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Welcome, come on in! 'Inside the Gates' Home Tour 2018

By Sherry Benz

How do you plan for 400-plus or minus visitors? Seems like an impossible task, but the owners of seven fabulous homes are ready to welcome you. They have been busy and are looking forward to sharing with you their version of "living in The Villages." The weatherman predicts a perfect day. Invite your family and friends for a special day on the Tour.

The Tour takes place on Saturday, October 6 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. In addition to the tour, John Yu is preparing a sumptuous lunch, available at the Clubhouse for a relaxing break in your touring. Tickets for both the tour and lunch can be purchased online at rebrand.ly/VMA_Home_Tour or through the VMA website Home Page at www.vmavillages.org. If you do not have access to a computer, please contact Anahid Gregg at 732-742-4874 for tickets. Tickets for the luncheon are \$25 and are available only in advance, sold through September 30. Tour tickets are \$25 in advance and \$30 on the day of the event.

Stunning rustic rattan wreaths planted with succulents will adorn the tables at the luncheon. Other centerpieces are chic metal pumpkins that would be a lovely decoration in your home this Fall, both are available for sale at the Clubhouse.

Stop by the Clubhouse at any time during the tour and visit our Hospitality area for lemonade and iced tea along with free samples

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EPC Pre-Drill meeting is this Monday

Come to Cribari Auditorium on Monday, October 1 at 9:30 a.m. to find out what to expect during the Emergency Preparedness Committee (EPC) annual drill on October 15 at 4 p.m.



At this meeting, you can also pick up PG&E handbooks on gas and electrical emergencies. **All are welcome and encouraged to come** including Villagers and EPC personnel (Sector Chiefs, Area Reps, Team Directors and Team Members).

Maddy Stusnick, EPC Chair, and Judy Bushey and Nick Yannaccone, EPC Co-Chairs, will try to answer all your questions and introduce you to your Sector Chief and Specialty Team Directors. We

hope Sector Chiefs will bring new Area Reps who in turn will bring new residents and friends. Sector Chiefs can pick up Clipboard Cheat sheets for your Area Reps.

Men's Club Champion



Villages Head Pro Scott Steele (right) congratulates the Men's Club's new Club Champion Brad Baldinger. (For more details on the tournament, see page 19)

Joe Simitian to speak at free Senior Academy event

Senior Academy's free "Harrington Lecture" at the Clubhouse is the place to be Tuesday, October 2 at 7 p.m.

Joe Simitian, President of Santa Clara County supervisors, has an extensive background. His public service includes being a member of California State Senate, State Assembly, Mayor of Palo Alto, Palo Alto School Board President, and an earlier stint on the S.C. County Board of Supervisors.

He also served as an election observer/supervisor in El

Salvador and Bosnia and participated in refugee relief and resettlement efforts in Albania and Kosovo. The California Journal named Joe among those at the "Top of the Class" during his first term in the Legislature. In 2003 he was selected by Scientific American Magazine as one of the "Scientific American 50" leaders in technology around the world.

You can ask Joe about the current State of Silicon Valley and he will review the results of voter interviews he conducted in North Carolina, Pennsylvania and Michigan following the 2016 election and why many of them "flipped" to vote for Trump in those swing states.

Come and enjoy light desserts, coffee and tea prior to the lecture.

2019 Master Calendar pickup

The 2019 Master Calendar for Clubs, Committees and DACs will not be ready for pickup until October 15 by appointment please. You can call or email Ruth DePonzi at rdeponzi@thevillages.com or 408-223-4644. Thank you!

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.

3 Pulse letters received this week.
0 Pulse letters not meeting Pulse Letter Guidelines.
3 Pulse letters published this week.

In the mornings, my wife and I like to walk the walking paths in the Highland and Olivas Villages. Recently, my cousin with mobility issues came to visit us. He was excited about walking on the paths with us. It was then that we realized that many of the walking paths terminate at the streets with non-ADA compliant curbs. This made it extremely difficult for him to get over the curbs with either a walker or his electric scooter. Without us lifting him and his scooter over the curbs, he wouldn't have been able to see the many water features and foliage that are along the paths. I think that in an area where there are a greater number of people with mobility issues, that the Villages should address this issue. Everyone, regardless of their mobility should be able to enjoy the walking paths.

—Alan Rich

Horse owners at the barn have been seeing after hours visitors on the video cameras. As much as we like visitors, please do not come up to the barn after 6 p.m. and please, please do not feed them any treats. My horse is just home from the horse hospital after seven weeks and is recovering from intestinal surgery. He is on a severely restricted diet and cannot even eat hay.

As a reminder, Rule 1.21 Horse Stables of The Villages Golf and Country Club Rules states:

3. Only residents who board horses are allowed in the barn areas, the paddocks, and the exercise area. Unauthorized visitors will be asked to leave the premises.

4. For safety reasons, feeding and touching of horses is not permitted except by owners, their guests and their employees.

—Leslie Ingham

Regarding driving The Villages Parkway and Fairway Drive. Please, have the sprinklers (at 9 to 10 p.m.) adjusted so they don't spray the traffic. It wastes water and makes my new wax job look bad. How about having Public Safety (who drive the whole Villages) notify the grounds crew when they see wasted water?

While we're there, would some "Watch for Deer" signs be appropriate (especially for visitors)?

—Jim McDonnell

Attention Pulse authors!

- When you write your Pulse letters, don't forget to:
- Include your name, address and telephone number at the end of your letter. Your contact information is important in case the Communications Committee members have questions or need to verify your identity.
 - Sign your letter if you are bringing a paper copy to the Pulse mailbox in Building B.
 - Put the word count of the letter at the end of the letter—Remember, it's 200 words or fewer.
 - Put "PULSE" in the subject line of your e-mail if you are sending it in electronically. (E-mail your Pulse letters to: shinrichs@the-villages.com)

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

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.

IN MEMORIAM

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. Obituary notices may be placed in the Classified Advertising section for a fee. For more information, please call Kory Tran at 408-754-1341 or Scott Hinrichs at 408-223-4655.

DEADLINES

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

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GOVERNANCE MEETINGS



The What I Love About The Villages column is a place where you can share your positive comments about The Villages community. (To be in compliance with VGCC Rule 1.30, please do not name businesses or other commercial, religious or political entities.)

If you have an uplifting comment to share about some aspect of life at The Villages, please email your contribution to Villager Associate Editor Kory Tran: ktran@the-villages.com, Villager Managing Editor Scott Hinrichs: shinrichs@the-villages.com or submit it in the Villager Article Submission area on the Resident Portal: resident.thevillagesgcc.com/villager/artsub/

WHAT I LOVE ABOUT THE VILLAGES

What do I Love about The Villages? Every day as we go about our lives, dozens of people are busy doing their part to maintain and improve our lives here in The Villages. A current example that has impacted most of us has been resealing the two main thoroughfares that drivers encounter shortly after coming into The Villages. Thanks to an intricate series of bright orange traffic cones with yellow roping tying them together, cars, trucks, golf carts and even emergency vehicles were able to weave their way through the maze to their individual destinations. This happened while resealing work was going on in the adjacent lane; and the resealed streets are beautiful. Those things don't happen accidentally. They require pre-planning, accurate execution and constant oversight. Kudos to all the people who devote their time and energy for the daily benefit of all Villagers.

—Vera Buescher, Del Lago resident

SENIOR RESOURCE SERVICES

Do you wish to change your Medicare plan?

The Insurance companies may revise premiums, coverage of their Medicare Health Advantage (HMO) plans, Medigap (also known as Supplement plan or PPO) and drug plans and add or drop providers and pharmacies from their networks at the time of Medicare Annual Enrollment Period (AEP), also known as Open Enrollment Period (OEP).

The 2018 Medicare AEP opens October 15 and runs through December 7, 2018. During this period existing Medicare beneficiaries already enrolled in an Advantage plan or Medigap and Part D plans may replace their Medicare Advantage, Medigap and Part D plans with the one they prefer for any reason such as better coverage, lower copays, etc.; there is nothing to change in Medicare Part A and Part B.

You may be subject to rating based on your health and a higher premium when you make a plan change; you may even be denied enrollment into the new plan based on your preexisting condition.

Note that neither a Medigap plan nor a Part D plan is mandatory but think twice before dropping either one altogether if you already have them. You might not be able to reenroll in or get one down the road when your health deteriorates and if you get lucky enough to get one, you may end up paying higher premiums for both and a penalty for Part D for life.

Villagers in a Medicare health or prescription drug plan should always review the materials their plans send them, like the "Evidence of Coverage" (EOC) and "Annual Notice of Change" (ANOC). If your plan is changing, you should make sure your plan will still meet your needs for 2019. If your current plans will meet your needs for next year, you don't need to do anything. If your list of medications changed during 2018, it might be beneficial to you to change your Part D Plan for 2019.

When making a plan change, consider its STAR rating that Medicare assigns all the plans based on their past performance and anything specific you are looking for in the plan. Also, note that the Part D pharmacy you are using in the current year may become a non-preferred pharmacy next year, which means your copay may go up. Ask your pharmacy if it will continue to be a preferred pharmacy for your drug plan before the AEP expires, if not, choose a preferred pharmacy; no enrollment in a preferred pharmacy is required in such a case.

The Villages is fortunate to have a HICAP counselor who comes to the SRS office the fourth Thursday morning of each month.

If you wish to change your Medicare plan, consult your Medicare counselor and bring all your medications. When in doubt about your appointment with the Medicare counselor, make a proactive effort to confirm your appointment with Sourcewise 408-350-3200 (option 2).

The California Department of Aging trained registered, rigorously trained HICAP (Health Insurance Counseling & Advocacy Program) counselors provide personalized, unbiased guidance for you.

SRS is calling your early attention to the enrollment period, so you have time to think about your needs.

Note: The Senior Resource Services (SRS) office hours for drop-in assistance 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 also leave a message at 408-239-5253. The purpose of SRS is to provide education and general business and financial information. All assistance is free and confidential. You should ask your professional adviser about your individual situation.

SRS Reminder:

Lawyer referral service

Before you decide whether or not you actually should go ahead and hire an attorney, we suggest you consider the Lawyer Referral Service (LRS) provided by the Santa Clara County Bar Association. For a \$41 administrative fee you will receive a half-hour attorney consultation.

Go to www.sccba.com and click on "Find a Lawyer." You can complete the application online. If you prefer you may call the Lawyer Referral Service at 408-971-6822.

SRS has heard good comments about this service. We caution you to be very organized to get the most from your half-hour meeting.

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, October 30, at 9:15 a.m. in Foothill Center.

The Villages Association Board of Directors regular monthly meeting will be held Tuesday, October 30 immediately after the Study Session in Foothill Center.

Club

The Villages Golf & Country Club Board of Directors Study Session will be held Tuesday, October 16, at 1:30 p.m. in Foothill Center.

The Villages Golf & Country Club Board of Directors regular monthly meeting will be held Tuesday, October 30, at 1:30 p.m. in Foothill Center.

Homeowners

The Villages Homeowners' Corporation Quarterly Meeting will be held Thursday, October 11, at 9 a.m. in Foothill Center.

Three Boards

The Three-Board meeting Re.: Audit Presentation will be held Tuesday, October 16, at 10 a.m. in Foothill Center.

More BOARDS & COMMITTEES and
COMMUNITY NOTICES
on pages 4, 5, 9 & 26

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

www.vmvillages.org



Coming in October

Blood Pressure Clinic: Come have your blood pressure checked. Wednesday, October 3, 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m., Forum Room.

Parkinson's Caregivers Support Group: Meet with other caregivers of those with Parkinson's.

Wednesday, October 3, 10 a.m. - 1 a.m., Building A in Conference Room A.

Cancer Support Group: facilitated by a social worker from Cancer CAREpoint. Thursday, October 4, 10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m., Cribari Conference Room.

Grief Support Group: a facilitator from Hospice of the Valley leads this monthly grief group. Monday, October 8, 10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m., Conference Room. Monday, October 22, 10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m., Patio Room.

Essential Oils 101: With Grace Hospice will be presenting on the benefits of using essential oils for your health. Monday, October 8, 1 p.m. - 2 p.m., Cribari Conference Room.

Hearing Screening: HearingLife will be providing free hearing screenings. Registration will be required. Thursday, October 11, 10 a.m. - 1 p.m., Montgomery Center

Diabetes Support Group: a place to share experiences and techniques for successful management of diabetes. Wednesday, October 24, 10 a.m. - 12 p.m., Cribari Conference Room

Caregivers Support Group: a group designed to provide emotional, educational and social support for all caregivers facilitated by Villager, Judy London, Ph.D. Thursday, October 25, 10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m., Patio Room

If you have any questions or need information regarding our upcoming programs or the services we provide, please contact VMA Social Service Coordinator Cristina Freyer at cfreyer@ncphs.org or 408-238-4029.

Club and Association Boards met for regularly scheduled September meetings

The Villages Association and Club Boards of Directors met Tuesday, September 25 for their regularly scheduled meetings in Foothill Center.

Numerous items of business were discussed and voted upon.

Association Financial Report For the Month of August 2018

August Operating Statement Review:

Revenue was \$1,400 favorable to the budget of \$718,500 for the month mostly due to higher than budgeted third party fees and laundry concession income.

Expenditures for the month were \$45,800 (5.6 percent) favorable to the budget of \$822,100. Water expense was the main driver at \$54,100 favorable to the budget of \$311,700. Water management is critical for a successful budget year, and we are off to a good start. Expense lines unfavorable to budget in August were repair and maintenance (\$6,600 more than the budget of \$25,200), planting (\$4,100 more than the budget of \$5,100 due to timing) and pest control (\$3,500 more than the budget of \$8,300).

Year-to-date (two months of operations), total revenue is \$800 favorable to the budget of \$1,438,300 due to higher than planned third party fees. Year-to-date, total operating expenditures are \$1,613,400 or 2.9 percent less than the budget of \$1,661,000. The positive budget variance can be attributed to water expense that is \$54,100 or 8.7 percent less than the budget of \$623,500. Notable expense categories that are unfavorable to budget are repair and maintenance (\$8,500 more than the YTD budget of \$50,400), planting expense (\$6,100 more than the YTD budget of \$11,200 due to timing) and pest control (\$2,800 more than the YTD budget of \$35,800).

The year-to-date net positive operating budget variance is \$48,400.

Club Financial Report For the Month of August 2018

August Operating Statement Review:

Total revenue was \$23,800 favorable to budget, 2 percent more than the budget of \$1,209,300. Total food and beverage sales exceeded the budget by \$16,000 (6.3 percent higher than the budget of \$255,000) with strong Bistro revenue. For the second month in a row, Bistro food sales topped \$100,000, which is \$28,000 more in food sales compared to last August. Resident activities income and lessons/classes were \$15,700 higher than the combined budget of \$20,000, due to timing. Golf-related revenue (green fees, Pro Shop merchandise sales, driving range income and golf cart rentals) posted a \$4,000 negative budget variance for the month.

Total expenditures were \$41,800 unfavorable to budget, 3.5 percent more

than the budget of \$1,182,600. The main driver was water expense, \$45,900 unfavorable to the budget of \$130,200. Additional notable expenditure categories unfavorable to budget for the month were resident activities (\$34,600 vs. budget of \$20,000, offset on the revenue side), printing expense (\$15,100 vs. budget of \$7,500) due to timing of the Resource Guide printing and repair and maintenance (\$30,400 vs. budget of \$25,300) at the Clubhouse and Cribari Center. Expenditure categories with notable favorable to budget postings were tree trimming (due to a reclassification of a prior year invoice totaling \$10,200) and employee expense (\$12,600 less than the budget of \$679,200) due to continued employee vacancies in several departments.

The net negative operating budget variance for the month was \$18,000. See table below.

August 2018 Club Operating Results

	Actual	Budget	Variance
Revenue	\$1,233,100	\$1,209,300	\$23,800
Expenses	\$1,224,400	\$1,182,600	(\$41,800)
Net	\$ 8,700	\$ 26,700	(\$18,000)

Year-to-date revenue is \$12,000 favorable to budget, 0.5 percent higher than the budget of \$2,388,000. Year-to-date expenditures are \$14,000 favorable to budget, 0.6 percent less than the budget of \$2,380,000. The year-to-date net positive operating budget variance is \$26,000 (P&L). See table below for detail by department.

The bottom of the table below shows the financial impact of the monthly solar lease payments and contribution to the balloon payment fund (to be paid in 2023) captured on the Club's balance sheet. The YTD total for these two items is \$36,000.

The Villages Golf and Country Club Summary Club Operating Budget FY19 For Two Months Ended August 31, 2018

Department	Revenues (\$)			Expenditures (\$)			FY 19 Net (\$)
	Actual	Budget	Variance	Actual	Budget	Variance	Variance
G&A	171,000	176,000	-5,000	139,000	160,000	21,000	16,000
Maintenance Admin	25,000	24,000	1,000	31,000	27,000	-4,000	-3,000
Golf Course/Pro Shop	456,000	486,000	-30,000	517,000	504,000	-13,000	-43,000
Community Activities	201,000	190,000	11,000	209,000	205,000	-4,000	7,000
Community Centers	119,000	119,000	0	107,000	123,000	16,000	16,000
Public Safety	196,000	195,000	1,000	188,000	204,000	16,000	17,000
Pools	32,000	32,000	0	29,000	31,000	2,000	2,000
Clubhouse/Restaurant	789,000	747,000	42,000	731,000	707,000	-24,000	18,000
All Other	411,000	419,000	-8,000	415,000	419,000	4,000	-4,000
Totals	2,400,000	2,388,000	12,000	2,366,000	2,380,000	14,000	26,000
Solar Lease—Bal. Sheet	-	-	-	36,000	36,000	0	0
Net Assessment	2,400,000	2,388,000	12,000	2,402,000	2,416,000	14,000	26,000
Variance							

Association Board Voting Record for September 2018

Association Voting Record for September 2018

September 25, 2018 Regular Monthly Meeting		Board Members*							Comments	Costs
		BF	GA	MG	FV	DC	DH	JW		
1	Proposed Changes to APr 103 Board and Member Meetings (formal approval)	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	By consensus the Board agreed to revise proposed changes to APr 103 Board and Member Meetings and to publish same in <i>The Villager</i> for the required 30-day member comment period.	\$0
2	District Advisory Committee (DAC) Appointments	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Approved the appointment of Robert V. Adams to the Montgomery DAC and Duncan J Kelley to the Sonata DAC.	\$0
3	Exclusionary Encroachment into Common Area - Request from the Owner at 8764 McCarty Ranch Drive	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	The request to extend the patio into Project G-7 (Olivas) common area 14', relocate the A/C; install landscape and stamped concrete patio was conditionally approved pending a passing vote from the 20 owners in Project G-7. At least 75 percent, or 15, of the 20 owners must approve the common area encroachment request. The requesting member pays all associated costs for the vote.	\$0
4	Exclusionary Encroachment into Common Area - Request from the Owner at 7205 Via Carrizo	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	The request to extend the patio into Project D-4 (Verano) common area 5' was conditionally approved pending a passing vote from the 52 owners in Project D-4. At least 75 percent, or 39, of the 52 owners must approve the common area encroachment request. The requesting member pays all associated costs for the vote.	\$0
5	Goals and Objectives	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	By consensus the Board agreed to bring back proposed goals and objectives to the October study session for further review.	\$0
Total APPROVED Expenditures this meeting										\$0

A = Absent | AB = Abstained | N = No Vote (does not vote in favor) | Y = Yes Vote (votes in favor) | N/A = Not Applicable | C = Consent

* BF = Brooks Fuller | GA = Garry Ashby | MG = Matthew Giordano | FV = Frank Veloz | DC = David Cook | DH = Diana Hallock | JW = Julie Wash

Homeowners' Financial Report
For the Month of August 2018

August Operating Statement:

Revenue tracked budget at \$3,263 (non-Estates single family homes). Expenditures for the month were \$112 favorable to budget due to less than planned legal fees of \$112. The year-to-date net positive operating budget variance is \$221.

Estates revenue for the month was on budget at \$12,319. Expenditures were \$1,100 unfavorable to budget, 7.1 percent higher than the budget of \$15,371 due to higher than budgeted water expense (\$9,297 vs. budget of \$7,567) offset by favorable to budget postings in irrigation maintenance, planting expense and pest control. The year-to-date net negative operating budget variance is \$2,309.

The table on the previous page shows the Clubhouse/Restaurant with an \$18,000 positive net variance due to favorable to budget food/beverage sales offset by higher than planned employee expense and cost of sales. Public Safety has a net positive variance of \$17,000 mostly due to less than planned employee expense. The community centers have a \$16,000 positive net variance due to favorable utilities expense and intra-co cost transfers. G&A has a \$16,000 positive net variance due to favorable employee expense and professional fees (timing). The Golf Course/Pro Shop has produced a \$43,000 negative net variance with unfavorable revenue from green fees, merchandise sales, driving range and golf cart rentals, along with unfavorable water expense.

Club Board Voting Record for September 2018

September 25, 2018 Monthly Meeting		Board Members*							Comments	Costs
Agenda Items		RC	WW	JC	JN	BW	MF	FL		
1	Bocce Courts Renovations	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Approved to accept and approve Heavenly Greens as the qualified contractor and their proposal in the amount of \$23,635 for the Bocce Courts turf replacement, Duffina Family Construction and their proposals in the amount of \$1,250 for the Bocce Courts concrete curb cutouts and planing of wood bumpers and an allowance in the amount of \$600 for the Bocce Courts rubber bumper replacements, and a 10% project contingency of \$2,548.50; said work to be funded from the Reserve Fund.	\$28,033.50
2	Golf Maintenance Solutions Equipment Request	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Approved Capital Fund expenditure (for golf course equipment) of \$50,925.79 for the purchase of the used John Deere 38 Skid Steer(\$33,078.71) and the TURFCO Triwave 60 (\$17,847.08).	\$50,926
3	Consideration to Publish for 30-Day Notice Proposed Changes to Rule 1.11 Community Centers	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Approved to publish for 30-day notice in <i>The Villager</i> proposed changes to <u>Rule 1.11 Community Centers</u> . The purpose of the proposed changes is to clarify the Rule, to conform to practice, and to specify when set-up and service fees will be charged.	\$0
4	Consideration to Publish for 30-Day Notice Proposed Changes to Rule 1.17 Swimming Pool Areas	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Approved to publish for 30-day notice in <i>The Villager</i> proposed changes to <u>Rule 1.17 Swimming Pools Areas</u> . The purpose of the proposed changes: a change to pool hours at the Montgomery pool on the 4 th of July and to add swim diapers to list in 6.2.	\$0
5	Committee Appointments -Communications Advisory Committee -Fitness Center Advisory Committee -Nominating Committee	Y	Y	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Approved the appointments of Karen Hansen, Debbie Champion, and Alice Tyler, to the Communications Advisory Committee as associate members for terms of two years; approved the appointment of Cheryl McNary to the Fitness Center Advisory Committee as voting member to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Julie Wash; and approved the reappointment of Nancy Fodor and Rick Jiloty to the Nominating Committee.	\$0
6	Board Sub-Committee Appointments -Bylaws Review -Management Agreement Review -Standard Format for Club and Organizations Charter/Bylaws -Three-Year Strategic Plan Format Review	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Accepted the following Board Sub-Committee Appointments: <u>Bylaws Review</u> - Jan Champion, Jim Neill, Rick Casey; <u>Management Agreement</u> - Jan Champion, Wayne Weiler, Rick Casey; <u>Standard Format for Club and Organizations Charter/Bylaws</u> - Frank Langben, Mike Falarski, Bob Wilk; <u>Three-Year Strategic Plan Format Review</u> - Jim Neill, Mike Falarski, Bob Wilk	\$0
7	Memorial Tree on the Golf Course	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Accepted the Villages Golf Committee's recommendation to plant a memorial tree on the golf course in honor of long-time Villages' resident Lin Maltbie.	
Total APPROVED Expenditures this meeting										\$78,959

A = Absent | AB = Abstained | N = No Vote (does not vote in favor) | Y = Yes Vote (votes in favor) | N/A = Not Applicable | C = Consent | R = Recused

* RC = Rick Casey | WW = Wayne Weiler | JC = Jan Champion | JN = Jim Neill | BW = Bob Wilk | MF = Mike Falarski | FL = Frank Langben

EPC SEZ..

Did you know the EPC Communications Team has radio and ham operators to assist with communications during a disaster? If you can assist this team please contact EPC at: chair@thevillagesepc.org

— The Villages Emergency Preparedness Committee

Are you prepared for a real disaster?

Some things to think about:

- Do you have a lantern and batteries?
- Do you have a pet carrier for your pets?
- Do you have food and water for five days?
- Do you have a backup plan if you need electricity for oxygen?
- Do you have a buddy to check on you or you to check on?

For more information check the EPC bulletin board next to Post Office in Cribari, the article in back of Villages Telephone Book, or come to the pre-drill instructions at Cribari Auditorium Monday, October 1 at 9:30 a.m.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Friday, September 28

8:30 a.m.	Jazzercise	A
9 a.m.	Game Day	RED, SEQ
9:30 a.m.	Open Studio	AR
10 a.m.	Quilters	P
10 a.m.	Tai Chi	FC
10:30 a.m.	Line Dance	MMP
1 p.m.	Ceramics	CER
2 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
3 p.m.	Bocce Bash	BC
5 p.m.	Dancing Buffet Dinner	CH
6 p.m.	Mex. Train Dominoes	MC

Saturday, September 29

9:30 a.m.	Ukulele Singing	SEQ
10 a.m.	Concert Ticket Sales	L
10 a.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
2:30 p.m.	Heights DAC BBQ	GP
5 p.m.	Driving Range Concert	CH

Sunday, September 30

7:15 a.m.	Catholic Choir Practice	CR
8:15 a.m.	Catholic Mass	A
9 a.m.	Chapel Choir Practice	SEQ
9:30 a.m.	Chapel Worship	F
10 a.m.	Comm. Chapel Service	A
10 a.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
11 a.m.	Chapel Fellowship	CR
3 p.m.	Chinese Club Potluck	FC
6 p.m.	Catholic Dinner	CH

Monday, October 1

8:30 a.m.	Jazzercise	FC
9 a.m.	9 Hole Women Board	RED
9 a.m.	Game Day	SEQ, RED
9:30 a.m.	Search the Scriptures	MC
9:30 a.m.	EPC Pre-Drill	A
10 a.m.	Republican Club Board	CR
10 a.m.	Cardio Class	FC
10 a.m.	Line Dance	MMP
10 a.m.	Fitness Center Comm.	F
10 a.m.	Open Studio	AR
1 p.m.	Ceramics	CER
1 p.m.	Open Studio	AR
1 p.m.	Stitchery	P

1:15 p.m.	Arts & Crafts Assoc.	CR
2 p.m.	Theater Rehearsal	A
2 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
3 p.m.	Chapel Ministry	P
6 p.m.	Dance Fusion	MMP
6:30 p.m.	Duplicate Bridge	RED
6:45 p.m.	Yoga	MMP
7 p.m.	Camera Club	CR
7:30 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP

Tuesday, October 2

8:30 a.m.	Men's Golf Club	P
9 a.m.	Game Day	RED, SEQ
10 a.m.	Acrylic & Oil Studio	AR
10 a.m.	ADL/Parkinson Class	A
10 a.m.	Club Rules Committee	BGA
10 a.m.	Ukulele - Advanced	F
10:30 a.m.	Chapel Planning Meet	MC
11:15 a.m.	Yoga	MMP
11:30 a.m.	Walking Class	A
1 p.m.	Ceramics	CER
2 p.m.	Theater Rehearsal	CR
2 p.m.	Piano Club	A
2 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
6:45 p.m.	Band Rehearsals	A
7 p.m.	Catholic Council	MC
7 p.m.	Astronomy Club	FC
7 p.m.	Harrington Lecture	CH

Wednesday, October 3

8:30 a.m.	Jazzercise	A
9 a.m.	VMA Board	CR
9 a.m.	Game Day	RED, SEQ
9:30 a.m.	Ladies Bible Study	P
10 a.m.	Collage Critique	AR
10 a.m.	Parkinson Caregivers	BGA
10 a.m.	Tai Chi	VC
10 a.m.	Total Body Fitness	A
10:30 a.m.	Blood Pressure Clinic	F
11:30 a.m.	Dippy Dolphins	MC
1 p.m.	Open Studio	AR
2 p.m.	Theater Rehearsals	VC
2 p.m.	Democratic Club	FC
2 p.m.	Ping Pong	MMP
3:30 p.m.	Bingo	A

Thursday, October 4

9 a.m.	AC Association	FC
9 a.m.	Finance Committee	BGA
9 a.m.	Game Day	RED, SEQ
9 a.m.	Chapel Music Comm.	P
9:30 a.m.	Exper. Watercolor Class	AR
9:45 a.m.	Beginning Line Dance	MMP
10 a.m.	Cancer Support Group	CR
10 a.m.	Genealogy Club	VC
10 a.m.	Walking Class	A
11:15 a.m.	Yoga	MMP
12:30 p.m.	18 Hole Women Lunch	CH
1:30 p.m.	Ukulele Club	VC
2 p.m.	Ceramics	CER
2 p.m.	Theatre Rehearsal	A
2 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
3 p.m.	Chapel Choir Rehearsal	CR
6 p.m.	Bridge Club	RED
7 p.m.	Italian Club Board	P
7 p.m.	Folksters	CR

Friday, October 5

8:30 a.m.	Jazzercise	A
8:45 a.m.	Catholic Mass	CR
9 a.m.	Game Day	RED, SEQ
9 a.m.	Villages Golf Comm.	MC
9:30 a.m.	Open Studio	AR
10 a.m.	Quilters	P
10 a.m.	Brandeis Musical	FC
10 a.m.	Tai Chi	A
10:30 a.m.	Line Dance	MMP
1 p.m.	Ceramics	CER
2 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
3 p.m.	Bocce Bash	BC
3 p.m.	Hand Bell Rehearsal	CR
3 p.m.	Matinee Theatre	A
6 p.m.	Mex. Train Domino	MC
6:30 p.m.	Chinese Club Potluck	RED

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

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Fitness Center

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and Other Consumer Pitfalls

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Aerial Views
of The Villages

Except during the Channel 27
Weekend Movie
Friday & Saturday 8 pm to Midnight
Saturday & Sunday Midnight to 4 am
Sunday 4 to 8 pm

Club events & notices
More information on
on Channel 26 The Resident Portal
resident.thevillagesgcc.com
In the Facilities & Amenities section

Complimentary WiFi
is available at a variety of Villages public facilities

Network: Villages public
Password: villages

Gene Autry & Irene Manning



Frank Sinatra & Kim Novak



This Week End
on Channel **27**
Friday 8pm
Saturday 12am, 12pm & 8pm
Sunday 12am, 12pm & 4pm

EVENT LOCATIONS		
A	Auditorium	(Cribari)
AR	Art Room	(Cribari)
BC	Bocce Courts	
BGA	Building A	
CER	Ceramics	(Cribari)
CCR	Cribari Club Rm.	
CH	Clubhouse	
CR	Conference Rm.	(Cribari)
CY	Corporation Yard	
F	Forum	(Cribari)
FC	Foothill Center	
FCR	Fitness Center	
FHP	Foothill Pool	
GP	Gazebo	
L	Lobby	(Cribari)
SEQ	Sequoia	(Cribari)
MC	Montgomery Center	
MMP	Montgomery MP Room	
RED	Redwood	(Cribari)
P	Patio Room	(Cribari)
TR	Terrace Room	(Cribari)
VC	Vineyard Center	

Look What's Coming			
Date	Event	In Villager	Registration
9/29	Driving Range Concert		NOW
9/30	Giants vs. LA		SOLD OUT
10/7	Blue Angels/Potomac		SOLD OUT
10/18	Golden Gate Park Tour		SOLD OUT
10/14	Miss Saigon - Orpheum		SOLD OUT
11/2	Comedy Night - Clubhouse		NOW
11/15	Waitress - Golden Gate Theater		SOLD OUT
11/15	New S.F. Tour - Salesforce Park		SOLD OUT
11/17	Beach Blanket Babylon Holiday		SOLD OUT
12/5-7	Reno		NOW
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
12/20	Shen Yun		NOW
1/6	Cirque du Soleil - Volta		NOW

Register in Building B.

In Villager Registration

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, poles and lunch as necessary. Wear layered clothing appropriate to the current weather.

In addition to scheduled hikes, the following hikes occur regularly:

Every Wednesday - Villages Hill Hike. 8:45 a.m. from Foothill Center. **Every Saturday** - Villages Hill Hike with Russ Glines 9 a.m. from Foothill Center

Wednesday, October 3 (Rambler):

Stanford University Campus. Susan Brown (408-531-9750) and Jim Beyer (217-898-6723) will lead a self-guided walking tour of the Stanford University Campus. We will visit the 285 ft. Hoover Tower and museum, where the Hoover Institution and archives are housed, the Memorial Church, considered Stanford's architectural "crown jewel," and the Tresidder Student Union. We will end our tour at the Cantor Art Museum, which houses one of the largest collections of Rodin sculptures outside of Paris. Many dining options are available on and off campus. Roundtrip driving distance is about 60 miles. Please arrive at Cribari Center by 9 a.m. for a 9:15 departure.

Saturday, October 6: Dan Kato will lead a long hike at San Bruno Mountain State Park. We will meet at Cribari at the usual time of 8:30 a.m. to arrange rides. Long hikers will do the steep climb of about 1000 ft up the Summit Loop trail starting in the Western direction. We will take it to the top to meet the Ridge Trail and take that as far east as we can and have lunch where there will be beautiful views of the bay. We will return along the Ridge Trail and the Dairy Ravine trail to the parking area. Total distance is about 8 miles. Ramblers can either stay on the flat and do the Saddle Loop trail of about 2.7 miles or can do something a little more challenging with some vertical climb on the Eucalyptus, Dairy Ravine and part of the Loop trail for 3 or 4 miles. Possible food stop afterward for those so inclined. Round trip by car is about 110 miles.

Wednesday, October 10 (Rambler): Santa Teresa County Park. Gary and Terry Holmquist (408-531-9779) will lead a hike to Santa Teresa County Park. The route will take us to Coyote Peak with a total distance of 4 miles with about a 600-foot elevation gain. There will be an optional lunch at Sweet Tomatoes following the hike. Roundtrip driving distance is about 30 miles. Meet at Cribari at 8:15 a.m. for an 8:30 a.m. departure since we would like to enter the park at 9 a.m.

Saturday, October 13: Wate and Johanna Bakker (408-223-2190) will lead long and rambler hikes in Henry Coe state park. Johanna will lead a relatively flat 4-mile hike along the Coral, Spring and Forest trails. Wate will lead a 7-mile hike with considerable elevation gains along the Coral, Flat Frog, Frog Lake, Middle Ridge and Fish trails. Bring water and lunch. Dress seasonably. Coffee at Peet's afterward an option. Round trip car mileage about 40.

VILLAGES AMATEUR THEATRE

Please mark your calendar for Plaza Suite, the world-class comedy by multiple award-winning screenwriter Neil Simon. This three-act comedy will tickle your funny bone. Performances will be 7:30 p.m. Friday, October 26; 2:30 p.m. Saturday, October 27, and 2:30 p.m. Sunday, October 28 in the Cribari Auditorium. Tickets are \$15 each and will go on sale in early October. Please see the VAT Club article in this issue for additional details.



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, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday. See website.

October 1: Regular Monthly Meeting. Cribari Conf. Room. 1:45 p.m. Free demonstration from Guest Artist Jeff Bramschreiber.

October 3-24: Beginning Ceramics w/Diane Finley. Wednesday evening 5 - 7 p.m. Members \$75, non-members \$80. All clay and tools furnished. ***

October 9: Art Film. Tuesday 7 p.m. Vineyard Center. "Degas" Hosted by Pamela Oliver Lyons.

October 15 - November 12: Beginning Watercolor with Ciel Duke. Mondays 10 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. \$75 members: \$80 non-members. Drawing is a pre-requisite to Ciel's Watercolor Class. *

October 16: Adult Coloring Party. 7 p.m. Art Room. RSVP to Gina Chew ginachew@hotmail.com.

October 29: Arts & Crafts Advisory Board Meeting. Monday 3 p.m. Art Room.

Nov. 3: Holiday Faire. Sat. 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Cribari Center.

Open studio: Mondays 10 a.m. to noon with Jane Hink. Wednesdays 10 a.m. to noon with Barbara Gottesman. Fridays 9:30 a.m. to noon with Joan Fury.

Stitchery Group on Mondays. Patio Room 1 - 3 p.m.

POLE WALKERS CALENDAR

Meet at 8:30 a.m. at the Clubhouse Parking Lot unless otherwise indicated.

Every first and third Monday - Meet at the Gazebo

First Wednesday of the Month - Walk to Le Boulanger

Second Wednesday of the Month - Walk to the Farmers Market

Third Wednesday of the Month - Walk to New Seasons

Fourth Wednesday of the Month - Walk to McDonald's

Fifth Wednesday of the Month - Walk to the Farmers Market

First Friday of the Month - Walk Highlands, meet at Gazebo

Second Friday of the Month - Walk Hermosa, meet at Fairway

Third Friday of the Month - Walk Olivas, meet at Solera

Fourth Friday of the Month - Walk Del Lago, meet at Clubhouse

Fifth Friday of the Month - Meet at Montgomery Center

Buffet Bingo - Remy - 650-776-8850, remypessah@gmail.com

Blogs - Marion - logiem@sbcglobal.net

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

Games - Rick or Tony - 858-349-2292, rwodicka@hotmail.com



CAMERA CLUB

Monday, October 1: Competition Night for members from 7 to 9 p.m. in Cribari Conference room. Membership: Ray Blinde at rwblinde@earthlink.net. All Villagers welcome to hear Jane Postiglione judge the entries and learn from her critiques.

Monday, October 15: Flash photography for the holidays and how to use the website make up the two-part program from 7 to 9 p.m. in the Cribari Conference room. Peter Nicholls explains the new website (www.villagescameraclub.com) in depth, focusing on how to enter photos into the competition site. Brad Shirakawa demonstrates the use of flash photography.



MUSIC SOCIETY: TAKE NOTE

Rehearsal/Meeting Schedule

Villages Concert Band: Tuesdays at 7:15 p.m. in Cribari Auditorium. Recruiting musicians for brass, woodwind or percussion instruments. Larry Miller at 408-238-1030.

Villages Handbells Ensemble: Fridays 3 to 5 p.m. in Cribari Conference Room. Kathi or Earl Levin at 408-270-5458.

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

Piano Club Open Studio: Tuesday at 2 p.m. in Cribari Auditorium. Estelle Kabbani at marchstar@comcast.net.

Village Voices: Wednesdays from 7 - 9 p.m. in Foothill Center. Aileen Reid at 408-809-4884.

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

THE CLUBHOUSE

**For Reservations
or Information:
408-223-4687**

2800 Villages Fairway Drive, San Jose CA 95135

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

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 from Dinner Entrees Section or Weekly Specials. Does Not Include Prime Rib.

Offer good only in Clubhouse Restaurant.

VMA Bingo Buffet: Come join us as the VMA hosts Bingo Buffet on Tuesday, October 16. Reservations begin on Tuesday, October 2 at 10 a.m.

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

Open Mic: Our next Open Mic will be on Monday, October 15 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

The Clubhouse Page: Don't forget to see our ads on The Clubhouse Page for more information on specialty nights and events.

Clubhouse Reservations: It's easier than ever to make restaurant reservations. Go to:

www.clubhouserreservation.com and sign up to make restaurant reservations quickly and easily. Confirmations are automatically sent to you via e-mail or text.

CLUBHOUSE RESTAURANT

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

Barbecue Bacon Cheddar Burger **\$12.95**

Angus Patty with Hickory Bacon, Cheddar Cheese and Barbecue Sauce—served with Choice of Side Dish

Salmon Mango Salad **\$13.95**

Filet of Salmon, Mango Chunks, Cucumber and Enoki Mushrooms with a Ginger Lime Dressing—served with a Cup of Soup

Linguini and Clams **\$13.95**

Linguini Pasta with Hard Shell Clams in a White Wine and Clam Sauce—served with a Cup of Soup or Salad

DAILY SOUP SPECIALS

Tuesday, October 2 **Soup:** *Chicken Noodle Mint*

Wednesday, October 3 **Soup:** *Beef Vegetable and Rice*

Thursday, October 4 **Soup:** *Cream of Mushroom*

Friday, October 5 **Soup:** *Clam Chowder*

Saturday, October 6 **Soup:** *Chef's Choice*

Sunday, October 7 **Soup:** *Chef's Choice*

Lunch Specials

Tuesday 10-2

to

Sunday 0-7

Lunch specials are served with choice of soup or salad.

DINNER SPECIALS SERVED ALL WEEK

Blackened Tilapia **\$18.95**

Seared Filet of Tilapia with Cajun Seasoning with a Remoulade Sauce—served with a Cup of Soup or Salad

Chicken Picatta **\$18.95**

Sautéed Chicken Breast, Shallots and Capers with a White Wine, Lemon and Butter Sauce—served with a Cup of Soup or Salad

Swordfish **\$24.50**

Charbroiled Pacific Swordfish served with Garlic Butter—served with Soup or Salad

Dinner Specials

Tuesday 10-2

to

Sunday 10-7

ACTIVITIES

Monday, October 1

NO EVENTS

Tuesday, October 2

• Senior Academy Harrington Lecture—Oak and Fairway Rooms—7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Wednesday, October 3

NO EVENTS

Thursday, October 4

• Women's 18 Hole Ladies Lunch and Cards—Oak and Sunset Rooms—12:30 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Friday, October 5

• Private Event—Sunset, Oak and Fairway Rooms—5 p.m. to 11 p.m.

Saturday, October 6

• VMA Home Tour—Sunset, Oak and Fairway Rooms—9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Sunday, October 7

NO EVENTS

THE BISTRO & BAR

Open Daily: 7 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Breakfast: Monday through Friday 7 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.

Saturday and Sunday 7 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Lunch: Monday through Sunday 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Appetizer/All Day Menu: 11 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Dinner: Monday through Sunday 5 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Casual a la carte dining. No reservations required.

-Breakfast

-Vegetarian

-Starters

-Pizzas

-Appetizers

-Desserts

-Grill Items

Full Bar available with Beers on Tap.

More CLUBHOUSE ITEMS on page 9

More COMMUNITY NOTICES

BOUQUETS

As outgoing president of the Villages Catholic Council, I would like to express my thanks to the entire council for all their support and guidance during the past year. They are all wonderful volunteers who put in many hours to serve the Villages Catholic Community. The members are: Karen Kosmala, Jay Campbell, Leona Karayan, Shirley Roberts, Jean Ghiossi, Elsa McLaughlin, Diane Marchant, Joe Civello, Madeline Naftzger, Andrew O'Connor, Geri and Bob Wilk, Julian Rodriguez, Carleen Cor-sello, Skip Dugger and Mary Mazur.

—Linda Schlageter

A very special thanks to everyone who contributed to the Villages Jewish Group Food Bank Campaign. We did a great job filling an entire barrel!

—Bob Lapidus, President;
Joyce Mendel, Janet Truman, co-chairs

New floor covering to be installed in Clubhouse lobby

Budget flooring will be removing the tile in the Clubhouse lobby floor and installing new carpet. Work will begin the evening of Sunday, October 14 and will be complete on Monday, October 15.

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 Restaurant.

NO CORKAGE TUESDAYS

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



Clubhouse Restaurant Only

The Clubhouse
OPEN MIC

Monday October 15, 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: 408-754-1339



VMA Buffet Bingo

Tuesday October 16, 2018



Reservations Begin:

Tuesday October 2 at 10 a.m.



Come join us for a fun filled evening with your fellow Villagers – a delicious buffet dinner and then a chance to win big \$\$\$.

No-Host cocktails begin at 5:30 p.m., dinner will be at 6 p.m. and consist of: Assorted Rolls, Mixed Green Salad, Fruit, Chicken Marsala, Penne Pasta, Mashed Potatoes and Vegetables with Assorted Desserts.

The cost is \$21 plus tax and service charge per guest, plus \$1 per guest for VMA.

Reservations will begin on **Tuesday, October 2 at 10 a.m.** As this is a very popular event and in order to be fair to all residents, reservations made before this time, will not be honored.

Reservations can be made by calling The Clubhouse Special Event Line at 408-754-1337 or e-mail at theclubhouse@the-villages.com. Reservations for all size parties are accepted with a maximum of 10 guests per table. If you wish to organize a table of friends, only one person needs to call but must furnish the guest names and house numbers for all players. Bingo cards will be sold (three for \$5 or \$2 each) in the reception area starting at 5:30 p.m.

FOUNDATION FOCUS

Only the richest Villagers? No way!

By Diana Hallock

Rumor has it that only rich people or rich companies donate to non-profit organizations like EVF and the VMA. In World War II over 65 percent of all American citizens purchased savings bonds and supported the war effort, a nickel or a dime at a time. Even children participated in their own small ways. Remember the books of stamps we bought at school? President Franklin D. Roosevelt bought the first Series E bond and called on patriotic Americans to join “one great partnership.”

Contrary to popular belief, here in The Villages, most monthly donors are not rich but give \$5-10 per month, less than the cost of a glass of wine! Yes, the Evergreen Villages Foundation has some very generous donors but the small but consistent donations from your friends and neighbors are just as critical. Come join “one great partnership” for your community and consider a small monthly donation! For information go to www.evfsj.org or find a Sustaining Donor Form at the EVF display area in the Cribari Hallway near the Villages Post Office.



Single Diners' Night

Lets Dine Together!

Every Wednesday at The Clubhouse



Shared Table, Complimentary Glass of Wine included with your Dinner and Great Conversations.

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Prime Rib

Served at The Clubhouse
Every Friday and Saturday Nights



COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

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

Board and Committee Meetings

Date	Meeting	Time	Place
10/1	EPC Pre-Drill	9:30 a.m.	Auditorium
10/1	Fitness Center Committee	10 a.m.	Forum
10/2	Club Rules Committee	10 a.m.	Building A
10/4	AC Association Meeting	9 a.m.	Foothill Center
10/4	Finance Committee	9 a.m.	Building A
10/5	Villages Golf Committee	9 a.m.	Montg. Center

Community Events

Date	Event	Time	Place
9/28	Bocce Bash	3 p.m.	Bocce Court
9/28	Dancing Buffet Dinner	5 p.m.	Clubhouse
9/29	Driving Range Concert	5 p.m.	Driving Rng.
9/30	Chinese Club Potluck	3 p.m.	Foothill Cntr.
9/30	Catholic Group Dinner	6 p.m.	Clubhouse
10/2	Senior Acad. Lecture	7 p.m.	Clubhouse
10/3	Bingo	3:30 p.m.	Auditorium
10/4	18 Hole Women Lunch	12:30 p.m.	Clubhouse
10/5	Bocce Bash	3 p.m.	Bocce Court
10/5	Matinee Theatre	3 p.m.	Auditorium

Organizations—storage inventories needed

The Villages offers storage space to many organizations. It is important that The Villages has an up-to-date record of the inventory of stored items from each organization in the event of a loss. This information will be included in the returned Master Calendar packets available October 15. Inventories will be due by December 1, 2018 so they can be included in The Villages insurance renewal package.

See Shen Yun—a breathtaking event

Shen Yun's unique vision expands theatrical experience into a multi-dimensional, deeply moving journey through one of humanity's greatest treasures...the five millennia of traditional Chinese culture. This epic production immerses you in stories reaching back to the most distant past. Featuring one of the world's oldest art forms—classical Chinese dance—along with innovative multimedia effects and all original orchestral works. Prepare for an experience that will take your breath away!

Many of you have requested to go to Shen Yun, so here is your chance! The Villages has reserved orchestra seating at the Center for Performing Arts in San Jose on Thursday, December 20, for the 2 p.m. matinee performance. The cost per person is \$171. You can register in the Community Resource Center, Building B. Arrive at the Cribari Center Patio Room at 12:30 p.m. to procure your tickets prior to boarding the coach that will leave the Villages east parking lot at Cribari Center at 1 p.m. with an estimated return time of 5:30 p.m. *The deadline for tickets is October 5!*

Make reservations for dinner at the Clubhouse and receive a 10 percent discount; make sure you have your ticket from Shen Yun to show your server for the discount. When making reservations make sure to mention discount.



Total Body Fitness—October through December

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 October through December will be on Wednesdays from 10 to 11 a.m. The cost is \$68; you must sign up for all classes in the session, as you will be billed for all. All classes are in the Auditorium October 3 through December 19. Register at the Community Resource Center, Building B.

Cardio Workout—October through December

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 pounds with you to class.

Join Shu-Mei for this class...classes are on Mondays, from 10 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 starting on October 1 and end on December 17. Register in the Community Resource Center, Building B.

Attention: Driving Range concert attendees!

This Saturday, September 29 the Concert on the Driving Range returns. Gates will open at 4:45 p.m. Golf carts...look for the lime green flags to enter the driving range. Please remember that no alcohol from home will be allowed on the driving range; if you forget and bring wine, beer, etc., it will be taken and given back to you at the end of the night.

Please **wear** your wrist band and have your ticket to get your food. If you are extra hungry, the Clubhouse will have additional food to purchase. You are welcome to bring snacks, soda or water.

The Clubhouse will be serving **large** Chicken or Beef Soft Tacos with Rice and Beans or Nachos. Soda, water, Mexican beer, margaritas, wine or mixed drinks will be available for purchase.

Get ready to party...Jerry Saucedo will get you in the mood!

Holiday Lights in San Francisco!

The very popular Holiday Lights tour of San Francisco will be Thursday, December 6! Sign up starting Monday, October 1, in the Community Resource Center, Building B at 8:30 a.m. Space is limited!

The Royal Coach bus will depart from the Villages at 2:30 pm and pick up our tour guide, Craig Smith, in San Francisco at the City Hall. Enjoy dinner at the Pompei Grotto with entrée choices of Grilled Salmon, Petite NY Steak, Shrimp Scampi, please have your selection ready when you register for this outing. Meal includes Bruschetta & Fried Calamari, Soup or Caesar Salad, Bread, Dessert, with a choice of draft beer or wine (one only), coffee/tea or soda.

Next stop will be Ghirardelli Square for a free chocolate sample, and then we're off to see the beautiful holiday lights in California Street, Union Square, the Civic Center and various other displays along the route. There will also be a stop to view the wonderful LED light display on the Bay Bridge before heading off to South San Francisco for a short walk along two streets to see 34-40 houses lit up for the holiday season.

Departure for home will be between 8:30 to 9 p.m. The cost for this trip including transportation, dinner and the tour is \$97 per person. (A gratuity for Craig is not included, and neither is one for the bus driver.)

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.

Fitness Center Committee

Anytime is a good time to get started on a fitness routine. We can consider aging as a start of a new era where we find lasting enrichment in our exercise routine and our healthy eating choices. Statistics show that we can improve our muscle density and cardio function as we age. While building muscle and burning fat may not happen as quickly as it did when we were younger, it still happens!

A regular fitness routine helps us to have a healthy body weight, balanced blood sugar levels, lowered risk of heart disease and added mental clarity. All of these are things that will continue to enrich our lives.

One of the most important things we can do as we age is to work on ways to continue to keep our muscle mass from declining. In addition to improving our cardiovascular health, a consistent strength training routine, incorporating resistance training in to your exercise routine is a great start. Focus on simple, strength building moves. Proper form is key to being successful at any weight routine.

Take advantage of our wonderful Fitness Center. To help you get started, you can review the orientation video of the equipment on our website on the "Resident Portal" or cable channel 27. You can also set an appointment with a personal trainer.

Come on over to the Fitness Center and join other Villagers in fitness! We look forward to seeing you!

Living with Parkinson's

Parkinson's is a neurological disease in which the brain stops producing the chemicals it needs to control movement, balance and coordination. It is a disease that affects every person differently. Once a person is diagnosed with the disease, it is their attitude, lifestyle, medication management and things they do to contribute that determines 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: ADL Class in the Auditorium on Tuesdays 10 to 11 a.m., Tai Chi in the Vineyard Center on Wednesdays 10 to 11 a.m., and Walking for Better Balance class Tuesdays 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and Thursdays 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. in the Auditorium. Register in Class! For information call Jane at (408) 315-1179. This class is sponsored by the Community Activities Office.

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. 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.

Tai Chi for healthy aging

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

Hosting Raffles at The Villages

New information has become available to the Community Activities Office regarding raffles and chance opportunity drawings. In the state of California, raffles and chance opportunity drawings are considered gambling and require a license. Licenses are easily obtainable from the State of California Department of Justice for a \$20 annual fee. Organizations wishing to conduct raffles or chance opportunity drawings within The Villages will be required to have a license before the raffle or chance opportunity takes place. We will ask to see a copy of the license for your organization. This is effective immediately. For complete details please see <https://oag.ca.gov/charities/raffles>.

Walking for Better Balance

By participating in our Walking for Better Balance class, you will reduce the risk of your becoming ill, falling, becoming disabled and/or losing your independence. By joining our class, you will take the first step toward achieving and maintaining good health and a high quality of life as you age. Whether you are on a walker, in a wheelchair, need post-surgery rehabilitation (get your health care providers approval) or just want to get some serious exercise, this class is for you! Want to have fun? Make new friends? The cost is \$90 per class card, issued and punched in class. This ongoing class is held Tuesdays 11:30 a.m. and Thursdays 10 a.m. in the Cribari Auditorium. Register in Class! For information call Jane at 408-315-1179.

Standard setups on website

The Community Activities department offers standard setups at each of the Club Facilities. There are several floor plans to select from. For those who prefer to access this information electronically, they are available on www.thevillagesgcc.com. The path to find them is as follows: Resident Portal, Facilities, Center, Room, Setup 1, 2, 3, etc. As an example to find standard setups for the Auditorium, the path would be Resident Portal, Facilities, Cribari Center, Auditorium and then Setup 1, 2, 3, etc. Hard copy versions are available in the Community Activities office. For additional information please contact the Community Activities office at 408-223-4643.

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Cirque du Soleil presents Volta

Cirque du Soleil's new show, "Volta," is a captivating voyage of discovery. It's about finding oneself, and unveiling one's personal powers. Inspired in part by the adventurous spirit that fuels the culture of street sports, the show weaves acrobatics in a visually striking world driven by a stirring melodic score. "Volta" is a story of transformation. It is about being true to oneself, fulfilling one's true potential, and recognizing one's own power to make it possible. Ultimate freedom comes with self-acceptance, and with the liberation of the judgment of others.

The story centers around Waz, a gameshow contestant who has lost touch with himself. He is ashamed of who he is because of his difference. Follow him as he enters the show in search of fame, thinking that this will bring him love and acceptance from others. What he will find is something else, and he discovers that fame is not the answer. If fame doesn't provide freedom and acceptance, then what does? Will Waz reconnect with his true self—and stand up for all that makes him truly unique? Will he realize that his difference is what makes him extraordinary?

Villages residents are in for a real treat on Sunday, January 6, at 1:30 p.m. We have reserved seats in the 200 section under the big top at AT&T Park in San Francisco. Price is \$141 per person which includes your ticket and transportation. You may take a lunch with you or purchase food at the event. There are stairs and no elevator to get to seats, so wear comfortable walking shoes. Depart the Villages at 11 a.m. with estimated return time of 6 p.m.

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 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.

Don't get left behind. Register early!



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Reno or Bust! Sign up for annual Reno trip

Dates for the Reno trip are Wednesday, December 5 through Friday, December 7. Buy yourself and that special person in your life an early Christmas present—two nights in a deluxe room, transportation and buffet dinner with show following. *Confirmation and final payment for Eldorado is required by Monday, November 5!* We will depart The Villages at 8:30 a.m.

The hotel will host a cocktail party on the night of our arrival; more information will be given on the bus as to the party's location. The Eldorado gives us this wonderful party because of The Villages' loyalty of coming back on an annual basis. That's right, two nights, one dinner show, one buffet dinner, two buffet breakfasts, hosted cocktail party, show, and transportation, what a way to go!

The cost of this trip is based upon occupancy, \$355 for a single, and \$295 per person for a double room. **All sales are final! Make sure you check your calendar prior to committing!** When registering, you will get your Royal Coach Baggage tags (important for

bellman to identify bags) and will need to fill out a parking form for Public Safety if you plan on leaving your vehicle in the Villages parking lot.

The cost includes two nights lodging in a deluxe room, a show with dinner, luggage handling, buffet breakfast on December 5 and 6, round trip motor coach transportation. Upon arriving at the hotel, the Eldorado bellhops will deliver your luggage to your rooms (one bag per person) and tipping will be applicable. Upon departure, our bags will be picked up from our room (inside the room, *not* outside) and delivered to the bus. The Royal Coach Tours driver will load the luggage. **Tips for the bellhop and bus driver are not included in the price, so please be generous to the driver, as he loads, unloads, loads and unloads again!**

If you require any handicap needs we need to know at time of registration, anything later and the hotel may not be able to accommodate.

Register in the Community Resource Center, Building B. When registering, please state if your room is to be based on

single or double occupancy. Please let us know at time of registration if you require a handicapped room, smoking or non-smoking room. Make it easy on us at registration...have all the information needed...thank you in advance. If you will be leaving your vehicle in Cribari Center's parking area you will be asked to fill out a form for Public Safety with the year, model, color, license plate.

We will stop to stretch our legs and get something to eat on both legs of the trip.

You are most welcome to bring coffee or something to hold you over until we stop for a bite to eat (coffee and donuts will not be provided this year). We will have Mimosas, Bloody Marys, Screwdrivers for you to enjoy! Bring some cards and practice Blackjack or Texas Hold-em so you can break the bank, remember there is lots of room to bring home your millions!

Your room keys, buffet tickets and show tickets will be handed out upon arrival at the hotel. You will be asked to remain on bus while the keys and tickets are procured.

See Comedian Keith Barany

Keith Barany was at The Villages in 2015 to entertain us with his comedic wit to a sold-out crowd. We are lucky to have him back on Friday, November 2, at the Clubhouse for a buffet dinner and show! Enjoy no-host cocktails at 5:30 p.m. with dinner following at 6 p.m. Keith will take the stage at 7:30 p.m. Get ready for some good, hearty laughter and a great evening!

The comedy of Keith Barany ("Bare-a-knee") is often described as original, gentle and brilliant. In fact, The NY Post called him "the wittiest comedian working." It's his lightning fast "ad-libs" that most amaze audiences. From time to time Keith has written for well-known TV shows such as: "The Emmy Awards," "Politically Incorrect," "The Jimmy Kimmel show" and most notably, "Seinfeld"! He's performed in concert with: John Stewart, Jerry Seinfeld, Joan Rivers, Ray Romano, Bob Hope, Joy Behar, Lewis Black and Ray Charles. Keith has entertained our US troops *many* times in the last 20 years. Keith is the only stand-up comedian from a Nobel Prize winning family!

Get your friends and neighbors together and come out and have a fun night filled with good food, good friends, and lots of laughter! Where else can you get dinner and a first-class act for \$49 per person? Register at the Community Resource Center, Building B. If you want to reserve a table for you and your friends, please secure the table at the time of registration.

Don't miss...

THE SHACK

Wednesday, Oct. 10

1:30 p.m.

Starring Sam Worthington, Octavia Spencer and Tim McGraw. A grieving man receives a mysterious, personal invitation to meet with God at a place called "The Shack."



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CLUBS & EVENTS

Jeff Bramschreiber to present Art Demo

The regular monthly meeting of Arts & Crafts is Monday, October 1, at 1:45 p.m. in Cribari Conference Room. Holiday Faire contracts will be available after this meeting.

Jeff Bramschreiber's demonstration will be of special interest to the 15 new members who attended Monday's Reception and to those who want to get started with an art class.

Jeff will discuss "Getting Started" and outline first steps in several art media. He will tell us how to choose brushes and how to mix colors. He will give overviews of watercolor, acrylic and oil for people who have little experience in painting but who want to learn. He will bring his sketchbooks so that members can see his first sketches, value studies and finished paintings. Jeff is currently teaching his second acrylics class at The Villages. Paintings by him and his students are currently on view in the Patio Room.



Astronomy Club: 'First Second of Big Bang'

All inquisitive minds are welcome at the next Astronomy Club meeting on Tuesday, October 2, at 7:30 p.m. at Foothill Center. The topic will be the "First Second of the Big Bang."

The first second of the Universe, the creation of everything when space, time, matter and energy burst into existence. It is the most important second in history, which seals the Universe's fate and defines everything that comes after—including us.

The lecture series covers all aspects of cosmology with basic mathematics and science.

No pets will be allowed at this event. Questions? E-mail Barry Stein at b.stein200@gmail.com.



Global Village: 'How I defeated diabetes'

By Subhash Bal

Sometime during our life many suffer from diabetes, a dreaded chronic condition. Most of us assume that we are doomed to suffer from its complications and/or live with lifetime medications.

I will share my experiences of dealing with my diabetes at a discussion at the next Global Village meeting on Wednesday, October 3, from 7 to 8:30 p.m., in the Cribari Conference room. All Villagers are welcome; there is no fee and no need to sign up.

Bill James to speak at Democratic Club meeting

By Tony Berg



Bill James will be the speaker at the Villages Democratic Club meeting on Wednesday, October 3 at 3 p.m. in the Foothill Center.

Bill will discuss the Strategy for Santa Clara County Democrats in the upcoming Midterms, and give us information on some of the local races that we will be voting for in November. He will share with us a list of candidates endorsed by the Santa Clara County Democratic Party for the election.

Bill has been a member of the Santa Clara County Democratic Party, Central Committee since 2002. He served as Vice Chair for three years prior to being elected Chair in June 2016. He is a Navy veteran who went to Stanford Law School and now works as a patent lawyer serving high tech companies in Silicon Valley. He has lived in Japan and Mexico, and is proficient in Spanish.

The upcoming Midterm elections are going to be dramatic at all levels and a knowledgeable voter base is fundamental as a first step to restoring civility and honesty to our divided Country. Do try to join us on October 3 at 3 p.m., Foothill Center, everyone is welcome!

Art Film for October 2018

By Pam Oliver Lyons

On Tuesday, October 9 at 7 p.m. at the Vineyard Center, the Villages Arts and Crafts Association will show "The Impressionists: Degas, part of the Great Artists," the series produced by Kulter.

Degas is not just a French artist of theater and dancers' pastels. In the video, we will see the only painting of the Cotton Office in New Orleans, which Degas finished during his 1872 visit to his family in America. This visit was a significant turning point because here both his history and Creole family merged into art. The Civil War's aftermath had not been favorable. Upon his return to Paris, his father died. For the first time, he had to earn a living from his work. Degas used his sketches from this visit to create moderately successful works. The only painting in his lifetime purchased by a museum was The Cotton Office.

Art historians seem to struggle in presenting the Degas the man, favoring the artist circumventing his increasing unpopularity. We never get an understanding of the personal connection between Degas and his work. A woman at an exhibit is said to have said, "I don't care for you but I love your work." To which he replied, "Madame. It is the whole Degas, who wishes to be beloved."

Beginning Ceramics Class

Take **Evening** Beginning Ceramics Class with Diane Finley, a fun class to learn the basics of hand-building and slab work with clay. The four-week class for beginners starts Wednesday, October 3 to 24 from 5 to 7 p.m. in the Ceramics Room at Cribari. All materials are supplied; just show up and we'll make some clay projects for you to take home. The total cost is \$75. Contact Barbara Gottesman at 408-531-9402 or barb.gottesman@gmail.com. The class is limited to six students, so call today and reserve your place.



DNA Testing for Genealogy

The next Genealogy Club meeting will be held Thursday, October 4, 10 a.m. at the Vineyard Center. Kat Contento will share ideas for maximizing DNA testing results to augment our genealogy research. Topics include comparison of DNA companies, DNA relatives matching, chromosome browsers and triangulation tools. Our group meets monthly to learn and share our searches for family history. Come join us and start the search for your ancestors! For more information about our Club please contact Linda McMullen at 510-507-1400 or lindavillage8392@gmail.com.

VMA: Essential Oils workshop

Ever wondered what essential oils are? The VMA will be sponsoring a workshop on the benefits of essential oils. The presenter will explain what essential oils are, how to use them, and how you can get them in your home. Proponents of essential oils tout that they can help you relax, sleep, boost your mood, and soothe aches and pains. This workshop will be held on Monday, October 8 from 1 to 2 p.m. in the Cribari Conference Room. No registration is required and *there is no fee*. For further information contact Cristina Freyer at 408-238-4230. For more information about the VMA please visit their website at vmavillages.org.

'Sail Away'

with the VMA Fashion Show

Fashions by Chico's & Jos. A. Banks!
November 14, 3:30 p.m. at the Clubhouse.

An afternoon of delight with
appetizers and champagne upon arrival.
Silent Auction and Door Prizes.

The cost is \$40.

Tickets will go on sale October 8.

VMA: Free hearing screening

The Village Medical Auxiliary is sponsoring a free hearing screening on Thursday, October 11 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Montgomery Center. You must pre-register to attend. Please contact VMA Social Services Coordinator, Cristina Freyer at 408-238-4029 or e-mail her at csilva@ncphs.org.

The VMA urges you to take time to have your hearing screening, either at the October 11 free screening or with your own doctor. For more information about the VMA please visit their website @ vmavillages.org.

Save the Date! Villages Concert Band Fall concert

Sunday, October 21 at 2:30 p.m. in Cribari Auditorium.
Tickets are \$18, open seating.

FROM THE BOOKSHELF

By Sherle Frost

“The Perfect Mother” by Aimee Molloy: They call themselves the May Mothers, a group of new moms whose babies were born in the same month. Twice a week they gather in Brooklyn’s Prospect Park for some much-needed adult time. When they go for drinks at a hip neighborhood bar, they’re looking for a fun break from their daily routine. But on this hot Fourth of July night, something goes terrifyingly wrong; one of the babies is taken from his crib. What follows is a heart-pounding race to find the baby, during which secrets are exposed, marriages are tested, and friendships are destroyed. Mystery 2018.

“Haunted” by James Patterson and James O. Born: Detective Michael Bennett is ready for a vacation after a series of crises push him and his family to the brink. He settles on an idyllic, small town in the beautiful Maine woods. But just when Bennett thinks he can relax, he gets pulled into a case that has shocked the tight-knit community. Kids are disappearing left and right with no explanation, until several bodies turn up in the woods. As Bennett investigates, he discovers that the seemingly perfect town is reeling from a deadly addiction, and the violence is about to reach a fever pitch. Far from the city streets he knows so well, Bennett faces off against a horrific evil next door that threatens a town, the law, and the family that Bennett loves above all else. Mystery 2017.

“Twenty-one Days” by Anne Perry: The year 1910 is the setting for the latest Charlotte and Thomas Pitt novel. Sir Pitt’s son, Daniel, is in the middle of his first case as a barrister when he is summoned to the Old Bailey for an important trial. Renowned biographer Russell Graves is charged with the brutal murder of his wife and Daniel must assist in his defense. When the jury finds Graves guilty, he insists he has been framed because he is writing a shocking exposé of a powerful figure, revealing state secrets so damning that someone might well have wanted to silence him. With the reputations of those closest to him at stake, Daniel has 21 days to uncover the truth and ensure that an innocent man isn’t sent to the gallows. Mystery 2018.

“Shelter in Place” by Nora Roberts: It was a typical evening at a mall outside Portland, Maine. Three teenage friends waited for the movie to start. Then the shooters arrived. The chaos and carnage lasted only eight minutes before the killers were taken down. But for those who lived through it, the effects will last forever. In the years that followed, some people would devour the details of the tragedy obsessively, while others avoided anything that might trigger flashbacks. But one person wasn’t satisfied with the shockingly high death toll at the DownEast Mall. As the survivors slowly heal, they discover that another conspirator is lying in wait, and now there might be nowhere safe to hide. Fiction 2018.

“Deep Freeze” by John Sandford: In the latest Virgil Flowers novel, Virgil is about to find out that class reunions, a time for memories both good and bad, can also be deadly. A woman has been found dead, frozen in a block of ice and it’s possible her death might be connected to a high school class of 25 years ago that has a reunion coming up. Virgil digs into years of traumas, feuds, and bad blood, coming very close to spilling some blood of his own. In the end one thing becomes clear to him. It’s true when they say high school is murder. Mystery 2017.

Louis Allamandola to speak at SIR Oktoberfest



SIR 114 and SIR 38 will hold their annual Oktoberfest luncheon Tuesday, October 9, in the Clubhouse. Lunch will feature Oktoberfest favorites Beer and Bratwurst.

The luncheon speaker will be Dr. Louis Allamandola from NASA’s Ames Research Center who will speak on “What’s Between The Stars And Why It Matters: from Astrochemistry to Astrobiology and Exoplanets.” Lou is an internationally recognized science leader. He founded the Astrophysics and Astrochemistry Laboratory at NASA Ames Mountain View and has over 35 years of experience in pioneering laboratory and astrochemical studies focusing on organic materials and ices in deep space and the Solar System.

After majoring in Chemistry at St. Peter’s College in New Jersey, Lou was trained in low temperature chemistry and spectroscopy at the University California, Berkeley. This was followed by postdoctoral research on energy transfer at very low temperatures at Oregon State University. Lou started the new Astrophysics Lab in the Netherlands and came to NASA in the 80’s to develop the Ames Astrochemistry Laboratory. In 2012 he was recognized by Time magazine as among “The 25 Most Influential People in Space.” Lou is now enjoying life as a retiree and a part time NASA contractor.

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

Opera Lovers: ‘Turandot’ with Domingo and Eva Marton

On the second Friday of the month—October 12—we’ll be showing Puccini’s final masterpiece, which is an epic tale set in a mythical ancient China. This production of the Metropolitan Opera’s orchestra, chorus and ballet was produced by Franco Zeffirelli. It is the story about Princess Turandot, called the ice princess, who has agreed to marry the suitor who can solve three specific riddles, however, anyone who fails will be beheaded. Spellbound by her beauty, Prince Calef is determined to win her. No matter how much his father, the exiled king Timur (bass Samuel Ramey) and faithful servant Liu opposes it. Calef stuns the princess by answering the questions correctly, but she still refuses to marry him. His riddle to her is for her to tell him his name. After his childhood friend Liu’s suicide, and when Calef and Terndot are alone, he tears off her veil, kisses her passionately and tells her his name, giving her the opportunity to take his life. She then assembles the court and announces that his name is love.

The performance will be at 1:30 p.m. in the Vineyard Center and runs about 2 hours and 15 minutes. The afternoon is free and open to all Villagers. If you have questions, call Bonnie Preston at 408-531-1513.

Evergreen Blood Drive needs donors

The next Evergreen Blood Drive, sponsored by St. Francis of Assisi of Evergreen and the Stanford Blood Center, will be held on Saturday, October 13 from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the St. Francis Community Center on 5111 San Felipe Rd, Evergreen, San Jose, CA 95135. The event is open to the public and any and all eligible donors are encouraged to come by that Saturday and become a blood donor.

Donors may stop by on the day of the event, but there may be a wait, so we encourage sign-ups. You can register online at goo.gl/W4HCSj or call Tom Mitchell at 408-476-6104.

Senior Academy: Artificial Intelligence at Google

As our lives become more deeply involved with computers and the internet, it is important that we gain an understanding of what has been called the most important general-purpose technology of our era: Artificial Intelligence. AI is the intelligence demonstrated by machines that mimic cognitive functions that we associate with other human minds, such as “communicating,” “learning,” and “problem solving.” We now have systems that can successfully understand and translate human speech, compete at the highest level in strategic game systems (such as chess and Go), autonomously operate cars, and perform intelligent routing in content delivery networks. AI is making it easier for us to do everyday tasks, whether it’s searching for photos of loved ones, breaking down language barriers, dictating emails on the go, or getting things done with a Personal Assistant.

On October 15, at 2 p.m. in the Foothill Center, the Senior Academy will present Molly Welch, a Product Marketing Manager in AI/Machine Learning at Google, one of the world’s leaders in Artificial Intelligence. Ms. Welch works on Google’s external communications related to AI, establishing narrative strategies, positioning research, and developing creative material and executive communications. She will speak about Google’s AI efforts, how they are advancing AI research, and show videos of how AI/machine learning is currently used in their products in amazing ways. The lecture is free to all Villagers and their guests. Advance registration is not required.

Cache Creek Casino—here we come!

- The Villages Hadassah Casino Bus Trip is Friday, October 26. Join us once again for fun,
- treats and great camaraderie that cannot be matched. And, we are even
- happier to tell you that the casino will give each attendee \$5 toward lunch
- and \$10 to enjoy the tables and slots.
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- casino in California and support a worthy cause.
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Osher Course: 'Salem Witch Trials'

The trial and execution in 1692 in Salem, Massachusetts of 19 persons for witchcraft is one of the most notorious episodes in early American history. At 10 a.m. on successive Wednesdays, October 10 and October 17 at the Vineyard Center, a two-session Osher course will not only explore why the Salem panic and subsequent witch hunt broke out when and where it did, it will also examine the personalities and tensions: religious, social, economic, demographic, and gender related, that permeated Salem at the time. It will also define the recurring conditions that have made the term "witch hunt" a description for later episodes in American and European history such as the French Revolution, the McCarthy era, and the panic after Pearl Harbor that led to the policy of Japanese internment.

Teaching the course is Robert Cirivilleri, who has a B.A. in Political Science and a Master's in Medieval History from San Jose State University. He taught American History at Evergreen Community College and Latin at Hillbrook School. His teaching specialties include U.S. History, Critical Thinking and World History.

The course is part of the Santa Clara University Osher program and is presented in cooperation with the Villages Senior Academy for Education. Membership in Osher and pre-registration is required at www.scu.edu/osher. The course fee is \$50.

Halloween Trick or Treat Potluck Party



Hi neighbors, it is that time of the year when we prepare for our Halloween party on Saturday, October 20, from 5:30 to 9 p.m. at Cribari Auditorium—Costume Parade with Prizes (costumes optional), BYOB. *All Villagers welcome.*

As you know we had to cancel our picnic this year because we could not meet our minimum number required by the caterer. It appears that we have a greater success with potlucks. The volunteer committee has opted for a potluck for Halloween. We really want to know how many persons will enjoy attending this party. So we are asking that those who will be attending please notify Jo Vaccaro at 408-622-6089, Margaret Campisi at 408-532-8644, Judy Mayock at 408-622-4270 or Lillian Holmes by October 1, 2018. Leave a

message with your name, telephone number, and number of people attending. If we cannot get a sufficient number attending we will cancel this event as well.

If your last name begins with A-G bring an appetizer, H-M bring a dessert, N-T bring a main dish U-Z bring a salad. All Villagers are welcome, and you can bring a guest with you to enjoy the festivities. Please bring a place setting for you and your guests. Water, coffee, and tea will be offered. Bring plenty of cash for 50/50.

Senior Academy: 'John Steinbeck' class

Senior Academy is proud to present "John Steinbeck: Local Boy Makes Good." This class will be held October 23 and 30 from 2 to 4 p.m. at Vineyard Center. The cost is \$25 for members, \$30 for non-members.

Critics have called John Steinbeck "the writer who said what Hemingway couldn't." In this class we'll examine the life and works of one of California's most celebrated authors, who earned a Nobel Prize in the mid-twentieth century "for his realistic and imaginative writings, combining as they do sympathetic humour and keen social perception."

We'll discuss his particular writing style and his body of works, including the Pulitzer Prize winning "The Grapes of Wrath," plus other novels like "East of Eden," "Cannery Row," "Tortilla Flats," and "The Pearl," as well as his short stories. We'll also view and analyze some of his works that were developed into films.

Nancy Wambach is English Professor Emerita at Evergreen Valley College. She taught 20th Century American Literature, Creative Writing (with an emphasis on fiction), Women in Literature, and Introduction to Shakespeare. She also served as Chair of the Women's Studies Department and Director of the Campus Writing Center. At San Jose State University, her area of specialization was writing for industry. She was Coordinator of the Writing Skills Test, a required examination for all SJSU graduates.

To register for this class contact Senior Academy Ambassador Diane Taylor at 408-912-5594 or Ambassador Barbara Knight at 408-238-8699.



Nancy Wambach



Montgomery Halloween Spooktacular!

Montgomery Villagers Save the Date, Friday, October 26
Vineyard Center, 5 to 8 p.m. (Costumes optional)

Please bring: (Couple) a bottle of white wine & an appetizer for 8 to share. (Single) an appetizer for 8 to share

Contact: Richard Holmboe at raholmboe@att.net or 408-270-9694




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VAT: 'Plaza Suite' —read Act 1 plot

The Villages Amateur Theatre will be performing the three-act Tony Award winning comedy—Neil Simon's "Plaza Suite." Each act is a completely different humorous story.

The IMDb website tells us that "in Act 1, suburban New Yorkers Sam and Karen Nash (VAT actors Larry Miller and Madelaine Yannaccone) are spending the night in the hotel as their house is being painted, but more importantly for Karen because it is their 20-something wedding anniversary, the hotel where they spent their honeymoon. While Karen wants to recreate the romance that she remembers of their wedding night, Sam is preoccupied with business matters. But it is other issues that highlight their fundamental differences that may demonstrate if they will make it to 20-something plus one." Lots of humor ensues.

Go easy on your wallet with \$15 tickets—the best entertainment value at The Villages. Plus get 10 percent off dinner at the Clubhouse on all three performance dates.

Performances will be 7:30 p.m. Friday, October 26; 2:30 p.m. Saturday, October 27, and 2:30 p.m. Sunday, October 28 in the Cribari Auditorium. Tickets are \$15 each and will go on sale October 13 and October 20 from 10 a.m. to noon, in the Cribari Center's Redwood/Terrace rooms.

Please mark your calendars and get ready for a dinner and play you will long remember.



Riding Club: Roll on!

Did you ever wonder why horses seem to love rolling in the dirt like in this photo of Ruby Tuesday taken by Frank Langben during a recent visit of the Camera Club to the stables?



Rolling plays a very important part in overall horse health. Rolling on the ground is excellent exercise for a horse, stretching his back, barrel, buttocks, flanks, legs, neck, spine and more. It may also be the best horse massage nature has to offer. Many chiropractors claim that rolling is often excellent for realigning horses' vertebrae naturally. In addition, rolling is a natural form of self-grooming that can help remove loose hair, dead skin and any loose leaves or other foliage trapped in the hair. Mud and dust can also act as a skin conditioner, sunscreen and natural insect repellent. But to a horse, rolling around on the ground may be just plain fun. After all, a bit of exuberant thrashing can be an enjoyable means of expending extra equine energy, enthusiasm, and spirit.

VMA: Volunteer drivers needed

The VMA provides a much-needed service to those who temporarily or no longer can drive. Trips to the doctor, dentist, and the grocery store are provided by volunteers. If you have time to give to this valuable service please contact Cristina Fryer at 408-238-4230. It is not a huge commitment and is so appreciated by those who need the rides.

Join Crimson Charmers!

Are you interested in joining a fun group of women that meet once a month? The Crimson Charmers Red Hat club has some openings. The Red Hat Society is a playgroup for women over 50 created to connect like-minded women, make new friends and enrich lives through the power of fun and friendship.

Our meetings have included fun outings to new restaurants for lunch, live theater in San Jose, picnics at the Gazebo, afternoon tea, wine tasting at Morgan Hill winery, Christmas donation meeting for the Marine Toys for Tots. If interested, call Betty Olsen at 801-361-5591 or email: betty_olsen@yahoo.com.



You are cordially invited to Friends of SJSU

You are cordially invited to participate in the best club at the Villages, the Friends of San Jose State. What makes this club so great? No dues, no meetings just fun and activities. The club is open to all SJSU alums, grads, friends, spouses and anyone else interested in the university. The new officers are planning a dinner event for after the holidays, its annual golf tournament for April, a campus tour and more.

How do you become a member? Just email club secretary Pat Smith at lukepat@comcast.net or Bill Eckert, registrar, at bill-ellen-eckert@sbcglobal.net and ask to be included. That's it, your name will be added to the list and you'll be invited to events all year long. So Spartan Up and join the club. You'll get to mingle with old friends and make new ones, all for "Dear Old San Jose State."

Charitable Outreach—donations needed

The VMA is involved with a charitable outreach program that provides certain necessities to our homeless population. If you have hotel size toiletries that you have collected and are willing to donate please bring them to the VMA office Monday through Friday from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. They will be greatly appreciated. The VMA also collects eyeglasses that people are no longer using. These can be dropped off at the VMA office as well.

The VAT Reader's Abroad had a successful Fall Tour



Katie Paretti, Lois Mannix, and Geri Zeri (Director) of "Second Chance." Diane Fabri as Narrator is not pictured.



A play called "College Reunion" was performed at 2 Lifeshare Care Home, Inc. with Diane Fabri, Elsa McLaughlin, Tom McLaughlin, Shirley Roberts and Don Roberts, also directed by Geri Zeri.

RELIGION

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

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

Annual Dinner: Reminder—The event is this Sunday, September 30, at 6 p.m. at the Clubhouse.

St. Francis of Assisi Annual fundraiser—This may be your last chance to take part in the drawing for the new car. The Annual Golf Tournament associated with the raffle is October 8 here at the Villages. Sign up to play and enjoy a great dinner after golf with the culmination of the raffle for a chance at some great prizes included a Lexus vehicle. You can choose to play golf and have dinner and for you non-golfers you can attend the dinner. For more info or to sign up for golf or just the dinner, contact Ron Lorilla at rlorilla@yahoo.com or call 408-621-9888 by October 3.

Donut Sunday is October 14, after the 8:15 a.m. Mass. Plan to attend and enjoy the delicious donuts, and coffee, and spend time seeing old friends and meeting new ones.

Eucharistic Adoration at St. Francis of Assisi is now every Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. On First Fridays it will be in the Chapel, and on all other Fridays it will be in Garden Room A.

St. Francis is hosting another **Blood Drive** this year on Saturday, October 13 in the Gathering Hall. You can sign up at Masses at the Church during the weekend of September 29-30. There will be no signups at The Villages. You can also sign up on the Stanford Blood Drive Center website: <https://sbcdonor.org>. For more information you can contact Linda Yap@msn.com or 408 270-5057.

If you are new to the Villages and would like to find out more about our Ecclesial Community, contact Marion Burry at 408-528-8231.

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.

St. Francis of Assisi Sunday Mass times:

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

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

JEWISH GROUP

Friday night Shabbat Services will be held at 7:30 p.m. on October 19 at Foothill Center. Rabbi Hugh Seid-Valencia will be conducting services and will lead a discussion about his topic “A Reconstructionist Theology for our Times.” In this talk, he’ll lay out the way in which Rabbi Mordechai Kaplan, the founder of Reconstructionist Judaism conceived of God, talk about why that definition might leave us cold, discuss the influence of Neo-Chassidism on Reconstructionist thought, and describe his own conception of what God might be.

Following the presentation, we will have our usual Oneg Shabbat celebration.

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

COMMUNITY CHAPEL

By Pastor Bill Hayden

Do you feel it? There is a little chill in the early morning air giving us fresh and crisp air to breathe. It reminds me of my School Days back in Indiana.

Summer was over and new school clothes had been purchased with the proceeds from my summer job, which was a newspaper route. I was enthusiastic about returning to school to wear my new clothes, which comprised of shirts, sweaters, shoes, a coat, and a new hat. Yes, a hat, because men still wore hats in the ‘60s and I still do today.

The leaves had started to fall from the trees and we kicked them around on our way to school while talking about how we spent the summer. The fall was the start of the football and cross-country track season. I couldn’t wait for the first football game when all the teens wore their new sweaters to the field. Having to wear hand-me-downs in the past, it felt good to wear new clothes.

In the ‘60s, my world was invaded by the Vietnam War, civil rights protests, assassinations of U.S. President John F. Kennedy and Martin Luther King and the Cuban Missile Crisis. On a good note, Neil Armstrong, Michael Collins and Buzz Aldrin landed on the moon. Some young men who had graduated earlier from high school had been drafted into the U.S. Army to never return. In spite of all that was occurring in those turbulent years, you and I are still here to reflect on those days.

Today, I look forward to the cool fall motorcycle rides with friends on the back roads to Moss Landing for some good seafood and the rekindling of our neighborhood Pond Parties. I never complain about the weather during this time of year because it’s cool in the mornings and warm in the afternoons. I hope that you had a good Summer and now it’s time to bring out those warm and colorful sweaters. Ecclesiastics 3:1 “To everything, there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven.” (AKJV).

Let’s enjoy this new season of life together at the at the Villages Community Chapel in the Cribari Auditorium each Sunday from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. Our 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 call the office at 408-238-3079 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Wednesday. To learn more about the Villages Community Chapel visit our website at <http://villagescommunitychapel.org/> You can hear previous and current Sunday Sermons.

EPISCOPAL

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

Come worship with us as we celebrate 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.

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SPORTS NEWS

SWINGERS



Maureen O'Neil, Pam Short, Sheryl Driskell, Mitzi Macon, Kathy Warren, Gisele Barber, Renee Woolard, and Diane Nelson.

By Sheryl Driskell

"Go out and have fun. Golf is a game for everyone, not just for the talented few." - Harvey Penick

I have had such an amazing time since joining the "Swingers" in January, but one of my most recent experiences stands out as particularly incredible. On Thursday, September 6, I was persuaded to participate in the Almaden Invitational. This was my first experience playing at a different course and with people I didn't know, and while my anxiety got the best of me to begin with, once I got over my nerves, it was so much fun! Almaden put on a fabulous event and I felt very welcome throughout the entire day, whether it was checking in, having breakfast, meeting the others in my foursome, or attending the luncheon-- it was all absolutely awesome! The "Swingers" were very well represented and both Renee Woolard and Kathy Warren won \$50 each in the chipping contest! For those of you who have never gone to another club's invitational, I would highly recommend you give it a try. You never know who you might meet— maybe your new best friend! See the picture of the "Swingers" who attended the event.

Golf News: 43 "Swingers" showed up on a beautiful fall Tuesday morning. There was some outstanding golf played by many, while others of us had a great time being out there, enjoying the day, and having lunch!

The birdies seem to still not be showing up on Tuesday mornings, however we did have two Chip-Ins: Gisele Barber on hole #15 and Betty Garcia on hole # 8.

Swinger/Pinseeker Mixer: The fall Swinger/Pinseeker Mixer is coming up on October 16. With teams of four, the format is "Two Best Balls" (postable scores). The luncheon to follow will be at Vineyard Center with a choice of sandwich lunch. The cost is \$35, which includes green fee, lunch, and prizes. Look for a sign-up table on September 24, and October 2 and 9.

Upcoming Dates:

- October 2 – Captain's Trophy.
- October 9 – Tournament of Champions (Our Club Champion and Flight Winners will be participating in this event)
- The Electric Tournament - Tournament Period: September 4 – October 16.
- October 16 –The fall Swinger/Pinseeker Mixer.

TABLE TENNIS

By Tony Berg

Now that the car park resurfacing is complete we are once again open for Drop-In Ping Pong on Wednesday afternoons at the Montgomery Multipurpose Room, between 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. The Ping Pong group is the perfect way to get a little exercise, keep hand-eye motor skills tuned and meet friendly and encouraging like-minded people.

Some of the current Ping Pong players had never played before—but with no experience (or just fond memories of games played many years ago) everyone quickly gets the hang of things, joining in the fun and getting some useful exercise too.

Drop in to the Montgomery Multipurpose Room any Wednesday afternoon between 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. to see how Ping Pong can be a good way to meet people, get a gentle workout and make new friends.

18-HOLE WOMEN

By Nancy Keane

Well, we couldn't have asked for a more beautiful day to complete the three days of Championship flights for the Ladies 18-hole group! All the women who were competing had to play for 3 consecutive Thursdays to be eligible for winning in their flights. There were four flights and the Championship flight filled with ladies who were out there giving it their all. Here are the results:

Flight Four: 1. Kathy Apgar 2. Cathy Struck 3. Judy Rodriguez 4. Mary Jo O'Neill. Flight Three: 1. Jan Kiernan 2. Inge McQuiddy 3. Reine Fedor 4. Vivian Brown. Flight Two: 1. Cindy Fuller, 2. Karen Davidsen 3. Auralie Citrigno 4. Nancy Keane. Flight One: 1. Jungwa Kim, 2. Sue Daughtrey 3. Mary Ann Diridon. Championship Flight: 1. Janelle Salvatierra 2. Annie Bassford. And our Club Champion is **Monica Saneholtz**...shooting a 250 for the three days! Way to go Monica! Congratulations to all of these ladies!

Our tournament Chair Diana Hallock was very clever in our table decorations. She had collected trophies from previous champions and used them as the centerpieces on the tables. It was great to recognize those ladies in this way.

Judy Rodriguez encouraged all to participate in the Cancer Tournament on October 18 by playing and also by donations of prizes or money.

We always love to hear from our associates who also had a very busy day. Low putts for the day went to Rita Boyles, and several ladies had a Hole in One. They were Betty Buchanan, Martha Tylicki, Barbara Knight, Maureen Lewis, Rita Boyles, Jeanne Bettencourt, and Ingrid Gregg. So glad to have these ladies participating on Thursdays!!!

Last but not least, of course, are our Birdie and chip-in ladies: Chip-ins: Alice Glazer #11, Carol Zaccheo #9, Maxine Amundson #17, Diane Doughty #7 and Karen Davidsen #14. The ladies with birdies today were Annie Bassford #3, Monica Saneholtz #11 & #16, Alice Glazer #11, and Maxine Amundson #17.



Club Champion Monica Saneholtz with Hannah Summerhays



Left to right: Flight three winner Jan Kiernan, flight four winner Kathy Apgar, flight two winner Cindy Fuller, flight one winner Jungwha Kim, Championship Flight winner Janelle Salvatierra.

PICKLEBALL

By Anahid Gregg

With all the new Pickleball players, one question that keeps coming up is "What are 'non-marking court shoes' and why are they required on The Villages courts?"

First, we want to prevent court damage. Court shoes—known as tennis shoes in most stores—are "non-marking" and do not damage the court surface. Our courts were resurfaced recently; black marks are indicative of the wrong shoes being worn. Wearing proper shoes prevents unsightly damage to courts, which can distract players—as well as change the court surface. If you are a spectator, please sit outside the fenced-in area if wearing anything else.

Second, it's for your protection. Tennis shoes have a smooth sole, facilitating lateral (side to side) movement, critical in both pickleball and tennis. Running shoes and cross trainers have ridges and are designed to go forward, but we move in every direction. Those ridges tend to stick to the court surface when moving backward or sideways. Court shoes have a blunter toe and more support in the ankle area, providing greater stability, which help prevent trips. No slip-on shoes are allowed on the court. Shoes with rounded soles (like Sketchers) should *never* be worn!

Check our website, villagespickleball.org, for store recommendations, as well as links to websites with more details on the importance of wearing proper footwear.

Drop-in play is scheduled Wednesday & Friday at 1:30 p.m. Open play for beginners and novices is scheduled Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at 10:30 a.m.— all are welcome! All equipment is provided—just bring your court shoes!

(See Pickleball photo on page 20.)

SHONIS

By Ann Campbell

"Is it September or December?" That's what 23 Shonis were chanting as we met for golf on September 18. BRRR! It was the first day of our Championship Tournament and 18 eager participants were picking up their specially made cards, thanks to Alan in the pro shop. Beautiful job, Alan! They received many positive comments.

Birdies were abundant on this day. Meg Rogers and Pauline Robertson found theirs on hole 5 and Lorrie Scott on hole 9. Great golfing and looking just grand on the Tournament cards, ladies.

My group decided to have some fun on hole 7. Three of our four tee shots landed in the valley as we all call it. One of us had the bright idea that we should dignify the valley with a more auspicious name. Barb Karayn chose "Death Valley." Betty Stednitz liked "Valley of the Moon." I leaned toward "Silicon Valley" (tee hee) and Pauline Robertson chimed in with "Valley of the Dolls," which, I believe, was the crowd favorite. A delightful time was had by all.

MEN'S GOLF CLUB



Flight One winner Gary Chappell.



Flight Two winner Jim Seymour.



Flight Three winner George Olson.



Flight Four winner Bob Maass

By Kyle Finley (kylefinley@outlook.com)

Club Championship Tournament: Congratulations to our new Club Champion, Brad Baldinger, who won with a 2 UP victory in the hard fought, two-day battle. Scratch golf played from the #5 Tees brought out the best in both Brad and his opponent, Jim Holt.

In addition, congratulations to all of our flight winners: Flight One: Gary Chappell, Flight Two: Jim Seymour, Flight Three: George Olson, Flight Four: Bob Maass. Thank you to all the participants for some exciting and competitive matches!

Executive Committee Elections: The Men's Golf Club has elections coming up next month and three of the nine board positions are up for election. The term is for three years, and assignments are made by next year's General Chairman. Look for candidate statements in next week's Villager. The ballots will be available and distributed by October 12, to be cast and returned by October 23. Ballot boxes will be in the Pro Shop and Posting Room.

2018 Home & Home Team: The last tournament of the year is at Bayonet/Blackhorse GC with Crazy Horse on Thursday, October 11. Team members, please contact Geoff Gault at ggaultis1@sbcglobal.net or 408-202-2089 ASAP to let him know if you can play or not! The Team Party will be on Tuesday, October 16. Please mark your calendars.

Next Tournament: Our next Men's Golf Club Tournament will be the Fall Classic and Annual Meeting on Saturday, October 13. The format is individual stroke play NET. Sign up in the Pro Shop by October 10. There will be coffee and donuts for this 8:30 a.m. shotgun start, followed by our Annual Meeting and Luncheon. See the poster elsewhere in this issue and on the website, www.villagesgolfers.com.

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, October 2. The meetings are open to all members. Also, remember to visit our website at www.villagesgolfers.com for the latest information.

TENNIS TALK

By Rajeev Singh



I previously wrote about ball boys. Let me now talk about another tennis profession I encountered while growing up in India. That is of a "marker." The man in the picture here, Mr. Ilahi, was a marker in the late 1890s in India.

So who is a marker? The term comes from "real tennis"—a sport from which our present form of tennis descended. The marker performed the important task of marking where the ball strikes the ground on the court *at the second bounce*. This was/is one of the many peculiar and complex rules of "real tennis," a game still played. There is a Markers Box, next to the net outside the court, where the marker stands during each game. Being a full-time paid employee, the marker was also made the custodian of the court. Many markers learnt to play and master the game and also became the tennis professionals of that time. Though in those days, making money from playing a sport was looked down upon. So sports professionals came from the lower rungs of the social class structures of that era.

When lawn tennis was "invented" in the 1870s, the hired court custodian at many clubs was still called the marker, though the job no longer involved marking the second bounce of the ball as the rules were different. As before, most markers learnt to play the game and serve as pros, and Mr Ilahi rose to that level at his club in Allahabad, India. Per Philip Pearson, a successful British player and writer, Mr. Ilahi was the best native player in India in those days and in the same class as Tom Burke and George Kerr, the top European tennis pros who had only been beaten by the then reigning Wimbledon champions—the Doherty brothers (1897-1901).

The job of a marker still exists in India at many private tennis clubs. Growing up, my first tennis coach was the marker of my Dad's club. He put me through the paces first as a ball boy, then wall practice and finally on the court.

PINSEEKERS

By Jack Bindon

I think we all can do with a bit of rest. I understand the course will be closed next week, Monday and Tuesday. They will be "punching" the greens. Sit back and relax guys and enjoy the time off.

Now, here are your winners for this week: First place, Gus Warmerdam with a very nice net 31. Second place we have a tie between Richard Petroski, Bob Iacopi and Dennis Cullen with net 34s. Thirdplace, Frank Garcia with a net 35. Fourth place goes to Bob Gregg with even par 36.

Save the date—October 16 for the Fall Mixer with the Swingers/Pinseekers. More information to come at a later date.

IRONMEN

By Bill Travis

Thursday was the third and final week of the Ironmen Annual Tournament. This year's tournament has been very competitive. There is a lot at stake in that the top three scorers in each flight get additional points toward the club championship. As has been the case recently, it was a beautiful morning for golf. The results and final tournament standings are listed below. Congratulations to the winners.

Flight One: In first place, Jack Bindon with a net score of 27 for a three-day total of 82. In second place, Dave Cook with a net score of 28 for a three-day total of 83. In 3rd place Mario Silva, with a net score of 30 for a three-day total of 92.

Flight Two: In first place, Patrick McMordie with a net score of 30 for a three-day total of 85. In second place, Prakash Deshmukh with a net score of 28 for a three-day total of 89. In 3rd place, Roger Pyle with a net score of 29 also for a three-day total of 89. (Prakash finishes second by virtue of a tie breaker for the better score on hole 6).

There were three birdies: Jack Bindon had two, and Mike Kane had one.

Closest to the pin on hole 6: Mike Kane.

BOCCE NEWS



Farewell to Rika and Bob Goodwin

By Barbara Orlando

Well it's official, the Goodwins are moving to Prescott, Arizona on October 9. I had the honor and pleasure of sitting down and reminiscing with both Bob and Rika. They will be moving to a 55+ gated community called Victoria Estates so that they can be closer to their daughter and grandson and no, there isn't any bocce. They are excited to start on their new adventure, but will miss everyone here and, of course, playing bocce. As Bob put it, he is especially excited to be closer to family, a nearby casino and Costco.



Since becoming members in 2003, Bob and Rika have loved the game of bocce. With Rika always cheering Bob on from the sidelines, they have both been mainstays at the bocce courts. Everyone knows Bob and his boyish antics at the courts, it puts a smile on my face remembering the roll of masking tape that someone brought to the courts. Bob always being the good sport went along with the tape across the mouth. But rest assured that didn't stop Bob. He recalled the "time out chair" that he was supposed to sit in when he was misbehaving. He not only provided the chair himself, he used it quite often. Those infamous words yelled by Bob after somebody had a great shot, "I taught them that" and he probably did. So many memories of the good times with Bob and Rika.

Bob has served on the Bocce Club board in positions such as Bash, Tournament and Social Directors. Both Rika and Bob always volunteered and both expressed how very happy they were to be of service to the bocce club. Having been a Captain over the years, Bob is an exceptional teacher and an excellent player as well. He wanted to mention some of the players through the years that have been on his team the High Rollers. Bill & Marie Durante, Cappie & Lorraine Cappellieri, Marisa Gorton, Ruth Bastelli, Ruth Spirakis, Aloma Lazetera, Liz Giarratana, Bill Fletcher, Syd Labo, John & Virginia Gavin, Claire Vandenberg and Gerri McCoid. By the way, I know everyone wants to know, "did Rika ever play bocce"? Well yes, she did, the first two years as a member on a team called Pros & Cons. Rika decided she was better suited cheering on Bob's team and keeping him out of trouble.

The Bocce Club Board and membership bid a fond farewell and best wishes in your beautiful new home in Arizona. Bob and Rika, you will be missed. We love you both!

Reminders:

The Awards Dinner takes place on Saturday, November 3 at 5 p.m. at the Clubhouse.

Membership/Elections on Monday, November 12 from 1 to 3 p.m. at Foothill Center.

Tennis Club Annual Bocce & BBQ Bash

3 to 7 p.m., Sunday, October 14 at Gazebo Park

Join us for BBQ ribs and chicken from Armadillo Willy's, with Boca Burger option for the vegetarians (must pre-order). Play some Bocce, visit with old friends and make some new ones.

Cost: \$22 per member, \$25 per guest

Sign up by Sunday, October 7 at the Tennis Shack,
or online (akikogior@att.net) with your name, house number.
Please bring your own beverage and water.

No cancelations after October 10.



Pickleball members showing off their new matching shirts!

Home Tour...

(Continued from front page)

from Nothing Bundt Cakes. Browse the boutique where you'll find wonderful items including homemade toffee in several mouthwatering flavors, aromatherapy, jewelry, stationary, etc., perfect for gift giving or your own enjoyment. Collect a free ticket for a chance to win a fantastic gift basket valued over \$100.

All proceeds from the tour benefit the Villages Medical Auxiliary. For questions, contact Penny Barcellos at 408-531-9582 or Melinda Dobbs at 408-267-1777.

Get in the Fast Lane!

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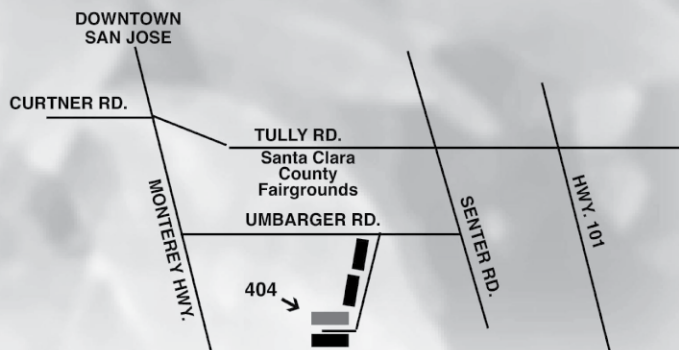
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SCOREBOARD

BRIDGE

Monday, September 17:

1. Mary LeGrand/LouAnn Partridge 2. Nancy Kettman/Barbara Varner 3. Joyce Davies/Stan Davies

Wednesday, September 19:

1. Jonna Robinson/Dorothy Staehs 2. Marie Chong/LouAnn Partridge 3/4. Marilyn Ribardo/Jan Kiernan 3/4. Mary LeGrand/Lorrie Scott

Thursday, September 20:

1. Louann Partridge/Dorothy Staehs 2. Ed Logg/Jonna Robinson 3. Steve Bosma/Billie Mechanic

BOCCE

Fall Round Robin - Week #2

Monday 10:30 a.m.: Agitators 3-1, We Take No Prisoners 2-2, Holy Rollers 2-2, Bocce Buddies 1-3

Monday 3 p.m.: Nacho Average Team 4-0, Friskies 2-2, Brian's Blazin' Babes 1-3, Cool Breezes 1-3

Wednesday 10:30 a.m.: Bocce Bombers 3-1, Dominators 3-1, Hell If I Know 2-2, Pallino Pushers 0-4

Thursday 10:30 a.m.: Earthquakes 3-1, Amici 2-2, Balls Of Fire 2-2, Bocce Blasters 1-3

Thursday 1:30 p.m.: Village Buddies 3-1, Pallino Chasers 2-2, Tigersharks 2-2, Single Ladies 1-3

PINOCHLE

Wednesday, September 19

Phyllis Ogden Sagen
Pat Luebcke
Donna Vivoli
Duane Sagen

Friday, September 21

Donna Vivoli
Sam Rotner
Duane Sagen
Mike Cox
Shirley Bellavance

MEXICAN TRAIN DOMINOES

Wednesday, September 19

Beverly Wharton 179
Maribeth Berlie 275
Audrey Osuna 323
Earl Magoun 431

Friday, September 21

Kit Hultquist 148
Remy Pessah 216
Vicky Linscott 261
Theresa Meditch 292

SHONIS

Tuesday, September 18

Flight One:

Meg Rogers 37 13 24
Maggie Winters 40 14 26
Barbara Karayn 38 12 26
Jan Ehrhardt 37 11 26
Pauline Robertson 38 12 26

Flight Two:

Jonna Robinson 37 16 21
Lorrie Scott 38 15 23
Kamini Patwari 41 17 24

Flight Three:

Jeanie Kane 46 22 24
Betty Lanctot 47 23 24
Carol Strong 44 19 25



FROM THE PRO

By Scott Steele, PGA Head Golf Professional

DEMO Days coming soon—Come out and try the best equipment in the golf industry! Used by the best touring pros in the World!

Friday, September 28, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.: Taylor Made and M3 & M4...used by world #1 Dustin Johnson, Rory McIlroy, Jason Day and Justin Rose. Callaway and Epic & Rogue...used by Phil Mickelson, Sergio Garcia, Henrik Stenson, Michelle Wi, and Sandra Gal. Cleveland and Srixon Golf...used by Hideki Matsuyama, Graham McDowell and Keegan Bradley.

Friday, October 12, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.: Ping...G400...used by tour pros Tony Finau, Bubba Watson, Brooke Henderson and Michael Thompson.

Receive a **free round of golf** for any purchase over \$200!

Driving Range & Chipping Green Closure—A reminder that on Saturday, September 29 starting at 12 p.m., the Driving Range and Montgomery Chipping Green will be *closed* for the remainder of the day due to the Concert on the Range that evening. Please plan accordingly. Thank you for your cooperation!

Just for Fun Tournament—Sunday, October 7. No handicap required, just come out and have fun!! Play 18-holes or play 9-holes... Fun fundraising opportunities with all proceeds going to the EVF to help the Pickleball Project. The ever popular ball toss, plus some great prizes like a four-some of golf at TPC Stonebrae, Boulder Ridge or Cinnabar Hills. Your round of golf will be followed by dinner, awards and the raffle up at Gazebo Park at 5 p.m. Sign up in the Pro Shop.

Club Championship Finals—Congratulations are in order for our recently named Club Champions. The 2018 men's club champion is Brad Baldinger, who outlasted Jim Holt in a great 36-hole match that went back and forth until the very end. Brad won the match 1 up on the 36th hole. Congratulations to our 18-hole Women's Club Champion Monica Sanholtz who won by a whopping 16 strokes from runner-up Janelle Salvatierra who also played very well. And our Swingers 9-hole ladies Club Champion is Renee Woolard. Congratulations to Renee and Runner up Joyce Mukuno.

Aeration Continues - Fairway Interseeding Starts. Fall aerification will continue through the first of October. The tees, collars, fairways and the Par-3 Course greens will all be aerated during the first half of October. Toward the end of October we will be inter-seeding the fairways with Rye Grass...a drill seeder will drill holes in the fairways that will be interjected with Rye grass seed and then backfilled. The result will be less Poa grass in our fairways and a more green and consistent fairway turf.

Saturday Women's 18-Hole Group—The Villages Women's 18-hole Golf Association is looking for women that want to play 18 holes but can't play on Thursday. If you work or have other obligations there is a group every Saturday for all women that have an 18-hole index. Tee times are typically between 10:30 to 11 a.m. on Saturdays. For more information call membership chair Pat Sear, 408-274-3991.

New in the Pro Shop—Click Gear manual and electric push carts for those who like to walk! SeeMore putters are back with the Rosemark grip! New Balance shoes for men, extreme comfort and performance! Laser Link Switch rangefinders with *free* carry pouch. Skechers new Fall styles for men and women! Skechers stretch fit chino pants for women! Footjoy men's golf gear! 100 percent Cotton Long Sleeve Men's Sun Shirts from Turtleson! Women's wear from Footjoy, Jamie Saddock, JoFit, Swing and San Soleil!

Tips from the Pro—Lag for dough... Since putting accounts for more than half your strokes in a round of golf, it only makes sense to include putting in your practice routine. But when you practice putt, are you practicing the right thing? How often do you hit your approach shot inside 10 feet? My guess is less than 50 percent of the time. So, therefore, you should be practicing long lag putts from 20, 30 and 40 feet from the hole. Learning to lag the long putts close to the hole will take pressure off your short putting and shave strokes off your scores. The biggest factor is speed so be sure to account for the uphill or downhill in the putt...the best way to do this is to find the lowest spot on the green, and realize everything will break toward that low spot...if you are putting away from the low spot, hit it harder, if you are putting toward the low spot hit it softer. See you at the course!

'Just For Fun' Golf Series

Supporting Pickleball Courts Two Great Tournaments In One!

Sponsored by the Villages Pro Shop/VGC & the EVF

When: Sunday, October 7

What: Open to all Villagers and their guests. This is a fun, non-postable golf, social and fundraising event for all. Raffle and silent auction.

Format: Scramble play; four-person teams-Mixer Teams encouraged. See rules sheet for details-especially how to pick up the ball by "giving something back."

Ball Toss: Available to every golfer. Donating \$5 to the EVF, golfer is given the right to pick up their ball two times and toss it at no additional stroke; for \$10 a player may do so five times. All proceeds go to support pickleball courts.

Tees: Men-#3 Tees; Women-#2 Tees.

Sign-up: Now through October 4 by 4 p.m. with the Pro Shop. Need a playing partner? Pro Shop will help arrange foursomes.

Flights: Sign up for either the 9 or 18 hole tournament. Flights depend on signups for each tournament.

Tee Times: Starting at 8 to 11 a.m., complete play by 4:30 p.m.

Costs: \$55 for 9 holes, \$65 for 18 holes-includes sweeps, green fees and dinner catered by "Smokin' Pig." Golfing guests pay \$5 more. Spouses, partners and non-playing guests welcomed for dinner at a cost of \$35 each. Tell the Pro Shop when signing up.

Awards/Dinner: 5 p.m. cocktails (BYOB); 5:30 p.m. awards followed by dinner and raffle/silent auction at Gazebo Park.

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5423-5428 and 5489-5553—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 10/1-10/5.
Cribari Heights; 5258-5288—Utility room roof replacements in progress.
Cribari Heights; 5289-5296—Utility room roof replacements scheduled to start 10/1.
5192—Re-plumb in progress.
5439-5440—Re-plumb in progress.

Del Lago

3101-3123—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.
3124-3126 and 3207-3226—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 10/1-10/5.

Estates

8842-8853—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.
8855-8866—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 10/1-10/5.

Fairways

4002, 4004 and 4006—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.
4008, 4010 and 4012—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 10/1-10/5.

Glen Arden

7741-7748 and 7750-7757—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.
7759-7775—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 10/1-10/5.

Heights

8502-8509—Landscape maintenance and weed control, in progress.
8510-8519—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 10/1-10/5.

Drain repair work near Chenin Blanc, in progress.

Hermosa

8005-8032—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.
8096-8125—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 10/1-10/5.

Pinot Noir Ct; 8007-8010 and 8031-8032—Roof replacement in progress.

Pinot Noir Ct.; 8029-8030—Roof replacement scheduled for 10/8.

8371—Reconstruction in progress.

Highland

7528-7538 and 7541-7559—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.
7500-7527 and 7539-7540—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 10/1-10/5.

Montgomery

6001-6045—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

6046-6068 and 6120-6136—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 10/1-10/5.

6152 and 6154—Driveway replacement in progress.

6223—Water remediation and reconstruction in progress.

6356 and 6357—Painting of deck repairs in progress.

6351—Stucco wall replacement in progress.

Olivas

8736-8750, 8769-8775 and 8778-8782—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

8776-8777, 8783-8785 and Grape Wagon—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 10/1-10/5.

Lower Lomas Azules Pond—Concrete repairs in progress.

8731—Water remediation and reconstruction in progress.

8699 and 8752—Termite repairs in progress.

Sonata

2012-2024—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

2000-2011 and 2030-2031—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 10/1-10/5.

Valle Vista

9011-9014 and 9031-9036—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

9015-9021 and 9028-9030—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 10/1-10/5.

Fire fuel management throughout the district in progress.

9025, 9027, 9031 and 9032—Wood repairs in progress.

9013—Water remediation and repairs in progress.

Verano

7331-7356—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

7357-7377—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 10/1-10/5.

7229-7230—Turf reduction in progress.

Common area light fixture replacements in progress.

7039 and 7307—Termite repairs in progress.

Association

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

Annual fire fuel management in progress.

Club Centers

Annual fire fuel management in progress.

Clubhouse—Entry tile replacement scheduled for 10/14-10/15.

Fitness Center—Interior cosmetic repairs, in planning.

Maintenance

Emergencies

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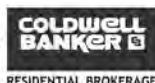
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BRIDGE HAND

By J.M.K.

NORTH

♠ K 10 6 2
♥ A Q 10 9 5
♦ K
♣ Q 7 5

WEST

♠ A Q 7
♥ J 8 7
♦ J 8 6 3
♣ 10 6 3

EAST

♠ J 5
♥ K 6 3 2
♦ Q 9 4 2
♣ J 8 4

SOUTH

♠ 9 8 4 3
♥ 4
♦ A 10 7 5
♣ A K 9 2

Dealer: North
Vulnerability: North/South

Bidding: North	East	South	West
1 Heart	Pass	1 Spade	Pass
2 Spades*	Pass	4 Spades^	All Pass

Contract: 4 Spades by South
Opening Lead: 3 of Diamonds

Dealer has a least 2 losers in Spades, maybe a Diamond loser, and possible a Club one.
Strategy: Hope the Spades are evenly divided 2 - 3, and ruff Hearts.

West leads the 3 of Diamonds, King from the board, follows with the Ace of Hearts, then a low Heart, and trumps it in his hand. He next leads a Spade, finesses the King, then plays a Heart, trumps it in his hand, switches to a Club to the Queen on the board, leads another Heart, East, the King, South trumps, and West overtrumps with the Queen of Spades. He leads a Diamond, East, the Queen, South, the Ace, next follows with the Ace of Clubs, then the King, and sluffs the Queen of Hearts on the board. He plays a Diamond and trumps it on the board. He now switches to the 6 of Spades, East, the Jack, and West has no choice but to play the Ace. West now leads his last card, the Jack of Diamonds, and South trumps it on the board. Great. The contract is made with an overtrick.

* When South responds with a spade bid he is only promising 4, and North will raise the suit if he has 4 or bid NoTrump or something else with less than 4 of them.

^ Since his partner shows 4 Spades, he can now add the value of a singleton heart and raise to game.

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Bob and Geri Wilk visited friends in Aiken, South Carolina, which is known for its thoroughbred training facilities and also the Savannah River Site (a government nuclear facility) where Bob worked. They were there just before hurricane Florence came through.





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Along the Way—a trip down Memory Lane

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



We have mirrors and scales, along with aches and pains, to tell us how we have changed physically, compared to our youth. But our mental attitudes, biases, perceptions and beliefs change so slowly over time that we may not notice. We may not be much different today than we were last week or last year, but if we could capture our mental selves from 40 or 60 years ago compared to today, we probably wouldn't recognize ourselves. In our 20s and 30s, we knew that physical decline was ahead, but we were likely quite convinced that our conceptions and perspectives were set for life, that we didn't need to evolve or develop any further. And yet, here we are.

To paraphrase philosopher George Santayana, "Those who cannot remember the mistakes of the past are condemned to repeat them," to which some wag has countered, "Those who remember the lessons of history are doomed to watch as everyone else forgets them!" But on a personal level, the lessons remain the same while we change. We life-long readers have probably all experienced reading in late adulthood some of the same books that we read in high school, college or shortly thereafter. Required reading in our youth likely included *To Kill a Mockingbird*, *Catch 22*, *The Catcher in the Rye*, *Little Women*, *Animal Farm*, *1984*, maybe *Uncle Tom's Cabin*. It is a revelation how much more we get out of those books reading them decades later. There is no denying that the books haven't changed—we have!

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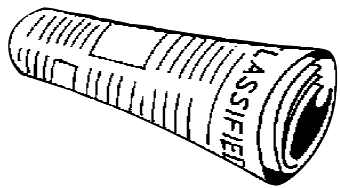
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Hi Neighbor

Help us greet new Villages residents

Please say hi to **Stephanie Petrossi**, who moved to Village Olivas last year from another "village" — Incline Village, Nevada, that is. Born and raised in San Francisco, she graduated from the University of San Francisco, then moved to the East Coast and back to Saratoga, California where she raised her family. She worked for John Hancock as a life insurance agent and served as a trustee on the School Board before retiring in Lake Tahoe. She moved back to San Jose to be closer to family and now works part time at her daughter's music store. In her spare time, she enjoys reading, hiking, and crafting.

Victoria Way is one of the newest residents of Cribari Village. Born and raised in San Jose, she attended Blackford High, West Valley College, and the San Jose Police Department's First Dispatch Academy. She worked in SJPD communications for 11 years, then as an administrative assistant for the Bureau of Investigations for 11 years until retirement. Her favorite activities include walking and hiking.

Have you met Montgomery resident **Kathleen Kuhn**? A San Francisco native, she graduated from the nursing school at SF State University and worked at local hospitals including Stanford before moving to Manhattan and then Ann Arbor, Michigan where she worked as a clinic nurse and raised two daughters. In 2016, she moved back to California with her rescue cat, Yoshimi. In her free time, she likes hiking, biking, swimming, reading, travel, pet sitting, and traveling for adventure.

Help us give a warm welcome to **Harry H. Davis**, one of the newest Hermosa Villagers. Harry's interests include golf, bocce, biking, fishing, cribbage, traveling and watching sports. Born in Trenton, New Jersey, he attended Springfield College in Massachusetts, then Rhode Island and Georgia before spending six years in the U.S. Navy, during the Vietnam War era. He obtained a Master's Degree and Administrative credential at SJSU, and has worked as a teacher and administrator (principal) in four school districts, before retiring in 2002. In September 2013, his lovely wife of 47 years passed away.

Please help us greet **Dianne Maul**, who is enjoying her first year in Village Heights. Her previous home—where she lived for 30 years—was only 2.5 miles away. A San Francisco native, she is a retired equity loan officer who spent 25 years working at banks. She has done a lot of traveling, especially to Germany, as her husband was born and raised in the Frankfurt area, and Dianne also has relatives. Her husband currently lives in a board and care facility. In her free time, Dianne loves to cook, read, travel, play with dogs, and take water classes—in fact, she has been doing aqua aerobics and aqua Zumba at the East Valley YMCA for 16 years!

Help us say hi to **Mary McBride** in Village Highland! Originally from Minnesota, she works for a large biotech firm in Silicon Valley, looking after Government Regulations and Standards. In her spare time, she enjoys hiking, golf and yoga.

Please welcome **Jay McAmis** to Hermosa Village! Jay moved here from Santa Cruz and serves as Senior Emergency Planning Coordinator for the Office of Emergency Services, Santa Clara County. He has worked as an Emergency Manager since September 2004, after serving 24 years as a senior non-commissioned officer in the the U.S. Army. In his free time, Jay enjoys golf, reading, and movies.

Wave hi to **Alberta Goode**, one of the newest residents of Hermosa Village! An Omaha, Nebraska native, she moved to the Villages this past February from San Francisco. Having attended Business College, she worked as an administrative assistant. An artsy individual, her interests include scrapbooking and mosaics, especially pique assiette.

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