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**CAROL SWEENEY** 

## New board means new hope for Village

#### **Opinion by Jerry Hoffman**

The new Chairperson, Carol Sweeney, and two new Board members, Clair Huffman and Jack Prosen, along with the carryover Board Members, look to be a harmonious group that will get things done. Carol says being the only female on the board doesn't faze her, as she has three sons and was the only female in the house.

It would seem that the most critical thing on the agenda would be in resolving the humongous rise in insur-

ance costs. the Concerned Board of Directors, General sufficient and didn't think Homeowners Club Manager, spokesman mentioned that Shareholders the deductible coverage has increased by 1,000 percent. Technically, it was a 900 percent increase, still a large amount along with the premiums that must be reckoned with.

It is hoped with the planned appropriate costs and responsibilities being allocated to the resident owner, the drop in claims will cause the insurance underwriters to provide more reasonable bids. Diligence of the

and many other Resident Owners has

already actively pursued this.

The Board held an Insurance Forum on the evening of Aug. 8 to an almost full house. The meetamost run nouse. The meeting was most informative, reviewing the legal aspects and need for a Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions change, which, of course, will

require a vote. One Board Member, Clair Huffman, felt that the Rules and Regulations change was

Concerned the CC&Rs change was nec-and many essary. Most of those attending seemed confident the change was necessary and would pass. Questions and answers went well beyond 9

Most of the owners are now cognizant of their future responsibilities of maintenance inside the walls of their residences. Many have already re-piped to enjoy the benefits now rather than wait for plumbing failures. Pacific

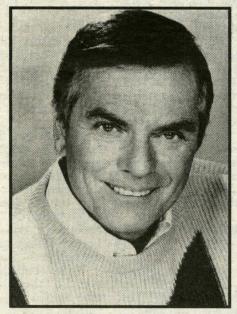
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## **'Hollywood** Squares' host joins 'Man of 1,000 Voices' for Sept. 21 Showtyme

Showtyme President Ed Williams recently announced that on Saturday, September 21, he will present at the Rec Center "one of the best ones yet!" The show starts at 7:30 p.m. in the AR.

The "Man of 1,000 Voices," Jim MacGeorge, opens the show. Jim does voice impressions of Stan Laurel (he even looks like him!), George C. Scott, Andy Rooney, and many others. His early voice-over work is legend with morning cartoon characters such as Abbott and Costello, Yogi Bear, and Beanie and his partner, Chuck McCann, did impressions of Laurel and Hardy in many commercials, as well. He has since added musical comedy to his portfolio. His impression of Bob Hope is uncannily believable.

Mr. Peter Marshall is the star of the evening. He is accompanied by



PETER MARSHALL: Most may know him as host of 'The Hollywood Squares,' but he is also an accomplished singer.

known as host of the Emmy-winning "The Hollywood Squares," a position he held for some 15 years. Mr. Cecil, to name just a few. Jim and Marshall also had a significant career appearing in musicals on Broadway, in London, and in road shows. He performed such shows as "Bye Bye Birdie," "High Button Shoes," and "The Music Man. He did 800 performances of "La Cage Aux Folles.

Mr. Marshall started as the "Boy on Channel 8.



JIM MACGEORGE: As the 'Man of 1,000 Voices,' he does impressions of Stan Laurel, George C. Scott, and others.

his pianist, Larry White. Peter is well Singer" in the big band era, graduating to his Dick Haymes style of singing. He also worked as part of a comedy team with Tommy Noonan. They appeared in major nightclubs and theatres, also making several appearances on the Ed Sullivan Show, "Toast of the Town."

It is suggested that reservations be made early since a sellout crowd is expected. More information can be found on the bulletin boards and

## LV, city meet to discuss bus service woes

Mimi Chuntz, Chair of the LV Transportation Committee, and about 100 other concerned citizens met with Camarillo Mayor Jan McDonald and city transportation officials Tom Fox and Rock Pullido recently to discuss LV's transportation problems.

Many Village residents use the available services, and those service hours are about to be extended. Currently the CAT bus service runs from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., while Dial-a-Ride is available all day until 5 p.m. As of Aug. 5, Dial-a-Ride will be extended to 9

Suggestions were made such as to extend CAT service to Trader Joe's. These were turned down for now because of the twin problems of not enough riders to provide income and not enough service to provide riders. There was also a discussion of a better hookup between CAT service and Vista.

More than 1,000 Village residents use the bus service each month. But the prob-Please see BUS on 6

#### LETTERS

Thank you, thank you, thank you to the kind and caring person who, on June 27, placed a note on the windshield of our car telling us the left rear tire was almost flat.

- Reva and Eddie Saeta, V. 18

Pursuant to The Davis-PStirling Act, it is incumbent upon the Board of Directors to notify the Homeowners immediately upon receipt of a notice of non-renewal of an insurance policy. Also, the endorsement to the Allied Insurance Company policy states that the insurance carrier must provide at least 60 days but not more than 120 days' notice to the insured of its intention not to renew said policy. The last Board of Directors and the Insurance Broker of Record had to have known prior to the Insurance Forum on June 3 that Allied was not going to renew its policy with LVA on 15. Yet Homeowners were not advised of this information until 12 days prior to the policy due date.

Second, at that Insurance Forum, our Broker discussed a \$5,000 and a \$10,000 deductible. No mention was made about a \$25,000 deductible, although 12 days later that's exactly what we

It makes no sense that we didn't find out until 12 days

our deductible will more than double, and that our premium will be 300 percent higher than what was anticipated. If this is the way our Broker of Record operates by last-minute deals — then we don't need a Broker of Record. We do need to have the General Manager and Board members stay abreast of insurance matters so that we're not locked into unsatisfactory arrangements at the last minute.

- Ed Evans, V. 3

verywhere you look, Everywhere you look, you see brown crabgrass. You'd think crabgrass is an endangered species the way it's being protected in Leisure Village. The last Board of Directors decided to pay \$175,000 to an outside contractor for a spray contract for one year, of which \$150,000 is for the chemical Premo and labor to retard crabgrass growth.

Now, I'm no gardener, but I had the best-looking lawns in Van Nuys before moving here. My secret: I would reevery fall with seed Kentucky Bluegrass, and the new growth would choke out the crabgrass. I never used chemicals to treat my lawn; it's too expensive and unhealthful. The past Board's theory was that by applying a grass retardant, the gardeners wouldn't have to cut the grass as often, thus saving manpower and equipment. But we still have crabgrass. before our renewal date that Isn't the appearance of our



lawns just as important as lowing my recent stroke. My the appearance of our

What about the extra water we're using? We're retarding the grass during a dry season and then watering like crazy so that the grass won't die. Isn't that being penny-wise and pound-foolish? We're already spending thousands of dollars to implement a water management program to conserve water, and then we're excessively using that precious water to keep our crabgrass healthy.

Our lawns never looked worse nor cost us more money. Wasting money to save crabgrass is not very prudent.

- Ethel Ann Pemberton,

Judy and I want to thank all our friends and neighbors for their kind words and good thoughts fol-

Letters

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Space permitting, whatever was not printed in this issue due to space limitations will be considered for the next.

doctor tells me I should have a complete recovery, which, I am sure, is due in large measure to your encourage-

— Eugene Foxman, V. 22

o all my friends in the Leisure Village Billiard Club: I want to thank you all for your great gift of "Golf for Two" at the Ojai Valley Inn & Country Club, and especially for the great "thank you"

Having said that, I must add that as much as I appreciate your generosity, I feel compelled to tell you that this was a labor of love not only for the great members of our Billiard Club, but also because I consider all of Leisure Village to be a part of my home.

We must all also give credit to the other club members who helped make this renovation happen. I want to thank my wife, Barbara, for her support and great ideas that I get credit for.

Thanks to Mannie Abbate, Sid & Ethel Alweiss, Irv Cohen, Mel Ducharm, David Halfin, Sam & Genny Kay, Paul & Luella Kelwin, Erwin Kress, George Nolte, Al Sullivan, Aleda Trogden, Quinn, Rosemary Jack Woody and the many members who worked on the sidelines. We also thank the LV Board who, in their infinite wisdom, agreed to fund this project, Randy Watkins, Bob Sweeny and his staff, Susan Rockwell and her staff and the "Woodshop Committee."

## Square dance club installs new officers

The Village Swingers Square Dance Club installed new officers during a recent dinner. At right are the new officers. They are, from left, Shirley Van Ooijen, treasurer; Norm Fuller and Louise Houser, copresidents; Sig Jaffe, past president; Minna and Hal Hudson, vice presidents; and Mary Kovach, secretary.

#### CLASSES

#### **By Celia Gordon**

Registration for the Fall Semester of the Oxnard Adult School Sewing Classes will take place in the Sewing Room on Wednesday, Sept. 4, at 9 a.m. for the morning class, and at 1 p.m. for the afternoon class. There will also be a Thursday morning class for which registration will take place at 9 a.m. Sept. 5. The cost for the semester is \$10 for seniors, and \$15 for all others.

Bring your project to the first class. Call Celia for information at 484-3441.

#### **By Naomi Balfour**

Licensed drivers in the Village may register now for the 55 Alive class to be held from 1 to 5 p.m. on Sept. 19 and 20 in the MPR.

This class is brought to the Village for the benefit of those who want to continue safe driving. All participants will receive a discount on automobile insurance for three years, according to California law. Taking the class will also be helpful for drivers over 70, who are expecting to take the written test for the renewal of their driver's license.

The cost is \$10 per person, and you must be preregistered and pre-paid. To do this, call Naomi Balfour at 987-9851 or Zo Simmons at - Ernie Ohmstedt 484-5205.

## Deadlines for next month

The Display Advertising deadline for the September 2002 issue will be Monday, August 19, at 5 p.m. Deadline for letters, club news, stories and photos is Tuesday, August 27, at 5 p.m. Publication is scheduled for September 13. Typed copy, double-spaced, should be deposited in the ILV box in the Recreation Center hallway. Handwritten material should be submitted early to allow for typing.

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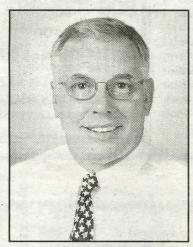
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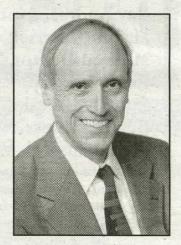
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I and my whole family would like to thank all the friends who sent such kind thoughts and generous donations in memory of my beloved husband, Nathan "Nat" Hockman, my dear husband of 59 years. I am so thankful to live in Leisure Village, where you're never alone and there is always a friend to lean on for support and strength.

– Miriam "Mim" Hockman, V.17

My wife and I would like to take this opportunity to thank all our friends and neighbors, and my bridge colleagues, for their various means of expression of sympathy for the loss of our son. It helps to know that so many care for our sorrow, and we graciously thank all of you for that.

- Phil Duff, V. 42

#### Yom Kippur Dance

A Yom Kippur Dance will be held Tuesday, Sept. 17, from 8 to 11 p.m. A great band, TUNES-R-US, will perform. There will also be great refreshments. A donation of \$4 is requested. Get your tables together. BYOB. Watch Channel 8 for sales. Information: 482-6660.

It is difficult to properly express my gratitude for the outpouring of sympathy sent to me after the loss of my husband, Jim Nichols. I so much appreciated the flow of flowers, memorial contributions, cards, and calls, some from those I didn't know but who knew him through his volunteer work with the association. To each

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and every one of you, both residents and staff, I say thank you. Your thoughtfulness is deeply appreciated.

- Eleanor Nichols, V. 28

Ifell in love with Leisure Village and its residents when Ralph and I moved here 16 wonderful years ago. My recent experience after the death of my soulmate of 60 years has only strengthened this feeling. I was overwhelmed by the cards, phone calls, donations, food and, above all, the kind and caring expressions of love. What would I have done without you?

— Connie Kremnitzer, V. 42

I wish to thank our friends and neighbors here in Leisure Village for the many expressions of sympathy upon the loss of our beloved Audrey. This has greatly helped comfort and sustain the family. Thanks again to all of you.

— Herman Waltzer, V. 33

How fortunate am I to be living in Leisure Village with so many kind and caring friends. I am very grateful for your concern, your comforting calls, your cards, your tributes, and the charitable donations made in Al's memory. Your consideration and warm friendship is much appreciated.

— Della Carmona, V. 31

#### **SUPPORT GROUPS**

A bereavement support group meets every Thursday at 11 a.m. in the Lanai or Sun Room. Come and join us. We are a good group. We support each other; it helps. Information: 482-6660.

A caregivers support group meets the first Friday of each month at 1 p.m. Come and meet our facilitator, Jim Sheldon, from the Health Care Center. He deals with dementia, Alzheimer's, strokes, Parkinson's disease, etc. Information: 482-6660.

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#### **ODDS AND ENDS**

## Voice mail: Modern way of getting the runaround

#### **By Jerry Hoffman**

How many seniors are having difficulty with voice mail? It seems that our only connection with the world outside is answering sets and/or recorded requests. On a business call, what a joy it can be to hear a non-recorded human voice.

Does this sound familiar? You're going to renew a prescription with a pharmacy in Texas designated as your supplier in your retirement plan. You've been given a 10-digit toll-free number. Don't forget to precede this number with a This is a pretty long number to hold in your head, so you dial - or push - the

numbers and steal a peek for the second half. Hurry! The telephone center has an interdigital timing device that will not recognize that you're going to dial some more. If you pause too long, you will be greeted with a wailing

If you have been successful with the foregoing, you are treated to some electronic noises as your call completes. If you don't get a busy signal, you are answered by another machine that gives you up to as many as nine numbered options as to the reason for your call. Listen carefully now. The number "3" had the

you will want to hear them all is and what number you are to be sure. If you're too slow, don't worry. The machine will ask if you'd like to hear them again. Isn't this easy?

Let's assume you got through and are answered by another recording advising you to have your account number along with vour secret code number ready. (You wouldn't want some rascal ordering Viagra on your account.) If you have this information, relax and listen to Mr. Sousa's rendition of "Seventy Six Trombones" on the call- waiting music. Don't be surprised if periodically another recorded voice tells

in line. How confusing! Another number to remem-

Perhaps at long last, you hear a ringing signal and then another recorded voice telling you they're closed for the day. Hey, they're in Texas! It's only 4 p.m. here in California!

What I do now is technically lie. I call them on my Touchtone (push-button)

buttons for the first half of the word "prescription" in it, but you how important your call telephone. When the recording comes on asking me to push a "1" if I have a Touchtone, I just do nothing. After five seconds, or longer, a real person comes on the line, and you will be surprised how far you have gone ahead of that number in line they would have given you with modern voice mail. I can even beat my computer-wise grandson via the modern route!

## Bus service

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lem extends not only to Leisure Village but also to the entire Camarillo area. A recent survey showed that 70 percent of the bus riders are senior citizens, and that ridership has increased 32 percent since last year, partly as a result of improvements.

Dial-a-Ride works like a taxi service except that the cost is \$1.50 each way.

Mayor McDonald insisted that people must use the evening service or else the city will have to stop subsidizing it. To be viable, officials said, it must attract enough riders to return 20 cents on the dollar. The city's current return is about 15 cents. So the more riders use the service, the more likely the year-long experiment will be made permanent

"If we don't have the ridership, we can't afford to provide the service," Mayor McDonald said.

## Board

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Copper Re-pipe, the most active company, now has a backlog, with reservations now being taken for January of 2003.

Leisure Administration cannot recommend contractors for repiping. They can be found in the business section of the directory. Be sure when you get bids for re-piping that it is for the equivalent work and material such as angle stops, flex lines, heat pumps, etc.



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## Live Band Dance

The next event Saturday, Aug. 31, from 8 to 11 p.m. in the Assembly Room. Music will be by the Rhythm-Kings Orchestra. Refreshments will be served; BYOB. There's a \$4 donation. Information: 482-6660.

## Saturday Night Dance

This club meets every Saturday from 8 to 10:30 p.m. in the Assembly Room. Great tapes include foxtrot, waltzes, rumba, samba and tango. Cost is only 50 cents. Refreshments are served: BYOB. Don't sit home alone. Come and join us. We socialize. Information: 482-6660.

## Rhythmette Club

Rehearsals will begin on Tuesday, Sept. 10, and will continue every Tuesday thereafter. Come and join us, and toot your horn. Meetings are at 1 p.m. in the A.R. Enjoy! Information: 482-6660.

## Classic Movies

#### By Bob Koster

Last month we saw "It Started With Eve," starring Deanna Durbin, Charles Laughton and Bob Cummings. It brought down the house. Good old comedies like that don't happen anymore.

Now we are about to see the irrepressible Buster Keaton in one of his finest works, "The General." He also directed it. There is an ongoing discussion as to who was the better comic: Keaton or Charlie Chaplin. The truth is that they are both very funny, each in his own way. Come and decide for yourself, on Aug. 18 at 7

Then, on Sept. 8, you have another chance to see the old master, Charlie Chaplin, in what is generally regarded as his funniest picture, "The Gold Rush." All his stock company of crazies is featured in this one. Be sure to check out the dancehall sequence when he tries to hide his dog in his pants, and the scene in which a starving Charlie eats his shoes and shoelaces, like spaghetti.

In October, the A.R. is completely booked, so our next screening will be in-

D.W. Griffith's "Way Down East," starring Lillian Gish. where Richard Barthelmess rescues Lillian Gish from an involved in rescue efforts. ice floe. Ms. Gish almost drowned during the filming. There were no stunt doubles in those days!

**CLUB NEWS** 

See you next time!

## L.V. New York Club

#### By Bob Sklarz

As we write, we are looking forward to the first annual pienie, to be held Sunday, Aug. 4, By now, it will be a fond memory for the 140 members who attended, especially the many who won door prizes and raffles. Many will have worn the new "New York T-shirt," a colorful proclamation of our organization.

Our concerns about 9/11 have continued, and plans

November. As a special treat are being made to plant a at all prices, are still availwe will see one of the finest tree, with a plaque, in our able. silent pictures ever made, present home, Leisure invited to join, to show their It features the famous scene respect for those who died,

Plans are being made for attending the New York Alumni Reunion Saturday, Oct. 5. There will be a bus for this occasion. If you have not yet signed up for the bus, see Bob Sklarz or Jules Posner. For those who have not vet bought their tickets, we have been informed that some tickets,

A note: Since 9/11, many Village. The public will be former New Yorkers have rediscovered their roots, bringing our membership to many of whom were more than 250. We have also had a limited number join as "Friends of New York.

## **RV** Club

The Village RV'ers will be dining out on Tuesday, Sept. 3, at Logsdon's Restaurant at

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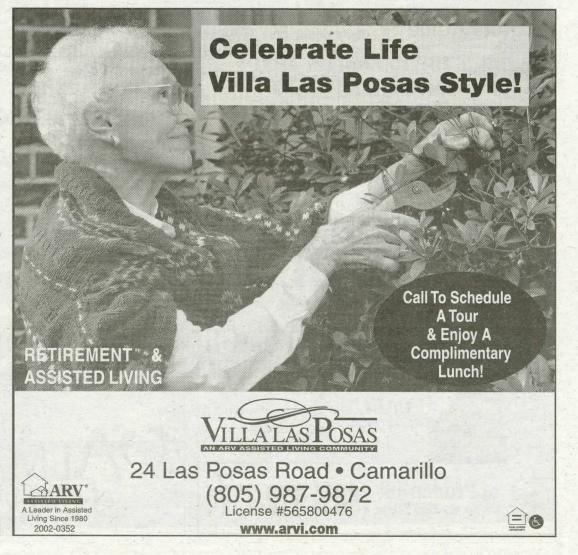
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the Santa Paula Airport at 5 p.m. For reservations, call Fred and Carol Sass at 987-3713. See the Bulletin Board for details.

## Players Guild

#### **By Anne Wolfson**

The Players Guild Workshop for August will be a video program by Bob Vandehaven (on the big screen) about two Players Guild productions.

The first is a look at what went on behind the scenes during an actual performance of "Lend Me A Tenor" in 1993.

into the making of "La Cage aux Folles.

Both of these videos are hilarious, and I'm sure you'll really enjoy them. So, put it on your calendar now! See you on August 16 in the A.R.

## Billiard Club

#### **By Milan Weiss**

The Billiard Club will not hold meetings in August, but newly refurbished Billiard Room is open for play. Come by, take a look, play a few games, and go home satisfied that you are a winner. Because, just by playing, you are a winner!

fall tournament, more les- ings on the second and exists between the players. Some of the tables have new the cushions replaced for improved play. The improveof everyone in the Village. We look forward to seeing you there! 32 3147 21 21147

## Tikvah Group

#### By Selma Lich

meet as usual on Friday, Aug. 16, at 7:30 p.m. at Ner Ami, 4098 Calle Tesoro, Camarillo. However, there will be no meeting on the Then, we'll see what went third Friday in September. The group will meet at Heritage House, 903 Carmen Drive, Camarillo, on the following dates: Friday, Sept. 6, at 7:30 p.m.; Saturday, Sept. 7, at 10 a.m.; Sunday, Sept. 15, at 7:30 p.m.; and . Monday, Sept. 16, at 10 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

Tikvah will resume its regular meeting time on Friday, Oct. 18, at 7:30 p.m. at Ner

Information: 484-8129.

## Liedeleers

#### By Selma Lich

The Liedeleers singing group is still vacationing but Future plans call for the will resume its regular meet-

sons, and the enjoyment of fourth Tuesdays of each the good camaraderie that month beginning Tuesday, Oct. 8, at 10 a.m. To keep your voices well oiled and covers, and a few will have ready to burst into song in October, do vocalize regularly. All are welcome to visit ments go on for the benefit and/or to sing with the group. Come and enjoy! Information: 484-8129.

## Women's Club

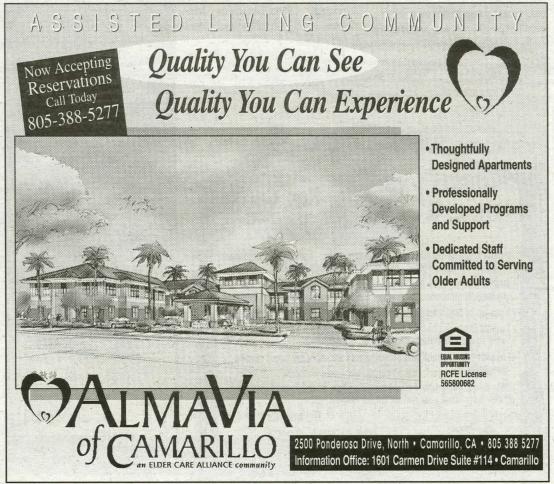
#### **By Shirley Francis**

On Thursday, Sept. 5, The Tikvah Group will Betty Lou Mayer will take you on a sentimental journey down Memory Lane with "Music for Listening," music from the '40s, country and patriotic. Members, please bring your friends and neighbors to the Assembly Room on Sept. 5 at 1:30 p.m.

> Trading Post: Due to lack of pricing facility and temporary storage space, we are suspending all pickups and sales of the monthly Trading Post until adequate working storage space can be found.

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## Racquet Club

#### By Betty Scadron

The Racquet Club is having a great picnic! There will taining guests Rossmore Laguna Woods paddle tennis group, who are dancing or listening to ethgoing to play in a tournament with our paddle tennis group. Come watch and participate in the fun! There Festival in Channel Islands will be prizes and games and on Aug. 18. lots of activity. Tickets for all this are \$6.50. Date is information.

Saturday, Aug. 17. Call Sharon at 389-3864, John at 987-8130, Si at 388-1163, or Norm at 482-2777 for tickets. See you there!

## International Folk Dancing

#### **By Raye Gabriel**

International Folk Dance be lots of really good food, classes are Mondays from 1 not just ordinary pienie to 2:30 p.m. in the A.R. food, and we're also enter- Virginia Calihan will lead from and teach.

Join us for the delight of nic music. We have a need of brushing up on the dancing for the coming Jewish

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## Single Active Seniors

#### **By Joni Neckerman**

Questions from the audience will be answered by Carol Sweeney when she speaks to the Single Active Seniors at their Sept. 10 meeting in the MPR. The LVA president was a founding member of SAS, the successful organization for all single residents of the Village.

Next week's program will be movie night featuring Denzel Washington in "John Q," in the Social Annex. The following week is Game Night, also in the Annex. Current events are explored the first Tuesday of each

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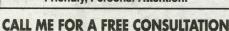
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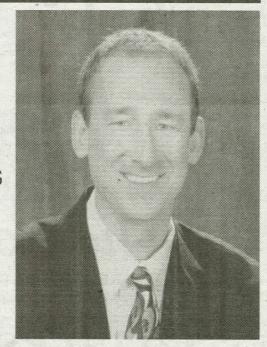
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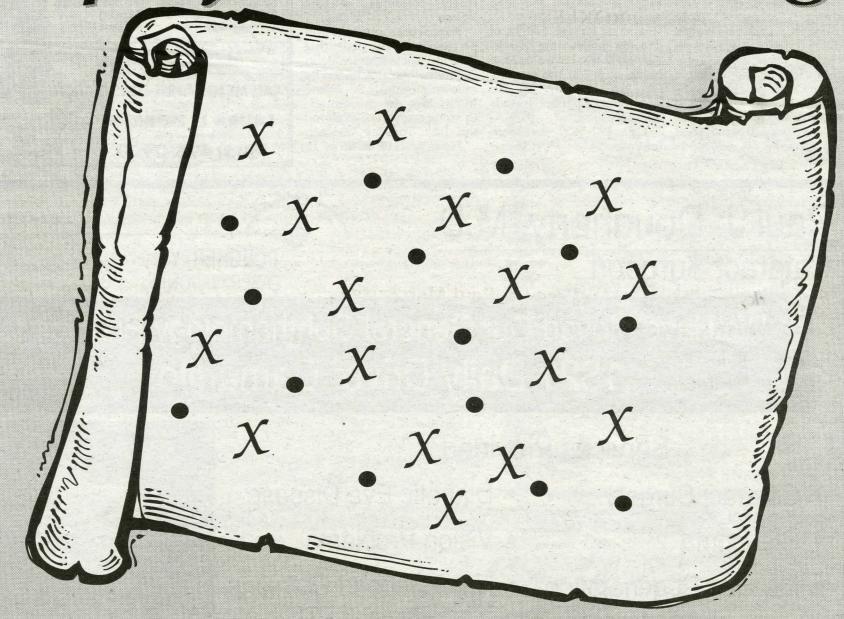
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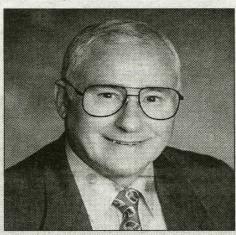
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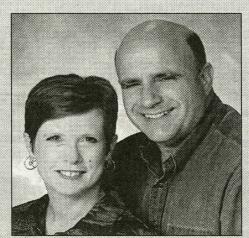
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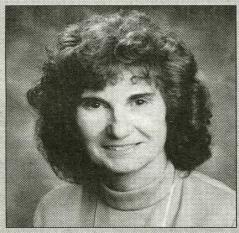
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month when the Singles hold their News and Views group discussion in the MPR.

Members meet each Tuesday night at 7 p.m. Updated news on weekly programs may be found on Village bulletin boards and Channel 8, or by calling president Zelda Greentree at 389-9694.

## Beginning Bridge

#### By Raye Gabriel

Rank beginning bridge classes are on Fridays from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. in the Garden Room. We are currently reviewing all plays using Duplicate Boards.

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Raye Gabriel is the instructor. Call 383-0130 for information.

## L.V. Exercise Group

#### **By Milt Mankoff**

The Leisure Village Exercise Group enjoyed another Annual Catered Picnic Dinner on June 28. More than 120 members and guests participated in the good food, games and the many donated prizes. Plans are now under way for the Gala Pot-luck Dinner event on Friday evening, Nov. 1 in

up their own menu for each table and will be treated to the appearance of a very popular professional singer/entertainer. There will be no charge for members. Guests will pay a \$2 fee. The LV Exercise Group is at the Pool Pavilion Monday through Friday from 8:30 to 9 a.m. All residents are welcome to join.

## Computer Club

#### By Winifred M. Singleton

All the regular programs and classes are continuing and are well attended. Requests by Mac users for subjects to be included in Special Interest Group meetings will be welcomed so that meetings covering those subjects can be arranged.

The library is located in the hallway outside the Computer Lab. There are several older versions of magazines as giveaways. The Picnic tions, and these latest ver-

the A.R. Attendees will make sions may be borrowed for a now we move on to the fabuweek at a time by using the sign-up sheets. prompt return is requested so that the maximum number of members may have the use current information. Several new books have recently been added and may also be borrowed for a limited time by using the sign-up sheets.

> There is an open house meeting at the Computer Lab every Thursday afternoon at 3 p.m. when mentors will be present to answer questions. All are welcome.

> General meetings of the club are held on the second Friday of each month at 10 a.m. in the A.R.

For more information, call Mort Marcovitz at 482-

## Solo Club

#### By Marion Jayne

Dr. Roger Leir, Podiatrist - Foot Specialist

The Solo Club Indoor and club has current subscrip- Jazzamatappers entertainers in August were a hoot, and

· Whirlpool available prior to

sandwiches desserts at Roxy's Deli in Thousand Oaks Thursday, Sept. 12, at 2 p.m. Make reservations by calling 484-5112 before Sept. 9. We plan something special for the Oct. 11 potluck and bingo.

The brown bag business meeting will be held on Friday, Sept. 20, at 12:30 p.m. in the Sun Room, followed by cards or games,

## Ceramics Plus

#### By Martin Ettinger

With the exception of July, our monthly meetings always take place on the fourth Thursday of the month in the MPR at 10:30

In July, we had our annual picnic at 11:30 a.m. in the

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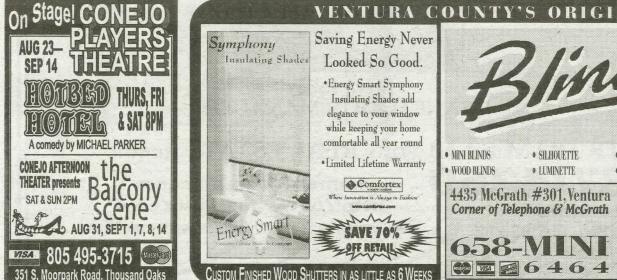
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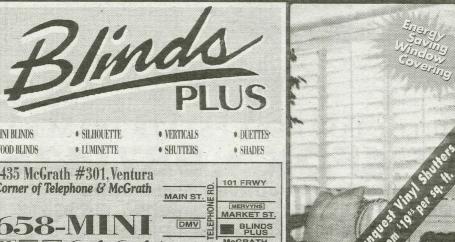
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At our June meeting, Dea Chass gave a superb demonstration on the use of selfhardening clay built on an armature.

Our August meeting is the ever-popular show and tell. Come see the talent of our local artists as we show our latest creation.

## L.V. Chorale

#### By Sally Yale

The first meeting of the Chorale will be Monday, Sept. 9, at 12:30 p.m. in the MPR. It will be a great treat to start singing with our

great group again.

Dues are payable now, and we will be getting our new music

The tape of our Spring Show will be shown, and great refreshments will be served. All interested and prospective members are invited. Please join us and enjoy singing with a friendly group of people. We will be preparing for our Holiday Concert to be given in December.

For more information, call Sally at 482-2554.

## Keyboard Club

By Sally Yale

Music time again! The Keyboard Club meets

this month on Friday, Aug. 16, at 1:30 p.m. in the A.R. The artists are real, the music is great to listen to, and the refreshments are delicious.

It makes for a most enjoyable afternoon. Everyone is invited to participate if they'd like.

Information: 388-2196.

## Veterans Club

#### **By Martin Alfred**

The Veterans Club held its successful annual pienic, and all 55 attendees enjoyed the El Pollo Loco dinners. A special thank you to the ladies who supplied us with cookies and cakes for a deli-

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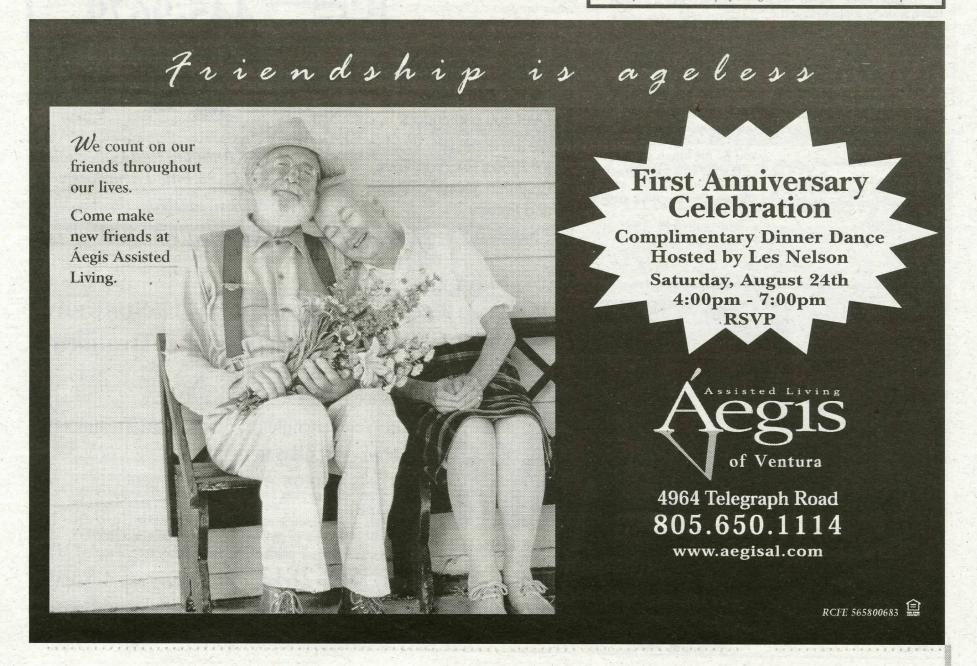
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cious dessert.

We are looking forward to our Aug. 22 meeting when Col. Shimon Paskow (Ret.), a former Army chaplain, will speak about some of his interesting experiences. I hear his talks are laced with humor and are very enjoyable. One and all are invited. It's at 7:30 p.m. in the MPR.

## Woodshop

#### **By Martin Alfred**

All our woodworkers are eagerly looking forward to using the shop that will be set up in the old Lapidary Room. The transformation is to be completed by the end of August. The move will allow more people to use the equipment at the same time in a much safer area.

In the meantime, we are still available to help you with your woodworking projects or minor repairs on Wednesday mornings. Our beavers are eager, so come on in!

## Country Line Dance

#### **By Ida Kubica**

The Country

Dancers meet on Tuesdays Shirley Heller and her group from 3 to 4:30 p.m. in the of ladies did a great job, and AR. Instructions are given 15 minutes before classtime. To all new dancers, a brief "self talk" before class will help you master the art of dancing, such as, "I know I can learn the dances in due time and for now I will enjoy the process." Give yourself permission to succeed and chances are, you will. This is a workshop for all dancers, new and regulars, not a performance. Regular attendance (atten-dance) makes for a better dancer. Watch Channel 8 for special Tournament and 19th Hole announcements. Information: Rhoda Smithkin, 484-8132.

## L.V. Womens Golf Association

#### By Evelyn Lacy

Monthly meetings are the second Wednesday of the month in the AR at 2 p.m. Refreshments are at 1:30 p.m. Men and Womens Tee Timers Tournament and Luncheon are Wednesday, Aug. 21. Cost is \$1 golf for and \$4 for lunch in the AR.

Regulation golf September will be at Los Olivas. Cost is \$32, including cart.

The golf and 19th Hole Line Picnic Pot Luck was fun. the bocce ball, horseshoes and putting contest were a huge success enjoyed by all. Keep up the good work.

Winners for the month of June: 18ers L Gross, P. Kirkland 66. L Net, D. Nelson 50. 9ers Back, L Gross, Irene Cunningham, 36. Low net was a tie, S. Heller and E. Vanicek with a

Ladies Ringer Tournament for four weeks will begin Sept. 4.

August 25 Month End will be a surprise movie and popcorn.

Be sure to mark your calendars and plan to attend all of the functions and get to together with your golfing friends. It is a fun time for

## Garden Club

#### **By Jane Needle**

The Garden Club meeting for Sept. 12 will be "Luscious Lemon Uses." The speaker will be Beverly Frethiem from Ventura Coastal Corporation. There will also be a video provided by California Heartland and KCET. Door prizes, recipes and other goodies will be distributed. Be sure to sign in for the prizes when you arrive. Social time is 9:30 a.m., and the presentations will begin at 10. Hope to see everyone there.

## Village Painters

#### By Ruth W. Miller

The Village Painters are looking forward to the Annual Art Show in October. Please see CLUB NEWS on 15



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In anticipation of this event, and wth a mind to keeping up the quality of art show, the meeting in September will be a critique conducted by Marion Jayne. At this time, Marion reviews the paintings and gives her expert advice on their possible improvement. Actually, she usually has very nice comments about the artwork produced by club members. Her critique is never a "criticism," but is always very helpful. Marion, for many years, presided over the Village Painters and indeed was one of its founders more than 20 years ago. We are lucky to have the expertise of this art teacher who is herself such a fine artist. Anyone who

Wednesday, Sept. 4, in the MPR at 1 p.m. You will then be invited to join the Village Painters at \$5 per year for dues and then participate in the aforementioned Art Show. We will report more on the Art Show in the next issue of ILV.

The Aug. 7 demonstration of woodcarving was enjoyed by all. The club certainly hopes to bring more artists and demonstrations of their media to the Village in the future.

And do't forget, the Art Class continues every Monday at 1 p.m. in the Lanai Room. We cater to any and all who are interested in trying their hand at drawing, painting and pastels. Art materials are supplied, along with instruction, inspiration

wishes to bring paintings to and encouragement. Try it, be "critiqued" may do so on you'll like it! The company is great. The more people who participate in this enjoyable, creative and therapeutic activity, the greater the chance that, someday, we will have an Art Room in Leisure Village which anyone will be able to utilize at any and all times.

## Camera Club

#### **By Jerry Cohen**

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Wednesday of each month there are various programs. All Villagers are invited to attend, and refreshments follow.

## .V. Mens Golf Association

#### By Mannie Abbate

On the morning of Aug. 6, the monthly tournament had a separate "One Day Blind Match Tournament, the brainchild of Jerry Johnson, our LV Major Tournament and Awards Chair. There was a \$1 fee for the opportunity to win in a match of cards selected in a "blind draw," where players were selected randomly and placed in flights of seven or eight. Scorecards were matched to eventually obtain a winner for each flight. Everything was "net,"

of winning even if you had a few lousy holes.

nament at Buenaventura ment. GC. On Sept. 5 we played at Elkins Ranch GC. We will also have our mixed tournament with the LVWGA at Soule Park on Oct. 3. This has been a wonderful event with a luncheon at the golf course after the match. Watch Channel 8 and look at the bulletin board at our course to get more informa-

President Don Hamilton promises to keep the membership growing and would like to see more participants in the numerous projects the Board undertakes. A lot of hard work is done by a group of dedicated members, and they can become frustrated when the attendance is less than overwhelming. Must we always have free handouts to insure a good turnout? If that is the case then you

so you stood a good chance have no excuse because at the very least the raffle at the end of each monthly On Aug. 15 we had a tour- meeting fills that require-

## Sing-a-long Group

#### **By Jules Nayfack**

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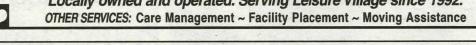
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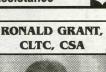














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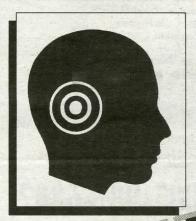
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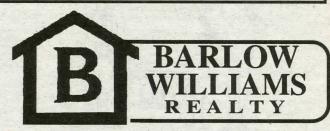


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