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New General Manager hired

After six months of a nationwide search, we are pleased to announce the hiring of San Jose resident, Theresa Ostrander, as the new General Manager for The Villages Golf and Country Club. Theresa joins us on October 24.

We were searching for a general manager with more than 10 years of progressive leadership/management experience in master planned communities, and we got that with Theresa.

Through her recent position as president for CM Squared, Inc., a construction company that builds common interest development communities, she knows the business of creating these communities from the ground up. As East Bay Regional Director for FirstService Residential, she managed a portfolio of accounts for common interest development communities that included condos and single-family homes. In the position of Municipal Utility District Manager/General Manager for Capital Consultants Management Corporation in Heartland, Texas, Theresa managed the daily district business operations with a focus to protect, preserve and enhance the community. Theresa also served as Division Manager-Leisure Services for the City of Carrollton, Texas.

Theresa's experience has afforded her the opportunity to coordinate with government entities, community boards, and committees. Also, she's managed multi-million-dollar budgets and teams of more than 100 staff members.

Throughout the interview process, the three boards and senior staff were impressed with Theresa's communication skills, knowledge of common interest development communities, her keen desire to be a visible general manager, and to work together with the Villages' community through town hall meetings and other outreach avenues.

On a personal level, Theresa is a golfer and enjoys hiking and reading. Theresa is a native Californian with family in the Monterey area and is a pet parent to two golden retrievers.

Please offer a warm welcome to Theresa Ostrander, new General Manager for The Villages Golf and Country Club!

EPC's Annual Emergency Drill is October 17

By Arlene Versaw

The rumble of an earthquake. The glow of a wildfire. The shutdown of a police action. We'd rather deny our exposure to these emergencies. We know—it is easier that way. Easier, but not a good idea. Because if it *does* happen, you need to be ready.

So each October, the Emergency Preparedness Committee conducts its annual drill so that *it* will be ready. So that all EPC volunteers know what is expected of them and how to fulfill their responsibilities. And you have a very small, but very important role in these drills. Just display your OK sign in a prominent place that can be seen from the street or sidewalk in front of your home. EPC volunteers will be inspecting every residence for the OK sign and responding to specific health and building scenarios as they would in an actual emergency.

This year's drill is Monday, October 17. Your sign must be up at 4 p.m.

If you cannot locate your OK sign, pick one up in Building B Monday through Friday between 8:30 a.m. and 4 p.m. (It is closed from noon to 1 p.m. for lunch.) Or you can print one from the EPC website at thevillagesepc.com. You can also help by alerting Public Safety of your absences from home on the day of the drill (and always a good idea anyway), and by letting your Area Representative know if your neighbor is away during the drill.

Thanks in advance for doing your part, and please remember to take down your OK sign after the drill—and put it in a safe place! To volunteer with EPC, contact Vera Buescher at 408-531-9758.



Get tickets this Saturday for VAT's 'Office Hours' play

This week, we take you behind the scenes of another scene from VAT's fall play "Office Hours." Scene 5 takes place in the office at a racetrack with Elsa McLaughlin playing Sandy, the owner of the track. Tom McLaughlin is playing the role of Arte, who has come to Sandy's office, because she wanted to meet with him about some problems. Their conversation reveals what the problems are in a hilarious way that will amuse the audience.

Please mark your calendars for one of the performances at Cribari. Friday night, October 21 at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, October 22 and Sunday, October 23 at 2:30 p.m.

Tickets will be on sale Saturday, October 15 in the Redwood Room/Terrace Lounge in Cribari Center (across from

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Tom McLaughlin and Elsa McLaughlin

COMMUNITY NEWS

PULSE

Dear Readers:
The Villager welcomes everyone's voice sharing ideas, opinions and accounts of life in The Villages in the Pulse column. Please follow the guidelines carefully.

Pulse deadline is 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. Letter authors are limited to one published Pulse letter per month. Each letter must also include name, address, phone number, date and number of words. Typed or legibly written letters must include your signature and may be hand delivered to the Pulse mailbox in Administration Building B or by mailing to the Communications Advisory Committee, 5000 Cribari Lane, San Jose, CA 95135.

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

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

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

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.

I love coming through The Villages' gate because I know I'm home. Here's what I see: Two lanes of traffic entering, some as residents and some as visitors. This means many will merge to the left, and many to the right. The intersection of Villages Parkway and Fairway Drive is busy with pickleball folks searching for parking places. There are also pedestrians crossing Villages Parkway, a wide stretch with multiple lanes of traffic. Based on the fact that we are senior citizens who mostly can't see or hear or jump out of the way of traffic, keep in mind that we all still drive, which leaves me wondering how an electronic sign would be an asset at an already busy area of our beloved Villages!

—Claudia Nicolai

PUBLIC SAFETY

Public Safety Administration office now open for walk-ins

The Public Safety Administration office in Building C reopened to walk-in traffic on October 3. We are now available to assist you from 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Monday through Friday. Golf cart and vehicle registrations, RV parking, barcodes, questions, forms, or anything else you may need, feel free to drop in. The office is closed from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. for clerical duties and lunch. From 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. we will continue to be by appointment only. This will be to conduct new resident registrations or any other appointments you may need to make. For appointments call 408-239-5246 and select option 2.

BOUQUETS

'Inside the Gates' VMA Villages Home Tour

It took 12 Villages and over 500 tour guests, docents, boutique vendors, committee members, a beautiful fall day and six very generous homeowners to open their beautifully decorated and remodeled homes to have a post-pandemic home tour, and you all did it—making this the most successful seventh year!

It was quite a scene seeing all the activity moving from village to village and home to home, enjoying lunch in the Fairway Room, searching for wonderful finds among the 12 boutiques and just having a fun Saturday outing.

The Committee members of Penny Barcellos, Melinda Dobbs, Cindy Fuller, Sherry Benz, Pam McCarthy, Pam Watson, Sheryl Ruth, Betty Olsen, Barbara Nilsen, Susan Dooley and Anahid Gregg along with the homeowners, worked tirelessly to create The Villages 'Inside the Gates' home tour for your enjoyment and we thank you for your participation and support of the VMA.

—Penny Barcellos and Melinda Dobbs, 'Home Tour' Co-Chairladies

More BOARDS & COMMITTEES, MANAGEMENT and COMMUNITY NOTICES on pages 4, 5, 7 & 23

IN MEMORIAM

James S. Dyer, M.D.
March 20, 1940—October 7, 2022
(Please see obituary in the Classified Advertising section)

Sheldon Friedman
1928—2022
Memorial will be held in late October.

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: thevillagesgcc.com.

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Call 408-223-4655 to report missed deliveries.

POLICIES

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

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

The Villages Communications Advisory Committee "To inform and connect Villagers" develops operational plans, reviews rules and policies, and advises the General Manager and Club Board on issues pertaining to The Villager, including Pulse letters, Channel 26, Fast Lane and the web site. Residents having relevant concerns may attend meetings or call committee members by phone: Chair Nick Yannaccone at 408-219-9296, Sue Callahan 408-238-2413, Jeanette Campa 408-661-0203, Debbie Champion at 408-960-6994, Barbara Clurman at 347-451-5309, Jac Fitzenz at 408-223-7749, Thomas Moore at 408-887-5322, and Patricia Reardon at 408-914-2432.

HOURS

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

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

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BOARDS & COMMITTEES

FY 22/23 HCF Irrigation Use Compared to FY 19/20 HCF Irrigation Use

District	FY19/20 Jul19-Aug19	FY20/21 Jul20-Aug20	FY21/22 Jul21-Aug21	FY22/23 Jul22-Aug22	22/23 vs 19/20 Jul-Aug
Cribari					
Residential	3,682	3,897	3,719	3,612	
%	20%	24%	25%	32%	
Irrigation	14,350	12,350	10,867	7,555	-47%
%	80%	76%	75%	68%	
Total Cribari	18,032	16,247	14,586	11,167	
Montgomery					
Combined	15,091	12,003	10,538	7,662	-49%
Heights					
Residential	526	486	480	504	
%	13%	16%	19%	28%	
Irrigation	3,392	2,573	2,010	1,268	-63%
%	87%	84%	81%	72%	
Total Heights	3,918	3,059	2,490	1,772	
Hermosa					
Residential	1,768	1,654	1,357	1,233	
%	16%	17%	18%	22%	
Irrigation	9,097	8,329	6,284	4,260	-53%
%	84%	83%	82%	78%	
Total Hermosa	10,865	9,983	7,641	5,493	
Verano					
Residential	1,427	1,361	1,307	1,258	
%	13%	16%	18%	23%	
Irrigation	9,189	7,128	6,161	4,125	-55%
%	87%	84%	82%	77%	
Total Verano	10,616	8,489	7,468	5,383	
Del Lago					
Residential	1,841	1,788	1,522	1,365	
%	32%	29%	28%	33%	
Irrigation	3,975	4,288	3,912	2,831	-29%
%	68%	71%	72%	67%	
Total Del Lago	5,816	6,076	5,434	4,196	
Highland					
Residential	2,076	2,077	1,918	1,891	
%	18%	21%	24%	30%	
Irrigation	9,702	7,724	6,217	4,446	-54%
%	82%	79%	76%	70%	
Total Highland	11,778	9,801	8,135	6,337	
Glen Arden					
Residential	868	819	922	902	
%	25%	29%	37%	43%	
Irrigation	2,585	1,974	1,604	1,193	-54%
%	75%	71%	63%	57%	
Total Glen Arden	3,453	2,793	2,526	2,095	
Olivas					
Residential	1,870	1,850	1,551	1,510	
%	10%	14%	13%	18%	
Irrigation	15,969	11,620	10,679	6,761	-58%
%	90%	86%	87%	82%	
Total Olivas	17,839	13,470	12,230	8,271	
Fairways					
Residential	311	231	252	228	
%	18%	15%	22%	27%	
Irrigation	1,392	1,352	877	605	-57%
%	82%	85%	78%	73%	
Total Fairways	1,703	1,583	1,129	833	
Sonata					
Residential	1,082	967	926	874	
%	18%	23%	31%	35%	
Irrigation	4,864	3,246	2,087	1,640	-66%
%	82%	77%	69%	65%	
Total Sonata	5,946	4,213	3,013	2,514	
Valle Vista					
Residential	745	666	588	553	
%	15%	14%	13%	22%	
Irrigation	4,208	4,120	4,011	1,928	-54%
%	85%	86%	87%	78%	
Total Valle Vista	4,953	4,786	4,599	2,481	
Association (Less Montgomery)					
Residential	16,196	15,796	14,542	13,930	
%	17%	20%	21%	28%	
Irrigation	78,723	64,703	54,710	36,611	-53%
%	83%	80%	79%	72%	
Assn less Montg	94,919	80,500	69,251	50,541	-47%
Total Association	110,010	92,503	79,789	58,203	-47%

In following the current irrigation watering restrictions of two days per week, the Villages Association has reduced its water usage by 47%, compared to 2019.
Complete Spreadsheet at: <https://resident.thevillagesgcc.com/documents/association-water-use/>

Why your vote is needed to ratify the CC&Rs Amendment

According to state law, any amendment to the CC&Rs must be ratified by you, the members. A majority of households must vote in favor of approving an amendment. That means, to approve the CC&R amendment we need 1155 yes votes (a simple majority of the 2309 households in the Association). As of September 27, we had received only 1146 ballots back from villa owners. The Board decided to extend the election for another month, ending October 31, 2022, at 8:00 a.m. and to make extra efforts to get out the vote.

Please vote. If you have not voted yet, please do so.

If you don't vote, it is the same as voting no.

If you misplaced your ballot, please contact Susan Schubert to acquire a new ballot. (Susan Schubert: 408-223-4430, sschubert@the-villages.com)

You need the CC&R amendment ratified. The amendment eliminates inconsistencies between state law and the CC&Rs; it eliminates confusion due to inconsistencies within the CC&Rs, and it changes some insurance threshold values to ones that are realistic in today's economy.

Additionally, if we are unable to ratify the CC&R amendment with your vote, we will have to repeat the election. It has already cost you over \$10,000 and 60+ hours of Staff time. A new election will cost an additional \$10,000 and additional Staff time. The dollars come out of your pocket, and the Staff time applied to the election is Staff time that is not working for your other needs.

There has been a lot of misinformation written on social media about this amendment. In truth, the CC&R amendment will not increase your assessments; it will not make you responsible for sewer lines; it will not make you responsible for doorjamb, and it will not change the power of attorney that already exists. (Note: You signed an acknowledgement during your escrow or rental process that grants the Association Board power of attorney to carry out the provisions of the CC&Rs. This does not change in the CC&R amendment. The words, "Power of Attorney", are simply part of the title of the CC&Rs, and, consequently, part of the title of the amendment.)



Association CC&Rs Vote
EVERY VOTE COUNTS! VOTE NOW!
Call 408-223-4430 or visit Building A
for replacement ballot package.

Evergreen Villages Foundation
Reception is October 25

You are invited to a complimentary Wine Reception hosted by The Evergreen Villages Foundation on Tuesday, October 25 at 4 p.m. at the Clubhouse. Join the EVF and your Villages neighbors at an inspiring reception where we will celebrate the EVF's past projects and ongoing plans for Sustaining the Future. RSVP on the EVF website at evfsj.org or call Madelaine Yannaccone at 408-440-1765 to reserve your seat.

'Ask the ABOD'

The Association Board of Directors (ABOD) appreciates the need in having your questions answered. The ABOD has a column in The Villager so that all those interested can see the question and response. If you have any questions, please email them to [Maria Elizabeth Hernandez at MEHernandez@the-villages.com](mailto:MEHernandez@the-villages.com) or drop them in the drop-box in the parking lot of Building A.

The entire Board is interested in communicating the proper information for your understanding of issues and current events.

MANAGEMENT

Villages Post Office is open and ready for your mail!



The Villages Post Office in Cribari Center is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to noon.

We'd like to remind old and new customers of its convenient location in Cribari Center. You can get most services available at the regular post office right here in our own Villages' substation.

Hope to see you soon!

Get your stamps for the upcoming holidays—an array of specialty and holiday stamps are available now!

New Comcast appointments available **Pedestrian Safety Reminder:**

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 date of your choice every Monday and Tuesday through October 31, and then choose the time for your one-on-one appointment between 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. from the scheduling page <https://calendly.com/ruhullah-payenzadah/xfinity-virtual-q-a>.

Then at the time of your appointment, Ruhullah will call to discuss your questions. Appointments fill quickly.

More **BOARDS & COMMITTEES,**
and **COMMUNITY NOTICES**
on pages 7 & 23

AHA Auxilio-HomeAide "When You Can't, Together We Can"

Our premier person-centered in-home caregiver and personal concierge services allow people of all ages to live with dignity in the comfort of their home while maintaining their independence.

With our people and our expertise, we know how to achieve a quality service around your schedule that works for you.



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Rain or shine pedestrians in The Villages should be aware of the traffic in their surroundings. Please walk on the correct side of the road when getting some fresh air, and walk toward on-coming traffic. The arrows are painted on the main roads. You should also remain in single file when in groups to keep within the white lines as well as social distancing. When walking pets, be sure they, too, remain within the white lines, on a short leash away from traffic.



Estate Planning Attorneys

Establishing or updating your Estate Plan has never been more important than it is right now. At Del Ponte and Hirz, we offer comprehensive Estate Planning, Probate, and Trust Administration services.

Call us to schedule your Free Consultation!



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We have many family members, friends, and clients who call The Villages their home. We can accommodate COVID-19 concerns with telephonic or video consultations and social distanced or no-contact document execution.

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PUBLIC SAFETY

Public Safety Report September 2022

CLASSIFICATION	Present Month	YTD 2022	YTD 2021
ACCIDENTS			
1) PERSONAL INJURY	0	1	2
2) AUTO	0	4	12
3) HIT & RUN	0	2	2
4) GOLF CART	0	2	1
5) MISCELLANEOUS	0	0	1
AFTER HOURS REQUESTS			
1) LIGHTS	61	567	426
2) FACILITIES	9	69	56
3) SPRINKLERS	8	61	105
4) LANDSCAPE	1	13	14
5) ACTIVITIES	0	2	1
6) MISCELLANEOUS	0	0	0
7) GOLF MAINTENANCE	0	0	0
8) FOOD & BEVERAGE	0	0	0
9) BUSINESS OFFICE	0	0	0
10) PRO SHOP	0	0	0
11) WATER LEAKS (OUTSIDE)	2	25	35
12) ALARM ACTIVATION	2	3	3
ANIMAL			
1) COMPLAINTS	15	58	73
2) TRAP REQUEST	0	0	0
3) LOST	0	0	5
4) FOUND	0	2	3
5) COYOTE COMPLAINTS/SIGHTINGS	7	30	373
CITATIONS			
1) PARKING	0	21	4
2) SPEEDING	3	29	30
3) STOP SIGN - RESIDENTS	22	111	63
4) STOP SIGN - NON-RESIDENTS	30	123	290
STOP SIGN TOTALS	52	234	353
5) MISCELLANEOUS	4	16	30
6) ACC	0	0	0
DISTURBANCE			
	0	7	4
FIRE / SMOKE			
	1	6	2
HAZARDOUS CONDITION			
	1	3	3
MEDICAL EMERGENCY			
	50	497	362
MISCELLANEOUS			
	43	312	149
PROPERTY			
1) DAMAGED	3	41	28
2) LOST	1	2	3
3) FOUND	1	1	6
4) VANDALIZED	0	0	2
5) MISSING	2	10	7
PUBLIC SAFETY			
1) COMPLAINT	36	228	195
2) REQUEST	0	0	64
RESIDENT ASSIST			
	21	170	206
RESIDENT WELFARE CHECK			
	7	61	71
SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES			
	1	1	5
TRESPASSING			
1) AUTO	0	0	0
2) PERSON	0	1	2
UNLOCKS			
	23	194	144
UNSECURED AREA			
	0	2	5

GOVERNANCE MEETINGS

THE DACs

Hermosa DAC to meet October 27

On Thursday, October 27, Hermosa will hold a DAC and social meeting at Vineyard Center. The potluck social meeting with BYOB starts at 5 p.m. and the DAC meeting starts at 6 p.m.

Valle Vista DAC to meet November 3

Valle Vista will hold a DAC and social meeting at Foothill Center on Thursday, November 3 from 4 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. We will review the consultant's report (Carol Rice, Wildland Resources Management) on Valle Vista defensible space including Valle Vista fire safety recommendations.

BOARD MEETINGS

Three Boards

- The Villages Three-Board Meeting re: Audit Presentation is Tuesday, October 18, at 3 p.m. via Zoom Meeting
Meeting ID: 842 4054 5530; Passcode: 881265; Dial: 1-669-900-6833

Association

- The Villages Association Board of Directors Monthly Board Meeting is Tuesday, October 25, at 9:30 a.m. via Zoom
Meeting ID: 917 8108 3392; Passcode: 223468; Dial: 1-669-900-6833

Club

- The Villages Golf & Country Club Board of Directors Monthly Board Meeting is Tuesday, October 25, at 1:30 p.m. This is a hybrid meeting—both in person at Foothill Center and on Zoom
Meeting ID: 961 5036 4740; Passcode: 260616; Dial: 669-900-6833

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

More COMMUNITY NOTICES

(SRS) SENIOR RESOURCE SERVICES

Update on California Middle Class tax refund

In the July 21 edition of *The Villager*, SRS explained the details of eligibility for the California Middle Class tax refund for economic relief. In general, if you filed a 2020 California return by October 15, 2021, are still a California resident, and your CA adjusted gross incomes was less than \$500,000 (joint) or \$250,000 (single), you will receive a payment of \$200 to \$700.

Use the tables below to determine your payment amount. For you CA AGI refer to Line 17 on your 2020 Form 540.

Joint Returns

CA AGI for 2020	No dependent
\$150,000 or less	\$700
\$150,001 to \$250,000	\$500
\$250,001 to \$500,000	\$400

Single Returns

CA AGI for 2020	No dependent
\$75,000 or less	\$350
\$75,001 to \$125,000	\$250
\$125,001 to \$250,000	\$200

Starting October 7, 2022, the Franchise Tax Board will begin to make direct deposits of these payments. You will receive a direct bank payment if you had a refund on your 2020 return and you requested the refund be deposited directly to your bank account.

All other taxpayers will receive a debit card. The debit cards will be mailed to taxpayers beginning October 28. It is anticipated that all cards will be mailed by November 14.

Please be on the alert for your debit card. Do not throw it away. It is not a scam, and you should follow the instructions to activate the card.

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 villagesrs@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.

SRS Notice:

Handout – Estate / Moving Sales

This SRS handout dated 10/2022 lists a company that will provide estate/moving sales in The Villages. It lists a firm that offers consulting services for you to staff a sale.

There are also two firms that offer moving and relocation services. The relocation services will help plan the move including sorting and decision making on what to keep, sell, give away, and furniture placement for the new residence. They will pack, meet the movers, unpack, and arrange furniture.

These services are usually offered on hourly rates, and you can pick and choose among the offered services.

AC NOTICE

Association applications for Owner Alteration Requests for the month of November are due to the Architectural Committee on or before October 21, 2022. Call Elissa at the Corporation Yard office to obtain an application. **Meeting date is scheduled for Thursday, November 3, 2022 at 9 a.m. at Foothill Center.**

Association AC Landscape meeting deadline date is **October 21, 2022.**

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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CALENDAR OF EVENTS



all times are a.m. and p.m.

Friday, October 14

8:30 a.m.	Catholic Mass	CR
8:30 a.m.	Jazzercise	A
9 a.m.	Ceramics Open Studio	CER
9 a.m.	Chinese Morning Exercise	P
9 a.m.	Game Day	RED, SEQ
9:30 a.m.	Open Studio	AR
10 a.m.	Line Dance Class	MMP
1 p.m.	Villages Bridge Club	RED
1 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
2:30 p.m.	Handbells	CR
3 p.m.	Bocce Bash	GP
6 p.m.	Chinese Club Line Dance	FC
6:30 p.m.	Mexican Train	MC
7 p.m.	Theater Rehearsal Show	A

Saturday, October 15

9 a.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
10 a.m.	Theater Ticket Sale	RED
10 a.m.	Ukulele Singing	SEQ
10 a.m.	Concert Ticket Sale	L
11 a.m.	Men's Golf Fall Classic	CH
2 p.m.	Chinese Club Arts/Crafts	VC
2 p.m.	Ceramics Open Studio	CER

Sunday, October 16

7:15 a.m.	Catholic Choir	CR
8:15 a.m.	Catholic Mass	A
9 a.m.	Ceramics	CER
9 a.m.	Episcopal Services	MC
9 a.m.	Jewish Group	GP
9 a.m.	Chapel Choir	SEQ
9 a.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
10 a.m.	Comm. Chapel Services	A
11 a.m.	Chapel Fellowship	CR
11 a.m.	Chapel Homecoming	RED, SEQ
4 p.m.	Korean Club Potluck	FC
5 p.m.	Fairweather Potluck	VC
7 p.m.	Theater Rehearsal Show	A

Monday, October 17

8 a.m.	EPC	SEQ
8:30 a.m.	Jazzercise	A
9 a.m.	Chinese Morning Exercise	P
9 a.m.	Game Day	RED
9 a.m.	VMA Volunteer Lunch	FC
9:30 a.m.	Association Rules	F
10 a.m.	Line Dance	MMP
10 a.m.	Total Body Fitness	A
10 a.m.	Watercolor Class	AR
10:30 a.m.	VMA Interval Training	CR

EVENT LOCATIONS		
A	Auditorium	(Cribari)
AR	Art Room	(Cribari)
BC	Bocce Courts	
CER	Ceramics	(Cribari)
CH	Clubhouse	
CR	Conference Rm.	(Cribari)
F	Forum	(Cribari)
FC	Foothill Center	
FHP	Foothill Pool	
GP	Gazebo	
L	Lobby	(Cribari)
SEQ	Sequoia	(Cribari)
MC	Montgomery Center	
MMP	Montgomery MP Room	
RED	Redwood	(Cribari)
P	Patio	(Cribari)
PC	Pickleball Courts	
PR	Patio Room	(Cribari)
TR	Terrace Room	(Cribari)
TS	Tennis Stand	
VC	Vineyard Center	
VR	Voyage Room	(Montgomery)

12 p.m.	Ceramics Open Studio	CER
1 p.m.	Stitchery	PR
1 p.m.	Flower Ladies Arranging	VC
1:30 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
2 p.m.	Theater Rehearsal	CR
3:30 p.m.	EPC Drill	P
4:30 p.m.	EPC Drill	A
6:30 p.m.	Duplicate Bridge	RED
7 p.m.	EPC Emotional Support	PR

Tuesday, October 18

9 a.m.	Game Day	RED, SEQ
9:30 a.m.	California History	FC
9:30 a.m.	Poetry in Art & Pastel Class	AR
10 a.m.	Ukulele Advanced	PR
10 a.m.	Line Dance Class	MMP
10:30 a.m.	Lay Board Meeting	F
11 a.m.	Men's Fun Club Lunch	CH
11:30 a.m.	Live Longer Stronger	A
12 p.m.	Ceramics Open Studio	CER
12 p.m.	Women's Par 3 Lunch	MC
1 p.m.	Camera Club Board	VC
1:30 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
2 p.m.	Piano Open Studio	A
2:30 p.m.	Chapel Choir	CR
6 p.m.	Concert Band	A
6:30 p.m.	Art Night	AR
7 p.m.	Amateur Radio Club	VC
7 p.m.	Astronomy Club	FC

Wednesday, October 19

8:30 a.m.	Jazzercise	A
9 a.m.	Ceramics Open Studio	CER
9 a.m.	Game Day	RED, SEQ
9 a.m.	Chinese Morning Exercise	P
9 a.m.	Game Day	RED, SEQ
9 a.m.	Critique & Open Studio	AR
10 a.m.	VMA -Hospice/Palliative	CR
1 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
2 p.m.	Village Readers	MC

5 p.m.	Theater Rehearsal	A
5:30 p.m.	Buffet Bingo	CH
6:30 p.m.	Duplicate Bridge	RED
6:30 p.m.	Mexican Train	MC
6:30 p.m.	Village Dancers Rehearsal	A
7 p.m.	Village Voices	FC

Thursday, October 20

9 a.m.	Ceramics Open Studio	CER
9 a.m.	Game Day	RED, SEQ
9:30 a.m.	VMA Parkinsons Carers	MC
10 a.m.	Communications Comm.	CR
10 a.m.	Line Dance	MMP
10 a.m.	Motus Town Hall Mtg.	A
10 a.m.	Live Longer Stronger	FC
10:30 a.m.	VMA Caregiver Support	PR
12:30 p.m.	18 Hole Women Lunch	CH
1 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
1:30 p.m.	Ukulele Club	VC
3:30 p.m.	EVF Board	V
5 p.m.	Theater Rehearsal	A
7 p.m.	Catholic Choir	VC

Friday, October 21

8:30 a.m.	Catholic Mass	CR
8:30 a.m.	Jazzercise	A
9 a.m.	Ceramics Open Studio	CER
9 a.m.	Chinese Morning Exercise	P
9 a.m.	Game Day	RED, SEQ
9:30 a.m.	Open Studio	AR
10 a.m.	Quilters	PR
10 a.m.	Line Dance	MMP
1 p.m.	Villages Bridge Club	RED
1 p.m.	Table Tennis	MMP
2 p.m.	Art Film	VC
2 p.m.	Senior Academy	FC
3 p.m.	Bocce Bash	GP
5 p.m.	Fall Show	A
6 p.m.	Chinese Club Line Dance	FC
6:30 p.m.	Mexican Train	MC

Fitness Center

Daily
12:00 & 6:00

Fitness

1:00 & 7:00
Mon - Sat
15 Minute Exercise

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

Coyote Town Hall

Daily
2:00 & 8:00

Welcome to Our Website

Daily
3:30 & 9:30

Living with Wildfires

Daily
4:30 & 10:30

Events & Notices

Daily
12:54 & 6:54 (6 min)
4:15 & 10:15 (15 min)
5:21 & 11:21 (9 min)
M W F Su
1:57 & 7:57 (3 min)
Tu Th Sa
1:51 & 7:51 (9 min)

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October 2022 Programs

High Intensity Interval Training for Seniors: Coach Andy Le from Project Strength can help you learn to improve your cardiovascular functions, balance, coordination, mobility and tone your body with his HIIT fitness program. Monday, October 17 at 10:30 a.m. in Cribari conference room. Please call 408-238-4029 to register.

Hospice vs. Palliative Care: Learn the differences and benefits of both options, presented by With Grace Hospice Wednesday, October 19 at 10:30 a.m. in Cribari conference room. To register please call 408-238-4029.

Stroke 101: What are the warning signs and how you could prevent stroke. Brought to you by the Pacific Stroke Association. Thursday, October 27 at 10:30 a.m. at Cribari conference room. Please call 408-238-4029 for more information.

Support Groups

Grief Support Group: Chaplain Dale Poland, M.Div, BCC - from Hospice of the Valley-Sutter Health is conducting this support group on Mondays, October 24 - December 12, in the Cribari Conference Room from 10:30 a.m. - noon. Please call 408-238-4029 with any questions.

Caregiver Support Group: Thursday, October 20 at 10:30 a.m.-12 p.m. in the Patio Room and via Zoom. Please contact Judy London Ph.D. for all meeting specifics at judithlondon@sbcglobal.net or call 408-784-3325.

Parkinson's Caregiver Support Group: Meet with other caregivers of those with Parkinson's. Thursday, October 20 from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. in Montgomery Center.



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

Welcome new residents! New resident orientations scheduled for November 2

There will be a New Resident Orientation on Wednesday, November 2, at 3 p.m. in The Villages Clubhouse. This event is for new residents who have recently moved in and provides new residents with valuable information regarding community amenities, governance, rules, architectural control requirements, clubs and organizations, and other important information. Space is limited and reservations begin Monday, October 17 by calling 408-223-4674.

If you are unable to sign up for this orientation please keep your eyes on *The Villager* newspaper and the FastLane email blasts for information about future sessions.

Owners responsible for cleaning up after pets

The Villages Rules and CC&Rs state that it is the owner's/handler's responsibility for immediately cleaning and disposing of pet excrements in a sealed container. We are finding and hearing that some owners are not immediately cleaning up after their pets and assume that it is the responsibility of the landscaping crew, which it is not.


The pet poop should be picked up immediately and placed into the dumpsters in the trash enclosure near your home or in the designated pet poop stations in the center parking lots. Please do not place any pet poop in any restrooms or other containers at any of the various centers.

Leash rule for pets

Residents are reminded, as per Club Rule 1.51, that pets must be kept on a leash, under control, and attended to at all times. This also applies to the Hill Lands.

An increase in coyote aggression has created problems with small dogs, especially those that are unleashed. **Please always leash your pets. And keep leashes short; the Division of Wildlife recommends a leash no longer than 6 feet.**

Furthermore, accompany your leashed pet at all times while outside. Do not let go of the leash or tie your animal to trees or other objects. An unattended leash not only attracts the attention of coyotes, but is also a tripping hazard to other walkers.

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“I was tasked with selling my mother’s condo in San Jose, but I live in New York. A neighbor of my mother recommended realtor Jeanette Campa. I called her and flew out to San Jose to clean out the condo. She came over to meet me and we instantly bonded! She is so warm and caring and loving. She arranged for a terrific college boy to help me with emptying the attic and carrying heavy items out of the condo. I was there for five days and ran out of time before I had to fly back to New York. I hadn’t had a chance to get to Fed Ex with all the boxes (15 of them) of my mother’s things that I wanted to send back to New York, and she offered to take them to Fed Ex for me the following morning. The boxes filled her entire car! I call that going over and above what anyone would dare expect from their realtor! Jeanette also arranged to have a stager, a painter, a handyman, and a furnace repairman come in, as well as arranging for new carpet to be installed in one of the rooms. I could not have done all of this without her, and she gave me such peace of mind every step of the way. She really earned every cent of her commission, and I will forever feel deeply indebted to her! I feel blessed that a beautiful friendship grew out of this sales experience, and only wish I lived closer so that I could see my new friend more often!”

Triciayk5, 5349 Cribari Dell San Jose, CA 95135

More COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Change in criteria to hold a Bring-Your-Own-Bottle event

The Community Activities office assists organizations and private events with the use of Club facilities. We also work closely with local and state regulatory agencies that impact use of Club facilities. The State Alcoholic Beverage Control Board (ABC) is one of the agencies we do ongoing business with. The Villages Golf and Country Club holds a liquor license that applies to all Club facilities. The Food and Beverage operation relies on this license for a significant part of its revenue and would be adversely and financially affected by any liquor law violation. We were recently made aware of a change in how Bring-Your-Own-Bottle events are to be handled.

After a series of discussions with an Alcoholic Beverage Control Board supervisor—it is now determined that any event that charges any fee or asks for a donation is no longer eligible to have a BYOB event without supervision from a Clubhouse employee representing The Villages liquor license or getting a one-day permit if they are a 501c3 organization.

The Community Activities office was informed that any event charging any fee whatsoever or asking for a donation is no longer eligible to request The Villages liquor license be lifted for a BYOB event. Fund raising along with a charging a fee for meals, requesting donations for decorations and the like prompted the inquiries from our office. It was verified that even having an optional donation takes away the possibility of having a BYOB event.

As of today, events may continue to hold BYOB events if there is no fee/money involved at all in attending the event—examples of fees include but are not limited to food, entertainment, decorations, charitable donations, and refreshments. Many events will continue to be eligible to have participants bring their own alcohol. For those who may need to change their plans, please feel free to contact Mary Tatum. This is effective October 6, 2022.

Guest Room reservations to reopen soon

After a long wait the Guest Rooms will again be available for reservation beginning on Monday, October 17, 2022, just in time for the holiday season. You can make a reservation through the Community Resource Center (CRC) beginning that day at 9 a.m. Please see below for more information:

What are the Guest Rooms?

The Guest Rooms are four motel-like non-smoking rooms available for rent by residents for themselves or their guests. Two of the rooms have one queen bed and two of the rooms have two queen beds. Each room includes a coffeepot, TV, hairdryer, and compact refrigerator.

Pictures of the rooms can be found on the Resident Portal under the Amenities menu option.

Where are the Guest Rooms?

The Guest Rooms are in Cribari Center above the Library. There are two stairways to reach them, one from the main hallway in Cribari Center by the Post Office, and one near the entrance to the Fitness Center.


How much does it cost to rent a room?

The rooms with one queen bed are available for \$115 per night. The rooms with two queen beds are available for \$126 per night. Payment is acceptable via cash, check, or billing to your home.


How can I make a reservation?

Reservations will be taken starting on Monday, October 17 at 9 a.m. and can be made up to six months in advance. We encourage reservations to be made via phone at 408-754-1336 or emailing rdreitlein@the-villages.com when possible. In-person reservations can be made in Building B during business hours.

As you might expect, the Guest Rooms are very popular, so keep that in mind and reserve early. Due to the expected volume of requests, it may take more than one business day for us to get back to you. We hope you enjoy your stay with us!



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THE CLUBHOUSE

For Information:
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All Clubhouse & Bistro menus can be found at thevillagesgcc.com

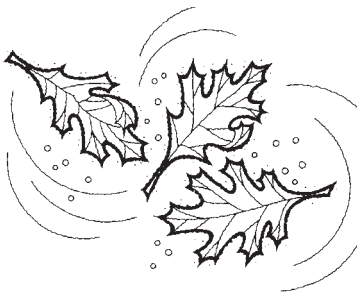
WHAT'S COOKING?

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 is 15 percent. The service charge for the Indoor and Patio Dining is 18 percent.



CLUBHOUSE RESTAURANT & THE BISTRO & BAR AND GRAB & GO ORDERS AVAILABLE

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: clubhouserreservation.com

- **Patio and Bistro Dining** reservations for the patio are for 6 or more persons.
- **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.
- 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 7 a.m. to 2 p.m.

All-Day Menu: 7 Days 11 a.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.*

Indoor and Patio dining or Curbside hours of Operation

Monday	Tuesday to Friday	Saturday and Sunday
Lunch: 11 a.m.–2 p.m.	Lunch: 11 a.m.–2 p.m.	Saturday Breakfast: 7 a.m.–11 a.m.
Bistro Menu: 2 p.m.–8 p.m. Last Seating	Bistro Menu: 2 p.m.–8 p.m. Last Seating	Sunday Breakfast: 7 a.m.–2 p.m.
	Dinner Menu: 5 p.m.–8 p.m. Last Seating	Lunch: 11 a.m.–2 p.m.
		Bistro Menu: 2 p.m.–8 p.m. Last Seating
		Dinner: 5 p.m.–8 p.m. Last Seating

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



Soup of the Day

For the week of 10/11 to 10/23

Monday	October 17	Lentil
Tuesday	October 18	Cream of Broccoli
Wednesday	October 19	Split Pea
Thursday	October 20	Chicken Fiesta
Friday	October 21	Seafood Chowder
Saturday	October 22	Chef's Choice
Sunday	October 23	Chef's Choice

Bistro Menu 2p-8p

Appetizers

GF **Potato Skins** \$14.00
Cheddar, Tomatoes, Bacon, Scallions and Sour Cream

Wings 6Pc \$13 12Pc \$22
Celery and Carrots, Ranch Dressing with BBQ, Teriyaki or Buffalo Sauce

Avocado Toast with Smoke Salmon \$14.95
Toasted Sourdough will Dill Sprig

GF **Curried Chicken Lettuce Cups** \$13.95
Minced Chicken, Water chestnuts, Mushrooms and Green Onions on Butter Lettuce

Fried Green Beans \$8.50

Roasted Meatballs \$9.95
BBQ Sauce, Teriyaki or Buffalo Sauce

Angus Beef Sliders \$12.95
2 Angus Beef with Tomato Relish

Southern Crab Cakes \$13.95
2 Panko Crusted with Cayenne Remoulade

Calamari \$13.95
Lightly Dusted Rings, and Tentacles with Parmesan Parsley

Soup of the Day
Cup \$5.50 Bowl \$7.50

Entrée Caesar Salad \$11.95
Romaine, Cherry Tomatoes, Parmesan, Croutons
Add Grilled Tofu \$3, Chicken \$4, Salmon \$6, Prawns \$6

Cobb Salad \$14.25
Mixed Greens, Tomato, Cucumber, Hard boil Egg, Olives, Avocado Bacon and Feta Cheese
Add Grilled Tofu \$3, Chicken \$4, Prawns or Salmon \$6

V.Asian Salad \$14.25
Cabbage, Carrots, Edamame, Peanuts, Fried Won Ton Skins, Bean Sprouts with Sesame Ginger Dressing
Add Grilled Tofu \$3, Chicken \$4, Prawns or Salmon \$6

V Strawberry and Orange Spinach Salad \$14.95
Red Onions, Candied Walnuts with Raspberry Walnut Dressing Topped with Feta Cheese
Add Grilled Tofu \$3, Chicken \$4

Add or Sub Tofu to Menu Items as Marked

GF Gluten Free V Vegetarian

V Quesadilla \$13.95
Pico de Gallo, Sour Cream, Guacamole,
Add Chicken or Beef \$4

V. Asian Stir Fry Vegetables Over Rice \$12.95
Vegetables over Jasmine Rice with Ponzu Sauce
Add Grilled Tofu \$3, Beef, Chicken or Bay Shrimp \$4

Fish and Chips \$14.95
Batter Dipped Cod, Tartar Sauce, Fries, Cole Slaw and Malted Vinegar

Street Tacos \$13.95
Tofu, Cod, Beef or Chicken with Cilantros, Onions, Cabbage and Radish with Salsa on mini-Corn Tortillas

Sides: \$5.50
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 \$2

Burger with Side \$13.95 Or
Impossible Burger with Side \$14.95
Angus Beef with LTO and Side Dish Or Plant Based Meat with Lettuce,
Add Avocado, Bacon or Cheese add \$2.50

Roast Beef French Dip Au Jus with Side \$14.95
Hoagie Loaf with Provolone and Sauteed Onions

Shrimp Roll Sandwich with Side \$16.95
Bay Shrimp, Celery, Green Onions and Dill Aioli

Gluten Free Bread Substitute \$2

Naan Flatbread Pizzas Red Sauce and Mozzarella

Add Arugula Topping \$2, Gluten Free Crust \$2

V Cheese Pizza \$11.95 **Pepperoni Pizza** \$12.95

V Margarita Pizza \$12.25
Red Sauce, Mozzarella and Tomatoes

Combination Pizza \$14.95
Sausage, Pepperoni, Mushrooms, Onions, & Peppers

V Veggi Pizza \$14.95
Onions, Broccoli, Zucchini, Mushrooms, Peppers Arugula

Breakfast Menu

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

V French Toast \$8.25
Whipped Butter, Maple Syrup, Seasonal Fruits Berries

V Short Stack Pancakes \$8.25
Whipped Butter, Maple Syrup, Seasonal Fruits Berries

V Belgium Waffles \$8.75
Whipped Butter, Maple Syrup, Seasonal Fruit Berries

Bagel BLT and Egg \$9.75
Bacon, Lettuce and Tomato with Cream Cheese

Breakfast Burrito \$9.75
Scrambled Egg, Potatoes, Cheese, Salsa
Choice of Bacon, or sausage

Montgomery Muffin \$9.25
Scrambled Eggs, Bacon or Sausage, Cheddar Cheese and Fruit

Lox and Bagels \$13.95
Smoke Salmon, Cream Cheese, Red Onions, Egg Whites and Capers

Avocado Sourdough Toast \$12.95
Fried Egg, Bacon, and Tomato

Sides
Egg \$2.25, Breakfast Meats \$4, Hash Browns \$3, Toast \$2

Coffee \$1.95



Starbucks Espresso \$2.50 **Extra Shot** \$1.50

Starbucks Americano \$2.50

Starbucks Latte/Cappuccino \$3.25

Juice, Milk, or Hot Chocolate \$2.95

GF Gluten Free Bread Available

V Vegetarian GF Gluten Free

Weekly Specials

For the week of 10/10 to 10/16

Lunch Specials:

Monday 10/17 to Sunday 10/23
11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

California Burger: Angus Patty with Avocado, Pepper Jack Cheese and Bacon **\$16.95**

Grilled Sole Dore: Pacific Sole Flour Dusted and Egg Washed with a Beurre Blanc Sauce with Rice and Vegetables **\$17.95**

Dinner Specials:

Tuesday 10/18 to Sunday 10/23
5 p.m. to 8 p.m. (Last Seating)

Venison Medallions: New Zealand Venison Medallions with a Rosemary Cabernet Sauce with Choice of Sides **Market Price**

Northern Halibut: Grilled Northern Halibut witha Caper Beurre Blanc Sauce with Choice of Sides **Market Price**

Dessert Menu

\$6.50

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

Chocolate Salted Caramel Soufflé Cake (Warm)
Chocolate cake with creamy salted caramel center

Tiramisu
Espresso-soaked lady fingers and Mascarpone cream, dusted with cocoa Powder

New Orleans Bourbon Bread Pudding (Warm)
Caramel Toffee Sauce

Apple Torte
Fresh Apples combined with cinnamon butter & brown sugar in a shortbread crust

\$4.95

Flavors of the Day

Sherbet, Ice Cream, Sorbet, Milk Shakes

June 22

Dinner Menu

Tuesday - Sunday 5pm to 8pm Last Order

Starters

Soup of the Day Cup \$5.50 Bowl \$7.50

V Baby Lettuce Mix Salad \$6.75
With cucumbers, Cherry Tomatoes

Small Caesar Salad \$6.75

Calamari \$13.95
Lightly Dusted Rings and Tentacles with Parmesan Parsley

V Fried Breaded Green Beans \$8.50

Southern Crab Cakes \$13.95
Crusted with Cayenne Remoulade

Avocado Toast with Smoked Salmon \$14.95
Toasted sourdough will Dill Sprig

GF Curried Chicken Lettuce Cups \$13.95
Minced Chestnuts, Mushrooms and Green Onions Butter Lettuce Cups

The Lighter Side

Served à la carte

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

V Villages Penne Pasta \$14.95
Cream Gorgonzola Garlic Sauce, with Sundried tomatoes, Seedless Grapes
Add Chicken or Bay Shrimp \$4,

V Eggplant Parmesan \$16.95
Eggplant breaded in Crispy Panko Crumbs, Layered in Marinara Sauce, Parmesan and Provolone

Chicken Carbonara Over Linguini \$24.95
With Prosciutto and Peas In a Garlic Cream Sauce

V Vegetarian GF Gluten Free

Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays

Slow Roasted Prime Rib \$39.95
Aged to Perfection with Choice of Sides

Dinner Entrées

Accompanied by 2 Sides
Mashed Potatoes, Wild Mix Rice
Baked Potato with Sour Cream and Chives
Or Daily Vegetables Sides

Soup or Salad \$3.95 with Entrees

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

Grilled Balsamic Chimichurri Flat Iron Steak \$28.95

Calf Liver and Onions \$26.95
Sautéed Onions and Crispy Bacon Bits

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

GF Grilled Pork Tenderloin \$25.95
With Pineapple Salsa

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

GF Honey Mustard Glazed Salmon \$27.95

Pan Seared Scallops \$29.95
Lemon Butter Sauce Wilton Scallions

Cajun Prawns & Andouille Sausage \$28.95
with Creole Sauce

V Sesame Balsamic Grilled Tofu Steak \$21.95

Lunch Menu

11am to 2pm

GF Potato Skins \$14.00
Cheddar, Tomatoes, Bacon, Scallions, and Sour Cream

Wings 6Pc \$13 12Pc \$22
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 \$8.50

Avocado Toast with Smoked Salmon \$14.95
Toasted Sourdough with Dill Sprig

GF Curried Chicken Lettuce Cup \$13.95
Minced Chicken, Water chestnuts, Mushrooms and
Green Onions on Butter Lettuce

Roasted Meatballs \$9.95
BBQ Sauce, Teriyaki or Buffalo Sauce

Angus Beef Sliders \$12.95
2 Angus Beef with Tomato Relish

Southern Crab Cakes \$13.95
2 Panko Crusted with Cayenne Remoulade

Calamari \$13.95
Lightly Dusted Rings and Tentacles with Parmesan
Parsley

Soup of the Day Cup \$5.50 Bowl \$7.50

V Lunch 3 Egg Omelet with Fruit \$10.95
Choice of Peppers, Mushrooms, Spinach or Tomatoes.
Choice of Toast
Ham, Bacon, or Cheese Add \$2.50, Bay Shrimp \$4

GF Entrée Caesar Salad \$11.95
Romaine, Cherry Tomatoes, Parmesan and Croutons
Add Grilled Tofu \$3, Chicken \$4, Salmon \$6, Prawns \$6

V Asian Salad \$14.25
Chopped Cabbage, Carrots, Edamame, Peanuts, Fried
Won Ton Skins, Bean Sprouts with a Sesame Ginger
Dressing. Add Grilled Tofu \$3, Chicken \$4, Prawns \$6

Cobb Salad \$14.25
Mixed Greens, Tomato, Cucumber, Hard boil Egg,
Olives, Avocado Bacon and Feta Cheese
Add Grilled Tofu \$3, Chicken \$4, Prawns or Salmon \$6

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

V Strawberry and Orange Spinach Salad \$14.95
Red Onions, Candied Walnuts with Raspberry Walnut
Dressing Topped with Feta Cheese
Add Grilled Tofu \$3, Chicken \$4

Half Stuffed Avocado with Chicken Salad \$14.95
Tomato, Cucumber and Hard Boiled Egg

V Quesadilla \$13.95
Pico de Gallo, Sour Cream Guacamole,
Add Chicken or Beef \$4

V Asian Stir Fry Vegetables Over Rice \$12.95
Vegetables over Rice with Ponzu Sauce,
Add Grilled Tofu \$3, Chicken \$4 Salmon or Prawns \$6

V Egg Foo Yung over Rice \$12.95
Chinese Omelet with
Green Onions, Cabbage, Bean Sprouts
Add Bay Shrimps or Chicken or Both \$4

Fish and Chips \$14.95
Batter Dipped Cod, Tartar Sauce, Fries, Cole Slaw and
Malted Vinegar

Street Tacos \$13.95
Grilled Tofu, Cod, Beef or Chicken with Cilantros,
Onions, Cabbage and Radish with Salsa on mini-Corn
Tortillas

V Ralph's Burritos or Bowl (No Tortilla) \$12.95
Cilantro Rice, Black Beans, Lettuce, Pico De Gallo,
Cheddar, and Guacamole, Topped with Spanish Sauce,
and Sour Cream,
With Grilled Tofu \$3, Steak, or Chicken \$4

Add or Sub Tofu to Menu Items as Marked.

Sandwiches and Such with choice of Sides Included

Sides: \$5.50

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

Hot Dog \$9.95
Toppings: Onions, Tomatoes & Red Onion Relish.
Cheddar add \$2.50

Burger \$13.95
Angus Beef with LTO and Side Dish
Or
V Impossible Burger \$14.95
Plant Based Meat with Lettuce, Add Avocado,
Bacon, or Cheese \$2.50

Bahn Mi Style Beef Sandwich \$15.95
Jalapenos, Bean Sprouts, Basil, Carrots, Cilantros
Red Onions on Hoagie Loaf
Sub Grilled Tofu for Beef \$14.95

Roast Beef French Dip Au Jus \$14.95
Hoagie Loaf with Provolone Cheese, and Sauteed
Onions

Reuben \$14.95
Grilled Rye, Corned Beef, Sauerkraut, Swiss Cheese,
1000 Island

**Croque Monsieur Ham & Cheese
Sandwich \$13.95**

Ham, Swiss Cheese, Dijon, and Bechamel Sauce
Grilled Sourdough
Shrimp Roll on Hoagie \$16.95
Bay Shrimp, Celery, Green onions and Dill Aioli

Villages BLT Sandwich \$14.95
Bacon, Lettuce and Tomato, Turkey and Avocado
Served on choice of Bread

Open Faced NY Steak Sandwich \$17.95
On Grilled Brioche, Topped with Buttermilk Onion
Strings

Pesto Chicken Sandwich on Telera Roll \$15.95
Provolone and Tomato with Arugula
Sub Grilled Tofu for Chicken \$14.95

Deli Sandwich LTO \$13.50
Choice of Bread, Turkey, Ham, Chicken Salad or
Tuna Salad

½ Deli and Soup or Salad \$12.95

V Veggie Melt \$15.95
Herbed Garlic Aioli, Grilled Veggies, including Bell
Pepper, Zucchini, Onions, and Portabella packed
into Hoagie Roll with Mozzarella Cheese

Naan Flatbread Pizzas All with Red Sauce and Mozzarella

Gluten Free Bread Available \$2

Add Arugula Topping \$2

V Cheese Pizza \$11.95 Pepperoni Pizza \$12.95 V Margarita Tomato Pizza \$12.25

Combination Pizza \$14.95
Sausage, Pepperoni, Mushrooms, Onions, & Peppers,

V Veggi Pizza \$14.95
Onions, Broccoli, Zucchini, Mushrooms, Peppers and Arugula

Gluten Free Pizza Crust Available \$ 2.00

GF Gluten Free V Vegetarian

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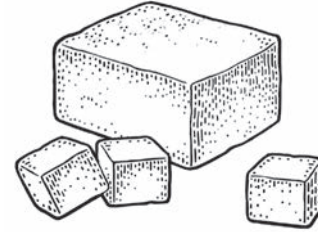
What is Tofu?

Tofu, sometimes called bean curd or soybean curd, is a creamy, high-protein, low-fat soy product typically sold in blocks. Tofu is also high in calcium and iron. It's made from soybeans, and absorbs flavors through spices, sauces, and marinades.

Due to its versatility and nutritional value, this staple of Asian cuisines for hundreds of years has more recently become popular in Western vegetarian and vegan cooking. Tofu is a plant-based protein great for your diet replacing, beef, chicken, or fish.

You may not even notice the mild flavor of tofu on its own. Rather, tofu takes on the flavor of whatever it's seasoned or cooked with, adding substance, nutrition, and texture to the dish as a whole.

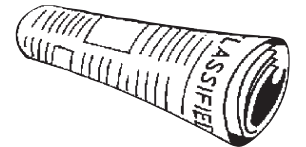
It is great as an addition to salads, sandwiches and other dishes. Look for it on our menu.



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Real Estate –

I am not going to talk about it.

The market and interest rates are too volatile to even guess at where they are going, so I will just talk about what I do know about the market, especially the market in the Villages. My articles come out 10 days after I write them. So much can happen in those 10 days. I can say that in the last 2 weeks the mortgage interest rates did go up and are likely to stay in the 7% range.

Let me note that it seems like the rates go up 3/4% and stay in that range for some months until we are used to it and then they raise some more. Coincidence or just inflation busting procedure?

What is happening with those homes in the 800-900 range? Well now I have one of my own. A beautiful home in Fairways Village for sale. Several homes in this price range have come up for sale and several have sold. This market is moving again. The key is to see what the sale prices are. We have certainly passed the height of the market in April but have now entered a more normal market. Homes are coming on the market at a normal rate. Almost as many are selling. If listed correctly and showing well, the homes sell within weeks.

What is happening to the market outside the Villages? I have a home for sale in the gated community of Silver Creek Golf and Country Club. I am finding that buyers are searching specifically for the gated communities. One buyer called me to see my Silver Creek CC property and then my Village Fairways property. They were searching specifically for a gated community. It seems that the security gates have great value in today's market. In the last 10 years it has never been the issue that it is now. There is volatility in the world but the RE market is stable at this time. If you are thinking of selling, I would suggest taking advantage of it now.



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COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

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

Register for events in Building B

For all Community Activities events, please register in Building B, open Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m. – noon and from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Sequoia Room not available October 17

The Sequoia Room will not be available for drop-in card playing on Monday, October 17. EPC will be using the facility for the annual drill.

Sign up for Line Dance classes



Community Activities is accepting registration for the next session of line dancing with instructor Deana Megginson in the Montgomery Multi-Purpose Room. Classes are designed for those who have had considerable line dance experience. For questions regarding specific dance levels, please contact Deana at 408-238-1180.

Class Schedule:

Advanced Beginners - deadline passed

Intermediate - Mondays 10 a.m. – 11 a.m. October 24 – November 28 (six classes)

Improvers - Thursdays 10 a.m. – 11 a.m. October 20 – December 1 (no class November 24) (six classes)

Advanced - Fridays 10 a.m. – 11 a.m. November 4 – December 16 (no class November 25) (six classes)

The cost is \$15 per person. Registration Deadlines: Advanced Beginner – passed, Intermediate – October 14, Improvers – October 14, Advanced – October 21.

Woodshop access to be keyless in November

Woodshop users will no longer be able to access the woodshop with their key beginning November 1. Access will be by resident ID card, just like the Fitness Center. If you wish to continue to use the woodshop, please make the necessary arrangements to take an online equipment safety review, take an in-person quiz, read, and sign new paperwork and provide proof of ownership of safety glasses, hearing protection, and a dust mask.

The online safety videos are located on The Villages resident portal. Please watch them carefully and review Club Rule 1.20 regarding the Woodshop. You may access them both at resident. thevillagesgcc.com/facilities/wood-shop-safety-videos

Afterward, please make an appointment with Mary Tatum in Community Activities to complete processing. She can be reached at 408-223-4643 or mtatum@the-villages.com. Appointments are available as follows: Thursdays, October 20, and 27 at 2 p.m.

On your appointment day and time, please bring your PPE equipment with you – safety glasses (not reading or prescription glasses), ear protection and a dust mask. You will be given a quiz on the online content (equipment safety and Club Rule 1.20). A score of 80 percent is needed to pass. When you pass, new paperwork will be given to you to read and sign. Activation of your resident ID card takes up to two business days.

Those who do not qualify can schedule a new appointment after further reviewing the videos and rule. There is no fee for current authorized woodshop users.

Three pools to close at end of October

October 31 will be the last day to swim and use the spa at Cribari, Montgomery and Foothill pools. The closure is part of the annual swimming season calendar. Vineyard pool and spa will remain open through the cooler weather months. Children's hours remain active from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. daily at Vineyard pool year-round.

HIKING CLUB SCHEDULE



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 8:30 a.m. from Foothill Center. **Every Monday** – at Clubhouse parking lot, meet at 8:20 a.m., leave at 8:30 a.m. to walk around golf course with Terri Vivoli and/or Cheryl Allmen.

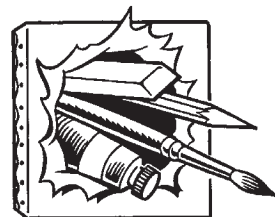
Long Hike, October 15: Gisela Pearson (408-270-0463) will lead a 10 mile hike at Quarry Park - less than 1 mile beyond Saratoga on highway 9. 1634" elevation gain - moderate pace. Meet at 8 a.m. at Cribari Center. Leave at 8:15 a.m. Bring water, lunch and usual items.

Rambler Hike, October 19: Gary Lohr (408-912-5124) will lead a hike to Evergreen College/Montgomery Hill park. We will continue through the campus and on to the shopping center for coffee and return to The Villages. Meet at Cribari at 8:50 for a 9 a.m. departure.

Rambler Lite Hike, October 19: Glen Arden Meet at Foothill Center at 9 a.m.

October 25-27: Three Day Hiking Club Hike in Cambria. Cars will drive at their own pace to meet at location. No scheduled hikes at The Villages.

What's Happening in ARTS & CRAFTS?



All Villagers are invited to participate in Arts and Crafts Activities. Visit villagesartsandcrafts.org

October 19 – November 16: Wednesday Critique Studio with Sunni Gibbons, Roz Zinns, Colleen Mirassou and others. 10 a.m. – 12 noon. Art Room. Register at barb.gottesman@gmail.com

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Friday, October 21: Art Film "At Heaven's Gate" on Van Gogh with Roz Zinns, Friday, 2:30 pm at Vineyard Center.

Saturday, November 5: Holiday Faire. Contact dianefinley@outlook.com for a contract.

Monday, December 5: "It's A Wrap!" Gift Wrapping Party with Dorothy Douquet. Light Refreshments. 4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. Art Room

Open Studio in Art Room: Fridays, beginning at 10 a.m. with Jane Hink.

Ceramics Room has open studio days for approved members only. Hours posted at villagesceramics.com

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

RESIDENT EXCURSION PARTICIPATION GUIDELINES

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.

CLUBS & EVENTS

VMFC: 'We Like Ike' — a new look at Eisenhower's legacy

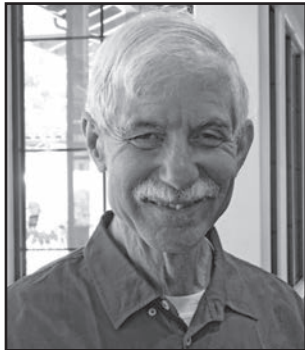
By Al Lumas

During the Villages Men's Fun Club luncheon meeting in the Clubhouse on Tuesday, October 18, fellow VMFC member and Villages resident Bob Lapidus will speak about President Dwight David Eisenhower.

Dwight Eisenhower projected an image of calmness in a crisis and was forever known as the Supreme Commander who brought victory at D-Day and then went on to defeat the Nazis and bring about their destruction and surrender. He was one of the few Presidents who navigated the country through eight years without significant military conflict and presided over eight years of peace and prosperity. The well-liked "Ike" was not a charismatic leader but accomplished most of what he set out to do. How did he do it and what was he really like underneath the facade of the smile and the appearance of a President above the political fray? Our speaker, Bob Lapidus, will give us an inside look at what Eisenhower was really like and what led to his success in both war and in peace.

Bob is a Villager who has resided here for seven years with his wife Arlene and is a native of the Washington, D.C. area. He has previously spoken to us on the lives and contributions of Abraham Lincoln and U.S. Grant. He is the Vice President of the Villages Martin Luther King Club and taught a course on Presidential leadership through the Brandeis Club for six years. He is also an avid Bocce player and golfer. During his career, Bob was a faculty member of the Federal Executive Institute in Charlottesville, Virginia, where he taught Presidential history and was an adjunct professor at American University and Johns Hopkins University. Plus, he had his own consulting business in the areas of leadership development, political savvy, executive coaching, organizational change, diversity, and organizational change.

VMFC members should use our online reservation system at reserve.vmfcc.org and then show proof of Covid vaccinations at Clubhouse entry. (Members checked for proof in March need not show proof again.) Non-VMFC members wishing to attend Bob's presentation should arrive at 12:30 p.m. and show proof of Covid vaccinations at Clubhouse entry.



Bob Lapidus

Senior Academy: Ocean Worlds of the Solar System and the Search for Life

By Tony Berg

Join Senior Academy on Zoom on Friday, October 21 at 2 p.m. for an exploration of space with Craig Jones, one of our popular lecturers. Register by visiting our website at VillagesSA.org

While popular attention remains focused on rover exploration of Mars, in recent years there has been an upsurge of interest in the "ocean worlds"—those bodies in our solar system that contain subsurface oceans of water. Over a dozen worlds are now known or suspected of having such oceans, and these discoveries have prompted NASA to inaugurate the Ocean Worlds Exploration Program as a major facet of its planetary science campaign. How did these worlds come to have oceans under their surfaces? How might we go about exploring them? And what is the probability that these environments might sustain life?

Craig Jones was born in Denbighshire, Wales, and worked as a lecturer at Bangor University before emigrating to California and SJSU.

He is the author of four books and more than 40 articles in peer-reviewed journals on various academic subjects. His writings on space have appeared in *Plane*, *The Welsh Internationalist* and the *Western Mail*.

Village Readers: Join our book groups

A meeting of The Village Readers Club will be held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, October 19, 2022, at Montgomery Center. Any Villager who would like to join an existing group or to form a new group is invited to attend. There are currently 13 book groups, each with eight to 10 members. Each book group is managed independently and functions differently, from the genre of books read to the snacks provided. Groups usually meet once a month in members' homes. If you love to read, want to make new friends, and enjoy interesting book discussions, please attend. Please contact Trudy Nicholls (trudy_nicholls@hotmail.com) with any questions.

VMA: Palliative Care & Hospice Care workshop

By Barbara F. Zahner

Colby Perez RN and Camille Costanzo, both part of With Grace Hospice are experts in teaching individuals and families about end-of-life care. On **Wednesday, October 19** from 10:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m., Colby and Camille will present "**Palliative Care & Hospice Care—What to Choose When?**" In their hour-long talk, they will cover:

- Eligibility differences between Palliative Care and Hospice care
- Difference in goals between Palliative Care and Hospice Care
- Variation of Treatment Plans with Palliative Care and Hospice Care.

For more info, contact Bonnie Grim, VMA Service Coordinator at bgrim@sequoialiving.org or (408) 238-4029. Also see the VMA website at vmavillages.org.

Art Critique Studios are back

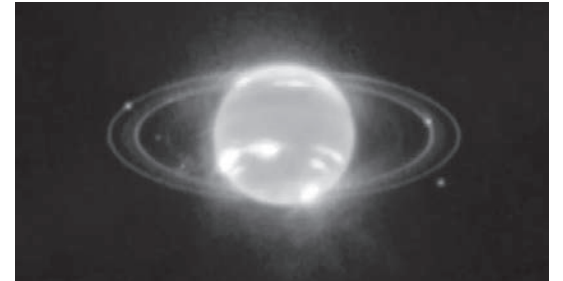
Back by popular demand on the Arts & Crafts schedule are the Wednesday Critique Studios. Villagers may bring in one or two current works to receive a gentle critique by the group leader each Wednesday. Sunni Gibbons will conduct the critiques on October 19 and November 16. Roz Zinns will lend her expertise on October 26. Doug Canepa will host the group on November 2, and Colleen Mirassou will offer her opinions on November 9.

Sunni is a well-known Villages artist who has exhibited at the De Young Museum. Roz owned an art gallery in San Francisco. Doug has taught watercolor classes and had a solo exhibit in Cribari Conference Room. Colleen is known for her large assemblages and intricate collages.

These Wednesday Critique Studio sessions are bring-your-own-art, work on it in the open studio setting and ask for critique on one or two current works. Questions? Email barb.gottesman@gmail.com

Join Dog Costume Parade

Please join the Villages Dog Club for the Dog Costume Parade (walk on golf course) this Monday, October 17 at 11 a.m. We will be meeting at the gazebo. Please join us with your dogs with or without a costume. Prizes will be given for everyone who comes with a costume.



Neptune and its rings glow eerie white in this new James Webb Space Telescope image. Photo credit: NASA.

Montgomery Halloween Party cancelled

The Montgomery Halloween Party originally scheduled for Sunday, October 30, Foothill Center has been cancelled.

News Junkies: Let's talk!

By Arlene Versaw

Not everyone likes to spend time with peers discussing news of the day. There is always so much to do, why take an hour to exchange views, swap stories, or just listen in and observe? Because it is entertaining, enlightening, and enjoyable! So give yourself a break and consider Zooming in to the next News Junkies session on Monday, October 17, at 1:30 p.m.

Because news breaks all the time, current topics may be added at the 11th hour. But some potential discussion items include the morality of gene-editing (cure disease, but...), whether Diablo Canyon should remain open and operating, and whether it is time for the British Monarchy to be abolished. Join us. Register at VillagesSA.org



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More CLUBS

Via Portada and Via Solana host neighborhood festivities

Via Portada and Via Solana gathered under the trees on October 1 for their Second Annual Catch Up with Your Neighbor. Laughter, lively conversation, dancing—plus shared food and drink—sparked the day until sunset. Christy Altman, Cindy Beytin, Farida Fletcher, Gil Navarro, and Barbara Zahner planned the neighborly festivities.



Dorothy Horst, age 94, dances on the street with Solana neighbor Farida Fletcher. Dorothy's secret to aging vibrantly? "Move!"



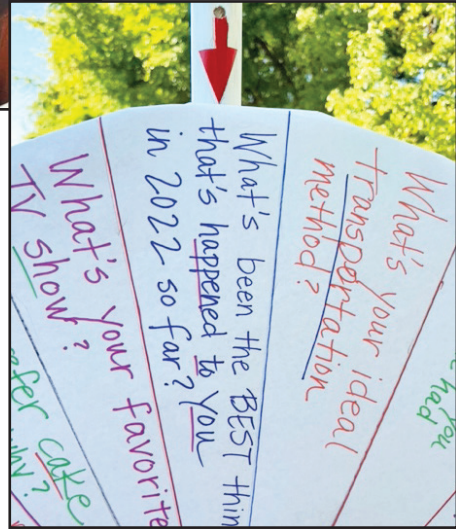
Andy Altman (left) joins his new next door neighbors Donna Brown and Tom Gibbons.



Al Shenasa and Gil Navarro enjoying the sun and friendship.



The ladies of the neighborhood dance to the music of The Waves: (left to right) Kat Byington, Joyce Duffy, Lori Gardenberger, Farida Fletcher, Rose Tay.



The Wheel of Connection—built by Gil Navarro, lettered by Cindy Beytin, and spun by Rich Zahner.



Speed Catch Up! Via Portada and Via Solana Neighbors pair up and got to know each other by responding to questions on the Wheel of Connection. Photos by Rich Zahner

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Veterans Day event to be held November 11

All Villagers, especially military veterans, are invited to attend this year's Veterans Day event, sponsored by the Villages Veterans Club, at Cribari Auditorium on Friday, November 11, starting at 1:30 p.m.

The speaker will be retired Major General Kent Hillhouse, highly decorated combat veteran who served in the US Army (Armor). Come join us in song and celebration.



Major General Kent Hillhouse

Walking/Chair Dancing for a quality life

As we get older, it is natural to see a gradual decline in mobility. Still, for those who fail to exercise, the drop in fitness level can have devastating consequences on health, culminating in disease, disability, and high fall risk, making it difficult to go out with friends and family and live independently. Our Walking/Chair Dancing for a Quality Life class will help you restore and maintain your balance, gait, and physical strength. LSAL Fitness Club is here to help you feel, look, move better, and maintain your independence. The class is open to everyone, so bring friends and join us. We meet Tuesdays from 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. and Thursdays from 10 a.m. – 11 a.m. in the



Cribari Auditorium. The first class is free. Sign up in class.

Holiday Faire to feature crafter Deborah Strauss

The Holiday Faire, sponsored by the Arts & Crafts Association is the largest display of art and fine crafts by your neighbors in The Villages and local artists.



One of the most colorful fine crafters is Deborah Strauss. She has taken the sobriquet of the "Glaze Queen" when she works in the Ceramics Room. Deborah had been working in ceramics for many years on the Monterey Peninsula and she jumped right in with the ceramics group when she moved here in 2018. Hand-building and glazing are her specialties, as you can see from this colorful guitar. Look for Deborah's ceramics on display in the Cribari Auditorium at this year's Holiday Faire.



The 2022 Holiday Faire will be in most of the rooms of Cribari Center on Saturday, November 5, from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. A Bake Sale in the Terrace Room will satisfy anyone's sweet tooth. Holiday Faire has been an annual festive occasion in The Villages for over 50 years. Villagers gather to see the display of creations by artists and fine crafters and enjoy socializing with their friends and neighbors.

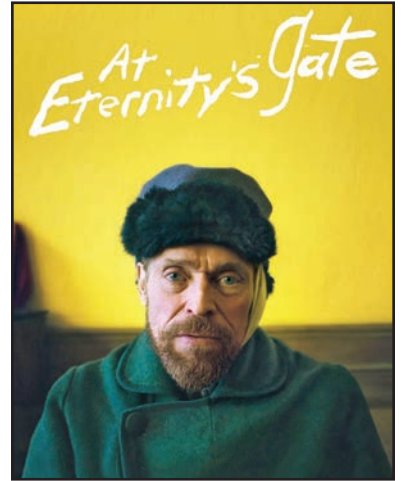
Tables to sell are still available for artists to exhibit their art or fine crafts. You can contact Diane Finley at dianefinley1@gmail.com.

October Art Film: 'At Eternity's Gate'

On Friday, October 21 at 2:30 in the Vineyard Center, The Villages Arts and Crafts Association will present "At Eternities Gate."

This is a visionary portrait of Vincent Van Gogh's final years. It is a journey inside the world and mind of a person who, despite skepticism, ridicule and illness, created some of the world's most beloved and stunning works of art. Much of this is based on Van Gogh's letters, but some of this comes from the imagination of the producer, Julian Schnabel and actor, William Defoe.

Some is a jumble of events that present as facts, heresy and moments that are just plain invented. William Defoe is extraordinary in this role. This is like no other film you have seen about Van Gogh.



VMA: 'Stroke of Insight & Support: Stroke 101'

By Barbara F. Zahner



Ursula Kelly-Tolley, RN

For many, fear of a stroke nags us. And for good reason. Per the CDC:

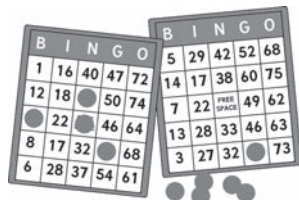
- Every 40 seconds someone in the United States has a stroke. Every 3.5. minutes someone dies of a stroke.
- About 85 percent of all strokes are ischemic strokes in which blood flow to the brain is blocked.
- In one survey, 93 percent of respondents recognized sudden numbness on one side as a symptom of a stroke. Only 38 percent were aware of all major symptoms and knew to call 9-1-1- when someone is having a stroke
- In 2014, 38 percent of people hospitalized for stroke were less than 65 years old.

The best cure for fear is facing it. How wise to face facts now while safe and calm. Hear Ursula Kelly-Tolley RN of the Pacific Stroke Association present "Stroke of Insight & Support: Stroke 101," on **Thursday, October 27 at 10:30 a.m.** in the Cribari Conference Room. In an interactive presentation, Ursula will cover: what is a stroke, the types of strokes, the effects of strokes, stroke prevention, the warning signs of strokes, and the importance of calling 9-1-1.

Originally from Ireland, Ursula has 35 years' experience in cardiac and stroke care. For 13 years, Ursula served as Neuro-Interventional Coordinator to Good Samaritan Hospital in San Jose. She has directed major clinical research trials for new devices to remove brain clots in stroke patients. Ursula also worked as Stroke Program Manager for hospitals in the Central Coast of California. Ursula believes, "Education is the Key to Prevention and TIME is Brain." For info: Bonnie Grim M.S., Resident Service Coordinator at 408-238-4029 or bgrim@sequoialiving.org or vmavillages.org.

Play Bingo on October 19

The final VMA night Bingo and dinner for the year begins at 5:30 p.m., Wednesday, October 19 at the Clubhouse. Game cards are \$2 each or three for \$5. All the money is returned to game winners. The night Bingo drawing is very competitive with themed baskets filled with goodies, or gift certificates, lottery tickets, wine and much more. Tickets cost \$1 each or six for \$5. Watch for the Clubhouse ad to reserve a seat at a table.



Calling all callers! The VMA is looking for a couple of volunteer Bingo callers. It's easy and training is available. Please contact Linda Lamanno if interested at Linda.lamanno@att.net or 408-505-0685.

Cribari Halloween Potluck Party

Saturday, October 29, 3 p.m.-6 p.m.

Cribari Auditorium, Costumes Encouraged!

Bring food to share for 8-10: A-K Main Dish, L-U Salad or Appetizer, V-Z Dessert

Bring your own table service and beverage.

Note: BYOB can include Alcoholic beverages

Email cribaridac@gmail.com with names and house number

or leave a message at 669-777-5859 to reserve.

Music by Ed Knott, fun and dancing, too!



More CLUBS

FROM THE VILLAGES LIBRARY

The Villages Library is open Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., and Saturday 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

By Sherle Frost

“The Best Is Yet to Come” by Debbie Macomber: A new beginning in charming Oceanside, Washington, is exactly what Hope Godwin needs after the death of her twin brother. There are plenty of distractions, like her cozy cottage with the slightly nosy landlords next door, and a brewing drama among her students at the local high school. Despite having settled quickly into the community, something is still missing for Hope. That is, until her landlord convinces her to volunteer at his animal shelter. There she meets Shadow, a rescue dog that everyone has given up on. But true to her name, Hope believes he’s worth saving. Like Shadow, shelter volunteer Cade Lincoln Jr., is suffering with injuries most can’t see. A wounded ex-marine, Cade identifies with Shadow, assuming they are both beyond help. Hope senses that what they each need is someone to believe in them, and she has a lot of love to give. As she gains Shadow’s trust, Hope notices Cade begins to open up as well. Finding the courage to be vulnerable again, Cade and Hope take steps toward a relationship, and Hope finally begins to feel at peace in her new home. But Hope’s new happiness is put to the test when Cade’s past conflicts resurface, and Hope becomes embroiled in the escalating situation at the high school. Love and compassion are supposed to heal all wounds. But are they enough to help Hope and Cade overcome the pain of their past and the obstacles in the way of a better future? Fiction, 2022

“Wrong Place Wrong Time” by Gillian McAllister: Late October. After midnight. You’re waiting up for your 17-year-old son. He’s late. As you watch from the window, he emerges, and you realize he isn’t alone: he’s walking toward a man, and he’s armed. You can’t believe it when you see him do it: your funny, happy teenage son killing a stranger, right there on the street outside your house. You don’t know who. You don’t know why. You only know your son is now in custody. His future shattered. That night you fall asleep in despair. All is lost. Until you wake... and it is yesterday. And then you wake again... and it is the day before yesterday. Every morning you wake up a day earlier, another day before the murder. With another chance to stop it. Somewhere in the past lies an answer. The trigger for this crime—and you don’t have a choice but to find it...Mystery, 2022

“The Retreat” by Sarah Pearse: An eco-wellness retreat has opened on an island off the English coast, promising rest and relaxation—but the island itself, known locally as Reaper’s Rock, has a dark past. Once the playground of a serial killer, it’s rumored to be cursed. Detective Elin Warner is called to the retreat when a young woman’s body is found on the rocks below the yoga pavilion in what seems to be a tragic fall. But the victim wasn’t a guest—she wasn’t meant to be on the island at all. When a guest drowns in a diving incident the following day, Elin starts to suspect that there’s nothing accidental about these deaths. But why would someone target the guests, and who else is in danger? Elin must find the killer—before the island’s history starts to repeat itself... Mystery, 2022

Astronomy Club to meet this Tuesday

All are welcome to attend the next meeting of the Astronomy Club, at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, October 18 at Foothill Center. We will take another brief look at inflation theory with respect to Webb data. This will be part of a lecture series on Cosmic distance, Hubble’s Law, and the modern view of the Cosmos.

Vaccinations required. Questions? E-mail Barry Stein at b.stein200@gmail.com



The art of black and white photography on smartphones



Teacher and photographer Rad Drew will explore the art of black and white photography working with both the iPhone and Android on Monday, October 10, from 6-9 p.m. for the Villages Camera Club and guests. To join the free webinar, contact Ray Blinde at 408-406-6054 or rwblinde@earthlink.net.

An important part of Rad’s exploration is the conceptual side of composition and awareness of the elements of pattern, texture, line, contrast, shadow, and silhouette, which are not smartphone-specific. For processing, some apps including SnapSeed and Dramatic Black & White, work on both iPhone and Android. For iPhone users Rad will demonstrate how to use the iPhone’s native camera app, the portrait mode camera, and other

camera apps for recording images. Then he will share how he processes images, recording them in (or converting them to) black and white images with the iPhone.

Rad captures creative images that have been recognized internationally and exhibited in galleries around the world. A teacher and tour guide, he serves as an associate editor for PhotoPXL.com and the mobile art network, TheAppWhisperer. Check out Rad A. Drew’s website at rad-drewphotography.com for information on his popular webinar as well as helpful tools and tours exploring the world.

Join the Red Cup Brigade (A Club of Gentlemen) on October 28

By Doug Moore, villagesrcb@gmail.com

A new golfing and social club in The Villages is the “Red Cup Brigade.” Don’t forget “The RCB” is getting ready to kick off its first of many future events on October 28, 2022.

Our first epic event will be a “VWT” (Villages Whiskey Tasting). Please bring your own favorite bourbon, scotch or whiskey (for you to consume) and to share your thoughts and tasting notes with others.

The RCB Board members, consisting of Ted Briscoe, Kyle Finley, Mike Tuft, Doug Moore and Mickey Wagle will host the “VWT.”

We will have extra red cups just in case you don’t have one. We sincerely hope to see you all at our inaugural event on **Friday, October 28** at the Gazebo with the kickoff at 5 p.m. to sunset. This is going to be a hoot!



VMA: Volunteer drivers needed

If you like to drive, like the open road, the wind in your hair, your favorite podcast coming through all 12 speakers, but most importantly the satisfaction of helping others...we really need you.

If you could spend some of your extra time to offer fellow Villagers rides to their scheduled medical appointments, or just to get them from point A to B, you would be greatly appreciated and valued.

Please fill out an application; it is available on the VMA Website, or in the office. Once completed, please drop it off in the office. And thank you in advance.

When you can, take some time to visit the VMA website at vmavillages.org. You’ll be amazed at all of the helpful information that you possibly may not have been aware of.

Villages Medical Auxiliary (VMA) is looking for a few good people to ‘pay it forward’

The VMA is looking for residents to join our team, provide reimbursable out-of-pocket driver costs and transportation services to Villages residents for medical appointments. We are currently looking to replenish our ranks. Many of our Villagers are not able to drive to medical appointments for one reason or another and we provide that service at no cost to our residents. That’s where the VMA comes into play. Our goal is to provide services that will allow many of our residents the ability to continue to enjoy the benefits of living in this wonderful place for as long as they can. All that it takes is a minimal amount of time on your part, maybe an hour or two, to ensure this happens. You choose which day of the week you are available, and we’ll do the rest. If you are interested, please stop by the VMA office Monday through Thursday between 9:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. to pick up an application or go to our website at vmavillages.org to fill out an application. Our website also has a wealth of information about who we are and what we do. The VMA is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization that is funded by your donations and various events. Thank you!

RELIGION

SEARCH THE SCRIPTURES

Search the Scriptures is meeting at **10 a.m., October 24, at Cribari Conference Room.** We usually meet 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.



EPISCOPAL

'Disobedient Doctor'

By The Very Rev. Julia McCray-Goldsmith

A 16th century papal legate once described her as a "restless wanderer, disobedient, and stubborn feminist who, under the title of devotion, invented bad doctrines, moving outside the cloister against the rules of the Council of Trent and her prelates; teaching as a master against Paul's orders that women should not teach." This didn't prevent Teresa of Avila from teaching, reforming the abuses of monasticism of her day, and advocating to kings and popes. Neither did it prevent the Roman Catholic Church from eventually recognizing her as a saint, and as the first female Doctor of the Church. The Episcopal Church remembers her on our calendar sanctorum this week.

What kept this daughter of Spanish nobility faithful to her call, despite the limitations imposed by her time and gender (and at times, by the leaders of her church)? I like to believe that it was no more (and certainly no less) than her deep devotion to God in prayer. And her trust in the visions that emerged from her contemplative practices. Teresa, from her girlhood, sought to serve God with a singular passion (far surpassing the disciplines of the convent she joined as a young woman). As she emerged from her long periods of religious ecstasy, she was confident enough to write of her experiences and share them with encouraging friends. So sure was she of God's passionate love for humankind, nothing could dissuade her from the mission of making the church a worthier vessel of the same grace that transformed her. Thank you, Teresa, for being disobedient enough to follow your own heart for God!

Please join us for worship on Sundays at 9 a.m. at Montgomery Center.

COMMUNITY CHAPEL

'The State of Readiness'

By Pastor Bill Hayden

Geologists can instruct us in finding favorable grounds and places to build our homes on. Scientists and weather personnel can provide historical data of the climate where we may choose to live. Hopefully, with the information, we will make an intelligent and wise decision to build or seek a better location.

Those of us who have chosen to live in California have done so despite the occasional earthquakes, fires, drought and climate change. The beauty of California with its coastlines, hills, valleys, beautiful sunsets and hidden little villages is well worth the temporary setbacks. Each day that we rise from our beds in California, for me, is a day of gratefulness.

If there was ever a time in life that we would witness the presence of unexpected storms, it is now. There are people who have lost everything through bad investments, divorce, death, hurricanes, floods, mud slides, fires and people behaving badly ... etc. etc. In a horrific storm, it can be difficult to see a silver

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CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

'Pray Without Ceasing!' (Lk 18:1-8)

29th Sunday, Ordinary Time

By Jean Gillette

Each morning, I read a meditation by Sarah Young in "Jesus Today." On one particular day in May, I read her account of Jesus' parable in Luke 18 of an old woman who pestered a judge for a favor. Over and over, the man refused to grant it. Finally, he lost patience with the number of times she kept asking. In the end, she wore him down until he finally granted her request, fearing she would worry him to death if he didn't.

If a mere mortal can give in to constant pleading, how do we think Jesus, who loves us, will act in a similar circumstance? In St. Luke's Gospel this Sunday, he reminds us to take seriously Jesus' words, "Ask and you shall receive, seek and you shall find, knock and it shall be opened unto you."

On the afternoon of that same day in May when I read about the persistent woman, I was told I had 4th stage ovarian cancer. My husband and I were numb with shock as we drove home. That morning's reading came back to me, so when we got home, we re-read it. I made many copies of Young's reflection on Luke 18 to share with others, and from that day onward constantly asked Jesus to remove "This awful Squatter" who had taken up uninvited residence inside of me. Those of you who know me know that Jesus listened to my constant pleading, like the woman's in the story, and I am now seven years in remission. To this day my gratitude knows no bounds, and I know that God's plan for me is to constantly remind others of Jesus's promise, "Ask and you shall receive, seek and you shall find, knock and it shall be opened unto you." Just remember Jesus loves our constant petitions and wants us to keep asking Him for His help over and over again.

When I was reminded that this piece reflecting on Luke 18 for the *Villager* was due, I didn't remember having promised to write about this particular Gospel. Then, our son called this weekend, and said the lump he thought was a hernia is instead a growth on his kidney. Is Jesus again telling me something? I told my son I was having a Mass said for him, (whose Gospel turns out to be Luke 18), and to read that scripture as our family first read it seven years ago when I was diagnosed with cancer.

Cribari Masses: 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. **Homebound communions:** Marilyn Rodman 408-274-4521. **Mass intentions,** Jean Gillette 408-270-5723.

Respect Life Month: Responding to Bishop Cantu's words, "It is not enough to claim we are for life; we must be the hands and feet of Christ working to make it a reality," please participate in our Baby Bottle Fundraiser. Take home a baby bottle from the 8:15 Mass, fill with loose coins, bills or check. Return before October 25. Proceeds support Real Options, an organization dedicated to assisting women in crisis and unexpected pregnancies by offering counseling, support, and alternatives.

VILLAGES JEWISH COMMUNITY

Ner Tamid 10-13

By Arnie Pinck, VJC President

*NER TAMID (Heb. נֵר תָּמִיד; "eternal lamp") is a light which burns perpetually in front or above the ark in synagogues. The Ner Tamid is important to the Jews because it shows that G-D is always with us. Originally the Ner Tamid, had a wick burning in olive oil. Today, it is usually an electric bulb. The Ner Tamid has also been interpreted as being a symbol of G-d's presence amid Israel (B'nai Yisrael children of Israel).

In the story of Chanukah, when the Jews wanted to light the Ner Tamid, they found only enough oil for one night. But through a miracle, it lasted eight nights.

The Villages Jewish Community (VJC) has an Ark that is only used during the High Holidays, Rosh Hashanah, and Yom Kippur, due to logistic issues. This year, a new member, Diane Ruben, made a cover for our Ner Tamid, originally just a light bulb. The picture not only shows our new Ner Tamid, but it also shows our opened ark with the Torah, dressed for the High Holidays.

Shona Tova

*Source Eisenstein, Dinim, 273-4; L. Yarden, Tree of Light (1971), index, s.v.Eternal Light. Courtesy of Google.

The Villages Jewish Community was formed, to meet the spiritual and social needs of Jews living in The Villages. We offer eight Shabbat Services per year, "The Days of AWE" (High Holidays) Tashlich, and a Passover seder. These services are led by Rabbi Annette Koch. In addition, we offer a Chanukah Party and a Membership Brunch. We have members of all Jewish persuasions.

For more information, contact Joyce Mendel at 408-238-7316 or emendel2@gmail.com



SPORTS NEWS

SWINGERS

By Mary Wagle

Since greens aeration was starting on the back nine on Monday, October 3, and the entire course on Tuesday, October 4, Swingers were allowed to play the front nine on Monday. It was a beautiful day for golf, and the new Player Assistant, Rick Tobler, did a fabulous job helping us chase off numerous non-golfing walkers, dealing with a turkey carcass on hole #5, and chasing a coyote off hole #7. Swingers want to give Rick kudos for all that he does marshalling our course. Congratulations to Emily Li for her birdie on hole #6, and chip-ins on Hole #5 for Linda Curyea and #9 for Charlotte Waugh.

The entire month of October, we'll have a contribution box in the Posting Room for checks to our Charity of Choice, Next Door Solutions. If you didn't already contribute, there's still time.

Barbara Sunseri is arranging a super scary Halloween Cha, Cha, Cha Tournament and Luncheon on October 25. Registrations will be online at swingers9.org. The cost of lunch for a Panera sandwich, potato salad, and dessert is \$15. There will be prizes for costumes at each table; however, we want you to go to lunch even if you're dressed as a golfer! Captain's Trophy playoffs on the front and back nine will be on November 1, so winners for the months of January through October will be contacted and invited to participate.

Did You Know? Before the recent rule change, when your ball accidentally hit you or your equipment, it was a one stroke penalty. The rule has changed and there is no longer a penalty for that.

SHONIS

By Fran Schumaker

This week's article (which I published in 2020), will focus on the Shoni's archival past. I thought it might be fun for the newer Shonis to know a bit about our history. I call the article "A Blast From The Past":

As early as 1974, the Short-Niners (Shonis) were part of the Swingers. The Swingers assumed responsibility for all the accounting and paperwork of the Shonis. Both groups met on Tuesday mornings, playing their respective courses. In 2000-01, it was decided to split into two separate groups. For the first time, the Shonis were totally responsible for themselves. We elected a full set of officers, used our own handicap system developed by Clyne Soley and took on all the other responsibilities that go along with being an independent club here at The Villages. General meetings were held five times a year. They are still known as "bag lunches." Our next one is coming up on October 18 in Montgomery Center. The doors open at 11:30 for lunch and socializing. The meeting begins at 12 noon.

Today, the Shonis continue to be an active and friendly group of women playing on the Par 3 Course on Tuesday mornings. If we are what you might be looking for, please give Membership Chairperson, Bonnie Evans, a call at 408-504-7958 or Shoni Captain, Fran Schumaker, at 408-355-3270.

TENNIS TALK

By Betty Olsen

It was a beautiful weekend of tennis watching or participating in the Tennis Club's mixed doubles tournament. The finals on Sunday were especially fun to watch because they were all so close it was hard to keep track of who was ahead!

Mixed A: First place Brett Foreman/Cheryl Diltz, second place Paul Spisar/Peggy Seidel, third place Harry Soin/Julie Hawkinson.

Mixed B: First place: Tim Keys/Joy Rem, second place: Tracy Scott/Suzi Hathaway, third place: Marty Funcell/Donna Gilmour. Marty/Donna vs Rick Tedeschi/Farida Fletcher takes the prize for the longest match lasting over three hours!

Mixed 80+: First place: Martin Hoek/Claire Hintergardt, second place Gene and Shirley Mariana. I think Shirley had the largest cheering section with two brothers and families arriving to cheer.

The weekend ended with the awards dinner at Foothill with a tasty barbecue buffet followed by awards. Many people need to be thanked for their help with the dinner. First of all, Akiko for all of her technical help navigating registration and billing, Tina for all of the decorations and photos, Linda Dumont for dinner organization with me, and the volunteers who served the food and everyone's help with clean up.

USTA Update: Betty Olsen's 6.5W team is consistent with no wins ... but they are still having fun being back in competition! Ken Kine's 7.0M team is barely better with only one win ... and they are having fun, too! Next home games: October 27 (Thursday) at 10:45 a.m. for the women and October 28 (Friday) at 10:45 a.m. for the men. Come down to the courts and cheer them on!



80+ mixed doubles competitors Martin Hoek/Claire Hintergardt (first), Gene and Shirley Mariana (second).



Left: Three-hour match survivors Rick Tedeschi/Farida Fletcher and Donna Gilmour/Marty Funcell. Right: A division winners Cheryl Diltz/Brett Foreman.



IRONMEN

By Bill Travis

The Ironmen are in morning play, gathering every Thursday morning at 10 a.m. with a shotgun start, sweeps, birdie pool, and closest to the pin. This Thursday, October 6, 2022, was sunny and warm, really a perfect day for some golf. It was the first day of our next Club Championship year. We had a good turnout and everyone that played began the day tied for first place in the standings. The results are as follows:

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

Second place went to Jim Schlosser with a net score of 25.

Third place there was a four-way tie among Michael Schwerin, Dave Hathaway, Walter Lucas, and Patrick McMordie, each with a net score of 26.

Lowest Gross Score: Al Bruno and Mike Schwerin, each with a gross score of 29.

There were seven birdies: Al Bruno birdied holes 5 and 7; Mario Silva birdied holes 2 and 7; David Cook birdied hole 2; Dave Hathaway birdied hole 3; and Jim Schlosser birdied hole 9.

Closest to the Pin on Hole 8: Jerry Juracich at 6'7" from the pin.

Deep thoughts:

"The rest of the field". - Roger Maltby, PGA Tour Professional, on being asked before the final round what he needed to shoot to win the tournament

"Hell, I'm going to make so much money this year, my caddy will make the top 20 money-winners list." - Lee Trevino, multiple Major tournament winner



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MEN'S GOLF CLUB



TABLE TENNIS

By Doug Moore douglas.moore865@gmail.com

Upcoming Events

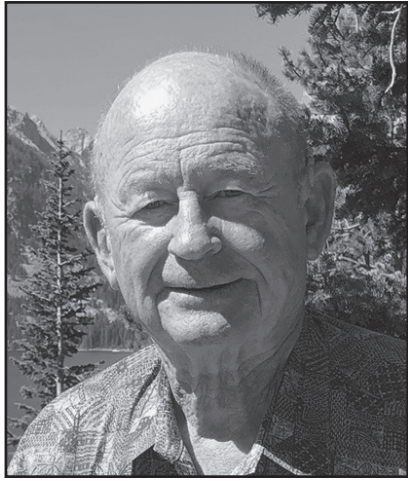
October 15 - Fall Classic & Annual Meeting is tomorrow! Have some big fun guys, and I sincerely hope you all come in second.

November 12 - Veterans Day Tournament

December 3 - Holiday Tournament

Message from the General Chairman, David "Baci" Bacigalupi: "I am happy to announce the results of the recent election for the 2023 Men's Golf Club Executive Committee. No ballots were needed as: **Donald Chaisson, Clayton Krinard** and **Bill Morefield** were elected in an Uncontested Election and ratified by the Executive Committee at the October 4, 2022, Committee meeting. See their bios in last week's article.

I want to thank the Nominating Committee of Gary Chappell, Rick Jiloty and George Olson for their work in obtaining some great candidates."



John Campbell got a Hole in One!

Eagle Shooters for September— How good are these guys? Yes they are really that good! They destroyed Hole #2 in September.

Marty Funcell recorded an Eagle 3 on Hole #2 on 9/4! Too cool!

David Gonzales made quick work of #2 too, on the very same day! On 9/4, it only took him 3 strokes to have his ball find the bottom of the cup.

Mike Tuft was in the "go zone" as soon as he stepped off of the tee box. It only took him 3 strokes to rattle his ball in the cup of Hole #2, one day later. There's still time to get some more and the "RCB" wishes you much continued success.

Way to go, gents!

Age Shooters for September—We actually have some new names to post in this section!

Please welcome **Ben Vitkof** back to this section. He earned his spot by shooting an 84 on the 3rd.

Mr. "Pres" Miranda never gets tired of doing this. He managed to record an 82 on the 3rd as well! He also shot an 83 on 9/17. One gets the feeling that he will do this forever?

And look at **Hal Hallock** making this course look easy by posting a 75 on 9/7.

Bob Dolci went really low on the 19th, by shooting a sizzling 71. Very impressive, sir!

Larry Angel has done it once again. He posted a 79 on 9/21! (The Autumnal Equinox may have played some strange part in the final score)

And here he is again! **Dave Dimmick** shot a fabulous 73 on 9/23...and he did it blind folded!

We hope you men continue to do this for many years to come!

All of you gents are amazing and we wish you many more low scores in your upcoming rounds! Remember if you record a Hole In One, an Eagle, or if you Shoot Your Age, please notify Ken Peters at kengpeters@gmail.com. We want to make sure to get you posted in the Villager and on the Men's Club website.

Golf Thoughts: *Every par-three hole in the world has a secret desire to humiliate golfers. The shorter the hole, the greater it's desire.*

Also, remember to visit our website at villagesgolfers.com for the latest Men's Golf Club information.

18-HOLE WOMEN

By Judy Rodriguez

We had an unusual golfing experience today! All 18 Holes were aerated and full of sand! And if that wasn't bad enough, just as we teed-off, a heavy layer of fog rolled onto the course and we couldn't see anything! Everyone agreed this was not a pleasant golfing day, but a small number of ladies did their very best! There were only three Birdies-Monica on #9 and #18 and Kitty Ohtaka #6. There was another Birdie on hole #18, but the member failed to write her name in the book! And chip-ins-only two, so the whole pot was split between Lila Esfahami and Janet Gonzales. Way to go girls! Oh, and Nancy Keane broke 90 last week. Congratulations Nancy!

Lots of fun events are happening in October. **The Village Challenge** had their first play day on Tuesday. Please check the Posting Room for our **Club Membership Roster**. Make sure everything is correct, then initial by your name. Also in the Posting Room is the sign-up sheet for **2023 Committees and Tournaments**. Remember it takes a village to keep our organization running so smoothly. So please help out! The last Thursday of October, the 27th, is our annual **Halloween/Charity Tournament** created by Patti Bell, Mazie Rice, Pat Sear, and Mary Jo O'Neill. Get a foursome together and sign up on Chelsea. The game is a modified two best balls played from the #2 Tees! Wear Halloween clothes and decorate your carts. The most important part of this special day is our chance to donate to **The American Cancer Society**. Write checks to ACS and place it in an orange envelope!

Co-Captain, Gloria Landry, told us what a great job our new Player Assistant is doing on the golf course. Introduce yourself to **Rick Tobler** (Renee Woolard's husband) and please tell him thank you for all the help and assistance he is providing to all golfers. We enjoy having you, Rick!

Fall is a beautiful season. Here's a lovely thought from an unknown author-"Autumn shows us how beautiful it is to let things go!" Happy golfing!



By Kevin Prest

The Villages Table Tennis Club's recent social event included a casual ladies tournament. As can be seen in the attached montage of player images, casual describes the level of formality but it does not come close to describing the intensity, spirit and enthusiasm with which these ladies played. Thanks to Lin Zhang for capturing these images in the middle of the action and creating the montage, easily worth a thousand words. From left to right, top to bottom we have Michelle Prest, Joy Chen, Jingci Wang, Shirin Shirazi, Jan Kiernan, Ling Lu Yamaki, Yaming Wang, and Josephine Chan. Great play, ladies!

BOCCE NEWS



By Barbara Orlando

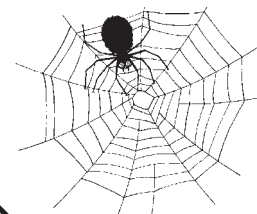
Elections for new board members for the Bocce Club are coming on November 6. The board has several positions open and need to be filled for 2023. Positions open are Secretary, Treasurer, Publicity and Social. We are very fortunate to have members who volunteer their talents and time for the furtherment of the game of bocce.

Please go to the club's website at villagesbocceclub.com to view job descriptions for the board positions open. Questions can be directed to me at 408-300-1230 or ormuh2@comcast.net or Wayne Weiler at 404-431-8936 or wweiler6@gmail.com.

Also, get your costume and spooky treat ready for Bash on Friday, October 28. See poster below.

Bocce "Halloween" Bash Last Bash of the Season

- Come join us on Friday, October 28 from 3 to 5 p.m.
- Everyone is welcome, you needn't be a Bocce Club member to participate.
- We are planning a costume contest with prizes.
- Bring along your favorite drink and a spooky Halloween snack to share.
- Meet old and new friends and enjoy the afternoon.
- Courts are ADA accessible and bathrooms are located adjacent to courts.



More SPORTS

Taco Taco Taco

Please join the Bocce Club on Wednesday, October 26, 2022 for Tacos from 3-7 p.m. at Gazebo Park



To attend, please contact Barbara at 408-300-1230 or orlmuh2@comcast.net and reserve your spot for the price of \$20 for members and \$25 for non-members. You will be sent a confirmation by email and your house number will be billed.

Menu: 3 Taco Meat choices: Chicken, Beef and Tilapia (fish) with grilled onion, peppers, Chipotle sauce, mild green and red salsa, chopped cilantro, onions and radish.

Rice and Refried Beans • Cantaloupe or Watermelon drink • Churros

Music by Ed Knott

Complimentary drinks or bring your favorite non-alcoholic beverage and enjoy the late afternoon with teammates and friends!

Signups begin Monday, October 3 and end Thursday, October 20. **No refunds** after October 20.

PINSEEKERS

By Jim White

Fall is coming to The Villages. At least it's trying to get here. Forecast for the coming week has the afternoons with temperatures staying in the mid-80s through at least October 14 and possibly longer. No worry, unlike our fellow East Cost and Midwestern golfaholics, our golf season runs for the entire 12 months every year.

October 7 welcomed 18 Pinseekers to starting at Hole Number 10. Don Lee nearly "lapped the field" with a net 32, four under par, good for four Championship points and \$4 in sweeps. In second, at even par 36, earning 3 championship points and \$3 in sweeps was Tom Carson. Third place was grabbed by Martin Hoek with a one over par 37 and 2 Championship points with \$2 Sweeps. Wrapping up the "victory stand" grouping was a five-way tie with Dick Henderson, Will Ector, Patrick McMordie, Larry Milligan and Jim Keane, each earning one championship point and \$1 sweeps.

Wrapping up today with more wisdom from Arnold Palmer; "Golf is deceptively simple and endlessly complicated. It satisfies the soul and frustrates the intellect. It is at the same time rewarding and maddening – and, it is without a doubt, the greatest game mankind has ever invented." Thank you, Arnie.

FROM THE PRO



By Scott Steele, PGA Head Golf Professional

Saturday, October 15 – Men's Club Tournament 8 a.m. Shotgun – 1 p.m. Open Shotgun

Fall Aeration & Inter-seeding – October/November

Tees Aeration - Monday 10/17/22 and Tuesday 10/18/22

Fairway Aeration - Friday 10/28/22 - Friday 11/18/22

Fairway Inter-seed - Monday 10/31/22 - Wednesday 11/23/22

Callaway Fitting Day—Saturday, October 29 10 a.m.-2 pm. To sign up for a Callaway Club Fitting, call the Pro Shop at (408) 274-3220 ex 1. No purchase required. Come out and try the Callaway Rogue St and Rogue St. Max as used by John Rahm, Xander Schauffele, Si Woo Kim and Sam Burns. Guaranteed to improve your game!

Daylight – Sundown – Tee Times in October - Due to a later sunrise and an earlier sunset in October, daily first and last tee times will be adjusted accordingly. In early October the first tee time on Wednesday, Friday and weekends will be 7 a.m.; and the last tee time will be 5 p.m. As the month of October progresses the first tee time on Wednesday, Friday and weekends will move to 7:09, then 7:18, then 7:27 at the end of the month.

Daylight Savings ends Sunday, November 6—On November 6 we will set our clocks back one hour so the first tee times will be earlier again as we move into the winter months. The last tee time each day will be 4 p.m. and the Pro Shop will close at 4:30 p.m. Chelsea will be adjusted accordingly.

Golf Cart Charging Stations – This project is approximately one week behind schedule. They are working on final electrical installation before they will install the charger stations. Once the charger stations are installed they will be connected to the new electrical source. At that time the City of San Jose will inspect the final product before we go live sometime in the second or third week of October. Once the install of the golf cart charger stations is completed, we will start working on new landscaping to beautify this area.

2023 Golf Calendar of Events— The 2023 golf calendar of events is 90 percent completed. Once completed in November, we will be posting the calendar on the Villages Website. Always remember that the annual calendar of events is a live document and can be modified at any time. **Be sure to save these major tournament dates in 2023:**

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|----------------|-------------------------------------|
| March 10-12 | Men's Club Member-Member |
| May 11, 18, 25 | 18-Hole Women's Handicap Tournament |
| June 13 | Swingers Invitational |
| June 22-23 | 18-Hole Women's Invitational |
| July 13-15 | Men's Club Invitational |
| August 10, 17 | 18-Hole Women's Member-Member |
| October 1 | Couples Invitational |

Tips from the Pro— Are you "plugged in"?

One feature of The Villages golf course is that we have many greenside sand bunkers to challenge not only your approach accuracy, but also your short game skills around the greens. One reality of a well bunkered golf course such as ours is that eventually you will run into a buried lie in a greenside bunker. So how does one play a buried lie from a greenside bunker? The answer is NOT the same as a good lie in the sand. First realize that the bounce on the sole that helps the club glide and bounce instead of dig into the sand no longer helps us in a buried lie. When our ball is buried, we want the sand wedge to dig into the sand so we can get the ball out; therefore keep the clubface square or even a bit closed at address to promote the leading edge digging into the sand. The swing must be long and speedy as it takes more speed to excavate a buried ball than one on top of the sand; so make a long, firm swing. Focus on a spot in the sand directly behind the ball as the standard 2-4 inches behind the ball for a flat bunker shot no longer applies when the ball is buried. Lastly most balls bury in the face of the bunker, not the bottom, so be sure on the uphill lie that you dig in and get balanced so you can deliver the club with speed...also realize that swinging into the face of the bunker will prohibit a long follow through, so focus on accelerating into the ball and "sticking" the wedge into the sand behind the ball. To sign up for a lesson with Scott, email him at ssteele@the-villages.com



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SCOREBOARD

Community Chapel...

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lining or light at the end of the tunnel.

The weather personnel can warn us of the impending danger of an approaching storm, which would allow us to take precautions for safety. However, storms in our lives seem to come out of nowhere and sometimes with no apparent signs or warnings. For example, people have retired from work life, anticipating continued good health which would enable them to enjoy their long-awaited plans. To their surprise the doctors have discovered a major health problem that cancels everything they had planned to enjoy in retirement.

In life, storms may come to change the direction of our path and this can renew our hope for a brighter day. Sometimes the things that happen in life can work for our good even when we don't understand the reason why or how. At times we need to slow down and reevaluate what is most important in our lives, while moving forward with eternity in view. If there is a storm in your life... take hope and courage because storms do not last forever.

As a Christian, we must live in a state of readiness to reach our eternal destiny. Every person realizes that life, as we have experienced it, will someday end and we must prepare for our exit. It can be a joyful occasion when you have been instrumental in empowering others with love and forgiveness to have an eternal perspective of life.

Matthew 25:13 TLB So stay awake and be prepared, for you do not know the date or moment of my return.

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. You can view sermons on You Tube: Villages Community Chapel San Jose.

Donate your old golf cart to the VMA

You know you want to get a new cart, but what do you do with the old one? You don't have the time or any interest to fix it up. You absolutely don't want to put any money into it. You need to make room for the new one that's arriving in a few days.

The answer is simple... **donate that beauty to the VMA!**

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 office (408-238-4230) to put your name on the waiting list.

And please remember that the VMA also graciously accepts donations of cars!

When you can, take some time to visit the VMA website. You'll be amazed at all of the helpful information that you possibly may not have been aware of. **Visit vmavillages.org**

BOCCE

Fall Round Robin Tournament 2022 Week #4 Monday, October 3

10 a.m.	Agitators 7-1	Goobahs 4-4
	Pallino Pranksters 2-6	Bocce Loopies 3-5
3 p.m.	Bloodbath & Beyond 5-3	Sharpshooters 3-5
	Blew By You 2-6	Silent Assassins 6-2

Wednesday, October 5

10 a.m.	La Bocce Vita 3-3	We Bring the Heat 3-5
	A Stones Throw Away 6-2	Otto Amici 2-4
12:30 p.m.	Bocce Busters 3-5	Bocce Pals 6-2
	Fun Club 4-4	Baabooloos 3-5
3 p.m.	Fireballs 8-0	New Beginnings 4-4
	Pallino Pals 2-6	Bocce Cruisers 2-6

Thursday, October 6

10 a.m.	Ladybugs & Bullfrogs 5-3	Merry Bocce Band 2-6
	Happy Friends 6-2	Bocce Wizardry 3-5
3 p.m.	Friskies 4-4	Bocce Queens & Bill 3-5
	Take the One 5-3	Roll Baby Roll 4-4

18-HOLE WOMEN

Thursday, October 6

First Flight
Low gross: Monica Sanholtz 81
Low net: Vicky Krattli 73

Second Flight

Low gross: Mary Ann Diridon 97
Low net:
1. Karen Davidsen 72
2. Kitty Ohtaka 74
3. Jay Lee 75

Third Flight

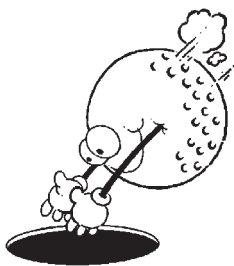
Low gross: Inga McQuiddy 103
Low net:
1. Shirin Shirazi 75
2. Judy Rodriguez 76

2 Tees First Flight

Low gross: Kathy Apgar 102
Low net: Valerie Dimmick 78

2 Tees Second Flight

Low gross: Alice Glazer 106
Low net:
1. Sumi Minami 78
2. Sylvia Rozewicz 79



BRIDGE

Monday, October 3: 1. Jan Kiernan - Sumi Minami 2. Jonna Robinson - Roy Tsai 3. Mary LeGrand - Lorrie Scott

Friday, October 7: 1. Mary LeGrand and guest 2. Jonna Robinson - Roy Tsai 3. Roger Lasson - George Welch

MEXICAN TRAIN DOMINOS

Wednesday, October 5

Tony Rivera 162
Shirley Bellavance 209
Maribeth Berlie 259


Friday, October 7

Sandra Gardiner 201
Joan Maxwell 201
Shirley Bellavance 218
Maribeth Berlie 220



Remember your loved one with a memorial gift to EVF

Please remember the Evergreen Villages Foundation (EVF) when you are considering a memorial gift in honor of a loved one. The EVF sends a lovely acknowledgement from you. www.evfsj.org



LIBRARY USED BOOK SALE

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

Remember someone with a memorial gift to VMA

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

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LANDSCAPE & MAINTENANCE

MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE

Cribari

5001-5076—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.
5001-5058, 5059-5089, 5090-5129, 5130-5153, 5185-5209, 5210-5233 and 5234-5249—Front door painting in progress.
Cribari Glen—Dry rot repairs in progress with painting to follow.
5250-5257 and 5271-5282—Painting project in progress with front door painting to follow.
5258-5270—Painting scheduled to start 10/17.

Del Lago

3101-3134 and 3201-3243—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.
3301-3315—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 11/21-11/25.
E4 Lake—Dead tree removal in planning.

Estates

8809-8875—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 10/17-10/21.

Fairway

4001-4024—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 11/14-11/18.

Glen Arden

7698-7752 and 7753-7787 (odd)—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 10/31-11/4.
Beltane Drive—Jet mulch installation scheduled for the week of 10/24.
7746, 7748, 7753, 7755, 7757 and 7750, 7752, 7827, 7829, 7831—Painting project in progress.
7792, 7794, 7863, 7865 and 7867—Dry rot repairs in progress.

Heights

8480-8505—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 10/24-10/28.

Hermosa

8005-8032, 8100-8121 and Chardonnay Lake area—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 10/24-10/28
8421 and 8430—Dry rot repairs in progress.
8366-8383—Painting project in progress.
8398-8409—Pressure washing scheduled to start 10/14.
8073—Re-plumb scheduled to start 10/10.

Highland

7500-7573—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.
7600-7660, 7711-7715 and 7880-7889—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 10/17-10/21.
Morevern Cir.—Dead tree removal in planning.
Portree Drive—Replacing three street light poles in planning.
Lighting replacement project in progress throughout the district.

Montgomery

6001-6068 and 6127-6136—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 10/17-10/21.
6131—Dry rot repairs in progress.

Olivas

8600-8645, 8651-8664 and Vineyard Center—Landscape maintenance and weed control, in progress.
8740-8752, 8769-8807 and Foothill Center—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 11/14-11/18.
Grape Wagon Circle—Jet mulch installation scheduled for the week of 10/24.
8600-86923—Lighting replacement project in progress.

Sonata

2000-2024 and 2032-2064—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 11/14-11/18.

Valle Vista

9037-9047 and 9067-9072—Landscape maintenance and weed control in progress.
Parks and banks—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 10/17-10/21.

Verano

7001-7060 and 7395-7404—Landscape maintenance and weed control, 11/14-11/18.
Via Piedra and Via Granja—Jet mulch installation scheduled for the week of 10/24.

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.
Supplemental deep root watering injections to stressed trees in progress throughout the Villages.
Turf white grub spot treatment in progress throughout the Villages.

Club Centers

Pro Shop—Golf cart charging station installation and landscape planting repairs in progress.
Golf course lake renovation near the 18th tee in progress.
Tennis Courts 1-4—Resurfacing in progress.
Foothill, Montgomery and Cribari Pool—Closing for winter 11/1.

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.

'Office Hours'...

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the Auditorium) from 10 a.m. -12 p.m. Tickets are \$20 each and can be charged to your house or paid by cash. There is a discount of 10 percent if you have a meal at the clubhouse on the day of the show you attend (reservations required).

Tickets will also be available to purchase either via e-mail (tickets@the-vat.org) or call 408- 228-3246 from Saturday afternoon through Wednesday October 19. Please provide first

and last name, house number, amount of reserved tickets desired for which performance(s) and if anyone in your party is using a walker or wheelchair (this impacts seat location). You will receive a call back or e-mail confirmation. Tickets will be at the Will Call table in Cribari Center lobby 30 minutes before the performance starts.

This is a fun adult comedy with 15 of our talented VAT actors. Bring a friend and be ready to laugh!

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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.



Report Irrigation Issues

Please report broken sprinklers or other irrigation repair issues by calling Maintenance Customer Service at 408-223-4670 or online at: workorder@the-villages.com

For after hours or on holidays, contact Public Safety at 408-223-4665

Association Annual Statements of Compliance

Arriving in October for residents of The Villages Association (condos) are the annual Association Smoke, CO Detectors and Insurance Statements of Compliance.

Association (Condos Only) Smoke, CO Detectors, and Insurance Statements of Compliance: In order to fulfill the requirements of The Villages Association Policies APo 408 Smoke Detectors Installation, Maintenance, Repair and Replacement, and APo 410 Carbon Monoxide (CO) Detectors, each owner is required to inspect (or have inspected by a third party) his/her villa on an annual basis to ensure their detector(s) are in working order and in addition, all Association residents (renters and owners) must provide a certification of insurance that complies with the Association CC&Rs and Association Policy APo 409 Home Owner & Resident Insurance Requirements and Verification.

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

All Association condo owners must maintain property and liability coverage (commonly referred to as HO6) plus loss assessment coverage. Renters must maintain liability coverage (commonly referred to as HO4) and property coverage in an amount deemed appropriate by the renter. Both parties are required to provide a certificate of insurance that complies with the CC&Rs.

The policies listed above and the specifics on The Villages insurance guidelines and requirements are available on The Villages website at the following address links:

Insurance Guidelines: <https://resident.thevillagesgcc.com/private/insurance>

Policies: APo 408 Smoke Detectors <https://resident.thevillagesgcc.com/private/apo408>

APo 409 Insurance <https://resident.thevillagesgcc.com/private/apo409>

APo 410 CO Detectors <https://resident.thevillagesgcc.com/private/apo410>

The deadline to complete and return the Smoke, CO Detectors, and Insurance Compliance forms (for condo residents) is on or before November 4, 2022. You may either drop it in the deposit box located in the parking lot just outside of Building A or mail the completed document and any attachments back to us at:

The Villages Association
Attention: Association Compliance
5000 Cribari Lane
San Jose, CA 95135

We appreciate you taking the time to complete and return these important forms. Please be assured that the information that you provide is used strictly for the Corporation's records and to document compliance with the Association's governing documents.

Thank you for assistance with this very important matter.

Coyote reminder and tips

Coyotes may try to escort walkers out of an area to protect their pups or food sources when encountered on a trail or street. Humans may perceive this behavior as stalking, which is usually not the case. They may also view your pet as prey. To allow coyotes to be wild while keeping yourself and pets safe, please follow these pointers:

- Never feed coyotes—it is illegal to feed coyotes in most places. Feeding endangers your family and neighbors because it lures coyotes into neighborhoods.
- Keep unattended cats and dogs indoors or in completely enclosed runs, especially at night, and do not assume that a fence will keep a coyote out of your backyard.
- Accompany your leashed pet outside. Make sure you turn on lights if it is dark to check your backyard for unexpected wildlife.
- **Keep dogs on short leashes while walking outside; the Division of Wildlife recommends a leash no longer than 6 feet.**
- Keep noisemakers on hand to scare away coyotes that may enter your yard. Some examples of noise makers are whistles, horns or metal cans with small rocks or coins that rattle.
- Never run away or turn your back on a coyote.
- Do not allow a coyote to get between you and your pet or child—keep children close to you.
- Yell, clap hands, blow a whistle or rattle a can and try to make yourself look larger if you have a close encounter with a coyote.
- An empty soda can with pennies sealed with duct tape makes a very good noise maker when shaken.

Reminder to all small pet owners: A recent rise in coyote aggression has been seen with small dogs, most unleashed. **Please always leash your pets. Keep leashes short.** Coyotes will try to get between you and your pet if the leash is extended far enough. Coyotes are known to attack leashed dogs when the owner gets distracted. Please stay cautious and aware of your surroundings when cleaning up after your pet, talking to a neighbor, checking the mail, etc. Coyotes are opportunists and may make their attacks when you are not paying attention.

Carry a noise maker and always be alert. Use caution when walking past wooded areas, hiding spots between homes, and the golf course. They are widespread in The Villages and can truly be anywhere.

There is no way to completely eliminate coyotes from The Villages, so always use caution when walking, especially with pets. Also, coyotes tend to be most active around sunrise and sunset. Pick different times for walks.

Please report all coyote sightings to Public Safety and Vector Control at the email addresses listed below.

Report Coyote Activity

Please report all coyote sightings to Public Safety and Vector Control at the email addresses listed below:

- Director of Public Safety Steve Norden at snorden@the-villages.com and include in email the location day and time of the sighting.
- Contact for Vector Control is Vector.sccgov.org/home. Residents can use this to report coyote / wildlife incidents directly to the county.

Slice of Humor



A woman reports her husband's disappearance to the police. They ask for a description.

She says, "He's 6' 3" tall, well-built, with thick, curly hair."

Her friend says, "What are you talking about? He is 5' 4" tall, bald, and has a huge belly."

She says, "Who wants that one back?"



VMA Bingo & Dinner



Wednesday October 19, 2022

Reservations Now Being Taken

No Host Cocktails at 5:30pm

Two Course Served Dinner:

Assorted Rolls & Butter

Chicken Lemonada

Mashed Potatoes & Seasonal Vegetables

Dessert:

Brownie ala Mode

\$24.94 Plus Service Charge & Tax per guest

An Additional \$1 is Then Added for VMA

Come join us for Bingo & Dinner at the Clubhouse on Wednesday October 19. Room will be limited to 24 tables with a cap of 8 guests per table.

Reservations can be made by calling The Clubhouse Special Event Line at 408-754-1339 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



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 28 Years Experience
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 seniors at the Villages in
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Caregivers 24/7 Excellent Services
Experienced, Reliable, Trustworthy
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References Available
Serving Villagers for 15 years
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Screens \$200
408-393-3177
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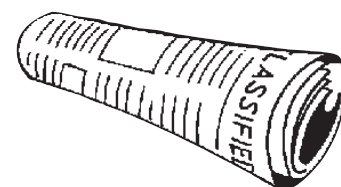
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Live-in/Hourly
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Andy's Shoe Repair
2850 Quimby Road
Suite 100

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ITEMS FOR SALE

Estate Sale
8477 Grenache Court

Sunday, October 16
10AM - 3PM

Miscellaneous items:
women's clothing, furniture,
kitchenware,
holiday decor, books etc...

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Certified private care assistant/caregiver

17 years in The Villages,
Excellent Referrals
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Caregiver
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Hourly/Live-in/Overnight
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areed@the-villages.com
Scott Hinrichs: 408-223-4655
shinrichs@the-villages.com

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**"#1 REAL ESTATE AGENT
IN VILLAGES SALES
YEAR AFTER YEAR"**



SEPTEMBER SALES REPORT FOR ALL HOMES IN THE VILLAGES

Status	Street Address	Total Sq.Ft.	Beds	Bths	List Price	DOM	Sale \$	\$/Per. SqFt	Close Date
Active	8670 French Oak Drive	1,675	2	2 1	\$1,175,000	24		\$701.49	
Active	3405 Lake Garda Drive	1,776	2	2 1	\$1,100,000	2		\$619.37	
Active	3331 Lake Albano Circle	1,776	2	2 1	\$1,100,000	34		\$619.37	
Active	3357 Bolsena Court	1,776	2	2 1	\$958,000	12		\$539.41	
Active	7553 Morevern Circle	1,751	2	2 1	\$949,000	22		\$541.98	
Active	3223 Lake Albano Circle	1,457	2	2 0	\$928,850	43		\$637.51	
Active	6140 Montgomery Place	1,740	3	2 0	\$899,000	1		\$516.67	
Active	7690 Galloway Drive	1,509	2	2 0	\$888,000	33		\$588.47	
Active	7528 Morevern Circle	1,509	2	2 0	\$869,950	31		\$576.51	
Active	7235 Via Mimosa	1,815	2	2 0	\$849,000	8		\$467.77	
Active	6284 Blauer Lane	1,496	2	2 0	\$825,000	108		\$551.47	
Active	7732 Kilmarnok Drive	1,490	2	2 0	\$799,000	94		\$536.24	
Active	6242 Gerdt Drive	1,526	2	2 0	\$775,000	2		\$507.86	
Active	7300 Via Granja	1,442	2	2 0	\$729,000	116		\$505.55	
Active	6354 Whaley Drive	1,197	2	2 0	\$699,000	83		\$583.96	
Active	6197 Gerdt Drive	1,197	2	2 0	\$695,000	2		\$580.62	
Active	5504 Cribari Bend	1,240	2	2 0	\$595,000	82		\$479.84	
Active	5155 Cribari Knolls	1,240	2	2 0	\$518,000	62		\$417.74	
Sold	5520 Cribari Circle	947	1	1 0	\$475,000	38	\$460,000	\$485.74	9/21/2022
Sold	6002 Montgomery	650	1	1 0	\$469,000	97	\$460,000	\$707.69	9/28/2022
Sold	5363 Cribari Dell	1,240	2	2 0	\$449,850	19	\$460,700	\$371.53	9/12/2022
Sold	5239 Cribari Hills	1,223	2	2 0	\$528,000	31	\$500,000	\$408.83	9/8/2022
Sold	5186 Cribari Hills	1,223	2	2 0	\$519,000	8	\$525,000	\$429.27	9/26/2022
Sold	5056 Cribari Vale	1,240	2	2 0	\$535,000	0	\$535,000	\$431.45	9/14/2022
Sold	5068 Cribari Bluffs	1,223	2	2 0	\$538,000	18	\$535,000	\$437.45	9/9/2022
Sold	5559 Cribari Circle	1,223	2	2 0	\$575,000	17	\$556,000	\$454.62	9/1/2022
Sold	6320 Whaley Drive	1,102	2	2 0	\$720,000	13	\$720,000	\$653.36	9/15/2022
Sold	8409 Chenin Blanc Lane	1,497	2	2 0	\$757,000	27	\$720,700	\$481.43	9/27/2022
Sold	7841 Prestwick Circle	1,265	2	2 0	\$734,950	5	\$725,000	\$573.12	9/1/2022
Sold	6268 Blauer Lane	1,526	2	2 0	\$799,888	23	\$785,000	\$514.42	9/27/2022
Sold	7326 Via Laguna	1,568	2	2 0	\$779,000	7	\$800,000	\$510.20	9/15/2022
Sold	2089 Mataro Way	1,629	2	2 0	\$899,000	66	\$900,100	\$552.55	9/2/2022
Sold	8890 Wine Valley Circle	2,256	2	2 1	\$1,000,000	28	\$1,139,500	\$505.10	9/28/2022
Sold	9006 Village View Drive	2,248	2	2 1	\$1,275,000	59	\$1,200,000	\$533.81	9/7/2022
Sold	8062 Chardonay Court	1,727	3	2 0	\$1,100,000	6	\$1,215,000	\$703.53	9/28/2022

	NUMBER OF SALES	TOTAL SQ. FT.	LIST PRICE AVERAGES	DOM	SALE \$	\$/PER SQ.FT.
Active	18	1,534	\$852,878	42		\$554.00
Cont/Pend	7	1,491	\$762,263	18		\$50,995.00
Sold	17	1,399	\$719,824	27	\$719,824	\$515.00

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#1 REALTOR IN VILLAGES SALES & RENTALS - YOUR LOCAL REALTOR AND RESIDENT



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408.659.0001**



Planning an estate, moving or garage sale?

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

Homeowner Rule 3.2.10, Estate and Garage Sales states: 3.2.10 Estate and garage sales are permitted subject to the following:

A. A permit for the sale shall be obtained from the Public Safety Office prior to holding the sale and placement of advertising.

Also, effective July 1, 2012, all estate and garage sales in the Association will require a permit. The owner of the property must request the permit from Public Safety Administration in Building C.

The Villages Association Rule 2.02. 5., Residence Use and Occupancy Restrictions applies:

5. Estate and garage sales are permitted subject to the following:

A. Public Safety will not allow entry to anyone who is not authorized by name in advance (Club Rule 1.01, Access to the Villages).

B. All sales activity and sale items must be contained within the residence or garage.

C. Sales maybe held only between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

D. Sales period may not exceed two days.

E. Only one sale per resident household per year will be permitted. In the event of the death of a resident of the unit, a subsequent estate sale will be permitted. A permit is required and can be obtained from Public Safety.

F. Residents may not use public media to invite members of the general public to attend estate or garage sales at The Villages.

In this context, "public media" includes the internet, social media such as Facebook and Twitter which will be seen by non-residents, and publications which circulate outside The Villages such as the Evergreen Times and Spotlight. Residents may post activities and notices on Next Door but must use the "Choose Neighbors: The Villages [only]" option.

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

OBITUARY

James S. Dyer, MD

March 20, 1940 – October 7, 2022



James (Jim) Dyer passed away on October 7, 2022 after sustaining injuries from a fall. Jim was raised in Erie, Pennsylvania and graduated with honors from Allegheny College and Jefferson Medical College, both in Pennsylvania. While completing an internship in Denver, Colorado, he met his wife of 54 years, Susan.

Jim served in the Air Force for three years near Tokyo, Japan. He and Susan eventually settled in San Jose where Jim practiced Family Medicine in Almaden Valley and later at Kaiser San Jose. In retirement, they divided their time between a summer home on Hood Canal in Washington, and The Villages in San Jose. They settled permanently at The Villages in 2017.

People who knew Jim spoke of him as a kind, good man and caring physician. He loved all things automobile, astronomy, opera and he was a serious News Junkie.

Jim is survived by his wife, Susan and his brother Herb (Sonia), a niece and two nephews.

Jim's life will be remembered and celebrated when friends gather for fine food and good conversation, when a certain piece of music touches you, and whenever a man with his dog bring a smile to your face.



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

The Villager Classified Ad Form

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Fill out your ad here. Be sure to include contact information. Phone numbers, email addresses, websites, and symbols (&, +, @, etc.) are counted as one word. Hyphenated words are counted as two words. Please print clearly. See other side for pricing information and specific details for your ad. For more information, please contact Adrienne at Areed@the-villages.com or 408-223-4657.

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- SERVICES
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 - Computers
 - Electrical
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 - Heating & A/C
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 - Remodeling

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

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(\$20 in addition to ad)
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- Legal/Professional
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- Moving/Storage
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- Repair/Handyperson
- Window Cleaning
- Tax/Finance/Insurance
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