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## ED AND REC **ENDORSES NO KITCHEN FEES**

By Will Janoff

No fees for use of the kitchen facilities was the unanimous recommendation of the Education and Recreation Committee at their last regular February 13 meeting. The action was taken as a result of deliberation by an ad hoc committee representing the L.V. clubs who use the kitchen facilities. A ruling by the Board of Directors that imposed a ten dollar per hour charge for users of the kitchen was previously retracted after strong resident protests.

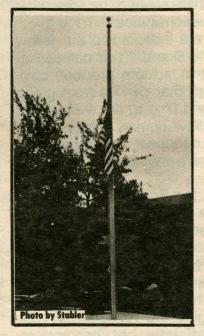
The committee felt that the paid Association staff should be responsible for monthly "in depth" cleaning of the kitchen and that the clubs and other resident groups take care of the surface cleaning after each of their activities.

The recommendation also stated that the kitchen facility is to be included in the LV budget to cover supplies, the replacement of normal breakage and missing inventory, and an allowance for additional labor hours be made to maintain kitchen cleanliness.

## THE VILLAGE **PLAYERS**

John Zoller's produc-Sholom Aleichem will be featured at the April meeting of the Village Players.

February meeting was Helen Jordan of the Camand the Ventura County Repertory Theatre.



#### **PIANO CONCERT**

By Sandy Okum

Dr. Maura Mitrushina, a concert pianist born and raised in Lenningrad, Russia, will perform a benefit concert in L.V. for Y.N.C.G. This concert will take place on Friday evening at 7:30 p.m., March 7, in the AR.

Benefitting, by the graciousness of our guest pianist, will be Food Share. Food Share is a volunteer organization that distributes donated foods to the needy in L.V. and all of Ventura County.

So, — instead of dollars as admission to the concert, your ticket of admission will be two (2) or more cans of any nutritious vegetables or fruits.

Dr. Mitrushina. who is donating her time and talent free of charge, is the same doctor who is in tion of the one-act play, charge of interviewing "The Tale of a Goat" by L.V. people in Y.N.C.G.'s research program, "Aging of the Brain.'

Come to a recital given Guest speaker at the by a talented, generous concert pianist for the benefit of hungry people. arillo Community Theatre Her program will include popular classical num-

## TRIBUTE

By Sol Robin

It has been said that death is not extinguishing the light; it is putting out the lamp because the dawn has come. The seven astronauts who died in the tragic accident at Kennedy Space Center were ushering in the dawn of a new adventure into space — the last frontier left on our planet to explore.

Perhaps it is no coincidence that the space shuttle was called CHALLENGER. These seven valiant explorers were true challengers seeking to burst the shackles that bind us to our planet. The vast reaches of space offer the greatest challenge that our century has ever faced. The undiscovered worlds that lie beyond our reach beckon only the most daring.

Let us not weep for those who have gone away when their lives were at full bloom and beauty. Who are we that we should mourn them and want them back? Life at its every stage is good, but who shall say whether those who die in the splendor of their prime are not fortunate to have known no dulling of the flame by ash, no slow fading of life's perfect

Our nation was built by men and women who took risks, pioneers who were not afraid of the wilderness; brave adventurers who were not afraid of failure; scientists who were not afraid of truth; dreamers who were not afraid of action.

Let us be grateful that the 7 astronauts we lost belonged to this breed and that there are others eager to pick up the fallen torch and declare with pride, "You risked all and never faltered. You have shown us the way."

#### **VILLAGE HONORED**

By Romaine Lambert

At a recent luncheon meeting attended by 65 people, members of Camarillo Beautiful heard Vice President Violette Palmer pay tribute to Leisure Village Women's Club for helping the beautification group in planting trees along Highway 101 by a donation of \$1,000. The group honored Women's Club President Jeanne Carlson and Treasurer Henrietta Joehnck with a plaque.

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## "RAINMAKER" TO BE PRESENTED

B'Nai B'rith Camarillo Lodge #3118 will be presenting its third annual Benefit Show, "the Rainmaker," at the Camarillo Airport Theater on March 7 and 8 at 7:30 p.m.; and on March 9 at 2:00 p.m. Pre-sale tickets are \$4.00 and \$5.00 at the door. For tickets or further information call Morey Goldberg, 484-0622; Lenny Friedman, 388-2511; or Rube Davis, 482-6707.

these important numbers. You may need one:

Estelle Corwin, 484-9532; Virdie Nelson, 987-5201; Dorothy Skuro, 484-0324; Donaldine

### **VILLAGERS RECEIVE AWARDS**

By Romaine Lambert

The Ventura County Public Health High Blood Pressure Program has just issued Certificates of Appreciation to those volunteers who have served on the program during 1985. Recipients of beautiful certificates of appreciation include: Sylvia Altes, Dorothy Anderson, Janine Blymyer, Sol Brejensky, Sonia Brink, Karl Cannon, Tibe Elson, Philip Farber, Ruth Hart, Woody Hart, Garnette Holmes, Harry Jacobson, Morris Katz, Maxine King, Romaine Lambert, Sandy Okum, Dora Polley, Freddi Popkin, Charles Rothermel, Morton Wilner, M.D., Leonie Zeiler. Serving at Camarillo Senior Center are Esther and Herman Ballegeg and Miriam Norman. Tom King volunteers at the Lamplighter Mobile Home Park.

The Leisure Village Blood Pressure Clinic operates under the sponsorship of Y.N.C.G. and meets the first Monday of the month in the AR, and is the first such clinic in Ventura County. The Public health Program will soon be celebrating ten years in high blood pressure education and control. It recently announced that limits for adults had been lowered to 140/90, because new health research has indicated that persons with levels greater than 140/90 are at increased risk of developing cardiovascular disease. The work of the Blood Pressure Program and its volunteers continues to be of utmost importance in controlling this disease.



## **C-SPAN: CHANNEL 20**

By Harry Becker

If you are a public-spirited citizen with more than a headline interest in government and politics, it would be worth your while to tune your TV to Channel 20, C-SPAN, which places you right where the action is.

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It is already quite evident that the year 1986 will be a very political year, when hearings and debates on the Federal budget deficit, primary and general election campaigns, and concerns about national defense, prevention of nuclear war, terrorism, and space flight will be in the forefront of public and private discussion.

Become a C-SPAN "junkie" and be a part of this vital, civic enterprise!

## **ABOUT NEXT MONTH**

Coordinator for next month will be Romaine Lambert. PLEASE FOLLOW GUIDELINES AND BE AS BRIEF AS YOU CAN! Deadline for Mar. 27 issue will be Mar. 10, final deadline for LATE-BREAKING NEWS ONLY will be noon, Mar. 17. To arrange for photographer call cordinator at least 3 days in advance.

## NOTICE!!

A copy of Inside Leisure Village goes to every home in the Village of the day of issure. If you miss yours please do not call The Camarillo Daily News; call the coordinator for that issue who has the extra copies if any are available.

# NEED TO COMMUNICATE AND THE VILLAGERS' RIGHT TO KNOW

By Karl Cannon

Each Board of Directors is made up of different personalities and develops a character of its own. Some Boards give an impression of being autocratic in their collective nature; some seem more democratic; some are easily approached; others seem more remote; some give the appearance of Big Brother or Father Knows Best; some Boards seem to be on top of things; others seem to be somewhat overwhelmed by their responsibilities.

We all agree that we are indebted to our fellow villagers who serve on the Board. Their compensation is not in dollars but in a more precious coin. They have the self-esteem that derives from giving of one's strength, mind and time to the welfare and best interests of their fellow human beings. Members of the Board have our respect and gratitude for doing their best. We villagers are indebted to all who have served.

That having been said, the Board will realize that the following observations are meant to be constructive. We think the Board short-changes itself when it automatically votes to adopt or reject a motion with no discussion or explanation. Many, but not all of us, are aware that much time has been spent in executive sessions examining the merits and demerits of proposals. Give the villagers the reasons for your decisions. The mechanical vote has become so much of a habit that the chairman no longer asks "Is there any discussion?" before announcing the decision. The Board has put in the time and effort needed to arrive at a consensus. Give the villagers the reasoning behind the decision.

The villagers should be, to a greater extent than has been the current practice, made aware of activities conducted by the Board. Shouldn't we know what was the general result of the last contract negotiated with the union? What were the main issues? How long is the term of the new contract? At present all governments and professions have tremendous problems obtaining insurance. How have we fared with our employees' medical coverage?

A few years ago the California Legislature adopted a statute stating that no late fees could be levied by Home Owner Associations until 30 days had passed. Villagers were advised of that action at a Board meeting. In the January 17 letter to villagers notifying us of our new assessments, an additional paragraph stated that "a ten dollar or 10% late fee" would be charged after 15 days, and 12% would be charged as interest after 30 days. We ask why we weren't apprised of these changes at the January 3rd open Board meeting? Was there new statutory legislation or was this a new legal interpretation? Furthermore, what IS the new late fee? Is it 10\$ or 10%? And 10% of what? We need better communication. And I am sure we all agree we have a right to know.

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## LETTERS

Democracy in Action

On Wednesday, Jan. 22, I attended the Town Hall Meeting in the Assembly Room to hear a discussion of the proposed budget for 1986 - 87.

I must confess that, although I have been a resident of Leisure Village for the past three years, this was my first chance to attend a budget meeting.

I came away with a firm conviction that those residents who fail to attend these meetings are overlooking an excellent opportunity to participate in a democratic process which affects all of us financially, as well as socially.

How often do many of us turn away from TV or our newspapers in frustration when we try to follow the complicated maneuvers of local, state and federal government as bills are heard in committees and after due deliberation are submitted to the legislatures for a final vote?

Here in Leisure Village we residents comprise a committee of the whole who hear our Board of Directors submit a budget proposal prepared by a L.V. Financial Committee. Our residents are then asked for their input.

It was a study of government in action within the framework of a small community. I was favorably impressed by the comments, pro and con, by our residents who virtually dissected each budget figure submitted by the Board.

The Town Hall meeting was televised on Channel 12 and was later shown on Saturday, Jan. 25, at 10:00 a.m.

I feel very enheartened by this democratic procedure and strongly urge Leisure Village residents to attend not only the Town Hall Meetings but the monthly meetings of the Board of Directors ev-

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## LETTERS

the members of the Board added miles we must and they are responsible drive to use the Main gate to us for the management not to mention the addiof the Association to tional stop lights and the which all homeowners be-

Political scientists have repeatedly stated that people tend to get the kind of government they deserve. If more citizens are concerned and participate in the political process we will inevitably get better and more efficient government performance. When government operators know that their constituents care about results and maintain a close surveillance over their activities, they will produce better results or risk losing their jobs.

The same is true of the Leisure Village Association. If we attend all the Board Meetings and participate in the work of the important committees who represent us, we will get better results.

The future of Leisure Village is in our hands. In proportion to what we contribute - in service, time and concern - we can hopefully expect to enjoy a higher quality of life in a community of which we can all be proud.

Sol Robin, V.42

## **GOLFER'S RESPONSIBILITY**

We would very much appreciate hearing from the person whose red golf ball was responsible for shattering the glass of the solar panel on the roof of our home opposite the second green in Village 6.

Mitzi and Kip Ellmore, V.6

Penny wise and pound foolish? The recent reduction in the opening times of the East and West gates is a striking example for the application of this old adage.

In the interest of saving a miniscule amont in our annual budget (\$13,000) a large percentage of us are going to spend at least an

ery first Monday. We elect equal amount to cover the delays at the Maingate during the busiest time of day that we have to put up with.

I live close to the Main gate but it still means about one quarter mile of extra driving each time I use it instead of the West gate. Just gasoline alone will cost me about two cents each trip. The \$13,000 budget saving only saves me one cent per day (less than a penny a day for every village resper household).

Think of what an expense this is for the hundreds of Villagers who must drive as much as an extra mile to use the Main Gate!

We hope the Board will revoke this new schedule would be a true saving.

Gordon & Helen Nash V.8

#### **ASSESSMENT**

I received the 1986/87 **Budget and Assessment** Fee Schedule a few days ago. I noted that the New Basic Assessment Fees were rounded to the nearest dollar instead of the nearest .05¢.

Due to rounding to the nearest dollar, some home owners had an increase in the monthly fee as low as 3.6 percent and others as high as 4.5 percent, a spread of almost 1 percent; this does not seem fair to me.

Ed R. Salzer, V.30

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The loving and thoughtful expressions of sympathy to my family and me have been a great help during Harry's illness and at the Community Room passing away. This is a of the Gibraltar Savings wonderful place to be Bank, 5800 Santa Rosa when friends are so important and so needed.

I would like to thank my friends in Leisure Village for their cards, phone calls and good wishes during my illness.

It helped me through a trying time. Once again, thanks to all.

Ruth Seiver, V.38

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I want to thank you all for the love and comfort you have given me since the death of my beloved George.

Thank you for the calls, food and the many lovely cards and the many contributions made in my husband's name.

I am so fortunate to be ident or about \$6 per year living in a place with so many wonderful, caring people. You have helped me so much. I shall never forget all your kindness and friendship.

> My love to you all. Eleanore Quartuccio, V.3 0

Thank you, dear friends and consider restoring the and neighbors, for your gate hours instead. That warm, kind thoughts at the loss of our dear "Pug".

> Esther English and family, V.28

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I want to thank my many friends in Leisure Village for the well-wishing cards, tributes and gifts on the occasion of my 70th birthday last December, celebrated at a party given by my wife, Anne. Your many kind expressions of good health and happiness are sincerely and deeply appreciated.

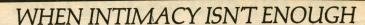
Julian L. Weiss, V.44

#### **B'NAI B'RITH PROGRAM**

B'nai B'rith Camarillo Lodge 3118 invites you to attend Monday, March 10, at 7:30 p.m. Guest speaker: Dr. John L. Logan, M.D., Anacapa Urologic Medical Group.

The meeting will be held Rd., Camarillo.

Admission is free and Marie Welch, V.15 everyone is welcome.





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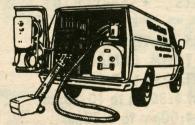


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## **ANCIENT AND ANTIQUE CARS** TO BE FEATURED IN ILV

By Jack Whalen

Did you know that just last month, car buffs around the world celebrated the 100th anniversary of the horseless carriage; that working mechanism using an internal combustion engine - the automobile!

It was on January 29, 1886, in Munich, Germany, that Carl Benz received a patent on his car, a three-wheeled Benz.

Starting with this issue of Inside Leisure Village, during the next twelve months, we will occasionally bring you stories of our neighbors and friends and their experiences with both ancient and antique

Harold Keeler of Village 37 was the proud owner of a 1924 Model T Ford. No, he didn't purchase it new; there were a good number of owners before him.

As a matter of fact, the owner before him, a high school friend of Harold's, swapped a good leather jacket to get the car. It was a sporty looking model and somewhat resembled a convertible of today, since it lost the original phaeton top years earlier.

One weekend Harold's friend invited him and two other Fairfax High School friends to go on a gold panning expedition to the Kern River area.

Brakes Fail

En-route, coming down the long Ridge Route Pass (the old Grape Vine), the Model T Ford's brakes failed. The driver tried throwing the car into a lower gear and a grinding noise ensued but little else. Then the driver tried reverse and nothing happened!

"All of a sudden," says Harold, "we were zipping



Harold Keeler and His Fine Car

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past cars on the down- themselves so they could grade that had passed us shift weight as they a long time ago."

hairpin turns and near the car from either turning panic set in. Suddenly, a over or leaving the road. gem of an idea occurred to one of them. Bolted to the rear of the car, above the back seat, running perpendicular to the car, was the gold panning sluice board.

"Let's jump on it," someone said.

With the car gaining speed all the time, the three others climbed on the board, positioning

rounded the curves, softly Ahead were several praying they could keep

"Somehow, we made it to the bottom," recalls Harold, "but we all aged a little that day.'

Still, their troubles were not over. They had no brakes and would eventually have to think about the long drive back to Hollywood.

With good imagination, using their leather belts, they were able to fashion

brake bands. Then, before reaching the gold panning area, they had to stop and buy rope to hold their pants up!

While Harold's memory of how much gold was panned is somewhat dim, he recalls the ride home was uneventful with the brakes doing their job.

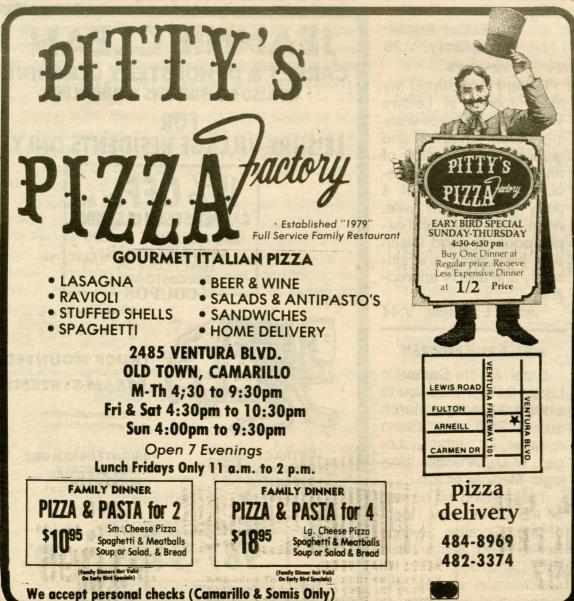
"The car was so good," says Harold, "several months later I purchased it for \$10. With it I was able to start a good paper route. And would you believe, when I sold the car much later for \$5, those hand-made leather belt brakes were still working.'

#### HELP!

If you need help from Y.N.C.G., telephone one of our "call girls"; we have four.

Please clip and save these important numbers. You may need one:

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## **CURRENT ISSUES FORUM**

By Lou Sirotnik

The Current Issues Forum last month featured Dolores Huerta, 1st Vice-President and with Cesar Chavez, co-founder of the United Farm Workers of America. Unfortunately, due to inclement weather and coming from Bakersfield, Mrs. Huerta was delayed. But fortunately Karl Lawson, a U.F.W. staff member from Oxnard, was able to pinch-hit for Mrs. Huerta until her arrival. Mr. Lawson gave an excellent run-down of the early days in California of the deprivations of the agricultural workers.

nese, after having built bor Relations Act was enthe railroads, were thrust acted to require fair and into deplorable labor conditions in the fields owned by the corporate farm growers. Then others followed: Asians, Europeans, the dust bowl Oakies and finally the Hispanics.

Then Mrs. Huerta went on to relate how in 1960,

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**CURRENT ISSUES CALENDAR** 

At the Current Issues Forum on Friday, Feb. 28, at 7:30 p.m. in the AR., Mr. Adam Ortega of the "Grape Workers and Farmers Coalition" will present an opposing viewpoint to Mrs. Huerta's U.F.W. meeting of last month.

Only Leisure Village residents and guests in-

to combat the indescribable and inhumane conditions — no toilets. pesticides, bad housing, children taken out of school to help their families in the fields — the U.F.W. was formed. In He told how the Chi- 1975 the Agriculture Ladecent conditions for the poor farm worker. Mrs. Huerta says these laws, such as they are, do exist but are seldom enforced.

At present, as once before, the U.F.W. is vigorously engaged in boycotting table grapes.

### **COMMUNITY RELATIONS** COMMITTEE

By Bob Atz

The Community Relations Committee is seeking greater Villager participation in its programs.

The purposes of this committee are to monitor legislative bodies whose actions directly affect our Village, and to maintain an awareness of the local community's view of the Village.

If you are interested in these activities, you are invited to attend meetings of the committee, which are scheduled for the second Thursday of the month at 10:00 a.m. in the Club Room. Please note that this is a new time. date and place.

Phone Bob Atz, Acting Chairman, at 388-1208, for further information.

Mrs. Huerta ardently hopes that equitable relations can eventually be arrived at between employer and employee.

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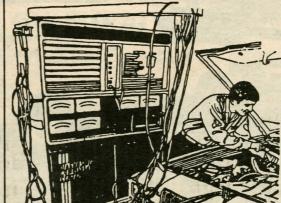
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MOST CARS 

## **DOROTHY KELLY CREATES** HAND MADE DOLLS

By Lois Atz

hobby of Dorothy Kelly, V.7. She selects a mold, pours the porcelain solution, fires the dolls or body parts in her garage a doll for the Women's kiln for nine hours, then china paints the facial features, re-fires, then sews the doll costume, and dresses each doll.

She creates all kinds of dolls - baby, old fashioned ladies, kewpi, etc. These porcelain dolls are antique reproductions.

rently on display at Dusty Corner Ceramic Shop in the Las Posas shopping center near Pleasant Valley Hospital. The shop, 3661 E. Las Posas Rd... #176, is operated by Naomi Ransbottom, V.26.

doll making, and two third children.

prizes for doll dressing. Doll making "from Her dolls have also been scratch" is the unique displayed at a LV women's Club meeting and in the Rec. Center atrium cases.

Dorothy often donates Club bazaar: this September it will be a "Precious Moments" doll. (A similar hand-made doll in a local gift shop carries a price tag of \$200.)

Dorothy and her husband Joe were the 103rd couple to move into Leisure Village eleven years Dorothy's dolls are cur- ago. Five years ago she started making clothespin dolls, then progressed to porcelain dolls. Her past activities include golfing and the presidency of the Women's Club. She is active now in the LV Ceramic club, where she is busy Her dolls won prizes at hand-making ceramic the Ventura County Fair Christmas tree ornaments last August; a first prize in as gifts for her 17 grand-

She buys some supplies from a doll shop such as wigs and china paint — but some of the fabrics for doll clothing, ranging from silk, lace and velvet to cotton, are given to her by friends.

The doll display will continue at Dusty Corners Ceramic Shop for a limited time. Don't miss it!

## LIBRARY NEWS By Eva Pfister

In January the following Library Board was formed: Janine Blymyer and Blanche Follen, cochairmen; Marjorie Leach and Betty Tytler, treasurers: Bert Kunz, secretary; Eva Pfister, publicity.

The Rental Library hours are from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Monday through Saturday, and Wednesday evenings 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Please return rental books to a librarian; never leave one on the open shelves. If no one is there, and the book cannot be returned the following day, please



**Photo by Stabler** 

"Dorothy and Friends"

leave it in the Rec. Office.

The Rental Library welcomes donations of current books. If you received books for Christmas and would like to donate one of them, feel free to do so.

The newest book added to the Library is Lake Woebegone Days by Keil-

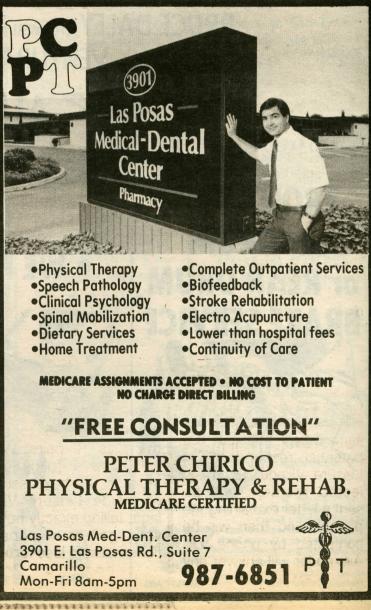
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Co-chairmen; Marjorie Leach and Betty Tytler, Co-treas.; Bert Kunz, Sect'y.; Eva Pfister, Publicity.

At present there are 35 volunteers working for the library.

NOTICE! NEW HOURS for Blood Pressure Clinic: 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. the first Monday of each month.







#### Your Neigbors Care Group

By Sandy Okum

A research team from California State University Los Angeles, and the University of Portland, will begin a study in Leisure Village. The researchers are Francesca Alexander. Ph.D., of the Department of Sociology at California State University, and Robert W. Duff of the Department of Psychology and Social Sciences, University of Portland. The purpose of the research is to examine what life is like in retirement communities with respect to life satisfaction, social activities, and alcohol use. The researchers want to determine what residents think about the use of alcohol in retirement communities. whether they themselves drink or not. Nearly all previous research that has been done in this area has ments like Leisure Village, have four. but has concentrated on homes, or those referred You may need one: to hospitals and/or clinics. The researchers believe 9532; Virdie Nelson, 987that this does not present 5201; Dorothy Skuro, an accurate picture of 484-0324; Donaldine normal life among the re- Weed, 484-2610. tired.

Leisure Village has been selected to be part of this major study which is being conducted in several communities in California and Oregon. The Board of Directors of Leisure Village, and Your Neighbor's Care Group both approve of the study, and support the research activities.

Dr. Alexander, who is the director of the California phase of the study, will be using a scientific same design to select 125 potential respondents in Leisure Village. Each selected resident will be sent a letter explaining the project, and then will be contacted by phone. Dr. Alexander will answer any questions the individual may have, and ask permission to interview that person at his/her convenience. If the resident agrees to be interviewed, Dr. Alexander will make an appointment for an interview to be conducted in that person's home, or wherever they find convenient. The interview takes about forty-five minutes.

All information is kept strictly confidential.

All the help that you can provide to the researchers is greatly appreciated. The social scientists involved in this study believe that the residents of Leisure Village can make an important contribution to knowledge about the relationship of living conditions and social support systems to the well-being of the retired.

## Y.N.C.G. IS READY TO HELP

By Romaine Lambert

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## **OLD EYEGLASS** DRIVE NEARS SUCCESSFUL CLOSE

The end of February marks the close of a highly successful drive that has resulted in the collection of well over 1,000 pairs of used glasses and more than 500 cases.

Many LV residents have, individually contributed from 5 to as many as 12 pairs. We will have a follow-up story in the next issue of Inside Leisure Village, telling exactly how your generous donations will help less fortunate people in 3rd World Countries.

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## **LOOKING AT** CHANNEL 12

By Jack Whalen

The March Board of Directors meeting will be last Friday of every month telecast live on Monday, at 2:00 p.m. in the Garden March 3 at 10:00 a.m. It Room (used to be W.C.R.) will be repeated on tape for our monthly "Meet the following Saturday, Your Neighbor Coffee.' March 8 at 10:00 a.m.

Channel 12" is the theme have scheduled two interof Channel 12 volunteers esting speakers: Jack these days as they promise to keep you posted in chitectural Landscape the event of any crisis or unusual happening within Corwin, a member of the the Village. May we ask Travel Committee. that you occasionally Channel 12.

During the next several months we plan to bring you movie features from Hollywood's Golden Days. Four features recently acquired by Channel 12 are:

'The Snows of Kilimanjaro" with Gregory Peck, Susan Hayward and Ava Gardner; "A Farewell to Arms" with Helen Hayes, Gary Cooper and Adolphe Menjou; "His Girl Friday"

## MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR

By Mary Erbsen Please join us on the This month, we will meet 'Keep Current With Friday, Feb. 28, and we Rogers, who is on the Ar-

We invite all Villagers to 'read'' the pages on attend, both new residents and long-time Vilmeeting of good conver-Your Neighbors."

Committee; and Nettie

with Cary Grant, Rosalind tititon. Russell, Ralph Bellamy and Gene Lockhart; "Life Koster, a Village 3 resi-With Father" with Irene dent has graciously of-Dunne, William Powell .

Famed director, Henry of his collection.

## ORGAN FUND AT \$9500

By Bill Marvel

At the February 3 meeting of the LV Board of Directors, the board received proceeds from Organ Club fund-raisers and donations to swell the New Organ Fund to \$9500, just \$500 short of the goal.

With two final fund-raisers, Organ Club members feel certain that the remaining funds will be raised before the 1986 Spring Concert.

Friday, March 14, the 86-member chorus of the lagers, for a stimulating Channelaire Sweet Adelines will present a consation, coffee and cook- cert, with proceeds to the ies. It's good to meet old Organ fund. This stellar friends and make new group has 9 Villagers as ones. Come and Meet members, and recently was winner of the Johnny Mann Choralle compe-

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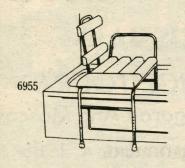
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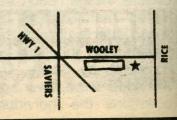
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## BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS COMMITTEE

By Margrate Gowder

The Buildings and Grounds Committee would like to remind residents of Leisure Village that permits have not been given for planting in the green belts. This includes the space outside the fences and around tree wells. We all know the rules but some seem to think the rules are there for someone else, or if the other guy can do it, I'll try it.

We also ask you not to enlarge the planting areas around the units. Sprinklers are placed at the edge of the planting areas; you may cause a problem with the sprinkler system. Also, you may think your bed looks nice, but once again we have the same problems we have with all planting in the green belt areas.

Impatiens and richmondi begonias are very

colorful and are "legal" to be planted in the chip areas. The gardeners will care for the areas as long as these plants are kept under control. Instead of planting outside the fence, why not confine your color to the chip ar-

If you see unsightly plants and wonder why something isn't being done, nine times out of ten something is being done by our committee. We have been getting great cooperation from the Villagers. If a Villager elects to have the Village crew do the clean-up work and reimburse the association, our crews must work this into their busy schedule and it takes time.

Exterior shades hanging across the outside of glass windows or across patio areas are in violation of Article 2.5 of the CC &



REVIEW GROUP



Bernice Knebel, Star Reviewer

Book Review audience for February enjoyed a special treat when Bernice Knebel reviewed Shirley MacLaine's controversial newest book, "Dancing in the Light". Her treatment was dramatic and exciting and was thoroughly enjoyed by all who heard her.

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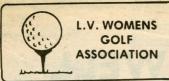
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By Dorothy Skuro

Leisure Village Women's Golf Association will hold its general meeting March 12 at 3:00 p.m., in the AR. Hospitality chairman Betty Ansell has certainly been doing a great job of having delicious refreshments; thanks, Betty. If you want to know what is going on in our world of golf it is vital that you attend meetings.

Regulation golf will be at Simi Hills, March 20, with a starting time of 10:00 a.m. The fee will be \$15 and please be sure to put your check in the box when you sign up.

The month-end men/women tournament will
be on the 23rd of March
— and don't forget the
19th-hole party at 4:00
p.m.

ATTENTION all hole-inone hopefuls! Marge Kelly has emptied the coffer so be sure to come to the meeting and sign up for the new one. Congratula-

tions, Marge, for your

11th-hole zinger!

The just-completed PRESIDENT'S CUP was another well run tournament with the following winners: A FLIGHT - Low Gross, Marge Kelly; Low Net, 1st Ellen Moore; 2nd Carra Hatfield; 3rd Edie Sena. B FLIGHT - Low gross, Ruth Marler; Low Net, 1st Roxie Wintz: 2nd Betty Bruce; 3rd Hattie Stern, C FLIGHT - Low Gross, Jane Gifford; Low Net 1st Sylvia Lebby; 2nd Elise Eymann, 3rd Rae Sohr. D FLIGHT - Low Gross, Lois Killeen; Low Net, 1st Betty Ettinger; 2nd Betty King; 3rd Hildi Lustig. NINERS - Low Gross, Lee Whittinghill; Low Net 1st and 2nd still have to be played off by **Eunice Ormand and Helen** Sierichs; 3rd Gladys Huddleston.

Late-breaking news! Anna Snyder made a hole-in-one on #14. Congratulations!



By Morley Goldberg

The Tournament is on! As of Jan. 28, following are the leaders: Single Prof. Div. Billiards: Joe Levinson, Frank Miller, Sam Hurwitz, Gus Ferrara. Singles 8 ball Prof. Div.: Leonte Read, Bob Smith, Lloyd Spencer, Mike Fellman, Gus Ferrara. Doubles 8 Ball Semi-Pro.: Sam Lorber and Wayne Nelson, Lewis Drucker and Art Stone. Semi-Pro.: Wayne Nelson, Paul Kelwin, John Gianetabove are leaders for having drawn "byes."

Room is not a men's exclusive. C'mon play. Don't know how? FREE lessons are given in the mornings by appointment. Call Russ Sievert, 987-5791, to arrange the time. If you're bashful, don't be; look at Vega Crowl who is listed above as a tournament leader!

Installation of Officers took place on Jan. 28. Winners of door prizes were Joe Rottersman, our newest member; Gabriel Catalogne and Maria Pronasko.

Tickets are on sale now for our Annual Luncheon April 11 at Mercury Savings. It is limited to 65, so get yours now. Only \$3.50 per person. Open to members and their spouses only, so join the Billiard Club.

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By Eva Sugg

At the first '86 meeting of the Leisure Village R.V. Club, new president Warren Sugg, after a brief introduction from outgoing counterpart Ed Lymon, presented his incoming slate of officers, and then promptly assigned to them and others of the membership every probable and possible task.

Drucker and Art Stone, George Laufer and Sam Kaufman. Singles 8 Ball Semi-Pro.: Wayne Nelson, Paul Kelwin, John Gianettoni, Vega Crowl, Mike Fellman. Some of the above are leaders for having drawn "byes."

Ladies, the Billiard Room is not a men's exclusive. C'mon play. Don't Sam All R.V. owners are invited to join us and share their expertise as we endeavor to further our knowledge of interesting travel spots in our beautiful country. The third Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the MPR offers a great chance to meet kindred vagabond souls.



By Kay Avery

After a short General meeting, the Feb. meeting was turned over to Pepper Heimowitz and Dorothy Karlin, who conducted auditions for the upcoming production set for June 19, 20, 21 and 22. The program will include segments from musicals Pajama Game, Kiss Me Kate, Fiddler On The Roof, Damn Yankees, Funny Girl, and La Cage Aux Folles.

The next auditions will be Feb. 26, 12:30 p.m. AR, and March 13, at 7:30 p.m. AR. Please bring your own material for tryouts and arrange for your own accompaniment, either using piano or tapes. There will be singing, dancing and speaking parts.

A belated "Bravo" for Joan Woodenschek, Bill Marvel and Larry Killeen for their wonderful program at our January meeting.



By Evelyn Durham

The Ceramic Decorator's Club meets every Wednesday at 12:30 p.m. in the Ceramic Room. This club is offered for all Village residents. if you are interested in preparing and painting useful and decorative ceramic pieces, come join our group. No experience is necessary. This is an ancient craft and a fun hobby. The first Wednesday of every month our president conducts a short business meeting.



By Aileen Chuck

The Shuffleboard Club members enjoyed a delicious pot-luck dinner Tuesday, Feb. 4 at 6 p.m. in the MPR. It was also time to honor their hard working past president, Louise Colbert, who has been guiding the club for the past two-and-a-half years. The club presented a miniature shuffleboardplaying plaque inscribed with their message of "thank you" and the dates she had served. All those present signed a thank you card.

Incoming president Gil Chuck received the gavel from Louise Colbert. Bee Schreiber will be the new secretary, replacing Betty Moore. Sid Friedman will continue to serve as treasurer, and Margie Friedman continues as membership chairwoman.

New hours of play will be in effect beginning Feb. 10 at 9:30 a.m., instead of 9:15 a.m. Watch Channel 12 and the bulletin board for detailed information. Two games will be played, with the third game optional.

Many new things will be happening. Calling all interested people, to come join us in the fun and exercise.



#### By Imogene Gregory

Camera Club members enjoyed a competition for best picture at the February meeting. Originally a holiday theme was to be used, but this was expanded to permit any theme.

At the March 5 meeting Ramon from Chuck Mears' camera shop demonstrates how to do flash photography.

Watch channel 12 for announcement of future programs. Visitors are welcome at Camera Club meetings in the CR each first and third Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

## VISION

## By Florence Block

Outstanding speaker at the February meeting was Dr. Richard Hatcher whose topic was the 'Eye'. He first described the anatomy of the eye, illustrating with a large plastic model. Then he described the most common defects of the eye and treatment. He finished with the diseases of the eye which lead to visual impairment.

He also brought with him many visual aids. Dr. Hatcher is a Ventura optometrist, specializing in low vision problems. His talk was extremely informative and stimulating.

Vision Limited is a support group of Leisure Village residents with impaired vision. Our next meeting is Monday, March 3 at 1:00 p.m. in the Lanai Room. Guest Speaker will be Dr. Martin Gish from Camarillo State Hospital, whose topic will be "Alzheimer's Disease and Brain Impairment.' Everyone is welcome please join us. For information call Florence Block, 484-5838 or Betty Broddus, 482-0492.

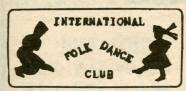
#### **NEW VISTAS**

By Tia Perlman

Instead of conducting their usual Friday afternoon meeting in the Lanai room, on Jan. 24, Tia Perlman and some of the New Vistas members decided to explore new horizons by adventuring into the wilds of Wildwood Park, a magnificent and still uncrowded region located a scant ten miles from Camarillo on the outskirts of Thousand Oaks.

Indian caves, a beautiful waterfall, rippling streams through which this brave group waded (barefoot no less), and fascinating Nature trails through ten thousand acres of rolling hills covered with scrub oaks and just beginning to bloom cactus pears, all served as a scenic backdrop for their leisurely picnic lunch.

Sure, there were a few sore ligaments and a couple of extra rest stops to relieve some of those infrequently used muscles, but all the participants agreed that "A good time was had by all and let's do it again real soon!"



By Florence Friedman

Judging from our larger attendance each Monday, many residents are learning to dance without previous dancing knowledge. day of attendance.

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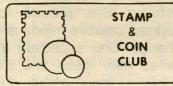
Our instructors, May Sheff, Virginia Calihan and Miriam Natter, are always ready and willing to help.



By Art Kaufman

Leisure Village Woodworkers met Feb. 6, in the MPR. After a short business meeting George Mustaparta introduced Charles Renstrom from "Hardwoods & Mouldings," who gave a very informative talk on various woods. His main topic was hard woods and their divergent characteristics.

Our next meeting will be March 6 at 2:00 p.m. in the MPR. Joe Selden will present a program on table saw techniques. Evervone who has ever used a tablesaw will find this exhibition extremely interesting. We welcome all interested in woodworking.



By Charles Kaub

In March we are expanding our bingo prizes to 25 lots. This will be at the March 4 meeting. We are also receiving the A.P.S. stamp booklets of U.S. plate blocks and singles. Our first encounter went over big. If you wish to participate, please come to our next meeting. On Tues., March 18, at 7:30 p.m., MCR, we will have another fine speaker on our great hobby. Remember that every meeting closes with a fine door You'll be dancing the first prize which has been donated. Our forthcoming meetings will have slide presentations supplied by the American Philatelic Society which will be most professional and extremely interesting. We can look forward this year to another great Mercury Savings and Loan Luncheon, more speakers, bingo, stamp auctions and more 'special events' that are planned by your new officers. Please bring in your dues for 1986 so we can give you a good year with your hobby.



By Roie Beck

The Happy Hoofers performed at the Glen- welcomed new Villagers wood Convalescent Hos- George and Terri Haug to pital in Oxnard, and the the Country-Barn Dance Ventura Convalescent in January. Newlywed Hospital during the last Leon and Marge (Graymonth. Their program son) Purdy were selected from the energetic "In the to lead the Anniversary Mood" to the high hats Waltz. and tails of "42nd Street", included Presi-tumed dancers at the dent Rawza Kates, with Mardi Gras Dance in Feb. her puppet "Fiberace". Choreographer Helen conducted the drawing of Gold in a specialty solo of no Miriam Hasen beauti- were Ida Kubica, Trudy fully singing "Carnival".

enjoy performing at convalescent hospitals because "there but for the grace of God go I!" There may not be the tumultuous applause and standing ovations the Hoofers receive in the Village, but a smile here and there, a toe tapping to the rhythm, or even one pair of hands it very worthwhile.



By Sonya Prager

Jan. 24, the Village Folk Dancers participated in the Dance Jamboree. Alarge and appreciative audience enjoyed a program of dances performed by each dance club and were also invited and included in several live dances.

Our club performed three ethnic dances, a Greek, Macedonian, and Israeli. Eight of our dancers also performed a traditional wedding dance called the Scher which was particularly appropriate since two of our members were married the day before. Congratulations, Helen and John Quacken-

Everyone is invited to join us at our Monday night classes from 7:00 to 9:00 in the MPR.



SWING

DISCO

### By M. Abdelnour

Emcee David Teasdale

There were some cos-Emcee Henry Carfagna prizes for those in cos-"Bill Bailey", and sop0ra-tume. The lucky winners Orsan and Emil Sitka. The Hoofers particularly Honors went to Kenneth and Sue Mac Kaig to lead the Anniversary Waltz.

Upcoming dance: March 14 St. Patrick's Dance will be Emceed by Edward and Frances Donahue. We hope you'll feel a little Irish and wear a bit

of green.

Plans are being formulated for the Golden Anniclapping to the beat make versary Dance to be held in the Assembly Room April 12. All couples having a 50 Anniversary in 1986 will be the honored quests of Swing Disco Jazz Dance Group. Emcee for this celebration dance will be Max and Dora Polley. If you are having an Anniversary and want to join the fun, please call Marguerite at 482-1183 to say you're coming.



By Lillian Schwartz

Party Bridge winners for January were Jack Ansell, Faye Tobias, Milton Tobias (twice), Helene Marshall, Bernice Engen (three times), David Corwin, Ray Vasquez, Melanie Herrick, Bill Katz and Frances Heiman.

Regular games are scheduled on Tuesday at 12:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. and on Thursday at 12:30 p.m.

## WORKSHOP By

Marguerite Abdelnour

Workshop: Dance Dance Jamboree of Friday, Jan. 24, was a delightful evening, enjoyed by many Villagers. Our sincere thanks to all the dance clubs who participated in the Dance Jamboree and its success.

Join Dance Workshop, dance for joy and good health each Tuesday, 3:30 p.m., AR. Don't miss all the new dances now being taught in class. Your annual \$1.00 membership fee is now due. New members welcomed.

Waltz time, a self-improvement class, meets each Tuesday at 5:00 p.m., AR. Beginners as well as seasoned waltzers will find that practice puts wings on their feet.



By Anne Janoff

It may rain, (it won't snow), but March winds may choose to blow. Whatever the weather, let's get together at our Saturday Night Ballroom Dance on March 8.

Ed and Reva Saeta and Henry Carfagna will do the hosting. You can count on an evening of delightful music for your dancing pleasure, recorded on tape. Your presence is the ingredient needed to make the evening complete.

It's our Round-Up time, on Saturday, March 22, to go Western. No "do-sido", but you can swing into the spirit of the evening by wearing your jeans, ginghams, hats and boots - no saddles. please! Just come and have fun. Hosts will be Max and Dora Polley and Joe and Ceil Priore.

The admission is 50¢ per person, 8:00 to 11:00 p.m. in the AR. Refreshments, the usual coffee, tea, punch and ice. BYOB.

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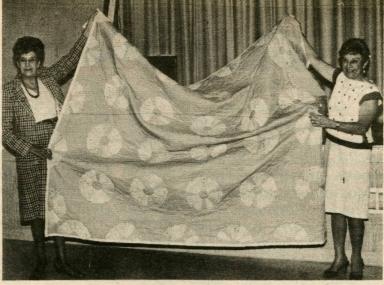
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## WOMEN'S CLUB

By Eva Divan

The first Thursday in February saw the AR year of Leisure Village Women's Club activities.

Led by Jeanne Carlson in a repeat performance as our president, the club's interspersed projects of work and fun are

forming for another successful year.

New bazaar chairman, filled with a large number Kay La Prell, reported of ladies, come to help some members already start another enjoyable hard at work at Tuesday Morning Bazaar Workshops. She pleads for added creative minds and hands. She especially invites new ideas and the skills to teach and/or create them. Workshop mornings are fun, the atmosphere friendly, and, a whimsical worker adds, "the gossip is good"!

The club accepted with deep thanks a beautiful queen-size quilt in Dresden pattern, made and donated by Dorothy Barrus. It is to be a major bazaar raffle prize. Miniraffles are promised at every monthly meeting.

Meanwhile, new program chairman, Helen Nash, promises to entertain us. She plans music and dance programs, a Village Tour and a spring Style Show. Our first meeting featured collections by several members.

Parliamentarian Ruth O'Neill is heading a committee to review and reclub's vise the constitution. Other committee members are: Edna McCormick, Kay Varley, Eleanor Armstead and Maxine Himstreet. Time and growth often call for updating.

Billie Brook Snyder is See Women Page 13

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WOMEN From Page 12 excited about a possible Village project, and hopes the idea catches on. Borrowed from the "Hands Across America" concept, she proposes a "Hands Around the Village Day

It being the season for such, we honored a "Mrs Valentine", Her eligibility for the title was earned by being the most recently married. A chocolate candy rose was presented to the winner: Mrs. William (Billie Brook) Snyder. Two Bazaar Workshop faithfuls were honored as "Workers of the Month" with African violets: Mardel Stephan and Beatrice Brabender.

Super sales-person, Gertie Dorward, with assist from Betty Keeler, Helen Thomsen and others, back once more behind the counter of the Trading Post, netted more than \$250 for the day. Meanwhile, super-Membership Chairperson, Betty Walker tallied a total of the A.R.

163 paid-up members.

New Refreshment Chairman, Minnie Gorelnik, with her able assistants, Mildred Tarry, Gloria White, Hazel Fitch and Rowena Metler, decorated the tables in a pretty Valentine motif.

Our next meeting falls on March 6.



#### By Bill Roffman

E.Z. Squares welcomed our new square dance his singing calls.

We congratulate our Josh and Norma Myer.

We dance every Sunday, 1st Sunday of the month 4:00 to 6:30 p.m. all other Sundays 7 to 9:30 p.m. All dances in

#### **VILLAGE PAINTERS** By Sally Becker

A critique by Marion Jayne will be featured at the Village Painters meeting on Wed., March 5, at 1:00 p.m. in the MPR.



VILLAGE **SWINGERS** SQUARE DANCE CLUB

By Mae Wagner

The Village Swingers Activities Vice Presidents, Harold and Suzanne Stern, have arranged a beautiful excursion and dance for Sunday, March

David and Isabel Docaller Gary Dane. All en- minguez, Chairpeople of joyed his unique style of our annual Spring Fling, calling and his fine voice in are busy preparing for this gala event of the year. "Swing Into Spring" will newlyweds Helen and be held on Sunday, April John Quackenbush and 20 from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. Guest caller is Dave Rensberger; guest cuer, John Downing.

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Lynn., Mass., won over 5 end of the month and er this year. would be eligible for medicare. Makes you feel would we do with all that money anyway?

Sandy and Evelyn Okum, V.7, attended a football banquet at West L.A. City College recently where Sandy's son, Gerson, was honored posthumously with a Perpetual Plaque. Every year a miniature trophy will go to the most improved football player in his honor.

Many people in the Village knew Gerson and remember him as he gave golf lessons here for a time.

On Feb. 15, Paula Mogill, V.23, and Bette Silverberg, V.25, were named "Honorees of the Year" at a dinner dance given by the A.M.C. Cancer Research Center, Pleasant Valley Chapter. Bette was the founder of this chapter in 1980 and served as its president for the last two years. Paula also is a past president and they have each chaired as many as three committees simultaneously. We also thank George and Herman, their husbands, who we know also put in more than their fair share.

About 20 of us gals from the Rhythmettes entertained at the Camarillo Convalescent Hospital recently.

Lois and Victor Bello, V.38, are beaming over the birth of their first grandchild. Megan Victoria Kelsey was born in Glendale in December.

Many, many people from the Village attended

Melanie and Tom Her- a Bon Voyage party on rick, V.23, called with the huge ship, S.S. Rotsome exciting news they terdam, docked at San wanted to share with us. Pedro last month. We Melanie's cousins in were there to wish a fond farewell to our fellow Vilmillion dollars Jan. 10, in lagers Ann and Gus Cathe State Lottery. They pella, V.4, who sailed were planning to retire away on a World Cruise. soon but were waiting un- They will be celebrating til he reached 65 at the their 50th anniversary lat-

Tom and Myrtis Addison, V.17, also celebrated good, but, I ask you, what their 50th anniversary Jan. 11. They sailed on a cruise in the South Pacific out of Tahiti on the Majestic Explorer to eight islands of the French Society Group. On Feb. 8, their children hosted a party at Ottavio's for their friends and family to honor their parents.

> Mollie and Herman Taylor, V.28, 50 years, also on Jan. 19. Their daughters Susan and Marilyn and families honored them with a party at Huntington Beach with many friends from the Village attending. Their Square Dancing Friends, "The Upper Eights" also threw

> a party for them. Sylvia and Norman Lefton, V.33, home from a cruise through Malaysia to celebrate their 40th anniversary. Their daughters went along to share the fun with Mom and Dad. Several people from the Village were also on this cruise. Irv Leeds and his Lil, V.41, and their daughter Robin and friend; Sylvia Altes, V.28; Dave and Dolores Tribich, V.19; Sid and Don Siegel V.33; Chuck and Amy Puro, V.20; Ruth Smith, V.29; and Mary Wilson, V.18.

Dorothy and Robbie Karlin, V.38, hosted a party for their 40th, Jan. 29, with a bash at Ottavio's.

Keep sending the news - 4201 Village 4, 482-7390. 'Til next time, "Those who bring sunshine to the lives of others cannot keep it from themselves."



By Mary Lee

The Annual Installation Luncheon was held Thursday, Jan. 30, at Ottavio's Banquet Hall.

O.C. Marler, retiring President, opened the meeting, followed by the Bocce Good Fellow song. Then O.C. introduced the following officers for 1986: Pres., Henry Carfagna; Vice Pres., Phillip La Porte; 2nd Vice Pres.. Rick Behrman; Treas., Kay Collier; Rec. Sect'v., Dorothy Fencl; Corr. Sect'y., Mary Lee; Trustees, Frank Berg, Raymond Fencl and Alex Cherney. Henry Carfagna accepted the Presidency and asked for a moment of silence in memory of the seven astronauts.

1986 Dues are now due and payable - \$3.50 per person. The general meeting will be held Thurs., Feb. 27, at 7:30 p.m. in the A.R.

#### **BIBLE STUDY**

By Ivy Lindner

Bible Study Mondays, 7 p.m. at the home of Maye Alexander, 4204 V.4. Our teacher, Cliff Moore, local family man, is a well known Bible scholar and high school teacher. All are welcome. Bring your Bible.

## SOLO CLUB

By Beth Barker

At a festive Valentine's Day pot luck dinner, Mert Miller installed the 1986 Solo Club officers: Eleanor Evans, Pres.; Julie Johnson, Vice-Pres. - membership; Beth Barker, Sect'y; Mary Kay Franey, Treas. A gift certificate was presented to Bert Kunz in appreciation of her hard working and successful leadership as president of the Solo Club for the last two years.

The special event planned for Wed., March 19, will be lunch at Nadine's Kountry Kitchen followed by a trip to the Stage Coach Inn Museum in Newbury Park.



By Margaret Hines

The Rhythmettes have been busy so far this year. Jan. 28, the patients at Camarillo Convalescent Hospital were enthusiastically appreciative of our music. We have been invited to return March 11 to play.

On Feb. 18 we had another lovely luncheon at County Savings Bank. Earle Cunningham kept everyone on their toes "naming his tunes."

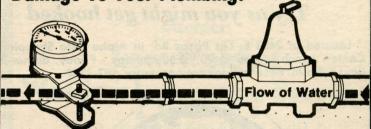
The time is close at hand for election of new officers. The nominating comittee will be named in March, their panel of officers presented in April, to be voted on in May. We hope to find candidates who are ready, willing, and able to fill the offices and be a benefit to the Rhythmettes. An office is not just a title. It is a job to be well done.

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By Ruth Dixon

Funny Girl: Theater Fest - in Santa Maria. March 1, \$22.

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Tropico Goldmine NASA - March 28, \$14. Escort: Garnette Holmes.

Diamond in the Rough: Firelight-Dinner-Theater in Ventura. \$27. Escort: Freddi Popkin.

Alisal Ranch: Solvang, April 2 & 3, \$85. Escort: Bess Mast.

Palm Springs - at the Spa Hotel, April 23, 24, 25. \$146. Escort: Ruth Dixon.

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## **FOREIGN TRAVEL COMMITTEE ADOPTS NEW NAME**

By Nettie Corwin

The Foreign Trip Committee is now known as the "Let's Travel" Group. Nettie Corwin and Ruth Dixon will co-chair it under the auspices of the Travel Committee. The first trip chosen by the group is almost sold out. It is to Washington D.C. at Cherry Blossom time.

The Inside Passage to Alaska on the Costa "Daphne" goes on sale Feb. 7 and is expected to sell fast as it also includes a 4-day visit to Vancouver and the Expo.

The group will suggest trips they would like to take together and research will be done to get the best itinerary and price. The Copper Canyon train ride in Mexico is a suggested trip. Are you interested? Leave your name at the travel office. wish to share.

## **WOOLF PHILLIPS** TO CONDUCT L.V. ORCHESTRA

By Don Horodas

The Leisure Village Orchestra welcomes its new musical director, Maestro Woolf Phillips. Mr. Phillips has had a very prestigious career in music. He is a noted composer and arranger. He has conducted the London Symphony Orchestra. He has also conducted the orchestra at the London Palladium, the British Boradcasting Orchestra, and was on the podium at N.B.C., A.B.C. and Hollywood movie studios. He has a myriad of recordings to his credit.

We also want to take this opportunity to thank Arthur Kates, the founder and first Musical Director of the Orchestra, for his unselfish dedication and the inspiration he engendered among the Orchestra members. He will Singles let us know if you continue with the Orchestra as cellist.

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By Don Holmes

Today, Feb. 27, the Ceramic Plus Club is staging a "going away" brunch for Charlie Possel. This will be at 10:30 a.m. in the CR, following the regular meeting. Charlie has been a longtime activist in the Ceramic Plus Club and will be moving to Ventura,

Also today, at 1:00 p.m., Irma will be demonstrating more papier-mache work; this time on figure-draping.

The "Plus" part of the Club meets tomorrow: Joe Poliak's enameling class, at 9:30 a.m., Friday Feb. 28, in the CR.

The Club had a special treat at the January meeting: Sheila Steele, a potter from British Columbia.

Next meeting will be Thurs., March 27, at 10:30 a.m. Watch Channel 12 for the program.



GEM AND MINERAL CLUB

By Don Holmes

The Gem and Mineral Club had another excellent "Ben Again" program in January. Ben and Rhoda Smithkin drove over 5600 miles in nine weeks in Europe last summer.

In October, Ben showed us the first half of his slides ("Ben Slides Through Europe") and now we have seen the rest of them.

Last night, Feb. 26, the club had an unusual-forus-event. We had a potluck dinner, organized by program chairman Garnette Holmes, with everybody bringing his culinary specialty.

Dues are Tom McM

If you not you no

The March meeting will be on Wednesday, the 26th. Garnette has arranged to have Ed Kristo-

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vich, from Northridge, who will talk on and show slides on "Rockhounding in Northern Arizona, Amid the Hopi and Navajo Indians." The program includes rock-collecting areas, and a scenic trip through Canyon de Chelly. This should be of particular interest to the RV group, and you are all welcome to come.

In April we will have election of officers, and in May, a return visit by Meg Easling, jewelry designer and instructor from Ojai.

Dues are due: \$3.00 to Tom McMahon.

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#### INDOOR-OUTDOOR **GARDEN CLUB**

By Dora Cronyn

The next meeting of the Garden Club is March 13 at 9:30 a.m. in the MPR. Pat Sime will be talking about Cymbidium orchids and "Square Foot Gar-dening" which should be of special interest to those with garden plots.

Our treasurer is still collecting yearly dues of \$6.00 or \$1.00 for individual programs.

Our first trip will be March 20 to the Huntington Gardens.

The bus will leave at 8:45 a.m. The cost is \$20.00 including lunch.

## **SCRABBLE PLAYERS CLUB** By Pearl Greenfield

The Scrabble Players Club met Jan. 6 and Jan. 20 in the Lanai Room at 7:30 p.m.

Winners on Jan. 6 were Lily Marcus with a combined score for two games of 778 and Pauline Shenkiman with 697. On the 20th the winners were Pearl Greenfield with 792 and Lily Marcus with 714.



RACQUET CLUB

By George Nolte

The Racquet Club met Jan. 8 with our new president, Roy Lester presid-

Winners of the January Paddle Tennis tournament were: Bob Denny, Gene Bookwalter, Al August, Ernie Mueller, Ben Smithkin and Sol Brejensky.

Villagers are invited to attend Paddle Tennis and Tennis classes conducted by Racquet Club instructors. Information concerning classes is as follows:

Paddle Tennis: 12:00-1:30 p.m. every Wednesday; Bob Hasen, Instruc-

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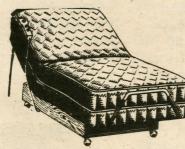








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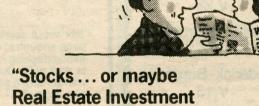
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