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Time

March 25, 1988

## An Open Letter To Members Of The **Board Of Directors And Members** Of The Finance Committee

You, as well as many others, are aware of the fact that it has been the practice of this as well as past Boards of Directors to invest funds of the Village, not required for near term use, in one of the follow-

- Savings accounts in banks or savings and loan associations where those accounts are guaranteed by either the Federal deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) or the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation (FSLIC);
- 2. Certificates of deposit issued by banks or savings and loan associations where those certificates are guaranteed by the FDIC or FSLIC; or
- 3. United States Treasury bills, notes or bonds; and, as a corollary to this practice, that these investments have been listed on one page of the monthly financial reports of the Association that are furnished to each of you and are also placed in the library.

Certainly this practice has provided a degree of confidence in the manner in which the Association's reserve funds were being managed. However, there is nothing in our C, C & R's or By-laws that require a continuance of the practice. Therefore, we recommend that the Board prepare an amendment to the By-laws that will restrict the investment of Association funds to the instruments listed above and that will require a continuation of the present reporting on investments in at least the current amount of detail. The amendment should also require that our outside auditors certify in the portion of their annual audit report that is mailed to all homeowners, that the investments shown in the Association's final report for the year did in fact exist.

Consideration should be given to the necessity of prohibiting the use of a margin account or any other speculative investment technique; the need for providing an exception clause that would permit a Board, following one month's notification in writing to all homeowners, to deviate from the required practice; or any other provision that seems from your vantage point to be required.

We urge you to act expeditiously on this suggestion, for we are confident that many homeowners as well as yourselves are concerned about this subject. Cordially yours.

(Signed)

Lou Okun Karl Joehnck Mar 9, 1988



Again CALIFORNIA EARTHQUAKE **PREPAREDNESS** 

## By Paul Kelwin

The Emergency Services Organization announces that Governor of California has declared April as Earthquake Preparedness Month. Without having to yell FIRE! your ESO is striving to impress upon villagers the importance of being prepared for earthquakes or other disasters.

We are aware of disasters elsewhere in the world and occasionally an unwanted event occurs right here at home. (The windstorm of January is a recent example.)

The California State Office of Emergency Services has divided the month-long observance of Earthquake Preparedness Month into four sections: Apr 4 - 10 will be Government and Emergency Ser-Preparedness Week, Apr 11 - 17 will be Business and Industry Preparedness Week, Apr 18 - 24 will be School Preparedness Week and Apr 24 - 30 will be Family and Community Preparedness Week. The first and last segments will be of greatest interest to villagers and they should watch for important information in the newspapers and on television (particularly Ch

Your Leisure Village ESO won't be engaging in any one big event. We have had several events since April of 1987 and

## C-SPAN **Support Grows**

By Harry Becker

Financial contributions for the new satellite dish antenna now receiving C-SPAN I and C-SPAN II continue to be received by the LVA Board of Direc-

At the Board meeting on Mar 7 an additional \$352 was turned in, including \$100 from Your Neighbors Care Group and \$50 from the Organ Club.

Donations to date total \$2,788.50. Participating in this volunteer effort were 115 residents, four clubs, and one party group.

Other clubs are urged to join in this worthwhile effort to bring Congress and the national political scene into our homes.

## Dixieland Jazz "Live" At Leisure Village

By Anne Janoff

On Sunday Apr 17. from 2:00 to 4:30 p.m.. Villagers will have an opportunity to enjoy live Dixieland Jazz Band music for listening, dancing, and camaraderie that goes with the sounds of that early jazz era.

Tickets for this fun afternoon are available at the Recreation Office, usual ticket sale hours. Admission, 50 cents per person, by pre-purchased tickets only. ALL SEATS RESERVED. Refreshments: coffee, tea, punch, lic. BYOB/BEER.

Get your tickets early as this popular musical treat will have limited See ESO ......Pg 6 seating capacity.

## Request And Announcement

By Rube Davis

On Wed, Apr 13, 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., 75 students from the Newbury Park High School will be the guests of the School Speaker Comm and LV Homeowners Assn.

The students accompanied by their history teacher, John Ullman, will gather in the picnic ground area for the purpose of interviewing Village World War II veterans on their experiences in the service.

This will be the 3rd year that they have returned to the Village. Newbury Park High School teachers and administrators are appreciative and grateful for the past cooperative efforts of our Village veterans in conversing with students presently studying World War II history.

Volunteers please phone Rube Davis, Chairperson, 482-6707 or 987-3359.

The Los Colinas Intermediate School, 5750 Fieldcrest, near Mission Oaks, 2 blocks east of

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## **Important Notice!**

By Sandy Okum

"Durable Power of Attorney for Health Care" forms will be available by YNCG at our next lecture, Apr 4, 7:30 p.m. in the AR.

Winifred Wilson, wife of Dr. Wilson, will tell about the latest forms available to allow you or your loved ones to die with dignity and less suffering — the legal way.



## **EDITORIAL**

On March 29, 1979, after much deliberation, concern, criticism, cooperation and determination ILV was born.

Many villagers had a hand in its beginnings and its continuation. Appearing on this page is a copy of page one of that first issue which states the purpose of the publication and its editorial policy. We invite you to read it. We have reproduced this page on other of our birthdays but feel it is worth repeating, not only for those new in the Village but for those who may want to refresh their memories of just what ILV is all about.

Our editorial board feels that the intent and policy as set forth in that first issue has been adhered to. There have been times when we have agonized over whether to accept or reject some material, and have been successful at times in persuading contributors to withhold questionable submissions.

On the other hand, when issues concerning the Village as a whole have arisen, we have tried to air opinions on both sides. Rarely have we been turned down when we have invited certain well-informed and well-intentioned homeowners to write for us on a particular subject. We are grateful to them and we know that fellow-villagers are, too. We also appreciate those other knowledgeable villagers who take the time to submit their views.

Then there are the old faithfuls who report the Village activities month after month. We depend upon clubs and groups to share their news because we know our readers are interested.

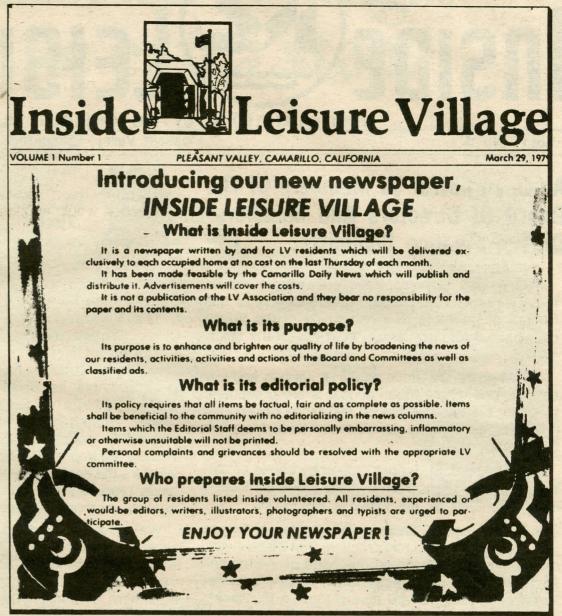
While our Association and Board of Directors takes no responsibility for our paper, we feel fortunate in having the Board's support when possible problems of mutual interests arise. This cooperation is gratifying.

As for the Camarillo Daily News, we could not ask for better cooperation than from Mr. Hank Crockett, Publisher, Mr. Dick Woolery, Circulation Manager, and especially the Production Staff headed by Mrs. Novella Killian and her able Assistant, Marcie Parsons. The Advertising Dept. procures the ads which determine the number of pages we have each month. Management has never interfered or influenced us in any way in the material we present. Enough copies are delivered to the Village to serve every household if the issue is wanted.

Members of our editorial staff take turns acting as Coordinator of the month. There are two solid weeks when the Coordinator of the month cannot call her own, but the other four editors are at hand to help in writing, editing, proof-reading of galleys and finally making up the finished pages. It is during this time in particular when the Coordinator fully appreciates the cooperation she gets from the others, including, too, the Photographer, Bill Stabler, and feature writer, Jack Whalen.

It's this cooperation of all those involved and the dependability that makes it all worthwhile.

## Below Is A Reprint Of Page 1 Of ILV's First Issue March 29,1979



## LETTERS

## Smoking ordinance on back burner?

The matter of courtesy is often suggested as a remedy to the smoking issue. True, courtesy is always important, but to imply that it may solve this problem is highly debat-

least 3 days in advance.

able. The suggestion confuses the issue, which may be the strategy. How can anyone be courteous while polluting the air in an enclosed area? How can anyone who breathes the pollution be gracious to the smoker?

We have been warned by the most eminent med-

ical authorities that this is a matter of life and death. Until and unless other qualified experts refute the evidence, it is reasonable that we guide ourselves accordingly. Leaders in many governments recognize this fact, accept it and govern accordingly. For them to do otherwise would be to gamble with the health and welfare of those whom they govern.

Any proposal that would permit smokers to congregate with nonsmokers would not be acceptable to most people in L.V. The only clear, reasonable solution would be to have a smoke free building with a room designated as a smoking area. In my opinion we should proceed and conclude the matter regardless of what the City

INSIDE LEISURE VILLAGE

EDITORIAL STAFF

ABOUT NEXT MONTH

Coordinator for next month will be Frances Gold.

PLEASE FOLLOW GUIDELINES AND BE AS BRIEF

AS YOU CAN! Deadline for Apr 22 issue will be Apr

4. To arrange for a photographer call coordinator at

LOIS ATZ - JEANNE CARLSON - FRANCES GOLD ROMAINE LAMBERT - BETTY MURRAY Coordinator for this issue: ROMAINE LAMBERT Production Jack Whalen Photography: Bill Stabler

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does. They have other problems now and smoking may be relegated to the back burner for awhile.

If we proceed with a second reading and later a City ordinance supercedes our rule, that would not be a problem at all. In the meantime we would provide the homeowners with what they want and have a right to expect.

Joseph Selber V. 31

## **Escalating Assessments**

Each year, the assessment has been raised moderately in Leisure Village, but this year it has been raised drastically. Spending at the Federal level has been cut due to Gramm-Rudman, and also by the State. Only in L.V. do costs and expenses keep increasing.

I grant you that increases in water, power, insurance, sewerage, trash, and telephone rates

are beyond anyone's control. But anyone who has owned a business employing considerable number of people can tell you that a forty-four percent payroll (including items attributable to the payroll) is a sure formula for bankruptcy. Businesses all around are cutting payroll and increasing the efficiency of remaining workers in order to stay afloat.

Our payroll must be cut, unnecessary expenses eliminated, and we should consider contracting out the landscaping. We know the cost of labor, equipment, maintenance and replacement of equipment, gasoline, landscape supplies, etc. An equal, or preferably a lower bid could be had from an outside source. We should at least try this for a period of one or two years. Manufacturing companies customarily contract out the manufacturing of a part of their product, and have found this to result in considerable savings.

Most of us here are on fixed incomes and many people will be forced out if an effort is not made to lower costs.

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REQUEST.....From Pg 1 tennis courts is scheduling the Annual Science Exhibits, in which 400 students will exhibit their projects on Thurs, Apr 14.

John Olson, science teacher, would appreciate the services of about 15 judges. Lunch will be served by the PTA. Please phone Rube Davis.

LV School Guest Speaker Committee was honored in 1986 by the Ventura County PTA representing 3300 members as the volunteers in Ventura County who did the most for education.

Hats off to the community-minded villagers who are willing to serve the educational needs of the youngsters in our schools.

## **LOOKING AT CHANNEL 12**

By Jack Whalen

Ch 12 committee mem-Don Horodas, V. 37 bers hosted a surprise social farewell for Elva Ward at the monthly meeting in March. Under Elva's strong leadershop Ch 12 is now recognized as a major source of information on current activities within the Village as well as telecasting varied programs with wide appeal.

Louella Kelwin is the new Chairperson of Ch 12 and we look forward to a

## **CURRENT ISSUES FORUM**

The next current issues forum will be held on Fri, Mar 25, in the AR at 7:30 p.m. The subject will be "Is there a commercial airport in Camarillo's Future?" Speakers will be Camarillo City Councilman Mike Morgan and a representative of Ventura County Economic Development

continuing strong inhouse series of programming especially directed to villagers.

The three IRS programs on how to file 1987 tax returns are being well received and Gerry Sills states that they will be repeated very early in April, providing many with lineby-line explanations of the tax form.

The April Board of Director's meeting will be telecast live on Ch 12 at 10:00 a.m. Mon, Apr 4 and will be repeated on Sat, Apr 9 at 10:00 a.m.

## **MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR**

By Mary Erbsen

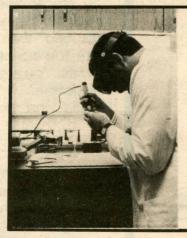
"Meet Your Neighbor Coffee" meets the last Friday every month at 2:00 p.m. in the GR. The scheduled speaker for Mar 25 is Skip Roberts, General Manager of Leisure Village.

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## SPIRITUAL GROWTH GROUP

By Nancy Whitaker
The Spiritual growth
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home of Mayz Gregory,
31320 V. 31 during March
on Tuesdays at 9:30 a.m.
and will meet at the home
of Margaret Christensen,
1105 V. 1 in April.

We are studying "Genesis" under the direction of qualified teachers, and welcome members and friends to this friendly and caring group

Please watch Ch 12 for current information or any changes or call Vi Shirk, Chm., 484-2389.

## LETTERS ..... From Pg 3

I simply must thank the multitude of wonderful friends and neighbors who have been so kind to me during my illness. I have received cards, dinners, candy, teddy bears, balloons, a whole refrigerator full of food, flowers, phone calls and too much more to mention.

I'm so glad I'm living in LV. Nowhere else in the world could I have had such help.

Fran Heiman, V.19

6000

David has made a rapid recovery from surgery and we wish to thank everyone for their cards, phone calls and visits. You are always there to celebrate the good times with and then you are there to help us over the hurdles. You are truly special people.

Phyllis and David Zell, V.29

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To my many friends, please accept my sincere thanks for the cards, food, gifts and plants sent to us during Kate's surgery and illness. Your thoughtfulness will be remembered always.

Harry & Kate Marks, V.15

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Wayne Nelson V. 13 Sadie Kleitman V. 42 Frances Heiman V. 19 Irene Roberts V. 16 Saul Ballonoff V. 31 Florence Weir Formerly of V. 14 Marie Simons V. 22

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Loraine Sirott, formerly of V.24, will be greatly missed by many friends here.

Frances Heiman, V.19

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and appreciation to all our appreciation to all our friends and neighbors for friends and neighbors for

ters and cards of their ex- utes, cards and exprespressions of sympathy at sions of sympathy at the the time of Jack's death. loss of my beloved wife, LV people are wonderful. Anna Snyder, V.20

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What a comfort it has the cards, phone calls, and other signs of support upon the death of my very Lane.

Thank you all for making this difficult time so much easier to bear.

Alva Lane, V.5

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I thank all my wonderful friends for their tributes, letters, cards, expressing sympathy for the passing of my beloved wife, Sylvia

Ed Williams, V. 29

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I would like to express My heartfeld thanks my heartfelt thanks and

the prayers, tributes, let- their calls, letters, trib-Sadie.

Ed Kleitman V. 42

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I would like to say thank been to have received all you to all our friends and neighbors in LV for your calls, cards and flowers. from my wonderful Village God bless all of you for friends and neighbors your caring, loving support in the death of my special husband, Will beloved husband, Wayne. Verdie Nelson, V.13

> THE WIND By Lillian Wallace

Unabashed, irrational, Her fury had no qualms-Ravishing young saplings, Ignoring an old oak's call for alms

Tormenting trembling branches, With all the malice she could vent-Yet, no remorse for havoc done, Now her temper tantrum spent.

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## By Sandy Okum

Did you forget today is Friday? Where you put your diamond earrings, you will? Is it harder to comprehend things now? Are your depressed afraid that you are getting Alzheimer's? Have you made plans for your future knowing that someday you won't be able to manage it?

These and many more questions will be addessed on Mon, Apr 4 at 7:30 p.m. in our AR by Dr.

Bob Knight.

Dr. Knight, a clinical geropsychologist, has been the manager of Ventura County's Senior Outreach Team since 1980. He is a member of the California Alzheimer's Disease Task Force, the author of "Psychotherapy with the Older Adult," and has taught at U.S.C. Andrus Gerontology Center. He has published, presented many papers, lectured and instructed on gerontology for many years.

Dr. Knight was recently recruited by our Security Dept. for advice on how to handle a growing problem in our Village; how to handle villagers who can no longer cope with or manage their lives.

Come to this meeting - if we live long enough we may all reach that stage.

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ESO ..... From Pg 1 they have been reported by ILV. Be sure to check the display case in the Atrium for further information. If you have any questions or suggestions, call Paul Kelwin, 987-1446, Elmer Eymann 484-8422 or Bob Atz, 388-1208.

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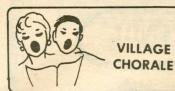
## **Speakers Group Helps Judge Local Speech** League Tournament

By Jack Whalen

A good number of members of the LV Speakers' Group acted as judges in the recent El Camino Real Speech League Tournament held at nearby Las Colinas School.

More than 200 7th and 8th grade students competed in the day-long event. They came from as far away as Pasadena, Boyle Heights and Santa Paula. In all, fifteen schools were represented and the winners will compete in May for the Championship Speech Tournament.

"It was a rewarding experience for our members to judge these youngsters," said Rube Davis. Luncheon will be Wed, "Competition was very keen and we marveled at p.m., for paid-up memthe poise and speaking bers only. Call Marion ability of these outstanding young people.



By Naomi Balfour

The Leisure Village Chorale, under the direction of Lois Bello, together with the Belles of Harmony, will present its annual concert on Sat, May 21, entitled "The Old, the New, and More." Featured will be soloists well known in the Village and around.

Ruth Hart will be accompanied by Arthur Kates with his saxophone. Elaine Shainhouse and Eleanore Quartuccio will each sing a solo and then lead the audience in some

## **Village Painters**

By Marion Jayne

The Painters Spring Apr 6 in the MPR at 1:00 484-5112 for reservapopular songs. Margarete and Jules Nayfack will sing a duet and so will La-Verne Royce and Ailsa Muldoon.

Billie Pachter, Miriam Hasen, George Goldfarb, Margaret Freeman and Millie Silberman, will sing the solo parts in some of the Chorale music. Ethel Belanger and Eldon Lukesh are in the quartet.

Dancers are Dorothy Karlin, Rawza Kates, Violet Cohen and Shirley Hell-

Pianists are Esther Kuebler and Dorothy

The beauty of the performance will be enhanced by choreography and colorful costuming.

## **Current** Issues Forum

Over 180 residents attended the February Current Issues Forum. The program featured two L.V. residents who gave

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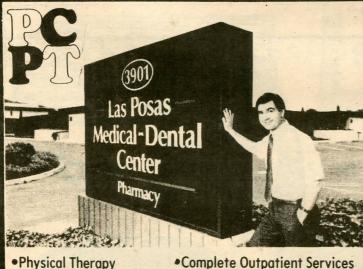
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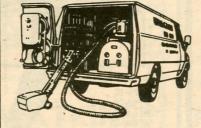


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VILLAGE **SWINGERS** SQUARE DANCE CLUB

By Romaine Lambert

At the February "Presidents Night" dance, the Village Swingers Square Dance Club was fortunate in having as honored guests all of those who had served in that capacity since the group was formed in 1975. These were: Everett & Dorothea Fuller, 1975-76-77; Bob & Joan Guhl, 1978-79-80; Al & Ruth Siegel, 1980-81-82; Jack & Lenore Broude, 1982-83-84; David & Isabel Dominguez, 1984-85; Lou & Midge Dektor, 1985-86; Hal & Minna Hudson, 1986-87to present.

The dedicated service demonstrated by these loyal members should be an inspiration for those who follow. Who is going to be the next Board?

Ron Hunter will call on March 29, and as is usual for a 4th Tuesday, Bill Burrier will cue Rounds. Round dancing continues to be an important part of the Swingers as is evident on other Tuesdays when Al and Ruth Siegel provide their excellent tapes and help.

Activity Chm Sterns has scheduled another mystery bus trip for Apr 8. The National Convention in Anaheim will be June 24-25-26. Check with Siegels for information.

The Hard Times (what's that?) Dance will be on Apr 19 and guest caller on Apr 26 will be Don Schadt.

The beautifully decorated and delicious cake on meeting night was furnished by friends of Bob Guhl who was celebrating his 80th birthday. Bob is going to have to furnish his birth certificate since few believe that he really is 80!

Don't make the mistake of letting yesterday use up too much of today.

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By Anne Janoff

Tomorrow, Mar 26, the Saturday Night Ballroom Dance will have their "Western Dance" with Eddie and Reva Saeta and Paul and Luella Kelwin hosting. This is always a fun evening and 'out west' attire is a nice change for those who choose to dress in keeping with the theme. Of course, the usual casualwear is equally appropriate.

On Apr 9, Milt and Fay Tobias and Rube Davis and Pauline Hoffman will be hosts. The following dance, Apr 23 will be hosted by Sid and Bea Weltman and Chick and Rita Sheldon.

Dancing from 8:00 - 11:00 p.m. in the AR, admission fifty-cents per person. Usual refreshments of coffee, tea, punch and ice are available. BYOB.

We welcome all villagers, old-timers and new-comers, as well as visiting guests, to join us as we enjoy dancing and listening to top dance bands playing our favorite tunes at our Saturday Night Ballroom Dances.



## By Erma Hopkins

The Singles Squares Dance Club meet every Mon 7:00 to 9:30 p.m. in the MPR. We are progressing nicely with our Beginners and many of our Intermediates are acting as "angels." This is a great chance for Square Dance drop-outs to return to this great exercise and fun activity. Couples are welcome.

All material, for ILV, whether handwritten or typed, should be double-spaced.



## By Florence Friedman

If you enjoy dancing or would like to learn, join the Folk Dance Club on Mondays from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. Many residents are learning to dance, without previous experience.

Our instructors are our own villagers who over the years of folk dancing and teaching bring us their experience and upto-date international dances.

Join the group and enjoy the camaraderie of friends and neighbors.

Dance time: Mon, 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. teaching and dancing. Wed, 9:00 to 10:30 a.m. review and new dancing. Fri, 9:00 to 10:30 a.m. continuous dancing.

Membership meeting, the first Monday of the month at 2:00 p.m. in the AR



## By Marguerite Abdelnour

Swing Disco Jazz Dance Group thanks the villagers for their support of their Saturday tape dances. Only the best of the Big Band dance music is carefully selected for our dancing pleasure. Themes and decorations are an additional touch to lend a more pleasing atmosphere. Your attendance at the dances assure us that we must be doing something right.

In April Swing Disco Jazz will host two dances. Spring Fling Dance, Apr 2, will be emceed by Joe and Jane Selber. The April 16th Country-Western Dance will be emceed by Max and Dora Polley, and casual or western dress would be correct.

Refreshments provided. BYOB. Adm. 50¢.



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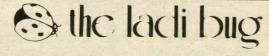
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## By Don Holmes

The Gem and Mineral Club has nearly filled the Travel Committee's tour to the Alf and the Norton Simon Museums on Thurs, March 31. At this writing, there are only stand-by seats left, but it won't hurt to inquire next Tues at the Ticket Office at 9:00 a.m. It doesn't cost to get on stand-by. Dr. Alf is opening the museum for us on a normally closed day, so we will have the museum and Dr. Alf all to ourselves with no outsiders

After lunch, part of the group will be dropped off at the Norton Simon and the rest will go on to Greiger's, and all should be home about 5:00.

Last month Bill and May Brown showed home movies that they had converted to video tape, with running commentary both on the tape and from the floor. It was shown on Ch 12's portable monitor and covered their travels in the 60's through the National Monuments of Zion, Cedar Breaks, Bryce, Lake Powell, the Arches and others.

Next month's meeting will be on Wed, Apr 27. The program will be announced on Ch 12 and in the April ILV.

## LV EXERCISE GROUP

## By Shiphrah Maller

The friendliest group in town, the LV Exercise Group, meets at poolside Mon-Fri at 8:30-9:00 a.m. We start the day right by stretching every part of the body with low-key exercises done at your own pace. Lou Tamkin is our capable leader who got his special instructions from the Pleasant Valley Hospital. We have increased our numbers recently and hope to have more of you join us in our very beneficial sessions.



## By Bill Johnson

The R.V. Club had another record attendance at the Feb 16 meeting, resulting in more interesting input.

The annual R.V. Club pancake breakfast will be held on Sun, June 12, from 8:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Tickets will be available by April 30. Come one come all!

The Roamers were idle in March; however, an extended trip is planned for April 5 - 19 to the Indian country, including visits to Monument Valley, Canyon De Chelly, Hubbel Trading Post and many more places of interest in the Navajo and Hopi nations. Pat and Ed Holly are wagon masters assisted by Jane and Al Bruene.

May 3, 4 and 5, wagonmasters Pat and Warren Stanfield will lead the Roamers to Mojave for an interesting visit to Edwards Air Force Base. Assistants are Vicki and Joe Scheck.



## By Velma Cade

The Ceramic Mold Decorator's Club is very active these days, making ceramic bunnies and Easter eggs that are now ready to decorate our homes for Easter. Many have already started items they plan to use at Christmas.

We have a great time, as we meet every Wed at 12:30 in the Cer R. Stop by and see all the beautiful things we are making. If you would like to join us, we welcome new members. Dues are \$1.00 a year. Kay Stichler, and Deane McDaniels, who have had much experience in ceramics, are always willing and able to help us.



## By Dorothy Levy

Members of the Camera Club have been busy this month learning more about the art of developing and printing black and white pictures. At our meeting on Mar 2 we displayed some 40 pictures showing LV activities. All of them were printed in our darkroom by members and later mounted in a case in the clubhouse atrium. Max Klapperman also entertained us that evening with pictures he had taken during a trip to Guatemala and Yucatan. His views of the people and the artifacts from their ancient culture were very interesting.

At the second meeting of the month we concentrated on taking portrait pictures under the guidance of our more knowledgeable members. These also were on black and white film and in due time will be seen after their photographers have developed and printed them. Anyone who would like to learn how to use his camera or to develop pictures is welcome to come to our meetings and join in our activities.



## By Madelyn McKean

At the March meeting Garden Club members and guests enjoyed hearing about "Herbs and the Culinary Arts". Jerry Sortomme, horticultural instructor at Santa Barbara City College, discussed the growing of herbs and their benefits. John Middlebrook, ex-chef of the Santa Barbara Biltmore Hotel, demonstrated the use of herbs in cooking.

Our next meeting will ers. A be on Apr 14 in the MPR come.



## By Don Holmes

At last month's Ceramic Plus Club meeting, President Irma Shapiro demonstrated making figures on small box lids, and at the meeting yesterday she showed "mold animals." This is a press-mold process, where you make a mold of your original object, usually in plaster, then press the clay into it. After it has dried, it is glazed, fired, or whatever, in the usual manner. If removed from the mold soon enough, at or just before the 'leather' stage, the object can be modified by hand, so that with a mold you can produce a series of identical objects, or you can vary each one slightly to get individuality, as in non-identical twins.

The April meeting will be on Thurs, Apr 28 at 10:30 in the CR. In May, the Ventura Junior College is having a Students' Ceramic Exhibit. This is on our regular meeting day, May 26, so the club will attend the exhibit instead of having a meeting. More on Ch 12 and in the next ILV. The Ceramic Class and the Weaving Class continue.

with refreshments starting at 9:30 a.m. when the popular topic will be "Container Planting" by Joan Spangler of Hi-West Nursery. All Villagers are welcome.

A special event will be held on Apr 12 for Garden Club members. A delicious luncheon will be followed by an afternoon of bridge.

Our annual Floral Arts Show will be held May 12 in the AR. Garden Club members will artistically arrange approximately 40 floral entries which utilize our Leisure Village flowers. All Villagers are wel-



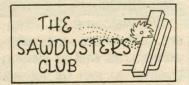
By Lois Atz

New officers of the LV Organ Club were elected in February. They are Jules Nayfack, Pres; Lois Atz, V.P.; Amy Reineman, treas; Ethel Belanger and Maxine LaPorte, co-secy. They will be installed at a special potluck luncheon in the AR on Fri, Apr 22.

The Organ Club voted to donate \$50 to the C-Span 2 fund.

Organists and pianists are urged to attend the meeting on Fri, Mar 26, in the AR at 1:30 p.m. Following a short business session, members will play country or spring tunes, the musical theme of the month.

On Mar 11 the championship Channelaire Chorus of the Sweet Adelines sang barbership harmony in the AR, sponsored by the Organ Club.



## By Bernie Goldman

March meeting of the Sawdusters Club featured the showing of a professional video tape titled "Router Jigs & Techniques." A large turnout of members enjoyed this excellent tape as well as the following "Show & Tell" portion of the program. This consisted of a demonstration by Morris Lefkowitz on what could be done with a regular router and a Dremel tool router. Three classes in the basic use of the router were held during March.

The next Sawdusters meeting will be held on Thurs, Apr 7, at 2:00 p.m. in the MPR. The program will be a demonstration by Fred Leeming on "Building Wood Miniatures." All villagers are welcome to attend our meetings.

## **BOWLING** LEAGUE

By Vee Flowers

The highlight of this month's LV Bowling League was Al Sparkman's near perfect game, with 9 strikes in a row.

Those who had gathered to cheer him on were holding their breath, as he rolled the ball towards the target in the 10th frame. The tension and nervousness, that even Pros admit to, must have taken over at that precise moment, as one defiant pin, was left standing. Adding insult to injury, Al missed his spare, but still ended up with a very respectable 267 game!

Other men's high scores worth mentioning: A.D. Flowers 221, Hugh Gary 214, Ben Dosick 211, and Sid Weinberg 203.

The ladies did exceptionally well with the following scores: Nancy Moyer 190, Marie Bremberg 186, Dorothy Sparkman 182 and June Teres 182.

With this writing, the new lanes will have been completely installed and initial problems solved. So far the comments have been good with most bowlers looking forward to better scores.

The bowling season will end Apr 15, with the Awards Luncheon scheduled for Fri, Apr 29. It will be held at Ottavio's again this year. Tickets and information available from Blanche and Marie Bremberg



## By Cy Maller

The March potluck dinenr held in the MPR by the members of the Shuffleboard Club was a huge success. The exquisite dishes prepared by our distaff members can only be described in one word-...GOURMET!



By Dorothy Konecko

Racquet Club meets Apr 13, Wed, 7:30 p.m., nament is moving on MPR. Have you paid your dues of \$5.00 per person? See Ginny Dunnion, meeting their play dates. Membership, at the meet- Finals should be completing. Hers is one list you ed in plenty of time for the will want to be on!

night was the beginning of an exciting weekend as the Big Red Machine (that's us) goes rolling along down to the Mission Tournament Viejo grounds.

Awards for the Tournaments are Tennis Pins for the first win with a gold star to be added for each succeeding win.

Paddle Tennis winners for January were presented with special pins by Russ Lomask at the February meeting. Winners in the February "Lovers Tournament''were partners: Bud Samuel and Yvonne Morgan; Rosalie Miller and Max Farber; Anne and Will Janoff; Russ Lomask and Marilyn Litka; Wanda Saari and George Lompkin; Betty and Bob Kumler; Louise Houser and Sol Brejensky; Sy Wyler and Gene Bookwalter.

Tennis winners for January were also presented with the special pins by Ben Miller. Winners in the February "Mixed-up Doubles" were Ruth and Sy Levine; Ladd Fanta and Ruth Wideman; Rosalie Miller and Max Farber; Anne and Will Janoff.

Good luck at Mission Viejo to the "Big Red Machine"!!!

nounced that a tournament will be held on Thur, Apr 28, at 1:00 p.m. A Brown Bag picnic will be held at noon preceding the tournament which will be directed by Louise Colbert and Izzy Struhl. They will announce all the de-Pres Nate Brod an- tails very shortly on the

tournament.

Open play sessions are held on Mon, Tues, Wed, at 9:30 a.m. and also on Thurs, Sat, and Sun at 2:00 p.m. The shuffleboard courts are located next to the golf putting green. Everyone is wel-



By Morley Goldberg

The Billiard Club Tourschedule thanks to the cooperation of players in announcements of win-The Pep Rally of last ners and awards at our annual luncheon.

> Our Annual Luncheon wil be held at Mercury Savings on Fri, May 20 at 11:30 a.m. Only \$3.50 per person gets you one of the best food bargains with all you care to eat. Seating is positively limited to 65 so get your tickets soon. Your guests are welcome.

At our last meeting, we welcomed new members Doris and Ben Garman, Harry Boger and Sam and Ida Senkowitz. California Lottery tickets were won by Dan Pernard, George Laufer, Mike Marinello, Harry Boger, Gabriel Catalogne and Bruno Torchia. If one of the lucky winners of the lottery tickets won the \$100,000 prize, it's being kept very secret! The two special door awards of dinner at a fine Mexican restaurant and a bottle of vintage champagne were won by Suzanne Catalogne and Bruno Torchia. The Catalognes sure live right!

Membership Chairman, Sandy LaPittus, asks for your 1988 dues now.

In the absence of Sylvia Rottersman, Social Chairlady, Elizabeth Sullivan and Ida and Ben Garman hosted the social hour following the meeting. The Club thanks them.

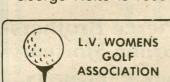
MENS GOLF **ASSOCIATION** 

By Ike Abrams

At the 19th Hole party in January, Men's Golf Assn had the largest turnout of members this year. Jules and Margarete Nayfack individually and in unison gave a tremendous performance, and were warmly received. Thank you, Jules and Margarette.

President's Cup Winners are Flight A - Harvey Shirk, 107 and Hugh Gary, 110. B Division — Bernard Cohen, 104 and B. Kennick, 106, C Flight - A Witler, 106 and George Hess.

George Nolte is recov-



By Betty Bruce

The L.V. Women's Golf Assn. will hold its Club Championship Golf Tournament on Apr 27 and May 4. Sign up for this 36 hole event if planning to play both days. It will be low gross, low net in flights and the Club Champion will be low gross over the field.

Regulation golf at Los Robles last month was very enjoyable. In flight A; Low Gross was won by Donna Duke. 1st Low Net Maria Meyers, 2nd Carra Hatfield, 3rd Marge Kelly, 4h was a three way tie:

Alda Kroll, Kate Ward. and Ellen Moore; Flight B: Low Gross was won by June Rose, 1st Low Net Lois Kissinger, 2nd Christie East and Betty Bruce, 3rd Aggie Saltus. Flight C: Low Gross was won by Esther Malkin, 1st Low Net Marion Harmon, 2nd Sylvia Tockerman, 3rd Bea O'Brien, 4th Lu Wilson and Rose Fleiner, 5th Rae Sohr.

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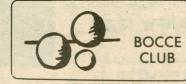
Jan 28.

Ray Milewsky had a

There will be a new

The mixed couples golf and picnic will be held Apr 12 and 13. The men will

Regulation golf will be at Elkins Ranch on Apr 21. This is a favorite course of many. Green fees \$10 - carts \$17.



By Luella Kelwin

Members and guests attending the February meeting had the pleasure of hearing a medley of songs sung by Eleanor Quartuccio, accompanied on the piano by Freda Drezner.

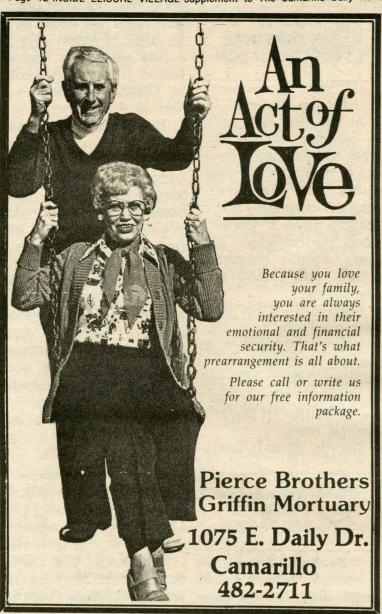
The next general meeting will be held on Mar 31 at 7:30 p.m. in the AR.

Don Holmes and the Village orchestra will provide entertainment for the evening.

The April Bocce Board meeting will be held on Tues, Apr 12, 7:30 p.m. in the Lanai Room.

Bocce lessons are given by Henry Carfagna on Tuesdays at 2:30 p.m.; new members welcome!

There will be someone at the general meeting on Mar 31 to accept your 1988 dues of \$3.50.





By Jeanne Carlson

The March meeting of Women's Club was the traditional Spring Fashion Show which, this year, was entitled "Showcase '88." Because of the festivities, business was held to a minimum. Pres Kay La Prell, and 2nd V.P. Dorothy Fencl, were in Tahiti so Elva Ward, 1st V.P. and Program Chairperson, presided. Treas Doris La Prell was also absent because of a family emergency and Gertie Dorward read the financial report. All is well in treasurviand and the club will continue its donations of \$1,200 to the Tony Lamb Senior Citizen Survival Fund for the year. Betty Walker, Membership Chairperson, reported a present membership of 381 but she would like more.

Showcase '88 was a wonderful presentation. Garments were furnished by Carlota's Chic 'N Casual and Florence's Intimate Basics and the club is very grateful to both ladies. Anne Garber Dubin was coordinator and commentator for the show.

A male quartet, "Our Singing Troubadours," consisting of Irving Dubin, George Goldfarb, Sol Kramer, and Bill Muldoon, all wearing bright shirts and straw sailor hats, opened the show singing a clever parody of "Easter Parade" - "Showcase Parade." They also assisted each lady as she descended the stairway from stage to runway. Freda Drezner accompanied the singers and they added a real touch of class to the show.

Harold Wickham, at the organ, played throughout the show all the popular tunes which he does so well.

Models for the show

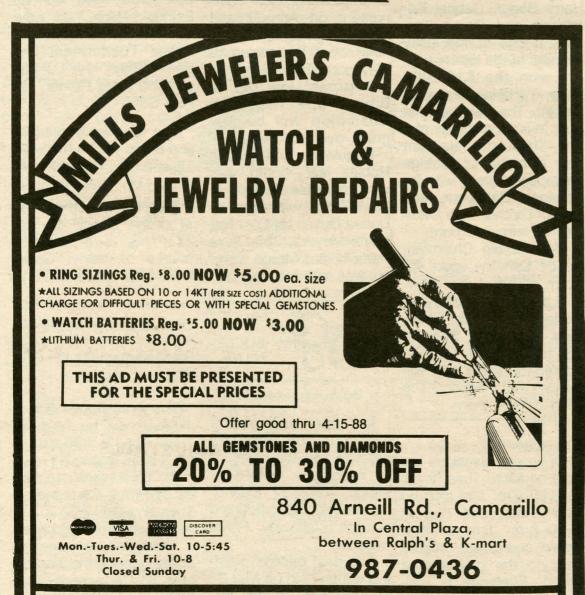


Photo by Stabler Anne Garber Dubin, Fashion Commentator, with Elva Ward, Program Chm.

were: Grace Back, Roie Beck, LaRue Boynton, Velma Cade, Shirley Heller, Pauline Hoffman, Louise Houser, Betty Kumler, Sandy Linka, Marian Saunders and Marguerite Abdelnour. Elva Ward and Piff DeSimone acted as decorative mannequins.

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WOMEN S.....From Pg 12 Anne was also responsible for the script.

Others who were of great help to the show were: Paul and Luella Kelwin, Ch 12 Camera Crew; (Paul also did lights); stage men Irving Weiss and Al Pachter; Helen Nash, Dorothy Barrus and Ruth Wideman also assisted. Billie Pachter helped backstage and in makeup.

Refreshments were chaired by Elouise Wilson, assisted by Maxine King, Dorothy Snyder, Mildred Tarry and Gloria White. A tasty apple compote, coffee and tea were served. Table decorations were by Esther English. The clever program artist was Eileen G. Hyman.

At the finale, Elva was presented with a corsage since this is her last meeting. In April she and her husband Goodloe will move to Escondido. Always organized, Elva is leaving a whole year of planned programs for the new Program Chairperson who will be announced on Ch 12 soon. Minnie Gorelnik, always a key-person in the club, is also in the process of moving and was not at the meeting. Women's Club wishes both ladies the best of luck. We will miss them.

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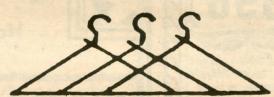
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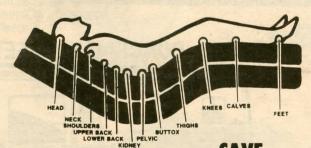
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SOLO CLUB NEW BOARD, left to right: Eleanor Evans, Co-Pres; Jeanne Raner, Co-Pres; Louise Loesch, 1st V.P.; Marie Chase, 2nd V.P.; Bertha Kunz, Treas; Rosemary Sieh, Rec. Secy.



SOLO CLUB

By Rosemary Sieh

On Feb 12 the Solo Club had a potluck dinner in the AR. After dinner, Ruth Mary Crowell, violinist, and Betty Parker, pianist, played a delightful selection of tunes by Grieg, Kreisler, Wienowsky, and an American

composer, Samuel Gard-

On Mar 23 many members gathered at the Peking Inn for lunch.

The next potluck will be held in the AR on Apr 8. A through G will bring salad; H though O will bring dessert, and P though Z will bring a meat dish. Entertainment will be furnished by the Rhythmettes.

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their impressions of their separate visits to the Soviet Union during the past year.

Martha Crowe, a retired Professor of Education at Humboldt State University, spoke of her visit to six Soviet Republics, distributing Peace buttons wherever she and her husband went.

Bernie Firestone began his slide presentation by declaring that it was not his intention to change anybody's opinion of the Soviet Union. He simply wants to present what he saw. He is active in the Nuclear Freeze Movement.

An unexpected surprise for the residents at the Forum was a brief talk by David McCarley, a Camarillo High School teacher. Although he has taught Russian since 1971, he had never visited the Soviet Union until last year.

The meeting was a long one and a lively question and answer period fol-



## By Irwin Steinhart

Our March 17 meeting of the Village Players was designed as an evening of remembrance and as a tribute to Sylvia Williams. Excerpts from "The Women" were recreated by the original LV cast as Sylvia Williams directed them. It was a memorable evening and we all joined in paying tribute to a Great Lady.

Our next meeting will be held on Thurs, Apr 21 and will feature a fun play, "The Light-House Keeper's Daughter," directed with panache by one of our two resident directorial 'mayvens,' Edythe Fahrenger.

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Editors'Note:

ILV regrets that the full text presented by Sol Robin on the February Current Issues meeting GUILD VARIETY GUILD

## By Ethel Goldfarb

The Potpourri of Song and Poetry at the March 10 meeting proved to be a treat with Ailsa Muldoon, in her Irish lilt, singing appropriate melodies for St. Patrick's Day, accompanying herself with her antique harp, followed by Readings of Dame Edith Sitwell's Poetry to the music of Sir William Walten. Ailsa's delightful solos were accompanied by Esther Kuebler at the piano. a complete entertaining evening for all.

"The King and I," the big show in June is going great guns.

Our next meeting will be Apr 14, 7:30 p.m.,

could not be presented in this issue because of lack of space. ILV hopes to publish the well-covered event in a future issue when space permits.

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## By Margaret Hines

The Rhythmettes enjoved a spaghetti dinner Mar 4, honoring newlyweds Jean & Archie Aird (formerly Jean Zimmerman). There was a special cake for them, decorated with roses and wedding bells. Later there was dancing to music taped by Ed Abdelnour. Our thanks go to the hospitality committee, headed by Rose Meltzer, for their work in putting it all together, making a happy evening

Practice is under way for our evening with the Solo Club Apr 8, 7:30 p.m. in the AR.

The nominating comm is getting together a panel of prospective officers, to be presented to the members Apr 12. Election will be on May 10.

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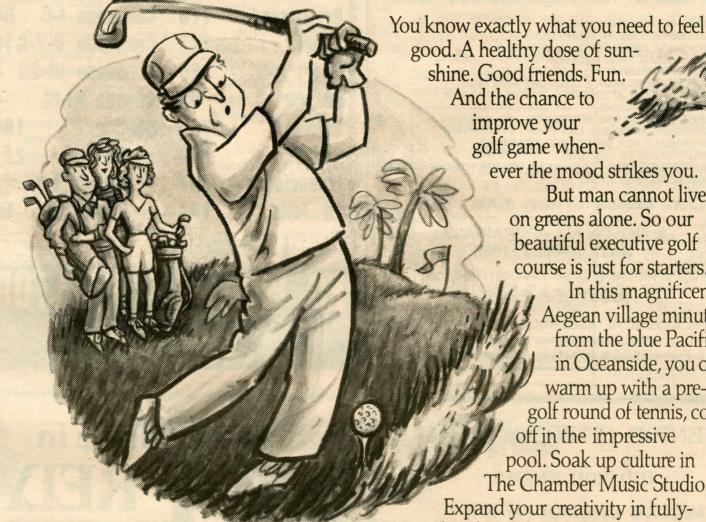
## By Don Holmes

The Orchestra has several "mini-concerts" booked already; some for Village organizations and some outside the Village. In addition, we are sponsoring a concert by the Ventura County Concert Band, who will play a Mothers' Day Program in the AR on Sun, May 8 at 2:00 p.m. Tickets will go on sale in April at \$2.50 each. The proceeds are for the benefit of LV.

Next Thursday, in place of our regular rehearsal. we will be playing for the Bocce Club in the AR. We will play some our new music, including the Strauss "Thunder and Lightening Polka," as well as some of our regular repertoir, such as the "Merry Widow Waltz' by Lehar. Recently we played an "outside" concert at the Juanita School in Oxnard, which will be reported in a separate article, and our next one will be for AARP in the Camarillo Senior Center on Mon, May 16 at 2:00 p.m. Both concerts were arranged by villager Rube Davis of the LV School Speaker Committee.

The orchestra rehearses every Thurs at 7:00 p.m. in the MPR. Besides keeping up our lighter repertoir of waltzes, polkas and marches that we use for our "miniconcerts," we have heavier classical works that we play for our own enjoyment. At present we have the "Poet and Peasant Overture," Haydn's "London Symphony," and "The Chocolate Soldier" in our folders, and in the bag, so to speak, we have Beethoven's "Fideleo" Overture, his "First Symphony" is on order, and we will be working on the Ballet Music from Gounod's "Faust" and on the Haydn "Symphony No. 88" soon. So if you are not afraid of doing a little hard work, come join us.

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## **Dance Workshop**

By Velma Cade

The Dance Workshop enjoyed an ice cream social following our dancing on Apr 12. John Kubica, and his committee Rhoda Smithkin, and Rea Williams did the serving of good ol' fashioned vanilla ice cream, and a selection of toppings!

At our last business meeting the club voted to send \$50 to the Ventura Co. Senior aging program.

The election of officers will be in May, so please come out and support the

Marguerite Abdelnour is teaching a new dance routine, so join us every Tues at 3:00 p.m. in the AR and dance for joy and good health.

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By Cy Maller

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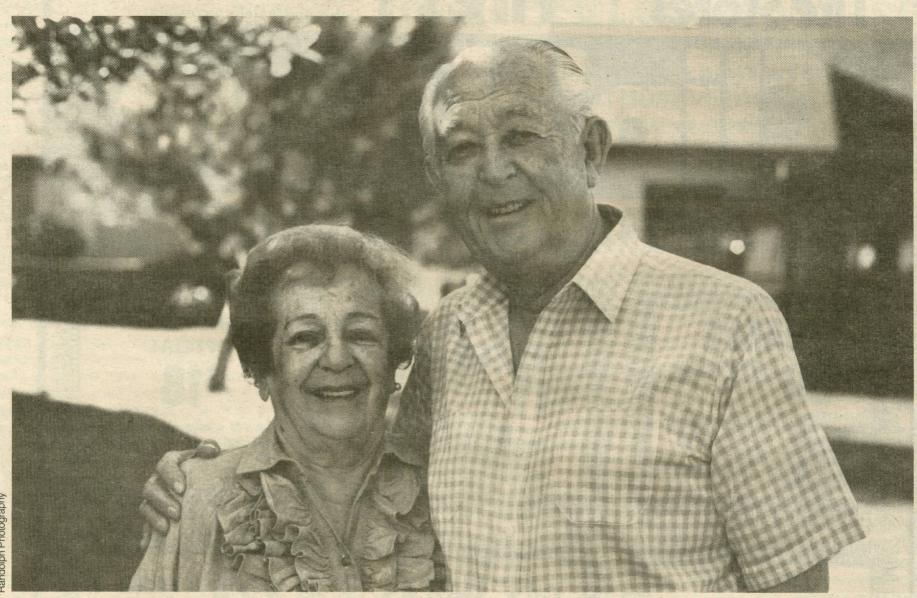
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