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# The Villager

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#### Community TV channels:

CHANNEL 26: Club & Event notices CHANNEL 27 Currently playing:

- Fire Safety Presentation
- The Villages Fitness Center
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- Aerial Views of The Villages
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## Piano Club to present popular melodies

The audience will likely recognize the popular melodies selected by performers in the Piano Club's spring recital, Sunday, April 29 in Cribari Auditorium at 2:30 p.m. The big surprise will come when the audience hears the performers' delightfully imaginative interpretations.

Program variety is unrestricted-from "Minuet in G," a popular piece by Bach, played by June Cheim in the familiar styles of Bach. Beethoven, Mozart and Handel-topped off by June's version of "Stardust" - to Larry Broderick's innovative "Tribute to the Beatles," a wowzer of original composition. Larry Broderick is a professional pianist and a new member of the Piano Club.

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## Get your 'Colors of Spring' tickets on Wednesdays

A Purple People Eater?! At the Voices "Colors of Spring" concert? Indeed! From a song with purple to "Yellow Submarine" and "Blue Moon," you will rejoice "What a Wonderful World." Buy your reserved seats for \$15 on Wednesday nights, April 18 and 25, from 6 to 7 p.m. in Foothill Center. (No ticket sales this Saturday, April 21.)

Choose reserved seats for Friday, May 4, at 7:30 p.m. or the matinees following on Saturday and Sunday at 2:30 p.m.

"The variety of songs, the special solos, and the musical instrumentation create a special program. Don't miss it!" said President Pam Pierson.

Who's the Purple People Eater? Ed Updegraff, of course! Brigid Moreton solos in "Light of a Clear Blue Morning" with the Village Voices

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## Two generations, one creative gene!



Laurie holds Guilda Giraffe who is on her last tour before she makes her permanent home at a vineyard in Santa Rosa.

Caroline Ritchey, Villager for over 38 years, and daughter Laurie Porges Truman, now a second-generation Villager for eight years, bring their creative gene to Art in the Park 2018 on Saturday, April 28, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Gazebo Park.

Caroline was an original crafter at the holiday faires years ago, with her miniature beaded Christmas trees. This year she is back playing with clay again, showing her spring and summer bird sets.

Laurie is getting to be known for her custom ceramic totems, which she will sculpt and paint to commemorate what you love, your family clan, or for an original art presentation that compliments your life. She will have three of her one-of-a-kind, threedimensional totems at Art in the Park and will be available to consult with you if you are considering this art for yourself or

As you can see, the Art in the Park committee 2018 is bringing their A-game with now 45 vendors! This is not only the largest group of talent but the most unique and outstanding collection of arts and crafts. Then there's the cookie sale and classy 'artsy' door prizes. You are literally in for more treats and won't want to miss this really fun day! Pack an extra \$5 for a bag of creative

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## Get personalized health info at Saturday's VMA health fair

How's your hearing? Is your blood glucose normal? Has your blood pressure gone up or down? Are your cognitive skills where you want them? Those and more questions can be answered at "Just for the Health of It," the VMAsponsored health fair that takes place this Saturday in Cribari Center, 10 a.m.

to 2 pm. Admission is free.



Several health screenings will be part of the fair's offerings: blood pressure, blood glucose, balance, hearing, mild cognitive impairment and risk for falls. There will be demonstrations of the Healing Touch method and various pain management devices and techniques. Back In Form will be offering free chair massages in their booth. In addition, more than 50 vendor booths will dispense information and advice; there will be presentations by experts on Healing Touch, Cannabis

for Seniors and the Life-long Athlete. Enjoy snacks from New Seasons while you listen to the accomplished young harpists on the Auditorium stage. And be there for the opportunity drawings—over \$1000 in prizes will be given away.

## La Bella Musica is this Saturday tickets available

The Villages Italian Club invites all Villagers and their guests to La Bella Musica II in Cribari Auditorium this Sunday, April 22 from 2 to 4 p.m. Tickets will be available at the door.

Don't miss the new rendition of La Bella Musica inspired by 2017's fabulous program that drew a standing ovation from all who attended. It fea-

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# 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.

- 1 Pulse letters received this week.
- 1 Pulse letter withdrawn by author.
- 0 Pulse letters published this week.

THE VILLAGES GOLF AND COUNTRY CLUB
VILLAGES ASSOCIATION
VILLAGES HOMEOWNERS' CORPORATION
BOARDS OF DIRECTORS
VILLAGES MANAGEMENT

Cordially invite you, our Villages' volunteers, to a reception in your honor

"DONUT" Know
What We'd Do Without You



Friday, April 27 1:30 p.m. The Villages Clubhouse

## **IN MEMORIAM**

Jim McCandless December 5, 1929 — April 6, 2018

> William (Bill) Pitts 1925 — 2018

In Memoriam notices are run free of charge.

Notices include name of deceased, date of birth and date of passing. Brief notices of memorial gatherings may be included with the notice, providing event is held in a Villages' facility.

#### **DEADLINES**

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Call 408-223-4655 to report missed deliveries.

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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 at 408-528-8456, Barbara Karayn 202-641-6339, Lou Lively-Singh 408-838-5555, Tom Moore 408-262-8467, Pamela Oliver-Lyons 408-693-9250, and Peggie Romanow 408-528-8732.

#### HOURS

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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 highlighting life at The Villages.

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# Boards & Committees

#### 2018 Director Elections—Just around the corner!

#### By Julia Meadows, Assistant General Manager

The three Villages Corporations (Club, Association and Homeowners Corporation) are preparing for this year's annual membership meetings and elections. Elections will be conducted in May and June and this year's annual meetings will be held on Wednesday, June 13 at 4 p.m. in The Villages Clubhouse. *The Villager* newspaper will soon begin publishing candidate statements and candidate questions and answers. **Candidates' Night is scheduled for Tuesday, May 8, at 7 p.m. in the Cribari Auditorium.** 

#### **Board of Directors Elections**

**Club.** There will be three director vacancies on the Club Board. The Amended and Restated Bylaws of the Corporation provide that there shall be seven directors. The three directors for which terms expire are Howie Blumstein, Debbie Champion, and Mike Poellot. Per the Bylaws, all are eligible to run for re-election. Those who will continue to serve during the ensuing year are Rick Casey, Jim Neill, Wayne Weiler and Bob Wilk. At the Club's April 10 study session, the Club Nominating Committee announced Howie Blumstein, Jan Champion, and Mike Falarski as its candidate nominations. In addition, per the Club Bylaws, any Member in Good Standing may also place his or her in nomination for election to the Board by filing with the Secretary of the Club (Mike Poellot) a notice of intent signed by at least two percent (2 percent) of the Members in Good Standing of the Club (51). Self-nominations for the annual election of Directors must be received no later than 5 p.m. on May 1, 2018.

The Club Board has set May 1, 2018 as the Record Date (Bylaws Section 3.6) for the 2018 Director Election and IRS Resolution vote. Only those Members in the records of the Club on May 1, 2018, shall be entitled to notice, and only Members in Good Standing as of the record date shall be entitled to vote.

**Association.** On the Association's Board, there will also be three director vacancies. As with the Club, the Amended and Restated Bylaws of the Association Corporation provide that there shall be seven directors. The three directors for which terms expire are Sherry Benz, John Campbell, and Peter Nicholls. Per the Bylaws, Sherry Benz and Peter Nicholls are eligible to run for re-election. Those who will continue to serve during the ensuing year are Garry Ashby, Brooks Fuller, Matthew Giordono, and Frank Veloz. The Association Nominating Committee will announce its candidate nominations at the Association's April 24 monthly meeting. In addition, any Member who satisfies the qualifications set forth in Section 5.2 of the Association Bylaws may place his or her name in nomination for election to the Association Board by giving written notice to the President (Peter Nicholls) or Secretary (Sherry Benz) of the Association. Notice of self nomination must be received prior to the Association's deadline for nominations which is May 1, 2018.

The Association Board has set May 1, 2018 as the Record Date (Bylaws Section 3.6) for the 2018 Director Election. Only those Members in the records of the Association on May 1, 2018, shall be entitled to notice and only members in Good Standing as of the record date shall be entitled to vote.

**Homeowners.** The Homeowners' Corporation Board will have two director vacancies. The Second Amended and Restated Bylaws of the Homeowners' Corporation provide that there will be five directors. The two directors for which terms expire are Julian Rodriguez and Greg Stewart. Both are eligible to run for re-election. Those who will continue to serve during the ensuing year are Mike Kane, Teddy Morse, and Jeannie Omel. Any Member in Good Standing may place his or her name in nomination for election to the Board by giving written notice to the President (Teddy Morse) or Secretary (Greg Stewart) of the Corporation no later than 5 p.m. on May 1, 2018. To date Greg Stewart and Ron Steckel have declared their candidacies.

**IRS Resolutions.** For all three corporations, vote packages will also include a 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.

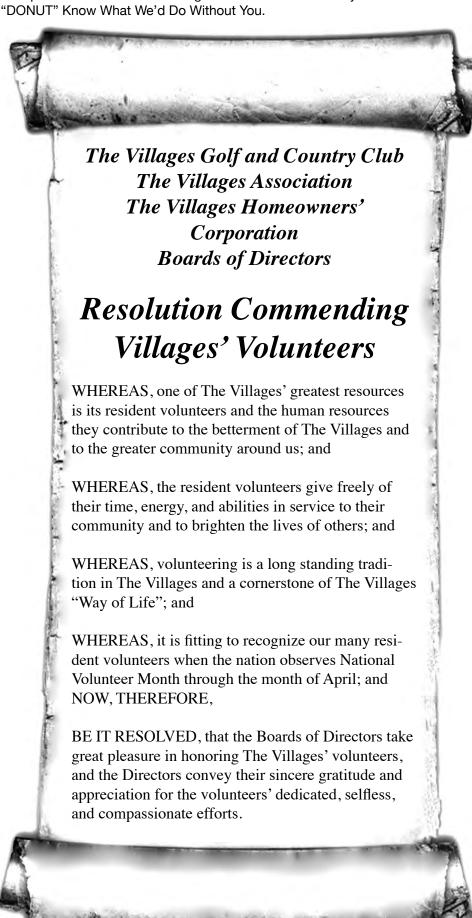
Inspectors of Election. In addition, all three Villages' corporate Boards have appointed Vera Buescher, Claudia Nicolai and Jeanne Filice as Inspectors of Election to perform any acts as may be proper to conduct the election with fairness to all members and also to perform their duties impartially, including, but not limited to, assigning persons to assist in counting and tabulating votes as the inspectors deem appropriate.

All ballot packages are scheduled to be distributed May 11 with the deadline of Monday, June 11, at 8:00 a.m. for the return of ballots. Ballot counting will take place in an open meeting on Tuesday, June 12 at 9:30 a.m. in Vineyard Center and the results are to be announced the following day, Wednesday, June 13 at the annual meetings.

Along with voting, your Boards encourage you to attend the Annual Meetings of the Members on Wednesday, June 13 at 4 p.m. in the Clubhouse. After the conclusion of the meetings, members will be treated to a community celebration with refreshments.

### Volunteer Recognition Reception is April 27

Annually, the Boards of Directors and Management honor their appointed committee members and other community volunteers. The recognition reception is held each April, during National Volunteer Recognition month. This year the volunteer recognition reception will be held on Friday, April 27 from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Clubhouse. Villages volunteers are cordially invited to celebrate "DONUT" Know What We'd Do Without You.



More BOARDS & COMMITTEES, MANAGEMENT and COMMUNITY NOTICES on pages 4 & 5

# MANAGEMENT

## **PUBLIC SAFETY**

### Age Well, Drive Smart Program for older drivers

The California Highway Patrol (CHP) will be offering an "Age Well, Drive Smart Program" on Wednesday, May 16. This class is designed to help senior drivers with their driving skills, understand the rules of the road, learn about age related physical changes and how to adjust.

As we age, our reflexes diminish, our vision changes, our depth perception get skewed, and we lose our driving edge. We all want to keep our driving independence. This class will hopefully give you the skill set to keep doing that, or make you realize that it is time to hang up the keys.

This course will be offered on a first come first serve basis, and limited seats (70) are available.

Where: Cribari Auditorium When: Wednesday, May 16 Time: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

What to bring: Yourself and a writing instrument

Contact: 408-239-5247

Cost: Free

When you call to reserve your seat, please leave your name, house number, and phone number. You will be contacted to confirm your reservation.

## Missed your Villager?

If you missed delivery of your weekly copy of *The Villager*, please call 408-223-4655 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—and download the current and past editions to your computer.

#### Super Savvy Travelers. Your Villages Travel Consultants.



Imagine yourself sipping a cocktail on a balcony perched high atop the rim of a volcano overlooking the Mediterranean. The white village of Santorini, Greece stretches out in front of you tumbling into the crystal blue sea beyond.

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Picture yourself in a winery in Tuscany tasting this year's harvest. Your driver awaits to whisk you to the next winery and then a fabulous dinner in front of a romantic Tuscan sunset.

Tomorrow it is Florence and the breathtaking creations of the Renaissance masters.

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## New Resident Orientation Meeting

The next New Resident Orientation will be held at 3:30 p.m. in the Fairway Room at the Clubhouse on Wednesday, May 2, 2018.

New residents must attend the orientation. Be sure to sign in at the meeting, with your name and address, to confirm your attendance.

For more information, call the Public Safety Administration office at 408-239-5246, option 2.

## **ENCROACHMENTS**

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

5322 Cribari Glen — Walkway

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

## How to report broken Fitness Center equipment

Fitness Center users are asked to contact the Community Activities office, 408-223-4643, when a piece of equipment is found broken. A contracted commercial fitness equipment maintenance and repair vendor conducts monthly preventative maintenance on the equipment, but occasionally equipment fails between visits. By contacting the Community Activities office when a problem is found, a work order can be placed promptly.

#### Villages Medical Auxiliary Since 1976

Office: 408-238-4230 Hours: Monday to Thursday, 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Service Coordinator: 408-238-4029



## April Programing

Just for the Health of It Festival: Don't miss this wonderful event this Saturday! There will be over 50 vendors, representatives from Assembly Member Ash Kalra's office proving information on Aging and Long-Term Care bills in legislature; snacks from New Seasons, guest speakers on Healing touch, Cannabis, and the Life Long Athlete; music from talented Harpists, health screenings, chair massages and prizes! Saturday, April 21, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Cribari Center.

**Grief Support Group:** a facilitator from Hospice of the Valley leads this bi-monthly grief group. Monday, April 23, 10:30 a.m. – 12 p.m., Cribari Redwood Room.

**Diabetes Support Group:** a place to share experiences and techniques for successful management of diabetes. Wednesday, April 25, 10 a.m. to 12 p.m., Cribari Redwood Room

## Coming in May

**Death and Dignity:** Tuesday, May 22, 10 a.m., Vineyard Center

**Advanced Health Care Directive:** Tuesday, May 22, 1 to 3 p.m., Montgomery Center

For further information about programs or to register please contact VMA Social Service Coordinator Cristina Freyer at cfreyer@ncphs.org or 408-238-4029.

# GOVERNANCE MEETINGS

## **THE DACs**

## Hermosa DAC to meet April 26

The Hermosa DAC will be meeting Thursday, April 26 at 3 p.m. at Vineyard

## Verano DAC to meet April 30

Please Note: Date Change. The next Verano DAC Meeting will be Monday, April 30, at 4 p.m. at Vineyard Center. All Verano residents are encouraged to attend our meeting where Peter Nicholls and Meg Flanagan will be sharing the 2018/19 budget and HOA fee schedules. We will also update residents on the lighting project, landscaping and other topics of general interest.

## **AC NOTICE**

Association applications for Owner Alteration Requests for the month of May are due to the Architectural Committee on or before April 20, 2018. See Elissa at the Corporation Yard office to obtain an application. Meeting date is scheduled for May 3, 2018 at 9 a.m. The meeting is being held in the Foothill Center. Association AC Landscape meeting deadline date is April 20, 2018.

## **BOARD MEETINGS**

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

#### Association

The Villages Association Board of Directors Study Session will be held Tuesday, April 24, at 9:15 a.m. in the Clubhouse.

The Villages Associaton Board of Directors regular monthly meeting will be held Tuesday, April 24, immediately following the Study Session in the Clubhouse.

The Villages Golf & Country Club regular monthly meeting will be held Tuesday, April 24, at 1:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse.

#### Homeowners

The Villages Homeowners' Corporation Board of Directors Budget Approval Meeting will be held Thursday, April 26, at 9 a.m. in the Cribari Conference Room. Other items on the agenda include Approval of 2018 Annual Meeting and election materials, Resolution pertaining to properties on the golf course, and to delete 'good neighbor" fencing language as it pertains to Club and Association properties.

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 408-754-1341 to arrange for space to be available. You may e-mail your copy to: ktran@the-villages.com

More COMMUNITY NOTICES

## **SENIOR RESOURCE SERVICES**

### New Medicare cards

New Medicare cards have started to be issued. The new cards will be issued between April 2018 and April 2019 to all people with Medicare. The cards are being issued by geography and will begin arriving in California in May.

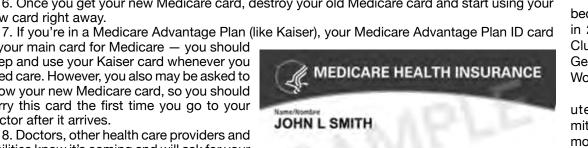
#### 10 things to know about your new Medicare card

- 1. Your new card will automatically come to you. You don't need to do anything.
- 2. Your new card will have a new Medicare Number that's unique to you, instead of your Social Security Number. This will help to protect your identity.
  - 3. Your Medicare coverage and benefits will stay the same.
  - 4. Mailing takes time. Your card may arrive at a different time than your friend's or neighbor's. 5. Your new card is paper, which is easier for medical providers to use and copy.
  - 6. Once you get your new Medicare card, destroy your old Medicare card and start using your
- new card right away.
- is your main card for Medicare you should keep and use your Kaiser card whenever you need care. However, you also may be asked to show your new Medicare card, so you should carry this card the first time you go to your doctor after it arrives.
- 8. Doctors, other health care providers and facilities know it's coming and will ask for your new Medicare card when you need care, so carry it with you.
- 9. Only give your new Medicare Number to doctors, pharmacists, other health care providers, your insurers, or people you trust to work with Medicare on your behalf.

10. If you forget your new card, you, your

doctor or other health care provider should be able to look up your Medicare Number online. To the right is an example of the new card. The numbers and letters are assigned randomly and have nothing to do with your Social Security number.

Note: The Senior Resource Services SRS Announcement: are Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 10 a.m. to noon. The SRS office is in the Cribari Center across from the Post Office. You may purpose of SRS is to provide education and general business and financial information. All assistance is free and confidential. You your individual situation.



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## Sustaining Donors

#### **Bv Rita Karlsten**

Four of our generous sustaining donors are being highlighted today.

Carol and Ken Begley became donors in 2016. Carol is a former EVF Board member and currently serves as the Board's

**FOUNDATION FOCUS** 

Administrative Assistant for Correspondence. Ken has filled the role of VMA treasurer for several years.

Bob and Geri Wilks became sustaining donors in 2015. Bob is a current Club Board member and Geri serves on the 18 Hole Women's Board.

It only takes a few minutes and a small commitment, as little as \$5 a month, to become a sustaining donor. Download the Authorization Form from our website www. evfsj.org or pick one up at the Information Center across from the Forum Room in Cribari Center.

All the donations are used for capital improvements to improve our community.



**Ken and Carol Begley** 



**Bob and Geri Wilk** 

## (SRS) office hours for drop-in assistance Medicare & health insurance counseling April 26

Villagers are discovering how fortunate we are to have a HICAP volunteer who comes to The Villages.

A HICAP counselor will be at The Villages on Thursday morning, April 26. HICAP (Health Insurance Counseling & also leave a message at 408-239-5253. The Advocacy Program) is a non-profit volunteer-based counseling program to help senior citizens needing education and assistance with the complexities of Medicare, supplemental health insurance and Health Maintenance Organizations.

To schedule a one-on-one appointment at the SRS office, call Sourcewise at 408-350-3200 option 2 and tell them you want an appointment at The Villages. If you are already on Medicare, please bring your Medicare number and should ask your professional adviser about ID cards of any other health insurance plans you have. Also, please bring your detailed list of medications including name, strength and dosage.

# ENDAR OF EVENTS

Friday, 8:30 a.m. 8:45 a.m. 9 a.m. 9 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10 a.m.	April 20 Jazzercise Catholic Mass Game Day VGC: Golf Course Open Studio Quilters	RED,	A CR SEQ BGA AR P	2 p.m. 6 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 6:45 p.m. 7 p.m. 7:30 p.m.
10 a.m.	Tai Chi		FC	Tuesda
10:30 a.m.	Line Dance		MMP	9 a.m.
1 p.m.	Ceramics		CER	9 a.m.
2 p.m.	Table Tennis		MMP	9 a.m.
3 p.m.	Bocce Bash		BC	9 a.m.
3 p.m.	Handbells		AR	9:15 a.m.
6 p.m.	Chinese Club		RED	10 a.m.

## Saturday, April 21

7:30 p.m. Jewish Services

6 p.m.

8 a.m.	Health Fair	C. CTR
9 a.m.	Ukulele Singing	VC
10 a.m.	Table Tennis	MMP

Mex. Train Domino

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7:15 a.m.	Catholic Choir Practic	CR
8:15 a.m.	Catholic Mass	Α
8:30 a.m.	Episcopal Services	MC
9 a.m.	Chapel Choir Rehearsal	SEQ
9:30 a.m.	Chapel Worship	F
10 a.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
11 a.m.	Chapel Fellowship	CR
2 p.m.	Italian Club Event	Α
4 p.m.	Korean Club	VC
4 p.m.	Just For Fun Golf	GP

## Monday. April 23

Auditorium

**Bocce Courts** 

Cribari Club Rm.

Conference Rm.

Corporation Yard

Montgomery Center

Montgomery MP Room

Foothill Center

Foothill Pool

Art Room

Building A

Ceramics

Clubhouse

Forum

Gazebo

Sequoia

Redwood

Patio Room

Terrace Room

Vineyard Center

Lobby

Α AR

BC

**BGA** 

**CER** 

**CCR** 

СН

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CY

FC

**FHP** 

**SEQ** 

MC

**MMP** 

**RED** 

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8:30 a.m.	Jazzercise	Α	10
9 a.m.	Game Day RE	D, SEQ	1
9 a.m.	VGC: Golf Course	F	1:
10 a.m.	Beginning Watercolor	AR	2
10 a.m.	Cardio Class	Α	2
10 a.m.	Line Dance	MMP	6
10:30 a.m.	Grief Support	Р	
1 p.m.	Ceramics	CER	
1 p.m.	Open Studio	AR	
1 p.m.	Stitchery	Р	
1:30 p.m.	News Junkies	CR	_

**EVENT LOCATIONS** 

#### 2 p.m. 6 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 6:45 p.m.

(Cribari)

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Table Tennis
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	9 a.m.	Game Day RED,	SEQ	9:30 a.m.	Hiking Club Board	F
,	9 a.m.	High Intensity Workout	Α	9:30 a.m.	Experi. Watercolor	AR
	9 a.m.	Line Dance	MMP	9:45 a.m.	Beginning Line Dance	MMP
	9:15 a.m.	Association Board	CH	10 a.m.	Republican Club	FC
	10 a.m.	Acrylics and Oil Studio	AR	10 a.m.	Walking Class	Α
	10 a.m.	ADL Parkinson Class	Α	11:15 a.m.	<u> </u>	MMP
	10 a.m.	High Twelve Board	F	12:30 p.m.		CH
	11 a.m.	9 Hole Women Mixer	GP	1 p.m.	Ukulele Club	Р
	11:15 a.m.	Yoga	MMP	2 p.m.	Ceramics	CER
	11:30 a.m.	PEO Luncheon	CH	2 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
	11:30 a.m.	Walking Class	Α	2 p.m.	Bible Study	MC
,	12 p.m.	High Twelve Luncheon	MC	3 p.m.	Chapel Choir Rehearsa	CR
	1 p.m.	Ceramics	CER	4 p.m.	18 Hole Hole In One Party	•
	1:30 p.m.		CH	5:30 p.m.	Republican Club Dinner	
	2 p.m.	Piano Club	Α	6 p.m.	Bridge Club	RED
	2 p.m.	OSHER Class	VC	7 p.m.	Hermosa DAC Potluck	
	2 p.m.	Table Tennis		7 p.m.	Folksters	CR
	3:30 p.m.	Tennis Club Board	Р			

Friday. April 27

Jazzercise

8:30 a.m.

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6:45 p.m. Band Rehearsal

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weane	sday, April 25		9 a.m.	Game Day RED	, SEQ
8:30 a.m.	Jazzercise	Α	9:30 a.m.	<b>Bocce Captains Meet</b>	MC
9 a.m.	Game Day	SEQ	9:30 a.m.	Open Studio	AR
9:30 a.m.	Bible Study	Р	10 a.m.	Quilting	Р
10 a.m.	Collage Critique	AR	10 a.m.	Tai Chi	FC
10 a.m.	Diabetic Support Group	CR	10:30 a.m.	Line Dance	MMP
10 a.m.	Tai Chi	FC	1 p.m.	Ceramics	CER
10 a.m.	Total Body Fitness	Α	1:30 p.m.	Volunteer Recognition	CH
1 p.m.	Open Studio	AR	2 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
1:30 p.m.	Movie: Flor F. Jenkins	CR	3 p.m.	Bocce Boot Camp	BC
2 p.m.	Village Readers Social	MC	3 p.m.	Hand Bell Rehearsal	CR
2 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP	•	Bocce Bash	BC
6 p.m.	Dance Fusion	MMP	6 p.m.	Mex. Trains Dominoes	MC

2018 Look What's Coming

Mark your calendars and watch The Villager for details on upcoming events!

Regist	er in Building B.		
Date	Event	In Villager	Registration
4/26	Marin Tour		SOLD OUT
5/10	Italian for a Day — SF		NOW
5/12	Color Purple – Orpheum		SOLD OUT
5/16	Treasure Island Tour		SOLD OUT
5/19	Giants vs. Rockies		NOW
5/31	New Sites of San Francisco Tour		NOW
6/9	Jersey Boys - Broadway SJ		NOW
6/14	Presidio Tour		NOW
6/24	Giants vs. San Diego		NOW
6/29	Rooftop Tour	5/10	5/14
7/15	Giants vs. Oakland	5/17	5/21
7/20	Barbary Coast Tour	5/17	5/21
7/26	Marin Adventures	5/17	5/21
		(Con	tinued on page 11)

## Now Playing 27 Every 3-Hours Starting at 12, 3, 6 & 9 am & pm

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**Aerial Views** of The Villages

Except during the Channel 27 Weekend

Movie 8 pm to Midnight ht Saturday & Sunday Midnight to 4 am

Sunday\_ 4 to 8 pm

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Club events & notices More information on

Noon to 4 pm

ResidentPortal resident.thevillagesgcc.com
In the Facilities & Amenities section

#### Complimentary WiFi is available at a variety of Villages public facilities

Network: Villages public Password: villages









# 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. Bring water, snacks and lunch, and always wear layered clothing appropriate to the current weather; hats and sunscreen are also recommended.

**Saturday, April 21: Hike our Hill Lands.** Rich and Wendy will lead a hike up our hill to the Mail Box, starting at the upper garden. All level hikers welcome...we plan a leisurely hike with lunch at the picnic tables at the top of the hill. Bring sticks, water and lunch. 8:30 a.m. meet and greet; 8:45 a.m. start hiking!

Wednesday, April 25 (Rambler): Gary and Terry Holmquist (408-531-9779) will lead a "lunch hike" to the Silver Creek Valley Country Club House. This hilly 6-7 mile hike (roundtrip) will weave through the exclusive mansion neighborhoods of the country club. Return transportation (SUV) will be available from the Clubhouse to the Villages. If you plan to attend, please notify Gary or Terry at 408-531-9779 by Monday, April 23. They will make 11:30 a.m. lunch reservations (required) at the Clubhouse. Bring your Villages identification card. Please arrive at the Cribari Center at 9:45 a.m. for a 10 a.m. departure.

Saturday April 28: Wate and Johanna Bakker (223 2190) will lead long and rambler hikes in the Russian Ridge area along skyline Boulevard. Wate will lead a 7-8 mile hike, Johanna a 4-5 mile walk. Both hikes will visit areas on Russian Ridge, known for beautiful wild flower displays with many different species of flowers. Elevation differences will be modest, probably less than 1000 ft. Bring water and a light lunch. Dress seasonably in layers Afterwards we will stop in Saratoga for coffee or another beverage (optional). Round trip car mileage about 80.

## **POLE WALKERS CALENDAR**

All walks start at 8:30 a.m. unless otherwise noted.

Monday, April 23: Meet at Gazebo for a walk in the park.

Wednesday, April 25: Meet at club parking lot and carpool/walk

Friday, April 27: Meet at Montgomery Center.

Monday, April 30: Meet at club parking lot. Walk to the Catholic Church on San Felipe. Go to the Entrance of the new Parking Lot and walk down the right side to the big wide stairs— with great hand rails. Get exercise by walking up and down. Breathe Deeply. Walk back to the Parking Lot. You may want to stop at the Caspian Restaurant on the way back. Wednesday, May 2: Meet at club parking lot and carpool/walk to New Season

**Friday, May 4:** Take Villages Parkway to Olivas Circle. Turn Right on French Oak. Left on Solera and park.

**Monday, May 7:** Meet at Gazebo for a walk in the neighborhood. **Wednesday, May 9:** Meet at club parking lot. Carpool/walk to McDonald.

Friday, May 11: Meet at Fairway and Hermosa

**Monday, May 14:** Meet at club parking lot for a walk in the park. **Wednesday, May 16:** Meet at club parking lot. Carpool/walk to Evergreen Plaza.

**Friday, May 18:** Meet at club parking lot. Carpool to Coyote Creed, Pierce Parking Lot

Monday, May 21: Meet at Gazebo for a walk in the neighborhood. Wednesday, May 23: Meet at club parking lot. Carpool/walk to LaBou

**Friday, May 25:** Meet at Montgomery Center For further information, contact:

**Bingo** - Remy - 650-776-8850, remypessah@mail.com

Blogs - Marion - logiem@sbcglobal.net

**Bocce** - Tony - 408-799-9668 tonyorlando49@yahoo.com

Games - Rick or Tony - 858-349-2292, rwodicka@hotmail.com Special Events - Discuss in Tailgate Meetings and make individual reservations per information in the Villager

## What's Happening in ARTS & CRAFTS?

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

Website: www.villagesartsandcrafts.org

Contact: President Monita Bowman at monita.bowman@gmail.com

\*Registration contact: Barbara Gottesman at barb.gottesman@gmail.com

\*\*RSVP for Coloring Party: Wendy Ledamun at wledamun49@gmail.com

\*\*\* **RSVP to:** Judy Wessler at judywessler@gmail.com

Ceramics Room: Open Studio Monday to Friday. See website.

April 27: Bring in donated cookies for Art in the Park. Fri. 2 – 4 p.m. Cribari Auditorium.

April 28: Art in the Park. Gazebo Park. 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

April 30: Arts and Crafts Advisory Board meeting. Monday 3 p.m. Art Room.

May 7: Regular Monthly Meeting. Cribari Conf. Rm. 1:45 p.m. Demonstration with George Rivera who will provide critique and feedback for paintings brought in by members.

May 8: Art film. 7 p.m. Vineyard Center.

May 15: Adult Coloring Party. Tues. 7 p.m. Art Room. \*\*

**May 15 – June 19:** Oil and Acrylic Painting from the Beginning with Jane Hink. Six Tuesdays. 10 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. in Art Rm. \$60. \*

**Open studio:** Wed. 1 p.m. with Jane Hink - 408-270-8922. Fridays with Joan Fury - 408-274-8728. **Stitchery:** Mondays at 1 p.m. Cribari. Call Roberta at 408-218-8372.

## SENIOR ACADEMY CALENDAR

**News Junkies** - Monday, April 23 at 1:30 p.m. in the Cribari Conference Room. Free to all Villagers. **"Art in America – from Colonial Times to the Civil War"** - Tuesdays, May 8 and 15 at 2 p.m. in the Vineyard Center. A two-session course, \$25 for Senior Academy members - \$30 for non-members. Registration is required; contact Bev Murphy at 408-613-2499 or use the Senior Academy "Reggie" system online.

"The Search for Extraterrestrials" - Thursday, May 10 at 2 p.m. in the Foothill Center. A Free Event - No Registration

## **CAMERA CLUB**

**Friday, April 20:** May photo competition for members opens for entries. For membership information, contact Ray Blinde at 408-531-1776 or rwblinde@earthlink.net.

**Monday, May 7:** Competition Night from 7 to 9 p.m. in Cribari Conference Room. Categories: Projected Images (Pictorial, Nature, Creative, Journalism); Prints (Pictorial [color], Pictorial [monochrome], Travel, Journalism).

**Monday, May 21:** David Coleman speaks on Composition in Photography from 7 to 9 p.m. in the Cribari Conference Room.

**Monday, June 4:** Year-end picnic and competition at Foothill Center at 5 p.m. Members and spouses. Details later.



## **MUSIC SOCIETY: TAKE NOTE**

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

Sunday, April 29: Spring Piano Club Concert at 2:30 p.m. No charge.

**Friday, Saturday, Sunday, May 4-6:** "Colors of Spring" concert by the Village Voices and Villages Handbell Ensemble. No ticket sale on Saturday, April 21. Saturday sale on April 28. Sales on Wednesday evenings, April 18 and 25, from 6 to 7 p.m. in Foothill Center.

Rehearsal/Meeting Schedule:

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

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

**Opera Lovers:** Second Fridays of the month at 1:30 p.m. in Vineyard Center. Call Bonnie Preston at 408-531-1513.

**Piano Club Open Studio:** Tuesdays 2 to 4 p.m. in Cribari Auditorium. Estelle Kabbani at 408-238-7246 or marchstar@comcast.net

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

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

For Reservations or Information: 408-223-4687

\$12.50

\$11.95

2800 Villages Fairway Drive, San Jose CA 95135

All Clubhouse & Bistro menus can be found at www.thevillagesgcc.com

#### WHAT'S COOKING?

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!

#### Early Bird Specials: Get a 10-percent discount on entrées\* from 5 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

\* Must be ordered from Dinner Entrees Section or Weekly Specials. Does not include Prime Rib.

Offer good only in Clubhouse Restaurant.

Mother's Day Brunch Buffet: Our annual Mother's Day Brunch Buffet will be held on Sunday May 13.

Reservations are now available.

Please see the menu and reservation information on the next page.

Open Mic: Our next Open Mic will be on Monday, April 30 from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Cover charge is \$7 for all guests with a complimentary wine, beer or cocktail.

For reservations call 408-223-4676

Cinco de Mayo Concert on the Patio: Come join us on Saturday, May 5 on the Bistro Patio from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Mexican Themed Specialties will be featured.

Special Music will be provided by Onda De La Isla.

#### ullet CLUBHOUSE RESTAURANT ullet

#### **Monday Closed**

Breakfast: Saturday & Sunday 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. Lunch: Tuesday through Sunday 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. **Dinner:** Tuesday through Sunday 5 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Sunday Breakfast Buffet: 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Appetizer/All Day Menu: Tuesday through Sunday 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.; 5 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

#### **LUNCH SPECIALS SERVED ALL WEEK**

**Lunch Specials** 

Tuesday 4-24

to

**Sunday 4-29** 

**Sole Dore** 

Grilled Sole in Egg Wash with a Beurre Blanc Sauce—served with Soup or Salad

Chicken Fajita Salad

 $Chicken \, Strips, Onions, Peppers, Tortilla \, \, Strips, Guacamole \, and \, Sour \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Greens-served \, with \, a \, Cup \, of \, Soup \, Cream \, over \, Mixed \, Cup \, over \, M$ 

**Linguini and Clams** 

Linguini Pasta with a White Wine and Garlic, Clam Sauce-served with Soup or Salad

#### **DAILY SOUP SPECIALS**

Lunch specials are served with choice of soup or salad.

Tuesday, April 24 Split Pea Soup: Wednesday, April 25 Soup: Cream of Broccoli Thursday, April 26 Soup: Chicken Fiesta Corn Shrimp Chowder Friday, April 27 Soup: Saturday, April 28 Chef's Choice Soup: Sunday, April 29 Chef's Choice Soup:



#### DINNER SPECIALS SERVED ALL WEEK

**Dinner Specials** Tuesday 4-24

to

*Sunday 4-29* 

Shrimp Louie

\$17.95 Bay Shrimp, Boiled Egg, Tomato, Cucumber and Avocado over Greens-served with a Cup of Soup

Alaskan Halibut

**Market Price** 

Alaskan Halibut with a Caper Beurre Blanc Sauce-served with Soup or Salad

10-oz. Flat Iron Steak 10-oz. Flat Iron Steak Grilled and Topped with Demi-Glace and Blue Cheese Butter-served with Soup or Salad

#### **ACTIVITIES**

#### Monday, April 23 NO EVENT

Tuesday, April 24

- Association Board Meeting—Oak and Sunset Rooms—9:30 a.m. to noon
- Swingers/Shonies Dropoff—Gazebo Park—11:15 a.m.
- Private Event—Fairway Room—11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. • Club Board Meeting—Oak and Sunset Rooms—1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.
- Wednesday, April 25
- Private Event—Sunset, Fairway and Oak Rooms—11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Thursday April 26 • 18 Hole Ladies Luncheon & Cards—Oak and Sunset Rooms—12:30
- Republican Club Dinner—Fairway Room—5:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. Friday, April 27
- Volunteer Recognition—Sunset, Oak and Fairway Rooms—1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

#### Saturday, April 28

- Private Event—Sunset Room—11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- Friends of SJSU Alumni Golf Dinner—Fairway Room—5 p.m. to 9 p.m.
- Pro Shop Alzheimer's Tournament Lunch—Oak and Fairway Rooms—11 a.m. to 1 p.m.



More CLUBHOUSE ITEMS on pages 9 & 16

#### New Clubhouse Hours

Clubhouse Restaurant

5 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Tuesday through Sunday

#### Early Bird Specials

5 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

10% Discount on Entrées\*

\*Must be from Dinner Entrees Section or Weekly Specials. Does Not Include Prime Rib. Good Only in Clubhouse Restuarant.

#### 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 408-223-4681; kpatterson@the-villages.com, or go to Building B to sign up in person.

#### The Clubhouse

## **OPEN MIC**

Monday April 30, 2018

5 p.m. to 8 p.m. in Clubhouse Banquet Rooms

Cover charge is \$7 for All Guests with a Complimentary Wine, Beer or Cocktail Your Host Ed Knott

Call to Make Reservations: 408-223-4676



#### MOTHER'S DAY BRUNCH

Clubhouse, Sunday May 13, 2018

TWO SEATINGS - 10:30am and 1:30pm

#### **MENU**

#### **Breakfast Pastries Station**

Croissants, Danish, Fruit & Nut Loaves
Mini Muffin, Cinnamon Rolls, Assorted Macaroons and Fruit Scones

#### **Display Stations**

Fresh Fruit Display Fruit Salad Domestic and Imported Cheese

#### **Salad Stations**

Mixed Greens and Romaine Leaves
Assorted Cherry Tomatoes, Assorted Radishes, Cucumbers,
Sunflower Seeds

Baby Spinach, Red Onions, Herbed Croutons,
Peppers, Feta Goat Cheese, Shaved Romano Cheese, Fresh Mozzarella
Marinated Peppers, Roasted Almonds, Mushrooms and Artichokes

#### Seafood Display

Smoked Salmon with Capers, Cream Cheese, Bermuda Onions, Egg Whites and Mini Bagels Oyster Shooters, Prawns on Ice and Stone Crab Claws

#### Waffle and Omelet Station with all the Trimmings

#### **Carving Stations Featuring**

Bone-In Virginia Ham and Herb Crusted New York Strip Loin

#### **Under the Chafers**

Scrambled Eggs and Country Fried Potatoes
Pork Links, and Hickory Smoked Bacon
Eggs Benedict
Cheese Blintzes

Salmon in Lemon Cream Sauce Stuffed Pork Loin with Apple Cranberry Sauce Herb Garlic Mashed Potatoes Green Beans with Bacon and Pepper

#### **Desserts Display**

Assorted Cakes, Mom's Apple Pie, Fruit Tarts, Assorted Cupcakes, Petit Fours and Brownies

#### **Beverage Station**

Orange, Cranberry and Apple Juice, Lemonade, Coffee and Tea Includes Champagne and Mimosa

\$41.95++ per person Children 5-12 - \$19.95++ Children 4 and under are free 18% Service Charge and Tax Applies

#### RESERVATIONS REQUIRED - call 408-754-1337

or Email theclubhouse@the-villages.com
Final Reservation Changes or Cancellations are due on May 9th.
Any cancellations, changes or no-shows after May 9th will be billed in full.

Clubhouse Restaurant proudly presents

#### Fernando Lezama and his Romantic Music Every Thursday from 5:30 pm to 8:30pm March 29 through May 3

We are delighted to introduce you to the enchanting World Music of Fernando Lezama's romantic voice and keyboard. Fernando has been playing internationally as a keyboardist for over 29 years. During that time he has not only sang with but also accompanied some of Latin America's best-known singers.

Fernando has been a San Francisco Bay Area favorite since 2009 playing from San Francisco, to Santana Row and other San Jose venues, Napa Valley, Sausalito, Berkeley, Half Moon Bay, Tiburon, San Mateo, Portola Valley, Carmel, Belmont and Burlingame, and will now delight us for dinner on Thursday nights.

His repreitua covers wide array of musical styles and his versatility always amazes his audience. Swing to the bear of his Latin Jazz balads, Boleros, Brazilian Bossa-Nova, and his versions of well-known Italian, American, and European selections. Fernando is always happy to satisfy requests and will make your romantic dinner at The Villages Golf and Country Club Restaurant even more special with his cropoliny wide!

Join us Thursdays, starting March 29, for our great food and our special live music with Fernando Lezama!





# COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

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

	<b>Board and Committee Meetings</b>			
Date	Meeting	Time	Place	
4/20	Villages Golf Committee	9 a.m.	Building A	
4/23	VGC: Golf Clubs	9 a.m.	Forum	
4/23	EPC Emotional Support	7 p.m.	Patio Rm.	

Building A 4/24 VGC: Analysis 9 a.m. Association Board Meeting 4/24 9:15 a.m. Clubhouse 4/24 Club Board Meeting 1:30 p.m. Clubhouse 4/26 Homeowners Board Budget Conf. Rm. 9 a.m.

## Volunteer Recognition Reception is April 27

Annually, the Boards of Directors and Management honor their appointed committee members and other community volunteers. The recognition reception is held each April, during National Volunteer Recognition month. This year the volunteer recognition reception will be held on Friday, April 27 from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Clubhouse. All volunteers are cordially invited to celebrate "DONUT" Know What We'd Do Without You.

## See SF Giants host Colorado Rockies!

See the San Francisco Giants vs. Colorado Rockies on Saturday, May 19! SF Giants Corduroy Caps will be given at the gate upon entering the park. We have the upper section 307, cost of \$59 per person and lower section 126, cost of \$94 per person.

The bus departs the Villages at 10:15 a.m. for game start at 1:35 p.m. with an estimated return time of 5:30 p.m. Register in the Community Resource Center, Building B.

Remember—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.

## Independence Day celebration being planned

Planning is underway for The Villages Independence Day celebration on Wednesday, July 4. The Community Activities office is planning the event along with the Food and Beverage Department and volunteers. Games, entertainment, patriotic tributes, food, and flea market will be held up and around the Clubhouse. Please stay tuned for more details.

## Take the 'Italian for a Day' tour!

Join Craig Smith for another new tour, "Italian for a Day" on Thursday, May 10. Departure from the Villages will be promptly at 8 a.m. from Cribari Center's east parking lot with an estimated return time of 5 p.m. The cost is \$81 per person. Registration begins on Monday, March 12 in the Community Resource Center, Building B. This outing has quite a bit of walking so wear comfortable

Among the immigrants who came to start new lives in San Francisco, the Italians contributed a large part of what makes the city San Francisco—North Beach, Fisherman's Wharf, Joe DiMaggio, Tony Bennett song, love of Italian food, and Rice A Roni! The Italians were the first to rebuild after the 1906 earthquake. Learn more about the Italian heritage. We will visit St. Peter and St. Paul Church—the Cathedral for the Italians; Columbus Tower/Francis Ford Coppola's film headquarters and much, much more.

Enjoy lunch at Pompei's Grotto with entrée choices of Chicken Caesar Salad, Fish & Chips or Spaghetti with Fresh Basil Pesto. Lunch includes cup of New England clam chowder, dessert, coffee, tea or soda. Following lunch we will walk down and see the wharf boats as well as the Fisherman's Chapel and learn the history of Italian fisherman and restaurants.

## Community Events

Date	Event	Time	Place
4/20	Bocce Bash	3 p.m.	Bocce Courts
4/21	VMA Health Fair	8 a.m.	Cribari Center
4/22	Just For Fun Golf	4 p.m.	Gazebo Park
4/24	Swingers Golf Mixer	11 a.m.	Gazebo Park
4/24	PEO Lunch	11:30 a.m.	Clubhouse
4/24	High Twelve Lunch	12 p.m.	Montg. Center
4/25	Movie: Flor Fstr. Jenkins	1:30 p.m.	Conf. Room
4/26	18 Hole Women Lunch	12:30 p.m.	Clubhouse
4/26	18 Hole Wmn. Hole In One	4 p.m.	Foothill Center
4/26	Republican Club Dinner	5:30 p.m.	Clubhouse
4/27	Volunteer Recognition	1:30 p.m.	Clubhouse
4/27	Bocce Bash	4 p.m.	Bocce Courts

## Play of a bridge hand

Play of a bridge hand includes not only bidding but defending and achieving the bids we make. This class will cover some review of five-card major system as well as declarer's plan and defensive tactics.

Declarer lessons will include promotion of suits and the use of the length of suits as well as finesses, ruffing, elimination of losers and discarding. Defensive lessons will include leads and signals as well as holding up on winning cards when appropriate. In addition to the lesson and play of pre-made hands, approximately 45 minutes at the end of the class will be devoted to free play where the instructor is available for consultation by players.

This class will be appropriate for both duplicate and social bridge players who consider themselves intermediate or low-intermediate players.

The classes are May 1 through June 5, from 2 to 5 p.m., at Montgomery Center (first class meeting) and the cost is \$110.

Feel free to contact instructor Louann Partridge at 408-489-0262 or louannpartridge@comcast.net with questions.

## Living with Parkinson's

Once a person is diagnosed with the disease, it is their attitude, lifestyle, medication management and things they do to contribute that determine the direction their life takes. Research shows that a person living with PD can slow the progression of the disease when they 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 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Walking for Better Balance class in the Auditorium. Register in Class! For information call Jane at (408) 315-1179. Sponsored by the Community Activities Office.

## DON'T BE LEFT BEHIND

#### 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.

#### **More COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES**

## 'Jersey Boys' returns!

"Jersey Boys" is coming to San Jose and we are going Saturday, June 9 for the 2 p.m. matinee at Broadway San Jose!

How did four blue-collar kids become one of the greatest successes in pop music history? Find out at the runaway smash-hit, "Jersey Boys." Winner of the Best Musical Tony Award® on Broadway, in London and Australia, this blockbuster phenomenon takes you up the charts, across the country and behind the music of Frankie Valli and The Four Seasons. Experience electrifying performances of the golden greats that took these guys all the way to the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame. Don't miss the international sensation that's a Broadway triumph, was named the number one show in Las Vegas and continues to break records in cities across America.

Please arrive at 12:30 p.m. to check in. We will depart from the east parking lot, Cribari Center, at 1 p.m. We will enjoy the 2 p.m. matinee. The cost for this wonderful outing is only \$130. Register in the Community Resource Center, Building B.

John Yu is offering a 10 percent discount at the Clubhouse if you make reservations and show your ticket stub from the theatre.

### Take the SF Presidio Tour!

We are going to the Presidio of San Francisco on Thursday, June 14. The bus will depart the Cribari Center's east parking lot at 8 a.m. with an estimated return time of 5 p.m. The cost of this outing is \$79 per person; cost includes bus, lunch and tour. There is moderate walking for this tour so wear comfortable walking shoes. We will pick up Craig Smith, our tour guide at 10 a.m. for tour of the Presidio History Museum followed by tour of Lucas Arts Park. We will then depart for lunch at the Presidio Café...on way to café we will drive by the new Presidio Inn (the old single officer's housing) and Civil War Hospital.

When you register for this outing (limited to 50 persons), you will need to make your lunch selection of either Cobb Salad (chopped romaine with chicken, bacon, blue cheese, avocado, tomato with herb vinaigrette dressing), Presidio Birdie Special (1/2 club sandwich with sliced turkey, ham, bacon, lettuce & Tomato on toasted sourdough served with mixed greens), or Fairway Cheeseburger (½ lb. beef patty, cheddar cheese, toasted bun, lettuce & tomato). Lunch comes with coffee, tea, soda or juice and Chef's Choice Plated Dessert.

We then will depart for more touring with stops at Inspiration Point and Immigration Point. The Presidio of San Francisco is the largest National Park within a city (1500 acres). Presidio has a history going back to the very beginning of California and the West.

Register for this tour beginning Monday, April 16 in the Community Resource Office, Building B. Note: this trip is limited to 50 persons.

### SF Giants host the Padres!

See the San Francisco Giants vs. the San Diego Padres Sunday, June 24. Mt Crushmore statues will be given at the gate upon entering the park. We have the upper section 307, cost of \$59 per person and lower section 126, cost of \$94 per person.

The bus departs the Villages at 10 a.m. for game start at 1:05 p.m. with an estimated return time of 5:30 p.m. Register in the Community Resource Center, Building B.

Remember—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. Register in the Community Resource Center, Building B.

#### Don't miss...

FLORENCE F. JENKINS Wednesday, April 25 1:30 p.m.



Starring Meryl Streep and Hugh Grant. The story of Florence Foster Jenkins, a New York heiress who dreamed of becoming an opera singer, despite having a terrible singing voice.

## Tour all that's new in San Francisco

Join our very own tour guide Craig Smith on Thursday, May 31 to see new sites in San Francisco! See the new Salesforce Tower—the new three block long Salesforce Rooftop Park. See The Leaning Millennium Tower (where Joe Montana lives). See where the sidewalk is breaking away from the structure, see the newest Monumental Sculpture and see new developments in China Basin.

We will enjoy lunch at The Delancey Street Restaurant! Lunch begins with a cup of homemade soup of the day and focaccia bread served with olive oil butter. Entrée choices include ½ Rotisserie Rosemary and Garlic Chicken with grilled asparagus; Mediterranean Spinach Salad with Feta cheese, bacon, Greek olives, tomatoes and mint; Cheeseburger or Boca Burger on Kaiser roll served with fries; Pasta Arrabiata, spicy red sauce with fettuccini noodles. This comes with platters of homemade Biscotti (plain and chocolate dipped) and coffee, tea or soda.

Following lunch we will explore the Dogpatch Neighborhood, officially named in 2002, and learn why they called it Dogpatch. We will see the new streetcars/subway to Chinatown, drive by construction of the new Chase Center for Warriors opening in 2019, and lastly drive by the new UCSF Medical School. The bus leaves the Villages at 8 a.m. with estimated return time of 5:30 p.m. The cost of this outing is \$72 per person. Register in the Community Resource Center.

## Chair Yoga/Standard Yoga

We will offer both Standard Yoga and Chair Yoga 30-minute classes. Exercising while seated allows each person to better control the level of effort expended on each pose thereby, minimizing the possibility of injury. Yoga is the best way for you to maintain a youthful body, improve balance and stability and get rid of chronic aches and pain. It restores youthful vitality and energy while at the same time strengthening the body and slowing the aging process. Chair yoga is highly effective especially for beginners and those with physical stiffness and weakness or who lack mobility and/or unable to get up and down from the floor. Modifications are made to accommodate all fitness levels. Work at your own pace. Classes are held Mondays 6:45 to 7:15 p.m. and Wednesdays 7 to 7:30 p.m. in the Montgomery Multi Purpose Room. Please wear comfortable loose-fitting clothing and bring a mat and a pillow to class. The cost is \$56 for an eight-class card, which is 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.

## 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 Vinyard Center.

## Cardio Workout—April through June

Take Cardio Workout with instructor Shu-Mei. Here is a fun, energetic workout that combines low impact aerobic exercise and strength training with light weights and rubber band resistance to give you a great full body workout. End each workout with stretching for all of your major muscle groups. Please bring weights of 1 or 2 pound weights with you to class.

Classes are on Mondays, from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. The cost is \$68 for 12 classes, and you must sign up for all 12 as the cost will be the same. Classes are held in the Cribari Auditorium. There will be *no* class on May 28! Register in the Community Resource Center, Building B.

## Dance Fusion—fun fitness!

Dancing is the best type of exercise because it gives you a whole-body workout that's actually fun! It's good for your heart, it strengthens and tones your muscles and helps improve your balance and coordination. 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 your whole life. 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 a 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.

## Upcoming Evening Movie

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

**Monday, May 21 – "The Big Chill":** Starring Tom Berenger and Glenn Close. A group of seven former college friends gather for a weekend reunion at a South Carolina winter house after the funeral of one of their friends.

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## 2018 Look What's Coming

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8/8	Treasure Island Tour	6/7	6/11
8/10	Barbary Coast Tour	5/24	5/29
8/11	WWII History Tour - Potomac	5/17	5/21
8/18	Danny Coots	6/7	6/11
8/25	Les Miserables: Orpheum Theater	6/14	6/18
8/25	Battle of the Bands - San Jose	6/14	6/18
8/26	Giants vs. Texas	6/14	6/18
9/6	Presidio Tour	7/12	7/16
9/12	Marin Adventures	7/12	7/16
9/15	On Your Feet: Golden Gate Thtre.	6/15	6/19
9/16	Phantom of the Opera: Orpheum	6/15	6/19
9/29	Driving Range Concert	8/16	8/20
9/30	Giants vs. LA: Last Home Game	7/19	7/23
10/7	Blue Angels/Potomac	7/26	7/30
10/18	Follow the Seagull Tour	7/26	7/30
TBD	Miss Saigon: Orpheum	TBD	TBD
11/15	Movie Tour	9/6	9/10
11/17	Beach Blanket Babylon	9/27	10/1
TBD	A Bronx Tale	TBD	TBD
12/6	Christmas Light Tour	9/27	10/1
12/10	Union Square	10/11	10/15
12/17	Christmas Light Tour	10/11	10/15

## Total Body Fitness—April through June

Combine fun with fitness to increase your cardiovascular endurance, muscular power, balance, flexibility and coordination with a variety of standing, seated and mat-based exercises. Upper and lower body strength exercises - with hand-held weights, rubber band resistance, and bodyweight as well as core strengthening, balance and coordination exercises using a small fitness ball-give you a well-rounded workout designed to improve your overall fitness and functional ability.

Classes for April to June will be on Wednesdays from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. The cost is \$68; you must sign up for all classes in session, as you will be billed for all. All classes are in the Auditorium. Register in the Community Resource Center, Building B.

## Join 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.

## Back In Form offers new Wellness Specials!

Back In Form is offering two different Wellness Specials to make you feel and look your best! Two-4-One Personal Fitness Training: Add a partner to your workout for free and cut your rate by 33 percent. Add another training partner and save nearly 50 percent over your regular one-on-one training rate.

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# CLUBS & EVENTS

## athlete at VMA Health Fair



Dr. Kevin R. Murray

Find out how you can work on exercise and nutrition to stay active and/or athletic all your life. Orthopedic Surgeon Dr. Kevin R. Murray will address this topic as a guest speaker at the "Just for the Health of It" health fair sponsored by the Villages Medical Auxiliary (VMA) on April 21 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in Cribari Center.

The title of Dr. Murray's presentation, "The Life-long Athlete" reflects his commitment to help people remain active and vital throughout their lives. "I derive tremendous satisfaction from seeing individuals regain physical ability lost to

injury or physical decline," he said.

Common conditions related to overuse include muscle tendon strains, rotator cuff and meniscus tear, as well as osteoarthritis. Treatment for these injuries may involve RICE (rest, ice, compression, and elevation), physical therapy, medication, injection and sometimes even surgery. Unfortunately, recovery time increases with age. This may lead to decline in function, endurance and strength. Fortunately, injuries caused by overuse are preventable. "There is no intervention that holds a greater promise of improving health and promoting independence in the elderly than does exercise," said Dr. Murray.

Dr. Murray stresses the importance of exercise and nutrition. Eating a healthy diet and keeping active with cardiovascular exercise and resistance training at least three times a week can lead to significant improvement in strength and health. When you become more active your performance improves and most importantly, your overall quality of life is enhanced.

Dr. Murray will speak in the Cribari Conference Room at 12:45 p.m. on April 21. "Just for the Health of It" will include dozens of vendor booths, health screenings, health presentations, prizes, snacks and entertainment. This event is free.

### Blessing of the Animals is April 21



The annual Blessing of the Animals is April 21 at the Villages Stables. The blessings will follow a short ceremony by Pastor Unruh at 10 a.m. All animals are welcome but, for the safety of all, dogs must be on leash and under control; cats, birds and small animals must be in secure carriers or cages. If your pet is unable to be there, you may bring a photo or cremains of your pet to be blessed. The stables will also be open from 10 a.m. to noon, so pay a visit to our gregarious horses and help us celebrate.

## News Junkies to meet

The next News Junkies meeting is April 23, at 1:30 p.m. in the Cribari Conference Room. This meeting is open to all Villagers.

## Learn how to be a life-long In-home care vendors to be featured at 'Just for the Health of It'

Finding the right home care agency is a crucial issue for a significant number of Villages residents. There are several local agencies that offer in-home care services, all similar but with some important differences in care offerings, specialties and client requirements. A fair amount of research may be required to find the best fit between care company and resident.

Saturday's health fair, "Just for the Health of It," will make that research easier by hosting seven of the agencies that together serve most of the Villages. According to Cristina Freyer, VMA Social Service Coordinator, "I spend most of my time meeting with residents to review home care options and to help them get together with the right company for their circumstances. All the companies we work with have trained caregivers who are background-checked before they're hired. We're happy that these companies have signed up for health fair booths because it allows residents to meet these companies in one place, pick up informational literature and get answers to their questions."

Companies that will be represented at the health fair will include Home Care Professionals, AHA: Auxilio-HomeAide, Home Care Assistance, Familiar Surroundings, Custom Senior Care, Essential Care and Bay Area Home Care.

"Just for the Health of It" takes place this Saturday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Cribari Center. It will feature special speakers, more than 50 health-based vendors, health screenings and demonstrations, prizes, snacks and entertainment. Admission is free.

### New Art Exhibit in Cribari Center

"North Pacific Gyre" is one of the abstract seascapes in the new exhibit of members' art which was hung in Cribari Conference room on April 6 with the theme "Landscapes, Seascapes and Flowers." This painting expresses the artist's concern about the 800 square-mile "garbage patch" now in our ocean. We invite you to view the artistic creations by your neighbors and fellow Villagers in this exhibit. You will find some interesting art and some interesting facts about the artists.



Many of these artists worked at exciting careers: they were not born artists nor did most go to an art school. Yes,

one of them did study with Richard Diebenkorn in Oakland; but other careers include nuclear medicine technologist, electrical and mechanical designer, surgical nurse, restaurant owner and physical therapist. Did you know that Montgomery and Cribari have four artists each in this exhibit? And Olivas three and Verano two?

But which Village has only one artist represented? Find out the answer by viewing the exhibit. Then come to the Art Room on Wednesday (10 a.m. to noon) and be the first to tell Jane Hink the title, the artist and the Village and win a door prize.

## Group Meditation for Universal Peace

Join the Global Village for Group Meditation for its April program on April 25. Guided meditation allows beginners and those with experience to meditate together, learn from each other, and enhance the spiritual growth of us all.

Meditating in a group raises our awareness, brings healing to everyone who attends, and promotes world peace by embodying and simultaneously sending out vibrations of peace and love.

Group meditation takes place Wednesday evenings at 7 p.m. in the Cribari Conference Room. We usually start with a short introduction and some light stretches, followed by about 20 minutes of guided meditation. Please join us. There is no fee for participating.

### New non-fiction biography and history book group?

Do you want to join a new book group to read non-fiction biography and history books or join an existing group? A general meeting of The Village Readers Club will be held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, April 25 at the Montgomery Center. All Villagers are eligible to participate. There are currently 10 book groups, each with eight to 10 members. Each book group is managed independently and functions differently, from the genre of books read to the food and activities planned around the theme of the book being discussed. Groups usually meet once a month in members' homes. If you love to read, want to make new friends, and enjoy interesting book discussions, please attend. Please contact Trudy Nicholls (trudy\_nicholls@hotmail.com) with any questions.

## SJ Fire Dept.: More than putting out fires

#### By Tony Berg

Acting Fire Chief Robert Sapien will be the Democratic Club's guest on Wednesday, May 2 at 3:30 p.m., at Foothill Center. Chief Sapien will be sharing with us how the Fire Department contributes to the health and safety of all Villagers. He will be bringing his team from Station 11 on the Villages Parkway (including their state of the art fire truck). This is a special opportunity to hear from and meet the dedicated people who are committed to our safety and security.

Ever wonder what equipment and tools are on board that shiny red fire truck? Well join us at Foothill Center on Wednesday May 2 at 3:30 p.m. to hear and see how it all works!

This event is sponsored by the Villages Democratic Club. All Villagers are welcome.

## FROM THE BOOKSHELF

By Elizabeth Benson

"The End Of Alzheimer's" by Dale E. Bredessen, MD: We fear Alzheimer's as we fear no other disease. It is the only one of the nation's 10 most common causes of death for which there has been no effective treatment. It is not only fatal, it robs its victims of their lives long before they are gone. Dr. Bredesesen suggests that Alzheimer's is not one condition, as it is currently treated, but several that are driven by different mechanisms and typically manifest in different ways and at different ages. He then explains his research-based protocol, which addresses ways to rebalance these mechanisms by adjusting lifestyle factors, including micronutrients, hormone levels, stress, and sleep quality. He explores the critical role of diet in cognitive decline as well as the importance of autophagy, which involves a strict overnight fast. He provides wide-ranging patient stories with impressive results. He is recognized as an expert in the mechanisms of neurodegenerative diseases with an impressive CZ. 616.8 Alzheimer's Disease. 2017

"Robicheaux" by James Lee Burke: Dave Robicheaux is a haunted man. Between his recurrent nightmares about Vietnam, his battle with alcoholism, and the sudden loss of his wife, his thoughts drift from one irreconcilable memory to the next. During a murder investigation, he discovers he may have committed the homicide that he's investigating, one which involved the death of the man that took his wife's life. As he works to clear his name and make sense of the murder, he encounters a cast of characters and a resurgence of dark social forces that threaten to destroy all of those whom he loves. What emerges is not only a propulsive and thrilling novel but a harrowing study of America. Fiction, 2018

"Unbound" by Stuart Woods: In the wake of a personal tragedy, former CIA operative Teddy Fay-now a successful Hollywood film producer know as Billy Barnett-takes a leave of absence to travel and grieve, and lands in Santa Fe in the company of friends Stone Barrington and Ed Eagle. There he finds an unexpected opportunity to exact quiet revenge for his recent loss, from a man who helped cover up the crime. When his enemy wises up to Teddy's machinations, a discreet game of sabotage escalates to a potentially lethal battle. Mystery. 2018

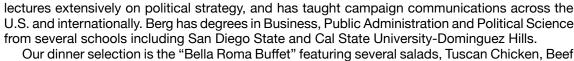
"Everybody's Son" by Thrity Umrigar: During a heat wave 9-year-old Anton has been locked in an apartment in the projects, alone, for seven days without air-conditioning or a fan. With no electricity, the refrigerator and lights do not work. Hot, hungry, and desperate, Anton shatters a window and climbs out, cutting his leg on the broken glass. He is covered in blood when the police find him. Juanita, his mother, is found in a crack house less than three blocks away, nearly unconscious and half-naked. She never meant to leave Anton—she went out for a guick fix and was headed right back when her drug dealer raped her and kept her high. Anton is placed with Child Services while Juanita goes to jail. Judge David Coleman is a scion of northwestern white privilege. Desperate to have a child in the house again after the death of his teenage son, David uses his power and connections to keep his new foster son, Anton, with him and his wife. Actions that will have devastating consequences in the years to come. Fiction. 2017

"Typhoon Fury" by Clive Cussler and Boyd Morrison: When the leader of a militant insurgency in the Philippines escapes capture from the U.S. government, it's up to Juan Cabrillo and the crew of the Oregon to catch him. Tracing the Filipino insurgent through his drug lord allies, Cabrillo learns his adversary has his eye on an addictive chemical compound developed during World War II that can turn civilians into super soldiers. An unpredictable gun for hire is zeroing in on the same target. Trapped in a battle between two madmen hungry for power, Cabrillo must rely on his team for help but may be sending his friends into much more troubled waters than he realizes. Fiction. 2017

## Tab Berg to speak to Republican Club

The Republican Club at the Villages will hold its monthly meeting in the Clubhouse on Thursday, April 26 beginning at 5:30 p.m. with the Social Hour. Our program will feature Mr. Tab Berg, noted political campaign manager, who will forecast the likely winners in the upcoming state and national primaries. Mr. Berg will also talk to us about his activities with "Better Angels," an organization dedicated to reconciling the divided discourse within our community and country.

Mr. Berg is the founder and president of TABcommunications, Inc. where he has managed or directed numerous successful and award-winning political and public relations campaigns. He



Our dinner selection is the "Bella Roma Buffet" featuring several salads, Tuscan Chicken, Beef Ravioli with all the trimmings, all for a price of \$37. Reservations are required and may be made by calling or emailing, Donna Roberson at donna@robersons.com or 408-270-1221; or Jean Corrigan at jeanmcorrigan@att.net or 408-223-8676. The deadline for reservations is April 23 at noon.

## Friends of San Jose State's annual golf event

Friends of San Jose State University and fans of golf are invited to the 24th Annual SJSU Scholarship Golf event to be held at the Villages on April 28. Check-in will be at 10:45 a.m. with the first tee time at 11:15 a.m. This event is a four-person scramble and the \$180 entry fee includes green fees, 1/2 golf cart use, prizes and dinner in the Villages Clubhouse. Dinner choices are Chicken in Lemonada Wine Sauce, Grilled Petrale Sole Dore and Roast Pork Lion. Dinner will also include a mixed green salad and blueberry crumb pie.

Also featured will be a donation drawing and no host reception following the completion of play and since this benefits the SJSU Alumni Chapter's annual scholarship fund, all this fun is tax deductible as allowed by law.

So get your Spartan on and join us for a day of food and friendship all benefiting deserving students. For more information and to sign up for the tournament, contact Bruce Bane, tournament chair, at 408-221-1745 or bruce7240@aol.com.

## Villages Veterans to meet on May 1

The Villages Veterans Club will meet at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, May 1, in the Foothill Center. All veterans, spouses, and interested Villagers are welcome. At the beginning of each meeting, Club President and "Singing Sergeant," Ken Carter, leads the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner," a "spotlight" veteran leads the Pledge Of Allegiance, and Chaplain Bill Hayden offers an Invocation.



This month, as a special feature, Al Girolami (US Army, 1962-1964; Cal Army NG 64-70), will share his thoughts about his "Reunion of Honor" trip to Guam and Iwo Jima, and the famous invasions of these Pacific Islands during World War II.

Guam was attacked by Japan on December 8, 1941, only hours after their attack on Pearl Harbor. The island was not well fortified, resulting in little resistance and a U.S. surrender after only two days. Returning in July 1944, the US liberated Guam from its 31-month Japanese occupation. During the battle, more than 19,500 combatants lost their lives, 18,000 of which were Japanese. One Japanese soldier, discovered by local farmers in January 1972, after hiding for 28 years, was the last holdout.

On February 1945, the United States and the Japan again met in opposition on the island of Iwo Jima. During the five-week battle, with some of the fiercest fighting in the Pacific, more than 25,000 combatants lost their lives. Nearly everyone has heard of Iwo Jima and recognizes the icon of US Marines raising the American flag on top of Mount Suribachi—a symbol of patriotism and valor.

In 1985, forty years after the battle, the nations met again on Iwo Jima, this time to bring together veterans to dedicate a monument in recognition of the sacrifices suffered by both nations. In 1995, ten years hence, surviving veterans of the Iwo Jima Association of America and the Japanese IwoTo Association agreed to meet every year on IwoTo to commemorate the battle with a "Reunion of Honor." March 24, 2018, marked the 73rd Anniversary of the Battle of Iwo Jima.

Come join us to hear about Al's amazing trip and to meet with your fellow veterans. Marine coffee and a snack are provided.

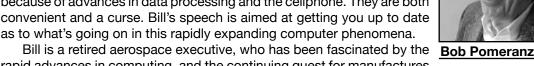
For more information, contact Thomas Moore (408-887-5322, tmoore563@gmail.com) or Al Girolami (209-531-6553, alveragiro@yahoo.com).

## SIR 114: 'Personal Computing—Then, Now & Future'

On Tuesday, May 1, Bill Pomeranz will be the speaker at the SIR 114 luncheon in the Fairway Room at the Clubhouse.

The talk is entitled "Personal Computing - Then, Now, & The Future – It's Changing Our Lives."

In today's computer world, you notice how different your life is becoming because of advances in data processing and the cellphone. They are both convenient and a curse. Bill's speech is aimed at getting you up to date



rapid advances in computing, and the continuing quest for manufactures to field products, and convince us to use them.



Guests are invited to attend and should come to the Clubhouse around 12:30 p.m.

## The Hiking Club is going to the dogs

By Sy Gelman



Some people teach their dogs to sit, stay, roll over and play dead. But members of CARDA (California Rescue Dog Association) go a lot further. They train their animals to search for lost and missing persons. It is the largest of its kind in California and its mission is to train, certify and deploy highly trained and qualified dog teams to aid and assist law enforcement and other public agencies in the search of missing persons. Their search dog teams have participated in thousands of missing person searches. And all requesting agencies have never been charged for their services.

Find out more about this fascinating organization when three of its members will talk about the training of their dogs together with demonstrations of a dog team.

This presentation will be held on Monday, April 30, at Foothill Center, after a brief Hiking Club meeting starting at 7:30 p.m. All villagers are welcome to come and enjoy this most interesting presentation. Light refreshments will be served.

Questions? Call Sy Gelman at 408-532-1239.

## Sheldon Jo to speak at Global Village meeting

Hi Villages readers! Global Village's guest speaker for Wednesday, May 2 will be Sheldon Jo. He is a friend of our very own Pam and Lee Thompson.

Sheldon will be discussing the latest scientific research that is confirming the benefits of a regular meditation practice as well as introducing us to a simple yet effective very short meditation practice that anyone, regardless of previous experience, can practice!

He grew up in Arizona and graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy. He has received a teaching credential in the Dragon Philosophy of Fut Kuen Kung Fu and was a lineage disciple of the Mao San Tao, an ancient Taoist lineage. He has also been given the Reiki Master attunements and practices his own form of hands on energy healing. He currently is a consultant, coach and healer teaching mindfulness and how to apply meditation techniques in daily life to both individuals as well as organizations.

If you are interested in learning about meditation and how it can improve your quality of life and peace of mind, then please join us Wednesday, May 2 at 7 p.m. in the Cribari Center Conference Room.

## New Abstract Figures in Acrylic class

Were you amazed at the playful and exciting techniques that James Gleeson demonstrated as the Guest Artist at the April meeting of Arts & Crafts? Here is your chance to work with him and learn some of his techniques. This unique workshop will encourage you to "Experiment with paint and let the paint guide you." He has agreed to teach a workshop for Villagers on Saturday, May 5 and Sunday, May 6, from 1 to 3 p.m. in the Art Room.

James will do a spirited abstract figurative demonstration and will bring some secret paint for all of you to try with acrylic paint or watercolor. This two-day workshop will let each artist play with paint and have fun while developing a distinct and effective abstract style.



James is on the Faculty at the Academy of Art University and will guide each student into the abstract experience. Beginners are welcome to just experience the joy of painting.

Bring canvas or paper to work with as well as all your paint supplies. James will supply the magic white paint that will enhance your painting experience. Bring your painting supplies and as many canvases or sheets of paper or illustration board as you like. You will be doing more than one painting each day depending on how fast you work.

This two-day workshop costs \$95. Register by emailing barb.gottesman@gmail.com.

## SJSU Women's Annual Dinner is May 6

San Jose State University's Women's Basketball will host its annual end of year celebration here at the Villages for the fifth year. However, there are some differences in this year's program. First it will be a dinner event instead of a brunch and second, it will be joined by the Women of Excellence program. This program pairs women from the community with student athletes. These women have been working as mentors to the players this academic year. The event will feature a no-host reception, dinner, donation drawing and silent auction. It will be held on May 6 starting at 4:30 p.m. Cost is \$60 per person and meal selections are Balsamic Chicken Picatta, Lemon Pepper Tri Tip and Eggplant Parmesan. Dinner will also include complimentary wine, cheesecake with blueberry sauce, coffee, and hot and iced tea. And because this dinner is a scholarship fundraiser, it is tax deductible as allowed by law.

To make reservations for this event, please contact Villages resident Gayle Kludt at 408-531-1063 or kludtgayle70@gmail.com. So come and join us for a wonderful dinner, enjoy complimentary wine and the chance to win lovely gifts and prizes all the while supporting outstanding young women attain a college education. We look forward to seeing you on May 6 at 4:30 p.m. in the Fairway Room.

## 'Art in America'—An Osher course

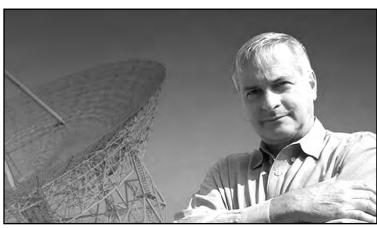
Senior Academy will present Art in America from Colonial Times to the Civil War. This is a two-session course on Tuesdays May 8 and 15 at 2 p.m. in the Vineyard Center. Early Colonial art initially relied on artists from Europe, but gradually American artists evolved their own vision.

This series will explore the development of an art and architecture that captures the unique land and spirit of the American experience.

Fran Rushing is an art historian, world traveler and photographer. She has presented art history and humanities lectures at San Jose State, San Jose museum of Art, Evergreen and De Anza Colleges and the Institute for the Study of Western Civilization.

You must be a member of Osher and register online at www. scu.edu/osher. Contact Adele Ratcliff at adelerat@comcast.net with questions

## Senior Academy: SETI free presentation



Senior Academy will host a presentation on SETI on Thursday, May 10, at 2 p.m. at Foothill Center. This event is free; no registration is required.

SETI, the Search for Extraterrestrial Intelligence, is an exploratory science that seeks evidence of life in the universe by looking for some signature of its technology. Our current understanding of life's origin on Earth suggests that given a suitable environment and sufficient time, life will develop on other planets. Currently the Center for SETI Research develops technology to search for signals from advanced technological civilizations in our galaxy.

## Villagers invited to LeyVa Middle School Concert

On Saturday, April 28, LeyVa Middle School will host "An American Roadtrip," consisting of music depicting auditory images of iconic cities from east coast to west. Starting in New York, the band will perform Leonard Bernstein's "New York, New York." From there the band travels west to "Chicago, that Toddlin' Town," then on to "Kansas City." From there we travel in our musical RV to Phoenix, then finally end in San Jose with Dianne Warwick's "Do You Know the Way to San Jose?"

The ensemble is made up of members of LeyVa's Symphonic Band, former LeyVa alumni, Chaboya and Quimby Oak members, and friends of Director David Bakken. The American Roadtrip also consists of special guests Emelynn Montoya—a former student of Mr. Bakken; Joey Jam Flores— percussionist and former Mariah Carey drummer and LeyVa Alumnus; Karen Kolber, director at Chaboya Middle School; Gary Ortega, director at Quimby Oak Middle School; and Scott Pierson, director of the Spartan Marching Band at San Jose State University.

This is a great opportunity for the Evergreen community to (Continued on page 16)







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### LeyVa Concert...

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bond together in music. The concert begins at 2 p.m. in LeyVa Middle School's Gym on 1865 Monrovia Drive in San Jose. Come join us on the epic American Roadtrip!

If you have questions, email Director David Bakken at dbakken@eesd.org. Thank you for continuing to support our musicians through passage of Measure H, which is a parcel tax that provides music (among other programs) for our Evergreen Students! See you at LeyVa on April 28 at 2 p.m. in the Gym!

### Colors of Spring...

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and a backup trio with Nancy Miller, Lucy Pouscho, and Sara English. A solo suite of songs with colors in their lyrics is in the making. Walt Hlavacek leads the way with his baritone solo with the Voices in the "Orange Blossom Special" accompanied by John Kraus on fiddle and Tamara Welsh on piano.

The Villages Handbell Ensemble under the direction of Earl and Kathi Levin ring "Colors of the Wind" and "I Can Sing a Rainbow." Choral Director Ken Carter conducts the Voices with Associate Director Susan Ahlgrimm and accompanist Tamara Welsh. Musicians on violin, flute, cello, and kazoo join in the spirited tribute to spring.

#### La Bella Musica...

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tures the great music brought to the world stage by Italian and Italian-American artists from Caruso to Sinatra. The musical ensemble of internationally acclaimed artists will be led by our own Ken Carter. So whether you're coming back or joining us for the first time, don't let this one get away. Members: \$19; Non-Members: \$24 charged to your house number. Checks or cash accepted.

## Don't forget to check Lost & Found

Did you lose something recently, perhaps a set of keys, your glasses, or maybe some jewelry? Then don't forget to check the lost and found, which is located in Building B. Items are donated to charity after 30 days.

#### Piano Club...

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Front row: Tom Stocky, Bruce Gehman, Larry Broderick. Top row: Piano Club president Estelle Kabbani, Charlotte Dickson, Celeste Di Genova, June Cheim. Not pictured: Ciel Duke, Fred Stern, Karen Carlson.

Duo pianists Charlotte Dickson and Karen Carlson will feature a medley of songs from "The Sound of Music" by Richard Rodgers. Charlotte will break away from the popular genre to play "Ivan Sings" by Aram Khachaturian, an Armenian/Russian/American composer. Karen will get us back on the popular track with "The First Time Ever I Saw Your Face" by Ewan MacColl.

Tom Stocky, still stunned from having played the entire score of Cole Porter's "Anything Goes" for the Villages Amateur Theatre's production, will carry on his love affair with the Broadway stage by playing a medley of songs from "West Side Story" by Leonard Bernstein.

No Piano Club recital is complete without the "get out of your chair" ragtime rhythms played by Bruce Gehman. Wake up and listen to "Blame It on the Blues" by Charles L. Cooke.

Folk tunes are categorically popular music due to their origins in folk culture. Ciel Duke will introduce her pianistic arrangement of authentic, heart-driven songs of Cape Breton, Nova Scotia.

Piano Club members acknowledge Fred Stern and Celeste Di Genova as experts on American popular music. Celeste, an incurable romantic, will play "What Are You Doing the Rest of Your Life" and "Without a Song." Fred, an authority on Gershwin, will play "Embraceable You."

The free-spirited members of the Piano Club invite you to this event free of charge. After the program, please come to the reception in the Conference Room where you can enjoy refreshments while socializing with performers, friends and neighbors. Mark your calendar now. This is one entertainment you don't want to miss.

#### Two generations...

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cookies and water as you shop and stroll.

See you Saturday, April 28, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Gazebo Park, rain or shine! As previously mentioned, we cannot allow any pets at this event. Do bring your family and friends, or just yourself. We look forward to seeing you.

## TENNIS CLUB SCHOLARSHIP DINNER AND AUCTION



5:30 pm - APRIL 29 FOOTHILL CENTER

Meet the Silver Creek High School Tennis Scholarship Winners Fun includes auction, 50/50 raffle and dinner!

Sign up at the Tennis Hut
Only \$19.00 for Tennis Club members - \$24.00 for guests
BYO drinks, table service and \$\$\$ for raffle

# RELIGION

## **COMMUNITY CHAPEL**

#### By Pastor Bill Hayden

I am one of the most blessed and wealthiest men in the Villages Community. I realize that wealth is not in fame, fortune or who you know in life because everything can change overnight. I have the privilege of sharing my life with you as a Villager as well as being a Village Chapel Member. I could not conceive of the kind of friendships and love that I have received from this community.

Many of you know about my most recent family and physical challenges this year. You have kept me in your prayers, thoughts, phone calls and cards; it makes me want to be better and do more for you and others. I'm inspired and encouraged by you and the way you demonstrate your love for others. You just don't talk the talk but you walk the walk and I am glad to be in your presence as often as possible.

Each day that you step out of bed and place your feet on this earth you make this world a better place. I'm truly grateful for your courage in making a difference in our war-torn world. It's far too easy to go with the flow, rather than engage others with love, acceptance and forgiveness and be a testament to the world by being fearless to demonstrate with acts of kindness.

Show your love and never forget a little love will last throughout eternity. "And now abide faith, hope, love, these three; but the greatest of these is love." I Corinthians 13:13 NKJV

My wife (Gloria) and I thank you for being faithful friends and people who show love without reservation. You are making a difference as you share the wealth.

Let us come together as a community for the National Day of Prayer May 3rd at the Cribari Auditorium from noon to 3 p.m. in the Forum Room. When everything has been tried and fail, prayer has been known to work miracles.

Please feel free to join us this Sunday and sit among friends at the Villages Community Chapel in Cribari Auditorium 10 a.m. to be encouraged over the Word, a cup of coffee and cookies. The chapel is a place for needs to be met, faith to be affirmed and people to love. We would love to meet you. 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/

## **EPISCOPAL**

**Episcopal Church Services on Sunday, April 22** Fourth Sunday of Easter

at The Villages - Montgomery Center at 8:30 a.m.

Come worship with us as The Rev. Mary Morrison celebrates the Holy Eucharist and we transform the club room into a house of God. There is a place at God's table for everyone. Join us after the service for fellowship and breakfast in the Clubhouse. All are welcome.

at Trinity Cathedral – 81 North Second Street, San Jose at 10:30 a.m.

The Very Rev. David Bird will officiate as we celebrate the Holy Eucharist with full choir and organ accompaniment. Come early and hear the new bells!



## **SEARCH THE SCRIPTURES**

Please join us on May 7 for our Spring Celebration. We will have refreshments and an excellent speaker from The Grateful Garment Project, Rev. Katie McClelland. She will speak of a recovery program for assaulted women, clothing them for their return home, and continued help to recover. We will begin at a special time, 9 a.m. in Foothill Center.

## JEWISH GROUP

Friday night Shabbat Services will be held at 7:30 p.m. on April 20 at Foothill Center. We will have Cantor Jessica Leach lead our services, followed by the program. The program this time will be what has and will become a standard "Show and Tell" where various members of our group will relate a story about their family, its origins or about some important piece of Jewish family memorabilia. Following the presentation we will have our usual Oneg Shabbat celebration.

All Villagers are welcome. In addition, one of the Jewish Group's goal is to support our San Jose community in its help with the needy. We will start by brining non-perishable food cans and packages for the Second Harvest Food bank to our monthly services. Joyce Mendel will then deliver the items to the food bank each month.

If you are interested in membership in the Villages Jewish Group, please contact Joyce Mendel at 408-238-7316.

## **CATHOLIC COMMUNITY**

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

We are looking for volunteers who would be willing to serve on the **Catholic council** for next year starting in October. Think about taking the step forward and becoming more involved.

May 3 is the **National Day of Prayer.** The Community Chapel have invited us to join them in prayer from noon to 3 p.m. Remember the words of Fr Pat Peyton (who is now in the first stage for canonization): "The family that prays together stays together." Please put this date on your calendar.

On Saturday, April 28, there will be an **Advance Directive Workshop**, also known as living will, from 10 a.m. to noon in the Fireside room. This is a discussion about a legal document in which a person specifies what actions should be taken for their health, if they are no longer able to make decisions for themselves because of illness or incapacity.

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 Ghiossi.

**There is Friday Mass at 9 a.m.** the first three Fridays of every month in the Conference Room. It is preceded by the Rosary at 8:30 a.m.

**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.





# Sports News

## **SWINGERS**

#### By Pam Leonard

Sixty-eight swingers faced off against that "little sphere" and had some amazing shots. Gisele Barber had a score of 50 and Connie Fortner and Renee Woolard scored 51. Congratulations, ladies! Barbara Orlando had a chip-in on hole #10. Kudos to Barbara!

Our mixer with the Shonis is on April 24. We play from the #2 tees, scrabble format, two best balls, just for fun and no postable score. The luncheon is to follow the game. Then there is the Men's Mixer, May 14, with a format of two best balls and



Pat Urrutia, Most Improved Golfer for March.

a postable score. Lunch is at the Gazebo following play. Cost is \$35. Deadline to sign up is May 9. There will be a signup table on Tuesday mornings.

Putt Now, Wine Later, our invitational, is on June 12. Signups will be Tuesday mornings. Join the fun and add your name to the list. All in attendance will have a chance to win a Big Money prize and themed baskets. Donations are being collected by Linda Curyea. lindelu70@gmail.com and Betty Garcia, bettybeep@sbcglobal.net.

Contact them if you can help with a donation by providing goods, services, or cash.

#### **Upcoming Events:**

April 24: Mixer with the Shonis Exchange Cold Springs Golf and Country Club

May 1: Exchange Sockton Golf and Country Club

May 2: Woodbridge Golf and Country Club

May 15: Mixer with the Men Palo Alto Hills Invitational

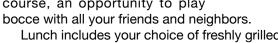
May 22: Invitational Castlewood Golf and Country Club

June 12: Villages 9-hole Women's Invitational

## **Bocce Club Spring BBQ and Picnic**

The Villages Bocce Club invites you to our annual Spring BBQ and Picnic on Saturday, May 19 from noon to 3 p.m. at Gazebo Park.

Please join us for a full day of fun, food, a 50/50 raffle, and of course, an opportunity to play



Lunch includes your choice of freshly grilled hamburgers (or veggie burgers), salad and dessert. Lunch will be served at 12:30 p.m. Water, plates, napkins and utensils will be included. Feel free to bring your own additional beverages.

The music of Ed Knott will add to the festivities and make it a don't miss afternoon!

The cost is \$15 for members or \$17 for non-members. For reservations and your choice of burger, call Jeanne Anne Whitacre at 650-493-3638 or email her at jawhitacre@ live.com

Deadline for signups is Saturday, May 12 so don't delay. Lunch will be charged to your house number.

Whether you're a long time bocce player or a beginner, everyone is welcome.

Come on down and join us!

## 18-HOLE WOMEN

#### By Rosemary Kelley

What inspired about 50 ladies to play on April12? Weather wise, it certainly was not one of our better days, but since it was the designated Past Captains' Tournament Day, 16 past captains and 34 members teed off at 8:30 a.m. The usual lunch meeting proved to be very interesting as Judy Rodriguez, 2016 captain, opened the meeting by summarizing some of the past history of the captains. Over the years Lois Mirch, 1993 captain, has won the tournament five times. Next on the winner's list Marie Borgert, 1997 captain, and Ann Crews, 2009 captain, tied with three



18 Hole Ladies Past Captains Tournament. Standing (left to right): Mary Chaboya, Ann Crews, Patti Hayes, Lois Mirch, Vivian Brown, Kathy Apgar, Linda Schlageter, Jeanne Bettencourt, Marie Borgert, Shirley Roberts, Jan Kiernan. Kneeling: Reine Fedor, Bev Poellot, Cindy Fuller, Judy Rodriguez, Barbara Nilsen.

**Photo by Phyllis Mueller** 

wins each. Joining them will be this year's winner Cindy Fuller, 2017 captain, who had a net 62. Coming in second with a very respectable 68 net, 2008's captain Shirley Roberts. Thank you to all the captains for their work because we know that it is a time-consuming task which requires a very special person who is organized, focused, confident, and committed to make the club successful.

After Judy's presentation, this year's Captain Chris Leisy stepped to the microphone to conduct the rest of the meeting. First, of course as is tradition, Patti Hayes told a joke but much to everyone's surprise, Treasurer Jay Lee joined in the merrymaking with her own joke and finally Linda Schlageter completed all the good humor with her joke.

Moving on Lyn Strong is publicizing the annual Village Challenge contest. Be sure to save Thursday, April 26 for the draft party, combined with honoring members who have obtained a-hole-in-one last year. Festivities start at 4 p.m. at the Foothill Center with free drinks and wonderful snacks. Don't forget to sign up in the Posting Room to bring some snacks.

Cindy Fuller, event chair for WGANC Open Day, scheduled for Thursday, April 26, regretfully announced the day has been canceled due to a low sign-up.

The board has decided that all players must play from the #3 tees to compete in the Handicap Tournament in May.

Today's results for chip-ins: Barbara Weisend and Cathy Struck were the only two players to chip-in; each received \$6. No birdies were recorded.

## **PICKLEBALL**

#### By Kay Gray

Havin' a

BAR-B-Q!

A good time was had by all that attended the annual Pickleball Club meeting and potluck. A new slate of officers was elected. Garry Gray, the new president, introduced the appointed chairpersons, gave an update on the Pickleball courts project and fundraising, provided his goals for the club, and thanked the retiring officers for their service. The membership selected a club logo and royal blue as our club color for our new shirts. Following the meeting everyone enjoyed a scrumptious potluck. Be sure and visit our new website at VillagesPickleball.org to order your new shirt and catch up on all the current happenings with the club.



New Officers: Sherry Benz, Larry Martinson, Trish O'Neill, Garry Gray, Kathi Ashby, Betty Olsen.



Retiring Officers: Laurie Truman, Gail Keck, Garry Gray, Steve Williams, Anahid Gregg.

## **MEN'S GOLF CLUB**



By Kyle Finley (kylefinley@outlook.com)

**Evergreen Invitational Signups!** We are excited to announce that signups for the 2018 Evergreen Tournament will begin this Saturday, April 21 at 7 a.m.!

Tournament details: 1. Scheduled for July 12-14. 2. Team entry fee will be \$550 (\$275 per person). 3. We have added 6 team spots to this year's tournament for a total of 72 teams. 4. To provide all Men's Club members equal access, signups will be on a first come/first serve basis. We are providing two ways to sign up: a) at the Pro Shop or b) on the website at www.villagesgolfers. com. Please *note* the following information will be **required** at time of registration to hold a spot:

Men's Club Member: Name, House #, Email address and GHIN number

• Playing Partner: Name, Address, Email address and GHIN number

If you do not have this information available at signup, you will not be able to register.

Please look for more tournament details in this edition of the Villager or on the website.

**Spring Open Mixer Tournament Results:** Yeah! We were able to get our second tournament of the year in between rain events. A fantastic time was had by all 75 golfers that participated. Congratulations to the winners of this Stableford format event!

• Flight #1 Winners: Dennis Conway, Jim Seymour, Willy Weisend, and Jack McCarthy with 78 points!

• Flight #2 Winners: Dave Needham, Dave Parker, Ray Struck, and Jesse Ramirez with 97 points!
• Closest to the Hole on #11: Gary Chappell, Jim Seymour and David Cook (3 flights).

(See the Scoreboard section of this Villager for more results)

**Eagles for March:** Congratulations to following gentlemen who shot eagles last month: John Moore – March 7 on hole #14. Brad Baldinger – March 7 on hole # 2. Bob Dolci – March 10 on hole #2. Nick Corsello – March 31 on hole #16

hole #2. Nick Corsello – March 31 on hole #16

Congratulations! Ron Burke shot his age! Ron shot a 76 on March 31! I know each one of

use would love to accomplish that goal someday. Please congratulate Ron when you see him. **Senior Net Championship:** Our next POTY tournament is set for Saturday, May 12. This will be individual net, flights by age, eldest flight(s) using the #3 tees. Coffee and donuts at 7am followed by an 8am shotgun and lunch. Signups start April 28. Look here in next week's Villager for more information.

**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 on Tuesday, May 1. The meetings are open to all members.

## **TENNIS TALK**

**By Wendy Ferguson** 

The Silver Creek High School boy's tennis team is coming to Villages to play our men on Wednesday, April 25 at 3 p.m. The "mature" guys always play exceptionally well against the young bucks, so come on down to the courts for some spectacular tennis. The boys look forward to playing on our great courts. The men look forward to teaching the youngsters a thing or two.

And, drum roll please, speaking of spectacular, check out the upgraded serving area with new cabinet and counter that have *finally* been installed. Emoji here, if permitted!

The upcoming Scholarship Tennis Tournament and Dinner are just a weekend away, so jet on down to the Tennis Hut to sign your name on the dotted lines. All proceeds from these events go toward the scholarships. You can also email Wendy (Lgpgat@aol.com) to sign up. Don't dillydally as signups close soon. Please note that this is a *fun* tournament where you will get a new partner three times during play and "handicap" scoring will be in effect. You can sign up for one or both days.

Plan to check out over 30 items in the not-so-silent auction at dinner on Sunday, April 29.

A yummy dinner, too, with steak, chicken, salads, sides, and dessert. If you like to eat, which we all do, many fine establishments, including our Clubhouse and Bistro have donated gift cards for your bidding pleasure. Nearby, The Creek Eatery as well as Village Grill, Emperor of India, and Kayda Restaurant have donated gift cards. After indulging, pick up dessert from Nothing Bundt Cakes. Or, hold out for the Gourmet Dinner for 10. Every year, the winners of the dinner rave about an evening of fabulous food and entertainment at the Olsen's home.

Indulge on the courts, too. Tennis players can bid on a Wilson racket donated by Brad of Tennis Anywhere, lessons and clinics taught by Brett and Ken, racket stringing and more. Or, how about golf? Check out a round for four with carts from Scott. Then there are lessons from Tim and Hanna that will sharpen your swing. So many items raise money for such a great cause.

## Tennis Club Scholarship Tournament & BBQ Fundraiser

\$12,000 in scholarships will be awarded to four Silver Creek High School graduating seniors! The Villages Tennis Club Scholarship Committee is proud to continue to award scholarships to outstanding Silver Creek High School students who are also members of their school tennis teams. The Villages Tennis Club scholarship has awarded scholarships since 2005 and has provided the largest dollar amount of scholarships awarded at Silver Creek High School. The scholarship winners and their successes on and off the courts continue to be a source of pride to the Villages Tennis Club members.

The scholarship tennis tournament will take place on April 28 and 29. All Villagers are encouraged to play. The delicious barbecue, raffle and silent and sometimes not so silent auction will be at Foothill Center on Sunday, April 29 at 5:30 p.m. The scholarship winners will be introduced at the dinner. A signup sheet for the tournament and barbecue will be posted on the bulletin board at the Tennis Hut.

The Scholarship Tournament, BBQ dinners, silent auctions and raffles are the primary sources of funding, in addition to the commitment and generosity of Villagers and individual and local merchant sponsors. Wendy Ferguson, the founder and chair has successfully fostered the vision of the scholarships. Donations may be sent to Wendy Ferguson, Tennis Club Scholarship Chair, The Villages 5000 Cribari Lane, San Jose, CA 95135.

#### By Bill Travis

**IRONMEN** 

Several Ironmen club members have received comments from non-members regarding the net scores they read in the Villager, that these scores are low and, therefore, posted by very good players. A fact that can discourage them from joining the Ironmen. Don't let that happen. Net scores are determined after a player's handicap has been applied, and there is a wide range of handicaps.

Check us out. The Ironmen is a Men's Par-3 Golf Club. This is a casual and friendly club for men who are: beginning golfers looking for a welcoming group; good golfers practicing their short game; aging golfers ready for less challenge. There is a "sweeps" contest each week that rewards the players with the lowest net scores. There is also a voluntary birdie pool that is distributed among those that score a birdie during their round, and, if enough participants, a closest to the pin contest.

Joining is easy. For details, just show up to the driving range Thursdays at 9:30 a.m. and speak to one of the Ironmen members.

Thursday was another great day for golf; intermittent clouds and mild temperatures. **Several players had good scores:** 

David Hathaway with a net score of 24.

Lee Thompson and Patrick McMordie each with a net score of 26. John Eige with a net score of 27.

#### There were three birdies today:

David Hathaway had two of them, one on hole 1 and one on hole 3.

John Eige on hole 2.

And in honor of the start of the baseball season, our deep thought and/or humor for today:

"He who has the fastest golf cart never has a bad lie." - Mickey Mantle

"I was three over: one over a house; one over a patio, and one over a swimming pool." - George Brett

"In baseball you hit your home run over the right-field fence, the left-field fence, and the center-field fence. Nobody cares. In golf, everything has got to be right over second base." - Ken Harrelson

## **PINSEEKERS**

#### By John Eige

On a fine April 10, the Men's Long-Nine Golf Club met at the back nine, and the competition was decided as usual by the net scores.

For anyone unfamiliar with the term "net" in golf, each golfer establishes a "handicap" that is calculated from his recent scores, such that the handicap goes up when his recent numbers of strokes are higher. That handicap is subtracted from his recorded "gross" score, to form his/her "net" score. This way, good and not-so-good golfers have a nearly equal chance to have a low enough net score to place in a golf competition.

Our competition is a minor part of enjoying the game, and a Pinseeker can choose not to join it. We award 4 through 1 points each week, and the points can be spent in the Pro Shop. The net winners this time:

First, Ron Speer with 29.

Second, Bob lacopi with 30. (Ron and Bob were well ahead of the field.)

Third, Gary Holmquist and John Murphy were tied at 34, Fourth, Larry Chin and Tak Okabe were tied at 35.

These results did not change the ranking for the Club Champion of the year, but Bob lacopi in second place has come up to within 2 points of the tied leaders!

Please remember the "Mixer, Tournament, and Luncheon" with the Swingers ladies coming up on May 15, at our usual shotgun tee time of 8:45 a.m. Sign-up lists with details will be posted by the publication date of this note. This annual event has been very enjoyable, and especially since the ladies have many more members than we do, all men are encouraged to sign up!

## The Men's Golf Club **49th Annual Evergreen Invitational July 12-14, 2018**

Signups: Start on Saturday, April 21, at 7 a.m. Limited to 72 teams. Sign up in Pro Shop or on website at www.villagesgolfers.com (Must be member of the Villages Men's 18 hole Club.)

## **SHONIS**

Twenty Shonis played Tuesday, April 10, including Qualifier Fran Schumaker who had the only birdie of the day on Hole 5.

Joan Wiseman shot low gross for the second week in a row. Jonna Robinson, Meg Rogers and Bonnie Evans tied for first in their flight. Looks like the Shonis are ready for golf after a wet

The Shonis welcomed back players who haven't played for a while: Carole Griffin, Lorrie Scott, Rosemarie Stocky, Vivian Wilczak and Sandy Zades. Rosemarie, Carole and Vivian all placed in their flight. Rosemarie tied for first with Julianna Wahlgren and Carole and Vivian were second and third

Upcoming events: The Swingers/Shonis Invitational Tuesday, April 24 followed by lunch at Gazebo Park. The Eclectic Tournament is underway with the first game completed April 17.

Thursday practice play is open to all golfers wanting to work on their short game. Check in at 2:45 p.m. for a 3 p.m. shotgun start at the twilight rate.

## **BOCCE NEWS**



By Patricia Bruno

Spring Round Robin Signups Update: Signups for our second tournament of the season are ongoing. The Spring Round Robin runs from May 5 to June 27. The following days/times are available for play: Saturday 10:30 a.m., Monday 10:30 a.m., Monday 3 p.m., Wednesday 10:30 a.m., Thursday 10:30 am, and Thursday 1:30 pm. We are especially needing teams on Saturday, so consider playing on that day if you can. To sign up or for more information, contact Tony Orlando at 408-799-9668 or email him at tonyorlando49@yahoo.com. You can also sign up at the bocce courts.



Patrick and Thelma McMordie Enjoying Saturday **Bocce Play** 

Spring Mixer Playoffs: A friendly reminder that our playoffs for the Spring Mixer begins on Saturday, April 21 with the finals on Wednesday, April 25. Come on out and root on your favorite teams! Final results will be in a future edition of the Bocce News.

**Bocce Boot Camp** scheduled for April 27 has been canceled. Thank you.

The Bocce Club Web Page is now up and running. Please check us out at villagesbocceclub.com. Our web page is a work in progress so please come back often to see our improvements. Many thanks to David Cook all his work on this project.

Bocce Club Spring BBQ and Picnic: This fun event is Saturday, May 19. Please see the advertisement flyer in today's Villager.

Did you Know...today, Friday April 20, is Volunteer Recognition Day! Let's give a big shout out to all our Village Bocce Club members who volunteer and are making big and small differences in the lives of our club members. Most of our volunteers don't ask for recognition and just want to "give back" where they can. Thank you to all of our wonderful volunteers.

## FROM THE PRO



By Scott Steele, PGA Head Golf Professional

Sunday, April 29 - Swinging for Memories Golf Classic - 9:30 a.m. shotgun with lunch. On April 29, The Villages Golf & Country Club will be hosting the inaugural "Swinging For Memories" Golf Classic. We are fundraising to raise awareness about this horrible disease and to advance the care, support and research efforts of the Alzheimer's Association. Together with the Alzheimer's Association we will make a positive impact on those facing the disease. There are many ways to participate...play golf, donate a raffle prize, be a hole or a flag sponsor, be a major sponsor, come enjoy the lunch and banquet, purchase a table at the banquet for larger groups, make a cash donation, find a sponsor. For more information call the Pro Shop at 408-754-1331.

Summer Rules - Going forward, we have lifted the "Winter Rules" sign and we are playing "summer rules" until further notice. This means you must play the ball as it lies through the green and you are not allowed to pick up or clean your ball until on the putting surface. Let us know if you have any questions.

Bandini Patrol in action—Our wonderful group of volunteer members who sacrifice their time to help maintain the golf course conditions started their diligent work this month. The Bandini Patrol fills every divot on the golf course each Tuesday morning from the crack of dawn until the Tuesday morning shotgun. This year the group is being led by Julian Rodriguez. Thank you to the Bandini Patrol for your truly beneficial assistance.

Let's Do Our Part - It's a Team Effort! We golfers can also do our part to help by making sure that we fill our divots on the course after every shot, and that we fix every ball mark we make on the greens. Please have a divot repair tool or tee for your ball marks, and please carry a sand/seed bottle for your divots (located on the 1st & 10th tees). Also please remember to rake the bunkers and tap the sand off your spikes before walking onto the putting green. Keeping our course pristine is a team effort, so join the team!!

#### **April/May Golf Events**

Saturday, April 21 – 8 a.m. Open Shotgun – 1 p.m. Shotgun event

Sunday, April 29 - 9:30 a.m. Shotgun "Swinging for Memories Golf Classic" - Open Play at 3 p.m.

Saturday, May 12 - Men's Club Senior Net Championship 8 a.m. Shotgun - 1 p.m. Open Shotgun

Sunday, May 13 - Partners Golf - 2 p.m.

Friday, May 18 - Twilight Mixer - 9-Holes 4:30 p.m. Shotgun plus Dinner





#### Tips from the Pro: Dirty Right Toe...

Look at the above images and see what Rory McIlroy, Ben Hogan, Tiger Woods, and Annika Sorenstam all have in common. They finish on their right toe in prefect balance. There is no hanging back on their heels or reverse tilting. There is a full commitment to the target with both the lower body and the delivery of the club. And it is done at their tempo, which allows for body harmonization with the club and the resultant prefect balance. So if you feel yourself rocking back or flat footed or off balance, look at these images and try to emulate their finish positions. I guarantee you will make better contact. Let us know how it works! See you at the course!

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# Scoreboari

Thursday, April 12

## **BRIDGE**

#### Monday, April 9:

1. Marie Chong/LouAnn Partridge 2. Marie Chong/Lorrie Scott 3. Charlotte Boileau/Selma Chastaine

#### Wednesday, April 11:

1. Lorrie Scott/Marilyn Ribardo 2. Jan Kiernan/Sumi Minami 3/5. Barbara Varner/Joseph Henry 3/5. Jonna Robinson/Mary LeGrand 3/5. Maureen Waltho/Alan Waltho

#### Thursday, April 12:

1. Mary LeGrand/Marilyn Ribardo 2. Barbara Nilsen/Barbara Varner 3. Jan Kiernan/Sumiye Minami

# MEXICAN

Wednesday, April 11				
Theresa Meditch	196			
Kayla Ross	253			
Audrey Osuna	273			
Vicky Linscott	378			
Edday April 40				

#### Friday, April 13 Theresa Meditch 196 Barbara Varner 261 Sylvia Rozewicz 333

## **PINOCHLE**

#### Wednesday, April 11 Shara Ferrara

Donna Vivoli Shirley Bellavance Mike Cox

#### Friday, April 13 Phyllis Ogden Sagen Shirley Bellavance Harvey Gogol Sam Rotner Donna Vivoli

## **MEN'S CLUB**

#### **Spring Mixer** Tuesday, April 14

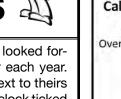
#### Flight One:

- 1. 78 Dennis Conway, Jim Seymour, Willy Weisend, Jack McCarthy
  - 2. 76 John Seeger, Matt Gallaway, Ray Blinde, Jack Smith
- 3. 75 John Thomas, Bob Fillhouer, Gary Sharps, Norvel Ney 4.73 - Michael Schwerin, Ken Rem, Ken Peters, Terry Barnhart
- Flight Two: 1.97 - Dave Needham, Dave Parker, Ray Struck, Jesse Ramirez
- 2. 96 John Butler, Hal Hallock, Sherwin Bajao, Harry Davis 3. 88 - Tom Fedrow, Jerry Block, David Cook
- 4. 86 Matt Orvick, David Hathaway, Jeff Buckingham, Lou Madamba

#### Closest to the Hole #11

HCP 0-9 Gary Chappell 4'1/2" HCP 10-18 Jim Seymour 6' HCP 19+ David Cook 3'10"

## They're Not Wrinkles, They're LAUGH Tom's LINES



Avid Giants season ticket holders, the couple looked forward to being in their seats at the home opener each year. They had gotten to know the couple with seats next to theirs and looked forward to seeing them, as well. As the clock ticked closer to the first pitch, they finally asked the man about the empty seat where his wife normally sat. He explained that she had passed away. After expressing sincere condolences, one of them said "You should have invited one of your friends to come along and use the ticket," to which the man said, "Oh, they are all at the funeral!"

## 18-HOLEWOMEN SWINGERS

#### Tuesday, April 10

#### Flight One: Flight One: Ann Bassford 86 71 Gisele Barber 50 32 Jungwha Kim 92 75 Connie Fortner 51 34 Millie Schwerin 94 75 51 35 Renee Woolard Laura Swenson 55 36 Flight Two: 94 69 Chris Leisy Flight Two: 98 75 Miyo Shigemoto Sheryl Driskell 52 32 Joan Needham 55 33 Jay Lee 99 75 101 75 54 34 Jean Shimada Wendy Ledamun Debbie Moore 57 36 Flight Three: Gail Tuft 103 74 Flight Three: 107 76 Betty Garcia Patricia Sear 59 35 Karen Kosmala Carol Zaccheo 108 76 58 35 Cathy Struck 108 77 Linda Piersol 59 36 Sandie Jones 61 36 Flight Four: Cindy Fuller 85 62 Flight Four: Judy Rodriguez 97 70 Judy Gergurich 61 32 Janis Kiernan Donna Kaplan 63 36 98 72 Ann Crews 97 73 Virginia Myatt 66 37 Pat Haggerty 66 39 Flight Five: Shirley Roberts 102 68 Barbara Weisend 112 72

## **SHONIS**

#### Tuesday, April 10

Flight One:	
Joan Wiseman	34 13 2
Barbara Karayn	36 12 2
Ann Campbell	36 12 2
Linda McCarley	39 15 2

#### Meg Rogers **Bonnie Evans**

Flight Two:

Jonna Robinson

Flight Three:				
Julianna Wahlgren	42 21 21			
Rosemarie Stocky	42 21 21			
Carole Griffin	45 23 22			
Vivian Wilczak	17 22 25			

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## **BOCCE**

Kathy Apgar

106 75

Bill's Team 2-4, Pat's Team 1-3

Monday 10:30 a.m.: Libby's Team 6-4, Dave's Team 6-4, Ros's Team 6-4, Jim's Team 2-8

Monday 3 p.m.: Yve's Team 6-4, LoAnne's Team 6-4, Kerry's Team 4-6, Gail's Team 4-6

Fran's Team 4-6, Jan's Team 1-5

Thursday 10:30 a.m.: Howie's Team 7-1, Denny's Team 5-5, Jean's Team 3-5, Del's Team 3-7 Thursday 1:30 a.m.: Barbara's Team 7-3, Bob's Team 7-3, Audrey's Team 3-7, Roseanna's

### Spring Mixer Tournament 2018—Week #5

Saturday 10:30 a.m.: Tony's Team 5-3, Paul's Team 4-2,

Wednesday 10:30 a.m.: Al's Team 8-2, Marion's Team 5-3,

Team 3-7



## 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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## MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE

#### Cribari

5423-5428 and 5489-5553—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

5122-5153 and 5554-5576—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 4/23 to 4/27.

5012 and 5386—Dead tree removal in planning for late April. Cribari Bluffs - Paint project to start April 30, weather permitting. Cribari Bluffs—Dry rot repairs in progress.

5047, 5049, 5051, 5093, 5095, 5097, 5099 and 5101 — Utility room flat roof replacement in progress, weather permitting.

Cribari Glen—Post light installation in progress.

5328-5335 — Water main replacement in planning.

#### Del Lago

3124-3126 and 3207-3226—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

3227-3243 and 3301-3303—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 4/23 to 4/27.

E2, E3 and E3-2 Lakes-Electrical pump cabinet replacement in planning.

#### **Estates**

8855-8866—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress. 8867-8875—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 4/23 to 4/27. Water Feature—Lower section concrete repairs in planning.

8875 — Repairs to the sewer line in the street, scheduled to start 4/23. **Fairways** 

4008, 4010 and 4012-Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

4014, 4016 and 4018-Landscape maintenance and weed control, 4/23 to 4/27.

#### Glen Arden

7759-7775—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress. 7777-7787 and 7791-7795—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 4/23 to 4/27.

Turf reduction project in progress; lawn spraying, weather permitting.

7748—Dead tree removal in planning for late April.

#### **Heights**

8510-8519—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress. 8448-8457 — Landscape maintenance and weed control, 4/23 to 4/27.

Hermosa 8096-8125—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress. 8065-8088 — Landscape maintenance and weed control, 4/23 to 4/27. 8106—Dead tree removal in planning for late April.

Upper Hermosa Lake-Aeriation system installation and trenching in progress.

Winery Ct.; 8071-8072, 8075-8078 and 8079-8080-Roof replacement in progress, weather permitting.

Riesling Way; 8348-8360 — Main sewer line repairs in planning. 8021-8022—Curb repairs, in planning.

#### Highland

7500-7527 and 7539-7540—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

Moorfoot Ct. and Halladale Ct.-Landscape maintenance and weed control, 4/23 to 4/27.

7580—Interior repairs in planning.

#### Montgomery

6046-6068 and 6120-6136—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

6079-6119 and 6169-6183 - Landscape maintenance and weed control, 4/23 to 4/27.

Dead tree removal in planning for late April.

6323—Trash enclosure repairs in planning.

#### Olivas

8776-8777, 8783-8785 and Grape Wagon-Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

Vineyard Creek and Vineyard Ridge-Landscape maintenance and weed control, 4/23 to 4/27.

#### Sonata

2000-2011 and 2030-2031 - Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

2025-2029 and 2095-2101 - Landscape maintenance and weed control, 4/23 to 4/27.

Turf slit seeding in progress.

## 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 it 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.





### Plastic items labeled 1-7

(Numbers inside chasing arrows—See diagram)

Baby wipe containers, beverage bottles, bleach and detergent bottles, buckets (remove handle), flower pots, food containers (i.e. cottage cheese and margarine tubs, yogurt cups), household cleaner bottles, prescription bottles, shampoo bottles, plastic take out and food containers and compact disc cases.

All items must be empty and rinsed.

## Plastic—Garbage container

Plastic bags (all types), bubble wrap, credit cards, disposable razors, hoses, ointment and toothpaste tubes, plastic without numbers 1-7, PVC piping, shoes, straws, tarps, toys, utensils, cellophane food bags (i.e. pasta, bagged salad, candy, etc.), polystyrene/foam take-out, egg and food containers, frozen food bags or pouches, plastic or wax liners from food packaging and plastic wrap.

\* Return plastic bags to grocery store for recycling.

#### **Valle Vista**

9015-9021 and 9028-9030 — Landscape maint., weed control in progress. 9022-9027 and 9057-9060—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 4/23 to 4/27.

Turf slit seeding in progress.

Entry Hillside—Planting project; Planting in progress.

#### **Verano**

7357-7377 — Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress. 7051-7060 and 7384-7404 - Landscape maintenance and weed control, 4/23 to 4/27.

Roundabout to North Verano — Main sewer line repairs in planning. Common area light fixture replacements in progress.

#### **Association**

Pro chip bark jet mulching installation in progress at various locations throughout the Villages.

Turf fertilization throughout the Villages in progress; for the next two weeks.

#### **Club Centers**

Golf course restroom at 16th green and 17th tee project in progress, weather permitting.

Cribari Center-Replace storage doors next to the wood shop and next to the auditorium, in planning.

Cribari Center—Install kick plates at the hobby rooms, in planning. Tennis Courts - Resurfacing scheduled to start 5/1.

Turf fertilization throughout the Villages in progress; for the next two weeks.

#### Maintenance **Emergencies**

The Maintenance Services Department's general work hours are Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. If you experience a maintenance emergency during those hours, please call the office right away at 408-223-4670. Even if you are certain the emergency is your responsibility, Maintenance Services can provide a list of contractors that are familiar with The Villages and may be helpful for the repair.

If a maintenance emergency occurs outside of work hours or on a holiday, call Public Safety at 408-223-4665. Public Safety will contact the Maintenance Area Supervisor and/or the appropriate contractor in order to resolve your emergency.

## **B**RIDGE **H**AND

#### By J.M.K.

- NORTH
- 9 4✓ J 9 4
- ♦ 10653
- ♣ KQJ4

#### EAST

- **♦** 86
- ◆ AQ1083
- ♦ K7
  ♣ 9762

#### SOUTH

- ★ KJ107532
- **♥** K6
- ♦ 94
- **♣** A8

Dealer: West Vulnerability: None

WEST

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Bidding: West North South East 1 Spade\* 1 Diamond Pass 1 Heart Double^ Pass 2 Hearts 2 Spades 3 Hearts 3 Spades Pass Pass All Pass

Contract: 3 Spades by South

Opening Lead: 7 of Hearts

Dealer has 1 or more losers in Spades, definitely 1 in Hearts, and 2 in Diamonds.

Strategy: Try to get in the lead and sluff some Diamond losers on the good Clubs.

West leads the 7 of Hearts, East, the Ace, switches to the King of Diamonds, continues with a Diamond, and West wins with the Jack. He follows with the Queen of Diamonds, South trumps, plays the Ace of Clubs, then leads a Club to the King the board. He then plays a Spade, finesses the King, West covers with the Ace, leads a Heart, South takes the trick with the King, follows with Jack of Spades, West uses his Queen, and now South claims since all he has left are the rest of the Spades. Unfortunately he is down one trick but this is better then letting East/West play the contract in 3 Hearts, which can be made. Even if the opponents double 3 Spades, North/South is still better off by going down 1 doubled, which is 100 points for the opponents versus 140 for 3 Hearts being made.

\* South is too strong to do a preemptive bid.

^ This is called a Support Double only used by the Opener when he bids a minor and his partner bids a major, with the opponents bidding something, then opener can double showing 3 cards in his partner's suit. If he has 4 cards he would raise the major to the next level.

## WHERE IN THE WORLD IS THE VILLAGER?

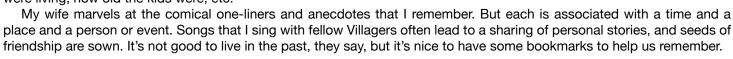
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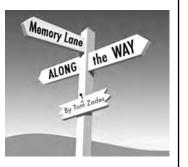


### Along the Way—a trip down Memory Lane

(With Tom Zades—contact him at: tomzades@gmail.com)

In the prologue to the novel, "Shutter Island," the speaker recalls his wife saying, "Time is nothing to me but a series of bookmarks that I use to jump back and forth through the text of my life, returning again and again to the events that mark me..." That idea has been resonating with me lately through music and comedy, and through the mutual sharing of our stories with my fellow Villagers. A song from my high school days, for instance, brings back a flood of associated memories. Songs from our first LPs put me back into the early years of our marriage: where we were living; how old the kids were, etc.





Robert and Arlene Lapidus, residents of Village Montgomery, took a cruise to Mexico. Their party included their daughter. Rachel, and grandchildren Oliver and Fiona.

Now is a good time to get your vacation pictures to The Villager because we are beginning to run short of picures of your adventures!

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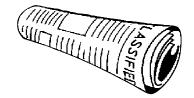
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#### ' Senior In-Home Care

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## HIRING/HELP Wanted

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## Notices

#### Anyone interested in getting together with other British residents?

No formal club rules, just a get together once or twice a month and a glass of wine.
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Category Cost **Real Estate** \$1.25 per word (minimum of 10 words) **Services** \$1.25 per word (minimum of 10 words) (See below for Services sub-categories.) Notices \$1.25 per word (minimum of 10 words) \$1.25 per word (minimum of 10 words) **Personals Cars & Carts** \$1.25 per word (minimum of 10 words) \$1.25 per word (minimum of 10 words) **Help Wanted** (Employment notices) Wanted \$1.25 per word (minimum of 10 words) Items for Sale Villagers: 75¢ per word (minimum of 10 words) Non-residents: \$1.25 per word (minimum of 10 words) (Personal items only) Free Stuff Villagers: 75¢ per word (minimum of 10 words) Non-residents: \$1.25 per word (minimum of 10 words) **Obituaries** \$1.25 per word for the first 50 words; then 30¢ a word after that. Photo of the deceased \$25 Free flag for veterans **Villages Business Directory** \$7.50 per week (Business Directory available to Villages residents only. Listings must be compact enough to fit on two lines only.) **Lost & Found** First 15 words of first ad are free; after 15 words: \$1.25 per word (Subsequent ads after first week are billed at \$1.25 per word)

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#### **CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING GUIDELINES**

To submit ad copy, renew, cancel, or make changes to your ad: Call or email Kory at 408-754-1341 or Ktran@the-villages.com; Call Scott at 408-223-4655; fax to 408-274-2843; or mail to:

## Villager Classified Ads, Building B 5000 Cribari Lane, San Jose, CA 95135.

(Downloadable forms available on the Villages website at **www.thevillagesgcc.com**. Ad copy is not taken over the telephone. Call Kory or Scott to verify receipt of fax.)

#### Payment:

All ads are to be paid in advance by check or money order—no cash. Make checks/money orders payable to: **The Villager**. Villages residents may charge ads to their Villages accounts. Take payments to the Villager office in Building B or mail to the address above.

#### **Deadlines:**

Ads are due Mondays by 10 a.m. for publication in Friday's paper. Deadline also applies to renewals, cancellations and changes. Exceptions are only for holiday deadlines, details of which will be published in advance.

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## The Villager Classified Ad Form

Name:		websites, and symbols $(\&, +, @, \text{etc.})$ are counted as one word. Hyphenated words are counted a	
Address:		two words. Please print clearly. See other side for pricing information and specific details for you ad. For more information, please contact Kory at ktran@the-villages.com or 408-754-1341.	
Phone:			
Select Category:  REAL ESTATE NOTICES PERSONALS CARS & CARTS HELP WANTED	☐ OTHER CATEGORY (Please specify) ☐ VILLAGES BUSINESS DIRECTORY (Must fit in two lines)		
<ul> <li>□ WANTED</li> <li>□ ITEMS FOR SALE</li> <li>□ FREE STUFF</li> <li>□ OBITUARIES</li> <li>□ LOST &amp; FOUND</li> <li>□ SERVICES</li> </ul>	Additional Options:  Single Line Box (\$15 in addition to ad) Premium Box (\$20 in addition to ad)		
☐ Appliances ☐ Automotive Repair ☐ Senior Care Facilities ☐ Senior In-Home Care ☐ Computers ☐ Electrical ☐ Landscape ☐ Errands/Odd Jobs ☐ Health & Beauty ☐ Heating & A/C ☐ Flooring ☐ Remodeling	☐ Housecleaning ☐ Legal/Professional ☐ Plumbing ☐ Moving/Storage ☐ Painting ☐ Pet Care ☐ Repair/Handyperson ☐ Window Cleaning ☐ Tax/Finance/Insurance ☐ Transportation	Amount per week: \$ # of weeks: Issue Date(s):	
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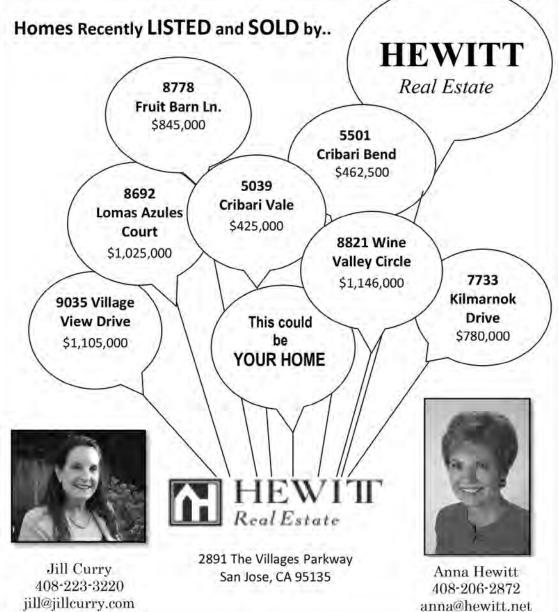
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