

The Champagne Village Times



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Happy Easter

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Board Meeting Notes Approvals:

Board Approves Major Paving Project

On March 24th the Board approved paving the entire community in one major project. Staff has been directed to secure bids for this project and have them ready for discussion and subsequent approval at the April Board Meeting. Approval of this project will save the Community a minimum of \$90,000.00 versus completing this project over a period of several years. Anyone who would like more information on this topic should plan to attend the Board Meeting on April 21, 2004 or the workshop on Monday April 19, 2004

Next Board "Workshop": April 19, 2004, at 9:00 AM, in the Card Room. (Always held the Monday prior to the Board meetings.)

Next Regular Board of Directors Meeting: April 21, 2004, at 1:00 PM, in the Village Hall.

Office Notes

Office Closed: The Office will be closed on Good Friday April 9, 2004.

Delivered Items: By the time you read this issue of the CV

TIMES you will have received a large envelope, which contains the following items:

A new Resident Directory, a copy of the audited financials for fiscal year 2003, a replacement page for the By-Laws and a replacement page for the Rules and Regulations. If for some reason you did not get this packet please contact the Office.

VOLUNTEERS PLEASE NOTICE

Please sign in the Village Office if you have volunteered during the past two years. The dates are: May 2002 through May 2004.

Your board will be recognizing you on Thursday, May 13th at 1:00 PM with a luncheon in the Village Hall.

This will include everyone (Friends Helping Friends, Road Clean-Up Crew, Etc.)

Come to hear how much you are appreciated!!

Board Minutes and financial statements are available in the small card room for your reading. SAC financials are posted monthly and may be viewed at this same location.

MESSAGES FROM THE OFFICE

Pool Area to Be Closed

The Pool and Spa Area will be closed for major renovation beginning on April 5, 2004 through April 29, 2004. For safety reasons the gates will be locked and there will be no access to either the Spa or the Pool. The exercise facility will be available for use; however you will need to use the west entrance. This schedule is subject to change and any changes will be posted on the pool gates and on the Bulletin Board at the mail center.

Notes from the Community Manager

It appears that it is time to revisit several topics that have been addressed in the past.

- With the implementation of the new automatic locking door devices it is imperative that all doors are completely closed at lock up time. Please do not leave the doors propped open. This will prevent the doors from locking properly.
- Anyone using the Village Hall for any gathering must empty the trash at the conclusion of the event. This includes all clubs as well as individual parties.
- **Everyone must** shower prior to entering the pool or spa. This is part of the Health And Safety Code as well as just common decency. Please remember to turn the showers off completely!
- The Office has had numerous complaints about speeding within the Community. Remember that the **speed limit is 15 MPH.** The intersection of Terrace and Skyline is of particular concern. Also remember **Stop means Stop!**
- Pets may be walked only in the approved **Pet Walk Area** and must be on a leash at all times. Owners must clean up after their pets; this includes the **Dog Run Area!**
- Remember that all metal mailboxes must be replaced by the new wooden style prior to July 1, 2004. Contact Tom Henderson at (749-6869) for details on purchasing these mailboxes.

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By Sue Kessler

FIRST FRIDAY DANCE

FRIDAY, APRIL 2nd. SOCIAL/DANCE 5:00 PM.

April's social/dance includes pizza and salad, along with great dance music. All for only \$5.00. Sign up now! Contact Martha Sumner (751-4012).

GAME NIGHT

MONDAY, APRIL 12th.



Mark this date in your calendar now.

Play various board games with your neighbors in the Village Hall beginning at 5:00 PM. Bring finger foods to share.

SOL DINNER DANCE

FRIDAY, APRIL 16th.

The Southwest dinner will include a Caesar salad, chicken tortilla casserole, chips/salsa, southwest cornbread, and pineapple upside down cake for dessert. Sol, the entertainers, have been playing at Hacienda de Vega for the past year. Their Salsa music is fun to dance to - for couples and singles alike. It's also fun just to watch for those who prefer not to dance. The sign-up sheet is in the hall. It's at 5:00 PM and it's only \$10.00 per person. Any questions- please call Linda Harper (751-0075).

PICNIC IN THE PARK

FRIDAY, APRIL 18th.

Spring is in the air and soon the baby ducks will be out. Our picnic area is such a beautiful place; let's enjoy it together with a pot luck and games on April 18th at 4:00 PM. Please bring a dish to share and your own drinks. We will furnish paper plates, napkins, dinnerware, coffee and cups. Call LuAnn Rowe (751-0172) if you have any questions. There will be No sign up - just come and enjoy!

A SAC UPDATE

In order for Village Residents to enjoy the labors of the decoration committee, it has been decided that holiday decorations hopefully will be placed in the hall at the beginning of each month, so that our hall will always look festive. In the future, private and

club parties should call Sue Kessler (749-3059), so that we may coordinate decorations.

PERFORMING ARTS

By Joyce Harrington

Over a quarter of a century ago, Tim Rice and Andrew Lloyd Webber wrote a fifteen minute "Pop Cantata" for an all boys choir, based on the Old Testament story of Joseph and his brothers. Thirty-five years and many evolutions later, "Joseph and The Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat" exploded onto a stage at El Camino High School in Oceanside. It was performed by the professional non-professional company called Christian Youth Theatre (CYT).

Boundless energy, love of life, vibrant costumes and breathless choreography touched everyone in the audience and sent us home humming all the way. "Oliver!" is next. For information, call 800-696-1929.

The idea of creating the Moscow State Radio Symphony Orchestra and Chorus began in 1978 for the benefit of the citizens of Russia, and is considered one of its prized musical possessions. As of 2004, the Orchestra and Chorus completed a world-wide tour, including 34 cities in the U.S. Its most recent performance has been on the stage of the California Center for the Arts in Escondido – our own back yard.

Where have you been and what have you seen? Tell us about it by dropping a note in the Office door slot in Village Hall.

CHAMPAGNE COMPUTER CLUB

By Richard Coffman



The Champagne Computer Club will hold its regular monthly meeting on Monday, April 5th, at 7:00 PM in the Card Room of the Village Hall. The topic for discussion will be: "What to

Do When Things Go Wrong" (with your computer)! Prior to the regular meeting of the Computer Club, an independent investor group will hold an organizing meeting at 6 p.m. in the Card Room. Dale Matheny is the organizer for this special interest group.

Dale is an active investor himself and has broad

knowledge and experience in the field. He can be reached (749-5033). The group is being formed to help persons make informed investment decisions. Any resident of the Village is invited to attend. The Computer Club meeting is open to any resident of the Village.

CHAMPAGNE SINGLES

By Mimi Baca

APRIL POTLUCK

Because the date of our monthly potluck falls on Good Friday there will be NO potluck in April.

THE GOING OUT TO DINNER BUNCH

On Friday, April 2nd, the group will be going to the Olive Garden. Please sign up and be at the laundry room at 4:30 PM that day. Any questions? Call Mary Starkey (751-0825).

TRAVEL

By Joe Klopp



Palm Springs Follies

Thursday, April 15, 2004 \$64

This is sold out and I am taking standby names.

DEPARTS AT 9:00 AM from

laundry room area. Return to CV 6:00 PM.

J. Paul Getty Center

Wed. May 12th \$32.50 ***REDUCED

The price has been reduced. We will no longer eat at Soup Plantation but on our own at the Getty Center. Need 10 more for a go by April 7th or I will have to cancel. Please spread the word, invite a friend. Depart 9:30 AM – Arrive back 6:30 PM. Please reserve soon and pay by April 7th.

Laughlin, NV. Edgewater Hotel

3 days/2 nts – (Mon. Tu. Wed.) June 21, 22, 23

\$69 per person double, \$84 single, \$66 triple.

Includes: Two FREE breakfast buffets, \$5 dinner coupon, great accommodations, fun book, baggage handling, deluxe VCR motor coach. Need 19 more for a go.

NOTE: In order to be in the "Sedona Tower" (which is always on a request basis) the Hotel requires our room list 40 days in advance. We can't

make the reservation until we have the minimum. Please **reserve** your seat **early** and **pay by May 1st**. Depart 8:00 AM. – Arrive back 6:00 PM. We need a room list early so luggage tags can be made up. Please help by reserving early.

Padres baseball game against LA Dodgers \$40

August 1st Sunday: Depart about 10:30 AM. This has sold out but I am taking standby names. **Please Pay by June 1st**.

Oktoberfest in Big Bear

Sunday October 17th: – \$39.

Spend the day in the beautiful San Bernardino Mountains at the Oktoberfest: Enjoy sing-alongs, dance lessons, log-sawing contests, yodeling contest and much more. Lunch will be on your own with many German & American food booths to choose from.

Departs 9:30 AM – Return 7:00 PM. Pay by Sept. 10th.

“The Glory of Christmas” at the Crystal Cathedral.

Sunday, December 5th \$ 72

Dinner at Knott’s Berry Farm

This annual Christmas event is performed in the world famous Crystal Cathedral, a story of the birth of Christ, told in a way that actually makes you feel as if you were there. This is the most elaborate Christmas Nativity of its kind. We will have a chicken dinner with dessert at Knott’s Berry Farm. Better get your name on the list early for this one. Depart 1:30 PM – Dinner 3:30 PM to 4:30 PM – Performance at 5:30 PM – Return 9:00 PM. Pay by Oct. 5th.

Future trips: In the planning stage.

Call if interested

Hawaii Cruise – Feb. 20, 2005 – Seven day cruise, Hawaii Islands only, no foreign ports – two-night hotel stay pre-cruise, roundtrip airfare. Approximately \$1,671 P/P – Please call soon; I can only hold staterooms 21 days. This is through the Auto Club.

Hearst Castle/Dinner Cruise/Morro Bay – 2 Days/1 night. – Approximate \$175. So far only two people said they might be interested, not enough for me to go forward yet.

Reserve your seats by calling Joe or Mary Klopp (749-1314).

PAYING PROCEDURE:

Please pay for your trip by check made out to Joe Klopp and put in my mailbox at 414 Myrtle Court or left in the office with Karin. Note in “Memo” on the check which trip it is for. You do not have to pay until the pay date but please reserve your seat early so I will know if we have enough so I won’t have to cancel the trip. **NO** checks will be cashed until we have enough reservations to take the trip. If the trip is cancelled I will return your original check. Call me if you want to pay by cash.

REFUND POLICY: There will be a 100% refund policy up to the pay date, after the pay date, unfortunately, I will be unable to refund your money; however, I will make every attempt to resell your reservation to someone else and return your money.

FRIENDS AND RELATIVES ARE WELCOME TO TRAVEL WITH YOU

?? CHESS ANYONE ??

If anyone would be interested in playing CHESS

please call

Joe Klopp (749-1314)



BLOOD PRESSURE CHECK: Have your blood pressure checked free of charge. Friday, April 2nd, in the Village Hall from 8:30 AM to 10:00 AM.

MEN’S BREAKFAST

By Mark Henderson



SUNDAY APRIL 4th, from 8:00 AM to 10:00 AM, in the Village Hall. Come one, come all!

Cost is only \$2.00. Bring your own table service.

COUNTRY LINE DANCE CLASS

By Lu Ann Rowe

Join our new beginners line dance class - It's Fun, It's Healthy and best of all - It's Free! New class began January 6th and is held each Tuesday in the Village Hall from 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM. For more information or questions, please call LuAnn Rowe at (751-0172).

CV MEN'S GOLF CLUB

By Terry Quimby



Our monthly meeting was held February 26th in the Village Hall. After a fantastic meatball sandwich luncheon, with the sauce especially made by our Vice-President, Bob Olsen, the meeting was opened by President Quimby calling for a few moments of silence for the passing of Ken Johnson. He also announced that there would be a memorial service and luncheon at 1:00 in the Village Hall on Saturday, the 28th.

Lee Rabeneau, our Membership Chairman, welcomed back John Bentley who has been away because of health reasons. Lee then introduced a new member, Derke Bergsma, who is a move-back to Champagne Village. He told us some of his background and was welcomed to the Club.

Our Golfer-of-the-Year, Tom Clatworthy, said that Bob Olsen is ahead on the Fountains and that three share the lead on the Oaks: Ken Hansen, Lee Rabeneau and Billy Smith. This could get interesting.

Bob Bolt was appointed as our new ticket sales specialist because he has outstanding ability for this....Congratulations, Bob!

We are always looking for new members, Duffers to Professionals. We play on the Oaks Tuesdays and the Fountains Thursdays. Lots of prizes, raffles and fun. To join, call Lee Rabeneau (751-2544).

FOUNTAINS LADIES GOLF CLUB

By Doris Wright



The March club meeting was called to order by president Dottie Moore who was surprised with a belated thank you gift for her service as 2003 president.

Sally Olsen and Ivy Johnson provided lunch in honor of the Eclectic Tournament and to celebrate Sally's

EAGLE on the eighteenth hole that day!

Eclectic Tournament chairman, Jane Humphrey, announced the winners of the two day event. Winners were: A Flight – Doreen Burchett, B Flight – Sally Olsen (the Eagle did it!), and C Flight – Betty Antunes.

Sweeps, ringer, low gross and low net winnings for the first quarter will be paid at the April meeting. February low gross was Doreen Burchett with a 68 and low net was Flo Beetz with a 53.

The annual Classic Tournament will be held on Monday, June 14th, and members were asked to volunteer for the various committees. A sign-up sheet will be posted on the club board at the golf course.

OAKS LADIES GOLF CLUB

By Priscilla De Arman



Will we ever get to play at a Safari? Sorry about the Castle Creek rainout. Hope Nancy C. can reschedule soon.

"Mardi Gras" play-day and luncheon was fantastic. The table decorations by Joyce M. & her team; the food by Teresa S. and her team; the jazz music etc. Wow. What a party!. Winners of the most original masks were Edie Fashing, Sheila Osbourne, and Joyce Martin. There were only three prizes, but lots of runners up.

The sweet potato casserole was a big hit and here below is the recipe – as promised.

Sweet Potato Casserole

2# yams - baked until tender, peel and mash

Add: 3/4 c. milk, 1/3 c. butter.

Mix together and spread in pan

Topping:

Mix together: 1/2 c. chopped pecans

1/2 c. brown sugar

2 tbsp. flour

Bake @ 350 degrees for 35 mins. or until brown.

The Men's Invitational – Thursday, April 22nd.
More about this at our next meeting, April 1st.

TENNIS CLUB

By Joyce Harrington



Thanks to LuAnn, Billy and Doreen, for hosting the pot-luck after our club meeting in March. Our next meeting and pot-luck is May 13th.

Two issues were discussed at some length regarding the surface of our tennis courts and covering the surrounding bushes to make it easier to retrieve balls.

Don Harrington, Facilities Chair, and Rob Jacobson met with Tom Riggs to discuss a time-line for repairing the courts. Once the rainy season is over, Park Management will employ court surface experts for optimum play.

Covering the bushes around the exterior of the courts is not financially feasible, considering the cost of a covering in comparison to the cost of a tennis ball. In addition, whatever is used would have to be removed when the bushes require trimming. Solution: President Cal is contacting a tennis clinician to re-new our techniques, including ball placement.

The newly formed Mixed Doubles Group will start in April. Schedule is forthcoming.

Our next event is PLAY DAY, on April 18th and Mark and Sandy Henderson are hosts. Invite a neighbor, whether or not she or he is a tennis player. While our guests are enjoying coffee, juice and doughnuts, they can sit around and watch the game. There will be a sign-up posted so we can have enough food and drinks.

PIZZA night is April 23rd only.

LIONS CLUB

By Billy Smith



THANK YOU CHAMPAGNE VILLAGE FOR ALL YOUR DONATIONS OF ALUMINUM CANS, HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND FURNITURE!! WE APPRECIATE

ALL OF YOUR SUPPORT!!

A warm welcome to new members: Arlene & Lee Garich!!

We meet once a month on the third Wednesday. We are a service club that is dedicated to assisting the blind. We buy glasses for the needy, help in the training of Seeing Eye and Care dogs and send blind kids to camp.

Our meetings are held right here in the Village Hall. Dinner is served at each meeting and we have

interesting speakers. Please join us! Just call President Billy or Doreen Smith (751-3305) to let us know you are coming.

Thank you for donating your old glasses in the Lion's box in the Village Hall by the copy machine. You can help us by donating your aluminum cans. The proceeds go to our charity fund which is used to assist those in need. We pick up good condition, re-sellable used furniture, clothing and household items. These are given to the Interfaith Thrift Store on Valley Pkwy in Escondido. The monies received from the sales go to feed the homeless. Call Billy J. Smith (751-3305) for a pick up.

HAPPY HANDS

By Nancy Musko



Join us at Happy Hands every Tuesday, from 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM. We are a group of "lightly organized" ladies who enjoy crafts, needlework, knitting, crocheting, etc. Many of our projects are donated to "Piece by Piece", that supplies articles of clothing to abused and neglected children in San Diego Co., St. Clair's Home for abused women and children, and we donate pieces of new material to the "Heart in Hands" group at Palomar Hospital for the Hand Puppets and Heart Pillows they make for hospitalized patients. We want to thank the generous residents of CV for their donations of yarn and material for these various projects. It is greatly appreciated.

We would like to invite any resident who has a craft project they need help with to join our group and we will try to assist you.

Everyone is welcome! For further information call Nancy Musko (749-1125).

MONDAY MEN'S & WOMEN'S BRIDGE

By Alda Pickard



Monday Bridge is from 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM, at the Village Hall. Everyone is welcome. The hostess for April is Madge Morse (749-4106).

BRIDGE TUESDAY EVENINGS

By Mary Roth

A friendly group of bridge players meets every Tuesday evening - 7:00 PM - Village Hall – come join us!!

BRIDGE FOR EVERYONE

By Bob Spencer

Every Tuesday afternoon, starting at 1:00 PM in the Card Room. No stress, no pain. Just relax and have fun. Singles welcomed. Call Bob Spencer (749-6698).

COUPLES BRIDGE

By Luella Guthrie

Wednesday, April 14th, at 5:00 PM, in the Village Hall. Hosts for the evening are Betty & Bob Spencer (749-6698) and Jean Wentworth and Richard Thompson (749-5270).

Make your reservation to play by signing up on the bulletin board in the copy room. You may sign up to bring service for twelve of Hors d'oeuvres or Dessert. Please bring your own libations.

Three prizes for women and three prizes for men are awarded. Please bring \$2.00 per couple for the prizes.

Come early, circulate, visit with friends and enjoy the delicious food that has been brought....and then Play Bridge!

CANASTA = PENNIES

By Dori Sherwood

Meets 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM every Thursday in the Card Room. Call Betty Bearman (751-0477), for more information.

EZ TENNIS

By Doreen Burchett



EZ TENNIS meets in the Village Hall every Friday from 10:30 to 11:45 AM. There is no cost of any kind, as everything is furnished....just wear tennis shoes when you are ready to play. The equipment is plastic rackets and a foam ball! No reservations required...drop in when you

can to play or settle back in a chair in the air conditioned comfort of the Village Hall and get acquainted. EZ Tennis is a perfect way to play tennis, out of the sun, wind or rain. No tennis elbow, learn quickly, supplement or short term replacement for regular tennis. Great exercise, socialization, and laughter. Come one and all, ENJOY.

For more information, contact Jay and Doreen Burchett (751-4008).

WATER EXERCISE

Open to all interested ladies. Held at the pool on Monday, Wednesday & Friday at 10:00 AM.

MEN'S POOL

By John Dolan

Come play with us weekdays. Call John Dolan (751-8500), or Skip Skillion (749-1811), for information.



ART CLASSES

By Bette Pickford



AN EXCITING ART CLASS FOR EVERYONE

As you know, professional artist Gordon Olson has been conducting an exciting art class here at Champagne Village on the first and third Wednesday of every month from 2:30 PM to 3:30 PM, in the multi-purpose room. There is no closed enrollment in this wonderful class. You pay a fee of \$4.00 only on the days that you are able to attend the class. The teacher supplies all of the art materials including: art paper, colored pencils, paints, charcoal, water-color, ink, and pastels. Each student chooses which medium he/she wishes to use. If you desire, the teacher will take your signed and finished drawing, before it is colored, to shrink it down and make greeting cards that you will be able to color and send to relatives and friends.

Gordon is a retired architect and former owner of an art gallery. He is presently a member of the San Dieguito Art Guild and teaches art classes at various active retirement centers and at other facilities. His

students are taken step by step through the creative process, as they explore such techniques as shade and shadow, perspective drawing, and the illusion of shape. You get to choose whatever you would like to draw.

If you have any questions about this fun class, please feel free to call Bette Pickford (751-1445). Everyone is welcome.

BUNKO

By Shirley Henderson

Our Bunko group meets twice monthly (second and fourth Fridays), at the Village Hall. Everyone is welcome. During the month of April we will not have Bunko on the 9th. We will play on the 23rd. Those interested in playing, please call Shirley Henderson (749-6447), or Barbara Schulte (749-1808).

Getting To Know...Sheila Osborne

By LoReta Phelps

Sheila and her husband, Gordon, came to the Village almost 30 years ago from Chicago. Sadly, he passed away four years ago.

Listening to Sheila talk leaves no doubt in one's mind where she's really from. She remembers vividly the effects of the war on Scotland. They suffered the longest bombing raid on the British Isles. They had rationing of just about everything. When she got married her mother gave up her coupons to get Sheila a wedding dress.

Her husband, an accountant, immigrated to Chicago from Scotland. She later joined him and after five years they became citizens.

Sheila came over on the Queen Mary and brought her father with her. She says that she was quite taken with the sight of the Statue of Liberty and the size of the Hudson River. She recalled that the Queen Mary was built on the River Clyde near where she lived. However, the ship was longer than the river was wide so in order to turn the ship toward the sea, an estuary was built to solve the problem. The ship was almost as wide as the river also.

When her husband came home and told her his company was sending him to Cucamonga. She said, "Yeah, you and Jack Benny." But she went with him and on their first morning experienced an

earthquake!

Several months later they returned to California, this time to Anaheim. They came down to San Diego and visited a friend's relative who lived on Terrace across the street from where Sheila currently lives. They were so taken with the area that they left word that if anything with a nice view became available let them know. It did and they moved here.

When her husband played golf in Scotland on Saturdays, Sheila would walk around the course with him. He worked 23 years in the Welk Pro-Shop and got Sheila started on the Oaks. The Fountains did not exist then. To date, she has seven "holes in one" on the Oaks. Currently, she is "Rules Chair" for the Ladies Oaks Club and treasurer for the Ladies Fountains Club.

Sheila started playing tennis when our courts were built. She plays bridge, ushers at the Welk Theater and recently joined "Gober's Grubbers" in cleaning a section of Champagne Blvd.

At the age of five, she belonged to the Highland Dancers and Scottish Games. Later she did clogging and tap-dancing. When she was 18 and working she did "Concert Party" singing, skits and dancing. Sheila wanted to continue in the entertainment field but her mom said, "No." However, if you happened to be at the St. Patrick's Dinner Dance, you would have known that she was truly an entertainer at heart when she sang "With Me Shil-le-lagh Under Me Arm" for the crowd.

VESPERS

By Margaret Meadows

This is a non-denominational service held every Sunday in the card room at 4:00 P.M. till 5:00 P.M. with Pastor Jake Duran officiating. All are welcome.

GOOD FRIDAY: There will be a non-denominational service on Friday, April 9th in the Village Hall at 4:00 P.M., with Rev. Jake Duran officiating. ALL ARE WELCOME.

FRIENDS HELPING FRIENDS

By Jan Denny

DRIVERS URGENTLY NEEDED! So many of my drivers have had to quit volunteering their services (for various reasons—illness, travel, other commitments, “just don’t have the time”) and many have said they will call me when they’re available again. But the roster keeps getting smaller. I have to keep calling on the same few people. And I do so appreciate THEM for being so willing to help. But I don’t like having to call them ALL the time.

More volunteers are needed to help drive fellow Villagers to medical appointments when they have no other means of getting there. Most of the calls are for Escondido and Rancho Bernardo, but once in a while a longer trip is needed. However, if you can only drive locally, that’s fine. And the more drivers we have, the less often you will be called upon. So please call me, Jan Denny, (749-4255), and at least find out what’s involved. You’ll be surprised how good it makes you feel to help people in this way, and you’ll meet some interesting new friends. Consider this: “There, but for the grace

For those of you who NEED rides to your medical appointments—and don’t have friends or relatives to take you—call me at 749-4255 and I’ll find a driver for you. It will be easier now because so many new drivers are about to volunteer (if we’re lucky!).

ODDS AND ENDS

VAN TRIPS: The Village Van leaves the first and third Wednesday for North County Fair (Westfield), Trader Joes and Henrys. The van leaves the Village Hall at 9:30 AM, and returns at 2:30



PM. Sign up at the Village Hall. All residents are welcome.

The Village Van also goes to the Von’s Shopping Center on El Norte Pkwy., every Friday at 9:00 AM.

SEE’S CANDIES: One pound gift certificates are available for \$9.75. This will give you \$13.20 worth of spending power at any See’s location. Any questions...call (751-0075) or email to



GOLF CART CLINIC

A-1 Golf Cart clinic is held the second



linda8975@yahoo.com, or leave your check made out to Linda Harper @ #186 Skyline Drive. Please **do not** leave with Karin in the office.

MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS:

Thank you to all the generous Villagers who took part in our bake sales, soup supper and car wash. Our team donated over \$5,700 to Multiple Sclerosis. A special thank you to all 32 team members who made this possible. There were 26 of us who walked for Multiple Sclerosis at Legoland on March 13th.

Thanks again, Lu Ann Rowe, Team Captain.

NEW RESIDENTS:

- | | |
|-------------------------------|----------|
| # 64 Irmgard Linns | no phone |
| # 120 Michael Riehle | 751-1941 |
| # 332 T.C. & Kim Huong Dowden | 749-2146 |
| # 400 Gene Tillman/Linda West | 751-4342 |
| # 434 Keith & Donna Andreas | 751-4006 |
| # 450 Marilyn Hauser | no phone |

FREE HEARING AID SERVICE:

Where: Champagne Village Hall
 When: 2nd Wednesday of each month, 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM

Services: Hearing Aid Cleaning
 Battery Purchase
 Hearing Evaluation Scheduling

BOOKMOBILE



The San Diego County Library Bookmobile will be in Champagne Village on April 6th and April 20th from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM . *They are scheduled to be in CV every two weeks.*

Friday of each month at the picnic grounds beginning at 9:00 AM.

Victors Mobile Cart Service will have a clinic on the last Friday of each month, at the Picnic Area, beginning at 9:00 AM.

TRASH COLLECTION SCHEDULE FOR 2004

Trash normally is picked up on Fridays in the Village. The following list shows the holiday week in 2004 that trash service will be delayed one day, from Friday to Saturday.

Thanksgiving Day – November 27, 2004