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General Manager Cullati Resigns

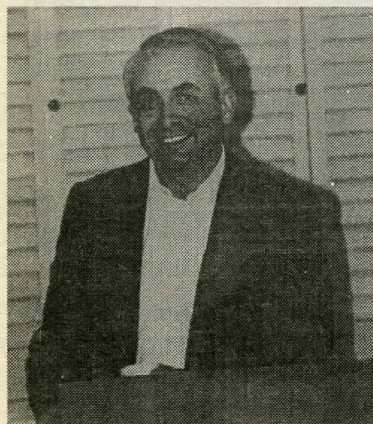
By Bob Atz

After serving 6 years as General Manager for the Leisure Village Association Bob Cullati resigned the post to pursue other business opportunities in Santa Maria. Bob submitted his letter of resignation to the Board of Directors on October 25. The letter was accepted with regret by the Board and he left the position immediately, by mutual consent.

Bob assumed the post of General Manager for the Association on November 14, 1988. He was previously employed as Manager of Finance and administration at Prime Computer, Inc. in Woodland Hills. He was chosen for the Manager's job from over 160 other applicants.

Members of the Board of Directors will assume duties of the General Manager by taking turns in the Administration office on a daily basis until a replacement is hired.

A search committee, consisting of Karl Joehnck, Ann Levey and George Pisors, was appointed by the LVA Board to do the preliminary screening of candidates for the General Manager's position.



Bob Cullati

Emergency Radio Room Completed

By Bob Atz

Leisure Village Emergency Communications Control Center was formally placed in service during a dedication ceremony held at 12:30 p.m. November 1 at the Recreation Center.

The dedication ceremony was conducted by Jules Nayfack. He introduced a series of speakers, each of whom described different facets of the Center's development.

Herb Arnold first gave a brief history of the Amateur Radio Club, citing how it was organized in 1990 and how it has become the communications arm of the Emergency Services Organization.

Dick Travis, current President of the Amateur Radio Club, described how the club's activities mesh with the amateur radio network within Ventura County. He then directed a demonstration of how the Radio Club would function in Leisure Village during an emergency. Eleven "ham" operators were dispatched to their area posts within the village and radio contact was established with the Command Center. Those in the audience were then able to hear the messages transmitted between the area posts and the Command Center. (In an emergency an additional operator would be placed in the administration office and a roving operator would service the Main Gate.)

Dave Wilkins, President of the Sulphur Mountain Repeater Association de-

Dedication of Communications Control Center



Dick Travis holds mike, with Jules Nayfack, M.C., and Jack Myers, seated. Other members of the Amateur Radio group cluster around. In foreground the solar panels are displayed.

Photo by Klapperman

scribed how the repeater station carries radio transmissions between the LV Area Posts and the Command Center. He reported that there are 7 repeater stations in Ventura County and that they are fully solar powered.

Mark Stimson, a representative from ARCO-Siemens Solar, told of how the solar panels were produced here in Camarillo and that 3 panels had been donated to LV for use at the Emergency Communications Control Center.

The highlight of the program was presentation of a plaque to Jack Myers in recognition of his efforts in preparing the room for this project. Jack was quick to acknowledge assistance from Bob Kumler, Tom Rushing, Howard Hintz, Clary Morgan and Jack Bennett.

Following presentation of the plaque the visitors were treated to cookies and punch and a walking tour of the facility.

Operation and maintenance of this facility will be provided by the Amateur Radio Club under the supervision of the Emergency Services Organization. Those seeking more details on this project should contact Dick Travis, President of the Amateur Radio Club.

Herb Warneke Appointed As New Board Member

Herb Warneke was appointed to the LVA Board of Directors as its fifth member to complete the unexpired term of Frank Craven.

Herb, who is an avid golfer, has served several years on the Finance Committee and is a financial adviser to the City of Camarillo

HOLIDAY CALENDAR

Monday, December 5
3:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Tree Trimming Party in AR

Friday, December 16
7:00 p.m.

Christmas - Chanukah Program in AR
See Recreation Office for Free Tickets

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• O P I N I O N •

Be Prepared

For years the Boy Scouts of America have had the slogan "Be Prepared" emblazoned on their uniforms and publications. Similarly, the term "Semper Paratus" (Always Ready) has been the motto for the United States Coast Guard.

Over the years our Emergency Services Organization has urged villagers to prepare themselves for coping with unforeseen events. The earthquake of January 17 underscored the wisdom of their recommendations. While we in the Village suffered relatively minor damage from the earthquake there is no guarantee that we will be so lucky next time.

In this issue and in coming months ILV will carry articles discussing different facets of our ESO, including functions of Village coordinators, availability of CPR and Red Cross training and numerous tips for personal safety and comfort. There is no such thing as being "Over Prepared" when dealing with emergency situations.

As with all issues, there are residents in two camps - the overzealous, gung-ho enthusiast who goes all-out versus the ostrich with its head in the sand who wants to ignore it all. Let's hope we can find a third, middle path. The moderate person will be aware, take reasonable precautions and prepare individual supplies to meet his/her own household needs to cope with potential disasters. After taking reasonable precautions, this person does not dwell on the doom and gloom aspects of life, but pursues the enjoyment and participation in currently pleasant events.

The schools perform routine fire drills and earthquake drills, for example, but these practice sessions are only a small part of the school curriculum; it does not dominate the school day. We should aim for such a perspective.

Stock your closet with necessary supplies and then let the subject drop. Get on with your life.

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ABOUT NEXT MONTH

Coordinator for the next month will be Lois Atz. Please follow guidelines and be as brief as you can. Deadline for the December 30 issue will be Monday December 12, 1994 at 5:00 p.m. To arrange for a photographer, call coordinator at least 3 days in advance.

Letters

ILV has obligated itself to publish Letters to the Editors that are not profane nor libelous. Views or statements expressed as facts are the beliefs of the writer and are not necessarily supported by the Staff of ILV. Letters should be brief. They must include your signature, address and telephone number. We reserve the right to edit and/or condense. Place in ILV box or give to the Coordinator for the month, as printed on page 2 of ILV.

Unfortunately a little surgery on Oct. 27 forced me to cancel a fun-filled day at Soule with many members of the Men's and Women's Golf Clubs. The get well card that all of you signed was really appreciated. Thanks also to Willis Sanders for delivering it to the hospital and filling me in on the day's events.

Herb Warneke, V.40

To my many thoughtful and caring friends in Leisure Village: Thank you most sincerely for your scores of lovely get well cards, phone calls and personal visits - all with your sympathy and well-wishes for my recovery after surgery to a broken right leg due to an unfortunate fall while I was on a cruise in the Caribbean Sea.

You have made the pain and discomfort easy to bear and made me appreciate my friends more than ever.

Andre Rosson, V.44

The family of Henry Singer would like to thank all the people who called to offer support and condolences over his passing. I thank you from the bottom of my heart.

Beatrice Singer, V.44

Leisure Village residents have phoned me (referring to my letter concerning malathion in last month's *Inside Leisure Village*) to indicate chest /

mucous congestion. How about you? Have you been feeling any unusual symptoms?

Many in Leisure Village communicate only within our particular circles of friends. No central repository for information about any unusual health responses to the malathion spraying exists nor has one been set up within Leisure Village.

Do we not need to know if there are unusual ailments, particularly affecting breathing, during this period of malathion spraying? Your Neighbors Care Group indicates to me that it is not capable of such monitoring of health responses. The Board of Directors seems disinterested in the subject.

Who is keeping any data? The County Health Department, which supports the malathion spraying, is quoted as saying they have few complaints. When I phoned them (652-5914), and asked about the citizen illness report, I was referred to the Medfly Hotline.

Do you have symptoms such as: breathing difficulty, loss of coordination, abdominal cramps or diarrhea, headaches, nausea, vomiting, dizziness, anxiety, restlessness, muscle twitching, an unusual weaknesses. Have you chest congestion or coughing without usual symptoms of flu? Have you lost your voice without reasons? Has your breathing become labored without clear cause?

If you think that the Board of Directors of Leisure Village should be setting up monitoring procedures concerning any health effects from malathion, please so indicate to them.

Alan Rosin V.26

Jack Myers' letter accusing Donna Duke of disregarding certain regulations ended with an ominous statement: "This brings up the most important subject: electrical wir-

ing without permits = no fire insurance."

The villagers need not fear for their insured security. Fortunately, Jack's statements are at variance with reality.

After a disaster, insurance companies do not chase down every minor electrical change. When investigating a claim, they focus on the damage costs as witnessed by the numerous fire and electrical damages honored after the January earthquake.

If the Camarillo Building Department checked each microscopic electrical alteration, it would be inundated with building permits and forced to hire an army of inspectors.

The Architecture and Landscape Committee is not involved in minuscule interior variations.

In addition, it is unfair to single out one lady for the alleged misdeeds. Over 600 reliable members share in the conduct of the Women's Club.

But all this is trivia compared to the bottom line. I'm no Rock of Gibraltar, myself, and am well aware of the bitterness and pain caused by stress. Please, Jack, for the sake of your well-being and the ones who love you and care for you, do not continue this course.

Oleg Lopatin, V.17

The sudden death of my beloved husband, Harry, after 59 years of love and devotion, has left me with a deep sense of desolation.

Yet I must tell all of you villagers that your hundreds of calls, letters and cards have helped assuage my loss. I want to thank all of you- from the bottom of my heart-for your caring and love.

Sallie Jacobs, V.42
and family

We would like to thank all our wonderful Leisure Village friends for their support and concern, for offering to share their

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Search Committee Seeks New General Manager

By Bill Himstreet

To find a new general manager, the Board of Directors has established a process which uses a search committee to solicit applicants, conduct preliminary evaluations, and submit a list of about five finalists from which the Board will make the final selection. As planned by the Board, hopefully the search committee portion

of the process can be completed by the end of 1994.

Although the work of the search committee is confidential, weekly reports have been made to the Board and will continue until the process is completed. In addition to the usual education and experience requirements, the search committee is seeking someone with knowl-

edge of and/or skill in staff and budget management, homeowner association laws and the ability to communicate effectively with employees, department heads, professional advisors, and senior citizens both orally and in writing.

Members of the search committee-- Karl Joehnck, George Pisors and Ann Levey have been engaged in this search since November 1.

Committee Appointments

By Lois Atz

The Board of Directors of the Leisure Village Association recently approved a number of appointments to Village Committees.

Ken Wilson and Al Bennett were appointed to the Emergency Services committee. Ken was named the new chairman and Al will be assistant chairman.

Henry (Bill) Obenchain is the new chairman of the Building and Grounds committee.

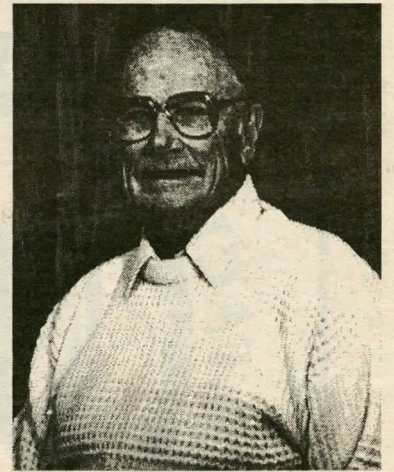
June Niles and Al Bennett were appointed to the Ombudsman Panel, with June being selected as new chairman.

Gertrude Dorward was appointed to the Security and Safety committee and named new chairman.

Frank Craven Resigns

Frank Craven, V18, submitted his resignation from his post on the LVA Board of Directors, effective November 7. The board accepted it with great regret.

Frank has served on the Board for 18 months; there are six months remaining of the two year term for which he was elected. The Board is empowered to appoint a home owner to fill the vacancy.



Frank Craven

DON NELSON TAKES A BRIDE

By Jack Whalen

One evening, just about six months ago, he was teaching Western dancing at a "singles" church party in Westlake Village. She joined in for line dancing and later met her instructor over strawberries and chocolate.

Thus began a romance that had a truly happy ending with the recent marriage of L.V.'s maintenance supervisor and Jan

Long.

"It was just meant to be," says a smiling Don Nelson. "We were married at the Mormon Church in Santa Barbara, had a super brief honeymoon and are making our home in Ventura."

"The marriage made me an instant grandfather," he reports. "Between us we have seven children, though only a few are living at home."

Jan is employed with a major civil engineering and

survey company in Santa Barbara and has held employment there for some six years.

Although Don has been here in L.V. for just four months, he is moving ahead swiftly on many projects. Bids are now in on the slurry project for 30 villages, tree removal plans are in motion, the electric gate leading to the shopping area will soon be in place and more than 30% of all new roofs are completed.



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Thanksgiving Ecumenical Service

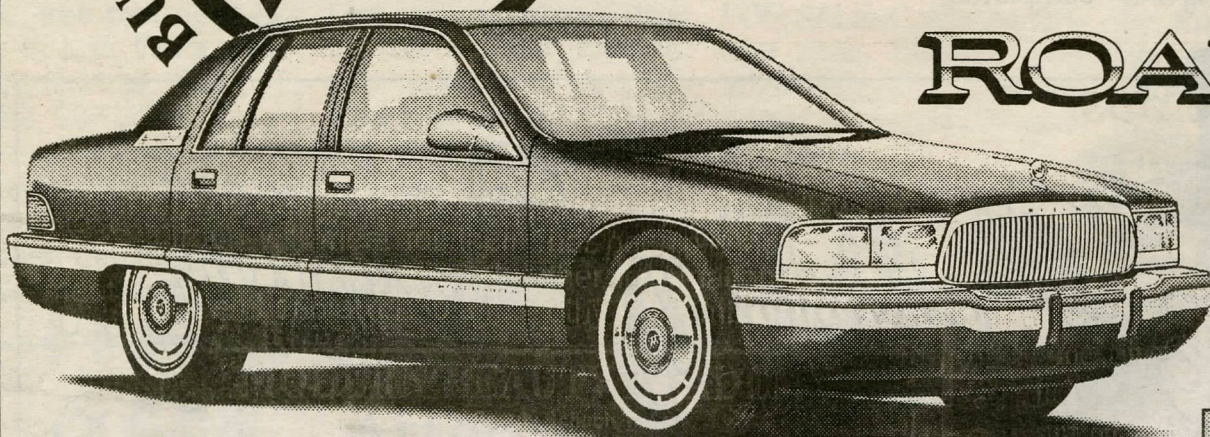
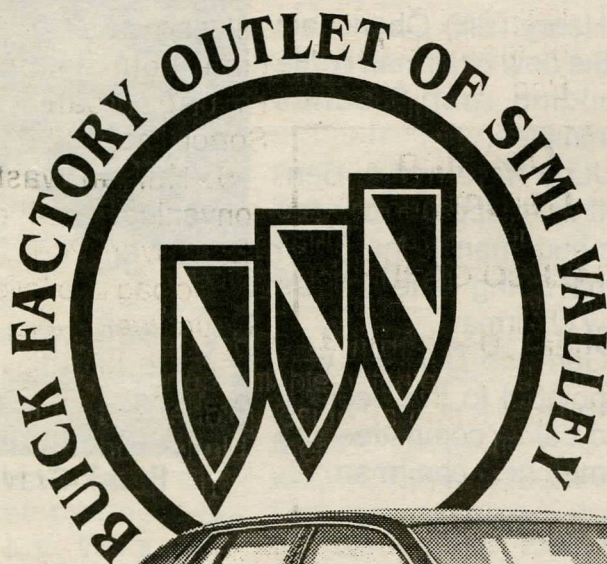
By Doris Achterkirchen

The Thanksgiving Ecumenical Service was held Wednesday, November 23 in the AR with a large group attending. Vi Shirk, chair for the Interfaith Committee, moderated the event. The other members of the committee were Luella Kelwin, Jean Aird and George Goldfarb

The main speaker was

the Reverend Dr. Edwin E. Girod, the senior pastor of Trinity Presbyterian Church in Camarillo. The two clergymen who participated in the service were Rabbi Michael Berk of Temple Beth Torah in Ventura, and Father Liam Kidney of Padre Serra Parish in Camarillo.

The Leisure Village Chorale performed "Happily We Sing," and "The Thanksgiving Calypso."



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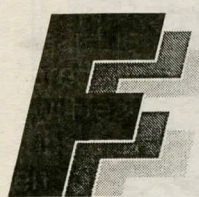
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E. S. O.

By Ken Wilson

Your Emergency Services Committee is very near to achieving its Number One Priority that of establishing a complete staff of Village Coordinators and Assistant Coordinators. This is a group of about 160 residents, all dedicated to making us safer from disaster.

It is hoped that all residents will become acquainted with the Coordinators and Assistants in their villages and give them the encouragement and support they richly deserve.

The Leisure Village phone book has several pages devoted to suggestions for survival during a disaster. On one of these pages lines are provided for entry of the Name, Phone Number and Address of Village Coordinators and Assistant Coordinators. This could be a vital reference should help be needed. Additionally, a reference card providing the same information has been designed and will soon be distributed.

Priority Number Two, a telephone network for early warning, is now being addressed. This plan works similarly to a chain letter in that each resident involved is expected to make not more than five contacts in passing a message along. It has the virtue of speed without the problems of other quick systems such as the use of sirens or "bull horns."

Our conversations with L. V. Security and the City of Camarillo have confirmed that this plan is our best available choice for the present. The importance of an early warning system is not obvious when one thinks of an earthquake, but when considering the effect of a toxic spill and the speed and silence with which it would approach, it is more apparent. In such an event, the ability to gain even a few seconds could prevent tragic occur-

rences.

The phone "tree" is not a perfect answer, naturally, being subject to mistakes, absenteeism and panic, but until a better solution arises your ESC Committee will continue its effort to get it in service as soon as possible. A toxic spill is very unlikely to disrupt phone service, but the plan envisions callers as being close neighbors able to reach each other on foot if the unlikely comes to pass.

The network has other uses, each of which alone could justify the effort. One such use augments the so-called "buddy system" in which neighbors agree to help each other even when an emergency doesn't exist. The buddy system also is a high-priority item and will be explained more fully in a subsequent article.

Due to the large number of persons needed to complete such a network, it is probable that you will be asked to be a phone helper.

FIRST AID AND CPR CLASS

By Felice Perkins

To date, 40 Leisure Villagers have received American Red Cross/CPR certification, with another 10 registered for ensuing classes. This on-going six-hour course, sponsored by the ESO, is offered in two consecutive sessions, Thursdays and Fridays, beginning at 1:00 p.m. There is no charge.

During this course, Security Officer and Instructor Randy Haumann incorporates scenarios pertaining specifically to Leisure Village, which will lessen any panic or apprehension should the occasion arise when this training is needed.

Because of the limitation of 10 people per class, please register by calling Libby Pierce between 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. at 987-3134.

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Emergency Tips From: Emergency Services Organization

By Claire Sortomme

1. Most Important need is to help neighbors in your own village, especially the disabled. We will all need each other.

2. Any available motor-home owner in your village may offer his stove for heating coffee or?

3. Keep water on hand:

A. In bottles.

B. Purify with bleach or iodine. See page 43 of the GTE Phone Book for great sug-

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gestions. You may choose to cut that item out and place it handy with your emergency pack.

4. Rotate basic supply of canned goods: soups, vegetables, fruit, meats and juices. Use fresh food first; then refrigerated; then frozen foods.

5. Can we have your name on our list if you can loan to headquarters, your butane stove and fuel for heating purposes? We can arrange to pick it up and return it if we find ourselves in need. We appreciate your cooperation. Please call Claire Sortomme, 482-9325.

6. Human waste: For convenience and comfort place oversized doubled plastic bag into toilet bowl. Secure well over exterior. Continue until flushing is permitted.

More Tips Next Month

Opening Ceremony

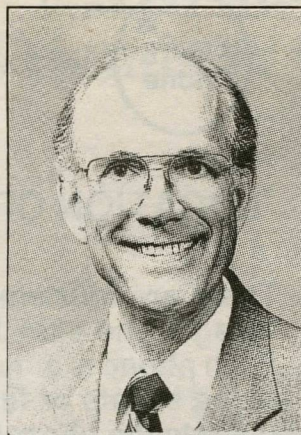
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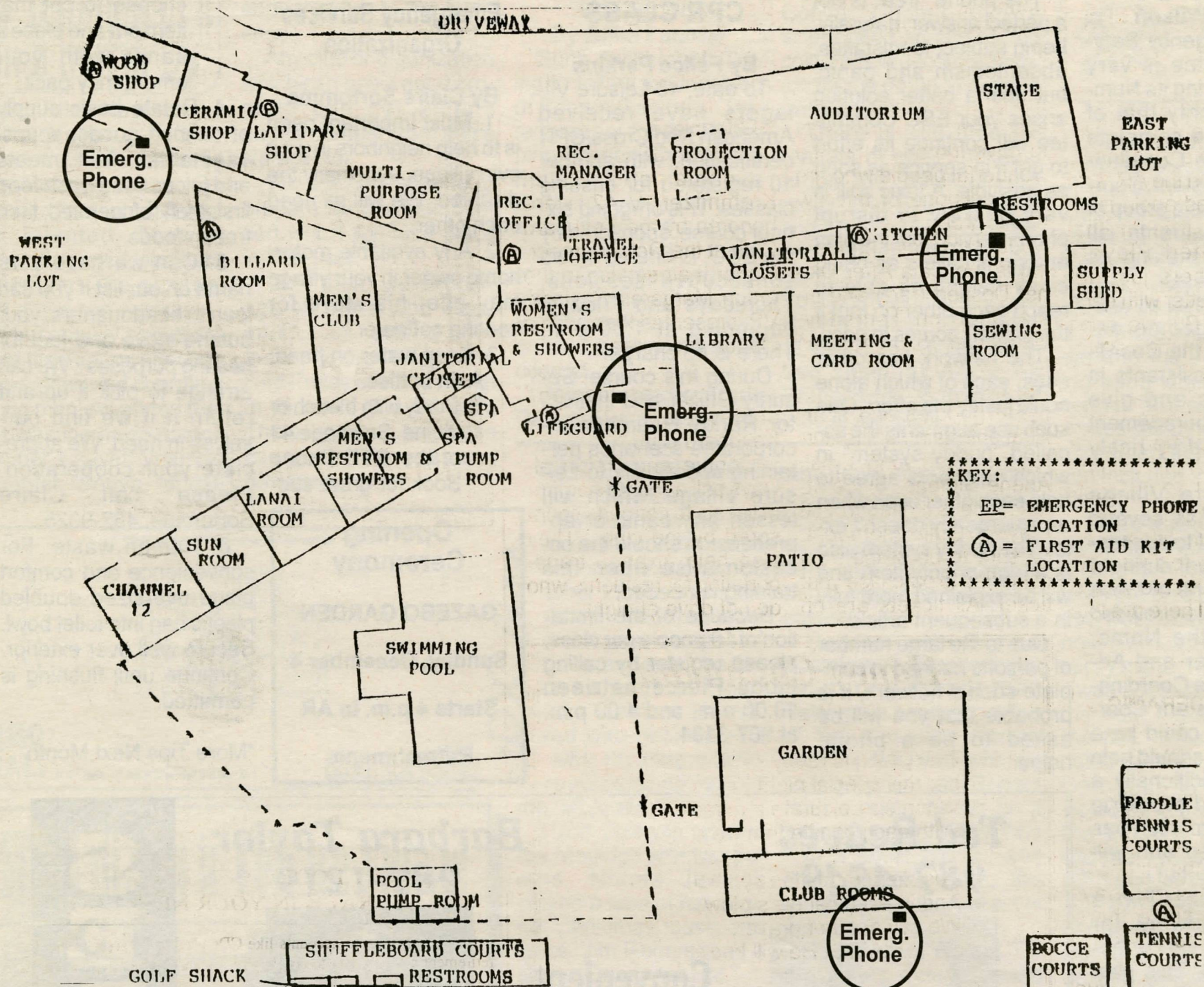


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LOCATION OF EMERGENCY PHONES

There are four emergency phones located in the Village. The sketch above marks their locations. Each phone is a "hot line" to Security for life threatening events or fire only. No coins are needed to operate the phones. Channel 12 is planning a program to illustrate their use, to be shown soon.

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PLAYERS GUILD

By Ruth Brott

The applause for *The Second Time Around* is still echoing in the AR. And well deserved applause it was, indeed. It seems that our dedicated Players Guild members just get better and better with each production. But we don't spend much time resting on our collective laurels; already we are planning for our next musical which will be performed in the spring. Watch this column and Channel 12 for casting calls and other news.

Join the fun. We are always happy to find new talent in our Leisure Village community. There are lots

of ways to participate; if acting is not your forte, come help with set construction, or costumes, or props, or publicity, or — many, many other facets of theater. It's a great way to have fun and meet the wonderful people who are the backbone of this dynamic group.

Our next major happening is the Gala After Dinner Dessert Party and Installation on Thursday, December 15. It promises to be a festive event with out-of-this-world homemade goodies and sparkling entertainment featuring the gifted song stylist, Arlene Simone. Since attendance is limited to 250 Players Guild members, be sure to be at the front of the line to purchase your ticket. All tickets are on

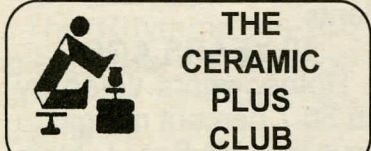
sale in the lobby of the Recreation Center on Mondays and Fridays from 9 a.m. to 12 noon, and on Wednesdays from 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. Tickets are \$4.00 apiece.

VILLAGE BRIEF

Connie and Ralph Kremnitzer, V 42, were honored by the Keyboard Club at the October meeting for their service to the group. Margarete Nayfack, VP, presented them with a plaque which reads:

"In appreciation of outstanding service and achievement 1994 LV Keyboard Club."

Connie and Ralph always sell a record number of tickets to concerts sponsored by the club. They also help arrange transportation for residents who do not drive at night.



THE CERAMIC PLUS CLUB

By Don Holmes

The Ceramic Plus Club is planning to have its annual party at the luncheon meeting on Thursday, January 26, since there will be no more meetings this year.

Dues of \$3.00 are due in January, and the catered luncheon on January 26 will cost \$4.00; both should be paid early in January.

Happy Chanukah

By Lillian Wallace

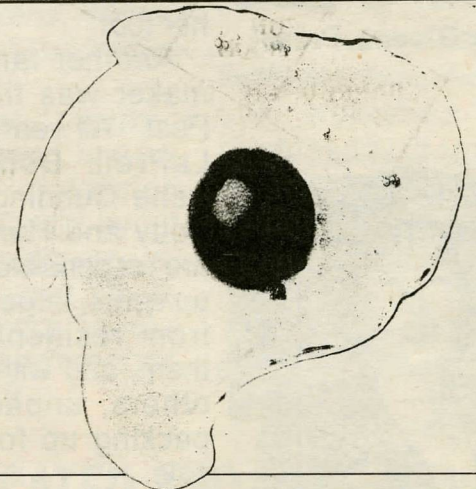
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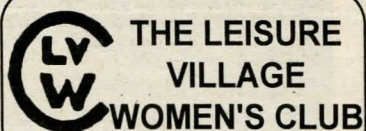
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By Blanche Follen

The yearly Bazaar held on October 15 attracted a larger than usual attendance, and resulted in a record amount of money taken in.

The success of the event was due in large part to the efforts of the women who on every Tuesday throughout the year, kept busy making the items offered. Dorothy Fencil was in charge of the Bazaar and did a yeoman's job in spite of a broken bone in her foot.

Another large money maker was the Trading Post. All year long Doris LaPrell, Donna Duke, Irene Cunningham, and Betty and Harold Keeler are responsible for picking up items, large and small, from residents, pricing them, and with help from others, unpacking and packing up for the next sale.

Other big money makers were the bake sale and the hot dogs and desserts enjoyed by many in attendance.

The Appreciation Luncheon held on November 3 and chaired by Aileen Chuck was greatly enjoyed by the 200 members present. Renee Greene

welcomed everyone and conducted a short business meeting, after which, Dorothy Fencil, nominating committee chairperson, announced the slate of officers for the coming year as follows: Parliamentarian, Kay LaPrell; Corresponding Secretary, Velma Hughes; Treasurer, Sylvia Mopper; Recording secretary, Alice Hinig; Second V.P., Dorothy Sparkman; First V.P., Aileen Chuck; President, Renee Greene.

The members were entertained by Nathan Brian Wine, who has a glorious tenor voice, and sang many familiar song. He was accompanied by our professional pianist, Dorothy Weiss.

At the next meeting, December 1, election of officers will be held. The Trading Post will open at 11:00 and the meeting at 1:30. Boutique items will again be displayed for sale and certificates for See's candy at \$8.24 will be available. The Leisure Village Chorale will entertain with holiday selections.

Installation of officers will be held at the club's luncheon at Charley Brown's in Thousand Oaks at 11:30 on January 5. Tickets are on sale now. Call Eleanor Service, 987-3341, Dorothy Fencil, 484-3416, and Renee Greene, 987-5411. Entertainment will be provided.

AR Kitchen Gets New Equipment And Floor

By Doris Achterkirchen

The kitchen off the AR in the Rec Hall has undergone a mini-renovation. A new floor has been laid -- steel gray with flecks of color--which is coved and non-asbestos, and conforms to all the required regulations.

Two new refrigerators were also purchased, one with a single door, and one with a double door. A double-door freezer was also added.

Two new garbage disposals replaced the large and small units. These innovations will make working in the kitchen more efficient and much more pleasurable.

The committee which ably effected these changes was chaired by Donna Duke. The other members were Frank Craven, Carl Beller, Max Schwartz, and Richard Mathes.

Notes From The Past

This column, gleaned from back issues of ILV, reports events that occurred 5, 10 and 15 years ago. We believe this will interest residents who are new to the Village, as well as those who have been here only a few years and maybe those who were here when the events occurred.

5 YEARS AGO

Residents were reminded that when they ride the city bus they should carry Leisure Village identification so that they can get back into the Village.

The "Discovery" channel (No. 24) was added to the array of television channels available to residents.

10 YEARS AGO

Homeowners voted by an 86.7 percent margin to have the LVA Board obtain flood and earthquake insurance.

The Organ Club (now known as the "Keyboard Club") presented a check for \$7600 to the LVA Board to be used toward the purchase of a Yamaha FX-10 Console Organ.

15 YEARS AGO

The Santa Rosa Plaza Associates (developers of Santa Rosa Plaza) sought to have an easement to enable storm water to drain through Villages 5, 7 and 15; the request for easement was denied.

Leisure Technology continued in their attempts to keep the bus they were furnishing in operating condition.

A project called "Paramedics for Camarillo" was initiated in the village to provide paramedic services in the village and the city of Camarillo.

An Environmental Impact Report was completed concerning the construction of Adolfo Road between Lewis Road and Santa Rosa Road to provide better access to the City of Camarillo.



Renee Greene, Pres.



Aileen Chuck, 1st VP

Photos by Fran Linick

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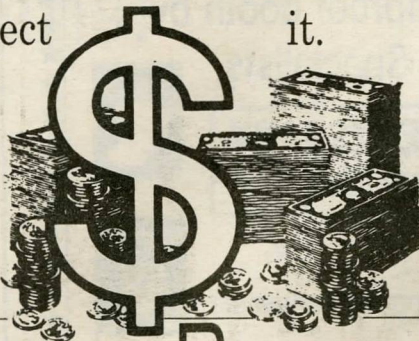
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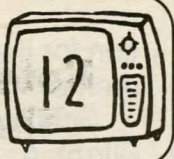


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LOOKING AT CHANNEL 12



By Janet Hof

Channel 12 has a busy month for December. Of particular interest to villagers will be "Disaster in the Wings", an excellent 28-minute tape on the medfly. It will be shown on Saturday, December 17, at 10:00 a.m.

On Monday, December 12 at 5:00 p.m., Lee Edwards will review three movies: "River Wild", "Quiz Show", and "Shawshank Redemption." Lillian Hawthorne will critique "The Last Brother, the Rise

and Fall of Ted Kennedy" on December 26 at 5:00 p.m. Both are not-to-be missed programs.

We will be showing some of the Village club programs that you might not have been able to attend: Meet Your Neighbor's interview with Ann Levey of the Finance Committee on Saturday, the third, the Arts and Crafts show on December 5, the November Interfaith Service December 7, the ESO Ham Radio Room dedication on the 14th, Women's Club Damon and Draper Fashions modeled by Leisure Village women on the 19th, and Christmas tree trimming and program at the end of the month.

DO'S & DON'TS FOR OUTDOOR DECORATIONS

By Bill Obenchain Buildings & Grounds Committee

DO NOT connect more than 50 bulbs on one circuit.

DO NOT hang wiring by driving staples or nails through the wires. (Cup hooks make ideal hangers).

DO NOT use indoor 2 wire rubber insulated extension cords outdoors.

DO NOT drive nails, screws, etc. through the roof shingles. (Should you cause leaks, you pay)

DO NOT place Santa Claus, reindeers, etc. on the lawns.

DO NOT attempt to change light bulbs with power on, especially if the area is wet.

DO hang all outdoor lights on hooks under the eaves if possible to protect from the rain.

DO Inspect lighting wires for cracked or damaged insulation. Damaged insulation plus rain equals FIRE.

DO Use extension cords that are weatherproof outdoor type with a third wire ground.

PLEASE remove the decorations immediately after the holidays. Otherwise you may have a violation filed against you.



By Anita Trindl

The Billiard Club Holiday Dinner and Installation plans have been finalized. You will find pertinent information posted on the bulletin board in the Billiard Room. Watch for the time, place, date and from whom to buy tickets. Remember to watch Channel 12 for any new information.

The nominating committee has the following slate to present to the membership: President, Dutch Filbry; 1st Vice

Women's Club Trading Post

By Irene Cunningham

The Trading Post crew wishes to thank all our volunteers and supporters for making the Bazaar such a successful event.

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store your donated items to prepare for our next monthly sale, December 1. We welcome your contributions. For pickup, please call: Betty 484-5606 or Irene 987-2627.

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President, Barbara Ohmstedt; 2nd. Vice President, Ernie Ohmstedt; Secretary, Trudy Orsan; and Treasurer Donna Duke.

Barbara Pardue, hospitality chairman, announced the November general meeting has been designated for "our night" to contribute to Food Share. We have always been proud of our membership's generosity during the Holiday Food Share Drive. There will be a box placed in the Billiard Room to collect foodstuffs from those who do not attend the meeting. It will be there throughout the Holiday Drive. Food Share collectors Pat and Ed Holly informed Barbara they especially need canned meats, tuna and fruits, as well as other items you care to contribute. Cash donations are always most welcome, too.

New member Sid Newcowitz and prospective member Fred Pieroni, were welcomed.

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By Jack Whalen

Team #11 is in first place with about 50% of the first half of bowling completed. There's Marty Gregory, Larry Kelly, Owen Hardman and Esther Knopf.

In high series scratch, it's doubtful if any one will come close to Al Sparkman's 628, and Morey Gold's 233 in high game scratch is 25 pins better than Joe Jacobson's.

Esther Knopf's 713 high series scratch leads the field by 29 pins, while Lois Kissinger's 204 in high game scratch is 15 pins better than Kay Bell's.

In high series handicap, Caroline DiLallo holds a 674, 28 pins better than Lucy Fioro. Vee Flowers, with a 242 high game handicap, is 4 pins ahead of surprising Rae Sohr.

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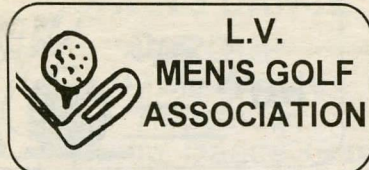
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By Herb Warneke

Regulation golf for LVMGA on October 13 was a little different this month. Played at Buena Ventura, Alan Bruce arranged a Nassau Tournament with winners, by flights, for each nine as well as for 18 holes. There are too many winners to list, except for low gross. In Flight A Warren Sugg took the honor with an 86. In Flight B it was Dick Maitland's 101, which also was Joe Selber's score in winning Flight C.

The Halloween Mixed Couples Tournament on October 30 saw Ben Alexander taking low gross with a 57. Gene Bookwalter and Jerry Orth tied for low net in Flight A each netting 57. Flight B featured a hole-in-one on #12 by Tony Gregg who took low gross by shooting 61. Congratulations, Tony. Jack Heller with a 53 won low net, one stroke better than Ernie Ohmstedt.

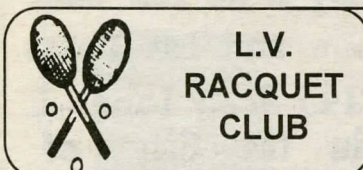
We commend Gil Weitz

who shot a 65, good for low gross in Flight C. Charlie Kent won low net with a 56, one ahead of a trio of golfers.

The 19th Hole Party was well attended with many people in costumes. This relaxing hour with friends should be a must on your calendar, even if you didn't play golf in the morning.

The 36 hole Club Championship was concluded on Nov. 1. Syl Horwald with a 115 will see his name engraved on the trophy. Charlie Bellante and Jerry Orth were tied at 117. The Flight B winner was Bill Kent scoring 131, one stroke better than Bill Sauers. In Flight C Herb Swartz took the honor with a 132. Walt Whitaker's 134 was second.

The highlight event of the month was the 20th Anniversary Golf-Fest at Soule on Oct. 27. Men and women of both golf clubs played together and were joined by many non-players at a buffet lunch. Thanks to Ted Rose, Ernie Ohmstedt, Alan Bruce and others for making this a special 20th Anniversary memory.



By Mary Giesler

Racquet Club's big event for October was the four day trip to Las Vegas to play in the paddle tennis tournament hosted by the Las Vegas Seniors.

The hospitality was the most gracious and the food truly outstanding. A continental breakfast was served in the a.m. followed by a delicious buffet luncheon, most of which was prepared by the seniors themselves.

The only missing component was a victory by Leisure Village. Las Vegas gave Leisure Village a drubbing of 14 to 7. The Village fielded 21 teams - 5 women's, 7 men's and 9 mixed couples. The winning Village teams were

Art Rosner/Mike Shapiro, Gil Borenstien/ Anne Janoff. Lennie Friedman/ George Nolte, Kay Bell/ Wanda Saari, Gil Borenstien/Stam Feldman and Mary Giesler/Si Ross.

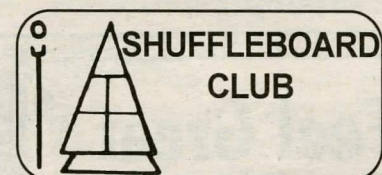
Travel was arranged by Betty Cagan and supervised by Gil and Gloria Borenstien. George Nolte chaired the tournament.

The monthly tennis tournament was held as scheduled in October with 3 groups participating. Group 1 winner was Roy Poder, Group 2 winner was Syl Horwald, and Group 3 was won by George Nolte.

No tournaments will be held in November and December because of the holidays.

The installation of officers will be held at the December meeting followed by the annual wine and cheese party.

Walt Whitaker is probably the only active member who lived here when our golf course (front nine only) was dedicated. The date was March 31, 1974 and the invited guest who "cut the ribbon" was recently deceased Jerry Barber who played on the PGA tour for many years. As Walt describes it, Jerry hit 100 plus golf balls from the #1 tee (same 125 yard location) to the #1 green. Several went into the hole, almost all hit the green, and had there been a circle at that time--well, you get the idea. Ordinarily Jerry would have used a pitching wedge but since he was demonstrating for seniors, he chose a seven iron. The course was then opened to the residents and Walt's foursome was the 4th group to play L.V. on opening day. Twenty years later Walt and Nancy are still active and were part of the group celebrating at Soule, enjoying memories of a day in 1974.

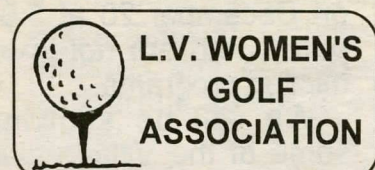


By Cy Maller

The Shuffleboard Club's annual holiday dinner promises to be the best ever, catered by Bill's Irish Rose.

The date is December 6 at 6 p.m. in the MPR. Donations of \$10 will cover everything including taxes and gratuities. Reserve now by calling Eleanor 388-7655, Delma 987-6563 or Rhea 987-0623. Entertainment will be supplied by some local talent.

Pres. Kramer will present awards to various winners of the last tournament. An added attraction will be provided by Denke Nelson, "lady who sailed the 7 seas." She will provide us with many interesting tales of her sailing. Don't miss this super affair.



By La Rue Boynton

October was an exciting month for golfers. We experienced both mental and physical challenges on the Leisure Village golf course, Soule Park and Westlake Village golf courses.

We congratulate the Men's Golf Club for their 20th anniversary. They honored the women golfers by including them in the Soule Park tournament. It was a superb day for golf and luncheon.

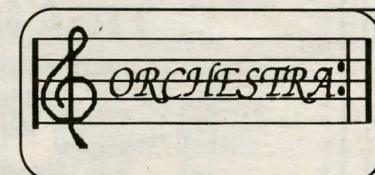
Regulation Golf for October was at Westlake Village Golf Club. The winners were: Flight A 1st. Low gross: Dorothy Praeger came in with an 82. 1st low net was a tie between Carol Vaught and Maria Myers. They each shot a net of 62.

Flight B low gross winner was Iolene Beach with a score of 93. 1st Low net, Merrill Lindsey at 62. 2nd Low net, Kate Ward with a 67. 3rd low net, Marty Gregory with a 72.

Flight C low gross: La Verne Groves shot a 97. 1st Low net. Ethel Duncan, 63. 2nd. low net, Martha Nunn, 64. 3rd Low net, Aggie Saltus, a 67.

Flight D: Low gross, Ginny Sowder at 102. 1st low net, Mimi Hockman with a 58. 2nd low net, Miriam Laird at 62. 3rd low net, Anna Snyder with 70.

Now the scores for the Metal Play Tournament held on October 26 and November 2. The tournament was organized by Marianne Senko, chairper-



By Don Holmes

The Leisure Village Orchestra has worked up a couple of nice programs which we will be putting to use at our neighboring convalescent hospitals. The first of these will be the Victoria Care Center in

son for the majors tournaments.

Scores for the winners: Flight A: 1st low gross, Marge Kelly with a 68, 1st low net: Dora Cronyn with a 55, 2nd low net Lindsay Merrill with a 56.

Flight B Niners: 1st low gross Millie Mullery with a 76. 1st low net Helen McGinnis at 52. 2nd low net Ginny Dunnion and Margaret McDonald both came in at 57 the tie was broken by matching cards.

Eighteeners, Flight A: 1st low gross: June Rose with a score of 127. 1st low net Alda Kroll, a 112 score. It was a tie for 2nd low net with Fran Mead, Adeline Littenberg, and Shirley Heller all coming in at 113. The tie was broken by matching cards.

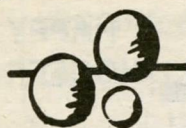
Flight B, 1st low gross: Hattie Stern at 149. 1st low net, Shirley Johnston at 114. 2nd low net Connie Santangelo at 115. 3rd low net LaVerne Groves at 117.

Flight C, 1st low gross Denka Nelson at 146. 1st low net Shirley Goldstein at 108. 2nd low net Doris La Prell at 114. 3rd low net Carra Hatfield at 115.

The end of the month winners for October are as follows: For the Eighteeners, low gross was a two way tie between Irene Cunningham and June Rose; they each shot a 63 gross. Low net for eighteeners was Denka Nelson. Her score was 72-22=50. Low gross for the Niners is Marge Kelly, who shot a 31 B. Low net, two way tie between Jackie Filbrey at 34-11=23B and Helen McGinnis, 35-12=23B.

Ventura on Tuesday November 29 at 2:30

The really perfect way for you to get over there is to join the orchestra and play with us. We rehearse every Thursday evening from 7:00 to 9:00 in the MPR, and you are welcome. Just let me know well in advance so I can have music ready for you. Call me at 482-4979.



BOCCE CLUB

By Henry Carfagna

The 20th Anniversary Dinner of the Bocce Club was held on October 27 catered by Cinnamon West and deliciously prepared.

A slate of officers was nominated and accepted unanimously as follows:

President, Sy Blau; Vice-president, Henry Carfagna; Treasurer, Sid Friedman; Recording Secretary, Ruth Resnik; Corresponding Secretary, Estelle Neuman; Trustees, Isabel Blau and Lucy Fiore.

Honored as 20-year members of the Bocce Club since its inception were the following: Mario and Flora DiBiase (life members), Bruno and Isabel Torchia, Dorothy Fencel, and Piff de Simone.

Installation will be held on Thursday, January 26 in the AR.

As the finale of the evening the Camarillo Cloggers and the L.V. Cloggers presented a very spirited and enjoyable performance.

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7	20	34	56	72
8	26	★	57	65
9	28	38	48	74
11	23	41	50	71

LET'S PLAY

BINGO !

By Cy Maller

The L.V. Wednesday Bingo Games is still flourishing. It may be due to the fact that a great many clubs have canceled meetings because of the spraying. Bingo has moved their sessions from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. It seems to be popular with players who can be home in time to watch a 9 p.m. TV movie or program. Jackpots have increased, there is a greater number of regular games and special games are thrown in for your pleasure. We will be back in full swing starting with November 30 and each Wednesday thereafter.



CAMERA CLUB

By Sam Weinstein

Participation by the Camera Club in the November 6 Village Painters Art Show broke records for the number of prints exhibited and the number of members represented. Twelve members displayed 41 examples of their work, the quality of which was apparently greatly appreciated by the many visitors who gave our exhibit a lot of their time and attention. Two new members, Paul Huralt and Duane Waln Jr., showed their work for the first time at this annual event and their participation is our gain; their work is excellent!

The Curator Committee consisting of Sam Weinstein, Benson Smithkin and Sam Brown did an outstanding job of selecting, collecting, labeling and hanging the prints. We're all looking forward to next year's Art Show.

The 1995 nominating committee, chaired by Lil Mankoff, is off and running. The new slate will be announced and voted on at our December 7 meeting. Lil assures us that we will again have a quality board and the officers selected will be from the best the club has to offer.

VILLAGE PAINTERS

By Mildred Oberg

The annual Arts & Crafts Show the Village Painters put on Sunday November 6 was a huge success! Many people enjoyed the excellent crafts booths and photography as well as the paintings! The Keyboard Club generously provided organ music for the afternoon show in the AR.

Results of the November election of officers was as follows: Marion Jayne, pres.; Maxine Fritz, v.p.;

Our October 19 meeting featured Thousand Oaks photographer John Peele Jr. who once again spoke of his proprietary process of photographing images which do not exist (phot-ART-graphy). The prints he showed were dazzling, colorful, wildly impressionistic and completely mystifying as to how they were accomplished. John isn't telling how he does it but he does open our eyes to the vast potential of cameras and film.

Our November 2 meeting was a competition meeting and the assignment was "Nature". Our judge was Somis professional photographer Tim Hauf, famed for his Camarillo, San Buenaventura and Conejo Valley calendars, among other things.

The winners in the "Nature" category were: first place and Picture of the Month to Marion Sevren for "Green River", second place to Duane Waln Jr. for "Symphony of Light" and third place to Sam Weinstein for "Ojai Meadow".

The winners in the "Open" category were: first place and Picture of the Month to Selma Seps for "Yosemite", second place to Bill Huffman for "Bah'ai Temple" and third place to Benson Smithkin for "Halloween".

Sara Kramer, treas.; and Erna Hessen secty. They were elected by a unanimous ballot.

Appointed officers are Isabelle Petrow, membership chairman, Grace Smith, social chairman; Gerogia Schneider, publicity; Mildred Oberg, library.

The December meeting will be a Christmas potluck luncheon at 1:00 p.m. Wednesday December 7 in the MPR. Members please phone Mike Mancusi, 484-0843, for reservations. This will be a gala affair. We will see a video of the Art Show.



AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

By Benson Smithkin

The formal dedication of the ECC (Emergency Communications Center) room at the open house on November 1 was the crowning achievement of the LV Amateur Radio Club this year.

Master of ceremony CB operator Jules Nayfack promised that the new center would connect Leisure Village with the outside world, if and when a disaster knocked out electric and telephone lines. Credit for building the room was given to Jack Myers, Bob Kumler, Jack Bennett, Clary Morgan, Tom Rushing, and Howard Hintz via a beautiful plaque. Included is the late Myron Travis (W7JQV), a charter club member whose transceiver was donated to the club by President Dick Travis (KC6URW).

Dick introduced the club members and announced a demonstration DPX (disaster exercise) which sent the ham operators dashing to their 11 area

BUS RULES FOR TRAVEL COMMITTEE

By Ruth Carlson

A "Bus Clearance" form must be submitted to the Travel Committee Chairman, Robert Chass, at the LV Travel office two(2) months in advance for all trips. There will be no exceptions. This Board order was adopted February, 1992.

Clubs, groups charitable organization, temples and churches sponsoring trips by bringing buses into the Village are required by Board order to coordinate their trips with Bob. Chass to avoid conflicts with the LV travel committee.

All travel trips are solely for LV residents.

Buses used for trips will NOT stop outside Leisure Village to pick up additional passengers.

Bob states that many

posts throughout the village. Marge May (KB6HAG) did her usual fine job as net control while Herb Arnold (W6NEZ) manned the command center at the west gate. Herb, also a charter club member, described his previous command center as the seat of his car.

Much thanks are due to Mark Stimson of the Siemens Co. which donated three solar panels worth \$175 each to help power the club radio equipment. Delicious refreshments were handled by Liz Travis, Georgia Schneider, and Ginny Dunnon.

But a shadow was cast over the proceedings by the absence of Mac McLeod (W7IZG), home from the hospital after suffering from congestive heart failure and pneumonia. His technical know-how and jolly demeanor would have enhanced the program so much. We have you constantly in mind, Mac, and sincerely wish you back on your feet soon!

Next club meeting will be on Tuesday, Dec. 6, at 10 a.m. in the Sun Room. All are welcome.

organizations keep trying to schedule their own trips, often including passengers who live outside the Village. This cannot be done. Breaking established rules creates problems. Example: a bus trip not authorized by the Village travel office will reach the Security gate and will NOT be permitted to enter.

Please remember that your special organization cannot sell tickets to anyone who is not living in Leisure Village—it's that simple and a firm rule.

A new trip list is posted in the AR each week. All trips put together by Chass and his workers are the best bargain in the world. Reason, they are purchased by a nonprofit group.

Abide by all the rules and travel safely and enjoy!

SWING DANCE**GROUP**
By Marguerite Abdelnour

Swing Dance Group wants to thank everyone who supported the Saturday Night Dances throughout the year. The bi-monthly dances in December will be as follows: Saturday, December 3 "Holiday Festival", with special holiday punch and goodies provided. Donation at the door \$1.00. Your host for the evening will be Irv and Anne Dubin. Saturday, December 17. Henry Carfagna will host the annual "Joy of Christmas Season" dance. Donation is 50 cents.

Swing Dance Group wish their friends and neighbors a healthy, Happy New Year, and will open the dance year with "Welcome to 1995 Dance" on Saturday, January 7, hosted by Paul and Luella Kewin. Donation 50 cents. Refreshments & ice provided.

INTERNATIONAL FOLK DANCE CLUB**By Florence Friedman**

Coming close to the end of our 11th year, and looking forward to our 12th, it's nice knowing we will be continuing not only with our dancing, but enjoying the camaraderie of our fellow villagers and making new friends.

Our anniversary party and installation of new officers is in January. The new slate of officers is: Irene Newman, president; Bella Levy, vp; Claire Yaeger, treas; and Esther Rudnick, sec. Friends and spouses are invited for an afternoon of dancing.

Dance times are Monday 12:30 - 1:30 p.m. for beginners, 1:30 - 3:00 p.m. for regular class teaching and dancing; Wednesday 9:00 - 10:30 a.m. review and new dances; and Friday 9:00 - 10:00 a.m. continuous dancing.

VILLAGE SWINGERS SQUARE DANCE CLUB**By Sig Jaffe**

October was a busy and fun filled month for the Village Swingers. It began with a special line dancing program, conducted by Bill Kramer, our inveterate caller, and continued with a crazy hat dance and the annual Halloween dance.

Following the dance program on October 11, a general meeting was held during which we commemorated the birthdays of Max Brownstein and Faye Rich with the singing of "Happy Birthday" and refreshments.

The crazy hat dance on October 8 was just that with members arriving with an assortment of feathers, flowers, and pins stuck on a variety of head covers. Celia Priore judged the parade and awarded prizes to Minna Hudson, Rawza Kramer, and Fran Gunningham for the zaniest entries.

As usual many of the dancers went all out at the Halloween dance on October 25. They came in

homemade costumes with wigs, makeup, composite dresses, and, of course, a proverbial clown impersonation. The jovial atmosphere added to the enjoyment of the round dance cueing of Bill Burrier and the calling of Bill Kramer.

On October 22, a group of Swingers, consisting of Cy Boynton and Celia Priore, Sol and Rae Gimpel, Sig and Elaine Jaffe, and Saul and Rawza Kramer visited the Mary Health Of The Sick Convalescent and Nursing Hospital in Newbury Park. The group, in full square dance regalia, entertained the patients and staff with a program of square and round dances.

Coming programs will be: December 6, General Meeting wearing club colors; December 13, "As You Were", members will bring old photographs of themselves for display; December 20, Christmas Pot Luck Dinner at 6:00 p.m. in the AR. Bring table set-ups and wear red and green; December 27, the dancing year will end with the New Year's Dance and champagne.

HAPPY HOOFERS**By Dorothy Karlin**

On December 4, the Happy Hoofers will entertain a philanthropic organization named I.T.P.A., The Independent Telephone Pioneers of America. The membership is composed of telephone employees and retirees. They are interested in many charities. They work hard for the Alzheimer's Disease Organization, Battered Women, Interfaith Organization, etc. This is their Christmas luncheon and each attendee will bring an unwrapped gift to be given to the Battered Women Organization.

Also this month, we will help Kay Whitaker celebrate a very special birthday. We'll indulge in our favorite pastime, next to tapping, and that is, "doing lunch." Happy Birthday, Kay

That's it from the Hoofers. Again, happy holiday and KEEP ON DANCIN'.

VILLAGE CLOGGERS**By Louise Houser**

The demo team of the Village Cloggers performed October 27 for the Bocce Club party. They were warmly received by the group. The demo team continues to practice in order to be at their best when entertaining various groups.

The Cloggers meet regularly each Tuesday morning from 9:30 a.m. until noon in the AR. This is a fun group which exercises the brain as well as the feet. Do watch for announcement of the next beginners class, which will probably be scheduled early in 1995. New dancers will be welcomed.

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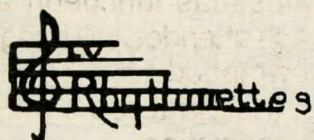


SATURDAY NIGHT BALLROOM DANCE

By Anne Janoff

On November 26 our regular Saturday Night Ballroom will be hosted by Ernie and Alma Slabotsky. This will be a good time for all of us "feasters anonymous" who indulged in the sumptuous Thanksgiving gastronomy, to dance away some of those excess calories that the holiday table provided.

On December 10. The Saturday Night Ballroom Dance Committee will be



By Margaret Hines

The Rhythmets are tuning up for the holidays with music for Christmas, Chanukah and the New Year. The holiday program will be played and sung to entertain the Village at the Tree Trim in the AR Monday December 5.

After the Tree Trim, the Rhythmets will gather at Kelly's Deli Cafe at 5:00 p.m. It will be "order your own food, pay your own check."

The Rhythmets will sponsor an evening for the Village January 20, with dinner and entertainment beginning at 5:00 p.m. in the AR. The professional entertainment will be "Music By Choice" with Ken and Ginny Baker. The price, with time and place of ticket sales, will appear on Channel 12. All villagers are welcome. Buy your tickets early!

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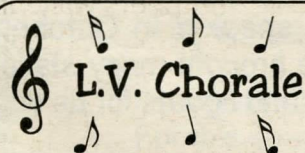
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hosting our gala Christmas Dance. This is always a very festive occasion with special holiday refreshments and decor, villagers in party attire will enjoy the spirit of the season. Admission for this dance is \$1.00 per person, payable at the door.

As always, during this holiday time of the year, many of our villagers have relatives and guests visiting here. We welcome and encourage them all to come and share in the enjoyment of our dance evenings. Regular dances in the A.R. cost only fifty cents per person. Coffee, tea, punch, ice available. BYOB.

T'will be "the night before Christmas" on December 24, when our next dance will be held. Plan to attend.



By Miriam Hasen

On Thursday, December 1, at 1:00 p.m. we will be presenting a Christmas-Chanukah Holiday Concert for the Women's Club. Our choices of music are lovely, light, lilting, adorable, delightful, seasonal, rhythmic and memorable. All this directed by Marcine Jardine, and accompanied by a "full orchestra" beneath the nimble fingers of Dorothy Weiss.

Come join our sleigh ride. Who says there's no Santa?



LV ROUND DANCE

By Bob Vanicek

The Round Dance Club has been fortunate in selecting the right officers for a group which behaves, happily, more like a family than a club.

Rawza Kramer, vice president, and her husband Saul have taken full charge of the multitude of things that happen behind the scenes in creating successful dance parties.

Elaine Jaffe, secretary, and her professor husband Sigmund, dedicated dancers, coming up through the ranks of Beginners, Easy-Levelers, are now avid Intermediates and always ready to step in and take the reins on any project they are called upon to do. A great team.

Al Zelmon, treasurer, and his wife, Fay are always delighted to accept

DANCE WORKSHOP

By

Marguerite Abdelnour

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the \$3 donations from members each month. This helps to pay for a dance workshop plus a dance class with instruction every week.

Yours truly, as president, is of course just the customary figurehead, but is fortunate to have a patient wife, Edith, who is the motivating factor and wonderful companion in all this; it is her touch that makes me look good.

But the real accolades belong to instructors Al and Ruth Siegel, a patient and talented dynamic duo who have advanced our dancing into a very comfortable position in the Intermediate arena. Without them, all this would not be possible.

Those of you seeking a different, relaxing, and satisfying type of dancing, guided and taught by advanced level dancers, are always welcome to observe our efforts Sunday mornings just before noon-time in the AR.

CERAMIC MOLD DECORATORS CLUB

By Pepper Heimowitz

Happy Thanksgiving to all of our fellow Villagers and their families.

Our members thank Villagers and their guests for visiting our display table at the Arts and Crafts Show on Sunday, November 6th.

Members have completed figurines and other ceramics for the Thanksgiving Season. They are now working on Christmas gifts for their families and friends.

All Leisure Village residents are welcome to visit our workshop every Wednesday from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. in the Ceramic Room.

Next meeting will be on December 7th, 1994 at 12:45 p.m. in the Ceramic Room.

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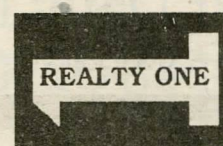
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LV EXERCISE GROUP

By Lillian Mankoff

The LV Exercise Group honored Joe Kremer for his culinary contributions to the success of the October pot-luck dinner. Joe baked all the delicious breads for this occasion as

well as many others in the past. He richly deserves the recognition.

We are now looking forward to our "Queen for a Day" luncheon on January 19, 1995. One of our members will take center stage as her life unfolds before us. Who will it be?

Our last "Day at the Races" was such a success that a second one is

being planned for St. Patrick's Day, March 17, at Santa Anita. A whale watching trip in February is also on the boards. More information will be announced as plans develop.

Continue to maintain your health and energy level in high gear by exercising with us Monday through Friday from 8:30-9:00 a.m. poolside.



MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR

By Carol Heyerick

Meet Your Neighbor welcomed new arrivals as well as villagers on November 18 in the Garden Room. Newcomers were asked to tell us a little about themselves and how they found L.V.

Special guest speaker was Judy Young. She has been employed at the association Office for two years, answering questions and phones and helping customers. Just recently she was promoted to assistant to the Ground Maintenance Supervisor, Don Nelson.

We were fortunate to have Ann Levey, from the Finance Committee, as our speaker in October. She brought many statistics and figures for us and

it was most interesting to learn how our money is being saved as well as spent.

June Few told a little about the Solo Club and urged all singles to join that group.

Marion Tavano, Bingo Chairman, told of the early start on Wednesdays for Bingo. She also told about all the dance groups that meet during the month.

We learned about the annual Women's Club Bazaar and how successful it was. Half the profit goes to charitable organizations and half goes to LV projects.

Channel 12 was thanked, Meet Your Neighbor Board acknowledged, Vial of Life displayed and demonstrated.

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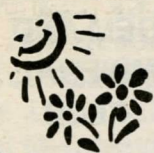
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INDOOR OUTDOOR GARDEN CLUB

By Doris Achterkirchen

The Garden Club met Thursday, November 10 in the MPR. The speaker, MaryJo Mitchell, who was from the Camrosa Water Department, showed two films: "Noah Water to Watch," and "Water for Gardening."

The next field trip will take place Tuesday December 6. The group will have a special tea at the Huntington Library and will then visit the Jacob Nares Florist to see the spectacular holiday decorations. Tickets are \$29.00 and may be obtained from

Ruth Smith, 482-3644.

The annual holiday luncheon and installation will be held Tuesday, December 13 at the Saticoy Country Club. Tickets are \$14.00 and may be purchased from Naomi Balfour, 987-9851, or from Louise Coddington, 987-5870. All members are invited.

The Beautification Fund (which has been approved by the Board of Directors) is an on-going project and has reached the half-way point on its current goal of \$52,000.

Gifts may be made in any amount in memory of, or in honor of an individual. Major donors (those who have contributed \$1,000.00 or more) will be

recognized by having their names engraved on bronze plaques placed in the lobby of the Recreation Center. A star will indicate increments of \$1,000.00. Five major donors have already made such gifts.

The area near the pool has been beautifully landscaped. The erection of the gazebo itself has been postponed because several panels were damaged in shipment. Upon completion there will be a gala opening ceremony, which is planned for Sunday, December 4 from 4:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m. This area is an asset for the entire Village and everyone is invited to attend the program.

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Hearing Impaired SUPPORT GROUP

By Gabriel Barkley

This notice is a reminder that the Hearing Impaired Support Group will not be having a meeting for November and December. The meeting date, the fourth Wednesday of the month, is too close to the holiday season to make it practical to have good attendance.

However, keep in mind that our group in conjunction with the Vision Limited group, is celebrating the coming holidays by having

a lovely catered luncheon on Monday, December 5 at 1:00 p.m. in the MPI. The charge is \$8.50 per person.

The lunch will consist of a tasty salad followed by deliciously cooked chicken plate with all of the accouterments plus a nice dessert and coffee. There will be musical entertainment performed by Irwin Porges at the grand piano. The afternoon will begin with a wine cocktail and a happy social "getting to know you"

Time is running short so please phone Rosamary Twitty, Treasurer, 388-1790 for reservation

NO SMOKING IN CLUBROOMS

In May of this year the Camarillo City Council

passed an ordinance making the city of Camarillo a smoke free city. In order to comply with this ordinance we now have no smoking

in any of the rooms, including club rooms, in the recreation center. Those wishing to smoke will have to step outside.

SELF AWARENESS GROUP

By Maxine Fritz

The Self Awareness Group meets on Mondays, at 7:00 -9:00 p.m. in the Lanai. We are basically a discussion and support group interested in learning about ourselves, our inner worlds and the why of our actions and behavior.

The topic of a recent discussion was about the worst that could happen to a person. Although many tragic experiences were shared the evening concluded with a positive attitude as we learned how many had over-compensated and even excelled as a result of coping with the results of their experiences. Strengths and talents were discovered which may otherwise had laid dormant without the test of personal endurance and courage.

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LIBRARY NOTES

By Eileen Cohen

The Library Committee thanks the generous donors of large print books. There is a great need for them in the Village.

We beg those of you who use them to PLEASE

check your own shelves for unreturned library books. Many large print books are still out and we are puzzled by the return of only one of several two-volume sets. Please let others enjoy them after you've read them.

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By Jules Nafack

The Keyboard Club added another successful program to its history. On October 21st, we brought the talented Russian singer, Eugene Alper, here to perform. The program sold out in two weeks.

The capacity crowd enjoyed the musical offerings of this gifted and charming young man. An added feature was the performance of Alper's seven year old daughter, Sonya, whose

poise and stage presence endeared her to the audience.

Any club or organization which can use a good program can get Alper's phone number from Jules Nafack. V4.

We are now starting to prepare for our next concert which will take place in February.

Until then, we encourage all those who enjoy music to attend our monthly meetings, the third Friday of every month in the AR at 1:30 p.m. There is music to please everyone—oh yes, and refreshments too.

BELLES OF HARMONY

By Billie Pachter

Such excitement! Trying to follow the teaching of Ramon Gamboa, Choreographer for the Philippine Concert Chorale, the Belles of Harmony are working repeatedly on synchronizing the dance movements and gestures of the melodies and harmonies they will be performing on February 12th for their tenth anniversary concert.

With the help of Marie De La Fieria, dress de-

signer for the Philippine Concert Chorale, they're scampering around to find costumes in decorous fashion for the group to provide lively colors.

There is still time for readers of music notation to join the Belles of Harmony. Lois Bello is the distinguished musical director, and Esther Kuebler, the dedicated accompanist. For information please call Rawza Kramer, President, at 484-7875. Belles' practice sessions occur on Wednesday mornings at 9:30 in the MPR.



GEM AND MINERAL CLUB

By Don Holmes

At the October meeting of the Gem and Mineral Club, Bill Huffman showed slides of a recent trip to Monument Valley and The Arches. These are magnificent views, and having been there, this writer can attest to the striking photographs which Bill presented. The size of these arches can be appreciated only when there is a person included in the photograph.

There was a discussion about the Annual Christmas Party, which had been planned for Wednesday, December 7 which we now find will be a med-fly spray night. To avoid that, it was suggested it be held the next night, Thursday the 8th. This is complicated by the fact that the Gem and Mineral party would be in the MPR, and the Leisure Village Orchestra rehearses in the MPR that same night. This will be ironed out, and phone calls will be made. For the party, a small unisex gift of not over \$5.00 was suggested. This will be the last meeting of the year; the next meeting will be Wednesday, January 25, 1995 (so soon?).

WRITERS ROUND TABLE

By Cele Porges

Journalism writing was the opening theme at the October 11 meeting of the Writers Round Table. Irwin Porges discussed various aspects, based on his years as a journalism teacher. He followed with observations why rhyming poems are successfully used by the old poets.

Hilda Zelanko opened the readings with two poems. Norma Jenkins played a tape of her original Christmas music and lyrics. Jim Rogers read a story, "Computer Hal."

A published poem was read for a stanza by stanza analysis and understanding.

In the October 25 ses-

sion Irwin explained that the best way to approach writing is to develop a character whom one knows very well. Also, ways to begin memoirs were discussed.

Readers were Bernice Epstein with a poem on the death of a friend. Ruth Miller gave another portion of her memoirs. Norma Jenkins followed with an abstract poem. Jim Rogers read a poem based on a visit to England. Sally Yale had a short article; and Hilda Zelanko ended the readings with the first act of her skit.

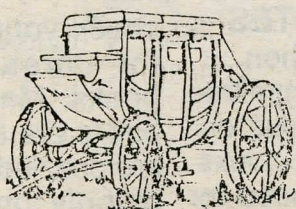
The Writers Round Table meets every second and fourth Tuesdays at 1:30 p.m. in the Lanai Room. Anyone interested in any form of writing is most welcome.

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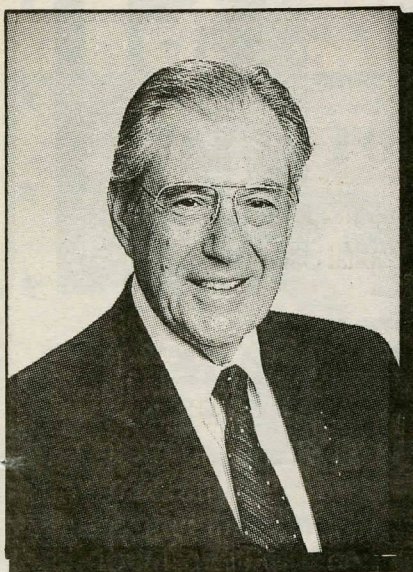
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R.V. CLUB



By Joan Bernard

The Nominating Committee of the RV Club consisting of Bill Glazman, John Keckler, Tom Rushing, Warren Stanfield and Vern Tyler, met in September to consider a new slate of officers for 1995. The names were introduced at our October meeting and voted upon. All positions remained the same with the exception of our 2nd vice-president in charge of publicity.

The following members were installed on November 22, at our regular monthly meeting: Dan Bernard, president; Bill Glazman, 1st vp; Nick Dahl, 3rd vp; Al Bruene, treasurer; Joan Bernard, secretary; John Keckler, alternate-treasurer; and Jeanette Tyler, alternate-treasurer.

The 2nd vice-president in charge of Publicity will be co-chaired by Joan Bernard, and Paul and Luella Kelwin until that office is filled.

A wine and cheese tasting party is scheduled for the December 20, meeting. Don't miss it. Several surprises are planned.

FARMERS CLUB

By Hunter Cohen

D-Day is almost here! Any items which you wish to keep must be removed before December 1. Renovation of the vegetable gardens is scheduled to start after that date.

The regular meeting of the Farmers Club will be held in the MPR at 1:00 p.m. on December 2. Available garden patches will be assigned at that time.

There will be a drawing for available garden patches. The drawings will continue as long as there are garden patches available and residents desiring patches.

First Drawing - One available patch per household; households not yet assigned a patch are eligible.

Second Drawing - A second available patch per household; residents of a household where another resident has been as-

signed a patch are eligible.

Third Drawing - A second available patch for a club member who wants more than one patch.

Farmers who wish to exchange their assigned patches for other locations may do so at this time by mutual agreement. All patch assignments will be recorded. The assignment list will include the assignee's name, address, telephone number and patch number. Assignment lists will be distributed to the Recreation Office and to all Club members. Farmers who are not Club members may request a copy of the list at the Recreation Office.

Patch assignments are for two years and are renewable provided they have been maintained in accordance with the standing rules of the Club.

If there are any questions about patch assignments, please call Bernie, 987-3519.

SPIRITUAL GROWTH GROUP

By Dorothy Holcomb

The Spiritual Growth Group will meet for their annual Christmas party December 6 at 11:30 a.m.

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SOLO CLUB



By Monica Alves

Solo Club's Christmas dinner will be on Friday, December 9 at 6:00 p.m. in the AR. This year the dinner will be catered by Tony Roma's and will feature their famous ribs and barbecued chicken. The cost is \$11.50. Please call Lucille Mayea at 482-7832 by Monday, December 5. Plan to join us for this festive occasion.

Nominations for next year's officers will be announced at the dinner. There will be no regular meeting in December.

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 homes, and for their willingness to help in any way needed while we are out of our home due to the smoke damage that so recently befell us.

Mim Evans &
 Dave Robbins, V. 18
 (temporarily in V. 3)

Thank you to the many warm and caring friends who expressed your love for Gary and myself through cards, letters and your presence at his memorial service.

Thank you also for making Gary's last years at

Leisure Village a happy experience for both of us.
 Millicent Lipton, V. 13

My heartfelt thanks to the Camarillo paramedics, police officers, and firemen for the help and compassion given to my Tony.

A special thank you to Sgt. Ken Cozzins and Florence Moore of V.9.

Janet Odehnal, V. 16

Al and I wish to thank all of our wonderful friends for the mountain of cards, the food, contributions to the City of Hope, telephone calls, flowers and prayers that hastened my recovery from recent surgery. You are super!

Betty Walker, V. 25

"Hope is the struggle of the soul, breaking loose from what is perishable, and attesting her eternity."
 Herman Melville

Villagers Help Amputee Golfers By Jack Whalen

A number of LV golf enthusiasts played major roles during the recent Western Amputee Golf Association 4-day tournament held at nearby Los Robles Golf Course in Thousand Oaks.

Village 32's Chase Gregory is an active member of this group whose qualification is that you must be handicapped to the extent of missing at least one arm or one leg.

WAGA, as it is known, was established in 1968 with almost 40 members and today boasts a membership in excess of 300.

Says Chase, himself a good golfer, "It never ceases to amaze me how some of these men hit the ball well over 200-yards and how often many score in the high 70's and low 80's."

One of the goals of WAGA is to help amputees and other physically challenged people build a sense of personal pride and confidence.

Villagers who helped amputees find errant balls and/or assisted in many small ways included Charlie Bellante, the Bookwalters, the Dances, John Dawley, the Di Lalos, the Hollys, the Whalens and the Whitakers.

Walt Whitaker, who has recorded all scoring during the three times this tournament has been held near here, said, "These special people never cease to amaze me. Not only do they raise money for scholarship programs for physically challenged students, but they also help develop improved prosthetic devices that allow amputees to participate in sports and enjoy life to its fullest."



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