

# The Champagne Village Times



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### BOARD MEETING NOTES

By Tom Riggs

1. The Board voted to create a ballot measure to approve a CC&R amendment which would restrict rental units to 20% of the total units (91). The ballot deadline was set as December 12, 2011.
2. Renewal of the auto insurance policy at a cost of \$2,491 annually (previous premium was \$3,780) was approved by the Board.
3. By unanimous vote the Board approved sending a unit to collections and to instruct the attorney to file a lien if not paid in a timely manner.
4. The Board approved a request to allow indoor ping pong in the Village Hall and to allocate up to \$500 to purchase a new table or tables.
5. A reserve expenditure to purchase a "like new" refrigerator for the kitchen in the amount of \$600 was confirmed by the Board.
6. Approval of adding 210 sq. ft. of concrete

walkway and 877 sq. ft. of artificial turf to the new recreation area was unanimously passed.

7. President Service appointed a committee headed by Jack Cox, Facilities Chair, to work with SAC to develop a short term and long range plan for the picnic area.

### ANOTHER SCAM

Another scam going around Champagne Village is **collect calls** from the county jails.

Do not accept these calls; **hang up** and call AT&T to have a block against those numbers put on your phone.

- **There will be no Agenda Workshop in November.**
- Next regular Board of Directors Meeting is Wednesday, November 16, 2011 at 1 pm in the Village Hall.
- Board minutes and financial statements are available in the Library for your reading. SAC financials are posted quarterly and may be viewed at this same location.

### Inside This Issue

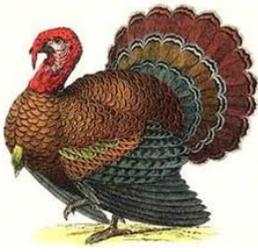
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### Directors/Officers

Charlie Service, President  
Doreen Smith, Vice President  
Sandra Sidars, Secretary  
Lois Burdick, CFO & Director  
Jack Cox, Director  
Everett Smith, Director  
Harlan Davenport, Director

### Standing Committee Chairs

Lois Burdick, A & L  
Michael and Peggy Holder, SAC  
Charlie Service, Disaster



# HAPPY THANKSGIVING



## ANNUAL INTERFAITH FOOD DRIVE

Once again it is time for our Annual Joint Conway Elementary School and Champagne Village Food Drive for Interfaith Community Services. Your donations are combined with the food drive I have at my school and the kids get a tour of the Interfaith facilities which teaches them how to give back to their community! It's a win-win and you can help.

Last year CV provided almost half of our total donation, almost 500 pounds. The generosity of this community serves as a model for the elementary school kids. Thank you, thank you, thank you.

Please open your pantries and give for this very worthy cause. So many people are in need and you can help by donating boxed or canned food, blankets, coats, and toiletries. I appreciate your help. Boxes will be in the Village Hall Lobby for you to leave your donations, November 2 through the 17. I will be happy to pick up at your home if you call Julie Conner (749-2857), #374.

## OFFICE CLOSED

On November 24 and 25 the Office will be closed for Thanksgiving.

## KIOSK HOLIDAY HOURS

The kiosk will be open from 10 am to 2 pm on Thanksgiving Day.



## TIME CHANGE

Don't forget to change all of your clocks **back one hour** before going to bed on **Saturday, November 5.**

## TRASH DELAY:

Due to the Thanksgiving Holiday, the trash will be delayed one day.



Pick up will be on **Friday, November 25.**

## SAFEGUARDING OUR VILLAGE

By Bev Davenport

We want your ideas...

In recent weeks we have had several thefts in our Village. We've been told over and over again to lock our homes and cars, but we all know that "locks only keep honest people out". Many people have voiced their concerns. Is there more we can do as a Village? I have been asked by the Board to gather ideas. First, we will meet and brainstorm all ideas about how to deter robberies in the Village. Second, a committee will be formed to submit ideas to the CV Board for consideration. If you have an idea you want to share, please come and voice your idea at the meeting or email me (Hwdbev@orionbroadband.net) with your idea.

**Meeting: Thursday, November 3 at 4:15 pm in the Card Room.** This meeting will be kept short and no idea will be considered a bad idea. All ideas will go to the committee for review and then submitted to the CV Board. Thank you for your support.



Please remember to put **only** your **space number** on your check. Many of the checks the office receives still have the long account number (777-292-0000) from our billing

company.

Please **do not** use this number. Thank you.

## FALL POOL HOURS

September 16 - November 30

**ADULTS** - 9 am to 7 pm

**CHILDREN** - 12 pm to 2 pm



## SPECIAL BOARD MEETING

There will be a special meeting of the Board on November 22 at 10 am in the Village Hall for the sole purpose of counting ballots for the amendment to the CC&Rs.

# Social Activities Committee (SAC)

Peggy & Michael Holder, Janet LeRossignol, Mary Klopp, Ginny Davenport, Steve Thacker, Debbie Chappie, Linda Tillman

## 2011 Events

**Movie - Music and Lyrics ..... Fri, Nov 4 ..... 6 pm**  
 Men's Breakfast.....Sun, Nov 6 ..... 7:30 am  
**Vet's Dinner (see insert) .....Sat, Nov 12 ..... 5 pm**  
**Movie - August Rush ..... Fri, Nov 18 ..... 6 pm**  
 Christmas Party .....Sat, Dec 3 ..... 5 pm  
 Men's Breakfast.....Sun, Dec 4..... 7:30 am  
**Christmas Concert..... Sun, Dec 4 .... 2:30 pm**  
 Holiday Home Tour.....Sun, Dec 11 .....TBA  
 Tree Lighting & Caroling .....Mon, Dec 12 .....TBA  
 Christmas Eve Service.....Sat, Dec 24 ..... 4 pm  
 New Year's Eve Party.....Sat, Dec 31 .....TBA

**WATCH FOR CHANGES IN RED ~**

## THE MEN'S BREAKFAST

**Sunday, November 6**  
 (first Sunday of the month)  
**7:30 - 9:00**  
 (or until the food runs out)

**ALL THIS FOR ONLY \$3**



**Menu: eggs, bacon, sausage, pancakes, waffles, fruit, juice & coffee**  
*All residents and guests are welcome to a home-cooked breakfast prepared by the men of Champagne Village!*

Feel free to bring your own plates, utensils & coffee cups

## NEW SAC MEMBERS

We're pleased to welcome Debbie and Linda.



Debbie Chappie



Linda Tillman



The names in parentheses are the CV grandparents or great grandparents of the performers. Pictured left to right: Nick Nielsen (Betty & Charlie Service), Cole Lutz (Joan Magnuson), Luke Pash (Barbara Houg), Cassidy Finch (Jackie & Allan Whaite & Debbie Rivera), Alyssa Cronemeyer (friend of LeeAnna Hauser), LeeAnna Hauser (Paul & Jane Fischer), Matt Fischer (Paul & Jane Fischer), Madison & Morgan LeRossignol (Pat, Janet & Bob LeRossignol).

## OKTOBERFEST

EXPENSES	
Vidals	-\$300
Food/Clean Up	-\$380
INCOME	
143 Residents paid \$5 each	\$715
50-50	\$160
<b>NET INCOME</b>	<b>\$195</b>

## GRANDKIDS VARIETY SHOW

What a lot of talent we have in our grandchildren! Nick played the violin and mandolin, Cole played the guitar and sang, Luke played the cello, Cassidy sang the National Anthem and True Colors, Alyssa and LeeAnna did a Broadway dance number, Matt played the acoustic guitar, and Madison and Morgan did a comedy human puppet act. It was very, very entertaining! We hope we can get more grandkids to participate next year. Thanks to all who participated.

## FREE - MOVIE NIGHTS at 6 pm

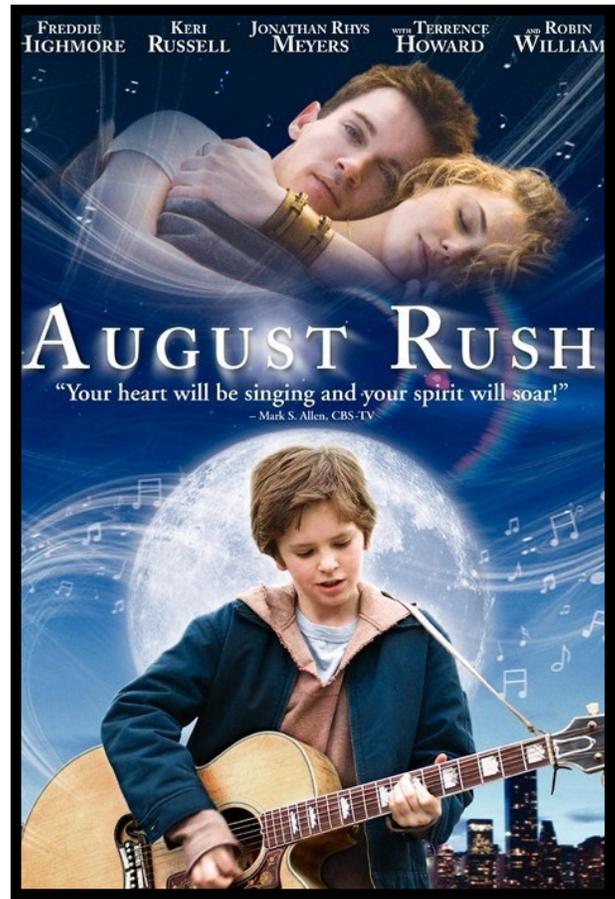
Popcorn will be provided; bring your own snack & drinks

**Friday, November 4**  
**Comedy - PG 13**



A washed up singer is given a couple of days to compose a chart-topping hit for an aspiring teen sensation. Though he's never written a decent lyric in his life, he sparks with an offbeat younger woman with a flair for words.

**Friday, November 18**  
**Rated PG**



A drama with fairy tale elements, where an orphaned musical prodigy uses his gift as a clue to finding his birth parents.

### 0 to 200 in 6 seconds

Bob was in trouble. He forgot his wedding anniversary and his wife was really peeved. She told him, "Tomorrow morning I expect to find a gift in the driveway that goes from 0 to 200 in 6 seconds **and it better be there!**" The next morning he got up early and left for work. When his wife woke up she looked out the window and sure enough, there was a box gift-wrapped in the middle of the driveway. Confused, the wife put on her robe and ran out to the driveway and brought the box back in the house. She opened it and found a brand new bathroom scale. Bob has been missing since Friday.

### IF MY BODY WERE A CAR...

If my body were a car, this is the time I would be thinking about trading it in for a newer model. I've got bumps and dents and scratches in my finish and my paint job is getting a little dull. My headlights are out of focus and it's especially hard to see things up close. I slip and slide and skid and bump into things even in the best of weather. My whitewalls are stained with varicose veins. It takes me hours to reach my maximum speed. But here's the worst of it - almost every time I sneeze, cough or laugh, either my radiator leaks or my exhaust backfires.



# CHRISTMAS PARTY

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3

5:00 PM - \$15/PERSON

MUSIC BY  
THE SUNDANCE BAND



*Catered by Green Oak Ranch  
Grilled Flank Steak, Pasta Aioli, Vegetable Medley,  
Caesar Salad, Garlic Bread & Lemon Tart*

PUT CHECKS PAYABLE TO SAC (NO ENVELOPE PLEASE)  
OR CASH (IN ENVELOPE WITH NAME/SPACE)  
IN THE CVPOA DROP BOX BY MONDAY, NOVEMBER 28.

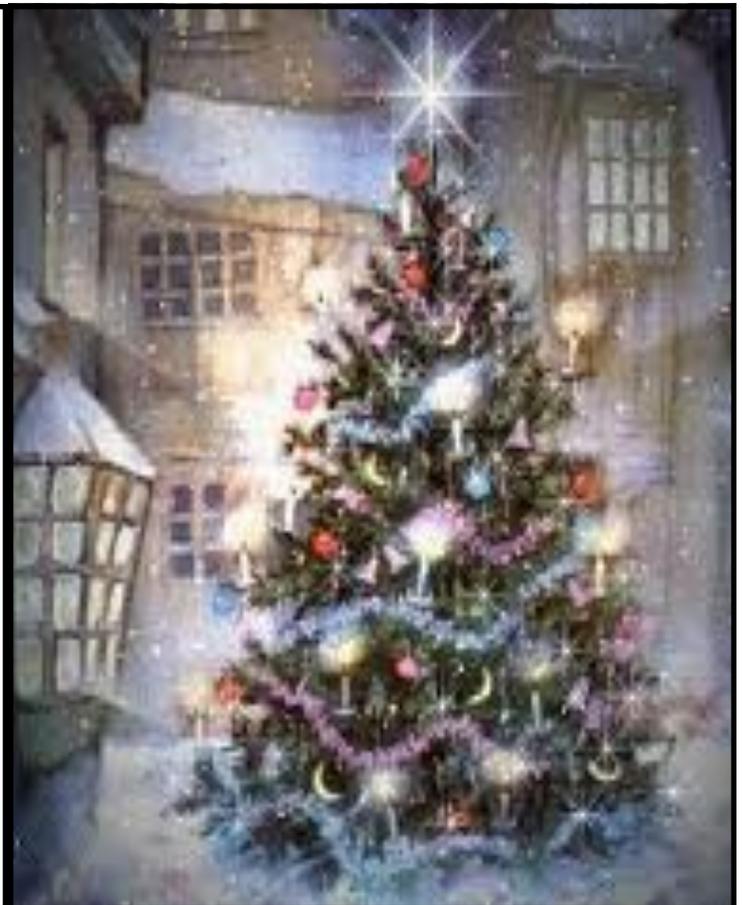
## CHRISTMAS CONCERT

“It’s the Most Wonderful Time  
of the Year”

December 4  
2:30 pm  
Village Hall

Featuring:  
CV Chorus  
Coast to Coast Quartet  
and Santa!

Refreshments will be served



## MEET JEAN AND PAT SLAUGHTER

By Janet and Pat LeRossignol

Jean Slaughter was born in Taft, California in 1929. His father worked in the oil fields until he lost his job due to the Depression. They moved to Pasadena, California when Jean was 7 years old. At 8 years old he sold Liberty magazines door to door for 7 cents each. At 12 he delivered the Pasadena Star News, seven mornings and six afternoons. At 15 he worked in a local drug store. During his last two years of high school and two years of junior college he worked for Alta Dena Dairy weekends and summers. He was the third employee hired by Alta Dena Dairy which became very large in Southern California.

During high school and junior college Jean played football and baseball. He was the Captain of the Junior College State Champion Baseball team. Sports and Pat were the only reasons he went to school. They were still drafting after WWII. A professor recommended that Jean join the Naval Reserve to avoid being drafted and in 1947 he became active in the Naval Reserve. After graduating from junior college Jean tried out for the Brooklyn Dodgers, but after a week in camp they told him "go home and get a real job"! So he did! Jean and Pat were engaged so Jean worked full time for Alta Dena Dairy.



Pat Crosby was born in Pasadena in 1929. Pat and Jean met in the 7th grade and started dating in the 9th grade. In the 10th grade she was wearing Jean's letterman sweater, a sign they were going steady. Pat graduated from junior college in June of 1948 with an AA degree.

Jean and Pat married on November 12, 1949 (62 years this November). She worked for Pacific Bell as an information operator and he worked for the dairy. In August

of 1950 Jean received a telegram with orders to report for active duty in one week. Some people have a baby in nine months, instead he went into the Navy. During two years of active duty he had several assignments. The first six months was in Coronado with the Seabees and close to home. After that, he was sent to Korea on the APA-194 (attack transport). While he was in the

Navy he took the exam for the Pasadena Fire Department. He returned from Korea and was released from active duty with the rate of Gunner's Mate 2nd Class. Four days later he started work with the Pasadena Fire Department in September of 1952.

The pay on the fire department was not great at that time, so Jean worked on his days off driving charter buses and school buses and had seven gardening jobs. He and another fireman had a portable dance floor business. In 1953 using the GI Bill he attended USC part time and graduated in 1957 with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Public Administration with a Fire Management minor. During his time on the fire department he was promoted to Fire Engineer, Fire Captain, Battalion Chief, and spent seven years as Fire Marshal for the City of Pasadena. During the last three years he was promoted to Administrative Fire Chief and retired in 1980 with 28 years of service.

Pat and Jean started their family in 1952, having one girl and two boys. They all attended Pasadena Christian School through the 6th grade. When their youngest son was four years old the school needed a bus driver, so Pat got her bus license, drove the bus and dragged their youngest son along until he was old enough to attend school. In 1964 Pat started the Hot Dog Lunch Program for the school. She did other things such as decorating cakes and quilting. She was also secretary for three deans at Marshall Fundamental School.

In 1960 Jean, still loving sports, started officiating baseball and football, first at the high school level and then worked up to the college level in both sports. He did this for 25 years. He called this his pressure relief activity and really enjoyed it!

Looking forward to retiring, in 1977 they purchased 3½ acres in Fallbrook with 300 new avocado trees and in 1979 started building their future home. After retiring in 1980 they moved from Pasadena to Fallbrook where Jean was the owner and only farm hand.

Jean was a member of the Kiwanis and had 17 years of perfect attendance in the Kiwanis Club in Pasadena and the last five years in Fallbrook. In 1978 he was Chairman of the Kiwanis Rose Bowl Kickoff Luncheon. That year USC played Michigan. Frank Sinatra was

Grand Marshal for the Rose Parade. Jean visited with Frank and he told Jean his father was also a fireman.



They joined the Boots & Slippers Square Dance Club in 1982 and held all the offices, including President. They danced in the outfield at Dodger Stadium during the 1984 Olympics. In 2001 they joined the Heritage Dancers, a performing group that demonstrates how square dancing evolved from the 1800s to the present. They performed in

many places in California as well as Portland, Denver, San Antonio, Wichita, and St. Paul where they danced on a bridge with 6,000 dancers for a world record. They retired from square dancing in 2009.

Pat was active in the Fallbrook Newcomers and Encore Club for five years where she was Secretary Treasurer, and VP. She was also a Pink Lady at Fallbrook Hospital for four years. As mentioned, Jean was with the Kiwanis Club and spent one year as President. He was also the Director for Boys and Girls Club.

They bought their first motorhome in 1984 and have been traveling ever since. They're on their third motorhome now and have traveled in 49 of the 50 states. Guess which one they missed? Their longest trip was 39 days in Alaska. The past 25 years they have RV'd to Padres Spring Training in Yuma and then Peoria, Arizona, and hope to make more trips.

In 1994 after 16 years of avocados they moved to Champagne Village. Pat became active in the Oaks Ladies Golf Club and was Treasurer and VP. She is still a member of the CV Chorus and a Pink Lady for Palomar Hospital sewing puppets for ill kids in the hospital.

Jean was on the CV Road Cleaning Crew for 14 years and drove the CV van to Von's and the mall. He is a member of the Men's Golf Club and has served as Handicap Chairman, VP, and President. He served five years on the CV Homeowners Board, including one year as VP and one year as President. He is now

servicing his second elected term on the Deer Springs Fire Protection Board.

Since moving to CV they have been very active with Emmanuel Faith Community Church. They are on the Keenagers Board (seniors) planning activities and trips for seniors. Jean is active with Men on a Mission, a group of men who work every Tuesday doing construction work at churches, Christian camps, and other Christian groups. Jean and Pat also attend CV Bible Study on Thursdays.

Their daughter and her husband live in Klamath Falls, Oregon where she is the Director of the Nursing Program for Oregon State University. The middle son and his wife live in Spokane, Washington where he works in construction. The youngest son lives in Tucson where he is a retired banker (not old enough to collect retirement) who has rentals and works part-time in an Indian casino. They have two grandkids. The granddaughter is an SDSU graduate and works in the SDSU athletic ticket department. Their grandson is a firefighter/paramedic for the North Lake Tahoe Fire Protection District.

Jean and Pat have been able to take some great trips abroad. They've been to Australia and New Zealand, six countries in Europe, a Panama Canal cruise, and their best trip of all - to Israel. Jean was also thrilled to go to Cooperstown, New York to see Tony Gwynn inducted into the Hall of Fame in 2007.

Jean and Pat have been a great asset to every group they have been involved with, including the last 17 years in Champagne Village. They both say they really love living in CV and it shows.



## CHAMPAGNE SINGLES

By Mimi Baca



The Singles group meet on the second Friday of every month in the Village Hall. Halloween was our October theme with prizes given for the best decorated masks. After games and sharing our "most memorable Halloween", a potluck supper was enjoyed by all. Our hostesses were Deanna Clatworthy, Doreen Burchett, and Lue Guthrie.

Our November 11 hostesses will be Dee Bender, Leah Kapp, and Thelma Reich. All singles are invited. The social hour is at 5:30 pm with a potluck dinner at 6 pm. Please sign up in the Copy Room. Join us! Questions? Call Donna Shaw (751-1799) or Janice Gleyzal (751-1224).

## HOSPITAL CHART BLOOPERS

- Patient had waffles for breakfast and anorexia for lunch.
- Patient was alert and unresponsive.
- She stated that she had been constipated for most of her life, until she got a divorce.

## MEMORY KEEPERS SCRAP BOOK CLUB

By Janet Hyman

**Saturday, November 26, 10 am to 4 pm**



If you love scrapbooking or would like to learn more about it, please join us in the Card Room this month.

Just bring your supplies and a light snack and come on down to have some fun. It's also a great way to share our individual creativity. We can always learn new and clever ways of making our memory books even better. Even if you don't have any interest in doing it yourself, drop by and see how great some of them look. If you need supplies or have a question, call Janet Hyman (749-8120).

## COMPUTER TALK

By Richard Coffman



Make computer.com your start page. You can put in date and time, news, weather and give yourself direct access to Gmail and Google maps. You will find the Google search engine the best of the lot! There are many other features that you will find helpful.

Some of you are probably not signed up for my Village email list. It is entirely private and is not shared with any entity. To get on it, just send an email to me at [welkman1@gmail.com](mailto:welkman1@gmail.com). We have late breaking Village news, things for sale, specials on Welk tickets and the like. Give it a try!



## HAPPY HANDS

By Janina Garvey

**Tuesdays - 1 pm to 4 pm**



Join us at Happy Hands every Tuesday from 1 pm to 4 pm in the Village Hall. We are a group of "lightly organized" ladies who enjoy crafts, needlework, knitting, crocheting, etc. We invite any resident who enjoys hand work, would like to learn, or would just like to get acquainted with some friendly Villagers.

We are accepting handmade caps and baby blankets. Any donations of materials or time will be greatly appreciated. Please bring yarn to Happy Hands on Tuesdays between 1 and 4 pm (or join us). For more information call Janina Garvey (749-1730).

**BUBBLY BABES**

By QM Mary Starkey



Our HOOT was very good. We went to a new Tea Room in Escondido on Grand Avenue in Escondido called "The Grand Tea Room". We all agreed it was the best tea we have had thus far. The hostesses were Linda Sikes and Nancy Cowell. Good Hoot girls! Next month's Hoot is already planned and our Hostess is Marlene Montooth, so watch for the notice in your mail box. It will be held on Wednesday, November 9 in the Village Hall.

Heads up Babes!!! I am having a special meeting with the planning committee for the December 16 Christmas party. Signed up for the committee are Doreen Smith, Nickie Kettenring, Ruth McClellan, Barbara Houg, Sandy Broderick, and Linda Sikes. I will notify you next month when we can meet to do the planning.

**CV CHORUS**

By Mimi Baca



Our CV Chorus is practicing for our Christmas Concert which will take place at 2:30 pm on Sunday, December 4. Recently we have had some new people join. It sure energizes us!

Here's how some long-time members of the Chorus feel: **Nancy Cowell** enjoys singing because it makes her feel so happy. **Ray Yorke** goes to many karaoke places and sings music from the 40's, pop standards from the Frank Sinatra era. Walking by him he is always singing! **Dee Madsen** sings because she is happy and she enjoys being around happy people.

It's still not too late to join us! We meet every Tuesday from 10:30 to noon in the Village Hall. Questions? Call Bob Halstead (749-2380).



**CV PET LOVER'S CLUB**

By Doreen Burchett & Doreen Smith



These days the Pet Park social group gathers between 3:30 pm and 4:30 pm most afternoons. All pet lovers are invited to come into the Pet Park to socialize with us and enjoy the pets at play. The Pet Park is for the use of CV residents anytime except Tuesday mornings when it is closed for maintenance.

Residents who want to use the park may obtain a key to the lock from Karin in the CV office. Please abide by the rules and regulations which are posted by the entrance, and lock the gate when you leave.

At this time of the year we need to be aware that our beautiful rural environment is also home to wildlife like coyotes, bobcats, rattlesnakes and an occasional mountain lion.

A request from pet owners: please recycle your newspaper bags by saving them for your dog owner friends. We can use them in the pet park.

This section of the CV Times is for pet people and we encourage any of you with interesting pet stories, topics or photos to submit them to share with others. Contact Doreen B. about articles and Doreen S. to add your name to the pet One Call list.

**REMINDER: PLEASE BE A RESPONSIBLE OWNER AND PICK UP YOUR PET'S WASTE.**

Doreen Smith (751-3305), Doreen Burchett (751-4008)

**Even Dogs Do IT...**



### LIONS CLUB

By King Lion Paul Fischer



The Lions Club Annual Italian Dinner was a big success. Bravo to all the Lions. Great Job! Lots of work planning, setting up, cooking, serving, and cleaning up. The profit of \$440 goes to the sight impaired of San Diego County. Obviously "it takes a village" as the saying goes and we had your wonderful support, as always. Thank you all for your generosity. We had a surprise visitor, John Ruiz, the Northwest Legion Chair from Lions Club International. He came all the way from Oceanside and enjoyed the evening of great food and friendship. The program for November will be a surprise and, of course, we all know there will be a meal involved.

Please take your old eye glasses and ink cartridges to the box in the Copy Room. Drop off your aluminum cans and plastic bottles to the designated areas at the Hall, Pool and Picnic area.

### HELPFUL HINTS

By Richard Coffman

#### FREE INSPECTION OF YOUR HEAT PUMP

You can have your heat pump system inspected and minor repairs and/or adjustments made by calling Synergy Companies. SDG&E contracts with them to provide this free service for manufactured homes. The intent is to lower the demand for power in the SDGE system by making your heat pump more efficient. With winter approaching it's a good time to have this free service done. They will also give you free replacement energy-efficient bulbs. Contact them at **(888) 988-9829** or visit their website at [synergycompanies.org](http://synergycompanies.org). Be sure to ask about other free services.

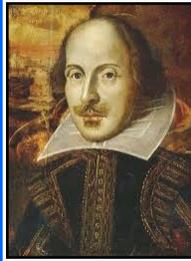
#### DIRECTING SERVICE OR DELIVERY PERSONS TO OUR FRONT GATE

Always give *specific directions* to service or delivery persons to our FRONT GATE. Because the Village shares an address on Lawrence Welk Drive with the Welk Resort, if they use GPS it will direct them to drive through the Resort and they will wind up at the NORTH GATE. Then when they follow someone in (and they will!) they will wander around the Village without a map! If you want speedy delivery, use this advice.

### "SHAKESPEARE THROUGH FILM"

Seminar to be Offered in 2012

By Nan Klee



Are you curious about William Shakespeare's writings, but not sure how to get through the archaic language of his plays? Watching a Shakespeare film is much easier and it's a great way to experience his works. With a knowledgeable guide and a group of interested folks for discussion, your experience will improve.

In January new resident Nan Klee will begin presenting a Shakespeare film from her collection twice a month on Sunday afternoons at the Village Hall. She will begin each session with an introduction and some background on that Shakespeare play, present the film (with an intermission midway through), and then end the afternoon with more discussion. Each session of *Shakespeare Through Film* will run approximately three hours because most of the films run two hours and discussions can go for an hour or more.

A sign-up sheet will be posted in the Village Hall's Copy Room in early December to help Nan determine the level of interest in the Village.

Nan has a BA in Education and gained extensive knowledge of Shakespeare while working on her Masters in Rhetoric and Writing. During that time, she took five graduate-level Shakespeare courses. ("Who better to study when you want to be a writer?" Nan says.)

Nan, a Navy veteran, is a technical writer, currently working for a local Department of Defense contractor. If you have questions about her seminar, call her cell phone (877-4627).

### If Women controlled medicine



The Manogram

## CV MEN'S GOLF CLUB

By Steve Webb



The meeting was called to order after a very delicious lunch. Bill Cowan brought big 4 foot deli sandwiches and Carol Cowan made fantastic potato salad. It was wonderful! Bill Cowan gave the treasurer's report and after expenses, our balance is \$1124.14. The big winners on the Fountains were Wayne Tillman, Bill Cowan, and Steve Webb. The Club Championship is going to be played in November. The Club had a discussion regarding the money collected on the first tee and how to divide it up amongst the blue and white tee players. This will be voted on in two months. The 50-50 winner was Ron Morey.

Top four in the Fountains Golfer of the Year rankings as of October 13 are Olsen, Cowan, Service and Tillman. On the Oaks as of September 27 it's Billy Smith, Chuck Kemp and Lee Rabeneau.

## OAKS LADIES GOLF CLUB

By Betty Service



The members enjoyed delicious food prepared by Sue Kessler and Bev Bedwell.

There will be a time change to 8 am after October 13. The next meeting in November will be a mixer and it will be an 8 am shotgun start. There's no refreshment committee in November and December due to the Turkey

Shoot luncheon and the Christmas lunch.

Membership Chair Deanna Clatworthy introduced a new member, Jude Begell. She is a home health nurse and also a cancer survivor. Welcome Jude!

The Christmas lunch is December 8 and will be at Rainbow Oaks Restaurant. It's located off I-15 North in the little town of Rainbow. Directions will be given at the November meeting.

Members voted to keep refreshments at meetings a little more than snacks. I guess everyone is hungry after a vigorous round of golf.

On a sad note, the club mourns the passing of Lanny Scalise who was a longtime member of the Oaks. She will be missed.

The 50/50 was won AGAIN by Deanna Clatworthy. The next meeting is November 10 and will be the Turkey Shoot/Luncheon.

## FOUNTAINS LADIES GOLF CLUB

By Janet LeRossignol



It's time to renew our \$60 dues for the upcoming year. Please turn it in by the end of November to the Treasurer, Janet LeRossignol.

The starting tee times were changed to 8 am for the months of November, December, and January. The Eclectic will be held November

2 and November 9 with the awards being handed out at the meeting on November 9.

The Christmas lunch will be held at Dominic's on Wednesday, December 14 at 12:30. The members will pay \$5 for the lunch and the club will pick up the rest. Social members will pay the full amount. Members need to sign up and pay their \$5 by the next meeting.

The following members volunteered to be officers for 2012: Connie Phillips – President; Betty Marsh – VP; Betty Service – Secretary; Dottie Moore – Treasurer. Thank you ladies!

## CV TENNIS CLUB

By Brenda Webb



The Tennis Club potluck meeting was held on October 20. Instead of his usual joke, President Billy Smith read a true and amusing story. Since we did not have an actual meeting in September, no minutes were read. Priscilla gave the Treasurer's report.

This potluck was hosted by Matt and Delores Madsen who provided some very delicious chicken. Everyone else brought great side dishes, appetizers, and wonderful desserts!

The November potluck meeting is cancelled due to many members being gone. Billy and Doreen Smith are doing the Christmas party in December. Sue and Ray Kessler will now host the January potluck instead.

“Professional golf is the only sport where, if you win 20% of the time, you're the best.” Jack Nicklaus

## CARDS & GAMES

### CRIBBAGE

Meets Mondays at 1 pm in the Library. For more information contact Billy Smith (751-3305).



### BRIDGE FOR EVERYONE

By Virginia Niciphor

Bridge is played every Tuesday afternoon starting at 1 pm in the Card Room. No stress, no pain. Just relax and have fun. Singles welcome. Call Virginia Niciphor (751-3464).

### COUPLES BRIDGE

By Linda Harper



Our next bridge date is Wednesday, Nov. 9 at 5 pm in the Hall. Hosts for the evening will be John & Nan Martin (751-2746). Sign up in the Copy Room. You may also sign up to bring dessert or hors d'oeuvres. Please bring your own libations. Three prizes each for women and men will be awarded. Bring \$2 per couple for the prizes.

### MONDAY GAME NIGHT

By Linda Harper

6 pm every Monday  
5 pm potluck on Nov. 14

Play Mexican Train, Mah-Jong, Hearts, Sequence, Spades, Wii or bring a new game to play! No sign up - just show up at the Hall.



### PINOCHLE

By Marion Psota



Are you a pinochle player? If you are new to Champagne Village, we have a group of pinochle players who meet the first and third Friday of each month at 1 pm in the Card Room. It's a friendly, fun time and the cost is only \$1. If you're interested in playing, call Marion Psota (751-3940) and we'll put your name on the list of available players. Someone will call you the week of play and check if you're able to join us on Friday.

### HAND AND FOOT

By Stella Stanek



We need YOU! We are looking for 5 or more new people to join us on a regular basis. It's an easy card game that you can learn in one hand! We meet every Monday at 1 pm in the Multi-purpose Room behind the Laundry Room. Call Carolyn White (751-1833).

### POOL PLAYERS CLUB

By Orlie Macioci

If you have played pool, billiards or snooker before, we want you! Our Pool Players Club needs some new blood, and women are welcome, too. We play Monday



through Friday from 1 pm to 3 pm, subject to change if so desired. We have two tables and can barely fill one table of four players. If you're interested, please contact Orlie Macioci (749-6444).

### BUNCO

By Carolyn White



Bunco is a fun dice game that's very easy to play and you can win prizes. The cost is only \$3. We play the second and fourth Fridays of the month from 1 pm to 3 pm in the Hall. Because of the Thanksgiving holiday we will only play on November 11. We need to know if you will be there so we can make up tables of four; call Carolyn White (751-1833) to reserve your seat. *Mark your calendar and we'll look forward to seeing you there. Bring a friend or a neighbor! The more people who play, the more money you can win.*



### PENNY CANASTA

By Ginny Davenport

Meets 1 pm to 4 pm every Thursday in the Card Room. Call Ginny Davenport (908-8698) for more info.

## EXERCISE

### LINE DANCING

By Janet LeRossignol

**Lessons - Mondays - 8:30 am**  
**Dancing - MWF - 9 am**

On Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings men and women dance to all types of music for exercise. Come try it!

Beginners should start with the Monday lessons at 8:30 am to learn the steps to each dance. Once you know the dances you'll be able to dance with the rest of the group at 9 am. For more information call Janet (749-7934).



### WATER EXERCISE

By Deanna Clatworthy

**MWF - 10 am**  
**TTh - 3 pm**

Open to all interested persons and held at the pool on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 10 am.

Come try the 40 minute water aerobic CD. If you like it and plan to continue, there is a one time charge of \$5 to cover expenses.

Call Deanna if you have any questions (751-0204).



### AEROBIC DANCE

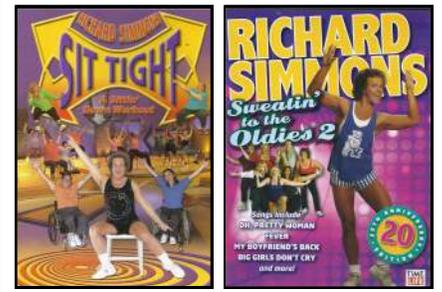
By Peggy Holder

**Workout for a Healthy Heart**

**Mondays - 2:00 pm**  
**Thursdays - 9:00 am**

CHAIR AEROBICS will take up the first half hour! They're easy, fun and good for you.

Join us in the Village Hall for aerobic dance workouts on Mondays and Thursdays. We'll be working out with Richard Simmons' "Sweatin' To The Oldies" and "Sit Tight" being shown on the large screen.



## VISITING DUBAI

By Betty Mortz

"I have just the cruise for us" my cruise loving friend suggested. "We can fly to Dubai and cruise seven nights". One of our friends is now in Abu Dhabi with a two year teaching contract and visiting a day with her sounded inviting. "It would be fun" was my reply before the newspaper accounts of the unrest and unstable governments resulting in anti-government protests. We flew non-stop from LAX to Dubai. Our destination was the UAE (United Arab Emirates), the federation of seven separate and independent emirates or cities, with the cruise stops at ports of 1) Abu Dhabi, the capital and home to UAE's federal government, as well as the royal family of his highness Sheikh bin Zayed Al Nahyan; 2) Dubai, also known as the Venice of the Persian Gulf with its seemingly endless skyscrapers and five and even seven star hotels; every year its landscape changes with thousands of newly constructed buildings and infrastructures; 3) Fujairah, the youngest and most geographically rugged of the Emirates; it's a bustling port and business center; this coastal area on the Arabian Peninsula has played a vital role over thousands of years in the connection and trade between East and West, India and Europe;

and 4) Muscat, an ancient town characterized by a unique civilization reflecting both Arabian and Islamic influences; the ancient buildings, narrow winding streets, beautiful gates with engravings that help the city retain much medieval charm while blending with modern and commercial and residential quarters. It was an interesting and exciting adventure that I feel very fortunate to have been able to do.

There is a follow up to the story, however. An overnight stay at Palomar Hospital came within the week following our return. The lack of sleep (a 14 hour plane ride), lack of fluids, unaccustomed diet, and jet lag (I guess) culminated in me losing consciousness at the home of Bob and Mary Garcia while playing Mahjong with Mary, Pat Hamada, and Nancy Cowell. Thanks to those angels, a 911 call brought help. After observation for 12 hours I came home and back to full speed again.

## CARE AND CONCERN "Timeless Lessons"

By Bev Davenport

I'm sure most of you have heard that your life is like a tapestry. The front somehow forms a picture of who you are and looks okay or even really good. The back side has all kinds of threads going all different directions and can look kind of messy, full of knots and loose ends. Only you know you best and see the real you, the back side.

The lessons we have learned through life make a difference in how we respond to everyday living. When you look back on your life, what lessons have you learned that have caused you to be the person you are? How did you learn right from wrong? Did you learn there are consequences if you did the wrong thing? What causes you to be a positive or negative person? How do you show others you have compassion and that you have a gentle spirit? Do you enjoy serving others or do you want others to serve you?

Woven through each of our lives are stories on how and why we have become the person we are. Why we have chosen to respond to life the way we do and the timeless lessons we have learned. Why not pass on some of these lessons to your families and friends? Write a few down and share them with others. I'm sure each of us would be grateful and thankful to those people who taught us a good life lesson. It is never too late to learn a few more lessons. Pass some on to the next generation; don't keep them hidden.

Here are a few timeless lessons I'm still working on. My Dad always said: Things are to be used and people are to be loved; To do what is right and good is a choice; Always tell the truth; Forgiveness is a process.

Because the Care and Concern Committee does believe in the power of prayer, please let us know your request. You can email Bev Davenport at [hwdbev@orionbroadband.net](mailto:hwdbev@orionbroadband.net) or call (751-3025).



## FRIENDS HELPING FRIENDS

By Nickie Kettinger

We are volunteers who drive fellow Villagers to medical appointments when they have no other means of getting there. If you're in need of our services, please call me (749-8119) and I will find a driver for you. If it's a real emergency call 911 for assistance.

We need more volunteers to drive, so if you can help out occasionally, please call me to get on the list.

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED PALOMAR MEDICAL CENTER

Palomar Medical Center Volunteer Services is looking for active individuals to serve in the new Hospitality Service. These volunteers put patients and visitors at ease by providing a friendly and welcoming greeting to all who enter the hospital. They provide directions and escort visitors to their destinations as needed. They also provide wheelchair service to patients, visitors or families needing assistance.

For more information please contact Volunteer Services (739-3081).

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FARMERS INSURANCE GOLF OPEN

By Pat LeRossignol

The Farmers Insurance Open at Torrey Pines is January 25 - 29 and they need volunteers to work the individual holes, drive shuttles, man the evacuation team, etc. There is a **\$50 cost** to volunteers and for that you get a tournament jacket and hat, free passes, and meal tickets. Volunteers **MUST** participate the first three days from Wednesday, January 25 through Friday, January 27, but priority is given to those who work all five days. If you're a golf fan you will really enjoy it. You'll get to see big time players up close and personal.

If you're interested, please contact me (749-7934) before the end of November.

## RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES



### VESPERS

By Margaret Meadows

**Sundays at 4 pm**

We hold a non-denominational service every Sunday from 4 pm to 5 pm in the Card Room. Everyone is invited to join us. On November 6 we will serve communion with fellowship following the service.



### CATHOLIC BIBLE STUDY

By Jim and Carol Kostick

**Wednesdays at 6:30 pm**

The Bread of Life Catholic Bible Study is held every Wednesday from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm in the Multi-Purpose Room behind the Laundry Room. It includes Praise and Worship, sharing the Sunday Readings and time for Prayer of Petitions.

All are welcome. Please bring your Bible. Need more information? Call Deacon Jim or Carol Kostick (749-8313).

### CHAMPAGNE VILLAGE BIBLE STUDY

By Jack & Naomi Boneham

**Tuesdays at 7 pm**

We will be studying from Shadow Mountain Community Church material by Dr. David Jeremiah, Pastor. All Village residents are welcome. We will meet every Tuesday evening at 7 pm in the Card Room. Any questions please call Jack & Naomi Boneham (749-0282).

### VILLAGE BIBLE STUDY & CARE GROUP

By Bob & Norma Halstead

**Thursdays at 7 pm**

This is a non-denominational bible study group that meets the 1st, 3rd and 5th Thursdays at 7 pm in the Card Room. We will be studying Philipians which will be approximately 6 sessions. After the study there will be a time for sharing prayer requests and praying followed by a time of fellowship. Any questions call Bob & Norma Halstead (749-2380).

## IN MEMORY OF



**Betty Bearman - #149**  
**Virginia Mesna - #124**  
**Norm Peterson - #453**  
**Madge Morris (previous resident)**

Please pray for the families of these dear ones.  
Cards with notes of encouragement  
are always appreciated.

## NAME THAT AREA

The following names were submitted by residents for the new gazebo area which may include the pool and exercise area. **Vote for your favorite by writing it on a piece of paper with your name & space # and drop it into the CVPOA dropbox during the month of November.**

CV Sports Complex  
CV Sports and Recreation Area  
CV Fitness and Recreation Center  
The Sports Gallery  
The Sports Complex  
The Playground  
The Neighborhood Niche  
The Gathering Place  
The Village Green and Pool  
The Village Green(s)  
The Green(s)

## ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

If you'd like to be on the committee to organize bocce ball games/tournaments, sign up in the Copy Room.



## ACTIVITIES AT A GLANCE

### CARDS & GAMES

	<u>Time</u>	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Phone</u>
Bridge for Everyone	Tuesday 1 pm	Virginia Niciphor	751-3464
Bridge for Couples	2 <sup>nd</sup> Wednesday 5 pm	Linda Harper	751-0075
Bunco	2 <sup>nd</sup> /4 <sup>th</sup> Friday 1 pm	Carolyn White	751-1833
Cribbage	Monday 1 pm	Billy Smith	751-3305
Game Night	Monday 5 pm/6 pm	Linda Harper	751-0075
Hand and Foot	Monday 1 pm	Carolyn White	751-1833
Penny Canasta	Thursday 1 pm	Ginny Davenport	908-8698
Pinochle	1 <sup>st</sup> /3 <sup>rd</sup> Friday 1 pm	Marion Psota	751-3940
Pool	Monday-Friday 1 pm	Orlie Macioci	749-6444

### CRAFTS, ETC.

Scrap Book Club	4 <sup>th</sup> Saturday 10 am	Janet Hyman	749-8120
Happy Hands	Tuesday 1 pm	Janina Garvey	749-1730

### EXERCISE

Aerobics	Monday 2 pm/Thurs 9 am	Peggy Holder	690-3798
Line Dance for Beginners	Monday 8:30 am	Janet LeRossignol	749-7934
Line Dance	MWF 9 am	Janet LeRossignol	749-7934
Water Exercise	MWF 10 am	Deanna Clatworthy	751-0204
	Tuesday/Thursday 3 pm		

### RELIGION

Catholic Bible Study	Wednesday 6:30 pm	Jim/Carol Kostick	749-8313
CV Bible Study	Tuesday 7 pm	Jack/Naomi Boneham	749-0282
Vespers	Sunday 4 pm	Margaret Meadows	749-7573
Village Bible Study/Care	1 <sup>st</sup> /3 <sup>rd</sup> /5 <sup>th</sup> Thurs 7 pm	Bob/Norma Halstead	749-2380

### SPORTS

CV Men's Golf	Tuesday/Thursday am	Lee Rabeneau	751-2544
Fountains Ladies Golf	Wednesday am	Betty Service	749-0575
Oaks Ladies Golf	Thursday am	Deanna Clatworthy	751-0204
Tennis	2 <sup>nd</sup> Thursday 5:30 pm	Billy Smith	751-3305

### VOLUNTEERING

Care & Concern Committee		Bev Davenport	751-3025
Friends Helping Friends		Nickie Kettenring	749-8119

### MISCELLANEOUS

Bubbly Babes/Red Hats	Various	Mary Starkey	751-0825
Champagne Singles	2 <sup>nd</sup> Friday 5:30 pm	Janice Gleyzal	751-1224
		Donna Shaw	751-1799
CV Chorus	Tuesday 10:30 am	Bob Halstead	749-2380
Let's Go - Together		Mimi Baca	751-1032
Lions Club	3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesday 5:30 pm	Paul Fischer	749-8918
Social Activities Committee		Peggy Holder	690-3798

For changes contact Karin in the Village Office

# Champagne Village Calendar - NOVEMBER 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		<p>1 10:00 Bookmobile 10:30 Chorus 1:00 Bridge for Everyone 1:00 Happy Hands 1:00 Shanghai 6:00 Water Aerobics 7:00 CV Bible Study</p>	<p>2 9:00 Line Dance 10:00 Water Aerobics 6:30 Catholic Bible Study</p>	<p>3 9:00 Aerobics 11:30 Oaks Ladies Golf 1:00 Pennies 3:00 Water Aerobics 7:00 Village Bible/Care</p>	<p>4 9:00 Line Dance 9:00 Shop/CV Van 10:00 Water Aerobics 1:00 Pinochle 6:00 Movie Night</p>	5
6	<p>7 8:30 Line Dancing 10:00 Water Aerobics 1:00 Bridge 1:00 Hand &amp; Foot 1:00 Cribbage 2:00 Aerobics 6:00 Game Night</p>	<p>8 10:30 Chorus 1:00 Bridge for Everyone 1:00 Happy Hands 1:00 Shanghai 6:00 Water Aerobics 7:00 CV Bible Study</p>	<p>9 9:00 Line Dance 10:00 Water Aerobics 10:00 Red Hats 11:30 Fountains Ladies Golf 5:00 Couples Bridge 6:30 Catholic Bible Study</p>	<p>10 9:00 Aerobics 1:00 Pennies 3:00 Water Aerobics 5:30 Tennis Club</p>	<p>11 9:00 Line Dance 9:00 A-1 Golf Carts 9:00 Shop/CV Van 10:00 Water Aerobics 12:00 Ladies Dup. Bridge 1:00 Bunco 5:30 CV Singles Potluck</p>	12  5:00 Vets Dinner
13	<p>14 8:30 Line Dancing 10:00 Water Aerobics 1:00 Bridge 1:00 Hand &amp; Foot 1:00 Cribbage 2:00 Aerobics 5:00 Game Night Potluck</p>	<p>15 10:00 Bookmobile 10:30 Chorus 1:00 Bridge for Everyone 1:00 Happy Hands 1:00 Shanghai 6:00 Water Aerobics 7:00 CV Bible Study</p>	<p>16 9:00 Line Dance 10:00 Water Aerobics 1:00 Board Meeting 6:00 Lions Club 6:30 Catholic Bible Study</p>	<p>17 9:00 Aerobics 11:00 Men's Golf Club 1:00 Pennies 3:00 Water Aerobics 7:00 Village Bible/Care</p>	<p>18 9:00 Line Dance 9:00 Shop/CV Van 9:00 Golf Carts &amp; More 10:00 Water Aerobics 1:00 Pinochle 6:00 Movie Night</p>	19  1 - 5 Private Party-VH
20	<p>21 8:30 Line Dancing 10:00 Water Aerobics 1:00 Bridge 1:00 Hand &amp; Foot 1:00 Cribbage 2:00 Aerobics 6:00 Game Night</p>	<p>22 10:30 Chorus 1:00 Bridge for Everyone 1:00 Happy Hands 1:00 Shanghai 6:00 Water Aerobics 6:30 Bunco Babes 7:00 CV Bible Study</p>	<p>23 9:00 Line Dance 10:00 Water Aerobics 5:00 Couples Duplicate Bridge 6:30 Catholic Bible Study</p>	<p>24 <b>THANKSGIVING</b> <b>OFFICE CLOSED</b> 9:00 Aerobics 1:00 Pennies 3:00 Water Aerobics</p>	<p>25 <b>OFFICE CLOSED</b> <b>TRASH PICK UP</b> 9:00 Line Dance 9:00 Escondido Golf Cart 9:00 Shop/CV Van 10:00 Water Aerobics</p>	26  10 - 4 Scrapbook Club
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