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April 21, 2022

VAT: 'Honk Honk! Get on the bus!'

Finally, on Friday night at 7:30 p.m. on April 22, the Charlie Brown bus will arrive at Cribari Auditorium after a two-year wait. Nick Yannacone, the director, and all the cast and crew are very excited to present this fun play to audiences here this weekend. Not only will there be a Friday night show, but there will be two matinee performances Saturday and Sunday at 2:30 p.m.

Tickets will still be available at the door for \$15 or you can call 408-228-3246 and have them waiting at "will-call." Remember-you must have proof of vaccination to attend. Come one...come all. Don't miss this very joyous production!

Golf Cart Enter and Exit Poles

The Villages Golf Committee, PGA Director of Golf Scott Steele, and GMS Golf Course Maintenance are happy to introduce you to a new initiative regarding cart traffic control at The Villages. We will be installing on every hole of the 18-hole course two poles at the start of each hole and two poles and the end of each hole to define where all golf carts will



be permitted to enter the fairway and exit the fairway of each hole. The poles will be white with a blue cap and will be very visible at 48 inches in height. The two poles will form a "gate" through which each cart will pass to enter and exit each hole at a defined location. See picture above. Very simply, cart drivers will drive away from each tee box and then enter the fairway through the "enter gate" and then proceed to play the hole keeping the cart on the fairway as much as possible during tee to green play, and then will exit the fairway through the

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Art in the Park is this Saturday!



The Villages Arts & Crafts Association

This is it! Saturday is Art in the Park! We are proud to have some of the finest artisans in The Villages participating this year. The entire park will be full of unique items including ceramics, wood crafts, fabrics, jewelry and more.

This Saturday, April 23 is the perfect time to support your neighborhood makers and pick up a few original, handmade gifts. Mother's Day, Father's Day and graduation time is right around the corner.

Be sure to visit the Gazebo for homemade, freshly baked cookies for \$4 a bag. Browse the booths, meet the artists, and enjoy a cup of coffee and a cookie or two. It's going to be a beautiful spring day and loads of fun!

See you there, April 23 at Gazebo Park, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Candidates' Night Returns for 2022!

Villages Candidates' Night will be held Friday, May 6 at 7 p.m. in the Cribari Auditorium.

The 2022 live-in-person Candidates' Night will be held in Cribari Auditorium. Join your Villages neighbors at this informative session with our board candidates.

You may submit questions to the candidates in advance by contacting the Communications Advisory Committee via email to Barbara Clurman at BJBCAC2021@gmail.com or by phone (347) 451-5309. Some of these questions may be used during Candidates' Night. Questions to the candidates will also be collected from the audience on the night of the meeting.

9 a.m. to 11:15 a.m. **Cribari East Parking Lot** (Woodshop side)

This Saturday!

On-site Document Shredding

Sponsored by The Villages High-12 Club,

Evergreen Villages Foundation (EVF)

and Senior Resource Services (SRS)

Saturday, April 23





\$10 per "banker's box" or bag-approximately 20 lbs. Minimum fee is \$10-Cash or check only Make checks payable to "Hi-12 Club" Plus drop off flags needing to be retired and old Villages telephone directories

Questions? Contact Ken Brady at 408-238-5372

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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 4 p.m. on Thursday 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 Ádvisory Committee, 5000 Cribari Lane, San Jose, CA 95135.

Letters may be submitted electronically through the Pulse Submission Form on the Resident Portal: resident. thevillagesgcc.com/pulse , or emailed to Villager Managing Editor S. Hinrichs: shinrichs@the-villages.com . E-mailed letters must include the text within the body of the e-mail and the subject line must read PULSE LETTER.

5 Pulse letters received this week.

- 1 Pulse letters not meeting Pulse Letter Guidelines.
- 4 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 any statements.

Note: Pulse letters are still being accepted through the Pandemic in digital form only. You may take a picture of your hand-written letter and e-mail it as a JPEG attachment to: shinrichs@the-villages.com.

All Pulse letters that are published are retained by the Communications Advisory Committee (CAC) for a period of 12 months. Rejected Pulse letters are not shared with anyone outside the CAC, management or Club Board and staff liaisons for the reason of confidentiality.

As a life-long gardener, I have been concerned about the red colored bark we have been using in our plant, shrub and flower beds in the last few years here in The Villages. Three years ago, I called Maintenance because of the white mold I found in this mulch. At the time, I was told not to worry. We do not know the type of wood that is used for our mulch. (It looks like shavings, not bark.) I do know the mold comes every year.

Through research, I have discovered that the colored mulch takes many of the nutrients out of the soil that the plantings need. The mulch is put too densely around the plants giving no breathing space (6" – 12"). I also read this mold is harmful to animals; dogs and cats can become quite sick. Why did we substitute artificial mulch for real bark?

-Betty Murphy

Kudos to our GM and to the members of both the Association and Club Boards for the budget presentations via the recent zoom Special Study Sessions. Having attended a majority of Board Meetings since 2007, the information available now far exceeds what could have been done 15 years ago. Technology is a big help, of course, but the real thanks must go to all the people who worked countless hours to gather and confirm the details that were incorporated into the detailed pages. The Controller and Facilities Director have spent nights and weekends working with the consultants regarding our Reserves planning, and that's in addition to keeping up with all their day-to-day responsibilities. Hats off to the Comcast Contract Review Team-what a deal they negotiated for us! Budget requests and requirements have been addressed during monthly meetings since budget preparation began last fall. Yes, there will be increases in fees-costs are up everywhere! But never let it be said that our Boards aren't working hard to manage the finances or that they're keeping secrets. There's information galore; just read The Villager and check the Residents' Portal on our website.

-Vera Buescher

I have become friendly with a couple of our mail carriers. I was surprised when told how problematic mail delivery can be. Did you know carriers are instructed not to deliver mail if they are unable to reach the mailbox from their mail truck? Yet I constantly see people parked before, in front of, or just past the mailboxes. When talking to my carrier he told me that day 38 mailboxes were blocked by people parked improperly, extending his delivery time by having to park and get out. He said he's never followed the directive to bypass a blocked mailbox.

I promised I'd make sure I don't do that in the future, and I think that should be easy for all Villagers to do as well.

-Anahid Gregg

Geese abatement in The Villages is long overdue. I have been living in Village Montgomery

IN MEMORIAM

In Memoriam notices are run free of charge.

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

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

DEADLINES

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

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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: areed@the-villages.com or ktran@the-villages.com. For more information, please call 408-223-4657, 408-754-1341 or 408-223-4655. Display Ads: Display ad rates and placement may be arranged by calling Adrienne at 408-223-4657. Display advertising information is available on The Villages web site at: www.thevillagesgcc.com.

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POLICIES

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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 Barbara Clurman at 347-451-5309, Sue Callahan 408-238-2413, Jeanette Campa 408-661-0203, Debbie Champion at 408-960-6994, Thomas Moore at 408-887-5322, Patricia Reardon at 408-914-2432, and Nick Yannaccone at 408-219-9296.

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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near the 17th tee for over 12 years, and have seen it progress from a minor nuisance to a serious health hazard.

In addition to the squawking, which usually begins at 5 to 6 a.m., their droppings can be found everywhere. I will not even let my grandchildren outside on the patio without shoes on. We were able to manage the deer population, which was far less offensive than the geese. Surely there must be a solution to this problem as well.

Given our ever-rising HOAs. I ask that the Board implement an effective geese abatement program immediately.

-Sheila Zisko

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BOARDS & COMMITTEES

2022 Annual Member Meetings and Elections

By Assistant General Manager Julia Meadows, CCAM, CMCA, AMS, PCAM

The three Villages Corporations (Club, Association and Homeowners' Corporation) are preparing for this year's elections and annual membership meetings (this year like last, via teleconference).

Elections will be conducted in May and June with election results announced at this year's annual membership meetings to be held on Thursday, June 9, 2022, with the Homeowners' Corporation to be at 3 p.m., the Association's at 4 p.m. and the Club's at 5 p.m.

Club: Elections will be held for two director positions (each for a term of three years) on The Villages Golf and Country Club (VGCC) Board of Directors. The Amended and Restated Bylaws of the Corporation provide that there shall be seven directors. Director terms expiring are for Jerry Neece and Del Yamaki, and the directors who will continue to serve during the ensuing year are Bob Wilk, Leslie Lambert, Bob Krattli, Richard Zahner, and Judy Owen.

The Club Nominating Committee has announced Howie Blumstein, Prakash Deshmukh, and Garry Ashby as its candidate nominations. In addition, per the Club Bylaws Section 6.1.2, any Member in Good Standing may place his or her name in nomination by filing with the Secretary of the Club (Bob Krattli) a notice of intent signed by at least two percent (51) of the Members in Good Standing. Self-nomination petitions must be received no later than 5 p.m. on May 1, 2022.

Association: The Villages Association will hold a vote this May and June to vote on The Villages Association Resolution, Excess of Membership Income Over Membership Expenses Refunded to Members.

The Amended and Restated Bylaws of the Corporation provide that there shall be seven directors. Those who will continue to serve during the ensuing year are David Cook, Diana Hallock, Richard Holmboe, Julie Wash, and George Paris. Director terms expiring are that of Garry Ashby and Noel Lanctot. Upon adjournment of the 2022 annual meeting, there will be two vacancies on the Association Board of Directors. As of the duly noticed Deadline of Nominations date of March 29, 2022, no qualified candidate nominations have been received by The Villages Association, so this year there will not be a director election for the Association.

Per Association Bylaws Section 5.8 Filling Vacancies, any vacancy occurring on the Board, except a vacancy created by the removal of a Director by a vote of the Members, may be filled by approval of the Board and Directors so chosen shall serve until the next general election.

Homeowners: The Villages Homeowners' Corporation will hold a vote to fill two director positions (each for a term of three years) and to vote on The Villages Homeowners' Corporation Resolution, Excess of Membership Income Over Membership Expenses Refunded to Members.

The bylaws of the Homeowners' Corporation provide that there will be five directors. Those who will continue to serve during the ensuing year are Rob Kirschbaum, Brooks Fuller and Jeannie Omel. The two directors for which terms expire are Teddy Morse and Martin Hoek.

Any Member in Good Standing may place his or her name in nomination for election to the Board by giving written notice to the President (Rob Kirschbaum) or Secretary (Brooks Fuller) of the Corporation no later than 5 p.m. on May 1, 2022.

To date, Larry Versaw and Teddy Morse have declared their candidacies.

Watch future Villager and FastLane editions for continued updates on this year's elections.

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*.)

FROM THE CLUB BOARD

General Manager Search Update

Excellent progress is being made in the search for a new Villages General Manager.

The Club Board of Directors (CBOD) has established a sevenmember ad-hoc committee to perform the search process. The General Manager Search Committee is made up of four Club Board Directors, headed by Vice-President Leslie Lambert, including Judy Owen, Robert Krattli, and Richard Zahner, two Association Board (ABOD) Directors, President David Cook and Director Richard Holmboe, and Teddy Morse, representing the Homeowners Board. The committee is assisted by The Villages Senior Human Resources Manager, Mary Mehr.

This week, the Club Board has finalized the General Manager Job Description and approved it for posting on relevant job sites. After an initial cost/benefit analysis and review of previously performed similar work, the CBOD has decided against exploring an outside management services company at this time. The Search Committee will focus on finding a replacement General Manager.

The CBOD will continue to issue periodic updates from the ad-hoc search committee to keep Villagers clearly informed of our progress in this important endeavor.

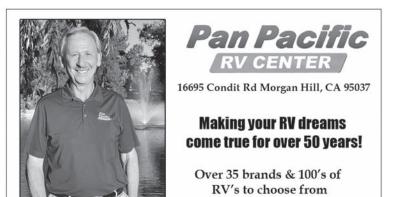
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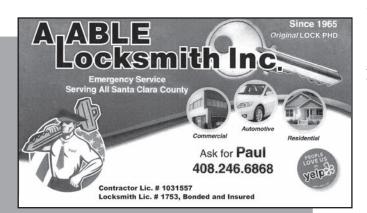
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Comcast representative Ruhullah is again offering to host Virtual Customer Events to discuss your questions regarding Xfinity products from the comfort of your home. Select the remaining session on Tuesday, April 26, and then choose the time for your oneon-one appointment between 11 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. from the scheduling page https://calendly. com/ruhullah-payendazadah/ xfinity-virtual-q-a

At the time of your appointment, Ruhullah will call to discuss your questions. Appointments are expected to fill quickly.

BOUQUETS

On behalf of Alan Waltho and the rest of the Villages Tax Team we wanted to express our thanks to the Club Board for their support of the 2021 Tax season of the AARP Tax Preparation Program. The assistance provided by John Yu, Albert Salcedo and the Clubhouse Staff was very much appreciated.

This year, with their help, we were able to assist over 240 taxpayers.

This program has had a significant history of helping the local community for many years. We ran into a "rough patch" with the Covid pandemic significantly reducing the numbers of people we could assist. But this year we were able to get our local program nearly back on track. The use of the Clubhouse provided a safe, comfortable location for the both the tax clients and volunteers, as well.

Again, we appreciate being able to use the facility and the warm welcome and assistance all the staff provided.

-Libby Nelson

& The Villages' Tax Team

PUBLIC SAFETY

Appointments **Public Safety Report March 2022**

CLASSIFICATION	Present	YTD	YTD		
	Month	2022	2021		
ACCIDENTS					
1) PERSONAL INJURY	0	0	0		
2) AUTO	0	3	1		
3) HIT & RUN	0	1	0		
	-	-	-		
4) GOLF CART	0	0	1		
5) MISCELLANEOUS	0	0	0		
AFTER HOURS REQUESTS					
1) LIGHTS	53	165	139		
2) FACILITIES	6	15	14		
3) SPRINKLERS	4	6	16		
4) LANDSCAPE	1	3	1		
5) ACTIVITIES	0	0	0		
6) MISCELLANEOUS	0	0	0		
7) GOLF MAINTENANCE	0	0	0		
8) FOOD & BEVERAGE	0	0	0		
9) BUSINESS OFFICE	0	0	0		
10) PRO SHOP	0	0	0		
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12) ALARM ACTIVATION	0	0	0		
ANIMAL					
1) COMPLAINTS	2	9	24		
2) TRAP REQUEST	0	0	0		
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Reminder: Articles are due by 4:30 p.m. Thursday, one week before publication

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GOVERNANCE MEETIN

THE DACs

Estates DAC Quarterly Meeting is April 26

The Estates DAC will hold its Quarterly Meeting on Tuesday, April 26 at 4 p.m. in the Vineyard Center.

Hermosa DAC to meet April 28

By Steve Gilbert

Hermosa Village will be holding a DAC meeting Thursday, April 28 at 3 p.m. via Zoom. Meeting ID: 829 6845 9453. Passcode: 887001

Montgomery DAC to meet May 2

Montgomery DAC will meet in person on Monday, May 2 at 10 a.m. at Montgomery Center.

Verano DAC to meet May 2

Correction: The April 14 edition of The Villager listed an incorrect date for the Verano DAC meeting. The Verano Quarterly DAC meeting is May 2 at 4 p.m. in the Vineyard Center.

Highland DAC to meet May 3

There will be a Highland DAC Meeting at Foothill Center on Tuesday, May 3 from 10 a.m. to noon. Main agenda: FY22/23 Final Budget - Assessments and Highland Projects. Guest speaker will be David Cook, Association Board President.

More COMMUNITY NOTICES

SRS SENIOR RESOURCE SERVICES

Water District property tax exemption

If you are a low-income senior, you may qualify to have one of your parcel taxes removed from next December's property tax bill. If you qualify, act quickly. You must apply by June 30, 2022.

First, dig out your tax year 2021-2022 property tax bill. Look at the list of Parcel Tax / Special Assessments on the second page. Is there a line labeled "1023 Santa Clara Valley Water District -Safe, Clean Water"?

This means you are currently paying the parcel tax and, if you qualify as low income, you may request an exemption from this assessment beginning with your 2022/2023 property tax bill.

To qualify you must be 65 years or older by June 30, 2023—i.e., the end of the fiscal 2022/2023 property tax year. The qualifying senior or his/her revocable living trust must be listed as an owner on the deed and the senior must live in the property as his/her primary residence. Rentals units you own do not qualify. Only one owner needs to be age 65.

Your 2021 total household income must have been less than \$62,292. Social Security and other nontaxable income are included in your calculation of total household income. You are not required to send in any proof of income, but you sign the application under penalty of perjury that you meet the income requirement.

This income limit is based on 75 percent of California's Median Household Income, so it changes every year. The income limit started at \$32,850 in 2000 and has now increased to \$62,262 - a measure of inflation in California in 22 years.

You do not have to complete an application every year. Once you have qualified for this exemption, you will receive a verification postcard by mail each April. You must verify that the address is still your personal residence and that your income does not exceed the new period's income limitation. Remember, you know you are receiving the exemption as long as the Safe, Clean Water is not listed in your Parcel Tax Assessments.

The application form is available online at valleywater.org. Enter "senior exemption" in the search box. You will need to attach a copy of your driver's license or some other document to prove your age. The address to mail the application is at the bottom of page 2 of the form. You

BOARD MEETINGS

Two Boards (Club & Association)

 The Villages Golf & Country Club and Association Two Board Meeting Re: Master Property Insurance Renewal is Thursday, May 12 at 10 a.m. via Zoom Meeting (first of two meetings)

Meeting ID: 842 4054 5530; Passcode: 881265; Dial: 1-669-900-6833

 The Villages Golf & Country Club and Association Two Board Meeting Re: Master Property Insurance Renewal is Thursday, May 26 at 10 a.m. via Zoom Meeting (second of two meetings)

Meeting ID: 842 4054 5530; Passcode: 881265; Dial: 1-669-900-6833 Association

- The Villages Association Board of Directors Monthly Board Meeting is Tuesday, April 26 at 9:30 a.m. via Zoom Meeting
 - Meeting ID: 917 8108 3392; Passcode: 223468; Dial: 669-900-6833

 The Villages Association Board of Directors Special Open Meeting Re: Valle Vista Vote and Ballot Count is Tuesday, May 3 at 9:30 a.m. via Zoom Teleconference/ Foothill Center

Meeting ID: 917 8108 3392; Passcode: 223468; Dial: 669-900-6833 Club

 The Villages Golf & Country Club Board of Directors Monthly Board Meeting is Tuesday, April 26 at 1:30 p.m. via Zoom Meeting

Meeting ID: 961 5036 4740; Passcode: 260616; Dial: 669-900-6833 Homeowners

- The Villages Homeowners' Corporation Board of Directors Special Open Meeting is Thursday April 28, at 9 a.m. via Zoom Meeting
 - Meeting ID: 975 5873 6401; Passcode: 591400; Dial: 1-669-900-6833

Del Lago DAC to meet May 12

The Del Lago DAC will hold its Quarterly Meeting on Thursday, May 12 at 6 p.m. at Vineyard Center.

SRS Reminder:

Location of important documents Does your family know where you keep your important papers?

Do they have a list of your electronic passwords? SRS has a form to list the location of your legal documents and other important papers and information. A copy of the completed form should be given to your children and executor/trustee. You may pick up this handout at the SRS office or call to have an SRS volunteer e-mail one to you.

AC NOTICE

Association applications for Owner Alteration Requests for the month of May are due to the Architectural Committee on or before April 20, 2022. Call Elissa at the Corporation Yard office to obtain an application. Meeting date is scheduled for Thursday, May 5, 2022 at 9 a.m.

Association AC Landscape meeting deadline date is April 20, 2022.



may also submit the application and proof of age by email at SeniorExemption@valleywater.org.

If you do not have a computer to print the application, stop by the SRS office and a volunteer will print a form for you to complete.

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 or e-mail SRS at villagessrs@ sbcglobal.net. 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.

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COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

The following events are sponsored by the Community Activities Department. Please telephone 408-223-4643 for additional information.

Aqua Fitness classes start this summer!

There is an Aqua Fitness class on Monday and one on Wednesday. These can be taken separately or in conjunction with each other.

Mondays

Day/Time: Mondays 3:45 p.m. – 4:45 p.m. June 6 - July 18 (6 classes, no class July 4) Location: Foothill Pool Instructor: Lorraine Snodgrass Price: \$69/person (equipment purchased independently as needed, see below)

Wednesdays

Day/Time: Wednesdays 3:45 p.m. – 4:45 p.m. June 1 – July 6 Location: Foothill Pool Instructor: Lorraine Snodgrass Price: \$69/person (equipment purchased independently as needed, see below)

Registration: Begins Monday, April 25 and ends Monday, May 16. Register in Building B, Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m. – noon, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Aqua Fit is a fun, medium intensity, low impact workout in shallow water. No swimming skills are required. This full-body workout uses water and aqua dumbbells to add resistance to improve endurance, flexibility and muscular strength. Participants should bring aqua shoes and water dumbbells. A very limited number of water dumbells are available for purchase in Building B, all sales final.

Please note that the pool will be closed to anyone other than class participants from 3:45 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.

Lorraine Snodgrass is a fitness professional with over 30 years in the fitness industry. She is certified in several different areas (including Aqua, Barre, Cycling, Mat Pilates, Reformer Pilates and Sports Medicine) with additional training in Body Sculpt, Step, Tabata, Tennis and Yoga classes. Lorraine has a strong work ethic and brings high motivation and energy in everything that she does. She is highly trained in customer service and enjoys working with people.



Join us for an afternoon of baseball!

By popular demand, baseball is back for Villagers. Join your friends and neighbors at Oracle Park for an afternoon of great baseball with the San Francisco Giants with the games below. Trip fee includes entry ticket and round-trip transportation.

SF Giants vs. Dodgers Day: Sunday, June 12 Seating Location: Uppers – VR311, Row 5, Row 6, Row 7, Row 8 Cost: \$92.50/person Registration Deadline: Monday, May 2

SF Giants vs. Cubs Day: Sunday, July 31 Seating Location: Uppers – VR311, Row 6, Row 7, Row 8, Row 9 Cost: \$77.50/person Registration Deadline: Monday, June 6

Departure Time: 9 a.m. from Cribari Center's East Parking Lot (next to hobby rooms)

Register in Building B, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to noon, or in the afternoon by appointment. Masks are required on the bus. Please dress in layers as the ballpark can be breezy and cool. All ballpark entrants will be required to go through a metal detector.

Outside food and beverage are permitted. No alcohol, glass, aluminum or hard-sided coolers. Beverages must be in sealed containers. All bags will be thoroughly inspected before they are permitted into the ballpark.

Come along on the Treasure Island Tour!

On Thursday, June 2, join Craig Smith on one of his well-loved day trips to San Francisco's Treasure Island. We will depart from Cribari Center East Parking Lot at 8:15 a.m. with an estimated

return time of 5 p.m. The cost per person is **\$94** and includes round trip transportation, lunch and Craig Smith tour. Some walking is required; wear comfortable shoes.

Treasure Island is an artificial island in the San Francisco Bay and a neighborhood in the City and County of San Francisco. Built in 1936–37 for the 1939 Golden Gate International Exposition, the island's World's Fair site is a California Historical Landmark. Buildings there



have been listed on the National Register of Historic Places, and the historical Naval Station Treasure Island, an auxiliary air facility (for airships, blimps, dirigibles, planes and seaplanes), are designated in the Geographic Names Information System.



Craig will take Villagers to the Pan Am terminal and naval history mural and will share the plans for the future of Treasure and Yerba Buena Islands.

Lunch is at Max's Opera Cafe. Lunch includes entrée, soda, coffee, or iced tea and

ultimate chocolate cake for dessert. You will pre-select an entrée at registration. Lunch entrée choices:

- Cheeseburger/Turkey Burger/Garden Burger topped with cheddar cheese with choice of potato salad, coleslaw or fries; Max's Famous Reuben – choice of corned beef or pastrami with sauerkraut, swiss cheese, 1000 island dressing on grilled rye with choice of potato salad, coleslaw or fries

- Roasted Vegetable Wrap – feta cheese, Portobello mushroom, roasted peppers, caramelized onion, avocado, spinach, hummus, with tzatziki on the side, served with arugula salad

- Fettuccine Alfredo – button mushrooms and peas in a creamy Parmigiano-Reggiano sauce

After lunch there will be a stop at the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art to view the Diego Rivera Mural, a moveable Fresco mural done at the 1940 World's Fair. Craig has extensive history and knowledge of this true San Francisco treasure.

Registration: Ends Friday, May 13. Register in Building B, Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m. – noon, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.



The Community Activities office offers a wide variety of activities for the enjoyment of the Villages residents. *Please check your personal calendars prior to committing to an event, class or trip. Once registered for an activity, you are respon-*

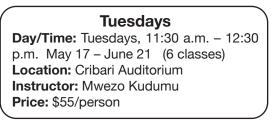
sible for the cost of the activity. *All sales are final.*

Registration is limited to residents only for the first two weeks.

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.

Sign up for Walking for Wellness classes

There is a Walking for Wellness class on Tuesday and one on Thursday. These can be taken separately or in conjunction with each other.



Thursdays Day/Time: Thursdays, 10 a.m. – 11 a.m. May 19 – June 23 (6 classes) Location: Cribari Auditorium Instructor: Mwezo Kudumu Price: \$55/person

Registration: Begins Monday, April 25 and ends Friday, May 6. Register in Building B, Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m. – noon, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

This indoor walking class is designed to reduce health risks and help participants improve their body and mind and be able to better move safely and independently. A variety of exercise formats are integrated to improve health, wellness, and fitness including posture, gait, standing, walking and fall prevention. This is great starting point for those with limited mobility. Chairs are available to use for the exercises or to sit in to rest if you tire while walking.

Mwezo has had great success with working with Villagers over the years. He is a certified and licensed Master Tai Chi Instructor and has over 40 years of experience in the healing arts. He is also a Senior Fitness Specialist, licensed Fall Prevention instructor, physical therapy technician, massage therapist and personal trainer. Mwezo has a passion for a healthy lifestyle personally and when engaged in helping others.

Sign up for Beginning Yoga

Day/Time: Wednesdays, 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. May 18 - June 22 (6 classes) Location: Cribari Auditorium

Instructor: Mariko Dugay

Price: \$69 (Equipment purchased independently as needed)

Registration: Begins Monday, April 25 and ends Friday, May 6. Register in Building B, Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m. – noon, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

This class focuses on easy yoga poses for beginners to build strength, flexibility and mental clarity. Poses are done standing and on the floor. You will need to be physically able to get up and down from the floor. The class requires a yoga mat to be purchased independently prior to the first class.

Mariko Dugay is a registered yoga teacher with Yoga Alliance. She completed her 200-hour training in 2017 and will soon finish up additional training to complete her 500-hour certification. She teaches Gentle Yoga, Mindful Flow Yoga and alignment base Hatha Yoga. Mariko seeks to inspire her students to meet where they are and unite body; mind and soul in the present moment by creating a safe and non-judgmental space so that they will step off the mat feeling refreshed, nourished and balanced.

Join us for Line Dance classes

Community Activities is accepting registration for the next session of line dancing with instructor Deana Megginson. Classes are designed for those who have had previous line dance experience. Those with little experience are encouraged to sign up for Advanced Beginners. For questions regarding specific dance levels, please contact Deana at 408-238-1180.

Class Schedule:

Advanced Beginners - Sold Out

Intermediate - Mondays 10 a.m. - 11 a.m. May 2 - June 6 (six classes) Improvers - Thursdays 10 a.m. - 11 a.m. May 5 - June 9 (six classes) Advanced - Fridays 10 a.m. - 11 a.m. May 20 - June 24 (six classes) The cost is \$15 per person. Register in Building B, Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m. - noon, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Registration Deadlines: Advanced Beginner

- Sold out, Intermediate - April 27, Improvers - April 29, Advanced - May 6.

she enjoys music, sports, and walking.

Say hi to LeeAnn and Michael Norkoski, two Bay Area natives (LeeAnn from San Francisco and Michael from Redwood City) who moved to Village Glen Arden last July. Before their retirement, LeeAnn worked as a retired administrative assistant at Los Altos High School and Michael was a manager at Nob Hill Foods. They love the Giants, and enjoy going to concerts, shopping, traveling, watching live theater, taking pictures, doing aqua fitness, and spending time with their grandkids. Michael also enjoys playing the guitar.

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More COMMUNITY NOTICES

Hi-Neighbor!

Welcome to another edition of Hi Neighbor! This week we

Give a warm welcome to Janet and Eugene (Gene) Elliott, two of Village del Lago's newest residents. Janet was born in

introduce you to more Villagers who moved here in the past year.

Indianapolis and holds a B.A. in Elementary Education from the

University of Wyoming and a K-12 credential from San Jose

State University. She has worked as a counselor and scholarship

coordinator for San Jose State University for the past 25 years.

Gene is a San Jose native, with a B.A. in Business Management

from San Jose State, and has been a C-50 licensed contractor

for 27 years. The Elliotts have also been property managers for

over 30 years. In their spare time, Janet enjoys walking, yoga,

and family get-togethers while Gene likes World of Warcraft and

working out. The couple has a shared love of board games and

card games including Mahjong, reading sci-fi and playing golf. Give a friendly greeting to Joan Goldstein, who moved to

Village Verano last September from Campbell. Originally from Los Angeles, Joan has a teaching credential and holds both a

B.A. and an M.A. from San Jose State University. In her free time,

Give a warm reception to Dr. Shannon Bergman, a Montgomery Villager since last July. Originally from Oregon, Dr. Bergman holds a doctorate in organizational leadership and works as a systems integrator. She in an army veteran, Mensa member, and has held many roles in the community including Chair of the San Carlos Planning Commission and Commissioner of the Economic Development Advisory Committee. Her interests include working with organizations that develop and implement concentrated urban poverty solutions.

Say hi to Gary and Lauren Kuehn, who became Montgomery Villagers last June. Gary was born in Washington state, and is a general manager at a restaurant. Lauren is from San Jose and is a child care center director, currently working in an escrow company. Lauren's interests include design/photography, landscaping, gardening, music, reading, and social justice for all.

The VMA wants your used golf cart!

Do you have a golf cart sitting around that you don't use? The VMA takes donations of gas and electric golf carts (working or not). These carts are sold and the proceeds are used to support the VMA's mission to assist residents and help them lead active, independent, and healthy lives.

Your golf cart donation qualifies as a charitable contribution under Internal Revenue Code 501(c)(3). You will receive a receipt that you can use when you are completing your taxes. The donated carts are available for Villagers to purchase. Contact the VMA



Upcoming Events

In Villager

Date Event 4/26-5/31 Line Dance: Advanced Beginners 4/28 The Presidio with Craig Smith Giants vs Washington Nationals 5/1

Registration Sold Out Sold Out Sold Out

5/2-6/6	Line Dance: Intermediate	Now
5/5-6/9	Line Dance: Improvers	Now
5/20-6/24	Line Dance: Advanced	Now
5/22	Giants vs San Diego Padres	
6/2	Treasure Island with Craig Smith	Now
6/12	Giants vs LA Dodgers	Now
6/16	New Public Places in SF	TBD
7/31	Giants vs Chicago Cubs	Now

4/11 to 4/27 4/11 to 5/31 4/11 to 5/6 Ended 4/18 to 5/13 4/18 to 5/2 TBD 4/18 to 6/6

office (408-238-4230) to donate your old cart or put your name on the waiting list to buy a cart.

The VMA also accepts donations of cars.

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For Information: 408-223-4687

2800 Villages Fairway Drive, San Jose CA 95135

WHAT'S COOKING?

theclubhouse@the-villages.com

For Curbside Grab-and-Go Service, call in your order at 408-370-8553. Call again when you get to the Clubhouse curbside and we will bring it out to your vehicle.

To order Curbside **Grab-and Go** 408-370-8553

(Breakfast orders only Saturday & Sunday 7 to 11 a.m.)

The Clubhouse Curbside service charge has increased to 15% from 10%. The service charge for the Indoor and Patio Dining is still 18%.

Mask use is encouraged indoors at the Clubhouse **Restaurant and Bistro Bar** and Grille Patrons are no longer required to wear masks indoors, but are still encouraged to do so by the County Health Officer.

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Clubhouse is open for full service

The following details will be in effect at the Clubhouse:

Restaurant Main Dining Room: Reservations are strongly suggested by emailing, calling or making an online reservation. Email: theclubhouse@the-villages.com, Phone: 408-223-4687, Online: clubhousereservation.com

- Patio and Bistro Dining will be on a first-come, first-served basis and is strictly for walk-in guests.
- The Bistro alcove can be reserved for parties of 8 to 10 people.
- The kitchen will still close at 8 p.m., last seating at the Bistro, Patio, curbside takeout and Restaurant main dining room is 7:30 p.m.
- Bistro Bar closes at 9 p.m. Last call is at 8:30 p.m.
- Dress code for the main dining room will be enforced. During summer months, dress shorts and dress sandals will be allowed.
- · Restrictions on number of guests per table will be lifted.
- · Masks are required for all employees indoors.
- Seating capacity will be at 100 percent.
- Visitors do not have to be accompanied by Villagers to use Clubhouse.
- · Credit cards and house charges will be accepted.
- · Cash will not be accepted for payment but can be left as a tip.
- · Villagers will not have to sign in for indoor seating.

Hours of Operation will be as follows:

Breakfast/Brunch: Saturdays 7 a.m. to 11a.m. Sundays 7a.m. to 2 p.m. All-Day Menu: 7 Days 11a.m. to 8 p.m. **Dinner Menu:** Tuesdays through Sundays 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.

How does Curbside Grab-and-Go work?

First, call in your order at 408-370-8553. Call us again when you get to the Clubhouse curbside and we will bring it out to your vehicle. A 15% Service Charge and Tax will be added to the price

Notice for our Curbside customers: Due to the increased volume of orders at dinner time, we are recommending that you call and place your order between the times of 3 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. We will take your order and coordinate a pick-up time later that evening. While this is not required, it should help alleviate any wait times during the peak dinner time hours of 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.



Soup	of	the	Day

For the week of 4/18 to 4/24

Sausage

Monday	April 18	Chicken Vegetable Rice
Tuesday	April 19	Cream of Carrot with Gingeri
Wednesday	April 20	White Bean with Kale and

Indoor and Patio dining or Curbside hours of Operation

Tuesday to Friday

Monday

Lunch: 11 a.m.-2 p.m. **Bistro Menu:** 2 p.m.–7:30 p.m. Last Seating

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Saturday and Sunday

Saturday Breakfast: 7 a.m.–11 a.m. **Sunday Breakfast:** 7 a.m.—2 p.m. Lunch: 11 a.m.–2 p.m. **Bistro Menu:**

Thursday	April 21	French Onion
Friday	April 22	Clam Chowder
Saturday	April 23	Chef's Choice
Sunday	April 24	Chef's Choice

2 p.m.-7:30 p.m. **Dinner:** 5 p.m.–7:30 p.m. Last Seating

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner indoor dining now available as well as Patio Dining and Curbside Grab-and-Go pickup.

More CLUBHOUSE

Bistro Menu 2 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Starters

GF Potato Skins \$13.00 Cheddar, Tomatoes, Bacon, Scallions and Sour Cream

Wings 6Pc \$12 12Pc \$20..00 Celery and Carrots, Ranch Dressing with BBQ, Teriyaki or Buffalo Sauce

Breaded Chicken Tenders with Sauce \$9.95 Honev Mustard or Ranch

V. Caprese Salad Bites on Skewers \$8.00 Mozzarella, Basil, Cherry Tomatoes, Balsamic Drizzle

Roasted Meatballs \$8.95 BBQ Sauce, Teriyaki or Buffalo Sauce

Angus Beef Sliders \$12.95 **Or Pulled BBQ Pork Sliders** 2 Angus Beef with Tomato Relish or BBQ Pulled Pork on soft Potato Buns

Southern Crab Cakes \$12.95 2 Panko Crusted with Cayenne Remoulade

Calamari \$12.95 Lightly Dusted Rings, and Tentacles with Parmesan Parslev

Soup of the Dav Cup \$4.95 Bowl \$6.95 Main

Entrée Caesar Salad \$10.95 Romaine, Cherry Tomatoes, Parmesan, Croutons Add Chicken \$3 Salmon \$6 Prawns \$6

Cobb Salad \$14.25 Mixed Greens, Tomato, Cucumber, Hard boil Egg, Olives, Avocado Bacon and Feta Cheese Add chicken \$3 Prawns\$6 Salmon \$6

Shrimp Louie \$16.25 Mixed Greens, with Avocados, Tomatoes, Cucumbers, and Hard Boiled Egg with 1,000 Island

V Quesadilla \$12.95 Pico de Gallo, Sour Cream Guacamole, Add Chicken or Beef \$3

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V. Asian Stir Fry Vegetables Over Rice \$12.95 Vegetables over Jasmine Rice with Ponzu Sauce Add Beef, Chicken or Bay Shrimp \$3

Fish and Chips \$13.95 Batter Dipped Cod, Tartar Sauce, Fries, Cole Slaw and Malted Vinegar

Street Tacos \$12.95 Cod, Beef or Chicken with Cilantros, Onions, Cabbage and Radish with Salsa on mini Corn Tortillas

Sides: \$4.95 Potato Salad, Coleslaw, French Fries, Sweet Potato Fries, Garlic Fries, Onion Rings, Fresh Fruit, Small Salad, Cup of Soup

Sandwiches

Hot Dog with Side \$9.95 Toppings: Onions, Tomatoes & Red Onion Relish. Cheddar add \$1.50

Burger with Side 2. \$13.95 Angus Beef with LTO and Side Dish Or

V Impossible Burger with Side \$14.95 Plant Based Meat with Lettuce, Add Avocado, Bacon or Cheese add \$2

BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich with Side \$13.95 Slow Braised Pork shoulders, Shredded Cabbage and Carrots on Egg Bun

Philly Cheese Steak or Philly Chicken Sandwich with Side \$13.95

Fisherman's Sandwich with Side\$13.95 Panko Breaded Sole. LTO Tartar Sauce on Hoagie Loaf

Breaded Chicken Sandwich with Side \$13.95 with Coleslaw on Potato Bun

Naan Flatbread Pizzas

V Cheese Pizza \$10.95 Pepperoni Pizza \$11.95 V Margarita Pizza \$11.25 Combination Pizza \$13.95 Sausage, Pepperoni, Mushrooms, Onions, & Peppers BBQ Chicken Pizza \$13.95 Bacon, Chicken, Red Onion with Tangy BBQ Sauce Gluten Free Crust Add \$ 2.00

Dessert Menu

\$6.25

Vanilla Crème Brulee with Berries Creamy Custard Topped with Glazed Caramelized Sugar

> Warm Chocolate Fondant Lava Cake Melt in your mouth chocolate center

Black Forest Cake Chocolate Sponge Cake with Cherries and Whipped Meringue Chocolate Shavings

> **New Orleans Bourbon Bread Pudding** Caramel Toffee Sauce

> > \$4.95

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2 Eggs any style with Sausage, Ham or Bacon.

Choice of Peppers, Mushrooms, Spinach or Tomatoes

Ham, Bacon, Sausage, or Cheese, Add. \$2 each,

Served with Hash Brown or Fruit and Choice of

Choice of Peppers, Mushrooms, Spinach or Tomatoes

Ham, Bacon, Sausage, or Cheese, Add. \$2 each, Bay

Served with Hash Brown or Fruit and Choice of

Tomatoes, Sour Cream, Blacked Beans, Fried Egg

2 Poached Eggs, Canadian Bacon over English

Served with Choice of Hash Browns or Fruit

Two Poached Eggs, & Spinach, Feta and Tomatoes

2 Eggs any style with House Made Seasoned Hash.

Served with Hash Brown or Fruit and Choice of

over English Muffins with Hollandaise Sauce.

Served with Choice of Hash Browns or Fruit

2. Corned Beef Hash and Eggs \$9.95

Fried Corn Tortillas Topped with Lettuce

and Salsa, Topped with Cotija Cheese

Bay Shrimp \$3.00, Spanish Sauce Add \$.25

With Hash Brown or Fruit, Choice of Toast

2. The Villager \$8.75

2. Three Egg Omelet \$9.95

2. Skillet Scrambler \$8.75

Shrimp \$3, Spanish Sauce Add \$.25

2. Huevos Rancheros \$9.95

2. Eggs Benedict \$9.95

Muffins with Hollandaise Sauce

2. Eggs Florentine Benedict \$9.75

Breakfast Menu

Saturdays 7 a.m. to 11 a.m., Sundays 7 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Toast

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French Toast \$6.95 Whipped Butter, Maple Syrup, Seasonal Fruits Berries

Short Stack Pancakes \$6.95 Whipped Butter, Maple Syrup, Seasonal Fruits Berries

Belgium Waffles \$7.50 Whipped Butter, Maple Syrup, Seasonal Fruit Berries

2. Bagel BLT and Egg \$8.75 Bacon, Lettuce and Tomato with Cream Cheese

2. Breakfast Burrito \$8.95 Scrambled Egg, Potatoes, Cheese, Salsa Choice of Bacon, or sausage

Montgomery Muffin \$8.25 Scrambled Eggs, Bacon or Sausage, Cheddar Cheese and Fruit

Lox and Bagels \$12.95 Smoke Salmon, Cream Cheese, Red Onions, Egg Whites and Capers

Sides Egg 2. \$1.75, Breakfast Meats \$3, Hash Browns \$2, Toast \$1.50

Coffee \$1.95

(a)Starbucks Espresso \$2.50 Extra Shot \$1.50

Starbucks Americano \$2.50

Starbucks Latte/Cappuccino \$3.25

Juice, Milk, or Hot Chocolate \$2.95

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GF Gluten Free V Vegetarian

Dinner Menu

Toast

Tuesday - Sunday 5 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Last Order

Starters

Soup of the Day Cup \$4.95 Bowl \$6.95

V Baby Lettuce Mix Salad \$5.95

Lightly Dusted Rings and Tentacles with

Mozzarella, Basil, Cherry Tomatoes, Balsamic Drizzle

Linguini and Clams \$16.95 White Wine, Butter, Olive Oil, Lemon Juice Parsley

V Fettucine Alfredo \$14.95 Creamy Parmesan Garlic Sauce Add Chicken or Bay Shrimp \$3,

V Eggplant Parmesan \$15.95 Eggplant breaded in Crispy Panko Crumbs, Layered in Marinara Sauce, Parmesan and Provolone

Dinner Entrées Accompanied by 2 Sides

Mashed Potatoes, Cilantro Rice Baked Potato with Sour Cream and Chives Or Daily Vegetables Sides

Soup or Salad \$2.95 with Entrees

2. Grilled New York Steak \$31.95 Center Cut with Peppercorn Sauce

2. Grilled Filet Tip \$28.95 Topped with Mushroom Veloute Sauce

Chef Ralph's Meat Loaf \$24.95 Ketchup BBQ Glaze

2. Calf Liver and Onions \$25.95 Sautéed Onions and Crispy Bacon Bits

Braised Lamb Shank \$ 31.95 Rosemary Red Wine Jardinière Sauce

Chicken Cordon Blue \$25.95 Breaded and Stuffed with Ham and Cheese Topped with Dijon Cream Sauce

Country Fried Chicken \$23.95 2pc Thigh and Breast with Country Gravy

2. Grilled Bone In Pork Chop \$25.95 One(1) Grilled 10oz w/Honey Garlic Sauce

Filet of Sole Piccata \$26.75 Flour Dusted with Capers, White Wine,

Weekly **Specials**

For the week of 4/18 to 4/24

Lunch Specials: Monday 4/18 to Saturday 4/24 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Sole Dore: Filet of Sole with a Lemon Butter Sauce, served with Rice Pilaf and Vegetables \$16.50

Stuffed Tomato with Tuna Salad: Tomato stuffed with Tuna Salad, Carrots, Cucumber, Egg and Red Onions over Greens with Choice of Dressing \$14.95

Dinner Specials:

Tuesday 4/19 to Saturday 4/24 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Small Caesar Salad \$6.75

Calamari \$12.95 Parmesan Parslev

V Fried Breaded Green Beans \$7.50

Southern Crab Cakes \$12.95 2 Panko Crusted with Cayenne Remoulade

Caprese Salad Bites on Skewer \$8.00

The Lighter Side

Served à la carte

Half Slab Barbecue St. Louis Style Ribs: Served with French Fries and Coleslaw \$29.50

Fettuccini with Salmon and Asparagus: Salmon, Asparagus and Mussels in a Garlic Cream Sauce \$24.50

Flavors of the Day

Sherbet, Ice Cream, Sorbet

Milk Shakes

Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays 2. Slow Roasted Prime Rib \$38.95 Aged to Perfection with Choice of Sides

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Grilled Salmon \$27.95 Lemon Dill Butter Sauce

Garlic Prawns \$27.95 Bordelaise White Wine Sauce

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Lunch Menu

11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

GF Potato Skins \$13.00 Cheddar, Tomatoes, Bacon, Scallions and Sour Cream

Wings, 6Pc \$12 12Pc \$20.00 with Carrots, Celery Ranch Dressing with BBQ, Teriyaki or Buffalo Sauce

Breaded Chicken Tenders with Sauce \$9.95 Honey Mustard or Ranch

Fried Breaded Green Beans \$7.50

V Caprese Salad bites on Skewers \$8.00 Balsamic Vinaigrette

Sides: \$4.95

Potato Salad, Coleslaw, French Fries, Sweet Potato Fries, Garlic Fries, Onion Rings, Fresh Fruit, Small Salad, Cup of Soup

V.Lunch 3 Egg Omelet with Fruit \$.9.95 Choice of Peppers, Mushrooms, Spinach or Tomatoes. Choice of Toast Ham, Bacon, or Cheese Add \$2, Bay Shrimp \$3

Entrée Caesar Salad \$10.95 Romaine, Cherry Tomatoes, Parmesan and Croutons Add Chicken \$3 Salmon \$6 Prawns \$6

V Chinese Salad. \$14.25 Chopped Cabbage, Carrots, Edamame, Peanuts, Fried Noodles with a Sesame Ginger Dressing Add Chicken \$3 Add Prawns \$6

Cobb Salad \$14.25 Mixed Greens, Tomato, Cucumber, Hard boil Egg, Olives, Avocado Bacon and Feta Cheese Add chicken \$3, Prawns\$6 or Salmon \$6

Shrimp Louie \$16.25 Mixed Greens, with Avocados, Tomatoes, Cucumbers, and Hard Boiled Egg with 1,000 Island Dressing

le \$9.95

Hot Dog with Side \$9.95 Toppings: Onions, Tomatoes & Red Onion Relish. Cheddar add \$2

Burger with Side 2. \$13.95 Angus Beef with LTO and Side Dish Or

V Impossible Burger with Side \$14.95 Plant Based Meat with Lettuce, Add Avocado, Bacon, or Cheese \$2

BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich with Side \$13.95 Slow Braised Pork Shoulders, Shredded Cabbage and Carrots on Egg Bun

Philly Cheese Steak or Philly Chicken Sandwich with Side \$13.95 Hoagie Loaf with Provolone Cheese, Peppers and Onions

Reuben \$13.95 Grilled Rye, Corned Beef, Sauerkraut, Swiss Cheese, 1000 Island Roasted Meatballs \$8.95 BBQ Sauce, Teriyaki or Buffalo Sauce

Angus Beef Sliders \$12.95 Or Pulled BBQ Pork Sliders 2 Angus Beef with Tomato Relish or BBQ Pulled Pork Cole Slaw on soft Potato Buns

Southern Crab Cakes \$12.95 2 Panko Crusted with Cayenne Remoulade

Calamari \$12.95 Lightly Dusted Rings, and Tentacles with Parmesan Parsley

V Southwestern Salad \$12.95

Corn, Black Beans, Avocado, Sour Cream, Cilantro, Cheese, Tortilla Strips with Mixed Greens and Salsa Add Beef or Chicken \$3

V Quesadilla \$12.95 Pico de Gallo, Sour Cream Guacamole, Add Chicken or Beef \$3

V Asian Stir Fry Vegetables Over Rice \$12.95 Vegetables over Rice with Ponzu Sauce, Add Chicken \$3, Salmon \$6 or Prawns \$6

V **Vegetarian Tika Masala over Rice** \$12.95 *Add Chicken* \$3

Fish and Chips \$13.95 Batter Dipped Cod, Tartar Sauce, Fries, Cole Slaw and Malted Vinegar

Street Tacos \$12.95 Cod, Beef or Chicken with Cilantros, Onions, Cabbage and Radish with Salsa on mini Corn Tortillas

Fried Chicken and Waffles \$12.95 Wing and Drumette with Maple syrup and Fruit

Sandwiches and Such

Fisherman's Sandwich with Side \$13.95 Panko Breaded Sole. LTO Tartar Sauce on Hoagie Loaf

BLT Sandwich with Side \$9.75 Bacon, Lettuce and Tomato Served on Choice of Bread, Add Turkey or Avocado \$2.00

Brie Turkey Sandwich with Side \$13.50 Cranberry Compote and Arugula on Telera Roll

Breaded Chicken Sandwich with Side \$13.95 *with Coleslaw on Potato Bun*

Deli Sandwich with Side \$13.50 Choice of Bread, , Turkey, Ham, or Tuna Salad

1/2 Deli and Soup or Salad \$10.95

V. Grilled Portabella and Pepper Sandwich with Side \$13.95 Mozzarella, Basil on an Egg Bun

Single Diners' Night Let's Dine Together!

Every Wednesday at The Clubhouse



Shared Table Bring your favorite wine to share with no corkage! Free Corkage will be applied with purchase from the Lighter Side and Dinner Entrees from the Dinner Menu.

Please make reservations and note: 'Single Diners' Reservation''

Every Wednesday at 5 p.m.



Wednesday

Dinner service

Main Dining Room Only

Bring your favorite bottle of wine* and your friends any and every Wednesday at The Clubhouse. One-bottle limit per two guests.

*No Corkage will be charged with purchase from Dinner Menu, Lighter Side, and Entrée items. One-bottle limit per two guests. Standard size bottles only.



Mother's Day Curbside Pick Up Sunday, May 8th, 2022 3:30 Pick Up

<u>MENU</u>

Summer Salad Baby Spinach with Strawberries, Feta Cheese, Pecans, and Red Onions Balsamic Dressing Rolls and Butter

> Sliced New York Sirloin of Beef Mushroom Jardinière Sauce

> > Or

<u>Chicken Marsala</u> Simmered in Marsala Wine and Forest Mushrooms

V Cheese Pizza \$10.95 Pepperoni Pizza \$11.95 V Margarita Pizza \$11.25 Combination Pizza \$13.95

Naan Flatbread Pizzas

Sausage, Pepperoni, Mushrooms, Onions, & Peppers

BBQ Chicken Pizza \$13.95 Bacon, Chicken, Red Onion with Tangy BBQ Sauce

Gluten Free Crust Add \$ 2.00

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2. Consuming raw or undercooked meats, poultry, seafood, shellfish, or eggs may increase your risk of foodborne illness, especially if you have certain medical conditions.

<u>Vegetables Medlev</u> Asparagus, Red Bell Pepper Strips, and Baby Carrots

Roasted Fingerling Potatoes

Dessert Mom's Apple Pie with Whipped Cream and Berries

\$29.95 plus service charge and tax per person

<u>RESERVATIONS REQUIRED - call 408-223 4676 or</u> <u>e-mail: theclubhouse@the-villages.com</u>

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BRUNCH Clubhouse, Sunday May 8th, 2022

TWO SEATINGS - 10:30am and 1:30pm

Breakfast Pastries Station

Croissants, Danish, Fruit & Nut Loaves, Mini Beignets Mini Muffin, Cinnamon Rolls, Assorted Macaroons and Fruit Scones

Fruit Station

Fresh Fruit Display & Fruit Kebabs Fruit & Marshmallow Salad



Salad Station Mixed Greens and Romaine Leaves Assorted Cherry Tomatoes, Assorted Radishes, Cucumbers, Blanched Almonds Baby Spinach, Red Onions, Herbed Croutons, Peppers, Feta Goat Cheese, Shaved Romano Cheese, Fresh Mozzarella

Marinated Peppers, Mushrooms and Artichokes

Seafood Station

Smoked Salmon with Capers, Cream Cheese, Bermuda Onions, Egg Whites and Mini Bagels Oyster Shooters, Prawns on Ice

Carving Station Bone-In Virginia Ham and Herb Crusted New York Strip Loin

Under the Chafers

Scrambled Eggs and Country Fried Potatoes Pork Links, and Hickory Smoked Bacon Eggs Benedict Cheese Blintzes Grilled Mahi Mahi with Pineapple Fruit Salsa Chicken Marsala Garlic Cilantro Rice Vegetable Medley

Desserts Station

Assorted Cakes, Mom's Apple Pie, Fruit Tarts, Assorted Cupcakes, Petit Fours and Brownies

Beverage Station

Orange, Cranberry and Apple Juice, Lemonade, Coffee and Tea Includes Champagne and Mimosa

\$59.95++ per person Children 5-12 - \$21.95++ Children 4 and under are free 18% Service Charge and Tax Applies <u>RESERVATIONS REQUIRED - call 408-754-1339</u> <u>or Email theclubhouse@the-villages.com</u> Final Reservation Changes or Cancellations are due on May 6th. Any cancellations, changes or no-shows after May 6th will be billed in full.





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Reservations Begin: Tuesday April 12 at 9 a.m.

> No Host Cocktails at 5:30pm Three Course Served Dinner: Mixed Green Salad Meatloaf Mashed Potatoes Seasonal Vegetables Dessert: Chocolate Fudge Cake \$40 inclusive per guest

Come join us for Bingo & Dinner at the Clubhouse on Wednesday April 27. Room will be limited to 24 tables with a a cap of 8 guests per table.

Reservations can be made by calling The Clubhouse Special Event Line at 408-754-1337 or e-mail at theclubhouse@the-villages.com. Reservations for all size parties are accepted with a maximum of 8 guests per table. If you wish to organize a table of friends, only one person needs to call but must furnish the guest names and house numbers for all players. Bingo cards will be sold (three for \$5 or \$2 each) in the reception area starting at 5:30 p.m.

The Clubhouse, Bistro, Patio and Regular Curbside operation will be closed for the Mother's Day special event on Sunday, May 8. All venues will resume regular hours of operation on Monday, May 9.

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DAR OF EVENTS

Friday, April 22

8:30 a.m. 9 a.m. 9 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10 a.m. 10 a.m. 1 p.m. 1 p.m. 1 p.m. 3 p.m. 5 p.m. 5 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	Chinese Éxercise Open Studio Line Dance Class Quilters Bocce Captains Bridge Club Table Tennis Bocce Bash Chinese Club Dance Jewish Group Passove Mexican Trains	MC	10 a.m. 10:30 a.m 12 p.m. 1 p.m. 1:30 p.m. 3 p.m. 5 p.m. 5:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 7 p.m. 7:30 p.m. 7 g.m.
			9 a.m. 9:30 a.m.

Saturday, Anril 23

9 a.m.	Shredding Event in		10 a.m.
	East Cribari Parking Lo	ot	10 a.m.
9 a.m.	Table Tennis	MMP	10:30 a.m
10 a.m.	Art in Park	GP	11 a.m.
10 a.m.	Ukulele Singing	SEQ	11:30 a.m
10 a.m.	Concert Ticket Sale	L	12 p.m.
2 p.m.	Ceramics Open Studio	CER	1:30 p.m.
2:30 p.m.	Theater Production	А	1:30 p.m.
5 p.m.	Tennis Scholar Dinner	FC	2 p.m.
•			2:30 p.m.

Sunday, April 24

7:15 a.m.	Catholic Choir	CR
8:15 a.m.	Catholic Mass	А
9 a.m.	Ceramics	CER
9 a.m.	Episcopal Services	MC
9 a.m.	Chapel Choir	SEQ
9 a.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
10 a.m.	Chapel Service	А
11 a.m.	Chapel Fellowship	CR
2:30 p.m.	Theater Production	А
4 p.m.	Korean Club Meeting	FC

Monday, April 25

8:30 a.m.	Jazzercise		А
9 a.m.	Game Day	RED,	SEQ
9:30 a.m.	Chinese Exercise)	Р
10 a.m.	Line Dance Class	3	MMP
10 a.m.	Search the Script	ures	VC

EVENT LOCATIONS

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

VGC - Six Clubs ٧ Watercolor Class AR 30 a.m. Total Body Fitness А Ceramics Open Studio CER Stitchery PR **Table Tennis** MMP Arts & Crafts Advisory AR Theater Cast Party FC VMS Dance Practice MC Duplicate Bridge RED Camera Club А VC Hiking Club

esday, April 26

10 a.m.

10 a.m.

4 p.m.

9:30 a.m. Game Day RED, SEQ 10 a.m. Assoc. Board Meeting Zoom 10 a.m. 9:30 a.m. Poetry in Art & Pastel AR 12:30 p.m. Ukulele Advanced PR 1 p.m. **High Twelve Lunch** MC 1:30p.m. Line Dance Class MMP 4 p.m. 4 p.m. 0:30 a.m. Chapel Lay Board CR P.E.O. Lunch CH 7 p.m. Women's 9 Hole Golf CH 1:30 a.m. 7 p.m. Ceramics Open Studio CER :30 p.m. Club Board Meeting -Zoom Friday, April 29 :30 p.m. Table Tennis MMP 8:30 a.m. Piano Open Studio Α CR 9 a.m. Chapel Choir VC Estates DAC 9 a.m.

Wednesday, April 27

8:30 a.m.	Jazzercise	А	10 a.m.
9 a.m.	Ceramics Op. Studio	CER	1 p.m.
9 a.m.	Game Day RED	, SEQ	1 p.m.
10 a.m.	Critique & Open Studio	o AR	1 p.m.
10 a.m.	Israeli Folk Dance	MMP	3 p.m.
10 a.m.	Ladies Bible Study	PR	5 p.m.
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Yoga Class

Table Tennis

VMA Buffet Bingo

Duplicate Bridge

Opera San Jose

Mexican Train

Mandarin 101

Global Village

Village Voices

Game Day

Ceramics Op. Studio

Drawing/Assemblage

18 Hole Women Lunch CH

Chinese Club Karaoke MC

Line Dance Class

18 Hole Women Inv.

EVF Flights & Bites

Ceramics Op. Studio

Chinese Exercise

Line Dance Class

Democratic Club

Chinese Club Dance

Walking Class

Table Tennis

Ukulele Club

Folksters

Jazzercise

Game Day

Open Studio

Bridge Club

Table Tennis

Bocce Bash

Mexican Trains

Quilters

Thursday, April 28

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*Registration: Barbara Gottesman barb gottesman@gmail.com										

- **Registration: Diane Finley dianefinley1@gmail.com
- ***Program Chair: Marcy Boyles marcyboyles@hotmail.com
- All classes and demos require a mask and proof of Vaccination.

Ceramics Room has open studio for approved members only. See hours on Lab door or at villagesceramics.com**

- April 23: Art in the Park, Gazebo Park. 10 a.m. 2 p.m. See Villager and our website for information. Diane Finley chairing. **
 - April 25: Advisory Board Meeting. 3 p.m. Art Room
- May 2: Monthly Membership and Demonstration Meeting in Cribari Conf. Room, 1:45 p.m. Guest Artist is David Mejia. Personal portraits with watercolors and ink. May 5 - 26: Beginning Watercolor with Ciel Duke. Four Thursdays at 10 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Members \$85, non-Members \$95. Checks due by April 28.
- May 10: Art Film host is Roz Zinns. Tuesday, 7 p.m. at Vineyard Center May 13: Painting Exhibit in Cribari Conf. Room at 11 a.m. May 23: Advisory Board Meeting. 3 p.m. Art Room
- Stitchery Group on Mondays in Patio Room 1 3 p.m. Call Roberta 408-218-8372. **Open Studio:** Fridays 10 a.m. – noon with Jane Hink
- Monday Friday 2 5 p.m. with Pat Andrade. Closed first Mondays each month for heduled meetings



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Fitness Center

Tue Thu Sat 2:00 & 8:00 Sun 1:00 & 7:00

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Wed Sun

Breathing Exercise Thu

Aerobic Breathing Meditation

1:00 & 7:00 Mon – Sat

15 Minute Exercise

1:15 & 7:15 Mon Wed Fri Chair Fitness Tue Thu Sat



HIKING CLUB SCHEDUI

Bring water, snacks, poles, and lunch, as necessary. Wear layer clothing appropriate to the current weather. In addition to scheduled hikes, the following hikes occur regularly: Every Wednesday and Saturday - Villages hill hike with Russ Glines at 8:45 a.m. from Foothill Center. Every Monday - at Clubhouse parking lot at 8:30 a.m. walk around golf course with Terri Vivoli and/or Cheryl Allman.

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CLUBS & EVENTS

Senior Academy: Charles Freer's **Opera San Jose comes to The Villages** Exceptional Egyptian Art Collection **By Bonnie Preston**

Equpt, an ancient and beautiful country, produced art that reflects that beauty, which is why we are inviting you to a Senior Academy lecture focused on Charles Lang Freer and his collection.

Freer was the founder of the Smithsonian Freer Art Gallery in Washington D.C. Between 1906 and 1909 he made three trips to Egypt and acquired exceptional artifacts, including valuable biblical manuscripts, glazed ceramics, glass, and sculptures. Gretchen Welch, a volunteer docent, will share these treasures with us on April 22.

Join us on April 22, 2 p.m. via Zoom to **Gretchen Welch** explore Freer's vision, retrace his travels, and

look carefully at the objects he acquired during his visits. Register for this lecture at the Senior Academy website at VillagesSA.org

VMA: Did You Know?

The Villages Medical Auxiliary (VMA), the wonderful organization that supports the lives of Villagers, has a monthly meeting on the second Monday of the month in the Cribari Conference Room at 10 a.m. All are welcome to attend the meeting to hear about the activities the VMA supports and learn how you might be able to contribute. You don't have to sign up. Just come!



The Opera Lovers and Senior Academy are pleased to sponsor "Springtime Serenade," an evening of music with artists from Opera San Jose on April 27 at 7 p.m. in the Auditorium. Fresh from their current production of West Side Story, these young rising stars showcase their glorious voices in a captivating concert of favorite opera arias and duets.

Performers include Teresa Castillo, Natalie Rose Havens, Noah Stewart, Trevor Martin and Veronika Agranov-Dafoe. Now in its 38th season, Opera San Jose specializes in serving as an artistic incubator for established and emerging artists. Next season the company will perform "The Marriage of Figaro," "Falstaff," and "Tosca."

Tickets are \$10 and will be on sale in Cribari Center on Saturday, April 16 and 23 from 10 a.m. to noon. Conversely, tickets can also be purchased by registering online at VillagesSA. org and billed to your house number. If you have questions, you can call 408-531-1513.



Hiking Club: Jim Koski's cross-country RV trip

The Villages Hiking Club's April program will be presented by club member Jim Koski about how he spent his solo five-month, 10,690-mile RV trip last year. He visited Death Valley, Carlsbad Caverns, Big Bend, Everglades and Great Smoky Mountains National Parks, as well as some major cities along the way including Washington, D.C. and New York.

Parking in the driveways of friends and relatives were favored overnight stays. Other nights

were at Elks Lodges, government campgrounds, store parking lots, a few commercial RV parks and "boondocking" for free on public land. Stays at breweries, farms and private homes were arranged through online apps.

Jim's love of photography started at age 11 and he photographed his first wedding professionally at age 16. After earning a geography degree at UCLA, he was a full-time, self-employed photographer in the South Bay for 46 years before retiring in 2017. After 29 years in Sunnyvale, he and his wife Linda moved to The Villages in 2018. Linda is also an accomplished photographer but with Covid looming decided to stay home with their cat.



Jim Koski at Death Valley National Park

Note: this will be a different meeting location than usual. The meeting will be held at the Vineyard Center on Monday, April 25 at 7:30 p.m. All Villagers are welcome. Masks are encouraged but not required.

SATE: Technology to prevent, heal pressure injuries

By Barry Sardis

Maintaining quality of life as we age is a universal goal that presents unique challenges. While we would hope not, finding yourself immobile and in a wheelchair may be in your future. Not something one would look forward to, but it does give us the opportunity to get around and continue with life's enjoyment. Comfort in a wheelchair is not something we often consider, but technology has given dedicated engineers a chance to address this often-overlooked challenge.

Sitting for long hours ensures the development of pressure points that could be very

Camera Club meeting to highlight **Richard James' 'Macro in Bloom'**

By Pamela Pierson

To learn techniques in floral photography, visit Master Photographer Richard James' "studio" which he will have set up in Cribari Auditorium on Monday, April 25, from 7 to 9 p.m. for his program "Macro in Bloom." The Villages Camera Club (VCC) welcomes all new members and visitors to this first in-person meeting of the year.

Richard competes in contests as a VCC Master photographer. He has won many awards for his macro photography of flowers at our Villages competitions and at the Northern California Council of Camera Clubs (N4C) and and the Photographic Society of America (PSA). Taking macros and editing them becomes easier with specific workflows, Richard believes. In his Cribari



"Macro Flower" by Richard James

Auditorium studio next Monday night, Richard will demonstrate his personal techniques and share his passion for photography.

A long-awaited ceremony highlights the evening, as VCC recognizes members for their photography awards from N4C for 2020 and 2021. Richard, who lives in the Highlands, has been a club member for three years. "If it were not for the Villages Camera Club I would not be exploring my love of photography as I do now," Richard said. "Workshops, competitions, learning materials, etc., have opened a new world to me. If you have even the slightest photo bug, this club is the place to be."

"Determine the things you love and photograph them!" Richard said. "Show the world something they haven't seen before, through your eyes. Second piece of advice, use your camera every day, it just for five minutes," Finding flowers that are "pose ready" is his biggest challenge. Using macro techniques, you see the flaws: bugs, holes, spots. "The second biggest challenge is not being caught when I 'steal' a blossom from someone's front yard!" he teased.

uncomfortable hour after hour, day after day. But they are not inevitable. Now, thanks to technology, a "smart cushion" senses pressure points and automatically redistributes pressure. A mobile app allows users to adjust the cushion's support themselves.

The company, Kalogon, was founded by Tim Balz, who worked on a long list of successful wheelchair innovations, landing his name on a patent and leading a project endorsed by renowned physicist Stephen Hawking. The company includes engineers from NASA, Space X and Northrup Grumman.

Join us on Monday, May 2 at 1:30 p.m. to find out about new technology that alleviates this problem at our next S.A.T.E. meeting. Register to receive the Zoom link at VillagesSA.org and go to the S.A.T.E. Registration page.

Contact Ray Blinde at rwblindej@earthlink.net for membership information. Winners from monthly VCC competitions are automatically submitted to N4C. For more information on activities and programs of the Camera Club, see the club's website at villagescameraclub.com and go to the Activities tab.

Page 14 The Villager April 21, 2022 More CLUBS David Mejia to demo at Arts & Crafts meeting

By Michael Sunzeri

The next Arts & Crafts Membership Meeting and Demonstration will be at 1:45 p.m. on May 2 in the Cribari Conference Room. This will be the most fun. It will bring back memories. Our featured artist is David Mejia. David Mejia is a lifelong San Jose resident. He has been drawing since the age of 6, and focused his talents on painting in 2011. He is known for his skills in wa-



tercolor and ink. His greatest inspirations are Joseph Campbell, R. Crumb, and the artists of the Italian Renaissance. He enjoys discussions on philosophy, art, mythology, politics, and the vast realm of the human psyche. He lives in downtown San Jose with his wife Lisa, and their ridiculously cute pet rabbit. We will begin our normal business part of the meeting at 1:45 p.m. and near 2 p.m. David will begin his demonstration for our viewing pleasure. See you then.

We still need your cookies!

It's not too late to bake cookies for the Villages Arts & Crafts fundraiser cookie sale at Art in the Park. Bake and bring to the Terrace Room on Friday, April 22 between 2 p.m.-4 p.m. We will package them in cute cellophane bags and sell them at Art in the Park on Saturday, April 23. Your cookies help support free events hosted by the club. Please and thank you in advance. For more information, contact Diane at dianefinley1@gmail.com

popular melodies of today and yesteryear. Hearts will be filled with the magic of melody as our matinee concert opens with Richard Rodger's "Spring is Here." Listen for one of the most famous

compositions of 1835. Hear the sunshine break through the storm in Frederic Chopin's "Raindrop Prelude" written on the island of Majorca.

Pianists include Larry Broderick, Karen Carlson, Charlotte Dickson, Celeste DiGenova, Ciel

Duke, Vera Johnston, Betty Stednitz, and Tom Stocky. Special request: Please volunteer to distribute program booklets to the arriving audience.

Contact Estelle Kabbani at 408-406-7447 or email marchstar@comcast.net May we entertain you?



Front Porch Quilt Show

By Marilee Kline

Save the date-the Second Annual Front Porch Quilt Show, sponsored by The Villages Quilters is May 7-8, 2022 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. If you want to participate, let me or a Quilter Friend know and we will list your address. Please email marileekline@ yahoo.com

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Come to Piano Open Studio's free Spring Concert

By Estelle Kabbani, Piano Open **Studio President**

"April showers make way for sweet May flowers." Piano Open Studio presents our 2022 Spring Concert on Sunday, May 1 at 2:30 p.m. in Cribari Auditorium. No tickets to purchase! It's a free concert!

Enjoy refreshments at the Post-Concert reception in the Cribari Conference Room and visit with performers, family and friends.

Our program offers classical masterpieces, Broadway show tunes, and



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Get tickets for Village Voices' 'Why We Sing' concert

By Pamela Pierson

Come to the Cabaret! The Village Voices, an affiliate of the Villages Music Society, will present a music performance with dance called "Why We Sing—The Power of Music" on Saturday and Sunday, May 7 and 8, from 2:30 to 4 p.m. on the Cribari Auditorium stage. Buy your tickets for \$15 in the Cribari Lobby on Saturdays, April 23 and 30 from 10 a.m. to noon.

Under the direction of Susan Ahlgrimm, the "Why We Sing" performance will present a collage of uplifting songs such as "Fascinating Rhythm" and "Don't Let the Rain Come Down" in a spirited cabaret motif. For creative interpretations of some of the melodies, Villager Bernice Toy, dancer and choreographer, will join with the Voices to showcase the Village Dancers and her dance troupe Wicked Dancers. Music and its interpretation through dance



Lucy Pousho and Christine Leisy rehearsing the duet "La Bacarolle" for the May Voices concert.

have the power to spark joy in life! Smile and let your eyes sparkle to the tunes.

What other songs do we have to cheer you? "Gimme a Little Kiss, Will Ya, Huh?" is the perfect piece for long-time members of Voices Gary Hill, tenor, and Carolyn Hill, soprano. Tamara Welsh, accompanist for the Voices, will play a piano solo based on a Lithuanian folksong. Music of our cabaret will heal you, entertain and support you, and spark joy for the coming spring. Bring your friends and enjoy the power of music.

Village Voices is one of six affiliates of The Villages Music Society (VMS), Inc., a 501 (c) (3) corporation. Donate or volunteer today at our website at villagesmusicsociety.org. The VMS provides residents of The Villages with opportunities to sing in a choral group or play a musical instrument and promotes a high standard of performance and appreciation of music and the arts.

New Beginning Watercolor class

By Barbara Gottesman

"Watercolor has an undeserved reputation for being very difficult," said watercolorist Ciel Duke. "Not so—it's all about learning the tricks to control the medium. Water, after all, wants to do its own thing!"



This four-session series of classes begins at the very beginning: discussing paper, paint, and brushes. From there, participants will create at least one painting per class, exploring watercolor tricks and techniques to produce the wonderful fresh and spontaneous look of a true watercolor.

Starting with a discussion of basic materials and vocabulary, participants will continue with projects designed to gradually familiarize them with watercolor. Various techniques such as wet-on-wet, dry brush, and dragging color, along with the allimportant aspect of timing, will result in a finished painting each session. This class is designed for absolute beginners as well as those who are struggling to make watercolor work.

Register by emailing barb.gottesman@gmail.com. The sessions are in the Art Room, 10 a.m.-12:30 p.m. on Mondays, May 2, 9, 16, and 21. The fee is \$85 for members; \$95 for non-members. All materials (watercolor set with brush, palette, foam brush, and paper) are included. Participants who already work in watercolor are welcome to bring their own supplies, such as a favorite brush.

District 1 Supervisor candidates to address Villagers

By Bert Greenberg

In late December, the Board of Supervisors voted to move all of Evergreen to be part of the new District 1, which is now an open seat. The office of Supervisor for District 1 will be contested at a Primary Election to be held on June 7. The Villages Democratic Club has set up a Town Hall meeting for the candidates on Friday, April 29 from 2 to 4 p.m. at Vineyard Center.

Here is your chance to meet in person and put questions to five of the candidates for Santa Clara County Supervisor. The candidates, who share a wealth of experience in the public service

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arena, are: **Sylvia Arenas**—City Councilmember; **Rich Constantine**—Mayor of Morgan Hill and former City Council member; **Denelle Fedor**, longtime political staffer, currently a case manager for a federally funded nonprofit providing affordable federal housing; **Johnny Khamis**—(Termed out) San Jose City Councilman, and **Claudia Rossi**—Registered Nurse and President of County Board of Education.

Hear their positions on the many issues we face, including homelessness, affordable housing and improving public safety as well as public pensions, and transportation.

This event is sponsored by the Villages Democratic Club but is nonpartisan and open to all Villagers. Light refreshments will be served.



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Global Village: Art of Living Workshop Part 3: 'Optimizing Health with Daily Routine'

By Pradeep Sonawala

"Adding Years to life, Life to Years," this series of three presentations by experts from the Art of Living Foundation, and sponsored by the Global Village Club, will conclude on Wednesday, May 4 in the Cribari Conference Room from 7 to 8:30 p.m. with the third workshop, "**Optimizing Health with a Daily Routine.**" There is no fee for this in-person meeting. As per VGCC and SCC guidelines face masks are not mandatory, but are encouraged.

In the first workshop, "Beyond Breath," we learned two techniques that can quickly release stress and lower anxiety, consequently improving blood circulation, which activates parasympathetic nervous system and relaxes the brain and makes a person feel calm and centered

In the second workshop, "Beyond Meditation," we learned that during the stage when the mind transcends the barrier of time and space, we experience a state of blissfulness. A lot has been written about this, suggesting that by deploying mindfulness and concentrating or focusing on breathing, one can experience that state. After attending "Beyond Meditation," one resident, Kumar Shah of Village Verano said, "The Guided Meditation by the presenters was truly transcendental and enlightening. It was a unique and exceptional experience for me."

The third and final workshop will be on "Optimizing Health with Daily Routine." The experts will discuss what is an unhealthy lifestyle and how we can, with simple daily practices, increase a sense of well-being and promote peace and happiness. We will be introduced to basics of Ayurveda, an ancient Eastern Science of life which emphasizes importance of connection with nature and connecting to rhythms of nature. Do not miss this presentation.

About the Speakers: Ashwani Dhall and Sunanda Gadagottu, advanced yoga and meditation teachers with Art of Living Foundation (AoLF), personally present interactive and thought-provoking ideas. AoLF is a non-profit organization established in 1986 in Bengalore, India. It is now proliferated in 156 countries offering educational and humanitarian services. Since 2004, both speakers have taught beginner and advanced meditation workshops to varied audiences in San Jose. They champion the use of meditation as a tool for leading a purposeful and dynamic life, guiding people towards stress-free living and self-fulfillment.

Senior Academy: Rediscover SFMOMA

One of the best collections of modern contemporary art in the country is in our own backyard. Rediscover the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art with us in an in-person presentation by Diane Levinson on May 6 at 2 p.m. in Foothill Center.

It is truly an exciting time for modern art in the Bay Area as SFMOMA now hosts the highly anticipated relocation of Diego Rivera's Pan American Unity mural, a masterpiece that has been hidden for 50 years. You will also be introduced to myriad works that explore diverse approaches of abstract art since 1950.

Additionally, the course will include a brief history of the Museum from its 1935 home in the War Memorial Veterans Building to its newly expanded 10-story building. We are fortunate to have such a jewel in the Bay Area: join us to see why.

This event is open to all Villagers. Preregistration is required and can be achieved at the Senior Academy website at VillagesSA.org, or by phoning Diane Taylor at 408-912-5594 or Victoria Nourian at 408-667-1589 or William Jacobson at 408-440-0262.

Diane Levinson, a prior Senior Academy presenter, is an artist, an art instructor and an arts advocate. She received her B.A. in Sculpture from the University of New York at Binghamton and her M.F.A. from San Jose State University.

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Hiking Club needs your talent for Variety Night!

Do you a have "a particular set of skills" or talent to showcase at the Villages Hiking Club Variety Night? This fun event is back and scheduled for Thursday, May 12 at the Cribari Center Auditorium.

The evening kicks off with a potluck dinner at 5:30 p.m., and then proceeds to the show! A skit or comedy routine, poem recitation, dance, musical performance (vocals, instrumental), juggling, magical act...all are welcome. Other Villages Clubs focusing on the Arts may also join in the amusements of the evening.



If you or your club wish to participate, please contact Bernice Capitano at bcapit@aol.com or 408-425-2077. Available slots may be limited, so reach out soon!



Hermosa Spring Fling Potluck

Saturday, April 30 at Foothill Center

Gather at 5:30 p.m. and dinner at 6 p.m.

A fun time to meet new neighbors and greet old Friends. Open Mic—Let us know if you have a talent to share.

BYOB (coffee, tea, water, service ware provided). Bring one dish to share (Appetizer, Salad, Main Dish). Dessert will be provided.

To facilitate planning, please RSVP by Monday, April 22 to: Sandy: 408-270-7762; Donna: donna@robersons.com or Marilee: marileekline@yahoo.com

We would like to recognize our new Hermosa residents. Let us know if you've moved here since January 2020.

Join the Folksters—Villagers who enjoy Folk Music

By Harriet Fernandez

Come and join a group of Villagers who enjoy singing Folk Music. Our group has been around in The Villages for about 14 years, meeting to sing folk songs. We have a group of instrumentalists that play and sing with us-guitars, bass

ukuleles, harmonicas, piano and more! And lots of enthusiastic singers as well as Villagers who just enjoy coming to listen.

We are meeting twice a month on the second and the fourth Thursdays from 7 to 9 p.m. No masks but proof of vaccination is required to attend. Our



next meeting is Thursday, April 28 at Foothill Center. It is very informal. We have a song book of about 50 songs that we have chosen over the years, and we always have extra song books for newcomers. And...we are always looking to add new songs—as well as delete ones we have grown tired of! Several of our talented instrumentalists lead us. More instrumentalists always welcome! We welcome newcomers! No singing talent is needed—please do not be intimidated. Consider stopping by and see if you would enjoy being part of the group. No dues—just relaxing fun with fellow Villagers. Any questions? Call me, Harriet Fernandez—my phone number is listed in the directory or email harriet@sequoiapartners.com



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COMMUNITY CHAPEL

'Top Shelf'

By Pastor Bill Hayden

When you hear the expression, "This is Top Shelf" ...what comes to mind? If someone told you about a famous restaurant that served Top Shelf Kobe Beef Steaks, wouldn't you expect it to exceed a regular steak? When the expression is used concerning people or services that are offered, your expectations can range from excellent...to over the top.

There are some individuals who have experienced the full range of Top Shelf, from things to people to places. Rarely, does the average person experience or receive 'Top Shelf' in any aspect in life.

I remember when Gloria and I celebrated one of our Wedding Anniversaries in our thirties with a Caribbean Cruise to different Islands. During our evening dinners, we shared a table with two older couples who had traveled together for years receiving Top Shelf service. They were rude and demanding to our servers which made it very uncomfortable for us and we avoided dinners with them, whenever we could. This was our time to experience a little Top Shelf on a cruise! The servers became annoyed with their behavior and slowed down their request, while we received Top Shelf Service.

Everyone should have the opportunity to experience Top Shelf in their lives, regardless of their financial or social status in life. People don't realize that God has provided a Top Shelf experience for everyone through the death, burial and resurrection of Jesus Christ. The Easter Celebration for those who have accepted the gift of eternal life through Jesus Christ will receive God's Top Shelf of a lifetime and beyond.

The Scriptures make us aware of His grace and plans for us to have a relationship with Him. Ephesians 1:7-10 NKJV 7 In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of His grace 8 which He made to abound toward us in all wisdom and prudence, 9 having made known to us the mystery of His will, according to His good pleasure which He purposed in Himself, 10 that in the dispensation of the fullness of the times He might gather together in one all things in Christ, both which are in heaven and which are on earth—in Him.

The Bible boldly declares that Jesus Christ didn't just die for our sin's past, present and future but His grace covers all things that we face now and in the future. In Christ, we all can experience and enjoy Top Shelf living. He is in you. He is with you. He is for you. His grace welcomes us to Top Shelf living.

Join us in the Cribari Auditorium at 10 a.m. when Pastor Bill will deliver his Sunday Morning Sermon Message to you, then enjoy fellowship afterwards with some coffee, cookies with friends. Please visit our Villages Community Website at Villagescommunitychapel.org for more information.

EPISCOPAL

'Things Seen and Unseen'

By The Very Rev. Julia McCray-Goldsmith

The victorious season of Easter begins in mystery—with an unexpectedly empty tomb—comes into focus in various accounts of the resurrected Jesus—and ends with Jesus ascending to heaven. The unseen Lord is seen, only to return again to the unseeable state wherein Christians (mostly) encounter him, even now. What gives with this annual game of post-Easter hide and seek?

Then again, our Jewish antecedents (including Jesus himself) have known about this all along. When the prophet Elijah was on the run, God came to him not in the cataclysms of wind or earthquake or fire, but in the sound of sheer silence (1 Kings 19:11-13). And with just this kind of small revelation of God's presence (sometimes called a theophany) the prophets and their followers did courageous things. What small revelation of God might you have experienced recently? How did it encourage you, or set you on a new path?

Hide and seek may be a peculiar metaphor for God's appearing, but it's not entirely wrong. I don't think that God is actually ever hiding from us (after all, every sunrise is a cause to remember our creator), but it is our job to keep seeking God. The more we seek, the more of God we will find. In the sunrises, yes, but also in the shady places of shame and loss. Easter reminds us that God came to dwell among the least, the last and the lost... and teaches that God doesn't give

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

'Locked Doors'

By Sr. Pat Galli, R.S.M.

A reflection on the Gospel of John 20:19-31- Second Sunday of Easter

In John's Gospel for the Second Sunday after Easter we find the disciples, women, children and men, who had been Jesus' closest companions, twice gathered behind locked doors. They were afraid. They had a right to be afraid. Jesus had just been executed by crucifixion. Although he had appeared to several groups of the followers since his burial, it was still unclear what the outcome of the situation was going to be.

The mercy of God comes to all of them through the locked doors bringing mercy and courage. God's mercy is given through the action of the Holy Spirit and the appearance of Jesus. Through the doors to those confused and afraid Jesus appears and they hear, "Peace be with you" and "Receive the Holy Spirit."

This is our faith, this is what we believe. Through any locked door or obstacle, we might be experiencing we can know what the Psalmist proclaims, "God's mercy endures forever" (Psalm 136).

Historical footnote: The religious service we Catholics call the "Mass" is ancient. It dates back to apostolic times. For example, on Easter Sunday, Jesus, appearing as a stranger, walked with two of his disciples to Emmaus (Lk 24:13-35). "Beginning with Moses and all the prophets, (he) expounded on all the Scriptures that concerned himself." In these words we have the nucleus of the Liturgy of the Word, the first half of the Catholic Mass. At the end of the journey, the trio ate an evening meal where Jesus revealed his identity when he, "Took bread, blessed, and broke it and gave it to them." In this scene we have the essence of what developed into the Liturgy of the Eucharist, the second half of the Mass we have today. Come to Mass this Sunday so you, like the disciples, can meet Jesus in his Word and Eucharist.

Masses at Cribari: Sundays - 8:15 a.m. **First three Fridays** each month; Rosary 8:30 a.m., Mass 9 a.m. **St. Francis of Assisi Masses:** 1-408-223-1770 or parish website (sfoasj.com) for times. **Communion for the homebound**, Marilyn Rodman 408-274-4521. **Mass intentions**, Jean Gillette 408-270-5723.

Preview and pray Sunday's Scriptures: Acts 5:12-16, Ps 118:2-24, Rev 1:9-19, Jn 20: 19-31

VILLAGES JEWISH COMMUNITY

Villages Passover Seder

Passover, the celebration of the Exodus of the Jewish People from Egypt is a joyous holiday, best when shared with family and friends. In that spirit, the Villages Jewish Community is pleased to announce our annual Passover Seder on Friday April 22, 2022 at the Clubhouse. Doors will open for registration at 5 p.m. and the Seder will begin promptly at 5:30



p.m. The Seder features a full-course dinner and an accompa-

up on them, or on us.

SEARCH THE SCRIPTURES

Search the Scriptures is meeting at **10 a.m., April 25 at Vineyard Center.** We are meeting on the second and fourth Monday of each month. Any questions, contact Everett Jacobson at 408-629-7210 or Ron Speer at 408-223-2025.



nying service led by Rabbi Laurie Matzkin. The menu includes gefilte fish, chicken soup with matzo balls and two entree choices, Jerusalem chicken with artichokes, mushrooms and vegetables or Potato Pancake Napolean with grilled eggplant, mushrooms, and vegetables. Dessert is strawberry sorbet. The price for the complete dinner is adults: \$42 and children \$19, to be billed to your house account.

If you have questions, call Cathy Silverstein at 408-722-0131. **Reservation deadline was April 15, 2022.**

SPORTS NEWS

SWINGERS

By Mary Wagle

April 12 turned out to be fun, despite the cold, windy 44 degrees when we teed off. It almost felt like the day got colder as we continued our play. On the front nine, we had the Swingers/



Swingers Shoni Mixer winners with Golf Director Scott Steele. Left to right: Anka Hoek, Sally Nichols, Jonna Robinson and Mary Wagle

Shoni Mixer and the winners were:

First Place - Anka Hoek, Sally Nichols, Jonna Robinson and Mary Wagle (pictured)

Second Place - Marcy Boyles, Joyce Mukuno, Kay Gray, and Tehara Khalil

Third Place - Laura Swenson, Betty Garcia, Marcia Hembree, and Doris Bates

For the back nine, we had regular sweeps winners as follows: Flight One: 1. Susan Sunzeri net 30; 2. Cynie Jackson net 32; 3. Helen Paris net 35; 4. Marge Pritchard net 37

Flight Two: 1. Josephine Chan net 30; 2. Kim Christiansen net 32; 3. Song Cho net 34; 4. Flo Southland net 34

There were three birdies today: Josephine Chan hole #13, Mary Wagle hole #4, and Joyce Mukuno hole #6. There were also three chip-ins today: Josephine Chan hole #13, Victoria Nourian hole #16, and Susan Sunzeri hole #13.

Upcoming events:

April 26 - Mid-Peninsula Team Play at The Villages

May 17 - Mid-Peninsula Team Play at Peninsula Country Club May 20 - Twilight Couples Golf and Dinner "Flower Blossom Time" 4:30 p.m. shotgun

May 24 - Swingers/Pinseekers/Ironmen Mixer and Lunch May 25 - Mid-Peninsula Team Play at Saratoga Country Club

June 14 - Mulligan's Island Invitational

"Did You Know?" There have been differences of opinions about what to do when a golf ball lands on the cement ledge around the water features. The question is, may I take a free drop? The answer is no. All lakes are lateral red penalty areas, and the streams are yellow penalty areas. Therefore, the appropriate red or yellow penalty rule must be followed for your unplayable lie. In conclusion, a golfer standing at a tee box overlooking a river sees a couple of guys fishing and says to his partner, "Look at those two idiots fishing in the rain."

Swingers take home prizes at SJ Country Club Exchange Day

Seventeen Swingers from the ladies nine-hole golf club represented The Villages well at the recent San Jose Country Club Neuf Troux Exchange Day Scramble.

Swinger Pat Sear and her team placed first in the Special Front Flight while the team including Jane Ruona and Jane Smith placed second in the Special Back Flight. The team in third place in the Special Back Flight included Swingers Donna Kaplan and Jeannie Omel.

18-HOLE WOMEN

By Barbara Weisend

What a difference a week makes! It went from hot to cool and drizzly in just seven days. It never really rained thank goodness, so 48 ladies played for sweeps and 36 stayed for lunch in the Sunset room.

We had a special format on April 21-Ts & Fs. We played a regular round for posting but for the game, only those holes that begin with a "T" or an "F" counted-2, 3, 4, 5, 10, 12, 13, 14, and 15. In addition, that was a day that we celebrated our past Captains.

Applications have been accepted to play in the Invitational.





Pam McCarthy

Helen Paris

We are a "little" oversubscribed with 148 players, but everyone will be accommodated.

Diana interviewed two of our new members and sent the following:

We are delighted to introduce two new members of the Women's 18 Hole Golf Association. Pam McCarthy has lived at The Villages since 2010 and prior to retiring, helped her husband, Jack, run their custom estate homes business for 35 years. Helen Paris has lived at The Villages since 2015 with her husband, George, and prior to retiring was The Activities Director at Washington High School in Fremont. Both Pam & Helen are also members of the Swingers and we are excited to welcome them as dual golf members!

Birdies: Barbara Weisend (#8), Helen Varenkamp (#12), Annie Bassford (#9), Monica Saneholtz (#14 & #15), Sheryl Driskell (#18), Renee Woolard (#11), Jay Lee (#13), Jane Smith (#2 & #15)

Chip-ins: \$2.25 each-Barbara Weisend from the sand, (#8), Donna Quartaro (#1), Jay Lee (#13), Renee Woodard (#11), Shirin Shirazi (#4)

PICKLEBALI

By Joyce Kludt

I'm sure you've frequently heard the saying "Forehand takes the middle." The problem with this logic is that with two players at the net, if the forehand person takes the middle shot they frequently leave themselves wide open for a shot down the sideline to their backhand side. At the back of the court, the person with the forehand can and usually should take the shot because:

You have enough time to get in position for the current shot and get back into position for the next shot.

-It's more difficult to hit a backhand shot from the back because of the power needed to cover the longer distance to the net.

But for now, we're talking about when your team is at the kitchen line, at mid-court or in between.

The "Two-Thirds, One-Third Strategy-means that you and your partner focus on only covering 2/3 of the court at a time. With this strategy:

- The middle third is always being covered.

- You and your partner form an impenetrable **wall** on the 2/3 of the court that you are covering.

- You're mentally prepared to cover that extra 1/3 if the shot comes to that area.

- You're in a position to pounce when your opponents get out of position.

So, you and your partner should position yourselves just 6'-7' apart from each other. Therefore, instead of it being "Forehand gets the middle," if you and your partner are positioning yourselves well, then whoever is in the middle gets the middle.

Also, remember **no lead feet**. After every shot hit...you must shift your position.

We hope to see a lot of our members at our first Social Drop-in April 29 at 4:30 p.m. Please sign up on our website



Hope you had a nice Easter! Here is Chester Stay-cationing with his favorite paddle.

Also taking home prizes were Carol Beglev and Bev Murphy for Closest to the Pin on #5, Karen Kosmala for Closest to the Pin on #14 and Pat Sear from Closest to the Line on #1.

Other Swingers competing in the four-person Scramble were Kathy Apgar, Linda Curyea, Rita Karlsten, Pam Leonard, Emily Li, Mitzi Macon, Barbara Miller, Aileen Nishimura and Kitty Ohtaka.

Message from Tim Flanagan: Junior Summer Golf Camps

Unfortunately, the junior golf camps will not be taking place this summer. Safety for the children and having fun has always been the theme of the junior camps. And the safety of the children cannot be assured with the ongoing threat of the Covid variants.

I will be providing family and junior lessons available as a substitute. A one-hour family lesson will be \$60. To sign up for a lesson with your junior, please contact Tim Flanagan at 408-209-4653 or flanagolf@aol.com

More SPORTS

FROM THE PRO



By Scott Steele, PGA Head Golf Professional

Golf Rule 1.14-In March, the Club Board of Directors approved an updated version of Golf Rule 1.14. Due the recent changes to this rule and also due to the major influx of new resident golfers over the last 3 years, we will be disseminating the new Golf Rule 1.14 to all resident golfers and asking that everyone reads the new rule and then signs a compliance agreement form so that all golfers understand and agree to follow these rules and regulations when playing golf at The Villages. Very simply, Golf Rule 1.14 is a document containing the rules of conduct for all golf play at The Villages. We will provide various means through which each resident golfer will be able to receive a hard copy of Golf Rule 1.14 and the compliance agreement form. We will provide these documents through the website resident portal, through a link in the Golf Fast Lane every Tuesday, through the 6-Clubs Captains, and we will have copies available at The Pro Shop. Having a copy of Golf Rule 1.14 and turning in the signed compliance agreement form to the Pro Shop will be mandatory for all resident golfers; and after 3-months anyone who has not returned the compliance agreement will be unable to play golf until it is received. Distribution and availability for Golf Rule 1.14 will start immediately. Please ask the Pro Shop if you have any questions.

April Demo Days this week!

Cleveland Demo Day-Friday, April 22, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. - Come and try the Cleveland Launcher and Hybrid Iron Sets

Cobra Demo Day - Sunday, April 23, 12 p.m.-4 p.m. - Come and try the longest woods available in 2022 - Cobra LTDx

Upcoming Golf Schedule

Sunday, May 1 - Men's Guest Day - May bring up to three guests for \$60 each (regularly \$70) Friday, May 6 - Golf Moose Outing 12:30 p.m. Shotgun - 8 a.m. Open Play Shotgun Friday-Sunday, May 13-15 - Men's Club Member/Member - 8 a.m. Shotgun each day Saturday, May 21 - Clyne Soley Tournament Par-3 Course

Save the Dates – Be sure to save these dates on your golf calendar for late this summer: Men's Club Evergreen Invitational – Thursday-Saturday, July 14-15-16. Villages Couples Invitational - Sunday, August 28

Afternoon Golf Play—As the days get longer, please remember these few rules regarding afternoon golf play: 1. The last available tee time each day is 6 p.m. That means that nobody can start play after 6 p.m. for any reason. 2. There are no longer any all you can play Twilight discount rates at The Villages. You may sign up to play 9-holes or 18-holes only. 3. If you sign up for 9-holes only; that means you cannot play any more than 9-holes, no exceptions. So once you are finished playing Hole #9, you must exit the golf course. Anyone who signs up for 9-holes and is seen playing more than 9-holes will be billed for 18-holes, and if it becomes a recurring issue, that person(s) will be disciplined according to the Club By-Laws.

Demo Clubs Available Now in the Pro Shop - 2022 is an exciting year in golf with new golf club launches from all the major manufacturers. The technology just keeps getting better and better. Come and demonstrate the newest advances in driver technology and see for yourself!

Cobra – LTDx as played by Bryson DeChambeau, Ian Poulter, Lexi Thompson and Rickie Fowler. LTD stands for Longest Total Distance – The new King Cobra LTDx driver features Power-COR technology which reinvents the internal weighting system delivering explosive ball speed and raw power. Long Drive Champion Kyle Berkshire set a ball speed World Record recording a ball speed of 233 mph using the new Cobra LTDx Driver!

Taylor Made - Stealth Carbonwood as played by Tiger Woods, Colin Morikawa, Rory McIlroy and Dustin Johnson. Carbon doesn't just make diamonds, it also makes gold! With a 60 layer Carbon Face for better energy transfer and more ball speed, the Stealth Carbonwood is one giant leap for driverkind – featuring the 60X Carbon Twist Face!

Callaway - Rogue ST as played by John Rahm, Xander Schauffele, Branden Grace and Phil Mickelson. The new Rogue ST Driver represents a breakthrough in driver performance. The all-new Tungsten Speed Cartridge. Jailbreak Speed Frame, and an A.I. designed Flash Face are engineered for maximum speed with exceptional forgiveness

Tour Edge – Exotics as played by Bernhard Langer – the lowest priced high end performance clubs available! Bazooka is simply the lowest priced premium golf equipment you will find...perfect for beginners!

Pro Shop Open for Business - As you may or may not know, the indoor mask mandate for residents and guests has been lifted at The Villages, so everyone is now permitted to enter the golf Pro Shop without a mask on. Please take this opportunity to come in, say hello to the staff, and to browse the wonderful array of Villages golf merchandise that we have on hand. If you are new to The Villages since the Covid outbreak, you have probably never or rarely been in the Pro Shop to look at all the fabulous merchandise that we have available. We have a vast selection of golf gear and apparel and many items with the Villages logo. And all at a great price! So come in and meet the staff face to face and enjoy browsing all of the apparel, caps, golf bags, clubs, putters, shoes, accessories, golf balls, discounted items, etc. that we have on sale for your convenience.

Villages Logo Golf Bag Promotion – Purchase a Villages Logo Golf Bag and receive a free

IRONMEN

By Bill Travis

The Ironmen have changed over to spring morning play, currently playing every Thursday morning at 10 a.m. with a shotgun start, sweeps, birdie pool, and closest to the pin. This Thursday, April 14, 2022, was cool with just a few sprinkles. It turned out to be quite a nice day for some golf. We also welcomed a new member to the Ironmen, Walter Lucas. Welcome to our club, Walter. There was a good turnout and the results are listed below. The results of today's play are as follows:

First place went to Mario Silva with a net score of 24.

Second place went to Frank Beltran with a net score of 25. Third place there was a three-way tie among Chuck Benjamin,

Dave Hathaway, and Roger Pyle, each with a net score of 27. Lowest gross score for the day: Dave Hathaway each with

a gross score of 30.

There were two birdies today: Dave Hathaway on hole 3; and Chuck Benjamin also on hole 3.

Closest to the pin on hole 7: Dave Hathaway was closest to the pin at a distance of 7' to the edge of the cup.

Deep thoughts: Two quotes from Sam Snead, winner of 82 PGA tournaments including seven majors:

"Grip the club as if you were holding a baby bird."

"I give the ball some sweet talk. I tell it that this isn't going to hurt a bit. I'm a friend and all I'm going to do is give it a nice little ride."

PINSEEKERS

By Jack Bindon

OK, everyone, how do you unscramble a scramble? Quite simply you schedule a bunch of Bocce matches in the middle of the Pinseekers tee times. Since several of our players enjoy both sports, you end up with several conflicts. Before doing that, it would have been nice to get some communication from the bocce folks. As a result, the Pinseeker scramble had to be cancelled just before the first group began play at 8:03 am. This, after many hours of work in balancing the scramble teams. Not happy about that, folks!

A few cards were turned in however so those who did play the front nine are responsible for posting their own scores. Since it was to be a scramble the putting contest was removed from that day's competition. There are enough Fridays in April so there still will be putting competition for the month. You are all lucky since I recorded 5 one-putt greens with a total of 11... won't count though.

Beginning on the 29th of this month we will be getting 6 tee times set aside for us beginning at 7:54 a.m. Get on it guys, we need to make sure that we make use of this or it will be withdrawn. (Book two weeks ahead on Chelsea)

Also, watch your email for sign-ups for mixers headed your way from Dick Frey. There will be a chance to play with the ladies and operate from the #2 tees. Go for it!

SHONIS

By Fran Schumaker

After a two-year hiatus due to the pandemic, we were once again able to have our annual mixer with the Swingers. This past Tuesday, April 12, rebooted the event. We alternate the event between the two clubs. This year it was held on the long 9. Twelve Shonis participated in the event. Afterward we all had box lunches at Vineyard Center. A big thank you goes to Mary Wagle and Judy Frey for coordinating the event.

Our game for the day was one best ball. The winning teams were awarded sweeps based on their gross scores. Congratulations to the following winning teams:

First Place: Sally Nichols, Jonna Robinson (Shoni), Anka Hoek, Mary Wagle

round of golf on the 18-Hole Course! Quality logo bags from: PING, Glove-It and Callaway

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Second Place: Marcy Boyles, Joyce Mukyno, Kay Gray, Tahera Khalil (Shoni)

Third Place: Laura Swenson, Betty Garcia, Marcia Hembree, Doris Bates (Shoni)

We also had regular play on the Par 3 Course for those Shonis not playing in the mixer. Due to the very cold weather in the morning, we only had the Frostbite Four play the short course. Since we need a minimum of eight Shonis for sweeps consideration, they played as a foursome for handicap consideration, fun play and hot chocolate. All in all, it was a good day for golf, just very, very cold.

Page 20 The Villager April 21, 2022 **MEN'S GOLF CLUB**



TENNIS TALK

By Doug Moore, douglas.moore865@gmail.com, villagesgolfers.com Upcoming Events:

Men's Club Member-Member-Mark the dates - Friday, Saturday and Sunday. May 13, 14, 15. One of the most fun formats you will ever play!

The 52nd Evergreen Invitational – Just a reminder that signups for this year's Evergreen Invitational Tournament, July 14-16, will take place in May. Look forward to three days of golf including full breakfasts, lunches and an awards celebration banquet. Oh, and the golf is pretty good too, with a horse race, skins game, long drive and putting contests, three hole-in-one holes and an awesome two-man Stableford competition - all with fabulous prizes and purses. Keep checking here for more information, it's always a sell out, so get your guest "ringer" lined up!

Men's 18 Hole Golf Club Spring Open Results: Congratulations to all participants and the winners of the 2022 Spring Open Tournament! All had a great time. Thanks to Tom Morse, Larry Dorsey, Scott Steele and the Pro Shop for making this possible. Great job!

Golf Thoughts: Very classy... Hideki Matsuyama's caddie, Shota Hayafuji, removed his hat and bowed his head after returning the pin. This was last year right after Hideki won the Master's. He said, "I bowed to the course mainly because I was thankful."

2022 Men's Golf Club Spring Open Results

Pos. Foursome **Stableford Points** Flight One:

1. Bernal + Conway + Guidry + Soto 82 2. Baldinger + Escobar + Pagnini + Virgilio 81

3. Drabik + Mendoza + Murphy + Robinson 74

Flight Two:

1. Breton + Chappell + Swenson + Welch 73 2. Barber + Finley + Moore + Truax 70 3. Fillhouer + Seeger + Spencer + Tobler 68

Flight Three:

- 1. Bowman + Hands + Robles + Weekes 74
- 2. Livingstone + Ney + Rem + Southland 74 3. Blinde + Lingofelter + Ruth + Schumaker 71

Flight Four:

- 1. Barnhart + Dando + Lewis + Martinson 82 2. Castle + Cook + Hathaway + Lee 82 3. Lanctot + Olson + Sharps + Singleton 78
- **BOCCE NEWS**

By Marcy Boyles

Hi all, this column will be an update on future events so you can mark your calendars:

April 18-20: Spring Mixer playoffs with awards and potluck to follow on April 20. Be sure to sign up with Jeanne Anne Whitacre. \$5 each and bring a dish.

On March 6, Jim Valenti cleared the

creek on #18 and got his ball to nestle

villagesgolfers.com for the latest Men's

Remember to visit our website,

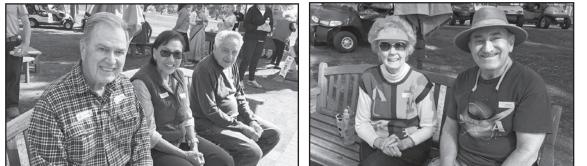
securely in the cup for an Eagle 2.

Golf Club information.

Fridays 3 to 5 p.m.: Bocce Bash. Bring an appetizer and BYOB. We have averaged about 50 so get there early to sign up to play. May 6 will be themed: Cinco De Mayo. See the info below. June 4: 20th Anniversary of Bocce here at the Villages, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Details to be an-

nounced in May. You don't want to miss this. Silent Auction items will be available. As always, be sure to go to our website at villagesbocceclub.com. Much more, plus lots of

pictures (maybe of you) like the ones below.



Left: Rene Macias, Rose Marie Macias and Robert Bianchi. Right: Joy Rem and Gary Guiffre.

Join the Bocce Club on Friday, May 6 for a Cinco De Mayo fiesta at our weekly bash. Everyone is welcome, you needn't be a member to attend. Bring along your favorite beverage and a Cinco de Mayo snack to share (optional). Please remember, be fair and share if you want to eat. Our Bash Director, Bill Masching and bash volunteer Karen Carlson will be there to greet you and help you sign up for 30-minute

By Wendy Ferguson

Bored with nothing to do? Mosey on down to the courts to watch the annual Scholarship Tournament this Saturday morning. You'll be entertained, for sure and certainly you'll have some rollicking good fun, either playing in the tournament or watching others play. It all starts at 8:30 a.m. with men's doubles and 10:30 a.m. with women's doubles. The format is round-robin with handicap scoring, which evens out play. And, if you've worked up an appetite either playing or watching, Linda Dumont and her committee are sure to provide delicious court-side delicacies.

Tennis players are a fun group, and even more fun is in store for all those who signed up for Saturday night's catered Mexican Feast. The dinner, of course, will be wonderful as Betty Olsen and Adele Ratcliff and their dedicated committee are festively preparing for your dining pleasure. The Scholarship winners will be wowed by the festivities and will share plans about their upcoming educational endeavors. Then the rowdy auction happens with auctioneer extraordinaire, Adrien Fournier, who plans to entertain folks as well as raise funds for scholarships. Finally, the piece de resistance (accents missing): the wine locker will go home with a lucky wine connoisseur. All of the proceeds go directly toward the scholarships.

Much of the scholarship money is raised by direct cash contributions from donors, as well as by the auction held during Saturday's dinner. Items are generously donated by establishments such as The Villages Pro Shop and the Clubhouse, as well as our own Tennis Club members. Also, other businesses and individuals in our community provide auction items.

So much to do and so little time, what with Easter, Mother's Day, and graduation around the corner, as well as Jump Start and Rusties, Rossmoor, and Spring Fling just a hop, skip, and jump away.

From the Golf Pro...

(Continued from page 19)

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Tips from the Pro-A few things to remember when playing uneven lies:

Downhill lie - the ball will come out low so take a club with more loft; choke down on the grip, play the ball back in your stance so you strike the ball before the ground, feel like you are swinging down the slope

Uphill lie - the ball will come out higher so take a club with less loft; choke down on the grip, tilt your shoulders with the slope, feel like you are swinging up the slope

Ball below your feet - Take 1-2 more clubs and grip at the end of the handle, bend your knees more like a squatting position, maintain knee flex and keep body still, lean back into hill for stability

Ball above your feet - choke down on the handle / play 1 more club / aim a bit to the right / lean into the hill for stability. Let me know how these tips work. To sign up for a lesson, email me at ssteele@the-villages.com

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playtimes. Bill also, may have some surprises for those attending. Friday bashes are a great way for Villagers to meet new friends, socialize with old friends and play bocce. Courts are ADA accessible, and bathrooms are adjacent to the bocce courts. See you at the courts.

Scoreboard

BRIDGE

IEXILAN

Wednesday, April 13

Aloma Lazetera

Friday, April 15

Maribeth Berlie

Jo Bennett Sylvia Rozewicz

Tony Rivera

Kit Hultquist

Earl Magoun

INDES

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Monday, April 11: 1. Steve Bosma - Selma Chastaine 2. Mary LeGrand - Lorrie Scott 3/5: Joe Henry - Jonna Robinson, Jan Kiernan - Sumi Minami, Alan Waltho - Maureen Waltho

Wednesday, April 13: 1. Jan Kiernan - Sumi Minami 2. Louann Partridge - Lorrie Scott 3. Bonnie Taylor - Maureen Waltho

Friday, April 15: 1. Ed Logg - Jonna Robinson 2. Cathy and Roy Struck 3/4 Steve Bosma - Mary LeGrand 3/4 Selma Chastaine - George Welch

<u>SWINGERS</u>

Thursday, April 12

Back 9 Flight 1

Jackson, Cynthia 32
 Paris, Helen 35
 Pritchard, Marge 37
 Ma, Liiwan 38

Back 9 Flight 2

1. Sunseri, Barbara 18 2. Chan, Josephine 30

3. Christiansen, Kim 32

4. Cho, Song 34

18 HOLE WOMEN BOCCE

Thursday, April 14

First Flight

Low gross: Monica Saneholtz 77 Low net: Jungwha Kim 70

Second Flight

Low gross: Chris Leisy 93 Low net: 1. Pam Schramm 73 2. Bev Poellot 74 3. Kerry Besmehn 74

Third Flight

Low gross: Donna Quartaro 100 Low net: 1. Pat Sear 73 2. Carol Zaccheo 73 3. Shirin Shirazi 75

2 Tees First Flight

Low gross: Janis Kiernan 92 Low net: Jeanne Olmo 68

2 Tees Second Flight

Low gross: Barbara Weisend 99 Low net: Jane Smith 69

Bocce Spring Mixer 2022 Week #6

Monday, April 11 Lane Changers 6-6 Smooth Operators 4-8 10 a.m. Hot Shots 8-4 Out of Bounds 6-6 49er 5-7 12:30 p.m. Goombahs 5-7 Wannabes 8-4 Unknowns 6-6 Blood, Bath & Beyond 9-3 Bocce High Rollers 7-5 3 p.m. Ball Barians 4-8 Bocce Joy 4-8 Wednesday, April 13 10 a.m. Bocce Busters 6-6 Bocce Rollers 7-5 Rolling For Fun 7-5 The Devils 4-8 Hi Rollers 7-5 Off The Wall 3-9 12:30 p.m.

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	Encore 7-5	Pallino Posse 7-5
n.	Fireballs 8-4	Pallino Pals 3-9
	Whirling Balls 8-4	The Rolling Balls 5-7
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Thursday, April 14

10 a.m.	The Honor Rollers 10-2 Good Enough 4- Delights 4-8 Bocce Wizards 5		
3 p.m.	Rolling Thunder 8-4 Spring Chasers 4-8	La Bocce Vida 4-8 Eliminators 7-5	

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More BOARDS & COMMITTEES Page 22 The Villager April 21, 2022 Association Members – Request for Annual Notice of Information Updates

By Julia Meadows, Assistant General Manager, CCAM CMCA, AMS, PCAM

As you know, The Villages Association is a common interest development (CID) subject to California Civil Code Sections 4000-6150 (also known as the Davis-Stirling Act). Civil Code Section 4041(a), requires all CID owners to annually and in writing provide the HOA (The Villages Association), their contact information for sending HOA notices, and to inform the association whether the residence is owner-occupied or rented.

Associations are required to solicit these notices at least 30 days prior to the annual association disclosures. For The Villages Association, that is the Annual Budget Report and Annual Policy Statement that is distributed in May. If an owner does not annually provide this notification, the association must deem the last address provided in writing by the owner, or if none, the property address, shall be deemed to be the address to which notices are delivered.

To inform the Association of changes to preferred delivery method for receiving notices from the Association, please complete the form on this page below and return it to the Association no later than May 14, 2022. Completing this form will not discontinue electronic distribution of Association documents if you have signed up for that program.

To save postage, paper, and copy costs, we are publishing the request for information in The Villager, see form below. Non-resident owners will receive form via US mail.

You may return the completed document:

Via US Mail: The Villages Association, 5000 Cribari Lane, San Jose, CA 95135

On Site: Return to the locked Drop Box located in the parking lot up the stairs from Business Administration, Building A.

Via Scanning & Email: VillagesAssociation@the-villages.com (with CONTACT FORM 4041 in all caps in the subject line).

Disregard this request if there are no changes to your information. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the General Manager's office at 408-223-4430.

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ľ	tion of all the following information annually. Please provide the information in the form below and return the completed form to the Association within 30 days (no later than Saturday, May 14, 2022).	2022
	If an owner does not annually provide this notification, the Association must deem the last address provided in writing by the owner, or if none, the property address, shall be deemed to be the address to which notices are delivered. If there are no changes, please disregard.	Want to make a difference in your community? The Homeowners' Corporation Board (HBOD) of Directors
	Member Name:	is looking for you. Serving on the HBOD is a rewarding and interesting activity that makes you feel a vital part
	 The address or addresses to which notices from the Association are to be delivered. Please indicate preferred delivery—one or both of the following: (Check and complete accordingly) 	of the community. You get to know your neighbors and you can make a difference in their enjoyment of Villages life.
	Mailing Address:	The Villages Homeowners' Corporation Board of Directors' mission statement
	Valid Email Address:	reads "The Homeowners'
	(The Association does not require Members to provide email address.)	Board of Directors manages and regulates the use and enjoyment of the Homeowner
	2. If applicable, an alternate or secondary address to which notices from the Association are to be delivered.	Development in accordance with the governing documents
		and the law, and in a manner that preserves, protects, and enhances homeowner
	3. <i>If applicable</i> , the name and address of your legal representative including any person with power of attorney or other person who can be contacted in the event of your extended absence from the separate interest (condominium).	property." The bylaws of the Homeowners' Corporation provide that there will be five
		directors serving on the board. There will be two vacancies on the Board for 2022 with Teddy
	4. Is separate interest (means the condominium unit): – (check one)	Morse's and Martin Hoek's terms expiring.
	Owner-occupied? Rented out? Vacant?	If you would like to find out more about serving on the
	Please return this form to inform the Association in writing that you, the member, wishes to change your preferred delivery	Homeowners' Corporation Board of Directors, please

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contact any current board member, President Rob Kirschbaum, (201) 960-4820; Vice President Teddy Morse, (408) 394-5229; Secretary Brooks Fuller, (630) 740-5542; CFO (Treasurer) Martin Hoek (408) 274-7957; and Jeannie Omel Director (408) 677-6530.

More BOARDS & COMMITTEES

Notice of Proposed Changes to Association Rule 2.24 **Outside Holiday Decorations**

Proposed changes to The Villages Association Rule 2.24 Outside Holiday Decorations were approved for publication and member comment period prior to formal approval consideration at the May 31, 2022, regular monthly meeting.

The purpose of proposed changes is to update the rule to allow a district to apply to the Association Board of Directors for temporary non-political decorating during another time or in another area in their district for up to a three week period once per year.

Deletions are noted in strikethrough font; additions are underlined.

Response to the proposed rule changes may be made by one or more of the following methods: 1) Participation in the discussion of the proposed changes at the Association Board of Directors board meetings (April 26, and May 31, 2022), or 2) via written comments delivered to the Board through Maria Hernandez in the General Manager's office at mehernandez@ the-villages.com.

Holiday spirit is encouraged at the Villages. However, some residents do not remove their decorations for extended periods of time. Here are the rules to follow:

1. December Holiday Season Decorations.

Each Village should exercise common sense in the Common Areas to keep the decorations from being a problem. The committees should arrange for their displays to be removed no later than January 15.

Residents must remove lights (colored, plain, icicle or flashing) and other decorations by January 15.

2. Other Holiday Decorations.

These are to be removed from Villas and Common within seven days after the holiday. This includes lights (as mentioned above) and other decorations such as, but not limited to, inflated objects, pumpkins, posters, baskets, large eggs, statues and streamers. 3. Decoration Location

While decorations provided by individual districts through DAC Decorating Committees are typically limited to regularly celebrated holidays and in the areas adjacent to the specific Village signs, any district may apply to the ABOD to allow for temporary non-political decorating during another time or in another area in their district for up to a three week period once per year. No decorations may impede traffic on roads, cart paths or walking paths.



More CLUBS Page 23 The Villager April 21, 2022 Join Crimson Charmers Red Hat club!

Are you interested in joining a fun group of women who meet once a month? The Crimson Charmers Red Hat club has some openings. The Red Hat Society is a playgroup for women over 50 created to connect like-minded women, form friendships and enrich lives through having fun.

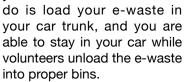
Our meetings include fun outings to restaurants for lunch, live theater in San Jose, picnics at the Gazebo, afternoon tea, wine tasting at local wineries, and Christmas donations for the Marines Toys for Tots. If interested, call Betty Olsen at 801-361-5591 or email betty_olsen@yahoo.com



Free e-waste recycling events in San Jose

Need to get rid of your old TVs, computers, printers, wires and cables? The Trash Punx is an organization partnering with the City of San Jose to host free drive-through

e-waste recycling events throughout the city. All you need to



Upcoming dates include this Saturday, April 23 at the downtown Tech Museum. Event is from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. For a complete list of accepted items and to see upcoming e-waste collection events and RSVP, visit thetrashpunx.org/ events

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



Upcoming Event May 2022

Nutrition Support for Optimal Brain Health - Amy Wang, RN from Ready 2 Nurse will present on how to keep your brain in top condition no matter what your age! Join us Wednesday, May 25 at 10:30 a.m. in the Conference Room. To register, please contact Bonnie @408-238-4029.

Support Groups – April 2022

Grief Support Group: Cancelled May 2. Don Mulford, a grief counselor from With Grace Hospice, leads this bi-monthly grief group. Please call Bonnie Grim for updates on date and time. 408-238-4029.

Caregiver Support Group: Thursday, May 19 from 10:30 a.m. to 12 p.m. via Zoom. Please contact Judy London Ph.D. for meeting specifics at judithlondon@sbcglobal.net or 408-784-3325.

Parkinson's Caregiver Support Group: Meet with other caregivers of those with Parkinson's. Thursday, May 19 from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. in Montgomery Center.

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

ATTENTION VILLAGERS! THE VILLAGES COMMUNITY CHAPEL

Invites YOU to attend

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LANDSCAPE & MAINTENANCE

MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE

Cribari

5500-5576-Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

5001-5076-Landscape maintenance and weed control, 4/25-4/29.

Mowing down ivy ground cover in selected areas in progress throughout the district.

Supplemental deep watering injection to stressed Redwood trees in progress throughout the district.

Carport gutter repairs in planning.

Cribari Hills-Cement replacement in progress.

Cribari Dale-Dry rot repairs in progress.

Cement slicing in progress throughout the district.

Del Lago

3316-3366 and 3401-3431 – Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

3101-3134 and 3201-3243—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 4/25-4/29.

Estates

8809-8875—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 5/2-5/6. **Fairways**

4001-4024 – Landscape maintenance and weed control, 5/30-6/3. **Glen Arden**

7698-7752 and 7753-7787 (odd)—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 5/16-5/20.

Mowing down ivy ground cover in selected areas in progress throughout the district.

7706 and 7708-Dry rot repairs in progress.

Heights

8480-8505—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 5/9-5/13.

Hermosa

8005-8032, 8100-8121 and around lower Chardonay Lake area —Landscape maintenance and weed control, 5/9-5/13.

Colombard Ct. – Pro chip mulch installation in progress.

Redwood trees—Supplemental deep root watering in progress throughout the district.

Chardonay Lake—First lake bridge replacement in progress. 8104, 8106 and 8108—Dry rot repairs in progress.

Highland

7500-7573—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 4/25-4/29.

Montgomery

6001-6068 and 6127-6136—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 5/2-5/6.

Supplemental deep watering injection to stressed Redwood trees in progress throughout the district.

6138—Sewer line repair in progress.

Olivas

8646-8650 and 8665-8712 – Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

8600-8645, 8651-8664 and Vineyard Center-Landscape maintenance and weed control, 4/25-4/29.

8743—Interior repairs in progress.

Grape Wagon-Painting project in progress.

Sonata

2000-2024 and 2032-2064 -- Landscape maintenance and weed

7001-7060 and 7395-7404—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 5/30-6/3.

Association

Common Areas-Treatment for voles, moles, gophers and squirrels, ongoing.

Weed spraying at turf and shrub bed areas in progress throughout the Villages.

Fire fuel management weed/brush clearing and tree work in progress in selected areas around the property.

Irrigation repairs throughout the Villages in progress. Flowering pear tree fire blight trunk injection treatment throughout

the Villages, scheduled to start 4/18.

Spring turf pre-emergent crabgrass herbicide weed application control in progress throughout the Villages.

Spring turf fertilizer application in progress throughout the Villages.

Club Centers

Weed spraying in progress throughout the Villages.

Flowering pear tree fire blight trunk injection treatment throughout the Villages, scheduled to start 4/18.

Redwood trees supplemental deep root watering injections in progress throughout Club Properties.

Maintenance Project Notice:

All work scheduling is subject to weather, delays and availability of contractor labor and materials. Contractor may start several days ahead or behind plan schedule, pending field and weather conditions. As needed, we update schedules accordingly via FastLane. For your safety, please be aware of and stay clear of project and staging areas. Access is typically restricted in the work areas. Look out for cautionary signage and other measures. Parking facilities and street frontage may be in use on a temporary basis for vehicle, material and equipment staging. Debris, dust, noise, odor and visual inconveniences may result from a project. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

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.

2022 Ant Cleanout shedule

Ant control service is scheduled to begin on Monday, May 16 and continue through Thursday, May 26. Proposed dates for treatments for each village are listed in the schedule below.

To address potential ant calls later in the season, the contractor, Kilroy Pest Control will provide an extra service date to address specific calls. This extra service date is available on a weekly basis beginning in July and extending through August. Ant calls received between the end of the Ant Cleanout and July will be serviced as part of your regular weekly service.

Proposed Ant Cleanout Dates By Village

Monday, May 16 Wednesday, May 18 Thursday, May 19 Monday, May 23 Wednesday, May 25 Thursday, May 26

Valle Vista, Glen Arden, Highland Highland, Olivas, Estates Olivas, Estates, Hermosa, The Heights, Verano Verano, Cribari, Fairways, Montogmery Montgomery, Del Lago Del Lago, Sonata

control, 5/30-6/3.

Valle Vista

9048-9066-Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

9037-9047 and 9067-9072—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 4/25-4/29.

Verano

7200-7251 and 7300-7313—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.

In Memoriam and Obituary Notices

In Memoriam notices are run free of charge.

Notices include name of deceased, date of birth and date of passing. Brief notices of memorial gatherings may be included with the notice, providing event is held in a Villages' facility. Obituary notices may be placed in the Classified Advertising section for a fee. For more information, please call Kory Tran at 408-754-1341 or email: ktran@the-villages.com, or Scott Hinrichs at 408-223-4655 or email: shinrichs@the-villages.com.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

To Place a Classified Ad

Adrienne Reed: 408-223-4657, areed@the-villages.com

Kory Tran: 408-754-1341, ktran@the-villages.com

Ad copy is due Monday at 4 p.m.

The Villages does not endorse or guarantee any advertisement or insert using space in this paper to reach our readers. It is the responsibility of the users of these services to check references and claims made. Residents, please be aware California State law mandates any contractor bidding for a job more than \$500 in parts and labor must be licensed. The Contractors State License Board (1-800-321-2752) may be contacted regarding any questions or concerns about a contractor.

Villages	SERVICES	Computers (cont.)	Housecleaning	Moving/Storage
Business Directory	ULIIVIULJ	We Fix PC's / Macs & Networks	The BEST Housekeeping Service! Thorough cleaning	ZORN MOVING & STORAGE 408-227-1744 jameslzorn@yahoo.com
Traveling Notary 408-425-0614 Maxine: drmaxa@comcast.net	Appliances Appliance Repair Maintenance	On-Site 7 days, 8 AM to 10 PM BBB A+, 2350 Clients, Same day 408-866-5121 In business since 1988	at affordable rates! Pet Friendly! Villages References! QUEEN OF CLEAN! Debra: 408-300-2327(c) Office: 408-279-1075	Agents for National Van Lines 7/21 Painting
	Trained, Licensed Insured Repair Specialist All Major Brand Appliances Richard: 408-439-9645	Computerexpertscorp.com 5/12	4/28	PAINTING FAITH PAINTING
Real Estate	www.armrepair.com 5/26	Draperies	Pink Ladies House Cleaning 408-717-2327 Weekly, Biweekly, Monthly	408-281-7500 7 min. from the Villages Interior/Exterior
California Law limits the minimum age and maximum number of oc- cupants in a unit. Details available at the Public Safety Administra- tion Office. Licensed Real Estate	Awnings ABBY'S AWNING SERVICES	The Drapery Lady Custom Draperies, Blinds, Shades & Shutters. Over 25 Years Experience	Free Estimates Licensed, insured 4/21	Drywall Repair Acoustic (Popcorn) Removal Wallpaper Removal Crown Moulding Installation Texturing
professionals advertising in The Villager are required to name them- selves 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.	Awning cleaning, repair, recover and new Serving Villagers for 25+ years Barry: 408-264-0807 Contractor's License#1045290	408-981-1874 6/23 Estate Planning	Lucy's House Cleaning Professional Work Very Trustworthy 24 years of experience (Villagers' references	Handyman Services Beat Any Reasonable Price!! 25+ Years Experience License No. 651686 www.faithpainting.com 5/26
	6/2 Carpet Cleaning	MARSALA LAW FIRM You've worked hard for what you have.	available) Licensed, Free Estimates 408-315-0469 4/21	
JABEZ REALTY - FOR LEASE Lower Cribari Villa 2 bedroom, 2 baths \$2,850 monthly lease N. Jeanette Campa, Broker Notary Public and Villager 408-661-0203	Ferguson Carpet / Tile / Upholstery Cleaning References Licensed 408-369-8595	Preserve it for your loved ones with a will, trust or estate plan. (650) 600-1735 www.sanjoselivingtrust.com 7/28	Jewelry & Coins CASH PAID	Julian Montoya 408-310-1448 License #979281 montoyapainting@yahoo.com EXPERT PAINTING to freshen up your home Interior/Exterior
408-001-0203 4/21	Truck Mount Steam Cleaning 8/25	Heating & A/C	Gold/Costume Jewelry, Sterling, Diamonds, Coins, Stamps Tom 1-408-607-7142 7/7	Crown Molding Baseboards Popcorn Ceiling Removal 14 Years Experience Free Color Consultation Free Estimates
FOR LEASE Remodeled single-family home in Highlands.	Computers	Master Maintenance Air Conditioning / Heating / Water Heaters Installations, Repairs	Landscape	References Available 5/19

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COMPUTER SERVICE All Problems Solved GUARANTEED Villages References Raj: 408-644-5016

6/30

Installations, Repairs Preventative Maintenance Phone 408-242-3082 Lic.#767008 Villagers References Villages Resident 6/30

3S Gardening-Landscaping Lawn, Tree Maintenance Plants, Flowers. Joseph 408-209-8206

McNerney's Painting Service Interior/Exterior Free Estimates, References Lic.#596491 408-674-4046 408-358-5450 6/30

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Painting (continued)	Repair/Handyperson	Senior In-Home Care (continued)	Senior In-Home Care (continued)	Shoe Repair
Piazza Painting 408-674-6333 Interior / Exterior Lic#877626 Popcorn Removal Free Estimates Color Consultation 5/19 Plumbing	Bobby Builder Contractor All household repairs Villages resident Recessed lighting, sheetrock, bathrooms, electrical, plumbing, decks, doors, tile, floors, stucco, fences, framing, windows, demolition, water damage Lic#714761, Insured 408-497-0476 www.BobbyBuilder.com	SENIOR IN-HOME CARE CAREGIVERS AVAILABLE ELDERLY MATTERS HOURLY/LIVE-IN Insured, Experienced, References Free Assessment Contact: Beth elderlymatters@gmail.com	4/7 Healthcare Excellent Services, Affordable Rate Experienced, Hard-working, Trustworthy 408-896-7405 408-896-7404 408-896-7403 4/21	Andy's Shoe Repair 2850 Quimby Road Suite 100 408-270-0850 6/9 Transportation Remy: 650-776-8850 Joe: 650-279-7814 Villages Resident
Venture Plumbing Spring Senior Discount!	5/26 Senior In-Home Care	650-422-1713 408-622-8600 4.21	Keene Kare Residential Facility for Elderly. We provide personalized care and support services to seniors aged 60 and over,	Airports, Doctors Appointments, Dependable 12/22
Venture Plumbing Company would like to offer our favorite senior community 20% off of any plumbing services for the month of March.	Senior In-Home Care	SENIOR IN-HOME CARE	in a comfortable homelike environment. License #: 435202616 Phone #: 4089214267	NANCY: 408-396-6603 Villages Resident Airports, Appointments, Errands.
We appreciate your business and continued support and we look forward to providing quality plumbing services to your community! *Senior discount offer cannot be combined with any other special offers	AFFORDABLE SENIOR IN-HOME CARE STEPHANCHARLES ENDEAVORS, INC. Hourly, Live-In Caregivers Hard-Working, Honest, Skilled, Respectful Licensed, Bonded, Insured	OUTSTANDING AND EXCELLENT Vista Verde Home Services Bonded, Licensed, Insured Hourly, Live-in, Transport Great References Free Assessment (408) 509-1257	4/21 EssentialCare Caring Star Award 2020 Recipient A+ Certified H.C.S.B, with BBB Quality, Affordable	Window Cleaning Gabe's Window Cleaning Inside & Out Tracks Screens \$200 408-393-3177
Lic. #934775 Call us today! 1-866-483-6887 A.L. Plumbing Honest, reliable &	Great References Free Assessment 408-643-5479 5/12	5/26 CAREGIVERS AVAILABLE LIVE-IN / HOURLY AFFORDABLE RATES	In-home Care Licensed, bonded, insured. Honest, reliable, certified caregivers Hourly/Live-in CALIC# 434700088 Free consult. 408-368-6918	4/20 McKee Window Cleaning Villagers Favorite Experienced, Honest, Insured Rick McKee: 408-761-4803 5/26
friendly service. Bonded & Insured We also unclog drains. Lic#1038274 408-724-1531 10% senior discounts on labor 5/26	In-Home Care Caregivers CARE - ON - CALL Bonded and Insured All Caregivers Certified, Experienced, Supervised Affordable Rates	EXPERIENCED, REFERENCES HONEST INSURED MANAGED BY VILLAGES RESIDENTS 408-835-7355 650-207-2442 10/27	24/7 HEALTHCARE INC. Hourly/Live-In Caregivers Certified, Insured, Experienced Free In Home Assessment Contact: Randy	FOR SALE "Estate Sales Professionals"
Remodeling Get a home refresh with Posey Design and	Hourly, Live-in Free Assessment References Available 408-857-1872 12/29	Smart Senior Housesitter Service	Care@247healthcare.biz 408-991-4564 6/2	7932 Caledonia Saturday, April 23rd 10:00-3:00 Sunday, April 24th 11:00-3:00
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Estate Sales (cont.)

ESTATE SALE ESSENTIALS ESTATE SALE 5379 Cribari Crest

Cribari Village Friday, April 22, 10AM-2PM Saturday, April 23, 10AM-12noon This is a Sale for Camera Lovers, 49er Memorabilia, Living, Dining, Furniture; Electronics; Kitchenware; Houseware; Glassware; Small Appliances; Collectibles; Books; Office Supplies; and Much More.

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4/21

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The Villages Lost & Found

Located in the Community Resource Center (Building B).

Hiking Club Schedule...

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Long Hike, April 27: Amy Meier (409 799-4274) will lead long hikers on a 7-8 mile hike in Purisima Creek Redwoods Open Space Preserve. This hike is in the western section of Purisima Creek Redwoods Open Space Preserve. Directions to hike: Hwy 280 North, left turn on Hwy 92 toward Half Moon Bay. Left turn on Hwy 1, 4.5 miles. Left on Purisima Creek Rd to parking and trail head. If no spots in parking lot, park on Purisima Creek Rd. up to the No parking beyond this point sign. No fee for parking. There are bridges whenever the creek is crossed by the trail. There are no designated lunch areas, no picnic tables and the only bathroom on this hike is the porta-potty at the trailhead. Start at the Higgins-Purisima Trailhead on Purisima Creek Trail, going past the porta-potties. Keep going straight on Purisima Creek Trail following the creek. Look for banana slugs! At the fork turn left onto Craig Britton Trail (formerly Soda Gulch Trail), which is signed as a hiking only trail but does get bicycle traffic. Craig Britton Trail winds along canyon walls through a deep redwood forest then dips back under the redwoods, crossing Soda Gulch Creek. At the next open, grassy area, look to the west for views to the ocean on a clear day. As Craig Britton Trail climbs uphill through a series of switchbacks, the vegetation shifts to chaparral. At the junction with North Ridge trail continue to the left on Harkins Ridge trail. At the junction bear right toward the bridge and trailhead. Elevation 1800 ft. Hiking distance approximately 8 miles. Optional snack or lunch is available, on your own, at multiple locations in Half Moon Bay. We will stop for lunch or snacks on the trail. Meet at 8 a.m. at Cribari for 8:15 a.m. departure. Temperature above 70 degrees cancels unless another hike leader volunteers. 114 miles round trip.

Rambler Hike, April 27: Santa Teresa County Park Rich (408-499-1789) and Wendy will lead a hike on the Hidden Springs and Mine Trails, a 3.8 loop trail with moderate elevation. The hike will begin from the Pueblo Day Use Area and follow the Hidden Springs and Mine Trails. A credit card is required to secure a parking permit (\$6). After the hike, Hikers may choose to participate in an optional lunch at Panera on Cottle. Elevation gain: 600 feet. Round trip driving distance ~16 miles. We will meet at 8:45 a.m. at Cribari for a 9 a.m. departure.

Rambler Lite Hike, April 27: Bonnie Preston will lead a hike towards the Community Collage then to the lane behind Cribari and the 2nd and 3rd tees. Park at the Villages parking lot next to the entry gate at 8:50 a.m. and leave at 9 a.m. Info: 408-531-1513.

Stay in touch with essential developments on Fast Lane!

Because of the rapid and frequent developments in our world that directly affect our community during this crisis, keeping informed is essential. And now more than ever, it is important to be up on the latest developments in your community. Get those vital updates by signing up for Fast Lane, The Villages email newsletter. It is both quick and easy and you can do it online or over the phone. To sign up or get more information, contact Communications Coordinator Ken Patterson at 408-223-4681; kpatterson@the-villages.com, or on the Villages Resident Portal: resident.thevillagesgcc.com

There are currently six editions of The Fast Lane: Wednesday (general announcements and board-recognized events), Friday (Board and Committee meeting information), Saturday (Maintenance Services), The Clubhouse & Bistro every Monday, The Pro Shop Tuesday, and Community Activities every Thursday.

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Prices subject to service charge and tax

Enter and exit poles...

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"exit gate" and proceed on the cart path to the next hole. Carts will still be permitted no closer than 30 feet from the front of the green surface, but when exiting the hole will be required to pass through the exit gate. To lessen wear and tear at any enter and exit area, the poles will be moved periodically to a slightly different location on each hole.

The goals of this initiative are as follows:

1. To create a constant and consistent flow of cart traffic onto and away from each hole

2. To mitigate cart traffic and resultant turf damage around the tees and green complexes

3. To eliminate the current need for excessive greenside stakes and roping to control cart traffic

This initiative will be a rule of cart usage and will be included in golf Rule 1.14. Therefore compliance will be mandatory for all cart users on the 18-hole golf course. We ask for your immediate assistance with this new cart usage rule and although we understand that this initiative is new and different, we expect everyone to cooperate and to help to enhance our golf course culture of care for the betterment of our golf course conditions and enjoyment of all golfers. Please let the Pro Shop Staff know if you have any questions. Thank you.



Wise guy: "You know how geese fly in that V formation?" Friend: "Yes."

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Wise guy: "Have you ever noticed that one side of the V is always longer than the other?" Friend: "Yes, I have." Wise guy: "Do you know why?" Friend: "No, I don't." Wise guy: "Well, it's because that side has more birds in it!"

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