Power Cords**

RV owners may not connect their RV to electrical outlets and leave them unattended.

Revise **Rule 1.11, Community Centers and Gazebo Park.**

The purpose of this revision is to update the facility reservation process, to update information about the Community Centers and Gazebo Park, and to clarify restrictions pertaining to the use of alcohol.

Revision:

**Rule 1.11 COMMUNITY CENTERS AND GAZEBO PARK**

**1. Facilities**

The Club Facilities available for reservation by residents include the Cribari Auditorium, Cribari Conference Room, Cribari Redwood, and Sequoia, Rooms, Cribari Forum, and Patio Rooms, Cribari Plaza, plus the Montgomery Center, Foothill Center, Vineyard Center, and Gazebo Parks. All these facilities are available for use by residents, their guests, and Villages organizations. A reservation is required should a resident desire to schedule an event in one of these facilities. Events for this purpose are classified as follows:

**Resident event:** A resident-sponsored, Villages-focused event where (1) when a resident is the principal guest of honor; for honor – for example, a birthday party, retirement party, or anniversary celebration held in honor of one or more residents.

**Non-resident event:** A resident-sponsored event planned to honor a non-resident guest, friend, or family member.

**Outside event:** A resident-sponsored event hosting outside organizations, affiliates or a business.

**Board-recognized organization event:** An event held by one of the Club Board-recognized organizations.

Priority for reservations will be given to resident and Board-recognized organization events.

**2. Reservations**

A. The Community Activities Department maintains an annual Master Calendar for the control of Club Facility reservations. The Master Calendar is established according to the following priority:

- 1) Board of Directors and management
- 2) Board-recognized organizations and clubs and Board-appointed committees
- 3) Resident social groups
- 4) Individual residents
- 5) Outside events

B. Club facilities are reserved in writing through the Community Activities Department. All reservations require a resident-sponsor, who must be in attendance throughout the event.

**3. Facility Use Information**

Reference the RULES FOR FACILITY USE flyer available in the Bldg. B Reception Area for detailed information on costs, seating, tables, room capacity, and potluck and catering requirements.

Non-resident and outside events with one hundred (100) or more guests may be required to have a Public Safety Officer present during the event at the expense of the event reservation holder.

The following listing of Community Centers, their size, location, and services offered, will be helpful in planning an event:

LOCATION	CAPACITY Maximum	KITCHEN	SERVICE		
			Potluck	Club F&B	Catering
<b>Cribari Center</b>					
Auditorium			* Yes		
Meeting	300	Yes*	* Yes	Yes	No
Dinner	224	Yes*	* Yes	Yes	No
Sequoia Room	48	No	Yes	Yes	No
Redwood Room	48	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Forum Room	12	No	No	No	No
Patio Room	20	No	No	No	No
Conference Room	60	No	No	Yes	No
<u>Cribari Plaza</u>	<u>200 tables/ chairs** 300 chairs only**</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>* Yes</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>
<b>Montgomery Center</b>	50	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
<b>Vineyard Center</b>	70	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
<b>Foothill Center</b>					
Meeting	125	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Dinner	100	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
<b>Gazebo Park</b>					
Park-A	80	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Park-B	80	No	Yes	Yes	Yes

Notes:

- Club F&B means that the Clubhouse may cater food and beverage; a reservation is required.
- Potluck means self-served food and beverages; light cooking is allowed in available kitchen facilities.
- Catering means outside vendors may bring in and/or serve food and beverages; proof of insurance coverage is required.
- \* Auditorium/Cribari Plaza Potluck dinner – Yes ONLY for Board-Recognized Organizations. Board-recognized organizations.
- \*\* Villages community events are exempt.

**4. Alcohol Restrictions**

A. Club facilities may not be used for an event that would violate any law. Events held in a Community Center where a fee is charged may serve alcoholic beverages only if one of the following applies:-

A. Alcoholic beverages may not be served or consumed at any event in a Club facility, if an admission fee is charged for the event, or alcohol is sold, unless one of the following applies:

- 1) Drinks are catered by the Club House Clubhouse; or
- 2) A valid liquor license is obtained (which is only available to 501(c)(3) organizations).

B. If alcohol is going to be consumed at an event, even if no fee is charged to attend the event, or for the alcohol, the Community Activities Department must be notified at least ten (10) business days prior to the event, so that the Club liquor license may be suspended for that facility for that event, to comply with state law.

**5. Usage and Decorating Rules**

A. The Community Activities Department and Public Safety Department require a list of non-resident guests prior to issuing a key to the sponsoring resident.

B. Club facilities may not be used for an event which would violate any law.

**4. Usage and Decorating Rules**

C. Catering. Non-commercial “catering” kitchen equipment is available at all clubhouse centers. Use of outside caterers is permitted at all centers except Cribari Center. Outside caterers must be approved in advance by the Community Activities Department and are required to be licensed and provide proof of acceptable insurance coverage.

Resident-sponsored potlucks are permitted. Use of the Clubhouse catering is recommended. ~~Outside caterers may be used in all centers except Cribari Center. Outside caterers entering The Villages property must be licensed and provide evidence of required insurance coverage.~~

D. Equipment and furnishings within the facility are available for use, but must be left in a clean and orderly fashion prior to vacating the facility. Indoor equipment and furnishings must not be taken outdoors.

E. Except for Cribari Plaza, Club facilities must be cleaned, restored to original configuration and vacated by 11:00 p.m. with the exception of New Year’s Eve. Events at Cribari Plaza must end by 8:00 p.m., and it must be cleaned, restored to original configuration, and vacated by 9:00 p.m. There is no option to return the next morning to set it right.

F. In addition to the use fee use-fee, any expense incurred for clean-up service, breakage, vandalism, or furniture rearrangement will be charged to the organization or resident-sponsor who made the reservation.

G. Balloons and signs are limited to the reserved facility and are prohibited on streets and Club parking areas. Decorations and decorating are the responsibility of the resident-sponsor. Only freestanding items may be used. Nothing may be used to adhere any item to an exposed surface within the facility. ~~Lighted candles (except birthday candles on cakes) or any other type of open flame is prohibited within the facility. All open flames within a facility are prohibited, except for the safe, supervised use of birthday candles on a cake, and Sterno (or Sterno-type fuel) for chafing dishes.~~

H. Confetti, including glitter, rice, or birdseed may not be used in any of the areas.

**6. Decorum**

Residents and guests attending functions at Club facilities are expected to conduct themselves according to these stated rules. Rule violations will be handled by Public Safety.

A. Abusive behavior will not be tolerated. Public Safety will escort persons who violate this rule from the premises.

B. Noise after 10:00 p.m. shall be restricted to a level not objectionable to neighbors. Cribari Plaza events must end by 8:00 p.m., and the facility must be vacated by 9:00 p.m., as stated in paragraph 5.E.

C. Smoking is prohibited in the Gazebo Park Area, Cribari Plaza, and inside the Centers: at all indoor locations.

**7. Resident Obligations**

Residents must obtain a RULES FOR FACILITY USE flyer available at the Bldg. B Reception area. These rules also list the equipment available at each facility, what to bring, and cleanup requirements.

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**Rule 1.1 Community Centers and Gazebo Park...**

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- A. The resident sponsor must be in attendance during the entire event.
- B. The resident sponsor must reserve the facility at the Community Activities office Department in Building B, (408) 223-4643).
- C. Reservations are limited to use of the reserved area only and should not interfere with use of adjacent areas, per Reservations Agreement. Swimming pools and swimming pool areas are not included as part of the any reservation.
- D. To make the centers facilities available to others as much as possible, cancellations should be made as early as possible, but no later than thirty (30) days before the scheduled event, and even longer for holiday events: or sixty (60) days for events held between Thanksgiving and New Year's Day.
- E. Balloons or signs may not be used to mark the route of travel within The Villages. Public Safety has maps.

**8. Fees**

- A. Use fees Use-fees will be charged for non-resident and outside events in accordance with the Board-approved Board-approved fee schedule.
- B. Club Facility reservation cancellations must be made two weeks prior to the reserved event in order to receive a full use-fee refund. During the holiday season, Thanksgiving through January 1st, cancellations must be made sixty (60) days prior to the reserved event in order to receive a full use-fee refund. Use-fee refunds will not be processed for cancellations less than two weeks in advance.
- C. All cancellations are to be provided in writing to the Community Activities Department. A cancellation fee will be charged for resident events, non-resident events, outside events, and Board-recognized organization events, for cancelling less than two weeks prior to the reserved event, or less than sixty (60) days prior to the reserved event during the holiday season, Thanksgiving through January 1st.
- C. Reference the RULES FOR FACILITY USE flyer at Bldg. B Reception Area for specific facility fees:
- D. Fee schedule information from Specific facility use-fees are listed on the RULES FOR FACILITY USE flyer, available from the Community Activities Department (223-4643), Administration Building B, (408) 223-4643.
  - 1) Board and management – No use-fee
  - 2) Board-recognized committees, clubs and organizations – No use-fee
  - 3) Resident hosting event for self – No use-fee
  - 4) Resident hosting event for family or friends – Pay posted use-fee
  - 5) Resident hosting event for outside group – Pay posted use-fee
- E. A reservation fee will be charged for events held Thanksgiving through New Year's Day and for outside events. This is addition to any facility use fees. These fees are refundable following the event or if the event was cancelled 60 days prior to the Holiday event. These fees are refundable following the event, or if the event was cancelled 60 days prior to the Holiday event. Fee schedule available from Community Activities Department (223-4643), Administration Building B.

**Notice of Proposed New Policy APo 411**  
**Member Initiated Solar Installation**

Proposed Policy APo 411 Member Initiated Solar Installations was conditionally approved by the Association Board of Directors at its March 28, 2017, monthly meeting. However, before formal approval consideration, the proposed changes were noticed and published 30 days as required by California Civil Code 4360. The Board considered oral and written comments regarding the proposed policy, and at the May 30, 2017 monthly meeting conditionally approved changes to the proposed new policy, and per Civil Code will publish for an additional 30 days the modified proposed policy. To that end, the proposed policy will be considered for formal approval at the July 11, 2017, study session (9:30 a.m. at Foothill Center). Response to the proposed policy may be made by one or more of the following methods: 1) Participation in the discussion of the proposed changes at the Association Board of Directors study session, 2) via written comments delivered to the Board through Maria Hernandez in the General Manager's office.

***Proposed New Policy APo 411 Member Initiated Solar Installations***

*Purpose: The purpose of the Policy is to provide a process for the approval of member Initiated installation of Solar Energy Systems on Common area roofs.*

**OBJECTIVE:** The purpose of the Policy is to provide a process for the approval of member Initiated installation of Solar Energy Systems on Common area roofs.  
**GOVERNING DOCUMENTS / LEGAL REQUIREMENTS:** Article 10 of the Amended CC&Rs (Architectural Committee) and all Association related Rules and a Board Motion passed at the January 2017 Board meeting: "Board Accepts the position provided in the December 2014 opinion from Attorney Steven Weil regarding the California Solar Rights Act (714 and 714.1)".  
**POLICY:** The Board shall permit installation of member initiated Solar Energy Systems subject to reasonable conditions, architectural rules and requirements as described in Association Procedure Number APr 411.  
**LIMITATIONS:** Reasonable restrictions established by the Board and enumerated in the following procedure.  
**IMPLEMENTATION PROCEDURES:** See Association Procedure Number APr 411.

**Introduction:**

Solar Energy Systems (SES) within the confines of the Villages Association may be installed by members upon common area roofs only as permitted under this policy and AC Rules. San Jose Building Code for MultiPlex building SES Installations shall apply to Duplex Structures.

**Definitions:**

"Solar Energy Systems (SES)" means any Photovoltaic collector with ancillary equipment, including but not limited to mounting systems, wiring systems, disconnects, ground fault protection and over current protections.

"Improvement Agreement" is an agreement between the Association and Unit Owner delineating Owner's responsibility for SES. The Agreement shall be filed with the Santa Clara County Recorder's office.

Capitalized Terms unless defined in this Policy are defined in the amended CC&R's.

The Association is a "condominium development" as defined in Civil Code 4125 where each owner has a separate interest in space called a Unit as well as an undivided interest in the common area of the project in which the Unit is located.

**Approval Process:**

Applications shall be fully compliant with the Architectural Rules and approved by the Board. SES Installers must have C-10 and C-46 State Licenses and shall provide evidence of insurance to indemnify the Association for damages related to the installation and maintenance of an SES.

All provisions of Section 10 of the CC&R's and Rule D-[29] apply.  
Any Member wishing to install a SES, must complete an application for Common Area Alterations and submit it to the Association Architectural Committee. All SES must be the property of the Unit Owner.

The Architectural Committee shall review the entire application for compliance with Association governing documents, including but not limited to AC Rules and make a recommendation to the Board.

After conditional approval by the Board, the application will proceed in accordance with the CC&R's and State of California Civil Code.

SES Applicants will comply with all Architectural application requirements, including but not limited to the execution of SES [Improvement Agreement] and the submittal of a recorded [Improvement Agreement] with the Santa Clara County Recorder's office to the Board before final approval by the Board.

Since the roof of the building may be disturbed in the process of installing the SES, the Owner must be responsible for maintaining, repairing and or replacement of the roof and the integrity of the building including but not limited to water intrusion, e.g., leaks.

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# Club Board Candidates

## Jim Neill

7312 Via Granja

Mary and I moved to the Villages in 2012 and since retiring in 2013, I have been actively involved in the Governance of the Association, first as a member of the Hermosa DAC and then as ABOD Treasurer.

Fiscal Management has always been important to me both in my career as a Program Manager, where I was responsible for P&L, then on the Hermosa DAC and the ABOD. On both, I managed to save money; on the DAC, I saved over \$3,000 on electricity that was incorrectly billed and on the ABOD, through the buyout of the Montgomery Loan, Montgomery saved money and earned the Association over \$62,000 in tax free interest, over the life of the investment.

As Treasurer, I have also endeavored to actively direct both the operational and reserve budgets to minimize HOA increases.

I was also active on the Utilities Cost Containment Committee (now part of the Technical Advisory Committee), which was responsible for the Club Solar. I have also championed solar on condo roofs (which is still work in progress).

In addition to these Governance activities, Mary and I both play golf, are active members of the Villages Amateur Theatre and the Italian Club.

In my time on the ABOD, I have gained a good understanding of the Governance of the Association and demonstrated my ability to make good decisions, based on thoughtful analysis. I look forward to applying these attributes to the CBOD and ask for your support of my candidacy.



## Robert "Bob" Wilk

7337 Via Laguna

I am currently on the Association Board and will be completing my term at the end of June. This experience will be valuable as a Club Director.

Born in Detroit and having moved to Chicago, I later attended the University of Illinois, received a Mechanical Engineering degree and directly accepted a job in San Francisco with the Bechtel Corporation (a large international engineering/construction company). It was in San Francisco where I met my wife, Geri. We raised our three children in Walnut Creek and now have four grandchildren.

During my career (all with Bechtel) I performed engineering, estimating, project management and managed the Cost Control Department. There were project assignments domestically as well as internationally. It was an interesting career.

Before moving to the Villages (four years ago), we lived in a gated community with a golf course in Genoa, Nevada. There, I was on the HOA Board for seven years with two years as president. While a much smaller community, many of the issues are similar. At that time, I was also on the Men's Club Golf Board as well as the local Kiwanis Club Board.

Currently, as well as being on the Association Board, I am on the Men's Club Golf Board, a member of the Bocce Club, the Italian Club, the Senior Academy, SIRs, the Garden Club and am responsible (with my wife) for preparing the Cribari Auditorium for church services each Sunday.

I would like to see The Villages remain the community of choice. I believe my corporate experience with an emphasis on cost control, my very relevant experience in Genoa as a Director and here as an Association Director prepares me for this board position. I look forward to the challenges ahead.



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## Attention Single-Family Homeowners- Please vote!

At the request of our homeowners, your Board has been working for several years to update our CC&Rs and Bylaws to comply with current law. We are pleased to tell you that your Board completed its work with the Corporation's legal counsel to update the existing CC&Rs (Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions) and Bylaws to comply with current law. We now need your "Yes" vote to complete the project.

In November 2016, a Homeowners' Informational Forum was held to give all single-family homeowners an opportunity to hear a presentation by the attorney concerning the proposed amended documents, ask questions and provide comments. The forum was well-attended, those in attendance were engaged, and some members suggested changes to the documents. The Board considered all comments made and decided it was appropriate to make additional changes to the documents.

On May 7 the vote packages were distributed for the updated Second Amended and Restated CC&Rs and Bylaws. This package will include the most recent draft of the updated governing documents.

Again, the Board's primary goal in amending the existing documents is to update the documents to comply with current law and industry practice.

**Bylaws:** Changes in the updated Bylaws include revisions to Article 4, entitled "Membership Voting." Article 4 was rewritten to require that all membership votes be conducted by secret written ballot using a double envelope system. This is a change from

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# Association Board Candidates

## Frank M. Veloz

7732 Kilmarnok Drive

My wife and I lived in Los Gatos for 20 years. After she passed away, I moved to the Villages 7 years ago.

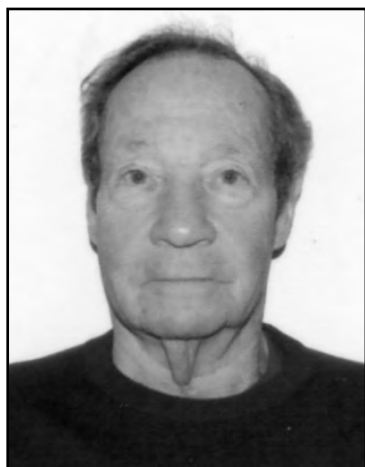
For 20 years, I owned and ran my business manufacturing CDs and DVDs for business software companies. I am presently consulting with a high tech laser manufacturing company in Santa Clara.

I graduated from San Jose State with a BS in Industrial Management and worked in San Diego until moving to Los Gatos in 1991.

I am chairman of the Villages Swim Club and enjoy swimming both in the morning and afternoon. I enjoy hiking and particularly like hiking the Guadalupe River Trail.

I am on the Glen Arden DAC and was a trustee of Opera San Jose for 20 years, including serving as President of the Board for 3 years.

The Villages is a wonderful place to live and I'm interested in maintaining our lifestyle and improving our amenities. Whether you are a golfer, pickleball player, swimmer or enjoy other activities, I want to assist in keeping the Villages as a premier retirement village.



## Matthew Giordano

8337 Colombard Court

**Education:** BS, Syracuse University, 1966

**Work Experience:** U.S. Army, Supply Officer; Critical Care America, Materials Manager; Fidelity Investments, Financial Representative; Department of Veterans Affairs, Program Analyst

**Board and Commission Experience:** Montanas de Los Gatos Homeowners Board; The Villages Golf and Country Club Board; San Jose Library and Early Education Commission

**The Villages Volunteer Experience:** Club Communications Advisory Committee; Association Rules Committee; Emergency Preparedness (EPC) Security Team; Senior Resource Services (SRS)

**The Villages Activities:** Men's Golf Club; Italian Club

**Personal:** Married to Akiko for 46 years; moved to The Villages May 2004

**Priorities:**

Encourage open discussion and reporting on proposals  
Strive for excellence in customer service  
Consider landscaping, esthetics, when working on projects  
Embrace use of technology to reduce operating costs  
Keep The Villages a safe, secure place to live and enjoy life



# Homeowners' Board Candidates

## Theodora "Teddy" Morse

8063 Chardonay Court

My husband Tom and I moved to the Villages in August 2013.

I currently serve as vice president of the Homeowners' Corporation Board of Directors, chair of the GM Search Committee and communications director for the Villages Medical Auxiliary.

I studied public relations and journalism at San Jose State University and spent 25 years with the Santa Clara Valley Water District (SCVWD). As the water district's public information officer (communications manager) my duties included: water district spokesperson with the news media and the community, production of community publications and organization of community meetings.

We've lived in San Jose for 39 years. I have been involved in the San Jose community in various capacities including: commissioner on the City of San Jose's Traffic Appeals Commission, member of the SCVWD Guadalupe Watershed Advisory Committee, president of the Association of SCVWD Retirees, information desk volunteer for the Santa Clara County Board of Supervisors, and a board member for the T. J. Martin Park Neighborhood Association. I managed our neighborhood website and worked with our city council member to make neighborhood improvements.

I served 15 years as a member of the Association of California Water Agencies (ACWA) and chaired ACWA's Communications Committee. In addition, I served on the State Department of Water Resources Public Information Committee.

We love living in the Villages and I believe my active participation in the community makes Village life more fulfilling. I ask for your support in electing me for another term on your Homeowners' Corporation Board of Directors.



## Jeannie Omel

7946 Caledonia Drive

My husband and I moved into The Villages in May of 2013 and thoroughly enjoy being a part of this wonderful community. I quickly determined that I wanted to be involved with overall management of the community to maintain its beauty and vibrant environment.

I have been a voting member of the Architectural Control Committee for two years. I am also a member of the board for the Swingers Golf Club.

Most recently, I was the General Manager of Gilroy Premium Outlets Shopping Center for 10 years, a 55-acre commercial property with 145 corporate tenants with the responsibility for fiscal management, maintenance, landscape, construction, security and marketing. I stepped down from this position in January 2015 to spend more time with my husband and family.

Previous positions held include Business Manager of the Bakersfield Symphony, Communications Director of the Idaho State Bar and Director of the Boise City Arts Commission. Most of my professional positions have required a myriad of skills including budget management, media relations and employee training. These positions have afforded me the opportunity to work successfully with many diverse groups within government, the legal community, healthcare and the arts community.

With my professional experience, degree in Communication from Boise State University, and current involvement with the Board's Architectural Control Committee, I feel that I can bring a wealth of experience to the Board to help maintain The Villages as a beautiful, unique place in Silicon Valley.



## Homeowners' vote...

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the current Bylaws mandate that membership votes be conducted at either a membership meeting or via "written ballot." One reason the Board made this change is because the Homeowners' Corporation has been using the secret written ballot and double envelope system for all membership votes for many years, and believes it is best to continue that practice. In addition, the Association and Club conduct their votes using a double envelope system, and the Board believes it appropriate that its voting procedures conform to the way the Association and Club conduct their votes.

**CC&Rs:** Section 3.20 was revised to provide that "only lots greater than one-half (1/2) acre may be subdivided, subject to approval of the city, the Architectural Control Committee, the Board, and a majority of the Total Voting Power of the Corporation." The lot that contains "the Mansion" is the only one that is bigger than one-half (1/2) acre and the Board wants to make sure that the membership has a vote on whether that lot can be subdivided in the future.

Changes were made to Sections 7.3.3 ("Front Setback Requirements") and Section 7.3.4 ("Side Setback Requirements") to update the front setback and side setback measurements and insert the names of the affected "Village" (e.g., "Village Hermosa") after the tract number.

The governing document amendment vote ballot deadline will be the same deadline as the annual meeting ballot deadline, Monday, June 12, 2017, at 8 a.m.

The Board believes that the proposed governing documents are in the best interest of all Corporation Members. If you have questions, you are encouraged to contact your Homeowners' Board (President Burt Lancaster, Vice President Teddy Morse, Secretary Julian Rodriguez, CFO Greg Stewart or Assistant CFO Mike Kane) or Interim General Manager Julia Meadows.

## More COMMUNITY NOTICES

### *EVF Flea Market has limited space available*

The Evergreen Villages Foundation Flea Market tables are going fast. Cribari is now full but we will take reservations for 8 ft round tables (\$40) in the Cribari conference room and the Sequoia Room.

If you would like to sell some of your items at the flea market, see below.

This event will take place on July 4, 2017, as part of the Villages celebration. The hours of the sale are from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. So, if you're thinking about having a garage or estate sale, but don't have enough treasures, our Flea Market is a perfect opportunity to sell your small items (no large furniture items).

Tables are rented from the Foundation, all proceeds from the sale of the items are yours.

Please complete the form below and drop in the EVF mailbox at Cribari along with your check. Checks will not be refunded after June 9th.

Questions, email Barb Weiler at barbsw745@gmail.com, or Marion Whittaker at whittlaw@aol.com

<b>Name:</b> _____	<b>Phone #</b> _____
<b>e-mail:</b> _____	
<b>Number of tables</b> _____	

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# CLUB CALENDARS



## HIKING CLUB SCHEDULE

Unless otherwise indicated, all hikes meet at Cribari Center at 8:30 a.m. and depart at 8:45 a.m.

**Saturday, June 10:** Akiko Giordano (408-238-5437) will lead long hikers in Fremont Older Open Space Preserve in Cupertino. We will start from Stevens Creek County Park into Fremont Older with lunch on Knob Hill, and back to Stevens Creek. The hike will be approximately 7 - 8 miles, with sweeping views of Santa Clara Valley from the hill top and hope to see some late blooming wildflowers too. The Ramblers can do a shorter hike in Fremont Older. Bring lunch, plenty of water, and poles. Round trip car mileage is about 50 miles.

**Wednesday, June 14 ( Rambler Hike):** Sy Gelman (408-532-1239) will lead a hike on the Coyote Creek Trail ending at the lake. It's 5 miles and is flat and mostly in the shade. Stopping at Starbucks is an option after the hike. We'll meet at 8:30 a.m. Be sure to wear a hat and bring plenty of water.

**Saturday, June 17:** Saratoga Gap into Long Ridge. Nancy Rumble at 408-238-7537 will lead the long hikers on an 8-9 mile hike. We will start at Hwy. 9 and Skyline Rd. Hike the Saratoga Gap Trail into Long Ridge Open Space. Hike along the Hickory Oaks Trail, Ward and Long Ridge Road to the Wallace Stegner Bench where we will eat lunch. We will enjoy views of the hills and the ocean. We return back as we came to the Achistaca Trail and back to Hwy. 9 and the cars. The Ramblers can enjoy hiking in and out on the Achistaca Trail or in Long Ridge with a leader chosen by the participants. Bring lunch, water and sticks. Wear boots and layers. Bathrooms and water are not available on this hike. This is about a 60 mile round trip drive. Rain cancels this hike.

**Wednesday, June 21 ( Rambler Hike):** No hike today. We'll hike tomorrow, Thursday instead.

**Thursday, June 22 ( Rambler Hike):** Kathy Tanaka (908-642-5914) will lead a tour of the Senior Safari at Happy Hollow Park and Zoo in San Jose. Senior Safari is a day when seniors get free admission and parking at the zoo. The zoo is open only to seniors between 9 and 10 am, but you can stay as long as you like. You can see the animals, get your steps in and even ride some of the kids' rides! After the zoo, Kathy will lead a tour of the Japanese Friendship Garden next door. We will be at the zoo and garden from 9 am to noon. Optional stop for lunch on return trip. Food is also available at the zoo. Round trip mileage is 20 miles. Meet at Cribari at 8:30 for an 8:45 a.m. departure.

**Saturday, June 24:** Dan Kato will lead long hikers and ramblers on a hike starting at the intersection of Route 9 and Skyline Blvd along Saratoga Gap Trail and the Bay Area Ridge Trail. At Charcoal Road, the long hikers will head off on a loop around Table Mountain and return via the Bay Area Ridge Trail. The Ramblers will cross the Skyline Blvd. and return via the Achistaca Trail. The long hike is about 8 miles and the Rambler hike about 4 miles with some moderate hills. Both hikes are in mostly shaded forest. Bring snacks, water and a lunch. Afterward there will be an optional stop in Saratoga for post-hike refreshments. Round trip by car is about 60 miles.

**Wednesday, June 28 ( Rambler Hike):** Johanna Bakker (408-223-2190) will lead a hike to Point Lobos State Natural Reserve, one of the most beautiful hikes by the ocean. It's located just south of Carmel and is approximately 60 miles each way. The drive takes about 1 1/2 hours. Bring lunch, a hat and lots of water.

## CAMERA CLUB CALENDAR

**Monday, June 19:** Members are invited to VCC Board meetings in the Patio Room from 9:30-11:30 p.m. Membership involvement sustains a successful organization.

Enjoy photos by club members on the website at [www.villagescamerclub.com](http://www.villagescamerclub.com) and on display in the Villages Clubhouse, in the hallway of Cribari Center, and at the entrance to Montgomery Center.

## What's Happening in ARTS & CRAFTS?

All Villagers are invited to participate in Arts and Crafts Activities.

**Website:** [www.villagesartsandcrafts.org](http://www.villagesartsandcrafts.org)

**Contact:** President Monita Bowman at [monita.bowman@gmail.com](mailto:monita.bowman@gmail.com)

**\*Registration contact:** Barbara Gottesman at [barb.gottesman@gmail.com](mailto:barb.gottesman@gmail.com) or 408-531-9402.

**\*\*RSVP for Coloring Party:** Wendy Ledamun 408-274-4215

**Ceramics Room:** Open Studio Monday to Saturday. See website.

**June 10, 11:** Abstract Figurative Painting in Acrylics with Sefla Joseph. Sat. and Sun. 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. \$225. \*

**June 10, 17, 24:** Beginning Ceramics w/ Diane Finley. Sat. mornings. 9 a.m. - noon. \$75 Includes a 12.5 bag of clay. \*

**June 13:** Art Film at Vineyard Center. 7 p.m.

**June 17:** Saturday. Designing and Making Jewelry with Carol Norden. 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. \$40 \*

**June 20 - Aug. 1:** Oil and acrylic Landscape Painting Series 4 with Jane Hink. \$60

**June 20:** Adult Coloring Party. 7 - 9 p.m. \*\*

**June 24:** Saturday. Designing and Making Jewelry with Carol Norden. Intermediate. 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. \$40. \*

**July 4:** Art and Ceramics Rooms open for Independence Day Celebration.

**Open studio:** Mondays and Fridays 9 a.m. to noon. Mondays with Jane Hink - 408-270-8922. Fridays with Joan Fury - 408-274-8728.

**Boutique:** Handcrafted items for sale. Current showcase: Father's Day and Travel. Open weekdays, 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. and Saturdays, 9 a.m. to noon in Cribari Center. Contact Director Mary Wollesen at 408-528-8116.

**Stitchery:** Mondays at 1 p.m., Cribari Forum. Call Roberta at 408-270-0308.

## POLE WALKERS CALENDAR

All walks start at 8:30 unless otherwise noted. For information call Edith: 408-274-4712

**Monday, June 12:** Meet at club parking lot for a walk in the park.

**Wednesday, June 14:** Meet at club parking lot and walk/carpool to LaBou, 2 p.m. Games at Cribari.

**Friday, June 16:** Take Villages Parkway, Olivas Circle, French Oak to Solero. Turn left and park.

**Monday, June 19:** Meet at Gazebo.

**Wednesday, June 21:** Meet at Club parking lot. Carpool/walk to New Seasons. 2 p.m. Games at Cribari. 3 to 4 p.m. Bocce Clinic. All Welcome. Free.

**Friday, June 23:** Meet at Montgomery Center.

**Monday, June 26:** Meet at Club parking lot for a walk in the park.

**Wednesday, June 28:** Meet at Club parking lot. Carpool/Walk to Evergreen Plaza. 2 p.m. Games at Cribari. Bring your friends.

## TRAVEL CLUB CALENDAR

All Travel Club meetings are held in Foothill Center at 7 p.m. on the second Monday of each month. However, in June, there will be no meeting or program.

Please plan to attend the July 10 meeting for an important business session, followed by a informative and colorful program on Taiwan, prepared by Travel Club members Rae May and Tony Berg. We look forward to seeing you there.



## MUSIC SOCIETY: TAKE NOTE

**Save the Date:**

All events \$15 and in Cribari Auditorium unless otherwise noted. Ticket sales in Cribari Lobby from 10 a.m. to noon on the Saturday stated below except as noted.

**Sunday, June 11, Daddios Big Band:** Big band jazz at 2:30 p.m. Ticket sale on June 10.

**Sunday, June 25:** King's Brass at 2:30 p.m. Tickets \$18 on June 10, 17 and 24. The June 17 ticket sale will be in the Patio Room.

**Rehearsal/Meeting Schedule:**

**Villages Concert Band:** Thursdays at 7:15 p.m. in Cribari Auditorium. Call Larry Miller at 408-238-1030 for more information.

**Village Handbell Ensemble:** Fridays at 3 p.m. in Cribari Conference Room. Call Kathi or Earl Levin at 408-270-5458.

**Opera Lovers:** Second Friday afternoon programs finished until a restart in September. Bonnie Preston at 408-531-1513.

**Piano Club Open Studio:** Tuesdays (First and Third of the month) at 2 p.m. in Cribari Auditorium. (No meeting on July 4.) Call Estelle Kabbani at 408-238-7246.

**Village Voices:** Wednesdays beginning September 6 from 7 to 9 p.m. at Foothill Center. Call Chris Leisy at 408-309-2757.

# THE CLUBHOUSE

For Reservations  
or Information:  
408-223-4687

2800 Villages Fairway Drive, San Jose CA 95135

All Clubhouse & Bistro menus can be found at [www.thevillagesgcc.com](http://www.thevillagesgcc.com)

## WHAT'S COOKING?

[theclubhouse@the-villages.com](mailto:theclubhouse@the-villages.com)

**Happy Hour at the Bistro & Bar:** Happy Hour times are from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. in the Bistro daily.

Come down and join us for a drink!

**No Corkage Tuesdays:** Bring your favorite bottle of wine and your favorite guests any and every Tuesday to the Clubhouse Restaurant. No corkage will be charged with a dinner order. There is a one-bottle limit per two guests. Please, standard size bottles only.

**Father's Day Beer & Grille Pairing:** Come join us on Sunday, June 18 from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. on the Bistro Patio.

Grille items and Sierra Nevada Drafts will be available for purchase. No reservations required. Seating is limited to 150 guests. First come, first served. Entertainment will be provided by the Island Wave Band.

**Wednesday Singles Night at The Clubhouse:** Starting on June 14 and continuing every Wednesday at 6 p.m., the Clubhouse will host a singles table in our café restaurant. A shared table, a complimentary glass of wine included with your dinner purchase and great conversations. When making dinner reservations please note "singles table reservation".

**Fourth of July Hours of Operation:** See notice on next page.

*Gift Cards available  
at the Clubhouse and  
Pro Shop!*

## CLUBHOUSE RESTAURANT

Monday Closed

Tuesday-Thursday Lunch: 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Dinner: 5:30 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Friday Brunch: 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday & Sunday Brunch: 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sunday Breakfast Buffet: 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Dinner: 5:30 p.m. to 8 p.m.

### LUNCH SPECIALS SERVED ALL WEEK

*Lunch Specials  
Tuesday 6-13  
to  
Sunday 6-18*

**Trio Salad** **\$11.95**

*Chicken Salad, Egg Salad and Tuna Salad over Greens with Fruit*

**The California Burger** **\$11.50**

*Charbroiled Angus Patty Topped with Avocado, Bacon and Pepper Jack Cheese*

**Beef Fajita Salad** **\$12.95**

*Beef Strips, Onions, Peppers, Tortilla Strips, Black Beans, Guacamole, Sour Cream and Pico de Gallo*

### DAILY SOUP SPECIALS

*Lunch specials are  
served with choice of  
soup or salad.*

Tuesday, June 13

Soup: Cream of Cauliflower with Cheddar

Wednesday, June 14

Soup: Chicken Mulligatawny

Thursday, June 15

Soup: Roasted Pepper and Artichoke with Feta and Cilantro

Friday, June 16

Soup: Manhattan Chowder

Saturday, June 17

Soup: Chef's Choice

Sunday, June 18

Soup: Chef's Choice

### DINNER SPECIALS SERVED ALL WEEK

*Dinner Specials  
Tuesday 6-13  
to  
Sunday 6-18*

**Chicken Saltimbocca** **\$18.95**

*Sautéed Chicken Breast with Artichoke Hearts, Prosciutto and Swiss Cheese*

**Grilled Mahi-Mahi** **\$22.50**

*Grilled Pacific Mahi-Mahi with a Pineapple Ginger Sauce*

**New York Pepper Steak** **\$26.95**

*NY Steak with Peppercorns, Oyster Mushrooms, Bacon and Scallion Garnish*

*Dinner specials are served with choice of soup or salad.*

## ACTIVITIES

### Monday, June 12

• Bingo Buffet—Sunset, Oak and Fairway Rooms—5:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

### Tuesday, June 13

• Long 9 Swingers Invitational—Sunset, Oak and Fairway Rooms—7 a.m. to 3 p.m.

• Private Party—Sunset Room—6 p.m. to 9 p.m.

### Wednesday, June 14

• Private Event—Catering-Foothill Center—8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

• 2-4 Bridge Luncheon—Sunset Room—10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

• Annual Board Meetings—Sunset, Oak and Fairway Rooms—4 to 6 p.m.

### Thursday, June 15

• Private Event—Fairway Room—11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

• 18 hole Ladies Lunch—Oak and Sunset Rooms—12:45 p.m. to 4 p.m.

• Village Fairways Dinner—Sunset Room—5:30 p.m. to 9 p.m.

### Friday, June 16

• Private Event—Catering-Gazebo Park—11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

• Dean Martin & Frank Sinatra Dinner—Sunset, Oak and Fairway Rooms—5:30 p.m. to 10 p.m.

### Saturday, June 17

• Private Event—Sunset, Oak and Fairway Rooms—8 a.m. to 9 p.m.

### Sunday, June 18

• Father's Day Barbecue—Bistro Patio—11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

## THE BISTRO & BAR

Open Daily: 7 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Breakfast: 7:30 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.

Grill Items: 11 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Casual a la carte dining. No reservations required.

-Breakfast

-Vegetarian

-Starters

-Baskets

-Appetizers

-Pizzas

-Grill Items

-Desserts

Full Bar available with Beers on Tap.

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More CLUBHOUSE

### Wine by the glass—just your size!

Sometimes just a single glass of wine is enough but sometimes, we all want just a little bit more. Now you have a choice. The bartenders and servers in the Bistro and Clubhouse offer both 6-ounce and 9-ounce glasses of wine. Like fine wine tasting venues elsewhere, our bartenders have wine pour samples on the counter to ensure accurate amounts for both sizes. Salut!



### You asked for it—two soups!

One of the most frequent compliments for our chef is the delicious soups served in the Bistro and Clubhouse. Our soups are far beyond the beloved red and white cans in all our cupboards. Choices this month have included Chicken Noodle Mint, Lentil, French Onion, Chicken Tortilla, Cream of Mushroom, Won Ton and more. Starting in May, you now have two soups to choose from—a daily special and Villages House Minestrone. Thanks, Chef! Hmmm.... mmmm....good!



### Food and Beverage meeting is June 12

Villagers are invited to attend the Ad-Hoc Food and Beverage committee meeting on Monday, June 12 at 10 a.m. in Montgomery Center.

Food and Beverage Director John Yu will be joining residents and our ad-hoc committee to share information about the Clubhouse Efficiency Plan. After a short presentation by John Yu, Villagers will have a chance to ask questions and offer suggestions.

### Fourth of July hours of operation

The Clubhouse & Bistro will have modified hours on Tuesday, July 4 in order to partake in the Villages Fourth of July festivities. The Clubhouse and The Bistro will open at their regular hours, but will be closing for the remainder of the day at 2 p.m. There will be no dinner service on this day for both operations. Please note: Fourth of July Festivities will be celebrated around the Clubhouse this year. Parking may be affected and we request that people use golf carts or walk to the Clubhouse on this day.

### Wednesday Singles Night at The Clubhouse

### Lets Dine Together!

Shared Table, Complimentary Glass of Wine included with your Dinner and Great Conversations.  
Starts at 6 p.m.

Please make reservations and note "Singles Table Reservation" Starting on June 14 and Continuing every Wednesday at 6 p.m.

### Sierra Nevada & The Villages Presents

## Beer & Grille Pairing

Happy FATHER'S DAY Sunday, June 18, 2017 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Happy FATHER'S DAY

Entertainment by Island Wave Band

### Come by the Bistro Patio to Celebrate Father's Day!

Food & Beverage Will be Available for Purchase  
No Reservations Required. First Come, First Served.  
Limited Seating of 150 Guests  
Pair your Favorite Grille Food with Sierra Nevada Beers

**Featured Drafts:**  
Pale Ale Summerfest Crisp Summer Lager  
Tropical Torpedo IPA Nooner Pilsner

*Fathers Need Love Beer, Too!*

### NO CORKAGE TUESDAYS

Bring your favorite bottle of wine and your favorite people any and every Tuesday at The Clubhouse Restaurant. No Corkage will be charged with a dinner order. 1 bottle limit per 2 guests. Standard size bottles only. Program begins on Tuesday February 7th.

Clubhouse Restaurant Only

# COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

The following events are sponsored by the Community Activities Department. Please telephone 223-4643 for additional information.

## Board and Committee Meetings

Date	Meeting	Time	Place
6/12	Food & Bev. Comm.	10 a.m.	Montg. Cntr.
6/12	Technology Comm.	1 p.m.	Foothill Cntr.
6/12	Glen Arden DAC	4 p.m.	Corp. Yard
6/13	Assoc. Board Study	9:30 a.m.	Vineyard Cntr.
6/13	Club Board Study	1:30 p.m.	Foothill Cntr.
6/13	Fairways DAC	5 p.m.	Patio Room
6/14	Marketing Comm.	1 p.m.	Building A
6/15	Club Brd. Officer Election	9 a.m.	Vineyard Cntr.
6/15	Homeowners Brd. Meet	4 p.m.	Conf. Room
6/16	Villages Golf Comm.	8:30 a.m.	Forum

## Community Events

Date	Event	Time	Place
6/9	Quarter Century Lunch	12 p.m.	Clubhouse
6/9	Comcast (Montgomery)	1 p.m.	Mont. Cntr.
6/9	Bocce Bash	4 p.m.	Bocce Courts
6/10	Men's Club BBQ	12:30 p.m.	Gazebo Park
6/10	Veteran's Club Picnic	1 p.m.	Gazebo Park
6/10	Daddio Concert	2 p.m.	Auditorium
6/12	Comcast (Montgomery)	1 p.m.	Mont. Cntr.
6/12	Bingo Buffet	5:30 p.m.	Clubhouse
6/13	Comcast (Montgomery)	1 p.m.	Conf. Room
6/13	Art Film	7 p.m.	Vineyard Cntr.
6/14	Movie – 5 <sup>th</sup> Quarter	1:30 p.m.	Conf. Room
6/15	18 Hole Women Golf Lunch	12:45 p.m.	Clubhouse
6/15	Comcast (Montgomery)	1 p.m.	Mont. Cntr.
6/15	Amateur Theater Social	6 p.m.	Foothill Cntr.
6/16	Comcast (Montgomery)	1 p.m.	Mont. Cntr.
6/16	Bocce Bash	4 p.m.	Bocce Courts
6/16	Martin/Sinatra Dinner Show	5:30 p.m.	Clubhouse

## Great day planned for July 4 *Celebration*

Another great day is planned for The Villages 50th Anniversary. Bring your family and friends to celebrate Independence Day at the Villages on July 4th. The celebration begins at 10:30 a.m. at the Clubhouse. The Marine Color Guard and Villages Veterans will march from the lower Clubhouse parking lot to the Clubhouse roundabout. After the Pledge of Allegiance, Tim Murphy will sing the National Anthem. Village veterans from WWII, the Korean and Vietnam Wars will speak on what the USA means to them.

Following the ceremony, we will have entertainment by Tim Murphy and Ed Knott, kids' games, hole-in-one contest presented by VMA, the Balloon Lady, face painting, food, drinks, frozen lemonade and the Italian Club's Cannoli and Cookies.

Ticket Sales for food, drink and games will start at 11 a.m.

- Kids games will be two for \$1, with prizes awarded
- Clubhouse Shredded Chicken, Pork, Beef, Veggie BBQ sandwiches with chips \$10
- Sodas & Water \$1
- Frozen Slushies \$2
- Domestic Beer \$3, Imported Beer \$4, Wine \$5

The Veterans will hold a Flag Burning Ceremony at the Gazebo Park at 2 p.m.

A Flea Market will be held in the Cribari Auditorium presented by the Evergreen Villages Foundation, with the Community Chapel selling coffee and donuts in the Cribari Lobby. The Library will have used books, games and puzzles for sale.

Please join us for this special day celebrating our country!

## Dean Martin & Frank Sinatra to return!

Dean & Frank will return on Friday, June 16! You will not want to miss this evening of dancing, memories and remembering about the "good ole days" with Dean & Frank. Hurry down to the Community Resource Center, Building B and reserve your table now. Get a group of friends or neighbors together for this evening. Tables can be reserved for eight persons.

No-host cocktails begin at 5:30 p.m., buffet dinner following at 6 p.m. Dean takes the stage at 7:15 p.m. More details to follow on a wonderful buffet dinner that will highlight Chateaubriand Carving Station. Come out and enjoy a great evening of fun, food, camaraderie, and wonderful entertainment. Where else in town can you go for \$67 a person, and have this much fun? Nowhere—that's why you live at The Villages!



## Back In Form offers June specials

Back In Form is happy to announce that we are adding a second massage therapist for in-home massages at The Villages. Tracy Carr is our latest Team Villages member. To welcome Tracy, we are offering two specials through June at The Villages.

**The Tracy Massage Special:** Get to know the bliss of massage therapy. Buy two sessions at the regular rate and get the third session 50 percent off.

**The two-4-one Fitness Training Special:** Share a trainer with your spouse, partner, neighbor or friend and save 25 percent on four or eight training sessions. Add a third and save even more.

For more information, call Back In Form at 408-455-2887. Sponsored by Community Activities.

## RESIDENT EXCURSION PARTICIPATION GUIDELINES

The Community Activities office offers a wide variety of activities for the enjoyment of the Villages residents. As an active adult community, many meetings, events and appointments vie for your time. *Please check your personal calendars*

*prior to committing to an event, class or trip. Once registered for an activity, you are responsible for the cost of the activity. All sales are final.*

Management assumes residents and guests are able to participate in our sponsored

activities independently. We reserve the right to evaluate the participant's ability to participate based on each individual's physical abilities and/or demonstrated behaviors. You may always take a caregiver with you to help with your needs.

Employees are not permitted to provide physical assistance to participants. If personal assistance or a wheelchair is needed, the participant must arrange for a caregiver with paid reservation to accompany him/her.

Employees, residents and their guests represent the Villages Golf and Country Club off site. It is expected that all participants will conduct themselves in a dignified, cooperative and congenial manner.

## Jazz Duo Holland & Coots to play at Villages!

"Exciting, exhilarating, and exhausting!" is probably the best (and most alliterative) way to describe the jazz duo of Holland & Coots. Brian Holland and Danny Coots began performing together in 2010 after spending decades individually on the jazz and ragtime circuits honing their skills on piano and drums, respectively. Since joining forces, they've been on a mission to introduce audiences all over the world to their style of music and fun. With a delightful mix of jazz, blues, stride, boogie, pop, and ragtime, Holland & Coots have created something for every taste. This winning duo has been the driving rhythmic foundation for bands like the Titan Hot Seven and B.A.D. Rhythm, and has several recordings to their credit.

Please join us for another event scheduled for The Villages 50th Anniversary. Brian & Danny will perform in the Cribari Auditorium on Friday, August 18 beginning at 7:30 p.m. Doors will open at 6:45 p.m. to meet and greet with Brian & Danny, and, of course, enjoy a glass of wine or beer. No-host bar will be available. The cost for this fun evening is only \$8 per person. No reserved seating! Registration will be at the Community Resource Center, Building B beginning on Monday, June 5.

## Yoga with Harini Madhavan

Performing yoga offers many physical, mental, functional and psychological benefits. The class is taught by Kujiweza Instructor Harini Madhavan. She is a certified, registered yoga teacher who has been teaching Yoga for more than five years. She uses the overall wellness approach that combines breathing, relaxation and asanas (postures) that relax and improve posture, strength, flexibility, endurance, energy and coordination simultaneously focusing on integrating the mind and body. Her aim is to give everyone a fun, safe and accessible yoga experience. The cost is \$9 per class for full-time enrollment, billed monthly. The classes are held Tuesday and Thursday, 11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. in the Montgomery Multi Purpose Room. Register in class! For more information, call Jane at 408-315-1179. This class is sponsored by the Community Activities Office.

More COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

**Giants games notice:**

For all SF Giants games at AT&T Park you may bring the following items: Soft six-pack cooler, plastic bottled soda or water, food and/or snacks of any kind, backpacks, blankets, seat cushions. Always dress for (layers) San Francisco.

**SF Giants host NY Mets**

See the San Francisco Giants host the New York Mets on Sunday, June 25! First pitch is at 1:05 p.m. Departure will be from Cribari Center's east parking lot at 10:15 a.m. with the estimated return time is 6 p.m.

View Reserve 307, ticket and bus \$64 per person, 30 available.

Club Level 202, ticket and bus \$104 per person, 20 available.

**SF Giants host San Diego!**

See the San Francisco Giants host San Diego Padres on Sunday, July 23! First pitch is at 1:05 p.m. Departure will be from Cribari Center's east parking lot at 10:15 a.m. with the estimated return time is 6 p.m. Bucket hat give-away!

View reserved 307, ticket and bus \$59 per person, 30 available.

Club Level 202, ticket and bus \$113 per person, 20 available.

Register in the Community Resource Center, Building B.

**Walk your way to health**

Walking for Better Balance class is designed to help participants improve their balance, strength and quality of life. It improves standing and walking skills, so you can regain the confidence to move safely. Whether you are on a walker, in a wheelchair or just want to get some serious exercise, this class is for you. The cost is \$9 per class, billed monthly. This ongoing class is held Tuesdays at 11:30 a.m. and Thursdays at 10:30 a.m. in the Cribari Auditorium. Register in Class! For information, call Jane at 408-315-1179.

**Living with Parkinson's**

Once a person is diagnosed with the disease, it is attitude, lifestyle, medication management and things you do to contribute that determine the direction your life takes. Research shows that a person living with PD can slow the progression of the disease when you exercise three times per week. The Villages Parkinson's Exercise Program offers three classes per week: Tuesdays 10 to 11 a.m. ADL Class in the Auditorium, Wednesdays 10 to 11 a.m. Tai Chi in the Vineyard Center, and Thursdays 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 p.m. Walking for Better Balance class in the Auditorium. Register in Class! For information call Jane at 408-315-1179.

**Don't miss...**

**THE 5TH QUARTER**

**Wednesday, June 14**

**1:30 p.m.**

Starring Ryan Merriman. In the wake of a car crash that killed his 15-year-old brother, Luke, football player Jon Abbate returns to Wake Forest University with renewed purpose and leads his struggling team to its most successful season ever.



**Upcoming Evening Movie**

The following movie is shown free of charge at **Vineyard Center at 7 p.m.** on the date and time designated. For additional information, please contact the Community Activities office.

**Monday, June 19 - "Midnight Run":** Starring Robert De Niro. Jack Walsh (Robert De Niro) is an ex-cop turned bounty hunter who's offered \$100,000 to transport prisoner Jonathan "The Duke" Mardukas (Charles Grodin) -- an accountant who embezzled millions from the mob -- from New York to Los Angeles. But the FBI is after The Duke to testify against the mob, and the mob's put out a hit on him. Can Walsh deliver the neurotic accountant to L.A. on time -- and alive? It'll be one heck of a cross-country ride!

**Dance Fusion for Functional Fitness and Fun**

Very few people understand the physical affect of dance on the human body. The graceful movements of dance utilize muscle groups in a way that improves the functioning of the whole body. For those of you who are retired, our 30-minute dance class will help you keep fit to maintain your independence, to travel, play with grandkids and great-grandkids, go for walks, bike rides, hike, play golf or play in the sand on the beach! Our 30-minute dance exercise program will reduce stress, anxiety, depression and dementia and will improve your mobility and balance to help you avoid falling. In short, it will elevate your mood and help you stay physically and mentally functional. For those who are still working, our 30-minute dance exercise class can be the perfect way for you to relax at the end of a stressful day. You will get in better shape, be more functional, productive, relaxed, healthier and happier. So come join the fun as you re-shape and tighten your body! Dance at your own pace! Classes are held Mondays and Wednesdays from 6 to 6:30 p.m. in the Montgomery multi-purpose room. The cost is \$56 for an eight-class card, which is issued and punched in class. Start anytime! Sign up in class! For information call Jane at (408) 315-1179. This class is sponsored by the Community Activities Office.

**Media Technician service fee to increase**

The Club Board of Directors recently approved the operating and reserve 2017/2018 budget. In that approval they also included billable service rates. As of July 1, 2017, the Media Technician Service fee will be \$12/hour. The increase is due to an increase in the minimum wage. Please remember there is a two-hour minimum rate charge. Two weeks advance notice is requested.

**Happy Anniversary, Villages!**

- June 16 – Dean Martin/Frank Sinatra Dinner Show – Clubhouse
- July 4 – Independence Day Celebration
- August 5 – Happy Anniversary Villages Cake and Champagne – Clubhouse
- August 18 - Holland & Coots - Cribari Auditorium
- August 26 – Anniversary Gala Dinner – Clubhouse
- August 27 – Anniversary Golf Tournament – Golf Course/Gazebo Park



**Tai Chi for healthy aging**

Our mission is to help older adults maintain a quality of life as they age, and Tai Chi is the perfect exercise to help us achieve this mission. Tai chi can be performed for exercise, relaxation, healing and spiritual development by anyone, regardless of age or physical condition. Tai Chi strengthens the body, quiets and calms the mind and emotions, and improves overall health and well-being. Daily Tai Chi practice is extremely helpful to people with circulatory, respiratory, immune system, digestive, asthma, arthritis, mental, emotional and other health challenges. We offer Tai Chi classes two days per week here at The Villages. The fees are \$9 per class for two classes per week, and those attending one class per week will purchase a drop-in card. Get details in class. Classes are held on Wednesdays and Fridays at 10 a.m. at the Vineyard Center.

**30-Minute Restorative Yoga with Mwezo and Jane**

30-minute Restorative Yoga is the *fountain of youth* and the best tool that you can use to counter the negative impact of aging. Yoga works for every... *body* because every...*body* is trying to get old, weak and stiff! Aging is part of being alive, and the best thing we can do is to keep ourselves fit, so we can live independently our whole life. Modifications are made to accommodate all levels. Work at your own pace. Classes are held Mondays at 6:45 to 7:15 p.m. and Wednesdays from 7 to 7:30 p.m. Please wear comfortable loose-fitting clothing and bring a mat and a pillow to class. *Location: See Calendar of Events in The Villager.* The cost is \$56 for an eight class card, punched in class. Start anytime! Sign up in class! For more information, call Jane at 408-315-1179. This class is sponsored by the Community Activities Office.

**See 'Book of Mormon' in San Jose!**

We had three outings to "The Book of Mormon" in San Francisco in the past that were sold out within two days and here we are again with "The Book of Mormon" coming to Best of Broadway San Jose. This outing will be on Saturday, July 22 at 2 p.m. and will include orchestra seating and transportation. Please arrive at 12:15 p.m. at the Cribari Patio Room to get your tickets. Departure from the Villages east parking lot at Cribari Center will be at 1 p.m. The cost for this outing is only \$128 per person. The Clubhouse is offering 10 percent off dinner with reservations and ticket stub from "The Book of Mormon." Register in the Community Resource Center, Building B.

"The Book Of Mormon" follows two young missionaries who are sent to Uganda to try to convert citizens to the Mormon religion. One missionary, Elder Price, is an enthusiastic go-getter with a strong dedication to his faith, while his partner, Elder Cunningham, is a socially awkward but well-meaning nerd whose tendency to embellish the truth soon lands him in trouble. Upon their arrival in Africa, Elders Price and Cunningham learn that in a society plagued by AIDS, poverty and violence, a successful mission may not be as easy as they expected.

Composed by South Park creators Trey Parker and Matt Stone and Avenue Q's Robert Lopez, "The Book Of Mormon" is an old-style musical with a modern sensibility. This blockbuster show features several big song-and-dance numbers accompanied by some old-fashioned Broadway belting. An equal opportunity offender, the show playfully pokes fun at religion, sexuality, poverty and race, while inspiring an after-the-show discussion of religion in general.



# CLUBS & EVENTS

## Take Beginning Ceramics— Amateur Radio Club to meet June 13 Saturday class

Make elephants! Make turtles! Join Diane Finley for a Saturday morning Ceramics Class from 9 a.m. to noon on June 10, 17 and 24. Diane will teach beginners safety and usage protocols for using equipment and tools. She will teach hand building and slab work from shaping to glazing. Participants will work on four clay projects to learn forms and shaping. They will also work on their own projects. There will be no wheel work.

This class is sponsored by The Villages Arts & Crafts Association, and the fee is \$75.

A 12.5 lb. bag of clay is included in the price. To register, call or e-mail Barbara at 408-531-9402 or barb.gottesman@gmail.com. Details on website [www.villagesartsandcrafts.org](http://www.villagesartsandcrafts.org)



## Art Film of the Month: David Hockney

On Tuesday, June 13 at 7 p.m. in Vineyard Center the final program of our Artists Series will be screened. The new one-hour DVD is titled "David Hockney: A Bigger Picture," a documentary by Bruno Wollheim. Made with reverence and affection for the subject, it is a moving cinematic portrait of the British painter, born in 1937. It follows Hockney from California to Yorkshire as he captures all four seasons on canvas. The film is as such an exploration of the artist's influences and techniques as it is a record of his long-awaited homecoming after living abroad for more than two decades. His 2013 Show at the de Young Museum featured nearly 400 paintings, drawings and even video pieces using multiple cameras with 147 works produced on his iPad and iPhone. His use of the iPad has become a core part of the creative process of this skilled draftsman, painter, printmaker, stage designer and photographer. Hockney wants to show people the world and has said "that is why you need artists." Come and enjoy this, our last program until we return in the fall. For more information, call Adine at 408-223-8796.

## Mac Users Group to meet on June 21

A meeting of the Villages Mac Users Group (VMUG) will be held on June 21 in the Vineyard Center from 3 to 4:30 p.m. DeDe Rogers will be the presenter. Come and share. Any questions, call Sterling Bundesen at (408) 274-3457 or Karin Mills at (408) 532-7456.

## Help stop human trafficking

The "Dress a Girl" program under the auspices of Hope International believes that if a girl has a nice dress on, a predator may not seek to buy her for human trafficking.

The Villages "Dress a Girl" group has to date sewn and mailed 132 dresses to Hope International. On July 4 at the Villages Flea Market we are having a table to raise funds for supplies and postage. If you have small treasures that no longer bring you joy, please consider donating them to our cause. For additional information or to drop off items, call Rebecca Barrans at 408-528-0887.

By William Swintek

For the latest amateur radio information, attend the Villages Amateur Radio Club's monthly meeting on the second Tuesday of the month. The next meeting will be June 3 at 7:30 p.m. at Foothill Center. Net Check-in 146.490 MHz at 7 p.m. For more information, e-mail Larry McNary: [Lmcnary@gmail.com](mailto:Lmcnary@gmail.com)

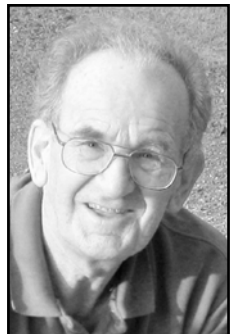


## Investment Club to hold Estate Planning workshop

Popular return speaker Fred Smith will conduct a workshop on the important subject of Estate Planning at the June meeting of the Villages Investment Resources Club (VIRC) on Thursday, June 15 at 10 a.m. in the Foothill Center. The workshop will cover topics such as: 1. The Critical Documents: Wills, Trusts, Advance Directives, Powers of Attorney, etc.; 2. Practical Considerations for executors or trustees; and 3. Dealing with your Digital Legacy: emails, social media, photo files, etc.

This is Fred's third VIRC appearance. He is a Registered Investment Advisor and financial planner, recently retired. Prior to this he worked in the semiconductor industry where he held various engineering and management positions. Fred is a lifelong member of the American Association of Individual Investors and serves on the board of the local Silicon Valley chapter.

Coffee and donuts will be served and all Villagers are welcome. For additional information, or to join the investment club, please contact President Dan Boor at 408-489-8906, John Stratakos at 408-613-2955, or Bob Williams at 408-225-7623.



Fred Smith

## Caregiver of a loved one with memory issues?

Caregivers for Memory Support Group provides the tools for you to maintain your own personal, physical and emotional health, as well as optimally care for your loved one with memory issues.

Caregivers need support, too. Stop by the Cribari Center Patio Room, Thursday, June 15 from 10:30 a.m. to noon and share your experiences and issues with fellow caregivers under the facilitation of Village resident Dr. Judith L. London.

Pre-registration is not required. Contact the Villages Medical Auxiliary's (VMA) Services Coordinator Cristina Silva for further information, 408-238-4029, [csilva@ncphs.org](mailto:csilva@ncphs.org).

This support group is just one of the free mental and physical health education programs sponsored by the VMA to assist Villagers and your families.

## New Carol Norden Jewelry Workshop

Have you always wanted to learn to make your own jewelry? Carol Norden is providing two Jewelry Design and Making workshops for Villagers. Saturday, June 17, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. is the date for the beginners workshop. Saturday, June 24, is the date for the intermediate workshop, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Both are in the Cribari Center Art Room. Each costs \$40. You can take one or both.

All materials are furnished to make five wire wrapped pendants. Included will be gold and silver wire, jasper, rose quartz, aventurine, jade and lampwork beads. Carol sells these in the Boutique for \$28 each.

Register with Barbara at [barb.gottesman@gmail.com](mailto:barb.gottesman@gmail.com) or 408-531-9402 by June 14. Limited enrollment.



## Jon Ball to speak about Mt. Kilimanjaro

During the SIR 38 meeting on Tuesday, June 20, speaker Jon Ball will speak about climbing Mt. Kilimanjaro. This event will be held in the Fairway Room at the Clubhouse. Non-SIR members wishing to attend the presentation should arrive at 12:30 p.m.

The highest spot on the African continent is Mt. Kilimanjaro standing at 19,341 feet tall. Located in Tanzania, it is the highest free standing mountain in the world. (Most mountains, like Mt. Everest, are a high peak in the midst of other high peaks).

Jon Ball retired at year's end from a 32-year career in management at Hensel Phelps Construction Co. Within three weeks of retirement, Jon was on an airplane headed to Tanzania prepared to make the biggest climb of his life. For the next seven days the group of 10 men and 47 guides and porters hiked the mountain and gradually acclimatized to the altitude as they climbed higher. It was punishing. In fact, one of the climbers had to abort the climb due to food poisoning.

Jon is excited to share his adventure with you on June 20 with a thought-provoking Power Point presentation.



## FROM THE BOOKSHELF

By Elizabeth Benson

**“South and West” by Joan Didion:** Joan Didion always kept notebooks of overheard dialogue, observations, interviews, drafts of essays, and copies of articles. “Notes on the South” traces a road trip she took with her husband, John Gregory Dunne, in June 1970, through Louisiana, Mississippi, and Alabama. Her observations of the small towns and prominent local figures she interviewed seem to suggest a South largely unchanged today. “California Notes” began as an assignment from Rolling Stone on the Patty Hearst trial of 1976, which triggered thoughts about the West, the Hearsts, San Francisco, and her own upbringing in Sacramento. 920. 2017.

**“The Magnolia Story” by Chip and Joanna Gaines with Mark Dagostino:** Chip and Joanna Gaines are the founders of Magnolia Homes, Magnolia Market, and Magnolia Realty in Waco, Texas. Together, they also host HGTV’s Fixer Upper, where Joanna serves as the lead designer and Chip handles construction. They appreciate the old ways of living, simple and hardworking, with home at the center of it all. This is a behind the scenes look at what their life together really looks like. 920. 2017.

**“In This Grave Hour” by Jacqueline Winspear:** Sunday, September 3, 1939. At the moment Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain broadcasts to the nation Britain’s declaration of war with Germany, a senior Secret Service agent breaks into Maisie Dobb’s flat to await her return. Dr. Francesca Thomas has an urgent assignment for Maisie: to find the killer of a man who escaped occupied Belgium as a boy some 23 years earlier during the Great War. Within days, in a London shadowed by barrage balloons, bomb shelters, and the threat of invasion, another Belgium refugee is found murdered. And as Maisie delves deeper into the killings of the dispossessed from the “last war,” a new kind of refugee—an evacuee from London—appears in Maisie’s life. Mystery. 2017.

**“Secrets In Summer” by Nancy Thayer:** Memorial Day weekend means that seasonal visitors have descended on the glamorous island of Nantucket. For year-round resident Darcy Cotterill, it means late-night stargazing in the beautiful house she grew up in and inherited from her grandmother. It’s also a chance for Darcy to hit the beach and meet her new summertime neighbors. But the last person the 30-year-old librarian expects to see staying next door is her ex-husband, new wife and stepdaughter. Navigating the highs and lows of a new romantic relationship with a local carpenter while becoming smitten with a handsome vacationer, threatens her steady and secure island life. Fiction. 2017.

**“The Black Book” by James Patterson and David Ellis:** A horrifying murder leads investigators to an unexpected address—and exclusive brothel that caters to Chicago’s most powerful citizens. There’s plenty of incriminating evidence on the scene— but what matters most is what’s missing: the madam’s black book. Shock waves are rippling through the city’s elite, and everyone is desperate to find it. As everyone who’s anyone in Chicago scrambles to get their hands on the elusive black book, no one’s motives can be trusted. Mystery. 2017.

### **Temporary Foster Homes Needed— Can You Help Save a Dog’s Life?**

One of Silicon Valley Pet Project’s most pressing needs is to find foster homes for our rescue dogs. We can’t save the lives of dogs at risk in our local shelter without you—our foster families.

Becoming a foster parent for SVPP means you will care for a dog in your home for a temporary period of time until we can find it a forever home. In return for your loving care, we provide donated food, supplies, and medical care. We will pair you up with the best match, as well as a “foster buddy” who will get answers to your questions and make sure you feel supported at all times. Please help if you can, even for a short period of time. For more information, please contact your fellow Villager, Jane Derow at janed@svppetproject.org or 408-440-0665.

## Readers Theatre: “Bull In A China Shop”

The Villages Amateur Theatre invites you to attend a play, a great opportunity to get away from your usual routine and be entertained, meet new people, and consider adding theater to your “bucket list.” The date is Friday June 23 at 1:30 p.m. in the Cribari Auditorium.

The play is a Readers Theatre version of *Bull in a China Shop*, a comedy mystery by C. B. Gilford, produced by special arrangement with Samuel French, Inc. The cast is Doris Adams, Ann Avoux, Mary Mazur, Elsa McLaughlin, Tom McLaughlin, Nancy Miller, Paul Miner, Bobbie Roggeveen, Joanna Thornton, and Jeanne Watson. The play is directed by Larry Miller.

When six sweet, balmy old ladies discover a handsome bachelor, Detective O’Finn of Homicide, lives across the street, they are delighted, but faced with the problem of how to attract his attention. The answer: a nice genteel homicide with a cup of tea as the murder weapon. When a brash young woman reporter suspects the truth, she becomes the next target. O’Finn is embarrassed when he discovers that he is the motive for these madcap goings-on, and, in desperation, manages to solve the case. First a short story in Ellery Queen’s Mystery Magazine, later a success on Alfred Hitchcock Presents and now a stage veteran of hundreds of performances around the country, “Bull in a China Shop” continues to enchant audiences everywhere!

At this stage in our lives, the Villages Amateur Theater provides something for everyone who enjoys community theatre whether you are on stage, back stage, or simply watching the stage. Join us and have some fun. Free light refreshments will be served and the play is free. This makes for a nice opportunity to chat with the actors and meet new people.

## **Cookies needed for Cannoli and Cookie Sale!**

*Ciao!* It is almost July! Our nation’s birthday celebration month! It’s time for the Italian Club’s biggest and only fundraising event—the Cannoli and Cookie Sale! The Cannoli are provided by the Italian Club. Bob Iacopi makes his exceptional homemade Cannoli stuffing. The cookies.... well, we are asking for all Italian Club “cookie makers” to consider contributing two to three dozen of your favorite homemade cookies. The donation of your time, energy and favorite cookies make this high energy event a great success!

A huge *hug* and “Grazie” goes out to all our cookie makers who have helped make this a very popular part of the July 4th here at The Villages. This year’s event will be held on Tuesday, July 4, so *save the date!*

If you can participate as a baker, a stuffer or a sales counter person please contact Pam McCarthy at 408-239-0626 or pamela5kay@gmail.com, or Kathy Kyne at 408-238-4009 or kathykyne@mac.com.

*Grazie* for your time and interest. *Arrivederci!*

## **No Villages Dog Club meeting in July**

Normally the Villages Dog Club meets with dogs and doggies, weather permitting, at 10 a.m. at the Gazebo, the first Saturday of each month. But there will be no meeting in July. Questions? Contact Larry Miller at 408-238-1030 or at larry.wm.miller@sbcglobal.net.



### **Highland/Glen Ardenites**

**Mark your calendars.  
July 20 is the date of our next dinner. See you there.**

## **Brandeis: Let’s celebrate the Red, White, and Blue**

By Cy Axelrad

We invite you all to attend our Study Group Showcase ‘17. This will include new and current study groups, all covering great areas of learning. We will have a great luncheon with our very important speaker Dr. Larry Gerston, a political science professor at San Jose State University.

He will share his views about “The First Year of the Trump Administration: The Good, the Bad and the Ugly.” This presentation will be held Wednesday, September 13, at 11 a.m. in the Fairway Room.

Did I forget to tell you about the amazing menu? The appetizer is a splendid Caesar Salad and the dessert is Apple Pie ala Mode (How American can we get?). First on the menu is Barbecued Chicken Breast with Potato Salad and Fresh Fruit. The second selection is Yankee Pot Roast, Mashed Potatoes, and Mixed Vegetables. Finally, a Trio Salad, Tuna, and Chicken, and Egg Salad Greens with Vegetable Garnish.

Please make a selection and send a check for \$35 payable to Brandeis (BNC) to Ms. Janet Atkins, 77 Kilmarnok Dr, San Jose CA 95135. You may also charge your home number. If you have any questions, please call Janet Atkins at 1-408-270-6127 or Mindy Frankel at 1-408-504-1910.

The proceeds will benefit neuro-degenerative research at Brandeis University. This will be a “Star Spangled” event, filled with joy, fun and a great lunch! Your check must be received no later than September 8. Come and join us for this fabulous celebration.

## Advertise in the 2017 Resource Guide

*Please note: This is NOT for the Villages Telephone Directory.*

### The Villages Resource Guide Magazine – 2017 A Full Color Publication

The Villages Resource Guide is The Villages newest publication. You are cordially invited to advertise in this informative magazine. It features information and facts about The Villages that will be of interest to existing as well as potential residents. The full color magazine will also serve as an introduction to The Villages to those inquiring about living here. The Villages Resource Guide publishes in July, 2017 and hand delivered to all Residents. You may reserve your space by returning the signed contract, along with FULL PAYMENT payable to The Villages Resource Guide, by June 3, 2017.

**Ad Sizes - Rate – and – Deadline: June 3, 2017.**

Size	Dimensions	Rate (camera ready)
Full Page Color	6 3/4 "wide x 9 1/2 "high	\$400
Half Page Color	6 3/4" wide x 4 3/4 "high	\$200

**Deadlines:** Signed Contract / Full Payment / Camera-ready Ad (pdf.) **ALL ARE DUE JUNE 3, 2017.**

Ads may be sent as a PDF file to Mario's email: [mcuschieri@the-villages.com](mailto:mcuschieri@the-villages.com) or submitted as a pdf. file on disk to Mario's attention at:

The Villages GCC  
Mario Cuschieri  
5000 Cribari Lane, Bldg. "B"  
San Jose, CA 95135

**Phone:** 408 223-4657 **Fax:** 408 274-2843

**Acceptability:** Advertising copy is subject to The Villages approval.

**Please note – No cancellations.** Once your signed contract has been received and your ad accepted, your ad order cannot be cancelled. *The Villages assumes no responsibility for errors or omissions*

### The Villages Golf & Country Club 2017 Resource Guide Color Magazine Advertising Contract

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Phone: 408 223-4657 Fax: 408 274-2843 E-Mail: [mcuschieri@the-villages.com](mailto:mcuschieri@the-villages.com)

**THANK YOU** to all who were able to visit us at the A J Golf Car Center Golf Car Show on 5/26 & 5/27. Many golf car owners took advantage of the free inspection & others, the special golf car pricing. Congratulations to the raffle drawing winners! We appreciate your continued support & look forward to seeing you at our next Golf Car Show!

From All of Us --- Dave (AJ),  
Marguerite, Scott, Justin, & Christian

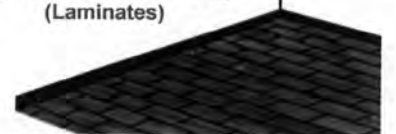
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# RELIGION

## EPISCOPAL

**Episcopal Church Services on Sunday, June 11 at The Villages – Montgomery Center at 8:30 a.m.**

Come worship with us as we celebrate the Holy Eucharist and transform a club room into a house of God. All are welcome. Join us after the service for fellowship and breakfast in the Clubhouse. **at Trinity Cathedral – 81 North Second Street, San Jose at 10:30 a.m.**

While The Very Rev. David Bird is recovering from surgery, The Rev. Gerard Flynn will officiate as we celebrate the Holy Eucharist with full choir and organ accompaniment. There is a place at God's table for everyone.

## CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

**We are continuing to need some of those great deep male voices for our Choir.** You don't have to be a great singer, it's a choir and it is the summation of those voices that make a beautiful choir. Think about joining. Practice is right before the 8:15 a.m. Mass here at the Villages so no other conflicts. Just need to sacrifice a few minutes of sleep on Sunday mornings.

Just a reminder, we collect non-perishable food items before Mass every Sunday. Grab a few extra items when you go grocery shopping and bring them to Mass on Sunday morning. Just leave them right under the table in the foyer of Cribari. Someone will be at the table to help you should you be unaware of where to place them.

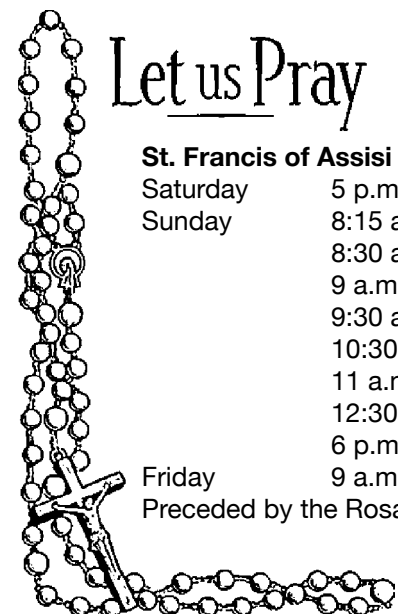
We have an 8:15 a.m. Mass every Sunday in the Cribari Auditorium. All are welcome.

If you are new to the Villages and would like to find out more about our Ecclesial Community, contact Karen Kosmala at 408-223-2620.

**If you would like to have a Mass said** for someone contact Jean Ghioffi at 408-844-3461.

**9 a.m. Friday morning Mass** is preceded by the Rosary at 8:30 a.m. in the Cribari Conference Room across from the Auditorium the first three Fridays of each month.

**Home Communion:** For home communion, call Shirley Roberts at 408-238-1543, and we would like you to know that if you are homebound, a priest is available to come to you for home Reconciliation. Please contact the parish office to make arrangements.



## Let us Pray

**St. Francis of Assisi Sunday Mass times:**

Saturday	5 p.m.	Chapel
Sunday	8:15 a.m.	The Villages
	8:30 a.m.	Chapel
	9 a.m.	Gathering Space Hall
	9:30 a.m.	Grange Hall
	10:30 a.m.	Chapel
	11 a.m.	Gathering Space Hall
	12:30 p.m.	Chapel
	6 p.m.	Youth Mass Chapel
Friday	9 a.m.	Cribari Conf. Room

Preceded by the Rosary at 8:30 a.m.

## JEWISH GROUP

Friday night Shabbat Services will be held at 7:30 p.m. on June 16 at Foothill Center. Rabbi Dana Magat of Temple Emmanuel and/or his Cantor will lead services. After services, Rabbi Magat will lead his favorite discussion, "Ask the Rabbi." Following the presentation we will have our usual Oneg Shabbat celebration.

All Villagers are welcome. If you are interested in joining The Villages Jewish Group, please contact Joyce Mendel at 408-238-7316.

## COMMUNITY CHAPEL

**By Pastor Bill Hayden**

I was just thinking about our community and the fact that sometimes our residents have to relocate within the community from one village to another. Some have no relatives, limited income and they are too old to pack up and move. How do we provide assistance for them as good neighbors? After all, if we live long enough we may find ourselves in the same situation.

I have had to struggle with moving stuff from one place to another within my home and I'm approaching 70. I'm really grateful that my grandson is living nearby and I can call him for assistance. The thought of being in my 80s with limitations and health issues, like many of us living here, and having to move everything is overwhelming.

What if there was a provision available for helping our very senior population who are dealing with physical issues? It would speak volumes to others living outside of this community, that we take care of our own. Stories have been written and movies produced about communities where people were good neighbors by sharing their resources with each other when in need.

I know no one loves to move, especially after living in one place for a number of years. Since we can all relate to that challenge, wouldn't it be wonderful if we all helped each other and had a party afterward? As they say, "Many hands make light the work."

Did you know that helping others is a gift from God? So when you are helping your fellowman from your heart you are being embraced by God. When the task is completed you walk away with a warm feeling of accomplishment even in your tiredness. You may help someone today but realize that tomorrow is coming and you may be the one needing help.

There is a bible passage that tells us, "We then that are strong ought to bear the infirmities of the weak, and not to please ourselves. Let every one of us please his neighbor for his good to edification." (Romans 15: 1-2 NIV.) This is a great life principle because what you do for others will eventually be done for you.

Please join us this Sunday at the Villages Community Chapel in Cribari Auditorium 10 a.m. A place for needs to be met, faith to be affirmed and people to love. Coffee and refreshments will follow our service time; please join us and we'll hold a door for you. See you this Sunday! If you would like to make an appointment with Pastor Bill, please call the office at 408-238-3079.

**To learn more about the Villages Community Chapel visit our website at <http://www.villagescommunitychapel.org/>**

## SEARCH THE SCRIPTURES

Search The Scriptures class will meet Monday, June 19 from 9:30 to 11 a.m. at Foothill Center. We meet the first and third Mondays of each month and welcome all Villagers and guests to join us. We are beginning a new study in the Book of Revelations. Come join us as we search the Scriptures in order to better understand the most challenging of Biblical books.

Need a Bible or have questions? Call Patt at 408-532-8685.

**LIBRARY BOOK SALE REMINDER**  
The Villages Library Book Sale is open for business all year long on Wednesdays and first Saturday of the month at 10 a.m. to noon.

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# SPORTS NEWS

## SHONIS

By Ann Campbell

On May 30, a pre "June Swoon" cloudy morning didn't deter twenty three Shonis and one lone qualifier, Pauline Robertson, from heading out on the Par Three course for some challenging play. It was the official Eclectic play day number 6 and this tourney is indeed going down to the wire. The mindset was, forget the pars, let's go for the birdies. Number 9 was the hole of choice for birdies this week. Sheryl Driskell's drive left her with about a two foot putt and, not to be outdone, Bonnie Evans didn't disappoint with a 40 foot chip in. Way to go, ladies! Teddy Morse also electrified her group with 4 pars in a row on her scorecard. Wow, Teddy!

**Upcoming events to mark on your calendar:**

June 13 Sweeps and final day of the Eclectic.

June 20 Bag Lunch/Meet following golf at the Montg. Center

June 27 Twilight Game

**Chuckle of the Day:** Why is it in golf, you can hit a two acre fairway 10 percent of the time but hit a two foot branch 90 percent of the time?

## SWINGERS

By Linda Piersol

On Tuesday, May 30, 48 Swingers paired up with 48 golfers from the 18 Hole Ladies Golf Group for the annual mixer. This year the event was hosted by the Swingers. A 9-hole scramble format was played with delight as each group of four had four chances to make a good shot or putt! A delicious lunch in the Fairway Room followed play. It was a well organized day of fun and friendship between the two ladies groups. A big thank you to Jan Flynn and Lynn Peters who planned the golf and luncheon.

Low score team winners on the front 9 with a score of 35: Karen Carlson, Barbara Orlando, Patti Hayes, Paulette Wrightson.

Low score team winners on the back 9 with a score of 35: Mary Wagle, Laura Swanson, Kathleen Holt, Laurie Gallegos.

Congratulations, Ladies!

**Upcoming Events:**

June 8 - Saratoga Exchange

June 15 - Almaden Exchange

June 13 - Swinger Invitational - "High Tee"

June 30 - Twilight #2

## 18-HOLE WOMEN

By Phyllis Mueller

One Tournament leads to the next and now we have the M and M Tournament chaired by Vicki Krattli and Rose Marie Goff plus a lot of help from Hannah Summerhays from the Pro Shop. Glad to see attire in various colors and members chewing on M and M's. This is a two-week Tournament with a chance to improve on your first weeks score. Best of two scores of the twosomes!

The Associates Putting group was busy today with four hole-in-ones! Betty Buchanan and Barbara Knight with two each!

Summer of Love 2017 Invitational is fast approaching and Chair Chris Leisy can use some help from volunteers who are not playing. All committees are working hard to make this a truly memorable event on August 10 and 11.

Save the June 29th date to celebrate Village Challenge-Hole In One's and other exciting celebration with details to be e-mailed! All held at Foothill at 4 p.m.

Birdies: Annie Bassford # 11, Helen Varenkamp #11 and #13, Barbara Nilsen #11, Auralie Citrigno #1, Sachiko Coleman #1, and Bette Sandahl #4!

Chip-ins: Kathy Apgar #13, Camille Giuliodibari #11, Auralie Citrigno #1, Marlee Puppo # 17, Gwen Binden #15, Brigid Moreton #13, Vicki Krattli #17, Paulette Wrightson #8, Susan Dooley #17, Pam Schramm #2!

Keep chewing on those M and M's!



Annie Bassford and PWGA President Nancy Boggs. Annie won the Super Senior Low Gross Championship at Green Horn Golf Course.



Hannah Summerhays and Vicki Krattli Get The M and M Tournament Rolling.

Photo by Phyllis Mueller

## Senior Safari Walkabout

Happy Hollow Park and Zoo invites seniors to safari their way to fitness on the fourth Thursday of every month between May and October 2017.

Happy Hollow in San Jose at Story Road and Senter Road is opening its gates exclusively to adults over 50 for the opportunity to take a walk through the zoo (free admission and free parking between 9 and 10 a.m.) and also participate in other exercise opportunities such as hula-hooping and Chi Gong.

Sponsored by the Health Trust and Happy Hollow Foundation, the program gives you an excuse to get out and exercise. Those entering between 9 and 10 a.m. may stay as long as they wish. Parking location is at 748 Story Road.

For more information, please contact Happy Hollow Guest Services at 408-794-6400.

**Gift Shop at Home!**

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**Saturday: 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.**

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## MEN'S GOLF CLUB



By David Bacigalupi (baci1786@aol.com)

**Memorial Day Mixed Couples Tournament:** A great time was had by all playing the Memorial Day Mixed Couples Tournament(s) on Sunday and Monday, May 28 and 29, with dinner of a Roast Beef/Salmon buffet on Monday night. Congratulations to all the winners! The results were not available last week in time for publication. Look in the Scoreboard section for the winners.

**Annual Picnic and Tournament:** Our annual Picnic and Tournament is set for Saturday, June 10. Coffee and donuts before the 8 a.m. shotgun start of this two-man team tournament, followed by a barbecue at the Gazebo for all Men's Club members and Associate members, whether playing or not (no guests please). There is still time to sign up. Look for the flyer with more information elsewhere in this issue.

**2017 Evergreen XLVIII Tournament Signups:** The XLVII Evergreen Tournament is full, with a small waiting list in case there are any cancellations.

**Executive Committee Meeting:** The Men's Golf Club Executive Committee meets the first Tuesday of the month at 8:30 a.m. in the Cribari Patio Room. Our next meeting will be rescheduled from Tuesday, July 4th. Look here next week for the new date. The meetings are open to all members. Also, remember to visit our website at [www.villagesmensgolf.com](http://www.villagesmensgolf.com) for the latest information.

**2017 Home & Home Team:** The next tournament is at The Villages with Silver Creek Country Club on Tuesday, June 27. Team members, contact Jack at 408-239-0626 or [jmccarthy.homehome@yahoo.com](mailto:jmccarthy.homehome@yahoo.com) ASAP to let him know if you can play or not!

## TENNIS TALK

By Betty Olsen

Our Spring Classic tournament will be tomorrow, Saturday, June 10, starting at 9 a.m. Lunch will follow at the viewing stand. There are 24 participants using all six courts. These participants are from the sign-up sheet at the shack. There was room for four alternates, but hopefully all 24 players will be able to play.

Everyone will keep their individual scores. There will be three rounds. In the first round you play four games with a partner, switch partners and play four games, and switch again with the last player and play four games for a total of 12 games. Betty will then send you to your next court assignment for round 2, depending on your score. Round 2 and 3 will be played exactly like round 1. A perfect score would be 36. Prizes will be given at lunch for first, second, and third place.

The Villages 65 USTA teams, both men and women 3.5 teams, finished their regular seasons with Jim Murphy's team coming in second and Cheryl Diltz team coming in fourth. The men played their first playoff match here at the Villages against Cupertino on Tuesday, May 30, and came away with a 3/0 victory. This puts the team at 8/3. The final round of playoffs will be against the Sunnyvale A team, probably June 7 at Sunnyvale. The women's 3.5 team playoff was at Sunnyvale on Thursday, June 1, and unfortunately came up short, so their season is over. Their season was 6/5.

The women's USTA 55 3.5 team and the men's 7.0 team will start in June, so stay tuned for updates.

Jump Start is in full swing with "beginners" at 4 p.m. on Mondays and "rustys" at 5 p.m. on Mondays. Also, put on your calendar the date of July 15 for Tennis Club's Mixer. More details later.

Be sure and check in with our website: [villagestennisclub.org](http://villagestennisclub.org) for more information and photos!

## IRONMEN

By Don Bookwalter

June 1 was a cool, but comfortable morning to play Golf! This was proven by an extraordinary day of play by 14 players today. We welcomed a quest player and future member Lynn Arneson.

Our Net Sweeps Winners this week:

Jerry Weltzin was first with a 24.

John Eige and Don Bookwalter were tied for second with a 26. Bob Bermudez and Tom Rossi were tied for third with a 27.

Eight Birdies were shot today: Jerry Weltzin on Holes 8 and 9. Don Bookwalter on Hole 5.

Tom Rossi on Hole 3.

John Arnold on Hole 7.

Lynn Arneson on Hole 3.

Deshmukh Prakash on Hole 7.

John Eige on Hole 4.

A thought for the day: "In Golf, if the ball goes right, it's a slice; if it goes left, it is a Hook; if it goes straight, it is a Miracle."

## PINSEEKERS

By Jack Bindon

This is what I call spreading the "wealth". This last Tuesday, May 30, we had multiple winners. The weather was cool to start but followed up with some sunshine. "Is it Summer yet"?

The following were the winners:

Richard Petroski was the sole winner in first place with a net 33 (Nice)

Tom Rossi and Bob Iacopi tied for second with a close 34 (almost Nice)

John Murphy sat close behind in third place with a 35

And we had four tied at fourth place with a 36: John Eige, Frank Garcia, Larry Chin and Phil Robinson.

I also verified my thinking regarding the punched holes around the fringe of the greens. According to our Head Pro, that is to be considered "ground under repair" and allows the player to move his ball if it has come to rest in one of the holes. No closer to the hold. This of course is a local rule and a temporary one at that. As the punch marks heal that allowance goes away. Use your good judgment in determining the completion of the "healing" process. Play well, play fair.

## BOCCE BEAT



By Elly Burnett

*Memo from Tournament Chair Tony Orlando:*

The Spring Round Robin is continuing and players this year are playing exceptionally well. Competition is fearsome and teams are looking for that first place position. Playoffs are the week of June 26-28. Come and cheer your favorites on.

Sign-ups continue for the summer Guys vs Gals competition, which begins on July 10 and continues for six weeks. Playoffs for the Guys vs Gals is August 21-23. Contact Bob Goodwin at 408-532-0470 or email [bobrika\\_2000@yahoo.com](mailto:bobrika_2000@yahoo.com) for information. This particular tournament is extremely popular but does still have spaces available on existing teams or you can form one of your own...Just don't forget to do this in a timely manner, or it will be and over with done while you are still debating about joining this.

Remember our regular third Wednesday of each month for either learning or beefing up your bocce skills. It's held at 3-4 p.m.

And of course our Bocce Bash complete with fun and goodies to share with each other. This is held every Friday from 4-6.

See you at the courts. — Elly.

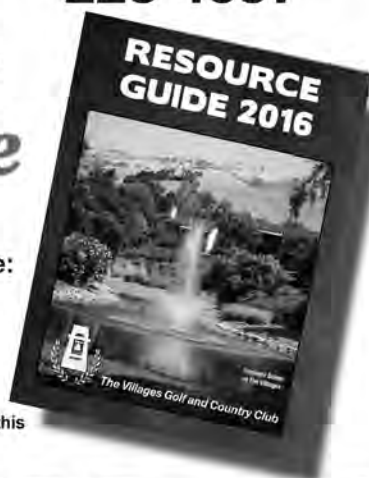
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More SPORTS

# From the Golf Pro

By Scott Steele, PGA Head Golf Professional

**June Golf Dates to Note:**

**Saturday, June 10** – Men's Club Annual Picnic 8 a.m. Shotgun – 1 p.m. Open Play Shotgun

**Tuesday, June 13** – Swingers 9-Hole Invitational 8:30 a.m. Shotgun – 12:30 p.m. Open Play Shotgun.

**Wednesday, June 21** –

Men's Club Special Guest Day 1 p.m. Shotgun – 8 a.m. Open Play Shotgun

**Friday, June 23** – 8 a.m. Open Play Shotgun – 1 p.m. long-course closed charity tournament

**Monday, June 26** – Ladies Team Play 8:30 a.m. Shotgun – 1:30 p.m. Open Play Shotgun

**Friday, June 30** – Twilight Mixer Long-Course Both Nines 5 p.m. Shotgun – 1st Tee closes for 18-Holes at 1:30 p.m.

**Golf Course Maintenance:** We are working on several solutions for the algae overgrowth on the lake on holes #6 & #7. The excessive algae is due to the fact that we

are now pumping thousands of gallons of fresh reclaimed water into that lake on a daily basis therefore creating a perfect storm for feeding algae; hence the outburst since the new pump was installed. This is a challenge but we promise we will overcome this issue. We are avoiding the use of copper

solutions. We are entering into a three-month trial with a sonar based algae abatement unit that is touted to rid lakes of algae within 2-3 weeks. We will let you know when the unit arrives and is activated so we can track its progress.

Some cart path patching work was done on Monday, May 22. The course was not completed, so the cart path repair crew will be back on Monday, June 17 to finish the work.

**Upcoming Golf Events**

**Men's Club Special Guest Day** - Wednesday, June 21, 1 p.m. Shotgun. 1 Net Best ball of the two-some team. Great Raffle Prizes Available. Dinner after Golf. Sign up in the Pro Shop.

**Twilight Mixer** - Friday, June 30, 5 p.m. Shotgun. New Surprise Fun Format—9-Holes of golf with drinks and dinner after golf. You may bring a guest! Sign up in the Pro Shop.

**Tips from the Pro: Are you "plugged in"?**

One feature of The Villages golf course is that we have many greenside sand bunkers to challenge not only your approach accuracy, but also your short game skills around the greens. One reality of a well bunkered golf course such as ours is that eventually you will run into a buried lie in a greenside bunker. So how does one play a buried lie from a greenside bunker? The answer is *not* the same as a good lie in the sand. First realize that the bounce on the sole that helps the club glide and bounce instead of dig into the sand no longer helps us in a buried lie. When our ball is buried, we want the sand wedge to dig into the sand so we can get the ball out; therefore keep the clubface square or even a bit closed at address to promote the leading edge digging into the sand. The swing must be long and speedy as it takes more speed to excavate a buried ball than one on top of the sand; so make a long, firm swing. Focus on a spot in the sand directly behind the ball as the standard 2-4 inches behind the ball for a flat bunker shot no longer applies when the ball is buried. Lastly most balls bury in the face of the bunker, not the bottom, so be sure on the uphill lie that you dig in and get balanced so you can deliver the club with speed...also realize that swinging into the face of the bunker will prohibit a long follow through so focus on accelerating into the ball and "sticking" the wedge into the sand behind the ball.

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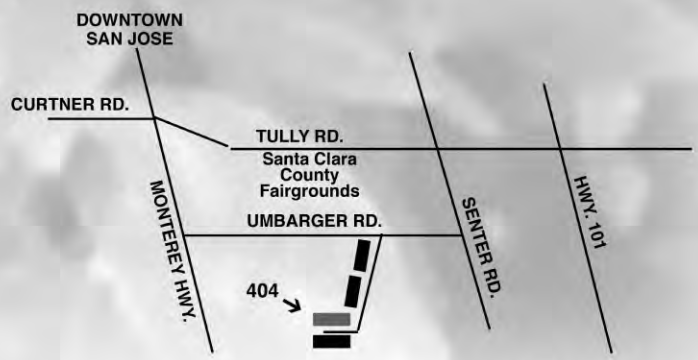


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# SCOREBOARD

## BRIDGE

**Monday, May 29:**  
1. Mary LeGrand/LouAnn Partridge 2. Art Lind/Naila Woodruff  
3/4. Joyce Davies/Stan Davies 3/4. Lorrie Scott/Marilyn Ribardo

**Wednesday, May 31:**  
1/3. Marilyn Ribardo/Sumi Minami 1/3. Jonna Robinson/  
LouAnn Partridge 1/3. Lorrie Scott/Mary LeGrand

**Thursday, June 1:**  
1. Ed Logg/Jonna Robinson 2. Billie Mechanic/Steve Bosma  
3. Jan Kiernan/Sumiye Minami

## PINOCHLE

<b>Wednesday, May 31</b>	<b>Friday, June 2</b>
Duane Sagen	Pat Luebcke
Phyllis Ogden Sagen	Harvey Gogol
Harvey Gogol	Duane Sagen
Pat Luebcke	Al Diamond

## MEXICAN TRAIN DOMINOES

**Wednesday, May 31**

Vicky Linscott	235
Sylvia Rozewicz	265
Linda McMullen	275

**Friday, June 2**

Kit Hultquist	206
Joe Escamilla	214
Shirley Bellavance	215
Earl Magoun	288

## SHONIS

**Tuesday, May 30**

**Flight One:**

Ann Campbell	34 11 23
Joan Wiseman	36 13 23
Barbara Karayn	38 14 24
Sheryl Driskell	35 10 25

**Flight Two:**

Jonna Robinson	35 18 17
Teddy Morse	37 19 18
Linda McCarley	44 19 24

**Flight Three:**

Bonnie Evans	44 23 21
Joan Needham	41 20 21
Jeannie Kane	49 24 25
Vivian Wilczak	47 22 25

## BOCCE

**Spring Round Robin Tournament - Week #4**

**Monday Teams:** No play—  
Due to "Memorial Day"

**Wednesday a.m.:** Bocce Bombers 6-2, Hi Rollers 5-1, Pallino Pushers 2-6, Bocce Misfits 1-5

**Thursday a.m.:** Balls of Fire 4-2, Tornados 4-2, Magnificent "8" 3-5

**Thursday p.m.:** Tiger Sharks 5-3, 6 Babes 2 Dudes 5-3, Rollers 3-3, Masching Gals 0-6

## Clyne Soley encourages Shonis

Dr. Russell "Clyne" Soley, scientist and engineer at IBM and United Technology, dedicated golfer, golf book author, Villages Golf Club Champion in 1968, and long-time Villager—didn't really make a secret of his golf techniques that led to his 86 Holes-in-One (81 on the Villages Par 3 course, and two on the Villages 18-hole course). His top advice was to play the Par 3 course as much as possible to improve your overall golf game.



Naturally his love for the short game helped create a long relationship with the "Short Swingers", now known as the "Shonis," who held an annual "Beat Clyne Soley Day" event. His gross score on the short nine was matched against the ladies' net scores. Any lady who beat Clyne got a golf ball. Not many did, but in 1987 (Clyne was 72) all but two ladies beat Clyne and discussed giving him a handicap the following year. By the time he had passed away in 1992, Clyne had played 419 courses in the USA and other countries. The name of the Men's Handicap Tournament was changed to honor his name and contributions in 1996.

**Fun Fact #1** - The men's short nine group, the "Ironmen," was not organized until 1995.  
**Fun Fact #2** - The three cherry trees on the east side of the #1 pond (to the left of the first fairway on the short course) were planted in memory of Clyne Soley.  
Two Villages' golf clubs - the Ironmen and the Shonis - are dedicated to play on the Par 3 course each week. Come out and join us and improve your golf game!

## MEMORIAL DAY MIXER

**Sunday and Monday, May 28 and 29**

**Two-Day Flight**

- 241** - Mike & Gail Tuft, Jack & Gwen Bindon
- 250** - Dave & Janet Gonzales, David & Janelle Salvatierra

**One-Day Flight #1**

- 115** - Larry Dorsey & Susan Dooley, Rob Davis & Reine Fedor
- 121** - George Olsen & Kathy Apgar, Jim Seymour & Carolyn Terril
- 122** - Gary & Laura Swenson, Eric Parker & Julie Carlson
- 123** - Joe Hart & Annie Bassford, Paul Espejo & Monica Sanholtz

**One-Day Flight #2**

- 125** - Julian & Judy Rodriguez, Larry Martinson & Maxine Amundson
- 126** - Bob Iacopi & Mitzi Macon, Martin & Anka Hoek
- 127** - Jim & Carol Quakenbush, Dick Schroeder & Jane Smith
- 130** Tie - Michael & Carol Haupt, Dennis & Kathy Kyne David & Susan Bacigalupi, Nick & Carleen Corsello


**Closest To The Hole**

Men - Jim Syemour 5'4"  
Women - Carleen Corsello 6'11"

**Villages 50th Anniversary Clyne Soley Tournament**

**Par 3 Course**

**Saturday, June 24**



Open to all players: Regular, beginners, anyone who just likes to play  
Entrance Fee: \$25

Includes prizes, Soley Family Reception, and Hors d'oeuvres 5-7 pm, (no host bar)  
Sponsored by the Ironmen and Shoni golf groups  
For more information contact: David at dcook2345@att.net or Meg at marhir@batnet.com

**Men's Club Annual Picnic Tournament**

**Saturday, June 10**



**Format:** Two Man teams, 2BB Stableford. #4 tees, one flight from #3 tees based upon handicap

**Cost:** \$11, plus green fees

**Flights:** 3-5 flights, depending on the number of players

**Tee Times:** 8 a.m. Shotgun start

**Contests:** Closest to the Pin -All on Hole #11. POTY EVENT.  
Free Coffee & Donuts 7 to 8 a.m.

**Free Picnic\*** for all Men's Club members at Gazebo Park following play.  
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5090-5094, 5101-5121, 5210-5233, 5250-5257 and 5271-5282—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.  
5364-5399 and 5447-5488—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 6/12 to 6/16.

Turf recovery program/slice seeding in progress.

5400-5432—Window washing in progress.

5364-5379—Painting in progress.

5340-5363—Power wash, prep and paint to follow starting the week of 6/12.

Cribari Corners—Dry rot repairs to start the week of 6/12.

Cribari Heights—Dry rot repairs in planning.

5434—Stucco repairs in progress.

5474—Gutter replacement in progress.

5372—Water remediation and reconstruction in progress.

5232—Dry rot repairs to start the week of 6/12.

### Del Lago

3304-3326—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

3327-3348—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 6/12 to 6/16.

3356 and 3358—Sidewalk and driveway replacement in progress.

### Estates

8876-8884—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

8885-8897—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 6/12 to 6/16.

### Fairways

4007, 4009 and 4011—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

4001, 4003 and 4005—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 6/12 to 6/16.

4005—Plumbing repairs in progress.

### Glen Arden

7797-7813—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

7815-7837—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 6/12 to 6/16.

Concrete slicing throughout the district to start 6/19.

### Heights

8458-8467—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

8468-8475—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 6/12 to 6/16.

Traminer Ct. Hillside—Planting and drip irrigation installation in progress.

8474-8483—Re-inspection for settlement cracks, in progress.

### Hermosa

8340-8349 and 8388-8399—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

8350-8387—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 6/12 to 6/16.

8366-8373—Roof replacement in progress, gutter installation to follow, weather permitting.

8384-8387—Roof replacement scheduled to start 6/12, with carports to follow.

8382-8383—Water remediation and reconstruction in progress.

### Highland

Buckhaven Dr., Stoneshire Ct. and 7711, 7713 and 7715—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

Falkirk Dr.—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 6/12 to 6/16.

Morevern Cir.—Dry rot repairs in progress.

Highland paint project scheduled to start 6/12.

### Montgomery

6137-6168 and 6235-6245—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

6184-6234—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 6/12 to 6/16.

Whaley Dr. and Blauer Ln.—Creek repairs in progress.

Gerdts Dr. and Wehner Wy.—Landscape renovation improvement project and shrub demo in progress.

Turf recovery program, slice seeding and weed spraying in progress.

### Olivas

8624-8639 and 8655-8664—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

8640-8654 and 8668-8679—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 6/12 to 6/16.

## What do I do with this?

Do you have an item you want to get rid of but you are not quite sure what to do with it? Often wonder if it should be donated, recycled or thrown away and how or where to do that? Each week we will highlight a particular item and give you suggestions for the best way of recycling or disposal.

If you have any questions about what to do with an item, please call Maintenance Services at 408-223-4670.



### Cardboard – Must be flattened

**Small sized cardboard (2' x 2' or smaller)** – Flatten and place inside recycle container. Items such as cereal and cracker boxes, wine boxes, bottled water cardboard containers, beverage boxes, small cardboard boxes, etc.

- Remove all plastic and packaging from cardboard containers and dispose of properly (garbage).
- Flatten cardboard (release all seams so cardboard lays flat)
- Place inside white recycle dumpster or blue recycle carts (as applicable)

**Medium to large sized cardboard (in smaller quantities)** – Flatten and place beside the green garbage dumpster or blue recycle carts (as applicable) inside the trash enclosure. Items such as small appliance and furniture boxes, small moving boxes, etc.

- Remove all plastic from cardboard containers and dispose of properly (garbage).
- Flatten cardboard (release all seams so cardboard lays flat)
- Place neatly beside the green garbage dumpster or blue recycle carts (as applicable)

\*Curb side garbage and recycling pick up: Cardboard must be flattened and bundled and placed next to the recycle cart.

**Large sized cardboard and larger quantities of cardboard** – Flatten and bring to green dumpsters at Corporation Yard

Large quantities of cardboard and large cardboard items such as appliance and furniture boxes, moving boxes, etc.

- Remove all plastic and packaging from cardboard containers and dispose of properly (garbage).
- Flatten (release all seams so cardboard lays flat)
- Bring up to Corporation Yard and place inside the green dumpsters (Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. - no charge)

## Turf Rejuvenation Program continues

In October, the Association Board approved a community wide turf rejuvenation program at a cost of \$198,383. The work entails slit-seeding (a planting process) roughly 30 acres of common area with Tall Fescue grass. This work is the second part of a two-part project intended to fill in community turf areas that have either died, or have become infested with noxious grasses or weeds, over time due to the most recent drought period.

The first step of the preparation process for a slit-seeding program like this is to kill all the weeds and noxious grasses (in all 30 acres). Round Up will be used to achieve the objective (signs and notices will be posted). This means that many turf areas in the community will brown out, and they will stay that way for a couple of weeks before the seeding process can take place. Even then, please remember that it will take time for the grass to grow in, so areas will look sparse for a couple of months. (Mowing and day watering schedules will be adjusted accordingly.)

Lomas Azules Ponds—Drain and power wash water features, in planning.  
8704—Trellis painting in progress.

### Sonata

2065-2076—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

2077-2081 and 2088-2094—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 6/12 to 6/16.

### Valle Vista

9053-9056 and 9061-9066—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

9046-9052 and 9067-9069—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 6/12 to 6/16.

### Verano

7022-7050—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

7001-7021—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 6/12 to 6/16.

Via Laguna—Jet mulch installation in progress.

7200—Cement stair replacement in progress.

### Centers/General Information

Tree pruning at various locations throughout the Villages, in progress.

Bark installation and small planting projects at various districts, in progress.

Monitoring of lake levels, in progress.

Irrigation systems check throughout the Villages, in progress.

Turf recovery program in progress, weather permitting.

Fire clearance around the perimeter of the Villages in progress.

Olive tree spraying for fruit control throughout the Villages.

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**Take steps to plan for medical decisions in the future**

The Villages Medical Auxiliary (VMA) is sponsoring an Advance Health Care Planning Workshop on Tuesday, June 20, from 1 to 3 p.m. in the Cribari Center Forum Room. Hospice of the Valley's Community Life Program professionals are facilitating this workshop designed to encourage completion of an Advance Health Care Directive.

An Advance Health Care Directive is a legal document that appoints one or more individuals you trust to make medical decisions for you when you are unable to do so. It sets forth the types of medical treatment you want to receive and the types of medical treatment you do not want.

Everyone needs an Advance Health Care Directive. An unexpected accident, severe illness or old age could prevent you from selecting your own healthcare treatment. Without a legal record of your preference, the choice of your treatment could be put in the hands of distant family members or unsympathetic doctors. Without an Advance Health Care Directive, your doctors and other medical providers will have no idea how you want to be treated. With an Advance Health Care Directive, you can ensure that your treatment wishes are honored.

This workshop not only addresses creating an Advance Health Care Directive, but in addition, if you already have a directive, bring it to the workshop for updating.

To register, contact VMA Services Coordinator Cristina Silva at 408-238-4029 or csilva@ncphs.org. Attendance is limited to 30 participants.

Information for this article excerpted from "What is an Advance Health Care Directive" by John M. Daley.

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CLASSIFICATION	Present Month	YTD 2017	YTD 2016
<b>ACCIDENTS</b>			
1) PERSONAL INJURY	0	1	0
2) AUTO	1	8	5
3) HIT & RUN	0	0	0
4) GOLF CART	0	1	0
5) MISCELLANEOUS	0	0	0
<b>AFTER HOURS REQUESTS</b>			
1) LIGHTS	20	211	669
2) FACILITIES	16	66	79
3) SPRINKLERS	8	16	10
4) LANDSCAPE	0	9	8
5) ACTIVITIES	1	4	4
6) MISCELLANEOUS	0	0	0
7) GOLF MAINTENANCE	0	0	0
8) FOOD & BEVERAGE	0	0	0
9) BUSINESS OFFICE	0	0	0
10) PRO SHOP	0	0	0
11) WATER LEAKS (OUTSIDE)	2	9	11
12) ALARM ACTIVATION	4	8	10
<b>ANIMAL</b>			
1) COMPLAINTS	3	20	34
2) TRAP REQUEST	0	0	0
3) LOST	1	3	6
4) FOUND	0	1	6
<b>CITATIONS</b>			
1) PARKING	1	4	3
2) SPEEDING	76	160	242
3) STOP SIGN	6	44	3
4) MISCELLANEOUS	2	10	14
5) ACC	0	0	0
<b>DISTURBANCE</b>	0	2	1
<b>FIRE / SMOKE</b>	1	2	0
<b>HAZARDOUS CONDITION</b>	1	3	7
<b>LIFELINE</b>			
1) HELP NEEDED	2	11	24
2) FALSE ALARM	1	8	32
3) INACTIVITY	0	0	0
4) MAINTENANCE	0	0	0
<b>MEDICAL EMERGENCY</b>	48	242	223
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>	11	95	89
<b>PROPERTY</b>			
1) DAMAGED	6	17	18
2) LOST	0	3	4
3) FOUND	0	3	1
4) VANDALIZED	0	0	1
5) STOLEN	3	17	21
<b>PUBLIC SAFETY</b>			
1) COMPLAINT	18	81	102
2) REQUEST	29	137	173
<b>RESIDENT ASSIST</b>	27	132	127
<b>RESIDENT WELFARE CHECK</b>	13	63	79
<b>SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES</b>	0	0	4
<b>TRESPASSING</b>			
1) AUTO	0	0	0
2) PERSON	0	1	0
<b>UNLOCKS</b>	37	155	202
<b>UNSECURED AREA</b>	10	36	19

**HI NEIGHBOR**

Please help us say hi to **Nan and Peter Holmes**, two new residents of Village Verano who moved here from Ypsilanti, Michigan. Nan is a retired psychologist—sometimes teaching, sometimes practicing with persons with developmental disabilities, mental illness, anxiety disorders, or depression. Peter also specialized in psychology, having been a professor for 30 years at East Michigan University, and 10 years as a behavioral consultant for children with autism. In her spare time, Nan enjoys exercise, photography, reading and travel. Peter also enjoys travel, as well as swimming, tennis, hiking and mushroom hunting.

Please give a warm welcome to **Yasuko Sasano Barton and Edward David Barton**, two new Del Lago Villagers. Yasuko was born and raised in Tokushima City, 200 miles southwest of Osaka, Japan. David was born in Hartford, CT, then attended higher education New York, Washington and Tokyo. He spent "15 happy years" teaching Linguistics and Phonology in Japan. During this time, he met Yasuko at the church they both attended and two years later they were married. In 1972 they moved to Dallas, Texas where their two sons were born, and within a decade moved to San Jose where they ran two businesses—Bartco International Inc. and AcuVoice Inc. In their free time, Yasuko enjoys flower arranging and Japanese tea ceremony, while David enjoys writing—he has written 30 books so far! According to David, "every day we hear ourselves saying how glad we are to be part of The Villages."

Please help us welcome **Karen and Wayne Hokanson**, who moved to Village Hermosa last year. They are both Bay Area natives—Wayne was born in San Jose, while Karen was born in San Francisco but moved to East San Jose when she was two weeks old! Karen currently works as the Library Assistant at Silver Oak Elementary School, and loves working with children, staff and parents. She has a passion for rocks, rock collecting and geology. Wayne is retired from the Santa Clara County Fire Department, after a career that included being deputy fire marshal, fire marshal at Lockheed, emergency communications dispatcher, school bus driver, and Zamboni driver. His hobbies/interests include model railroading, trainspotting, local history and traveling. Karen and Wayne have been married for more than 38 years!

# BRIDGE HAND

By J.M.K.

## NORTH

♠ A 10 3  
♥ A Q 5 4 2  
♦ J 10 9 7  
♣ 4

## WEST

♠ Q  
♥ K 10 7  
♦ 5 4 2  
♣ A 9 7 6 5 3

## EAST

♠ K 8 7 4  
♥ J 8 6 3  
♦ K 10 6  
♣ J 8 2

## SOUTH

♠ J 9 6 5 2  
♥ 9  
♦ A Q 8 3  
♣ K Q 10

Dealer: West

Vulnerability: North/South

Bidding:	West	North	East	South
	Pass	Pass*	Pass	1 Spade
	2 Clubs	2 Hearts	Pass	2 NoTrump
	Pass	4 Spades	All Pass	

Contract: 4 Spades by South

Opening Lead: 5 of Diamonds

South has 1 or 2 losers in Spades, possible 1 in Diamonds, and at least 1 in Clubs.

Strategy: By looking at the board and his hand, he realizes there will be shortages in various suits. Therefore it would be a good idea to take out trumps first and then set up the Diamonds.

West leads the 5 of Diamonds, Jack, King, South wins with the Ace, switches to a Spade, West, the Queen, and the Ace from the board. He plays the 10 of Spades, East ducks, then South plays the 3, and East takes the trick with the King. He leads a Club, South, the King, West covers with the Ace, and follows with another Diamond. South plays the Queen, leads the Jack of Spades, then a Heart, finesses the Queen, continues with the Ace, sluffs a Club from his hand, and next plays the 10 and 9 of Diamonds. He leads a Heart, trumps it in his hand, and plays his last card, the Queen of Clubs. Great! The contract is made with an overtrick.

\* Some North players might open with a heart after West's initial bid.

# WHERE IN THE WORLD IS THE VILLAGER?



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May DeLucchi recently returned from a 14-day trip with the Cal Berkeley alumni to "Egypt and the eternal Nile." It was a strenuous 14 days packed with early get-ups with full-day excursions and lectures. They visited the many museums, pyramids and sphinx. Time was spent in Cairo at the Giza plateau, including the great pyramid (Pyramid of Cheops), which ranks among the seven wonders of the world. Time was spent in Aswan where they went hot air ballooning seeing the sunrise; sailed the Nile and at Luxor went to a papyrus demonstration and museum. In Luxor they were guests at the home of a farmer and his family. They shared an enjoyable lunch and the farmers showing them their home and farm. The trip more than met their expectations because of an outstanding tour guide. He not only was extremely knowledgeable and organized, he often had other surprises that were not on the regular itinerary.



Welcome to another installment of : **Along the Way—a trip down Memory Lane** with your guide to days gone by, Tom Zades. Join Tom every other week as he takes a retrospective glance into our collective memory.

(Tom can be reached at: [tzades@sbcglobal.net](mailto:tzades@sbcglobal.net))

Chances are some of today's Villagers are among those who left their parents' homes during the 1960s and traveled to places in the Southwest or the West Coast to join a "hippie commune." These were said to promote peaceful, cooperative coexistence, complete with "free love" and hallucinatory drugs. We in the Bay Area heard a lot about the "flower children" who were coming from all over the country to live in an area of San Francisco known as the Haight-Ashbury District.

The tourist companies eventually began to include bus rides through Haight-Ashbury where visitors could see the hippies first hand. I remember a picture in the newspaper of a few crazed-looking young people running alongside a tour bus holding up a long mirror so the people would see themselves, instead of the those living in "The Haight." They were in effect saying, "You are the freaks, not us!"

Timothy Leary's "Turn on, tune in, drop out," was perhaps the essential anthem of the movement, and "protest songs" were perhaps the essential music. We in the Villages Folksters sing-along group, whether we were hippies or not, enjoy singing many such songs by artists such as Bob Dylan, Simon and Garfunkel, Pete Seeger, and Peter, Paul and Mary. It is said that "Music is the sound track of our lives." To understand us, our grandchildren need to understand our music. Scary thought: to understand them, we need to understand their music!

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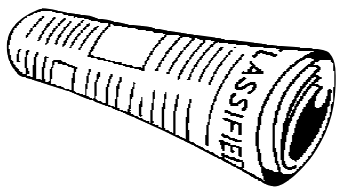
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## OBITUARY

### Gilbert Keith Chesterton March 20, 1934 – May 28, 2017



Gilbert Keith Chesterton, 83, of San Jose, California, died peacefully on May 28, 2017.

Chesterton was born March 20, 1934, to parents Newell and Esta (Bauerle) Chesterton in Bell Gardens, California and was the oldest of four brothers. He is survived by his beloved wife of 44 years Nancy Schellman, daughter Carey Gil, son-in-law Brian Gil and his three grandchildren Hannah, Holden and Alyssa Gil. He enjoyed living in the Villages in the East Foothills of San Jose near his daughter and family.

A graduate of San Jose State University and the University of

Southern California School of Journalism, Chesterton was a nationally recognized journalism educator. He served as the editor of many local papers through the years, including the Bell Gardens Review, The Spartan Daily and The Highlander (Big Bear, California). A long-time member of the California Scholastic Press Association's Board of Directors (SCJEA), in 2016 Chesterton was selected to receive the SCJEA's Lifetime Achievement Award given for a "lifetime of dedication to journalism education." While living in the Villages, Chesterton enjoyed writing profile articles on other residents for the Villages' local newspaper, The Villager.

Chesterton dedicated 50 years of his life to the California Scholastic Press Association (CSPA) Journalism Workshop at Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo, California. Mentored by its founder Ralph Alexander when he was a high school student, Chesterton went on to make it a part of his personal and professional life. Every summer he volunteered his time by advising workshop students as they produced their workshop newspaper, taught workshops and critiqued student publications. In 2008 he was elected to the CSPA Hall of Fame and retired from teaching the workshop in 2016. In addition, for 10 years he was the director and instructor of the "Newspaper by the Bay," high school journalism workshop at Stanford.

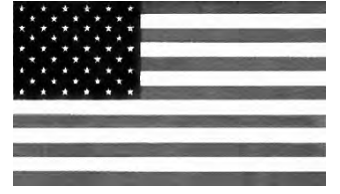
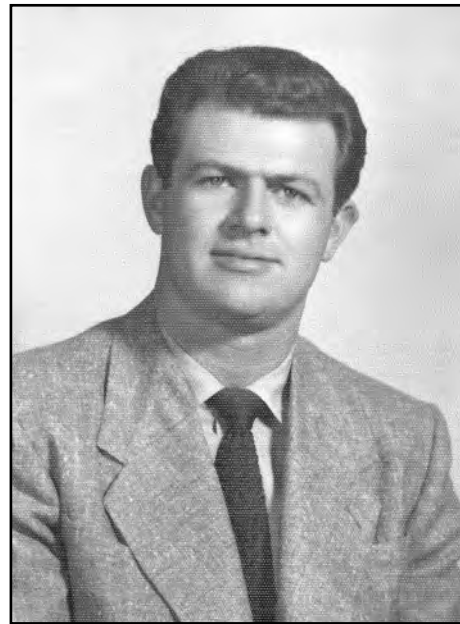
An active member of the First Presbyterian Church of North Hollywood in Valley Village, for more than 20 years Chesterton was the editor and publisher of the monthly church newspaper, The Good News. In addition to this he served in a leadership role as a church member and chair of various committees. In San Jose, Chesterton was a member of the Santa Teresa Hills Presbyterian Church where he taught Bible study classes.

Despite graduating from the University of Southern California, Chesterton was a devoted University of California Los Angeles football and basketball fan. Upon moving to the Bay Area in 2007, he became a San Francisco Giants enthusiast. He was thrilled when his daughter Carey married a man whose surname was "Gil", which became one of his favorite jokes. A jazz lover, an attentive father and grandfather, a respected member of his church, a gentle soul who attracted the devotion of any house pets within a mile radius, an esteemed teacher and a beloved husband, he will be missed by many on whom he made his indelible mark.

Celebration of Life services will be held Saturday, June 24, at Santa Teresa Hills Presbyterian Church at 5730 Snell Avenue, San Jose, California, 95123 at 10:30 a.m. In lieu of flowers the family requests any donations be made to Chesterton's favorite charity CSPA for the workshop at Cal Poly. Donations can be made on line to <http://www.cspaworkshop.org> or by mail to CSPA, 1205 Avenue H #20, Redondo Beach, CA 92077.

## OBITUARY

### William E. "Red" Cassidy July 16, 1925 – June 1, 2017



Bill Cassidy was fondly referred to by friends as "Red" for his striking red hair. A second generation native San Franciscan, he was born and raised in the Mission District where he attended Sacred Heart High School – Class of 1942. As a young boy, he sold newspapers for 3 cents on the corner of 34th and Bryant and people would use him as a landmark to give direc-

tions—turn right when you see "the freckled faced red headed boy selling newspapers." He was a 49er Faithful from the very first game, which he attended at Kezar Stadium. He was a season ticket holder, was present at Candlestick for "The Catch" and attended several of their Super Bowl wins. His fraternal grandfather came to the United States from Dublin in 1847; his maternal grandfather, Andy Pryal, came to San Francisco around the horn in the 1880s and worked for Grace Line as a clipper ship spotter.

Red was a Sergeant in the Marine Corps from 1943-1945 serving in the Pacific on various islands as a radar-radio specialist. In 1950-1951 he received a B.S. and M.A. in History from USF. He worked as a Special Agent for the FBI between 1951 and 1960 and proudly received 5 letters of commendation from Director Hoover. He and his brother Jack owned Cassidy Realty in S.F. from 1960 until 1968 when Bill and his family moved to Saratoga. He later owned Cardinal Realty. He greatly enjoyed time with his family, music, dancing and the friendships he shared as a member of the San Jose Rotary from 1976 – 1995. He also had the good fortune of travelling to more than 60 countries around the world.

He is survived by his wife Nancy, her daughter Pamela (Vahan), son Terence "Terry" (Elise), daughter Lee Ann "Missy," grandchildren Kevin (Tisa), Kim, Cara (Colin), Brian (Kate), Erin (Zach) and Kristina and 5 great-grandchildren, as well as nephews Dennis, Ross, Jay (Joey), Brian and Sean (Janet). Preceded in death by his parents Mary A. Arata (nee Pryal) and John E. Cassidy, wife Lea M. Cassidy (mother of Terry and Missy), brother John "Jack" Cassidy and sister in law Gloria, nephew William "Bill" (Carolyn) and niece Diane (Allan Biancalana). He was very thankful for With Grace Hospice and caregivers Liz, Darwin and Melvin. Donations in Bill's memory may be made to St. Jude Children's Hospital. Funeral mass will be held at St. Francis of Assisi, 5111 San Felipe Rd, San Jose on Friday, June 16 at 11 a.m.



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