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See Matinee Theatre's 'Golden Girls'

Did you ever watch the "Golden Girls" television series featuring Bea Arthur, Rue McClanahan, Betty White and Estelle Getty? And, are you STILL watching this popular show on Hallmark Channel every night? The Golden Girls aired on NBC for seven seasons from 1985 to 1992, and shows how no matter our age, one can be full of laughter, sarcasm and joie de vivre.

So, here's your chance to see and hear two delightful episodes live on Friday, September 20 at 4 p.m. at Cribari Auditorium. And the best thing is this will all be free! Hope to see you there!

Villages Voices celebrate a new season with open house

Come sing along at the Villages Voices Open House event to be held this Wednesday, September 11 at 6:30 p.m. in Foothill Center.

We will begin our evening with a party to welcome returning members and introduce interested prospective new members.

After this, our Director, Ken Carter and Associate Director, Susan Ahlgrimm will lead us as

we begin to rehearse the music selected for our ever-popular Veterans Day Concert. No auditions are required.

We look forward to see new and familiar faces!



Aileen Reid, membership chairperson and Janis Hubbs, co-president of Village Voices

Flu Shot Clinics Reminder

The VMA-sponsored flu shot clinics will be held **Thursday, September 12** and **Tuesday, September 17** from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Foothill Center. In order to receive a shot you must have pre-registered. The shots are covered by Medicare Part D and provided by Walgreens. Kaiser patients will be charged \$25. For further questions, contact Cristina Freyer at 408-238-4029.

See 'Miss Saigon' at Broadway San Jose

"Miss Saigon" is a beautiful musical and story...if you have not seen this, don't miss this time! The date is Saturday, November 16 for a 2 p.m. matinee in wonderful balcony seating! The cost per person is \$138. We will depart the Villages at 12:30 p.m., so arrive at the Redwood Room by 12 p.m. to receive your tickets. Register in the Community Resource Center, Building B beginning Monday, September 9. The Clubhouse will offer a 10 percent discount for dinner with your ticket. Call for reservations!

Adapted from Puccini's operatic tragedy "Madama Butterfly," it's a stunning love story, a gritty war drama and an all-out cabaret piece wrapped up in one. With impeccable singing and set design working hand-in-hand to bring the hardship and passion of Alain Boublil and Claude Schonberg's legendary musical to life, this incredible 25th-anniversary revival production is an enchanting and evocative theatrical experience; one you won't forget in a hurry. The centerpiece of the show is, of course, the spectacular helicopter scene, which has been thoroughly revamped for this production, and employs a stunning mix of projections, lighting and a to-scale model that descends from the rafters, rotor blades spinning!

Set in the final days of the Vietnam War, "Miss Saigon" charts the burgeoning romance of an American GI, Chris, and a vulnerable local girl, Kim, who works in a steamy Saigon go-go bar. From the moment they meet, Chris is immediately drawn to her, determined to protect her from the horror surrounding them.

After spending the night together, Chris and Kim realize they cannot ignore how strongly they both feel and pledge their love to each other. However, not even their love is enough to keep the Vietnam War at bay forever, and when Saigon falls, Chris is forced to flee the country. Kim awaits Chris' return for years—but he has since found a new wife back in America. Will Chris return to Kim, or abandon the life they created to the mercy of the Viet Cong?

Comic/Impressionist Ken Block brings the funny to the Clubhouse

Ken Block is one of the most versatile comics/impressionists on the scene today. If you need proof, check out his website! With over 100 impressions ranging from singers, comedians, politicians, television and movie stars in his repertoire you are sure to be entertained. Ken has a versatile combination of comic impressions, standup comedy and musical parodies perfectly suited for our audience at the Villages.

Ken will be coming from Las Vegas to entertain us on Friday, October 11 at the Clubhouse. Cocktails begin at 5:30 p.m., dinner at 6 p.m., with Ken taking the stage following dinner.

We will enjoy a wonderful buffet with Chicken Marsala, Filet of Salmon Buerre Blanc and Chateaubriand Carving Station...assorted rolls, Caesar Salad, Fresh Fruit, Mediterranean Pasta Salad, Rice Pilaf, Seasonal Vegetables, Dessert, Coffee and Hot Tea.

Get a table together and sign up in the Community Resource Center, Building B. The cost per person is \$84.



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.

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

Note: Pulse authors are solely responsible for the statements and opinions contained in the Pulse letters. The Villager does not verify the accuracy of all statements.

I am a frequent user of our Fitness Center. I make it a part of my daily routine. I am not opposed to those who need to watch the "talking heads" express their political views. As an avid sports fan, I also like to watch "sports" in their entirety. Not the way it is portrayed on the center TV. (A little of this and a little of that).

I would like to have background music run through the center TV. Should be "free" available through our provider. Every gym I've been in has music. I'm not asking for anything "crazy," just background music. This will enhance the atmosphere and help drown out some of the unmentionable noises.

Why not try it for one month and see how it is received? I don't recall ever seeing any survey including "music." Remember, change can also be an improvement. Especially in this case.

Please consider my recommendation. It's not out of the question. Just a normal request that will improve our wonderful Fitness Center.

—Geri Wilk

Attention Hikers: A Special Request

The Villages' 550 acres of open space, otherwise known as our hill lands, are becoming more and more popular with both hiking club groups and individual hikers. Because of this the small parking lot next to the "Upper Gardens" can get quite full especially in the earlier morning hours. On occasion, gardeners who are hauling equipment and supplies find no place to park in the lot near the garden entry. Because of this, the Garden Club is requesting that hikers consider parking in the circle at the end of Village View Drive. It would add only a short distance to your hike and the gardeners would be most grateful.

—Upper Garden Club Committee

Many of my village friends have expressed concerns that *The Villager* was again becoming the RAG it was in bygone years. When I first moved here, approximately 15 years ago, *The Villager* was nothing more than an advertising sheet with no commentary about board actions or builder complaints. During the early years, independent villager news organizations formed, with writers attending board meeting, reporting in independent journals as to what was going on. I notice the only Pulse letters making it to publication, were those, which praise the employees or management. No controversy allowed and everyone must conform or be ostracized was the tone of the publication. Rules, rules and more rules was the mantra of the day. A reminder, without the Pulse forum we may have had a dog run in front of the Clubhouse or a fitness center next to the golf range. Unless you have an open news forum, closed groups, including employees will take control of the lifestyle you enjoy here. The Pulse forum allows Villagers to be aware of what concerns the writer, thus making the concern relevant to Villagers when warranted.

—William Swintek

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.

IN MEMORIAM

In Memoriam notices are run free of charge.

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

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

DEADLINES

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

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, Debbie Champion at 408-960-6994, Barbara Karayn 202-641-6339, Lou Lively-Singh 408-838-5555, Pamela Oliver-Lyons 408-693-9250, and Alice Tyler at 408-223-1735.

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

EVF invites you to complimentary wine reception



For the past 10 years, the Evergreen Villages Foundation (EVF) has played a major role in enhancing the quality of life here at The Villages. Through the contributions of members who are Villagers just like you, the EVF has been involved in over 25 community improvement projects. These projects include assisting with the Clubhouse Renovation, the Bistro patio extension, and the Cribari Center Plaza. They are just a few of the many projects that the EVF has participated in that improved our facilities for the benefit of all Villagers.

The Evergreen Villages Foundation is announcing a new chapter in its evolution to guide its next 10 years, "Welcome to Tomorrow." We encourage you to join us for an exciting event to hear more. Save the date, Tuesday, October 1, from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m., for a complimentary wine reception in the Clubhouse Ballroom. We'll celebrate the amazing accomplishments the members of the EVF have enabled over the years and announce a new program that will benefit EVF members and the entire Villages community. Watch The Villager and Fast Lane in the coming weeks for more details.

Villages Age Certification Survey and Association Smoke and CO Detectors Statement of Compliance

By Julia Meadows, Assistant General Manager

By now you should have received the biennial age certification for all residents and for residents of The Villages Association (condos) the annual Association Smoke and CO Detectors Statement of Compliance.

Age Survey: To continue our community's status as a senior community, The Villages must comply with the state and federal laws that govern California senior housing developments. The Villages Association and Homeowners' Corporation must conduct periodic surveys (every other year) to verify and document that the community is in compliance. Failure to satisfy the legal requirements may result in a determination that our community is not a lawful senior community and, therefore, means that we must allow persons of all ages to live here.

In order to fulfill the requirements imposed upon the Corporations, one resident of your condominium or home must complete and sign the Age Certification (under penalty of perjury). Please note that if you are an offsite owner, you must have one of the tenant(s)/resident(s) complete and sign the Certification. Offsite owners are responsible for ensuring completion and return of the Certification by one of their tenant(s)/resident(s).

Smoke and CO Detectors Statement of Compliance: In order to fulfill the requirements of The Villages Association Policies APo 408 Smoke Detectors Installations, Maintenance, Repair and Replacement and APo 410 Carbon Monoxide (CO) Detectors, each owner is required to inspect (or have inspected by a third party) his or her villa on an annual basis to ensure their detectors(s) are in working order.

State and local laws require a smoke detector in each sleeping room and in the hallway and a carbon monoxide detector to be installed outside of each separate dwelling unit sleeping area. Per the policies, the replacement of smoke detectors is required every ten years and replacement of CO detectors is required every five years. In addition, a statement of compliance shall be demonstrated annually.

Please complete and return the Age Certification (all residents) and Smoke and CO Detectors Compliance forms (for condo residents) on or before October 1, 2019. You may either mail the completed document back to us at:

The Villages
Attention: Age Certification/Detector Compliance
5000 Cribari Lane
San Jose, CA 95135

or drop it in the box located at Building A. (For convenience, additional drop boxes are available; 1) Cribari Center just outside the Post Office and 2) in the parking lot adjacent to Building A.)

We appreciate you taking the time to complete and return these important forms. Please be assured that the information that you provide is used strictly for the Corporation's records and to document our community's compliance with applicable laws and the Association's governing documents. A summary of the age survey results (not including names or addresses) will be made available following completion of the survey.

If you have any questions, please contact the Public Safety Administration Office at 239-5246. Thank you for assistance with this very important matter.

WOW! Are you ready for Monday, September 9?

On Monday, September 9, at 10 a.m. in the Clubhouse ballroom, join us for the next Welcome to our Website (WOW) event. Bring your laptop, tablet or smartphone to explore how to use these Villages self-service features.

See how to:

- Make a Clubhouse restaurant reservation
- Pay your HOA dues
- Place a maintenance work order
- Notify the Public Safety gatehouse of incoming visitors

Why do this? Not only will it make it simpler for you, reducing the number of phone calls lets our staff work more efficiently.

At the WOW event, our one on one training makes it easy to set all this up on your phone or tablet. Simplify your life!

We schedule a WOW event every eight weeks, but even if you have attended a previous event, feel free to come back for a refresher — and light refreshments. We are here to help!

EVF FOCUS

Whose job is it, anyway?

By Diana Hallock, EVF Director

Why do we need the Evergreen Villages Foundation (EVF)? Don't our HOA fees cover all the projects here at the Villages?

Why should I give? The Villages and our monthly fees do cover the basics but just like dinner without dessert or a dog without a wagging tail, EVF provides many of the enhancements that make The Villages extra special. The Foothill Center was beautiful but the afternoon sun meant it was hot and difficult to watch presentations. The shutters provided by



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More BOARDS & COMMITTEES,
MANAGEMENT and COMMUNITY
NOTICES on pages 4, 5 & 27

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MANAGEMENT

PUBLIC SAFETY

Time for 2020 Telephone Directory updates

It is time for input for the 2020 Villages Telephone Directory. If you want to update your information, please contact Public Safety Administration (Building C) at 408-239-5246, option 2, as soon as possible.

The deadline for any changes for the 2020 Telephone Directory is Friday, September 13, 2019.

What to do with that leftover paint that's been sitting in your garage?



The answer to that question can be answered Saturday, September 28 if you take it to the household paint drop-off event to be held at the Capitol Caltrain Station Park & Ride at 3400 Monterey Highway (at the corner of Fehren Drive) in San Jose (95111).

The collection hours are from 8 a.m. to noon on Saturday, September 28. Event is for one day only.

Event sponsor, PaintCare*, would like you to register and inform them of your expected arrival time by visiting the website: sanjose928-paint.eventbrite.com

This collection event is open to both households and businesses. Households may bring any amount of paint, stain and varnish.

Paint must be sealed in original container with the original manufacturer's label.

The following items will be accepted: House paint and primers (latex or oil-based), stains, deck and concrete sealers, clear finishes (such as varnishes and shellacs).

Do not bring: Leaking, unlabeled or empty containers, aerosol spray paint or containers larger than five gallons in capacity. Please do not bring other hazardous wastes such as paint thinner, solvents, motor oil, spackle, glue, adhesives, roofing tar, pesticides or cleaning chemicals.

*Paint manufacturers created PaintCare to provide convenient places to recycle leftover paint, such as paint retail stores and paint drop-off events. To learn more or find a year-round PaintCare drop-off site near you, visit: www.paintcare.org or call 855-PAINT09 (855-724-6809).

GOLF COURSE REPORT

For the week of August 26 through September 1: In an effort to clean up the upper lake on #7, the waterfall will be turned off for 10 days or more beginning next week. This will allow the use of products to combat the duckweed, submergible weeds, and algae while not compromising the water needed to irrigate the golf course. Another reminder: Greens Aeration is coming up on September 23 and 24.

Questions for Comcast?

Comcast/Xfinity will be on site as a courtesy from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on the Thursdays listed below. This is your chance to ask questions about your existing service or if you want to upgrade your service they can help you with this as well.

September 5, 12, and 26; October 3 and 10 in Montgomery Center.

Missed your Villager?

If you missed delivery of your weekly copy of *The Villager*, please call 408-223-4655 to report it. (Please do not call before 11:30 a.m.)

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

Get in the Fast Lane!

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

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GOVERNANCE MEETINGS

THE DACs

Cribari DAC to meet September 9

The next Regular Cribari DAC meeting is scheduled for Monday, September 9 at 7 p.m. in the Cribari Conference Room. Representatives from our neighborhood firehouse will be in attendance to give a presentation on fire prevention.

Open Q & A session with General Manager and Presidents of The Villages 3 corporate Boards

Please save the date! Scheduled for Thursday, September 19 from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m., in Vineyard Center, is an open Q and A session with The Villages Board Presidents and General Manager Tim Sutherland. All Villagers are invited and encouraged to attend.

More COMMUNITY NOTICES

(SRS) SENIOR RESOURCE SERVICES

Free special needs phones

A free phone? Yes, really! This is not a scam.

Are you hearing impaired or have low vision? If you do, you qualify for a free telephone equipped with special features designed to assist you with your vision or hearing deficiencies. The free telephone program is sponsored by the California Public Utilities Commission.

Unlike other assistance programs, a specific income minimum is not necessary for you to qualify for a free phone. Also, you do not have to be a certain age to qualify. What is

needed is that there must be a recognizable medical need.

A medical professional must certify you are deaf, hard of hearing, speech impaired, blind, cognitively impaired, have low vision, or restricted mobility. A licensed medical doctor, audiologist, optometrist or hearing aid dispenser may make the certification.

To apply for the program, the two-page application form is available at the SRS office. You complete the first page – which is basically your name, address, phone number and preferred language. The medi-

cal professional completes the second page – which is also very short. If you wish to print the form yourself, it is available at ddtp.cpuc.ca.gov

After mailing in the application, you will be contacted to determine the equipment best suited to your needs. Curious to see the equipment? You can see the type of telephones available at ddtp.cpuc.ca.gov. Click on equipment. The phones are organized by five categories: Specialized Devices for People with Difficulty...Hearing, Seeing, Moving, Speaking, Learning or Remembering.

For example, one of the telephones for those with hearing difficulties allows for volume up to 50 decibels and the ringer volume can be set to 122 decibels. It is important for all of us to keep in contact with our family and friends. Make sure your telephone is user-friendly for you.

Note: The Senior Resource Services (SRS) office hours for drop-in assistance are Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 10 a.m. to noon. The SRS office is in the Cribari Center across from the Post Office. You may also leave a message at 408-239-5253. The purpose of SRS is to provide education and general business and financial information. All assistance is free and confidential. You should ask your professional adviser about your individual situation.

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, September 24, at 9:15 a.m. in Foothill Center.

The Villages Association Board of Directors regular monthly meeting will be held Tuesday, September 24, directly after the Study Session in Foothill Center.

Club

The Villages Golf and Country Club Board of Directors regular meeting will be held Tuesday, September 24, at 1:30 p.m. in Foothill Center.

Please Note: At the August 27 Villages Golf and Country Club Board meeting, the Board approved a trial period to consolidate two monthly meetings into one business meeting. Study sessions will be scheduled if determined necessary. No September Study Session is scheduled at this time.

SRS Announcement:

Introducing a new 1040-SR return

Many taxpayers complained about the half-page 1040 return with small print last year. The IRS has issued the draft of a new tax return—form 1040-SR. SR stands for senior. The font is larger than last year's returns and the shading in boxes has been removed to improve the contrast and increase legibility.

Using the new form won't be mandatory, but the IRS believes it will be user-friendly for many seniors. You can peek at the form at www.irs.gov/DraftForms

The 1040-SR form is basically for people who are doing a paper filing of their return. If you use one of the computer programs to file, you probably won't see the new SR form.

Beginning September 17 in the Clubhouse Restaurant and Bistro: New To-Go Curbside Service Program

The new service features: • Lower service charge of 10 percent • Reserved parking spot • Delivery to your parked car • Dedicated attendant • Dedicated phone number



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CURBSIDE PICKUP

Phone Ordering	Order Pickup
<p>1. Call 408-370-8553</p> <p>2. Place Order</p> <p>Menus can be found online at: www.thevillagesgcc.com/restaurant-menus</p>	<p>1. Call 408-370-8553 and tell employee you have arrived</p> <p>2. Food will be delivered to your vehicle.</p>

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Friday, September 6

8:30 a.m.	Jazzercise	A
8:45 a.m.	Friday Mass	CR
9 a.m.	Game Day	RED, SEQ
9 a.m.	Villages Golf Committee	MC
9 a.m.	9 Hole Women Meeting	CH
9:30 a.m.	Ceramics	CER
9:30 a.m.	Open Studio	AR
9:45 a.m.	Tai Ji Quan	FC
10 a.m.	Line Dance	MMP
10 a.m.	Quilters	P
12 p.m.	Chinese Club Cooking	FC
1 p.m.	Bocce Captains Meet	MC
1 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
3 p.m.	Bocce Bash	BC
3 p.m.	Hand Bell Rehearsals	CR
6 p.m.	Mexican Train Domino	MC
7 p.m.	Theater Rehearsals	A

9:30 a.m.	Ceramics	CER
9:30 a.m.	EPC Sect. Chiefs & Dirs.	FC
10 a.m.	Jewish Group Board	MC
10 a.m.	Cardio Class	A
10 a.m.	Drawing Class	AR
10 a.m.	Line Dance	MMP
10 a.m.	Republican Club Board	BGA
10 a.m.	WOW Event	CH
10:30 a.m.	Grief Support	P
10:30 a.m.	Fitness Center Comm.	F
1 p.m.	Open Studio	AR
1 p.m.	Stitchery	P
1:30 p.m.	News Junkies	CR
2 p.m.	Theater Rehearsal	A
4:30 p.m.	Dance Class	FC
6:30 p.m.	Duplicate Bridge	RED
6:45 p.m.	Yoga	MMP
7 p.m.	Camera Club Orient.	FC
7 p.m.	Cribari DAC	CR

10 a.m.	Total Body Fitness	A
10:30 a.m.	VMA Adv. Care Dir.	CR
10:30 a.m.	Hadassah	MC
1 p.m.	Senior Academy	FC
1 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
1:30 p.m.	Movie: Megan Leavey	CR
2 p.m.	Theater Rehearsals	A
3:30 p.m.	EVF Board	P
4:30 p.m.	Dance Class	FC
6 p.m.	Mexican Train Domino	MC
7 p.m.	Global Village Comm.	P
7 p.m.	Village Voices Rehearsal	FC
7 p.m.	Yoga	VC

Saturday, September 7

9 a.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
9 a.m.	Bocce Challenge	BC
9:30 a.m.	Ceramics	CER
9:30 a.m.	Ticket Sales	L
9:30 a.m.	Ukulele Singing	SEQ
10 a.m.	Chapel Choir Retreat	CR
10 a.m.	Dog Club	RED
2 p.m.	Chinese Cooking Class	MC

Tuesday, September 10

8:45 a.m.	Swingers/Pinseekers	GC
9 a.m.	Game Day	RED, SEQ
9:30 a.m.	Ceramics	CER
9:30 a.m.	VMA Hearing Aid C&C	MC
10 a.m.	ADL/Parkinson Class	A
10 a.m.	Ukulele - Advanced	P
10 a.m.	Line Dance	MMP
10 a.m.	Village Voices Music	F
11 a.m.	SIR 38/114 BBQ	GP
11 a.m.	Long 9 Women Lunch	CH
11:30 a.m.	Walking Class: Indoors	A
11:30 a.m.	Yoga for Golf	MMP
12 p.m.	Acrylics & Oil Studio	AR
1 p.m.	Bocce Club Board	CR
1 p.m.	Montg. DAC - Paint	F
2 p.m.	Crafters Club	VC
2 p.m.	Piano Open Studio	A
2 p.m.	Theater Rehearsals	MC
3:45 p.m.	Village Voices Board	F
4 p.m.	Water Fitness	FP
5 p.m.	Music Society Board	F
5 p.m.	Fairways DAC	P
5:30 p.m.	Bandini Patrol Mixer	CH
6:45 p.m.	Band Rehearsal	A
7 p.m.	Art Film	VC
7 p.m.	Chapel Bible Study	MC
7 p.m.	Amateur Radio Potluck	FC
7 p.m.	Brandies Israel Study	CR

Sunday, September 8

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
5:30 p.m.	Fairweather Social	VC
7 p.m.	Theater Rehearsals	A

Monday, September 9

8:30 a.m.	Jazzercise	A
9 a.m.	9 Hole Women Board	VC
9 a.m.	18 Hole Women Board	CR
9 a.m.	Game Day	RED
9 a.m.	Game Day	SEQ

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	

Wednesday, September 11

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 Ji Quan	VC

Thursday, September 12

9 a.m.	Flu Shots	FC
9 a.m.	Game Day	RED, SEQ
9 a.m.	Swimming Pool Comm.	CR
9:30 a.m.	Ceramics	CER
9:30 a.m.	Watercolor Class	AR
10 a.m.	Finance Committee	BGA
10 a.m.	Line Dance	MMP
10 a.m.	Communications Comm.	F
10 a.m.	Walking Class	A
11 a.m.	Comcast Customer Serv.	CR
11 a.m.	Men's Golf Lunch/Dinner	CH
11:30 a.m.	Yoga for Golf	MMP
12:30 p.m.	18 Hole Women Lunch	CH
1 p.m.	Ukulele Club	VC
1 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
2 p.m.	Chapel Bible Study	MC
3 p.m.	Chapel Choir Rehearsal	CR
4 p.m.	Water Fitness	FP
5:30 p.m.	Hiking Club BBQ	GP
6 p.m.	Bridge Club	RED
6 p.m.	Camera Club Class	MC
7 p.m.	Theater Rehearsal	A
7:15 p.m.	Brandeis Discussion	CR

Friday, September 13

8:30 a.m.	Jazzercise	A
8:45a.m.	Catholic Mass	CR
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 Ji Quan	VC
10 a.m.	Line Dance	MMP
10 a.m.	Quilters	P
1 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
1:30 p.m.	Opera Movie	VC
1:30 p.m.	Chapel Fellowship	A
3 p.m.	Bocce Bash	BC
3 p.m.	Hand Bell Rehearsal	CR
6 p.m.	Mexican Train Domino	MC
6:30 p.m.	Karaoke/Mahjong	RED
7 p.m.	Theater Rehearsal	A
7:15 p.m.	Brandeis Discussion	CR

Look What's Coming

Mark your calendars and watch The Villager for details on upcoming events! Register in Building B.

Date	Event	In Villager	Registration
9/8	Wicked - San Jose		SOLD OUT
9/10	Marin Adventures		CANCELED
9/29	Giants vs. Dodgers		SOLD OUT
10/9	Salesforce Tour	9/5	9/9
10/11	Illusionist/Impersonator		NOW
10/13	USS Potomac - Fleet Week		SOLD OUT
10/23	Salesforce Tour	9/19	9/23

EVF Focus...

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your neighbors through EVF enhanced that facility for all of us. The Bistro patio was nice but the EVF-sponsored fire pit adds that extra bit of ambiance. The Clubhouse renovation was quite nice but the artwork, light fixtures and other decorator touches made it gorgeous! Whose job is it? It's my job, and one I'm glad to do. See all the EVF projects at www.evfsj.org

Can Jazzercise help keep your brain young?

By Barbara Tommaney

According to a recent study of brain activation patterns in older adults, physical fitness may be critical for maintaining a youthful and nimble brain. The University of Kansas Alzheimer's Center wanted to see if they could determine how much exercise is needed to improve the ability to think. They recruited 101 sedentary seniors, at least age 65, who were generally healthy. Then they subjected them to a series of tests including measurements of aerobic capacity and how well they could remember and think. The volunteers were randomly assigned to four groups. People in the control group continued their normal lives while one group were assigned 75 minutes per week of aerobic exercise. Another group was assigned to exercise 150 minutes per week, and the final group was directed to exercise 225 minutes per week. After 26 weeks all the volunteers returned to the labs for a repeat of the original tests.

At this point they found marked differences in the group. The more someone exercised, the more his or her endurance capacity increased. They also found that exercisers showed improvement in their thinking skills, ability to control their attention, and to create visual maps in their heads.

The encouraging takeaway from this study is that aerobic exercise helps keep the brain young. We are fortunate here in The Villages to have a program that provides a 60-minute workout three times a week. The instructor is an experienced exercise leader skilled in conducting classes for individuals with a wide range of ability and fitness levels. Join Jazzercise any Monday, Wednesday or Friday at 8:30 a.m. in Cribari Auditorium. The first session is complimentary. We look forward to having you join us. Questions? Call Herito at 408-238-7511 or Kay at 408-223-7948.

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 8:30 a.m. from Foothill Center.

Saturday, September 7 - TBD

Wednesday, September 11 (Rambler): Los Alamitos Creek. Sy Gelman (408-532-1239) will lead a rambler hike along Los Alamitos Creek Trail. Starting from Almaden Lake, the trail follows Los Alamitos Creek on mostly level ground. Hike mileage is 3-4 miles. Auto mileage is about 30 miles round trip. Lunch nearby is an option.

Saturday, September 14: Johanna and Wate Bakker (408-223-2190) will lead 3-4 and 6-7 mile hikes respectively along the beautiful shoreline of Pacifica from Linda Mar beach to Mori Point and Sharp Park beach respectively, with beautiful ocean views from Mori point and the beaches. Some of the trails on Mori point are rather rugged to provide a challenge for the long hikers. Parts of the trail are paved. On the way back, we will stop for lunch at the Moonraker restaurant in Rockaway beach, which has beautiful sea views and seafood to match. Wear seasonable clothes, walking sticks are recommended, bring water and a snack. Round trip car mileage 100.

Wednesday, September 18 (Rambler): Lower Hills Hike. Johanna Bakker (408-223-2190) will lead a hike in the lower hills. We will hike up Sky to Cougar, to Richter, to Oak, up Oak to Buffalo, then Buffalo to Thistle, Meadow to Farm and then Richter and Cougar back to the parking lot. Bring water and a snack. The hiking distance is about 3 miles. We will meet at 8:30 a.m. at the upper gardens for an 8:45 a.m. departure.

SENIOR ACADEMY CALENDAR

Mondays, September 9 and 23: News Junkies: 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. in Cribari Conference Room

Wednesday, September 11: Free lecture on photography—"The Beauty of Nature." Mark Grzan, photography instructor at Gavilan College and Foothill College will share his high-resolution images from many trips to U.S wilderness areas plus those in our Santa Clara Valley. 1 p.m. at Foothill Center.

Wednesday, September 18 and 25: Religion and Spirituality in Contemporary America by Jennifer Rycenga, Professor of Comparative Religious Studies at San Jose State University. A two-session course, \$25 for SA members, \$30 for non-members

Friday, September 20: "Memory and Aging" by Patti Simone, Professor of Psychology and Neuroscience at Santa Clara University. She will discuss basics of different types of memory and conditions in which memory fails us. Suggestions on how senior citizens can improve memory will be discussed. 2 p.m. A free event.

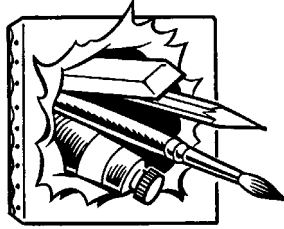
CAMERA CLUB

Monday, September 9: Orientation for members and potential members in Foothill Center from 7-9 p.m. Program includes an introduction to the club's new Resource List, forthcoming activities, and competition rules and processes. Membership: Ray Blinde at rwbline@earthlink.net.

Monday, September 16: "Rules of Composition" by Mark Grzan from 7-9 p.m. in Cribari Conference Room. A handout of the 20 rules will be provided.

Friday, September 20: Photo competition opens for members for Monday, October 7. No prints. Categories include Pictorial, Monochrome, Travel, Journalism. Deadline for submission is Sunday, September 29 at 2 p.m.

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:** Barbara Gottesman at barb.gottesman@gmail.com

Ceramics Room: Open Studio Monday through Friday. See website for times.

September 3 - October 8: Acrylics Class with Jeff Bramschreiber. "The Basics of Acrylics: Color Field and Mixing." Three finished paintings. Tuesdays, noon - 2:30 p.m. \$60 for members, \$65 for nonmembers, \$70 (\$60 plus \$10 to VACA) for non-resident guests.

September 10: Art Film. Tuesday, 7 p.m. Vineyard Center. "Marc Chagall." Host Pam Lyons.

September 11 and 25: Wire wrapped Jewelry w/Carol Norden. Two Wed. 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. \$100. Absolute deadline for checks is August 29.*

September 16: New Members Reception. Monday Evening at 5:30 p.m. Foothill Center. Directors: Linda Sims and Mary Goodnough.

September 30: Monday at 3 p.m. Art Room Regular Monthly Meeting of the A&C Advisory Board.

October 4: Contracts ready for the Annual Members Juried Show. Download online or pick up hard copy from Arts & Crafts Association mailbox in Cribari.

October 5 - 26: Beginning Ceramics with Diane Finley. Saturdays, 10 a.m. - noon. \$80 for members, \$85 for non-members. *

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

Stitchery Group: 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



MUSIC SOCIETY: TAKE NOTE

Save the Date

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

Friday, September 13: Opera Lovers presents Puccini's "Madam Butterfly" at 1:30 p.m. at the Vineyard Center. No charge. "This on-site, 2-hour DVD is memorable," according to Bonnie Preston.

Saturday, September 21: "Afternoon at Cribarnegie Hall" at 2:30 p.m. with performances organized by Susan Ahlgrimm, Associate Director of Village Voices. Ticket sales on Saturday, September 7 and 14.

Rehearsal/Meeting Schedule

Villages Concert Band: Tuesdays beginning September 4 at 6:45 p.m. in Cribari Auditorium. We are recruiting musicians for brass, woodwind or percussion instruments. Information: Larry Miller 408-238-1030.

Villages Handbells Ensemble: Fridays at from 3 to 5 p.m. in Cribari Conference Room. We are recruiting former and beginner handbell ringers. Information: Kathi or Earl Levin at 408-270-5458.

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

Piano Open Studio: Tuesdays 2 p.m. in Cribari Auditorium. Listeners are welcome. Information: Estelle Kabbani at 408-406-7447.

Village Voices: Wednesdays beginning September 11 from 7 to 9 p.m. in Foothill Center. Open house and potluck at 6:30 p.m. for returning and prospective members. No audition needed. Information: Aileen Reid 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.thevillagesacc.com

WHAT'S COOKING?
theclubhouse@the-villages.com

Happy Hour at the Bistro & Bar:
Happy Hour times are from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. in the Bistro daily.
Come down and join us for a drink!

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

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

Offer good only in the Clubhouse Restaurant.

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

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

Open Mic: Come join us at the Clubhouse on Monday, September 30 from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. for our next Open Mic event. Food and beverages will be available for purchase. The \$8 entrance fee includes one beer or a glass of house wine.

For reservations call 408-754-1339 or e-mail: ateixeira@the-villages.com

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 9-10
to
Sunday 9-15**

Stuffed Avocado Salad

\$13.95

Half Avocado stuffed with Chicken Salad, Toasted Almonds, Grape Tomato and Cucumber over Greens

Roast Pork Loin Sandwich

\$13.95

Sliced Pork Loin, Chipotle Mayonnaise, Escabeche Onions, Tomato and Arugula on a French Roll—served with Choice of Side Dish

Seafood Fettucine

\$15.95

Fettucine, Clams, Salmon, Prawns with Alfredo Sauce

DAILY SOUP SPECIALS

<i>Tuesday, September 10</i>	<i>Soup: Cream of Tomato</i>
<i>Wednesday, September 11</i>	<i>Soup: Beef Barley</i>
<i>Thursday, September 12</i>	<i>Soup: Potato Leek</i>
<i>Friday, September 13</i>	<i>Soup: Clam Chowder</i>
<i>Saturday, September 14</i>	<i>Soup: Chef's Choice</i>
<i>Sunday, September 15</i>	<i>Soup: Chef's Choice</i>

DINNER SPECIALS SERVED ALL WEEK

**Dinner Specials
Tuesday 9-10
to
Sunday 9-15**

Chicken Marsala

\$16.95

Sautéed Chicken Breast with a Portobella Mushroom and Marsala Wine Sauce—served with Soup or Salad

Mahi-Mahi

\$19.50

Grilled Pacific Mahi-Mahi with Roasted Pineapple and Ponzu Ginger Sauce—served with Soup or Salad

Venison Medallions

Market Price

New Zealand Venison Medallion sautéed with Pearl Onions and a Rosemary Cabernet Sauce—served with Soup or Salad

ACTIVITIES

Monday, September 9

• WOW Event—Sunset and Oak Rooms—10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Tuesday, September 10

• Women's Long 9 Luncheon—Fairway Room—11 a.m. to 2 p.m.
• Private Event—Fairway Room—5 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Wednesday, September 11

• Private Event—Fairway Room—11:30 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Thursday, September 12

• Men's Club Home & Home—Fairway Room—11 a.m. to 9 p.m.
• Women's 18 Hole Golf Luncheon—Oak and Sunset Rooms—12:30 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Friday, September 13

NO EVENT

Saturday, September 14

• Private Event—Oak and Fairway Rooms—5 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Sunday, September 15

NO EVENT

THE BISTRO & BAR

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

Breakfast: Monday through Friday 7 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.
Saturday and Sunday 7 a.m. to 2 p.m.

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

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

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

Casual a la carte dining. No reservations required.

-Breakfast	-Vegetarian
-Starters	-Pizzas
-Appetizers	-Desserts
-Grill Items	

Full Bar available with Beers on Tap.

More CLUBHOUSE ITEMS on pages 9 & 27

NO CORKAGE TUESDAYS



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

No corkage will be charged with a dinner order. One-bottle limit per two guests.

Standard size bottles only.

Clubhouse Restaurant Only

Villages Clubhouse

Presents



Monday Sept 30th 5pm to 8pm

Hosted by Ed Knott

\$8 Entrance Fee includes One Beer or House Wine

Full Bar and Menu Available

Call 408 754 1339

Or Email ATeixeira@the-villages.com

To-Go curbside service coming to the Restaurant and Bistro September 17

New To-Go Curbside Service Program will feature: Lower service charge of 10 percent; reserved parking, delivery to your parked car, a dedicated attendant and dedicated phone number.

Alison Sharino Band rocks another Classic Rock Dance Party



On Friday, November 15, join the Alison Sharino Band (led by local rock legend Joe Sharino's talented daughter) at the Clubhouse at the Villages Golf and Country Club, for another Classic Rock dance party. Their previous show at the Villages sold out in about two and a half weeks, so be sure to get your tickets soon!

Doors open at 6:30 p.m. and the band plays from 7:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome (non-residents of the Villages, too), 21 and over only please. Dance and sing along to your favorite Classic Rock, Motown and Swing hits, plus a little newer music, too. Joe Sharino is producing this event and will host it as well.

Tickets are just \$22 each, or buy 10 or more tickets in a single purchase (no refunds) for just \$19 each.

GET TICKETS: <http://Nov15.BPT.me> or call 800-838-3006. Buyers of 10 or more tickets in a single purchase get a reserved table automatically.

Tickets at the door will be \$27 each, if available, but remember, the last show sold out quickly, so get yours now. Everyone will have a seat. Get your group of friends together and don't miss this show!

Single Diners' Night Lets Dine Together!

Every Wednesday at The Clubhouse



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

Please make reservations and note "Single Diners' Reservation"

Every Wednesday at 5:30 p.m.

EPC SEZ.

Did you know that gas stations may not be able to pump gas if there is a wide-spread power outage? Be prepared by keeping your fuel tank at least half full at all times.

— The Villages Emergency Preparedness Committee

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

Early Bird Specials
5 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.
10% Discount on Entrées*

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

hr.	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
1	The George Burns and Gracie Allen Show The Mickey Rooney Show	The Lucy Show Date with the Angels	The Beverly Hillbillies The Adventures of Kit Carson	The Jack Benny Program Meet Corliss Archer	Sherlock Holmes Mr. & Mrs. North	The Adventures of Robin Hood The Adventures of Sir Lancelot	You Bet Your Life The Bob Cummings Show
2	Letter to Loretta Suspense	Westinghouse Studio One	Bonanza	Climax!	Dragnet Lock-Up	Boris Karloff's The Veil Tales of Tomorrow	The Colgate Comedy Hour
3	MOVIE: My Love For Yours	MOVIE: Pied Piper of Hamelin	MOVIE: The Bushwhackers	MOVIE: Second Chorus	MOVIE: They Met in the Dark	MOVIE: Friday the Thirteenth	Comedy Binge - 4 Episodes The George Burns and Gracie Allen Show
4	PLUS: Ace Drummond Chapter 11	PLUS: Life with Elizabeth	PLUS: The Three Musketeers Chapters 5, 6 & 7	PLUS: Topper	PLUS: Last Date	PLUS: Radar Men From the Moon Chapters 6 & 7	

This Week on Channel 27

Every 6-Hours starting at 1 & 7 am/pm

Daily Fire Safety at the Villages
Midnight, 6am, Noon & 6pm
5 & 11am, 5 & 11pm
The Villages Fitness Center

Complimentary **WiFi**
Network: Villages Public
Password: villages

Club Events & Notices on Channel 26

More information online at the Villages Resident Portal: resident.thevillagesgcc.com

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
9/6	Villages Golf Committee	9 a.m.	Montg. Center
9/9	EPC Sector Chiefs & Directors	9:30 a.m.	Foothill Center
9/9	Fitness Center Committee	10:30 a.m.	Forum
9/9	Cribari DAC	7 p.m.	Conference Room
9/10	Montgomery DAC – Paint	1 p.m.	Forum
9/10	Fairways DAC	5 p.m.	Patio Room
9/12	Swimming Pool Committee	9 a.m.	Conference Room
9/12	Finance Committee	10 a.m.	Building A

Community Events

Date	Event	Time	Place
9/6	Long 9 Women Meeting	9 a.m.	Clubhouse
9/6	Bocce Bash	3 p.m.	Bocce Courts
9/7	Bocce Village Challenge	9 a.m.	Bocce Courts
9/7	Chapel Choir Retreat	10 a.m.	Conf. Room
9/7	Chinese Club Cooking	2 p.m.	Montg. Center
9/8	Fairweather Social	5:30 p.m.	Vineyard Center
9/9	WOW Event	10 a.m.	Clubhouse
9/10	Hearing Aid Clean/Check	9:30 a.m.	Montg. Center
9/10	SIR 38/114 BBQ	11 a.m.	Gazebo Park
9/10	9 Hole Women Lunch	11 a.m.	Clubhouse
9/10	Art Film	7 p.m.	Vineyard Center
9/10	Amateur Radio Club	7 p.m.	Foothill Center
9/11	VMA Advanced Care Dir.	10:30 a.m.	Conf. Room
9/11	Movie – Megan Leavey	1:30 p.m.	Conf. Room
9/12	VMA Flu Shots	9 a.m.	Foothill Center
9/12	Comcast Customer Serv.	11 a.m.	Conf. Room
9/12	Men's H&H Lunch/Dinner	11 a.m.	Clubhouse
9/12	18 Hole Women Lunch	12:30 p.m.	Clubhouse
9/12	Hiking Club BBQ	5:30 p.m.	Gazebo Park
9/13	Chapel Fellowship	1:30 p.m.	Auditorium
9/13	Bocce Bash	3 p.m.	Bocce Courts

See Beach Blanket Babylon Holiday Show!

Join us for an outing to this wonderful theater for our last chance for a show at Club Fugazi on Saturday, December 7. First we will enjoy a wonderful early dinner at Pompei's Grotto! Dinner includes one glass of house wine or one draft beer; an appetizer (family style) of tomato Bruschetta and fried Calamari; choice of clam chowder or mixed green salad; and an entrée choice of Grilled Salmon, New York Steak, Shrimp and Scallop Combination, Spaghetti with Dungeness Crab or Pasta Angelina. Coffee, tea, soda and dessert are included. The cost per person is \$196 per person. Arrive at Cribari east parking lot by 12:30 p.m. for boarding and departure at 1 p.m., then we will have dinner at 2:45 p.m., followed by the show at 6 p.m. The estimated return time to the Villages is 9:30 p.m.

Steve Silver's "Beach Blanket Babylon" premiered at the Savoy Tivoli in San Francisco's North Beach on June 1974. The show, a zany musical spoof of pop culture with extravagant costumes and outrageously huge hats, was immediately so popular that it moved to larger quarters at Club Fugazi, a North Beach Landmark, where it eventually found a permanent home.

The zany Steve Silver's Beach Blanket Babylon is a Christmas holiday must-see for everyone. The world's longest running musical revue welcomes the holiday season with special performances featuring a chorus line of tap-dancing Christmas trees, special parodies of traditional Christmas carols and a gigantic Yuletide hat.

Celebrating over 16,000 performances, Beach Blanket Babylon has become a world-renowned, record-breaking success. Seen by over six million people from around the world, this internationally acclaimed musical revue continues to delight audiences at Club Fugazi in the City's North Beach district with its hilarious spoofs of pop culture, spectacular costumes and outrageously gigantic hats! For San Francisco things to do, choose Beach Blanket Babylon. New Year's Eve will be the last show for this dynamic cast and show! Club Fugazi closes their door for the last time...bittersweet memories for many!

Join Village Dancers for return to '60s!

The Village Dolls (Dancers) will bring back the '60s in September. In September, we will learn a fun '60s Go-Go Girl routine. To get into the mood, feel free to wear your mini-skirts and go-go boots (optional) to class.

Classes are Mondays and Wednesdays from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m., and began Wednesday, September 4 in the Foothill Center. (No classes on September 16 and 18.) The full schedule with locations will be available in class. The fee is \$48. If you are only able to attend once a week, the fee is \$30 per month. Register in the Community Resource Center, Building B. Questions? Please contact instructor Bernice at 408-506-3348 or Bernice.Toy@gmail.com.

Each month we will have fun with a different dance style: Broadway, Jazz, Hula, Flamenco, Lyrical, Ballet, Latin...the choice is yours. As a group, we will vote on the dance style for the following month's choreography.

Tai Ji Quan: Moving for Better Balance

Enroll in this new class! Tai Ji Quan: Moving for Better Balance® (TJQMBB) is an effective, practical, evidence-based balance exercise training program. It is designed for anyone who wishes to strengthen their body and enhance their mobility skills. TJQMBB works to restore posture control and balance. It also helps improve sensory, motor and cognitive functions and enhances one's ability to recover from a loss of balance or perform daily functional activities. Register in class! First class is free! The class is held on Wednesdays and Fridays at 9:45 to 10:45 a.m. in the Vineyard Center. The cost is \$90 for a class card, issued and punched in class. This class is sponsored by the Communities Activities Office.

Master Calendar Reminder



A friendly reminder to Committees and Board Recognized Organizations to please submit their requests for dates and facilities no later than 4 p.m. on August 30. The Community Activities office processed nearly 10,000 reservations last year. The Master Calendar process is one of our most complex tasks. Facility and date confirmations for 2020 should be available by October 4. The remainder of October is available for organizations to work out calendar conflicts. Please direct any questions to the Community Activities office, 408 223-4643.

Walking for Health & Balance

People who are inactive in general have a higher incidence of falling and chronic health problems. Researchers suggest that sitting for long periods of time is equivalent to smoking a pack of cigarettes a day. Walking is the best and most popular exercise for older adults to stay physically, mentally and functionally fit. This class helps restore confidence and develops the renewed standing and walking skills needed to move safely. Chair Fitness is also offered: Don't let your health conditions, cane or walker stop you! Talk to your doctor and join the class. Whether you use a walker or wheelchair, need post-surgery re-habilitation or just want to get some good exercise, this class is for you. The first class is free! Start any time! Register in class! The cost is \$90 for a class card, issued and punched in class. This ongoing class is held **Tuesdays 11:30 a.m.** and **Thursdays 10 a.m.** in **Cribari Auditorium**. For information call Jane at 408-315-1179. This class is sponsored by the Community Activities Office.

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.

Join 'Yoga for Golfers' class

Starting in September the "Yoga for Graceful Living" class is offering a 10-week special yoga conditioning training focusing on how yoga can help golfers improve their performance. Practicing Yoga helps golfers improve their mental and physical game and maintain an edge over fellow golfers. Physically, it produces strength and flexibility, enhances golf swing and prevents injury. Mentally, it can reduce self-induced stress to aid concentration and help you play in a relaxed state. Start anytime! *The first class is free!* Register in class! The cost is \$90 for a class card, issued and punched in class. The class is held on Tuesdays and Thursdays, 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the Montgomery Multipurpose Room. Check The Villager to verify location. For information call Jane at 408-315-1179. This class is sponsored by the Community Activities Office.


Don't miss...

MEGAN LEAVEY
Wednesday, September 11
1:30 p.m.



Starring Kate Mara and Ramon Rodriguez. Based on the true-life story of a young Marine corporal whose unique discipline and bond with her military combat dog saved many lives during their deployment in Iraq.


Wednesday, September 25 - "Exposed": Starring Ana de Armas, Keanu Reeves. A police detective investigates the truth behind his partner's death. The mysterious case reveals disturbing police corruption and a dangerous secret involving an unlikely young woman.



Upcoming Evening Movies

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

Monday, September 16 - "Only The Brave": Starring Josh Brolin, Miles Teller, and Jeff Bridges. Based on the true story of the Granite Mountain Hotshots, a group of elite firefighters who risk everything to protect a town from a historic wildfire.



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Tour the exciting Salesforce Park!

Are you ready to tour the Salesforce Park on October 9? Craig Smith, our tour guide, will give you a 5.5-acre tour of the new Transit Center! Ride the new tram up to the park to see various activities in the park. The park contains divided up areas of other Mediterranean and "Cloud Forest" climates. See the very large art installations and fountains that follow the buses into terminal! Walk around the perimeter of the park to see new skyscrapers.

We will enjoy lunch at Delancey Street Restaurant (see entrée choices below). Your lunch includes cup of homemade soup served with focaccia bread, olive oil & butter; homemade Biscotti (plain and chocolate dipped); coffee, tea or soda. Entrée choices are: Half Rotisserie Rosemary and Garlic Chicken served with Grilled Asparagus; Mediterranean Spinach Salad with Feta Cheese, Bacon, Greek Olives, Tomatoes and Mint; Cheeseburger or Boca Burger on Kaiser Roll served with fries; and Pasta Arrabiata, Spicy Red Sauce with Fettuccini Noodles.

Following lunch, we will depart for Mission Bay and walk the new park in front of the new Chase Stadium and see the new developments at Pier 70.

Please register in the Community Resource Center, Building B beginning Monday, September 9. The cost of this outing is \$80 per person. We will depart The Villages at 8 a.m. on Wednesday, October 9, with an estimated return time of 5 p.m.

Notice regarding Fitness Center TVs

The Fitness Center has three television sets. They broadcast two news channels and a sports channel. The televisions are being tampered with regularly. They are being unplugged, turned off and channels changed. There are cameras recording activity within the Fitness Center. Those found tampering with the televisions risk losing their Club privileges. The Fitness Center is an amenity enjoyed by many residents which includes watching the televisions, please respect your fellow residents' choice to enjoy the televisions.

Notice: Alcoholic Beverages in Club Facilities

There may be some uncertainty with regard to how alcoholic beverages (beer, wine, and spirits) can be furnished at Club Facilities when in use for private functions or by Club organizations and Club or Association Committees.

For private events, Club organizations, Club and Association Committees and other types of resident functions, The Villages Golf and Country Club has been generous in making allowances so that alcoholic beverages (beer, wine, spirits), other than those from the Clubhouse can be brought onsite and served or consumed by the groups sponsoring the events.

If alcohol is served and/or sold in a Club Facility that is licensed (all of Cribari Center, Montgomery Center, Vineyard Center, Foothill Center, Gazebo Park, Bocce Courts, Tennis Review Stand, Golf Course and, of course, all of the Clubhouse/Bistro Area/Patio), The Villages must be requested to lift its liquor license for the site and for that event. Selling alcohol requires a special one-day license. Only 501c3 organizations are eligible to obtain these licenses. These types of requests must be made no less than two weeks in advance. Please contact the Community Activities office for details. Lifting the liquor license is a complimentary service provided by The Villages.

30-Minute PM Restorative Chair Yoga

30-Minute PM Restorative Chair Yoga teaches both standing and seated postures that are suitable for all fitness levels and naturally moves you into an end of the day sleep mode. It reduces stiffness, tightness, aches and pains and provides tools for handling memory and emotional challenges like stress, depression, anxiety and other physiological disturbances. This is one of the best tools that you can use to counter the negative impact of aging. This yoga class has proven that with regular practice one can enhance balance, strength, flexibility, improve health and help you avoid falling. Moreover, it improves your mood, attitude and self-image to help you feel good about yourself. The class is offered on Mondays (Montgomery Multi-Purpose Room—6:45 to 7:15 p.m.) and Wednesday (at various locations—7 to 7:30 p.m.). The first class is *free!* Register in class! Start anytime! The cost is \$56 for a class card, issued and punched in class. For information call Jane at 408-315-1179. This class is sponsored by the Community Activities Office.

Enroll in the Art of Living with Parkinson's

Research shows that PLWP (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 - Monday 10 to 11 a.m.), Wednesdays (Tai Chi - various locations, see Calendar of Events - 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 is sponsored by the Community Activities Office.

CLUBS & EVENTS

Dog Club to meet September 7

The Villages Dog Club meeting for Saturday, September 7, at 10 a.m., is scheduled for the Redwood Room at Cribari Center. No dogs will be allowed at the meeting, unless they are service dogs. We will discuss the dog runs and that we will be voting in October on the by-laws at the annual membership meeting which will also be held at the Redwood Room at Cribari Center. The Dog Club needs new members to sustain its status as a club in The Villages. There are over 250 dog owners in the villages along with many prior dog owners now ready to continue a wonderful relationship with a dog. The club can assist you in locating that special animal to bring love into your life.

Unless changed as above, the club meets every first Saturday of the month at the gazebo facility next to the bocce ball courts. Bring dog(s) and poop bags!

Art Film: 'Homage to Chagall'

By Pam Oliver Lyons

On Tuesday, September 10 at 7 p.m. in the Vineyard Center, the Villages Arts and Crafts Association will present "Homage to Chagall." This film is a 1976 Kultur production, directed by Canadian filmmaker Harry Rasky and narrated by James Mason. Sources are from first person letters, poetry and interviews, which were recorded a few days before Chagall's 90th Birthday. Primarily a painter, his creative range included significant masterpieces in stained glass (United Nations Headquarters), public murals (Lincoln Center), theater (Russia State Jewish Chamber Theater), books (Fables La Fontaine), and Opera (Paris Opera Ceiling). These highlight Chagall's aesthetics and visual language. To allude to a sense of rootlessness, he often symbolized himself as a floating fiddler.

Technical aspects are not the focus here. Nor is Chagall placed within any art movement. He cannot be categorized. Some say, Chagall painted with the colors of love. Despite many challenges, from his difficult birth, the struggles to becoming an artist in a Belarusian Hasidic Jewish family, to the unexpected death of his beloved first wife Bella Rosenfeld, and WWII Europe, he remained optimistic about humanity.

Join us in viewing this Emmy award-winning documentary.

Camera Club to reconvene September 9

By Pamela Pierson

Whether you are a novice or master photographer, mark your calendars for Monday, September 9, when The Villages Camera Club (VCC) starts its 2019-2020 year. At 7 p.m., in the Foothill Center, members and potential members will reconvene to support and challenge one another as they learn, improve, and perfect their photographic skills.

Come and learn about forthcoming activities, programs, competitions, and other events of the Camera Club Year. "You will not want to miss this introduction to an exciting year of photographic learning and improvement!" says President Peter Nicholls. The orientation program will introduce the club's new Resource List--a collection of links to websites and articles about improving your photographic skills. Included in the program is an overview of the rules for competition as well as the process for entering images into competition. For more information on VCC, contact Ray Blinde at rwblinde@earthlink.net.

SIR Branches #38 and #114 Picnic on September 10

SIRs and your family and friends gather at the Gazebo from 11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Event includes **Bocce Tournament** for Figone Jug, **Music** by Ed Knott Extraordinaire **Pizza** by Round Table (including a vegetarian selection), **Water** provided—or bring your own beverage of choice.



Food contributions: Last name A – M—bring a Appetizer; N – Z—bring a dessert
Cost is \$6 to \$8. Call or email: Bob Dando at bob@thedandos.com or 408-997-2975, or Gary Hill at carngar@gmail.com or 408-274-8086

Guests encouraged! **Please bring family and friends**—if they have \$6 to \$8.

Free hearing aid check and cleaning

The VMA is sponsoring a free hearing aid check and cleaning on Tuesday, September 10, 2019 from 9:30 a.m. to 12 p.m. in Montgomery Center. **Registration is required.** Please contact Cristina Freyer at 408-238-4029 or cfreyer@SequoiaLiving.org

September Group Meditation for universal peace

If you are interested in joining a group for meditation or would like to learn meditation, please come to our group meditations on Wednesday evenings. The meditations are sponsored by the Global Village club. This is a drop-in event open to all Villagers. We have both new and experienced members and different leaders each week, so you can experience different approaches and meditation techniques. We usually start with a brief introduction about the benefits of meditation—benefits to us as individuals and to the greater community. We do a few relaxing stretches, and then meditate for about 20 minutes.

All Villagers are welcome to these free meditations with no need to sign up in advance. We meet Wednesday evenings from 7 to 8 p.m. in the Cribari Conference Room. This month we meet September 11 in the Cribari Patio Room, and on the 18th and 25th in the Cribari Conference Room.

Take steps to plan for future medical decisions

The Villages Medical Auxiliary (VMA) is sponsoring an Advance Care Planning Workshop, Wednesday, September 11 from 10:30 a.m. to Noon in Cribari Conference Room. Grace Hospice will be facilitating the workshop designed to encourage completion of an Advance Health Care Directive.

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

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

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

There is no registration required. For further information contact Cristina Freyer at 408-238-4029.

'Exposure to Photography' course has openings

Register now to join the Villages Camera Club for a 10-week course on camera technology and photographic composition right here in The Villages. Local Photographer/Educator Mark Grzan will teach the weekly Thursday night classes starting September 12 from 6 to 8 p.m. A few openings remain for Villagers. Location information will be given to all registered participants.

To register, contact Mary Miller at mjw303@att.net for details on course content and cost. The course includes practice sessions on three excursions to nearby photographic spots. Students will receive over 20 current e-books on digital photography. You must own, share or borrow a camera and tripod.



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Opera Lovers: Puccini's 'Madama Butterfly'

We welcome you back for the first of the season's opera of Frederic Mitterrand's masterful film of Giacomo Puccini's "Madama Butterfly." It will be viewed on Friday, September 13 at 1:30 p.m. in the Vineyard Center. This acclaimed performance is brilliantly set in a lush, lakeside location with a specially constructed set to resemble a Japanese town outside of Nagasaki. This natural setting allows the camera to break free from a constrained stage setting and to roam in the natural outdoors and indoors environment marrying nature with the culture and costumes of 1904 Japan with the splendor of Puccini's music. This is the heart wrenching story of a beautiful young Geisha who sacrifices her family, religion and, ultimately, her life for her American husband. Both Asian and Western singers have been cast giving the film a haunting realism seldom seen on the opera stages. Soprano Ying Huang is the young bride, Butterfly, and Richard Troxell is the American, Lieutenant Pinkerton. This performance captures a quality of magic.

Our opera will be two hours long and is open to all, so if you enjoy great music, plan to come and bring a friend to share the joy of music. If you have questions, call Bonnie Preston at 408-531-1513.

Crafters' Fall Boutique Sale is September 14

By Diane Goodrich

The Crafters Club Boutique sale is almost here, and we have all been busy preparing, making, formulating, arranging, designing, and creating some beautiful goods—just for you! So please join us *next* Saturday, September 14 in the Cribari Center from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.



Betty and her husband Ray will be taking care of your coffee needs, and our volunteers have spent some time baking those delicious cookies you all seem to enjoy!

Some of your favorite vendors will be there showing their wares; some will be including their Halloween and Holiday lines too.

We are very excited that our membership is growing. We added three new members to our club this month, and so please join us as we welcome Kathleen Pendleton, Joyce Batiste and Joanne Brooks.

Both Joanne and Kathleen will participate in the September Boutique event, so please visit their table to see their beautiful crafts.

Joanne makes gorgeous children's clothes with beautiful hand smocking finishing. There will be a future article on Joanne coming soon.

Please see the article in today's villager about Kathleen, and her beautiful greeting cards.

We look forward to seeing you in just over a week – September 14! See you there!

Senior Academy: 'The Beauty of Nature' —free

Senior Academy will offer a *free* photography presentation—"The Beauty of Nature" with Mark Grzan on Wednesday, September 11 at Foothill Center from 1 to 3 p.m.

Our national and state parks and monuments are a great treasure. They provide many "kodak" picture moments that are road-side accessible. But many others require hiking, scrambling up hillsides and mountains, following the edges of rivers and streams, places and spaces hardly ever seen. Such as the red cliffs in Monument Valley in Utah, the carved rock surfaces of the Valley of Fire in Nevada. They become all the more difficult to access while carrying heavy cameras, lens, tripods, filters and alike. Mark Grzan, a current photography instructor for over 20 years at Gavilan and Foothill Colleges will share his colorful high-resolution images never seen before, from sunrise along the canyons of Utah to sunsets on the shores of the great pacific.

Each frame is artistically composed and richly developed. Mark will share several wonderful large prints from his many trips to the great American wilderness as well as many from locations found right here in Santa Clara Valley. Join us for this wonderful two-hour photographic adventure.

Visit www.mgrzan.photography/ to see Mark's work and his most recent project, photographing student dancers at San Jose State University this past April.

Hiking Club's social is September 12!

The Hiking Club Social committee has decided to serve "real smoked barbecue" from Aptos Street BBQ. Members and guests can feast on shredded smoked chicken in BBQ sauce and pulled pork with "hogwash sauce" sliders. An array of side dishes will accompany the barbecue. And we'll provide an appetizer and dessert, too! The "BBQ" will open at 5:30 p.m.

We've reserved the Bocce Courts and we'll set up the club's cornhole game to test your skills!

Hiking Club members and their guests only. The cost is \$10 for members and \$12 for guests. Please RSVP to Wendy Ledamun at wledamun49@gmail.com or give her a call at 408-960-8335.

Social will be charged to your house number. Deadline for signup is Saturday, September 7. BYOB and glassware. Paper plates, napkins, utensils and water will be provided.

Arts & Crafts new members reception

All Arts & Crafts members and those interested in art are cordially invited to the New Members Reception on Monday, September 16, at 5:30 p.m. at Foothill Center for a Potluck Dinner with the theme for Table Art "Art in Nature." Current members, bring a new or potential new member and receive a token of appreciation from one of our artists. The table with the most new members receives a special dessert!

As this takes the place of our regular monthly meeting, we will be holding the Artist of the Month contest. Please bring one of your more recent art works to enter into the contest (one entry per person). After voting, Ruth Keiser will announce the winner and present a certificate.

Bring the assigned dish according to your last name. It should serve 5 or 6 people. A – E: appetizer; F – L: entree; M – P: salad; Q – Z: dessert or fruit salad. Bring a drink or wine to share with the group.

Each table will have a Table Captain who will (with help) decorate the table, according to the theme, making a centerpiece and matching accoutrements. If you would like to volunteer to be a Table Captain, call Mary Goodnough at 408-893-2032 or email her at marygoodnough@rocketmail.com. For more information or if you have any questions call Linda Sims at 707-889-7518 or email her at lindarayesims@gmail.com

Amateur Radio Club to hold BBQ

By William Switek

The Villages Amateur Radio Club will hold a barbecue Tuesday, September 10 for all Villages Hams. Attend the VARC gathering at Foothill Center at 6:30 p.m. for the barbecue. Questions? Email Larry McNary at lmcnary@gmail.com

Two Ceramic Classes starting

Back by popular demand! Diane Finley is offering two beginning ceramics classes. Come join the fun and play with clay in the ceramics room. Learn the basics of hand-building, slab work, molds and glazes.



No experience necessary, we'll supply everything you need. Space is limited for this very popular beginning ceramics class.

Wednesday Evening Class - 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. from September 18 to October 9. **Saturday Morning Class** - 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. starting October 5 to 26. **Four-week class** - \$80 for Arts & Crafts members (\$85 for non-members)

Contact Diane Finley at dianefinley1@gmail.com

Villages Technology Explorers

The Villages Technology Explorers (VTE) is a club that is exploring the exciting technologies that are transforming our world. Our first meeting, Monday, September 16 at 1:30 p.m. in Vineyard Center will focus on Privacy and Security on the Internet. The meeting will be a round-table discussion led by VTE Board members.

We will explore how: We leave a detailed trail of personal information every time we go online. This information is sold to advertisers, employers, headhunters, politicians, police, intelligence agencies, ex-lovers and personal enemies.

Join us to see how we are inadvertently sharing our private information and how that jeopardizes our personal and financial security.

Looking ahead, future topics under consideration include: Solving cold case crimes using DNA provided by distant relatives in Ancestry DNA sites. Wireless and satellite-based alternatives to cable for providing high speed internet. Transportation technologies such as Elon Musk's hyperloop and flying commuter vehicles. Internet based medical technologies. Robotic and manned space exploration.

All Villagers are invited to be part of this exploration of exciting new technologies. For more information, contact Michael Clurman at mclurman@msn.com or 978-415-9116.

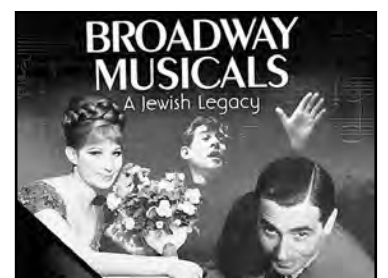
Join Hadassah soup, salad and sweets potluck

Sign up for the Hadassah Soup, Salad, and Sweets Potluck Dinner on Sunday, September 22 at 5 p.m. at Foothill Center.

We will present "Broadway Musicals: a Jewish Legacy," which examines the unique role of Jewish composers and lyricists in the creation of the modern American musical.

The film showcases the work of legends such as Irving Berlin, Jerome Kern, George and Ira Gershwin, Richard Rogers, Oscar Hammerstein II and Leonard Bernstein. The film is narrated by the inimitable Joel Grey. A very entertaining movie.

Admission is \$15 plus a soup, a salad or a sweet (dessert) to share with at least 8 people. Joey Stern will take your reservation at 408-238-4890 or email sternjo@pacbell.net. Be prepared to let Joey know what food you plan to bring. **The cutoff for reservations is September 19.**



More CLUBS

Library Saturday hours extended

Because of the popularity of our summer Saturday hours, the library has decided to stay open on Saturdays for the seeable future. Please continue to visit us as we always have new selections arriving weekly.

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Crafters Club welcomes Kathleen Pendleton

By Diane Goodrich

One of the Crafters Club's newest members is Kathleen Pendleton, who makes beautiful handmade greeting cards.

Kathleen moved from New Mexico about 18 months ago, to retire in our lovely Villages community. For the last 12 years or so, Kathleen has enjoyed working with paper—starting with scrapbooking, and then narrowing down her talent to focus on greeting cards.

Her inspiration comes from many different sources, including following blogs and being stimulated by a picture she might see in a magazine, or as she is browsing through different books, or a picture she might chance upon in a store somewhere. Her imagination then leads her to create her own dynamic portrayal into a greeting card. The cards shown in the pictures have a die cut flower frame, are water colored, and have French knot centers. The mushroom house card is made with die cuts Kathleen made, and the multilayered succulent thank you cards are water colored with fill in stamping for the background. She loves to shop at Hobby Lobby, Michaels, and Joann Fabrics for her crafting needs, although she is still exploring to find more places to visit. Her room is full of arts and crafts of course, but when you are a crafter, you can't seem to stop adding to your inventory. Like most of us, our hobby becomes our passion, and so once again, we are privileged to be able to share our passion with you on Saturday September 14 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.



Senior Academy: Memory and Aging—free lecture

Have you ever wondered how your memory works? Have you ever walked into a room only to completely forget what you were looking for? Or forgotten the name of a close friend? Are these behaviors normal or are they a sign of some serious problem? If you answered yes to any of these questions, then this free lecture from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Friday, September 20 is for you. Sponsored by the Senior Academy, this class will review the basics of different types of memory and examine the conditions in which memory fails us. Finally, we'll discuss tips on improving everyday memory.

Patti Simone is a professor of psychology and neuroscience at Santa Clara University. Her 25 years' experience in teaching classes related to aging, drugs, brain damage and behavior coupled with her research expertise in cognitive aging provide a strong basis for this class on memory.



Patti Simone

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Mark Grzan to share photography's 'Rules of Composition'

By Pamela Pierson

"Core principles of photography can be seen in every image," said educator/photographer Mark Grzan. By following his "Rules of Composition," you too can capture distinctive photos. Come and be inspired at the program meeting of the Villages Camera Club (VCC) from 7 to 9 p.m. in Cribari Conference Room on Monday, September 16.

The Villages Camera Club (VCC) invites photographers of all levels, whether using a DSLR, point-and-shoot, or a Smartphone camera, to attend the program to learn more about photographic composition from a pro. After you attend one program as a guest, you can join the club for \$30. For membership information, contact Ray Blinde at rwblinde@earthlink.net. The VCC is a member of the Northern California Council of Camera Clubs (N4C) and The Photographic Society of America (PSA).

To focus more on his photography, Grzan retired early in 2010 as administrator for the School of Art and Design at San Jose State University. He expanded his skills from landscape to nature photography and then macro photography with its extreme close-ups. Grzan now devotes his time to creative studio work and recently photographed members of the San Francisco Ballet. As a member of the Morgan Hill Photography Club, he leads monthly no-fee safaris to various locations. The Santa Clara Valley Open Space Authority has received from him free images of local wildlife and fauna. Grzan remains active in civic duties in Morgan Hill where three community structures display a plaque with his name on it: the Library, the Centennial and Cultural Center, and the Outdoor Sports Center.

The VCC meets on the first and third Mondays of the month and holds monthly photo competitions for members. Winning photos by club members are entered in competitions sponsored by the N4C and hang in the hallway in Cribari Center. The club website contains information on activities, meetups, winning photos, and benefits of membership. Visit villagescameraclub.com

American Musicals presented by Fred Stern

On Wednesday, September 18 at 7 p.m. in Vineyard Center, Fred Stern will present another wonderful musical program. He will bring you the behind-the-scenes life story and great music of Irving Berlin. All Villagers are welcome to attend. Admission is free.

Using video clips and commentary, Fred will cover such Irving Berlin songs as *Alexander's Ragtime Band*, *A Pretty Girl Is Like A Melody*, *Blue Skies*, *Easter Parade*, and *There's No Business Like Show Business*.

We know you will enjoy Fred's special presentation. Please mark your calendar now for September 18. Don't miss this delightful evening of entertainment.

Game Day is coming back!

Hadassah's popular Game Day will be held on Friday, October 18 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Clubhouse. Get your group together, bring your favorite game and enjoy a day filled with fun, friends and good food—morning coffee, pastries and lunch of Oriental Chicken Salad or Eggplant Parmesan with Trifle for dessert.



Regular games - \$38 per person. Contact Jan Silver at 408-274-6605 or grannyjts@aol.com

Round Robin - \$45 per person. Contact: Bernice Vitcov at 408-832-6390 or bvitcov@hotmail.com

Please make checks to Village Hadassah or charge this to your Villages house account. However, checks are preferred. Reservations close Monday, October 7.

Join Crimson Charmers!

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

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

Highlands Dinner—Save the date!
Sunday November 3
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FROM THE BOOKSHELF

By Wate Bakker

“The Pioneers” by David McCullough: In this book, McCullough describes the settlement of the land beyond the Appalachian Mountains, ceded by Britain to the new United States of America in the treaty of Paris. This enormous area now includes the states of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin and Michigan. Although the development of this area has not been as glamorized as that of the far west after the Louisiana purchase, it is a very important chapter of U.S. history. Emigrants from New England were the main settlers and the puritanical ideals of high ethical standards and hard work prevailed. This included a ban on slavery. Despite traveling difficulties, contact between the pioneers and the people left behind in New England remained strong. Nonfiction, 977, North Central United States, 2019.

“Purpose and a Paycheck” by Chris Farrell: Based on research and personal experience the author postulates that we should ditch the cliched notion of old people spending their retirement golfing in The Villages, playing bocce ball and rummy-tile and reframe these years in a way that reflects reality. The older generation is thriving as never before, starting businesses, volunteering, going back to school, mentoring younger generations in the work place and more. When our society embraces this notion, doing so will result in faster economic growth, higher living standards for all and provide a more fulfilling and financially secure second half of life for our aging population. Nonfiction, 305.26, people in late adulthood, 2019.

“City of Girls” by Elizabeth Gilbert: After eating, praying and loving around the world Elizabeth Gilbert returns with a rollicking novel of glamour, sex and adventure, set in the 1940s New York Theater World. Fiction 2019, large print.

“Once More We Saw the Stars” by Jayson Green: This is the heartbreaking, transcendent story about a father confronting the random, violent death of his young daughter and finding a way forward, when there is no road back. Nonfiction, 920. Biography, 2019. large print.

“The Flight Portfolio” by Julie Orringer: This novel tells the story of one young American’s quest to save the lives of artists fleeing the Nazis after the invasion of France. Fiction 2019.

VAT: ‘Noises Off’ promises fun farce

Be sure to see the Villages Amateur Theatre’s production of “Noises Off”! Each of the three acts of “Noises Off” contains a performance of the first act of a play within a play, a sex farce called “Nothing On.”

“Nothing On” is the type of play in which young girls run about in their underwear, old men drop their trousers, and many doors continually bang open and shut.

Act One is set at the technical rehearsal. It is midnight, the night before the first performance, and the cast is hopelessly unready. Baffled by entrances and exits, missed cues, missed lines, and bothersome props, including several plates of sardines, they drive Lloyd, their director, into a seething rage.

Act Two shows a Wednesday matinée performance one month later. In this act, the play is seen from backstage, providing a view that emphasizes the deteriorating relationships between the cast. Romantic rivalries, lovers’ tiffs and personal quarrels lead to offstage shenanigans, onstage bedlam and the occasional attack with a fire axe.

In Act Three, we see a performance near the end of the 10-week run. The relationships between the cast have soured considerably, the set is breaking down and props are winding up in the wrong hands, on the floor, and in the way. The actors remain determined to cover up the mounting chaos, but it is not long before the plot has to be abandoned entirely and the more coherent characters are obliged to take a lead in ad-libbing somehow towards some sort of end.

Make sure to mark your calendars for October 25, 26 or 27 to see this play unravel on stage!

Religion and Spirituality in Contemporary America

Senior Academy is offering Religion and Spirituality in Contemporary America—a two-part course on Wednesdays, September 18 and 25 at 2 p.m. at Vineyard Center. The cost is \$25 for Senior Academy members and \$30 for non-members. Pre-registration with Senior Academy is required to attend. To reserve your place please contact Diane Taylor at Ladyi2@earthlink.net or 408-912-5594, or Jane Carnoy at jane.carnoy@gmail.com or 561-252-7934.

Americans have always experimented with religious practices, but the new communications technologies of the 21st century have provided a quantum boost. This two-part series will investigate the streams of contemporary spiritual activity and practice in the United States. Join us while we take a deeper look at this fascinating topic.

We will cover Buddhism making a difference in issues like world peace and environment, religious tolerance and co-existence, contemporary paganism, cyber-religion, and blending religious traditions from inter-religious marriage, to building one’s own religion from available resources.

Instructor Jennifer Rycenga was with us last fall and we are delighted to welcome her back. She is Professor of Comparative Religious Studies at San Jose State University. Her areas of interest include American religious history, music, politics and birding. She received a Ph.D from Graduate Theological Union and University of California Berkeley and is a published author.



Jennifer Rycenga

General Manager to speak to Republican Club

The Republican Club at The Villages is pleased to announce that General Manager Tim Sutherland will be the featured speaker at its September monthly meeting. The meeting will be held the morning of Thursday, September 26 from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. in the Foothill Center. As is usual, we will be sharing a delicious brunch provided by Vicki Harris and her committee, and we appreciate your donations to help defray the cost.

This will be an exceptionally interesting meeting in that Mr. Sutherland will be discussing issues currently being considered by The Villages Boards and Management. These include: 1) Outside Membership in our Clubs; 2) Difficulty getting DAC Volunteers; 3) Clubhouse Dress Code; and, 4) HOA Increases/Budget. This will be our opportunity to get answers to the questions we all have about these topics.

Prior to coming to the Villages, Tim was the General Manager of the 1,249-unit Watergate Community Association in Emeryville, CA from 1998 to 2017. He also had 20 years food service experience in managing various fast and casual dining chains.

Mr. Sutherland is a member of The Community Association Institute (CAI) and holds the following credentials: Certified Manager of Community Associations (CMCA) and Association Management Specialist (AMS). He is also a member of the California Association of Community Managers (CACM) with the credentials of Certified Community Association Manager (CCAM) and Community Association Management Executive (CAMEX) instructor.

Get tickets for ‘Inside the Gates’ Home Tour

It’s time to get your tickets! The sixth annual “Inside the Gates” Home Tour is set for Saturday, October 5 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. There are seven fabulous homes on the program and a wonderful luncheon at the Clubhouse. You won’t want to miss it.

Tickets will go on sale Monday, September 9. Tour tickets are \$25 (\$30 day of tour) and luncheon tickets are \$25. Tickets can be purchased online at www.vmaillages.org or stop by the VMA office at Cribari Center and fill out a form.

For more information, contact Penny Barcellos at 408-832-4368 or Melinda Dobbs at 408-267-1777. For information about the luncheon, contact Pam Watson at 408-270-6210.

Proceeds from the Home Tour benefit the VMA, which provides important services to our community.

Enter Annual Members Juried Art Show

The Arts and Crafts Association is announcing their upcoming Annual Members Juried Show. On Thursday, October 17 we will be accepting works of art to be Juried in the Art Room from 1 to 1:30 p.m.

Four ribbons will be awarded for paintings for first, second, third and honorable mention (oil, acrylic, water color, collage, mixed media, charcoal, pencil, pen, pastel). Max size 24” x 36”. Two ribbons, first and second, will be awarded for 3D sculpture entries (ceramics, sculpture and assemblage). Each entry must be a recent work within the last three years.

Soon, entry forms can be found on our website at villagesartsandcrafts.org or in our Cribari mail slot at a date to be announced. In the meantime, you have time to get your entry/entries ready. On October 18 your works will be on display in the Cribari Conference room at the Artist Reception at 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Our Artists Reception is open to Artists and friends. You can also meet our juror Karen La Roche for minute critiques of your work.

The entry fee is \$10. Artist must be an Arts & Crafts member. If you are not a member please enter a membership form, also online. Submit your Show Entry form with \$10 to Michael Sunzeri AMJS. September 30 is the deadline.

Pickleball Casino Night open to all!

The Villages Pickleball Club wants *you* to attend our Pickleball Prohibition Speakeasy and Casino Night on Thursday, October 31 in partnership with the Evergreen Villages Foundation! This event promises to be one of the highlights of the Villages activities this year; we have planned a fabulous night!

Registration is just \$50, but if you sign up before September 15, you’ll get a 10 percent discount. Additional packages are available with tickets for other events! The Wine Pull allows you to select a hidden bottle of wine with a guaranteed value higher than the ticket price. Jokers Wild has cash prizes, and a Treasure Chest awarding dinner packages! Register now at The Evergreen Villages Foundation website—www.evfsj.org and join us for a great time! Email pickleballvgcc@gmail.com for more information.

RELIGION

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

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

Green Envelopes: The Green Envelopes were developed as a method to cover the expenses of the Villages 8:15 Catholic Community. Your Green Envelope donations can now be done online, as part of the "Online Giving System." Check the SFOA website for "Online Giving" information. You can also continue to donate by means of the monthly Green Envelope in the envelopes sent to you, or by writing Green Envelope on any envelope and put it in the collection basket.

Annual Villages Catholic Community Dinner: The Dinner will be held on Sunday, September 22, at 6 p.m. at the Villages Clubhouse. You will be able to sign up for the dinner at the Sunday 8:15 a.m. Mass at The Villages, or you can call Mike or Barbara at 408-274-8500 or email bswiontek@sbcglobal.net with your reservation.

St. Francis of Assisi Feast Day Celebration: Events are scheduled for Saturday, October 5. The Raffle Drawing will be on Sunday, October 6. More information on the scheduled events can be found in the Parish Bulletin, and on the Parish Website www.sfoasj.com. Raffle tickets are being sold at the Parish Office, and at the Sunday 8:15 a.m. Mass at the Villages.

Home Visits: Fr. Matt Stanley has been visiting parishioners, who live in The Villages. If you would like to have him visit you at your home, please call Marilyn Rodman at 408-274-4521.

Eucharistic Adoration at St. Francis of Assisi is 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.

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.

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.

EPISCOPAL

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

Come worship with us as we celebrate the Holy Eucharist and we transform the club room into a house of God. We are part of Trinity Cathedral (downtown San Jose) and all are welcome to join us in the glorious celebration of God's word. Each week you will receive an uplifting and spiritual message from either Rev. Gerard Flynn or Rev. Penelope Duckworth. Join us after the service for fellowship and breakfast in the Clubhouse.

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

COMMUNITY CHAPEL

'Why I attend Chapel'

By Nick Yannaccone

People ask me why I attend the Villages Community Chapel. The easy answer is it is convenient. Since I am not an early bird, I love being able to roll out of bed and be at the Chapel in less than 10 minutes, and the Sunday Service does not start until 10 a.m. Being a person who likes to sing, I also enjoy the choir and the music at the Chapel. However, the salient reason is I love the warm, caring, people who are members of the Chapel. It feels like an extended family to me. The Chapel is a broad-based community church, with many members who have had membership previously in other denominational churches. We

have Baptists, Presbyterians, Methodists, Episcopalians, Roman Catholics, and others. Some of our members are experienced Christians, some are novice Christians, and there are those who are still discovering Christ. The Chapel has members who are conservative and liberal, both politically and in Christian doctrine. The truth is we will never agree on everything, but the one thing we all share is a deep and abiding love and respect for each other and for Jesus Christ. Are we perfect? Heck no! But we are all working to praise and honor God the best we can in this life, trusting in Christ's mercy and love, until we meet our Lord in paradise.

So if you are looking for a church that believes "Judge not, and you will not be judged" (Luke 6:37) and in charity, "Whenever you did it for any

of my people, no matter how unimportant they seemed, you did it for me." (Matthew 25:40), I suggest you give the Villages Chapel a try. As Pastor Bill Hayden would say: "We are the perfect Church, filled with imperfect people."

Please join us for the Sunday Service in the Cribari Auditorium at 10 a.m., followed by fellowship, cookies and coffee. The Chapel is a place where needs are met, faith is affirmed and people are loved. To learn more about The Villages Community Chapel, go to our website at villagescommunitychapel.org or call our church office at 408-238-3079. While our dear Pastor Bill is out on medical leave, we have been blessed with a wonderful lineup of speakers. This Sunday Pastor Dennis Hadley from Evergreen Valley Church will be speaking.

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SPORTS NEWS

SWINGERS

By Joanie Needham

Our Tuesday morning started with a mini golf clinic led by Scott Steele. Out Of Bounds, Lost Ball, and Wrong Ball were addressed. Fifty-four ladies then headed out to the course with summer wear and lots of ice water as we all prepared to face the 90-degree weather. We all made good use of the shade trees along the fairways.

We had two chip-ins this week: Laura Swenson on #4 for a bogey. Joanie Needham on #7 for a bogey.

No birdies were achieved today, but there was a goose hit!

Rene Woolard approached her second shot, but what would have been a great fairway shot was stopped short by a goose's rump! No harm was done to Mr. Goose, but I thought I heard him curse angrily under his breath as he waddled off to join his crew.

A perfect example of "Rub of The Green" occurred in my foursome. Joanie Needham (that's me) tee'd off on hole #4 and to my dismay, the ball landed on one of the Shonis' parked golf cart roofs. I gently lifted the ball up, Laura Swenson pulled the cart forward, and then I dropped the ball directly down. I played it where it laid and no penalty was incurred.

Update to the Club Challenge:

Low Net Winners Flight 2—first - Gisele Barber, second - Connie Fortner, third - Pam Short.

The Swingers/Pinseekers Fall Mixer Tournament and Luncheon will take place on Tuesday, October 8. Format: Two Best Balls. Lunch at Gazebo with a choice of turkey/avocado, roast beef, or portobello with eggplant and zucchini sandwich. The cost is \$36 (and includes green fees, lunch & prizes). Signup sheet will be posted on September 17 in the posting room. The deadline to enter is October 2. We encourage all to play. It's a wonderful way to mingle and meet the Pinseekers. The more, the merrier!

Trivia: Today's round of golf is 18 holes because this is how many holes The Old Course in St Andrews has. In 1764, The Royal and Ancient Golf Club (R&A) decided to reduce the number of holes on the course from 22 to 18...What I say to that is Amen! Can you imagine 22 holes?!



Renee Woolard, Swingers Club Champion second year in a row.

Photo by Doreen Senio

18-HOLE WOMEN

By Nancy Keane

Another beautiful day in paradise here at the Villages Golf and Country Club!

A fun format for the ladies to play, throwing out three of our worst holes.... wouldn't it be great if we could always do that?!

Vicki Krattli, our co-captain, chaired the luncheon reminding us of some simple rules that would keep our golf course the great place it is. Please follow the golf cart exit signs and clean up your ball marks on the green. We have those bandini workers who do a great job making repairs early on Tuesday mornings, but taking care of our own divots and ball marks as we play would be quite helpful.

Kathy Apgar encouraged everyone to sign up for the championship tournament starting September 5. You must sign up on Chelsea for the 5th (which will also be captain's trophy day), but the next two weeks, on the 12th and 19th, you will be signed up by the pro shop. The championship luncheon will be on September 19.

Judy Rodriguez gave a wonderful presentation concerning the cancer tournament on October 24. Please play and bring a friend from inside The Villages or even outside. All the money raised will be to help American Cancer Foundation.

We had lots of chip-ins and birdies.

Chip Ins: Judy Rodriguez #7 & 10; Monica Saneholtz #15 & 17; Geri Wilk #17; Linda Schlageter #4; Maxine Amundson #17; Julie Henig #3.

Birdies: Judy Rodriguez #4; Janet Gonzales #4; Helen Varenkamp #16; Jungwha Kim #11.

PICKLEBALL

By Linda Eige

The Pickleball Club is bursting at the seams! On a hot August afternoon, 17 people showed up to play on two courts. This is becoming a common issue. Players are forced to make compromises—playing short games and rotating out after every game, but frustration is felt by all. We need more court space to accommodate the increasing number of pickleball players.



A big crowd for two courts!

On a more positive note, it is time for our Fall Tournament! It will be on Saturday, September 21 from 1 to 4 p.m. on courts 1-4. Sign up now at villagespickleball.org

Also, sign up now for the Pickleball Prohibition Speakeasy & Casino Night! Step back in time and enjoy appetizers, dessert and games of chance at the Clubhouse on Halloween night. This is going to be a very fun event on Thursday, October 31 from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. Discounted early signups end on September 15. See more details on the Pickleball Club website listed above.

TABLE TENNIS

Table Tennis—a year round exercise opportunity

By Tony Berg

With the summer sun beating down it is hard to exercise in the open air. But we hear more and more how important exercise is to ward off the dreaded ailments associated with aging.

Well why not drop into the Montgomery Multipurpose Room (MMR) to get that workout you need and have a little fun too!

Drop-in Table Tennis Club is available in these time windows:

Wednesdays, Thursdays & Fridays - 1 to 10 p.m

Saturdays & Sundays - 9 a.m. to 10 p.m.

(Wednesday 3 to 5 p.m. for newbies and social Ping Pong players)

If you are not a member, drop by anyway and a member will let you in to see what TableTennis has to offer as an enjoyable way to keep fit and stay healthy. So take your pick of times, but remember that: **The best dose of exercise is the one that gets you coming back for more.** If you find a way to stay active that you enjoy, you are doing it right!

Save the date!

Monday, October 14

The Swingers are sponsoring a **Walk-a-thon** to raise funds for the **Stroke Awareness Foundation**



We will need volunteers and sponsors to walk
Contact: **Marcy Boyles, 408-806-9603,**
marcyboyles@hotmail.com

MEN'S GOLF CLUB



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

Our Next Men's Club Tournament: The Club Championship starts this weekend! This is the best competitive event of the year that you don't want to miss! The schedule is as follows:

- September 7 – Flex option: First round to be played on Saturday, September 7 or before Thursday, September 12 if both parties agree.
- September 14 – Quarterfinals must be played on Saturday, September 14
- September 15 – Flex option: Semifinals to be played on Sunday, September 15 or before Thursday, September 19 if both parties agree.
- September 21 & 22 - Championship flight is a two-day final; all other flights will have their final on Saturday, September 21 only.

More info was sent via email, is on the Men's Club website at villagesgolfers.com and was in the last edition of The Villager. You can also check with the Pro Shop.



Upcoming Events

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, September 3. The meetings are open to all members. Also, remember to visit our website at www.villagesgolfers.com for the latest Men's Golf Club information.

BOCCE NEWS



Traveling Team Members, front row Captain Jeanne-Anne Whitacre, Linda Planting, Frank Garcia, Fran Schumaker, Evonne Cook & Co-Capt. Barbara Orlando. Back roll Jana King, Roger King, Tony Orlando, Co-Capt. George Paris, Bob Iacopi, Shel Schumaker, Coach Helen Paris, Joe Spada & Captain David Cook. Not present for photo, team members John Wachsman & Paul Andersen.

By Barbara Orlando

The Bocce Club has made their selection for the first **Traveling Team**. Working under the umbrella of the Bocce Club, they are a group who have their own committee. Helen Paris (coach) and David Cook (the business end) are heading up the TTC. If you didn't sign up this year in hopes of being selected, next year you will have another opportunity. Working and playing on this team is a big commitment, with team practices and the potential to travel to neighboring communities to play. Congratulations to those 17 individuals who made the team for 2019.

Captains Meeting for the Fall RR is today, at Montgomery Center at 1 p.m.

The Village Challenge takes place tomorrow, games starting at 9 a.m., with the Championship game at 3 p.m. Spectators are always welcome to come support your Village. This year all 12 Villages are represented and some fierce competition should be had. After the Village Challenge, check out our club's website for results at villagesbocceclub.com. The winning Village will have their team photo displayed on the sports wall in the Bistro.

Fall Round Robin starts on Monday, September 16 and continues for six weeks of tournament play, finalizing on week 7 with the playoffs and Championship game. Paul Andersen, the tournament coordinator reports he has 24 teams ready to go in this year's final tournament of the bocce club season.

Save the Dates:

Awards Dinner on Saturday, November 2 starting at 5 p.m. at Foothill Center. Reserved seating for 8-10 members per table. We're expecting a record number of members wanting to attend, so plan accordingly (limited seating). More details and reservations will begin in October.

Membership/Elections Meeting will be held on Monday, November 11 from 3 to 5 p.m. at Foothill Center. Contact Wayne Weiler at wweiler6@gmail.com if you'd like to run for the Bocce Board for 2020.

Tip from the courts: When you're finished playing, put the equipment away, collapse the umbrellas and secure, also make sure to cover the scoreboard.

SHONIS

Eighteen Shonis played Tuesday, August 27. No birdies this week, but Barbara (Barb) Karayn chipped in on Hole 2. Barb also shot low gross and net Tuesday. She's ready for the Club Championship.

Shonis are encouraged to sign up for the Club Championship. Look for the signup sheet in the posting room under the Shoni bulletin board. This is the Shonis' most competitive play for the year and a chance for the low handicappers to shine. The Club Champion is awarded to the player with the low gross score after three consecutive games, September 17, 24 and October 1. Play also includes flights by handicaps, so there is an opportunity for several players to be in the money.

IRONMEN

By Bill Travis

The Ironmen play every Thursday morning; check-in time is 9:30 a.m. and tee off at 10 a.m. Thursday was mild with intermittent clouds. A great day for golf. We had another great turnout and the results were as follows:

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

Second place went to Tom Rossi with a net score of 27.

Third place there was a two-way tie between Prakash Deshmukh and Mario Silva each with a net score of 28.

There were two birdies: Al Bruno on hole 2; and Prakash Deshmukh on hole 6.

Closest to the pin on hole 2: Jack Bindon.

Our deep thought and/or humor and/or history lesson:

In 1764, St. Andrews in Scotland reduced its length to 18 holes from 22 holes. Three years later, James Durham played the course in ninety-four strokes, a record that stood for nearly a century. -From "Five Centuries of Gold Wisdom."

"The only thing a golfer needs is more daylight." - Ben Hogan

PINSEEKERS

By Jack Bindon

We had a good group this last Tuesday with 15 players involved. The scores were a bit higher than "normal" but we did have some good net scores.

First place Jack Bindon with a net 34. Second place we had a tie between Tak Okabe and Larry Chin, both with net 35. Third place goes to Mr. Consistent Martin Hoek with net 36. Fourth place goes to Tim Short with a net 39. Low gross was Jack Bindon with a gross 44 (8 bogies and 1 par). Just barely good enough.

That day was a very long day on the course. The group I was in finished nearly a full hour behind the time recommended on the card. The problem was too many lost balls. First thing to remember is we now only have three minutes to search before declaring the ball lost. Check it out, the rule has changed. Secondly, to avoid the loss of the ball we all need to be helping each other track the shots. Many of our players have some form of vision problem (that includes me). This not only applies to the tee shots but any following shots. This can best be done by each cart mate. Let's all help maintain the pace of play.




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TENNIS TALK



Michael Diltz

By Claire Hintergardt

Michael Diltz—The Tennis Club’s Go-To Guy! Michael is the Court Manager of the tennis courts. He listens to comments, complaints, needs and wishes of everyone regarding the courts and viewing stand areas. Tennis players, fans in the stands and visitors all mention the wonderful condition of the tennis areas. It is Michael’s diligence that gives us clean courts and viewing areas, nets without holes and a tennis facility that is the envy of players and observers. Michael does all this and more with his quiet and unassuming manner.

It was the tennis facility that brought Cheryl and Michael to The Villages. While exploring the option of moving to The Villages, the Diltzs dropped by the courts during the Tennis Club Annual Open House. Michael and Cheryl were delighted with the friendliness and welcoming by the Tennis Club members and were impressed with the quality of the facilities. Since that time, Cheryl has played major roles, especially in the Women’s USTA teams and the Tennis Club Board. Although Michael does not play tennis, he has been the Court Manager and a Tennis Club Board member for several years.

Michael always is open to suggestions, explores options and communicates well with The Villages Facilities. Michael particularly commends Lenny, of Facilities, for his expertise. The rewards and job benefits for the Court Manager job, according to Michael, are friendships, the accomplishments, appreciation from the tennis community and visitors, the cooperation, teamwork and assistance from others, and of course, watching Cheryl play.

The one wish from Michael? Please wind down the umbrellas when leaving the court!

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FROM THE PRO



By Scott Steele, PGA Head Golf Professional

Club Championships—As you may know, this is the time of year for our golf club championship tournaments. The 9-Hole Women’s Swingers have completed their Club Championship. Congratulations are due to Renee Woolard who captured the Swingers Club Championship for the second straight year!

The Women’s 18-Hole Golf Association Club Championship started this Thursday, September 5 and is a multiple day, stroke play competition.

The Men’s Club Championship starts September 7 and is a multiple day, match play competition. Spectators are welcome.

Upcoming Golf Course Maintenance—You will see some necessary tree trimming and removal on the golf course over the course of late summer and fall.

We will start Fall Aeration on Monday, September 23.

Monday, September 23 - Only 9-Holes will be open

Tuesday-September 24 – Complete greens aeration on 18-hole course – Course & Pro Shop closed all day.

Wednesday, September 25 – Fairway, tees and collars aeration starts (2-3 week process).

Week of October 7 – Par-3 Course and Practice Greens aeration.

Late October – Fairway & rough inter-seeding with Rye Grass starts.

Housekeeping Thoughts—Part of being a resident member of a private golf club is everyone doing their part to personally assure that the golf course is kept in good condition and that each person takes the time and care to leave the course in the same or better condition than when they played it. Along those lines, here are some basic housekeeping thoughts that we as a group need to improve on:

1. If you break a tee when teeing off, please pick it up and toss it in a receptacle. It is not proper golf etiquette to leave your broken tee on the tee box after you hit.
2. If you smoke, please discard your cigarette and/or cigar butts in a receptacle. It is not proper golf etiquette to toss your cigarette or cigar butt on the ground on the golf course.
3. If you are in a greenside bunker, after you exit and rake the bunker, please knock the sand off your shoes before walking onto the green. It is not proper golf etiquette to track sand from your shoes onto the putting green.

Tips from the Pro – Scott Steele

The Claw grip is not a "Band-aid"

If you look at a touring golf professional’s arsenal, most of it looks the same. Even the golf swings look the same. But as other areas in golf start to merge, the one element of golf that has actually become less universal and more personal, is putting. Equipment first...Look at all the different styles of putters that are used: long shaft, short shaft, mallet head, blade head, center shaft, heel shaft; it goes on and on. We know that all their wood and iron grips look the same, but take a look at all the different types of putter grips out there: the standard pistol grip (Tiger Woods), the Super Stroke 2.0 (Jordan Spieth), the Lamkin Fat Cat (Justin Rose) and the extra log tapered grip (Matt Kuchar), just to name a few. All of these unique putters and putter grips match the unique style of putting used by the player. So where putting used to be the most universal of all of golf’s techniques, now it has become the most varied. They used to say that the professional changed his putting style due to desperation, but now all styles of putting are accepted as viable, and not considered a “band-aid” anymore. So if you are having putting woes, I recommend that first you experiment with a different style of putting...here are some options: cross-handed grip, spilt grip, claw grip, try an open stance, try a closed stance, move the ball forward, move the ball back, tighten your grip, loosen your grip, crouch more, stand up taller, focus on left hand pull, focus on right hand push. Once you find a new style that works, we can tailor the proper handle for that style and maybe even a better putter for that style. Remember without experimentation, none of these touring pros would be putting with these unique styles they are using...so you need to experiment too, you might just find something that works.

More putting tips in my next column...Let us know if these tips help.

Just For Fun Golf Series

Coming soon—mark your calendars

Sunday, October 6

Fall Classic — Three Great Tournaments in One

Co-sponsored by the Villages Pro Shop & the VGC

Open to all Villagers and their guests. This is a fun and social event for all. Join us for a great, catered barbeque dinner at Gazebo Park, following your round of golf.

Play our Par 3 course, or our 9 or 18 Holes: Scramble; four person teams—mixer teams encouraged. Guests are open to join you.

This will be the final event for this year’s “Just For Fun Golf Series.”

Watch for details in next week’s Villager.

SCOREBOARD

BRIDGE

Monday, August 26: 1. Marie Chong/Maureen Waltho 2. Mary LeGrand/Jonna Robinson 3. Margaret McNelly/Sylvia Rozewicz

Wednesday, August 28: 1. Nancy Kettman/Marie Chong 2. Kosalya Uyengar/Suren Adodra 3. Maureen Waltho/Alan Waltho

Thursday, August 29: 1. Jonna Robinson/Roy Tsai 2/3. Cathy & Ray Struck 2/3. Dorthy Staehs/Louann Partridge

MEXICAN TRAIN DOMINOES

Wednesday, August 28

Sylvia Rozewicz 110
Audrey Osuna 224
Vicky Linscott 229

Friday, August 30

Vicky Linscott 215
Carol Souza 292
Linda McMullen 299
Shirley Bellavance 244

PINOCHLE

Wednesday, August 28

Phyllis Ogden Sagen
Pat Luebcke
Barry Andersen
Tony Orlando

Friday, August 30

Duane Sagen
Phyllis Ogden Sagen
Mike Cox
Frank Houghton
Shirley Bellavance

SWINGERS

Tuesday, August 27

Flight One:

Mukuno, Joyce 36
Omel, Jeannie 36
Woolard, Renee 37
Barber, Gisele 37

Flight Two:

Murphy, Beverly 35
Jackson, Cynthia 36
Driskell, Sheryl 36
Levander, Bee 37

Flight Three:

Smith, Pat 33
Hales, Cookie 36
Southland, Flo 36
Short, Pam 36

Flight Four:

Nelson, Diane 35
Yahiro, Maryann 35
Curysa, Linda 37
Hoff, Jane 37



SHONIS

Tuesday, August 27

Flight One:

Barbara Karayn
Nancy Chesterton
Pauline Robertson
Jan Erhardt

Flight Two:

22 Delma Juarez
24 Meg Rogers
24 Lil Yamada
25 Betty Hall
Julianna Wahlgren

Flight Three:

25 Sally Nichols
26 Kacy Walden
26
27
27

Pickleball Prohibition Speakeasy & Casino Night

When: Thursday, October 31st
from: 6:30 PM - 9:30 PM

Where: The Cotton Club(house)

Who: ALL Villagers and their guests are welcome!

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The Villages Pickleball Website -
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The Moll Package - an additional \$50 - includes one Wine pull, one random jokers Wild Card, two Treasure Chest keys, plus 250 bonus chips!

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LANDSCAPE & MAINTENANCE

MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE

Cribari

5320-5363, 5400-5432 and 5489-5499—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.
 5500-5576—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 9/9-9/13.
 Cribari Bend and Cribari Circle—Jet mulching in progress.
 Cribari Dell—Pine tree removal scheduled to start 9/18.
 Cribari Crest; 5384-5385—Redwood dead tree removal in planning.
 Cribari Crest; 5388-5399—Installation of metal flashing due to roof replacement, in planning.
 Cribari Corner; 5271-5282—Flat roof replacement in progress.
 5509—Dry rot repairs to the deck, in progress.
 5060 and 5524—Replacement of cement at rear patio in progress.
 5126 and 5486—Replacement of cement at rear patio scheduled for the week of 9/9.

Del Lago

3301-3315—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.
 3316-3366 and 3401-3431—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 9/9-9/13.
 3364 and 3365—Demolition in progress.
 3133, 3134 and 3206—Iron fence repairs in progress.

Estates

8809-8875—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 9/23-9/27.
 Street seal coating scheduled for 9/5, 9/9-9/12 and 9/16.

Fairways

4001 and 4024—Landscape maint. and weed control, 10/21-10/25.
 Street seal coating scheduled for 9/13.

Glen Arden

7698-7752 and 7753-7787 (odd)—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 10/7-10/11.
 7706, 7732, 7733, 7738, 7739, 7745, 7753, 7759, 7765, 7771, 7772, 7807, 7813, 7819, 7825, 7839, 7845, 7851, 7857 and 7866—Deck Coating in planning.
 Street seal coating scheduled for 9/13.
 Dry rot repairs throughout the district in progress.
 7744—Plumbing repairs in progress.

Heights

8480-8505—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 9/30-10/4.
 8506—Stucco wall painting in progress.
 Wood repairs in planning.
 Common area wall mounted lighting project in planning.
 8485-8487—Sewer line repairs in progress.

Hermosa

8005-8032 and 8100-8121—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 9/30-10/4.
 Riesling—Jet mulching in progress.
 Wood repairs in planning.
 8116-8118—Sewer line repairs scheduled for next week.

Highland

7500-7573—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 9/16-9/20.
 Street seal coating scheduled for 9/6 and 9/10.
 Street striping scheduled for 9/23.

Montgomery

6001-6068 and 6127-6136—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 9/23-9/27.
 Montgomery Corner—Live tree removal scheduled the week of 9/9.
 Whaley Lake—Fountain repairs in progress.
 6187-6190—Carport post repairs scheduled to start 9/9.
 6203—Plumbing repairs scheduled to start 9/9.
 Blauer Lane—City of San Jose sewer line repairs in progress.

Olivas

8738-8753—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.
 8646-8650 and 8665-8712—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 9/9-9/13.
 8604-8606, 8612-8617, 8657-8658, 8683-86900—Deck coating scheduled for 9/5-9/10.
 8692-8695, 8697, 8699, 8700, 8702-8706, 8708 and 8710-8712—Deck coating scheduled for 9/10-9/13.
 8713-8729, 8731-8733, 8740, 8741, 8745-8748, 8763 and 8767—Deck coating scheduled for 9/13-9/24.
 Street seal coating scheduled for 9/5, 9/9-9/12 and 9/16.

Sonata

2025-2031 and 2065-210—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.
 2000-2024 and 2032-2064—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 10/21-10/25.

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A MESSAGE FROM BRIGHTVIEW

Mulch Program

To help keep soil moist, to help prevent weeds (reducing the need for herbicides around the unit), to help prevent soil compaction, for aesthetics, and for the overall health of the plants, a property-wide mulching program is part of the current landscape maintenance services contract.

We are working with a mulching company that will be coming onsite a handful of times a week to perform mulch spraying to the majority of the plant beds on the property.

This process requires a large mulch truck with a long hose attachment that is used to spray mulch in the area desired. This will be completed by a three man crew; two of them to hold and point the hose and a third to come behind them and blow the excess mulch off of the sidewalks and walkways.

There is some dust and also some noise and when the trucks are installing the mulch and when the walkways and sidewalks are cleared by blowers. In addition, during this process, there will be a short lag time between the spraying of the mulch and the blowing of the sidewalks/walkways, but it will be done on the same day. We apologize in advance for any inconvenience this process may cause, but again, this process will better the health of the plants by controlling soil temperatures, as well as improve the aesthetics of the landscape across the property.

Weekly updates of where the mulch truck is working will be provided through Fastlane.



Villages Annual Street Maintenance Project for September

The annual street maintenance project provides for maintenance of roadways and parking area at select locations. Designated locations undergo repairs, crack fill, seal coat and or striping. This year the work is planned at streets impacting Village Olivas, Olivas Estates, Village Fairway, Village Verano, Village Highland, Highland Single Family Homes and Village Glen Arden.

Updates will be posted in *The Villager* and Fast Lane and delivered to home mail tubes.

Please be aware of construction signage, restrictions and closures.

Street Closures Planned for the Following Work

- September 5** Seal Coat—Village Olivas (McCarthy Ranch, Ranch House, Garden House)
Seal Coat—Estates (Wine Valley – North segment)
- September 9** Seal Coat—Village Olivas (Olivas Circle – South segment)
Seal Coat—Estates (Wine Valley – South segment)
- September 10** Seal Coat—Village Olivas (Vineyard Creek, Olivas Circle – West entrance)
- September 11** Seal Coat—Village Olivas (Vineyard Ridge, Fruit Barn, Olivas Circle – East entrance)
- September 12** Seal Coat—Village Olivas (Grape Wagon, Olivas Circle – North segment, French Oak, Solera – South segment, Olivas Circle – West segment)
- September 16** Seal Coat—Village Olivas (Lomas Azules, American Oak, Solera – North segment, Olivas Circle – West segment)
- September 6** Seal Coat—Village Highland (select streets East of Portree); Falkirk, Helmsdale, Galloway, Caledonia, Findhorn
Seal Coat—Village Glen Arden (Galloway)
- September 10** Seal Coat—Village Highland (select streets West of Portree); Deveron, Helmsdale, Tayside and Caledonia
- September 13** Seal Coat—Village Fairways (Clubhouse, Wimbledon)
Seal Coat—Village Verano (Via Valverde and Via Cielo)
Seal Coat—Village Glen Arden (lower Prestwick and Kilmarnok)

Please note the following:

For seal coat processes, access to driveways and parking areas is restricted.

Please be aware of construction signage for closures and detours.

Work hours are planned between 7 a.m. and 6 p.m.

For safety reasons and work crew needs, no parking will be permitted along streets.

We ask for your assistance in protecting your personal property (including vehicles, golf carts, etc.). Construction equipment and vehicles will be present along roadways. Use of parking by construction crews may be used on a temporary basis.

Noise will be heard due to use of equipment, vehicles and tools. Dust will be generated due to the construction work. Oil and concrete odors will be present during operations.

Thank you for your cooperation and support as we complete this important work for the community.

If you have any questions or needs, please contact your Area Project Manager or Maintenance Services at 408-223-4670.

Along the Way—a trip down Memory Lane

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

From participation in just a few of the many activities here in The Villages, I know that our residents represent quite a cross-section of America. I've met people from just about every region of the country, and probably every socio-economic level. It calls to mind one of the unexpected and surely unintended serendipities of my military service. The military draft was in effect back then – pre-Vietnam. I enlisted for a three-year commitment at age 17, rather than wait until I would be subjected to a two-year draft after age 18.

The young men I served alongside came from all walks of life – from the inner-city projects of New York to the mountain “hollers” of Appalachia – and from most ethnic groups. I got to know and feel a kinship with the kinds of young men who would otherwise never have crossed my path. I benefitted hugely from interaction with such a wide variety of people “up close and personal,” as they say.

Today's all-volunteer military has its advantages, no doubt, but surely it attracts people from a much narrower socio-economic band of Americans. I'll never know whether or by what age I would otherwise have begun to feel comfortable with people who were not like me. What I do know is that we are surrounded here in The Villages by a very interesting and diverse group of people, and I feel comfortable with all. This has certainly been an unexpected serendipity that the real estate agent could never have explained to us when we were looking back in 2014.



More CLUBS

Veterans Club Profile: Colonel Don Jensen, USAF Ret.

By Dr. Jac Fitzenz

Don was born and grew up in northern Wisconsin. He received an appointment to the U.S. Naval Academy graduating in 1952. Don always wanted to fly so he accepted a commission in the Air Force, earning his wings in August 1953.

Following B-29 combat crew training at Randolph Field, Texas he was stationed in Japan flying RB-29s and RB-50s on reconnaissance missions in the north Pacific. After participating in the 1956 nuclear tests at Eniwetok he returned to the States and earned a Master's Degree in Electrical Engineering as well as completing the Air War College program.

His career in aerospace included satellite systems design, mission control and tracking station commander in the Seychelles Islands in the Indian Ocean. Since the U.S. had no embassy there, Don was also Senior American Representative to this British Crown Colony.

He volunteered for helicopter training, and became a rescue commander and flew 157 missions in Vietnam as commander of the 38th Rescue Squadron, the most highly decorated unit in the war.

Don returned to the Satellite Control Facility, Sunnyside as data processing manager and later Deputy Commander for Range Operations. He retired in 1974 having been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal with 4 clusters, Bronze Star and the Meritorious Service Medal, along with several unit citations.

Upon his retirement he continued his space career working at Ford Aerospace, Systems Development Corp and Lockheed in several phases of satellite development and operations including payload integration for the Titan Program and as manager of a communications research facility in Guam.

Don has enjoyed a lifelong hobby of singing, being a soloist for the Naval Academy Choir and touring with the Santa Clara Chorale.

Arriving at The Villages in 1995 Don has been involved with the Village Voices, Big Sir, and EPIC among other activities. He's also a golfer, coin collector and performer in Village musicals.



The Where In The World Is The Villager? column will appear in future Villager editions

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By J.M.K.

NORTH

♠ A Q 9 5
♥ 3
♦ 9 8 6 4 2
♣ 9 8 7

WEST

♠ 10
♥ J 7 6 2
♦ A Q 7 5 3
♣ K Q J

EAST

♠ J 8 7 4
♥ Q 8 4
♦ K J 10
♣ 10 3 2

SOUTH

♠ K 6 3 2
♥ A K 10 9 5
♦ —
♣ A 6 5 4

Dealer: South

Vulnerability: East/West

Bidding:	North	East	South	West
Pass	Pass	1 Heart	2 Diamonds	Pass
Pass	Pass	2 Spades	Pass	Pass
3 Spades	All Pass*			

Contract: 3 Spades by South

Opening Lead: King of Clubs

Dealer has a loser in Spades, at least 2 in Hearts, and 3 Club losers.

Strategy: Try to get in the lead, sluff a Club on the board with a Heart, and get a cross ruff going between Diamonds and Hearts.

West leads the King of Clubs, South, the Ace, and follows with the Ace of Hearts, then the King of Hearts and sluffs a Club from the board. He next plays a Heart, trumps it on the board, leads a Diamond, trumps it in his hand, and shifts to the King of Spades. He then leads the 9 of Hearts; West wins with the Jack, and South sluffs a Club on the Heart from the board. At this point it doesn't matter whether West leads, a Club or a Diamond. Let's say he leads a Diamond, East covers with the Jack, South trumps with the 3, follows with a Club, and trumps it on the board with the Queen. He continues with a Diamond, trumps it in his own hand with the 6, shifts to the 10 of Hearts, and East trumps. He leads another Spade, South takes the trick with the Ace on the board, leads the last card, a Diamond, and East wins with the last Spade. Great! The contract is made with an overtrick, but this is a hard game to bid.

* Some South players might gamble and bid game after their partner passes twice because of their void in Diamonds.

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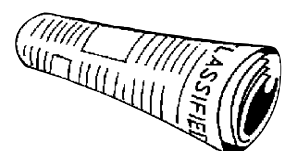
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2086-2090—Dry rot repairs in progress.
 2075-2085—Power washing of buildings to start 9/5 with painting to start 9/9.
 2065-2074—Painting in progress.

Valle Vista

9015-9033—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.
 9048-9066—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 9/9-9/13.

North Side Area—Fire fuel brush clearing in progress.

9053-9056—Wood repairs in progress.
 9009-9014—Prep and paint in progress.
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7314-7394—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.
 7200-7251 and 7300-7313—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 9/9-9/13.

7353—Backflow Replacement/Relocation in progress.

Street seal coating scheduled for 9/13.

Street striping scheduled for 9/23.

7200, 7216, 7244 and 7309—Dry rot repairs in progress.

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Checking irrigation systems, in progress.

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Advance Health Care Directive: With Grace Hospice will be presenting on this important topic. Wednesday, September 11, 10:30 a.m. – 12 p.m., Cribari Conference Room.

Flu Shots: Only for those who registered during August sign up dates. Thursday, September 12 and Tuesday, September 17, 9:30 a.m. – 5 p.m., Foothill Center.

Caregivers Support Group: a group designed to provide emotional, educational and social support for all caregivers facilitated by Villager, Judy London, Ph.D. Thursday, September 19, 10:30 a.m. – 12 p.m., Patio Room.

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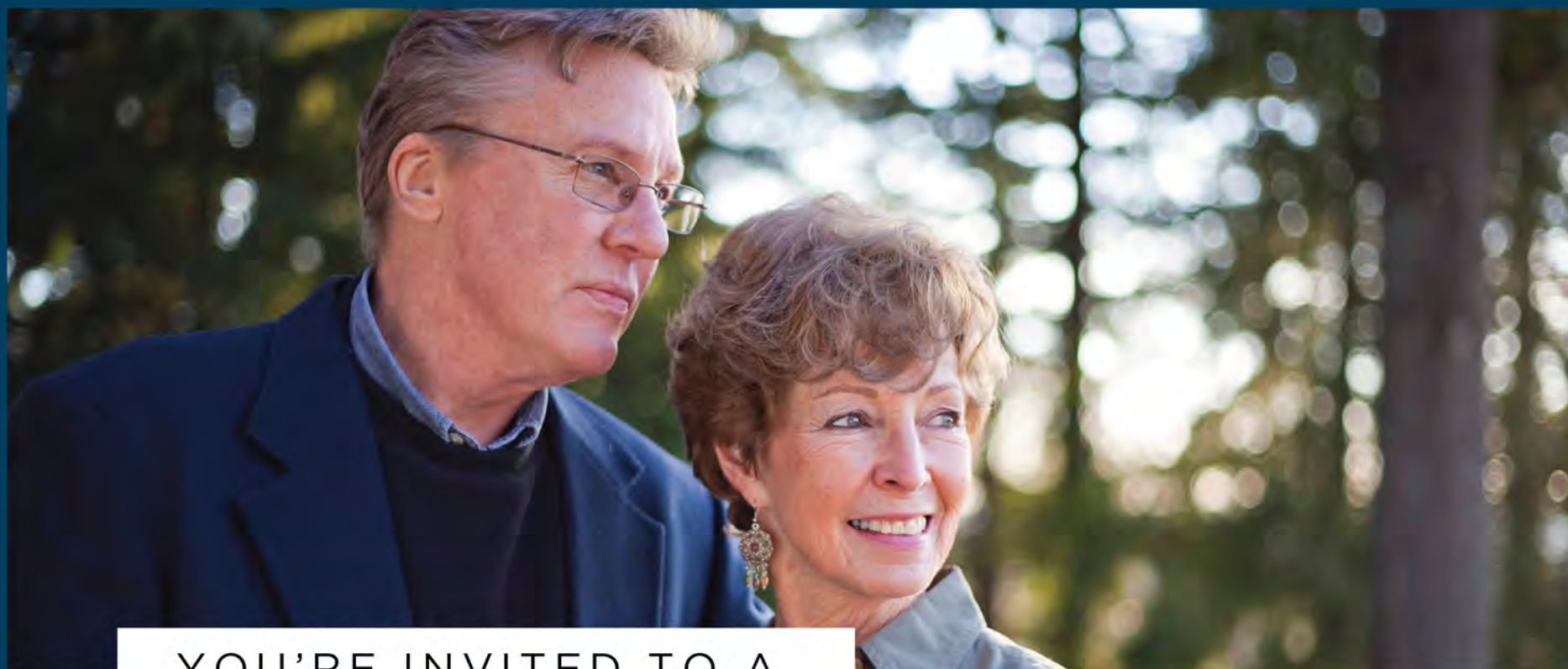
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