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### Community TV channels:

**CHANNEL 26: Club & Event notices**  
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## Village Voices to present Krista Wigle and Joe Meyers



Soprano Krista Wigle Tenor 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 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.

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## Senior Academy presents '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 ladydi2@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.

## Snow lingers on local peaks



On February 18, Teres Ryan captured the snow on the peak of Mt. Hamilton, which was deposited two weeks ago.

## Senior Academy: 'All About the Sun' - free lecture

Senior Academy will present a 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.

# 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.

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

## 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..

Keep a portable radio, flashlight and spare batteries with your emergency supplies. Electrical power, including phone service may not be available.

—The Villages Emergency Preparedness Committee

## EVF Sale now has room for more donations

Remember to save the dates for the EVF "Gently Used" Clothing Sale—Saturday and Sunday, March 30 and 31 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Foothill Center. You will love this sale as all items are priced to sell at great prices.



We now have a second storage unit and we are set up to receive clothing donations (we will no longer be picking up clothes). The container units are located in the RV lot, which is off of Whaley Drive, Montgomery Village. Whaley Drive is opposite the Montgomery Center; just follow Whaley, until you see the brown fence and open gate, as there is no sign. Drive down into the RV lot. Our units are on the right, and you will see the open doors.

No need to make an appointment, but note the specific dates/times that we will be open: Saturday, March 2, from 10 a.m. to noon and Thursday, March 14, 10 a.m. to noon. We will have tax donation forms for you. Thank you for your donations, we could not have a sale without your participation.

We will be accepting donations of clothes, jewelry, shoes and purses throughout the year, and will be storing for the next annual sale. We will be starting a monthly drop-off schedule in April, dates will be published in the April Villager editions.

## IN MEMORIAM

**Jewel Porter "JP" Wood**  
**July 11, 1925—February 8, 2019**

(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.

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

### DEADLINES

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

**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

## Association/Homeowners documents available via e-mail

By Julia Meadows

Per an amendment to California Civil Code, homeowner associations are permitted, with owner's written consent, to distribute annual disclosures, (like the pro forma budget summary) and other specified association documents to owners via electronic mail, facsimile, or other electronic means (such as posting on the association's website) instead of sending those documents out by regular mail or personal delivery. This has the potential to provide cost savings to The Villages. Delivery and postage costs for the Villages' annual distribution of the pro forma budget summary alone are close to \$1,000, not to mention the paper and printing costs that run about \$8,000.

In order to transmit association documents via e-mail or by posting on the homeowners association's website, 1) the homeowners association must first receive the owner's written consent, and 2) the homeowners association sends a separate notice to the owner that the documents have been posted and are available for viewing.

Consent forms for owners to request delivery of documents have been developed for both The Villages Association and Homeowners Corporations. These forms provide an owner's consent to electronic delivery of documents that are capable, under current laws, of being distributed electronically. Owners have the right to revoke this request and receive "hard copies" of the documents by sending a written revocation signed by the owner, to the applicable corporation.

Forms of owner's written consent are available in Business Administration Buildings A and B, and on The Villages web site, <http://www.thevillagesgcc.com> (Click on *Resident Info* and then Click on *Resource Files*.)

For more information, call Julia Meadows at 223-4634.

## 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.**

## 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.

## Villager input requested for Board candidates questions

Each year the Communications Advisory Committee generates questions to be answered by the candidates for the Club, Association, and Homeowners Board vacancies.

We are requesting input from Villagers for questions to be used. Please mail or email your input to Nick Yannaccone at 8098 Cabernet Court or [solutions@yannaccone.com](mailto:solutions@yannaccone.com), or call 408 440-1765.

## 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.

2/28/19	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

## 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.

More BOARDS & COMMITTEES,  
MANAGEMENT and COMMUNITY  
NOTICES on pages 4, 5, 16 & 17

## 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.



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- ★ Become a Voice for the Community.

Contact Kathi Ashby at:  
[mamaenviro@aol.com](mailto:mamaenviro@aol.com)

# MANAGEMENT

## PUBLIC SAFETY

### 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.

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## MAINTENANCE NOTICE:

### Vineyard pool, spa and restrooms to close for repairs

The Vineyard Center pool, spa and restrooms will be closed on Friday and Saturday, February 22 and 23 for repairs and maintenance.

### Join our team of Villagers helping other Villagers

Everyone needs a helping hand at some point in their life. The Villages Medical Auxiliary (VMA) volunteers lend that hand to fellow Villagers. Whether it's driving a Villager to the doctor, pharmacy or grocery store; delivering a meal from the Clubhouse or Bistro; delivering medical equipment to help a Villager at home; or staffing the VMA office desk; volunteer assistance is critical to the VMA continuing its many years of service to Villagers.

Volunteers represent the essence of community service. Each year we serve hundreds of residents with personalized services and you can be a part of this dedicated team. Stop by the VMA office in Cribari Center and sign up. You can choose when you will work and how often. Any help is appreciated. Join our team and help enrich your life and that of your neighbors.

### 2019 Telephone Directory distribution completed

The 2019 Telephone Directory was delivered to Villages homes early in February. 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.

### More COMMUNITY NOTICES

**Villages Medical Auxiliary-Since 1976**  
**Office: 408-238-4230**  
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## February Programs

**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.

## Coming in March

**Hearing Aid Check & Clean:** Hearing Life will be performing these. Registration required. Tuesday, March 5, 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., Montgomery Center

**Advanced Health Care Directive:** With Grace Hospice will be discussing this important document. Wednesday, March 13, 10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m., Cribari Conference Room

**Preliminary Bone Density Screening:** Balance will be performing these screenings. Registration required. Thursday, March 14, 11 a.m. – 1 p.m., Cribari Conference Room

**Stem Cell Therapy:** Dr. Thomas Santucci will be discussing this alternative healing method. Wednesday, March 20, 10:30 a.m. – 12 p.m., Cribari Conference Room.

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.



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**EVF GALA EVENT CANCELED**  
 BIC event  
 March 11, 2019 EVF

# GOVERNANCE MEETINGS

## THE DACs

### Highland DAC to meet February 28— Please note time of meeting change

The Highland DAC meeting scheduled for February 14 was postponed until Thursday, February 28, from **7 to 9 p.m.** in Foothill Center.

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

More COMMUNITY NOTICES

## (SRS) SENIOR RESOURCE SERVICES

### Measure EE parcel tax exemption filing March 8; April 12

On March 8 or April 12, you may file for exemption from the annual \$125 Evergreen School District parcel tax on your principal residence if you are at least age 65 or will be age 65 by June 30, 2020. If there are joint owners of your principal residence, only one owner needs to be age 65.

If you had the exemption from the parcel tax for 2018/2019, your exemption has been automatically renewed by the School District. There is nothing more you need to do. The event on March 8 and April 12 is for new exemption requests.

If you would like to apply for the exemption for the 2019/2020 tax year, the School District is making it easy for you. Evergreen School District representatives will be at The Villages on Friday, March 8 and Friday, April 12 in Montgomery Center from 1:30 to 4 p.m. to approve your parcel tax exemption request form.

You must file for the exemption in person with documents to prove (1) your property ownership, (2) your residency, and (3) your age.

Your 2018/2019 property tax statement will prove your ownership. Your driver's license or CA identification card will prove your residency and age. Your documents will be reviewed and immediately returned to you.

If you are new to The Villages and the address on your driver's license does not match your property tax statement, please also bring your PG&E bill or other bill to prove your residency. If you do not yet have a property tax statement, bring your escrow purchase statement and related papers.

Not sure whether you have the exemption? Go to your last property tax bill. Look under the section labeled "Parcel Tax / Special Assessments." If a line item is "Evergreen Measure H 2014" followed by "\$100" you are paying the tax. If you can't find this listing, you are currently exempt from the tax. Still not sure? The School District employees will have a list of the seniors with the exemption. Come to Montgomery Center and check with them.

You may also apply for the exemption at the School District Office at 3188 Quimby Road, Monday – Friday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. through May 31, 2019. If you cannot get to the Cribari Center or the District Office, please call Pearl Casey of the District at 408-270-6863 to make personal arrangements.

*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 announcement:**

### Questions about Medicare?

Don't wait to have your questions answered. Call today for an appointment with a specialist.

A HICAP counselor will be at The Villages SRS office on Thursday morning, February 28. HICAP (Health Insurance Counseling & Advocacy Program) is a non-profit volunteer-based counseling program helping seniors needing education and assistance with the complexities of Medicare and supplemental health insurance plans.

To schedule a one-on-one appointment at the SRS office, call HICAP at 408-350-3200 (option 2). Tell the scheduler you wish an appointment at The Villages.

If you are already on Medicare, please bring your Medicare number and ID cards of any other health insurance plans you have. Also, please bring your detailed list of medications.

More COMMUNITY NOTICES on pages 16 & 17

## BOARD MEETINGS

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

### Association

The Villages Association Board of Directors Study Session will be held Tuesday, 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 Quarterly Meeting will be held Thursday, April 11, at 9 a.m. in Foothill Center.

## FOUNDATION FOCUS

### Coffee? Tea? Espresso?



Sylvia Lopez with the Clubhouse's new espresso machine.

By Diana Hallock, EVF Board Member



Our new espresso machine is now producing outstanding coffee drinks for diners in the Bistro and Clubhouse. Choices include cappuccino, lattes and espresso with custom ground beans and fresh cream/milk. This automated equipment can produce 120 specialty drinks per hour, another enhancement provided to Villagers by The Evergreen Villages Foundation.

### Remember someone with a memorial gift to the VMA

Honor the life of your friend or loved one by funding the services to extend the quality of life for other Villagers. A memorial gift to the Villages Medical Auxiliary (VMA) honors the loved one lost and promotes the work of the VMA. If you have any questions on how to give, call the VMA office at 408-238-4230. All donations to the VMA are tax deductible.

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

## 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. Line Dance MMP  
 10 a.m. Quilters P  
 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

1:30 p.m. Pickleball Committee BGA  
 1:30 p.m. Better Living Club VC  
 1:30 p.m. Table Tennis MMP  
 2 p.m. News Junkies CR  
 2 p.m. Theater Rehearsal A  
 3 p.m. Arts & Crafts Adv. Brd. AR  
 6:30 p.m. Duplicate Bridge RED  
 6:45 p.m. Yoga MMP  
 7 p.m. Garden Club VC  
 7:30 p.m. Table Tennis MMP  
 7:30 p.m. Hiking Club FC

2 p.m. Ping Pong MMP  
 2 p.m. Theater Rehearsals A  
 6 p.m. Global Vill. Meditation CR  
 6 p.m. Mexican Train Domino MC  
 7 p.m. Village Voices Rehearsal FC  
 7 p.m. Yoga MMP

## Saturday, February 23

9 a.m. Table Tennis MMP  
 9 a.m. Ukulele Singing SEQ  
 9:30 a.m. Ceramics CER  
 11 a.m. Bocce Boot Camp BC  
 2 p.m. Chinese Cooking Class MC  
 2:30 p.m. Concert A  
 4:45 p.m. Brandeis Movie Disc. CR

## Tuesday, February 26

9 a.m. VGC - Analysis BGA  
 9 a.m. Game Day RED, SEQ  
 9:15 a.m. Assoc. Board Study FC  
 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 - Advanced P  
 10 a.m. High Twelve F  
 10 a.m. Line Dance MMP  
 11 a.m. VMA Celebrate Me CR  
 11 a.m. High Twelve Lunch MC  
 11:30 a.m. Jewish Lecture VC  
 11:30 a.m. Walking Class A  
 11:30 a.m. Yoga MMP  
 1:30 p.m. Club Board Meeting FC  
 2 p.m. Table Tennis MMP  
 2 p.m. Theater Rehearsal A  
 3:30 p.m. Tennis Club Board P  
 6:45 p.m. Band Rehearsal A  
 7 p.m. Brandeis Study Group CR

## Thursday, February 28

9 a.m. Game Day SEQ  
 9 a.m. Income Tax Service RED  
 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  
 11 a.m. Comcast Q & A CR  
 11:30 a.m. Yoga MMP  
 12:30 p.m. 18 Hole Women Lunch CH  
 1 p.m. Ukulele Club VC  
 2 p.m. Table Tennis MMP  
 2 p.m. Chapel Bible Study MC  
 3 p.m. Chapel Choir Rehearsal CR  
 3 p.m. Highland DAC FC  
 5 p.m. Table Tennis MC  
 5:30 p.m. Republican Club CH  
 6 p.m. Bridge Club RED  
 7 p.m. Pickleball Club P  
 7 p.m. Folksters CR  
 7 p.m. Theater Rehearsal A

## Sunday, February 24

7:15 a.m. Catholic Choir Rehearsal CR  
 8:15 a.m. Catholic Mass 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 a.m. Chapel Meeting F  
 7 p.m. Theater Rehearsal A

## Wednesday, February 27

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. Ladies Bible Study P  
 9:45 a.m. Tai Chi FC  
 10 a.m. Diabetes Support F  
 10 a.m. Total Body Fitness A  
 11 a.m. Bocce Referee Training BC  
 11 a.m. VMA Respite Care Day VC  
 1:30 p.m. Movie - Breaking In CR

## Friday, March 1

8:30 a.m. Jazzercise A  
 8:45 a.m. Catholic Mass CR  
 9 a.m. Game Day RED, SEQ  
 9 a.m. Villages Golf Comm. MC  
 9:30 a.m. Ceramics CER  
 9:30 a.m. Open Studio AR  
 9:45 a.m. Tai Chi VC  
 10 a.m. Line Dance MMP  
 10 a.m. Quilters P  
 1 p.m. Bocce Captains Meet MC  
 2 p.m. Table Tennis MMP  
 3 p.m. Bocce Bash BC  
 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 Rehearsal A

## Monday, February 25

9 a.m. Game Day RED, SEQ  
 9:30 a.m. Ceramics CER  
 10 a.m. Cardio Class A  
 10 a.m. Line Dance MMP  
 10:30 a.m. Grief Group P  
 11 a.m. Boot Camp BC  
 1 p.m. Stitchery P


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.**

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
7/14	Hamilton (Mezzanine)	TBD	TBD
7/21	Giants vs. Mets	TBD	TBD
8/14	Hamilton	TBD	TBD
9/29	Giants vs. Dodgers	TBD	TBD
10/13	USS Potomac - Fleet Week	TBD	TBD
TBD	Peter Paul Rubens Exhibit	TBD	TBD

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# CLUB CALENDARS



## HIKING CLUB SCHEDULE



Unless otherwise indicated, all hikes meet at Cribari Center at 8:30 a.m. and depart at 8:45 a.m. 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 23:** Rich Bainbridge will lead a hike from Cribari Center to the Ranch Restaurant. The hike is about 6-mile round

trip. With a total elevation gain and loss of about 1000 feet. We will meet at 8:30 a.m. at Cribari for an 8:45 a.m. departure.

**Wednesday, February 27 ( Rambler):** Los Gatos Creek Trail. John and Sandy Petrin (530-927-7024) will lead a hike along Los Gatos Creek trail, approximately 4 miles. This easy "out and back" hike will begin at the Oak Meadow City Park parking lot—just 50 yards past the entrance to Vasona County Park. Parking and access to the trail are available at both parks: parking is free at Oak Meadow for seniors over 60, but there is always a daytime parking fee at Vasona. We will have a bit of time to explore downtown Los Gatos and stop at Le Boulanger for refreshments. There will also be an optional lunch stop at Panera on the way back. Round trip driving mileage is approximately 40 miles. We will meet at 9 a.m. at Cribari for a 9:15 a.m. departure.

**Saturday, March 2:** The long hikers will hike 8-9 miles on the hilly trails in the main part of Calero County Park led by Nancy Rumble (408-238-7535). Starting at the Main Entrance we will hike up the Pena trail and then continue up and down on the Vallecito, Figueroa, Serpentine and Cottle trails before eating lunch eat at the Cottle Rest Site. We will pass the Bat Inn and cross a small creek on the rocks. The Ramblers can enjoy hiking a total of 5 miles out and back on the mostly level Figueroa and Serpentine Trails to Fish Camp Rest Site. Bring lunch, water and sticks. Wear boots and layers. This is about a 30-mile round trip drive.

## 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 Center. To register, call Gene Gerwe at 408-223-7901.

**Thursdays, March 7, 14, 21, 28:** Great Decisions Discussion Course 7 to 9 p.m. \$35 for members, \$40 non-members. Call Jane Carnoy at 561-252-7934.

## 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.

## 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 through Friday. See website for times.

**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 invited 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.

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

**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

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

**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.

**Monday, March 18:** Program meeting by Taf Tafarodi from 7 to 9 p.m. in Foothill Center.

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.

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

# THE CLUBHOUSE

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

2800 Villages Fairway Drive, San Jose CA 95135

All Clubhouse & Bistro menus can be found at [www.thevillagesgcc.com](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 Maker Dinner:** See details about the next Wine Maker Dinner event on page 9.

**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.

Go to: [www.clubhouserreservation.com](http://www.clubhouserreservation.com) and sign up to make restaurant reservations quickly and easily. Confirmations are automatically sent to you via e-mail or text.

## CLUBHOUSE RESTAURANT

**Monday Closed**

**Breakfast:** Saturday & Sunday 7 a.m. to 2 p.m.

**Lunch:** Tuesday through Sunday 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

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

**Sunday Breakfast Buffet:** 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

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

### LUNCH SPECIALS SERVED ALL WEEK

**Lunch Specials  
Tuesday 2-26  
to  
Sunday 3-3**

<b>Spinach and Chicken Salad</b>	<b>\$13.95</b>
<i>Spinach, Pears, Strawberries and Marinated Grilled Chicken</i>	
<b>California Burger</b>	<b>\$13.95</b>
<i>Angus Patty with Avocado, Pepper Jack Cheese and Bacon with Choice of One Side Dish</i>	
<b>Grilled Sole Dore</b>	<b>\$13.95</b>
<i>Flour Dusted and Egg Wash Pacific Sole with a Beurre Blanc Sauce</i>	

### DAILY SOUP SPECIALS

<i>Tuesday, February 26</i>	<i>Soup: Cream of Tomato and Basil</i>
<i>Wednesday, February 27</i>	<i>Soup: Potsticker</i>
<i>Thursday, February 28</i>	<i>Soup: French Onion</i>
<i>Friday, March 1</i>	<i>Soup: Clam Chowder</i>
<i>Saturday, March 2</i>	<i>Soup: Chef's Choice</i>
<i>Sunday, March 3</i>	<i>Soup: Chef's Choice</i>

### DINNER SPECIALS SERVED ALL WEEK

**Dinner Specials  
Tuesday 2-26  
to  
Sunday 3-3**

<b>Caprese Salad with Prawns</b>	<b>\$20.50</b>
<i>Roma Tomatoes, Fresh Mozzarella and Grilled Prawns over Greens—served with a Cup of Soup</i>	
<b>Veal and Prawns</b>	<b>\$28.95</b>
<i>Sautéed Veal and Prawns with Pommery Mustard Dry Vermouth and Cream Sauce—served with Soup or Salad</i>	
<b>Northern Halibut</b>	<b>Market Price</b>
<i>Grilled Northern Halibut with a Caper Beurre Blanc Sauce—served with Soup or Salad</i>	

## ACTIVITIES

### Monday, February 25

• Private Event—Fairway Room—3 p.m. to 8 p.m.

### Tuesday, February 26

No Event

### Wednesday, February 27

No Event

### Thursday, February 28

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

• Republican Club Meeting—Fairway Room—5:30 p.m. to 9 p.m.

### Friday, March 1

No Event

### Saturday, March 2

• Del Lago Sonata Spring Luncheon—Oak and Fairway Rooms—11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

### Sunday, March 3

No Event

## THE BISTRO & BAR

**Open Daily:** 7a.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 11a.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 & 23



## See the Alison Sharino Band perform!

On Friday, May 3, join the Alison Sharino Band (led by Joe's talented daughter) at the Clubhouse at the Villages Golf and Country Club, for a Classic Rock dance party. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. and the band plays from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome (guests of Villagers too), and age 21 and over only please. Dance and sing along to your favorite classic rock hits! Joe Sharino is producing this event and will host it as well.

Tickets are regularly \$21 each, or buy 10 or more tickets in a single purchase (no refunds) for just \$18 each. The special Villages Discount is just \$19.50 per ticket or buy 10 or more tickets for just \$17 each! To get the discount, visit <http://May3.BPT.me>. Now on that page, scroll down and click the green letters that say "Enter a Password or Discount Code." Enter **DANCE** (the password) and click (with the mouse) where it says "Show Available Tickets." Buyers of 10 or more tickets in a single purchase get a reserved table automatically. The discount expires in early March, so hurry. Tickets at the door will be \$25 each if available, cash or check. Everyone will have a seat. To order tickets now, see <http://May3.BPT.me> or call 1-800-838-3006. If you order by phone, give the discount code verbally (DANCE). Don't miss this show!

This event sponsored by the Villages Clubhouse.

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**Patio Concert**  
**Sunday 5pm-8pm**

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Music by Island Wave Band  
Open Seating at the Bistro patio

**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**

**New Clubhouse Hours**  
Clubhouse Restaurant  
5 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Tuesday through Sunday

**Early Bird Specials**  
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**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  
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This Week	on Channel <b>27</b>	Every 6-Hours starting at 1 & 7 am/pm	Midnight, 6am, Noon & 6pm <b>Fire Safety at the Villages</b> 5 & 11am, 5 & 11pm The Villages Fitness Center	Complimentary <b>WiFi</b>	Network: Villages Public Password: villages	Club Events & Notices on Channel <b>26</b>	More information online at the Villages Resident Portal: <a href="http://resident.thevillagesgcc.com">resident.thevillagesgcc.com</a>
	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Sunday</b>
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 Ed Wynn Show
2	Letter to Loretta General Electric Theater	Westinghouse Studio One	Bonanza	Climax!	Dragnet Lock-Up	Space Patrol Rocky Jones Space Ranger	The Milton Berle Show
3	MOVIE: Breakfast in Hollywood	MOVIE: Little Men	MOVIE: Santa Fe Trail	MOVIE: Jackie Robinson Story	MOVIE: Postal Inspector	One Step Beyond	Comedy Binge - 4 Episodes The Lucy Show
4	PLUS: Meet Corliss Archer	PLUS: Life with Elizabeth		PLUS: Radar Men From the Moon Chapters 8, 9 & 10	MOVIE: Murder by Television	MOVIE: Prehistoric Women	

# 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
2/26	Villages Golf Comm. – Analysis	9 a.m.	Building A
2/26	Association Study Session	9:15 a.m.	Foothill Center
2/26	Club Board Meeting	1:30 p.m.	Foothill Center
2/28	Highland DAC	3 p.m.	Foothill Center
3/1	Villages Golf Comm.	9 a.m.	Montg. Center

## Community Events

Date	Event	Time	Place
2/22	Dinner Dance	5 p.m.	Clubhouse
2/23	Bocce Boot Camp	11 a.m.	Bocce Courts
2/23	Concert	2:30 p.m.	Auditorium
2/25	Bocce Boot Camp	11 a.m.	Bocce Courts
2/26	High Twelve Lunch	11 a.m.	Montg.Center
2/27	Movie – Breaking In	1:30 p.m.	Conf.Room
2/28	Income Tax Service	9 a.m.	Redwood Rm.
2/28	Comcast Q&A	11 a.m.	Confr. Rm.
2/28	18 Hole Women Lunch	12:30p.m.	Clubhouse
3/1	Bocce Bash	3 p.m.	Bocce Courts

## Macy's Easter Flower Show at Union Square

On Thursday, April 4, bring a friend and spend the day shopping at Union Square in San Francisco, the epicenter of Bay Area shopping. This is also the time of year that Macy's has its spectacular flower show, with more information to follow. Enjoy the day by having breakfast or lunch or both at one of the many wonderful restaurants located in Union Square.

Experience the unique character of San Francisco's Union Square District, where the best names in fashion, dining and theater have resided for over a century. After the great earthquake of 1906, Union Square became San Francisco's premier shopping district and, by the 1930s, the site of the world's first underground parking structure. It's a great place to meet, enjoy coffee, or just see the world go by.

We will leave from the Cribari Center's east parking lot (hobby room side) at 8:30 a.m. and return no later than 5 p.m. The best part is you don't have to drive, find a parking place and pay for parking. Just get on the bus and leave everything else to the Royal Coach driver. The cost is only \$41 per person for a great day with your friends. Register in the Community Resource Center, Building B.

## Annual Volunteer Recognition is April 5

April is National Volunteer Recognition month. The Villages celebrates the contributions of its volunteers with a reception each spring. This year's volunteer recognition will be Friday, April 5. More details to come.

## Filoli Gardens and Stanford Shopping Center

Explore Filoli Gardens and Stanford Shopping Center on Thursday, April 18! Here is your chance to bring a friend or neighbor of yours and come on a trip to one of the most beautiful places in the Bay Area. We will depart the Villages from the Cribari East parking lot at 8:30 a.m. with an estimated return time of 5 p.m. The cost will be \$72 per person; cost includes admission, docents and transportation. Register for this special outing in the Community Resource Center, Building B, beginning Monday, February 25.

Upon arrival at Filoli we will be split into three groups and met by docents who will take us on a tour through the house (mansion) and gardens, enjoy the spring flowers so marvelously displayed. Following the tour we will have the opportunity to go to the wonderful gift/garden shop to browse and of course make purchases of the wonderful items offered.

Filoli was built for Mr. and Mrs. Bourn, prominent San Franciscans whose chief source of wealth was the Empire Mine, a hard-rock gold mine in Grass Valley, California. Mr. Bourn was also owner and president of the Spring Valley Water Company comprising Crystal Springs Lake and surrounding lands, which are now part of the San Francisco Water Department. Mr. Bourn selected the southern end of Crystal Springs Lake as the site for his estate. He arrived at the unusual name Filoli by combining the first two letters from the key words of his credo: "**F**ight for a just cause; **L**ove your fellow man; **L**ive a good life."

The house contains 36,000 square feet of interior floor space on two floors and a mezzanine. The spacious major rooms have ceiling heights of seventeen feet, while the ballroom ceiling is 22 ½ feet high. There are 43 rooms and 17 fireplaces.

Following our tour and shopping at Filoli, we will depart for the lovely Stanford Shopping Center where you will be able to get something to eat at one of the many eateries and spend the afternoon shopping. Enjoy San Francisco Bay Area's premier shopping and dining experience. Discover Neiman Marcus, Bloomingdale's, Nordstrom and Macy's, plus 140 other world-class stores, restaurants and services.

## 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

Let massage 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. Call 408-455-2887.

## RESIDENT EXCURSION PARTICIPATION GUIDELINES

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

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

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

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

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

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

## ***Fitness Center'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.

## ***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.

## ***Walking for Better Balance (WFBB)***

People who are inactive in general have a higher incidence of falling and chronic health problems. Walking is the best and most popular exercise for older adults to improve their health condition and balance and to get rid of aches and pains. WFBB is offered two days per week Tuesdays (Auditorium - 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 pm) and Thursdays (Auditorium - 10 to 11 a.m.). This is a fast-paced class designed to improve balance, gait, walk speed, flexibility, posture, strength and endurance. Chair Fitness is also offered: Don't let health conditions, cane or walker stop you! Talk with your doctor, grab your sneakers and join the class. The cost is \$90 for a class card, issued and punched in class. Humor and music are motivation tools used to keep participants 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.

## ***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.

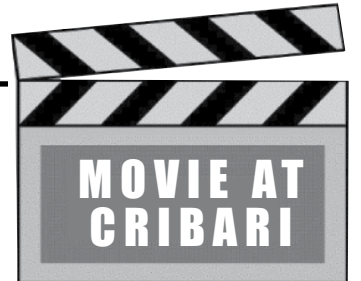
Attention: Card and Mah Jongg players, the Redwood Room and Terrace Room will be closed for play on Thursdays, through April 11 until after 5 p.m. The Sequoia Room will be open as usual.

## ***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 Adeaja 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...***

**RODEO GIRL**  
**Monday, March 18**  
**7 p.m.**



Starring Kevin Sorbo, Sophie Bolen and Derek Brandon. Shipped off to her American dad's ranch for the summer, a teen and her horse Lucky Lass compete for a spot at the National Youth Rodeo.



***More COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES***  
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Call us today at 408-455-2887 to find out more!

## 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!

## Get your fitness on for 2019!

### Cardio Workout—January to March 2019

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

Classes are on Mondays, from 10 to 11 a.m. The cost is \$70 for 12 classes, must sign up for all 12 as cost will be the same. Classes are held in the Cribari Auditorium starting on January 7, and ends on March 25. Register in the Community Resource Center, Building B.

### Total Body Fitness—January to March 2019

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

Classes for January to March will be on Wednesdays from 10 to 11 a.m. The cost is \$70; you must sign up for all classes in session, as you will be billed for all. All classes are in the Auditorium beginning January 9 through March 27. Register in the Community Resource Center, Building B.

## Activities planned for Spring Bash

The Spring Bash is just two months away. It is a community-wide event on Saturday, April 27 featuring a classic car show, vendor expo, Art in The Park, Music, food and informational displays. The activities take place at Cribari Center and Gazebo Park. We have a shuttle van that will take participants between Gazebo Park and Cribari Center. Please plan on joining us.

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



# CLUBS & EVENTS

## Friends of San Jose State



Photo on above left: Chris Burrell, executive director of the Hammer Theatre speaking about the exciting collaboration between the City of San Jose and San Jose State University concerning the theatre.

Photo on above right: Dana Dormann, head women's golf coach at SJSU (speaking) and Pat Hurst, assistant women's golf coach at SJSU speaking about the women's team and sharing their experiences of coaching.

## Abstract Painting in Acrylics

Villagers are invited to participate in Jeff Bramschreiber's new Acrylics Painting Class, "Painting Impressionist and Expressionist Abstracts." Participants work two weeks on each of these topics: Nightscapes, Working the Fields, and The Tropics.

The class runs for six weeks on Tuesdays, February 26 through April 2, from noon to 2:30 p.m., in the Cribari Center Art Room. The fee is \$60 for members; \$65 for non-members.

The materials list will be sent to everyone who registers and is posted on the Arts & Crafts website [www.villagesartsandcrafts.org](http://www.villagesartsandcrafts.org). Register at [barb.gottesman@gmail.com](mailto:barb.gottesman@gmail.com)

## 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!

## Global Village: Join discussion about 'What is Reality?'

"What is Reality?"—a question people have pondered for hundreds of years. Franz Spickoff will walk us through a history of how our understanding and thoughts about "reality" have changed throughout history, citing philosophers, poets, great thinkers. He will explore how our senses are poorly designed to grasp the concept of reality. He will show slides of optical illusions that illustrate flaws in our visual perception. Franz will address the inadequacies of language to describe reality, and ask whether poetic language might be able to bring us a bit closer to an understanding of reality.

The aim of Franz's talk will be to provoke thoughts and invite the group to share their own views.

Please join the Global Village community and Franz Spickoff (Villager) on Wednesday, March 6 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. in the Cribari Conference Room. There is no fee to attend and no need to sign up. All Villagers are welcome!

*More CLUBS on pages 14 to 16*

## News Junkies to meet February 25

The next News Junkies meeting is Monday, February 25 at 1:30 p.m. in the Cribari Conference Room. Possible issues to discuss include Virginia's scandals involving its governor and three other officials; latest news regarding the proposed southern border wall and the humanitarian problems of the amnesty seekers from Central America; latest developments in the Mueller probe; Democrats entering the 2020 Presidential race; the PG&E bankruptcy and its ramifications; the upcoming Academy Oscar awards. Your suggestions for other topics are welcome; call Bert Greenberg at 408-223-2812 or email [bertli@sbcglobal.net](mailto:bertli@sbcglobal.net). All Villagers are welcome.

## 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.

## Can men Jazzercise too? Yes, they can!

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 Center, 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.

## 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.

## Come add to the sound of John's Jams

By Tom Zades

The Advanced Ukulele Club (aka John's Jams) meets weekly in the Cribari Patio Room from 10 a.m. to noon on Tuesdays. In addition to promoting ukulele proficiency, we are creating a fuller sound with vocal harmonies and instrumental diversity. Along with several accomplished singers and ukulele players, we now enjoy the musical accompaniment of the bass, a harmonica, and a snare drum.

If you would like to add your voice or instrumental talents to our Tuesday morning group, by all means come to the Patio Room and see if we have a fit. We are currently focusing on song selections for a performance at a ladies Clubhouse luncheon in April. We have a couple of sing-along favorites to add to selections from Elvis, Willie Nelson, Patsy Cline, Neil Diamond, and The Beach Boys, to name a few.

The Advanced Ukulele Club, led by John Laws, is one of three groups within the Ukulele Club. Bill Rodman leads the Core Group on Thursday afternoons from 1:30 to 3 p.m. in Vineyard Center. The Saturday morning sing-along group, led by Dorene Vettel, meets on Saturday mornings from 9:30 to 11 a.m. in the Cribari Sequoia Room.

The Advanced Ukulele Club is the newest and smallest of the three groups, but is perhaps the fastest growing. Come help us outgrow the Patio Room!

## Play Bingo at Cribari!

The Villages Medical Auxiliary (VMA) will host Afternoon Bingo at Cribari Auditorium on Wednesday, March 6. Doors open at 3 p.m. and the games begin at 3:30 p.m. sharp! All Villagers are welcome. For more info, contact Wendy Ledamun at [wledamun49@gmail.com](mailto:wledamun49@gmail.com) or 408-960-8335.



## FROM THE BOOKSHELF

By Sherle Frost

**“Presidents of War” by Michael Beschloss:** Presidential historian Michael Beschloss uses original letters, diaries, declassified documents, and interviews to bring us into the room and the minds of a procession of Chief Executives who took the nation into major conflicts, mobilized Americans for victory, and seized greater power for themselves. From James Madison and the War of 1812 to Lyndon Johnson and Vietnam, these leaders struggle with Congress, the courts, the press, their own advisers, and antiwar protesters, seeking comfort from their spouses, families, and friends, and dropping to their knees in prayer. Understand how these Presidents were able to withstand the pressures of war both physically and emotionally or were broken by them. Nonfiction 355, Military Science, 2018.

**“Lake Success” by Gary Shteyngart:** When his dream of the perfect marriage, the perfect son, and the perfect life implodes, Barry Cohen, a self-made Wall Street millionaire takes a cross-country bus trip in search of his college sweetheart, whom he hasn’t seen or spoken to in years, searching for the ideals of youth. Meanwhile, reeling from the fight that caused Barry’s departure, his super-smart wife Seema has her own demons to face. Fiction 2018.

**“The Good Fight” by Danielle Steel:** The child of prominent Manhattan lawyers, Meredith McKenzie is destined for top schools, elite social circles, and the perfect marriage. Spending her childhood in Germany as her father prosecutes Nazi war criminals at the Nuremberg trials, Meredith soaks up the conflict between good and evil as it plays out in real time. Later in the U.S., she blazes her own trail, determined to become a lawyer despite her traditional, conservative father’s objections. She forges a lifelong friendship with a young German Jewish woman whose family died in the concentration camps. And while her grandfather rises to the Supreme Court, Meredith enlists in the most pressing causes of her time, fighting for civil rights and an end to the Vietnam War. Encompassing the remarkable people Meredith meets, the historic events she witnesses, and the sacrifices she must make, this is the story of a woman changing her world as she herself is changed by it. Fiction 2018.

**“White River Burning” by John Verdon:** Tensions run high in White River as it approaches the one-year anniversary of a fatal shooting of a black motorist by a local police officer. The economically depressed, racially polarized city is on edge, confronted with angry demonstrations, arson, and looting. In the midst of the turmoil, a White River police officer is murdered by an unknown sniper. As the town spirals out of control, local authorities approach Dave Gurney to conduct an independent investigation of the shooting. More killings occur in what appears to be an escalating sequence of retaliations, but when Gurney questions the true nature of the bloodshed his involvement is suddenly terminated. Obsessed with evidence that doesn’t support the official version of events, and despite intense opposition from the police, he begins to uncover an astonishing structure of deception, learning that nothing in White River is what it seems. Mystery 2018.

**“Between You & Me” by Susan Wiggs:** Caught between two worlds, Caleb Stoltz is bound by a deathbed promise to raise his orphaned niece and nephew in Middle Grove, where life revolves around family, farm, faith, and long-held suspicions about outsiders. When disaster strikes, Caleb is thrust into an urban environment of high-tech medicine and the relentless rush of modern life. Dr. Reese Powell is poised to join the medical dynasty of her wealthy, successful parents. Bold, assertive, and quick-thinking, she lives for the addictive rush of saving lives. When a shocking accident brings Caleb into her life, Reese is forced to deal with a situation that challenges everything she thinks she knows, and ultimately emboldens her to question her most powerful beliefs. Then one impulsive act brings about a clash of cultures in a tug-of-war that plays out in a courtroom, challenging the very nature of justice and reverberating through generations, straining the fragile threads of faith and family. Fiction 2018.

## 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.

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, 408-270-1221; or Jean Corrigan, jeanmcorrigan@att.net, 408-223-8676.

## DA Jeff Rosen to speak at The Villages

By Tony Berg

Santa Clara County District Attorney Jeff Rosen is coming to speak at The Villages. Please mark your calendars for Monday, March 4 at 6 p.m. to meet the speaker with a wine and cheese reception at Vineyard Center. The event is sponsored by The Villages Democratic Club and is open to all.

Since 2011, Mr. Rosen has overseen the largest prosecutor’s office north of Los Angeles, serving a population of almost two million. The District Attorney’s Office has 640 employees, including 196 deputy district attorneys. From gang homicides to consumer rights lawsuits, the Office prosecutes 40,000 cases each year. As District Attorney, Mr. Rosen created an innovative and nationally acclaimed Conviction Integrity Unit to investigate innocence claims and implement the most professional practices in criminal prosecution.

Before joining the District Attorney’s Office, Mr. Rosen worked for prominent law firms in Los Angeles and Washington, D.C., where he practiced commercial litigation. Since arriving in the Bay Area, Mr. Rosen has served as president of a large synagogue, taught trial advocacy at Santa Clara University Law School, and trained police officers in report-writing.

We are fortunate indeed that DA Jeff Rosen has found time to share with us his thoughts and experiences in his role as our District Attorney.



## Gary White to speak at SIR 114 luncheon

Gary White, the Climate Reality Leader and group leader of the Citizens’ Climate Lobby of San Mateo, will speak about climate change on March 5 at the monthly luncheon of SIR Branch 114 in The Villages Clubhouse at 12:30 p.m. The Citizens’ Climate Lobby is a nonprofit, nonpartisan, grassroots advocacy organization. Gary’s role is to inform and educate people living in the Bay Area and Northern California about climate change—its effects and solutions—using an updated version of the slideshow used in the film “An Inconvenient Truth.” Mr. White has given over 170 presentations to over 10,000 people to date.

Currently retired, Mr. White spent nearly 30 years as a Human Resources Executive in the Silicon Valley with Apple, Intuit, and Palm. In addition to HR, Mr. White took on responsibility for Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) at his workplaces over the past 15 years.

He holds a B.A. in Sociology from Stony Brook University, an M.S.W. from UC Berkeley, and an Executive Education Certificate in CSR from the Harvard Business School. Mr. White lives in Belmont, CA with his wife of 18 years and is an active member of the Rotary Club of San Mateo. He swims and reads when he is not advocating solutions to climate change.



## 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.

## Senior Academy: *Great Decisions 2019* course

Senior Academy is presenting "Great Decisions 2019" on Thursdays, March 7, 14, 21 and 28 at Vineyard Center from 7 to 9 p.m.

Preregistration is required. The fee is \$35 for members and \$40 fee for non-members.

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

A briefing book of background information will be provided as well as a short video. Jane Carnoy and Rita Karlston will be facilitating this thought provoking discussion group. You may sign up at jane.carnoy@gmail.com or call Jane directly at 561-252-7934.

## Genealogy Club: *When you hit a 'Brick Wall'*

Our next meeting will be held on Thursday, March 7, 10 a.m. in the Cribari Conference Room. Karen Abel will present "Brick Walls in Genealogy Research," including actions you can take when you believe you have tried everything to continue your research. Our group meets monthly to learn and share our searches for family history. Come join us and start the search for your ancestors! For more information about our Club please contact Linda McMullen at lindavillage8392@gmail.com or 510-507-1400.

## Coming to the Crafters boutique sale!

The Crafters Club "boutique" is just around the corner on Saturday, March 9 in Cribari Auditorium, Cribari Conference Room and lobby from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Our members are often adding new merchandise to their portfolio. One particular story of how a product was prompted is one we'd like to share with you:

*The following story was written and inspired by Crafters Club member Laurie Porges Truman:*

Fran Franklin is known for her knitting (for humans), and her one-of-a-kind beautiful dish art sculptures. She first created her dish art to distract deer and rabbits from her garden; now enjoyed in many gardens for their unique and distinct beauty. Fran has been knitting since she was a teenager. Hats, sweaters, socks, and so much more. Her first knitting project was a pair of Argyle socks for her then boyfriend.

At the upcoming Crafter's show on March 9, Fran will be rolling out a new product—**pet sweaters**.

She did not plan on ever knitting dog or pet sweaters. Pet sweaters actually found her. I had a dilemma; and had not been able to find a sweater to fit my Aussie-Greyhound dog during chilly winters. I'd been searching for years. Finally, I turned to Fran with this special request. Fran decided to give it a try and created a smashing sporty red-grey doggy cardigan that keeps my Caycie warm. Best of all, it fits like a glove! Who doesn't love a cozy hand-knit sweater, humans and pets alike!

Come see Fran and many other fabulous Crafters on March 9 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Cribari Center.

Also watch for Cayce. She plans to make a cameo appearance and model her new threads. We look forward to seeing you there!



## Opera Lovers: *'Cavalleria Rusticana'* starring *Pacido Domingo*

See Mascagni's beloved one-hour opera Cavalleria Rusticana, presented by Opera Lovers on Friday, March 8 at 1:30 p.m. in the Vineyard Center. The great Italian stage and screen director Franco Zeffirelli made this widely acclaimed film with Georges Pretre conducting the Orchestra and Chorus of La Scala. Cavalleria was filmed on location in Sicily, which adds immeasurably to the power and atmosphere of this timeless story of love, honor, justice and violence. The memory of the beautiful music and scenery in this film will stay with you a good long time. Zaffirelli won the coveted Emmy as Best Director of the Year.

The meeting is free and open to all although a small donation would be welcomed. If you enjoy great music, plan to come and bring a friend to share the joy of music. For more info, call Bonnie Preston at 408-531-1513.

**Please note:** The Opera Lovers Club meets at 1:30 p.m. in the Vineyard Center on the second Friday of each month.

## 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!



## 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

## 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!

## 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.



### Trivia Night FUNdraiser

**Brandeis - Magnify the Mind Campaign**  
**Silent Auction, Prizes:** Time shares, art, an 18-hole round of golf at Coyote Creek Golf Club, and more!  
**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.  
 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

### 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.

### Save the Date !

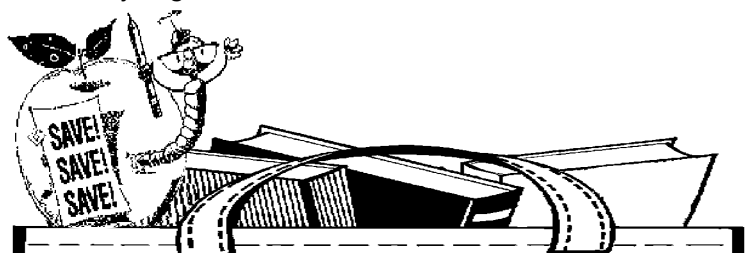


**The Villages Arts & Crafts Association  
Save the date for Art in the Park**

The annual Art in the Park event, sponsored by the Villages Arts & Crafts Association, is scheduled for Saturday, April 27 in Gazebo Park from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Mark your calendars now so you won't miss out on all the fun.

"Art in the Park has always been a very popular event where over 40 artists exhibit their handmade works of art and offer them for sale," said Diane Finley, 2019 Art in the Park Co-Chairperson. Neighbors, friends and families gather to enjoy the fresh spring air, music, cookie sale and arts and crafts. All Villagers are invited to attend.

Availability of artist contracts will be announced in the next Villager. If you have any questions, email Diane Finley at dianefinley1@gmail.com



**LIBRARY USED BOOK SALE  
REMINDER**

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

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**VAT: Join us on the road to the Forum**

Your Villages Amateur Theatre (VAT) has many enthusiastic members "on the road" to the Forum for about 60 days now. Actors were selected in December with rehearsals starting in January and ending on opening night, Friday, April 5.

Some of the stars of "A Funny Thing Happened On The Way To The Forum" include Nick Yannaccone, Paul Miner, Connie Hendrickson, Bill Rodman, Sherle Frost, Nancy Keane and Tom McLaughlin. Musical Director Larry Miller has a major role. We also introduce new actor, Walt Hlavacek. This group of actors are part of a 25-person cast who are supported by a crew of over three dozen.

The cast and crew will arrive "at the end of the road" on opening night, Friday, April 5 at 7:30 p.m. and continue with matinees at 2:30 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday. Tickets will go on sale in mid-March. We invite you to attend a performance with your friends and family as we celebrate our long journey with "A Funny Thing Happened On The Way To The Forum".

Director Tom Carson tells us that this musical comedy has enjoyed a long run on Broadway, as well as several revivals and touring performances, not to mention a successful movie. In simple terms, it is a "hoot."

Plan on leaving your worries at home and spending an performance laughing as you have never laughed before.



**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



Please help us welcome **Suzanne Fazio** to Village Olivas. She retired last October from a career in food packaging that spanned over 35 years with corporate companies as well as owning her own brokerage. Her family resides in the Santa Cruz mountains so moving to The Villages has allowed her to be closer to enjoy their many activities. She is splitting her retirement time between a home here and one in the lovely Gold Country town of Twain Harte. In her spare time, she enjoys golf, contract bridge, walking, traveling, needlework and being with family, which includes a son and three grandchildren.

Help us give a warm greeting to **Laurel Hamilton**, one of the newest residents of Verano Village. Born and raised in San Francisco, she attended All Hallows Grammar School and Notre Dame des Victoires High School. She obtained a degree from UC Berkeley and an Elementary Teachers Credential from SF State, and has taught for 40 years in Hayward and Belmont. She was married for 53 years to her husband, Peter, and has two children and four grandchildren.

Please say hi when you see **Cindy Drew** in Verano Village! Cindy was born in New York and raised in Connecticut before leaving at 21 when she married her high school sweetheart, George. They have been married for 54 years, 34 of which were spent living in Las Cumbres in the Santa Cruz Mountains. While there, she was a volunteer firefighter and EMT for 15 years, and also drove a school bus and was on the Board of Directors. Cindy said she and George missed the sense of community when they moved to Los Gatos. So last year, they decided to move to The Villages after experiencing the "Villages lifestyle" with their Villager friends. They quickly sold their townhome in Los Gatos and found a new home on Via Mimosa. In her free time, Cindy said she loves spending time with her three children and five grandchildren. She also enjoys Bible study, reading, flower arranging, meeting new people, travel, working out (now that she has two new knees), and having dinner parties and "generally having adventures and fun!"

Say "Hi neighbor!" to **Mary Simpson Orbe**! She moved to Hermosa from Los Gatos. Born and raised in Florida, she attended Florida State University, majoring in Fashion Illustration and Art, with a minor in English Literature. She has worked in ad art departments for both newspapers and department stores, and was an international flight attendant for TWA in the late 1960s until getting married in 1969. Later jobs include Neiman Marcus in Dallas, CA Cryobank in Palo Alto, ad sales at Palo Alto Weekly and On-Site Dental Care. "Now," she said, "my job is to be a grandmother...the best job ever!" She has two daughters and two granddaughters. In her free time, she enjoys hiking, reading, Pilates, and taking classes at OLLI and SC University.



# RELIGION

## COMMUNITY CHAPEL

By Pastor Bill Hayden

Are you living purposefully or are you just living and going with the flow of life? I enjoy watching the old black and white movies of years gone by. I'm often moved by the thought, "How did they view life and what did they really value in life?"

Sometimes you hear that some of them lived life as if there was no tomorrow (eat, drink and be merry), while others were governed by a moral compass that gave them balance.

There were actors and actresses that I admired because they made life more imaginable and realistic in the characters that they portrayed. When you discover that some of them lived double lives, your hopes, dreams and spirit were crushed. Especially, when they had always projected a different image in so many wholesome, inspiring and believable character roles. Well, that is what actors due.

William Shakespeare said, "All the world's a stage, and all the men and women merely players: they have their exits and their entrances; and one man in his time plays many parts, his acts being seven ages."

What do you want people to believe that is true about you, when you make the final curtain call? I can honestly say, that there are and have been very few people in my life that have made a lasting impression. The few who have I will never forget. I can also say because of those few, I'm a better person today and when I think about them I get a little misty. I am eternally grateful for the brief but impactful life experiences we shared together.

Let's agree to leave our mark upon people who are viewing our lives and how we endure the times that challenge our souls. Life should be good because you are among us. "So now I am giving you a new commandment: Love each other. Just as I have loved you, you should love each other. 35 Your love for one another will prove to the world that you are my disciples." John 13:34-35 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 thru Wednesday. Find us at [villagescommunitychapel.org/](http://villagescommunitychapel.org/)

## 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. Gerad 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.*

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

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

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

## CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

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

**Lenten Books:** The little black Lenten Books, with daily meditations for Lent, will be distributed, free of charge, after the Villages Mass on March 3.

**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](mailto: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.

### More COMMUNITY NOTICES

#### Villages' AED Program

AEDs (Automated External Defibrillators) for use during cardiac emergencies in which a victim collapses and appears not to be breathing normally are located in the following locations:

1. Montgomery Center
2. Vineyard Center
3. Foothill Center
4. Cribari Center Lobby
5. Tennis Courts/Air Station
6. The Clubhouse
7. Cribari Pool
8. Fitness Center
9. Public Safety Patrol Vehicle

Please stop by to look at them and take note of the locations, as you may be called upon to bring the defibrillator to the emergency scene or assist in other ways.

Sudden Cardiac Arrest (SCA) is a condition in which the heart quivers instead of effectively pumping blood throughout the body and strikes 325,000 people of *all* ages every year. AEDs are the definitive treatment for this condition, but for each minute that passes before defibrillation therapy reaches a victim, the chances for survival decrease by 10 percent. The American Heart Association estimates that 40,000 lives can be saved each year with AEDs that reach victims within 3-5 minutes of collapse, which is why we are pleased to have an AED program on our campus. Once turned on, the AED will talk the responder through the steps of using the AED and applying chest compressions.

If you would like to take a voluntary CPR/AED class, please call Health Education Services for classes or for referrals at 800-754-9072.

The AED program exemplifies our commitment to safeguarding the health and welfare of all who work and visit these buildings. For more information or questions, please contact our AED Site Coordinator via phone or email: Tim Porter, [tporter@the-villages.com](mailto:tporter@the-villages.com), 408-239-5246 option 2.



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# SPORTS NEWS

## SHONIS

By Tom Zades

Tuesday, February 12 was chilly but dry, so 17 Shonis came out to play this morning. Conditions weren't really much better than February 5, per Captain Bonnie Evans, when the members of the "polar bear foursome" (as they called themselves) were the only hardy souls to brave the elements. During the rainy season, avid golfers are not going to miss many opportunities to play!



**Julianna Wahlgren, Shoni's Captain Trophy winner for February.**

The Captain's trophy for February went to Julianna Wahlgren for her net 23. Congratulations, Julianna! And kudos to Tricia Hardt for a nice 20-foot chip-in on hole #2. Alas, no birdies were reported today.

Are you in the Fast Lane? In addition to the Monday-Wednesday-Friday editions, a Tuesday Fast Lane was launched on February 5. Tuesday Fast lane is entirely dedicated to golf! Teddy Morse is sending in Shoni and other golf-related information for us. Check out the new local out-of-bounds and lost ball rules. Get updates on tournaments and Pro Shop programs. Be sure to read the golf tips from our pros. Get in the Fast Lane!

### Chip Shot:

Pro to guest golfer: "Did you play the course today?"

Guest: "Yes. I had a good game!"

Pro: "How did you find the greens today?"

Guest: "I just walked to the end of the fairways, and there they were!"

## TABLE TENNIS

### *Come, Rain or Shine!*

By Tony Berg

Whatever the weather the Montgomery Multipurpose Room is always dry and welcoming!

Drop in on the Ping Pong group any Wednesday afternoon between 3 and 5 p.m. and see why so many newcomers (or returning players) are finding an hour or so playing Ping Pong is good for keeping fit in any weather.

Ping Pong is the perfect way to get a little exercise with friendly and encouraging, like-minded people. Some of the Drop in Ping Pong players have never played before—but with no experience (or just fond memories of games played many years ago) everyone quickly gets the hang of things, joining in the fun and getting some useful exercise too. Often a patient and experienced member of the Table Tennis Club drops in to offer friendly advice and guidance. So don't hold back in fear of being out of your depth.

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

## 18-HOLE WOMEN

By Sue Daughtrey

Well another rainy day and for most, no golf. This particular day we gave up our lunch anyway because the Italian Club needed our club room to decorate for their Valentine's Day dinner dance. Just a few things to remind our members about upcoming events.

First of all, we will be (weather permitting) starting our EC cards the first Thursday in March. If you have any questions regarding the EC, please call Janice LeCompte or Lyn Strong.

The WGANC Open day here at The Villages will be on March 21. We are hoping that it will be a go this year. Please consider signing up for this fun event.

Other Open Days coming up are Almaden G&CC on March 5, Discovery Bay on March 5, Contra Costa Thursday on March 7 and Green Hills CC on March 7. You can sign up in the posting room.

If you have any questions in regard to Open Days, please call Dianne Doughty at 408-239-0714. Let's look forward to the sunshine!

## SWINGERS

By Pam McCarthy

Swingers...this article is as dismal as our cold and wet weather. There is very little to report. Even the Pro Shop was closed on Wednesday so the score cards could not be picked up. Please consider saving the date, Sunday, April 28 for the Annual Swinging for the Memories Classic benefiting the Alzheimer's Association of America held here at the Villages.

February 26: M & M Tournament

March 1: VGCC Meeting 9 a.m. Montgomery Center

March 12: General Meeting and Luncheon at the Clubhouse

April 16: Guest Day

May 9: Exchange Day at Stanford

## PICKLEBALL

### *Pickleball Club hosts USA Pickleball Association Ambassadors*

By Larry Martinson

On February 15, the Pickleball Club welcomed Michael and Princess Leong to The Villages. They represent the USA Pickleball Association as ambassadors for the San Jose region. During a lunch in The Bistro Garry Gray and Larry Martinson provided them with an update on the pickleball activities at The Villages and shared the vision for new dedicated pickleball courts. Mike and Princess expressed their desire to help the Pickleball Club in any way they can. After lunch they had planned a demonstration on courts 5 and 6, only to find it raining. Instead the group moved to the Clubhouse where they were joined by about 10 other Pickleball Club members who came to meet the ambassadors. They provided information about their role as ambassadors and how the sport is growing rapidly in the Bay Area and around the globe. Once we have dedicated pickleball courts, they said we would have an opportunity to host a state tournament which not only would benefit our Pickleball Club but provide positive visibility for The Villages and represent a large revenue generating opportunity for the Club food and beverages operations.



**Princess and Michael Leong**

Mike and Princess have agreed to come back to The Villages on April 2 to be the SIR #114 speakers. All Villagers are welcome to come hear their talk at 12:30 p.m. at the Clubhouse. In addition, there will be a demonstration by them afterwards at courts 5 and 6, weather permitting. See you then!

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

## MEN'S GOLF CLUB



## TENNIS TALK

By Kyle Finley (kylefinley@outlook.com), website [www.villagesgolfers.com](http://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. 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.

**Men's Club Tournament (T) Scores:** Please note the following update to the Green Book. All "postable" Men's Club tournaments will be posted as (T) tournament scores by the Pro Shop. The Veteran's Day tournament will be excluded as the format cannot be posted.

### Upcoming Events

The complete **2019 Tournament Schedule** and **2019 Home & Home Schedule** are available on the Men's Club website, [www.villagesgolfers.com](http://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, March 5. The meetings are open to all members. Also, remember to visit our website at [www.villagesgolfers.com](http://www.villagesgolfers.com) for the latest Men's Golf Club information.

By Cheryl Diltz

Let's begin this week's Tennis Talk with a really bad joke.

Q: How can you tell if your tennis opponent doesn't like your serve?

A: They keep returning it.

Tis the season for the rain and we sure have had our share. As I am writing this article, a nasty storm has begun and they are predicting rain for the next three to four days! Now I am not complaining but I wonder what everyone does when tennis has to be canceled due to the rain.

Maybe it is a signal that we should be taking some time out to relax and take a deep breath. Maybe this is the time to get caught up on things inside or maybe read a book that has been pushed aside for later or maybe take a walk in the rain. Or *not*. If nothing else it makes you appreciate when it is not raining and you get to play tennis again. Hallelujah.

The Villages Tennis Club Directory has been distributed and if you have not received your copy, please contact Wendy Ferguson at [lgpgat@aol.com](mailto:lgpgat@aol.com). Check out the inside page for all of the wonderful events scheduled for 2019.

Reminder: the Prescott/VMA Tournament is happening on March 16. The signup sheet is on the board at the Tennis Shack. You don't need to play tennis to take part in this charity event. Your presence at the viewing stand will be appreciated.



Wet courts mean no tennis.

## BOCCE NEWS



By Barbara Orlando

On February 9, members and friends gathered at the Clubhouse for our club's **Installation Dinner/Valentine's Day Dinner**. The evening started with socializing and then the Installation of all the newly elected officers by the membership this past November. "Thank you" to all the retiring officers who took part in an Appreciation ceremony. Also, thank you to Leona McCaskey, Gail Leslie and their committee for a great first-time event. Everyone really enjoyed the evening. Check out more photos of the Installation/Dinner on our club's website [www.villagesbocceclub.com](http://www.villagesbocceclub.com).



Friends Kathy Warren, Renee Woolard and Sheila Ryckewaert.

**Note:** The next social event for the year will be the club's BBQ/Bocce picnic at the Gazebo on Saturday, May 18 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Save the date and plan to have a great time with fellow members and friends.

**Boot Camp** has brought out some new players to bocce, but has been hit or miss because of all the rain. We have managed to get in a couple of days here and there. Everyone who has come out to play has received excellent instruction. A heartfelt "thank you" to all our bocce club's faithful volunteers. Our club couldn't do it without you. Only one more day of Boot Camp is left on Monday, February 25 from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. for those who haven't been able to get down to the courts. We're excited and look forward to seeing you there.

**The Beginners Tournament** is a one-day tournament on March 2 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. for anyone who attended Boot Camp this year and has become a member of the club. If you haven't signed up yet for this one-day tournament, please call Barbara at 408-300-1230 or Jeanne-Anne at 650-493-3638 to get on the list of players ASAP. We wouldn't want anyone to miss out. You'll be assigned a team and have an experienced non-playing Captain to guide you through the process. Everything is taken care of and all we need from you is the commitment to your team on tournament day. Even lunch is on us for those participating.

**Referee Training:** On February 27 from 11 a.m. to Noon, Michael Sunzeri will hold a training session for any bocce member interested in becoming a qualified referee. For questions contact Michael at [twosunzeris@comcast.net](mailto:twosunzeris@comcast.net).

**The first Bash of the season** is on Friday, March 8 from 3 to 5 p.m. Members and non-members are encouraged to come by and play bocce and socialize. Please bring your own beverage and an appetizer to share if you like. Gerri McCoid our Bash Director and her committee will be there to greet and help you sign up for playing. It's a great way to spend the afternoon!

**Spring Mixer** starts on Saturday, March 9 and finalizes Wednesday, April 24 with the Championship game. Your tournament coordinator is Jeanne-Anne Whitacre for any questions at 650-493-3638 or email at [jawhitacre@live.com](mailto:jawhitacre@live.com).



Retiring President Marion Logie, Court Manager Paul Andersen and newly installed President Barbara Orlando.

## IRONMEN

By Bill Travis

Thursday was a Black Flag day; we were rained out, so no scores to report. As we await more pleasant weather, please enjoy the following:

**Our deep thought and/or humor and/or history lesson for today—all quotes from Bob Hope:**

"Arnold Palmer has been a frequent pro-am partner...He's the biggest crowd pleaser since the invention of portable sanitary facilities...He's won as much money as I've spent on lessons. He told me how I could cut eight strokes off my score...skip one of the par 3s."

"I'm an international player, I can say 'shank' in 27 different languages."

"I never kick my ball in the rough or improve my lie in a sand trap. For that I have a caddie."

## Bocce Bash is back!

You're invited to play bocce, socialize, make new friends and have a great time on Fridays, starting March 8. Please bring your favorite beverage and an appetizer (optional) to share.

You will be greeted and helped to sign up for play by our club's friendly Bash Chair, Gerri McCoid and her committee.

Bash is on Fridays from 3 to 5 p.m. from Friday, March 8 and running through the end of October, weather permitting.

We hope to see you at the newly resurfaced bocce courts, which are located at Gazebo Park on Villages Parkway. Our courts are ADA accessible and restrooms are adjacent to Gazebo Park. Happy Rolling!



More SPORTS on pages 18 to 20

## Join the Tennis Club!



Jump Start - Get into the game  
Tournaments - Lots of Fun!  
Social - Meet other Tennis Players  
Ball Machine - Sharpen your skills  
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# SCOREBOARD

## MEXICAN TRAIN DOMINOES

### Wednesday, February 13

Sylvia Rozewicz	220
Vicky Linscott	245
Beverly Wharton	329
Joanne Bennett	340

### Friday, February 15

Kit Hultquist	143
Sylvia Rozewicz	189
Barbara Varner	239

## SWINGERS

### Tuesday, February 12

#### Flight One:

Corsello, Carleen	39
Woolard, Renee	40
Swenson, Laura	40
Mukuno, Joyce	41

#### Flight Two:

Levander, Bee	36
Hoek, Anka	38
Needham, Joan	38
Moore, Debbie	39

#### Flight Three:

Cho, Song	37
Rem, Joy	39
Lamanno, Linda	40
Waugh, Charlotte	42

#### Flight Four:

Shaikh, Batool	37
Reed, Nancy	40
Leonard, Pamela	40
Chastaine, Selma	40

## PINOCHLE

### Wednesday, February 6

Shirley Bellavance  
Donna Vivoli  
Shara Ferrera  
Pat Luebcke  
Harvey Gogol

### Friday, February 8

Pat Luebcke  
Phyllis Ogden Sagen  
Donna Vivoli  
Mike Cox

### Wednesday, February 13

Phyllis Ogden Sagen  
Harvey Gogol  
Duane Sagen  
Pat Luebcke

### Friday, February 15

Pat Luebcke  
Shirley Bellavance  
Mike Cox  
Harvey Gogol

## BRIDGE

### Monday, February 11:

1. Lorrie Scott/Mary LeGrand  
2. Marie Chong/Maureen Waltho  
3. Margaret McNelly/Sylvia Rozewicz

### Wednesday, February 13:

North-South: 1. Harvey Gogol/Marie Chong  
2. Cathy Struck/Lorrie Scott  
3. Joyce Davies/Stan Davies  
East-West: 1. Jonna Robinson/Mary LeGrand  
2. Dorothy Staehs/Suren Adodra  
3. Bharati Desai/Barbara Waldman

### Thursday, February 14:

1/2 tie: Marie Chong/Joe Henry and Art Lind/Louann Partridge.  
3. Jonna Robinson/Roy Tsai

## FROM THE PRO



By Scott Steele, PGA Head Golf Professional

**Swinging for Memories Golf Classic benefitting the Alzheimer's Association**— Sign up now! Our Second Annual Swinging for Memories Classic benefitting the Alzheimer's Association of America is Sunday, April 28. Entry forms available in the Pro Shop. Let's join together and fight this terrible disease!

**Callaway Chrome Soft Staff Bag Drawing**—Purchase one dozen Callaway Chrome Soft balls in February or March 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 April 1.

**February Re-Grip Special**—\$2 off Per Grip...Added 15% off for 8 or more grips. Includes Installation & 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!

**Spring DEMO Days**—Come and try the newest and latest golf clubs from the top manufacturers in golf! Sales technicians will be on site to provide expert club fitting and club selection advice.

**Taylor Made Demo Day.** Friday, March 8, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Taylor Made M5 & M6 with their proprietary Speed Injected Fast Twist clubface technology is used by more tour pros than any other woods!

**Ping Demo Day.** Friday, March 29 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Ping G410 now with movable weight technology to dial in your ball flight and spin characteristics

**Callaway + Cleveland/Srixon Demo Day.** Friday, April 12 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Callaway Epic Flash. The only driver awarded 20 out of 20 stars in the 2019 Golf Digest Hot List. The Epic Flash Driver employs a new Flash Face Technology, created by Artificial Intelligence, to help golfers get more ball speed for more distance.

**The Srixon Z 785 Driver** is 460cc with a tour preferred look and profile. It promotes the low-spin, penetrating trajectory that better players demand off the tee. Appeared on Golf Digest's 2019 Gold Hot List.

**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 2 club-lengths, no nearer the hole for a 2 Stroke Penalty.

### Tips from the Pro - Scott Steele

Did you know there are more than 80 different models of golf balls to choose from today? With so much selection the process of **selecting the right ball** for your game can be a little overwhelming. Should you play the same ball your favorite pro uses? What about those value packs... are they any good? Does it *even* make a difference which ball you tee it up with? These tips will help you **select the right ball** for your game...

**High Price doesn't mean high performance...** Today's premium golf balls can go for as much as \$5 a piece, but that doesn't mean they are best for your game. High-end golf balls tend to produce a lot of spin which can cause your drives to balloon and veer off target, and they also tend to scuff up very easily after just a couple of holes. Don't be afraid to try some of the mid or even low priced golf balls - you might be surprised at how much better they perform off the tee and how much longer they last.

Try these: Titleist Tour Soft or Velocity / Bridgestone E12 or E6 / Callaway Chrome Soft / Srixon Q-Star / Vovlick Vivid

**Don't be afraid to try something new...** If you have a slower swing speed (below 80 mph) you might want to try one of the golf balls designed for lower speed swings. The lower compression on these golf balls will help you gain distance on your drives and give you added feel around the greens. Don't worry about what your playing partners will think either—using low compression balls is a popular trend among lots of male players these days!

Try these: Titleist DT True Soft / Precept Laddie or Power Drive/ Callaway Super Soft / Srixon Soft Feel / Vovlick Crystal / Maxfli Noodle

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

## 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.

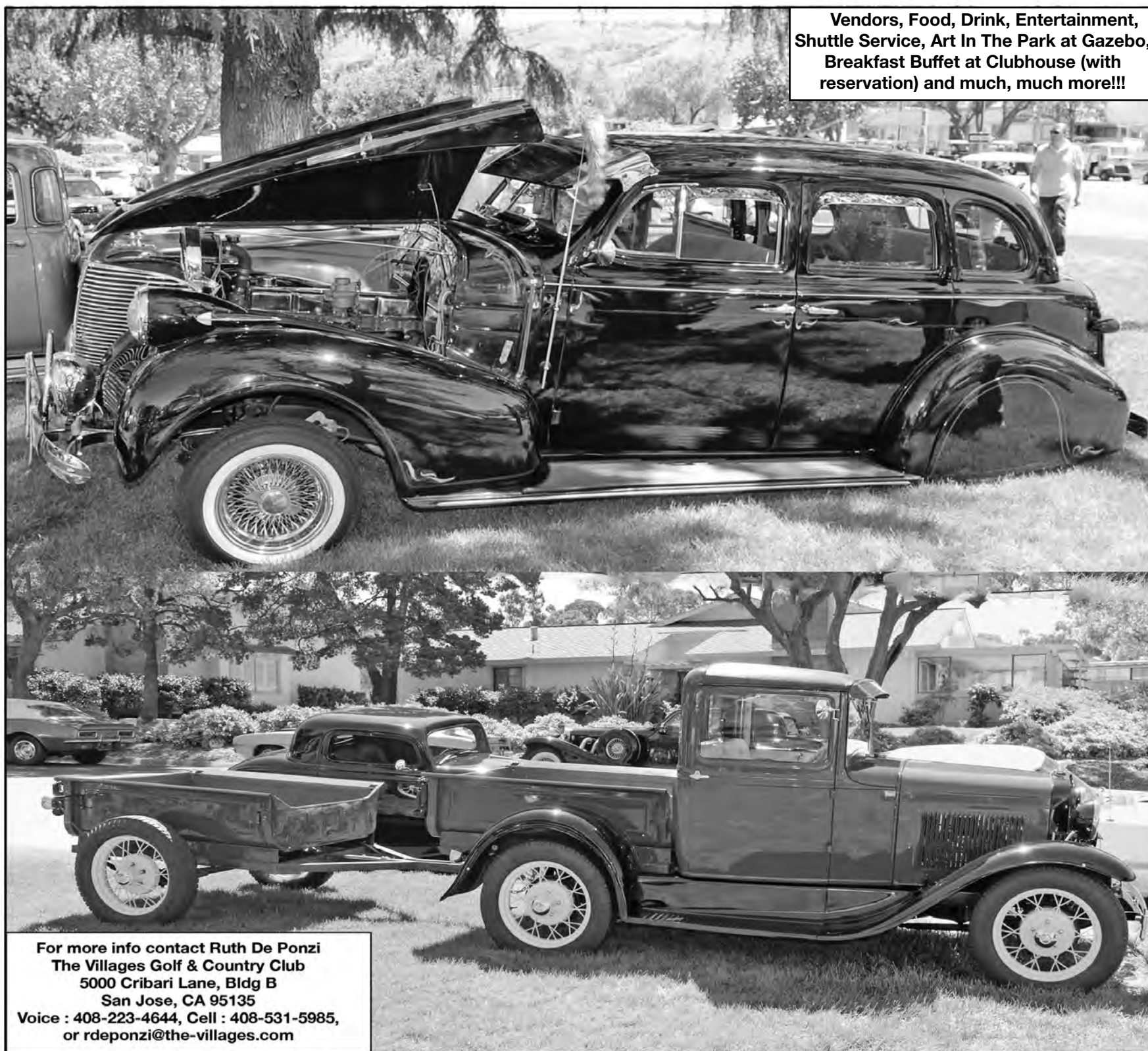
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# LANDSCAPE & MAINTENANCE

## MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE

### Cribari

5001-5058 and 5433-5446—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

5059-5089 and 5154-5195—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/25 to 3/1.

Olive tree clean up in progress.

North Perimeter Fence—Oleander hedge trimming in progress.

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

Gutter cleaning in progress.

### Del Lago

3349-3366 and 3414-3419—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

3401-3413 and 3420-3431—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/25 to 3/1.

E1 Irrigation controller cabinet replacement in progress.

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

### Estates

8809-8821—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

8822-8831—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/25 to 3/1.

### Fairways

4013 and 4015—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

4017 and 4019—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/25 to 3/1.

### Glen Arden

7839-7867—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

7698-7721—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/25 to 3/1.

Rodent exclusion in progress.

### Heights

8476-8481—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

8482-8489—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/25 to 3/1.

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

8406-8437—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

8400-8405 and 8438-8447—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/25 to 3/1.

Pinot Noir Ct; 8011-8020—Roof replacement scheduled for March, weather permitting.

8080—Mailbox repair scheduled for next week.

8121—Wood repairs scheduled for next week.

### Highland

7661-7679, 7692-7696, 7699 and 7701—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

7582-7594, 7680-7691, Findhorn and behind Caledonia—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/25 to 3/1.

Rodent exclusion in progress, weather permitting.

### Montgomery

6204-6213 and 6246-6281—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

6282-6294 and 6332-6357—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/25 to 3/1.

Whaley landscape irrigation retrofit in progress; plant removal scheduled to start next week.

Behind Whaley Drive—Tree removal in progress.

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

6275—Trash enclosure repairs in progress.

### Olivas

8665-8667, 8680-8690 and 8701-8712—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

8691-8700, 8713-8722 and 8763-8768—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/25 to 3/1.

Lower Lomas Azules pond re-plaster, in planning.

Dead/missing plant replacements in planning.

## 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.*



### Electronics: Working or not working

Electronic appliances, vacuum cleaners, computer remnants, blow dryers, electrical cords, etc. whether in good working condition or not, can be dropped off:

Greenmouse Recycling: 529 Race Street San Jose—408-464-9999

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Call ahead for store hours and directions.

## 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
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

2060-2064 and 2082-2087—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

2049-2059—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/25 to 3/1.

### Valle Vista

9037-9045 and 9070-9072—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

Parks and Banks—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/25 to 3/1.

Fire fuel brush clearing in progress.

9019—Mailbox replacement scheduled for next week.

### Verano

7227-7251—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

7200-7226—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 2/25 to 3/1.

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, in progress, weather permitting.

Spraying for weeds throughout the Villages in progress.

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

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.

Vineyard pool, spa and restrooms repairs scheduled for 2/22-2/23.

## 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

♠ K 10 5 4  
♥ K 10 4 3  
♦ Q 9 5 4  
♣ K

## EAST

♠ Q J 6  
♥ J 5 2  
♦ 7 6  
♣ A Q 8 4 3

## WEST

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

## SOUTH

♠ 9 7  
♥ A Q 9 8 7  
♦ A 10 2  
♣ 7 6 5

Dealer: West  
Vulnerability: None

Bidding: West	North	East	South
Pass	Pass	Pass	1 Heart*
Pass	3 Hearts	All Pass	

Contract: 3 hearts by South  
Opening Lead: Jack of Clubs

Dealer has maybe 2 losers in Spades, possibly a Heart and a Diamond loser, and some losers in Clubs.

Strategy: Need to trump the Club losers before pulling all the trumps. and try to set up the Diamonds after taking out the trumps.

West leads the Jack of Clubs, King from the board, East covers with the Ace, switches to the 7 of Diamonds, South, 2, and West wins with the King. He plays a Heart, East, the Jack, South, the Queen, then leads a Club, trumps it on the board, plays a Heart, and wins with the Ace. He follows with his last Club, trumps it on the board with the King. He next plays a Diamond to the Ace in his hand, and switches to the 9 of Hearts to collect the last trump. He then plays a Spade, West takes the trick with the Ace, follows with a Club, South sluffs a Spade from the board, trumps the Club in his hand, and now leads a Spade to the King on the board. He plays the good Queen of Diamonds, and leads his last card on the board, a Diamond, and trumps it in his hand. Great! The contract is made with an overtrick. This is a difficult game to bid since the opener only has 10 HCP.

\* Some players in the balancing seat (fourth seat) might pass. While other players might consider bidding since there have been three passes so far. Then that leaves the possibility of all the hands having about 10 HCP and that is enough for a partial game. Thus, these players will take the chance of bidding instead of allowing the deal to be passed out.

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The Lapidus Family took a New Year's Cruise. Included in the picture is Arlene and Bob Lapidus, their daughter Rachel Lapidus, son-in law Steve Morandi and grandchildren Oliver and Fiona.

## Village Voices...

(Continued from front page)

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 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.

## Along the Way—a trip down Memory Lane

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

Ever notice that the object you are least likely to find in the glove box of a car these days is a pair of gloves? During the early days of the automobile, before windshields and heaters, drivers of course had to wear gloves to keep their hands from freezing. In fact, for a long time used car ads included "R&H" or "R/H," meaning radio and heater. At some point, we knew we could take for granted that a used car had a radio and a heater. Power breaks and power steering had a similar arc. We take for granted now that the used car we are interested in has power steering and power brakes.

When the automobile was first being introduced, I think I would have joined the chorus of naysayers whose response was summarized in the classic "Get a horse!" I likely would have argued that we didn't need such a thing; that there were hardly any roads; that you needed to be a mechanic, or be able to afford one. You had to know how to play with the choke. You had to use a hand crank out front to get it started. You looked like a fool out there trying to start the automobile, with everyone laughing at you. It was too cold and windy to drive. Imagine taking your sweetheart out for a ride: Your hands are greasy from trying to get the car started; your girl loses her favorite hat to the wind. Frankly, sitting in a nice cozy horse-drawn carriage holding hands sounds way more romantic to me.



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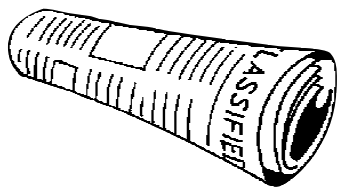
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Much remodeling.  
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**Real Estate  
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**COMING SOON:**

8358 Riesling Way 1571 Sq/Ft  
View of Golf  
Course-\$678,888.

**FOR RENT:**

6190 Gerdts 1 BR/1 Bath  
\$2,195.

**FOR SALE:**

8383 Riesling Way 1803 Sq/Ft  
Lake Front- \$799,000

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Thomasville Kit-\$789,000

Call Louanne: 408-887-5718  
Fireside Realty  
DRE0: 01858968

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**Real Estate  
Wanted**

**WANTED:**

**Rental-2 Bedroom & Den**  
1400+ sf. 2 car garage  
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The William Jefferies co  
408-202-1959  
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**WANTED—NEEDED!**

**Single Level End**  
Golf Course View  
Garage

Call: Sue Lassetter  
DRE# 01738576  
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"Your Go-to Gal"

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**Appliances**

**Appliance Repair  
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Trained, Licensed  
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All Major Brand Appliances  
Richard: 408-439-9645  
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**Automotive Repair**

**GOT DENTS?**

**Bumper Repair**  
Don: (408) 417-1630  
Mobile Service  
50% OFF!

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**Blinds**

**3 Day Blinds  
Drapes, Shutters, Shades,  
Blinds**

15 Years Experience  
President's Club  
Senior Discount  
Sal: 408-368-3745

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**Ferguson Carpet/Tile/  
Upholstery Cleaning**

References  
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**We Fix pc's / Macs  
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In business since 1988

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Custom Draperies, Blinds,  
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Over 25 Years Experience  
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Over 2,500 Villagers Installed

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**Master Maintenance  
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Villagers References  
Villages Resident

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**PINK LADIES  
HOUSE CLEANING SERVICE**

LICENSED, INSURED  
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**A Housecleaner  
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Reliable  
Weekly, Biweekly, Monthly  
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**The BEST  
Housekeeping Service!**

Thorough cleaning  
at affordable rates!  
Pet Friendly!  
Villages References!  
QUEEN OF CLEAN!  
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**Lucy's House Cleaning  
Professional Work**

Very Trustworthy  
24 years of experience  
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available)  
Licensed, Free Estimates  
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**Jewelry/Watches**

**CASH PAID**

**Gold Jewelry, Sterling,**  
Diamonds, Coins, Rolex  
Tom 1-408-607-7142

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**Landscape**

**GREENESCAPES**

**Complete Landscaping**  
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**LAUNDRY  
SERVICE**

**Atomic Laundry Service**

Wash, Fold, Free Delivery  
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**Moving/Storage**

**ZORN  
MOVING & STORAGE**

408-227-1744  
jameslzorn@yahoo.com  
Agents for National Van Lines

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**Painting**

**PAINTING**

**FAITH PAINTING  
408-281-7500**

7 min. from the Villages

Interior/Exterior  
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Acoustic (Popcorn) Removal  
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Competitive Price Matching  
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**Painting (cont.)**

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10% VILLAGER SPECIAL**

Friendly, Professional Service  
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Lic #726051  
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**McNerney's Painting  
Service**

Interior/Exterior  
Free Estimates, References  
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**PAINTING  
NEAT, RELIABLE, HONEST**

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INSURED

Drywall repair, Texturing,  
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References Available  
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**ALVCO PLUMBING  
One-Year Guarantee**

Serving the Villages  
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**Repair/Handyperson**

**REPAIR/  
HANDYPERSON**

**JEFF GUIBOR  
408-931-3317  
jeffguibor@hotmail.com**

Maintenance  
Interior/Exterior  
Kitchen, Bath  
Plumbing  
Electrical  
Painting  
Carpentry  
Lic. 749783  
Free Estimates

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**Repair/Handyperson  
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**NEED SOMETHING  
FIXED?**  
Call Guy DePonzi  
408-482-1466  
Electrical, plumbing,  
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**Senior In-Home  
Care (continued)**

**Competent, Compassionate  
Caregiver**  
Villages references  
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Sylvester: 669-258-8443  
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**Tax & Finance**

**Income Tax Preparation  
Myra J. Thompson, EA**  
Enrolled to Practice before  
IRS since 1981  
Pickup & Delivery if prefer  
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**Upholstery**

**Ricardo's Custom  
Upholstery**  
Working with customers in  
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**FREE STUFF**

**Double-end La-Z-Boy  
Recliner Sofa**  
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**Senior In-Home Care**

**SENIOR  
IN-HOME CARE**

**OUTSTANDING AND  
EXCELLENT  
Vista Verde Home Services**

Bonded, Licensed, Insured  
Hourly, Live-in, Transport  
Great References  
Free Assessment  
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bridging families  
and caregivers.**  
Reasonable price.  
Registered, Licensed.  
Excellent Village references.  
MILA: 408-660-6459  
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**Tile/Tiling**

**MARK'S FLOORS  
TILE**  
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FLOOR — SHOWER WALLS

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LIC. #720423  
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Villagers Favorite**  
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**48V Club Car Golf Cart  
New Battery 2016**  
Excellent Condition \$1,700.00  
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No weekly minimums!  
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Compassionate caregivers  
Free in-home consultation:  
schedule today!  
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AFFORDABLE RATES  
EXPERIENCED,  
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MANAGED BY  
VILLAGES RESIDENTS**  
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(650) 207-2442  
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**RIDE SERVICE  
APPOINTMENTS**  
AIRPORT, ERRANDS  
MANAGED BY VILLAGES  
RESIDENT  
Gene: 408-966-7703  
408-835-7355  
genemune@yahoo.com  
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**ITEMS  
FOR SALE**

**10-year-old Sun Cruiser  
Bike 26"**  
\$100  
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Good Condition  
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\$950  
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**Independent Provider  
Over 25 years experience**  
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Call Carol 238-6775**  
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Price low OBO.  
Penny Johnson  
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WANTED**

**Part-Time Display  
Advertising Sales  
Person Wanted**  
See job posting on  
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"About us" heading,  
"employment opportunities."  
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**Caregivers  
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Licensed, Bonded, Insured.  
Caregivers are employees,  
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12 years working at Villages  
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All Airports, SF Pier  
Appointments, Errands  
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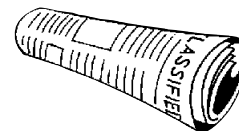
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Villages Resident  
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Prompt, Dependable  
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Anywhere,  
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**To Place a Classified Ad**

**Kory Tran:** 408-754-1341  
ktran@the-villages.com  
**Scott Hinrichs:** 408-223-4655 shinrichs@the-villages.com

Ad copy is due Monday at 10 a.m.  
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California State law mandates any  
contractor bidding for a job more  
than \$500 in parts and labor must  
be licensed. The Contractors State License Board (1-800-  
321-2752) may be contacted regarding any questions or  
concerns about a contractor.*



# OBITUARY

## Jewel Porter Wood

Jewel Porter Wood, "J.P." to his friends, died peacefully at home February 8, 2019 at the age of 93. He is survived by son Bennett Dean, daughters Donna Kaplan and Jill Phillips, grandsons Gregory Dean, Mitchel Dean, Russell Dean, Andrew Dean, and Scott Phillips, granddaughters Lisa Thompson and Kate Kurlas, sister Edith Word, 15 great grandchildren, nine great great grandchildren and countless friends. He is predeceased by his wife of 63 years Victoria Wood and wife of 10 years Betty Jane Wood, and his parents Nola and Ben Wood.



Born on July 11, 1925 in Kentucky, J.P. grew up in Indianapolis, Indiana one of nine children, and served in the United States Navy in WWII before moving to California with his wife and children. He retired as Vice President of Manufacturing after 28 years with Hussman Corporation where he was in charge of four plants. He moved to The Villages, with his wife in 1989. An avid golfer, he golfed around the world, scored his age into his 80s, once made two consecutive holes-in-one and was an active member of the golf community, member of Masons, High 12 and SIR.

J.P. will be remembered by many for his kind, generous spirit and sense of humor. A "Celebration of Life" will be held February 25, 11:00 a.m., Oak Hill Funeral Home, 300 Curtner Avenue, San Jose in The Chapel of the Roses. Those wishing to honor J.P. are encouraged to make a donation to The American Cancer Society or The Alzheimer's Society.

## 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 with 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.

# The Villager Classified Ad Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Fill out your ad here. Be sure to include contact information. Phone numbers, email addresses, websites, and symbols (&, +, @, etc.) are counted as one word. Hyphenated words are counted as two words. Please print clearly. Please see boxed information below for pricing. For more information, please contact Kory at ktran@the-villages.com or 408-754-1341.

### Select Category:

- REAL ESTATE
- NOTICES
- PERSONALS
- CARS/CARTS
- HELP WANTED
- WANTED
- ITEMS FOR SALE
- FREE STUFF
- LOST & FOUND

- OTHER CATEGORY  
*(Please specify)*
- VILLAGES BUSINESS DIRECTORY  
*(Must fit in two lines)*

### Additional Options:

- Placement in Box  
(\$15 in addition to ad)
- Premium Box/Placement  
(\$20 in addition to ad)

### SERVICES

- Appliances
- Automotive Repair
- Senior Care Facilities
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- Computers
- Electrical
- Landscape
- Errands/Odd Jobs
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- Heating & A/C
- Flooring
- Remodeling
- Housecleaning
- Legal/Professional
- Plumbing
- Moving/Storage
- Painting
- Remodeling
- Repair/Handyperson
- Window Cleaning
- Tax/Finance/Insurance
- Transportation

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*(Other suggested custom heading)*

### Payment:

All ads are \$1.25 per word (minimum 10 words), except for "Items for Sale" and "Free stuff" ads (75 cents per word), to be paid in advance by check or money order. Credit cards not accepted. Make checks/money orders payable to: **The Villager**. Villages residents may charge ads to their Villages accounts. Please take payments to the Villager office in Building B.

### Deadlines:

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

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Amount per week: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ # of weeks: \_\_\_\_\_

Issue Date(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Total Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Bill: \_\_\_\_\_

*please join us*

February the month for love and health!  
How do they connect? Come find out.

*when*

Saturday, February 23rd  
at 4:00 P.M.

*where*

Dr. Sanayei's dental office  
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