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Thanksgiving Dinner

The annual L.V.A. Thanksgiving dinner will be held Thursday November 25, 1993 at 3:00 p.m. in the AR. The dinner will be catered by DJ'S Catering of Camarillo and will be served buffet style. The dinner includes; roast turkey and dressing, green

salad, mashed potatoes, sweet potatoes and gravy, cooked vegetables, dinner rolls with butter and cranberry sauce. Dessert will be apple and pumpkin pie, coffee and tea are the beverages. The price is \$11.00 per person. Call the Recreation office for ticket availability 482-8961.



**Your
Neighbors
Care Group
Bulletin**

NEW L.V. FOOD SHARE PROGRAM

By Sandy Okum

As of November 1, Your Neighbors Care Group (Y.N.C.G.) with the help of Pat and Ed Holly and friends, will operate the L.V. Food Share program. Due to unforeseen circumstances, Bea and Sidney Rittenberg have had to turn the operation of Food Share to Y.N.C.G. The Y.N.C.G. committee gratefully thanks them for the great job they did.

All participants in L.V. will find a "Brown Bag" at their front door, every Thursday between 12:00

noon and 1:00 p.m. This bag prepared with items from Food Share, etc., is packaged at St. Columba's Episcopal Church. The Hollys and friends will deliver these to each recipient.

Through the generosity of clubs and individuals in L.V., we are able to supplement these "brown bags" with additional staples—food and household items, turkeys and hams on holidays.

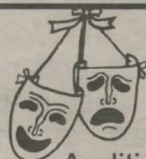
Make checks out to "Y.N.C.G./L.V. Food Share. Contact Sandy Okum 482-8125 or Sonia Brink 484-2387.

If you or someone you know has an annual income of less than \$8,500 single, or \$11,400 per couple, you can qualify for this program. Contact Sandy or Sonia. Confidentiality is promised.

Free Bus Service To Temple Etz Chaim

Commencing Friday, December 24, 1993, and the fourth Friday of every month there after, free bus transportation will be provided from Leisure Village Recreation Building to Temple Etz Chaim, Thousand Oaks.

Enjoy Shabbat services and the Oneg Shabbat afterwards. Bus leaves at 7:15 p.m. and returns here by 11:00 p.m. Reservations are a must. Call Joseph (Bernie) Silverstein at 987-6729.



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Women's Club Fashion Show



L to R: Evelyn Lacy, Dorthy Karlin, Iris Simmonds, Dorothy FencI, Blanche Follen, Rose Erney, Kay La Prell, Betty Murray, Jerrie Oeswein

Photo by Novick

The Leisure Village Women's club Annual Appreciation Luncheon was held on November 4 with President Piff DeSimone greeting the members and honored guests. Special thanks go to 2nd VP Dorothy FencI, Chairman of Ways & Means. This is a yearly affair to show appreciation and thanks to a hard-working membership.

Piff introduced several male guests who have "been there" for us during the year: Fred Dorward, Ralph Greene, Harry Helmstead, Bill Himstreet, George Huddleston, Art Kaufman, Max Klapper-

man, Roger LaPrell, Clary Morgan, Bob Novick, Joe Odenberg, Al Walker, and Harold Wickham. Gentlemen, the special jobs you perform for LVWC are essential to the success of our various functions thank you!

A delicious luncheon was planned for us by Hospitality Hostess, past president Carol Heyerick. Carol conducted a drawing after lunch, much to the delight of the winners of a bottle of wine, a gift certificate for McCarthy's Restaurant, and two gift certificates for a complimentary massage in your own home.

Our Prez then called the official meeting to order. The highlights were reports on the Annual Bazaar held on October 16

THANKSGIVING SERVICE

For information on Nov. 24, 7:30 p.m. A.R. Inter-Faith program contact Ed Holly who is the coordinator 987-1782.

TRIM TREE PARTY

Tree trim will be held on Dec. 6 1993 from 3 p.m. in the Assembly Room. The entertainment will be by the Rhythmettes. Punch and cookies will be served. All are invited to help decorate the tree.

this year. Piff again thanked not only the LVWC workers, but also the villagers who so wholeheartedly support all our affairs. The announcement of the slate of officers for '94 was made Kay LaPrell: Parliamentarian: Kay LaPrell; Corr Sec: Velma Hughes; Rec Sec: Alice Hinig; Treas: Sylvia Mopper; 2nd Vice-Pres.: Ways & Means: Dorothy FencI; 1st Vice-Pres.: Programs: Aileen Chuck; and Pres.: Renee Greene. The election will be held at the general meeting on Thursday, December 2 at which time 1st V.P. Renee Greene has scheduled a special holiday program prepared by Dorothy Karlin and Lorraine Friedman with lots of song, dance and (we hope) comedy.

After the adjournment of the meeting, Renee introduced Lois LengI, Manager of Camarillo Draper's & Damon's, who had graciously agreed to present this Fashion Show for us with a scant two-weeks' notice! It has been planned since March of this year to be given by another clothing source, but, at the last minute, they reneged. We are espe-

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INSIDE LEISURE VILLAGE

• OPINION •

LV Needs All Of Us

Most LV residents came here for some of the same reasons. We liked the beauty of the homes and the flowers, trees and greenswards around them. We liked the quiet streets and the mild climate. We liked the idea of being with retirees who might be interested in doing the same thing that we like to do. Perhaps what we value most is the security provided by walls, guarded gates and a capable security staff.

The climate and the quiet are free--so is the opportunity to meet congenial friends. However, much of what we enjoy costs either money or volunteer work, sometimes both. The trees, greenswards and flowers require maintenance, the recreation center with its meeting and card rooms, kitchen, etc., need both regular upkeep and occasional refurbishing. So do the pool, the golf course and other recreation areas too numerous to mention here. Insurance coverage and painting of exteriors are costly. The lists are long.

How often then, do we hear, "I never use the golf course, or the swimming pool or a club room and I shouldn't have to pay for them." That may be true directly, but indirectly each of us uses all of the amenities of the whole Village. It is obvious that the availability of these things keeps up the value of our homes, but more important, even those *which we do not use directly* help us to pay for the things that we all use. Without the golfers, or the tennis players, or the people who go to Bingo on Wednesday evening sharing the expenses of security, cable TV, etc., many of us could not afford to live here.

Nobody uses all of these good things, but the very strength of the Village is in its diversity. Can you imagine all 3700 of us showing up some morning at the golf course? Or all walking along Mountain View Drive at one time? We need all of us, but thank goodness, not all of us want the same things at the same time.

By respecting each other's needs, there is room for all of us, and by spreading the costs among so many, we keep fees at a minimum.

ABOUT NEXT MONTH

Coordinator for the next month will be Lois Atz. Please follow guidelines and be as brief as you can. Deadline for the December 31 issue will be Monday, December 13, 1993 at 5 p.m. To arrange for a photographer, call coordinator at least 3 days in advance.

INSIDE LEISURE VILLAGE

Editorial Staff

Lois Atz- Frances Gold

Jim Holthouse - Betty Murray

Coordinator for this month:

Frances Gold

Photographers Bob Novick and Max Klapperman
Reporters: Jack Whalen and Doris Achterkichen

Letters

ILV has obligated itself to publish most Letters to the Editors that are not profane nor libelous. However views or statements expressed as facts are the beliefs of the writer and are not necessarily supported by the staff of ILV. We cannot accept unsigned letters.

Dear "nice neighbor" who put my health insurance card in my mail box. You put your name on my phone tape, but somehow it got erased. Thank you, thank you! Please call me.
Erma Hopkins, V.34

Due to an obvious change in thinking and in Village policy leadership, the Village Voice has suddenly deteriorated into a one-sided propaganda piece. Never before has it carried what can only be described as "Letters to the Editor."

We take no issue with the people who wrote the letters, nor their contents, though We may disagree with them. Just as we have a right to speak or write a piece, so they too have those rights. But these are areas that have no place in any issue of the Village Voice. We resent the fact that we, as well as every other Village resident, are paying for the production and mailing costs of the "new" Village Voice, a publication that was, just a few months ago, an unbiased information bulletin on general subjects relating to the Village. It had never heretofore been used by any Board to promote the self-serving, back-patting ego trips that have surfaced among the contents of the last few issues.

The Voice should be reserved to report facts and is not the place for letters which are, after all, opinions. The proper place for them is in Inside Leisure Village which does not solicit letters but is always open for thoughts and ideas of the villagers in their columns reserved for opinions.

We strongly suggest that this present board rethink the manner now being used to communicate with the residents of this Village. To use the Village

Voice for other than its original intent is to violate and nullify the integrity of a once-upon-a-time good and unbiased periodical.

Robby Karlin, V.38
and Mike Sherman V.32

I was surprised to discover when reading the October issue of the Village Voice, that we have added a "Letters to the Editor" page. I have been under the impression that the Village Voice was published only to report on the decisions of the board, reports on the meetings, and notices of future events in the Village. With the addition of an editorial page with letters from villagers, additional pages must be added at extra expense. If we are to continue this practice we should include letters with opinions not favorable to the board as well as those that are favorable. I hope we can omit this practice. We all have a chance to voice our opinions at the monthly meetings and by writing to Inside Leisure Village.

Ruth Mary Crowell, V.13

In reference to the recent issue of "The Voice" I am puzzled over the inclusion of letters from Village homeowners. First, let me say that I have no quarrel with the content of the letters. Each of us is by all means entitled to express his or her views and ideas what I do question is the policy of using the Voice for letters. My understanding is that the voice is the official organ of the Association and is a record of business conducted by the board and committees, together with notices of meetings, etc. Is this a new policy of the board, and if so, what are the guidelines and what is the authority for publishing opinion letters? For example are all villagers now entitled to

have their letters published in the Voice? Finally who decides what letters from villagers will appear in the Voice? I believe this issue needs to be clarified. By the way, is it a coincidence or what that the same letters that were published in the Voice are appearing again in the October issue of Inside Leisure Village?

Bill Blauer V.38

Ed's note: In early September at least one board member was aware that ILV editors felt obligated to print all the letters that we had received to date. We only asked that the Board not send us anymore than we already had. It never occurred to us that those letters we had already accepted would be duplicated in the Voice.

On Friday November 5, Redick Wylie, V.30, called to report that he and his wife Eulaine had counted a flock of eleven robins in their back yard. Because of the unusual number, especially at this time of year he believes them to be survivors from the fires and I am inclined to agree with him.

Frances Gold, V. 11

The Emergency Services Organization wants to thank all of the residents who put out their flags on October 25 for the Disaster Preparation Exercise (DPX). We also send thanks to all of the Village Coordinators, the Alternates, the C-Bers, and Hams. We can't function without them.

Of the 2,136 homes, 1,733 flags were counted, which is approximately 80%.

In order to function in the way we hope Service Committee needs more volunteers for coordinators, alternates, C-Bers, Hams, and other committees. If you are new to the Village, or could help, try us! We need you.

Jack Myers, and Jack Bennett, Co-chairman, E.S.C

L.V. CHORALE

By Sylvia Mopper

It is my great pleasure to inform you that on November 21, the Leisure Village Chorale will participate in the "Celebration of Families" event.

Under the talented leadership of Marcene Jardine, this program will be held at the First Presbyterian Church on Ivywood and H Streets in Oxnard at 6:00 p.m.

The communities of Camarillo, Oxnard and Port Hueneme are participating and the mayors of these three communities are expected to attend.

This evening of song includes several choruses as well as one family of siblings and is dedicated to the beginning of National Family Week.

We urge all our friends and neighbors to attend for a few delightful hours of singing.

Memoriam
~~Dorothy Konecko, V.37~~
~~Eric Lovenberg, V.18~~
~~Jean Paul de la Garrigue, V.37~~
~~Irma Christensen, V.24~~

LIBRARY NOTES

The Library Committee says THANK YOU to --

*Those who responded to our plea for volunteers. Shirley Johnston, Lee Paxton and Billie McCormick are helping with magazines. Grethyl Dally,

Thanks Column

The following people wish to thank villagers for kindnesses received during periods of illness or loss of a loved one, as well as in celebration of a special event.

Margarete & Jules Nayfack - V.4
 Bill Ross - V.8
 Jennie Hall - V.17
 Ruth O'Rourke - V.24
 Mary de la Garrigue - V.37

Florence Farber, Beverly Fox, and Eve Wintroub are helping with both books and magazines.

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12/2	1:00PM	The Women's Club Meeting
12/6	10:00AM	LV Board of Directors Meeting
12/6	7:30PM	Your Neighbors Care Group Meeting
12/16	7:30PM	The Players Guild Meeting
12/17	1:30PM	The Keyboard Club Meeting

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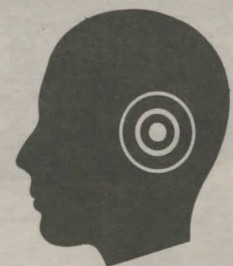
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By Esther Robbins Maltun, V.1

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Manger scenes and Santa grinning...
Dinners planned and kitchens humming
For the families homeward coming.
But for those who have no reason
To look forward to this season
Those for whom no lights are burning...
Those whose heavy hearts are yearning...
Not for them this season's joy...
No gifts for some small girl or boy...
For them, let us find the grace
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Newcomers: Do You Know About Y.N.C.G.?

By Sandy Okum

Y.N.C.G. are the initials for Your Neighbors Care Group. It is an organization formed in L.V. over 17 years ago. Our functions are as follows:

1. The first Monday of every month at 7:30 p.m. in the A.R., Y.N.C.G. sponsors a lecture by doctors and professionals on health problems, prevention, and treatment.

2. The third Monday at 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. in the A.R., free blood pressure clinic.

3. During October of every year, a flu vaccine clinic by the Ventura County Health Department.

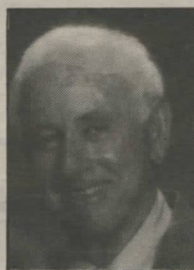
4. February: An Annual Health Fair. Local doctors and technicians literally screen you from head to feet free of charge. The local hospital offers a 24 chemistry blood panel at their cost. A hemocult test kit to check blood in your stool is \$2.00.

Other screenings include a dermatologist, audiologist, ophthalmologist, optometrist, dentist, podiatrist, blood pressure, etc. All health organizations have literature available--heart, lungs, cancer, diabetes, Hospice, etc. in booths.

5. Hospital supplies: wheelchairs, walkers, crutches, canes, toilet risers, commodes, shower benches, etc., are available free of charge. These are loaned to you for up to 4 weeks. If you need them longer, Medicare may buy them for you.

6. "Food Share" and supplementary program if you qualify.

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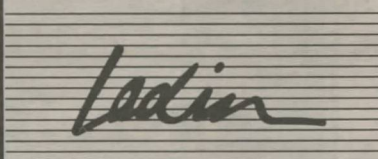
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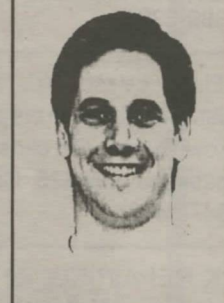
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By Jim Holthouse

Joan Johnson and the U.S. Navy Construction Battalion have more in common than you might think. Both have earned a "Can Do" reputation and live up to the Seabee motto, "The difficult we do immediately, the impossible takes a little longer."

Joan's next challenge requires the reputation and motto she and the Seabees share. FIDDLER ON THE ROOF is the Players Guild spring musical under her skillful direction.

FIDDLER ON THE ROOF is filled with laughter and tenderness and calls for a large cast, many singers and dancers plus numerous people with non-singing or walk-on roles. "Fiddler" provides a multitude of opportunities to be on stage in one of the all-time great Broadway musicals. Auditions are scheduled for November 20 at 10:00 a.m. in the MPR and November 21 at 2:00 p.m. in the MPR. If you want additional information on the show and auditions, please call Joan Johnson at 484-8600.

LEND ME A TENOR closed a successful 5-day run on October 14. The madcap comedy brought a

barrel of laughs to a large audience of villagers at every performance. Following the Sunday matinee, every one involved in the show was able to kick back at the traditional cast party.

Players Guild will climax 1993 on December 16 with a festive Holiday Party in the AR starting at 5:30 p.m. Tickets priced at \$15.00 per person go on sale in the Rec Ctr on Monday, November 15. Ticket hours are: Mondays & Fridays, 9 to noon; Wednesdays, 1-4 p.m. Attendance is limited to 200 members, so now's the time to purchase tickets. If you desire more information call Jackie Solway at 987-2586.



INDOOR OUTDOOR GARDEN CLUB

By Emma Norvig

Voting for the officers of the Garden Club for year 1994 took place at the

November meeting. Installation of the new officers will take place on Thursday December 9, 11:30 a.m., at Spanish Hills Country Club. A gala luncheon has been planned by Eleanor Nichols and her committee. Tick-

ets at \$17.00 each for members and \$18.00 for guests may be obtained from Eleanor (482-5775).

Guest speaker at the November 9 meeting was Sherry Sterns of Camarillo, a well known landscape gardener.

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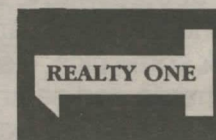
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VISION LIMITED

By Sophie Brown

Last month those in attendance at the Vision Limited meeting were treated to a display of the latest devices to help the visually impaired. This display was ably presented by Mary McGarth of the Ventura County Department of Rehabilitation and Julia McGarth of the Santa Barbara Center for the Blind.

A pre-Christmas dinner will be held instead of the regular Vision Limited meeting in December. It will be catered for the nominal sum of \$8.50. The time is December 7 at 12:30 p.m. in the MPR. Those interested should call Ann Gaynes at 482-7085

HEARING IMPAIRED SUPPORT GROUP

By Gabriel Barkley

The Hearing Impaired Support Group will meet on Wednesday, December 22 at 1:00 p.m. in the Multi Purpose Room. There will be no speaker for this meeting, instead we are having a holiday party. This is the one time of the year when we can all socialize with one another, enjoy each others happy talk, forget our diets by eating all sorts of goodies and really enjoy ourselves.

This article would be remiss without mentioning our new club secretary Sharon Griffin and our new program chairperson Belle Smith for supplying the October meeting with a lovely table of tasty refreshments. Rosemary Twitty is the new treasurer, and she announces that dues are now due for 1994.

Now please do not forget to come to the party on December 22, wear your LV badge and please bring a donation of goodies to help make it a real lively party. Everybody is welcome.



By Sam Weinstein

The Camera Club made history! Due to the outstanding work of the nominating committee (Ruth Pollaine and Lil Mankoff) the 1994 slate of officers is now complete and in place. This has never happened so early before. Officers for 1994 are: President- Marion Sevren, Vice President- Lil Mankoff, Secretary- Selma Seps and Treasurer- Milt Mankoff.

Bob Vanderhaven of Channel 12 is producing and filming a documentary on LV's clubs and on October 8 ten Camera Club members responded to Bob's request to engage in some typical Camera Club activity for him to film for his documentary. We met at the LV picnic area and took some pics, discussed cameras and settings and ended by taking pictures of Bob taking pictures.

The October 20 meeting was scheduled by Program Co-chair Sam Brown who arranged for Judy Bennis of Thousand Oaks to present her slide shows, "The Beauty of Nature" and "Children".

The Camera Club meets on the first and third Wednesdays of every month in the Club Room at 7:30 p.m.

CERAMIC MOLD DECORATORS CLUB

By Pepper Heimowitz

Look for the Ceramic Mold Hand Decorator Club's display table in the L.V. Annual Arts and Crafts Show on Sunday, December 19, in the AR from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

The next regular meeting will be on Wednesday, January 5, at 12:45 p.m. in the Ceramic Room.

We welcome all villagers to visit us.



By Cele Porges

After a short meeting of the Keyboard Club on October 22, there was a long and very interesting musical segment.

Libby Pierce, a new member and a welcome addition to performers, played some classical pieces on the piano. Others who entertained were Kurt Godfrey, Hannah Epstein and Irwin Porges on the piano; on the organ Harold Wickham and Guy Moshier. Bill Marvel did some lovely things on the digital piano. To end the music there were some exciting and toe-tapping musical duets with Irwin Porges on the piano and Bill Marvel on the digital.

Please note: There will be no meeting in December. See you in January. May 1994 be good to all.

WRITERS ROUND TABLE

By Cele Porges

The Writers Round Table is very proud and pleased to announce that two of our members received writing awards. Joan Bernard won an Honorable Mention from the prestigious National League of American Pen Women, Inc., 1993 Dorothy Daniels Honorary Award contest, Simi Valley Branch for her short story "It's Never Too Late." John Callas won the Editor's Choice Award from the National Library of Poetry for his poem "Opening Night Jitters". Congratulations to them both and may they go on to greater successes.

In the October 12 meeting Irwin talked about the writings of 1993 Nobel Prize winner, Toni Morrison, the first African-American to win this prize.

The December meetings of the Writers Round Table are December 14 and December 28.



By Don Holmes

The Gem and Mineral Club's meeting of October 27 was the last one of this year, unless you count the Annual Dinner at McCarthy's at 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 8. In addition, the club plans to participate on the Arts And Crafts Show, sponsored by the Painting Group in the AR on Sunday December 19.

The next meeting will be Wednesday, January 26 at 7:30 in the MPR. Refreshments. Gossip. See you there. Happy Holidays.



SOLO CLUB

By Jeannette Tait

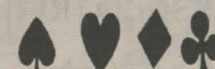
The Solo Club is having its Christmas dinner on Thursday, December 9 in the AR. The cost is \$10.75 and Monica Alves is taking reservations at 987-5477. There will be entertainment. The cut off date is December 6, so get in touch with Monica before then. The Christmas dinner is one of the highlights of the year. We hope to see you there.

There will be no brown bag lunch and business meeting in December.



Photo by Novick
John Callas & Joan Bernard won writer's awards.

DUPLICATE BRIDGE



By Lou Dektor

The growth of duplicate bridge in L.V. is shown by the number of players coming into the game. Recent first timers: Yolanda Lipscher, Elizabeth Hill, Lucy Gerhardt, Kathleen Borwick, Al Fox, Kay Bell, Marva English, Miriam Kouffman and Harold Marlowe.

70% games in September and October: Eleanor Girard and Blanche Burns, Bea Zisser and Herb Schwartz and Trudy and Harold Wolpa.

Leaders in the partnership competition: Is Acker and Eleanor Girard closely followed by Phil Duff and Sam Wiegert. In the individual category Eleanor Girard is 1st with Ed Hawthorne in 2nd place.

The intermediate class group is led by Paul Geller and Herb Marks and Trudy and Harold Wolpa.

This coming Monday November 22nd will be the annual bridge party at 7:00 p.m. in the A.R.

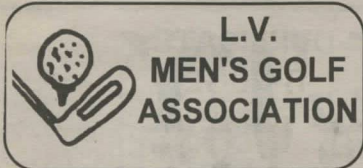
HAPPY HOOFERS

By Shirley Law

The Happy Hoofers are pounding the floor boards preparing for their next show, November 20 at Vallecito Mobile Home Park in Newbury Park. Bob Freedman, Bob Novick and Irving Goodnick will sing medleys of popular tunes between the dance routines.

On November 2 the group car-pooled to Thousand Oaks to attend the TV taping of the Life Style Magazine show.

With the holiday season just around the bend, the Hoofers are sharpening a special routine to perform at the Women's Club holiday show on December 2. Then on December 8, the club will have an annual potluck dinner for members, friends, and associate members.



By Herb Warneke
LVMGA members were very active in October. They competed on 10/5 and 10/12 for the Club Championship for the 93/94 year. Congratulations to all the winners as follows: Flight A Ross Houser with a sparkling 114. Alex Shustin was second with 116. Flight B ended in a tie between Jack Ansell and Ed Fitzer, each recording 125. Gil Weitz was next with 128. Flight C went to Bill Fox who shot 134, two strokes better than Milt Rosen.

A great Oktoberfest was enjoyed by both golf groups following the Scotch Twosome played on 10/19 and 10/20. The top were Doris LaPrell and Bill Voltz with a net 50. Second went to Shirley Fox and Barney Simon scoring 51 1/2 followed by Martha Nunn and Cecil Ganyard with net 52. The Oktoberfest which has become a tradition was coordinated by Ross Houser with many volunteers who deserve thanks from all of us.

The October regulation golf tournament was held on the 28th at Elkins. Overall and Flight A low gross honors went to Jack Neumeier who shot 86.

Low net, with a 66, was Syl Horwald while Chuck Thomas and John Dawley followed with net 70. At 71 were Wayne Wisehart and Willis Sanders. John Lacy won Flight B low gross recording 91. Low net was won by Dick Maitland with a 67, one stroke better than Gene Bookwalter. Ted Rose and Bruce Calkins tied at 70. Flight C low gross winner, with a 98, was Jay Praeger. Don Dance, shooting 68, took low net. A 71 by Floyd Case was good for second, one stroke ahead of Al Walker and Ernie Ohmstedt who shared third.

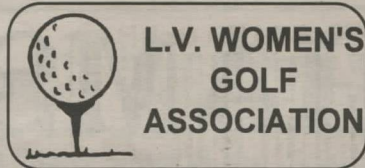
On October 31 the 19th Hole Party featured many costumes and an enjoyable social hour followed by morning golf results. Low gross at even par 54 went to Jerry Orth. Low net honors in Flight A to Syl Horwald who scored 52. A three-way tie for second — Chuck Thomas, Jim Mason and Bud Kennick at 55. Five men followed at 56 Flight B saw Paul Moyer the low gross winner with a 60. Bill Kidder's 51 was good for low net. Ted Rose, with a 53, was second, one stroke better than Jack Ansell. Al Walker won Flight C low gross recording 66. Low net to Mike Senko (51). Second to Ed Holly with 53 and George Dennis was third with 55.

urer, Donna Duke. Nominations will be accepted from the floor.



By Benson Smithkin
The meeting of the LV Amateur Radio Club on November 2 centered around the DPX (Disaster Preparation Exercise) of October 25.

Everyone welcomed George Stutsky, who holds license WB60IN, as the newest member of the club. Floyd Cook passed his Technician class exam



By Betty Bruce
The LVWGA had a general meeting on October 13. Many items were discussed, including plans for the Holiday Dinner Dance, which will be held on Friday, December 10 in the AR. There will be a live band and a catered dinner for members and guests. Cocktail hour at 6:00 p.m. (BYOB) with dinner at 7. The cost will be \$23 per person and tickets will be on sale through Dec. 3. Call Ruth Kent, 484-4280, or Kay Gregg, 482-8247, for tickets, or at the golf shack Tuesday and Wednesday.

The Scotch Twosome tournament was held on October 19 and 20. On Wednesday there was the "Oktoberfest" hosted by the men, with Ernie Ohmstedt arranging and Joe Kremmer supplying the home made bread.

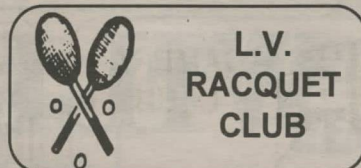
Regulation Golf was held at Los Robles on Oct. 21. The format was two best balls of the foursome. First place winners were Joan Johnson, Lois Kissinger, Ginny Mettler and Edna Mc Cormick with a score of 108.5. Second were Betty Bruce, Irene Cunningham, Mike Mancusi and Della Gageby. Third place went to Gertie Dorward, Marge Horn, Evelyn Lacy and Lindsey Merrill.

Coming events: November 22, putting tournament play off. November 28 Mixed Tournament. December 10 Holiday Dinner Dance.

Happy Thanksgiving to all!

and received his KE6BGX call sign.

The LV Amateur Radio Club is on the air every Thursday at 7 p.m. on 146.58 MHz simplex. The next meeting is on Tuesday, December 7 at 10:00 a.m. in the Lanai room. All are welcome.



By George Nolte
The Leisure Village Racquet Club met Wednesday, November at 7:30 p.m. in the MPR. President George Nolte presided.

A letter was written to the Ed & Rec Committee, requesting that windscreens be raised May 1 and lowered November 1.

George reported that a letter was written to the Ed & Rec Committee, requesting permission to play table tennis in the MPR Villagers interested in playing table tennis should contact Ed Polaine.

New officers are: President Max Nelson, Vice President Gil Bornstein, Secretary Sylvis Phillips and Treasurer Louise Ralph with installation at the December meeting.

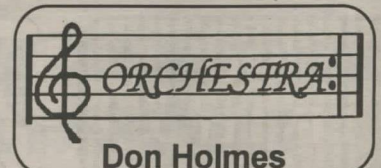
The winners in the October Tennis Tournament were: Jerry Knopf, Roy Poders, Ed Pollaine and Ben Smithkin.



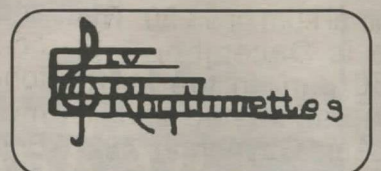
By Jack Whalen
Eight weeks of bowling have passed at press time and Team 10 is holding a nice lead over the other seventeen. Members are Lori Springborn, Art Gregerson, Anna DeFusco and Don Dance.

Barney Simon, with a high series scratch leads all men while Sam Wiegert with a 235 holds high game scratch. The high average man at this time is Joe Kremer with a 173, followed closely by Sam Wiegert and Al Sparkman with 172.

Esther Knopf, with a 520 score tops all ladies in high series scratch while Marty Gregory with a mighty 192 leads all in high game scratch. Esther Knopf, holding a 164 high average, is clearly ahead in high average.



Don Holmes
The Leisure Village Orchestra gave its traditional concert in the CR during the Annual Bazaar in October. The group was led by Assistant conductor Connie Andrews, while the regular Conductor, Don Holmes, played flute. There is no other activity on schedule except for regular Thursday rehearsals at 7:00 in the MPR. Except of course there will be performances on Thanksgiving and the Thursdays just before Christmas and New Years.



By Margaret Hines
The Rhythmettes are practicing holiday music, in preparation for the Village Tree Trim performance December 7 in AR. Ethel Belanger will be accompanist.

The call is out for new members. Some of the long time members have had to resign so more kazoos are needed, but other creations of a musical nature would be acceptable.

Please phone Piff De Simone, music director, 482-8414. Visit practice Tuesday in AR after 1:00 p.m., if you would like to see first hand how it all goes together. Happy Thanksgiving. Be thankful.

CERAMICS PLUS CLUB
By Don Holmes

The Ceramics Plus Club meeting of November 28 will be the last one for this year because of the holidays. We are having a workshop to clean the kilns and other stuff on December 23.

The Club will participate in the Arts and Crafts Show, sponsored by the Painting Group, in the AR on Sunday, December 19.

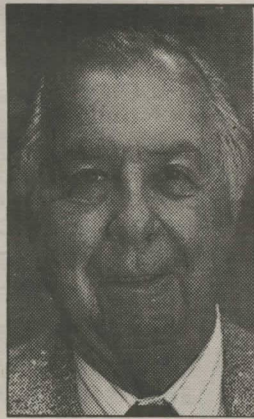


By Anita Trindl
A sincere thank you for the generosity of L.V.B.C. members who donated non-perishables and money at the October general meeting and through out the week for L.V. Food Share recipients.

The 1994 Nomination Slate was announced as follows: Pres, Irene Cunningham, 1st. V.P. Sid Yablum, 2nd V.P. Bill Obenchain, Secretary, Trudy Orsan, and Treas-

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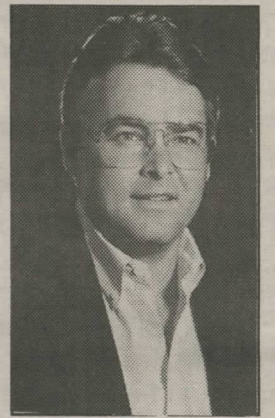
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By Florence Friedman
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Dance times-are Monday 12:30-1:30 p.m. for beginners, 1:30 - 3:00 p.m. for regular class teaching: Wednesday 9:00 - 10:30 a.m. review and new dances; Friday 9:00 - 10:30 a.m.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

We welcome new villagers and encourage you to join us. Success of the club is due to villagers who love to dance and faithfully attend.

The twelfth anniversary and installation of new officers will be celebrated in January. Enjoy the fellowship of friends and neighbors. No partners are needed.

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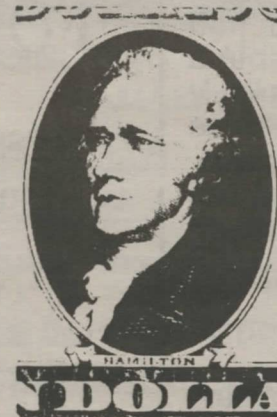
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VILLAGE SWINGERS SQUARE DANCE CLUB

By Anne Wolfson

The Village Swingers had a busy month starting with the general meeting "Ice Cream Social" on October 5 followed by the "Crazy Hat" dance on October 12. Most everyone participated to avoid being "fined".

On October 19, Bill Kramer, caller, taught some line dances along with our regular square dance. This was a lot of fun with everyone on the floor doing his best!

On each of these three weeks there were Round Dances between tips cued by experts, Cy Boynton and Lou Dektor and the Caller for Square Dances was Bill Kramer.

On October 26 was a "Halloween Dance." This was a fun dance with Bill Kramer, caller, and Bill Burrier cuer for the Round Dances. Bill and Edna Mae taught the new "Round of the Month".

There were some very original costumes for this dance with Mary Kovack as half man and half woman, Norm Fuller in a scary costume, completely disguised, but the best one of all was Minna Hudson, who came as a pregnant woman, and, at the end of the evening, produced a crawling baby doll!! This really gave us plenty of laughs.

The new policy of having the men volunteer to have their names drawn, so a single lady will have a chance to dance a few tips, is working out fine, and, is greatly appreciated by single members!



Happy Thanksgiving

From The Staff Of ILV

SWING DANCE GROUP

**By Marguerite
Abdelnour**

Swing Dance Group hosts Saturday Night Swing Dance. Join us in the AR, Saturday, November 20 and dance 8:00-11:00 P.M.



LV ROUND DANCE

By Bob Vanicek

There are benefits of Round Dancing other than being able to embellish and enhance one's performance on the ballroom floor. During a recent Elderhostel Dance Program, one of our couples took part in an impromptu dance production of "Stepping Out With My Baby."

We're taking a break from taped dance music to celebrate the 13th Anniversary and to bring "Hired Hands" with his Live Dance Music for your dancing pleasure.

Special refreshments, ice and mixes will be available. BYOB. Tickets at door, donation of \$3.00 requested.

Please come and enjoy yourself.

Their quick adaptation to this new and unfamiliar dance routine was attributed to steps learned from Round Dance Instructor and Cuer, Carol Archer right here in the AR.

So, while you're out for your Sunday morning constitutional walk, peek into either the AR or MPR and see what it's all about. There are three levels of Round Dance classes: Beginners, Easy-Levelers, and Intermediates. Call 389-1404 for information on which level you'd like to join.



SATURDAY NIGHT BALLROOM DANCE

By Anne Janoff

On November 27 the regular Saturday Night Ballroom dance will be hosted by Yale and Ella Lewine. This will be a good time for all feasters anonymous who indulged in sumptuous Thanksgiving gastronomy, to dance away some of those excess calories acquired at the holiday table.

On December 11. The Saturday Night Ballroom Dance Committee will be hosting a gala Christmas Dance. This is always a very festive occasion with special holiday decor and villagers in party attire, enjoying the spirit of the season. Admission for this dance is \$1.50 per person, payable at the door.

As always, during holiday time, many villagers have relatives and guests visiting. We welcome and

encourage all to come and share in the enjoyment of our dance evenings. Regular dances, 8-11 p.m. in the A.R., only fifty-cents per person. Coffee, tea, punch, ice available. BYOB.

Village Painters By Mildred G. Oberg

The Village Painters will meet on Wednesday, December 1 at 1:00 p.m. in the M/P/R. for a holiday party.

The Art and Crafts Show is scheduled for Sunday, December 19 from 10:00 to 4:00 p.m. We have some talented new members. And from our November Critique we predict a very good show. The craft groups will give their talented support in the AR.

Sarah Kramer's paintings will be in the library this month and the next. See you at the show! For more information please call 484-5112.

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WOMENS CLUB.....From Pg. 1

cially grateful to Ms. Leng and Draper's & Damon's for stepping into the breach for us and providing the beautiful clothes and sparkling commentary for our Luncheon Program.

Models were Rose Erney, Dorothy Fenc, Blanche Follen, Dorothy Karlin, Kay LaPrell, Evelyn Lacy, Betty Murray, Jerrie Oeswein, and Iris Simmonds. A Fortuny-pleated print dress reminiscent of the Twenties, Erte & Art Deco was dramatically modeled by Dor Karlin; petite Iris was smartly costumed in a kelly/royal 2-pc. knit suit complimenting her red hair and Irish birth; Kay was all set to "party" in a brilliant purple lace/sequined dress; and Dorothy Fenc was elegant in a 2-pc. lavender knit with coordinating floral print blouse on top. These are just a few of the twenty-seven lovely seasonal outfits modeled by our members.

At the conclusion of the show, Renee and Lois held another drawing for three more prizes: two gift certificates and a scarf, all provided by Draper's & Damon's.

Renee thanked the following people involved in the presentation of the Fashion Show: our models; Helen Gold for makeup; Ruth Ellison for backstage assistance along with Lois' two assistants; Irv Ellison for lighting; Morris Erney and Kay Murray for the safe descent of our models; Max Klapperman and Bob Novick, house photographers; Mort Linick for the programs; Channel 12's Art Kaufman for taping; and Harold Wickham for his beautiful background organ music.

All in all, it was a great day for LVWC - see you in December!

passed away late in October. Over the years she made many contributions including a manual for new volunteers using our MAX machine, the unit that presents "pages" during most of the 24 hours we are on the air and she also started the program now known as "Yes, Virginia, There Is Life Outside Leisure Village."

Many current Channel 12 members paid their respects to her son and daughter on October 31. We truly miss her.

No programs will show from December 20 until the Board of Directors meeting on Monday, January 3. Of course the "pages" listing coming events will roll 24 hours a day.

Giving the "Voice of the Village" at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesdays will be: Josie Cuffari December 1; Martin Alfred December 8 and Irv Leeds December 15.

On Wednesday December 1 at 10:15 we will

show the Womens' Club Entertainment of October 7, featuring vocalist Diana Debring.

"Belles of Harmony" with the Happy Hoofers will be shown Saturday December 4 at 10:00 a.m.

The Board of Directors monthly meeting will be shown live at 10:00 a.m. At 5 p.m. that evening we will show the Interfaith Service of November 24.

Wednesday, December 8 at 10:00 a.m. we'll show the Tree Trimming of 1992 while Saturday the 11th will be a Board of Directors tape replay at 10:00 a.m.

Lee Edwards will have a movie review Monday the 13 10:00 a.m. while the Womens' Club Annual Bazaar highlights will play the 15th at 10:00 a.m.

The last program of December will be Meet Your Neighbor featuring exercise specialists Bill Fox and Lorraine Kaplan.

Happy Holidays and New Year's Greeting's to all of you from Channel 12.



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Profile:

Mimi Chuntz

By Doris
Achterkirchen

Mimi Chuntz of Village 25 has a home full of treasures, some of which she has fashioned and others which she has collected. She, and her husband Bernie have lived in LV for 17 1/2 years. They moved from Encino because Mimi could no longer abide the noise and confusion of the freeway. They sold their home to Michael Jackson's sister, who took on the care of their dog. For a while they had visitation rights, but they stopped that when they saw their dog was loved and well cared for.

Mimi has been very active in the LV Variety Guild for 7 years, working mainly with props. Lately she has been involved with crafts. She has made pictures using rug hooking, china painting and needlepoint. She did a large needlepoint mat for a photograph of their three sons, she sews, makes pillows, and has made dolls, then painted and clothed them. She is now working on a doll house from a kit. Bernie has made parquet floors and she has fashioned a beaded curtain reminiscent of Victorian times, as well as three crystal chandeliers.

She also has made a whole family for the house--a mother and father, a baby, two older children, and a maid, all appropriately dressed. The doll house has been three years in the making and isn't finished yet. Mimi has made three other doll houses, two of which were raffled off for \$1600 and \$1200 before raffles were prohibited.

Her crafts are many. She has knitted two bedspreads using fine crochet yarn on No. 0 needles. She is currently making a wool afghan with an Indian design, and she also has made two quilts in the intricate cathedral pattern which took three years to

make.

Her extended family has met monthly for many years. At the 75th meeting a nephew made a family tree for every branch present and Mimi and Bernie made 48 wooden plaques, each with a photograph of her grandmother and her nine children. Mimi decorated each plaque with tole work.

One of their sons climbed Mt. Everest in 1992 and he and a friend were the first Americans to scale the Old Men of Hoy in Wales in 1975. He also has climbed Mt. Whitney, the French Alps and the Andes. His ambition is to climb the Eiger.

Mimi has collected many interesting objects, such as lovely dolls from the Franklin mint, a 22" carousel of porcelain, all hand painted. A beautiful large Applause sheep dog sits in the corner of their living room.

Mimi is very community conscious and serves on



Mimi Chuntz with a plaque she received for working with and for underprivileged children. She and her husband Bernard, share a hobby of making dolls and doll houses.

Photo by Novick

the board of the Children Services Auxiliary. This group raises funds to support their work. They augment what the county does for abused children who are in foster homes and who are wards of the court. They provide clothing at no charge for these children at the Elk's Lodge. There are between 200 and 400 children involved. Mimi says they try to act like grandparents to these children.

On Sunday, August 29, at a picnic Mimi received a plaque from Station KVEN and United Way which reads: "A salute for outstanding service to Mimi Chuntz, a special volunteer with the Children Services Auxiliary, August 1993."

Mimi is yet another person in the Village who in her quiet way makes a tremendous contribution to the community.

MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR

By Carol Heyerick

There will be no Meet Your Neighbor Meeting in November, but plan to come to the December 17 meeting. This will be in the Garden Room at 1:30.

The October meeting was opened by Hildi Lustig, chairman, and she gave a short summary of the many clubs in LV. She also mentioned the many outside activities such as golf, tennis, swimming and others.

Twelve new residents were introduced and were asked to tell how they found the Village.

Our two guest speakers were introduced, Lorraine Kaplan and Bill Fox, who are instructors for the Exercise Group.

Hildi introduced her Committee, and thanked Channel 12 operators.

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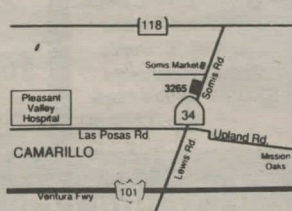
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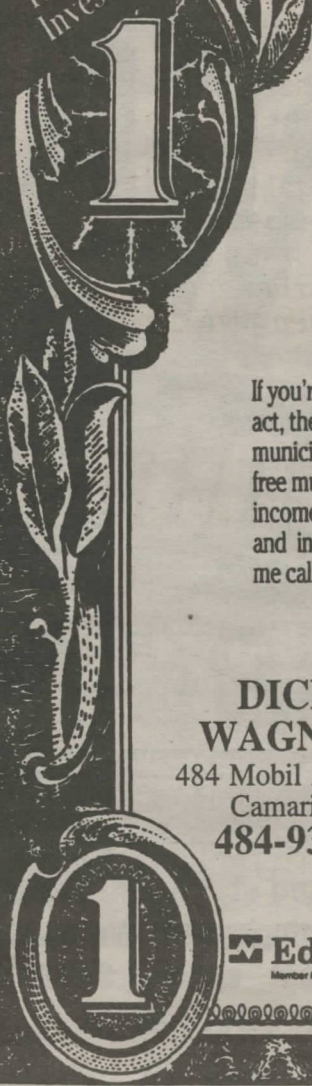
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