

# New Golf Pro Comes to Leisure World Course

by Stacy Smith, Leisure World News

Richard Rosenthal, a PGA golf professional with more than 26 years of experience in golf operations, joins the team at Leisure World as head golf professional on March 27.

Rosenthal is the former interim head PGA professional at Manor Country Club in Rockville. He has been a PGA of America member for nearly 20 years, and has experience running MISGA senior events.

To become a member of the PGA, Rosenthal had to complete classes, a playing ability test and employment and internship requirements.

He said he takes a hands-on approach to his job and wants the golf course at Leisure World



Richard Rosenthal. Photo by Leisure World News

to be a fun place where people of all skill levels can feel free to enjoy themselves.

“Golf, to me, is a lifestyle, not just a job. I like to be out there talking to people and listening to what they have to say,” he said, adding, “If I wanted

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## If Spring Comes, Can Winter Be Far Behind?



In a topsy-turvy season, temperatures often rose into the 70s in February and early March, leading to blossoming trees along Leisure World Boulevard South on March 13 (left). The next day, snow, sleet and frigid temperatures had plunged the area into a heretofore-elusive winter (right). Photos by Maureen Freeman, Leisure World News

# Bach Over Beatles

*Resident Shares Her Passion for the Organ with Chapelgoers*



Holly Oberle plays organ music at The Inter-Faith Chapel March 8. Photo by Stacy Smith

by Stacy Smith, Leisure World News

Holly Oberle has always marched to a different musical drumbeat. The 69-year old organist, who is currently giving 15-minute recitals of meditative music before Wednesday Lenten services at The Inter-Faith Chapel, was never much interested in the rock ‘n’ roll of her peers.

“When everybody else was listening to The Beatles, I was listening to Bach,” she says.

Oberle moved to Leisure World a little more than a year ago, and was pleased to find that the Chapel had an organ that she was allowed to use for practice.

The Chapel’s regular organist and director of music, Kevin Clemens, heard her playing one day and asked if she would use her talents to fill in during some worship services, which garnered

an enthusiastic “yes.”

Oberle says she gets to choose which pieces she plays, opting for a French 19th century composer this week, with works by Mozart and Bach to follow. Her natural affinity for the organ began when she was just 12 years old.

“I was taking piano lessons, and I got kind of bored,” she says. “So my piano teacher suggested that I try organ, and I was hooked.”

Oberle says playing the organ is more enjoyable than playing piano because it has more keyboards and pedals, and takes more of your body to play it.

“And you can play really loud, which is what appealed to my 12-year-old sense,” she says, with a laugh.

By age 13, she was playing the organ for parishioners at a Methodist church in Bethesda. Within a couple years, she was substi-

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## Cable Bill Update

Some residents could see adjustments to their cable television bills. See page 6.



# From Shopper to Manager, Supporting Children and Students

by Stacy Smith, Leisure World News

Inside an old house that sits adjacent to MedStar Montgomery Medical Center and that once served as the hospital's nurse's quarters, rows and rows of donated clothes, shoes, books, toys, housewares and antiques are on display throughout two packed floors.

The house serves as the thriving MedStar Montgomery Medical Center Thrift Shop, and is the place where resident Judith Casey has found renewed purpose since retiring after more than 40 years teaching kindergarten in Montgomery County public schools.

For six days a week, Casey serves as volunteer manager of the store's second floor, where she oversees its day-to-day operations.

"I make sure that the clothes are down, everything is priced [and] everything is picked up," she said.

The volunteer job is no

small task; every day the store receives pounds of donated items that must be sorted, tagged, priced and displayed.

"We get wonderful, high-end clothing," she said. "We have a whole attic that is filled with clothes."

Casey is particularly keen on what she calls "the Christmas room," where miniature snowmen, Santa Clauses and other holiday decorations peek out from all directions. She explains that the trinkets would have normally been stowed away by now, but the shop had a run on Christmas-themed donations.

All proceeds from the Thrift Shop support Women's Board pledges made to MedStar Montgomery Medical Center and their scholarship program, for students pursuing a degree in healthcare.

The Thrift Shop isn't the only hobby that keeps Casey busy. She manages the lights



Volunteer manager Judith Casey adjusts jewelry on a rack at the MedStar Montgomery Medical Center Thrift Shop Feb. 24. Photo by Stacy Smith, Leisure World News

and sound for the Fun and Fancy Theatre Group during certain productions, and was one of the original members of the Baby Boomer Club.

She also has a garden plot, but said she gives what she grows to her coworkers at the shop. Giving seems to come naturally to Casey; over the past 25 years she has mothered 27 foster children and nine exchange students.

She said that before she worked in a thrift store, she spent years shopping in them to clothe and care for all the children that have passed

through her life. The outfits she bought for her first two foster children, twin girls who she eventually adopted, were just \$1 apiece.

"The first picture I have of them is in that outfit that I bought the day before," she said.

The MedStar Montgomery Medical Center Thrift Shop is located at the corner of Prince Philip Drive and Route 108 in Olney, and is open Monday through Saturday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Donations are accepted Monday through Friday from 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m., and Saturday from 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

## CORRECTION

Because of a production error, the last line of the page 1 article, "Board Nixes Proposal for Building Study" was cut off mid-sentence. The final sentence should have read: "For many of us, that includes going to residents in our mutuals, and getting their perspectives on these kinds of things."

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# Did You Know... A Silent Landmark in Silver Spring



Biologist and author Rachel Carson wrote her groundbreaking book while living in this Silver Spring home 60 years ago. Wiki Commons photo, left; photo, right, courtesy the Rachel Carson Landmark Alliance



magazine feature article, “The Gentle Storm Center,” and CBS newscaster Eric Sevareid filmed an interview with her in the home’s study for a CBS Reports TV program. The interview appeared in a nationwide 1963 broadcast as “The Silent Spring of Rachel Carson.”

Located less than 8 miles from Leisure World, the house on Berwick Road was custom built to Carson’s specifications in 1957, and she occupied it until her death from cancer in 1964 at age 56.

The home is currently the headquarters of Rachel Carson Landmark Alliance. On Saturday, May 6, from noon-3 p.m., the Alliance hosts an open house to celebrate the 60th anniversary of this historic home, as well as Carson’s legacy. For more information, visit (<http://rachelcarsonlandmarkalliance.org/>).

by Stacy Smith, Leisure World News

The highly acclaimed 1962 book “Silent Spring,” which detailed the misuse of chemical pesticides, helped launch the modern environmental movement and instigated the founding of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

Serialized in three parts in The New Yorker, it became an instant best seller; even President John F. Kennedy took the time to read it.

But did you know that the Silver Spring home where nature writer Rachel Carson penned her groundbreaking work has been a National Historic Landmark

since 1991? The house is not only where Carson wrote, but also where she completed four years worth of intensive research and correspondence with scientists and experts.

In response to the book’s wide reach, renowned photojournalist Alfred Eisenstaedt took pictures of her in the home for a Life

## [SNAPSHOT]



“My [foster] kids, they went to school with me. I made sure that the county let them come to school with me. They could stand outside when they were on the playground, and they could see me in my classroom. They could look in and see that I was still there. Their biggest issue in foster care was that their mothers would pick them up, and keep them home for a while and then they would lose them again. So they were never stable. But they could look in the window and know I hadn’t left. Later they said that’s the thing that made their lives livable – that they knew I wasn’t going to leave.”

— Judith Casey, Mutual 13  
Retired kindergarten teacher and mother to 27 foster children,  
three of whom she adopted

## Where In Leisure World?



With an empty basin in her hand, plump babies on her hip and at her feet, and flowers nestled among them all, this classical-style lady seems to anticipate the bountiful fruits and vegetables that will grow in dozens of nearby garden plots when spring and summer come. She stands in stone next to one of the long blue storage sheds in the garden plots area, located behind the MedStar Health medical center and the Physical Properties Department.

Photos by Leisure World News





# Organist

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tuting for organ players in other downtown Bethesda churches.

Since that time, she has mastered the harpsichord, and has played the carillon in the bell tower at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C.

She also worked as the organist for Arlington National Cemetery, a 60-hour a week commitment in which she played during weddings, church services and funerals.

Music has been her life's work and passion. She is retired from a 25-year career as music librarian at Ohio University.

"I had always worked in music libraries when I was an undergraduate and graduate [student], and so I decided that's what I really wanted to do," she says.

Oberle has a bachelor's degree in music from Baldwin Wallace College in Ohio and master's and doctorate degrees in music from the Catholic University of America. She also has a degree in library science from the Univer-

sity of Maryland.

"I felt like I spent most of my life in college, but I loved it," she says.

She even studied abroad one summer, practicing on the same organ that Mozart used at Sint-Bavokerk (Church of St. Bavo) in Haarlem, Holland.

She says she's performed in so many different kinds of churches over the years that it's hard for her to say which religion she identifies most with, however, she is active with the Unitarian Universalists at Leisure World.

In addition to the quiet and contemplative melodies and booming gospel sounds that



Oberle played Mozart's organ in the Saint Bavo Church while studying abroad in Holland. Both Handel and Mozart played the ornate Muller organ. Bigstock photo

the organ is typically associated with, she has played a variety of other genres, once performing jazz and silent movie music during a recital in Ohio.

Nowadays though, Oberle spends most of her time the

same way she did as a teenager – substituting as organ player at several local churches. She says she doesn't see herself ever giving up the organ.

"Not as long as my feet still work," she jokes.

## Montgomery County Approves Property Tax Credit

by Stacy Smith, Leisure World News

With an 8-0 vote, the Montgomery County Council approved a bill on March 7 to create a new property tax credit for residents 65 or older who are retired veterans of the U.S. military. The bill goes into effect July 1.

The bill "will offer some help to people who have lived here a long time and helped build this County and to those who served our country," said Councilmember Nancy Floreen, who chairs the Council's Planning, Housing and Economic Development Committee.

Residents 65 and older who have lived in the same home, with an assessed value of \$650,000 or less, for at least 40 years are also eligible for the tax credit. Residents seeking a credit must apply by April 1 of the year in which the tax credit is sought.

Those who qualify are eligible to receive a 20 percent credit for property tax imposed on their homes. The credit would be granted annually up to five years, subject to application requirements.

Floreen was the lead sponsor of Bill 42-16. Councilmembers Sidney Katz, Nancy Navarro and Craig Rice were co-sponsors.

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# BWI Commuter Bus Service Reduced in May

by Leisure World News

A public bus route that runs between Montgomery County and the Baltimore-Washington International Thurgood Marshall Airport (BWI) will operate on a reduced schedule beginning Monday, May 1.

The Maryland Transportation Authority (MTA), which operates the express commuter bus line, will eliminate mid-day, weekend, and holiday service. The existing Route 201 will divide the service into two (2) smaller routes, Route 200 and Route 201. This service will operate on weekdays only, between Montgomery County and BWI Marshall Airport. Both routes combined will provide 18 one-way trips Monday through Friday.

Commuter Bus Route 200 will operate four westbound trips in the morning from BWI Marshall Airport MARC Rail Station to Gaithersburg Park and Ride every 60 minutes between 4:30-7:30 a.m. Four corresponding east-

bound trips will operate in the afternoon every 60 minutes between 3-6 p.m. One mid-day trip will operate between Montgomery County and Anne Arundel County departing at 1:30 p.m.

Commuter Bus Route 201 will operate four eastbound trips in the morning from Gaithersburg Park and Ride to BWI Marshall Airport every 60 minutes between 5-8 a.m. Four corresponding westbound trips will operate in the afternoon every 60 minutes between 3:30-6:30 p.m. One mid-day trip will operate between Anne Arundel County and Montgomery County departing at noon.

Until May 1, the bus makes 34 one-way weekday trips and 30 one-way trips on weekends and holidays from 4 a.m.-12:20 a.m. Known to some as "the ICC bus," it uses the Intercounty Connector, Maryland Route 200, as its main route between the county and the airport. A one-way fare for seniors for the 50-mile trip is \$4.

# Wi-Fi Now Throughout Clubhouse I

Public access to Wi-Fi is now available throughout Clubhouse I, with work completed in February that allows people in the building to access the internet through laptops or other electronic devices. Jamie McDonald, the director of Information Technology, told the Special Information Technology Committee on March 7 that, with access points now installed in the Maryland and Chesapeake Rooms, Wi-Fi is

available across the north wing of the building in addition to the rest of the clubhouse.

Those who use the public access Wi-Fi should exercise caution when doing so; the Wi-Fi is not secured, and the Special Information Technology Committee has advised that it should never be used to share confidential information or complete financial transactions.

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# Comcast Crediting Cable Users' Service Charge

by Stacy Smith, Leisure World News

**R**esidents who are Comcast subscribers may soon see a credit on their monthly bill's statement, if they haven't already.

The cable TV service provider, with whom Leisure World has had a bulk service contract agreement since 2010, is in the process of crediting some subscribers who have been charged a high definition (HD) service fee of \$9.95 per month.

If a subscriber is due a credit, it will automatically appear on his or her monthly bill statement, said Leisure World general manager Kevin Flannery.

Flannery is currently in discussions with Comcast representatives as well as the Montgomery County Office of Cable and Broadband Services regarding eliminating any potential fixed capitation on the amount of

overcharges that may be credited to any single resident subscriber.

Resident Comcast subscribers currently receive HD TV if they have substituted a standard definition digital receiver box with a digital HD receiver box, according to the bulk service contract agreement.

Comcast is reviewing all resident subscribers' accounts, so that those who have been either overcharged or undercharged for services and fees will be charged appropriately going forward, according to an investigator at the Montgomery County Office of Cable and Broadband Services.

The Montgomery County Office of Cable and Broadband Services submitted a formal complaint to Comcast on Feb. 21 requesting that all charges related to the HD service fee be refunded from the date of charge. The complaint was initiated after

a Leisure World resident filed a complaint against Comcast with the Montgomery County Office of Cable and Broadband Services.

Resident apprehensions about Comcast's billing practices have been ongoing. During a Dec. 1 visit to Leisure World by Comcast representatives, residents expressed concerns that they were being overcharged for service, according to Technology Committee member Jim Owen.

Resident subscribers who believe they have been charged the HD service fee and have not been refunded, or who have records showing they were not credited for the entire amount, can contact Comcast Bulk Support at

(855-638-2855).

Comcast's bulk service contract agreement with Leisure World currently provides all subscribers with digital cable TV content at approximately \$31 a unit per month, a reduced rate.

Residents who would like additional Comcast services must contact the company directly. Leisure World's bulk service contract does not include any special rates for premium channels, telephone or internet service.

On Jan. 28, the Leisure World Community Corporation board of directors authorized Leisure World general manager Kevin Flannery to explore providers' bulk internet service options.

## Main Kitchen Repairs Wrap Up

**T**he main kitchen in Clubhouse I, which serves primarily the Clubhouse Grille restaurant, is expected to re-open Wednesday, April 5.

The maintenance and repair work to the kitchen has proceeded on schedule, according to the General Manager's Report for March.

Major work is still underway; workers are reinstalling kitchen appliances and restocking supplies.

While the maintenance and repair work is being completed in the main kitchen, the Terrace Room restaurant kitchen continues to operate during regular hours.

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# Governance & INFORMATION

## March 18: Community Shredding Day

**T**ime to shred. Leisure World is hosting a Community Shredding Day on Saturday, March 18, from 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Shredding trucks will be located in the Administration Building parking lot.

This is a great opportunity to reduce paper clutter in your home and free up space by permanently destroying outdated or unwanted files and documents. You can

bring your papers and watch them get destroyed on the truck right in front of you.

**Do not bring the following items:** newspapers, brochures, and magazines that go in your regular recycling; batteries; media of any kind; hanging folders; or large metal objects.

For more information, contact the E&R office in Clubhouse II at (301-598-1320).

## March 20: MLK Petition Collection

**A** group of concerned residents are generating a petition urging the Leisure World Community Corporation to take actions necessary to recognize Martin Luther King Jr. Day as a community and employee holiday effective Jan. 1, 2018.

Martin Luther King Jr. Day promotes equal rights for all people. Leisure World employees are unable to take part in the day's festivities or services because it is not recognized here as a holiday.

We recommend the day be recognized as a holiday to replace Columbus Day, so as not to create an additional holiday. Petitions are being circulated throughout the community and will be collected by the committee on Monday, March 20 from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. in the Clubhouse I lobby.

— Carlota Goldenberg, Betsy Starks, and Juanita Sealy-Williams

## April 17: AARP Smart Driver Course

**T**he E&R Department is sponsoring an AARP Smart Driver Course on Monday, April 17, in Clubhouse I from 9:45 a.m.-3 p.m., with a one-hour break for lunch.

You must pre-register for the course, which is for residents only. Please bring your Leisure World ID. A check payable to AARP, \$15 for AARP members and \$20 for non-members, is required at the time of registration.

(Please note: AARP

members must show a current membership card to receive the AARP discount.) Registration begins on Tuesday, March 21, at 8:30 a.m. in the E&R office in Clubhouse I. The number of participants is limited to 25, so plan to register early.

Participants should bring their driver's license and a pen or pencil to the course. If you have any questions, contact the E&R Office in Clubhouse I at (301-598-1300).

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*Executive Committee meetings are broadcast on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday the week after the meeting. Board of Directors meetings are broadcast on Monday, Wednesday and Friday the week after the meeting. All broadcasts are at 4 p.m. and 7 p.m.*

**Executive Committee Meeting**  
The March 17 meeting will air on March 22, 23 and 24.

**Board of Directors Meeting**  
The March 28 meeting will air on April 3, 5, and 7.

## Group Email Addresses

Residents wishing to contact Leisure World Management, the LWCC Board of Directors, or the Executive Committee may send an email to the appropriate email address listed below. It will automatically be forwarded to all members of that group who have an email address on record.

Messages to any of the email groups should pertain only to the management and operation of Leisure World trust properties, services, or activities. Please do not send emails to all three addresses, as there will be a duplication of recipients and will not result in a faster response to your question or comment. Messages pertaining to mutuals or anything else which Management, the Board of Directors, or Executive Committee does not control should also not be sent to these groups.

The group email addresses are:

- LWMC Management - management@lwmc.com
- LWCC Board of Directors - board@lwmc.com
- LWCC Executive Committee - exccomm@lwmc.com

### Leisure World Community Corporation Board of Directors

## Share Your Thoughts

**A**t the end of May, members of the LWCC board of directors will give their input to the annual evaluation of Leisure World's general manager, Kevin Flannery. Prior to that time, residents can share their thoughts with their mutual's board representative.

### The Inter-Faith Chapel

## March 30: Memorial

**A**tribute to the life of Leisure World social worker Myrna Cooperstein will be held at The Inter-Faith Chapel on Thursday, March 30, from 1:30-3:30 p.m. Cooperstein served the community as director of Leisure World's Social Services Department from 1990-2017 and touched many lives. She helped many residents continue to live safely and independently in their homes and expanded social work services during her tenure.

All residents and families are welcome to attend. Light refreshments will be offered after the service.

— Bonnie Bonner



# March 29: Site Plan Presentation

A pre-application community presentation for adjacent property owners of the Administration Building/Clubhouse I Site Improvement Plan as approved by The Leisure World Community Corporation board of directors is on Wednesday, March 29, at 6 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium.

The presentation is a required part of The Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission application process.

Residents who wish to attend should register at the E&R office in Clubhouse II, or phone the office at (301-598-1320).



A rendering of the proposed Administration Building by the architectural firm Streetsense.

## Understanding LWCC Board Voting Procedures

by Paul M. Bessel

The March 3 edition of Leisure World News accurately reported that two mutuals voted in favor of a particular motion at the Feb. 28 meeting of the Leisure World Community Corporation board of directors. However, if you were present at the meeting or watched the broadcast, you heard three “yes” votes. How can this be? The board’s voting procedures are complicated, so let’s try to work our way through them.

Leisure World comprises 29 mutuals, but the LWCC board consists of 34 members. Each mutual is entitled to have one representative on the board, while the three largest mutuals – Montgomery Mutual, Mutual 20A and Mutual 20B – are entitled to have more than one. Montgomery Mutual has four board members, and Mutuals 20A and 20B have two members each. But, each mutual has only one collective vote, so the mutuals with multiple members have to be counted differently.

Specifically, if a majority of the representatives of those mutuals agree, that is how their one vote is cast, but if they split evenly, they are considered to have “abstained.” At the Feb. 28 board meeting, one member of Mutual 20B did cast a “yes” vote, but the other member cast a “no” vote, so Mutual 20B abstained, leaving only two mutual votes in favor of the motion.

However, that’s not the end of it. The LWCC board has a “double majority” rule. That is, not only does a motion have to receive a majority of the mutual votes (one vote per mutual), but it also needs a majority of the “weighted” vote to pass. The weighted vote is the number of units in each mutual, and those numbers range from seven to 898. Unless the mutual vote makes it absolutely clear that the weighted vote is the same, the weighted vote must be counted. When it comes to the weighted vote for the three mutuals with more than one member, each member casts an equal proportion of the number of units in the mutual – either one quarter or one half.

As noted above, it’s complicated.

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## Education and Recreation



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Flea Markets/Craft Shows	

3x6 table	18.00
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Picnics (per person)	1.00
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### Swimming Pool

#### OUTDOOR

Guest fees	Children	3.00
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Guest fees	Children	3.00
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Resident fees	Annual	150.00
	Monthly	40.00
	Daily	3.00

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Resident	Annual	800.00
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### Dial-a-Ride, within community (one-way)

Daily, per person	8 a.m.-8 p.m.	4.00
Holidays, per person	9 a.m.-5 p.m.	4.00

### Reservation for Medical Center Resident Transport

One-way, per person	5.00
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# Residents' FORUM

## My Opinion on the Administration Building

I'm responding to the recent appeal to "fellow residents" for their opinion about the Administration Building, published in the Feb. 17 edition of Leisure World News.

OK! I'm a resident senior, a regular woman, not a city planner or an architect. But I live here and I take an interest in our community. My well-considered opinion, simply put, is:

NO! To demolishing the existing Administration Building. It has character and it fits beautifully into its surroundings. The departure of Bank of America has made space available for the administrative offices to expand. If more space is still needed, some functions (Post Office, perhaps?) can be moved to

Clubhouse I, as has already been suggested.

YES! To renovating and remodeling a beautiful building.

YES! To facilitating access to the restaurants.

YES! To preserving fully grown trees.

YES! To saving the \$7.2 million it would cost to pay for the unnecessary new administration building.

— Ada DeFilippo

## Recalculate Budget Amounts to Find Your Monthly Cost!

The LW general manager recently wrote that, when the minimum wage goes up by 75 cents per hour it will cost Leisure World residents approximately \$140,000. Wow! At first, that amount is daunting. But wait! That is the total amount. There are 5,659 units in Leisure World. Divide \$140,000 by 5,659 and you get about \$24.74. Hmmm! But wait! That is an annual amount. Divide it by 12 and you get about \$2.06 per month. Not so bad! So, remember to recalculate LW budget amounts on a per unit, per month basis. You are not footing

the whole bill!

Regarding the substance of the issue, the minimum wage in Montgomery County is \$10.75. In July 2017, it will go up to \$11.50.

So, think about this. Many hourly employees only work for 20 hours or less per week. Twenty hours at \$10.75 is \$215 per week or \$10,750 per year (counting 50 weeks in a working year.) Could you live on \$10,750 per year?

With the increase, it will go up to \$230 per week (for 20 hours) and \$11,500 per year (for 50 weeks). Again, not a "living" wage, in my mind! Especially if you have a family to support!

I believe we should pay our employees fairly with an actual "living" wage. Places that pay well attract and keep good employees. And with competitive wages, the employer can pick the best of the best. In my opinion, the poor payers can only keep the so-so employees who are not sure they could get hired elsewhere.

— Beth Leanza

## Residents Should Vote on Administration Building!

All residents of our community should have a say as to

whether our Leisure World Board spends \$7.2 million dollars of our money for a new Administration Building.

After reading Resident's Forum submissions for a few months, I decided to attend the February 28, 2017 LWCC board of directors meeting. A motion was made at that meeting to stop all work on planning for a new administration building and, instead, commission an engineering study to get an idea of whether the current building could be remodeled (paraphrased). That motion failed: 8% voted for it; 92% opposed it. So, planning for a new administration building will continue.

Prior to that vote, the board chair asked for comments, and those wishing to speak had an opportunity to do so. Several speakers suggested that a survey be taken of all LW residents to allow them to vote on this important (and expensive) matter. I agree. Perhaps the "ballot" could be in the Leisure World News and returned by a specific date. Maybe those of us who are online - assuming Leisure World has the capability - could vote online.

I personally feel the proposed project to replace our Administration Building would be a totally unnecessary waste of our money. Our \$7 million dollars!

If the Administration Building gets a new bank, it would likely not need the same amount of square footage as the old bank. The lobby area is a waste of valuable space. I think the space could be easily reconfigured to accommodate Leisure World's needs.

That said, Clubhouse One looks empty to me much of the time. Maybe Leisure World should rethink how all of its community and commercial space is currently being used.

Many residents have made good suggestions regarding this project. These suggestions seem to be falling on deaf ears. In my opinion, if management and the board would listen, we could save millions of dollars for an unexpected event or a rainy day.

—Diane Knott



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from the Leisure World News Advisory Committee

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# Events & ENTERTAINMENT

## ■ Sock Hop Group

### March 18: Dance the Night Away

The Sock Hop Group hosts its next dance on Saturday, March 18, from 7-10 p.m. in Clubhouse II.

For your listening and dancing pleasure, DJ's Ernie and Karen Poland of Take Two Entertainment are providing

the music of Motown – the '50s, '60s and '70s. Join us in the fun.

Admission is only \$5 per person. Feel free to bring your own beverages and snacks.

Any questions? Contact Doug Brasse at (301-448-8708)

or (dbrasse@weichert.com).  
-Doug Brasse



## ■ Lions Club of Leisure World

### March 24: An Evening of Energetic Fun



Take the Stage Performance Company, courtesy photo

by Joan Guberman

If you're looking for a night of fast-paced, family fun that's light on the wallet and heavy on the smiles, check out "Connected" on Friday, March 24.

The high-energy show presented by the Take the Stage Performance Company begins at 7 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium. Tickets to "Connected" are \$10 per person and on sale at the Clubhouse I E&R office. Make checks payable to the Lions Club.

The performance generates funds for Lions activities such as Camp Merrick, which provides summer vacations for children with long-term health

challenges, and the Leader Dog program for people coping with loss of hearing and vision.

#### From Cole Porter to Lin-Manuel Miranda

The "Connected" troupe of budding teen and pre-teen stars is excited to return to Leisure World. This year, the troupe is swinging for the stars with a review that includes songs from Cole Porter's "Anything Goes" and the new musical "Waitress." They'll also sing hits from the movie "Moana," written by "Hamilton" creator Lin-Manuel Miranda.

DC Metro Theater Arts raved about the show-stopping songs, athletic choreography, and team "effort that appears effortless."

## ■ Ballroom Dance Club

### March 25: First Dance of Spring with Swing'N On A Star

by Joyce Hendrix

Swing'N On A Star is back for the first dance of spring on Saturday, March 25, from 7:30-10:30 p.m.

Please make your reservations with Irmgard Patrick at (301-598-2984) and get ready to swing with the third place band winner in our 2016 Rate The Bands poll.

We are still enrolling residents, both new and renewing members, at \$10 per person. Admission to the dance is \$10 for members. Guest admittance is \$15 per person. Suggested attire is dressy dresses or pantsuits for the ladies and jackets and ties for the gentlemen.

The music played at our dances is from all eras and might

include some country or a bit of Broadway, but will always include slow waltzes, Viennese waltzes, fox trots, rumbas, sambas, merengues, cha chas, tangos, polkas and perhaps even a quickstep or two. Come to our first dance of spring, and enjoy this excellent dance band.

The Saturday, April 22 dance features the Tony Luciano Band.



## ■ Italian Social and Cultural Club

### March 26: Eat! Sing! Dance!

by Florence Merola

Celebrate spring with the Italian Social and Cultural Club at their annual Festivale Italiano on Sunday, March 26, in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom. The event is open to all residents.

Festivities begin at 5 p.m. with a cash bar followed by a buffet of typical street fair Italian food. Who can resist favorites such as spaghetti and meatballs, sausage and peppers, chicken or eggplant parmigiana, garlic bread, and lots more?

The Monaldi Brothers duo, Angelo and Mario, will entertain us with a variety of Italian standards. You can sing along, tap your toes, get up and dance or just sit back and enjoy the show.

Tickets are \$25 per person.



Make checks payable to the Italian Social and Cultural Club and bring them to the Clubhouse I E&R office by Wednesday, March 22.

A table reservation may be requested, provided that all names and checks for the reservation are presented at the same time. Contact Flo Merola at (240-558-3119) or (flobender@aol.com) for tables of eight or 10.

Don't hesitate; there are only a few days left to reserve your place at this fun-filled Festivale!



# March 31: Opera by 'Young Artists'



Performers from the Domingo-Cafritz Young Artist Program. Courtesy photo

Free tickets are still available for the Friday, March 31 performance by the Washington National Opera's esteemed Domingo-Cafritz Young Artists. They present a concert featuring thrilling scenes and arias from the operatic repertory at 3 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium.

This is a performance that can be enjoyed by anyone, not just opera buffs.

The Domingo-Cafritz Young Artist Program is unique in guiding young singers, coach/

accompanists, conductors, and stage directors on the verge of international careers. The Program provides intensive study with renowned vocal and drama coaches, and offers voice lessons, language classes, career guidance and master classes from staff and guest artists. The Young Artists also have the opportunity to perform and cover roles on the main stage of Washington National Opera.

This year's performance features Leah Hawkins,

soprano; Daryl Freedman, mezzo-soprano; Frederick Ballentine, tenor; Hunter Enoch, baritone; Timothy J. Bruno, bass; and Michael Sherman, piano. Their program includes classic opera, like "Votre toast" from "Carmen", and Broadway musical songs,

like "If I Loved You" from "Carousel".

Although this performance is free, tickets are required, up to two per household. Only a limited number are available. They can be picked up at the Clubhouse I E&R office. Please bring your Leisure World ID.

## Coming in 2017

*The E&R Department is pleased to provide the following programs.*

March 17, 7 p.m.	St. Patrick's Day Celebration with The Brothers Flanagan
March 31, 3 p.m.	Washington National Opera's Domingo-Cafritz Young Artists
April 1, 3 p.m.	Olga Vinokur, pianist
April 22, 7 p.m.	Brian Choper Jazz Project, Tribute to Frank Sinatra
April 28, 11 a.m.	St. John's Episcopal School Student Performance
May 6, 7:30 p.m.	Greg Harrison Jazz Band
May 28, 4:30 p.m.	Duke Ellington School of Arts Student Performance
May 30, 1:30 p.m.	Steven Friedman: Broadway Musicals That Have Faded

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## ■ Education and Recreation Department

# April 1: Famed Pianist Olga Vinokur

Pianist Olga Vinokur presents a program of classic and contemporary piano pieces on Saturday, April 1, at 3 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium. This is a rare opportunity to hear Vinokur perform outside of the concert hall.

Vinokur is an acclaimed pianist and a dynamic performer who is gaining recognition for “the strength and consistency of her artistry” as noted by The New York Times. She has appeared in the U.S. and internationally as a featured artist or soloist at numerous national and international venues.



Olga Vinokur, courtesy photo

She also is an avid chamber musician.

Known for adventurous and imaginative programming, she has premiered solo and chamber works, collaborating with both established and emerging composers.

Vinokur has produced four CDs; the most recent, released in November 2016, features Joaquín Rodrigo compositions recorded with Spanish violinist Eva León.

This special performance is sponsored by the

E&R Department. Tickets are \$6 per person and are on sale in both clubhouse E&R offices. Please bring your Leisure World ID.

## ■ Fireside Forum

# April 2: Early Capitol Buildings and Images of Congress



An 1828 drawing of the east front of the U.S. Capitol, by John Rubens Smith. Photo courtesy The Library of Congress

At a Fireside Forum on Sunday, April 2, at 2:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium, Pamela A. Scott, an architectural historian and author of the books “Temple of Liberty: Building the Capitol for a New Nation” and “Buildings of the District of Columbia,” discusses the early Capitol buildings and the images of Congress from 1789 and 1830.

Scott is an alumna of the

University of Wisconsin and the University of Delaware, with degrees in art history.

She was an adjunct professor at Cornell University, teaching American architectural history. She has worked at the National Building Museum and The Library of Congress as curator and as architectural historian.

Rosalind Kipping is the host for the speaker.

— Jonas Weiss



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# It's Time for the Spring 2017 Flea Market

Join your friends and fellow residents on Saturday, April 22, from 9:30 a.m.-2 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom and Maryland Room for the semi-annual Leisure World Flea Market.

Sign up for market space in the E&R office in Clubhouse I beginning 8:30 a.m. on Tuesday, March 21 through Friday, April 14 or until space is filled. Only residents are eligible to rent vendor space at the market and a resident must be present at the table at all times.

To accommodate the greatest number of residents and groups, space is limited to a maximum of 12 feet of space (the equivalent of two 3x6 tables or one 3x6 table and one rack) per rental. Tables can be rented at \$18 for 3x6 and \$9 for 3x3. One chair is provided for a 3x3 table, and two for a 3x6 table. The fee for extra chairs is \$1 each. A limited number of clothing racks are available to rent for \$10 each.

Payment can be made by check, payable to Leisure World of Maryland Corporation, or by MasterCard, Visa or Discover.

Tables, chairs or racks cannot be brought into the sale. (Display racks that fit on top of rented tables are okay). Merchandise may not be placed on chairs, next to or in front of tables and racks. Space is limited. Placing items around the rented space impedes traffic and is a major safety concern and therefore will not be tolerated.

Beginning Saturday, April 22, at 7:30 a.m., numbers will

be given out to flea market vendors who want help bringing merchandise into the clubhouse. Market vendors may begin bringing in their merchandise at 8 a.m. The market will open to the general public at 9:30 a.m.

Keep in mind that clothing offered for sale at the market

must be clean and in good condition. Vendors are reminded that they must remove all unsold merchandise and debris (boxes, hangers, wrapping materials, etc.) when they leave.

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## ■ LW Association of African American Culture (LWAAAC)

# March 25: 'Red Tails'

by Patricia Means

The movie, "Red Tails," will be shown on Saturday, March 25, at 3 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium. "Red Tails" (2012, 2 hours 5 minutes, drama/war history, rated PG-13) is an inspirational film about a group of African-American World War II pilots known as the Tuskegee Army.

The story revolves around the pilots, who endured

racism throughout their recruitment and training. When they were sent into combat in Italy using the P-51 Mustang aircraft, they soared in skill and courage despite numerous obstacles. The tails of the aircraft were painted bright red and became the unofficial name of the outfit. Terrence Howard, David Oyelowo and Cuba Gooding, Jr. portray the main characters.

Admission is free, and no tickets are required. A donation basket will be available for your contribution.



## ■ Jewish Residents of Leisure World

# March 30 Movie Matinee: 'Rosenwald'

by David Firestone

The Jewish Residents of Leisure World (JRLW) screen Aviva Kempner's "Rosenwald" on Thursday, March 30, from 1:30-3:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium.

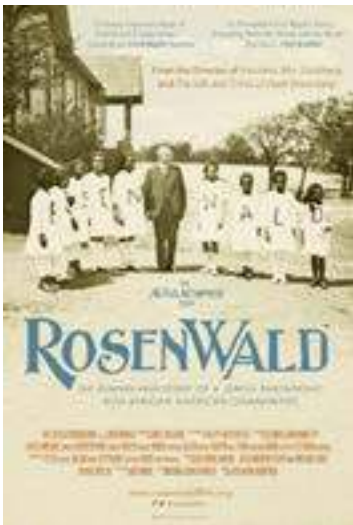
The film tells the fascinating story of Julius Rosenwald, the son of an immigrant peddler. He never finished high school, yet rose to become the president of Sears, Roebuck and Co. Rosenwald was inspired by Jewish ideals of tzedakah (charitable giving) and tikkum olam (acts of kindness). He was also deeply concerned with racial inequality in America, and used his wealth to become one of America's most effective philanthropists.

The movie sheds light on this silent partner of the Pre-Civil

Rights Movement, who gave away \$62 million. Because of his modesty, his philanthropy and social activism are not well known. The movie "Rosenwald" tells a wonderful and heartfelt story about this true Mensch. A discussion will follow the screening.

Tickets are \$7 per person (checks only, payable to JRLW) and are available at the E&R office in Clubhouse I.

The movie is co-sponsored by the JRLW and the Bender Jewish Community Center of Greater Washington's Coming of Age Program.



## April Movie

Our Thursday, April 27, movie matinee, "The Women's Balcony," a good-humored tale of women in Jerusalem speaking truth to power. The film begins at 1:30 p.m., and more details and ticket information are forthcoming.

# 2017 Movie Schedule

Sponsored by the E&R Department

Movies are FREE and shown for your enjoyment in the Clubhouse II Auditorium. Please pick up your tickets (limit two per person) on the date indicated below at either Clubhouse I or II. Please bring your Leisure World ID and remember tickets can go fast.

Show Date & Time	Movie	Tickets Available
March 26, 2 p.m.	Nina	LIMITED
April 13, 1 p.m.	Miracles from Heaven	March 21
April 30, 2 p.m.	My Big Fat Greek Wedding 2	April 11
May 25, 1 p.m.	Mr. Church	May 9

Movies are subject to change.

## ■ Education and Recreation Department

# Thursday Afternoon at the Movies

# April 13: 'Miracles from Heaven'

The E&R Department is pleased to present "Thursday Afternoon at the Movies." Films are shown at 1 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium.

On Thursday, April 13, the presentation is "Miracles from Heaven" (2016, 1 hour 49 minutes, biography/drama/family, rated PG for thematic material, including accident and medical images).

Based on real-life events, this intriguing drama recounts the story of young Annabel Beam (Kylie Rogers), who suffers from an incurable digestive disorder. But when a string of miracles leads to her complete recovery, Annabel's family and doctors are mystified.

The film also stars Jennifer Garner as Annabel's mother Christie Beam and Martin Henderson as her father, Kevin Beam.

Free tickets, limit two per person, are required and can be obtained from the E&R office in either Clubhouse I or II, beginning Tuesday, March 21, at 8:30 a.m. Please bring your Leisure World ID.

Thursday movie screenings are for your enjoyment;

there is no charge. Be sure to pick up your ticket(s) in advance if you plan to attend. Please note: No one will be seated after 1 p.m.

Donations to help cover the expenses associated with the presentations are gratefully accepted in the available contribution basket.



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When paying for programs or events sponsored by Leisure World clubs and organizations, payment can only be made by check, payable to that club or organization.





# April 28: OASIS Musical Theater and Jazz Ensembles Performance

On Friday, April 28, at 11 a.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom, students from St. John's Episcopal School make a joyful return to Leisure World with performances by the OASIS Musical Theater Ensemble and the Jazz Ensemble.

OASIS students will present the medley they recently performed in concert at Disney World. It includes solos, ensemble pieces and choreography.

The Musical Theater Ensemble performs under the direction of Andrew Baughman, founder of the OASIS Musical Theatre Program and chairman of the arts department. He also teaches drama, choral music, general music and arts technology at the school.

The Jazz Ensemble, under the direction of Sharon Haugen, will play a variety of musical styles, opening with Bruno Mars'

"Uptown Funk." And for those of you who just love the music of the '80s, the ensemble will play Toto's "Africa" with help from students in the Instrumental Music program and OASIS Musical Theater. Instrumental soloists will play music in swing and jazz styles.

The concert concludes with a joint performance of the OASIS Musical Theater singers and the Jazz Ensemble. The finale, "America, the Beautiful," is set in a slow gospel style reminiscent of the great Ray Charles.

The concert also features a display of student art that will be entered in the Fine Arts category for the Maryland Area Episcopal School Association Fair, a regional competition for Episcopal schools.

The art department is led by Lorin Burden, whose classes include instruction in a variety of mediums.

St. John's Episcopal School is



St. John's Episcopal School Jazz Ensemble, courtesy photo

located in Olney, Maryland. For over 50 years, the school has celebrated diversity and academic excellence and has graduated students of character.

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but tickets are required, up to two per household. They are available Tuesday, March 21, beginning at 8:30 a.m. in both clubhouse E&R offices. Please bring your Leisure World ID.



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# Health & FITNESS

## ■ Compassion and Choices of Leisure World

### April 3: Seeking Treatment Options

by Rosalind Kipping

Compassion and Choices of Leisure World meets on Monday, April 3, at 2 p.m. in Clubhouse I.

Compassion and Choices believes that our healthcare system routinely subjects patients with advanced illness to futile tests and treatments. The side effects of these treatments can reduce a patient's quality of life and override individual priorities. We think that if a medical assembly line approach is abandoned, patient care will improve.

Our group believes that everyone should get to choose how they spend their final days. For millions of Americans with life-threatening illnesses, medical decisions that affect

their quality of life are made for them. Once on the medical assembly line, it is hard to get off. Learn about end-of-life options and treatments, and how to address them with your physician so that you receive the necessary information to make informed choices.

Supporting materials are distributed at the meeting to help you maintain control of your healthcare. Materials on a wide variety of end-of-life issues are always on our resource tables. Come early and take whatever information you find useful.

All Compassion and Choices programs are free to residents and their guests. For more information, contact Rosalind Kipping at (rozkippling@comcast.net) or (301-598-4171).

## ■ Patients Rights Council of Leisure World

### April 12: Your Advance Medical Planning Wishes

by Mary Ann Johnston

The next meeting of the Patients Rights Council of Leisure World is Wednesday, April 12, at 1:30 p.m. in Clubhouse I. The speaker is Dr. Ashlei Lowery, medical director of the Palliative Care Program at MedStar Montgomery Medical Center.

Lowery spoke to the group in January regarding the Palliative Care Program and offered to speak on advance directives at a future time. Members were enthusiastic about scheduling Lowery to speak on this subject, and we are delighted to have her back.

All residents and guests are invited to our programs. Our treasurer is accepting annual dues of \$10.

#### March Meeting

Deacon William Heineman from Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church spoke to us at our March meeting, and suggestions for revised by-laws were also presented to members.

#### Senate Bill

The physician-assisted suicide bill (SB 354) was withdrawn from consideration by lead sponsor Sen. Guy Guzzone, and the bill's March 7 hearing in the Senate Judicial Proceedings Committee has been canceled.

Thank you to all who contacted our representatives voicing opposition to the bill. The bill will likely be reintroduced in 2018, so we need to remain vigilant.

## ■ Low Vision Support Group

### April 12: Expert Guidance on Living Well with Low Vision

On Wednesday, April 12, the Low Vision Support Group hears from specialist Sharon Payne, who will present thoughtful, practical options for living well with low vision.

A good life with low vision exists, with help from the many good doctors and services available.

Please join us at 1 p.m. in Clubhouse I to share your knowledge and strength and learn from others in similar situations.

— Larry Cohen



## Health & Fitness In Brief

**Al-Anon Meeting:** Al-Anon (for family and friends affected by alcoholism) meets Fridays at 2 p.m. at Our Lady of Grace Church Parish Center, near Leisure World. Enter through the back door (15661 Norbeck Blvd., Silver Spring, MD 20906). For more information, call Bridget at (301-598-3043).

**Alcoholics Anonymous (AA):** Newcomers welcome. (If outside Leisure World, check in at the main gate.) Meetings are Mondays at 12 noon (Step Meeting) and Thursdays at 6 p.m. (Big Book) in Clubhouse I. For questions, contact Laurie at (240-558-4454).

**Alzheimer's Caregivers Support:** The Alzheimer's Support Group meets the first and third Wednesday of each month at 3 p.m. in The Inter-Faith Chapel library. For more information, call Sunny at (301-438-2446).

**Bereavement Support Group:** Have you lost your spouse? Leisure World residents meet as a group to support one another twice a month on Tuesdays, 3-4:30 p.m. Sponsored by the Jewish Social Service Agency (JSSA) Hospice and facilitated by Grace McMillan, LGSW, the group meets in the conference room at MedStar Health (3305 N. Leisure World Blvd.). To register, call Suzanne Adelman, LCSW-C, JSSA Hospice at (301-816-2683).

**Essential Tremor Group:** The next meeting of the ET group is Thursday, April 6, at 10:30 a.m. in Clubhouse I.

**Free Blood Pressure Testing:** Come to Clubhouse I for free blood pressure testing, available on the first and third Tuesdays of the month from 9-11 a.m.

**Parkinson's Support Group:** The Leisure World Parkinson's Support Group was created under the auspices of the Parkinson Foundation of the National Capital Area to provide support to patients suffering from Parkinson's disease (PD) and their families and caregivers. The group meets the second Tuesday of the month at 3 p.m. in Clubhouse II. Usually there is a presentation by a speaker with knowledge about PD, physical therapy or some other related subject, followed by a period of Q&A. There are no memberships or fees to pay, and the meetings are open to anyone who may be interested. Questions? Contact Ray Weil at (301-598-3447) or (raywwjr@hotmail.com).

**Stroke Support Group:** You are not alone! The Leisure World Stroke Support Group invites stroke survivors and caregivers to its monthly meetings (except July and August) on the second Wednesday from 1:30-3:30 p.m. in Clubhouse II. No registration is needed and all are welcome. For more information, contact Sally MacDonald at (240-669-4233) or (sn3macd@aol.com).



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# Clubs, Groups & ORGANIZATIONS

## ■ Rossmoor Camera Club

### March 19: Annual Photo Presentation

by Stu Lillard

On Sunday, March 19, at 3 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium, the Rossmoor Camera Club presents the North Bethesda Camera Club's (NBCC) annual Photo Essay 2017.

This year, Joanne and Larry Mars are included in the photographic travelogue with "Hawaiian Aloha," accompanied by authentic and lovely music from the islands. Their photography colleagues tour Cuba, visit Tanzania's wildlife, and travel to Bhutan, Myanmar, Vienna, Austria, and Puglia, Italy.

For nature lovers, the show contains the wildflowers of the Dolomites in Italy and land-

scapes from Yellowstone and Grand Teton National Parks. For fun, the show contains composite photographic images of "ladies in the woods."

If you enjoy photos of people, "the Boss" in concert, and vistas from a drone, don't miss this show. You will be delighted and entertained; will laugh and cry; and may be motivated to develop your own photo essays for presentation to family, friends, and colleagues.

The program is free and open to all residents and guests, and NBCC members. The show is from 3-5 p.m., with a short intermission. Come early to ensure good seating as the previous shows have nearly filled the auditorium.



"Hawaiian Aloha," by Joanne and Larry Mars

## ■ Rossmoor Woman's Club

### March 24: 'Fearless Women' Day Trip

by Marcia L. Elbrand

Friday, March 24, is the reservation deadline for "Fearless Women," a delightful daytime bus trip to Frederick planned by the Rossmoor Woman's Club (RWC). The outing, open to both members and non-members, will leave Leisure World on a luxury motor coach on Wednesday, April 26.

The trip plans call for one stop at the Frederick County Historical Society Museum, and lively guidance by a popular tour guide. The focus of the outing includes stories about local women, decades before Betty Friedan, who made a major impact on life in Maryland.

Lunch at the locally renowned Carriage House Inn in Emmitsburg is included in the trip cost. Maria Festa, who chairs the trip planning for RWC, urges people to sign up immedi-

ately, "since this will be a wonderful springtime adventure," she said.

The trip cost is \$85 per person. To make reservations, call the Eyre Travel office on weekdays at (301-854-6600), ext. 4. Places on the tour bus are limited.

#### Scholarship Luncheon

Each year, tireless RWC volunteers raise more than \$10,000, a large portion of which is donated to scholarships funds. This year, on Wednesday, May 17, RWC celebrates at Manor Country Club with an elegant spring luncheon, at which scholarships will be awarded to needy and talented local students.

Contact either luncheon chairman Mary Jane Noll at (240-558-3707) or (marjano@comcast.net), or the group's education chair, Rita Posner, at (301-598-7782) or (ritaposner@gmail.com) for further details.

## ■ Book Club Network

### April 14: New Book Club Forming

by Verna Denny

An organizational meeting for a new Book Club Network book club is on Friday, April 14, at 11 a.m. in Clubhouse I.

If you are on our waiting list, if you are new to Leisure World, or if you have been thinking about joining a book club, now is the time to attend. The Book Club Network is open to all residents who love reading.

The Book Club Network is a collection of book discussion groups of eight to 12 members each, providing a forum for residents to get together with other avid readers to read and discuss their favorite books. Members meet monthly to talk about a specific work chosen by their club.

In addition to creating an atmosphere of learning and helping members stay motivated to read, the Book Club Network provides a social component. The small discus-

sion groups allow for personal and intimate experiences, along with social interaction, and allow each member to have input into the proceedings. Meeting new people with fresh views helps to stimulate the growth of the mind.

Currently nine small book clubs are part of the network: Five general interest clubs (Diversity Strong, Searchers, Rose Readers, Fall Readers and Bookies), two topical clubs (The African Heritage Club and Literary Ladies Who Lunch) and two mystery book clubs (The Sleuths and The Suspensers).

New clubs are formed on an ongoing basis. Prospective members are put on a waiting list. When four people express an interest in joining a new club, an organizational meeting is scheduled to form an additional club.

For further information, contact Verna Denny at (301-598-1418) or (verhd@msn.com).



# What a Glorious Feeling: Performers Singin' in April Show

by Hannette Allen

Nearly 50 performers take the stage on Wednesday, April 5, in the Clubhouse II auditorium following the monthly meeting of Fun and Fancy, in a show entitled "Singin' in the Rain."

Nearly every number has some reference to rain, snow or other meteorological phenomenon. Some have easy-to-recognize weather features such as "It's Raining Men," and others are a bit more obscure. With the live and recorded music, dance, song and antics, this show will prove to be anything but dreary.

The familiar faces we all know and love will grace our stage, with two tap numbers, three other dance numbers, quartets, duets, trios and some new faces thrown in for good measure.

First-time director Ernie Poland has teamed up with Aileen Feldman and Gerry Kauffman as producers to bring to fruition a concept started last October. We hope you will continue to support Fun and Fancy and your neighborhood performers as we twirl our umbrellas in spite of those dreaded April showers.

The meeting starts at 7:30 p.m. Admission is free for members, \$3 for guests.

## 'Forum' Update

Director Shelly Horn has completed casting our spring musical, "A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum." The show has music and lyrics by Stephen Sondheim and book by Larry Gelbart and Burt Shevelove. It was originally produced by Hal Prince and directed by George Abbott on Broadway.

Our cast of 25 will romp through Rome. Audience members will meet desperate lovers, scheming neighbors, virgins and courtesans, and hear secrets behind every toga!

Based on farcical comedies of the ancient Roman playwright, Plautus, the show has abundant puns, lots of doors slamming, mistaken identities, satirical comments on social classes, and an ingenious set designed by JJ and Betty Boulin.

The show is produced by special arrangement with Music Theatre International, a theatrical licensing agency in New York City.

Performances are scheduled for Friday, May 12; Saturday, May 13; and Friday, May 19, through Sunday, May 21, in the Clubhouse II auditorium. Tickets for reserved seats go on sale Friday, April 28, in the Clubhouse I lobby.



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Rossmoor Open Studio members present their Walk Through Life paintings honoring times, people and events. At right, “Shades of Life,” by Mari Craig. Photos by Ann Bolt

by Ann Bolt

**F**ootwear for men, women and children are represented in the Clubhouse I exhibit for March under the theme “A Walk Through Life.”

Rossmoor Art Guild (RAG) members with paintings participating in this part of the show include Maria Clark with her homage to The Beatles,

Violet “Vicky” Batkin paying honor to her husband’s combat boots from the Korean War, Nancy Albrecht’s shoes she’d never wear, Barbara McCool’s shoes heading in the wrong direction, Ann Bolt’s red shoes worn to the ball, Patty Elton’s ballerina slippers worn by a five-year-old, and others.

You don’t have to walk very far to enjoy the rest of the show, which includes a portrait,

cars, flowers, horses, landscapes and a very intriguing abstract painting by Mari Craig called “Shades of Life.” The most-often heard remark about her painting is, “How did she do that?” Other artists include Loretta Morgan and Marvin Sirkis.

The Woman’s Club of Chevy Chase holds its annual art show the weekend of Friday, March 31, to Sunday, April 2.

The reception is on March 31 from 7-9 p.m. RAG instructor Millie Shott founded the event years ago, and several RAG instructors and students have entered paintings throughout its history.

Houston Hancock is exhibiting his paintings in Clubhouse II this month. There are many opportunities in the art world to learn, exhibit and enjoy.

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## ■ Rossmoor Camera Club

# A Lesson in Sharp Shots Brings the Animal Kingdom into Focus

by Nina Parish

On Feb. 28, the Camera Club held a competition featuring all creatures in the animal kingdom. Our judge, Henrik de Gyor, specializes in digital assessment management. He has been a photography instructor at the Corcoran School of Design and a photojournalist. He brought his wide range of experience and offered critiques in a precise and concise manner that he hoped would help us become better photographers.

His comments covered many points but focused mainly on two areas: producing photos that are sharp and, conversely, photos that have not been over-sharpened. To produce sharp photos, he recommended moving closer to the subject and using the correct ISO and shutter speed. He particularly noted motion blur in some of our photos and recommended using a faster shutter speed to avoid this. Low lights are particularly challenging; for this he recommended a high ISO. A shallow depth of field helps to blur the background and produce a sharp focus on the subject.

Over-sharpening was his critique on several photos. He pointed out how to notice this on the image, either by a halo effect of light around the image or red and blue pixels in the image. He recommended not using a digital zoom and

moving as close to the subject as possible, because over cropping to zoom in on the subject in the post-process also causes over-sharpening.

A few other recommendations included not using matte paper for the print category because it tends to soften the image and lose some contrast. In bright light or low light with a flash, he recommended using a lens hood. For group photos, he suggested using a low aperture to decrease the depth of field so that one member of the group stands out and the others are blurred; it gives your photo a focal point.

Gyor's focus on two distinct areas for improvement helped us to really understand how to avoid these mistakes.

### Upcoming Activities

On Sunday, March 19, at 3 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium, North Bethesda Camera Club shows photo essays from their members. Our own Joanne and Larry Mars will participate.

The Camera Club holds a mist photo competition on Tuesday, March 28, in Clubhouse II. A mist will be considered any form of cloud, fog or mist that contains water droplets that make contact with the ground.

The Camera Club holds a clinic at 6 p.m. in Clubhouse II before every meeting. Members bring in their cameras or



"Ferdinand," by Nina Parish

manuals and receive advice on how to use them.

If you frame some of your animal photos, Fred Shapiro will hang them for an April display in the library. Please bring them to the library by Friday, March 31.

Please visit our website at ([rossmoor-cameraclub.com](http://rossmoor-cameraclub.com)) to learn about the Camera Club, view the winners of our contests, get photography advice and find links to many photography subjects.

## ■ Ceramics Club

# All It Takes Is Imagination

by Gail Bragg

When most of us were growing up, Merriam-Webster was the book to use when you needed the definition of a word you were using in an essay, for example. Today dictionaries are online and augmented by Wikipedia.

The Wikipedia definition of imagination is "...the creative ability to form images, ideas, and sensations in the mind without direct input from the senses, such as seeing or hearing." And it is imagination that spurs many of our artists in the Ceramics Club.

The three ceramic mugs pictured at right began with imagination and two basic molds; one mold for the lid and one for the mug with handle. Instead of attaching the handles to the mugs, Kim attached a handle to one of the lids and left them off of the other two mugs and lids.

Her imagination continued to show itself as she painted each mug and lid

with her flair for the artistic. Visitors often think doing ceramics with molds is boring compared to a potter's wheel, but imagination is the trick to make it both interesting and challenging.

The monthly classes on advanced ceramic techniques continue to be successful. The next class is scheduled for Saturday, April 8, topic to be determined, and a sign-up sheet will be posted in the studio. Any interested non-members will need to join the club and complete basic training before that date if they wish to participate.

### General Information

The Ceramics Club's \$10 annual membership fee includes instruction on how to make your own ceramic pieces. We welcome new members, so drop by our studio in Clubhouse II.

You can view some of our ceramic pieces in the gift shop in our studio (for sale with proceeds going to charity) and at our website. It can be reached via the Leisure World site ([www.lwmc.com](http://www.lwmc.com)) or directly at (<http://sites.google.com/site/cccofleisure-world/>). We hope to see you soon.



Ceramic mugs with lids by Sun Kim. Photo by Gail Bragg



## ■ Republican Club

# County GOP Head to Discuss Plans at Next Meeting

by Fred Seelman

The next meeting of the Republican Club of Leisure World is Tuesday, March 21, at 1:30 p.m. in Clubhouse I.

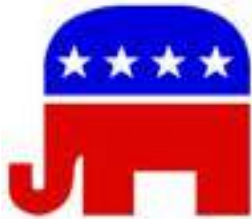
Richard Jurgena, who was elected Montgomery County's new Republican Party chairman in January, is the featured speaker. He will address the Club about his plans as the new GOP county head.

Jurgena has several years' experience as a member of the Montgomery County Republican Central Committee (MCRCC) and in other GOP offices. In addition, he has been both a Republican candidate and an election judge.

Jurgena is a retired Mont-

gomery County businessman. He also served as a naval officer and retired from the Navy as a Commander.

Come listen to our new MCRCC leader talk about his plans for our county. Heading the Montgomery County GOP is a big job; the county has about as many people than Vermont and Wyoming combined.



### General Information

Send comments or questions about these or any other Club matters and/or offers to volunteer to club president Fred Seelman at (fseelman@gmail.com) or by calling vice president Ray Spieler at (301-460-3563). Join us for another quality event on March 21. And enjoy our refreshments.

## ■ Democratic Club

# Political Protest and Advocacy Committee Brings Out Energized Crowd

by Betsy Starks

More than 120 residents and guests crowded into the Clubhouse I Maryland Room on Feb. 25 to organize the Democratic Club's political protest and advocacy committee to uphold the values of our American democracy.

Attending were Maryland state delegates Bonnie Cullison and Maricé Morales. Ben Shnider, an activist with the citizen group Sanctuary Rockville, spoke about local and state level efforts to ensure that law enforcement not cooperate with the federal authorities to carry out President Trump's immigration policies.

Other speakers at the meeting were Club president Emile Milne, first vice president Sandy Zimmet, treasurer Jon Fife, and member at-large Betsy Starks.

After a few brief reports from those who marched on Feb. 21 at the Women's March on Washington (and one who marched in St. Croix), the group was energized by the participants' comments and ideas to get down to the business of organizing

protests and advocacy.

The committee gathered on March 8 to write postcards that were mailed to President Trump on March 15. Members worked as they visited and discussed events of the day.

### Committee Activities

Volunteers are ready to collect information about events, rallies, and activities. Others have volunteered to summarize the information and send it out to all Club members.

The committee has also identified members to organize meetings, print leaflets, procure refreshments for events, and make phone calls. Still more are ready to identify the issues we will focus our time and energy on. The sub-committees are ready to begin their work.

For more information or to have your contact information included on the roster for the committee, please contact Betsy Starks at (3dede3@gmail.com) or (301-438-3884).



Former Maryland Governor Martin O'Malley spoke and sang at the Democratic Club's March 9 meeting. Photo by Maureen Freeman, Leisure World News



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# April 12 Program: 'How Plate Tectonics Changes the Geography of the World'

by Mary Beth Mason

At the Gem, Lapidary, and Mineral Society's meeting on Wednesday, April 12, at 7 p.m. in Clubhouse II, Dr. Richard Bambach returns to our Club for a sixth time providing us with another fascinating program, this one entitled "How Plate Tectonics Changes the Geography of the World."

Bambach's presentation comprises an illustrated talk on how the process called "plate tectonics" was discovered, how it works, and how the geography of Earth has changed over the past 600 million years. Just as evolution is the central theory at the heart of modern biology, the discovery and documentation of plate tectonics, beginning in the 1960s, revolutionized geology.

## Plate Tectonics

The earth is very hot inside, so hot that the solid rocks that make up the bulk of the earth slowly convect, just like water being heated from below. The motion pushes and pulls the plates of the solid crust and upper mantle of the Earth, opening ocean basins as continental blocks are pulled apart, and building mountain ranges when plates collide.

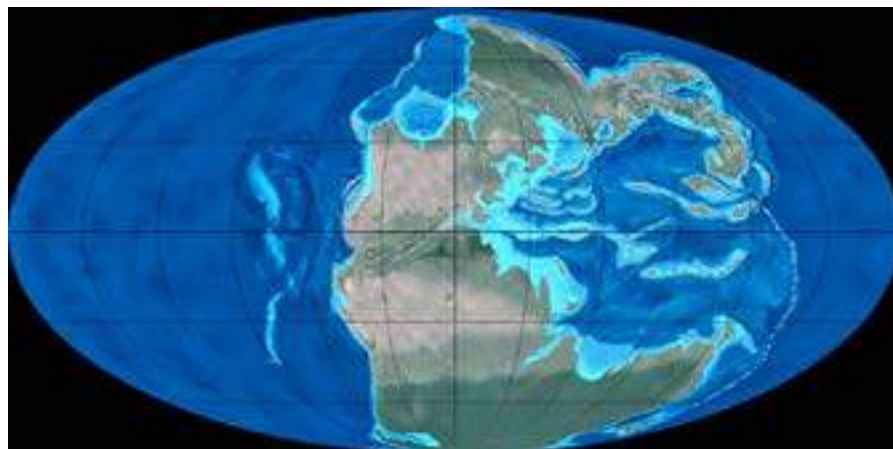
The motion takes place about as fast as fingernails grow, but over a timespan of approximately 100 million years, a crater big enough to hold the Atlantic Ocean was created. In fact, half a billion years ago North America was south of the equator.

Bambach worked with colleagues at the University of Chicago on some of the first major global reconstructions of ancient geographies. One of the slides he will show is a map of the globe as it appeared a quarter of a billion years ago, a map that was made by Ron Blakey of Colorado Plateau Geosystems.

## Geographical Changes

In his presentation, Bambach will explain how Earth's land-mass movements are still under way today, creating a progression of changes that will slowly, but inevitably, alter global geography, just as such continental movements have done over the last 600 million years. Such major transformations will affect climate, geography, and geology, which in turn will have dramatic effects on human beings' existence as we know it today.

Bambach received a Bachelor of Science in biological sciences from Johns Hopkins University, and Master of Science and doctorate degrees in geology with a specialty in paleontology from Yale University. He currently has an office at the Smithsonian where he is involved with what has been his main interest throughout his career—ancient life, or paleontology.



A map of the world a quarter of a billion years ago, created by Dr. Ronald C. Blakey, Professor Emeritus, Northern Arizona University, and currently with Colorado Plateau Geosystems. Photo courtesy Dr. Richard Bambach

## Program Details

Don't miss this informational and intriguing program. If you wish, bring an item for show-and-tell, which follows the presentation. Attendees are encouraged to stay seated while others explain about their items. Then, after the door prize drawing, attendees may examine others' specimens.

Before and after the meeting, refreshments will be served. Following official adjournment, our lapidary shop will open for those interested in seeing our set-up and equipment.

For information about Lapidary Club, contact Chuck Mason at (301-933-3093) or (sugartree2@comcast.net).

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## ■ LW Association of African American Culture (LWAAAC)

# Come Mix and Mingle with Us

by Patricia Means

If you missed November's "Meet and Greet" party, then join us for the "Mix and Mingle" on Saturday, March 18, from 3-6 p.m. in Clubhouse II for conversation, music and dancing. Admission is \$5, cash only, payable at the door.

All residents, their family and friends are invited to the Latin Dance Party on Saturday, April 1, at 6 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom. The party is co-hosted by LWAAAC and Hispanos de Leisure World. The cost is \$15 per person, checks only, made payable to LWAAAC. Tables for 10 people may be reserved at time of payment. Tickets are available until Thursday, March 30, at the Clubhouse I E&R office.

### Meetings

At the Association's meeting on Wednesday, April 5, Wilma Braun of the Leisure World Department of Social Services will give a presentation on residential assistance and services available to the community.

At the March meeting, flyers were distributed for a cruise trip to Cuba, Oct. 2-6. The cruise departing from Miami is \$754, not including airfare. For additional information, contact Juanita Sealy-Williams, president, at (301-822-4531).

### Movies

A full house audience viewed the Saturday afternoon movie, "Slam." Upcoming movies include "Red Tails" on March 25; "Selma" on April 28; "The Help" on May 26 and "Olympus Has Fallen" on June 17.

Movies are free and shown in the Clubhouse II auditorium. All residents are invited.

### Profiles

In 2008, Association members were interviewed by students of James Hubert Blake Senior High School in Silver Spring, and from those interviews, profiles were compiled and published in "Celebrations, An Oral History, Volume I."

The Volume II edition will be prepared by LWAAAC and published in February 2018. If you did not appear in Volume I, please consider entering your profile in Volume II. A letter will be sent to members asking them to commit to profile interviews and to volunteer on the celebration committee.

### Email

The Association now has an email address, (lwaaac1@gmail.com). Members are encouraged to use the email address to send inquiries, ideas and comments to the association.



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# LGBT Alliance Looks Forward

by Michael LaPoint and Pat Ritter

The group is preparing to elect club officers at its annual March elections, which will expand our governing board.

The group has recently created the position of events and education coordinator, a role that focuses on planning and coordinating the club’s social and educational activities and outings.

Barbara Long has agreed to serve in this position, working with other members to provide a full calendar of interesting and fun activities for the coming year.

Long has lived at Leisure World for more than two years. During her time in the Club, she has organized picnics, museum trips, holiday light tours and a host of other popular events.

Pat Ritter is running for Club president. Ritter has previously served on

the board and has lived at Leisure World for more than two years. She is one of the Club’s founding members and has been very active in group leadership and events.

Other open positions in the running include vice president, treasurer and secretary.

## Social Gathering

On Feb. 11, the Club hosted a party to celebrate Valentine’s Day and the life and career of Mary Tyler Moore.

Twenty-five jovial members gathered for a festive evening of socializing, enjoying an impressive array of delicious desserts and hors d’oeuvres, and viewing several classic episodes from “The Mary Tyler Moore Show.”

## Hate Crime Hotline

Several members attended a recent Democratic Club meeting and heard Maryland Attorney General Brian Frosh speak. Frosh mentioned the

Maryland hate crimes hotline for victims of hate crimes (including bullying) to report these crimes.

The number to call is (1-866-481-8361). Frosh told the audience that incidents reported through the hotline are referred to law enforcement for further investigation.

As members of the LGBT community, we were delighted to hear about this new hotline and of efforts to combat hate speech, physical violence and bullying of any form.

## 2017 Events

Upcoming events being planned for the next several months include:

- SAGE fundraiser for AARF – Vegan Brunch
- Orchid Festival
- Potluck and game night
- LGBT picnics
- Pride parade in Dupont Circle

- LGBT festival in Washington, D.C.
- LW 4th of July parade
- Sunday brunches

## General Information

For further information about our Club and activities, please attend one of our monthly meetings, which are held on the third Saturday of each month at noon in Clubhouse II.

Membership is \$5 per calendar year. You can reach us by contacting Pat Ritter at (celticwomen1@gmail.com) or (301-640-8618).

All members of the LGBT community and our allies are welcome. At past meetings, PFLAG and other supportive LW clubs have joined us.

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# March Tea, April Spiritual Adoption Brunch

by Carole Mund

**J**oin NA'AMAT RBZ in welcoming new members at a tea on Thursday, March 23. Even if you have not joined, we encourage you to attend. If you have recently joined, you will receive an invitation. Learn more about the mission of the organization as well as meet friends and make new ones.

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## April 5: Spiritual Adoption Luncheon

The Annual Spiritual Adoption Brunch is on Wednesday, April 5, at 11:30 a.m. in Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom. Guest speaker Leslie Milk is a contributor to the Washingtonian Magazine.

Spiritual Adoption is a fundraiser to "spiritually adopt" and support children in Israel who are in need. NA'AMAT is a charitable organization dedicated to helping NA'AMAT Israel provide educational day care programs, vocational training, legal aid for women, services and assistance for new immigrants as well as centers for the prevention and treatment of domestic violence.

The Spiritual Adoption Luncheon is the biggest fund-

raiser for the year. A delicious luncheon of petite tea sandwiches, salads and desserts will be served. The cost for this delightful afternoon is \$24 (checks only, payable to NA'AMAT RBZ) and includes a donation to NA'AMAT.

Send checks to Helen Fried at 15101 Interlachen Dr., Apt. 824, Silver Spring, MD 20906.

For more information, contact Helen at (310-438-3325).

## May 18: Annual Donor Luncheon

NA'AMAT RBZ will hold its Annual Donor Luncheon at Norbeck Country Club on Thursday, May 18. More details are forthcoming.

## Tribute Cards

Tribute cards are an excellent way to support and maintain these essential programs as well as to attain donor credit. NA'AMAT has

cards to honor all occasions, from "congratulations" for a special event to memorial cards. Each card is \$3.50 if purchased and sent by you, or \$4.50 if sent by Linda Schoolnick. Full donor credit is given for each card. Contact Linda at (301-681-1076) with any questions.

## Dover Downs Trip

Check the Club Trips page of this publication for trips sponsored by NA'AMAT RBZ. On April 19-20, NA'AMAT RBZ sponsors an overnight trip to Dover Downs. Contact Trudy Stone at (301-438-0016) for further details.

## General Information

For more information about NA'AMAT RBZ, contact president Trudy Stone at (301-438-0016). For tribute cards for all occasions, contact Linda Schoolnick at (301-681-1076).

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# Hadassah Advocates for Important Issues

by Barbara Eisen

Advocacy is one of the main tenets of the Hadassah mission statement. Since our inception, Hadassah has been a staunch advocate for Israel, world Jewish concerns, public health and a vast array of social issues, including immigration and voting rights.

## Acting On Issues

We have spoken out in favor of federal and state funding for stem cell research. We led advocacy efforts to protect medical privacy and fight genetic discrimination by insurance companies and employers. Currently, Hadassah is convening a coalition of women's and health organizations united in the fight for women's health equity.

We urge members to speak out on issues such as women's reproductive rights, multiculturalism, religious

pluralism, human trafficking, preventive health and support for the U.S.-Israel relationship. Remember that we are the "Women Who DO" and should be ready to advocate for causes that affect women and Israel.

While we are empowered to act on issues, we do not engage in any support of, or opposition to, political parties and candidates for public office. Hadassah, as a charitable organization, is strictly nonpartisan.

## Study Group

The Judaic Study Group meets on Monday, March 20, at 1:30 p.m. in Clubhouse I. The topic is Israeli poets, particularly early poets emigrating to Israel/Palestine from Europe, poets escaping from the Holocaust, or poets either born in Israel or making aliyah. How did their origins shape these poets? Were they poets of Judaism or poets of the land or both?

Please contact Peri Schuyler at (301-869-2968) or (peris-laptop@aol.com) for further information.

## Meeting

The next Hadassah meeting is on Wednesday, April 19, at 7:30 p.m. in Clubhouse I. We will have a speaker on a medical topic. Details are forthcoming.

## Cards

Hadassah greeting cards are available for purchase; prices are \$2.50 each, or five for \$10. Cards are displayed and sold at every Hadassah meeting.

Call Elaine Schenberg at (301-598-0079) or Jan Bloom at (301-593-7720) if you want to pick up cards or to have them directly mailed to the person you designate for an extra postal charge.

## General Information

Hadassah sponsors many activities to further the worth-

while projects it supports in medical, educational, and social programs in Israel and in the U.S.

If you are interested in knowing more about Hadassah, contact one of our membership vice presidents, Carole Sonneborn at (301-288-4902) or (Carole200@comcast.net), or Mimi Meltzer at (301-806-0976) at (Mimi20852@aol.com).

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# April Events: Passover, Religious Services and a Brunch Program

by Jonas Weiss

**P**assover starts on the evening of Monday, April 10. On Tuesday evening, April 11, Jewish Residents of Leisure World (JRLW) provides a community second Seder in Clubhouse I. Details and a reservation form are available in the JRLW newsletter.

## Religious Services

A religious service with Yiskor prayers takes place on Tuesday, April 18, the eighth day of Passover, in Clubhouse II.

Sabbath religious services continue as follows:

Friday, April 7, at 7:30 p.m. – Reform service in The Inter-Faith Chapel, led by Rabbi Gary Fink

Saturday, April 8, at 9:15 a.m. – Conservative service in Clubhouse II, led by Cantor

Michael Kravitz

Saturdays, April 1, 15, 22 and 29 – Abbreviated services and Torah/Talmud discussions in Clubhouse II, led by Rabbi Moshe Samber

## Brunch

Following the Sunday, March 19, brunch featuring the distinguished speaker Maryland States Attorney John McCarthy, the April brunch is on Sunday, April 23 (a week later than usual due to Passover), at 10 a.m. in Clubhouse I. Rabbi Matthew Simon of B'nai Israel Jewish

Center, who has lectured on “Hamilton,” is the speaker.

Advance reservations for the brunch are required. Send checks of \$10 each, made payable to JRLW, to Jerry or Shirley Gordon at (15311 Beaverbrook Ct., Apt. 3A,

Silver Spring, MD 20906). The deadline for the receipt of reservations is Wednesday, April 19. To reserve a table, send checks all together for 10 people. Entry without a reservation is \$13, if a seat is available.

## Women's Service

On Saturday, May 13, a women's morning service is held in Clubhouse II. A

booklet will be printed to honor donors and women you wish to honor. Use the form in the newsletter to participate, or call Janet Lazar at (301-598-4066).

## Donations

Carol Wendkos at (14805 Pennfield Circle Apt. 212, Silver Spring, MD 20906) is accepting donations of \$25 minimum, check only, made payable to JRLW, for the Torah maintenance funds.

Janet Lazar at (15311 Beaverbrook Ct., Apt. 1B, Silver Spring, MD 20906) is accepting checks made payable to JRLW for new prayer books (\$25 minimum).

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■ **National Active and Retired Federal Employees (NARFE) Chapter 1143**

# Speaker to Discuss Preserving Social Security and Medicare

by Joe Cook

Our next regularly scheduled meeting is Monday, March 20, in Clubhouse I, with informal discussions and snacks beginning at 1:30 p.m., and the formal meeting beginning at 2 p.m.

Our speaker is Dan Adcock, director of government relations and policy for the National Committee to Preserve Social Security and Medicare. Adcock was previously with the national office of NARFE for 18 years and was our former legislative director. More information can be found at ([www.ncpssm.org](http://www.ncpssm.org)).

## COLA Calculations

The chapter's executive committee recently discussed the current Cost of Living Adjustment (COLA) for calculating Social Security, federal annuities, and veterans' benefits. The current calculation is based on the Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers, or CPI-W.

We believe the index fails to accurately measure seniors' spending, especially in the area of healthcare. According to NARFE president Richard G. Thissen, last year's healthcare inflation was 4.1 percent, while the CPI-W indicated the average price of consumer goods increased only 0.3 percent. For those over the age of 62, 12 percent of their spending goes toward healthcare, on average, while the general population spends just five percent.



## Repeal Bill Introduced

Republican Rep. Rodney Davis introduced a bill that would repeal both the Government Pension Offset (GPO) and the Windfall Elimination Provision (WEP).

NARFE has long opposed these unfair penalties, and supports repeal of both provisions.

## General Information

Come to our chapter meetings and find out more information and how you can get involved.

For any questions, suggestions or offers of support, please contact a member of our executive committee:

- President John Moens at ([johnjots@outlook.com](mailto:johnjots@outlook.com)) or (301-438-3237)
- Secretary-Treasurer Maureen Ross at ([grant-masterone@gmail.com](mailto:grant-masterone@gmail.com)) or (301-943-6470)
- Vice President, Legislative Chair Joe Cook at ([joec37766@gmail.com](mailto:joec37766@gmail.com)) or (202-271-0710)
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## ■ Writers of Leisure World

# Of Cats, Deer and Penguins

by Carlos Montorfano

At our most recent meeting, Jane Hawes read a delightful story, “Guardians of the House,” about her two cats, male and female, who had distinct personalities and behaviors, including their liking for different TV shows. They also clearly informed her of their place in the house and how they wanted to be treated.

In a continuation of the cat theme, Rhada Pillai told us of a neighbor’s cat, “Oliver,” who accompanies his owner on daily dog walks. Without being leashed himself, it’s as if he is really the dog’s protector.

Lee Hardy read “By Gosh, a Seussical Slosh,” a delightful poem in rhyme about playing during rainy days with Dr. Seuss in his bistro, The Spruce Goose.

Jim Owens, with his technical background in science, engineering and technology, continued to inform us of the intricacies of residents’ Comcast service.

Woody Shields, a new member, read a very informative report on the “Magic of Deer Antlers,” telling us how antlers develop and grow during spring and then, come winter, fall off to regrow again the following year.

All male deer go through this cycle, but not female reindeer; they grow antlers but don’t drop them until they give birth in spring. Does that mean that Santa’s reindeer are all female?

Douglas Kiessling read a beautiful nautical poem, “The Breeze,” describing the joy of sailing. Grace Cooper read a nice poem that described the seasons.

Danuta Montorfano read, “At the End of the World,” describing a trip to Ushuaia, a beautiful city in Patagonia surrounded by snowy peaks and ocean water. It is known as the “end of the world” and is cold and windy. She enjoyed interactions with many penguins, in spite of having a fever and walking with what was later diagnosed as pneumonia.

York Van Nixon III ended the proceedings by reading a chapter of one of his books, which is in the process of being published later this year. The chapter, titled “Life in Death” features an older, recently retired detective who acts like an angel avenger in the dangerous city streets.

Meetings take place the first and third Thursdays of the month, at 11 a.m. in Clubhouse I. All residents are welcome.

## ■ Going It Alone Club

# Club Offers Sociability to Singles

by Elizabeth Brooks-Evans

Each Saturday, seasoned and new members of the Going It Alone Club (GIAC) are warmly welcomed to participate in activities and games to their delight.

### Armchair Travel

On Saturday, March 18, members are invited to meet at 2 p.m. in Clubhouse II to embark upon a thrilling trip to Paris, France right from their chairs, and experience highlights of this fascinating city from Monet to crème brûlée!

Then, on Saturday, March 25, we have another armchair trip to Normandy to explore the war-torn city that’s still full of life.

These 30-minute travel videos are guided by Rick Steves, who is well known for exploring exciting locations around the world.

### Games

From 2:30-4 p.m., fun games like bridge, Rubik’s cube and poker are enjoyed by all.

Bingo is played on the second and fourth Saturdays, and participants also enjoy the popular game of Pokeno.

### Trips

All those interested in traveling to Myrtle Beach, South Carolina with the club from May 7-11 to enjoy the waterfront, theatre, tours and shopping, must make their final payment by Saturday, April 1.

Payment can easily be submitted during Saturday Afternoon Live (SAL) get-togethers. More information on this as well as an assortment of day trips can be found in the Club Trips section of this edition of Leisure World News. You’ll find that page packed with GIAC trips!

Signups for the trips are always available at SAL in Clubhouse II from 1:30-3 p.m. when representatives of the program committee are available to answer questions.

A monthly GIAC newsletter, which details games and trips, is available during SAL.

### Membership

Anyone wishing to sign up for membership can do so during SAL from 1:30-3 p.m. The fee is a nominal \$7 per year and the income from dues is used to pay club expenses and enhance activities.

For more information about membership, contact Marion Callaghan, president, at (301-598-6779).

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## ■ Vegetarian Society of Leisure World (VSLW)

# March 21: Meeting to Discuss Options

by Bob Fenichel

The monthly VSLW meeting is on Tuesday, March 21, (the third Tuesday of the month) starting at 7 p.m. in Clubhouse II. Tentative topics include future programming for the year as well as shopping, dining and socializing opportunities available to vegetarians living in Leisure World.

### General Information

Additional information on VSLW activities can be found on our website at ([www.vslw.org](http://www.vslw.org)), which also includes information on some of the numerous nearby vegetarian/vegan meet-up groups.

Please note that everybody is welcome at VSLW activities; you don’t have to be a vegetarian to participate. The mission statement of VSLW is “to support group members in maintaining a healthy lifestyle by eating a plant-based diet.”



# Where's the Manual, and How to Eject Hardware

by Brent Malcolm

People often ask, "Where is the manual?" after purchasing a new Mac. Apple has not included very much paper in their boxes for some time but nevertheless; your Mac has a manual. When you are in the Finder you will see a menu option in the top bar that says Help. Click this and select Mac Help. This is the manual. If you don't see a sidebar with subjects, click on the label, "Show topics."

You will see major categories on the left and you can click on the disclosure triangle next to each category to reveal all of the topics in that category. Major categories include: MacOS overview; On the desktop; Customize your Mac; Apple ID & iCloud; Use your Apple devices together; Applications; Get music, apps & more; Create, manage & print files; Protect your data; Mac hardware & accessories; Resources for your Mac and Resources for your other Apple

devices. Each topic includes detailed descriptions, how-to instructions, pictures and links to further information.

## Ejecting Hardware

Failing to safely eject hardware from a computer is one of the most common mistakes users make. Most people do not realize that unplugging a flash drive or an external hard drive without ejecting it first can damage the files stored on it, or even the hardware itself in some cases.

If a storage device is unplugged from a computer while files are being written to it or read from it, there will most likely be some data corruption. If you were saving a file to the storage device, when it was unplugged, not all of the data may have been copied. So the next time you try to open that file from that device, the file

will most likely fail to open, or the data will be garbled or incomprehensible, depending on what type it is.

Additionally, unplugging external hard drives without ejecting them can damage the drive. If the read/write head on the drive suddenly loses power, it can strike the data platters and kill data sectors, making the data on them unreadable and the hard drive more likely to fail completely in the future.

To safely eject a storage device on a Mac, you can either click on the eject icon next to the device's listing in the Finder's sidebar, or drag and drop the device's icon into the trash, which should turn into an eject icon when a storage device is dragged over it. Keep in mind that only storage devices need to be safely ejected, not keyboards,

mice or other peripheral devices that do not have internal storage.

## Club News

Because of the many password questions that arose during Aaron Davis's visit in January, we will revisit the entire password issue and the use of password managers. Join us on Tuesday, March 28, at 10 a.m. in Clubhouse II. Visit our website at (<http://mac.computerctr.org>).

## Today's Tip: One-Handed Google Map Zoom

Imagine you're in a new city using Google Maps on your iPhone or iPad. Wouldn't it be nice to be able to zoom in and out with one hand, leaving your other hand free to hold something else, such as an ice cream cone? Turns out, you can. Double-tap the Maps screen — and, on the second tap, drag your finger down (to zoom in) or up (to zoom out). Free, one-handed zooming is yours.



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# Leisure World Club Trips

The next deadline for trip submissions is **Monday, March 27**. The trips listed below are sponsored by Leisure World groups and organizations and not by Eyre Leisure World Travel. These trips are **open to all residents**, not only members of the specific club. For information, contact the person listed with each trip. (Do not contact the Eyre Leisure World Travel or E&R Office.) Leisure World clubs and organizations that want to be included in this column must provide a submission to the News by 3 p.m. on the Monday deadline. Due to space limitations, the Leisure World News reserves the right to edit or delete submissions. **E-mail** your trip information to **lwnews@lwmc.com**.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Member/Non-Member pricing is at the discretion of the individual clubs.

## Apr. 19-20 Dover Downs Hotel & Casino

Join **NA'AMAT** for its popular overnight stay at Dover Downs Hotel & Casino. The group leaves on Wednesday, April 19 at 10:30 a.m. from Clubhouse II and returns Thursday, April 20 at approximately 4:30 p.m.

The price is \$115 per person, double occupancy, \$165 single occupancy, and includes roundtrip transportation, beautiful hotel accommodations, breakfast buffet, and \$50 play money and a \$10 resort fee to be used anywhere in the hotel or casino.

Send check(s), payable to NA'AMAT, to Trudy Stone, (15101 Interlachen Dr. #801, Silver Spring, MD 20906). Be sure to indicate with whom you will be rooming. If you have special needs, please indicate when you send in your check.

Call Trudy at (301-438-0016) for more information.

## May 7-11 Myrtle Beach, South Carolina

Join the **Going It Alone Club** for a 5-day, 4-night trip to Myrtle Beach, South Carolina. The trip includes 4 nights in an ocean-front hotel; 4 breakfasts and 4 dinners, including a southern-style buffet; admission to the Alabama Theater/ a visit to Broadway at the Beach; a guided tour of Charleston; a visit to Barefoot Landing and a visit to Myrtle Beach Waterfront Boardwalk and Promenade.

The cost is \$579 for members; \$586 for non-members. The single supplement is an additional \$200. Included in the cost are hotel taxes, and meal and driver gratuities.

A \$200 reservation deposit is due at sign up no later than Saturday, Feb. 4 and the balance is due no later than Saturday, April 1. No refunds will be made after Saturday, March 4 unless a replacement is found. Trip cancellation insurance is available.

Sign up at Saturday Afternoon Live (SAL) in Clubhouse II from 1:30-3 p.m. Those who sign up for the trip will receive information on pick up time from Clubhouse II on the day of departure via a telephone call. For more information, call Joe Parker at (301-598-3457) or Sylvia Pachenker at (301-598-5325).

## June 15 MGM Casino

Join the **Going It Alone Club** on a trip to the MGM Casino. Cost is \$16 for members; \$23 for non-members, and includes transportation and driver gratuity. The bus leaves Clubhouse II at 9:30 a.m. and from the casino at 3:30 p.m.

Sign up at Saturday Afternoon Live (SAL) in Clubhouse II from 1:30-3 p.m. No refunds will be made after Saturday, June 3 unless a replacement is made.

For more information, call Joe Parker at (301-598-3457) or Sylvia Pachenker at (301-598-5325).

## July 18 "Jonah" at Sight and Sound Theatre

Join the **Going It Alone Club** to see "Jonah" at the Sight and Sound Theatre in Lancaster, Pennsylvania. This trip includes a smorgasbord lunch at the Bird-in-Hand Family Restaurant and Smorgasbord.

The cost is \$100 for members and \$107 for non-members, and includes taxes, transportation, lunch, show and all gratuities.

The bus departs from Clubhouse II at 10 a.m. and return at approximately 8 p.m.

Sign up at Saturday Afternoon Live (SAL) in Clubhouse II from 1:30-3 p.m. For more information, call Joe Parker at (301-598-3425) or Sylvia Pachenker at (301-598-5325).

### ATTENTION, TRAVELERS!

All Leisure World travelers please note that no group on travel can park more than 12 vehicles overnight/long-term in the Clubhouse II parking lot. Also, parking overnight/long-term is at the owner's own risk.

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# Clubs, Groups & Organizations In Brief

**Amateur Radio Club:** Calling all hams! All resident amateur radio operators (hams)—or would-be operators—are invited to join our business meeting/lunch the second Tuesday of each month. We meet in the Stein Room in Clubhouse I at 1 p.m. For more information or to learn about amateur radio, call Bryan West at (301-598-0137).

**Centering Prayer:** Join our group of centering prayer practitioners on Wednesdays at 3:30 p.m. (3588 Gleneagles Dr.). Centering prayer is a method of silent meditation, where you rest in God, without saying anything, just happy to be in God's presence. Our intention is to be aware of the presence of God and to welcome the action of God within us. Beginners are welcome, as are people of all faith traditions. For more information, call Eileen at (301-438-0422).

**Clipper Workshop:** Recruiting is underway for members who can help assemble clown hand puppets for Holy Cross Hospital. They are used in the pediatric and emergency rooms. No special skills are needed. Some sewing skills are necessary. We need a sewing machine stitcher. Bring a bag lunch. (We will eat in the lunchroom.) We meet every first and third Monday in Clubhouse II from 10 a.m.-2 p.m., or any portion of the time you can devote to making a child smile. We are looking for donations of cotton fabrics, stuffing, thread and iron-on facing. Contact Joan Mahoney at (240-833-2724) or Jane Brinser at (301-438-2599) for further information.

**Computer Learning Center:** Located in Clubhouse II just down the hall from the E&R office, the Computer Learning Center is operated by The Leisure World Computer Center Inc., a 501(c)3 non-profit organization. The all-volunteer staff comprises a board of directors, computer room monitors and other volunteers. The center provides residents free training and assistance in the day-to-day use of computers for online research and other personal needs. The center has Mac and Window systems computers as well as color laser printers for printing and scanning. For more information about the Computer Learning Center, please visit ([www.computerctr.org](http://www.computerctr.org)) or contact the E&R office in Clubhouse II at (301-598-1320).

**Jewish Discussion:** Hello to all Jewish residents of Leisure World. A discussion group meets on the last Sunday of every month (except July and August) at 10:30 a.m. in Clubhouse II. Be prepared for lively discussions about Israel and other topics of Jewish interest. Please give us a try; we think you'll like us.

**Knitting and Crocheting:** Do you like to knit or crochet? Every Sunday, 2-5 p.m., eight or so crafters meet at a LW resident's home (off of Chiswick Court). Beginners to very seasoned are welcome. Snacks/finger foods, soda, coffee and tea are served. If interested, please email a bit about yourself (include a phone number where you can be reached) to Polly at ([pfields@career-strategies-inc.com](mailto:pfields@career-strategies-inc.com)) or call (571-236-1775).

**Knitting Corner:** Join us the second and fourth Fridays of each month at Inter-Faith Chapel from 10 a.m. to noon. Our next meeting

is March 24. Bring your knitting and enjoy the conversations. We have patterns and yarn for your project. Yarn donations gratefully accepted. Call Joan at (240-833-2724) if you have any questions.

**PBS/British TV:** Enjoy watching Masterpiece Theater, British mysteries and historical dramas like "Poldark" and "Outlander"? Join like-minded folks at a resident's home (off of Chiswick Court) to watch together. Potluck appetizers, wine, soda, coffee and tea are served. If interested, please email a bit about yourself (include a phone number where you can be reached) to Polly at ([pfields@career-strategies-inc.com](mailto:pfields@career-strategies-inc.com)) or call (571-236-1775).

**Quilt Group:** Come and join our fun group as we work on our individual projects. We now include those interested in all needlework and knitting. We meet the second and fourth Thursdays in the Clubhouse II multipurpose room at 9:30 a.m. If you have any questions, call Clydis Kellough (301-642-2430). Our next meeting is March 23.

**Serious (Book) Readers Wanted:** Serious readers who relish inspired, award-winning fiction meet at the home of a resident (off of Chiswick Court) the second Sunday of the month from 5:30-7:30 p.m. for a potluck dinner and an hour-long discussion. (A 2017 reading list is available.) If interested, please email a bit about yourself (include a phone number where you can be reached) to Polly at ([pfields@career-strategies-inc.com](mailto:pfields@career-strategies-inc.com)) or call (571-236-1775).

**Stitchers Group:** Needlepoint, cross-stitch and more. If you enjoy stitching or would like to learn, we meet every first and third Thursday from 10 a.m.-noon in the Clubhouse II multipurpose room. Come and share your finished work and enjoy stitching with us while we learn new skills together. Call Audrey at (301-598-4903).

**Short Story Group:** The Short Story Group meets at 11 a.m. on the first and third Wednesdays of the month in Clubhouse I. For information, call Beth Leanza at (301-598-4569).

**Stamp and Coin Club:** Are you a philatelist or a numismatic? Join the Stamp and Coin Club. We meet on the first Thursday of each month at 3 p.m. in Clubhouse I. Members discuss their collections, including first day covers, day of issue programs, yearbooks, coins, medals and more. Stamps are shared for "show-and-tell," and we hold an auction of members' stamps. In addition, a gift certificate from Coins of the Realm in Rockville is awarded as a door prize at each meeting. All residents and non-residents are welcome to attend. Annual dues are \$5. If interested, contact Mason Goldman at (301-598-6749).

**Wood Shop Users Group:** The wood shop is located on the lower level of Clubhouse I; the entrance to the shop is off Gleneagles Drive. It is open Monday through Friday, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. and Saturday 9 a.m.-noon. An experienced monitor is on duty when the shop is open to assist members with their work and provide instructions in the use of shop equipment. Members are often willing to repair and refinish projects for Leisure World residents. For further information, call (301-598-1308).



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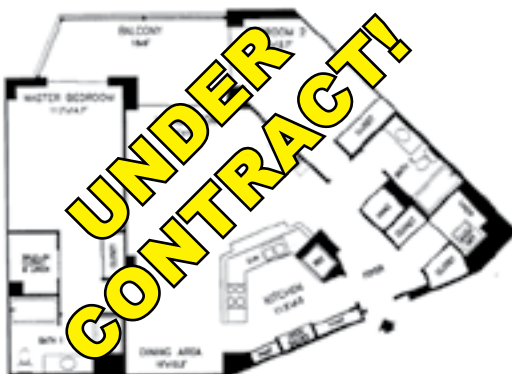
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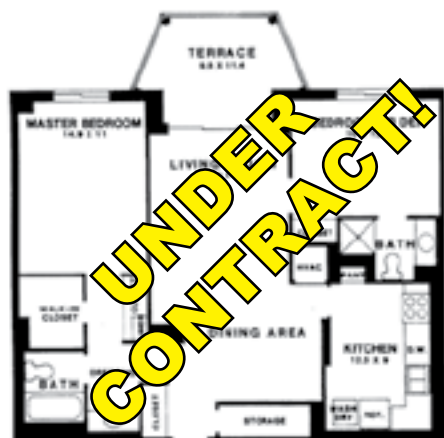
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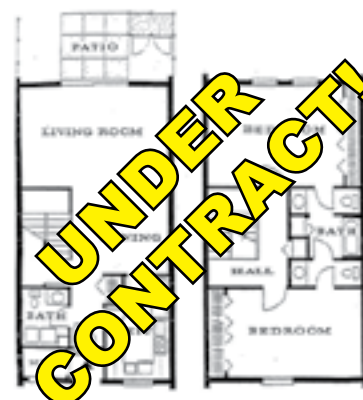
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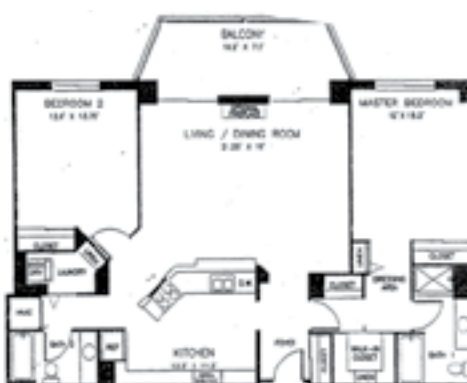
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# Sports, Games & SCOREBOARDS

## ■ 10-Pin Bowling League

# Top Three Winners Remain Unchallenged

by Rita Mastrorocco

The following bad weather rule is in effect during winter: If Montgomery County schools are either closed or on a two-hour delay based on snow or icy conditions, the league does not bowl.

The league is based on handicaps with averages for the bowlers ranging from 83 to 193. If you have not bowled in years, come out and join the fun.

The top League standings as of March 3 are: C.A.S.H. in first place, Huggers in second place, and Wild Things in third place.

### Top scores for the week of Feb. 24 are:

- Scratch Game – Wild Things, 672 pins
- Scratch Series – Wild Things, 1967 pins

- Handicap Game – Wild Things, 915 pins
- Handicap Series – Wild Things, 2696 pins
- High Average Men – Steve Klopfer, 194 pins
- Scratch Game Men – Steve Klopfer, 259 pins
- Scratch Series Men – Steve Klopfer, 685 pins
- Handicap Game Men – Steve Klopfer, 285 pins
- Handicap Series Men – Barry Potok, 784 pins
- High Average Women – Chris Porter, 172 pins
- Scratch Game Women – Chris Porter, 183 pins
- Scratch Series Women – Chris Porter, 531 pins
- Handicap Game Women – Cathay Linn, 248 pins
- Handicap Series Women – Julie Thomas, 671 pins.

### Top scores for the week of March 3 are:

- Scratch Game – Hooks ‘N’ Curves, 693 pins
- Scratch Series – Wild Things, 1866 pins
- Handicap Game – Wild Things, 953 pins
- Handicap Series – Wild Things, 2703 pins
- High Average Men – Steve Klopfer, 193 pins
- Scratch Game Men – Steve Klopfer, 231 pins
- Scratch Series Men – Steve Klopfer, 541 pins
- Handicap Game Men – Don Manouelian, 284 pins
- Handicap Series Men – Lou Samuels, 726 pins
- High Average Women – Chris Porter, 171 pins
- Scratch Game Women – Judy Callan, 204 pins

- Scratch Series Women – Judy Callan, 527 pins
- Handicap Game Women – Judy Callan, 260 pins
- Handicap Series Women – Harriet Sturm, 745 pins.

### General Information

You do not need to be a good bowler to join. Come and join us for fellowship, fun and easy exercise. There is no long-term commitment.

The league bowls every Friday morning with practice starting at 9:20 a.m. at Bowl America, 1101 Clopper Road, Gaithersburg.

The cost for the three games of bowling, the use of bowling shoes and balls, and unlimited cups of coffee is only \$10.

If you are interested, please call Rita at (301-814-9196).

## Golf Pro

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an office, I never would have become a golf pro.”

Rosenthal has lived in the Olney area for 41 years, and has built a network of business associates and clientele. He has several ideas to rev up local enthusiasm for the game, and is interested in marketing the golf course to groups outside of the community.

He has proposed allowing emergency and fire service personnel or Wounded Warriors to play

on the golf course for a reduced rate, or hosting a “first tee” tournament, in which school-aged kids play golf with residents – a kind of mentorship program.

Rosenthal has been playing golf since he was barely old enough to swing a club.

“My parents would put me between them in the cart. They’d drop a ball on the ground and let

me hit it. That’s how I got hooked; then I got serious as I got older.”

He grew up playing golf at the Washingtonian, which is now the Rio Washingtonian Center in Gaithersburg, and began working in the golf business there at age 18.

When Rosenthal was still learning the game, the golf pro at the Washingtonian was Jack Doser, who later became owner

of Montgomery Village Golf Club in Gaithersburg. Rosenthal went to work for Doser there when he was just 23.

“He [Doser] created an

opening for me, since he taught me junior golf at a young age. I started outside as a cart boy, and worked my way up to director of golf in a 26-year span,” Rosenthal said.

Rosenthal said that although the sport saw resurgence in the 1990s with the popularity of high-profile players like Tiger Woods, enthusiasm has waned in



Golf pro Richard Rosenthal is set to take over golf operations beginning March 27. Photo by Leisure World News

recent years.

Still, he is invested in the next generation of golfers, and volunteers as assistant golf coach at Georgetown Day School in Washington, D.C.

“That’s kept me involved in trying to continue to not only introduce people to the game, but also to give back,” he said. “It’s not all golf; it’s trying to teach kids to do right from wrong, and it’s

a good way for kids to get socialized.”

Rosenthal said he grew up playing many different sports, but that he particularly enjoys golf because its one of the few sports that joins people of all ages and ability levels.

“If you’re a beginner and you’re not the best, and I’m a pro, there’s a formula. You get so many strokes and it makes it fair. We can all play golf together.”



## ■ Wednesday Night Chicago Bridge

Compiled by Doug Brasse

### Feb. 22, 2017

- |                               |                                   |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1. Ann Boland, Joe Boland     | 3. Virginia Pace, Barbara Bryant  |
| 2. Anna Pappas, Bob Bridgeman | 4. Dottie Donnelly, Dottie Hurley |

### March 1, 2017

- |                                 |                                  |
|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1. Anna Pappas, Bob Bridgeman   | 3. Ann Boland, Joe Boland        |
| 2. Deanna Owens, Pat Villareale | 4. Sally McGowan, Joanne Gilmore |

## ■ Thursday Afternoon Ladies Bridge

Compiled by Jackie Harrell

### Feb. 23, 2017

- |                          |                          |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. Bernice Star, 4,650   | 3. Jackie Harrell, 2,670 |
| 2. LaVern Pychock, 3,570 |                          |

### March 2, 2017

- |                         |                        |
|-------------------------|------------------------|
| 1. Anne Marshall, 3,950 | 3. Bernice Star, 3,350 |
| 2. Sally McGowan, 3,500 |                        |

## ■ Friday Bridge

Compiled by Betti Goodman

### Feb. 17, 2017

- |                          |                           |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. Barbara Marcus, 4,300 | 3. Helene Kurtzman, 3,120 |
| 2. Irwin Bauman, 3,250   | 4. Belle Lieberman, 3,100 |

### Feb. 24, 2017

- |                             |                          |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. Jerry Weiss, 3,590       | 3. Gloria Kitzler, 3,410 |
| 2. Shirley Rosenhaft, 3,460 | 4. Jerry Feldman, 3,190  |

## ■ Tuesday & Friday Duplicate Bridge

Compiled by Jerry Miller

For Tuesday games, Flight A includes all players. Flight B includes only ACBL member pairs, each with less than 1,000 master points.

### Tuesday, Feb. 21, 2017

#### North-South

#### Flight A

- Hanna Schepps – Marlys Moholt
- Marilyn Udell – Maida Crocicchia
- Diane Keiper – Marshall Kramer
- Norman Salenger – Lewis Gold
- Alfred Caponiti – John Ryan

#### East-West

#### Flight A

- Stephan Billstein – Saul Penn
- Nadyne Cheary – Jerry Miller
- Patti Anschutz – Shirley Light
- Joe Boland – Howard Brewer
- Lorraine Hegel – Robert Kerr

#### Flight B

- Marilyn Udell – Maida Crocicchia
- Rosmarie Suitor – Thomas Leahy

#### Flight B

- Jim Anschutz – Palma Seeger
- Doug Brasse – Merrill Stern

### Friday, Feb. 24, 2017

#### North-South

- Bob Kerr – Temma Kenowith
- Howard Brewer – Joe Boland
- Roz Dixon – Victor Stewart
- Lewis Gold – Arthur Podolsky

#### East-West

- Nadyne Cheary – Saul Penn
- Alan Ferraro – Liz Ferraro
- Sue Swift – Susan Weiss
- Marlys Moholt – Lori Hegel

### Tuesday, Feb. 28, 2017

#### North-South

#### Flight A

- Aaron Navarro – Judith Perrier
- Diane Keiper – Ephraim Salins
- Ann Ruth Volin – Lea Rochkind
- John Arnett Sr. – Rae Newman

#### East-West

#### Flight A

- Hanna Schepps – Marlys Moholt
- Mildred Lieder – Nancy Gordon
- Doug Brasse – Merrill Stern
- Rosmarie Suitor – Doris Perschau

#### Flight B

- Diane Keiper – Ephraim Salins
- John Arnett Sr. – Rae Newman

#### Flight B

- Doug Brasse – Merrill Stern
- Palma Seeger – Sue Swift

### Friday, March 3, 2017

#### North-South

- Lewis Gold – Saul Penn
- Leonard Taylor – Lillian Taylor
- Diane Keiper – Nadyne Cheary

#### East-West

- Judith Perrier – Aaron Navarro
- Marlys Moholt – Bob Kerr
- Monroe Elbrand – Joe Boland



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# Italy, Fast Food, and Slow Chess

by Bernie Ascher

Italians have a love-hate relationship with McDonald's, the fast food chain. Its latest Italian outlet opened in February at Frattocchie, an archaeological site south of Rome. It is a restaurant-museum with a glass walkway, displaying an ancient Roman road and three skeletons. Visitors can enter the museum area without eating at McDonald's, if they so desire.

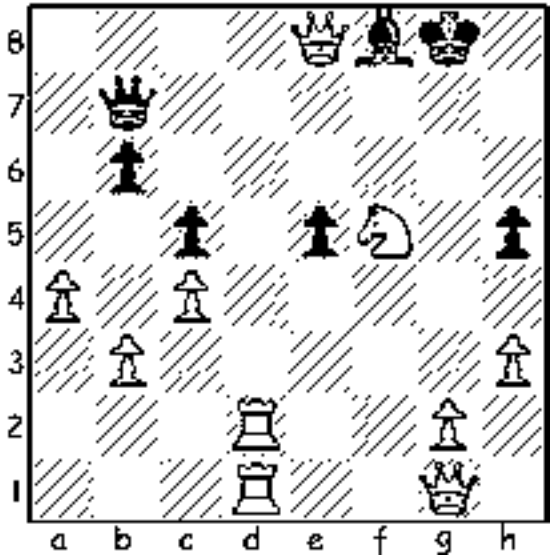
McDonald's contributed €300,000 (about \$315,000) to the project, managed by Rome's agency for Archaeology, Fine Arts and Landscape. The project was hailed by the local mayor and the head of McDonald's Italia, as a "good example of how the public and private sectors can collaborate effectively on reclaiming cultural heritage."

More often, however, McDonald's is seen as a threat to Italian culture. For the past 30 years, Italians have complained that its fast food and golden arches undermine the country's cultural identity. Its first restaurant in Italy opened near the Spanish steps

in Rome in 1986, sparked strong protests. Thousands rallied to protest the "degradation of Rome" and the "Americanization" of Italian culture; celebrities even spoke out against the hazards of fast food. In addition, nearby fashion designer Valentino sued the chain, maintaining that the foul smell of its fries was ruining the designer's clothes. A long battle ensued, which resulted in McDonald's fixing its venting and airflow.

Despite strong opposition, McDonald's was able to expand its business in Italy. In 1996, McDonald's bought out its competitor, Burghy, a chain owned by Italy's largest meat producer, Gruppo Cremonini. McDonald's took over all 80 Burghy restaurants and, in exchange, Cremonini became the sole meat supplier for McDonald's in Italy and parts of Europe.

McDonald's has grown steadily in the country since then. As of January 2017, it operated 540 McDonald's restaurants, 320 McDrives and 260 McCafés and employed 19,500 in Italy, mostly in franchises owned by independent local businesses.



At the end of December 2016, despite fierce protests, McDonald's opened its third restaurant near the Vatican, on the ground floor of a Vatican-owned building, which houses seven senior cardinals. Called "McVatican" by some, the restaurant chain pays €30,000 (roughly \$33,000) per month rent to the Administration of the Patrimony of the Apostolic See which manages the Vatican's real estate, according to Italian news source La Repubblica.

Another protest erupted in July 2016 in Florence, when the city rejected a plan for McDonald's to open a fast food outlet at Piazza del Duomo in the heart of the historic city.

McDonald's restaurants are present in about 120 countries. With 36,000 outlets and 1.9 million employees worldwide, not only are its restaurants near the Vatican and Trevi Fountain, they are located near many other famous tourist attractions, such as the Great Wall of China, the Giza Pyramid in Egypt, the Eiffel Tower and the Louvre in Paris, the Kremlin in Moscow and Check-point Charlie at the Berlin Wall.

There is no McDonald's, however, near the Chess Club in Leisure World. That's just as well because chess players perform better when they are hungry. In the game shown on this page, it is White's turn to move. White can mate Black in three moves. Do you see it?

The answer follows this reminder that the Chess Club meets on Monday, Wednesday and Friday between 1-4 p.m. in Clubhouse II. Stop by for a friendly game. For further information, call Club president Bernie Ascher at (301-598-8577).

ANSWER: White moves the Rook to d7, threatening the Black Queen and check-mate. Black moves the Queen to e4. White then moves its Queen to f7, checking the King. Black moves the King to h8. White's Queen then captures the Bishop at f8, checkmate!

So, do not wait for an Italian Big Mac. Do not wait for an archaeological dig. Do not wait for Leisure World to be declared a historic site. Play chess now!

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### Bridge:

• **Tuesday and Friday Duplicate Bridge** games are at 7 p.m. in Clubhouse I. New players with partners are welcome. Have fun. Win masterpoints. Questions? Call Nadyne at (301-598-5677).

• The **Wednesday Night Chicago Bridge Group** is looking for new members. The group meets every Wednesday in Clubhouse I. Play begins promptly at 6:45 p.m. Bring a partner and be ready for a few hours of friendly games. Questions? Call Doug at (301-448-8708).

• **Men's Bridge** seeks players. We meet Mondays and Thursdays at 12:30 p.m. in Clubhouse II. No partner needed. Please, no beginners.

• **Thursday Ladies Bridge** welcomes more card players. If interested, call Jackie Harrell at (301-598-4341).

**Cribbage:** We meet for 150 minutes of competitive fellowship Thursdays at 9:30 a.m. in Clubhouse II. We have cards and cribbage boards, and would be pleased to teach you the game. It is a mixture of rummy and pinochle and is pure fun. (We do not even keep score.) For more information, call George at (301-598-9747) or Bill at (301-598-7270). We look forward to seeing you.

**Mah Jongg:** Want to learn how to play Mah Jongg? Call (301-598-3438).

**Pinochle Players:** If you enjoy pinochle, join us at Clubhouse II on Monday evenings, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Call us at (301-775-7238) or (301-598-7064).

### Poker:

• A few poker game openings are available at the Greens, Thursdays 7-10 p.m. No prior experience necessary. If interested, call Al at (301-598-7133).

• **Men's Poker** is seeking new members. Play is daily, beginning around 9 a.m. in the Game Room in Clubhouse II.

• **Poker players wanted** for all variations of poker, with or without wild cards. Come by Clubhouse II Tuesdays

and Thursdays at 7:15 p.m. and play until 10 p.m. Spend an enjoyable night with a bunch of good people. Call Andy at (240-558-4787).

**Jigsaw Puzzle:** There is a jigsaw puzzle table in the Clubhouse II lobby. Feel free, at your leisure, to work on it.

**Scrabble:** Please join us at Clubhouse II on Tuesdays at 12:30 p.m. for a game of Scrabble. Boards are available. Call Arlyne at (301-438-7442) if you are interested in playing.

**Duckpin Bowling:** Join us for the Duckpin Mixed Bowling League Mondays at 12:30 p.m. at White Oak Bowling Lanes (11207 New Hampshire Ave., Silver Spring). We need bowlers of all skill levels and will welcome you into our enthusiastic group. We carpool regularly, so non-drivers need not stay away. Call Grace White at (301-438-7892) or Flora Wolf at (301-598-5807) to join as a substitute or regular bowler.

**Fitness and Exercise Club** (supporting all Leisure World physical activities): Membership is open to any resident interested in attending an existing activity or in creating a new activity. No membership fees. For more information on club activities or to join, email us at (LWMDfitness@gmail.com).

**Indoor Pool Volleyball:** Experienced players are welcome to join a competitive game in the social pool at Clubhouse II on Mondays and Thursdays at 6 p.m. Basic volleyball skills are required. For beginners, social games are Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays at 3 p.m. If you don't have a yearly indoor pool pass, a \$3 ticket good for one pool session may be purchased at the Clubhouse II E&R office. Email Laurie Burdick at (lgburdick@aol.com) with questions.

**Mind-Body Exercise Club:** Members meet every Thursday afternoon from 2-3 p.m. in the Clubhouse II Activity Room to study and practice mind-body exercises under a leader. Interested Leisure World residents can join the club by paying a \$5 per person initiation fee. If you have any questions, call Bert Fang, club president at (301-871-1694).

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You will learn about: accessing and retrieving data; how to save files; storing your data on a flash USB drive; maneuvering around the computer; using menu options; and accessing and using the internet.

This class will help you to understand and manage files and folders on your computer more efficiently. Class meets on Monday, March 27, 1-2:30 p.m. The maximum number of students is 13. **Fee: \$15. Register at Clubhouse II.**

**Book Discussion: “Hill-billy Elegy” by J.D. Vance, a CLL seminar:** This book was a New York Times bestseller in 2016 (Aug. 28), and named by the Times as one of “six books to help understand Trump’s win.” Vance writes about his own childhood and, in particular, offers insight and explanation into a segment of the culture of those who left the Democratic Party and supported Donald Trump. The book has been described as in the genre of “Between the World and Me,” by Ta-Nehisi Coates.

One session will be on the book itself; the second session on what the book may say about our political direction.

Instructor Paul H. Levy has a BA, MEd and EdD from the University of Massachusetts-Amherst, and is a retired history and social science teacher. He has previously taught classes for CLL.

Class meets Tuesday, April 18 and Wednesday, April 19, 10-11:30 a.m. **Fee: \$15. Register at Clubhouse I.**

**The Convergence of Geography and History, a CLL course:** Instructor Tom Conger discusses how geography is linked with historical events, paying particular attention to economic geography. Topics covered during the five-week course include the human migration out of Africa, the state of California, weather and climate, landform geography and its impact on the economy, land usage and agriculture’s impact on human longevity.

Class meets Tuesdays on April 4-May 9 (no class April 11), 1 p.m. **Fee: \$15. Register at Clubhouse I.**

*For more information about the Center for Lifelong Learning (CLL), visit ([www.cllmd.com](http://www.cllmd.com)).*

## EXERCISE

**NEW – Beginner and Advanced Tai Chi:** A must for seniors! Tai Chi builds strength in muscles and bones, promotes a healthy heart, and is fun and easy to do. It improves endurance, flexibility, breathing, and circulation.

The class begins with 30 minutes of stretching and muscle strengthening exercises that promote greater agility, better posture and strengthen muscles. This is followed by meditation for 10 minutes and Tai Chi for 20 minutes. Tai Chi is the best way to improve balance and coordination, thereby decreasing the risk of falling and fractures.

Class meets Tuesdays and Thursdays, April 25-July 13 (no class July 4), 9:30-10:30

a.m. The instructor is Steve McCleary.

For more information, call Maureen McCleary (301-598-1145). **Fee: \$45 for 1 day per week; \$75 for both days. Register at Clubhouse II.**

**NEW – Tap with Gerry, Evening:** Did you always wish you could tap dance? Now you can! Join Gerry as you “Tap Your Troubles Away” and “Shuffle off to Buffalo.” A fun way to exercise. The first half of the class is devoted to beginners where they learn basic steps of tap. The second half of class is devoted to dancers who already have a knowledge of tap. This is a way for the “performers” to add “tap” to their resume.

For more information, call Gerry (301-438-7452).

Class meets Thursdays, April 6-May 18, 5:30 p.m. **Fee: \$45. Register at Clubhouse II.**

**NEW – Move to the Beat, evenings:** Do you hate to exercise? If you do, this is the class for you. For 45 minutes, we move by stretching, walking and dancing to various music (singing along is allowed). You don’t have to remember anything; just follow at your own pace. You must keep moving. Doctors tell us we must keep moving for our health. Let’s do it together as we “Move to the Beat.” For more information, call Gerry (301-438-7452).

Class meets Tuesdays, April 18-May 23, 6:15-7 p.m. **Fee: \$39. Register at Clubhouse II.**

**NEW – Senior Sneakers:** Get up and go with a safe, heart-healthy cardio workout that is gentle on the joints. The workout includes easy-to-follow low-impact moves and upper-body strength training. Have fun and move to the music through a variety of exercises designed to increase your cardio fitness level, strength, range of movement, and activities for daily living. Bring your hand-held weights and work at your own pace.

Class meets Mondays (w/ Shirley), April 17-May 22,



and Thursdays (w/Sue), April 20-May 25, 9-9:45 a.m. You can take the class on Mondays or Thursdays, or sign up for both days. **Fee: \$36, one day per week; \$60 for both days. Register at Clubhouse II.**

**NEW – Mild Exercise with Shirley:** All exercises, seated or standing, are led by instructor Shirley Lloyd.

Class meets Tuesdays, April 18-May 23, and Wednesdays, April 19-May 24, 11-11:45 a.m. You can take the class on Tuesdays or Wednesdays, or sign up for both days. **Fee: \$36, one day per week; \$60 for both days. Register at Clubhouse II.**

**Zumba Gold with Denny – Mondays or Fridays:** This program was designed for the older active adult, a person who has not been exercising in a long time or individuals who may be limited physically. The biggest difference between Zumba Gold and Zumba Basic is that Zumba Gold is done at a much lower intensity. It is just as much fun, just not as

fast! Zumba Gold utilizes the same great Latin styles of music and dance that are used in the Zumba basic program. Class meets Mondays, March 27-May 8, 10:30 a.m. or Fridays, March 24-May 5, 1 p.m. **Fee: \$37.50 for one day; \$71 for two days. Register at Clubhouse II.**

**Zumba Gold with Denny – New Day/New Time:** This program was designed for the older active adult, a person who has not been exercising in a long time or individuals who may be limited physically. The biggest difference between Zumba Gold and Zumba Basic is that Zumba Gold is done at a much lower intensity. It is just as much fun, just not as fast! Zumba Gold utilizes the same great Latin styles of music and dance that are used in the Zumba basic program. Class meets Wednesdays, March 22-April 26, 1 p.m. **Fee: \$37.50. Register at Clubhouse II.**

**Chair Yoga (with a touch of Chair Tai Chi), Wednesdays:** Age well. Prevent or

diminish the chronic degenerative disease processes that frequently accompany aging. Gentle, yet effective, movements done while sitting in a chair. Increase joint mobility, balance, flexibility, strength, tone, circulation of blood and lymph, and improve breathing. Optional standing balance exercises included. Relaxing and fun! Mindfulness training introduced and basic holistic lifestyle habits discussed.

Instructor Robin M. Hartman, C-IAYT, CHHC, RYT, PTA, is licensed to perform physical therapy in the state of Maryland. She is also a certified holistic health coach, registered yoga teacher, and certified yoga therapist. She will answer questions after class or can be reached at (240-350-8820).

Class meets Wednesdays, April 12-May 31, 2-3 p.m. **Fee: \$100. Register at Clubhouse II.**

**Ba Duan:** This is the world's oldest exercise for seniors and those who need to restore a normal, optimum state of health. Participants will learn to combine joint movement and breathing to improve balance

and to augment core strength.

**Limited enrollment.** Class meets Mondays, March 27-May 29, 4 p.m. **Fee: \$15. Register at Clubhouse II.**

**Argentine Tango for Tango Lovers:** This class will teach the fundamentals of Argentine tango. It is for beginners, but is also for those who want to improve their basic elements of the dance. Topics include the embrace, communication, walking with style, and musicality. No partner is required. Dancing or leather-soled shoes are preferred.

The instructor, Julia Elena, is director of Caminito Amigo, an Argentine tango community.

Class meets Mondays, March 20-April 24, 3-4 p.m. **Fee: \$50. Register at Clubhouse I.**

## WATER EXERCISE

**NEW – Water Exercise with Nancy:** Time to start the day off right by enrolling in a water exercise class. Participants will gain strength, stamina, and tone from this cardio



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class. (Dumbbells are used, although they are not required, and are available for purchase from the instructor.)

Class meets Tuesdays, April 18-May 23, and Thursdays, April 20-May 25, 11 a.m.-12 noon. You can take the class on Tuesdays or Thursdays, or sign up for both days.

**Fee: \$36, one day per week; \$60 for both days.**

**Register at Clubhouse II.**

#### **NEW – Non-impact**

**Fusion with Beth:** This class is held in the round leisure pool (warm water). Dance, yoga poses, and cardio movements are all fused together to give students an awesome, fun class. Participants will improve their posture, balance, flexibility, and muscle strength.

Class meets Tuesdays, April 18-May 23, and Thursdays, April 20-May 25, 1-2

p.m. You can take the class on Tuesdays or Thursdays, or sign up for both days.

**Fee: \$36, one day per week; \$60 for both days.**  
**Register at Clubhouse II.**

#### **NEW – Aqua Arthritis**

**with Shirley:** Class is held in the warm water pool. If you have arthritis or other joint issues, have had recent surgery, have trouble with balance or breathing, or any

other medical issue that has kept you from exercising, then this class is for you. This class is low intensity and slow paced. We use walking patterns with various arm movements and focus on stretching, balancing, yoga, and range of motion exercises using noodles and balls.

Class meets Mondays, April 17-May 22, 1-2 p.m. **Fee: \$36, 1 day per week; \$60, when taken with one day of another water class.**  
**Register at Clubhouse II.**

**NEW – Aqua Fit with Shirley:** This unique class blends the best of both worlds using water aerobics and yoga. Water aerobics will be done in the lap pool for 30 minutes, focusing on cardio and strength. The class will then move to the social warm water pool and finish up with yoga stretches that will focus on balance and posture.

Class meets Wednesdays, April 19-May 24, 1-2 p.m. **Fee: \$36, 1 day per week; \$60, when taken with one day of another water class.**  
**Register at Clubhouse II.**

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# Calendar of EVENTS

## Sunday, March 19

### Clubhouse I

10:00 a.m. JRLW Breakfast Forum

### Clubhouse II

Have a Happy Day

## Monday, March 20

### Clubhouse I

9:30 a.m. Art Class, Any Medium

1:00 p.m. Paintbrush & Knife Class

1:30 p.m. LW Chorale

2:00 p.m. NARFE

3:30 p.m. Argentine Tango Class

6:00 p.m. Lions Club

7:00 p.m. Bingo

### Clubhouse II

9:00 a.m. Senior Sneakers Class

10:00 a.m. Clipper Workshop

10:30 a.m. Zumba Gold Class

12:30 p.m. Men's Bridge Group

1:00 p.m. Chess Club

2:00 p.m. Chair Yoga Class

4:00 p.m. Ba Duan Exercise Class

## Tuesday, March 21

### Clubhouse I

9:00 a.m. Blood Pressure Testing

9:30 a.m. Art Class, Any Medium

10:00 a.m. Sharing Stories Class

1:00 p.m. Watercolor Techniques Class

1:00 p.m. Garden & Environmental Club  
Spring Tea

1:30 p.m. Republican Club

2:00 p.m. Book Club Network

5:00 p.m. Trivia Group

7:00 p.m. Duplicate Bridge

### Clubhouse II

9:30 a.m. Beginning/Advanced Tai Chi  
Class

11:00 a.m. Water Exercise Class

11:00 a.m. Mild Exercise Class

12:30 p.m. Scrabble Group

1:00 p.m. Non-impact Fusion Water Class

1:30 p.m. Comedy & Humor Club

6:15 p.m. Move to the Beat Class

7:00 p.m. Vegetarian Society

## Wednesday, March 22

### Clubhouse I

9:00 a.m. Income Tax Service

9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga Class

10:00 a.m. Express Yourself Art Class

1:00 p.m. Diabetes Prevention Class

1:00 p.m. Oils & Acrylics Class

2:00 p.m. LW Green

6:45 p.m. Chicago Bridge

### Clubhouse II

11:00 a.m. Mild Exercise Class

1:00 p.m. Chess Club

1:00 p.m. Zumba Gold Class

1:00 p.m. Ping Pong Club

1:00 p.m. Aqua Fit Class

2:00 p.m. Chair Yoga Class

## Thursday, March 23

### Clubhouse I

9:15 a.m. Stretch & Tone Class

10:00 a.m. Painting for Everyone Class

10:30 a.m. Exploring Orthodox Life Class

10:30 a.m. Beginner Stretch & Tone Class

12:30 p.m. Ladies Bridge

1:00 p.m. Folk Songs for Our Time Class

1:00 p.m. Oils & Acrylics Class

2:00 p.m. Great Decisions in Foreign Policy

2:00 p.m. NA'AMAT Membership Tea

### Clubhouse II

9:00 a.m. Senior Sneakers Class

9:30 a.m. Beginning/Advanced Tai Chi  
Class

9:30 a.m. Quilt Group

11:00 a.m. Water Exercise Class

12:30 p.m. Men's Bridge

1:00 p.m. Non-impact Fusion Water Class

2:00 p.m. Mind-Body Exercise Club

5:30 p.m. Tap with Gerry Class

## Friday, March 24

### Clubhouse I

10:00 a.m. Basic Drawing Class

1:30 p.m. Watercolors Any Level Class

3:00 p.m. Hispanos de LW: Games

7:00 p.m. Friday Duplicate Bridge

### Clubhouse II

10:00 a.m. Chinese Club of LW

1:00 p.m. Ping Pong Club

1:00 p.m. Chess Club

1:00 p.m. Zumba Gold Class

1:00 p.m. Friday Bridge Club

6:00 p.m. Lions Club: "Connected"  
Performance

## Saturday, March 25

### Clubhouse I

9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga Class

10:00 a.m. Open Art Studio

7:30 p.m. Ballroom Dance Club

### Clubhouse II

9:15 a.m. JRLW Religious Service

2:00 p.m. Going It Alone Club: Video &  
Bingo

4:00 p.m. LWAAAC Movie: "Red Tails"

## Sunday, March 26

### Clubhouse I

2:00 p.m. Italian Club: Festivale Italiano

### Clubhouse II

10:30 a.m. Jewish Discussion Group

2:00 p.m. Movie: "Nina"

7:00 p.m. Baby Boomers

## Monday, March 27

### Clubhouse I

9:30 a.m. Stretch & Tone Class

9:30 a.m. Art Class, Any Medium Class

10:30 a.m. Beginners Stretch & Tone Class

1:00 p.m. Paintbrush & Knife Class

1:30 p.m. LW Chorale

1:30 p.m. Book Club Network

3:30 p.m. Argentine Tango Class

7:00 p.m. Bingo

### Clubhouse II

9:00 a.m. Senior Sneakers Class

10:30 a.m. Zumba Gold Class

12:30 p.m. Men's Bridge

1:00 p.m. Chess Club

2:00 p.m. Line Dance Class

3:00 p.m. Line Dance Class

4:00 p.m. Ba Duan Class

## Tuesday, March 28

### Clubhouse I

9:30 a.m. Art Class, Any Medium

10:00 a.m. Sharing Stories Class

10:00 a.m. 9-Hole Ladies Golf Meeting &  
Coffee

1:00 p.m. Watercolor Techniques Class

2:00 p.m. Book Club Network

5:00 p.m. Trivia Group

7:00 p.m. Duplicate Bridge

### Clubhouse II

9:30 a.m. Beginning/Advanced Tai Chi  
Class

10:00 a.m. LW Apple Club

11:00 a.m. Water Exercise Class

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## Meetings of the LWCC Board of Directors, Executive Committee and Advisory Committees

### Community Planning

April 10, 9:30 a.m., Clubhouse I

### Education and Recreation

April 4, 9:30 a.m., Clubhouse I

### Emergency Preparedness

April 6, 1:30 p.m., Clubhouse I

### Energy

March 21, 9:30 a.m., Clubhouse I

### Insurance

March 20, 2:30 p.m., Sullivan Room

### Restaurant

March 20, 10:00 a.m., Clubhouse I

### Technology

April 7, 10:00 a.m., Sullivan Room

### Tennis

April 5, 1:30 p.m., Sullivan Room

### LWMC Board of Directors

March 28, 9:30 a.m., Clubhouse I

The meeting will air on April 3, 5 and 7 at 4 p.m. and 7 p.m. on channel 974.

### LWCC Executive Committee

March 17, 9:00 a.m., Sullivan Room

The meeting will air on March 22, 23 and 24 at 4 p.m. and 7 p.m. on channel 974.

*Meeting times and locations subject to change.*

## Leisure World Mutual Meetings

### March 20

#### Mutual 13 Board

9:30 a.m., Sullivan Room

### March 21

#### Mutual 14 Board

9:30 a.m., Sullivan Room

### March 23

#### Mutual 10 Board

9:30 a.m., Sullivan Room

#### Mutual 20A Annual

7:00 p.m., Party Room I

### March 27

#### Montgomery Mutual Board

9:30 a.m., Clubhouse I

#### Mutual 23 Board

10:00 a.m., Party Room

#### Mutual 9 Board

10:00 a.m., Sullivan Room

### March 28

#### Mutual 17A Board

2:00 p.m., Party Room

#### Mutual 21 Board

2:30 p.m., Community Room

### March 29

#### Mutual 20B Board

9:00 a.m., Community Room 3

#### Mutual 19B Board

1:00 p.m., Sullivan Room

### March 30

#### Mutual 6C Board

9:30 a.m., Community Room

#### Mutual 26 Board

10:30 a.m., Party Room

#### Mutual 24 Board

1:30 p.m., Community Room

### March 31

#### Mutual 17B Board

10:00 a.m., Party Room

### April 3

#### Mutual 22 Board

11:00 a.m., Clubhouse I

### April 4

#### Mutual 18

1:30 p.m., Suliivan Room

#### Mutual 6B Board

2:00 p.m., Mutual

### April 5

#### Mutual 8 Board

9:30 a.m., Sullivan Room

*Meeting times and locations subject to change.*

11:00 a.m. Mild Exercise Class

12:30 p.m. Scrabble Group

1:00 p.m. Non-impact Fusion Water Class

1:30 p.m. Comedy & Humor Club

2:30 p.m. Unitarian Universalists

6:15 p.m. Move to the Beat Class

7:00 p.m. Camera Club

## Wednesday, March 29

### Clubhouse I

9:00 a.m. Income Tax Service

9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga Class

10:00 a.m. Express Yourself Art Class

1:00 p.m. Oils & Acrylics Class

1:00 p.m. Diabetes Prevention Class

6:45 p.m. Chicago Bridge

### Clubhouse II

11:00 a.m. Mild Exercise Class

1:00 p.m. Chess Club

1:00 p.m. Ping Pong Club

1:00 p.m. Aqua Fit Class

1:00 p.m. Zumba Gold Class

2:00 p.m. Chair Yoga Class

## Thursday, March 30

### Clubhouse I

9:15 a.m. Stretch & Tone Class

10:00 a.m. Painting for Everyone Class

10:00 a.m. 18-Hole Ladies Golf Meeting & Coffee  
10:30 a.m. Exploring Orthodox Life Class  
10:30 a.m. Beginner Stretch & Tone Class  
12:30 p.m. Ladies Bridge  
1:00 p.m. Oils & Acrylics Class  
2:00 p.m. Great Decisions in Foreign Policy  
**Clubhouse II**  
9:00 a.m. Senior Sneakers Class  
9:30 a.m. Beginning/Advanced Tai Chi Class  
11:00 a.m. Water Exercise Class  
12:30 p.m. Men’s Bridge  
1:00 p.m. Non-impact Fusion Water Class  
1:30 p.m. JRLW Movie: “Rosenwald”  
2:00 p.m. Mind-Body Exercise Club  
5:30 p.m. Tap with Gerry Class

**Friday, March 31**  
**Clubhouse I**  
10:00 a.m. Basic Drawing Class  
1:30 p.m. Watercolors Any Level Class  
3:00 p.m. Hispanos de LW  
7:00 p.m. Friday Duplicate Bridge  
**Clubhouse II**  
10:00 a.m. Chair Yoga Class  
1:00 p.m. Ping Pong Club  
1:00 p.m. Chess Club  
1:00 p.m. Zumba Gold Class  
1:00 p.m. Friday Bridge Club  
3:00 p.m. Washington National Opera Young Artist Performance

**Saturday, April 1**  
**Clubhouse I**  
9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga Class  
10:00 a.m. American Needlepoint Guild  
10:00 a.m. Open Art Studio  
6:00 p.m. LWAAAC & Hispanos: Latin Dance & Cocktail Party  
**Clubhouse II**  
9:15 a.m. JRLW Religious Service  
2:00 p.m. Going It Alone: Video  
3:00 p.m. Pianist Olga Vinokur

**Sunday, April 2**  
**Clubhouse I**  
1:00 p.m. Swiss Team Bridge Tournament  
**Clubhouse II**  
10:00 a.m. Tech Day  
2:30 p.m. Fireside Forum

**Monday, April 3**  
**Clubhouse I**  
9:15 a.m. Stretch & Tone Class  
10:30 a.m. Beginners Stretch & Tone Class  
1:00 p.m. CLL General Meeting  
1:30 p.m. LW Chorale  
2:00 p.m. Book Club Network  
2:00 p.m. Compassion & Choices  
3:30 p.m. Argentine Tango Class  
7:00 p.m. Bingo  
**Clubhouse II**  
9:00 a.m. Senior Sneakers Class  
10:00 a.m. Clipper Workshop  
10:30 a.m. Zumba Gold Class  
12:30 p.m. Men’s Bridge  
1:00 p.m. Chess Club  
2:00 p.m. Line Dance Class  
2:00 p.m. Chair Yoga Class  
3:00 p.m. Line Dance Class  
4:00 p.m. Ba Duan Exercise Class

**Tuesday, April 4**  
**Clubhouse I**  
9:00 a.m. Blood Pressure Testing  
10:00 a.m. Sharing Stories Class  
12:00 p.m. Ladies Golf Lunch  
1:00 p.m. Convergence of Geography & History Class  
5:00 p.m. Trivia Group  
7:00 p.m. Duplicate Bridge  
**Clubhouse II**  
9:30 a.m. Beginning/Advanced Tai Chi  
11:00 a.m. Mild Exercise Class  
10:00 a.m. Water Exercise Class  
12:30 p.m. Scrabble Group  
1:00 p.m. Gilbert & Sullivan Society  
1:00 p.m. Non-impact Fusion Water Class  
1:30 p.m. Comedy & Humor Club  
6:00 p.m. Camera Club General Meeting  
6:15 p.m. Move to the Beat Class

**Wednesday, April 5**  
**Clubhouse I**  
9:00 a.m. Income Tax Service  
9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga Class  
11:00 a.m. Short Story Group  
11:30 a.m. NA’AMAT Brunch  
1:00 p.m. Men’s Golf Lunch  
1:00 p.m. Diabetes Prevention Class  
1:30 p.m. Patients Rights Group  
2:00 p.m. Book Club Network  
6:45 p.m. Chicago Bridge

**Clubhouse II**  
11:00 a.m. Mild Exercise Class  
1:00 p.m. Chess Club  
1:00 p.m. Ping Pong Club  
1:00 p.m. Aqua Fit Class  
1:00 p.m. Zumba Gold Class  
2:00 p.m. Chair Yoga Class  
4:00 p.m. LWAAAC General Meeting  
7:00 p.m. Fun & Fancy Theatre: “Singin’ in the Rain”

**Thursday, April 6**  
**Clubhouse I**  
9:15 a.m. Stretch & Tone Class  
10:30 a.m. Exploring Orthodox Life Class  
10:30 a.m. Beginner Stretch & Tone Class  
10:30 a.m. Essential Tremor Group  
11:00 a.m. Writers Workshop  
12:30 p.m. Ladies Bridge  
2:00 p.m. Great Decisions in Foreign Policy  
3:00 p.m. Stamp Club  
**Clubhouse II**  
9:00 a.m. Senior Sneakers Class  
9:30 a.m. Beginning/Advanced Tai Chi Class  
10:00 a.m. Stitchers Group  
10:15 a.m. Move to the Beat Class  
11:00 a.m. Water Exercise Class  
12:30 p.m. Men’s Bridge  
1:00 p.m. Non-impact Fusion Water Class  
2:00 p.m. Mind-Body Exercise Club  
7:00 p.m. Tennis Club

**Friday, April 7**  
**Clubhouse I**  
12:15 p.m. Kiwanis of LW  
3:00 p.m. Hispanos de LW  
7:00 p.m. Friday Duplicate Bridge  
**Clubhouse II**  
10:00 a.m. Chinese Club of LW  
1:00 p.m. Ping Pong Club  
1:00 p.m. Chess Club  
1:00 p.m. Zumba Gold Class  
1:00 p.m. Friday Bridge Club

**Saturday, April 8**  
**Clubhouse I**  
9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga Class  
**Clubhouse II**  
9:15 a.m. Shabbat Service  
1:00 p.m. Camera Club PSA  
1:00 p.m. AIM Program: Poetest 2017  
2:00 p.m. Going It Alone: Video & Bingo  
7:00 p.m. Baby Boomers

**Sunday, April 9**  
**Clubhouse I**  
Have a Happy Day  
**Clubhouse II**  
Have a Happy Day

**Monday, April 10**  
**Clubhouse I**  
9:30 a.m. Art Class, Any Medium Class  
10:30 a.m. Garden & Environmental Club  
1:00 p.m. Paintbrush & Knife Class  
1:30 p.m. LW Chorale  
3:30 p.m. Argentine Tango Class  
**Clubhouse II**  
10:30 a.m. Zumba Gold Class  
12:30 p.m. Men’s Bridge  
1:00 p.m. Chess Club  
2:00 p.m. Chair Yoga Class  
2:00 p.m. Line Dance Class  
3:00 p.m. Line Dance Class  
4:00 p.m. Ba Duan Class

**Tuesday, April 11**  
**Clubhouse I**  
9:30 a.m. Garden Plot Group

9:30 a.m. Art Class, Any Medium  
11:30 a.m. Ladies Golf Lunch  
1:00 p.m. Amateur Radio Club  
1:00 p.m. Watercolor Techniques Class  
2:00 p.m. Book Club Network  
5:00 p.m. Trivia Group  
6:00 p.m. JRLW Seder  
7:00 p.m. Duplicate Bridge  
**Clubhouse II**  
9:30 a.m. Beginning/Advanced Tai Chi Class  
12:30 p.m. Scrabble Group  
1:30 p.m. Comedy & Humor Club  
3:00 p.m. Parkinson’s Support Group  
7:00 p.m. Camera Club

**Wednesday, April 12**  
**Clubhouse I**  
9:00 a.m. Income Tax Service  
9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga Class  
10:00 a.m. Express Yourself Art Class  
1:00 p.m. Diabetes Prevention Class  
1:00 p.m. Maryland Interclub Seniors Golf Association Lunch  
1:00 p.m. Oils & Acrylics Class  
1:00 p.m. Low Vision Group  
1:30 p.m. Patients Rights Group  
2:00 p.m. LW Green Group  
6:45 p.m. Chicago Bridge  
**Clubhouse II**  
1:00 p.m. Chess Club  
1:00 p.m. Ping Pong Club  
1:30 p.m. Stroke Support Group  
1:00 p.m. Zumba Gold Class  
2:00 p.m. Chair Yoga Class  
7:00 p.m. Lapidary Club: How Plate Tectonics Changes the Geography of the World

**Thursday, April 13**  
**Clubhouse I**  
10:00 a.m. Painting for Everyone Class  
12:30 p.m. Ladies Bridge  
1:00 p.m. Oils & Acrylics Class  
2:00 p.m. Great Decisions in Foreign Policy  
7:00 p.m. LW Democratic Club  
**Clubhouse II**  
9:30 a.m. Beginning/Advanced Tai Chi Class  
9:30 a.m. Quilters Group  
10:00 a.m. MVA on Wheels  
12:30 p.m. Men’s Bridge  
2:00 p.m. Mind-Body Exercise Club  
2:00 p.m. Movie: “Miracles from Heaven”  
4:00 p.m. Model Railroad Club

**Friday, April 14**  
**Clubhouse I**  
10:00 a.m. Basic Drawing Class  
11:00 a.m. Book Club Network  
12:15 p.m. Kiwanis Club  
1:30 p.m. Watercolor, Any Level Class  
6:00 p.m. Café AIM: Janine Carter  
7:00 p.m. Friday Duplicate Bridge  
**Clubhouse II**  
10:00 a.m. Chinese Club  
1:00 p.m. Ping Pong Club  
1:00 p.m. Chess Club  
1:00 p.m. Zumba Gold Class  
1:00 p.m. Friday Bridge

**Saturday, April 15**  
**Clubhouse I**  
9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga Class  
10:00 a.m. Open Art Studio  
**Clubhouse II**  
9:15 a.m. JRLW Religious Service  
12:00 p.m. LGBT Alliance  
2:00 p.m. Going It Alone: Video  
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3330 LEISURE WORLD BLVD #5-415	FAIRWAYS SOUTH	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors	2	2	\$162,000	\$162,000	\$0
3210 LEISURE WORLD BLVD N #411	LEISURE WORLD	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors	2	2	\$249,000	\$222,500	\$3,250
3557 LEISURE WLD BLVD #24-2E	LEISURE WORLD	Garden 1-4 Floors	2	1	\$129,500	\$120,000	\$0
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3591 S. LEISURE WORLD BLVD #20-E	MONTGOMERY MUTUAL	Townhouse	2	1	\$145,000	\$146,000	\$0
3100 LEISURE WORLD BLVD #523	OVERLOOK	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors	1	1.5	\$154,950	\$155,000	\$0
3100 LEISURE WORLD BLVD #803	OVERLOOK	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors	2	2	\$395,000	\$395,000	\$0
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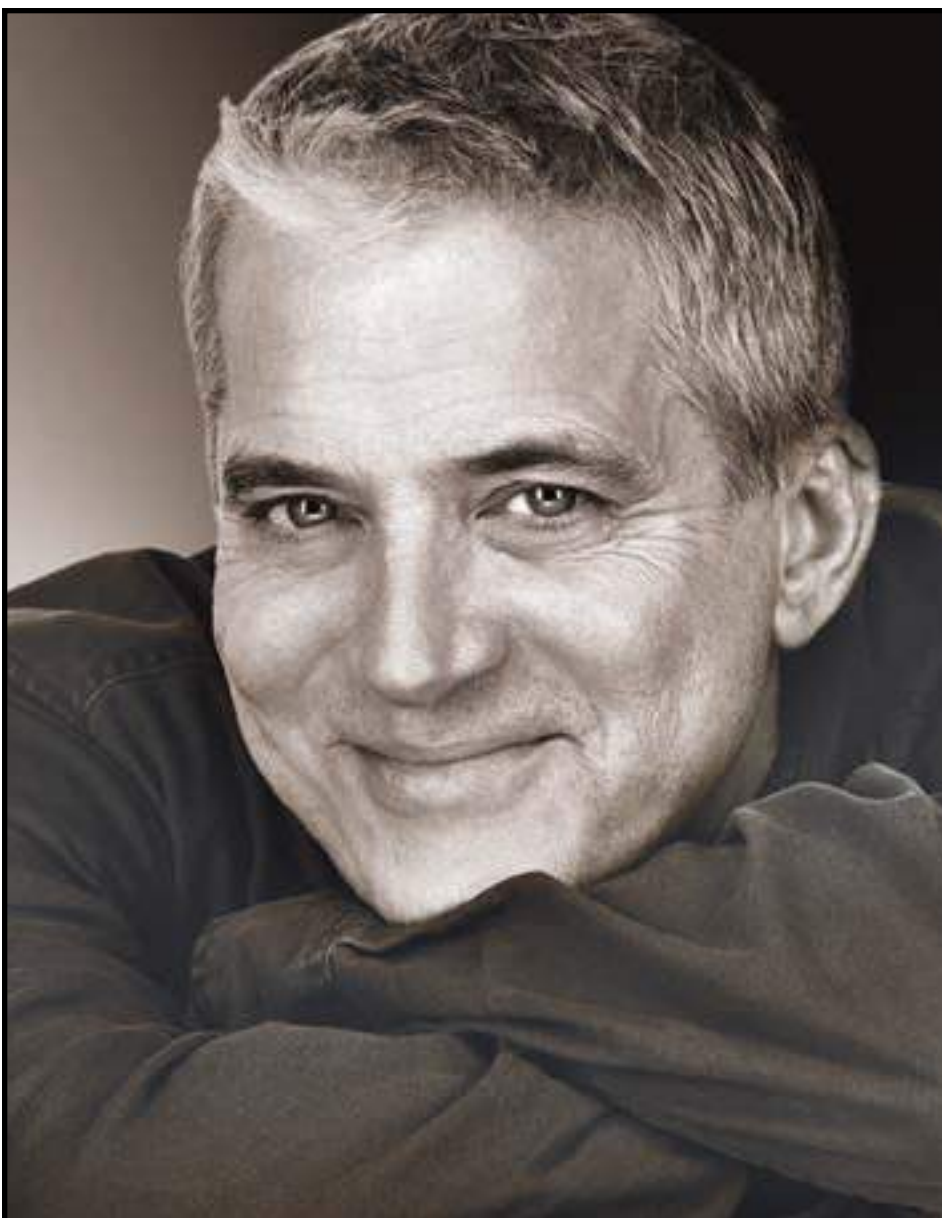
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