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## The News this Week

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Villages business offices will be closed Monday, February 18 for the Presidents' Day holiday.

## Hot Tickets

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- **VAT presents 'A Funny Thing...'**  
(See article on page 1)
- **Village Voices February concert**  
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- **Golden Gate Fields trip to the races**  
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## Channels 26 & 27

### Community TV channels:

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

- **Fire Safety Presentation**
- **The Villages Fitness Center**

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## Romans Senex & Domina are really Larry & Nancy



This week we introduce you to the married couple, Senex and Domina in "A Funny Thing Happened On The Way To The Forum." Senex (played by Larry Miller) is an older man, but one still attracted to wine, women, and song. Senex is the perennially henpecked husband. Domina (played by Nancy Keane) is his battle-axe wife who is not only domineering, but proud.

Larry and Nancy are both accomplished actors and perform for you because they are very dedicated to applying their skills in this great musical comedy. Larry believes being part of the Villages Amateur Theatre (VAT) is perhaps the best way to be creative, social, and have enormous fun! Nancy believes being able to perform with the VAT gives her an opportunity to know some great people, hopefully make people laugh, and to continue enjoying this lifetime hobby.

Larry (aka Senex) and Nancy (aka Domina) are two of the many reasons to attend this musical comedy with your friends and family.

Performances will be 7:30 p.m. Friday, April 5; 2:30 p.m. Saturday, April 6; and 2:30 p.m. Sunday, April 7 in the Cribari Auditorium. Go easy on your wallet with \$15 tickets which will go on sale in mid-March. Your best entertainment value at The Villages. Plus get 10 percent off dinner at the Clubhouse on all three performance dates.

This is a great opportunity to bring your family to the theatre and enjoy a great experience together. Plan on leaving your worries at home and spending an evening laughing as you have never laughed before.

## Yale Alley Cats Come to Cribari!

The Villages is pleased to host The Yale Alley Cats an all-male undergraduate a cappella singing group from Yale University. It is funny how this group got its name—In the summer of 1943, four Yale undergraduate students climbed Saybrook Tower to serenade the night with Henry Carey's "Sally in Our Alley." Their singing awoke the College Master who yelled at them "Stop it! Your singing sounds like a bunch of screeching alley cats!"



Come and see these talented young men and hear their beautiful voices in harmony Sunday, March 10 at 2 p.m. in the Cribari Auditorium. A wine meet-and-greet will follow the performance. The group will also have CDs available for purchase.

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## Village Voices to present Krista Wigle and Joe Meyers

The Village Voices' first guest artists concert of 2019 will feature much beloved songs from operettas. Operetta is a genre of light opera, light in terms both of music and subject matter. Tenor Joe Meyers, who was most recently in The Villages for the Italian Club's "La Bella Musica" in 2017 will be featured along with lyric soprano, Krista Wigle on Saturday, February 23 at 2:30 p.m. in Cribari Auditorium.

Operettas are fun and tuneful and can be described as light operas with acting. Nelson Eddy and Jeanette McDonald made operetta popular in films. Operettas are precursors of modern musical theatre, which would be described as more a play with singing and dancing. No matter. The music of this concert will be familiar and very accessible for everyone. Popular operettas include such works as "The Desert Song," "The Student Prince," "Naughty Marietta," "New Moon" among others. Songs include such songs as "Stouthearted Men," "Ah Sweet Mystery of Life," "Indian Love Call," and "Wanting You."

Tenor Joe Meyers is a highly sought after West Coast tenor with projects  
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## Senior Academy: Great Decisions 2019

Enrollment is open for Senior Academy's Great Decisions 2019. The topics for this popular discussion course are determined by the Foreign Policy Association and focus on four issues facing our nation. This year we are exploring: 1. Refugees and Global Migration. 2. The Rise of Populism/ Nationalism in Europe 3. Decoding US China Trade and 4. Cyber Conflicts and Geopolitics

We will meet Thursdays March 7, 14, 21 and 28 at Vineyard Center from 7 to 9 p.m. The \$35 fee for members or \$40 fee for non-members covers a briefing book and video presentation. Pre-registration is required and enrollment is limited. You may contact Jane Carnoy at 561-252-7934 or [jane.carnoy@gmail.com](mailto:jane.carnoy@gmail.com) to reserve your place. Jane Carnoy and Rita Karlston will be facilitating this stimulating and thought course.

## See Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers dance

On Thursday, February 21 at 7 p.m. in Cribari Auditorium, Fred Stern will present a wonderful program, "Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers - The Dance Movies." Using video clips and commentary, Fred will show you how Astaire and Rogers sang and danced their way through 10 Hollywood films and became the most famous dance team in the history of movies.

Admission is free. There are no reservations and no tickets. All Villagers are invited to Fred's presentation, which is being sponsored by The Village Brandeis Club.

You won't want to miss this delightful evening with Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers: Thursday, February 21 at 7 p.m. in Cribari Auditorium.

# 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.

Letters may be submitted electronically through the Pulse Submission Form on the Resident Portal: resident.thevillagesgcc.com/pulse, or emailed to Villager Managing Editor S. Hinrichs: shinrichs@the-villages.com.

E-mailed letters must include the text within the body of the e-mail and the subject line must read PULSE LETTER.

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

One recent change to the Pulse is that a question conveyed in a letter is no longer answered. Previously, the Club Board directed the GM to review Pulse inputs and respond to questions concurrently with the publication of that question in the Pulse. Similarly, if a Pulse letter contained erroneous information, the GM's concurrent response would correct the error immediately thereby averting any unnecessary consternation in the populace. For example, a few weeks ago, Paul Miner asked via a Pulse letter for an update on the status of the Wehner Mansion asking if The Villages was considering acquiring that property. That question, of general interest to Villagers, received no response. Surely a quick status/interest report by the GM amended to Paul's letter at publication would have been appropriate.

My question is why has the policy of concurrent GM response to Pulse letters been suspended? WHOOPS—my bad—I just submitted a question.

—Mike Swiontek

## 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.

## EPC SEZ..

Store a three-day supply of dry or canned food, water, clothes, and essential medical supplies for each person in the household. For more information contact updates@thevillagesepc.org

—The Villages Emergency Preparedness Committee

## POST OFFICE NOTICE

### Post Office closed for Presidents' Day

On Monday, February 18, the Villages Post Office will be closed in observance of Presidents' Day holiday. Normal business hours, 9 a.m. until noon, will resume the following day.

## IN MEMORIAM

**Francis "Bud" Michael Penecale**  
September 4, 1929—February 2, 2019

There will be a celebration of Bud Penecale's life at the Clubhouse, Sunset Room on Friday, March 15 at 1 p.m.  
(Please see obituary in the classified advertising section)

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

### DEADLINES

**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.

**Sports:** Sports copy is acceptable after deadline only by permission of the Managing Editor, 408-223-4655.

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

**Display Ads:** Display ad rates and placement may be arranged by calling Mario at 408-223-4657. Display advertising information is available on The Villages web site at: www.thevillagesgcc.com.

**Delivery:** The Villager is published on Thursday and distributed to all residents Friday morning. Extra copies of the latest editions are usually available in The Villager office and in the Library. Call 408-223-4655 to report missed deliveries.

### POLICIES

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

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

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

### HOURS

The Villager editorial and classified advertising hours are Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The Villager display advertising office hours are by appointment. Call 408-223-4657 to schedule.

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

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# BOARDS & COMMITTEES

## Club Nominating Committee seeking Board candidates

The Club Nominating Committee is actively seeking candidates for election to the Club Board of Directors. The Club governing documents provide that there shall be seven directors, and election will be held during May and June for two director positions to serve three-year terms. The Club Board is responsible for the management of Club operations including, but not limited to, all recreational, social, and cultural events in operation at the Villages, maintenance of the streets, the community centers and adjoining swimming pools, the Clubhouse/Pro Shop complex, the two golf courses, and tennis courts.

It's a rewarding experience to participate in the governance of this vibrant community. The Nominating Committee urges all Villages' property owners to consider involvement in community decisions through service on the Villages Golf and Country Club Board of Directors.

If you are interested in being a candidate, and/or need additional information, or if you're interested in filling a vacancy on the nominating committee, please contact any of the Club Nominating Committee Members: Nancy Fodor at 408-528-0476; Rick Jiloty at 408-528-8116; Tom McLaughlin at 408-531-8874.

## Questions for Comcast? They will answer!

Comcast/Xfinity will be back to answer your questions about your service that you now have or upgrading your services on Thursdays, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. beginning February 21 through April 25. See the schedule below for locations so you can get those answers you want on your service with Comcast/Xfinity. This is a very nice service that they are offering you so take advantage of it now! There is no availability for March 13 or April 11.

2/21/19	Conference Room
2/28/19	Conference Room
3/7/19	Montgomery Center
3/21/19	Conference Room
3/28/19	Conference Room
4/4/19	Montgomery Center
4/18/19	Conference Room
4/25/19	Conference Room

More BOARDS & COMMITTEES,  
MANAGEMENT and COMMUNITY  
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## 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 for you to check on?

For more information check the EPC bulletin board next to Post Office in Cribari, or the article in back of Villages Telephone Book.

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# WANTED

## CANDIDATES FOR THE ASSOCIATION BOARD OF DIRECTORS

- ★ Help to Protect, Maintain, and Enhance The Villages.
- ★ Help Shape our Future.
- ★ Become a Voice for the Community.

Contact Kathi Ashby at:  
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# MANAGEMENT

## PUBLIC SAFETY

### Public Safety Report January 2019

CLASSIFICATION	Present Month	YTD 2019	YTD 2018
<b>ACCIDENTS</b>			
1) PERSONAL INJURY	0	0	0
2) AUTO	0	0	0
3) HIT & RUN	0	0	0
4) GOLF CART	0	0	0
5) MISCELLANEOUS	0	0	0
<b>AFTER HOURS REQUESTS</b>			
1) LIGHTS	19	19	28
2) FACILITIES	11	11	10
3) SPRINKLERS	0	0	0
4) LANDSCAPE	1	1	0
5) ACTIVITIES	1	1	0
6) MISCELLANEOUS	0	0	0
7) GOLF MAINTENANCE	0	0	0
8) FOOD & BEVERAGE	0	0	0
9) BUSINESS OFFICE	0	0	0
10) PRO SHOP	0	0	0
11) WATER LEAKS (OUTSIDE)	1	0	0
12) ALARM ACTIVATION	0	1	3
<b>ANIMAL</b>			
1) COMPLAINTS	7	7	3
2) TRAP REQUEST	0	0	0
3) LOST	0	0	0
4) FOUND	0	0	0
<b>CITATIONS</b>			
1) PARKING	0	0	0
2) SPEEDING	36	36	38
3) STOP SIGN	1	1	3
4) MISCELLANEOUS	2	2	1
5) ACC	0	0	0
<b>DISTURBANCE</b>	0	0	0
<b>FIRE / SMOKE</b>	1	1	2
<b>HAZARDOUS CONDITION</b>	1	1	0
<b>MEDICAL EMERGENCY</b>	40	40	60
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>	23	23	17
<b>PROPERTY</b>			
1) DAMAGED	5	5	1
2) LOST	0	0	0
3) FOUND	1	1	0
4) VANDALIZED	0	0	0
5) MISSING	0	0	1
<b>PUBLIC SAFETY</b>			
1) COMPLAINT	8	8	16
2) REQUEST	26	26	16
<b>RESIDENT ASSIST</b>	34	34	28
<b>RESIDENT WELFARE CHECK</b>	6	6	20
<b>SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES</b>	1	1	0
<b>TRESPASSING</b>			
1) AUTO	0	0	0
2) PERSON	0	0	0
<b>UNLOCKS</b>	20	20	30
<b>UNSECURED AREA</b>	2	2	8

### Lost, Missing or Damaged Property Report

January 2019

Date	Item	Summary
1-14	Damage	Lawn mower hit a resident's vehicle and scraped the side.
1-17	Damage	A FedEx truck damaged the Visitor/Residents sign at the Plaza.
1-17	Damage	A mail box was knocked over.
1-18	Damage	A car tire was damaged by a missing man hole cover.
1-28	Damage	Shattered patio window.

### New Resident Orientation meeting

The next New Resident Orientation will be held at 3:30 p.m. in the Fairway Room at the Clubhouse on Wednesday, March 6.

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

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

### More COMMUNITY NOTICES

**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



### February Programs

**Care Options & How to Pay for It:** Roxana from Care Patrol will be presenting on the various options available for care, including alternative placements as well as how to pay for these. Wednesday, February 20, 10:30 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, February 21, 10:30 a.m. – 12 p.m., Cribari Patio Room

**Grief Support Group:** a facilitator from Hospice of the Valley leads this monthly grief group. Monday, February 25, 10:30 a.m. – 12 p.m., Cribari Patio Room.

**Celebrate Me:** Recruit RN, Inc will be presenting on dementia and the "Celebrate Me" approach. This workshop will provide a clinical overview of dementia as well as how to stay active, engage in mind stimulating/sensory activities, and organize the process. Tuesday, February 26, 11 a.m. – 12 p.m., Cribari Conference Room.

**Diabetes Support Group:** a place to share experiences and techniques for successful management of diabetes. Wednesday, February 27, 10 a.m. – 12 p.m., Cribari Forum Room

**Afternoon Activities:** Are you caring for someone? This day is for you and them! Volunteers from With Grace Hospice will safely care for your loved one by engaging them in a variety of activities, while you get a much-needed break. Registration is required. Wednesday, February 27, 11 a.m. – 1 p.m., Vineyard Center.

**Volunteer Information Session:** Are you interested in volunteering with the VMA? Come by for some coffee/tea and treats and learn more about the various volunteer opportunities with the VMA. Thursday, February 28, 2 - 4 p.m., 6275 Blauer Lane.

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

### Presidents' Day office closures

Villages business offices will be closed on Monday, February 18 for the Presidents' Day holiday. Regular hours will resume on Tuesday, February 19.

### 2019

### Telephone Directory distributed last week

The 2019 Telephone Directory was delivered to Villages homes last week. If you did not receive your telephone directory, or you find that it was damaged, you may get a replacement at the Community Resource Center in the Building B lobby.

Missed or damaged books may be replaced without charge until Thursday, February 28. After that, Villages residents may purchase a telephone directory (or extra directories) for \$10 each.

To make changes to next year's directory listing, call or drop by the Public Safety Administration office in Building C. Telephone number is 408-239-5246, option 2.



Are you feeling lucky?

**The EVF 3/11 BIG event is planned for YOU!**

See page 21 for details

More  
COMMUNITY  
NOTICES  
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# GOVERNANCE MEETINGS

## THE DACs

### Highland DAC to meet February 28

The Highland DAC meeting scheduled for February 14 was postponed until Thursday, February 28, from 3 to 5 p.m. in Foothill Center.

### Sonata DAC to meet February 21

The Sonata DAC will meet Thursday, February 21 at 9 a.m. in the Vineyard Center.

## AC NOTICE

Association applications for Owner Alteration Requests for the month of March are due to the Architectural Committee on or before February 22, 2019. See Elissa at the Corporation Yard office to obtain an application. **Meeting date is scheduled for March 7, 2019 at 9 a.m. The meeting is being held in the Foothill Center. Association AC Landscape meeting deadline date is February 22, 2019.**

## More COMMUNITY NOTICES

## SENIOR RESOURCE SERVICES

### Sites for free tax preparation

The Villages AARP tax preparation site is only open on Thursday mornings through April 11. Below are other AARP sites within 10 miles of The Villages offering free tax preparation service if Thursdays are not convenient for you.

If English is your second language, you may find it easier to cope with tax preparation in your first language. We have included languages other than English if they are available at a site. The Villages site includes Japanese and Vietnamese.

**Southside Senior Center**, 5585 Cottle Road. 408-629-3336. Mondays, 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. An appointment is required; walk-ins may be accepted in the afternoon. German available.

**Willow Glen Community Center**, 2175 Lincoln Avenue. 408-448-6400. Wednesdays 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. An appointment is required.

**Willow Glen Library**, 1157 Minnesota Avenue. Tuesdays 9 a.m. to 1:45 p.m. Self-register in person at library; you will be called to finalize date & time. An appointment is required.

**Gardner Senior Center**, 520 West Virginia Street. 408-279-1498. Thursday, 9 a.m. to Noon. Appointments preferred; will take walk-ins. Spanish available.

**Almaden Community Center**, 6445 Camden Avenue. 408-268-1133. Saturday, 9 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. An appointment is required. Tagalog and Mandarin available.

**Berryessa Community Center**, 3050 Berryessa Road. 408-251-6392. Tuesday, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. and Thursday, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Appointments are preferred; will take walk-ins. Cantonese and Mandarin available.

**Yu-Ai Kai**, 588 North 4th Street, 408-294-2505. Wednesdays 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. An appointment is required. Japanese and Cantonese available.

**Camden Community Center**, 3369 Union Avenue. 408-559-8553. Saturday, 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. An appointment is required.

**Campbell Adult Center**, 1 West Campbell Avenue, Room E46. Tuesday, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. and Friday, 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Walk-ins taken on a first come first serve basis. Appointments can be made on site during operating hours. Mandarin available.



*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 located 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:

## San Jose Clean Energy presentation

San Jose Clean Energy (SJCE), will provide a presentation and will answer questions regarding the San Jose Clean Energy program on Wednesday, February 20 from 3 to 4 p.m. in the Cribari Auditorium.

## BOARD MEETINGS

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

### Three Boards

Three Board Meeting Re.: Annual Insurance Renewal will be held Thursday, February 21, at 11 a.m. in Montgomery Center.

### Association

The Villages Association Board of Directors Executive Session Re.: Insurance Contract will be held Wednesday, February 20, at 9 a.m. in Building A.

The Villages Association Board of Directors Study Session will be held Tuesday, February 26, at 9:15 a.m. in Foothill Center.

The Villages Association Board of Directors regular monthly meeting will be held Tuesday, February 26 directly after the Study Session in Foothill Center.

### Club

The Villages Golf & Country Club Board of Directors regular monthly meeting will be held Tuesday, February 26, at 1:30 p.m. in Foothill Center.

### Homeowners

The Villages Homeowners Corporation Board of Directors Work Study Session will be held Thursday, February 21, at 9 a.m. in Building A.

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

## FOUNDATION FOCUS

## The Barnharts are ready for the Villages Vegas!

By Diana Hallock, EVF Board Member

Carolyn and Terry Barnhart are smiling because they know our Clubhouse is being magically transformed into a Vegas Casino for the Evergreen Villages Foundation GALA Casino Night on Monday, March 11, 2019. A Monday? Yes, so we can fill the banquet rooms with elegant gaming equipment (poker, blackjack, roulette and a huge craps table), have room for a cocktail lounge and dance floor, and have a buffet dinner in the Clubhouse Restaurant. The evening will also include a wine pull, split-the-pot, and heads-and-tails. And for our Sustaining Donors like the Barnharts, a treasure chest! Register at our website at [www.evfsj.org](http://www.evfsj.org).



## EVF Sale needs jewelry, purses, shoes

Thank you to all who have donated clothing to The Evergreen Villages Foundations "gently used" clothing sale. Our storage facilities are full. We do still need jewelry, purses and shoes. Remember to shop on March 30 and 31 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Foothill Center. See you there.

### SRS Reminder:

## Order your tax forms

SRS is not able to provide Villagers with basic federal and California tax forms this year.

You may also order the forms you need by telephone or download them from the government websites. Federal forms may be ordered by calling 1-800-829-3676 (1-800-Tax-Form) or downloaded from [www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov). California forms may be ordered by calling 1-800-338-0505 or downloaded from [www.ftb.ca.gov](http://www.ftb.ca.gov).

A handout with detailed instructions for finding forms on the web sites is available at the SRS Office.

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

## 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](http://www.thevillagesgcc.com)—and download the current and past editions to your computer.

## Get in the Fast Lane!

Fast Lane is the Villages e-mail information blast. To sign up or get more information, contact Communications Coordinator Ken Patterson at 408-223-4681; [kpatterson@the-villages.com](mailto:kpatterson@the-villages.com), or go to Building B to sign up in person.

## In Memoriam and Obituary Notices

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.

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### Friday, February 15

8:30 a.m.	Jazzercise	A
8:45 a.m.	Catholic Mass	CR
9 a.m.	Game Day	RED, SEQ
9 a.m.	VGC – Golf Course	BGA
9:30 a.m.	Ceramics	CER
9:30 a.m.	Open Studio	AR
9:45 a.m.	Tai Chi	FC
10 a.m.	Quilters	P
10:30 a.m.	Line Dance	MMP
2 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
3 p.m.	Hand Bell Rehearsal	CR
6 p.m.	Mexican Train Domino	MC
6:30 p.m.	Mah Jong/Karaoke	RED
7 p.m.	Theater Rehearsals	A
7:15 p.m.	Jewish Services	FC

9:30 a.m.	Open Studio	AR
10 a.m.	Cardio Class	A
10 a.m.	Line Dance	MMP
11 a.m.	Bocce Boot Camp	BC
11:30 a.m.	Flower Arranging	VC
1 p.m.	Stitchery	P
1:30 p.m.	Better Living Club	CR
1:30 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
2 p.m.	Theater Rehearsal	A
3:30 p.m.	Chapel Ministry	P
6:30 p.m.	Duplicate Bridge	RED
6:45 p.m.	Yoga	MMP
7 p.m.	Movie – Forever My Girl	VC
7 p.m.	Camera Club	FC
7:30 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP

3 p.m.	VMUG	CR
3 p.m.	S.J. Electricity Meeting	A
5:30 p.m.	VMA Bingo Buffet	CH
6 p.m.	Global Village Comm.	CR
6 p.m.	Mexican Trains Domino	MC
7 p.m.	Theater Rehearsal	A
7 p.m.	Village Voices Rehearsal	FC
7 p.m.	Yoga	MMP

### Thursday, February 21

9 a.m.	Sonata DAC	VC
9 a.m.	Game Day	SEQ
9 a.m.	Homeowners Board	BGA
9 a.m.	Income Tax Service	RED
9 a.m.	Investment: Stocks	FC
9:30 a.m.	Hiking Club Board	F
9:30 a.m.	Ceramics	CER
9:30 a.m.	Watercolor Class	AR
10 a.m.	Line Dance	MMP
10 a.m.	Walking Class	A
10:30 a.m.	Caregiver Support	P
11 a.m.	Comcast Q & A	CR
11 a.m.	3 Board Insurance Meet	MC
11:30 a.m.	Yoga	MMP
12:30 p.m.	18 Hole Women Lunch	CH
1 p.m.	Ukulele Club	VC
1:30 p.m.	VGC – Budget	BGA
2 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
3 p.m.	Senior Academy Board	F
3 p.m.	Chapel Choir Rehearsal	CR
4 p.m.	18 Hole Wmn Invit. Meet	P
6 p.m.	Bridge Club	RED
7 p.m.	Folksters	CR
7 p.m.	Brandeis: Music	A

### Saturday, February 16

9 a.m.	Drop In Table Tennis	MMP
9 a.m.	Ukulele Singing	SEQ
9:30 a.m.	Ceramics	CER
10 a.m.	Concert Ticket Sale	L
11 a.m.	Boot Camp	BC

### Tuesday, February 19

9 a.m.	Game Day	RED, SEQ
9:30 a.m.	Acrylics & Oil Studio	AR
9:30 a.m.	Ceramics	CER
10 a.m.	ADL Parkinson Class	A
10 a.m.	Ukulele – Advance	P
10 a.m.	Shonis Lunch	MC
10 a.m.	Line Dance	MMP
10 a.m.	Music Society Library	F
10 a.m.	SIR 38 Board Meeting	CH
10 a.m.	SIR 38 Lunch	CH
11 a.m.	Swingers USGA Rules	FC
11:30 a.m.	Walking Class	A
11:30 a.m.	Yoga	MMP
2 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
2 p.m.	Piano Open Studio	A
2 p.m.	Theater Rehearsal	CR
5:30 p.m.	Bridge Class	MC
6 p.m.	Chapel Lay Board	P
6:30 p.m.	Art Night	AR
6:45 p.m.	Band Rehearsal	A

### Sunday, February 17

7:15 a.m.	Catholic Choir Rehearsal	A
8:30 a.m.	Episcopal Services	MC
9 a.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
9 a.m.	Chapel Choir Rehearsal	SEQ
9:30 a.m.	Chapel Prayer	F
9:30 a.m.	Chapel Worship	CR
10 a.m.	Comm. Chapel Service	A
11 a.m.	Chapel Fellowship	CR
11:30 a.m.	Chapel Orientation	F
4 p.m.	Korean Club Social	VC
7 p.m.	Theater Rehearsal	A

### Monday, February 18

8:30 a.m.	Jazzercise	A
9 a.m.	Camera Club Board	P
9 a.m.	Game Day	RED, SEQ
9 a.m.	VGC – Golf Clubs	CR
9:30 a.m.	Search the Scriptures	FC
9:30 a.m.	Ceramics	CER
9:30 a.m.	Assoc. Rules Comm.	F

### Wednesday, February 20

8:30 a.m.	Jazzercise	A
9 a.m.	Game Day	RED, SEQ
9:30 a.m.	Ceramics	CER
9:30 a.m.	Critique & Open Studio	AR
9:30 a.m.	Democratic Club	BGA
9:30 a.m.	Ladies Bible Study	P
9:45 a.m.	Tai Chi	FC
10 a.m.	Total Body Fitness	A
10:30 a.m.	VMA: Pay for Care	CR
2 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP

### Friday, February 22

8:30 a.m.	Jazzercise	A
9 a.m.	Game Day	RED, SEQ
9:30 a.m.	Ceramics	CER
9:30 a.m.	Open Studio	AR
9:45 a.m.	Tai Chi	FC
10 a.m.	Quilters	P
10:30 a.m.	Line Dance	MMP
2 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
2 p.m.	Senior Acad. Lecture	FC
3 p.m.	Hand Bell Rehearsal	CR
5 p.m.	Dinner Dance	CH
6 p.m.	Mexican Train Domino	MC
7 p.m.	Theater Rehearsal	A

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 2019

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

**Register in Building B.**

2/19	Montalvo Light Show	SOLD OUT
3/3	Hello Dolly	SOLD OUT
3/13	Hamilton	SOLD OUT
4/7	Giants vs. Tampa	NOW
4/11	Aladdin - Broadway	NOW
4/13	Golden Gate Fields	NOW
4/28	Giants vs. New York	2/14 2/18
5/2	Legion of Honor - Monet	2/28 3/1
5/9	Hamilton	NOW
5/17	Sandy Hackett Comedy	3/14 3/18
5/26	Giants vs. Arizona	2/21 2/25
6/8	School of Rock - Broadway	4/11 4/15
6/9	Giants vs. Dodgers	TBD TBD
6/10	Choral Project	TBD TBD

# 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

**Saturday, February 16:** Richard Bainbridge will lead a hike up our hill starting at Foothill Center, route and distance dependent on weather and hikers. We will meet at 8:30 departing at 8:45.

**Wednesday, February 20 (Rambler):** Santa Cruz Historical Hike. Liz Giarratana (408-270-2062) will lead a historical walk of Santa Cruz. The 4.5 mile walk will explore Santa Cruz through some of the history of this iconic coastal town. We will park in the downtown area and explore the sights on Pacific Ave and the pedestrian mall. We will then walk back to the beach area where we will have lunch. Round trip driving distance is approximately 84 miles. **We will meet at 9 a.m. at Cribari for a 9:15 departure.**

## VILLAGES AMATEUR THEATRE

The Villages Amateur Theatre (VAT) is pleased to announce that "A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum", a rollicking comedy set in ancient Rome, will be performed in early April. Performances will be 7:30 p.m. Friday, April 5; 2:30 p.m. Saturday, April 6; and 2:30 p.m. Sunday, April 7 in the Cribari Auditorium. Tickets are \$15 each and will go on sale in mid-March. Please mark these April dates in your calendar. See our article in the "Clubs & Events" section for more details.

## SENIOR ACADEMY CALENDAR

**Friday, February 22:** "All about the Sun" by John Trudeau. A free lecture at Foothill at 2 p.m.

**Mondays, March 4 and 11:** "Impacting Climate Change" by Rod Diridon. Two session course at 2 p.m. at Vineyard Center. \$25 for Academy members, \$30 for non-members. Call Adele Ratcliff at 408-274-8807 to register.

**Wednesday, March 6:** "United States Supreme Court-Current Pending cases." Free for members, \$10 for non-members. This is a discussion class, reading materials provided. 2 p.m. at Foothill To register, call Gene Gerwe at 408-223-7901.

Reminder: Articles are due by 4:30 p.m. Thursday, one week before publication

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## 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 to: Judy Wessler** at judywessler@gmail.com

**Ceramics Room:** Open Studio Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday. See website.

**February 19:** Third Tuesdays Free Art Night. 6:30 p.m. Art Room. "Painting Rocks" with Marlene Wilde and Monita Bowman. All materials furnished. Wine and cheese snacks.

**February 25:** Monday, 3 p.m., Art Room. Regular Monthly Meeting of A&C Advisory Board.

**February 27:** Wednesday, 10 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. "Mindful Drawing" with Wendy Fitzgerald. \$30. Materials: Small drawing pad and gel pen or micro felt pen. \*

**March 1:** Friday. Paired Show Painting Exhibit in Cribari Conf. Room

**March 4:** Monday at 1:45 p.m. in Cribari Conf. Room. Regular monthly meeting. Guest Artist Is Wayne Wichern. He makes and embellishes hats. Everyone is invite to wear a hat to this Meeting.

**March 12:** Art Film. Tue. 7 p.m. at Vineyard Center. "Paul Cezanne".

**March 19:** Third Tuesday. Free Art Night. 6:30 p.m. Art Room. "Painting on 6 x 6 Panels" with Monita Bowman. All materials furnished. Wine and cheese snacks.

**Open studio:** Mondays 1 to 3 p.m. with Jane Hink. Wednesdays 10 a.m. to noon with Barbara Gottesman. Fridays 9:30 a.m. to noon with Joan Fury.

**Stitchery Group:** Mondays. Patio Room 1 – 3 p.m. Call Roberta at 408-218-8372.

## 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

**For more information,** contact Remy at 650-776-8850 or remypessah@gmail.com



## CAMERA CLUB

**Monday, February 18:** Sy Gelman demonstrates how to use Snapseed and TouchRetouch apps for iPhone camera and DSLR camera users at 7 to 9 p.m. in Foothill Center. (See related article.)

**Sunday, February 24:** At 2 p.m. online submissions to the March photo competition close.

**Monday, March 4:** Photo competition for members for the following categories of projected images: Pictorial, Nature, Creative. Foothill Center from 7 to 9 p.m. Greg Edwards is the judge.

See winning photographs at www.villagescameraclub.com, in the hallway of Cribari Center, and in the Clubhouse hallway to the left of the main entrance to the Clubhouse. Membership: Ray Blinde at rwblinde@earthlink.net.



## MUSIC SOCIETY: TAKE NOTE

**Save the Date**

All events are \$15 and in Cribari Auditorium unless otherwise noted. Ticket sales in Cribari Lobby 10 a.m. to 12 noon on the Saturdays stated below.

**Saturday, February 23:** "Music from Operetta" at 2:30 p.m., a Village Voices guest artist concert. Guest tenor and soprano sing music made popular by Jeanette McDonald and Nelson Eddy. (See related article.)

**Meeting Schedule/Rehearsal**

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

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

**Opera Lovers:** Second Fridays for monthly meetings, 1:30 p.m. in Vineyard Center. Bonnie Preston at 408-531-1513.

**Piano Open Studio:** Tuesdays at 2 p.m. in Cribari Auditorium: February 19 and every Tuesday in March and April. Estelle Kabani at marchstar@comcast.net or 408-238-7246.

**Village Voices:** Wednesdays, 7 to 9 p.m. in Foothill Center. New members welcome. No auditions needed. Aileen Reid at 408-809-4884.

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# THE CLUBHOUSE

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

2800 Villages Fairway Drive, San Jose CA 95135

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

## WHAT'S COOKING?

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

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

Come down and join us for a drink!

**St. Patrick's Day Patio Concert:**  
Come join us on Sunday, March 17 from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. for a Bistro Patio concert featuring The Island Wave Band. St. Patrick's Day food and beverage specials will be available for purchase.

No reservations required. Open seating at the Bistro Patio.

**Wine Make Dinner:** See details about the next Wine Maker Dinner event on page 21.

**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 the Clubhouse Restaurant.

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

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## 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

**Lunch Specials  
Tuesday 2-19  
to  
Sunday 2-24**

<b>Chicken Salad Sandwich</b>	<b>\$12.95</b>
<i>Chicken Salad, Lettuce, Tomato and Avocado on a Croissant—Served with Choice of Side Dish</i>	
<b>Fettucine Palermo</b>	<b>\$13.95</b>
<i>Fettucine with Tomato, Basil and Bay Shrimp in a Garlic Cream Sauce</i>	
<b>Grilled Tilapia</b>	<b>\$13.95</b>
<i>Grilled Tilapia Filet with a Caper and White Wine Sauce</i>	

### DAILY SOUP SPECIALS

<i>Tuesday, February 19</i>	<i>Soup: Cream of Spinach</i>
<i>Wednesday, February 20</i>	<i>Soup: Beef and Rice</i>
<i>Thursday, February 21</i>	<i>Soup: Potsticker</i>
<i>Friday, February 22</i>	<i>Soup: Manhattan Clam Chowder</i>
<i>Saturday, February 23</i>	<i>Soup: Chef's Choice</i>
<i>Sunday, February 24</i>	<i>Soup: Chef's Choice</i>

### DINNER SPECIALS SERVED ALL WEEK

**Dinner Specials  
Tuesday 2-19  
to  
Sunday 2-24**

<b>Five-Point Salad</b>	<b>\$20.50</b>
<i>Prosciutto Wrapped Asparagus, Hearts of Palm, Goat Cheese and Shrimp over Greens—served with a Cup of Soup</i>	
<b>Grilled Halibut</b>	<b>Market Price</b>
<i>Alaskan Halibut with a Caper Beurre Blanc Sauce—served with Soup or Salad</i>	
<b>Filet Mignon Tid Bits</b>	<b>\$26.95</b>
<i>Filet Mignon Pieces with a Cabernet Reduction Sauce—served with Soup or Salad</i>	

## ACTIVITIES

### Monday February 18

No Event

### Tuesday February 19

• SIRS #38 Board Meeting—Sunset, Oak and Fairway Rooms—10 a.m. to 11 a.m.

SIRS 38 Luncheon—Sunset, Oak and Fairway Rooms—11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

### Wednesday February 20

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

### Thursday February 21

• Women's 18 Hole Golf Luncheon—Oak and Sunset Room—12:30 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Village Fairways Café Dinner—Fairway Room—5 p.m. to 9 p.m.

### Friday February 22

• Clubhouse Dinner Dance—Sunset, Oak and Fairway Rooms—5 p.m. to 9 p.m.

### Saturday February 23

No Event

### Sunday February 24

No Event

## 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 pages 9 & 21



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### Single Diners' Night

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Every Wednesday at The Clubhouse



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

Please make reservations and note "Single Diners' Reservation"

Every Wednesday at 5:30 p.m.

## NO CORKAGE TUESDAYS



Bring your favorite bottle of wine and your favorite people any and every Tuesday at the Clubhouse Restaurant.

Nor corkage will be charged with a dinner order. One-bottle limit per two guests.

Standard size bottles only

**Clubhouse Restaurant Only**



## Patio Concert

### Sunday 5pm-8pm

Join us for Corned Beef and Cabbage, Leprechaun Drinks  
Music by Island Wave Band  
Open Seating at the Bistro patio

## THE DINNER DANCE Clubhouse

### 5pm to 9pm Friday February 22nd

### 5pm Buffet Dinner Starts

Full Salad Bar  
Dijon Chicken, Pot Roast  
Mixed Grain Rice Pilaf, Seasonal Vegetables Medley  
Array of Desserts  
Coffee, Ice Tea and Lemonade



### 6pm to 9pm

### Dancing with DJ Ed Knott

\$22 including service charge and tax. \$7 special wine corkage

Call for reservation John Yu 408 223 4676

Or email, [Jyu@the-villages.com](mailto:Jyu@the-villages.com)

This Week <b>27</b> on Channel	Every 6-Hours starting at 1 & 7 am/pm	Daily <b>27</b> Midnight, 6am, Noon & 6pm	Fire Safety at the Villages		Complimentary <b>WiFi</b>	Network: Villages Public Password: villages	Club Events & Notices <b>26</b> on Channel	More information online at the Villages Resident Portal: <a href="http://resident.thevillagesgcc.com">resident.thevillagesgcc.com</a>
			The Villages Fitness Center					
hr.	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	
1	The George Burns and Gracie Allen Show My Little Margie	The Lucy Show Date with the Angels	The Beverly Hillbillies The Adventures of Kit Carson	The Jack Benny Program Topper	Sherlock Holmes Mr. & Mrs. North	The Adventures of Robin Hood The Adventures of Sir Lancelot	You Bet Your Life The Pat Boone Show	
2	Letter to Loretta General Electric Theater	Westinghouse Studio One	Bonanza	Climax!	Dragnet Lock-Up	Space Patrol Rocky Jones Space Ranger	The Frank Sinatra Timex Show	
3	MOVIE: My Favorite Brunette	MOVIE: I'll Be Seeing You	MOVIE: Death Rides a Horse	MOVIE: The Emperor Jones	MOVIE: Blood on the Sun	One Step Beyond	Comedy Binge - 4 Episodes The George Burns and Gracie Allen Show	
4	PLUS: Meet Corliss Archer	PLUS: Life with Elizabeth		PLUS: Tall, Tan & Terrific	PLUS: Rufus Jones for President	MOVIE: Unknown World		

# 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
2/15	VGC – Golf Course	9 a.m.	Building A
2/18	VGC – Golf Clubs	9 a.m.	Conference Room
2/18	Association Rules Committee	9:30 a.m.	Forum
2/21	Sonata DAC	9 a.m.	Vineyard Center
2/21	Homeowners Board Study	9 a.m.	Building A
2/21	Three Board Insurance Meeting	11 a.m.	Montgomery Center
2/21	VGC – Budget	1:30 p.m.	Building A

## Community Events

Date	Event	Time	Place
2/16	Bocce Boot Camp	11 a.m.	Bocce Courts
2/18	Movie – Forever My Girl	7 p.m.	Vineyard Cntr.
2/19	Shonis Bag Lunch	10 a.m.	Montg. Cntr.
2/19	SIR 38 Lunch	11 a.m.	Clubhouse
2/19	Swingers USGA Rules	11 a.m.	Foothill Cntr.
2/19	Art Night	6:30 p.m.	Art Room
2/20	S.J. Electricity Meeting	3 p.m.	Auditorium
2/20	VMA Bingo Buffet	5:30 p.m.	Clubhouse
2/21	Income Tax Service	9 a.m.	Redwood Rm.
2/21	Comcast Q&A	11 a.m.	Conf. Rm.
2/21	18 Hole Women Lunch	12:30 p.m.	Clubhouse
2/21	Brandeis Music Program	7 p.m.	Auditorium
2/22	Dinner Dance	5 p.m.	Clubhouse

## Fitness Center's recent ADA audit results

Villages management recently had an ADA consultant complete an audit on the fitness equipment layout in the Fitness Center. The Fitness Center building itself has been ADA compliant since it was built. There was concern, however, about the layout of the fitness equipment especially when considering new or additional equipment. The Villages is required to provide equal access and opportunity to individuals with disabilities including those in wheelchairs and other supportive devices.

The audit did find that some of the fitness equipment was not positioned in a way that allowed for access for those with disabilities. Those pieces of equipment were repositioned or moved. Repositioning allows them to be accessed from either the front or side. At least one "type" of exercise equipment must have clear floor space of 30" by 48" and a slope of 2 percent. One type means one treadmill, one cross trainer, one bicep curl and so on. The Fitness Center has many pieces of equipment that are the only one of that type. Please be mindful that The Villages is required to be in ADA compliance at all times. Please do not move the equipment. The benches are often moved around the facility. Please leave them in place.

## See hit Broadway musical 'Aladdin' at CPA

Are you ready for a fun afternoon? Then come see "Aladdin," the hit Broadway musical. We have wonderful orchestra seating for the 2 p.m. performance on Thursday, April 11 at the San Jose Center for the Performing Arts. This outing includes bus and musical only, however the Clubhouse is offering a 10-percent discount if you make reservations and show your ticket.

The cost for this outing is \$131 per person. Register in the Community Resource Center, Building B. Departure is from the Cribari Center east parking lot at 12:45 p.m. but plan on arriving at 12:15 p.m. to get your tickets in the Patio Room. The estimated return time is 5 p.m.

From the producer of "The Lion King" comes the timeless story of "Aladdin," an unforgettable journey into a magical world of beauty and comic fantasy.

Reviews: "Pure Genie-Us! It delivers a rush that will surprise you." (USA Today) "Fabulous! Extravagant!" (The New York Times) "An awesome throwback to old-time musical comedy!" (Newsday)

## Golden Gate Fields – 'A Day at the Races'

The Turf Room has been reserved for our day at Golden Gate Fields on Saturday, April 13. The Turf Room provides expansive viewing of the track so we can catch all the action. TV monitors are also available for close-up viewing while you sit with your friends at your dining table. The dress code is smart-casual, so *no* tennis shoes. Moderate walking is required with some stairs; an elevator is available. *If stairs are a problem for you on the main floor*, please let us know when you register so you may be seated on the top landing of the Turf Room.

The cost is \$78 per person and this price includes a wonderful buffet lunch, transportation and entrance to the track with a racing program. Coffee, tea and decaf are included in the price. Beer, wine or cocktails can be purchased from your servers. It is important that you sit at tables reserved for The Villages! Departure from The Villages will be at 10 a.m. on Saturday, April 13, and we will return at approximately 6:30 p.m.

Register in the Community Resource Center, Building B starting Monday, February 11. There are only 47 tickets available!

Going on this particular trip is a great way to meet other Villagers! We all sit together and cheer for our pick of winning horse and jockey together! Don't miss this trip!

## Small Group Training

Small group personal training sessions are available for groups of four to six students on Saturdays at 9 a.m. in the Fitness Center beginning in February! There is a minimum of four persons. Sign up in Building B, or call Hart at 408-455-2887.

The pricing is as follows:

\$40/hour/student with 4 participants

\$35/hour/student with 5 participants

\$30/hour/student with 6 participants

## What is Functional Fitness?

Should I train for functional fitness? Meet Hartmut Broring, M.S. Physio-Therapy and President of Back In Form for a free informational meeting that will define functional fitness training, and get into the differences between functional fitness training and the big box gym style of workouts that we all have gotten accustomed to since the 1970s. Hartmut will explain the benefits of functional fitness training for the 55-plus population and sample some exercises that are meant to improve real life performance.

This info meeting is planned for March 25, at the Vineyard Center at 4 p.m. Contact Ruth DePonzi at 408-223-4644.

## 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.

## New Massage Special

Meet Meagan Beaver, CMT, and her therapeutic hands. Let Meagan help you relax, recover and rejuvenate for a one-time special offer—one 60-minute massage for \$50 and one 90-minute massage for \$70.

## 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.

## 'Hamilton' on May 9—one ticket left!

We have one ticket left for "Hamilton" for the 7 p.m. performance on Thursday, May 9, at the Orpheum Theatre for orchestra Seating! Please keep in mind that once you register...you are responsible and there will be no bartering for a different date or canceling. Check your schedule before registering.

Dinner will be at Pompei's Grotto at 4:30 p.m. with entrée choices of Grilled Salmon, Shrimp & Scallop Combo, Spaghetti with Dungeness Crab tossed with garlic & extra virgin olive oil, Pasta Angelina or NY Steak. Dinner comes with appetizers of Bruschetta and Calamari, choice of New England clam chowder or Mixed Green Salad with Balsamic Vinaigrette. Your meal also comes with choice of a glass of house wine or draft beer, coffee or tea and dessert. Departure from the Villages will be at 3 p.m., please arrive by 2:30 p.m. in the Redwood Room to receive your tickets and board bus. Dinner and transportation are included in the price of \$325 per person. Approximate return time to The Villages will be 11:30 p.m.

## SF Giants host Tampa Bay at Oracle Park

See the San Francisco Giants vs. Tampa Bay on Sunday, April 7. Wait until you see the new high definition screen at Oracle Park. The upper section cost is \$69 per person and lower section cost is \$106 per person.

The bus will depart The Villages at 10:45 a.m. for game start at 1:05 p.m. with an estimated return time of 5 p.m. Register in the Community Resource Center, Building B.

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

## SF Giants host NY Yankees at Oracle Park

See the San Francisco Giants vs. the NY Yankees on Sunday, April 28. Wait until you see the new high definition screen at Oracle Park. The upper section cost is \$78.75 per person and lower section cost is \$127.25 per person.

The bus will depart The Villages at 10:45 a.m. for game start at 1:05 p.m. with an estimated return time of 5 p.m. Register in the Community Resource Center, Building B.

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

## Take Chair Yoga/Standard Yoga classes

We are offering 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.

## Learn the Art of Living with Parkinson's

Research shows that people living with Parkinson's can slow the progression of the disease by exercising three days per week. The Villages Parkinson's Exercise Program offers physical and functional fitness training classes on Tuesdays (Functional Fitness - Auditorium - 10 to 11 a.m.), Wednesdays (Tai Chi - Foothill Center - 9:45 to 10:45 a.m.) and Thursdays (Walking for Better Balance - Auditorium - 10 to 11 a.m.). All classes mix the ADL (Activities of Daily Living) training elements of coordination, dexterity, standing, sitting, pushing, pulling, lifting, stretching, squatting, twisting and lunging with physical fitness exercise designed to improve posture, strength, endurance, balance, gait, speed, agility and flexibility. Humor and music are motivation tools used to keep PLWP striving to maintain a quality life. Start anytime! Register in class! For information call Jane at 408-315-1179. This class sponsored by the Community Activities Office.

## Yale Alley Cats... (Continued from front page)

Register in the Community Resource Center, Building B. The cost is \$15 per person. For an extra treat call the Clubhouse for dinner reservations and receive a 10-percent discount showing your concert reservation. Call 408-223-4687 to make your reservations.

Since the beginning in 1943, the Cats have created over 200 original arrangements from jazz standards to Motown, from timeless oldies to contemporary chart-toppers. They've released several dozen albums, held 74 annual Champagne Jamborees, and performed for public figures such as President Barack Obama and Queen Elizabeth II. In true Cat fashion, as the first Yale a cappella group to tour internationally, they bring a unique brand of refined all-male harmony, stylistic expertise, and witty charm to their performances.

Their musical repertoire, all arranged by current or former Alley Cats, reflects both a tradition and diversity that has grown over 75 years to include a mix of everything from the Temptations and Michael Jackson to Sam Smith and Alicia Keys. The group adds modern pieces while staying true to its roots in jazz standards from the likes of Gershwin, Ellington, and Porter. The Alley Cats' complex arrangements and acknowledged musicality allow them to perform for any audience, from ambassadors to elementary schoolers, making for an always exciting Alley Cat experience.

## Income Tax preparation time!

Yes! It is that time of year again! Senior Resource Services is sponsoring the tax programs. Please refer to the Villager article or contact the SRS office at 408-239-5253.

On Thursdays, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., the Redwood Room and the Terrace Room Lounge will be used for tax preparation.

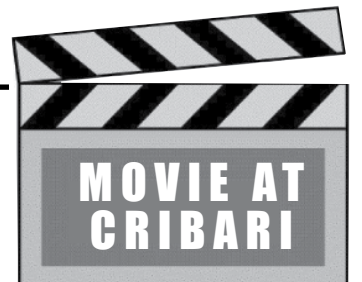
Attention: Card and Mah Jongg players, the Redwood Room and Terrace Room will be closed for play on Thursdays, through April 11 until after 5 p.m. The Sequoia Room will be open as usual.

## Tai Chi for healthy aging

Our mission is to help older adults maintain a quality life as they age, and Tai Chi is the perfect exercise to help us achieve that. 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 9:45 a.m., see The Villager's Calendar of Events for location. This class sponsored by the Community Activities Office.

### Don't miss...

**BREAKING IN**  
**Wednesday, February 27**  
**1:30 p.m.**



Starring Gabrielle Union. A woman fights to protect her family during a home invasion.

**Wednesday, March 13 – "The Stray":** Starring Michael Cassidy, Sarah Lancaster and Connor Corum. A young father takes his nine-year-old son, the family dog, and two of his son's friends backpacking in the mountains of Colorado only for all five of them to be struck by lightning.

**Wednesday, March 27 – "God's Not Dead: A Light In Darkness":** Starring Megan Alexander and Adeeba Rochele Anderson. Pastor Dave responds to the unimaginable tragedy of having his church, located on the grounds of the local university, burned down.



### Don't miss...

**FOREVER MY GIRL**  
**Monday, February 18**  
**7 p.m.**



Starring Alex Roe and Jessica Rothe. After being gone for a decade a country star returns home to the love he left behind.



**Don't get left behind.**  
**Register early!**



### Village Voices...

(Continued from front page)

ranging from Verdi to Weill. He has performed leading roles of the lyric stage such as The Duke in Rigoletto, Pinkerton in Madama Butterfly, Rodolfo in La Boheme, and others. Joe has credits including leading and supporting roles with San Francisco Opera, Anchorage Opera, Utah Festival Opera, Portland Opera, and a score of others.

Soprano Krista Wigle holds musical degrees from San Francisco Conservatory of Music and has served as artist-in-residence, music director and teacher of vocal master classes for two decades. As an opera and musical theater performer, Ms. Wigle has appeared with numerous local opera companies in roles such as: Mistress Quickly in Falstaff, Yetta in The Meshuga Nutcracker!, Mis Jessel in The Turn of the Screw, Clorinda in La Cenerentola and Musetta in La Boheme.

Tickets are \$15 and can be purchased at Cribari lobby from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. this Saturday, February 16, or at the door. "No one will regret spending a pleasant Saturday afternoon enjoying music made popular by Nelson Eddy and Jeanette McDonald," said Voices director Ken Carter.



Soprano Krista Wigle



Tenor Joe Meyers

### More COMMUNITY NOTICES

## PUBLIC SAFETY

### Golf carts are vehicles, too

While we see carts driven on all of our streets, paths, and the golf course, one must always remember that golf carts are defined as "motor vehicles" per the California Vehicle Code. As "motor vehicles," carts must be driven under the same rules as an automobile. Their lower speed requires them to be driven close to the right edge of the roadway.

While we do not find too many carts exceeding the posted speed limit, golf carts must comply with the basic speed laws. Simply stated, this means that drivers must never drive at an unsafe speed. Drivers must consider the roadway conditions, traffic, weather, and visibility. A safe speed is frequently determined by the proximity of pedestrians; extreme care should be taken when passing near pedestrians. As an added precaution, cart drivers should be particularly aware of pedestrians walking with the flow of traffic; they may not be aware of your presence and suddenly step into your path.

Contrary to what you may believe, golf carts do not automatically have the right of way any more than any other motor vehicle. While it may be tempting to please a grandchild by letting him or her stand on the back of the cart, or drive the cart, you would not allow this to occur while driving your automobile.



Note: Golf cart parking on the Plaza area at Cribari Center is not permitted.

And on a final note, please stop for all stop signs. Remember that your cart is a vehicle and is required to come to a complete stop and to yield at yield signs. Think safety!

### Traffic within The Villages/Rules of the Road

As a reminder, all roads within the community are single lanes. Passing other vehicles, either on the right or left, is not permitted. Recently, Public Safety has received complaints or witnessed this type of driving behavior.

Also, remember the speed limits and stop signs within the community. Public Safety has a traffic officer working every day, including weekends.

Our goal is to make the community safe for all who live and work here.

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# CLUBS & EVENTS

## *Sylvia Arenas speaks to full house*

By Tony Berg

A full house welcomed Councilwoman Sylvia Arenas to The Villages on Wednesday, February 6. We were updated on her progress in striving toward improving life in District 8 for all members of the community.

We have seen, and all appreciate the resurfacing of Yerba Buena. Less obvious to us Villagers is the way Sylvia has worked with Eastridge Mall to offer a range of youth activities and after school activities with the full support of the mall tenants.

Helping the next generation is high on her priority list as well as quality of life issues for all of us and it was encouraging to see how she has been able to work in progressing these core values.

Sylvia also updated us the longer-term programs for improving public transport with Light Rail along Capitol Expressway and the extension of BART through to Diridon station.

Questions followed on a range of topics and had to be cut off to let Sylvia get away! An informative and entertaining evening for the capacity audience. This event was sponsored by the Democratic Club. Watch for information about our next speaker on March 6.



## *February group meditation for universal peace*

The Global Village Community group invites you to our weekly guided meditation. Our group includes new meditators and experienced ones. If you're new, you'll find the group is very supportive. We have four rotating meditation leaders, which provides an opportunity to experience different meditation techniques. We start with a brief talk about the benefits, do some relaxing stretches, and then we meditate for about 20 minutes.

We meet Wednesday evenings from 7 to 8 p.m. in the Cribari Conference Room. This month we will meet February 13, 20 and 27. No commitment is required and no fee for participating. All Villagers are welcome.

## *Learn to use Snapseed to edit photos*

Process photos to good, better, and great! Using the free Snapseed app and nearly-free TouchRetouch app, you can make your photos "pop," according to Sy Gelman of the Villages Camera Club (VCC). Join him on Monday, February 18, from 7 to 9 p.m. in Foothill Center as he guides you through the ins and out of these two apps.

Users of both iPhone cameras and DSLR cameras can benefit from Snapseed, the top mobile editing app. For many years during his travels, Sy Gelman has used Snapseed to process and review his photos. He transfers photos from his DSLR camera's memory card to his iPad to make major and minor adjustments on the road for "artlike" photos. To remove unwanted content, he uses TouchRetouch. After processing the photos, he uploads them to Facebook for family and friends to see immediately and know where he is.

Before Sy's interactive program on photoediting, members will be emailed sample photos to download on their iPads, laptops, or smartphones for use during the demo. Make sure to download the apps too. Prospective members can email Membership Chair Ray Blinde at [rwblinde@earthlink.net](mailto:rwblinde@earthlink.net) to receive the sample photos. Using the photos, you can follow along to learn the techniques of photoediting firsthand.

For the upcoming March photo competition for club members, you can use Snapseed and TouchRetouch to refine your photos. The deadline for submission is Sunday, February 24, at 2 p.m. March categories include Pictorial, Nature, and Creative. Greg Edwards judges the March 4 competition from 7 to 9 p.m. in Foothill Center. Winning club photos are entered in the N4C competitions.

Visit the hallway in Cribari to see winning photos of Villagers in VCC posted by Eric Pierson. The club website, maintained by Webmaster Peter Nicholls, contains information on activities, meetups, competitions, and benefits of membership. Visit [www.villagescameraclub.com](http://www.villagescameraclub.com). VCC meetings are held on the first and third Mondays of the month at Foothill Center. The Villages Camera Club (VCC) is a member of the Northern California Council of Camera Clubs (N4C) and The Photographic Society of America (PSA).

## *VMUG to meet this Wednesday*

By Billy Mills

The next meeting of the Villages Mac Users Group (VMUG) will be on Wednesday, February 20 in the Cribari Conference Room from 3 p.m. until 4:30 p.m. DeDe Rogers will be the presenter. Any questions, call Sterling Bundesen at 408-274-3457 or Karin Mills at 408-532-7456.

## *Readers Abroad members perform Christmas show*



Left to Right: Tom McLaughlin as Fairy Godmother, Don Roberts as Santa Claus, director Geri Zeri, Elsa McLaughlin as Santa's Elf, Shirley Roberts as Mrs. Claus, and Lois Mannix as our announcer at Lifeshare Care Home, Inc. performing "Santa Flunks Retirement!"

## *Learn how to pay for care options*

For most of us our goal is to stay independent and age in place in our homes. But the time may come when either you or your loved one may require more help, and you will need to look at other options. There are many care options available to us as we age, and it is important that we know the pros and cons of each option and what the cost will be. On Wednesday, February 20 from 10:30 a.m. to 12 p.m. in Cribari Conference Room the VMA will sponsor a workshop to discuss care options and their costs. The presenter is Roxana Dumitrescu from the CarePatrol of San Jose. This is a free senior housing placement service that helps families find independent living, assisted living, memory care and in-home options.

Ms. Dumitrescu knows how emotional, stressful and confusing the task of finding the safest most caring place for a loved one. CarePatrol assists seniors and their families as they make one of the most difficult decisions of their lives. This presentation is valuable for you as a senior and for your loved ones who can help you make care decisions in the future.

Come join us and bring family members. There is no cost for this workshop. If you have further questions contact Cristina Freyer at 408-238-4029 or e-mail her at [cfreyer@ncphs.org](mailto:cfreyer@ncphs.org). For more information about CarePatrol visit their website at [carepatrol.com](http://carepatrol.com).

## *VMA: Dealing with Dementia workshop*

Are you or a loved one dealing with dementia? If so, please come to a VMA sponsored workshop on Tuesday, February 26 from 11 a.m. to 12 p.m. in the Cribari Conference Room. The workshop titled "Celebrate Me" will be presented by Recruit RN. The presenter will discuss the three pillars of the "celebrate me" approach to dementia. These are: staying active your way, stimulating your mind, and organizing the process so it works for you. This workshop will be helpful to both people with dementia and those that are taking care of them. There is no pre-registration or cost.

*More CLUBS on pages 14 to 16*

**Save the Date!**  
**The Villages Concert Band**  
The Spring concert is Sunday, March 17 at 2:30 p.m.  
in Cribari Auditorium. Tickets are \$15 for open seating.

## FROM THE BOOKSHELF

By Sherle Frost

**“The Woman in the Woods” by John Connolly:** When the body of a woman who apparently died in childbirth is discovered in the beautiful Maine woods, private detective Charlie Parker is hired to track down both her identity and her missing child. But someone else is following the trail left by the woman with an interest in much more than a missing child. Mystery 2018.

**“Dark Tide Rising” by Anne Perry:** Jacob’s Island is a broken-down waterside slum, a place of perpetual gloom where William Monk is just as likely to lose a man to the mud and tides as to the criminals who hide in the shadows. Kidnappers have chosen this warren of tunnels and alleys as the site of a ransom exchange for Kate Exeter, the wife of wealthy real estate developer Harry Exeter. Harry asks the Thames River Police to secretly accompany him to the spot and ensure that no harm comes to him or his captive wife. But on arrival, Monk and five of his best men are attacked from all sides, and Monk is left wondering who could have given away their plans. It seems undeniable that one of his own men has betrayed him and he realizes how little he knows about the people he works with every day. As the case runs into a series of deadly obstructions, Monk must choose between his own safety and the chance to solve the mystery. Mystery 2018.

**“The Take” by Christopher Reich:** Prince Abdul Aziz ibn Saud’s motorcade is ambushed in Paris, and most of hell breaks loose. Tino Coluzzi, a member of the Corsican Mafia, has robbed the prince not only of 600,000 Euros, but also of a letter that can be used to oust the Russian president. Simon Riske, a freelance industrial spy with a shadowy background and unusual talents and skills, is hired to get it back. Though Riske is reluctant at first, he agrees when he learns that Coluzzi is the thief because he has a long-standing grievance against him. All Riske’s abilities are called upon as he tries to retrieve the letter and get a measure of revenge against Coluzzi. Mystery 2018.

**“Pieces of Her” by Karin Slaughter:** What if the person you thought you knew best turns out to be someone you never knew at all? Andrea believes her mother, Laura, has spent her whole life in the small beachside town of Belle Isle and she’s never wanted anything more than a quiet life as a pillar of the community; she knows she’s never kept a secret in her life. But all that changes when a trip to the mall explodes into violence and Andrea suddenly sees a completely different side to Laura. Because it turns out that before Laura was Laura, she was someone completely different. For nearly 30 years she’s been hiding from her previous identity but now nothing will ever be the same again. Laura’s innocence is on the line, but she won’t speak to anyone, including her own daughter. Andrea is on a desperate journey following the breadcrumb trail of her mother’s past. If she can’t uncover the secrets hidden there, there may be no future for either one of them. Mystery 2018.

**“In His Father’s Footsteps” by Danielle Steel:** As the Americans storm the Buchenwald concentration camp, among the survivors are Jakob and Emmanuelle, barely more than teenagers. Each of them has lost everything and everyone in the unspeakable horrors of the war. But when they meet, they find hope and comfort in each other. Jakob and Emmanuelle marry and resolve to make a new life in New York. They build a happy, prosperous life for themselves and their new family, but their pasts cast a long shadow over the present. Years later, as the ‘60s are in full swing, their son Max is an ambitious, savvy businessman, determined to throw off the sadness that has hung over his family since his birth. But as Max’s life unfolds, he must learn that there is meaning in his heritage that will help shape his future. Fiction 2018.

## Game Warden Lt. John Nores to speak at SIR #38 meeting on February 19

By Al Lumas



Lieutenant John Nores Jr. will be the speaker at the SIR 38 luncheon meeting on February 19 in the Fairway Room at the Clubhouse. He will speak about the tactics and related environmental crime enforcement procedures used to identify and prevent drug trafficking on public and private land. Non-SIR members wishing to attend the presentation should arrive at the Clubhouse at 12:30 p.m.

Lt. John Nores is a game warden for the California Department of Fish and Wildlife on a mission to protect and defend our nation’s wildlife resources by investigating environmental crime and wildlife resource destruction for the last 28 years. Specifically, his career is summarized in the title of his first book “War in the Woods: Combating the Marijuana Cartels on America’s Public Land.”

In 2013 John co-developed the Marijuana Enforcement Team (MET) and Delta Team, the CDFW’s first comprehensive wilderness spec ops tactical unit and sniper element, aimed at

combatting the marijuana cartel’s decimation of California’s wildlife resources.

The MET has been featured on Fox News, NBC Investigative Reports, CNN, and Dan Rather Reports, in three seasons of National Geographic channel’s award-winning game warden reality television series, “Wild Justice,” and highlighted in the Sportsman Channel’s award-winning Patriot Profiles: Life of Duty documentary TV series. Nores has written articles for Sure Fire’s Combat Tactics and American Patriots: Unsung Heroes magazines and articles for Nosler Bullets and KUIU Ultralight Hunting.

## Investment Club: *Best use of home equity*

The Investment Club will meet Thursday, February 21 at 9:45 a.m. at Foothill Center. The speaker is well-known Villager Russ Glines. Russ will discuss the several different ways to make use of your home equity in 2019 and beyond. Topics will include: Conventional Mortgage, Equity Loans, and Reverse Mortgages—the multiple roles—when and where. Other considerations such as FHA, VA, Refinancing will be addressed in a Q and A.

The purpose of the Club is to provide educational opportunities by sharing investment information, guidelines, and member experiences through meetings, discussions, videos, and newsletters; and to meet other residents interested in obtaining and sharing investment information. However, the Club does not provide investment advice/recommendations.

Guests are encouraged and welcome. Questions? Please contact Bob Williams at 408-225-7623 or Ken Brady at 408-238-5372.

## Senior Academy: ‘All About the Sun’ - free lecture

Senior Academy will present a **FREE** science lecture, “All About the Sun,” on Friday, February 22 at 2 p.m. at Foothill Center. The event is free, and open to all Villagers.

Our bright, warm Sun provides light and energy to sustain us and all life, not to mention the wonderful sunrises, sunsets, rainbows, and other such delights. This presentation by John Trudeau will cover topics ranging from the Sun gods of the ancient world to the nuclear reactions that today we know power the Sun. We will look at a variety of solar phenomena such as rainbows, sun dogs, glories, the “green flash,” and explore the nature of sunshine and why it’s both good and bad for us. We will examine the structure and dynamics of the Sun, including solar flares, coronal loops, sunspots and more, and we’ll look at how the solar wind affects our planet and creates beautiful aurorae near our poles. We will also see how the sun compares to other stars, how it was formed, how it will age, and where it (and we) fit in the structure of the Universe.

John Trudeau is an active Villager who has had a lifelong interest in Astronomy and Astrophysics. He has built a number of astronomical telescopes, lectured at public planetariums, visited some major observatories and chased down a few solar eclipses over the years. John holds advanced degrees in both Physics and Psychology.



## VMA: Afternoon activities—a free day of respite

If you are a resident caring for a loved one at the Villages, we invite you and your loved one to participate in this respite day, Wednesday, February 27 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Vineyard Center. During this time, you can bring your loved one to the Vineyard Center where With Grace Hospice will provide professional care for your loved one, engaging them in a variety of activities, while you get a much-deserved break.

There is no charge to participate and lunch and drinks will be provided to the loved one. Registration is required as space is limited.

For more information or to register, please contact VMA Service Coordinator Cristina Freyer at 408-238-4029 or cfreyer@ncphs.org

## More CLUBS

**Ukulele Club welcomes newcomers**

By Tom Zades

The Villages Ukulele Club recently announced a change whereby Villagers are welcome and encouraged to come and just enjoy the music, or sing along if so moved. We are beginning to see people take us up on the offer. We play and sing from 1:30 to 3 p.m. every Thursday afternoon in Vineyard Center.

The option of taking up the ukulele is of course also available. We have several loaner ukuleles now, and people are welcome to contact John Laws for help getting started. John is in the phone directory. His email is johnhlaws@gmail.com. We also have basic chord progressions to practice with in getting started. But to reiterate, Villagers are more than welcome to come and enjoy the music. The singing is led by Bill Rodman, a popular vocalist here in The Villages. He uses a microphone, so all can hear from any seat in the house.

For an overview of the 145 songs in our songbook, go to zadesworld.org. Click on Ukulele Club (Alpha) or Ukulele Club (Numeric.) From there you can open any song. Many Ukulele Club members and others are making the transition from 3-ring binders to iPads. But printed songbooks are available for \$10, if desired. There are no other dues or costs, except that we take turns signing up to bring snacks for break time. Break time is good not only for getting up and moving around, but for socializing and visiting. We are a congenial group. So, feel free to drop in. You are more than welcome.

**New 'Mindful Drawing' class**

Do you always wish to draw and think it's too late in your life to start? Would you like to enhance the power of your brain through drawing? Instructor Wendy Fitzgerald will guide you through "Mindful Drawing," a simple step-by-step practice that requires no drawing experience. "The whole process will calm and relax your mind like a form of meditation," she said. "For those of you who already have drawing experience, this class will help increase your creativity in art. At the end of class, you get to take home quite a few pieces of your own artwork along with restful and tranquil mind."

Wendy's "Mindful Drawing" class, open to all Villagers, will be held Wednesday, February 27, 10 a.m. to 12:30 pm, in the Cribari Center Art Room. The fee is \$30. Each person should bring a small, unlined drawing pad (about 5 inches by 7 inches) and colored gel pens or a micro felt tip pens, or both. Examples of "Mindful Drawing" are posted on our website [www.villagesartsandcrafts.org](http://www.villagesartsandcrafts.org). Register for this class by emailing [barb.gottesman@gmail.com](mailto:barb.gottesman@gmail.com)



Wendy Fitzgerald

**Griffin Bovee to speak to Republican Club**

The Republican Club at the Villages has a special guest speaker for its February 28th evening dinner meeting. We will learn about "Staying Ahead of the Curve" from Mr. Griffin Bovee, current President of the Stanford Hoover Society (SHS). The evening starts with the Social Hour at 5:30 p.m., a brief business meeting, dinner at 6:15 p.m. and then the presentation by Mr. Bovee.

The Stanford Hoover Society is Stanford's most prominent student organization for disseminating ideas that promote economic opportunity, personal freedom, and international security and peace. As President of SHS, Griffin works to provide Stanford students the chance to deepen their education by engaging with researchers and policymakers they might not otherwise hear from in classroom settings.

For the past four years, Griffin has worked to improve communication between campus liberals and conservatives and has regularly participated in conferences on effective political branding. Griffin is a senior studying political science and history.

Our dinner choices are: Lemon Pepper Tri-Tip (\$38.50); Stuffed Filet of Sole, rice pilaf (\$38.50); and, Vegetable Pasta Primavera (\$30.25). We'll start with Soup of the Day, and finish with Chocolate Fudge Cake. Please make your reservations by February 25 at noon with Donna Roberson, [donna@robersons.com](mailto:donna@robersons.com), 408-270-1221; or Jean Corrigan, [jeanmcorrigan@att.net](mailto:jeanmcorrigan@att.net), 408-223-8676.

**Can men Jazzercise too? Of course!**

By Barbara Tommaney

Can men Jazzercise? You bet they can! Exercise is a key component for staying healthy. Physical activity can help to lower blood glucose, build strong bones, reduce your chances of developing diabetes, and heart disease. Aerobic fitness can cut in half the likelihood of heart disease. Jazzercise is good for both sexes. Currently we have three active gentlemen participating in our class, but they would enjoy more male participation.

So what are you waiting for? Jazzercise offers convenience—classes are right here in Cribari Cente, and consistency—we meet three times a week, 52 weeks of the year, with only four observed holidays. The cost is reasonable—\$35 a month. Other options, such as six or eight classes per month are available at an even lower cost. Best of all, Jazzercise is tailored to your needs. We are led by a trained, experienced, professional Jazzercise instructor who is available to help you over any rough spots. Still not convinced? Come for a free first class and see for yourself. Questions? Call Herito at 408-238-7511.

**Save the Date!**  
**Montgomery Village**  
**St. Patrick's Day Party**

Sunday, March 17  
4:30 to 6:30 p.m. at Foothill Center  
More details to come in next week's Villager

**TRIVIA**

**Trivia Night FUNdraiser**

**Brandeis - Magnify the Mind Campaign**  
Silent Auction, Prizes  
Saturday, March 16 at Foothill Center  
Door open at 6 p.m., Trivia starts at 7 p.m.  
\$15 per person/Tables of 8 players

Bring your family, friends, neighbors for a team or join a table. We supply the snacks you supply the drinks.

Reservations: Remy Pessah at [remypessah@gmail.com](mailto:remypessah@gmail.com).

Questions? Contact: Sandy Brooks at 408-771-5277

Mail check payable to BNC or charge to your house number by March 12 to:

6010 Montgomery Corner, San Jose CA 95135

**Meet some VMA volunteers!**

It's the new year and maybe you are looking to volunteer. There is no better place than The Villages Medical Auxiliary, which provides so many services for all of us living in the Villages. Here is an opportunity to meet some people already involved. On Thursday, February 28 from 2 to 4 p.m., Liz Adams will hold a coffee event in her home to introduce you to the volunteer opportunities that are available with VMA. Come join Liz at her home at 6275 Blauer Lane. Bring a friend!

**Please return equipment to VMA**

If you have equipment that has been loaned to you and you are no longer using it please call the VMA office at 408-238-4230 to schedule a pickup at your house. Please do not bring equipment to the VMA office. The loaning of equipment is valuable service to residents in the Villages and the VMA wants to make sure that equipment is always available for those who need it.

**VMA: Did You Know?**

AmazonSmile is a website run by Amazon with all the features of Amazon.com. The difference is that when you shop on AmazonSmile, the AmazonSmile Foundation will donate 0.5 percent of the purchase price of eligible products to the charitable organization of your choice. The VMA hopes you will consider using Amazon Smile when you are ordering products online and requesting that the 0.5 percent be donated to the VMA. What a wonderful, easy way to help fellow Villagers!

**Properly dispose of medications**

The VMA collects medications, over the counter and prescription, that are no longer being used by residents. These medications can be taken to the VMA office for proper disposal. The office is located in Cribari Center next to the post office. Office hours are 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday.

These medications are no longer being taken to the Sheriff's Department but are given to the Flying Doctors organization whose mission is to help those in underdeveloped countries.

## Senior Academy: 'Impacting Climate Change' course

Senior Academy will present a two-session course on "Impacting Climate Change." The speaker is Rod Diridon. Mr. Diridon will inform us about changes that are being made now and in the future in the area of transportation and the second session will integrate the critical housing effort. This is a timely look at critically needed remedial efforts to help save the world through understanding the impact of transportation and housing in urban areas.

Mr. Diridon Sr. is known as the father of modern transit service in Silicon Valley. He has chaired numerous national and local programs related to this subject.

Pre-registration is required to attend. \$25 for members and \$30 for non-members. To register please call Diane Taylor at 408-912-5594 or ladydi@earthlink.net. It is being held at Vineyard Center on March 4 and 11 from 2 to 4 p.m.

To join Senior Academy, you can obtain a membership form from the S.A. bulletin board in Cribari by the Forum and leave in the S.A. mail slot by VMA. \$15 will be charged to your house.

## Take Beginning Ceramics Class—on Saturdays

We are offering a rare Saturday class to learn the basics of hand-building and slab work with clay. This four-week class for beginners will run Saturday March 9 to 30 from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. in the Ceramics Room at Cribari. All materials supplied; just register and we'll make clay projects for you to take home. The total cost is \$75 for Arts & Crafts members and \$80 for non-members. To Register, contact Judy Wessler at 408-646-3687 or judywessler@gmail.com

Class is limited, call/email today to reserve your place!



## Learn inner workings of U.S. Supreme Court

Learn the Inner Workings of the United States Supreme Court. In this unique new Senior Academy class on March 6 at 2 p.m. in the Foothill Center, you can be part of a group that will review the arguments and deliberation on three significant cases currently on the docket to be decided by the United States Supreme Court during their current term. Reading materials will be distributed in advance of the session so participants will have some background information about the cases. Conflicting opinions can be presented. The program will last about 90 minutes, depending on the length of the individual discussions.

Barbara Creed has been leading these Supreme Court discussions for about 10 years. A graduate with honors from Wellesley College and a magna cum laude graduate of Boston University Law School where she served on the Law Review, Ms. Creed has practiced law in San Francisco for almost 50 years, first with the major law firm Pillsbury Madison & Sutro, and since 1997 with the employee benefits boutique law firm Trucker Huss APC.

Advance registration for the class is required so that background materials on the cases can be distributed in advance to the participants. Contact Gene Gerwe at 408-223-7901 or use the Senior Academy "Reggie" system to sign up. Attendance is free to Senior Academy members, but non-members must pay a registration fee of \$10.

## February Artist of the Month is Mary Goodnough

By Ruth Keiser

The Arts and Crafts Association is honoring Mary Goodnough as Artist of the Month for February.

Mary received this honor for her clay sculpture titled "Land of the Free." This majestic eagle was created to honor her father who served in the U.S. Army. She plans to place the eagle next to his flag and medal in the memorial area in her home that she created for him.

To make the eagle, Mary formed the basic structure in clay. She left the detailed base feathers for last as she wanted to focus on the head, face and beak. She felt that the beak was the most significant as that would define him as an eagle. I asked Mary what this piece meant to her and she replied, "I love the United States and this eagle represents the greatness of my country."

If you get a chance to meet Mary, feel free to introduce yourself as she is a wonderful conversationalist and enjoys people. And...when else will you get a chance to meet someone who has lived in the Amazon Jungle, has a personal item in the Tech Museum in San Jose, and has lived with a peacock in her kitchen?!

Mary was born in Virginia, moving to California. She did technical writing and drafting for many years in Silicon Valley at IBM, Siemens and other companies. During her working years, Mary met Dr. Leakey, the famous anthropologist at a conference she attended. She said she "knew immediately" that she wanted to get involved in the field of anthropology. This led to a 1983 degree at UC Berkeley and extensive work in tile restoration. In pursuing this work, she traveled extensively all over the world, spending time in Turkey, Greece and Mexico. Mary noted that her favorite place was Brazil as she loves the Amazon area. Her time there enhanced her great love of animals. Mary's friends suggested a move to The Villages after she had lived in downtown San Jose for 20 years. She has lived here now for almost two years.

Mary began working with ceramics two months ago. She had painted before but wanted to obtain a 3D effect. Her love of animals inspired her to create "little palm pets." She said that the "little lions, monkeys, dogs, rabbits and other animals just evolved from her hands" as soon as she held the clay.

Mary would especially like to thank Laurie Truman for her inspiration and support along the way. She has been amazed at what she has been able to create after only two months!

If you would like to join in a clay adventure, please stop by the Ceramic Studio in the Cribari Center and be inspired too!

## First Crafters Club Boutique of 2019!

Save the Date—March 9—for the First Crafters Club Boutique of the year! The event will be held in Cribari Auditorium and the Conference room.

As we approach our second year as "The Crafters Club" we'd like to thank you all again for your outpouring of support in attending our sales as you did last year.

We really appreciate how you continued to stand behind us as we shaped ourselves into a new Club and embracing the alternative "shopping experience" under the circumstances in which we found ourselves in.

It was a journey we could not have made without your support; and *you* were our 2018 success. We look forward to serving you again this year at the **four** sales events below:

- Our Spring Boutique - March 9
- Our Summer Boutique - June 22
- Our Fall Boutique - September 14
- Our Holiday Boutique - November 23

**Please note:** all events will be in Cribari with a new time of 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Our crafters have been busy creating, sewing, knitting, quilting, cutting, wiring, gluing, embellishing, soldering, clasping, adorning, collaging, varnishing, texturing, painting, drawing, writing, planting and baking - just for you!

We look forward to seeing you soon; stay tuned for more info to come in the coming weeks.

*Payment will be by cash or check. Some vendors will take credit cards.*

## Senior Academy: 'Great Decisions 2019'

Enrollment is open for Senior Academy's Great Decisions 2019. The topics for this popular discussion course are determined by the Foreign Policy Association and focus on four issues facing our nation. This year we are exploring: 1. Refugees and Global Migration. 2. The Rise of Populism/Nationalism in Europe 3. Decoding US China Trade and 4. Cyber Conflicts and Geopolitics

We will meet Thursdays March 7, 14, 21 and 28 at Vineyard Center from 7 to 9 p.m. The \$35 fee for members or \$40 fee for non-members covers a briefing book and video presentation. Pre-registration is required and enrollment is limited. You may contact Jane Carnoy at 561-252-7934 or jane.carnoy@gmail.com to reserve your place. Jane Carnoy and Rita Karlston will be facilitating this stimulating and thoughtful course.

## After Hours Maintenance Emergencies

The Maintenance Services Department's general work hours are Monday through Friday, from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. If you experience a maintenance emergency outside of those hours or during a holiday, please call Public Safety at 408-223-4665. The Public Safety Department will then contact the Maintenance Area Supervisor and/or the appropriate contractor. Together, they will all help to resolve your maintenance emergency.



Mary Goodnough with her sculpture, "Land of the Free." Photo by Ed Knott





# RELIGION

## CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

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

**Lenten Spiritual Book Group:** Starting March 14, there will be a group discussion every Thursday during Lent, 10 to 11 a.m., in the Garden Rooms at St. Francis. The book for this discussion is "Seven Last Words," by James Martin, S.J., available at the St. Francis gift shop, or Amazon. For more information, please contact Lisa Nakamura, at 408-223-1770, ext. 316, or email Lnakamura@dsj.org.

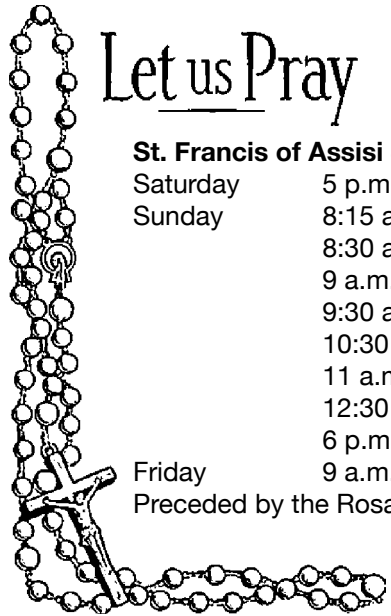
**Eucharistic Adoration** at St. Francis of Assisi is now every Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. On First Fridays it will be in the Chapel, and on all other Fridays it will be in Garden Room A.

**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 Ghioffi at 408-384-2701. Please submit your request at least four weeks in advance if you want it listed in the Church bulletin. You can now schedule a Mass up to a year in advance. See Jean Ghioffi for more information.

**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 Marilyn Rodman at 408-274-4521, and we would like you to know that if you are homebound, a priest is available to come to you for home Reconciliation. Please contact the parish office to make arrangements.



### Let us Pray

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

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

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

## 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. We are part of Trinity Cathedral (downtown San Jose) and all are welcome to join us in the glorious celebration of God's word. Each week you will receive an uplifting and spiritual message from either Rev. Gerard Flynn or Rev. Penelope Duckworth. Join us after the service for fellowship and breakfast in the Clubhouse.

*Lord, strengthen me with your blessing, teach me to live with eternity in view and tune my spirit to the music of heaven.*

## JEWISH GROUP

Friday night Shabbat Services will be held at 7:30 p.m. on February 15 at Foothill Center. Rabbi Laurie Matzkin will be conducting services. Vlad Khaykin from the ADL will be giving us an update on their worldwide information. We are sure it will be an enjoyable evening.

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

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

## COMMUNITY CHAPEL

### By Pastor Bill Hayden

By the time you read this article, Valentine's Day will have come and gone. It is one of the days that you get to stop and appreciate that important person or persons in your life. Everybody appreciates being acknowledged and there is no better time to let people know that you care about them than Valentine's Day.

I recall when I was in the third grade that I found a Valentine's Day Card and I gave it to my teacher because many of the kids had given the teachers cards. I gave it to her not realizing that someone had signed their name on the back. The teacher accepted the card and informed me that someone else had signed the card. I felt like a worm with no place to hide. Giving cards were a luxury that I couldn't afford at that time in my life.

I can't remember a time that my aunt and uncle celebrated Valentine's Day, but if they did, my cousin and I were never included. Valentine's Day did not have any special meaning or importance to me. So showing any special person or people in my life that I appreciated them was not a priority.

Today, I don't want to wait for special days in the year to let people know how much they are appreciated by me. Sometimes we may use those special days to show appreciation out of guilt and not out of sincerity. Just imagine showing someone appreciation without there being a special day. In return, people would know that you are doing it not out of guilt or obligation but heartfelt gratitude.

Let's affirm and appreciate each other without someone having to sound the trumpet, "It's time to show your

appreciation!" Just think of the impact we would have on each other. On the other hand, I suppose for some of us that trumpet would be necessary to at least stop and think about.

Let me be the first to say, I appreciated your efforts on making this a better world. I also appreciate you reading my articles and I hope they bless you and inspire you to appreciate each other even more. "So, let's not get tired of doing what is good. At just the right time we will reap a harvest

*of blessing if we don't give up."*  
*Galatians 6:9 NLT*

Please join us 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 open 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Wednesday. Find us at [villagescommunitychapel.org/](http://villagescommunitychapel.org/)

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# SPORTS NEWS

## TABLE TENNIS

### *Table Tennis Club holds annual dinner*



The Table Tennis Club annual dinner proved as popular as ever.



Table Tennis Club President Alan Waltho welcomes members to the annual dinner.

#### By Tony Berg

Friday, February 1 was the occasion for the Table Tennis Club to get together in a more relaxed atmosphere and enjoy an evening of eating and drinking with friends and other Club members.

It was enjoyed by all of us and we would like to thank Alan for organizing the evening. Whilst it was good to relax together it was also good to hear that the activity by Club members has grown significantly in the last 12 months.

Alan was pleased to see the usage of the facilities has grown and in particular was encouraged to see the enthusiasm of the less skilled players becoming regulars to the Montgomery Multipurpose room. The only gripe heard centered on the limited space, restricting play to only two tables and making it hard for the top team players to get in enough practice to be competitive with our "arch rivals" at Rossmoor.

Reminder: Articles are due by 4:30 p.m.  
Thursday, one week before publication

## 18-HOLE WOMEN

#### By Rosemary Kelly

It was a familiar sight with a damp red flag flying in the breeze. Additionally, however, a frost delay until at least 10 o'clock was posted, which resulted in no golf for the ladies' 18 holers.

For your information, the board voted that play would be canceled if a frost delay was over an hour long...no golf, no lunch, no meeting, no chip ins, no birdies, no sweeps, no fun. What a bummer! On the other hand, if a frost delay is less than an hour the ladies would have a regular playday although there would be no lunch or cards. Better weather will be coming soon, I am sure.

Meanwhile we have several things to look forward to such as Friendship Day on February 21. The Partnership Eclectic will kick off March 7. Get a partner and give \$5 dollars each to the Partner Ec chairs Janis LeCompte or Lyn Strong.

Do you really want to be "in the know"? Then check out our website created by Captain Vivian Brown who also serves as our webmaster. You will find the web page (Villageswomensgolf.com) listed on the inside cover of our 2019 handbook in case you haven't memorized it. If you click on the home page dropbox, you will find an excellent summary chart of the major changes in the rules of golf for 2019. Besides the rules summary, of interest are several documents about club procedures called SOPs (Standard Operating Procedures). Good reading on a rainy day.

## SHONIS

#### By Tom Zades

Inclement weather on Tuesday, February 5 created another opportunity for breakfast and socializing for the 10 or so Shonis who showed up. Four undaunted ladies were not to be denied, however. Captain Bonnie Evans, along with Sue Nichols, Julianna Wahlgren and Teddy Morse teed off after breakfast and reported that "it was a sunny day and we had a good time. Amazingly, we were the only players on either course Tuesday morning." Sweeps require at least eight players, so no scores were submitted. If there was an award for determination and commitment, however, these four ladies would certainly be in contention.

Did you know? The USGA adopted a new rule this year in hopes of speeding up play. The rule is that the flag stick can be left in when putting. Some golfers are unsure about leaving the flag stick in, thinking that it impacts whether the ball will go in the hole. However, the best-selling author of "Putting Bible" and "Short Game Bible," Dave Pelz, states that leaving the flag in is actually an advantage.

Teddy Morse said recently that the previous two times she had played with the Shonis, they not only left the flag stick in but (after checking with Assistant Pro Hannah Summerhays to make sure it is legal) they would leave all the balls in the hole and the last golfer putting would remove them. Teddy says that this not only speeds up play, but results in less wear and tear on the hole and the area immediately around the hole.

**Chip shot:** Ever notice that the slow groups are always in front of you, and the fast groups are always behind you?

## SWINGERS

#### By Pam McCarthy

Burrrrrrrrr! On Tuesday morning glorious crowns of snow covered the hills that surround our little corner of the world! The sunlight dancing over the crest of the hills made our golf course even more captivating. Our scheduled golf day was unusually quiet, very damp and quite frigid. Maybe if we had had a team of huskies and the fur coats of Eskimos we may have been able to put together a foursome. But alas, Mother Nature gave us a Tuesday morning void of golf. We do have important things to talk about despite the inclement weather.

Next Tuesday, February 19, immediately after golf—at 11:30 a.m.—Scott Steele will be giving a USGA Rules of Golf presentation at **Foothill Center**. Questions? Please call Betty Garcia, Swingers Rules Chair at 408-274-5054.

A new medium for communicating with individual clubs at The Villages is being launched. Ken Patterson will be in charge of the exclusive "Fast Lane" email edition, which will be sent out every Tuesday. This is a wonderful format to support the active lives we lead here at The Villages. The information in the "Fast Lane" will be timely updates on information from the Pro Shop, golf events, golf groups, VGC and a weather report for that week. There may also be updates concerning the golf course condition from Mark Wilson our new GMS Director of Maintenance.

February 19 - Golf: "New Rules" session at Foothill Center immediately after golf

February 26 - M & M Tournament

March 1 - VGC Meeting 9 a.m. Montgomery Center

March 12 - General Meeting & Luncheon at the Clubhouse

April 16 - Guest Day



2019 New Member Valerie Southard

Photo by Doreen Senior

# MEN'S GOLF CLUB



By Kyle Finley (kylefinley@outlook.com), website www.villagesgolfers.com

**Rescheduled—President's Day Tournament:** Rain, rain, go away... The first tournament of the 2019 season has been rescheduled for Saturday, February 23. Please let the Pro Shop know of any changes to your team. This is a fun Cha-Cha-Cha format (1 Net Best Ball, 2 Net Best Balls, 3 Net Best Balls) on selected holes. It's not too late - if you don't have a team, contact the Pro Shop now and they will try to place you on a team.

**Also Rescheduled—Super Bowl Putting Contest:** The Men's Club and VMA have joined together to bring back the 5th Annual Super Bowl Putting contest, rescheduled for Sunday, February 24 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Great prizes, a silent auction and lots of fun for golfers and non-golfers alike. Your \$10 entry fee helps to benefit the Villages Medical Auxiliary.

**Eagles for December:** There was only one Eagle reported for January! Congratulations, Chon Gallegos for his eagle on Hole # 7 on January 12. Nice shot, Chon!

**Six New Members in January!** Welcome James Handyside, Clayton Krinard, Jerry Juracich, George Cornwell, Charlie Tran, and Herb Thompson! Please look for these gentlemen out on the golf course, introduce yourself, and welcome them to the Men's Golf Club.

### Upcoming Events

The complete **2019 Tournament Schedule** and **2019 Home & Home Schedule** are available on the Men's Club website, www.villagesgolfers.com. Look for additional details here, and in the Posting Room of the Pro Shop.

**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, February 5. The meetings are open to all members. Also, remember to visit our website at www.villagesgolfers.com for the latest Men's Golf Club information.

# BOCCE NEWS



By Barbara Orlando

Meet **Jeanne-Anne Whitacre**, our club's Membership Director. If you belong to the Bocce Club you know Jeanne-Anne. She takes her job and bocce seriously and works hard keeping our membership records in order. She's our club's ambassador for new members and is always at the bocce courts. She loves her job and just volunteered for two more years.

Jeanne-Anne is also Tournament Chair for the Spring Mixer, another big job. She's making sure everyone gets the day they want to play and that all the teams are comprised of a mix of new and experienced players. She's a very busy lady. You'll also see her at each Boot Camp and at the Beginners Tournament. She is also on the Logo Committee and possibly a Traveling Bocce Team representing the Villages. Go over to the courts and meet her, you'll almost find her there anytime.

In her spare time, Jeanne-Anne enjoys her family, an active social life, which includes of course bocce, cards and the Village Foodies.

For information on becoming a member of the Bocce Club, contact her at jawhitacre@live.com or 650-493-3638. As of today, you can download a membership application from the club's website.

**Boot Camp:** On the first day of Boot Camp the weather wasn't cooperating, and the weather wasn't much better the following Monday. We will be there the remaining days in February if it doesn't rain. Come out, meet new people and learn how to play, join us any Monday or Saturday from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. through the month of February. You don't have to be a member to participate. Experienced instructors are waiting to help. Questions can be directed to Tony Orlando at 408-799-9668 or email tonyorlando49@yahoo.com.

While attending Boot Camp, ask us about and then sign up for the **Beginners Tournament** on March 2. Participating in this special tournament for beginners only will give you the experience of working and playing on a team. Barbara Orlando is the Tournament Coordinator, and promises that she will take care of everything for you on that day, even lunch. So, don't miss out, make sure you come to Boot Camp at least one or more days, learn how to play and sign up for the Beginners Tournament.

**Referee Training** led by Michael Sunzeri our club's referee instructor will have a workshop for those members interested in learning how to referee. On Wednesday, February 27, from 11 a.m. to noon at the bocce courts, Michael will give demonstrations and information on how to referee bocce games and tournaments. Questions contact Michael at twosunzeris@comcast.net.

**Note:** Starting on Friday, March 8 from 3 to 5 p.m. the Bash will be back through the month of October. Bash Chair, Gerri McCoid and her committee have some exciting things planned for Bash this year.

Also, Clinic led by Ken & Jean Brady will be back starting on Wednesday, March 6 from 3 to 4 p.m. and then every following month on the third Wednesday through the month of October. Learn how to hone your skills and strategize the game of bocce.

Go to our website www.villagesbocceclub.com for more information about the Bocce Club.



**Membership Director  
Jeanne-Anne Whitacre.**

# IRONMEN

By Bill Travis

Thursday started out cool but turned into a wonderful day to play. The results were as follows:

First place went to Dave Hathaway with a net score of 26.

Second place went to Mike Kane with a net score of 28.

Third place was Bill Travis with a net score of 29.

**There was one birdie:** Charlie Wilson on hole 5.

**Closest to the Pin on hole 2:** Mario Silva.

**Our deep thought and/or humor and/or history lesson for today:**

"If I hit it right, it's a slice. If I hit it left, it's a hook. If I hit it straight, it's a miracle." - Author Unknown

"I'm not saying my golf game went bad, but if I grew tomatoes, they'd come up sliced." Lee Trevino

"The object of golf is to beat someone. Make sure that someone is not yourself." - Bobby Jones

# Join the Tennis Club!



**Jump Start - Get into the game**

**Tournaments - Lots of Fun!**

**Social - Meet other Tennis Players**

**Ball Machine - Sharpen your skills**

**Contact - Penny Barcellos at**

**pbarcel99@att.net**

# TENNIS TALK



By Cheryl Diltz

To begin my Tennis Talk article this week I am posting the picture above. **Do you recognize this person?**

She is an exceptional tennis player and has been a very active member in the Tennis Club for about five years. If you look closely I am sure you will have no problem recognizing her. The answer will be at the end of this article. (no cheating!)

**And here is your one-liner for the week:**

Q. How many tennis players does it take to screw in a light bulb?

A. What do you mean the bulb was out?? It wasn't out it. It was in!

**And your corny saying for the week:**

If you wanted a soft serve you should have gone for ice cream. Don't forget the Prescott/VMA tournament is coming up March 16. Contact chairs Akiko Giordono and Ken Kline for information.

Reminder: this VMA tournament is for charity and you don't need to play to donate.

The Tennis Club is always looking for new members so if you are interested in joining this fun club please contact Penny Barcellos at pbarcel99@att.net

*Answer to Guess Who is Phyllis Seeger.*

### The Villages Bocce Club "Boot Camp"

Invites you to attend this year's "Boot Camp" every Saturday and Monday from 11 a.m to 12:30 p.m. through the month of February at the bocce courts at Gazebo Park.

You don't need to be a member of the club to participate and learn how to play. Just come by at the designated times, sign up and learn how to play. Experienced instructors will help you and answer questions. Boot Camp is for new players to the sport of bocce. For questions about Boot Camp call Tournament Coordinator Tony Orlando at 408-799-9668 or email [tonyorlando49@yahoo.com](mailto:tonyorlando49@yahoo.com) Visit our club's website at [www.villagesbocceclub.com](http://www.villagesbocceclub.com).



### New Winter Golf Course Walking Schedule

The golf course Walking Schedule is as follows:

- Mondays:** Before noon and after 5 p.m.
- Tuesdays:** Before 8:45 a.m. and after 5 p.m.
- Thursdays:** Before 8:30 a.m. and after 5 p.m.
- Wednesdays, Fridays, weekends & holidays:** Before daybreak (6:30 to 7 a.m.) and after 5 p.m.

Please be safe. And always remember that golfers have priority at all times on the golf course. Thank you for your cooperation!

Note: Above times may be adjusted during tournament play.

# SCOREBOARD

## BRIDGE

**Monday, February 4:** 1. Marie Chong/Sumi Minami 2. Margaret McNelly/Sylvia Rozewicz 3. Marilyn Ribardo/Maureen Waltho 4. Joseph Henry/Dorothy Staehs

**Wednesday, February 6:** 1. Jonna Robinson/Lorrie Scott 2. Maureen Waltho/Alan Waltho 3. Jan Kiernan/Marie Chong

**Thursday, February 7:** 1. Jan Kiernan/Sumiye Minami 2. Jonna Robinson/Ed Logg 3. Bonnie Taylor/Dorothy Staehs.

## MEXICAN TRAIN DOMINOES

Wednesday, February 6		Friday, February 8	
Audrey Osuna	170	Shirley Bellavance	194
Joanne Bennett	291	Linda McMullen	228
Vicky Linscott	319	Carol Souza	268
Sylvia Rozewicz	359	Vicky Linscott	342

## FROM THE PRO



By Scott Steele, PGA Head Golf Professional

We are excited to announce that we have launched our new **Golf Fast Lane**. This will be sent to Villagers weekly; every Tuesday at noon, and will contain all golf related news and updates for all to enjoy.

### Upcoming Events

**Men's Club 2019 Eclectic Tournament.** Runs February 1 through April 30...\$12 per entry. #3 or #4 Tees Divisions Sign up in the Pro Shop any time before April 30!

**President's Day Holiday Schedule.** Monday, February 18. 7 a.m. Open Tee Times  
**Swinging for Memories Classic** benefitting the Alzheimer's Association. Sign up now! Our Second Annual Swinging for Memories Classic benefitting the Alzheimer's Association of America. Sunday, April 28. Entry forms available in the Pro Shop. Let's join together and fight this terrible disease!

### What's New in the Pro Shop

**Villages Hoodies** for men and women just arrived! Get 'em while supplies last. **F.U.L.E. Energy Snacks** for golfers fit perfectly in your cup holder and provide hours of healthy low-fat energy for golf. Try them, we guarantee you'll like them, four mixes to choose from! **New Balance golf shoes** for men—the most comfortable water proof shoes on the market at a great price! **Men's Adidas** winter golf outerwear at fabulous discount prices. Guaranteed to keep you warm and still retain freedom of motion. **Callaway** winter beanies for women and men plus universal logo caps. Stylish and practical! **Cleveland/Srixon** Golf Bags only \$139.99. Some great accessories on this bag!

**Callaway February Staff Bag Drawing**—Purchase one dozen Callaway Chrome Soft balls in February and receive one entry for this opportunity drawing. One drawing ticket per dozen balls—you may purchase as many dozens as you like. Grand prize is a Callaway staff cart bag valued at over \$300! Drawing on March 1.

**February Re-Grip Special**—\$2 OFF Per Grip...Added 15 percent off for eight or more grips. Includes installation and 24-hour turnaround.

Check your grips for bare spots, tears at the base or a slick surface...those are all indications that you need to re-grip your clubs. Or maybe you've been thinking about trying something new?

Take advantage of this great opportunity! Golf Pride, Winn, Lamkin and Superstroke with many styles to choose from!!

**Local Rules Addendum**—The Villages has adopted the new USGA Local Rule for balls Lost or Out of Bounds. This will add another option besides the standard Stroke & Distance penalty.

We will now be able to take our ball directly across from where it was lost or crossed the OB line to the edge of the fairway and drop within two club-lengths, no nearer the hole for a two-stroke penalty. See the website for a full explanation of the new Local Rule. The new Local Rule for OB and Lost Balls will be available at the Pro Shop in print.

### Tips from the Pro—Scott Steele

*Set yourself up to succeed...Set Up Tricks to turn the Slice into a Draw*

If you hit a nasty slice, your set-up could be the reason. Try these set up principles to straighten your ball flight:

1. Bump your hips to the left at address
2. Make sure your right arm is lower than your left arm at address with a bit of right elbow flex
3. Hold the handle higher and forward a bit at address

Also, strive to finish with the handle high on the through swing.

Try these tips and then swing your normal swing and watch that slice go away.

Let us know if these tips help. See you at the course!

## Take the AARP Driver Safety Program

- Learn how to avoid driving hazards
- Minimal course fee
- No tests!




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[www.aarp.org/drive](http://www.aarp.org/drive)

**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 Entrées Section or Weekly Specials. Does Not Include Prime Rib. Good Only in Clubhouse Restaurant.

**These three numbers could save your brain.**



**Stroke is a medical emergency. Call 911!**

Stroke kills the brain cells that make you who you are. The symptoms are subtle and often painless:


- Weak, numb or paralyzed on one side
- Blurry vision or loss of vision
- Unable to speak or understand clearly
- Dizzy or loss of balance
- Sudden severe headache

*All are welcome!*

**LIBRARY USED BOOK SALE**

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

The Evergreen Villages Foundation




**Gala Casino Night**  
Monday, March 11th 5:30-10:00pm  
in the Villages Clubhouse

**Buffet Dinner – Gaming – Dancing – Prizes**  
*Head/Tails, Split the Pot, Wine Pull, Treasure Chest*  
\$95/person (includes \$30 EVF donation)  
Cocktail attire suggested

**Register at [www.evfsj.org](http://www.evfsj.org)**

Registration questions? Contact Diana Hallock at [dianahallock@yahoo.com](mailto:dianahallock@yahoo.com) or call 408-440-1301



**Wine Maker Dinner at the Clubhouse**  
March 13<sup>th</sup> Wednesday  
5pm to 6pm Reception Dinner 6pm to 8pm

*Join Steve and Bryan Cass From Cass Vineyard and Winery as they showcase their wines from their Estate Vineyards from Paso Robles with Chef Ralph Topete's Reception and Dinner Pairings.*

**Reception**  
Passed Canapes and Domestic and Imported Cheese  
Paired with 2018 Mr. Blanc White Rhone Varietals

**Starter**  
Cherry Tomatoes, Persian Cucumbers, Feta Crumbles and Spring Mix with Creamy Poppy Seed Dressing  
Paired with Viognier 2017

**Entree**  
Pistachio and Chive Crusted Spring Lamb Chops  
Minted Cous Cous  
Roasted Asparagus Tips and Baby Turnips  
Paired with GSM Red Rhone Blend 2015

**Dessert**  
Chocolate Temptation Cake  
Cocoa and Hazelnut Topped with Chocolate Glaze  
Paired with Cabernet Sauvignon 2016

*\$47 per person plus 18% Service Charge and Tax*  
Call Events Hotline For Reservation 408 754 1337  
Or Email [ClubhouseManagers@The-Villages.com](mailto:ClubhouseManagers@The-Villages.com)

**Buffet Dinner**  
Two(2) cocktails or wine  
Passed Appetizers  
Winter Salad Bar  
Corned Beef & Cabbage  
Chicken Marsala with Rice  
Dessert Display



**DJ for Dancing**  
*You choose your dinner time and...avoid the line!*



**Casino Games**  
Chips provided to all guests to legally play just for fun!  
**Blackjack, Poker, Roulette Wheel & Craps Table**

**Party Games**  
**Wine Pull**  
Buy wine to drink or take home  
**Split the Pot**  
Buy a \$5 card for a chance to win 1/2 the money!  
**Heads & Tails**  
Buy a \$5 necklace for a chance to win \$50 cash!  
**Treasure Chest**  
Buy a \$5 key for a chance to win gift cards!

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*A fun spot to relax and watch the activities!*

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# LANDSCAPE & MAINTENANCE

## MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE

### Cribari

5364-5399 and 5447-5488—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

5001-5058 and 5433-5446—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/18-2/22.

Cribari Bluffs—Drip irrigation retrofit in planning.

Olive tree clean up, in progress.

Cribari Circle and Vale—Irrigation repairs in progress.

North Perimeter Fence—Oleander hedge trimming in progress.

Cribari Heights—Landscape installation in planning, weather permitting.

Cribari Dell—Utility flat roof replacement in progress, weather permitting.

Cribari Court—Utility flat roof replacement in planning, weather permitting.

5297-5298—Fence re-enforcement in progress.

Gutter cleaning scheduled for 1/31-2/16.

### Del Lago

3327-3348—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

3349-3366 and 3414-3419—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/18-2/22.

E1 Irrigation controller cabinet replacement in progress.

3312, 3314 and 3316—Wood repairs in progress, weather permitting.

### Estates

8885-8897—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

8809-8821—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/18-2/22.

### Fairways

4001, 4003 and 4005—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

4013 and 4015—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/18-2/22.

### Glen Arden

7815-7837—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

7839-7867—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/18-2/22.

7714—Interior repairs in progress.

### Heights

8468-8475—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

8476-8481—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/18-2/22.

8475—Utility door repairs in progress.

8483—Trash enclosure repairs in progress.

8488—Mailbox stand replacement in progress.

Common area short post lamp replacement in planning.

### Hermosa

8350-8387—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

8406-8437—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/18-2/22.

Dead tree removal in progress.

Pinot Noir Ct; 8011-8020—Roof replacement in planning, weather permitting.

8080—Mailbox repair scheduled for next week.

8121—Wood repairs scheduled for next week.

### Highland

Falkirk Dr.—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

7661-7679, 7692-7696, 7699 and 7701—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/18-2/22.

Creek bed by 7623—Dead tree removal in progress.

Rodent exclusion in progress, weather permitting.

### Montgomery

6184-6234—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

6204-6213 and 6246-6281—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/18-2/22.

Whaley landscape renovation, in planning.

Behind Whaley Drive—Tree removal in planning.

6175, 6229, 6326 and 6331—Dry rot repairs, in planning.

6260—Dry rot repairs in progress.

### Olivas

8640-8654 and 8668-8679—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

8665-8667, 8680-8690 and 8701-8712—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/18-2/22.

Lower Lomas Azules pond re-plaster, in planning.

Dead/missing plant replacements in planning.

8766—Roof repairs in progress.

## What do I do with this?

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

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



### Glass products—Recycle container

Brown, clear or green glass bottles and jars, blue glass, glass food and beverage containers (i.e. soda, beer, wine, mayonnaise, pickles, etc.) All items must be empty and rinsed.

### Glass products—Garbage container

Plate glass, ceramics, drinking glasses, dishes, windows, mirrors, any glass connected to non-recyclable items or any recyclable items connected to non-recyclable glass.

## Gutter Cleaning Schedule

The following schedule provides the approximate start and completion dates for rain gutter cleaning at the various Villages districts. Dates may be subject to changes because of weather conditions.

Village	Start Date	Completion Date
Cribari	January 31	February 16
Verano	February 18	March 2
Highland	March 4	March 16
Glen Arden	March 18	March 23
Heights	March 25	March 30
Club Buildings	March 28	March 30

### Sonata

2077-2081 and 2088-2094—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

2060-2064 and 2082-2087—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/18-2/22.

2035—Interior repairs in progress.

### Valle Vista

9046-9052 and 9067-9069—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

9037-9045 and 9070-9072—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/18-2/22.

Fire fuel brush clearing in progress.

9019—Mailbox replacement scheduled for next week.

### Verano

7001-7021—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

7227-7251—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/18-2/22.

Resident owned light fixture replacements in progress, weather permitting.

7039—Dry rot repairs in progress.

7220—Trenching for electrical lines in progress.

Gutter cleaning scheduled for 2/18-3/2.

### Association

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

Turf Aeration in progress, weather permitting.

Mowing and edging every two weeks, weather permitting.

Spraying for weeds throughout the Villages in progress.

Debris removal due to high winds in progress throughout the Villages.

Turf crab grass pre-emergent weed control in progress.

Checking irrigation systems for water flow, in progress.

### Club Centers

Turf Aeration in progress.

Foothill, Cribari and Montgomery pools—Closed for the winter, opening 4/1.

R.V. Lot Hillside—Planting project in planning.

Turf crab grass pre-emergent weed control in progress.

## Maintenance Emergencies and/or Advice

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

If a maintenance emergency occurs outside of the general work hours or during a holiday, please call Public Safety at 408-223-4665. The Public Safety Department will contact the Maintenance Area Supervisor and/or the appropriate contractor. Together, they will all help to resolve your maintenance emergency.

# BRIDGE HAND

By J.M.K.

## NORTH

♠ 10 6 2  
♥ 10 7  
♦ A 9 8 5 3  
♣ K J 4

## WEST

♠ 9 8 3  
♥ J 6 4  
♦ Q J 4  
♣ Q 8 6 3

## SOUTH

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

## EAST

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

Dealer: South  
Vulnerability: All

Bidding: South	West	North	East
1 Spade	Pass	2 Spades	All Pass

Contract: 2 Spades by South  
Opening Lead: 4 of Hearts

Dealer has two or more Heart losers, and 1 or more Club losers.

Strategy: Before taking out all the trumps, trump a Heart loser in dummy and try to get 1 fewer Club or Diamond loser.

West leads the 4 of Hearts, East, the Queen, continues with the King, then shifts to a Diamond, and South covers with the King. He plays a Heart, trumps it on the board, leads the 6 of Spades, wins with the King, plays his last Heart, and trumps it on the board. He next leads the Ace of Diamonds, then a low Diamond, trumps it in his hand, and now plays the King and Queen of Spades to take out the rest of the trumps. He next leads the 10 of Clubs, plays low from the board, and East takes the trick with the Ace. He leads a Diamond, South trumps, plays his last card, a Club and covers with the King on the board. Great! The contract is made with 2 overtricks, but this is a hard game to bid.

# WHERE IN THE WORLD IS THE VILLAGER?

**Here's how it works:** Take along a copy of *The Villager* on your next vacation—it's not heavy—and have your picture taken holding up the paper with a well-known landmark or celebrity. Just tell them it's for the folks back home. (And be sure to get your camera back!) Then after you unpack and process your pictures from your vacation, e-mail your *Villager* picture (in Jpeg format) and perhaps a couple of "zingers" from your vacation and e-mail the files to [shinrichs@the-villages.com](mailto:shinrichs@the-villages.com). We'll publish your smiling face with your favorite local paper for all to see.



John Murphy of Olivas Village recently toured the Amazon Rain Forest in Peru, the Inca city of Machu Picchu, Peru, and the Galápagos Islands, Ecuador. His Machu Picchu pictures appeared in a recent edition—here are the rest.

Iguanas basking in the sun. Galápagos Islands, Ecuador



Giant tortoise in the Galápagos Islands, Ecuador



Monkey in the Amazon rain forest, Peru

## Along the Way—a trip down Memory Lane

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



I lived alone for a few weeks prior to our 1966 wedding, working the "graveyard" shift at the time. I usually got to bed around 8 a.m. One morning I had just fallen asleep when the phone rang. There was no voice mail in those days, of course, and you couldn't set the ringer to a silence mode. The phone would just keep ringing until the party placing the call hung up. So, with no one else around, I picked up the phone out of a sound sleep and heard that it was the local blood bank calling. I was known to be sort of "out of it" when I first woke up. I would think I was awake enough and would try to speak clearly: "Hello?" and I would hear, "Oh, I'm sorry; did I wake you up?" I would wonder how in the world they knew they had just woken me up.

The blood bank had an emergency situation, as my foggy brain heard it, and were desperate for blood donations. Well, I threw on some clothes and hurried over to the location they gave me, wanting to be a good citizen and help out. While donating, I asked about the "emergency" and drew a puzzled look. There was no emergency, I was told. They were always in need of donors and had a group of volunteers making phone calls on an ongoing basis. Oh. OK. I can go home and go back to sleep. What a different world we live in today. I have no land line now. I put my cell phone on "Do not disturb" mode when I sleep. My phone has an intelligible greeting, and people are free to leave messages. I recognize telemarketing calls now. And someone else works the graveyard shift.

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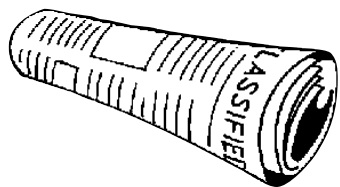
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## Villages Business Directory

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## REAL ESTATE

California Law limits the minimum age and maximum number of occupants in a unit. Details available at the Public Safety Administration Office. Licensed Real Estate professionals advertising in The Villager are required to name themselves as agent or broker, or list the name of the brokerage for whom they work as part of their ad. This is in compliance with Real Estate Law Section 10140.6.

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## REAL ESTATE

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Bright, Modern & Charming Upper-Level Unit!  
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**The Villages Lost & Found**

Located in the Community  
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Items are held for 30 days.  
 Items remaining  
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Please call 408-754-1336  
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 lost an item.

# OBITUARY

## Francis "Bud" Michael Penecale September 4, 1929 – February 2, 2019



Francis Michael Penecale, commonly known as "Bud" passed away on February 2, 2019 at 89 years old. As Winston Churchill once stated "We make a living by what we Get; We make a life by what we Give." Bud led his life to the absolute fullest: Always giving with a smile; always living each day with an enthusiasm and love of life; always with his deep and loyal devotion to Country, Family and Friends, but most of all—he absolutely loved golf. Golf simply made his heart happy. So the next time you play or watch golf, Be Happy and Smile, as Bud lives within your heart.

A Celebration of Bud's life will be held at the Villages Golf and Country Club, Sunset Room in San Jose, Calif. on Friday, March 15 at 1 p.m.

## Planning an Estate or Garage Sale?

**Residents, or those working on the behalf of residents, are advised to call the Public Safety Administration office at 239-5246 before planning or opening a sale at the Villages. All sales on Villages property are subject to Association Rule 2.02 Residence Use and Occupancy Restrictions.**

- Homeowner Rule 3.2.10, Estate and Garage Sales states:  
3.2.10 Estate and garage sales are permitted subject to the following:  
A. A permit for the sale shall be obtained from the Public Safety Office prior to holding the sale and placement of advertising.  
Also, effective July 1, 2012, all estate and garage sales in the Association will require a permit. The owner of the property must request the permit from Public Safety Administration in Building C. The Villages Association Rule 2.02. 5., Residence Use and Occupancy Restrictions applies:  
5. Estate and garage sales are permitted subject to the following:  
A. Public Safety will not allow entry to anyone who is not authorized by name in advance (Club Rule 1.01, Access to the Villages).  
B. All sales activity and sale items must be contained within the residence or garage.  
C. Sales may be held only between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.  
D. Sales period may not exceed two days.  
E. Only one sale per resident household per year will be permitted. In the event of the death of a resident of the unit, a subsequent estate sale will be permitted. A permit is required and can be obtained from Public Safety.

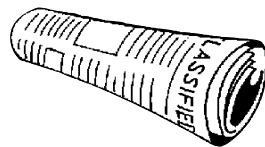
**Note:** When placing classified ads for estate or garage sales in *The Villager*, you will need to attach proof of the permit to your Classified Advertising form.

### To Place a Classified Ad

**Kory Tran:** 408-754-1341  
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## The Villager Classified Advertising Information



Category	Cost
<b>Real Estate</b>	\$1.25 per word (minimum of 10 words)
<b>Services</b>	\$1.25 per word (minimum of 10 words)
<i>(See below for Services sub-categories.)</i>	
<b>Notices</b>	\$1.25 per word (minimum of 10 words)
<b>Personals</b>	\$1.25 per word (minimum of 10 words)
<b>Cars &amp; Carts</b>	\$1.25 per word (minimum of 10 words)
<b>Help Wanted</b>	\$1.25 per word (minimum of 10 words)
<i>(Employment notices)</i>	
<b>Wanted</b>	\$1.25 per word (minimum of 10 words)
<b>Items for Sale</b>	Villagers: 75¢ per word (minimum of 10 words) Non-residents: \$1.25 per word (minimum of 10 words)
<i>(Personal items only)</i>	
<b>Free Stuff</b>	Villagers: 75¢ per word (minimum of 10 words) Non-residents: \$1.25 per word (minimum of 10 words)
<b>Obituaries</b>	\$1 per word Photo of the deceased \$25 Free flag for veterans
<b>Villages Business Directory</b>	\$7.50 per week
<i>(Business Directory available to Villages residents only. Listings must be compact enough to fit on two lines only.)</i>	
<b>Lost &amp; Found</b>	First 15 words of first ad are free; after 15 words: \$1.25 per word <i>(Subsequent ads after first week are billed at \$1.25 per word)</i>

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<p><i>when</i></p> <p>Saturday, February 23rd at 4:00 P.M.</p>	<p><i>where</i></p> <p>Dr. Sanayei's dental office 2929 The villages parkway San Jose, CA 95135</p>
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