# TINSIDE VILLAGE





Susan Seats of Village 25 has traveled the world for 38 years. place to teach English, to work

## She lives in LV, but world is her home

**By Patty Ecker** 

The question of "Where is home?" results in complicated cultural and geographical answers from Susan Seats.

She can respond by saying "Village 25," where she lives with her brother and father. Or she might answer, "India," where she will be living as you read this, or later in the year, perhaps China or Thailand.

"I feel at home anywhere." says Susan, smiling as she shares photos and memories from 38 years as a citizen of Photo by Jerry Spector the world, going from place to

in a hospice, to work with special needs children, serving as an election observer in El Salvador, or bringing energy and often funds to people mired in poverty in distant locales.

Most of her focus has been helping others. She has taught English to young children in Thailand and to university students in China. With the help of Rotary International and other non-profits, Susan has raised money for Indian schools so children could have uniforms, shoes and

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## How I found my youngest sister after 68 years

By Paul Herring, V. 24

It started in 1944 or 1945. That is when my younger sister and I were adopted and left all our biological family in Chicago to start a new life, with a new family, in California.

At that time we were a family of eight living in the hard times of war in a post-Depression era with only our mother working. Our father had made a living as a carpet layer, but by 1943 he was out of work due to rheumatoid arthritis, and Mom had to work in a war plant at low wages.

So with six children and only one person working, the tough choice had to be made about how to feed everyone. Now, during those years, there was rationing of everything

from butter to gasoline, and jobs were very scarce. We lived in what can only be described as a dilapidated cottage under extremely crowded conditions.

Now flash forward to 2008 when my oldest (biological) sister was visiting us from the Chicago area where she still lives. She told me that our family was even larger than I remembered, and she produced a copy of an old newspaper article that showed we had twin siblings. There, on the yellowing piece of paper, which had been tucked away for more than six decades, were pictures of a brother and sister that I had not seen before then. The article detailed how the two babies were to be adopted at

Please see SISTER on 10 six grandchildren.



**Photo courtesy Paul Herring** 

The author's sister, center, is surrounded by her husband, to her left; her two sons, seated; her daughter, far right; and her



And now, once again, Leisure Village residents have been rescued from the horrors of depictions of the human body. An artist's sketches of nudes displayed in the library has brought out the wrath of a group of ladies who simply must save us from all those things that would corrupt our sensibilities. And so those sketches have now been removed.

This is an adult senior community, not Disneyland. How these ladies would react to a visit to the Sistine Chapel or the Vatican Library to view the masterworks on display, or to the magnificent statue of Michaelangelo's David, would be a most interesting subject.

As "beauty is in the eye of the beholder," so is pornography. It all depends on where the mind is.

One can simply walk away from those things that offend them, but please don't determine what other adults may or may not see. Censorship is far more ugly than anything one might view on an artist's palette.

n the last three months, I have been a victim of theft on my property. I have had a decorative pot and a miniature rose plant stolen. Both thefts have been reported to Leisure Village

Security. I do not expect to get my items returned to me. The fact that someone could walk up the grass on my property and steal them floors me. These were my personal property, not the Village's.

#### - Michele Malkin, V. 6

## **BETTER BREATHING**

#### **By Lorraine Comer**

I guess it's time the Better Breathing class comes out of retirement to meet the requests of past participants. When we receive enough names of those wanting another session, I will work to schedule a time and place to meet everyone's needs.

There is a list in the Rec

Center that needs to be signed so the powers that be see the need for the program.

I hope you remember the proper breathing techniques.

We will take the time to answer all questions, so remember to either go to the Rec Center or call the ladies in the office to be sure your name is on the list.

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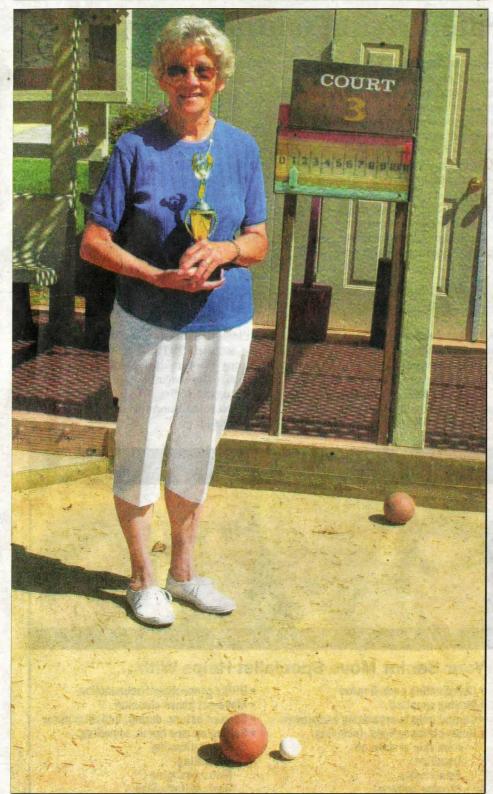
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22	Mon	10am & 7pm	PLAYERS GUILD: Ted Lansing, "An Evening with Cole Porter (6/16/11) ( 45 min.)				
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**Photo by Jerry Spector** 

Alice Beumkes won the championship of the annual Bocce Tournament, held June 30. The tournament, which had 16 participants, was played on four courts. Tony Ferraro finished second; third place went to Denka Nelson; and fourth went to Judy Smith. Congratulations to the winners and participants. The Bocce Club meets at 10 a.m. on Mondays and Thursdays; the court is between the tennis court and picnic grounds. Players range in age from 55 to 93. Instruction and help is available.

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of our loving friend, Norm Scanlan.

They are greatly appreciated and have given us more comfort than you will ever know. He loved living in Leisure Village and will be missed by all who knew him.

- Billie Stimac, V. 42

## Safe driving course is Sept. 15

#### **By Claudia Roberts**

With an AARP Safe Driving Refresher Course, you will develop a greater appreciation of driving challenges and how you can avoid potential collisions and injuries to yourself or others.

Enrollment is available now for the next class, set for Thursday, Sept. 15, from 1 to 5 p.m. in the MPR. A list of eight-hour classes given locally is available upon request.

Each participant will receive a certificate which, when presented

to your insurance agency, should provide you with a discount.

Cost is \$12 per person with an AARP membership and \$14 for nonmembers. You must provide your AARP membership number on your check to qualify for the \$12 fee. Preregistration is required. Your check will not be deposited until after the class.

Please contact Claudia Roberts at 482-9904 if you need more information.

## **LOOKING BACK**

#### By Marilyn Holthouse Village historian

1976, 35 years ago: The Drama Club and Travel Club were organized.

August 1981, 30 years ago: Happy Hoofers approved as official club.

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## Joan Johnson: Players Guild director brought out the best

(Editor's note: Joan Johnson, a longtime resident of Leisure Village, passed away June 22. Former Village resident Miriam Hasen has written this appreciation in her honor.)

#### By Miriam Hasen

Joan Johnson started her life as a "Meglin Kiddie" at 3 years old. She spent her theatrical life with the Theatrical Circuits, entertaining the troops in Alaska during World War II.

Joan and her husband retired to Leisure Village to play golf and travel. She joined our fledgling Players Guild and after observing our amateur ways, decided to take us to Broadway via "Showboat" in the early 1980s. From that point on, she directed "My Fair Lady," "The King and I," "Gigi," "Fiddler on the Roof," "Annie," "Le Cage," "Hello, Dolly!" "How to Succeed in Business," "Guys & Dolls," "Nunsense" and more.

I was picked to play Eliza in "My Fair Lady." I felt that it was beyond me, and I panicked. Joan and her



Joan Johnson, director extraordinaire daughter, who played in "Pygmalion," taped Act I, Scene I, in the Cockney accent. Even so, I was worried this was beyond me. Joan worked with me

every day, page by page, and coached me to become Eliza. She did this for anyone. Her patience was endless.

Every show brought the audience to its feet. She didn't stop just for the players. We had professional lighting, set design, costumes, music — and, an angel since 1981, the partnership with Jackie Solway as producer. Jackie was a professional producer for 35 years. What a team they made — accepting only professional level of stagecraft.

One incident stands out in my memory. We were rehearsing the last page of the last act to its conclusion, and finally Joan stopped everything — the music, the actors, etc. She said, "I am disappointed in your performance. You are not ready for opening night. Therefore, I quit!"

With that, she walked out of the AR

We were stunned. What happened? Were we too complacent? We had sold hundreds of tickets! What a disaster!

We could not look at each other. Then Joan came back after 20 minutes.

"OK, do the entire Act II to the closing curtain."

We did — and put into it everything she had taught us and more.

The curtain closed.

The curtain then opened, and our hearts were beating fast.

Joan said, "We have a show!"

We laughed and cried for joy. Her gentle persuasion had forced us to the "heights of theater." She was right, as always.

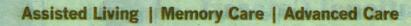
The legacy of Players Guild is retained in the dozens of videos and DVDs at LVTV. One can view them and see how "Broadway came to Camarillo."

I miss everyone in Leisure Village. I moved to El Dorado County with my daughter and son-in-law two years ago. During this past two years, Joan and I had had many conversations on the phone about "life in the AR," with many laughs and tears.

I shall miss that.

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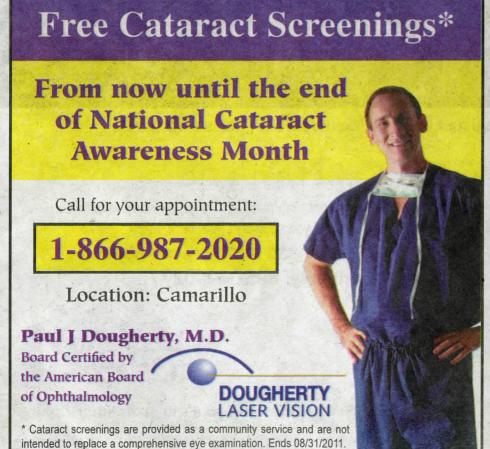
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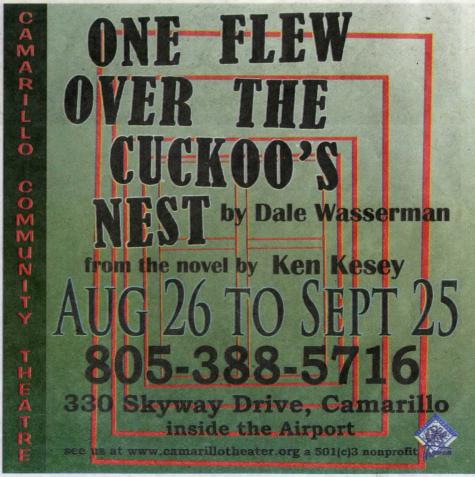
By Joseph Benti

Friend Bob took a header and still isn't back; Bobbie tripped on her cat, and moved away; And Barbara fell while weeding her garden— All forgot that gravity always holds sway.

Let those who are supposed to, always fall down, The Humpties, the Dumpties and all the king's men! But not you, not us old vets and grandparents, Just focus on where you are, not where you've been.

So, Fred and Ginger, Adam and Eve, Look where you're going before you leave!





Conejo Players Theatre: "Open House," Aug. 19 through Sept. 10. 351 S. Moorpark Road, Thousand Oaks, 495-3715.

High Street Arts Center: "A Few Good Men," Aug. 19 through Sept. 18. 45 E. High St., Moorpark, 529-8700.

Simi Valley Cultural Arts Center: "Once On This Island," through Aug. 28. 3050 E. Los Angeles Ave., Simi

Valley, 583-7900.

Elite Theatre Company: "As It is in Heaven," Aug. 12 through Sept. 18. 730 S. "B" St., Oxnard, 483-5118.

Ojai Art Center Theater: "Hello, Dolly!" through Aug. 14. 113 S. Montgomery St. Ojai, 640-8797.

Rubicon Theater: "Steel Magnolias," Aug. 24 through Sept. 18. 1006 E. Main St., Ventura, 667-2900.

Santa Paula Theater Center: "Black Coffee," through Aug. 14. 125 S. 7th St., Santa Paula, 525-4645.

## ON THE LIGHTER SIDE: MEDICAL TERMS

Outpatient: Patient who fainted Pap smear: Fatherhood test Postoperative: Letter carrier Protein: In favor of young people Prostate: Flat on your face Recovery Room: Place to do

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Rectum: Dang near killed him Rheumatic: Amorous

Secretion: Hiding Something

Seizure: A Roman emperor Serology: Study of English

knighthood Tablet: A small table

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## 42 percent of Villagers do some of their own gardening

By Bob McQuivey

One would assume that in a senior community such as ours, wherein all the costs of landscaping maintenance on the common area is borne by the Association through monthly assessment fees, that most if not all residents would forego the rigors of planting, pruning, weeding, fertilizing and engaging in other related added costs and labor intensive care needed to keep the Village looking "spiffy."

A review of the records, however, shows that some 900 residents — or about 42 percent of the total homeowners — voluntarily choose to take care of at least part of the land immediately adjacent to their homes at their own expense.

This fact begs the question of why these folks are not

traveling, playing golf, reading, watching movies or engaging in other forms of relaxing behavior, and the simple answer is that gardening to many is relaxing and provides many other welcomed benefits.

In understanding this issue, it is important to note that maintenance by the Association is specifically designed to keep the community looking nice, but at minimum cost — hence the planting of mostly green shrubs and other vegetation that need pruning on a regular schedule of only once every three months (greenstaked).

Hence, those residents that want roses, flowering annuals, some limited but approved exotics and other

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Photo by Jerry Spector

Shirley McQuivey's home in Village 16 shows a red stake area in Leisure Village.

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high-maintenance plants must not only pay for the plants, but also agree to maintain the flowerbeds in good condition (red-staked).

A modification of these conditions exist whereas a homeowner may plant a rose or two, perhaps a dwarf fruit tree and/or other limited vegetation, and still have the Association care for most of the grounds (yellow-staked).

According to LVA employee Karen Snethen, this trend has been rather stable in the recent past (10 to 20 years) and may be characterized by the following broad generalizations:

• Most younger homeowners moving into the Village who still work generally prefer to defer maintenance to the Association, thereby allowing leisure time for other activities.

• Many of the physically able residents who have available time enjoy the variety of color and find pleasure in "working the dirt."

• Older residents who are limited in physical capabilities oftentimes

Many of the physically able residents who have available time ... find pleasure 'working the dirt.'

revert back to having the Association care for the garden beds.

The conversion from full maintenance to homeowner responsibility and vice-versa is governed by rules and regulations found in the telephone book and other associated program parameters, and it is therefore important that residents follow the rules to insure compliance.

Our community also has a landscape committee that may be helpful to those residents wanting to change the look of their flowerbeds.

More information may be obtained by calling the Association office.





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age two months, directly from the county hospital where they had been born prematurely, and that they would be raised as cousins by the two women (also pictured) and who were sisters-in-law, as one was married to the other's brother. The article also identified the two couples who had adopted the twins by full name and address.

I and my wife moved to Leisure Village in 2007 and, having an interest in computers, I joined the Computer Club. Before moving here I had a slight desire to find out my family tree and had started the basics of one. Then, soon after finding out about my twin brother and sister, I attended a computer club genealogy class. Armed with a dozen or so web sites to search, I soon discovered that the world was waiting for me to find my family. But, I was not finding my siblings.

I already knew that there were

nine children in my family, but finding the twins was very difficult because, unlike my sister and me, they had their first and last names changed. So to this point I had discovered aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews, grandparents and great grandparents, but not either of the missing twins.

In January or February I attended another genealogy class and met a young lady, a guest speaker for the class, who worked in the field of genealogy research doing searches for other adoptees. When she saw the article about the twins' adoption, she dedicated herself to helping me find them, as she stated she was also adopted.

Through several e-mails and hours and hours of Internet searching, she came up with addresses, phone numbers, family trees and a tremendous amount of trails to follow. Not all resulted in fruition, but all it takes is one lead and success can be achieved.

And on June 29, 2011, I called

one of the phone numbers she had provided to me.

And my whole life changed, because the man that answered was my brother-in-law, who said they knew about the adoption but had no idea we would ever find each other.

I talked to my "new baby sister" for an hour and 45 minutes. And overnight my family tree grew and grew and grew!

And where is she living? Ironically, about 18 miles from the sister who gave me the newspaper article, in the greater Chicago area. And coincidentally, my other sister, the one adopted with me, is on her way to Chicago and will see both of them later this month.

My newly discovered sister's twin brother (also my brother) died in 1997, but his wife and daughters will also be meeting our combined new family. I wish I could be there, but I cannot fly anymore due to health reasons.

You can believe in karma, or fate or not, but when the stars align just

right for you, your world will never be the same again.

So, had I not moved to Leisure Village, had not joined the Leisure Village Computer Club, had not attended the Leisure Village Computer Club genealogy classes, had not met the Leisure Village Computer Club genealogy class expert guest speaker, then I most assuredly would not have found this wonderful new branch that is now growing on my family tree.

My sisters, all three, promised me they will document the reunion with lots of pictures, and I can't wait to see them. I only wish I could have met my brother before he died. Of the nine siblings only I and three sisters are still alive.

Well, I have got to go. The phone is ringing and it's "my new baby sister" calling!

Thank you, Leisure Village Computer Club.

And thank you, expert genealogist.

And thank you, sister!



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## SUSAN

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computers, as well as a special project to buy sewing machines so that enterprising village women could start a business. She credits her father for inspiring her; he was a teacher for 50 years.

Life was not always so unconventional. She grew up in Chicago, "rooted," is how she describes it, until she finished college, earning a master's degree in social service.

"I was shy and afraid to take risks until I realized that the only way to deal with fear was to dive in," Susan explains.

That's when she accepted the invitation to be an impartial election observer in Latin America. The experience made her eager to see more of the world.

Susan's stories are as international as her passport. She met Mother Teresa more than 20 years ago and spent a week helping in her center. She was so moved by the experience "and the need," as she remembers, that she was

inspired to do more.

During a recent teaching stint in China, she brought more than English to her classes.

"I am an amateur magician. So I began to perform for my students because their lives were so hard and I thought magic could give them a window on something fun," she recalls.

It worked. The kids wanted to learn the tricks, so she started a magic club on campus. Students performed in community schools, giving them a new sense of confidence. The club now has 170 members.

"I've had phenomenal experiences overseas. I've gotten back much more than I gave," she says.

She's not sure that she's done with her international work. Leisure Village is a new area for her to explore. But the needs of those in faraway lands call to her, too.

"It's a struggle now," Susan explains. "What should I do? I like being a bridge to open doors and windows to people's hearts everywhere. You can accomplish anything if your heart's in the right place."









## **CLUB NEWS**

Harris will narrate a slide show: "The LV New York Club Panama Canal, The World's Greatest Engineering Feat!" Everyone is

#### By Jay Balter

The New York Club meets on the first Thursday of each month in the AR at 7:30 p.m. You need not have lived in New York to join. Dues are \$7 per year.

On Sunday, Aug. 7, at 5:30 p.m.. we will have our annual indoor picnic. a very special event. At the picnic, a sit-down dinner, you will have a choice of barbecue ribs, tri-tip, or chicken, with side dishes, coffee, soft drinks plus dessert. The cost is \$12 for members and \$14 for nonmembers.

Entertainment will be provided by a two-man show: The Golden Age of American Pop Music, which includes songs from Irving Berlin.

This is a good time to join the New York Club.

For tickets, contact Florence Sklarz at 482-5001 or Lucy Fiore at 482-8393.

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At our Sept. 1 meeting, David welcome. There is no charge.

## Showtyme

#### **By Phil Kamens**

On Friday, Aug. 12, at 7:30 p.m., Showtyme will present that singing sensation Ken Shepski, singing all the songs we love.

Ken appeared in many Broadway shows and national tours of Europe, sang on cruise ships around the world, performed in the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade and sang in the White House.

Television credits include "Days of Our Lives," "Suddenly Susan," and the soon-to-be-released "Glitter Girls." I had the pleasure of seeing him twice, and he is great.

If you are not yet a member of Showtyme, bring a check to this meeting for \$7 for the year from Jan.

1 to Dec. 31. This entitles you to nine monthly shows per year and a \$10 charge for the "big" shows that nonmembers pay \$13 for. And, of course, coffee and dessert follow each show.

Our golden-voiced membership chairperson, Sharon Hahn, will be happy to greet you.

## **Players Guild**

#### **By Joyce Belcher**

Players Guild will be holding its August meeting Thursday, Aug. 18. at 7:30 p.m. in the AR. After the meeting we will present "Two For One," produced and directed by Stan Reshes. He will be putting on two great skits - one, "The Sunshine Boys," starring Marty Simons and Stan, and the other, "Cornbread and Beans," starring Lin Grant, Arlene Liss and Bill Gardner. Both skits are very funny and entertaining. You don't want to miss this one.

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As always there will be great refreshments after the show. Also, membership for 2011 can be purchased at the door for only \$7.

## LV Bowling

**By Marty Simons** 

Sign-ups for the 2011-2012 season

take place on Friday, Aug. 12, from 10 a.m. to noon in the MPR. There are three payment options. Pay just the league dues of \$10; the dues plus the first week of bowling, which would be a total of \$19; or the dues plus the first month of bowling for a total of \$46. Those interested in being a sub must pay the league dues of \$10. Checks should be made out to LV Bowling. If you are a new bowler, bring your Camarillo Bowl I.D. number and scores of your nine

qualifying games or proof of average. from another league. The first day of the new season is Sept. 9. For more information or if you have any questions, please call Marty Simons at 987-9295.

## LV Women's Golf Association

**By Lillian Turnbull** 

Our August schedule starts with the second half of our exciting Eclectic Tournament that was played July 27 and Aug. 3. We will have winners and scores in September.

Aug. 10 will be a Weekly Tournament followed by our Board Meeting at 1 p.m. and our General Meeting at 2 p.m. in the Garden Room. All members are encouraged to attend this meeting and enjoy the company and some delicious refreshments.

Aug. 17 will be our Tee Timers Please see CLUB NEWS on 18

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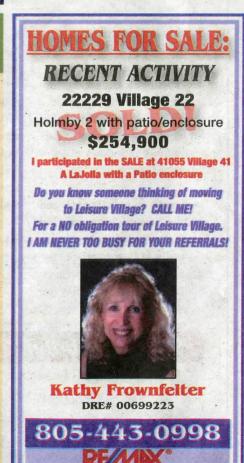
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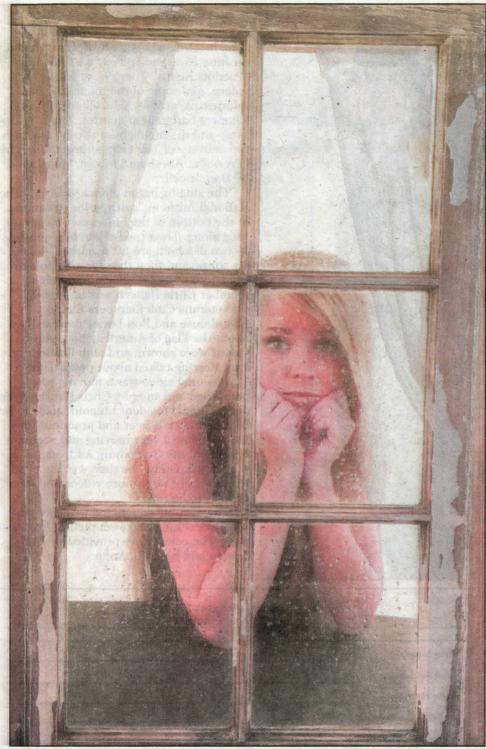
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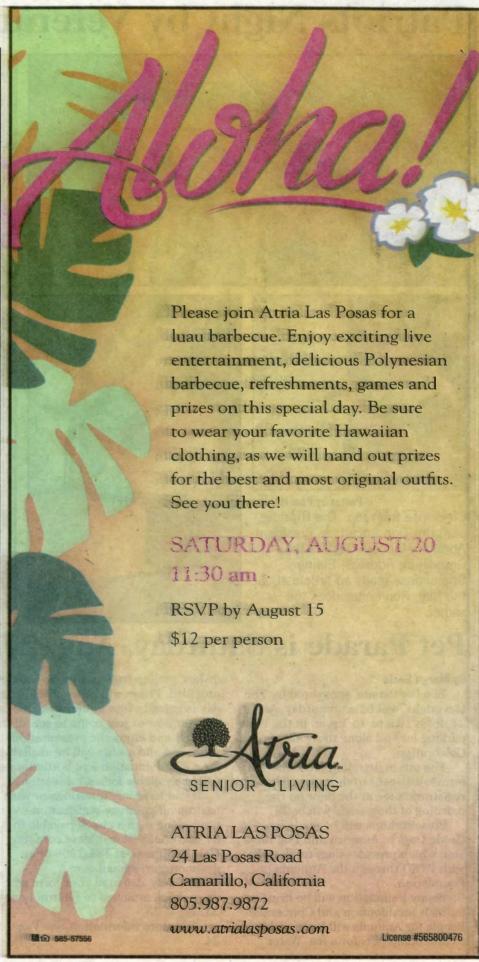
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## **CLUB NEWS**



In the monthly LV Camera Club competition for July, Don Treadwell took first place in the Assigned category, "Water," for "Housebound on a Rainy Day." The other top two winners for the month are shown on Pages 27 and 28. The Camera Club resumes its twice-monthly meetings in September, meeting on the first and third Wednesday of each month. The Assigned category for August will be "Shadows and Reflections." Club members are currently preparing their best photos of the year to enter into the Ventura County Fair. Leisure Village traditionally does well in the fair competitions and is well-represented in the hundreds of displays in the Photography Building.



## Patriots Night by Veterans Club a rousing success





Photos by Paul Herring Clockwise from top: The Riptides perform; Don Ancell, as President Abraham Lincoln, recites the Gettysburg Address; Elaine Shainhouse reads an article about the flag; Ron Loney does the same.





#### **By Paul Herring**

The Leisure Village Veterans Club's June meeting was a great success. Held on June 23 in the MPR, it was billed as "Patriots Night." There were patriotic videos, and some of the members read informative articles. The Channel Island Clippers barbershop quartet, The Riptides, sang, and the highlight of the evening was the delivery of The Gettysburg Address by "President Abraham Lincoln," portrayed by Don Ancell.

The singing began after a video of "The National Anthem," with lyrics streaming at the bottom of the big screen. Everyone sang along. Then the barbershop quartet — two of whom are LV residents — sang six songs, and then the video "A Soldier Died Today" by LV resident and club member Chris Hansen was screened.

Veterans Club members Elaine Shainhouse and Ron Loney read articles about the Flag of America. More short videos were shown, and club President Paul Herring talked about patriotism.

The final video was a moving song composed and sung by Chris Hansen's son, Jon. Then "President Lincoln" told stories of becoming a lawyer and practicing law before giving a very moving and accurate quoting of the Gettysburg Address.

Unfortunately, the time was up, even though there were more videos and more articles to be read.

The evening concluded with two very nicely decorated cakes depicting American flags. The cakes were provided by Dick Levine and his wife, Anita.

## Pet Parade is Saturday, Aug. 27

#### **By Margo Secia**

The Pet Parade, sponsored by The Mavericks, will be on Saturday, Aug. 27, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the West parking lot and along the Walk of Celebration.

The pre-registration fee is \$5. The form is adjacent to this story. The registration fee at the door on the morning of the parade will be \$7.

Presentations will be made by Guide Dogs of America and Dog Bless You, which provides dogs for veterans with PTSD through the Annenberg Foundation.

Peppy Foundation will be bringing animals for adoption and Concerned People for Animals will be available to microchip pets for a fee. Water dishes, pickup bags and treats will be provided. Prizes will be awarded. This day is going to be wonderful, so please register now or just come to see all the animals and enjoy the presentations. A hot dog and a soda will be available for a \$2.50 donation and bottled water will be available for a \$1 donation.

If you have any questions or wish to drop off your pre-registration form along with a check payable to LV Mavericks Club, please contact Geri DeSimone at 484-7308 or at desimonegeri@gmail.com.

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For more information, see Page 24.

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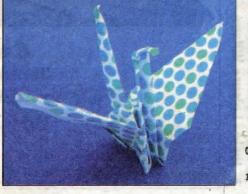
Photos by Rita Linsey

The Village Arts Potluck Picnic in the Park on July 6 drew more than 50 people. Clockwise from top: The crowd enjoys an Origami presentation; Louise and Duane Waln show how to make an Origami gift box; an Origami bird graces a table; the potluck features a bit of everything; Florence Gillman and Marge Lorraine enjoy the meal.

## Origami, potluck featured at Village Arts picnic

**By Rita Linsey** 

More than 50 members and guests attended the Village Arts Potluck Picnic in the Pavilion on July 6. Everyone enjoyed the delicious array of appetizers, sandwiches, salads and desserts provided by members. For our program, Louise Waln demonstrated the art of Origami, with guests getting handson experience building a simple little gift box.



Tournament and Luncheon. This is a special treat handled by our own talented Meriam Laird. Get your ticket early and don't miss out.

Aug. 24 will be a weekly tournament and Aug. 31 will be our End of Month Tournament.

We encourage all new residents with a love for golf to join our congenial group. We have a group that plays 18 holes and a group that play only nine holes. We aim to please.

## The Big Band

#### **By Anne Wolfson**

The Big Band will be meeting on Tuesday nights from 7 to 9 p.m. in the AR on Aug. 8, 15, 22 and 29.

It's a great time for listening or dancing to your favorite tunes, so come, bring friends and neighbors, relax! These are professional musicians who play in different bands during the week.

## Village Arts

#### **By Rita Linsey**

On Aug. 3, members carpooled to Old Town Camarillo for a docentguided tour of Studio Channel Islands Art Center. SCIART is comprised of about 50 professional artists' studios located in an old elementary school. The tour began in their gallery across the street and continued to the studios. We were given the opportunity to speak with artists, who were happy to answer questions about their work. Residents might want to see what SCIART is all about: their address is 2221 Ventura Blvd., their website is http://studiochannelislands.

Village Arts is presenting its Annual Artwalk in the Gazebo Gardens adjacent to the pool. Come out on Saturday, Aug. 13, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Many of our members will have their works on display. Villagers are invited to stroll by the paintings throughout the garden.

Refreshments are provided.

We meet the first Wednesday of the month from 1 to 3 p.m. in the MPR. Please join us. For more information please contact Lindy Stein at 383-1097.

## **Friday Night Country** Western Dance Club

#### By Sue-Ellen Colp

We continue to grow, and I am so happy to see more people coming out to dance. Thanks to Sharon and other instructors who teach line dancing in the Village. For more information, call Sharon O'Connor at 389-6834.

## Sing-Along Group

#### **By Anne Wolfson**

The Sing-Along Group will be meeting on Mondays, Aug. 8 and 22, in the AR from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Please join this lively group, and bring your friends and neighbors. Irene Olson and/or Stan Vansant will accompany our singing on the piano. There are songbooks in case you've forgotten the words. Put it on your calendar now

## Writers Club

#### **By Frank Seiden**

Listening to our writers' stories tells us that real life is the stuff that dramatic novels and movies are made of.

In the course of an hour or so we travel through World War II combat and childhood in Canada, Ohio, New York, California; we hear poems on a national holiday, a birthday, a memorial for a recently deceased.

Typically, a third of the people at a meeting come as listeners and may participate in the brief discussions on the subject of someone's writing. A few Writers Club members formed

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a workshop in July to discuss writing technique as applicable to what they have written. The group meets on Mondays at 11:45 a.m. in the Village Room in the Annex Building and joins the general club meeting in the MPR at 1 p.m. The discussions are helpful to writers of all levels of experience.

Kenney Nelson, the club president, started a project popular among the members to compile a book of writings, a small anthology, and has assembled some preliminary copies that are being edited before publication. The book has a eulogy to Jack Burger, the club's founder. It was written by his wife, Marie Burger, who, with Jack's sister, Beverly Wallace, attended the July 19 meeting to hear about the plan for doing the editing.

The suggested topics for the August meetings are: wildest love affair, fondest dream, favorite time at the beach, best city in the States and your hero.

## Camera Club

#### **By Marion Green**

We once again welcomed Steve Roosa, an award-winning photographer, as our judge for the evening's competition. Members had submitted 62 entries for judging.

Sandstone Photography is made up of the husband-and-wife team of Steven and Peggy Roosa, specializing in portraiture and commercial imagery. Sandstone is a fun, boutiquestyle photography business, offering custom products and award-winning images.

The Assigned category was Water. The winners in the Assigned category were: Don Treadwell, first place; Florence Gillman, second; and Judy Spector third place. Honorable Mentions were won by Margaret Petersen and Vic Fledge.

In the Open Category, which is for photographs of any subject taken

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within the last 24 months and without any creative modifications, Jean Kohut won first place, Margaret Petersen won second and Al Sarnelle won third. Honorable Mention ribbons were awarded to Marlene Votion and Doug Demers.

The Creative category allows the photographer to modify their pictures with computer programs such as Photoshop. Jerry Cohen was awarded a first-place ribbon. Vic Fledge won a second-place ribbon, and a third-place ribbon was awarded to Rita Linsey.

The Camera Club is looking forward to its annual potluck, which will be held prior to the August competition meeting. The Assigned category for August will be Shadows and Reflections.

Several members will be entering their photographs in the Ventura County Fair, hoping to be on the receiving end of one of the prize

We will be holding our twicemonthly meetings beginning again in September on the first and third Wednesday of each month. We encourage and welcome any Village resident to enjoy a wonderful display of photography with critiquing from award-winning photographers.

Photography tip: Don't be afraid to experiment. If you're using a digital camera, the cost of errors is free. Go crazy! You might end up with something you like. You'll certainly learn a lot in the process.

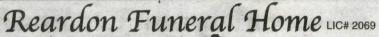
## **RV Club**

#### **By Fred Sass**

Aug. 2 was our dine-out at Brendan's Irish Pub. There is no camp-out this month. So our next meeting will be Tuesday, Aug. 16, at 7:30 p.m. in the MPR in the Rec. Center.

If you are new to Leisure Village and have an RV, please come and meet us. We love to talk about RVs and trips and everything in-between.

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## Racquet Club

#### **By John Peterson**

Our next club meeting will be Wednesday, Aug. 10, at 7:30 p.m. in the Multipurpose Room. Our own club member, Pat Stilson, will speak and show photos of the rescue efforts in Japan after the earthquake and tsunami. Pat is a part of a team that went to Japan to help in recovery, and he will share stories and observations about his time there. Remember the 50/50 and the cool refreshments Naomi always serves up.

A great time was had at the Racquet Club Picnic on Saturday, July 16. Country Harvest did another wonderful catering performance, serving up tri-tip, ribs and chicken, plus all the goodies to make the food a perfect meal. For the second year in a row, the Sam-Stan-Bob Trio played live music for your listening pleasure. What a great pleasure to have the trio again.

Come try your hand at table tennis, as it is cool inside the Ping Pong Palace all summer long. Women play Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8:30 a.m., and men play Monday through Saturday at 9:30 a.m. in the Annex.

Paddle tennis welcomes new players to come out all the time. Ask new player Carolee Jones how much fun paddle tennis is.

Pickleball is the fastest-growing senior sport in Ventura County. See the article on the Racquet Club bulletin board. For Pickleball, call Zack Taylor 482-1065.

If you have additional questions on club activities, please call John Peterson at 388-1230. Come join the fun.

## LV Musicians

#### By Anne Wolfson

The LV Musicians meet the second Thursday of the month in the AR

from 7 to 9 p.m. and are composed of Villagers who play musical instruments and enjoy entertaining other Villagers.

In July, Libby Pierce played "Mr. Wonderful" and "Oh! My Papa" on the piano. She was followed by Joe Aronson on clarinet, accompanied by Irene Olson on piano, playing "Goody Goody" and "Yackety Yack." Don Stevens, accompanied by Stan Vansant on piano, played "Deep Purple" and "Bewitched" on the trombone. Richard Weiss and his guest, Marilyn Musiker Roth, played "Dolly Suite" by Faure, using four hands, on the piano! This was quite a feat and enjoyed by everyone.

Next came Stan Vansant, who amazes everyone by playing several instruments in the same piece and singing in between playing! His selections were "Everything I Love" and "Do I Love You" on saxophone, clarinet, flute, soprano sax, electronic trumpet and accompanied by his own arrangement electronically.

Joe Aronson, accompanied by Irene Olson, played "El

Combencharo" on the clarinet and Richard Weiss and Marilyn ended the evening by playing "Suite of Spanish Dancers" by Moritz Moskowski. It was a delightful evening.

The next meeting will be Thursday, Aug. 11, in the AR at 7 p.m.

Coming events to put on your calendar are:

• Tuesday, Oct. 25, our Halloween Party with prizes and refreshments and our Big Band playing.

• Sunday, Dec. 4, from 2 to 4 p.m., "The Wonderful British Brass Band." You won't want to miss this.

• On Thursday, Dec. 8, the LV Musicians Cocktail Party will be held from 7 to 9 p.m.

Hope to see you at all these events.

## Woodshop

#### **By Chuck Russell**

The Woodshop "Elves" continue volunteering their time Tuesday and Wednesday mornings repairing Please see CLUB NEWS on 22

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Wednesday mornings repairing household items for residents.

The Woodshop is one of the many recreation facilities in LV and is available to residents with woodworking experience, provided they can demonstrate the ability to operate power equipment safely. Residents interested in having key access to the shop should contact a Woodshop Committee member for an appointment to be checked out on the equipment.

## LV Mens Golf Association

#### **By Mannie Abbate**

Monthly meetings are held on the second Tuesday of each month in the MPR at 2 p.m. Pre-meeting refreshments are served at 1:30 p.m. Come early for bagels, cookies, coffee, wine or punch and chat with the members. Have a piece of cake when

we get a "Hole in One." Get 50/50 tickets for a drawing at the end of the

We are scheduled to play at Olivas Links on Thursday, Aug. 25. Fee is \$47 with cart, \$34 walking (note on check), first start 8:32 a.m.

We are also scheduled to play Olivas on Sept. 15. Hopefully we will not have to make any change to that schedule.

Our annual away trip will be at Solvang again. Jim Mainland has put together a great package. A room is \$99 and golf is on Thursday, Sept. 22. If you haven't made your reservations at the hotel and paid for golf by now, it may be too late. Call Jim and see what he can do.

The Weekly Tuesday Tournaments have been very well attended. The club has instituted many interesting competitions — too many to explain here.

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## The Mavericks

#### By Margo Secia

It was wonderful seeing so many people attend our Pizza Party in July. Who knew we had so many wonderful singers?!

Please mark your calendar for our "18 Hole Best Ball Golf Tournament" on Sunday, Aug. 21. Those men and women wanting to play must each pay a \$5 entry fee for members or a \$10 fee for non-members, which will then

make you a paid-up member of the club. These entry fees will comprise the cash prize award for the winning foursome. Those signing up to play may contact either in person Ron or Sharon Loney or call at 987-8292. Also, there are sign-up sheets at the Women's Golf Shack and the Men's Golf Shack.

The entire foursome must complete all 18 holes to be eligible for the prize, and the foursome with the lowest score will get the "winner take all" cash prize, with each member of the foursome sharing equally in the prize money. Foursomes will be drawn between 8 and 8:30 a.m., with play beginning at 8:30. A continental breakfast will be provided by the club at 8 a.m. in the Barbecue Park area. After play, drinks and snacks will be served by the club. We hope to see lots of golfers on that day come out and enjoy the course, the park and play for that great eash prize!

Hopefully, you are now all aware that we are bringing back the alwayspopular "Pet Parade" on Saturday,

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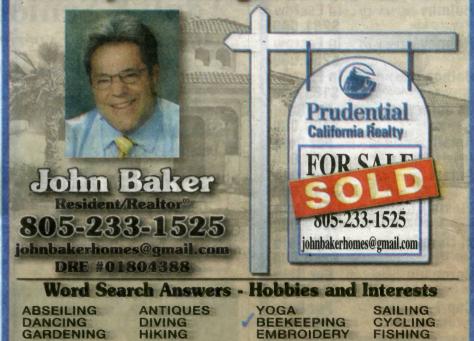
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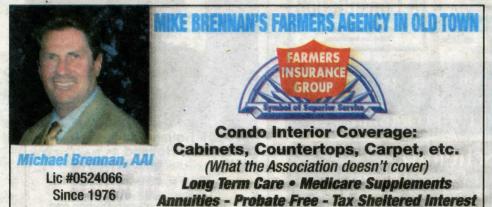
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Aug. 27, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the West parking lot and along the Walk of Celebration. The pre-registration fee is \$5 (the form is on Page 16) and the registration fee at the door on the morning of the parade will be \$7.

If you have any questions or wish to drop off your pre-registration form along with a check payable to LV Mavericks Club, please contact Geri DeSimone at 484-7308 or at desimonegeri@gmail.com.

You may also contact Sharon Loney at 987-8292 or mail your preregistration form with your check attached to Sharon at 23212 V. 23.

If you have any questions, call President Sharon Loney at 987-8292.

## **Travel Committee**

By Conrad J. Kaiser

to the Hollywood Bowl on Aug. 26. The show includes John Williams.

"The Maestro of the Movies," conducting the L.A. Philharmonic Orchestra, with special guest Morgan Freeman.

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The price is \$48 per person, and this includes tickets and deluxe motor coach. The trip meets at 5:45 p.m. and returns at 11:30 p.m.

A trip to the Laughlin Aquarius Casino is scheduled for Sept. 13-15. Included are two nights at the casino, bus transportation, tips and fun books.

The price is \$122 per person double and \$158 per person single occupancy. The trip meets at 8:30 a.m. at the Rec Center on Tuesday, Sept. 13.

There is also a trip to the Pala Casino and Lawrence Welk Theater on Oct. 12-13. The show is "Man of La Mancha," and of course, the trip includes gambling at the casino. The trip price is \$197 per person double occupancy and \$257 single occupancy.

Also in October is a scheduled trip to the L.A. Zoo.

## Single Active Seniors

#### **By Zelda Greentree**

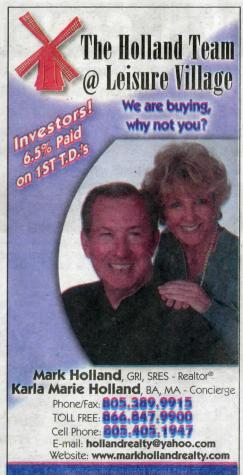
Aug. 9 is when our annual picnic will be held, in the Picnic area at 5:30 p.m. There's still time to call Zelda at 389-9694 to make your reservation. DJ's is our caterer and the menu is his great barbecue chicken dinner with salads, fruit, dessert and more. There's wine, soda, prizes, a fun movie and, of course, don't forget Allen's music all afternoon. At \$14 for members, it's still a bargain.

We also have another very good movie planned for the following week on Aug. 16 in the Annex at 7 p.m. It's called "The Company Men," starring Ben Affleck, Tommy Lee Jones, Chris Cooper, Craig T. Nelson and Maria Bello. It's both a comedy and drama. You'll enjoy it, and so will I.

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The trips coming up include a visit





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## Young newcomer enjoying LV

#### By Colleen Janssen

I'm the "kid" you see in the Village. When I meet other residents I always hear a shocked, "You live here?" My husband was my E-ticket (you remember those?) to move in last year.

So, let's get it over with: I'm 53. There, now we all feel better. It's out there so no one needs to guess anymore or try to find creative ways to get the information out of me.

I still work full time and, with my commute to and from Simi Valley, I don't get to spend as much time at home as I wish. However, when I am home, I find that I love living in Leisure Village. I feel safe walking at night, I love my neighbor Pat, and I enjoy the many amenities the Village has to offer.

When we first moved to Village 25 in 2010, I wanted to find a way to meet new people. I decided that Leisure Village Bingo on Wednesday nights seemed like a good place to

start. Boy, was I right! The first night I was welcomed by Mary, Cathy and Helen. Over the past year they have become my Bingo Buddies. Other new friends include Norma, Mary Jane, Joyce, Vera, and many more.

I often hear seniors say that they are bored, don't like to drive far and are sick of television. We are so lucky to live somewhere where we can have a great time with Village activities any day of the week without a long drive. Bingo is one of those activities.

If you see me around the Village or go to Bingo on a Wednesday night, come by and say "Hi" to me. I usually sit near the coffee pot, so that gives you a fighting chance to find me in the crowd.

In the future, I will try to write more articles about things to do and observations I make about living in this terrific place. If you have a story idea, let me know.

See you around the Village!

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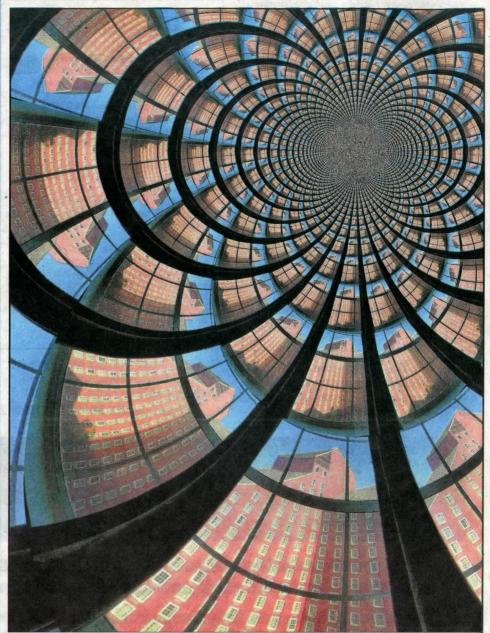
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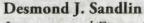
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# Leisure Village.com

Gets a facelift...

The new site is full of helpful information for those looking to learn about The Village: however it now has features for current residents too!!!

- Post an item for sale
- Submit events for the calen-
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- Comment on items
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