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The News this Week

- ·October Public Safety Report (See article on page 4)
- · VGC: 'Registered Guest Program' (See article on page 1)
- Pastor Bill Hayden returns (See article on page 16)
- Roof and Gutter Cleaning Schedule (See article on page 22)

Holiday office closures

Villages business offices will be closed Thursday, November 28 and Friday, November 29 for the Thanksgiving holiday.

Hot Tickets

- · Violinist/pianist duo in concert (See article on page 1)
- · Crafters' Holiday Boutique (See article on page 1)
- · Cristmas Creche Exhibit (See article on page 1)
- · Impressionist Ken Block (See article on page 11)







Community TV channels:

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

• Living with Wildfires

(See page 9 for broadcast times on the above items and for other programming.)



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Crafters Holiday Boutique is Saturday!

Saturday, November 23 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in Cribari



Please join us as we kick off the season To find the very best of gifts Wreaths, biscotti, and greeting cards Kitchen towels, doll clothes and bibs Calendars, and seasonal items Jewelry and small gift boxes Hats gloves and baby clothes and mosaic wall pieces Cork trivets and cork boards Quilts and succulent plants Scarfs and table runners Wooden pieces of art We look forward to seeing you there! Don't forget to claim a chance for a \$100 gift certificate: one ticket per person!

See the 32nd annual Christmas Creche Exhibit

This event is subject to cancellation if we do not get enough signups by November **27.** Bring a friend and enjoy this special day! If you have not seen the Christmas Creche Exhibit at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints you don't want to miss it! Our trip is planned for Wednesday, December 11! We will depart from the Villages east parking lot at Cribari Center at 10 a.m. to Stanford Shopping Center to finish up that last-minute Christmas shopping and have lunch before enjoying over 250 nativity scenes from all over the world. We will return to The Villages by 6 p.m.

Register in the Community Resource Center, Building B. The cost of this outing is \$35 per person.

Violinist/pianist duo to perform at Villages

Violinist Kimia Ghaderi and pianist Andrew Focks will present a concert at Cribari Auditorium on Sunday, November 24 at 2:30 pm. The concert is sponsored by the Village Voices of the Villages Music Society.



Gaderi and Focks began their collaborative partnership in 2012, then in Houston, Texas. Currently based in Cleveland, Ohio, they perform recitals around the world which are unique for their versatile programming, exciting interpretations and engaging interaction with audiences. Their diverse repertoire ranges from the great classical masterpieces to popular music and theater genres, and includes their own arrangements and transcriptions. The duo performs multiple recitals each year throughout Northeast Ohio for the ArtsConnect Series of the Cleveland International Piano Competition, including their Winter and Summer Beachwood Recital Series. Recent recital venues have included Mixon Hall, Steinway Piano Gallery Cleveland, Auditorium Marianum (Italy), and Salzburg Baroque Museum (Austria).

Tickets—\$15 each—are on sale this weekend, November 16 at 10 a.m. in Cribari Lobby and November 23 at 10 a.m. or at the door.

Attention golfers, time to take:

The Next Step

Novice Golf Clinics with PGA Director of Golf Scott Steele

Winter series: Sat., November 30-Jan. 26

(For more details see ad on page 3)



VGC: New golf 'Registered Guest Program' begins January 1

Beginning January 1, 2020, we will be instituting the new golf Registered Guest Program (RGP), which will replace the discontinued "Preferred Unaccompanied Guest Program" (PUGP). In an effort to improve our community security we will begin this new Guest program, which will still allow The Villages to share our golf course and its amenities with selected sponsored guests but in a more controlled and monitored fashion than was provided under the previous PUGP.

1) The Villages resident will still be able to register any number of guests. After approval by the Pro Shop d VGC, these registered guests will be able to play and make reservations independently of a Villages member.

2) The Annual registration of each guest will incur a \$10 administrative fee chargeable to the Villages sponsor. The registration will be only good for the calendar year beginning January 1 and ending December 31 (no prorated fee applies). All registered guests will be purged from the system by January 15 of the following year and it will be up to their sponsor to reregister them for continued independent play.

3) The Registered Guest and their individual guests will only be granted access to The Villages, the golf course and its amenities (driving range, putting green, and short game areas) on the date they have a reserved tee time and their names are on the daily play sheet.

These changes in our RGP are for the sole purpose of improving our community security. The VGC and the Pro Shop still look forward to continuing our valued relationship with all quests but in a more orderly manner. Thank you for your understanding.

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.

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Letters may be submitted electronically through the Pulse Submission Form on the Resident Portal: resident. the villagesgcc.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 withdrawn by authors.

1 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.

This is to answer the concerns to the concerns raised in a Pulse letter in the November 8 Villager. The Villages Solar Array is installed and maintained to be safe and productive. Included are protection features and mechanisms to immediately shut down the inverter, preventing it from generating AC power when the connection to the load no longer exists as in the case of a black-out. This is a fundamental safety provision in all solar installations to prevent inadvertent energizing of the utility lines which may be down or under maintenance. As there is no load no electric energy is produced.

The Villages Solar Array was commissioned August 2016. Since then, more than 2900 Megawatt hours of electric energy has been generated resulting in savings of \$200,000 in annual electric utility costs to the Club. Those savings are currently applied to pay for the solar installation. When fully paid up, the savings are then applied as a direct reduction in the Villages PG&E bill.

-John Stratakos



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

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

WHAT I LOVE ABOUT THE VILLAGES

What I love about the Villages

This week my new car displayed a warning signal of low tire pressure. I had never put air in my tires, and I did not know how to add additional air.

I expressed my concerns to Helen at the Public Safety office. She kindly offered to show me how to accomplish this task.

Thank you to a wonderful employee of The Villages and a good reason I love living in The Villages.

— Mary Flesher

THANK YOU

A special thanks to Public Safety!

I just want you to know why my husband and I love living here. A couple of months ago, my daughter and husband were home alone. While my daughter was sitting in the kitchen she heard a big thud. She said it sounded like a bowling ball hitting the garage floor. She went into the garage and found her father on the garage floor bleeding from his head. (Did I mention she was 7 months pregnant?) She called 911 and within a few minutes, Annie from the Public Safety Plaza was at my daughter's side.

Annie noticed immediately that my daughter was pregnant and told her, "Your dad is going to be fine, it just looks worse than it is." She told my daughter to calm down because she had to stay calm for the baby's sake.

Annie was a very calm person in this terrible situation. Thanks, Annie for being able to calm our daughter in a very emotional situation.

-Lonna O'Connor

IN MEMORIAM

Raymond Townsend, Sr. July 10, 1936—October 22, 2019

A memorial service for Raymond Townsend, Sr. will be held Friday, November 22 in Foothill Center at 3 p.m.

Marian Voytek October 11, 1939 – November 14, 2019

(Please see obituary in the Classified Advertising section)

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 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

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.

More COMMUNITY NOTICES

EVF FOCUS



Hal and Diana Hallock

Glad to donate, glad to serve!

By Maxine Amundson, EVF President

Hal and Diana Hallock are very active Villagers. They play golf, entertain, volunteer and contribute to various events. Most important to both of them is contributing to our community through the Evergreen Villages Foundation (EVF). The Hallock's have been monthly Sustaining Donors since 2012 and now proudly display a donor dot on their Villager cards as Sustaining Members of EVF. "Diana and I are so blessed to live here in the Villages and giving back though membership with EVF is the least we can do," Hal Hallock.

Diana Hallock, one of our nine EVF Board members will begin serving her second three-year term in November. Our Board is pleased she will be continuing her service in support of our mission to enhance amenities in The Villages. Visit our website at www.evfsi.org to learn more about EVF membership and projects.

More BOARDS & COMMITTEES, MANAGEMENT and COMMUNITY NOTICES on pages 4, 5, 12, 16 & 21

Association/Homeowners documents available via e-mail

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

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

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

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

"The Next Step" - Novice Golf Clinics

Winter Series November 30 - January 26

Saturdays 11am-12pm

With PGA Director of Golf, Scott Steele

Designed for all Villages <u>novice</u> golfers and for those who have taken our Get Golf Ready class, and are wondering, "OK, what next?"

A different golf topic each week!

Saturday, November 30

Fundamentals - Grip, Stance, Posture, Alignment

Saturday, December 7

Driver - Grip it and Rip It!

Saturday, December 14

Irons vs Woods – The Compression Factor

Saturday, December 21

Pitching and Sand Bunkers – How to use your Sand Wedge

Saturday, December 28

Chipping vs Pitching – It's all About Trajectory

Saturday, January 5

Putting – The Great Equalizer

Saturday, January 12

Full Swing - How to Maximize Power

Saturday, January 19

Practice vs Play - The Big Difference

Saturday, January 26

Let's Go Play – How to Take your Game from the Range to the Course

Only \$20 Per Clinic!!

To Sign Up for one or all, call the Pro Shop at 408-754-1331





MANAGEMENT

POST OFFICE NOTICE

On Thursday and Friday, November 28 and 29, the Villages Post Office will be closed in observance of Thanksgiving.

Normal business hours will resume on Monday, December 2, from 9 a.m. until noon.

Villages business offices to close November 28, 29

The Villages business offices will close Thursday and Friday, November 28 and 29 for the Thanksgiving holiday. Regular hours will resume

on Monday, December 2. Have a wonderful Thanksgiving!

PUBLIC SAFETY

Date

Item

Property Report October 2019

Summary

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10/3	Damaged	Guest of a resident noticed damage to the passenger door of his vehicle.
10/3	Missing	A teak steamer chair was missing from a resident's patio
10/6	Vandalized	Resident reported that her Halloween decorations were pushed over, and hanging decorations were on the ground.
10/7	Damaged	Resident reported that the right front bumper of his RV was damaged in the RV lot.
10/14	Damaged	Deep vehicle tracks reported on the 15th fairway.
10/23	Damaged	Resident reported a hole in her ceiling.
10/29	Damaged	Resident reported his car had been scratched.

More COMMUNITY NOTICES on pages 12, 16 & 21



Thanksgiving holiday deadline—articles due November 26

Article submissions for the **December 5 edition** of The Villager are due on **Tuesday, November 26**. This earlier deadline is to provide us sufficient time to prepare articles before the Thanksgiving office closure. The Villager office will be closed on Thursday and Friday, November 28 and 29 along with other Villages business offices. Please e-mail articles to Kory Tran at ktran@ the-villages or to Scott Hinrichs at shinrichs@the-villages.com.

Questions for Comcast?

Comcast/Xfinity will continue with their customer service to the residents through December 19, 2019! This is Comcast driven and at no cost to the Villages. Comcast representatives will be on site from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Thursdays in the Cribari Conference Room on the following dates: November 21, and December 12 and 19.

This is your chance to ask your questions about your existing service or if you want to upgrade your service they are there to help.

Public Safety Report October 2019

Octobe	r 2019		
CLASSIFICATION	Present	YTD	YTD
	Month	2019	2018
ACCIDENTS			
1) PERSONAL INJURY	0	3	3
2) AUTO	0	4	10
3) HIT & RUN	2	6	3
4) GOLF CART	0	0	3
5) MISCELLANEOUS	1	1	0
AFTER HOURS REQUESTS	7.4	640	250
1) LIGHTS 2) FACILITIES	74 11	618 141	350 120
3) SPRINKLERS	9	119	154
4) LANDSCAPE	5	24	19
5) ACTIVITIES	0	5	11
6) MISCELLANEOUS	0	0	0
7) GOLF MAINTENANCE	0	1	1
8) FOOD & BEVERAGE	0	0	0
9) BUSINESS OFFICE	0	0	0
10) PRO SHOP	0	0	0
11) WATER LEAKS (OUTSIDE)	0	38	38
12) ALARM ACTIVATION	0	6	17
ANIMAL			
1) COMPLAINTS	8	84	68
2) TRAP REQUEST	0	0	0
3) LOST	2	2	8
4) FOUND	0	5	4
CITATIONS			
1) PARKING	0	14	1
2) SPEEDING	47	464	503
3) STOP SIGN	7	7	22
4) MISCELLANEOUS	0	40 0	30
5) ACC	U	U	U
DISTURBANCE	1	4	6
FIRE / SMOKE	0	2	5
HAZARDOUS CONDITION	0	8	5
MEDICAL EMERGENCY	38	374	441
MISCELLANEOUS	10	199	221
PROPERTY		A.	
1) DAMAGED	5	48	42
2) LOST	0	0	3
3) FOUND	1	4	3
4) VANDALIZED	1	3	1
5) MISSING	1	12	34
PUBLIC SAFETY		105	
1) COMPLAINT	13	185	144
2) REQUEST	39	250	219
DECIDENT ACCIOT	22	210	106
RESIDENT ASSIST	32	218	186
DECIDENT WELFARE OUT OF	16	04	400
RESIDENT WELFARE CHECK	16 2	91 7	102
SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES TRESPASSING	2	/	
1) AUTO	0	0	1
2) PERSON	0	3	1
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	21	227	286
UNLOCKS UNSECURED AREA	21	227 13	286 48

GOVERNANCE MEETINGS

ENCROACHMENTS

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

• 9031 Village View Loop-Walkway.

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

AC NOTICE

Association applications for Owner Alteration Requests for the month of December are due to the Architectural Committee on or before November 22, 2019. See Elissa at the Corporation Yard office to obtain an application. **Meeting date** is scheduled for December 5, 2019 at 9 a.m. The meeting is being held in the Montgomery Center.

Association AC Landscape meeting deadline date is November 22, 2019.

BOARD MEETINGS

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

Three Boards

The Three-Board Lunch Re.: Insurance Review will be held Tuesday, December 10, at 11:30 a.m. in Foothill Center.

Association

The Villages Association Board of Directors December monthly meeting will be held Tuesday, December 10, at 9 a.m. in Foothill Center.

The Villages Golf and Country Club Board of Directors December meeting will be held Tuesday, December 10, at 2 p.m. in Foothill Center.

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

More COMMUNITY NOTICES

SRS SENIOR RESOURCE SERVICES

Annual 2020 Medicare B Premiums \$1,735 to \$5,899 for each individual

In 2020, Medicare recipients will see a change in their Medicare premium. Remember we are only talking about the premium for Medicare B. Any Medigap premium you may have is in addition to Medicare and likely will also increase.

Most Medicare beneficiaries will pay or have deducted from their Social Security benefit \$144.60 per month for their Medicare B premium. However, if you have high income, you will pay a higher Medicare B premium. High income is defined as adjusted gross income plus tax-exempt interest income of more than \$87,000 if single, or \$174,000 if married filing jointly.

Medicare B premiums for 2020

Single Tax Return Income	Joint Tax Return Income	Medicare B Premium
Up to \$87,000	Up to \$174,000	\$144.60
\$ 87,001 – \$109,000	\$174,001 - \$218,000	\$202.40
\$109,001 - \$136,000	\$218,001 - \$272,000	\$289.20
\$136,001 - \$163,000	\$272,001 - \$326,000	\$376.00
\$163,001 - \$499,999	\$326,001 - \$749,999	\$462.70
\$500,000 or more	\$750,000 or more	\$491.60

This means a single individual with \$87,000 or less of income will pay or have deducted \$1,735.20 for the year 2020 for Medicare B. If that individual earned \$163,001, he or she will pay an additional \$3,817.20 for a total \$5,552.40 for the year 2020 for Medicare B. Income of \$500,000 will be \$5,899.20.

Remember that Medicare premiums are for each individual on Medicare. Consequently, a married couple with income of \$174,000 or less will pay Medicare B premiums of \$3,470.40 for the year 2020. If that same couple earns \$326,001, their annual Medicare B premium will increase by \$7,634.40 for a total of \$11,104.80.

The high-income surcharge is an annual calculation based on your gross income from two years previously. Therefore, your surcharge for 2020 is based on your 2018 income tax return. This means if you had unusually high income in 2018 because of stock gains, for example, you will now be paying higher Medicare premiums in 2020. If in 2019 your income then decreased from 2018, your Medicare premium will decrease in 2021.

You can appeal the surcharge if your income has substantially decreased since 2018 because of certain life changing events. Examples include the following: getting married or divorced or becoming widowed; you or your spouse retire or reduce your work hours; you lose your pension income; or you lose income-producing property due to a disaster. Social Security Form SSA-44 is used to request a recalculation. Documentation to prove your life changing event must go with your application.

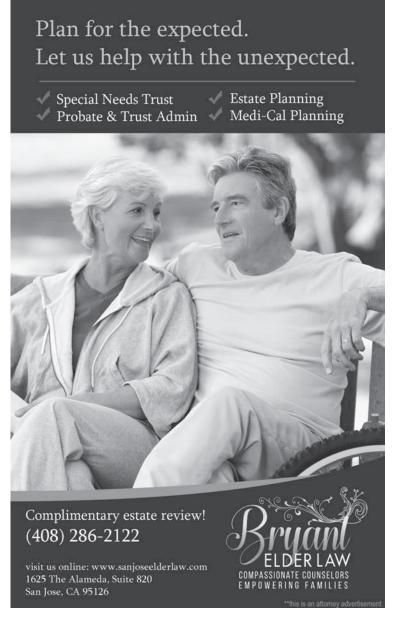
SRS Notice:

Social Security increase for 2020

The Social Security Administration has announced a 1.6 percent COLA – i.e. cost of living adjustment—for Social Security benefits for 2020.

The 2020 Medicare insurance premiums for 2020 will increase from \$135.50 to \$144.60 for most people. Because of the hold harmless clause, if your Social Security benefit increase is less than \$9.10, your Medicare premium will be less. Your Medicare premium cannot increase more than 100 percent of your benefit increase.

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.



ENDAR OF EVENTS

Friday, November 22

8:30 a.m.	Jazzercise	Α	
9 a.m.	Game Day RED,	SEQ	
9:30 a.m.	Ceramics	CER	
9:30 a.m.	Open Studio	AR	
9:30 a.m.	Tai Chi	VC	
10 a.m.	Line Dance	MMP	
10 a.m.	Quilters	Р	
1 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP	
3 p.m.	Hand Bell Rehearsal	CR	
6 p.m.	Mexican Train Domino	MC	
6:30 p.m.	Chinese Club Karaoke	RED	

Saturday. November 23

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9 a.m.	del Lago Social	FC
9 a.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
9:30 a.m.	Ceramics	CER
9:30 a.m.	Crafters Sale	Α
9:30 a.m.	Ukulele Singing	SEQ
10 a.m.	Concert Ticket Sales	RED
4:45 p.m.	Brandeis Movie Disc.	CR
5 p.m.	Italian Club Dinner	CH

Sunday November 24

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7:15 a.m.	Catholic Choir Rehearsal	CR
8:15 a.m.	Catholic Mass	Α
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	Α
11 a.m.	Chapel Fellowship	CR
2:30 p.m.	Concert	Α
6 p.m.	Chapel Hymn Sing	CR

Monday, November 25

	- -		
8:30 a.m.	Jazzercise		Α
9 a.m.	Game Day	RED,	SEQ
9:30 a.m.	Assoc. Rules Com	m.	F
10 a.m.	Drawing Class		AR
10 a.m.	Line Dance		MMP
10:30 a.m.	Grief Support Grou	лb	Р
1 p.m.	Stitchery		Ρ
1:30 p.m.	News Junkies		CR

EVENT LOCATIONS

Α	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)
Р	Patio Room	(Cribari)
TR	Terrace Room	(Cribari)
VC	Vineyard Center	

p.m.	Arts & Crafts Board	AR	(
:30 p.m.	Dance Class	Α	9
30 p.m.	Duplicate Bridge	RED	,
p.m.	Yoga	MMP	
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9 a.m.	VGC - Analysis	BGA
9 a.m.	Game Day RED,	SEQ
9:30 a.m.	Ceramics	CER
10 a.m.	ADL/Parkinson Class	Α
10 a.m.	Ukulele – Advanced	Р
10 a.m.	High Twelve Club	F
10 a.m.	Line Dance	MMP
11:30 a.m.	Walking Class - Indoor	Α
11:30 a.m.	Yoga	MMP
12 p.m.	Acrylics & Oil Studio	AR
6:45 p.m.	Band Rehearsal	Α

Wednesday. November 27

8:30 a.m.	Jazzercise	Α
9 a.m.	Game Day	RED, SEQ
9:30 a.m.	Ceramics	CER

Critique & Open Studio AR 9:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m . Ladies Bible Group 9:30 a.m. Tai Chi VC Table Tennis MMP 1 p.m. Movie: Dog's Way Home CR 1:30 p.m. Village Dance Class 4:30 p.m. 6 p.m. Mexican Train Domino MC 7 p.m. Village Voices Rehearsal FC

Thursday November 28

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9:30 a.m.	Ceramics	CER
9:30 a.m.	Watercolor Classes	AR
1 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
3 p.m.	Chapel Choir Rehearsal	CR

Friday, November 29

9 a.m.	Game Day	RED,	SEQ
9:30 a.m.	Ceramics		CER
9:30 a.m.	Open Studio		AR
10 a.m.	Quilters		Р
1 p.m.	Table Tennis		MMP
3 p.m.	Hand Bell Rehears	al	CR
6 p.m.	Mexican Train Dom	ino	MC

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	10 a.m.	Quilters	Р
	1 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
	3 p.m.	Hand Bell Rehearsal	CR
	6 p.m.	Mexican Train Domino	MC

Villages walker? Grab a free reflective vest Now that our clocks have

Are you a

"fallen back" an hour and the days are shorter and darker earlier, it is important for those who are outside exercisers to be visible. If you walk in the early morning or late afternoon and evening it is a good idea to wear lighter colored clothing and wear a reflective vest or jacket.

The VMA will supply you with a reflective vest for free! All you have to do is drop by the VMA office between 9:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. Monday through Friday to pick one up. Congratulations to all of you who are out exercising. Be safe and wear reflective clothing.

VMA: Join our team of Villagers helping Villagers

Everyone needs a helping hand at some time in their life. The Village Medical Auxiliary (VMA) volunteers lend that hand to fellow Villagers. Volunteer drivers take Villagers to the doctor, pharmacy, or grocery store, deliver meals from the Clubhouse or Bistro, deliver medical equipment to Villagers at home, and staff the VMA office desk. Volunteers drivers are needed so this valuable service to our community can continue. If you have time to give. please stop by the VMA office front desk in Cribari Center to pick up an application to be a volunteer. You can choose when you drive and how often. Those who can't drive appreciate the time you give to make sure those that need it can get to appointments, the pharmacy, and the grocery store.

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
12/4-12/6	Reno		SOLD OUT
12/7	Beach Blanket Babylon Holiday Show	1	SOLD OUT
12/9	Christmas Lights		NOW
12/10	Union Square		SOLD OUT
12/11	Christmas Creche Exhibit		NOW
1/14	Warriors vs Dallas Mavericks		NOW
1/17	Ken Block: Comic/Impressionist		NOW
2/2	Super Bowl Party		NOW
4/4	Book of Mormon	TBD	TBD
4/13	Warriors vs Portland Trail Blazers	TBD	TBD
4/18	Golden Gate Fields	TBD	TBD
4/24	Les Miserables	1/23	1/27
5/15	Riverdance	2/27	3/2
6/21	Come From Away	3/27	3/30
6/27	Choral Project	TBD	TBD
7/4	July 4th Celebration	TBD	TBD
8/21	Holland and Coots	TBD	TBD
10/11	Blue Angels	TBD	TBD

Villages Celebrates ten years with Family Giving Tree!

Family Giving Tree is a local organization that has been making Christmas a joy for low income children and seniors for over for 25 years. The Family Giving Tree is extremely successful in collecting and distributing gifts, mostly to children, but seniors as well, and keeping overhead to near zero through volunteer participation.



For the tenth consecutive year The Villages will be part of that wonderful process. Beginning Monday, November 25, tags with gift wishes will be available in Villages Business Administration Building A. The gift wish tags describe the person the gift is intended for and what they have wished for. For example: Amber, 7 year-old girl would like to have a "Elsa" doll, 10-year old Jason would like a soccer ball, and Joe, a senior, would like some warm socks and a scarf.

You are invited to choose a gift wish tag (or more than one) and then go shopping for that person's gift – some tags are for gift cards from Safeway, Target, Walmart or similar stores. A collection point has also been set up in Villages Business Administration Building A and staff volunteers will deliver your gift to the Family Giving Tree warehouse for wrapping and distribution. Only new, unwrapped gifts please. The deadline to receive gifts is Friday, December 6. Please contact Julia Meadows at (408)223-4634 or Susan

Schubert (408)223-4430 for more details. Thank you for your continued support of this heartwarming drive.

Club Calendars

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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, November 23: Rich Bainbridge will lead a hike in Vargas Plateau Regional

Park. The hike will be about 4 miles, with an option of several more miles on an out and back trail.

Wednesday, November 27 (Rambler Hike): Montgomery Hill. Gary Lohr (408- 912-5124) will lead a hike from Cribari Center though Montgomery Hill Park to Falls Creek Drive, then back through the park and ending up at Le Boulanger for coffee and then return to The Villages. The round trip is about 3.5 miles.

Saturday, November 30: Laura Gelman will lead a Village's Hidden trails hike (to help walk off the Thanksgiving Feast). The hike will start and end at Vineyard Center with a potluck to follow the hike. We'll meet at Vineyard Center at 10 a.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 contact: Barbara Gottesman at barb.gottesman@gmail.com Ceramics Room: Open Studio Monday — Friday. See website for times. November 25: Monday, 3 p.m., Art Room, Regular Monthly Meeting of the A&C Advisory Board. No regular monthly meeting in December or January 2020.

December 3, 17, and 20 *and* **January 7, 14, and 21:** "Seasonal Trees in Acrylics" with Jeff Bramschreiber. Tuesdays noon – 2:30 p.m. Members \$60; non-members \$65; plus \$10 for non-resident guests.*

December 10: Second Tuesdays *Free* Art Night. 6:30 p.m. Art Room. "Second Annual Gift Wrapping: It's a Wrap Party!" Hosts, Mary Goodnough, Ciel Duke and Jane Hink. Bring your gifts and wrap them all in our welcoming group. All gift wrap, tape, ribbons, etc. furnished. Wine and cheese snacks.

December 12–19 and January 2–23: Experimental Watercolor with Linda Sieker. Intermediate Studio Class. Thursdays 9:30 a.m. – noon. \$60 for members, \$65 for non-members, plus \$10 for non-resident guests. *

December 20: All expense reimbursements due to Treasurer. All reimbursement checks must be cashed.

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.

CAMERA CLUB

Monday, December 2: December photo competition for members from 7-9 p.m. in Foothill Center. Categories for projected images include Pictorial, Nature, and Creative. Villagers welcome. For membership information contact Ray Blinde at rwblinde@earthlink.net. Deadline for submission is Sunday, December 1, at 2 p.m.

Monday, December 16: Roxanne Overton presents "Catching My Peripheral Vision" at the monthly meeting from 7-9 p.m. in Foothill Center.





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.

Sunday, November 24: Ghaderi-Focks Duo, violin and piano, performs at the Friends and Family concert at 2:30 p.m. Ticket sales on Saturday, November 23. Hear classical master pieces, popular music, theater genres, and their own arrangements.



Friday, December 13: Opera Lovers presents Gilbert and Sullivan's "Mikado" on December 13 at 1:30 p.m. at the Vineyard Center. For more info call Bonnie Preston at 408-531-1513.

Rehearsal/Meeting Schedule

Villages Concert Band: Tuesdays at 6:45 p.m. in Cribari Auditorium. 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 from 7 to 9 p.m. in Foothill Center. Information: Aileen Reid 408-809-4884.

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

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For Reservations or Information: 408-223-4687

2800 Villages Fairway Drive, San Jose CA 95135

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

WHAT'S COOKING?

theclubhouse@the-villages.com

Happy Hour at the Bistro & Bar: Happy Hour times are from 1

p.m. to 5 p.m. in the Bistro daily. Come down and join us for

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.clubhousereservation.

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

Thanksgiving Buffets: Now SOLD OUT.

Thanksgiving T-Go Meals: Please see the ad on page 12 for menu and ordering information.

Orders now being taken.



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 1-24

Angus Patty with Bacon, Cheddar and Barbecue Sauce

Barbecue Bacon Cheddar Burger

\$14.95

Caribbean Chicken Salad

\$14.95

to **Sunday 1-29**

Spinach, Strawberries, Apples, Walnuts and Marinated Chicken with Raspberry Dressing

\$17.50

Pepper Steak

Charbroiled Peppercorn Crusted Top Sirloin Steak with a Mushroom Sauce

DAILY SOUP SPECIALS

Tuesday, November 26

Soup: Butternut Squash Soup: Lentil

Wednesday, November 27 Thursday, November 28

Clubhouse RESTAURANT CLOSED Thanksgiving Day

Friday, November 29 Saturday, November 30

Sunday, December 1

Soup: Clam Chowder Chef's Choice Soup: Chef's Choice Soun:



DINNER SPECIALS SERVED ALL WEEK

Dinner Specials Tuesday 1-24

to **Sunday 1-29** Hawaiian Chicken Salad

\$22.50

Marinated Grilled Chicken, Enoki Mushrooms, Pineapple, Mango and Plantain with a Sesame Ginger Dressing -served with Soup

Orange Roughy

\$22.95

New Zealand Roughy with a Grilled Basil Beurre Blanc Sauce-served with a Cup of Soup or Salad

Porterhouse Steak

Market Price

22-oz. Charbroiled Short Loin Cut with a Cabernet Reduction Sauce and Danish Blue Cheese-served with a Cup of Soup or Salad

ACTIVITIES

Monday, November 25

NO EVENT

Tuesday, November 26 NO EVENT

Wednesday, November 27

NO EVENT Thursday, November 28

• THANKSGIVING BUFFET (by Reservation Only)—Sunset, Oak and Fairway Rooms, and Cafe—12:30 p.m. Seating

• THANKSGIVING BUFFET (by Reservation Only)—Sunset, Oak and Fairway Rooms, and Cafe—3:30 p.m. Seating

• THANKSGIVING TO-GO PICKUP (by Reservation Only) Cafe—11:30 a.m. Pickup

• THANKSGIVING TO-GO PICKUP (by Reservation Only) Cafe-2 p.m. Pickup

Friday, November 29

NO EVENT

Saturday, November 30

• Private Event—Sunset, Oak and Fairway Rooms—5 p.m. to 11 p.m. Sunday, December 1

• Private Event—Oak and Fairway Rooms—11 a.m. to 3 p.m.



More CLUBHOUSE ITEMS on pages 9 & 12

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. Onebottle limit per two guests.

Standard size bottles only.

Clubhouse Restaurant Only



New Clubhouse Hours

Clubhouse Restaurant

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

Early Bird Specials

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

10% Discount on Entrées*

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





Clubhouse Restaurant / Bistro To-Go Curbside Service Program

The service features:

- Lower service charge of 10%Reserved parking spot
- · Delivery to your parked car
- · Dedicated attendant
- Dedicated attendant
 Dedicated phone number

RESERVED FOR

THE CLUBHOUSE RESTAURANT AND BISTRO



CURBSIDE PICKUP

Phone Ordering

- 1. Call 408-370-8553
- 2. Place Order

Menus can be found online at: www.thevillagesgcc.com/restaurant-menus

Order Pickup

- 1. Call 408-370-8553 and tell employee you have arrived
- 2. Food will be delivered to your vehicle

Clubhouse / Bistro Thanksgiving Day Holiday Hours

The Bistro will be open for business 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., featuring breakfast from 7 a.m. until 10:45 a.m.; the All-Day Menu from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. The bar will be open until 6 p.m.

The Clubhouse Restaurant will be closed for the Thanksgiving events.



Thanksgiving Buffets Now SOLD OUT

The Clubhouse Prime Rib

Carved Tableside Friday and Saturday Nights





Join Exec. Sous Chef Silvester Melendez Serving you Tableside

Featuring Brandt Natural, Hand-Selected, 21-Day-Aged, Corn Fed Prime Rib

Reservations: www.clubhousereservation.com
408 223 4687

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" **Reservation is Required**

Every Wednesday at 6 p.m.

V	This 27	Every 6-Hours starting at 1 & 7 am/pm	Living with Wi Santa Clara PLUS: Aerial Views of The Villag	Idfires County WiF	Network: Villages Public Password: Villages	Club Events & Notices on Channel	More information online at the Villages Resident Portal: resident.thevillagesgcc.com
hr	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
1	The George Burns and Gracie Allen Show	The Lucy Show		The Jack Benny Program	Sherlock Holmes	The Adventures of Robin Hood	You Bet Your Life
	The Mickey Rooney Show	Date with the Angels	The Adventures of Kit Carson	Meet Corliss Archer	Mr. & Mrs. North	The Adventures of Sir Lancelot	The Bob Cummings Show
2	Letter to Loretta	Westinghouse Studio One	Bonanza	Climax!	Dragnet	Boris Karloff's The Veil	The Colgate Comedy Hour
	Suspense				Lock-Up	Tales of Tomorrow	
3	MOVIE: Sunny	MOVIE: Rembrandt	MOVIE: Little Big Horn	MOVIE: The Way to the Stars	Movie: Quicksand	Movie: Things to Come	Comedy Binge - 4 Episodes The Mickey Rooney Show
4	PLUS: Ace Drummond Chapter 9	PLUS: Life with Elizabeth	PLUS: The Three Musketeers Chapter 1		PLUS: Richard Diamond Private Detective	PLUS: Radar Men From the Moon Chapter 1	

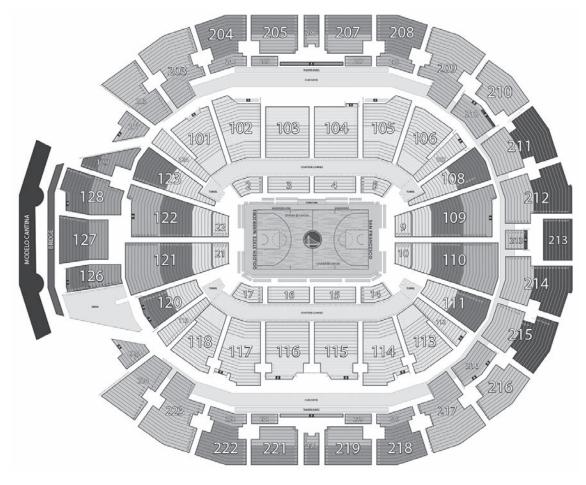
COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

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

Board and Committee Meetings

DateMeetingTimePlace11/26Villages Golf Committee9 a.m.Building A

Golden State Warriors vs. Dallas Mavericks



Okay here is the plan!...see the new Chase Stadium and watch the Warriors play on Tuesday, January 14, the Warriors host Dallas at 7:30 p.m. Please arrive at Cribari Center at 4:30 p.m. for a 4:45 p.m. departure, 11:30 p.m. is the estimated return time to the Villages.

The price per person includes transportation and game ticket. *Seats are in the private club just at the top of section for your enjoyment. Register in the Community Resource Center, Building B. The following seats are still available:

Section 126, 128, Row 12, 13, 14, 18 and 19 \$228* (elevator to sections). Section 126, 127 and 128, Row 6, 7 and 8 \$253* (elevator to sections).

Yoga for body, mind and golf!

Yoga is good for every body. Yoga training improves strength, flexibility, endurance, muscle tone and helps add to more muscle. Research indicates that golfers who practice yoga can significantly improve their mental and physical performance and maintain an edge over fellow golfers. The class is held on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the Montgomery Multipurpose Room.

The cost is \$90 for a class card, issued and punched in class. Start anytime! The first class free! Register in class. Check the Calendar of Events to verify location. For information call Jane at 408-315-1179. Sponsored by the Community Activities Office.

Community Events

Date	Event	Time	Place		
11/23	Crafters Sale	9:30 a.m.	Auditorium		
11/23	Italian Club Dinner	5 p.m.	Clubhouse		
11/24	Concert	2:30 p.m.	Auditorium		
11/24	Chapel Hymn Sing	6 p.m.	Conf. Room		
11/27	Movie: Dog's Way Home	1:30 p.m.	Conf. Room		

Join the Super Bowl Party!

Super Bowl Party at the Clubhouse on Sunday, February 2, 2020, come on down! Wear your colors, bring your neighbors, bring your family and root for your favorite team! Game time is 3:30 p.m. and we watch on giant 10x10 HD screen. Freshly popped popcorn and pretzels will be



available for the duration of the event.

Grill station at the Sunset Patio complete with grilled burgers and hot dogs served with tomatoes, lettuce, onions, relish, banana peppers, cherry peppers and cheeses; BBQ grilled chicken breast; potato salad; corn on the cobb; baked beans; desserts included with assorted pies and cakes. Food will be available from 1 to 3 p.m. and then get ready for game time!!!

At check-in, you will receive one Football Pool square for door prizes!!! Receive one premium draft beer per person (21 years and over only). Full bar (no-host) will be available for your pleasure. Water, coffee & hot tea, iced tea and lemonade station for your enjoyment!

Register in the Community Resource Center, Building B! If you wish to reserve a table just let Rebecca know at the time you are registering! The price is \$46 per person!

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.

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.

This event is subject to cancellation if we do not get enough signups by November 27. The Holiday Lights tour of San Francisco will be Monday, December 9! Sign up in the Community Resource Center, Building B.

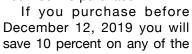
The Royal Coach bus will depart from The Villages at 2:45 p.m. and pick up our tour guide, Craig Smith, at the Hyatt Regency in San Francisco and see the beautiful outdoor ice skating rink (view only)! Enjoy dinner at Pompei's Grotto...entrée choices of Grilled Salmon, NY Steak, Shrimp & Scallops, Spaghetti with Dungeness Crab or Pasta Angelina (vegetarian). Please have your selection ready when you register for this outing. Meal includes Bruschetta & Fried Calamari, Soup or Caesar Salad, Bread, Dessert, and choice of draft beer or wine (one only), coffee/tea or soda.

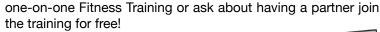
Our next stop is Ghirardelli Square for a free chocolate sample. and then we're off to see the beautiful holiday lights on California Street, Union Square, the Civic Center and various other displays along the route. There will also be a stop to view the wonderful LED light display on the Bay Bridge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

Departure for home will be between 8:30 to 9 p.m. The cost for this trip, inclusive of transportation, dinner and the tour is \$101 per person. (A gratuity for Craig is not included, and neither is one for the bus driver.)

Back in Form Holiday Special!

This holiday season, how about giving the gift of health! Give a "Back In Form Personalized Fitness Program" to the ones you love! Contact Hartmut, Back in Form at 408-455-2887 to purchase.







Don't miss...



Starring Ashley Judd, Jonah Hauer-King, Edward James Olmos. A female dog travels four hundred miles in search of her owner throughout a Colorado wilderness. Rated PG.

Wednesday, December 11 - "Overboard": Starring Eugenio Derbez, Anna Faris, and Eva Longoria. After a spoiled, wealthy yacht owner is thrown overboard and loses his memory, a mistreated employee convinces him that he is her working-class husband. Rated PG-13.



Upcoming Evening Movie

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

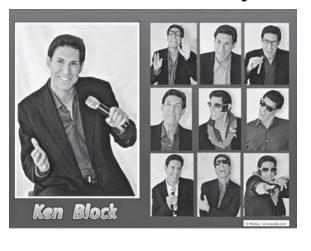
Monday, December 16 - "Indivisible": Starring Sarah Drew and Justin Bruening. The extraordinary true story of Army Chaplain Darren Turner and his wife Heather. When war etches battle scars on their hearts, they face one more battle: the fight to save their marriage. One marriage, one family, under God. Rated PG-13.



Holiday Lights in San Francisco Comic/Impressionist Ken Block on January 17

Comedian/Impressionist Ken Block is rescheduled for Friday, January 17! If you wish to keep your table and reservation you held for the October 11 show...please email or call Ruth DePonzi.

Ken Block is one of the most versatile Comic/Impressionists on the scene today. If you need proof, check out his website at kenblock.net like we did! 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 Florida to entertain us on Friday, January 17 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 along with 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 will be \$84.

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 Auditiorium. For information call Jane at 408-315-1179. This class is sponsored by the Community Activities Office.

30-Minute PM Restorative Chair Yoga

This Restorative Chair Yoga class teaches both standing and seated postures that are suitable for all fitness levels. It reduces stiffness, tightness, aches, pains and provides tools for handling memory and emotional challenges. Yoga is one of the best tools for countering the negative impact of aging. With regular practice you will improve balance, strength, flexibility and your overall wellbeing to help you feel good about yourself. Modifications are made to accommodate all fitness levels. Classes are held Mondays in the Montgomery Multipurpose Room and Thursdays in the Vineyard Center, from 7 to 7:30 p.m. Please wear comfortable, loose-fitting clothing. Check the Calendar of Events to verify location. The cost is \$56 for an eight-class card which is punched in class. Start anytime; sign up in class! For information call Jane at 408-315-1179. This class is coordinated by the Community Activities Office.

Tai Ji Quan: Better Balance

The Tai Chi class is adding Tai Ji Quan: Moving for Better Balance® (TJQMBB) training to our Basic Tai Chi format. TJQMBB is an effective, practical, evidencebased balance exercise training program which focuses on helping older adults restore



posture and balance control. The training emphasizes helping you avoid falling in a loss of balance situation. It will add tools for improving sensory, motor and cognitive functions and will improve your ability to safely perform daily activities.

Register in class. First class is free! Time change: Wednesdays and Fridays at 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. in the Vineyard Center. The cost is \$90 for a class card, issued and punched in class. For information call Jane at 408-315-11/9. This class is sponsored by the Communities Activities Office

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



More COMMUNITY NOTICES

EVF clothing drop-off coming January

Watch *The Villager* for the next clothing drop off for the July 4th EVF clothing sale. All women's "gently used" clean clothing will be accepted except lingerie, bathing suits, pajamas, suits, blazers, T-shirts with advertising and high heeled shoes. We will also be accepting men's casual clothing—golf attire, polo shirts and casual jackets. Several drop off dates will be scheduled prior to the sale.



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.

EPC SEZ..

Did you know emergency personnel look for your *L.I.F.E. File* or *Vial of Life* on your refrigerator door? This vial should contain current medical information, a list of prescriptions, emergency phone and e-mail contacts. Update this information annually. (See page 21)

-The Villages Emergency Preparedness Committee

Villages Medical Auxiliary-Since 1976 Office: 408-238-4230

Hours: Monday to Thursday, 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.
Service Coordinator:
408-238-4029
www.vmavillages.org



November Programs

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

Coming in December

Blood Pressure Clinic: Come have your blood pressure checked. Wednesday, December 4, 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m., Forum Room.

Parkinson's Caregivers Support Group: Meet with other caregivers of those with Parkinson's. Wednesday, December 4, 10 a.m. -11 a.m., Building A in Conference Room A.

Grief Support Group: a facilitator from Hospice of the Valley leads this monthly grief group. Monday, December 9, 10:30 a.m. – 12 p.m., Patio Room.

Hearing Aid Clean & Check: Free to Residents. Please register with Service Coordinator. Tuesday, December 10, 9: 30 a.m. – 12 p.m., Montgomery Center.

Diabetes Support Group: a place to share experiences and techniques for successful management of diabetes. Wednesday, December 18, 10 a.m.- 12 p.m., Cribari Forum Room.

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

With shorter days upon us, we encourage all those who love to walk to wear a reflective vest! Please stop by the VMA office to pick one up.

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

Prime Rib a natural choice

The prime rib being served every Friday and Saturday evening comes to us from the Brandt Farms.

The Brandt family has been in the livestock and farming business since the early 1900s and started feeding cattle commercially in 1945. With the onset of consumer concerns regarding hormones and antibiotics in the early 1990s, the Brandt family made a decision to go against the industry standard and raise their animals naturally. Today, Brandt Beef is proud to be feeding its animals a vegetarian corn-based diet for more than 365 days without hormones and antibiotic free.

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The cattle operation in Brawley, California is where alfalfa is grown and mixed with the corn to create a natural diet for Brandt Beef's animals. As stewards of the land, the Brandt family also employs several other sustainable methods to raise their animals naturally and preserve the land for future generations.

With this background, the prime rib served at your table is an unsurpassed dining pleasure.



Thanksgiving To-Go Meals
Available for Pickup
Thursday November 28, 2019
Two Pickup Times:
11:30 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.

The Clubhouse will be offering To-Go meals on Thankgiving day. Meals will consist of:

-Sliced Turkey
with white & dark meat
-Apple Walnut Stuffing
-Turkey Gravy with Giblets
-Mashed Potatoes
-Green Beans Amandine
-Rolls & Butter

\$19.95 plus tax Per Person Multiple Orders will be Packaged Family Style

To place your order for To-Go Meals, please call: 408-754-1337 or e-mail: theclubhouse@the-villages.com

*Ordering Note: Meals are meant to be individual portion meals and not meant to be served as a buffet. If you wish to serve your meals as a buffet it is suggested you order 1.5 to 2 times the amount of guests you have.



All Order Must Be in By Monday November 18th





Thanksgiving Buffet

Thursday, November 28, 2019 12:30 p.m. and 3:30 p.m.

Seating in Clubhouse Restaurant and Banquet Rooms

Fruit, Cheese Display Fruit Tray & Fruit Kabobs

Imported & Domestic Cheese Display

Salad Bar Station

Apple SOLD OUT!

Apple SOLD OUT!

Mixed Greens, Baby Spinach with Radishes, Cucumbers,

Cherry Tomatoes, Mushrooms with Assorted Dressings

Seafood Station
Poached Peel and Eat Shrimp
Ahi Poke Shooters
Cracked Crab Claws
Smoked Salmon Display with Condiments and Baby Bagels

<u>Carving Station</u> Slow Roasted Prime Rib Slow Baked Bone-In Ham

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Fresh Roasted Turkey with Sage & Thyme Dried Cranberry, Apple, and Walnut Stuffing Pesto Salmon with Lime Butter Sauce Horseradish Smashed Potatoes with Giblet Gravy Candied Yams

Homemade Cranberry Sauce Brussel Sprouts with Pancetta and Brown Sugar Green Beans Amandine

Desserts

Maple Cornbread with Bacon Bits
Pumpkin, Pecan and Apple Pies
Assorted Cakes to Include Carrot, Black Forest, Strawberry, Chocolate Cakes,
Mini Cheesecakes, Petit Fours and Assorted Dessert Bars

Clubs & Events

Ann Ravel speaks on campaign finance to Democratic Club

By Jonathan Lovell

The oft-repeated mantra, for those reporters investigating the break-in of the Democratic National Headquarters just prior to Richard Nixon's second term in office, was "follow the money." The jaw-dropping revelations that were subsequently revealed of the depth and extent of financial abuses during the 1972 presidential campaign, led



Congress to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act, creating the Federal Elections Commission (FEC) to administer and enforce campaign finance law. Speaker Ann Ravel, who served as chair of this commission from 2013 to 2017, spoke to an eager and attentive gathering of members of the Democratic Club on November 15 about the sobering lessons she learned from this experience.

Ms. Ravel's own mantra was "remain constantly vigilant," since the only sure antidote to the power and pervasiveness of the influence of covert funding on political campaigns is an aware and informed citizenry. This is especially true for the rapidly expanding field of internet-based political ads, she suggested. "Deep fakes," in which political videos are doctored to make candidates appear to say what they have not said, were one emerging technology cited by Ms. Ravel as an especially chilling form of "persuasion" that cried out for such vigilance.

Citing her work on California's Federal Political Practices Commission (FPPC) as an example of effective campaign finance reform, Ms. Ravel reminded attendees that "people will act with impunity if there is no press or regulatory body to expose and uncover their abuses." As we head toward the 2020 elections, these seem especially wise and urgent words to keep in mind.

Join Villages Chapel Thanksgiving Hymn Sing

If you enjoy singing Christian hymns, please come and join us on Sunday, November 24 at 7 p.m. in the Cribari Conference Room. You can offer suggestions for your favorite hymns and also sing along with others' choices. Hymnals will be provided so you don't have to trust your memory. Please stay for pumpkin pie, coffee, tea and fellowship at the conclusion of the singing. As a special treat Pastor Peter Unruh will entertain us with his Thanksgiving Turkey Poem. All are invited.

News Junkies: 'Moms Demand Action' presentation

For years now, a discussion has raged about how to combat the horrific gun violence happening in the United States. Please join the discussion at News Junkies on Monday, November 25 at 1:30 p.m. in Cribari Conference Room.

Our speaker will be Brooke Strishock of the San Jose chapter of Moms Demand Action. Villages resident Julie Henig will assist in the presentation. Moms Demand Action is a grassroots movement of Americans fighting for public safety measures that can protect people from gun violence. Nationwide, over 6 million moms, dads, grandparents and others work to close the loopholes that jeopardize the safety of our families. Hundreds of supporters make up our San Jose chapter.

The presentation will focus on the program called "Be SMART." Moms Demand Action for Gun Sense in America launched the Be SMART campaign to raise awareness that responsible gun and ammunition storage can save children's lives. Be SMART teaches how every adult can play a role in keeping kids and communities safer.

Over 3,000 trained volunteers are delivering the Be SMART message across the country, since the inception of the program in 2015. As grandparents, we can use this information to protect our families. Learn more at www.momsdemandaction.org

VMA launches 'Lunch Buddies' program

Thirteen smiling Villagers and VMA Services Coordinator Cristina Freyer participated in the maiden VMA "Lunch Buddies" program. We enjoyed lively conversation, laughter, and a great lunch. One of the Villagers leaned back in his chair and said, "What a wonderful view for a great event!" That said it all!

VMA looks forward to the new year and more "Lunch Buddies" programs. If you didn't attend this event and you are home-bound or do not attend Villages events, please call the VMA office at 408-238-4029 to make a reservation for our next event (TBD soon). The cost to you is \$10 cash



or billed to your HOA dues for a tea, coffee, or soda, a cup of soup, half sandwich, and a scoop of ice cream. VMA supplements your cost.

VMA is looking forward to growing this program to provide an event for stimulating conversation and developing friendships with fellow Villagers.

Hiking Club general meeting

On Monday, November 25, there will be a hiking club meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the Foothill Center. The outgoing president, Gary Holmquist, will give a presentation summarizing the year's highlights including progress on the hill lands as well as plans for next year. Prior to the presentation there will be an election of next year's officers.

Cribari Christmas decorations!

Come, join us for a morning of camaraderie and fun as we decorate Cribari Lane. We will meet at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday, November 30 in the middle of the Lane. If we finish on Saturday, great! Otherwise, we may have to continue on Sunday, December 1, at 1 p.m. Our goal is to make Cribari Lane spectacular! All are welcome. For questions, please call Mary Mazur at 408-528-1732.

A special treat for all Villagers

By Tony Berg

On December 2, at 3 p.m., in the Cribari Auditorium, we will be entertained by two groups of exceptional music talent from Quimby Oak Middle School, led by Gary Ortega, the Band and Choir Director.

The Symphonic Band performs two concerts a year, travels for local music festivals and receives consistent high marks in festival performances. Participation in this band is traditionally a stepping stone for the students to further develop their musical skills and talents as they grow into contributing citizens.

For our entertainment, the Symphonic Band will be presenting works for the festive winter season, including from Harry Potter and Leroy Anderson's Sleigh Ride.

The Chorus is open to all students interested in developing a basic understanding of music and is a stepping stone to participation in full ensemble performances. The Chorus will feature a Latin American piece, Camino Caminante and the beautiful ballad In Flanders Fields.

This is a special opportunity for all Villagers to see the results of Measure EE in action and to help sponsor the exceptional talent under the skilled tutelage of Gary Ortega.

The concert is open to all Villagers at no charge. Refreshments will be served before the performance and a collection box will be available for donations to the music program at Quimby Oak Middle School. Do put the date, December 2 at 3 p.m. in your diary and plan to join us in celebration of the season with our local students. Sponsored by The Villages Democratic Club

Village Hermosa—save the date for Holiday Potluck!

Holiday Potluck Dinner, December 6 at Foothill Center. We overflowed last time, so we have to have reservations this time.

A flyer with all of the vital information and contacts will be in your tubes.



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FROM THE BOOKSHELF

By Linda Schlageter

"Winter in Paradise" by Elin Hilderbrand: Irene Steele is still recovering from the shock of her life. Her loving husband, a successful business man and father to their three grown sons, is killed in a helicopter crash. She is also shattered by the news that he has been living a double life on the island of St. John where another woman loves him too. Now Irene and her three sons are on St. John determined to learn the truth about his mysterious death and the life of the man they thought they knew. Along the way they're about to discover some surprising truths about their own lives and their futures. The book is lush with tropical details, romance, and drama. This novel is another immensely satisfying page turner from Hilderbrand. Fiction 2019

"The World That We Know" by Alice Hoffman: In Berlin in 1941 during humanities darkest hour, three unforgettable young women must act with courage and love to survive. At the time when the world changed, Hanni Kohn knows she must send her 12-year-old daughter away to save her from the Nazis. She finds her way to a renowned rabbi, but it is his daughter, Ettie, who offers hope of salvation when she creates a mystical Jewish creature, a rare and unusual golem, who is sworn to protect Hanni's daughter. Once Ava is brought to life, she and Lea and Ettie become eternally entwined. Their paths are fated to cross and their fortunes are linked. Lea and Ava travel from Paris, where Lea meets her soulmate, to a convent in eastern France known for its silver roses, to a school in the mountaintop village where three thousand Jews were saved. Meanwhile Ettie is in hiding waiting to become the fighter she's always known she's destined to be. What does it mean to lose your mother? How much can one person sacrifice for love? In a world where evil can be found at every turn, we meet remarkable characters that take us on a stunning journey of loss and resistance where all roads lead past the Angel of Death and love is never ending. Fiction 2019

"This Tender Land" by William Kent Krueger: In the summer of 1932, on the banks of Minnesota's Gilead River, the Lincoln Indian Training School is a pitiless place where Native American children, forcible separated from their parents are sent to be educated. It is also home to Odie O'Banion, a lively orphan boy whose exploits constantly earn him the superintendent's wrath. Odie and his brother Albert are the only white faces among the hundreds of Native American children at the school. After committing a terrible crime, Odie and Albert are forced to flee for their lives along with their best friend Mose, a mute young man of Sioux heritage. Out of pity they also take with them a brokenhearted little girl named Emmy. Together they steal away in a canoe heading for the mighty Mississippi and a place they can call home. Over the course of the summer, the vagabonds journey into the unknown crossing paths with others who are adrift. They encounter struggling farmers, traveling faithhealers, displaced families and lost souls. With the feel of a modern classic this book is an enthralling bighearted epic that shows how the magnificent American landscape connects us all and makes us whole. Mystery 2019

Library hours: Monday to Saturday. 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday 2 to 5 p.m.

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Jazzercise—so much to give thanks for

By Barbara Tommaney

At this time of year, I am thankful that I discovered Jazzercise after my doctor told me I had Osteopenia and needed to start a regular weight bearing exercise program. I never was a physical exercise person and my job was largely sedentary. Luckily there was a Jazzercise class at the community center near my home in Dallas, and I could attend night time sessions after work. To my surprise I found that exercise could be fun. We worked out to popular music and I made many new friends in the class. When my husband and I were looking for a home in the Bay Area, the proximity of a Jazzercise class was very important to me. Imagine my surprise when I discovered I could live in The Villages and walk to a Jazzercise class three times a week.

Regular exercise strengthened my bones and kept me fit. Added benefits included overall good health, lower blood pressure, more stamina and energy, as well as improved balance. Moreover, as a total newcomer to the area, knowing only my son and his wife, I made new friends right away in the class. Jazzercise meets every Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. in the Cribari Auditorium. Classes are led by a certified professional instructor with many years of experience conducting classes for individuals with a wide range of ability and fitness. The costs are affordable— only \$35 for a month of classes. Take a free first class and I bet you love it too. If you have questions, Herito will be glad to answer them for you. She can be reached at 408-238-7511.

Painting Trees in Acrylic class - split session

Jeff Bramschreiber is offering to Villagers an acrylics class in painting seasonal trees: autumn trees, bare winter trees and snowy evergreens. The class will be offered on Tuesdays, from noon to 2:30 p.m. in the Cribari Center Art Room. Split session dates are December 3, 14 and 21 in 2019 *and* January 7, 14 and 21 in 2020



Fees for this class are \$60 for members, \$65 for non-members, and \$10 extra for non-resident guests. Register by emailing barb. gottesman@gmail.com.

Jeff has been teaching acrylics at The Villages for almost two years. Jeff also teaches classes at Triton Museum, where he is also Chairman of the Board of Trustees. You can find his work at Kaleid Gallery in downtown San Jose.

Reminder to Arts and Crafts members

By Michael Sunzeri, VACA Membership Chair

Attention Arts and Crafts Association members, we are sending an early notice that your 2020 Arts and Crafts Club dues will be billed in your January 2020 HOA billing statement. Your dues will remain the same as they were in 2019 at \$10 per person.

The Arts and Crafts Board of Directors will make good use of your dues by continuing to provide you with the events and classes that you have grown to love and participate in. We will remind you again before December 3.



If you plan not to renew, please let the Membership Chair know as soon as possible before the Roster of members is given to the billing department on December 3. You can email twosunzeris@comcast.net or call 408-622-6860 leaving your last name and phone number.

If you do not pay by HOA billing, please forward your \$10 made out to VACA and to the attention of the Membership Chair. You can submit via post mail to Michael Sunzeri, 6130 Montgomery Ct or drop it in the Cribari mailbox. As always, thank you for your participation in our talented Arts and Crafts Club.

Greenbelt Alliance Director to speak to SIR 114

On Tuesday, December 3, Kiyomi Honda Yamamoto, South Bay Regional Director of the Greenbelt Alliance, will speak at the SIR 114 Luncheon in the Fairway Room at the Clubhouse. Guests are invited to attend and should come to the Clubhouse around 12:30 p.m.

The Greenbelt Alliance is a nonprofit land conservation and urban planning organization that has worked in the nine-county San Francisco Bay Area since 1958.

As a fourth-generation descendant of San Jose ranchers and sharecroppers, Kiyomi is committed to protecting the South Bay's rich legacy of agriculture and open space. Prior to joining the Greenbelt Alliance, Kiyomi dedicated more than 10 years to public service in the government and nonprofit sectors. She held



Kiyomi Honda Yamamoto

positions at SPUR, the San Jose Redevelopment Agency, and a government consulting firm in Washington, D.C. She has also served as a congressional intern and on the Board of Directors at the Japanese American Museum of San Jose.

Kiyomi is a member of the California State Bar and earned her J.D. from Santa Clara Law. She holds a B.S. from UC Davis in Community and Regional Development, and a certificate in Transportation Management from the Mineta Transportation Institute.

It's Christmas time for the Republicans

By John Hill

The Republican Club at the Villages will hold its annual Christmas party, Wednesday, December 4 at 5 p.m. in the Clubhouse. Come join the fun as we share champagne and delicious appetizers prepared by the Villages' Super Chef. The price for this special treat is \$25 per person and reservations are required.

Enjoy the festivities as we are entertained by Vera Johnston on the piano, playing a medley of Christmas music. We'll even join together to sing our favorite carols. We ask that you bring a children's book that we can give to "Toys for Tots."



Reservations may be made by calling or emailing Donna Roberson or Jean Corrigan. Donna's contacts are 408-270-1221, or donna@robersons.com; Jean's are, 408-223-8676 or jeanmcorrigan@att.net. Deadline for reservations is Monday, December 2 at noon.

Senior Academy: 'Transforming America'

Dr. Bob Senkewicz, Professor of History at Santa Clara University, is well-known to Senior Academy audiences and has presented numerous American History courses at the Villages. His dynamic presentations, with many slides, video clips and photos have proven to be both informative and entertaining.

In a two-session course on Wednesdays, December 4 and 11 at 2 p.m. in the Vineyard Center, the Senior Academy will present Dr. Senkewicz in an entertaining and in-depth look at a key period of American history—The 1950s: the origins and early years of the US–USSR rivalry known as the "Cold War."

The course will look at the ways in which postwar America was beginning to be transformed into something that the victors

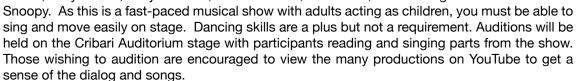
of the Second World War could never have expected. Phenomenons such as the emergence of a fledgling women's movement, the "beat" generation, a fledgling anti-nuclear movement, and the eruption to public consciousness of a long-simmering civil rights struggle will be examined as some of the ways in which the decade of the 1950s were an important part of dramatic changes to America.

Advance registration with the Senior Academy is required. The cost is \$25 for Senior Academy members or \$30 for non-members. Sign up by contacting Susan Dyer sodjsd@aol.com 408-532-0624 or by using "Reggie" on the Senior Academy website: villagessenioracademy.org

Villages Amateur Theatre Auditions

Good Grief! Is it already time again for Villages Amateur Theatre (VAT) auditions? Yes indeed! The VAT is pleased to announce that its Spring Musical on April 17, 18 and 19 will be "You're a Good Man Charlie Brown (Revised)" based on the famous comic strip "Peanuts" by Charles Schulz and directed by Nick Yannaccone.

Auditions will take place Monday, December 9 at 2 p.m., and Thursday, December 12 at 7 p.m. in Cribari Auditorium. There are six roles: Charlie Brown, Sally Brown, Lucy Van Pelt, Linus Van Pelt, Schroeder, and the dog



At this stage in our lives, VAT provides something for everyone who enjoys community theater—whether you be onstage, backstage, or simply watching the stage. Join us and have some fun!



Concert Band Winter Concert



Save the Date—The Villages Concert Band will present its Winter Concert on Sunday, December 15, at 2:30 p.m. in Cribari Auditorium. Tickets are \$18 each, or \$45 if you plan to purchase the remainder of a season pass of three concerts. Open seating.

Order your 2020 Mah Jongg cards

The price of Mah Jongg cards remains the same. Small print cards are \$8; and large print cards are \$9.

Barbara Smith is coordinating the sale of cards again this year. Make out checks to Barbara Smith. Please include the number and size of the cards you are ordering in the "memo" space on your check. Drop off checks or mail to: Barbara Smith, 2067 Folle Blanche Dr., San Jose, CA 95135, or give to Barbara on Monday.

Your Mah Jongg card(s) will be sent to you in late March.





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Did You Know?

Villagers help donations flow in!



Last month Villager Gayle Kludt asked for donations through the Villager newspaper for the Grateful Garment Project and the San Jose Host East Valley Lions Club.

Within weeks, fellow residents donated nearly 2,100 items! These included eyeglasses, cell phones, hearing aids and batteries plus donations for the Grateful Garment Project, which works with victims of sexual assault. The Grateful Garment Project donations included shampoo and conditioner, soap and body wash, lotion, dental items, razors and shaving cream, deodorant and baby powder plus socks and underwear.

Did You Know?

'It's a miracle!' Pastor Bill Hayden returns to Villages

By Emil Pisarri

The Villages Community Chapel witnessed a miracle this past summer. Our Pastor Bill Hayden had a heart transplant in July and after several months of recuperation he is back in

the pulpit. He began experiencing heart problems this past spring and his doctors at Stanford decided his pacemaker/ defribillator needed to be replaced. This was done but problems persisted. In June his heart continued to fail and his team of doctors at Stanford decided the only true solution was a new heart so he was put on the heart transplant list. While waiting for a new heart his own heart took a turn for the worse and degraded to just 5 percent efficiency, and his new pacemaker/defribillator was going nuts trying to get his heart to work properly. Because of this the doctors put Pastor Bill in an induced comma while waiting for a new heart. Miracle of miracles, within a few days



a new heart became available and Pastor Bill's heart surgery was successful. After several months of recovery (with the doctors adjusting his meds which were causing havoc at times) and rehabilitation Pastor Bill returned home to complete his recovery under the wonderful care of his wife, Gloria and family. Pastor Bill and his wife Gloria (pictured) have been mightily blessed by the Lord. Pastor Bill knows his work on this earth is not finished and the Lord has plans for him. The Villages Community Chapel is also mightily blessed by having our dear Pastor back. The Villages as a whole is blessed because Pastor Bill and Gloria and our Chapel contribute to the wellbeing of our community. Pastor Bill knows he is a walking miracle and we at the Chapel look forward to the journey he will be taking us on.

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CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

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

Christmas Boutique: Saint Francis of Assisi Garden Gift Shop will host a Christmas Boutique on Saturday, November 23 from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., and on Sunday, November 24 from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., in the Evergreen Rooms.

Advent Books: Distribution of the Advent Books will take place after the 8:15 a.m. Mass on November 24.

Donut Sunday: Enjoy a donut and conversation with friends, on Sunday, December 1, after the 8:15 a.m. Mass.

Christmas Cheers, a Christmas Concert for the benefit of the SFOA Music Department, featuring the Bytes and Notes Chorale, will be held at SFOA Gathering Hall on Saturday, December 14. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. at which time there will be a silent auction. Tickets (\$25) can be purchased on the website, www. sfoasj.com. Contact the SFOA office for more information.

Annual Villages Community Thanksgiving/Christmas Food and Clothing Drive: This year's drive will continue until Sunday, December 20.

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.

New to the Villages? To find out more about our Ecclesial Community, contact Marion Burry at 408-528-8231 or marion93940@aol.com.

Mass Intentions: If you would like offer a Mass for someone, contact Jean Gillette at 408-270-5723. Please submit your request at least four weeks in advance if you want it listed in the Church bulletin.

Friday Mass at 9 a.m.: On the first three Fridays of every month there is a Mass in the Cribari Conference Room, which 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:

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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. Gerad Flynn or Rev. Penelope Duckworth. Join us after the service for fellowship and breakfast in the Clubhouse.

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

SEARCH THE SCRIPTURES

Search the Scriptures class will meet on Monday, December 2 from 9 to 11 a.m. Please note the time change as this will be our Christmas coffee. We will follow with our study at 10 a.m. We will not meet again in 2019, but will see you all in January, 2020! Can you believe it! See you at Foothill Center on the 2nd.

JEWISH GROUP

Annual Chanukah Dinner is December 22

By Barbara Tommaney

We looked at the calendar and were surprised to see that Chanukah is just one month away. The first night falls on Sunday, December 22, 2019. So mark that date and plan to attend the Jewish Group's annual Chanukah Dinner at the Clubhouse. The festivities begin at 5 p.m. with candle lighting at 5:30 p.m. Be sure to bring your family menorah and we will light the candles together.

Dinner choices include Beef Brisket, Grilled Salmon, or Vegetable Napoleon. Of course, we won't forget the Potato Latkes. The feast will begin with a salad of mixed greens, dried cranberries, pears, and candied walnuts. We end the dinner with jelly donuts and sherbert. Entertainment will be provided by the Plaid Brothers and will include Klezmer selections. The cost for this lovely evening is \$43 billed to your house account. Children are especially welcome and dinners for those ages 6 to 12 is \$19. Children under the age of 6 are guests of the Jewish Group.

Joey Stern will take your reservations. Call 408-238-4890 or email sternjo@pacbell.net. Be sure to tell Joey your dinner choice and any table mates that you wish to join you at your table.

COMMUNITY CHAPEL

'Life is What Happens'

By Pastor Bill Hayden

When you hear the expression, "He is out of control," usually the first thought is that person is in trouble or headed for trouble. On the other hand, the expression can indicate that the person is performing at a level that far exceeds expectations. It is as if everything that comes their way, negative or positive, they excel and leave others wondering, "How is he doing that?" Some would say, "He's in the zone!" It would be wonderful to live life with the ability to achieve and master anything and everything that comes your way.

As much as every person would love to have the Midas Touch and turn everything, whether negative or positive, to their advantage it's unrealistic. To think that we can always make things happen for our own benefit is setting ourselves up for disappointment. There are just too many variables to be considered that are beyond our knowledge and abilities.

Some things will always be beyond our abilities to control, such as a terminal illness. A person can look so healthy on the outside, but unknown to others, is in a fight each day to stay alive.

This year I was met with unusual challenges from the loss of my sister in May and trying to manage her affairs to having a major life saving operation within weeks of each other. Who would have thought that I would be at the brink of death, desperately in need of a new heart? Through all my challenges, I'm learning that the greater the challenge, the sweeter the victory!

There are some who make predictions and prepare themselves by whatever means necessary to avoid calamity. It is a good thing to make preparations but don't be consumed by it. You can make all of the preparations you want, but life is like the weather... it can change in a moment, regardless of the forecast. One day you are on the top of the world and the next day you are fighting for your life. Some things, no matter how hard you try to avoid from happening, break down and people change overtime. We do not live in a perfect world but if you happen to have a day that seems perfect, thank God and celebrate!

I can truly say that I have been living in the Zone of Trials and Tribulations the past several years but through it all the Favor of God has been with me. I have the assurance that I'm never ever alone during the good times as well as those times that test the core of my being. I can't begin to thank all of you for your prayers and heartfelt desires for my welfare, family and community.

John 16:33 NKJV "These things I have spoken to you, that in Me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation; but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world."

Happy Thanksgiving to All

Why not join us at the Villages Community Chapel in the Cribari Auditorium this Sunday from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. The chapel is a place for Needs to be Met, Faith to be Affirmed and People to Love. We would love to meet you. If you would like to make an appointment with me call the office at 408-238-3079 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday thru Wednesday. I would love to hear from you. To learn more about the Villages Community Chapel visit our website at http://villagescommunitychapel.org/ You can hear previous and current Sunday Sermons.

Sports News

SHONIS

By Tom Zades

We begin this week with sadness at the passing of our oldest member, Barbara Mayer. She liked to celebrate her birthday each year with a large milkshake in the Bistro. Her 90th birthday was in 2018. Shoni official photographer, Vivian Wilczak, said, "Every year when the trees on the par 3 course bloomed Barbara would ask me to take a photo. This was the last time in 2019 spring." Long-time Shoni Jonna Robinson added, "She was a very special lady. I'll



Barbara Mayer last year with her 90th birthday milkshake.

always think of her in her Halloween costumes. How she loved to dress up, do her makeup and fool us all." The memorial service is Saturday, January 4 at 2 p.m., Cribari Auditorium.

Beautiful golf weather greeted 20 Shonis as they teed off at 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday, November 12. Starting an hour later in the winter gives the Shonis a bit warmer weather to play in and for those who don't like to get up early, an extra hour of sleep! All the Flight One winners seemed to agree. All had gross scores under 40. Two of them, Betty Hall and Nanci Newell, had the only birdies of the day, both on hole #8.

The annual Holiday Party and installation of officers is December 10, right after golf. This is also the Shonis' last Tuesday golf for 2019. Our first Tuesday back will be January 7. The December 10 Party will be in the Sunset Room of the Clubhouse. The menu options sound mouth-watering. Signups are underway. Social members and others not golfing that day may sign up by emailing Nanci Newell (njnrnc46@gmail.com.)

For practice days and times on the Par 3 course, or to become a member of the Women's Par 3 Golf Club here at The Villages, contact Bonnie Evans (bhe52371@yahoo.com) or Teddy Morse (theodoramorse@outlook.com). Some of our Shonis regularly practice on the Long 9. Contact Barb Karayn (202-641-6339) or Tricia Hardt (408-398-2223) if you'd like to try the long course for a change of pace.

Chip shot: The less skilled the player, the more likely she is to share her ideas about the ideal golf swing. Just remember: Never try to keep more than 200 separate thoughts in your mind during your swing.

SWINGERS

By Doreen Senior

"It's a beautiful day in the neighborhood" once again, with today's forecast cool and warm. Cool means jackets on, with warm meaning jackets off. 75 degrees is just perfect weather, but where is the rain? Come on Mother Nature, send us some showers! I just had a call from my sister in Manitoba, Canada telling me that it's -12 degrees below where she lives, so of course they don't have the luxury of golfing in November, but she tells me it's good weather for curling! How lucky we are even if we aren't curling!

There were three chip-ins today. Wow! Judy Gergurich and Caryl Swinyard got theirs on hole 4, and Carol Trenholme had her chip-in on hole 7. Nice going, ladies! Maybe we will have a couple of birdies to report next week.

Update of the Halloween party: Carol Begley and Nikki Nocce chaired the event. Sorry we forgot to include you!

The Turkey Shoot took place on November 19, so the winner of the event will be included in the November 22 article.

Reminder: Don't forget to sign up on our new website www. Swingers9.org to register for the handbook. Diane Nelson has done a wonderful job of putting this together for us and it will be a convenient way of keeping our information up to date. Please register before November 18.

Coming up: M&M, November 26

Holiday Party, December 10 - Winner of the Captain's Trophy to be announced.

TENNIS TALK

The Villages Tennis Club has stepped up again to prove that all it takes is a Village to make a positive impact! Several weeks ago, Taylor Hernandez, P. E. teacher at Joseph George Middle School in Alum Rock School District, requested "I'm a P. E. teacher in Alum Rock School District and our department doesn't have a whole lot of money for the next school year for equipment. If anyone has any tennis balls and tennis rackets laying around, please donate them to us. We will come pick them up from you and it would be so greatly appreciated!!"

Ken DeHart, tennis pro, Phyllis Seeger and Ken Kline, immediately contacted the Villages Tennis Club members. In less than one week, 20 tennis racquets and oodles of balls were delivered to Joseph George Middle School!



Ken Kline and Taylor Hernandez, Joseph George P. E. Teacher.



Member/Member team winners Nancy Keane, Vicki Krattli,



Karen Harsany and Geri Wilk.

By Laura Swenson

Lovely fall weather greeted 53 players including eight guests on Thursday. We played a Cha Cha Cha format from the combined 2 and 3 tees. All the members and guests enjoyed it. Our winners for the day were: Member/Member team-Nancy Keane, Vicki Krattli, Karen Harsany, Geri Wilk. Member/Guest team-Lynn Law, Dee Truax, Debbie Moore, Gail Tuft.

Vicki Krattli on #3, and Bette Samdahl on #4 were our two birdie ladies for the day. Four ladies got chip-ins. Annie Bassford on #14, Nancy Keane



Member/Guest team winners Lynn Law, Dee Truax, Debbie Moore and Gail Tuft.



Judy Rodriguez celebrating her hole in one!



Some of 2019's tournament winners.

and Judy Rodiguez on #2, and Kathleen Holt on #12.

We had fun celebrating with Judy Rodriguez at her hole in one party. As we know, hole in ones happen rarely, so it was sure fun to hear all about it.

Over the year the 18 Hole Ladies have many activities. Two of them are the EC and Ringer tournaments. Here is a picture of some of the winners of those tournaments.

December 2 is our Holiday Lunch. We will be installing officers, announcing the most improved player, and the outstanding service award recipient.

Wishing all a happy Thanksgiving.

By Tony Berg

Table Tennis in the Montgomery Multipurpose Room is now a fully "Drop in and Play" activity. Club members are expected to collect all the balls at the end of play and may have to put up the nets. There is now no excuse not to drop in and play— the tables will be waiting for you. And the training table is a Club plus to let you get a little private practice in as well.

Drop-in Table Tennis is available in the Montgomery Multipurpose Room: Wednesdays, Thursdays & Fridays: 1 p.m. to 10 p.m.; Saturdays & Sundays: 9 a.m. to 10 p.m.; (Wednesday 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. for newbies and social Ping Pong players.)

If you are not a member, drop by anyway and a member will invite you in to see what Table Tennis 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!

MEN'S GOLF CLUB



PINSEEKERS

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

NCGA and **Men's Club Dues for 2020:** The 2020 NCGA dues of \$39, in addition to the Men's Club dues of \$35, will be billed to your house account in January. All Men's Club members who wish to cancel, must contact Membership Chairman David Bacigalupi at baci1786@aol.com or the Pro Shop before December 15. Men's Club members must maintain their NCGA membership through the Villages Men's Golf Club even if they are members elsewhere.

Next Tournament: Our next Men's Golf Club Tournament is our Holiday Tournament set for Saturday, December 14. Tee Times will begin at 8 a.m. for the Two-man Teams, Stableford Format, 1 BB Net. Look for the poster in a future Villager and on the website.

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, December 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. From the Men's Golf Club Executive Committee: Gary Chappell, Jim Seymour, Jim Danielski, Mike Tuft, Ray Blinde, Leo Ruth, Geoff Gault, David Bacigalupi and yours truly, Kyle Finley - we wish all of you a Very Happy Thanksgiving!

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, November 14, was sunny and mild. Another great day for golf. We've had great turnouts the last couple of months and Thursday was no exception. **The results are below:**

First went to Al Bruno with a net score of 26.

Second place went to Jerry Weltzin with a net score of 27.

Third place was a two-way tie between Rob Boyles and Roger Pyle each with a net score of 28.

There were four birdies today: Al Bruno on hole 5, Bill Crill on hole 3, Roger Pyle on hole 8 and Mario Silva on hole 9.

Closest to the pin on hole 1: Rob Boyles.

Deep thoughts:

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

"Reverse every natural instinct and do the opposite of what you are inclined to do, and you will probably come very close to having the perfect golf swing." - Ben Hogan

PICKLEBALL

By Linda Eige

Our "Open Play" pickleball times are getting crowded. We are always happy to rotate players so everyone can play, but some days it feels like much of the "play" time is spent waiting on the bench. When there is anyone waiting to play, it is customary here at The Villages to only play to 7. A traditional game would play to 11.

This time of year, with the shorter days, there are only four time slots available a day on each court. Many of these times are reserved for private groups that play regularly. We could really use more courts



Pickleball Club setting up teams to play.

to accommodate more players *and* dedicated courts so we can play before 10:30 a.m., giving us more time slots available.

Nevertheless, we still welcome new players, come join us. We play all year, weather permitting, on tennis courts 5 and 6. Mike Walias volunteers his expertise every Wednesday and Friday from 1-1:30 to introduce and instruct new players on the basics of the game. No need to sign up, just show up! Wear comfortable clothes and court shoes. More info at villagespickleball.org

New Tennis Club Board of Directors

By Claire Hintergardt

The Villages Tennis Club nominating committee, Roy Pennington, Rajeev Singh and Akiko Giordono, is proposing the following slate for the **2020 Tennis Club Board of Directors and Officers**:

President - Betty Olsen, Vice President - Ken Kline, Secretary - Peggy Siedel, Treasurer- Diane Whitworth, Hospitality Director - Julie and Phil Hawkinson, Tournament Director - Emil Pisarri, Communications Director - Cheryl Diltz, Court Manager - Michael Diltz, Master Scheduler - Akiko Giordono and Membership Director - Penny Barcellos

Election of the officers and directors shall take place at the Annual Meeting on December 5, 2019 at The Villages Clubhouse and shall be by a majority vote of the regular members present. These officers shall serve for one year beginning January 1. Any regular member may nominate any regular member as a candidate for any elective office by presenting the nomination in writing to the President no less than 35 days prior to the Annual Meeting. This nomination must be accompanied by the candidate's written acceptance, and must be signed by five regular Tennis Club members declaring their support for the nomination. These additional nominees shall be posted on both bulletin boards and emailed to the membership for their consideration. If multiple people are running for a position, a written ballot will be used. Members must be verified.

By Tim Short

Captain Hook strikes again! On the first smokeless day in quite a while, Martin Hoek made some smoke of his own Tuesday, leading all Pinseekers with a sterling net 30, followed by Bob Gregg at net 32, Don Lee at 33 and Tak Okabe at 34. Way to go, guys!

BOCCE NEWS







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

COREBOARD

PINOCHLE

Wednesday, November 13

Phyllis Ogden Sagen Shirley Bellavance Tony Orlando Wesley Umeda

Friday, November 15

Helen Maynard Donna Vivoli Wesley Umeda Phyllis Ogden Sagen Mike Cox

18-HOLE WOMEN

Thursday, November 7

Flight O	ne:
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Monica Saneholtz 89 77 Lyn Strong 95 73 Janis Lecompte 95 75

Flight Two:

Miyo Shigemoto 99 73 Diana Hallock 99 73

Flight Three:

103 75 Geri Wilk 103 75 Nancy Keane Connie Guttadauria 107 79

Flight Four:

Inge McQuiddy 106 76 Judy Rodriguez 106 74 Suzanne Fazzio 113 78 Debbi Moore 118 80

Two Tee Flight:

95 80 Patti Hayes Ann Crews 98 74

Captain's Trophy: Miyo Shigemoto 73 **Low Putts:** Suzanne Fazzio 27

BRIDGE

Monday, November 11:

1. Jan Kiernan/Sumi Minami 2. Tahera Khalil/Kausalya Iyengar 3. Marilyn Ribardo/Maureen Waltho

Wednesday, November Flight Two:

13: 1. Maureen Waltho/Alan Waltho 2. Mary LeGrand/Jonna Robinson 3. Marilyn Ribardo/ **Bonnie Taylor**

Thursday, November 14:

1. Jonna Robinson/Ed Logg 2. Cathy Struck/Ray Struck 3. George Welch/Roy Tsai

MEXICAN

Wednesday, November 13

Marie Spang Vicky Linscott 284 Cathy Razumich 320

Friday, November 15

Maribeth 162 Berta Escamilla 183 Sylvia Rozewicz 219

SWINGERS

Tuesday, November 12

Flight One:

Omel, Jeannie 36 Mukuno, Joyce 36 36 Trenholme, Carol Wagle, Mary 36

Flight Two:

35 Begley, Carol 35 Carson, Nancy MacFarlane, Shirley 37 Hoek, Anka 37

Flight Three:

34 Hoff, Jane Rem, Joy 36 Sherman, Julie 37 Levander, Bee 37

Flight Four: Gergurich, Judy 35 Christiansen, Kim 40 Warren, Kathy 40 Chastaine, Selma 41

SHONIS

Tuesday, November 12

Flight One:

Betty Hall 22 25 Jan Ehrhardt Nanci Newell 26 Joan Wiseman 26

Nancy Chesterton 23 Linda McCarley 26 Jonna Robinson 27

Flight Three: 21 Jeanie Kane Barb Sunseri 21 Julianna Wahlgren 24 31 Kacy Walden

FROM THE PRO



By Scott Steele, PGA Head Golf Professional

Mark Your Calendars - Don't forget our always popular Pro Shop Holiday Blowout Sale on Friday, December 6!

Twilight Golf Clarification - Now that we are into our Winter Schedule, Twilight golf starts at 2 p.m. That means that the first available Twilight tee time is 2:06 each day. 1:50 and 1:58 are not Twilight times, and if you reserve one of those tee times, please expect to pay a full \$30 green fee. Also, as a rule, we will no longer allow Twilight golfers to tee off before their scheduled tee time. So if you have a 2:06 tee time for the Twilight rate, please expect to tee off at 2:06 and no earlier. We appreciate your cooperation!

Upcoming Events

Thursday, November 28, Thanksgiving Day. Golf Shop closed at 1 p.m. Sign up to play on Pro Shop door after 1 p.m. Please plan accordingly.

Sunday, December 1, Men's Guest Day. Men may bring 1-3 guests for \$45 each! Book your tee time now!

Let's all help to grow the game of golf! Do you have any old golf clubs in your garage or storage unit that you do not use anymore? If so, I'd like to ask for your help...We are trying to get new golfers into the game at The Villages and equipment is one of the obstacles. My goal is to have a large stock of used golf clubs for men and women that our new golfers can use when they go play or practice - and you can help! So if you are interested in getting rid of those old clubs that are taking up space and gathering dust, let the Pro Shop know and please bring them in...we will re-purpose them in a positive way and you will know that you made a valuable impact toward bringing new golfers into this wonderful game we all love.

Tips from the Pro - Scott Steele, PGA Director of Golf: Your basic pitch...

Pitching in golf is a skill that requires imagination, feel, touch and proper technique. Therefore, it is one of the more taxing shots to master. The statistics show that the 30-yard pitch is one of the most difficult shots in golf...why? Because it is not a one lever motion like putting and chipping; and it is also not a multi-lever swing like your full swing; the pitch is an in-between shot, which makes it tough. First, let's define a pitch. A pitch is a shot played from 10-40 yards from the putting surface...a pitch requires more air time than ground time. The premise is to pitch your ball in the air carrying it over the rough or sand, landing it softly on the edge of the green and rolling it to the hole. As far as technique, the pitch is more like a mini-swing than a long chip. There is a bit of wrist hinge and body shift, but not as much as a full swing.

Here are some tips to better your pitching technique...

Use your eyes and imagination to envision the shot before you hit it.

Use a high-lofted club (pitching wedge or sand wedge).

Use a narrow stance and play the ball in the middle or forward in your stance.

Keep the club shaft neutral (butt end even with you belt buckle)...not leaning forward too much (this maintains the loft& bounce).

Keep your hands SOFT on the grip handle.

Keep your weight in your left leg.

Swing the club back with your hands and arms...the backswing must equal the shot.

The wrists will naturally hinge a bit on the backswing (do not impede this slight hinge).

Deliver the club to the ball with an accelerating motion but NOT an explosive motion.

Pitching is a finesse shot so we want to be smooth and relaxed. The club must brush the ground at the ball in order for the ball to get airborne.

Stay in posture and do not lift or fold the arms up through impact.

Allow your body to rotate and your weight to pivot to your front foot on the follow through. Finish the pitch with the club at waist level and you should be facing the target.

Practice these techniques and let us know how you fare...we have two wonderful practice pitching greens here at The Villages...one adjacent to the driving range and other adjacent to

hole #13 tee, remember that practice will help performance! Let us know if these tips help.

Get in the Fast Lane!

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



The Villages Library Book Sale is open for business all year long on Wednesdays and Saturdays at 10 a.m. to noon.

BOOK SALE

PUBLIC SAFETY

For emergencies, establish a new 'L.I.F.E. File'

The San Jose Fire Department recently provided Public Safety a new L.I.F.E. File, which stands for Lifesaving Information For Emergencies. This is a newer version of the VIAL OF LIFE. The file is a magnetic sleeve, which can be stuck on your refrigerator. There is a sleeve in which to put the form or other documents, such as a DNR.

Both the VIAL OF LIFE and the new L.I.F.E. File are acceptable.

If you are interested in these items, please come by Public Safety Administration. We have a limited supply on hand.

What is the P.O.L.S.T. form?

Public Safety has added the P.O.L.S.T. (Physician's Order for Life-Saving Treatment) form on the Residents' Portal. It can be located in the Management > Public Safety (Public Safety Forms) and also in the Resource Files > Forms (Other Forms).

If you complete the form, to include your physician's signature, place it in the L.I.F.E. File, which is kept on the outside of your refrigerator or in the VIAL of Life. During an emergency is not the time to attempt to look for the form. The Fire Department needs this form immediately to honor your wishes.

Vial of Life

Frequently Public Safety has responded to medical calls and has been asked by the Fire Department if there is a Vial of Life. Many times there is but sometimes there is not. Many people think that they are too young or too health to worry about such things as a Vial of Life. When you have a medical emergency, such as a stroke, you are unable to speak for yourself. The Vial of Life can speak for you. It lists your medical conditions and any medications you take. This will assist the Fire Department/EMS in the administration of medical care to include possible medications. Vial of Life containers are available from VMA and Public Safety.

Villages' AED Program

From the Public Safety Department

I would like to remind you that AEDs (Automated External Defibrillators) for use during cardiac emergencies in which a victim collapses and appears not to be breathing normally are located in:

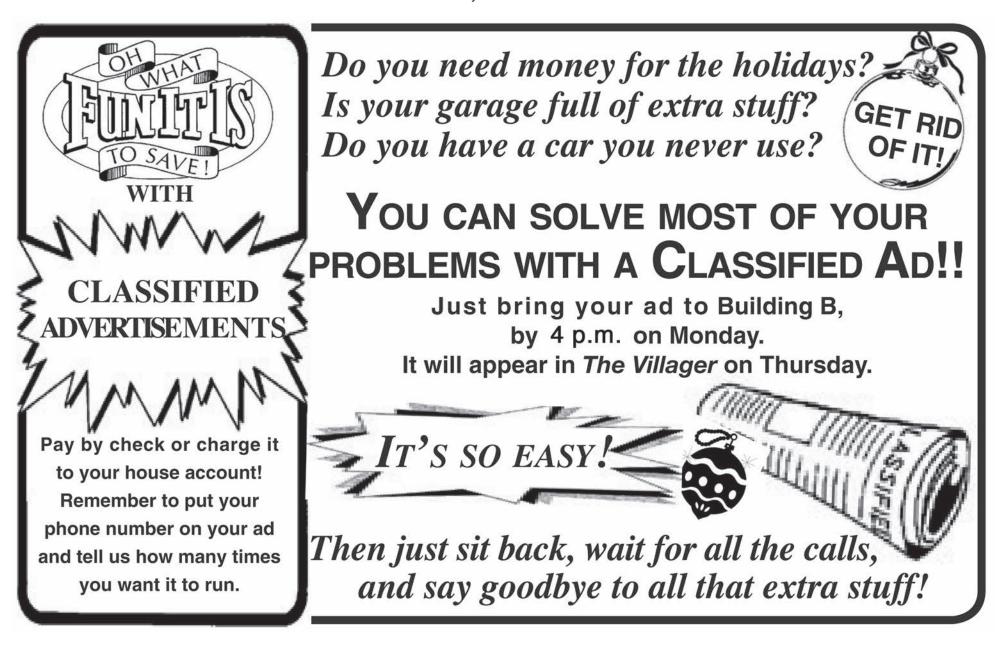
- 1. Montgomery Center
- 2. Vineyard Center
- 3. Foothill Center
- 4. Cribari Center Lobby
- 5. Tennis Courts/Air Station
- 6. The Clubhouse
- 7. Cribari Pool
- 8. Fitness Center
- 9. Public Safety Patrol Vehicle

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

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

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

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



Landscape & Maintenance

MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE

Cribari

5077-5089, 5154-5209 and 5234-5249—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

5250-5319 and 5384-5399—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 11/25-11/29.

Cribari Dell – Pine tree removal complete with final cleanup and landscape repairs in progress.

Olive tree pruning throughout the district in progress.

Cribari West—Perimeter oleander hedge trimming in progress. 5403-5410, 5411-5422, 5423-5428 and 5451-5455—Rodent exclusion in progress.

Cribari Glen Entrance—Asphalt repairs scheduled for 11/20-11/21.

Del Lago

3301-3315—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 12/23-12/27.

3338-Stump removal in progress.

3364 and 3365 - Reconstruction in progress.

3220-Interior repairs in progress.

3351-Retaining wall replacement in progress.

Estates

8809-8875—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

8876-8897 — Landscape maintenance and weed control, 11/25-11/29.

Fairways

4001 and 4024—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 12/16-12/20.

4020—Tree replacement in progress.

Glen Arden

7698-7867—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 12/9-12/13.

Turf aeration in progress.

Heights

8470-8519—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 11/25-11/29.

Traminer Ct. by Montgomery Lane—Stump removal in progress. Resident light fixture installation project in planning.

Hermosa

8005-8032 and 8100-8121 — Landscape maintenance and weed control, 11/25-11/29.

Cabernet Ct.; 8102-8103—Stump and root removal in progress. 8426-8429 – Pro Chip mulch installation scheduled for 11/21. 8323—Retaining wall in progress.

Gutter cleaning scheduled for 11/18-12/4.

 $8334-8339-A sphalt\ repairs\ scheduled\ for\ 11/20-11/21.$

Highland

7500-7573—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

7574-7598, 7600-7623 and 7880-7889—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 11/25-11/29.

Turf aeration in progress.

7610-7611—Rodent exclusion in progress.

7642, 7650 and 7683—Dry rot repairs in progress.

7880 and 7886-Retaining wall in progress.

Montgomery

6001-6068 and 6127-6136—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

Roof & Rain Gutter cleaning schedule for 2019-2020

The following is an approximate start and completion date for rain gutter cleaning in The Villages, weather permitting. Gutter cleaning services are provided by J&M Gutter, Inc. For questions or more information, please call Maintenance Services at 408-223-4670.

Village	Start Date	Completion Date
Hermosa	11/18	12/4
Olivas	12/5	12/14
Montgomery	12/16	12/31
Del Lago	1/1	1/15
Fairway	1/16	1/18
Cribari	1/20	2/8
Verano	2/10	2/22
Highland	2/24	3/7
Glen Arden	3/9	3/14
Heights and Club Buildings	3/16	3/21

6079-6126 and 6137-6183—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 11/25-11/29.

Olivas

8740-8752, 8769-8807 and Foothill Center—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 12/16-12/20.

Behind Solera Drive; 8635-8636—Pine tree removal scheduled for 11/25.

Sonata

2000-2024 and 2032-2064—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 12/16-12/20.

Valle Vista

Parks and Banks—Landscape maintenance and weed control, in progress.

9001-9018—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 12/16-12/20.

South Side Area—Fire fuel brush clearing in progress.

9059-9060 - Painting in progress.

9061-9066—Pressure washing in progress with paint to follow.

Verano

7007-7060—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 12/16-12/20.

Via Laguna Hillside—Jet mulching in progress.

7317 and 7353—Retaining wall replacement in progress.

7206-7207 — Dry rot repairs in progress.

Association

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

Turf fertilization throughout the community scheduled for November.

Common Areas—Treatment for voles, moles, gophers and squirrels in progress.

Club Centers

Perimeter fence at Valle Vista and Glen Arden—Fire fuel maintenance in progress.

Cribari, Montgomery and Foothill pool and spa—Closed for the winter.

Cribari Center—Dry rot repairs in progress.

Business Office and Vineyard Center—Exterior painting in progress.

Tennis Court—Painting scheduled for 11/20.

Foothill Center Trellis — Dry rot repairs in progress.

Foothill Pool—Heater replacement in planning.

 $\label{linear_property} \mbox{Upper Gardens-Irrigation meter relocation in progress.}$

Maintenance Services

Customer Service Line:

408-223-4670

Maintenance Emergencies and/or Advice

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

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

BRIDGE HAND

NORTH

- 1093
- J642
- ♦ Q5

♣ A 10 9 5

- **EAST ▲** J872
- ♦ A9643
- J 7 6

SOUTH

- ♠ AK654 ♥ AKQ8
- Q 4 3

Dealer: West

WEST

10753

K 10 8 7 2

Vulnerability: North/South

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

Contract: 4 Spades by South

Opening Lead: 7 of Hearts

Dealer has 1 or 2 losers in Spades, 1 in Diamonds and 1 in Clubs.

Strategy: There are 5 trumps out and usually they will break 3-2. However, there is a possibility that they could be divided 4 – 1 or 5 – 0. Having only the Ace and the King in trumps, some players will play the Ace in case an opponent only has 1 card, the Queen before trying to finesse.

West leads the 7 of Hearts, low from the board, East, the 9, South, the Ace, switches to the Ace of Spades and captures the Queen. He then plays a Club to the Ace on the board, follows with the 10 of Spades, East ducks, continues with the 9 of Spades, and East still plays low. He next leads a Diamond, East, the 3, South, the Jack, West wins with the King. Now he leads a Heart, East trumps and follows with a Club; South, the 4; West takes the trick with the King, plays a Diamond, Queen from the board; East, the Ace, and South trumps. He next leads the King of Hearts, continues with the Queen, then the King of Spades, and plays his last card, the good Queen of Clubs. Great. The contract is made exactly.

* South has a good hand, 19 HCP and after seeing his partner responding with 2 Spades showing 6 - 9 HCP, he jumps to game.

In Memoriam and **Obituary Notices**

In Memoriam notices are run free of charge.

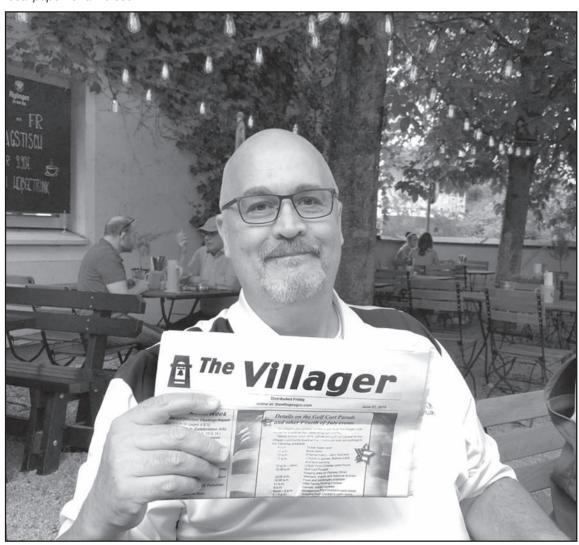
Notices include name of deceased, date of birth and date of passing. Brief notices of memorial gatherings may be included with the notice, providing event is held in a Villages' facility.

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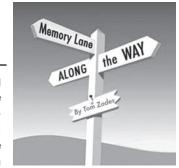


Robert Bullington recently traveled to Germany for business, but found some time to visit his old stomping grounds and enjoy some Schnitzel. Sitting in the Biergarten of a Gasthaus in Munich brings back fond memories of his service days as a military policeman.

Along the Way—a trip down Memory Lane

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

Mom used to tell the story of when I was a baby, standing up in the crib. She said I was rocking myself and seemed to be saying "I deem about the knife" over and over. She was understandably alarmed that I was maybe having nightmares—that I dreamed about a knife. To her great relief, one of her songs came on (I don't recall whether it was the radio or from her collection of 33-1/3 rpm records) with lyrics that included "All through the day I dream about the night." I was doing my best to sing along



with the recording. What a relief it was for her, after several days of worry, to realize what was

Mom's story has stuck with me all these years partly because it underscores my natural attraction to music—an attraction that has never diminished. My one regret in life is that I never had the opportunity to pursue music. I so wish I could read music and play the piano. But there was no money for such things as piano lessons or music teachers. I could start now, of course, but it seems like an enormous amount of time and effort that is maybe best reserved for those who have a lifetime of enjoyment ahead of them.

Meanwhile, my great joy in life is all the music groups here in The Villages. I suppose I love the sing-along activities best, because I can follow those who sing well and those who provide the instrumental accompaniment. But I also enjoy just listening to the talented Villagers who sing well or play piano, guitar, bass, ukulele and the like. They make a wonderful environment even better.

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Business

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OBITUARY

Marian Voytek

October 11, 1939 - November 14, 2019



Marian with a live panda in Chengdu, China

Marian passed away after a long battle with Alzheimer's. Prior to that, she had overcome cancer and then a rare form of Leukemia.

Marian was originally from Baltimore. She came to California in the mid-1960s and later graduated from Berkeley with a degree in Psychiatric Social Work. She retired after serving at Kaiser for 20 years. She moved to The Villages in 1999.

Marian and her husband David had the opportunity to travel over a period of 37 years. Marian loved the outdoors and was an avid backpacker. She also ran four marathon races.

She was also active in The Villages Amateur Theatre for several years.

Marian leaves behind her husband, her son and his family and also her older brother Herbert. She was much loved and will be much missed. The family is thankful to all of those who knew Marian and supported us in our times of need.

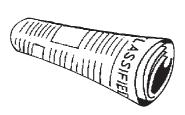
According to her wish, Marian's ashes will be scattered at sea. The family has not yet finalized plans for a memorial service.

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2 Bd | 2 Ba | 1223 sf

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Village

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Village

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