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Oct. 1 forum deals with upcoming election

Issues Forum is presenting two separate evenings of election and proposition discussions.

The first will be Monday, Oct. 1, in the AR from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Come meet the candidates. There will be two openings on the Camarillo City Council, and there are six people running: Bill Little, Kevin Kildee, Puneet Sharma, Matt Lorimer, David Schlangen and Chris Valenzano. They will be sharing their vision for Camarillo, and you'll have the

The Leisure Village Current opportunity to ask questions. For more information, contact Jim Mainland at 484-4546.

> The second meeting is Tuesday, Oct. 9, from 7 to 9 p.m., which will be all about the propositions on the ballot. We will have two Ventura judges speaking: Assistant Justice of the Court of Appeals Steven Z. Perren and the Honorable Melinda A. Johnson, retired. For more information, contact Rita Linsey at 484-8653.

> > The propositions are:

• 30 Taxes — Jerry Brown's Tax Increase

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In last month's issue. the story of centenarian Manny Shultz stated he drove a truck for a laundry firm while raising his three children. According to Manny's son, Sam, Manny actually drove a laundry truck at age 20 before entering the service, and later started Regal Furniture Manufacturing Company with a partner in Inglewood, designing custom furniture for 30 years.



Security surrounding Leisure Village became even more secure this summer. Residents may not have noticed. However, outside vendors, including pizza delivery cars and airport shuttles, are definitely paying attention to the change.

In July, the security rules were "tweaked," as Chief

they come in and out of the gates, no matter how regular their stops are here — are not admitted without a call or online request from the homeowner who ordered their service.

"Villagers call in passes for Please see SECURITY on 13



Photo by Jerry Spector

A courtesy shuttle is checked at the front gate.

82 homes in Village being re-roofed at \$3,000 each

By Bob Cohen

The roofers are coming! The roofers are coming! Well, actually, they are here.

Each spring, our employees survey all the roofs in LV and determine which need repairs or replacements. Three companies bid on the project this year with an approximate 10 percent spread between the high and low bidder. This year, All American Roofing won the contract for the first time with

a \$249,145 bid.

For that price, 82 living units will be re-roofed at an average cost of just over \$3,000 each. Fifty-three of those units have shingle roofs, the remaining 29 are flat roofs. The shingle roof buildings were approximately 24 years old, the flat roofs, which have a shorter lifespan, are 17 to 20 years old. The entire project is scheduled to be complete by



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Aurelie Zachary shows her Ventura County Fair ribbons. More winners. Pages 14, 15.

Please see ROOFS on 13 A home in Village 31 undergoes a roof repair.

refresher class.

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The next two-day, fourhour class for those who have never taken a safe driving class is Nov. 9 and 16 from 1 to 5 p.m. Pre registration is required. Registration is free for all veterans for the November class.

The cost is \$12 for members of AARP and \$14 for non-members. Your check is given to the instructor the day of the class and will not be deposited until after the class. For information and to register, please contact Claudia Roberts at 482-9904.

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VILLAGE HAPPENINGS



LVTV PROGRAM SCHEDULE **SEPTEMBER 2012**

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DAY	SEP	TIME	PROGRAM *(Note: OTR=Old Time Radio)	
Tues	4	10 am	LVA OPEN BOARD MEETING - Live	
Wed	5	10 am & 7 pm	LVA OPEN BOARD MEETING - Tape	
Thur	6	12 & 8 *OTR 7	Thursday Showcase - See LVTV Message Board for shows	
Fri	7	10 am & 7 pm	LVA OPEN BOARD MEETING - Tape	
Mon	10	10 am & 7 pm	What Was My Line? (11/28/08) (56 min.)	
Tues	11	10 am & 7 pm	Village Voices: Lin Grant and Don Marquardt (new)	
Wed	12	10 am & 7 pm	Current Issues Forum: Reverse Mortgages + Fraud & Scams (6/12/09) (1 hr. 27 min.)	
Thur	13	12&8 *OTR 7	Thursday Showcase - See LVTV Message Board for shows	
Fri	14	10 am & 7 pm	Bowling Club, RV Club, Showtyme, Boosters Club (28 min.)	
Mon	17	10 am & 7 pm	Women's Club: The Old Time Fiddlers (2/7/08) (1 hr. 5 min.)	
Tues	18	10 am & 7 pm	Players Guild: Casting Call (7/19/12)	
Wed	19	10 am & 7 pm	Shared Experience with Larry Sawyer (Oleg Lopatin & Lillian Hawthorne (57 min.)	
Thur	20	12 & 8 *OTR 7	Thursday Showcase - See LVTV Message Board for shows	
Fri	21	10 am & 7 pm	New York Club: Henry Samuels (10/4/07) (45 min.)	
Mon	24	10 am & 7 pm	Cooking Show: What Can I Bring? (12/12/11) (24 min.)	
Tues	25	10 am & 7 pm	Players Guild: Calendar Girls (2009) (43 min.)	
Wed	26	10 am & 7 pm	LV Goes to the Movies (new): Lin Grant, Larry Swartz, John Mayer, referee	
Thur	27	12 & 8 *OTR 7	Thursday Showcase - See LVTV Message Board for shows	
28	Fri	10 am & 7 pm	What Was My Line? (new)	
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Committees or clubs who would like to be interviewed, call Bob O'Connor at 437-6798. LVTV Committee meetings are held on the 3rd Thursday of the month at 9:30 AM in the MPR.

Committee Chair	Rita Linsey - 484-8653
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Program suggestions; book review volunteers	Judy Siegel - 384-9620
Message Board volunteers; filming events	Mark Smith - 388-1243
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October deadlines

Deadline for letters, club news, stories, photos and classified ads for the October 2012 issue is Thursday, September 20, at 5 p.m. The Display Advertising deadline will be Friday, September 21, at 5 p.m. Publication is scheduled for Friday, October 5. Please e-mail stories and photos to editorilv@yahoo.com. Typed copy, double-spaced, should be deposited in the ILV box in the Recreation Center hallway. Handwritten material should be submitted early to allow for typing.

Children learn how to bridge generations during LV visit

Talk about happy campers! You may have seen them on July 24. The Village was humming with activity, laughter, arts, crafts and dancing by visitors whose average age was about 9. It was a field trip by the kids of Camp Helping Hands who came to Leisure Village as part of their summer project to study the topic, "Bridging Generations."

More than 60 children and their counselors came from their camp in Thousand Oaks to get a taste of how we live.

Camp Director Meredith Cornelius reports, "Hands down, they said it was the best field trip ever."

The campers were hands-on in the lapidary room and ceramics where Norm Chapman "threw a pot for the kids" and gave them clay to work with.

"They had fun and asked a lot of questions," he says.

The kids learned how to make greeting cards with members of the



Photo by Stephen Wardle

Sharon O'Connor runs a line dance workshop for Camp Helping Hands.

Village Arts Club.

LV's dance instructor Sharon O'Connor taught four line dance workshops for the young hoofers.

"It was fun and rewarding," she reports. "They all learned the same dance, and then at the end of the day, everyone came back to the AR to perform it. That was exhilarating!"

For more than four hours, the kids learned some fine points about chess — indoor and outdoor — from Villagers. They played table tennis, Bocce and horseshoes with residents who showed them how to win at those games.

The day of learning, action and interaction was planned by Susan Rockwell, LV's recreation director.

"It turned out to be a great day," she says. "It was a success for the kids and the LV volunteers who showed them what being an active senior really means."

Meredith Cornelius describes the camp she founded as a service learning camp where kids have fun while learning the value of helping out in their community.

She designed the "Bridging Generations" program because "a lot of kids don't live near grandparents or others who are older. We want kids to interact with seniors."

She called the field trip a "very positive experience. Some of our campers said they wanted to live in Leisure Village."

And when they visited an assisted living facility the next week, the kids performed their Leisure Village line dance for that senior audience.



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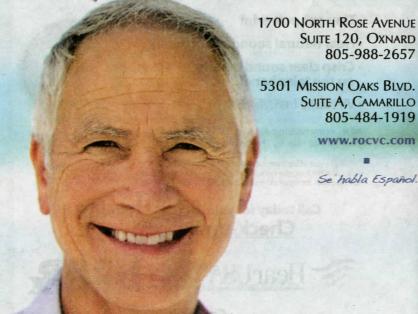
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Al Law, V. 30
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Joan Stone, V. 44
Sylvia Ginsling, formerly V. 17

To submit a memoriam call Loretta Reshes, 388-7116

Bill McGheeon, our friend, our mentor. Bill was born in Canton, Ohio, on Feb. 18, 1924. He passed away in Westlake Village on July 3, 2012.

Starting in the late 1990s until 2006, Bill was the only person teaching lapidary classes in Leisure Village. Up until 2005, he also provided individual instruction, in his home, on faceting gems. He continued teaching lapidary until shortly before his passing.

Bill was solely responsible for the purchasing of more modern equipment for the Lapidary Room. These "Genie" machines have enabled members of the Lapidary Club to complete the process of making cabachons on one machine, rather than several different ones. Instead of taking several days to complete this task, members are now able to create many items in the same amount of time it would have normally taken to make one.

Bill was also responsible for planning and organizing rock hunting field trips, especially to the Mojave Desert.

Lapidary has lost a great teacher and a greater friend. His patience with those of us who never thought they had a creative bone in their body was unsurpassed only by his knowledge and professionalism.

We will miss you, Bill. Rest in peace.

- Fil Barton, V. 34

Volunteers needed for local boards

Ventura County Supervisor Kathy Long invites county residents to volunteer with a county commission or advisory board. Taking on this volunteer opportunity is a rewarding experience and can make a difference in Ventura County.

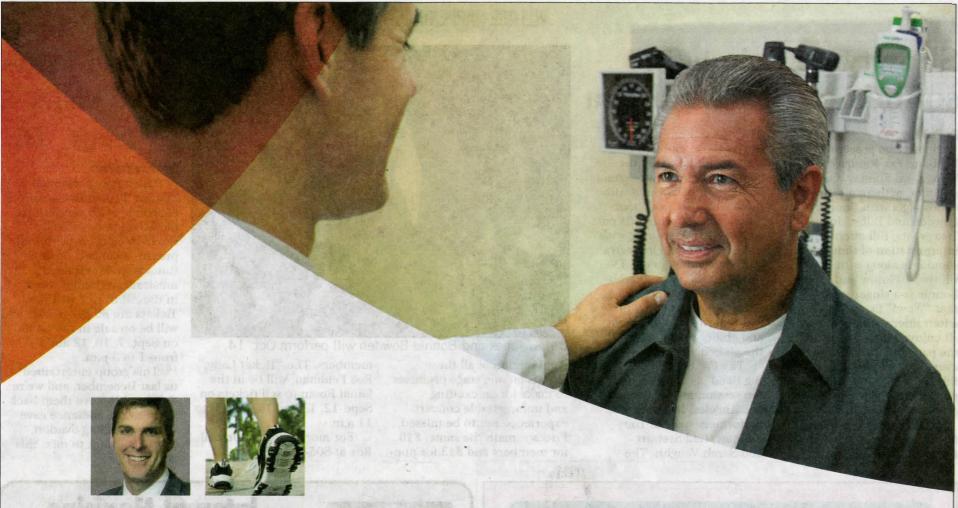
Long is looking to appoint individuals to serve on the following commissions and advisory boards:

- Alcohol and Drug Advisory Board
- HIV/AIDS Advisory Committee
- Mobile Home Rent Review Board
- Parks Advisory Commission
- Piru Cemetery District

• Piru Local Recreation Commission

A majority of the openings are limited to residents of the Third District, which includes Camarillo, Port Hueneme, Southeast Oxnard, East Oxnard Plain, Santa Paula, Fillmore, Piru, Lockwood Valley and the eastern portion of Naval Base Ventura County, Port Hueneme.

For more information on the commissions or boards contact Martin Hernandez at 805-654-2276 or Martin.Hernandez@ventura.org.









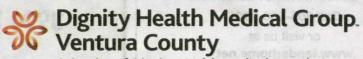


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Showtyme brings in sounds of Big Band Era

By Phil Kamens

Showtyme presents "The Big Band Era Returns to the Village" on Sunday, Oct. 14, at 2 p.m. with an afternoon of nostalgia with Bonnie Bowden and Bill A. Jones. Two greats, Bill offers a fresh interpretation of timeless standards along with Bonnie. who we all know and love. Bonnie is a singer with that "Wow!" factor - an entertainer who we have all enjoyed many times in the past and should enjoy even more accompanied by Bill and a big band. She will perform like you have never seen her before.

Bill A. Jones is also an in-demand singer who sings the great standards in the

tradition of Frank Sinatra. Bobby Darin and Dean Martin. He has been the opening act for Tony Bennett in addition to working with top big bands throughout Southern California. His past credits include touring with the Glenn Miller Orchestra and performing on the TV show "Glee." Patrons who have seen Bill at Leisure Village recall not only his warm baritone, but his wit and ability to connect with the audience.

The Pat Longo "Hollywood Big Band" is composed of top session musicians in Los Angeles. It has backed performers such as Tony Bennett, Rod Stewart and Sarah Vaughn. The



Bill A. Jones and Bonnie Bowden will perform Oct. 14. combination of all these talents on one stage promises to make for an exciting and unforgettable concert experience not to be missed. Prices remain the same: \$10 for members and \$13 for non-

members. The "Ticket Lady," Roz Feldman, will be in the Lanai Room to sell tickets on Sept. 12, 13 and 14, from 9 to 11 a.m.

For more information call Roz at 805-383-6566.

British Brass band visits LV Sept. 16

By Anne Wolfson

The highly acclaimed Ventura British Brass, an ensemble of 28 professional musicians sponsored by the LV Musicians Club, will present a concert of show tunes from movies and musicals on Sunday, Sept. 16, in the AR from 2 to 4 p.m. Tickets are \$5 per person and will be on sale in the Lobby on Sept. 7, 10, 12 and 14 from 1 to 3 p.m.

This group entertained us last December, and we're delighted to have them back again as the audience gave them a standing ovation. You won't want to miss this concert.

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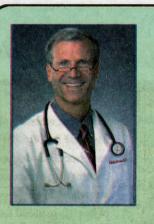
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New York director runs Players Guild acting class

By Joyce Belcher

Starting Monday, Sept. 10, in the Sun Room at 2:30 p.m., Players Guild will be running an acting class.

The class will be taught by director Diane Carroll. In New York she acted in many plays off Broadway, including "A Slight Case of Murder," "Come Back Little Sheba," "The Bad Seed," "Prelude to a Kiss" and many others. She also worked for producers-directors such as George Abbott and Harold Prince.

Along with acting, Diane had the opportunity to direct "A Thousand Clowns," "The Caine Mutiny" and "Happy Journey To Camden."

She received legislative approval and became a member of the Suffolk

County Film Commission in Long Island, N.Y. After moving to California she joined the boards of the llya Salkind Film Company and the Malibu Stage Company. She also co-chaired the Malibu Film Festival.

She directed "Glorious!" and "Looking for Normal" at the Malibu Stage Company. Most recently she directed the world premiere of "A Night at the Oscars" and was stage manager for Dick and Jerry Van Dyke in "The Sunshine Boys."

The best news is that Diane is now living here in Leisure Village and has volunteered her talents to the Players Guild.

The class will be limited to 15 students. If at this time the



Photo by Jerry Spector

Diane Carroll, who has acted and directed in many New York productions, has moved to Leisure Village and is teaching acting through the Players Guild.

class still has openings and you wish to join, please notify Joyce Belcher at 445-9500.

Players Guild wants input on workshop productions

By Stan Reshes

All Players Guild members who wish to participate in the 2013 workshop productions are invited to attend a special meeting to be held in the Sun Room on Tuesday, Sept. 18, from 3:30 to 5 p.m.

This is specifically directed to all members who wish to direct, produce or perform. Volunteers for set construction, training on the sound board or camera, and

those who simply have ideas for workshop productions will be welcome to present their ideas.

This meeting will also be the first for scheduling the Players Guild 2013 production dates.

The meeting is open and all Players Guild members are welcome to attend.

For further information call Stan Reshes, vice president of programming, at 388-7116.

Latin aerobics class offered

By Sue-Ellen Colp

Come join us for Latin Aerobics, starting Sept. 13 at 3:30 p.m. in the AR. Sign up in the Recreation Office. Cost is \$30 for 10 weeks. If you like mambo, salsa and chacha you will love this class, set to Latin music. Hope to see you there. For more information call Sue-Ellen at 805-312-1991

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Schifanelli earns international commendation from Lions Club

In recognition of his service to community and to the Lions Club, Leisure Village resident Paul Schifanelli was named a Melvin Jones Fellow, an international commendation initiated by the Fillmore Lions Club.

Paul was an active member of that group from 2004 until 2011, when he and his wife Joyce moved from Fillmore to Leisure Village.

Lions Club International is the largest service club in the world with 1.36 million members who "do whatever is needed to help local communities," according to Paul.

The award ceremony in April was a complete surprise to him and Joyce, who thought they were being invited to the club's annual installation banquet, supposedly to help serve dinner.

"We had no idea until they called my name," he recalls with a smile and the acknowledgment that lots of people helped to make his projects successful.

The honor carries with it a humanitarian contribution in Paul's name from the Fillmore Lions Club to the international foundation. The Melvin Jones Fellowship donation can restore the sight to 167 individuals.

Lions Club International congratulated Paul by writing, "You should take great pride in knowing you will impact so many lives, both in your immediate community as well as across the globe."

Being active in his community is a habit for Paul. He started the Leisure Village Wii Bowling Club last fall, a "huge success, thanks to the help of numerous volunteers," he says, with over 130 active members to date.

As a Melvin Jones Fellow, Paul's name has been added to a permanent list of honorees at the Lions Club



Photo by Jerry Spector

Paul Schifanelli, an active member of the Llons Club in Fillmore from 2004 until he moved to Leisure Village in 2011, holds the plaque honoring him for his many contributions.

International Headquarters in Oak Brook, Ill.

Sign up now for Holiday Tour of Homes

The Leisure Village Camera Club and the Boosters Club present a Winter Holiday Tour of LV Homes fundraiser Saturday, Dec. 15, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

We are looking for people who enjoy decorating their homes for the winter holidays with Hannukah, Christmas or any other winter-themed decorations and would like to share the results with Village residents.

If you would like to participate, please call Robin Shubb at 377-8887 or Jean Kohut at 987-4708.

Even if you do not decorate, if you have remodeled your home and would like it included, please call.

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LVA finds way to cut electric bills

By Bob Cohen

We think of Leisure Village as our residence—our home. So it is logical to think of the Association—the Rec Center, Maintenance facilities etc.—as part of our residence. But it is not. The Association is a business and as such must pay commercial rates for the electricity we collectively use.

The difference is startling. For example, the annual meter charge that we pay to SCE for our home is approximately \$10.59. Each meter costs the Association \$240 or nearly 24 times as much, and that is just the beginning. Where we as individuals may be charged as much as 18 cents a kilowatt hour (and in case of minimal usage, less), the Association pays considerably more in the case of low usage meters — an average of \$4.41 a kilowatt hour since that rate includes the meter charge. Multiply that by the number of low usage meters that the Association has and you get a significant number.

For example — and more to the point — the Association has sprinkler controllers spread throughout the development. Each of these requires electricity, and by extension,

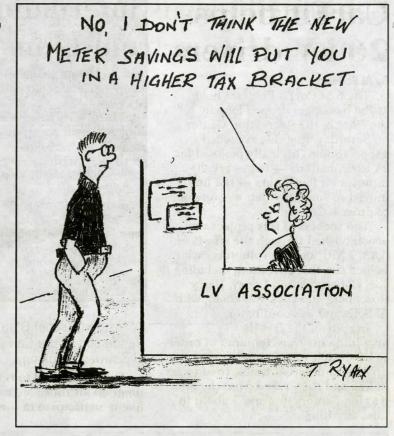
an electric meter. All are billed at commercial rates. In fact, in a number of cases, the sprinkler controllers on a given meter use so little power that we were not billed for electricity, just the \$240 meter charge. There are a total of 68 low usage meters controlling sprinklers.

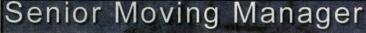
Ross Edmonds and the Clean Energy Committee uncovered this problem and, after a technical and financial investigation worthy of an MBA thesis, came up with a simple solution, one that has been approved by the Board: Buy the electricity from our homeowners rather than from SCE.

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CarFit helps 26 LV drivers

By Al Schwartz

The first CarFit Program held at the passenger dropoff loop in the front of the Recreation Center on Saturday, Aug. 11, exceeded expectations. Originally planned for 24 examinations — two every 20 minutes for four hours — the line moved so smoothly that we were able to process 26 cars.

The success of this project was accomplished through the efforts of AAA, AARP and the volunteers who helped run this operation, including Joel Cohen, Sharon Loney, Harry Rosenberg and Dick Wakefield, with Al Schwartz as coordinator.

In spite of the fact that appointments were required in order to have each vehicle inspected, five drivers, at different times, tried to get in line and then asked what the line was for. Seniors just aren't about to miss anything!



Photo by Jerry Spector

LV resident Isabel Blau discusses the settings in her car with David Henderson of the CarFit Program as fellow LV residents Sharon Loney and Al Schwartz look on.

I've been asked to rerun this program for those of you who would like to participate in the future.

Appointments are required, so if you are interested, call Al Schwartz at 482-4299.

Electric bills cut

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are quite generous. Cooperating homeowners will get a \$100 incentive payment for allowing the Association to connect to their home. Then they will receive an annual payment for electricity used at a rate of 50 cents a kilowatt hour — approximately three times the amount paid by the homeowner. There is no maximum, but there is a minimum of \$12 even if the amount of power used is so little as to not affect the bill. From the Association perspective, annual savings will be approximately \$14,250 and that number is forecast to grow each and every year as start-up costs are amortized!

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Some home sales after 2013 will result in higher taxes

By Sharron Parker Troop Real Estate

Have you heard or read that if you sell your house after 2013, you will have to pay a 3.8 percent tax on the net investment?

This only applies to those with income over \$250,000 if married, or \$200,000 if single. Secondly, when a

home is sold, taxpayers can exclude the first \$500,000 of gain if married or \$250,000 if single.

Here is an example. If a married couple bought a home for \$400,000 and sold it for \$1 million, they would have a gain of \$600,000. The taxable gain would be \$100,000. If their total income is less than \$250,000, there is

no tax. If their total income exceeds \$250,000, then their tax would be 3.8 percent of \$100,000 or \$3,800.

Aside from the possible tax on real estate sales, the tax will also apply to other net investment income such as interest and dividends. Again, this only applies to people with income in excess of \$250,000.

For more specific information, please contact your CPA or tax specialist.

— Sharron Parker is a licensed Realtor with Troop Real Estate. She can be reached at 805-443-1998 or via email at sharronbparker@aol.com.

EPO looking for 25 volunteers

By Karen Eckles

The Emergency Preparedness Organization is seeking 25 residents to participate in a 90-minute focus group. The EPO is experiencing an exciting growth period and we need your assistance. If you are interested in participating, please call the number below.

We are also looking for volunteers who care about their neighbors and our community to fill current and future positions. Many of our volunteer positions require approximately an hour a week. We also need volunteers to help with one-

time projects. Currently we're seeking a technical writer, individuals to make calls, village coordinators, assistant coordinators, and individuals with computer skills, as well as many other positions.

Helping others is not only rewarding, it's fun. You get to meet interesting people and develop friendships with your fellow EPO volunteers. Whether you're homebound or on the go, just call and let's discuss what the right position is for you.

Call Karen Eckles at 437-6782 weekdays after 10 a.m.

THEATER BEAT

Camarillo Community Theatre: "Assassins," Sept. 28 through Nov. 4. 330 Skyway Dr. Camarillo, 388-5716.

Conejo Players Theatre: "The Bad Seed," Sept. 14 through Oct. 6. 351 S. Moorpark Road, Thousand Oaks, 495-3715.

High Street Arts Center: "Showdown at the Bombay Corral," through Sept. 23. 45 E. High St., Moorpark, 529-8700.

Simi Valley Cultural Arts Center:

"Damn Yankees," Sept. 8 through Oct. 14. 3050 E. Los Angeles Ave., Simi Valley, 583-7900.

Elite Theatre Company: "The Sunset Limited," through Sept. 16. 730 S. "B" St., Oxnard, 483-5118.

Rubicon Theater: "Private Lives," through Sept. 30. 1006 E. Main St., Ventura, 667-2900.

Santa Paula Theater Center: "Hello and Goodbye," Sept. 7 through Oct. 14. 125 S. 7th St., Santa Paula, 525-4645.

LOOKING BACK

By Marilyn Holthouse

- September 1977, 35 years ago: Ardith Chism of Village 6 was named the chairman of the new Information Committee for New Residents, now known as the Welcoming Committee.
- September 1982, 30 years ago: Ken Orton became the 200th member of the Hole-In-One Club.
- September 1987, 25 years ago: Dorothy Fencl was chairman of the LV Women's Club Annual Bazaar.
- September 1992, 20 years ago: Writers Round Table and Clog Dance groups were approved by LVA Board.
- September 1997, 15 years ago: LV Women's Club donated \$8,000 for automatic doors for the Recreation Center.



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It's tomato time! Put them in a pie for a Southern treat

By Susan Amerikaner

It is tomato time in Leisure Village. Whether you have a farmer's plot, an upside-down grower or patio pots, you know you love 'em! I plant some in pots every year, trying to recapture the flavor of the Maryland tomatoes we used to buy on the side of the road. If you can get yours before the LV squirrels do, you can eat them up plain — or use them in recipes.

This is a lighter, healthier version of a "Southern" Tomato Pie. By using a small amount of mild cheese, this recipe really highlights the tomatoes. A friend of mine, Henne, came up with this recipe, so it is named for her.

Henne's Southern Tomato Pie

1 refrigerated store-bought pie crust

One 4-oz. package crumbled goat cheese

3 large Vidalia onions, sliced thin

3 local or heirloom tomatoes

2 Tablespoons Olive Oil

1 Tablespoon Butter Grated Parmesan cheese

Bake pie crust according to directions in 9-inch pie plate or quiche pan. Cool completely. In large frying pan, heat the oil and butter. Add onions, stirring till they are brown or "caramelized." Sprinkle goat cheese on bottom of pie crust. Put onions on top of cheese. Slice tomatoes and arrange on top of onions. Sprinkle Parmesan cheese on top.

Bake in 350-degree oven for about 25 to 30 minutes. Remove from oven and let sit for 10 minutes. Serve warm, room temperature or cold. This is supposed to serve 6 to 8, but frankly, when I make it, I tend to have four big servings all for me.



Photo by Erik Amerikane

This Southern Tomato Pie is a healthier version of the American classic.



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Bible Study resumes after hiatus

By Carol Cannell

The Leisure Village Bible Study will begin again after a summer hiatus. Now would be a good time to try us out. We began meeting every Tuesday morning last Tuesday, Sept. 4, from 10 to 11:15 a.m. Our meetings are held at Emeritus, just outside the Village. We meet in a very nice room with comfy chairs. There are 20 women from Leisure Village who are regulars who have a great time and are a very friendly group.

No matter what religion you are, you will enjoy studying the Bible with us. We are taught by local pastors who rotate weekly. There is no homework. You just come and

Please call Carol Cannell at 987-7570 for more information.

Roof repairs now under way

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mid-November.

Most of the shingle roof projects are in Villages 32, 33 and 35. The flat roof homes are scattered throughout LV.

Roofing replacement activity varies from year to year based on need

rather than fixed schedule. In all cases however, the cost is paid from our reserve funds.

Even though the roofs are inspected every spring, homeowners who suspect there may be a problem with their roof are encouraged to immediately notify the Association.

Security beefed up at gate

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guests to their homes; they must do the same thing for Roadrunner or the pizza man or the plumber, too," says Segovia. "We want to know where everyone who is granted access is going."

Adding teeth to the entrance gate policy did not occur after a problem. It grew from a homeowner question at the June Board meeting. Aleta Howarth was surprised to see the plumber in his truck in front of her house before she had called the gate with a request to admit him. She wondered why some familiar vendors were waved through.

"It was a good question," recalls LV General Manager Robert Scheaffer, "that led us to take a look at the policy that is already in place and how it was enforced."

That review led to the tighter security.

At first, the unmoving gates surprised some regular vendors. One Roadrunner shuttle was stopped outside while the guard phoned the homeowner to confirm the pick-up. There was no answer to several calls. Finally, an LV patrol officer drove to the house where the Villager was outside, luggage at the curb, waiting for the shuttle. The vacation began without further delay.

Most regular vendors now are familiar with the change and are alerting homeowners of the need to call the gate before they arrive for business.

No complaints from or serious problems for outsiders or residents have been reported.

"Villagers are paying for security," says Scheaffer. "Now they are getting even more for that money."





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Leisure Village makes mark at Ventura County Fair

Residents bring home ribbons

By Marion Green Photos by Jerry Spector

The Ventura County Fair is always a fun event. Whether you spend a few hours or a whole day, it is something special to look forward to each summer.

This year's theme was "Rides, Ribbons and Rodeos."

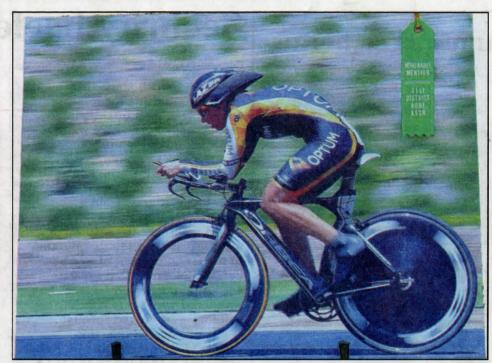
There is a lot to do and see, and many of our residents enter into some of the competitive events held each year. There is a lot of talent here that was recognized with many winning ribbons.

Last year the Ventura County Fair Photography exhibit had more than 1,900 photographs to view — quite a daunting figure! It was a little harder to find the winning photographs this year because the Fair management decided to reduce the ribbon size, probably so as not to cover the picture. The final ribbons awarded were normal in size.

This year's award-winning Camera Club members were Bob Kaplan, Renee Kaplan, Jean Kohut, Rita Linsey, Bill Margulies, Al Sarnelle and Jerry Spector. Their winning pictures covered a variety of categories; several were in the Creative category where pictures can be modified using software designed for that purpose.

The Village Arts Club in Leisure Village covers a variety of media also, evident when reading the winning categories. Winning members at the Fair were:

- Marilyn Gibbs, who won third prize for her acrylic "Chalet" and third prize for her collage "Hound Dog."
- Mary Kraus, who won a first-prize ribbon for her collage "Flowers," second prize for her acrylic "Hibiscus" and a third-place ribbon for her oil painting "Shepherd's Dwelling."
- Pat McGregor won a Special Award and a first place for her watercolor "Appaloosa," first place for her mixed media "WW1 Warrior" and second place for "Rose Awakening" in oil.
- Aurelie Zachary won first prize and was nominated for Best of Show for her ceramic "Mama &



Bill Margulies' winning photograph.



Pat McGregor

Baby," second prize for her collage in glass "Peacock," second prize for her watercolor "Sweet Sixteen" and Honorable Mentions for her acrylics "Guard Dog" and "Running Free."

• Gwen Zimring garnered a first-place ribbon for her pastel "Homecoming," second-place ribbon for pastel "Dancer" and Honorable Mention for "Mojave Poppy Field" done in oil.

Be sure and congratulate these folks the next time you see them.

Perhaps you can be inspired to join them in the Photography and Village Arts clubs. You might be a winner next year!



Al Sarnelle



Bob Kaplan



Jean Kohut



Rita Linsey



Jerry Spector



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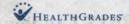
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Showtyme

By Phil Kamens

Karen, Jocelyn and Pat form a trio that calls itself "Sentimental Journey." And they are aptly named as they sing the songs of the '40s, '50s, '60s and beyond. They mix up their repertoire with duets and solos.

Local venues they have performed in include the Plaza Hotel in Century City. Castaways in Burbank, the Sportsman's Lodge and the Braemar Country Club. They will appear Friday, Sept. 14, at 7:30 p.m. in the AR. It's a show not to be missed.

And if you haven't yet signed up as a member, please bring a check to this meeting. Dues are still only \$7 for the vear January through December.

Saturday Nite Dance Party

By Andrea Moran

The response to our Saturday Nite Dance Party is growing. There are more single men, which is a plus for the ladies. Thanks to Wayne King for getting new groups for our dancing pleasure.

The September lineup is as follows: Sept. 8, Ed Lafatta, who plays at the Goebel Senior Center in Thousand Oaks; Sept. 15, Wyatt Haupt; Sept. 22, Dick Parent; and Sept. 29 is to be announced — a new rock band, perhaps?

We really have fun, and the dance floor is great, along with the music. Come join us at 7:30 p.m. each Saturday night. You will be hooked.

SAS Dinner Out

By Zeida Greentree

We must be doing something right. The Aug. 14 dinner at Ottavio's attracted close to 40 people. It's our own Olympic record!

Next month's dinner date will be Tuesday, Sept. Il. I usually don't give my advice unless asked to do so,

Take a deep breath: Holidays are coming

By Lorraine Comer

It's that time again to start getting ready for the holidays. We all want to breathe better so we can enjoy having company or be able to go and visit others.

The best way to do the things you want is to be able to breathe without added problems of taking a deep breath. So come to the next Better Breathing class, scheduled for Thursday, Sept. 20, at 1 p.m. in the MPR. I will answer questions so that you can work on improving the amounts of exercise that can be done with each breath.

The holidays are important to all of us, so again I will try to give you hints about making the things we do every day easier. Bring your questions, and I will try to answer them. Maybe others in the class have ways to answer them also. As usual, by the end of class the chairs will have lost weight. I am looking forward to the next class. See you soon.

but my advice at this time is to call Lee Edwards at 484-3289 to make your reservation as we may need to limit the number of guests Ottavio's can accommodate. Don't forget we meet on the second Tuesday of each month.

Also, our group would love to invite a few "good" men to join us. Please don't be scared away from the mostly women diners. We are harmless! I'm sure you will be happy you took the leap.

Wii Bowling

By Carole Warren

Wii Bowling has added a session at 6 p.m. on Tuesday nights. This is in addition to our regular bowling sessions on Tuesdays and Thursdays, day and night. Apparently the word has spread about how much fun it is, and new bowlers are joining up all the time.

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If you are near the Annex and hear the sound of people having way too much fun, that would be the Wii bowlers! We are an enthusiastic group and enjoy electronic bowling. which requires no shoes, no bowling ball and only the ability to point and click a remote control!

If you are not familiar with Wii Bowling and are interested in joining a team, please call Paul Schifanelli at 419-4124 and schedule a training session. If you are an experienced Wii bowler, call Carole Miller at 383-6715. Openings are still available.

On Sept. 10, we will be competing against Wii bowlers from all over Ventura County at the Pleasant Valley Senior Center. Eight of our best bowlers — most with averages over 200 — will be there representing Leisure Village. The action starts at 9:30 a.m. and is open to the public.

Among the many games over 200 last month were William Lamar, 202; Sylvia Edmonds, 224; Joan Levy, 217; and Paul Schifanelli, 222

Billiard Club

By Jack Quinn

The 9-ball tournament ended on Aug. 14 and the winners are:

In the 'B' group, first place, Joe O'Connor; second, Al Schuster; third. Merle Ruiz.

First place in the 'A' group was Janice Runnels, second Vera Erskine, third Pat Gunning.

First place in the 'SA' group was Jack Ouinn, second Sam Kay, third George Lueke.

Congratulations to all the participants.

Sign-up sheets are posted in the Billiard Room for the 1&15 8-ball tournament that starts on Sept. 24. Additional information is also posted.

The next monthly meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, Sept. 25, at 7:30 p.m. in the MPR.

LV Pet Club

By Mary Ann Robnett

August was a quiet month for the Pet Club. We are inviting all Villagers with pets to attend our Sept. 10 meeting at 7 p.m. in the MPR.

Dr. Beatrice Battier, DVM, will be our speaker addressing senior pet issues. She is a valuable resource for the Pet Club and talks about both dogs and cats. Do come and join us.

LV Women's Golf Association

By Jan Gerk

We hope everyone enjoyed the Tee Timers on Aug. 15. Thanks to all who came to play and also enjoy the delicious lunch prepared by Wilma Hutson and her crew. Thanks, Wilma!

All four weeks in September

will be the Ringer Tournament. Any questions and to sign up, please call Joyce Ehrhart at 437-6736.

Our next meeting will be Sept. 12 at 2 p.m. Don't forget to come at 1:30 for snacks and conversation. We look forward to seeing everyone there.

General questions, please call Naomi Sklar at 388-5999.

Friday Night Country Western Danee Club

By Sue-Ellen Colp

The next dance will be Sept. 7 at 7:30 p.m. Dance lessons will begin at 8:15 p.m. Sue-Ellen will be teaching, and it will be a surprise, just like Jim did last month, and that was a cute dance that Jim taught and was enjoyed by all. Thank you, Jim.

We had a full house and never enough time to play all the dances on the list. Our DJ Marshall tries, but we

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always seem to run out of time. Thank you to everyone who has been bringing snacks; they have been so good.

So come on down and join the fun. You don't have to dance, you can sit and socialize with everyone. We are a friendly group and welcome everyone.

Hope you have been enjoying this hot weather, but it is nice and cool inside. So, we'll see you on Sept. 7. BYOB, Cost is only \$5. Coffee, water and punch is served along with all types of goodies.

LV Bowling

By Marty Simons

The 2012 -2013 is set to begin on Friday, Sept. 7, at Harley's Camarillo Bowl. There will be at least 16 teams of guvs and gals showing off their bowling skills. A list of teams is on the bulletin board in the atrium of the Rec. Center. Practice begins at 9:30

a.m. and play for keeps at 9:45 a.m. Beginning with the October issue of ILV, we'll tell you who bowled 200 games and who the winners of the side pots were. We're looking forward to another season of good bowling and good fun.

Camera Club

By Marion Green

The Camera Club had its annual potluck, and a delicious time was had

We welcomed Jim Paliungas as the evening's judge. In the Assigned category, which was Shadows and Reflections, the winners were: first place, Gary Greffley; second place, Florence Gillman; and third place, Jerry Spector. Honorable Mentions were awarded to Judy Spector and Laura Greffley.

In the Open category, Jean Kohut won first, Verna Cryder won second, and Larry Forkner took third.

Honorable Mentions went to Don Treadwell and Florence Gillman.

In the Creative category, Jerry Spector won first, Marlene Votion won second and Bill Margulies won third. Honorable Mentions were awarded to Vic Fledge and Judy Spector.

The club eagerly awaited the results of their entries into the Photography competition at this year's Ventura County Fair. Winners are shown in the center package of this edition of ILV.

In September our meetings will return to the first and third Wednesday of each month at 7 p.m. The assigned subject will be Photojournalism/Action. As always, residents are invited to attend our meetings; no camera is required. Just come and enjoy the judging and later. the refreshments.

If you have any questions, please call Ken Walker at 987-0111. Photography hint: Don't throw

your camera manual away. Read it frequently and store it somewhere handy, like your camera bag.

Computer Club

By Barbara Krohta

The Computer Club meets on the second Friday of the month at 10 a.m. in the Multi-Purpose Room (MPR). The next meeting is Sept. 14. The club offers training, support and informational meetings for club members. All sessions are in the Computer Room in the Annex unless otherwise noted.

• MS Office classes: Second, third and fourth Mondays, 9 a.m., for members who have registered with John Corbin at 437-6180. Minimum class size of 4.

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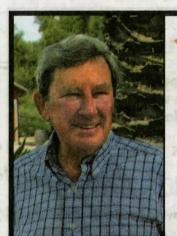
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• CIPCUG (Channel Islands PC User Group): fourth Saturday, 8:30 a.m., Boys and Girls Club, 1500 Temple, Camarillo; www.cipcug.org

Contact Duane Waln at dlwaln@ roadrunner.com for Mac assistance or John Corbin at areospace@msn.com for PC or elub information.

LV Musicians

By Anne Wolfson

The LV Musicians who entertained in August were Stan Vansant on soprano sax and clarinet, Don Stevens on trombone and Sam Arouesty on sax, both accompanied by Stan, and Dick Guttman on organ.

This was a fun evening with lots of audience participation.

The LV Musicians will meet again Oct. 11, as there will be no meeting in September.

Travel Club

Time for an overnight trip. Join us tripping to the Aquarius Casino in Laughlin with only winning thoughts going through your mind. Bingo on the bus, too! The trip is Sept. 10-12, meet at 8:30,a.m., return at 6:30 p.m. Cost is double \$133 per person, single \$165. Escort is M. J. Porter.

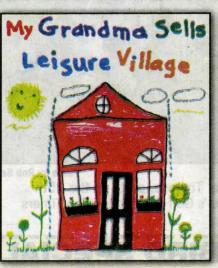
Hit the Glendale Theater for the musical "Little Shop of Horrors" Saturday, Oct. 6. Price is \$87 and includes lunch at the Tam O'Shanter Inn with choice of rotisserie chicken, Atlantic salmon, or Toad-in-the-Hole. Meet at 10:30 a.m., return at 7 p.m.

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Men's Golf

By Rob Sollett

As many of you may know, I don't participate in tournament golf. It's a thing with me. However, I recently took part in the Women's Tee Timers Tournament and to my amazement, I had fun. Really.

I had the pleasure to play with Therese Kaiser and her husband. Conrad, on the back 9. Hey, let me tell you, Therese, who admits she only plays in special tournaments, can swing a club with the best of them.

"I've been playing for about 40

years, 10 here in Leisure Village," she recalls.

The Conrads have a lifetime of playing golf together. After meeting at a church function, they discovered their love of the game, which quickly grew into a love for one another. Conrad admits: "Golf brought us together."

I watched as they cheered each other on and cried together at their mistakes - truly, a love made on the

Merle Ruiz organized a wonderful tournament, and Wilma Hutson created a flawless lunch in the AR.

Thank you, LVWGA, for a wonderful event and the opportunity to meet the Kaisers. (Not to mention the five bucks I won.)

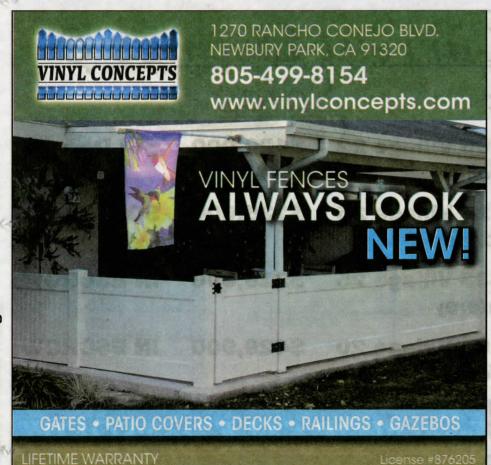
It was a matter of time, a real nail biter. Who would win the first Sandy Birdie pool?

Wait no more, dedicated readers, for it was Reuben Ruiz who, on July 31, hit his ball out of the sandtrap and into the hole.

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Photo by Rob Sollett

Conrad Kaiser holds the pin as his wife, Therese, putts on the 15th green during the Leisure Village Women's Golf Association Tee Timers Tournament.



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recalls. "I was playing with Jerry Johnson, who yelled 'Great shot!' as the ball rolled into the hole for a birdie. I was jumping up and down and pumping my fist like Tiger Woods.'

Ah, the glory of tournament golf. A high give goes to Bob Amantia

Regulation Golf is looking for you. If you want to hit the big clubs at nearby courses give Mannie Abbate or Ernie O a call and join a group of dedicated golfers. Dust off

Tuesday, Sept. 25, is the 4th polish your clubs.

Play well, my friends.

RV Club

By Fred Sass

The next meeting will be Tuesday, Sept. 25 at 6:30 p.m. If you are new to Leisure Village and have an RV, come and visit our meeting. We love to meet new people.

Shuffleboard Club

By Diane Hawrylo

We are having a good time at shuffleboard, and people are always interested in participating.

For this year's budget, we are asking for two more lanes, a shed close by to store our equipment. new scoreboards for the California game (we originally had them, but construction workers tossed them out), overhangs for the scoreboards and players, lighting for night play and safety of everyone, and other budget

items for replacement of equipment, supplies and other maintenance. We are not asking for as much as we had before. We will notify you of the results when they are known.

The Mavericks

By Margo Secia

in August was a huge success. A big thank you to all of you who participated. It was fun enjoying the beautiful day in the park and eating tacos. A big round of applause to all

September, but you may want to start thinking about your Halloween costumes for our Masquerade Dance on Friday, Oct. 26, at 7 p.m. in the AR. Tickets will be \$5 per person and are available from any board member after Oct. 1. Please look for all the

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the prize winners.

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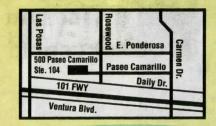
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ILV issue and the September e-news.

If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to contact President Sharon Loney at 987-8292.

Village Arts

By Rita Linsey

On Wednesday, Oct. 3, in the MPR at 1 p.m., Phyllis Doyon, artist and teacher, will be critiquing members' artwork. Phyllis is a Board Member of the National Watercolor Society, member of the Collage Society of America, the Channel Islands Art Center, the Thousand Oaks Art Center and Women Painters West. Phyllis has had more than 40 solo shows, and her paintings have been award winners at numerous exhibitions and in various private and corporate collections throughout the United States.

The next fun and fabulous event is the annual art show. "Festival

of the Arts," on Sunday, Nov. 11, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the AR. Join us and enjoy all types of paintings, Chinese painting, Camera Club photos, Quilters' work, Woodworking, Origami, Lapidary, Jewelry, Miniatures, Ceramics Plus, and Ceramic Mold. Adding to the festivities will be wine, appetizers, music and an art demo.

For more information regarding the art show contact Rita Linsey at 484-8653 or rdlinsey@gmail.com.

Sing Along Group

By Anne Wolfson

The Sing Along Group will be meeting in the AR on Mondays, Sept. 10 and 24, from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Come join a happy group and bring your friends and neighbors. We have songbooks, and either Irene Olson or Stan Vansant will play your request on the piano. We've discovered some very

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good singers who have gone on to sing in shows on the stage! Who knows? You could be next! See you in September.

Women's Club

By Rita Linsey

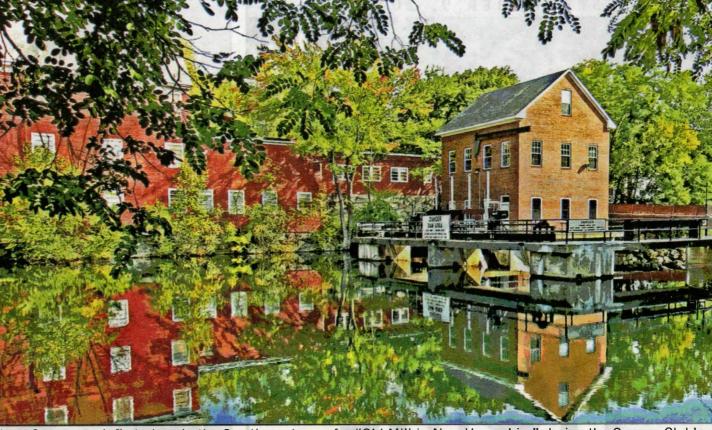
Don't miss this apportunity to attend the first-ever evening meeting of the Women's Club in September. Dancing Stars are coming to LV on Thursday, Sept. 13, at 7 p.m. in the AR, featuring local professional talent from Dance, Dance, Dance Studio, including Jamie and Gail Arias, Enchante Studio owned by Melanie Dayan, and Dance Ten Studio featuring youth contemporary dance. Tickets are \$5 and will be on sale every Monday and Friday in the Rec. Center Lobby from 9 to 11 a.m. and every Wednesday from 1 to 3 p.m. until Sept. 12. For more information contact Wilma Hutson at 383-2022 or Joyce Baker at 889-5866.

Exercise Group

By Joan McConnell

This group continues to perform each weekday morning south of the swimming pool. Many fine spaces are available, and if you live in Leisure Village you are pre-qualified to join us.

Forty stretchers met in the picnic area June 19 for a first-



Jerry Spector took first place in the Creative category for "Old Mill in New Hampshire" during the Camera Club's monthly competition for August.

class barbecue. Thanks to the combined efforts of Millie Seidman, Mike Sirelson, Harry Rosenberg and Dave McConnell, our group enjoyed a savory combination of steak and chicken, baked beans, salad, watermelon and homemade pineapple upside-down cake. An after-dinner serenade was led by Helen Newton, honoring Irene and Jerry Segal and their 60 years of

wedded bliss.

As advertised, the prizes were plentiful. The first prize of the evening was awarded to Mary Spooner, who out-putt all the old duffers. The luck of the draw favored Flo and Sy Ross, who won a beautiful flower bowl and a \$50 gift certificate to Aloha Restaurant. Virginia Carbajal won another beautiful flower bowl and a pair

of tickets to the Rubicon Theater. Doris Segal won the remaining flower bowl, along with a gift certificate. Gifts and proceeds from the event resulted in a \$200 check forwarded to the RAIN project. Our thanks and gratitude to all who made that possible.

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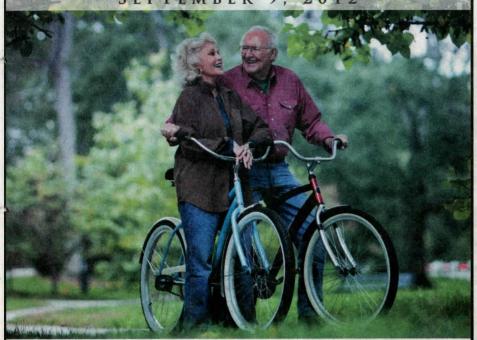
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Jean Kohut took first place in the Open category for "Swallowed Beauty" during the Camera Club's monthly competition for August.

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In an effort to upgrade our Culture Quotient, our special events planner devised a trip to charming downtown Santa Paula. The Art Museum, particularly the gift shop, grabbed a lot of feminine attention. Quite a bit of jewelry and a couple of candlesticks found new homes, demonstrating our developing art appreciation. Just five minutes from the Art Museum is the Agricultural Museum. Well worth a visit, the museum documents and pays tribute to the area's history. There is an interesting collection of photographs, farm equipment and household goods. Many of us learned which Ventura County city is named after an apricot, and one or two of the more intrepid stretchers learned how to identify the queen bee in the large hive artfully displayed behind glass. Jerry Cohen, an agricultural buff and tractor connosisseur, shared some valuable information about feeding lemons to cats, cautioning that it could result in

a sour puss.

The next special event will be a Great Breakfast in late October.

Come to stretching; you'll get plenty of notice to save the date and to make your reservation. Even if breakfast is not your thing, you can enjoy some fellowship and dumb jokes and maybe win a prize.

Beginner Line Dance

By Tina Nunnally

The Beginner Line Dance class meets on Tuesdays from 3 to 4 p.m. in the AR. Sharon O'Connor is the dance instructor. Regular attendance is recommended in order to learn basic steps and dances. We dance to various styles of dance. It is great exercise and lots of fun. Come join us. Upon request, help will be available before and after class. Contact Sharon at 389-6834 for more information.

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The Stoners

By Fil Barton

The Stoners were quite busy during the month of July, as well as August. On July 24, both Lapidary and The Stoners participated with demonstrations and creations of beaded bracelets for Helping Hands Day Camp. The campers' ages ranged from 6 to 16. The campers were accompanied by their counselors, who participated as well. It was difficult to say who had a better time, the campers or the counselors. In Lapidary, each participant was able to leave with a rock collection that was placed and identified on foam squares.

In August, two of our members who had entries in the Ventura County Fair won ribbons. Although the awards were not for Lapidary or Stoners' work, they should still be recognized. Pat McGregor won

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By Sue-Ellen Colp

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For more information call Sue-Ellen 805-312-1991.

a first- and second-place ribbon for her artwork in the Senior Division, and Pinky Palladino won a first-place ribbon for her entry in Geneology.

We had a great time celebrating our July birthday at the Texas Cattle Company and we'll be celebrating our August birthdays at Little Thai. In observance of our September birthdays, we will be having a barbecue pot-luck.

The Stoners continue to meet in the MPR from 3 to 5:30 p.m. every Monday. Aleta Howarth has been teaching new techniques in wirewrapping.

In addition to our Monday meetings, Betti Hendrickson has been teaching the art of beading on Mondays from 2 to 4 p.m. in the Ceramics Room and Wednesdays from 1 to 4 p.m. in the Lanai Room. There is no meeting on the second Wednesday of each month.

Betty has been teaching Peyote, Herringbone, right-angle weave and other patterns using small beads to create beautiful jewelry. For further information, you may contact Betti at 832-8440.

The Stoners continue to do jewelry repairs for a donation to Lapidary. We are happy to report that those who have had their repairs done by the Stoners have been extremely pleased with the results.

Everyone is welcome to stop by

any Monday to see what we do. This is also a good time to bring us your needed jewelry repairs.

For further information, you may call Fil Barton at 987-3637.

Players Guild

By Joyce Beicher

Thursday, Sept. 20, at 7:30 p.m., Players Guild will hold its meeting in the AR.

Following the meeting there will be a workshop. I'm sure everyone must know of Buster Hayslett's singing talents, especially after "Gigi" and last month's "Made in the USA" workshop put on by Marty Simons. Well, this month his wife, Sue-Ellen Colp, will be putting on "Buster and Friends." It will showcase his wonderful musical talents as well as those of his friends. So make sure you don't miss this funny and delightful musical show. As usual, there will be delicious refreshments afterwards.

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By Barbara Yago

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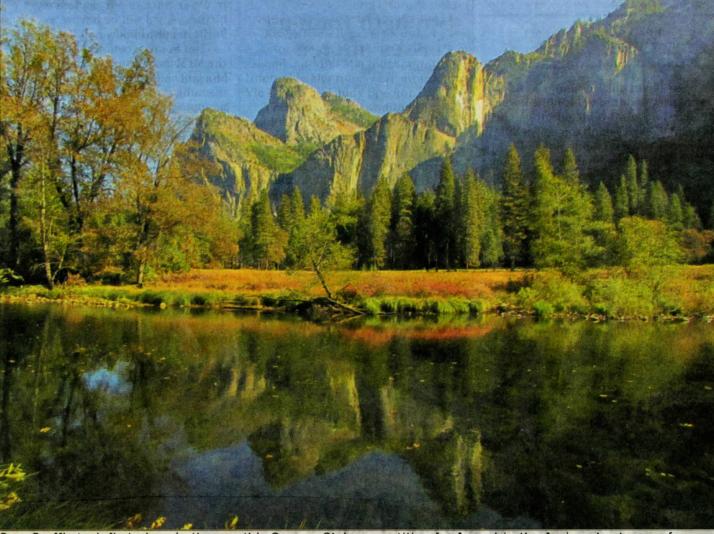
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Your first class is free, so you can come and see what we do and hopefully you will want to join us on a regular basis.

So, come check us out any Monday, Wednesday or Friday at 9 a.m. in the AR for a fun, healthy hour. Don't forget to bring water to help keep you hydrated, wear comfortable clothing and some rubber-soled shoes.



Gary Greffly took first place in the monthly Camera Club competition for August in the Assigned category of "Shadows and Reflections" for his photo, titled "Yosemite Reflections."

Woodshop

By Chuck Russell

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

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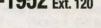
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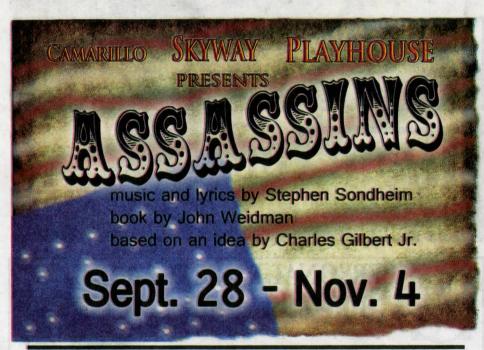
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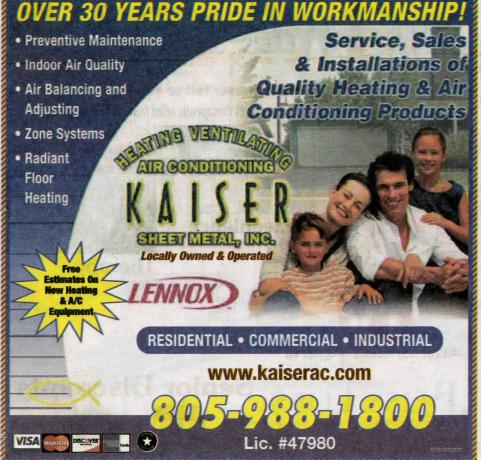
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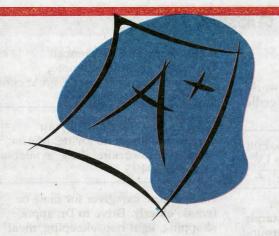
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