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Good News!

Reports by Manager Skip Roberts and various committee heads at the Board of Directors meeting on May 7, revealed several items which can justly be called good news.

ITEM: The Recreation Center building has a new, larger air conditioning system, with adequate ducting, and a timing device to turn it off at night after evening affairs are finished, thereby saving energy. The roof was replaced completely at the same time.

ITEM: Plans have been approved for a pilot project to start within a month, to replace blacktop sidewalks in the Village with concrete. If the cost is feasible, a five year project will replace about one mile of sidewalk each year. Our own crews will do the work, starting near the recreation center.

ITEM: An ad hoc "Reserve Analysis" Committee to work with the Finance Committee was appointed. They will develop a proper technical/engineering basis for funding our reserves, in continuing compliance with state regulations. Don Holmes is chairman, Ed Donahue, Karl Joehnck, an Ed Salzer comprise the membership. They are expected to report to the Board by July 1.

ITEM: The Association has received a rebate of over \$40,000 on last year's Workmen's Compensation Insurance premium, because of reduced employee accident claims.

ITEM: According to John Lauten, V.20, funding has been received (about \$785,000, 3/4 from Federal Emergency Management Funds and 1/4 from

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TOWN HALL MEETING TONIGHT

(May 24, 1984)

7:30-----A.R.

TOPICS OF DISCUSSION:

Title Transfer of Common Areas from Leisure Tech. to L.V.A.

Clarification of Full Fire Insurance Coverage and C.C. & R's

Garden Plots

Swimming Pool

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Senior Legislature Report

By Joe Gaynes

The legislative sessions are being involved in many actions that have been the concern of seniors for many years, such as long-term care facilities, housing, transportation, mental health, medical cost, etc. Another area of deep concern in the state's unrealistic assessment of costs, flat allotments create serious shortfalls in areas where costs are high or where there are limited services.

With a rapidly growing population, the projections on needs will continue to grow; California and other western states must project increases. The eastern states with close-at-hand locked-in procedures and political entrenchments get their requests right on time--not including a diminish-

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Security Chief Selected



Photo by Miereanu

Rudy Schultz

As of June 4, L.V. will have a new Chief of Security. Manager Roberts has announced the selection of Rudy J. Schultz of Moorpark as head of our Security officers.

Schultz has been employed as Operations Lieutenant in Los Angeles County, with full administrative responsibilities for security of the Museum of Natural History and the George C. Page Museum, including a 23 acre park, but excluding the L.A. County Art Museum.

He has had responsibility for the supervision and training of officers under him, plus diverse security functions associated with the Museums and dignitaries visiting same.

Earlier experience includes service as ambulance driver/attendant with special medical seminars and medical training at U.C.L.A., Security Training with the U.S. Army, and on-going Peace Officer Training in L.A. County.

ing the fact that you were the first performing group in the Village and the inspiration for the various theatre groups that followed!

Now under the masterful direction of Lillian Skellenger they went through their paces in spirited unison, producing lively and rhythmic sounds with the newly developed temple blocks and sticks. Not in any way similar or competing with other performing groups, these unique Rhythmettes presented a pleasing cacophony of sound, developing musical scores with a novel approach and a personal touch.

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Rhythmettes in Pops Concert: "To Edith With Love"

By Millicent Hofmann

April was showtime for the hardy Rhythmettes who take pride in the fact that they were the first performing group organized in L.V. for the entertainment of residents, in addition to providing a stimulating pastime.

The newly developed format featured the Rhythmettes on stage in Concert at the "Boston Pops". Tables and refreshments for the audience added to the comfortable feeling of informality and participation.

Of the thirty-five members on stage there were many familiar faces that had activated the now flourishing entertainment trend. To all the ladies who participated, we bow in recognition of your youthful exuberance--your wholehearted joie de vivre and your endearing eagerness to please your audience with the humble Kazoo. Your music will reverberate throughout the nooks and crannies of the AR, exalt-

VOTE JUNE 5th



Please see page 12 for Board of Directors Candidates' answers to ILV's challenging questions about L.V.A. problems.

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• OPINION •

A Suggestion

Does Leisure Village need an Ombudsman?

An Ombudsman is an appointed official, usually found in Scandinavian countries, whose duty it is to investigate complaints by private citizens against government officials.

For a long time, ILV has been stressing the importance of improving communications in the Village. Complaints by residents aired at the monthly LVA Board meetings have included such items as:

--Board actions taken on management of the swimming pool without consulting the swimmers.

--Negligence of the Association manager in returning phone calls of residents.

--Innumerable problems in connection with obtaining resident services (landscaping and appliance repairs.)

--Maintenance of the Recreation Center facilities, which sometimes give the appearance of being run-down.

We are not suggesting that the Association officers and employees are not doing a good job. On the contrary; LVA is probably one of the better-managed homeowner associations in the country.

What we are pointing to are instances where individual residents and groups have been frustrated by their inability to have grievances handled with dispatch and understanding.

When problems arise, it is usually a case of misunderstanding of lack of proper communication.

Nonetheless, the Village could enjoy the services of an Ombudsman. In trade union parlance he would be known as a shop steward; in business circles, a middle-management expeditor.

At the Association's annual meeting in June, the residents might well consider authorizing the Board to appoint an Ombudsman--perhaps rotating the job between the two unsuccessful Board candidates, thus enabling all aspirants an opportunity to serve in leadership roles.

Another Pool Policy Change

Last week the decision was made to have no lifeguard on duty at the swimming pool, only an "attendant", a person not necessarily qualified as a lifeguard, or a teacher, or a skilled pool maintenance mechanic.

Most residents who use the pool advocate a "middle-of-the-road" schedule, having a trained guard on duty during some daylight hours to safeguard handicapped or insecure swimmers, to guard during the children's period, to teach, etc.

The L.V. Board has spent many hours consulting specialists in swimming pool management and insurance liability, and weighing all of the considerations. It is our hope that they will be able to present clearly their "thinking" at tonight's Town Hall Meeting so that people can understand the merit of their decision.

ABOUT NEXT MONTH

Coordinator for June will be Betty Murray. Place copy in ILV box by parking lot door of Rec. Center by June 11. Final deadline for LATE BREAKING NEWS ONLY is noon, June 18. ILV reserves the right to edit. Please put the most important information FIRST in your story. To arrange for a photographer, call coordinator at least 3 days in advance.

LETTERS

Just a few short weeks ago (April 2) we became residents in V. 44.

We felt as tho' we'd returned to the security and the warmth of our mother's womb.

Our immediate neighbors, and the Village people, so loving and caring and what's more. . . we became fast friends. Then, on April 22, near tragedy decended upon us with a Boom!!

Irv ignored the warning words of those so wise and overdid it on the paddle tennis court...Except for the speedy response of Security, it would have been Irv's demise.

They came in a hurry, this team of angels, and now we are happy to report that after just 12 days in the hospital, Irv is home, doing great.

To our friends in the Village and to those at the gate, your help and your caring, we do truly appreciate.

Irv and Gloria Bransky,
V.44

We wish to personally thank all the Villagers who so willingly donated their time, talent and effort to the "High Fever Follies" fund raising benefit for the Pleasant Valley Hospital. Your help made the production so successful. Thank you! Thank you!

Joan Johnson, V.25
Ginny Cordell, V.4
Dorothy Karlin, V.38,
Talent Committee

Words cannot express my thanks for all the good wishes I received, the assorted beautiful calories I have consumed, and my living room belying the song "I Didn't Promise You a Rose Garden."

Ruby Teasdale, V.33

For a long time I meant to say this to you; now I do not want to procrastinate any longer. "Thank you for doing such a great job with this paper." I was present when the idea of doing a paper was born, and I have seen it grow and get better all the time. I have a vague notion of how much work and possibly aggravation and time it entails, and I want to thank you for that.

You are doing a wonderful job, believe me; it is very much appreciated.

Sonia Brink V 15

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all my friends for their kindness to me after my accident. Also want to thank all the people that called with their good wishes and for the beautiful cards. I always loved L.V., but now I know why. The warmth and kindness of the people here is unbelievable.

Sylvia Lefton, V.33

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the Women's Club, Workshop, Needlers, Bingo, and all my friends for the cards, get well wishes and phone calls I received during my hospital stay. So many beautiful people in the world and most of them living here in L.V.

Thelma Henley, V.23

Your prayers and many deeds of kindness throughout Marv's long illness helped to sustain us and to accept our limited time together with grace.

Marion Gordon, V.17

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Communication, to me, is the art of one person letting another know what he/she is thinking or doing, but as chairman of the Board of Directors it is a problem of the Board communicating with 3900 residents. I know it is the Board's responsibility to keep residents informed. But, how much communication is logistically possible?

The Board of Directors is five people who have two major roles to fulfill to keep our three million dollar corporation financially sound and environmentally enjoyable:

(1) The Board of Directors is a policy-making body, just as the Board of Directors is in any private organization.

(2) The members of the Board are officers of the Homeowners' Association. They have authority and responsibility to direct, plan, control, monitor and coordinate the activities of the staff and all operations. The obligation takes hours. It takes knowledge. It takes intelligence and it takes prudence. There is never enough time for total communication.

Some concerned homeowners and committee members use formal meetings and minutes of formal meetings as a way to bring up their doubts and fears by "remote control": Why not freely telephone a Board member when there is a burning question, or a doubt based on hearsay? We can communicate as neighbor to neighbor, for that is what we all are in the last analysis. Each of us can contribute, and all opinions have value.

The Board does not have a communications system at its disposal whereby it can inform every committee or homeowner concerned of every intended Board action. Events come too fast and making a decision becomes imperative. Administration by committee is a slow process created by the Boards of Directors in past and present administrations, to advise the Board on possible alternatives to be weighed in the decision-making process.

The committees have also been assigned monitoring tasks to help gather information on the on-going performance of the administration staff

and the execution of contracts. This monitoring involves accounting, purchasing, landscaping, buildings and common grounds maintenance, security, recreation services, etc. The residents of Leisure Village should bring their concerns and observations to our committees. They give valuable help and know the best way to get action for you, as quickly as possible.

Carmen Read V 42

You and your readers surely are aware that Measure "E" is worthy of a "Yes" vote from everyone who votes June 5!

Measure "E" is opposed by nobody! Yet, a very similar Measure was defeated in 1980—a victim of the controversy swirling then on Growth vs No Growth.

Measure "E" is only permissive: "will allow" the City of Camarillo to "develop, construct, or acquire, utilizing any federal, state, or local financial assistance, housing units for low income persons, including the elderly, handicapped, and disabled, not to exceed in number 2% of the dwelling units within the City." All housing units would be built under all normal local construction requirements and reviews.

The Camarillo General Plan already specifies this type of housing will have small number of units in scattered sites.

"E" will not, and cannot increase property taxes or any other local taxes. It in no way restricts or curtails private enterprise.

Your Yes on Measure "E", if adopted, June 5, would bring to Camarillo the citizen-authorization already beneficially at work in Fillmore, Ojai, Oxnard, Port Hueneme, Ventura, Thousand Oaks, Santa Barbara, Beverly Hills, and 240 other California localities.

Your Yes on "E" will help a majority to say to our City Council: the voters support City actions to build more housing units (by City, or approvable non-profit organizations) for persons of low income, elderly, an handicapped.

Let your altruistic feelings help you decide to vote yes on "E"!

Wales E. Smith, V.8

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7/1	Kahului, Maui	7 AM	6 PM
7/1-7/7			Cruising
7/7	Los Angeles, CA	8 AM	4 PM
7/8	San Francisco, CA	2 PM	
Westbound Sailing			
7/7	Los Angeles, CA		4 PM
7/8	San Francisco, CA	2 PM	
7/9	San Francisco, CA		4 PM
7/9-7/14			Cruising
7/14	Honolulu, Oahu	10 AM	
Itinerary — S.S. Constitution			
Date	Port of Call	Arrive	Depart
Eastbound Sailing			
12/8	Honolulu, Oahu	9:30 PM	
12/9	Kahului, Maui	7 AM	6 PM
12/9-12/15			Cruising
12/15	San Francisco, CA	8 AM	4 PM
12/16	Los Angeles, CA	2 PM	
Westbound Sailing			
12/15	San Francisco, CA		4 PM
12/16	Los Angeles, CA	2 PM	
12/17	Los Angeles, CA		11:30 AM
12/17-12/22			Cruising
12/22	Honolulu, Oahu	10 AM	

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LETTERS

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When a wheelchair occupant wins a beautiful hand-crocheted afghan in a raffle where thousands of tickets were sold, isn't that a small miracle? Who needs an afghan more? So when on pleasant days Siegfried sits poolside with the prize over his knees as he and I greet our many friends and neighbors in this pleasant Leisure Village, we both have a very special "Thank you" for the ladies with the "Golden Hands" who created it.

In appreciation, Siegfried will again be donating a lapidary pendant (which he made when his hands were still obedient), to the Women's Club Bazaar for the benefit of their charity fund.

We both are very happy for living in such a glorious place.

Millicent Hofmann, V. 11

I shall be forever grateful to the many caring people who, during my illness, gave me tremendous comfort through their prayers, get well cards, visits and phone calls.

Bea Schmidt, V. 24

I want to thank all my friends who were concerned enough to rush me to our Dr. Gonzalez' office when I had chest pains. Esther Fogel drove me, and I had immediate attention. In a short time I was in Pleasant Valley Intensive Care. It is too bad that it takes an emergency to assure us how lucky we are, living in "Beautiful L.V."

My thanks to all friends who phoned and sent cards. God's help and all the love expressed help me the most.

Rose Smilen, V.3

SR. LEG. REPORT From Page 1

ing population, they still continue to project over the previous year's budget and get away with it. We, in the West, have not really learned how to play the game. So we are getting the increase in population needs and a continuous shortage on funding.

In other words, with our economy the best in the nation, our tax base is substantial; therefore, we do not get what we pay for.

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**Your
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Your Neighbors Care Group's next lecture will be held on Monday, June 18 at 7:30 p.m. in the AR.

Michael Kaslow, M.D., A.F.C. Diplomate of the American Board of Ophthalmology will show a film "Vision American", which will give personal experiences of persons who have had cataract surgery with lens implantation.

Dr. Kaslow will also have slides showing outpatient cataract surgery done with the latest techniques. At the end of the presentation there will be a question and answer period.

Y.N.C.G. is sponsoring an Arthritis Self-help course to be held in the Village this fall. This is a 6 week community education program 2 hours each week. The Ventura Branch of the Arthritis Foundation is presenting this program and needs volunteers to be trained in order to help. Training dates are June 25 and 26, and July 2



By James Faber

*Your middle-age spread
is growing?*

*Your juices are slower
in flowing?*

*Take a chance,
Learn to dance!*

*In no time at all,
you'll get relief,
From every hall, your
friends will call,
"WHERE'S THE BEEF?
WHERE'S THE BEEF?"*

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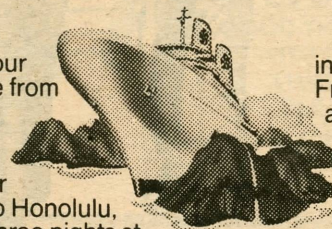
Folk Dancing meets every Wed. and Fri., 9 to 10:30 a.m. Classes for beginners are held every Monday, 1:00 to 3 p.m. in the AR.

at Northridge Hospital. Carpools are available. People with some medical or teaching background are preferred. Anyone interested in helping, please call Maddy Hazard M.P.H. Community Service Coordinator 1-648-3184 or 395-1450.

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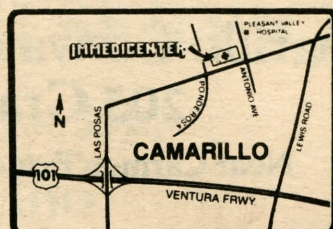


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MASTERS RUNNER TRIUMPHS

By Elaine Dorff

As did many of us who grew up through the great depression, Hank Dorff had to skip college where practically all Olympic athletes were chosen. But he always wondered how his running speed would have fared if he'd had a chance to compete.

Hank started competitive running last year for the first time in 50 years and won medals in each of the 5 races he ran. Then, suddenly, Home Savings of America announced sponsorship of the first Olympic Legends Track Meet to be held April 28 and 29 at UCLA's famed Drake stadium, featuring many Olympic athletes who still competed in Masters track and field meets. (Masters are over 35).

Hank immediately entered in the 65 to 69 year group since he had already started training for the year with the Camarillo High School track team. But on April 12, came a frantic call from New York to come immediately because his 4 year old granddaughter was very ill.

All training stopped while in New York, but fortunately, little Lizzie made a good recovery so that Hank could return home on Friday night, a day before the start of the races.

While he had no further thought of winning, Hank felt he'd just drive down to UCLA; meet some of the many athletes; and get a work-out by running in his entered races.

Some 19 former Olympian medal winners were among the over 300 entrants from 7 countries and 19 states. Famous names like Hal Connolly, Parry O'Brien, Payton Jordan, Jimmy Hines and Josh Culbreath were all over the place.

Hank's first race was the 400 meters, and while no Olympian was entered in his race, the competition was strong. At the gun, Hank went out into the lead; held it down the back stretch; increased his lead on the final turn and home stretch; and slammed into the tape, winner by about 15 yards in the very good time of 70.5 seconds, winning the Gold Medal.

The 200 meters in which Hank was also entered was not to be run for another 2 hours. But since Payton Jordan, one of



Henry Dorff

America's greatest collegiate sprinters; then coach of Stanford University and head coach of the Olympic track team in 1968 was entered against him, Hank wanted to run against this great athlete who is still the fastest sprinter for his age in the world.

Jordan of course won the race in his near record time of 27.8. Hank was the only runner who had run a tough previous race that day and his muscles had tightened up. But he still showed enough speed to take the bronze medal for 3rd place in a good 31.3 seconds.

As Hank says, "when I drove down to UCLA I had no thought or hope of winning. I just thought I'd get little exercise and meet some famous runners in return for my entry fee. And when the dust cleared I had 2 medals and some of the nicest memories of my life."

GOOD NEWS From Pg. 1

Leisure Technology and Ventura County General Funds) to begin clearing undergrowth and accumulated silt out of Conejo Creek bed, from the 101 Freeway to Upland Grade at the east end of L.V. Residents may hear the heavy equipment working, and may notice some dust in the air as an estimated 335,000 cubic years of soil is trucked away. Plans to build four new higher freeway bridges between Conejo Grade and Lewis Road, Camarillo, within the next 2 to 3 years will also lessen Village concerns about flooding should heavy rains arrive.

CURRENT ISSUES FORUM HONORS HARRY BECKER, FOUNDER

(These remarks were made by former president of the Forum, Harry Becker, at a luncheon honoring him on May 10.)

FORUM LUNCHEON By Harry Becker

I wish to thank the officers and members of the Current Issues Forum for honoring me in this manner. I would rather think that this affair is a tribute to the continuing viability of the Forum, instead of to my past years as president.

When I resigned the office last October, some members came to me with despair in their voices, warning that the Forum would not function thereafter.

Obviously, they overestimated my role and underestimated the strong support for the Forum as shown by the vigor with which it has continued to function.

CURRENT ISSUES FORUM

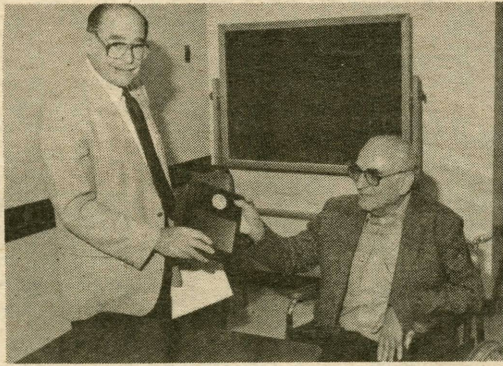
Dr. Desmond Jones, Oxnard College, will give an "Overview of U.S. Foreign Policy" at the Friday, May 25th meeting of the Current Issues Forum in the AR at 7:30 p.m.

Clearly, the Forum answers a need of Leisure Villagers to exercise the muscles of their minds by engaging in pro and con discussion of various issues.

There were times when a few Village residents objected so strenuously to Forum subjects or to certain guest speakers that they petitioned the Leisure Village Association Board to ban the speakers or prevent the scheduled topics from being discussed.

One such manifestation of intolerance occurred last October and another similar exercise took place recently, when the target was the scheduled speaker, Ramona Ripston of the American Civil Liberties Union. Our Board, in its wisdom, rejected both petitions.

I cannot emphasize too strongly that the Current Issues Forum fills a need in Leisure Village; that it will continue to serve its constituency to the extent that its programs focus



(Photo By Miereanu)

Karl Cannon presents award to Harry Becker.

on current issues rather than on speakers who merely entertain; and, finally, that the spirit of civility and tolerance for conflicting viewpoints prevail.

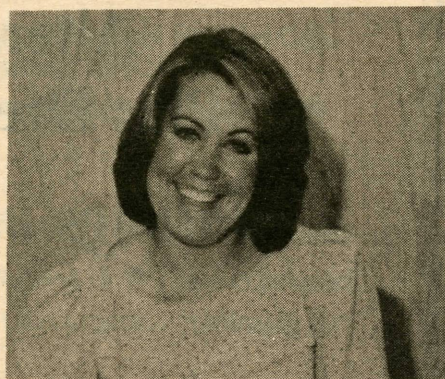
CURRENT ISSUES FORUM

By Herbert Swartz

Relations with our European allies have cooled in recent years, according to Professor Elton Hall of Oxnard College, who spoke to the L.V. Current Issues Forum on April 23. He believes the primary reason for this change is that our trade with Asia and Latin America has become more important to us than trade with Europe.

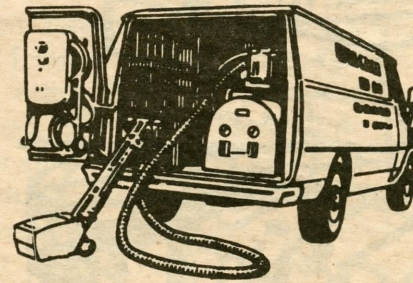
Prof. Hall teaches a popular Oxnard College course in "Frontiers of Thought" in Leisure Village.

Recreation Director



Fast becoming acquainted with Villagers and Village activities is Janette "Netti" Armstrong, Recreation Director who joined the staff in April. Bright and energetic as she is, she is challenged by the multitude of activities and ideas of Villagers older than her parents! Right on, Netti, we'll be happy to show you the side of "Leisure" Village that belies the name. Welcome!

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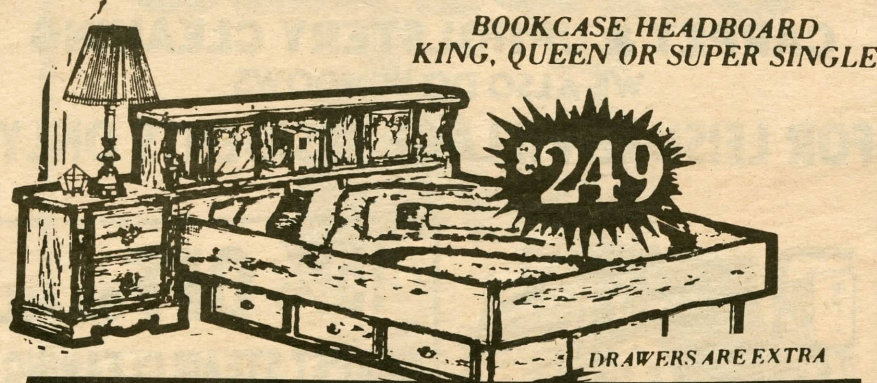
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HIGH FEVER FOLLIES



L.V. Dancers sparkle in Hospital Show.

By Roie Beck

Community relations were given a big boost by 24 Villagers who participated in the Pleasant Valley Hospital Fund-raiser, High Fever Follies, in three performances at the Community Center.

Mayo Bill Esty appeared in a skit "Out of the Closet", and Bill Johnson, V.25, represented L.V. in the "Mr. Legs" Contest.

The Talent committee was headed by Joan Johnson, sets were by Helen Gold, and stage

crew worked under Robbie Karlin.

The director, flown in from New York, picked ten Happy Hoofers as Rockettes, eight villagers for skits, five for chorus and seven for specialties.

Miriam Hasen's beautiful solo made us proud; Helen Gold danced to a tumultuous applause; Roie Beck brought down the house as a nurse driven to drink; Dorothy Karlin and Joan Johnson mimed

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ALL HART



By Ruth Hart

Did you all have a wonderful holiday? We spent Easter week with our children in San Francisco, coming home by way of Santa Cruz, Carmel, Pebble Beach and Monterey. Someone is surely watching over us, as we usually come down "101" and we might have been involved in the earthquake in Morgan Hill. If we really think about it, we have something to be thankful for every day! Right?

I missed writing about this person a few months ago, and do want to recognize her now. Congratulations to Gladys Cunningham, wife of Earle, V.22, who was named "Woman of the Year 1983" by the Ventura United Blood Services. Gladys has been a nurse for many years and is still working, and volunteering her services part time.

Louise and Jack Rogers, V.20, had the pleasure of seeing all four of their great-grandsons together recently. Ryan Hanlon, 8 mos. of Thou-

sand Oaks, Billy Winburn, 1 yr. of West Covina, and Sean and Brian Kilian, 19 mos. and 6 mos. of Owasso, Oklahoma. They are children of three of the Rogers' granddaughters and their husbands. It isn't often we can get the clan together, so it was very special.

Rose and Clyde Fagnan, V.23, are announcing the arrival of their second great-grandchild on April 14, Dane Martin Grayman, in Palm Springs. Their first, Brooke Lara Myers, lives in Thousand Oaks and will be 7 in November.

Doug Barber, V.6 and his bride of a year, Collice Blank Barber returned recently from their sixteen day tour of the Grecian Islands and the Holy Land where they even rode a camel. I thought Doug was walking rather strangely as I passed him in the hall the other day.

Eve Freeman, V.4, is catching up on things in the Village after a three week visit with her son and family in Israel.

Bea Fallick, V.13, is home from a visit with Josh's and her son Don and his wife and their four daughters in Appleton,

Wisconsin. She had quite a harrowing experience as a tornado tore through town, just missing the motel where she was staying. She also ran into snowstorms, came home by way of Las Vegas (with unions striking), but claims it was all worthwhile to see her four darling granddaughters.

Roselle Mayfarth, V.25, spent two weeks with family and friends in Sunnyvale, Calif. Her niece Debbie became engaged, she spent time with a dear girl friend with whom she graduated from UCLA, and had brunch at a beautiful old hotel built in the 1800's, called the Pleasanton.

Happy Anniversary to Faybelle and Fred Burgess, V.13, April 21--67 years! Is this a record here in the Village?

Genevieve and Howard Bolten, V.25, married 58 years on April 13.

Theresa and Mike Spiotto, V.25, 53 years on April 9.

Thelma and Wells Henley, V.23, 53 years on May 28.

Mary and Emil Farkas, V.13, 59 years on May 9, and Marion and Lou Tamkin, V.24, 12 years on May 28.

Spiritual Growth

By Mayz Gregory

During the month of June, Spiritual Growth group will meet at the home of Edith Cruden, 11241 V. 11, Tuesdays 9:30 to 11:00 a.m. All village ladies are most welcome. Please bring your Bibles and wear your name tags. For further information call Marcella West-erhout at 484-4065 or Jesse Vana at 987-5516. In July we will meet at the home of Lucerne French.

HIGH FEVER

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"Cocktails for Two"; Daisy Bien sang her pregnant "Talk of the Town"; Joan Johnson became vamp Theda Bara.

George Goldfarb was a show in himself.

The community spirit and financial success of this fundraiser has made a distinct possibility that it will become an annual event.

'Til next time, "You know the children have grown up when you find yourself straightening up the house before they come home, instead of after."



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RHYTHMETTES

From page 1

Solo bit dances were performed by: Mae Sheff, Soft Shoe; Rhoda Smithkin, Folk; Vi Kasner, Strut; Marion Tavano, Tap; and the lovely Spanish rhythm of Marguerite Abdennour's castenets. It was gratifying to note from the spontaneous applause that the audience still enjoys this type of entertainment, which hopefully will be preserved for posterity along with our nostalgic minstrel shows.

Special kudos to Earle Cunningham for his excellent accompaniment and his beautiful piano solo. The Melodrama,

embellished by Dora Polley, Anne Gaines, Isabel Torchia and Margaret Hines was especially designed to highlight the unique piano style of the old silent movie days. He deserves special recognition for his contribution to the success of the evening as do Producer-Director Lillian Skellenger and Vice-President Jean Silverstein. Dead pan Margaret Hines won the hearts of all as she swept up the stage debris a la the cleaning lady of the Boston Pops complete with her own musical theme. It was a completely enjoyable evening.



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MEETING OF CANDIDATES

The L.V. Community Relations Committee offered residents a unique opportunity to meet candidates for public office on May 11th. Chairman Bill Himstreet and Rube Davis shared the podium to introduce incumbent Maggie Erickson and challenger Karen Hanson, running for Ventura County Supervisor, 3rd District. Democratic candidates Charlie Davis and George Margolis, seeking election to 21st Congressional District each presented their views.

Tom McClintock, Republican incumbent California State Assembly 36th District, sent Marlee Means, a representative from his office, to speak. Tom Jolicoeur, Democratic write-in candidate for the 36th Assembly District, was on hand to tell his goals.

Bernice Unland, Executive Director of Ventura Housing Authority spoke for Measure "E".

Vote June 5th.



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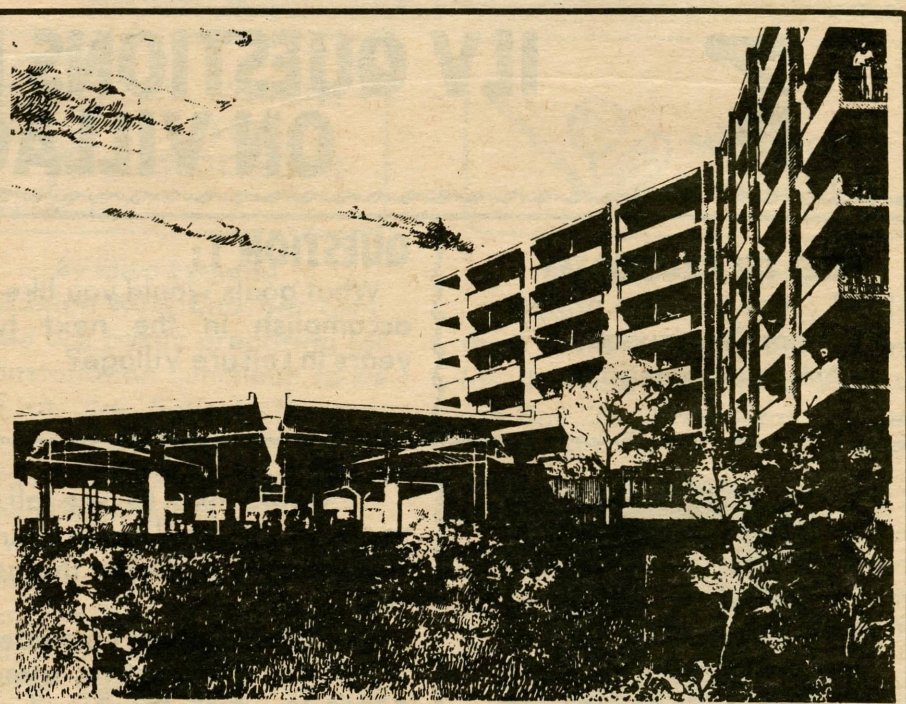
Maggie Erickson, Bill Himstreet, and Karen Hanson.

THE EYES HAVE IT

By Florence Block

The first anniversary of The Eyes Have It was celebrated on Monday, May 14, 1984. Members and their spouses gathered at the home of Leon and Florence Block for a buffet luncheon served on the patio, followed by an enjoyable "Sing-a-long". Music was furnished by capable Pauline Shenkman and Freda Drezner who were most generous with their talents. Our thanks to both of them for making this a memorable afternoon.

The Eyes Have It Group meets every 4th Monday at 1:30 p.m. in the Lanai Room. Our next meeting will be June 25th. Please join us. Call 484-5838 or 484-3762 for information.



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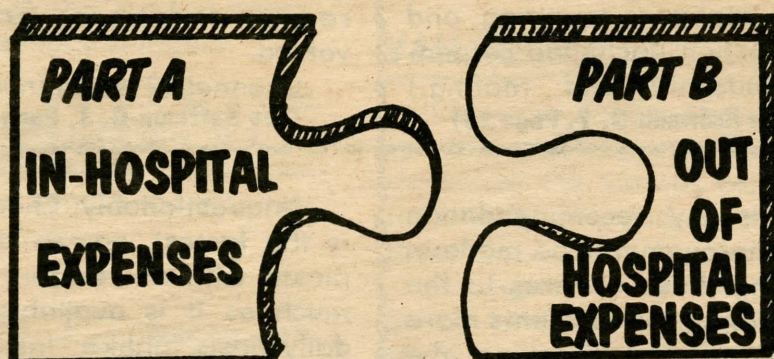


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WM. C. HIMSTREET

QUESTION 1:

What goals would you like to accomplish in the next two years in Leisure Village?

I would like to see all or most of the following things happen in L.V. during the next two years:

A. A strong effort be made to create a cooperative atmosphere in which the Board and committees would really be sensitive to the needs and wishes of residents and in which more residents would participate in the operational

(See Himstreet-Q. 1, Page 13)



WM. H. HUFFMAN

Improved rapport between the LVA Board and certain resident factions. With approximately 3800 residents there will always be controversial subjects. Better communication and across-the-table discussions could clear the air, and define the issues under consideration.

Make certain the budget includes funds in a reserve ac-

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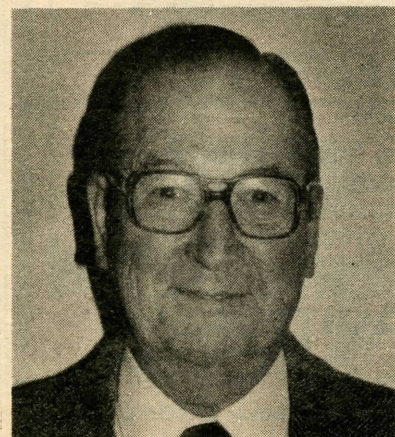
V. HERBERT MARKS

My basic goal would be to make L.V. a still happier and more pleasant place in which to live. To implement this, I would exert every effort to see that we receive a dollar's worth of value for every dollar we spend.

To maintain and increase activities enjoyed by members.

To hold Town Hall meetings more often and so give mem-

(See Marks-Q. 1, Page 13)



RICHARD M. VAN HORN

If elected, my primary goal will be to improve the rapport between the residents and the Board of Directors. The present and previous boards have worked hard to keep L.V. the lovely place it is, but there has been a breakdown in communications.

QUESTION 2:

How could we improve Resident Services?

The need for better communication throughout the Village is obvious. I believe many residents are not aware of the services available from our own Resident Services and of the procedures required to obtain help or advice.

Presently we have four employees who handle all of the requests received from home owners. These same employees do all of the maintenance on the recreation building and the Association office. Each is a specialist in his field, such as plumbing, air conditioners, major appliance repairing, and construction (including carpentry, masonry and roofing.)

(See Huffman-Q. 2, Page 13)

It is my recommendation that improvements be made in bringing these services to the attention of the residents more frequently and detailing the various services available, as was done recently with the Air Conditioning Special.

Residents would become more aware of services offered and would be more apt to use them.

I have heard of no complaints of Resident Services, but I wonder if we should not extend the scope of the service. For example, Resident Services will replace a water heater if it is under warranty, but will not touch it if the warranty has expired. Instead, residents are compelled to seek outside help, and to some, this is quite a burden.

QUESTION 3:

Using available media sources, what would you suggest to improve communication within the Village?

Current plans to revise the format of the "Voice" and perhaps to issue it twice a month is a step in the right direction. "Rules and Regulations" governing L.V. is a publication that is about four years old. It is dated and needs revision both in terms of content and in format. It also needs an index so information can be located easily. I believe communica-

(See Himstreet-Q. 3, Page 13)

The two local periodicals, "Inside Leisure Village" and the "Voice" are both widely read. More information should be included about LVA Board activities, as well as minutes or excerpts of minutes of the standing committees, especially when important subjects and recommendations are involved.

Channel 12 is continually in-

(See Huffman-Q. 3, Page 13)

Unquestionably, Channel 12 is the fastest way to communicate with all residents inasmuch as it is available on a daily basis, unlike "Inside Leisure Village" and "Voice of the Village", which are published once a month. However, the cooperation of these two publications should be utilized to advise villagers to watch one cycle of Channel 12 reports at

(See Marks-Q. 3, Page 13)

This is where we can be innovative. I would:

A. Schedule more Town Hall meetings.

B. Put the Board meeting agenda on Channel 12 several days in advance of each meeting. Where the timing is right, a tentative agenda could be printed in the "Voice" and "Inside Leisure Village."

C. Using the same media, (See Van Horn-Q. 3, Page 13)

BOARD CANDIDATES ANSWERS I.L.V.'S QUESTIONS

HIMSTREET-Q. 1 From PG. 12

affairs of the Village.

B. A long-range plan be developed covering the financial needs, maintenance requirements, and desirable improvements for the entire Village.

C. L.V. continue to play an increasing active role in the educational, cultural, and civic affairs of Camarillo and Ventura County.

D. Steps be taken to repair or replace damaged fixtures and furniture in the meeting and activity facilities of the Recreation Center and its environs.

HUFFMAN-Q. 1 From Pg. 12

count that will accrue annually to cover the necessary renewal of facilities and the replacement of worn out or obsolete equipment.

Make certain that Security be kept at the highest obtainable level, as this is a top priority item for many villagers.

Review the C.C.&R's and Rules and Regulations and recommend adoption of changes that would benefit the majority of homeowners.

MARKS-Q. 1 From Page 12

bers a greater opportunity to participate in the operation of the Association.

To hold some of the Town Hall meetings and also Board meetings in the evening to accommodate members who go to business.

HUFFMAN-Q. 2 From Page 12

Most are qualified in more than one craft and can assist one another when needed. If home owners would fully understand the manpower situation, tension and aggravation perhaps would be eased. In my opinion, improved communication between Resident Services and the home owners is the answer.

HIMSTREET-Q. 3 From Pg. 12

tion can be improved if some informal coffees could be scheduled within various villages so Board members, committee persons and residents could interact. Lastly, Channel 12 can be very effective if we can figure a way to get residents to watch it.

HUFFMAN-Q. 3 From Page 12

creasing its rating, and possibly a "Newscast", either live or taped, or both, could be developed and shown at a specific time on designated days covering important events in the Village.

MARKS-Q. 3 From Page 12

least once a day, placed in a prominent position in the paper.

Where time is not of importance, normal notices and information should be given to which ever publication is closest to distribution date.

VAN HORN-Q. 3 From pg. 12

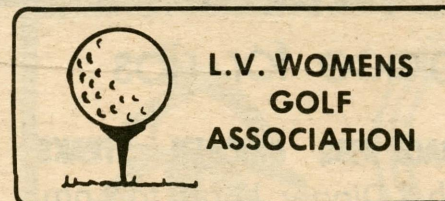
residents could be advised of special problems to be discussed by the various committees and be urged to attend those meetings.

D. Again using the same media, I would like to publicize special problems before the Board, and ask residents for their written comments.

AUTO DECALS

Re-registration of L.V. residents' automobiles and application of 1985 decals to windshields proceeded without a hitch last week. Thanks to the volunteers organized by Art Kaufman, and members of the Security Staff, motorists spent very little time in line to renew this necessary aspect of L.V.'s Security System.

At the same time, 1984-85 Telephone Directories were distributed, thanks to still more volunteers, and to another good neighbor, Santa Paula Savings and Loan Association, who printed them for us.



By Elise Eymann

Maxine King and her committee are busily preparing for the Installation Luncheon to be held at the Saticoy Country Club on June 14. The new board elected at the May meeting will be installed.

Congratulations to all the winners in the "Club Championship Tournament" which was concluded on May 2. Dorothy Castor was the big winner and is the new Club Champion. Other winners were:

Flight A: 1st Low Gross: Carra Hatfield, 2nd Mike Mancusi; 1st Low Net: Ethel Duncan, 2nd Minnie Rigg.

Flight B: 1st Low Gross: Christie East, 2nd Marie Mack; 1st Low Net: Lindsey Merrill, 2nd Marcella Westerhout.

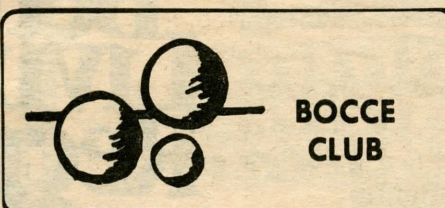
Flight C: 1st Low Gross: Iolene Beach, 2nd Loraine Sirott;

1st Low Net: Kay LaPrel, 2nd Norma Barry.

Flight D: 1st Low Gross: Mary Milewsky, 2nd Shirley Heller; 1st Low Net: Mildred Mullery, 2nd Anna Snyder.

Niners: 1st Low Gross: Rozella Weinberg; 1st Low Net Doris LaManna

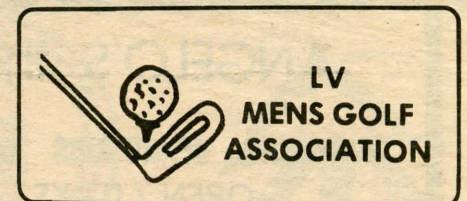
Trophies will be awarded at the Installation Luncheon on June 14.



What a great entertainment experience the Bocce Club had April 26, provided by the Sherri School of Dance of Newbury Park with a presentation of specialty dances by young girls ages eight to sixteen.

Our next meeting will be May 31, AR at 7:30 p.m. The program will be demonstration of Martial Arts by the Tae Kwon Do School and Master Instructor Yong Shin, 6th degree black belt.

Many thanks to Manager Skip Roberts and the landscape crew for the good work on our bocce court lanes. A bocce tournament can now be planned for June.



By Dick McDonald

Newly elected officers of the LV Men's Golf Association for the year beginning July 1 are Roy Zhe, President; Wayne Wisheart, 1st Vice President; Jack Whalen, 2nd Vice President; Charles Kent, Treasurer; and Frank Goldfarb, Secretary. They will be installed at the June 25th luncheon at Point Mugu.

Winners of the President's Cup Tournament, which was concluded May 8, have been announced. They are President's Flight: Barney Simon, first; Pete Aspen, second; Jack Kassel, third; Vice President's Flight: Bob Cordell, first; Paul Eberle, second; Floyd Case, third; Secretary's Flight: Bob Anderson, first; Al Sparkman, second; Bruce Calkins, third; Treasurer's Flight: Ben Goldberg, first; Guy LaPrel, second; Carl Santangelo, third.

Last Sunday Mixed Couples Golf on May 27 by popular request will be another Sweetheart Tournament. Come to the 19th Hole Party at 4:00 p.m. to dance and sing along with our melodious music makers Joe O'Neill, Bill Marvel and Larry Killeen.

May 27 is also the last day to sign up for the second annual Super Seniors tournament which will be held in conjunction with regular play on June 5. Eligible members must have a full LVMGA handicap and be at least 70 years old as of June 1. The Scotch Twosomes tournament originally scheduled for June 5 and 6 has been cancelled.

There will be regulation golf tournaments at Elkins Ranch on May 31 (Tournament of Champions); Camarillo Springs on June 14; and Soule Park on June 28.

One last reminder, June 1 is the deadline for payment of your \$6.00 annual dues

ERROR

In the April issue of ILV, the pictures above the resumes of Board Candidates were out of order. A special effort is being made that this not happen again.

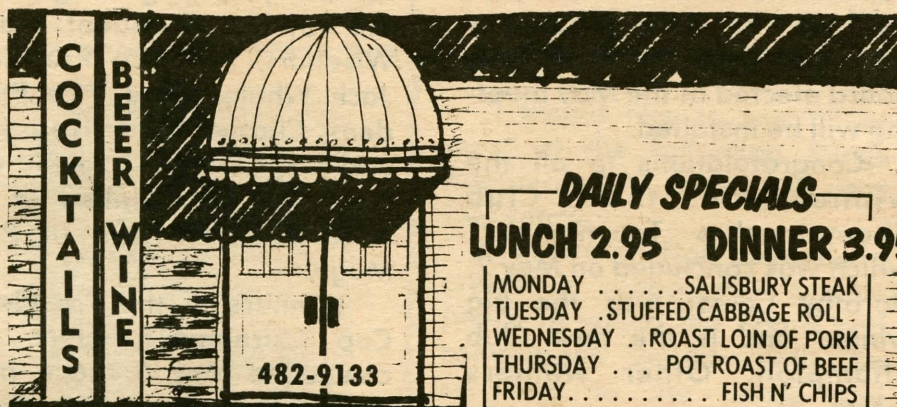
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By Betty Murray

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Arthur Kates will again conduct a program of popular music, some classics, some ethnic numbers for a pleasant variety of musical moods. Soprano Miriam Hasen will sing Cole Porter's "Night and Day", and Neil Diamond's "You Don't Bring Me Flowers".

Ticket donation is \$2.00, available in the Rec. Center at regular ticket selling hours, or from orchestra members.

The orchestra had the pleasure of sponsoring a concert by the Ventura Concert Band under the direction of Larry Weiss on May 20. The sixty piece organization filled the AR stage and presented an extraordinary musical program. A



**BOOK
REVIEW
GROUP**

Book Review celebrated Mother's Day at the May meeting with a look at the work of Erma Bombeck. The reviewer was Jeanne Carlson and the book covered was the newest, "Motherhood, the Second Oldest Profession."

The next meeting will be Wednesday, June 13. at 10:00 a.m. in the WCR. Book to be reviewed is "Lines and Shadows" by Joseph Wambaugh, a best-seller non-fiction work about the problems of immigration into California.

Everyone is always welcome at Book Review—no membership, no dues. Please join us.

unique feature, as bands don't usually have a pianist, was the appearance of Eric Tinsley playing Edward Grieg's "Piano Concerto" with band accompaniment.

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By Rose Lorber

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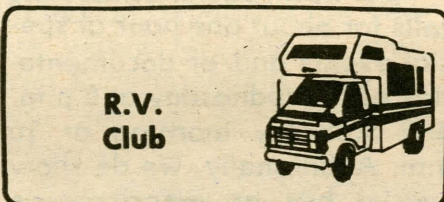
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The Travel Committee presentation for June 1, 1984 will be on the Yucatan Holidays in the AR at 7:30 p.m.

The Caribbean Epcot trip had 25 passengers and Thunderbird Travel gave the group a farewell party plus \$50 refund to each one.

Coming August 22 to September 3 is a trip to the beautiful Colorado Rockies. A full itinerary is in the office. We need forty passengers for this trip to go.



By Ruth Tomalas

The next RV Club meeting will be Thursday, June 21, 7:30 p.m., MPR. There are informative subjects and interesting programs. All RV owners are welcome.

Beginning July 17, our meeting night will be changed from Thursday to Tuesday.



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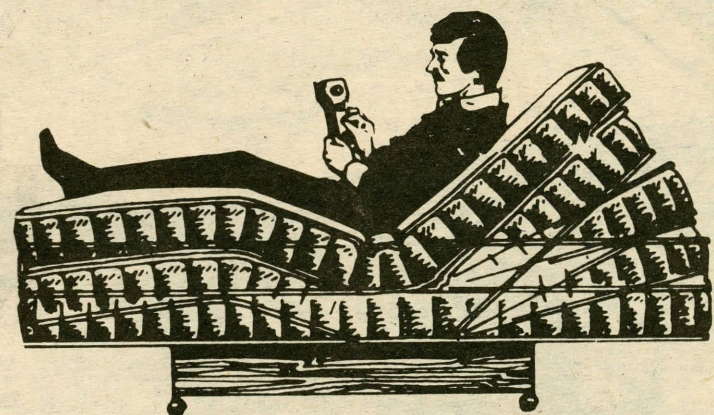
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LOOKING AT CHANNEL 12

By Jack Whalen

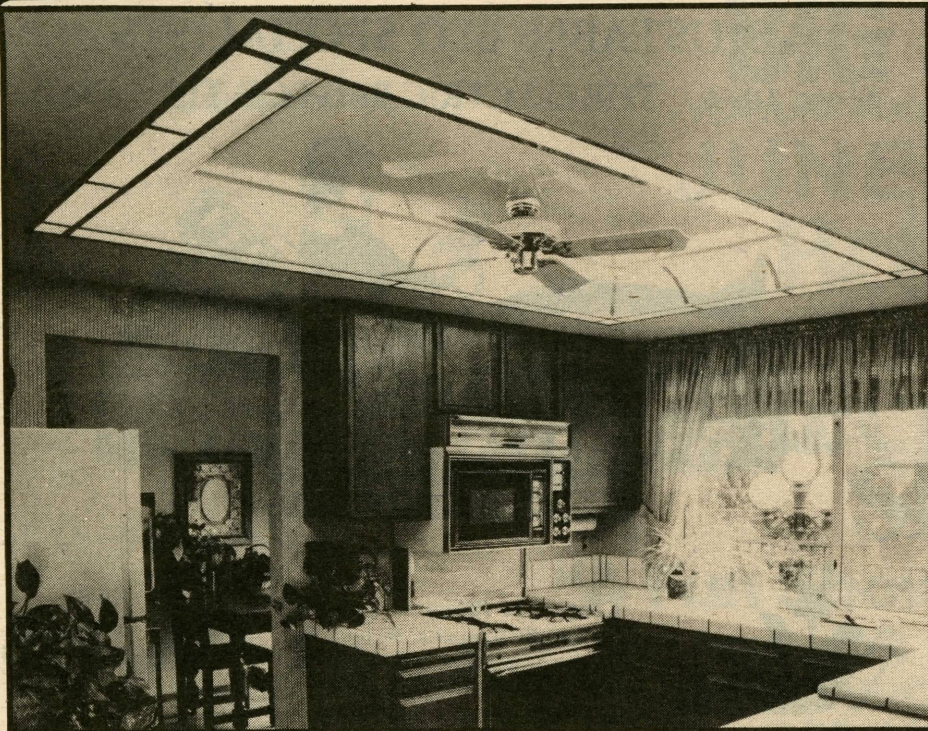
When Channel 12 offered to film five of the many attractive garden/patios in LV, we had no idea that some 200 applicants would apply to Garden Club members. The elimination process is still going on at press time and we are going to be hard pressed to get the finalists below twenty five.

Our new regular scheduling calls for about one hour of special events and/or documentaries each Wednesday at 5 p.m. and Saturday morning at 10 a.m. Additionally, we do show special bits at miscellaneous hours and suggest you review the Channel 12 pages at least twice weekly. It usually takes but 10-15 minutes to go through the pages, which are rolling 24 hours a day.

Before the end of this cen-

tury, more than half the world's petroleum supply will have to come from the oceans. The 18-minute film OFFSHORE tells the story of the intensive search — the big equipment, big investment and big risks that it involves — and the effort to preserve the ocean environment. This film is also available, when time permits.

Channel 12 has now been operational for over a year, and we still have needs from both clubs and individuals in L.V. There's a continuing demand for new blank videocassettes, in order that we might tape, for future broadcasts, some of the fine videocassettes we borrow. Additionally, if we had enough funds to purchase a recorder, we could copy excellent programming from selected 16mm films. And lastly, we can use additional people. A number of interesting positions are available, some requiring only a few hours a week. Perhaps television could be a rewarding part of your retirement career.



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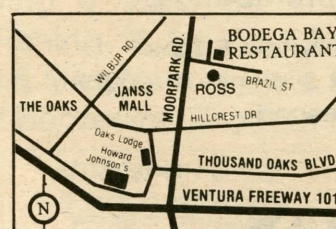
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RACQUET
CLUB

By Ellis and Maxine King

Regular meetings of the Racquet Club are held on the second Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the WCR. the June meeting will be on the 13th.

In April, the membership commended Sid Dubin as an outstanding instructor in the recently completed tennis course. Member attendance at the monthly meetings continues high and is approaching the capacity of the WCR.

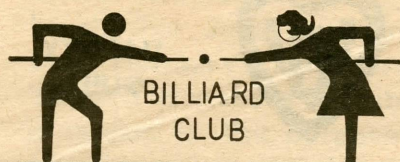
Racquet Club caps, insignia (patches), racquets, and paddles may be obtained from Sam Woronow. Call him at 484-1631.

The June 30 picnic will be a "Hobo Lunch" starting at 12:30. Participants will bring their own lunches (preferably hobo style). Drinks and dessert will be provided. There will be prizes for Best Hobo Makeup, and other categories. Tickets are \$1.00.

Also on June 30, look for the huge extravaganza of tennis and paddle tennis team play featuring the Hatfields and the McCoys. There's a certain amount of militant talk going around so look for the winners (or survivors) in this column.

The now firm date for our Fall Dinner-Dance Show is Sunday, October 14.

In tournament play, April's winners in tennis were Bob Hasen and Kay Bell in mixed doubles, Jerry Doctrow and Ben Smithkin prevailed in the men's doubles. The recently inaugurated team play in paddle tennis will normally be scheduled for the first and third Thursdays of each month. your 50 cent entry fee for tournaments helps pay for prizes. Wear your name badges.



BILLIARD
CLUB

By Henry Carfagna

Through the courtesy of the Billiard Club president, Bob Cooper, a group of our members were invited to be guests of Chevron U.S.A. Inc. for a tour of one of their oil platforms located offshore Carpenteria.

A company bus picked us up at the bus stop at the Rec. area transporting us to their Production Department in Ventura where Mr. J.L. Weaver, Area Superintendent, and Mr. John Herring, Area Foreman welcomed us.

An interesting slide presentation followed showing three types of drilling, two on platforms and a drill ship. Most of the big platforms provide living quarters for the crew, helicopter pad, etc. Twelve to forty-eight wells may be drilled from one platform much like a spider with many legs and may extend several thousand acres.

After the lecture, we were taken by boat to the pier. The wind was blowing at 30 knots and hour causing the sea to be rather choppy.

We arrived at platform Hilda after pounding through heavy seas at a distance of 7 miles only to be disappointed that we were unable to board the platform since our guide felt it was too risky to make the attempt due to heavy seas.

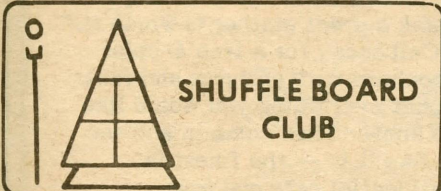
A reminder to members that the next Billiard Club General Meeting will be on June 26.

area. Club members will be contacted by a ticket seller. Others can call the seller for their village whose name will be posted at the shuffleboard courts. Cut off date for ticket purchases is June 15, so early purchase is recommended.

Renovation of the courts is expected soon to go forward in an acceptable manner.

Organized play continues on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays at 9:15 a.m. and Thursdays at 2:00 p.m. Lessons for beginners on Mondays, 9:00 a.m.

Our next meeting will be in the MPR at 7:30 p.m. on June 5.



SHUFFLE BOARD
CLUB

By Will Schreiber

The time is fast approaching for another Shuffleboard Club picnic: five o'clock on June 22 in the L.V. picnic

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VILLAGE SWINGERS SQUARE DANCE CLUB

By Romaine Lambert

Because May has five Tuesdays this year, the Village Swingers is having an extra guest caller. Don Schadt called on the 22nd and John Hed will perform on the 29th. Wyane Simpson, regular caller, continues to keep the floor informed on the most recent Callerlab figures. All those members who contributed to the success of the Spring Fling were also surprised with a free "Appreciation" dance on the 22nd.

A slate of officers for the coming year has been introduced: Pres., Dave and Belle Dominguez; 1st V.P. (refreshments), Leonard and Vickie Carmel; 2nd V.P. (activities), Lou and Midge Dektor; Secty., John and Marjorie Rice; Treas., Mort and Fran Linick; A Square D representative, Irv and Millie Litrownik. Nominations from the floor will be in order at the June 12 meeting when elections will take place.



PARTY BRIDGE

By Helen Stevenson

Party Bridge winners for the month of April were Charles Cromwell, Rose Sutton, Rudy Fleiner, Rebecca Cartman, Ruth Stender, Hattie Stern, Ernest Engen, Ken Black, Helen Stevenson, Iz Zindler, Bill Katz, Phil Drake and Margot Rabe.

Regular games are held on Tuesdays at 1:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. and on Thursday at 1:00 p.m. in the WCR. Tables fill up quickly so please come early to be assured a seat.

Jack and Lenore Broude, President, will host a joint board meeting of incoming and outgoing officers at their home on June 14.

THERE WILL BE NO DANCE ON JUNE 5 because the AR will be used for voting. Visitation on that night is being planned as ILV goes to press. When arrangements are firm they will be announced on regular dance nights.

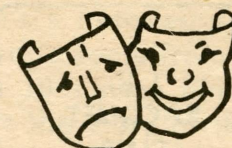


VARIETY GUILD

By Jeanne Carlson

Recent Variety Guild meetings have been given over largely to rehearsals. However, at the May meeting, President Bob Barrus, told the group that progress is definitely being made on storage facilities and improvements in the sound system. We will soon know more about this.

In the meantime, it looks as if the show is really getting under way. Variety Guild members are working hard on "The Best of Broadway", the big summer musical presentation which includes excerpts from eight popular Broadway shows. From the opening "Another Opening, Another Show" to a patriotic finale based on "George M.", it will be a fast-paced performance with drama, music, and dancing from hit shows such as "Oklahoma", "Music Man", "Annie, Get Your Gun", "Guys and Dolls", "New



VILLAGE PLAYERS WORKSHOP

By Roie Beck

The election of officers for 1984-85 was held at the May meeting of the Village Players. Nominating chairman Ailsa Muldoon presented the slate: President, Blanche Follen; Vice Pres., Ginny Cordell; Treasurer, Herb Swartz; Rec. Sec., Sylvia Altes; Corr. Sec., Miriam Cooper. Installation will be June 21.

The meeting was followed by a workshop one-act play "Second Honeymoon" starring Alva Lane, Herb and Edith Swartz, under the direction of Blanche Follen and Ginny Cordell.

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The Leisure Village Women's Club

By Jeanne Carlson

The May meeting of Women's Club, under the leadership of President Edna McCormick was full of good news, plans and fun.

The good news items were the facts that membership now totals 356 (but is still going for 500) and Trading Post flourished. In addition, everyone was pleased that the afghan raffle was won by Millicent Hoffman. The afghan, king-sized in harvest colors and in an unusual stitch, was crocheted by Grace Lane, V.16, a tireless workshop worker.

Plans for the future include the fact that the Board of Directors has been asked to submit a list of items needed by the Village so that the Club can choose what to give for its annual gift. Also, California State Hospital reports that there is a great need for small common personal items, particularly for

male patients who frequently arrive without even a toothbrush. For June and Father's Day, Women's Club Board has decided to make a contribution of money for this purpose and, in order that members may have a feeling of personal involvement, is asking for them

TRADING POST

Trading Post needs your moose-head hat-racks, passion-fruit pitter, or any other little item you would like to part with to sell for Women's Club charities. Just reach out and touch someone! Call Kay, 482-2455; Helen, 987-1215; Betty, 484-5606; or Gertie, 484-5509.

to bring gifts such as bars of soap, combs, tissue packs, shaving soap, or recreational articles such as decks of cards, puzzles, etc. These things may be brought to Workshop (each Tuesday, 9:00 to 11:30 a.m., MPR) or to the June meeting.

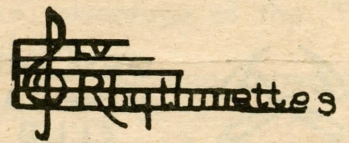
Workshop Worker Award for the month was a double header. The title of Queen of the May (the title changes each month) and African violets

were captured by sisters, Mary Smith and Alice Bay. Their specialty is crocheted stuffed animals and dolls, always a favorite Bazaar item.

Since the theme of the meeting was Mother's Day, members were asked to locate cards with the message "Happy Mother's Day" taped to their chairs. Winners of gifts of notepaper were Helen Nash and Marion Tavano. A reading from the works of Erma Bombeck, "Everybody Else's Mother" was also given.

However, the highlight of the Mother's Day celebration was the belly-dancing of Grace Back, multi-talented Villager. Grace always dances so beautifully and, in addition, spoke briefly about the history and meaning of her art.

The next meeting will be Thursday, June 7, at 1:30 in the AR. The program will be "The World of Dolls" and will include music and exhibition of dolls owned by Villagers. (Each doll has a story). If any reader owns dolls who could take part, please call Jeanne Carlson, 484-5662 for details.



By Lillian Skellenger

The Rhythmettes' first venture into the "Pops Concert" field on April 27 and 28 received a "hand-up" from L.V.'s "Arthur". Thank you, Mr. Kates! Sure hope the other "Arthur" looked down with approval.

I am extremely proud of this Rhythmettes accomplishment. A great part of the credit goes to the beautiful piano artistry of Earle Cunningham. Needless to say, we had a ball. Thanks, Villagers, for joining us.

1976-1984. We are now in our ninth year and it is time for another "Changing of the Guard". Officers for the year '84-'85 are: President, Jean Silverstein; Vice Pres. Isabel Torchia; Secretary, Margaret Hines; Treasurer, Ceil Levitt. So, on to another new year with more "Happy Days".



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GEM AND MINERAL CLUB

By Don Holmes

Gem and Mineral Club's May program was by Meg Easting, jewelry designer and goldsmith from Ojai, who showed slides and specimens of her work. Next month, program chairman Jack Bennett brings us a Bureau of Land Management film "Promise of the Land", which shows how the various demands on, and joint usage of the land, is being resolved by the B.L.M.

New officers were elected and will sit in a joint meeting with the outgoing officers in June. New officers are Don Holmes, president; Seymour Fisher, First Vice-Pres.; Garnette Holmes, Second Vice-Pres.; Mildred Vaughn, Secretary; Tom McMahon, Treasurer.

The Club thanks the outgoing officers for a job well done: Anne Wolfson, President; Jack Bennett, First Vice-



THE CERAMIC CLUB

Instead of the regular meeting of the Ceramics Club in June, a group caravanned to the Ojai Ceramic Studios of Vivaki and Otto Heino, to see their work.

In lieu of a meeting in June, on Thursday the 21st, members will go by chartered bus to the Will Rogers State Park, then to Farmer's Market for lunch (on our own), and then visit the L.A. County Museum and the La Brea Pits. All of this for \$7.50. We leave at 9:00 a.m., return at 5:00 p.m. Sign up for reservations in the Ceramic Room, and get your money to one of the officers.

Watch Channel 12 for more information. Workshops are continuing each Thursday, 9 to 12, come join us. Plan to come to the picnic July 19.

Pres.; Fern Joy, Second Vice-Pres.; Seymour Fisher, Secretary; Tom McMahon, Treasurer.



CAMERA CLUB

By Dorothy Levy

This month the Camera Club held its regular slide and print showing plus a learning session. After a discussion of action photography, we tried our techniques by snapping a real live belly dancer!

We also elected new officers: Sam Katz, President; Monte Robson and Rankin McIntyre, Vice-presidents; Dorothy Levy, Secretary; Morris Lefkowitz, Treasurer.

On June 15, our Installation Luncheon will be held at the Mercury Savings in Camrillo. Tickets are \$2.50 each.

Call Morris Lefkowitz at 482-8629 for them. The programs at these luncheons have always been outstanding photographic presentations. Don't miss this one.

The next meeting, with film, refreshments, and all, will be Wednesday, June 27, 7:30 p.m. in the MCR. Come to

VILLAGE PAINTERS By Sally Becker

Village Painters' annual Pot Luck luncheon will be held on June 6. This is the "delicious" affair where each member makes her favorite dish for the rest of us to try.

Do report your planned contribution to Judy Zeff (484-9632) or Clara Christ (987-1652).

This affair is for members only.



By Dorothy Konecko

The Organ Club meeting of May 25th at 1:30 p.m. in AR will feature the musical theme of "Movie Scores".

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INDOOR OUTDOOR GARDEN CLUB

By Maxine Fritz

"Old gardeners never die — they just lose their bloomers!" So I've been told. If you want to learn how to keep the blooms and care for Cymbidium orchids, Epiphyllums and other succulents (so popular in the Village), attend the Garden Club meeting on Thursday, June 14 at 9:30 a.m. in the WCR. A guest speaker will tell us about gardening with these intriguing plants. Social time with refreshments before the meeting as usual.

In cooperation with Channel 12, a Garden Club committee has been formed to survey patio gardens. Purpose is to locate and identify the most attractive, colorful and photogenic gardens in Leisure Village. Over 150 have been offered, but only 10 will be filmed. Due to location, shade, color, etc., some cannot be filmed. Channel 12 will make the final choices from a photo-

THE TIKVAH GROUP

By George Goldfarb

The Tikvah Group will conduct a Sabbath evening service followed by an Oneg Shabbat at 8:00 p.m. on Friday, June 8 at the Mercury Savings and Loan in Camarillo. For information and reservations call 482-8102, 484-8834 or 987-1771.

genic concept. Be sure to watch T.V. for this special feature.

Make note of the next Garden Club jaunt on Thursday, June 21. Bus will leave at 8:30 a.m. for the Lompoc flower fields and return about 4:30 p.m. Fare is \$10.00 for members and \$11.00 for guests with lunch on your own. Lompoc is called the "Flower Capital of the World" and is the home of three major seed companies. Thousands of acres are planted in the fall and in June the Lompoc Valley bursts into bloom, transformed into a magnificent Joseph's Coat of dazzling color. Don't miss this opportunity to view it!

Call Audrey Reid, 987-2690 or Martha Moffitt, 987-1855 for reservations.



SOLO CLUB

By Bert Kunz

Last month we told you Solo Club would be going to dinner tonight in Oxnard. There is a change of plan. We are going to the Hungry Tiger in Thousand Oaks. We will carpool in the East parking lot at 5 p.m. to

E.Z. SQUARE DANCE CLUB

By Grace Steele

The E.Z. Square Dance Club is celebrating for two reasons: We have received our charter and are now an official club of the A Square D Organization with all its privileges and benefits.

Secondly, we have no beginners at the present time. . . they have become experienced dancers. . . and are no dos-a-

take advantage of the "Early Bird Special."

We're looking forward to seeing you all at the pot luck dinner on June 8. Names A to F bring dessert, G to R bring meat, and S to Z bring salad. We will have exceptional entertainment by the Four Maldehydes, a quartet from Sweet Adelines. Dinner is at 6.

The monthly brown bag lunch will be June 15 at 12:30 in the WCR.

dos-ing along with other square dancers around town! We are very proud of these one time beginners.

So, get your dancing shoes on, grab your partner, and come join all the fun! We meet Sundays from 4:30 to 7:00 p.m. in the AR or the MPR. Sam Atkinson is our Caller. Reminder: Save June 3 for our graduation pot-luck dinner dance 4:00 to 7:00 p.m. in AR.

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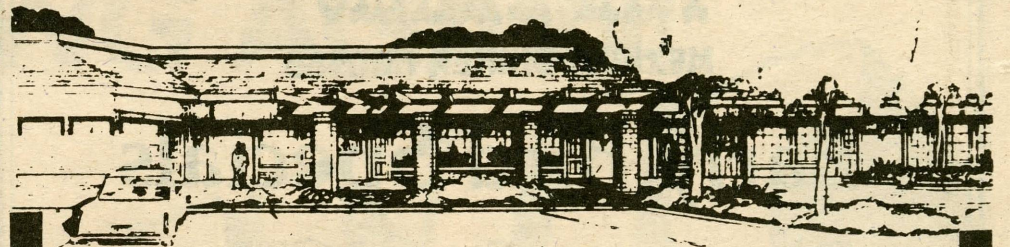
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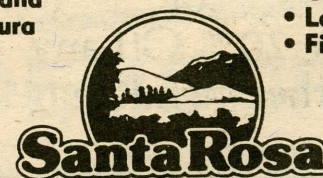


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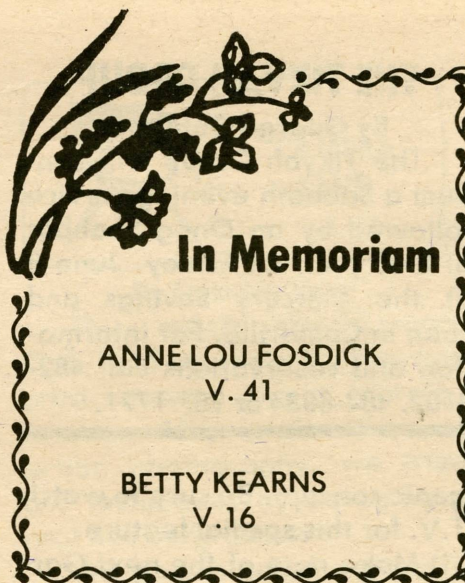
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By Ruth Laub

The May schedule for Swing-Disco-Jazz included the annual Cinco de Mayo dance on May 5, at which we had a capacity attendance. The hall was beautifully decorated with Mexican colors, banners and artifacts. Most of the artifacts were supplied by Joe and Charlotte Romero, who were our hosts for the evening. The Ro-

EVENING FOLK DANCING
Harry Castaline will teach and provide the music for ethnic dances from Greece, Israel, Rumania, the Balkans, etc., when the Evening Folk Dance group (formerly the Gypsy Folk Dancers) meets Sundays 7:15 to 9:30 p.m. in the MPR or AR when available.

Starting in July, we will be dancing Wednesday evenings in the MPR.

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meros also performed their famous "Hat Dance". Marguerite Abdelnour and Rhoda Smithkin also entertained us with Mexican dances. The music was supplied by our own Music Man, Ed Abdelnour.

June will bring a Polynesian dance on Saturday evening, June 2 at 8 p.m. Come join us in the AR in your island attire, or in regular dress. Hosts for the evening will be Ken and Sue MacKaig. All Villagers and their guests are invited. Coffee, tea, punch and ice will be provided. Donation is 50¢.

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By Dene Dunn

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Phil Ginolfi and his Rhythmaires will be here on August 4.

As the number of tickets available is limited, anyone having a ticket who cannot attend, please return it to Marge (484-5564). If it is resold, money will be refunded.

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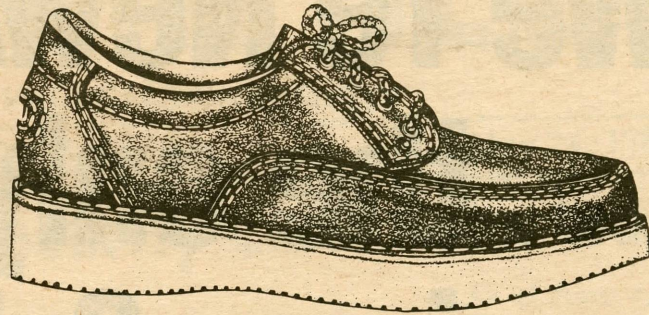
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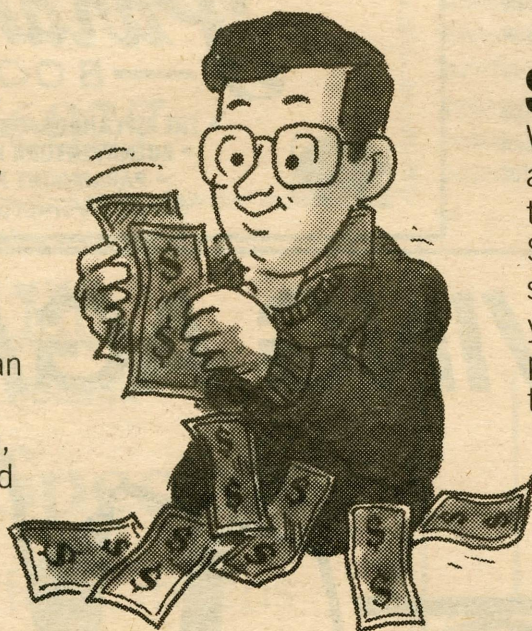
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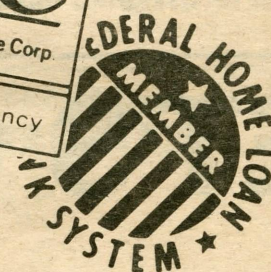
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