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## From the Grand Marshal's Photo Album

by Kimberly Y. Choi,  
Leisure World News

Resident and U.S. Navy veteran Dottie Chanil will lead the July 4 parade as this year's grand marshal.

John Carr, a member of the July 4 Committee, says he chose Chanil to lead the procession because she is "very proud of her service." While previously he selected veterans who had active roles in wars, this year he decided to honor someone who took a support role but nevertheless contributed to the mission of the armed forces.

Chanil was a yeoman, an administrative professional



U.S. Navy veteran Dottie Chanil discusses her time as a yeoman while flipping through her photo album in her home on May 22. Photo by Kimberly Y. Choi, Leisure World News

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## Annual July 4 Parade and Picnic Returns

by Leisure World News

Leisure World is set to celebrate our nation's Independence Day with its annual community parade and picnic!

The parade kicks off at 9:30 a.m. and departs from the Administration Building parking lot. U.S. Navy veteran Dottie Chanil will serve as grand marshal, and sports fans are in for a treat when former NFL footballer Dexter Manley makes an appearance.

Along with more than 30 Leisure World clubs, groups, organizations and mutuals taking part in the parade, the

Montgomery County Sherriff's Office Color Guard, the Browningsville Cornet Band and several local politicians will join in the fun.

### On the Move

The parade procession will travel down Leisure World Boulevard to Pennfield Circle in Villa Cortese, and then make a U-turn and proceed toward Clubhouse I. Residents are welcome to bring folding chairs to sit along the parade route.

As the procession wends its way around Veterans Park and passes the reviewing stand, emcees Charlie Brotman,

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## Strategic Planning Survey Mailed to All Homes in Leisure World

by Stacy Smith, Leisure World News

Check your mailboxes; the strategic planning survey is expected to be delivered to all residences in Leisure World in the coming days.

The survey's questions, created by experts in strategic planning from George Mason University (GMU) in consultation with the Special Strategic Planning Committee (SSPC), will gather data about the community's demographics and will correspond to Trust properties and current and prospective amenities and services in an effort to plan for Leisure World's long-term future.



"The survey is the heart of the strategic planning process," says Dr. Arthur Popper, SSPC chairperson. "It will provide a wealth of information about the interests, needs and thoughts of residents."

Every resident has an opportunity to contribute to Leisure World's strategic planning process by completing the survey and returning it in the self-addressed envelope with prepaid postage to consultants from GMU, or by filling out the survey online at (residents.lwmc.com).

The SSPC encourages every

resident to complete the survey and return it so that Leisure World has a broad representation of views on a wide range of issues as it moves forward with strategic planning for the community.

The deadline to complete and return the survey is Wednesday, Aug. 7.

### About the Survey

The survey's questions are multiple-choice and fill-in-the-blank, except for the final question, which is open-ended, allowing residents to share other ideas or to elaborate on their answers to questions in the survey.

Residents are requested to print clearly or type their responses to the final question. Residents may add a separate sheet to the survey they return. They are also welcome to answer in longhand, but are asked to use their best penmanship to ensure that every response is legible.

Each survey is designed so that up to two residents per household can complete it, with each resident filling in his or her own answers. Both residents will fill out the same form, but separate parts for each resident that are called "Resident 1" and "Resident 2."

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## Spotlight on...

# Chinese Club

by Kimberly Y. Choi,  
Leisure World News

The Chinese Club celebrates its 20th anniversary this month. It has spent its two decades of life furnishing opportunities for all residents to appreciate Chinese culture and holding other events and social activities.

On June 14, the Club had the first of its two anniversary meetings, featuring song and dance performances. All residents are invited to the second meeting on Friday, June 28, which celebrates the Club's history through videos of selected past events.

### People to Hear From

In April, a curator of Chinese artifacts from the Freer|Sackler Gallery attracted more than 100 attendees including members and non-members.

The Club's guest speakers have spoken on Chinese history and culture but also other topics such as wellness, medicine of interest to older people and science and technology.

"We are basically sort of like a social club," explains member Chao-Ning Liu. "We do activities for the benefit of members and reach out to other communities."

When Pauline Yang was the Club's president, she initiated

the "Let Me Tell You" series, in which Club members would speak on their own lives in China or as people of Chinese heritage.

At first, she had difficulty finding members willing to speak, but later, people began to volunteer. She videos the speakers, and volunteers are often motivated to speak because they would like their stories recorded for their descendants. One speaker paid for four copies of his video to be made for his family.

Some notable "Let Me Tell You" speakers were a first-generation American born in Washington, D.C., a woman who was one of 30 survivors when a boat sank between China and Taiwan and a couple with a decades-long love story.

### Special Occasions

President Stella Shaw says the Club's festival celebrations are a way for Chinese residents to participate in their native culture. They are also an opportunity for non-Chinese to experience something new.

One of Shaw's favorite events is the Mid-Autumn Festival. The Clubhouse I lanai, she says, is a beautiful place to sit beneath the full harvest moon, sing songs and partake in traditional mooncakes, a pastry containing



After attending a lecture on Empress Dowager Cixi, Chinese Club members enjoy each other's company at Fu Lin Restaurant in Aspen Hill on April 13. Photo by Kimberly Y. Choi, Leisure World News

lotus or bean paste.

The Club has had a presence in the Leisure World July 4 parade since 2004. They dance to patriotic music and march with a banner that reads "Leisure World Chinese Club" translated into Chinese.

### Close Companions

"This is a really good group to make a friend," says Johanna Chang. She has convinced outsiders to move to Leisure World by telling them about the Chinese Club and the potential for companionship there.

After meetings, Club members eat together at local Chinese restaurants. These

lunches are a ripe setting to get to know each other.

Several people who befriended each other at the Club started an informal Bible study group together. When one had a back injury, the others took turns ensuring she was cared for.

Membership is open to all residents. While the Club is a good place for Mandarin and Cantonese speakers to meet their fellows, the primary language spoken is English.

The Chinese Club meets on the second and fourth Fridays of the month at 10 a.m. in Clubhouse II.

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# July 4

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former long-time parade announcer to the U.S. presidents, Brenda Curtis-Heiken and Renee Ward-Anderson will announce each group before they return to the Administration Building parking lot.

## Even More Entertainment

The speaking program begins at the reviewing stand in Veterans Park soon after the parade concludes. NBC4 news

reporter and legal analyst Chris Gordon will deliver the keynote address.

Parade-goers can also look forward to ‘special guest’ appearances by some of our nation’s most influential historical leaders.

Cool off with a sno cone and listen to resident music DJs Karen and Ernie Poland play for the crowd. And bring the grandkids along to enjoy face painting and temporary patriotic tattoos.

Residents and guests who

are attending may park in the Administration Building parking lot, but keep in mind that access to the lot will close off prior to and in preparation for the parade.

In the event of rain, the parade will be canceled and the program will move inside the Clubhouse II auditorium.

For more information on reserving space at the July 4 picnic on the lanai, see page 12 of the Events and Entertainment section of this publication.

## CALLING ALL PETS FOR THE PATRIOTIC PETS PLATOON



Don't forget to bring the red, white and blue for your pooches – guest judges will be on the lookout for the community's most patriotically costumed pets as they strut and wag along the Boulevard.

Animal friends of all furs, feathers and stripes who plan to join the parade's Patriotic Pets Platoon should have their person stop by or phone the E&R office in Clubhouse I at (301-598-1300).

Those who are unable to join the parade are still welcome to join the Platoon\* at the parade's conclusion in front of Clubhouse I.

*\*in time for judging*

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## Golf Course Offers One-Time-Only Membership Rate



Photo courtesy Brenda Curtis-Heiken

The golf course is now offering a one-time-only reduced membership rate of \$500 for residents, their family members and friends.

The reduced rate includes annual greens fees and unlimited play and is good

through Tuesday, Dec. 31, 2019.

Come out for the easy exercise and camaraderie that golf has to offer! For details or to join, stop by the Pro Shop or call (301-598-1570).

—Leisure World News

## Restaurant Now Offers Weekday Delivery Service

by Leisure World News

The Stein Room and Terrace Room restaurants in Clubhouse I now offer meal delivery to residents from Monday through Friday, between 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

The restaurants offer casual meals featuring a generous selection of home-made soups, sandwiches, sides and more.

The restaurants' full menu is available on (residents.lwmc.com). Under the Amenities & Services dropdown menu, click on "Restaurants." Menus are also available at the restaurants.

To place a delivery order, call (301-598-1330). There is no minimum order amount; however, a service charge of \$4 is added to each delivery.

For questions, stop by the restaurant and ask for Ed or Bobby.





# Survey

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Households that have three or more residents are asked to contact Dr. Terry Clower, project lead, at (lwstrategicplan@gmail.com) or (703-993-8419).

## Anonymity and Security

To protect respondent anonymity, any information identifying who responded will be separated from the survey by GMU.

However, responses to the survey's final, open-ended question will be provided to the SSPC. Therefore, residents are asked not to put any information in their responses to the open-ended question that could identify them personally.

Hard-copy responses to the survey will be kept in a secure location on the GMU campus, and online responses will be in a secured database.

Data and analysis from the surveys will be provided by GMU to Leisure World for the purposes of strategic planning for the community.

## Survey is Online

Residents who prefer to complete the survey online can sign into (residents.lwmc.com). Under the "Your Community" dropdown arrow, click on the "The Strategic Planning Survey" link.

Additional information for completing the survey online is provided there. Scroll to the bottom of the page for the link to the survey.

The SSPC recommends residents who choose to complete the survey online do so using a computer, laptop or tablet; the survey's format is not optimized for smaller screens, such as a smartphone.

Residents who live in the same household and choose to respond online are asked to use the same device (computer, tablet, etc.) to complete the survey.

Keep in mind that each resident should complete the survey only once.

## Help Available

Residents who need assistance completing the paper survey may attend one or more of the following help sessions:

- July 9 – 1-6 p.m., Clubhouse I
- July 11 – 10:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m., Clubhouse I
- July 16 – 9 a.m.-2 p.m., Clubhouse II
- July 24 – noon-5 p.m., Clubhouse II

Research team members from GMU, SSPC members and resident volunteers will be available to provide assistance in filling out the survey. All help session staff and volunteers have received formal training in ethics as required by GMU's Institutional Review Board (IRB).

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Click on "The Strategic Planning Survey" under the Your Community dropdown arrow to be taken to the survey's information page.

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Click [HERE](#) to fill out the Strategic Planning Survey online

Scroll to the bottom of the survey's information page to access the link to the survey. Screenshots by Leisure World News

Reservations are not required to attend the help sessions. Residents must bring their survey forms with them.

Residents who need special accommodation or assistance completing the survey are asked to contact the SSPC (information below) to arrange for assistance.

## Contacts

Questions about the survey should be directed to the SSPC:

- Email – (sspc@lwmc.com)
- Phone – (240-560-5794)
- Mail – (SSPC attn.: Ernesto Castillo, 3701 Rossmoor Blvd., Silver Spring, MD 20906)

Residents who have a question about the strategic planning project may contact Clower at (lwstrategicplan@gmail.com) (email preferred), or call (703-993-8419).

Residents who have questions regarding their rights as a participant in this project may contact GMU's IRB at (703-993-4121), reference # 1446534-1.

## Still Need a Copy?

It may take some time for the survey to arrive, but residents who do not receive a copy in the mail by early July should ask for a copy at the front desk in the Administration Building. Please bring your Leisure World ID.



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by Leisure World News

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The website also has a portal to each of the 29 mutuals' websites that offer each user information about his or her mutual's events, news, documents and policies.

Residents who wish to access (residents.lwmc.com) to take advantage of its information and resources must first sign up as a user.

## Sign Up

Residents can sign up on the website's welcome page one of two ways – by clicking on either “sign in” in the center of the page or “resident sign in” at the top of the page.

Choosing either option takes users to a Sign In page, where they click on “Sign Up Today” and fill out a four-step, self-explanatory form with their name, address and other basic information.

## Password

Residents who sign up to access the website must create their own sign-in names and passwords. Passwords must be a minimum of six characters (letters, numbers, symbols, or a combination thereof).

For example, “Apple\$75” is a password that meets all the requirements, whereas the password “opal” does not. Choose a sign in name and password that are meaningful to you and easy to remember.

Once signed up, any user who forgets his or her sign in name or password should click on “Forgotten Sign In Name



Screenshot by Leisure World News

or Password” on the resident sign-in page and follow instructions on how to reset his or her sign-in name and/or password.

## Renters

Residents who rent their property at Leisure World, or who have recently acquired their property from a former resident or deceased relative, must contact their mutual's property manager or mutual assistant to provide proof of occupancy/ownership before they can sign up as a user on the resident website.

## Still Having Trouble?

Residents who need assistance while trying to register as a user, sign in, or navigate the website can call the help desk Monday through Friday, between 1-4 p.m., at (301-598-1029).

Residents can also receive help by emailing their questions or concerns to (website-support@lwmc.com) any time; they will receive a response during the workweek.

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# Grand Marshal

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in the U.S. Navy, spending nine years in the reserves and 13 on active duty.

As she flips through her photo albums from her years of military service, her journey takes her from a young reservist looking for adventure to a seasoned professional who has given her all to serve her country.



**1974** Dottie Chanil enlists as a Navy reservist. It's been three weeks since she accompanied her good friend Blanche McQuade

to the recruiter's office.

At the time, Chanil worked for an engineering company in administration, purchasing and operations roles, and never thought of entering the military.

She expected only to support McQuade, but when she heard the recruiter, enlistment sounded like a good opportunity to travel and have new experiences. She ended up beginning a long career for herself.



**1974** Chanil, right, and McQuade visit Disney World during their off

time at boot camp in Orlando, Florida — but are required to wear their uniforms. At boot camp, they are taught the basics of service, such as how to identify Navy ships and officers. They do not undergo physical training as reservists.

A stereotypically tough drill instructor orders their unit to scrub the floor.

Chanil considers quitting the Navy when boot camp is over, but she realizes with time the drill instructor was just getting the reservists accustomed to following orders, a necessity throughout her military career.



**1978** Chanil takes up a job in intelli-

gence, for which she needed to obtain top secret clearance.



**1979** Admiral Martin Andrews oversees Chanil as she takes a re-enlistment oath. He playfully signed this photo with a "Gotcha."

The Navy has got her indeed: She likes working there and consistently re-enlists every two to three years.

In a Library of Congress Veterans History Project interview in 2019, she says, "I'm not happy about all the wars that we have," yet she would recommend that young people serve in the military.

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**1982** Chanil takes an oath for her second active duty assignment, which is at the Naval Military Personnel Command, now the Bureau of Naval Personnel, in Arlington, Virginia.

At first, the job has her inputting data on an early computer that takes up a large portion of a cold, vault-like room, an unsatisfying responsibility for someone who likes to meet people.

She tells the petty officer she's disappointed with the task; he in turn tells the leading petty officer, who tells the lieutenant, who lets her speak with the commander.

Commander Krieger responds, "You mean you will not do the work?"

Chanil becomes frightened, realizing her insubordination might have consequences.

Looking back, "I didn't know at the time you weren't supposed to do things like this," she says with a chuckle.

However, she is soon moved to a more preferable role dealing with service members and civilians. In fact, she finds she actually gets along well with Commander Krieger.



**1984** Chanil, front, right, salutes a retiring Seabee, a member of one of the Naval Construction Battalions.



**1988** This framed picture of the Pentagon contains well-wishes her colleagues wrote to her when she left for another post. Working at the Pentagon is her favorite part of her career. "You never know who you're going to run into at the Pentagon from previous assignments," she says now.

In 2001, the 9/11 attack on the Pentagon damaged parts of the building she is familiar with from having taken documents between offices. She looked several times through the list of people who perished and sees no one she knows. Still, to this day it is too painful for her to visit the National 9/11 Pentagon Memorial.

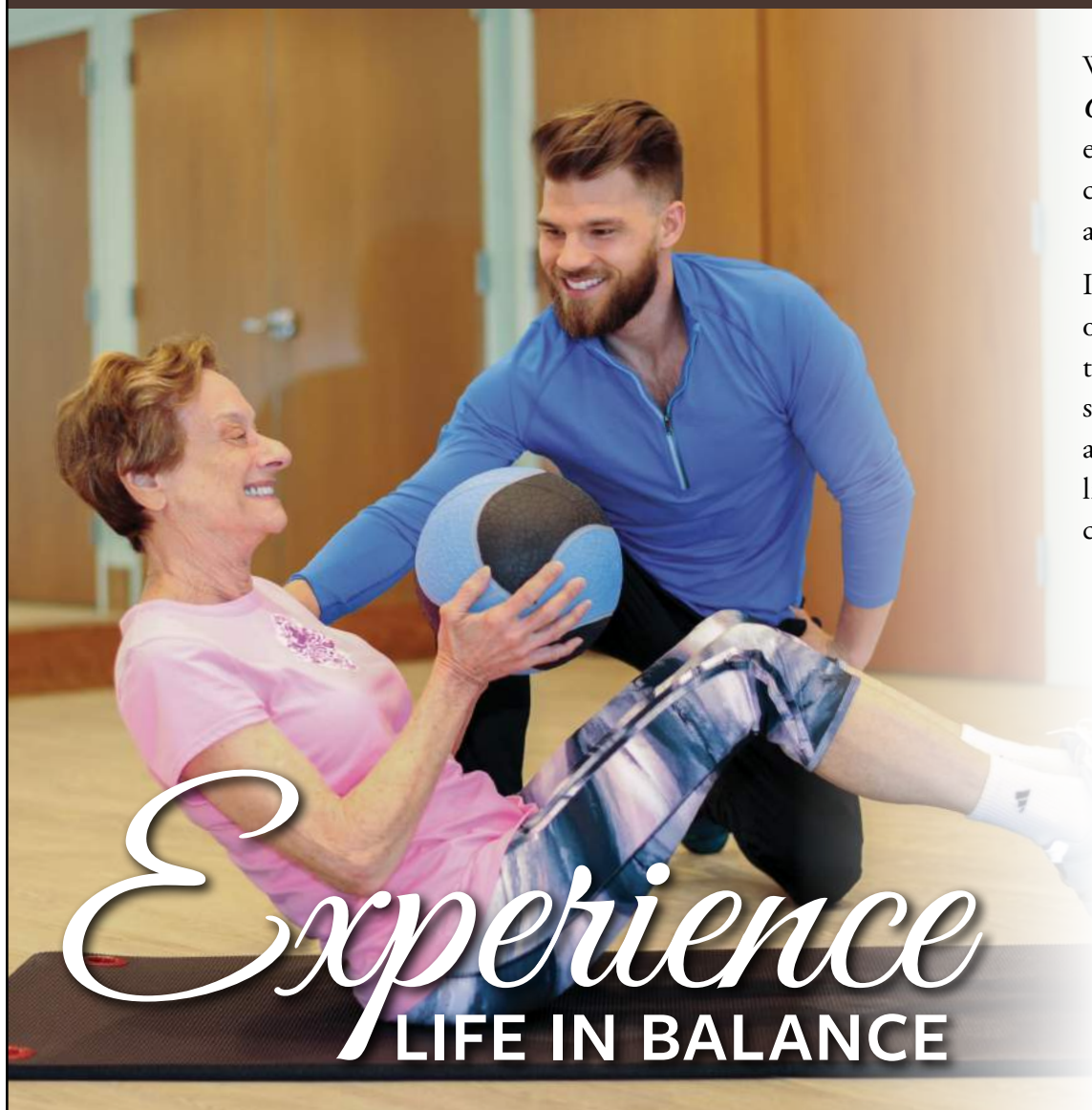


**1996** Chanil, right, takes her final re-enlistment oath before the Lone Sailor statue at the U. S. Navy Memorial in Washington, D.C. Her uniform indicates that she has attained a rate of E-6, or first-class petty officer. The person giving the oath is McQuade, also a long-time service member, with whom Chanil joined the Navy and shares a lifelong friendship.



**2019** Chanil, left, has the honor of laying the wreath at this year's Memorial Day ceremony at Veterans Park in Leisure World. Photo by Stu Lillard.

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LibraryWorld is a state-of-the-art, ADA-compliant web-based system for cataloging and circulating publications. The library will also install new computer equipment.

The library may reopen earlier than late July if installation is completed sooner than expected. Check Channel 972, (residents. lwmc.com) or the library's door in Clubhouse I for updates.

— Leisure World News

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### 2019 Broadcast Schedule - Channel 974

*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 July 19 meeting airs on July 24, 25 and 26.

#### Board of Directors Meeting

The June 25 meeting airs on July 1, 3 and 5.

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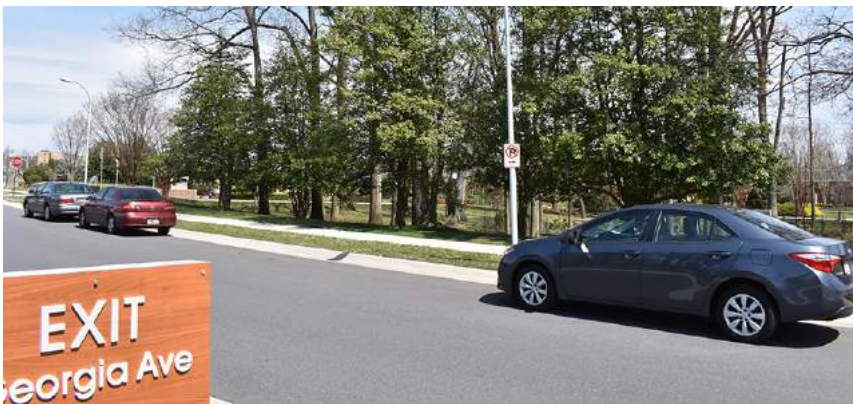


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Residents are asked to be mindful of the “no parking” signs along the sides of Leisure World Boulevard, particularly the no parking section along South Leisure World Boulevard adjacent to Daffodil Park and Clubhouse I.

Residents who park illegally may be ticketed by Security.

Residents and guests who are visiting Clubhouse I should park in the Administration Building parking lot. 10-minute parking only is available in the Veterans Park circle in front of Clubhouse I.

## Group Email Addresses

Residents wishing to contact Leisure World Management or a specific department, 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 multiple 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:

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## Alcoholic Beverages in the Clubhouses

by Leisure World News

Residents, clubs or organizations planning a party or get-together at one of the clubhouses are reminded of Education and Recreation (E&R) department's policies regarding alcohol consumption on clubhouse property:

**Clubhouse I:** All alcoholic beverages consumed on Clubhouse I property must be purchased from Perrie, LLC food service, which

operates under the Leisure World of Maryland liquor license. For more information about catering services, call (301-598-1330).

**Clubhouse II:** Only residents and guests that are taking part in an E&R-approved event in the Activities Room may consume alcoholic beverages from outside.

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# Keeping Up with the Board of Directors

by Leisure World News

Leisure World is a self-governed community, so several discussions and decisions occur at its monthly Leisure World Community Corporation (LWCC) board of directors meetings that residents may find informative.

Comprised of residents who represent each of the 29 mutuals, the LWCC board of directors is a voting body that controls the annual budget, makes decisions regarding major contracts and projects and determines Trust policies, programs and services.

Each mutual sends at least one representative from its board to sit on the LWCC board of directors. Board members volunteer their time and leadership to sustain the community.

Every resident can take steps to stay abreast of the community's governance activities.

### Attend a Board Meeting

The LWCC board of directors meetings are open to all residents. The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, June 25, at 9:30 a.m. in Clubhouse I.

Residents may attend to listen to the proceedings or to comment on agenda items upon which no action was taken, community policies or the operations of the LWCC facilities during the meeting's open forum section.

Residents may also comment on an agenda item before the board votes on it. Residents who can't attend may have their say by sending an email to (board@lwmc.com).

Correspondence between residents and the board is included in the agenda packet of the following board of directors meeting.

Upcoming board of directors meeting dates, times and locations are listed on:

- the Governance Meeting Schedules section on the

- Calendar of Events page of the Leisure World News
- the resident website (residents.lwmc.com) community calendar
- Channel 974's broadcast calendar

### Agendas and Minutes

Meeting agendas and minutes are available at (residents.lwmc.com). After signing in to the website, click on the drop down arrow next to Resident Documents and select Resident Document Locator.

The Board of Directors folder therein contains the meeting agendas and minutes for 2017, 2018 and 2019, which may be downloaded, printed or viewed online. An upcoming meeting's agenda is typically posted on the website a few days before the meeting is held.

Residents who have not signed up on (residents.lwmc.com) can still receive a hard copy of an agenda, minutes or other document by contacting their mutual's manager or assistant, or by inquiring at the Administration Building.

### Video Broadcast

Residents who are unable to attend a meeting can catch its playback on channel 974 the following week. 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.

### Get to Know Your Board Representative

Residents can contact their board representative by email, letter, phone or in-person.

Residents can find the name and contact information for the board of director for their mutual by contacting their mutual manager or assistant, or by calling (301-598-1000).

Elected board members represent their mutual's constituents and should be happy to address their concerns or questions.

## GOOD TO KNOW: OUTDOOR POOL REMINDERS



Photo by Leisure World News

by Leisure World News

The outdoor pool at Clubhouse I is open daily from 10 a.m.-7 p.m., weather permitting. The pool closes at 6 p.m. on Thursday, July 4, Independence Day and Monday, Sept. 2, Labor Day.

Residents are reminded to show their Leisure World ID before entering. Check Channel 972 or visit (residents.lwmc.com) for updates on pool closings.

### Fees

Admittance to the outdoor pool is free to residents. All guests must have a ticket to use the outdoor pool and sign in as a visitor. Guest passes are \$6 for adults and \$3 for youths 4-16 years old, and can be purchased at either clubhouse E&R office.

A list of pool rules is available at either clubhouse E&R office or at (residents.lwmc.com). Under the Amenities & Services dropdown menu, click on "Swimming Pools."

## HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

### Thursday, July 4, Independence Day

Administration ..... Closed

### CLUBHOUSE I

Education & Recreation ..... 10 a.m.-6 p.m.  
Eyre Travel..... Closed  
Rossmoor Library ..... Closed  
Clubhouse Grille ..... 4-10 p.m.  
Stein Room ..... 9 a.m.-8 p.m.  
Terrace Room ..... 9 a.m.-8 p.m.  
Swimming Pool (Outdoor) ..... 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

### CLUBHOUSE II

Education & Recreation ..... 8 a.m.-6 p.m.  
FISH Desk..... Closed  
Fitness Center ..... 4 a.m.-9 p.m.  
Swimming Pool (Indoor)..... 8 a.m.-6 p.m.

### OTHER SERVICES

Golf Course & Pro Shop ..... 7:30 a.m.-7 p.m.  
MedStar Health ..... Closed  
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Post Office ..... Closed  
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# THOUGHTS & OPINIONS: *From Our Residents*

## A Few Things to Remember

- Relevance:** Make sure that your submission is relevant to the LW community as a whole and not to just one person, mutual, or organization.
- Respect:** Remember that your opinion is about ideas, not individuals, and please avoid personal attacks.
- Brevity:** Being concise will ensure that your opinion will have maximum impact.
- Accuracy:** Document all factual assertions. Opinions that are backed up with facts are more powerful, but only if the facts are accurate.
- Ownership:** All submissions are subject to editing but you will have the opportunity to approve the edits before publication.

*Opinions are strictly those of the writers. Thoughts and Opinions is maintained by the Communications Advisory Committee.*

## IS OUR SAFETY BEING THREATENED?

In the May 23 issue of Bethesda Magazine, an article is entitled “Montgomery Emergency Communication System ‘Hanging by a Thread.’” It begins, “A ‘major disruption’ in the county’s emergency communications system on Mother’s Day weekend knocked out about 75 percent of radio channels used by dispatchers and first responders for several hours over two days.

“Two lengthy outages, which apparently did not occur during any major emergency incidents, are raising fresh concerns about the condition of the 20-year-old network and chronic delays in installing a new, \$110 million system.”

This article was brought to Leisure World’s attention by local fire and rescue service officials who view delays in constructing a new system as a very real communications threat.

The new communications

system is supposed to have 22 broadcast towers throughout the county, and will be used by local, state and federal agencies in emergency situations. The whole project has been delayed by citizen opposition to the location of two towers — one of which is in our front yard — and thus crucial to good emergency communication to and within Leisure World.

The Greater Olney Civic Association has registered opposition to a proposed tower location at Georgia Avenue and the Intercounty Connector because it would look unsightly at one of their entrance corridors. This apparently has set back work on the entire proposed system and set off an effort to “make-do” with a 20-tower system that would be even more costly.

Leisure World Community Corporation board of directors’ chair Paul Eisenhaur has sent County Executive Marc Elrich and all nine Council members an email urging them to “approve the system as originally planned and get started on it at the earliest possible moment.” Eisenhaur concluded, “Frankly, public safety is much more important to us than aesthetics. We don’t ever want to be in the situation of trying to call 911 — and getting no response.”

If you agree with these sentiments and feel this is an important safety issue, email the County Executive at (Marc.Elrich@montgomerycountymd.gov) and Council members at (Council@montgomerycountymd.gov).

– Ken Muir

## OUR DEER PROBLEM

It has been years since I heard about this problem being discussed by the Leisure World Community Corporation (LWCC) board of directors, but I have found that the deer problem is worse than ever, maybe because their population has increased.

The deer make a nightly path between our house and our neighbor’s house. They eat the deer resistant plants/flowers and defecate where I need to work my four-foot patch. It is discouraging to see this happen consistently, winter and summer.

Moreover, in an article published in the June 4, 2019 Washington Post Health and Science section on the influence of deer populations on the threat of tick-borne disease, it is stated: Urbanization has led to a growing population of deer and mice, which are used by the ticks for blood meals, and that in turn increases the tick population. Also, tick diseases have increased and include ehrlichiosis, which produces symptoms much like Lyme disease and alpha-gal syndrome, which in some people, triggers an immune system reaction when they eat red meat, which can be quite severe. There is no treatment for alpha-gal syndrome except avoiding red meat.

Is there support out there to raise this issue with the LWCC board and have something done about it?

– Joe Halpin



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# EVENTS & Entertainment

## ■ Education and Recreation Department

### ■ Fun and Fancy Theatre Group

## June 21-23: Show Takes the Community 'Around the World'

by Hannette Allen

The annual Community Show, "Around the World in Leisure World," sponsored by the Education and Recreation Department and produced by the Fun and Fancy Theatre Group, is held on Friday, June 21, and Saturday, June 22, at 7:30 p.m. and on Sunday, June 23, at 2 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium.

The community show is the one Fun and Fancy production every year that features talent from the general community.

This year's show includes participants from many of the clubs in Leisure World, such as the Chinese Club, Hispanos de LW, LWAAAC, the Italian Social and Cultural Club, the Gilbert and Sullivan Society and the Ballroom Dance Club, as well as favorites from Fun and Fancy.

Come and enjoy the fun and diversity!

General admission tickets are \$10, payable by check to LWMC or credit card (Master-Card, Visa or Discover), and are on sale at both clubhouse E&R offices.



## ■ Ballroom Dance Club

## June 22: Steve Monaldi and Mixed Company Perform

by Joyce Hendrix

The next dance on Saturday, June 22, features Steve Monaldi and Mixed Company who will perform from 7:30-10:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom. The group is a longtime favorite of both the Italian Social and Cultural Club and the Ballroom Dance Club.

The June dance will again feature a showcase at intermission featuring dance teacher Carol Bartels and several of her students.

The dress code for the June through August dances is a more relaxed business casual,

with dressy casual outfits for the ladies and collared shirts and slacks for the gentlemen – no hats or jeans.

If planning to attend, reservations should have already been made with Hal Freeman at (bobbihal@aol.com) or (301-438-7513) to ensure a seat at a table with friends. With more and more dancers attending, reservations are a necessity.



### July Dance

Michael Binder and Swing'N On A Star perform at the dance on Saturday, July 27. Put on your dancing shoes, make a reservation and come dance with us.

## ■ Sock Hop Group

## Group Goes Sock Hoppin' and Introduces Karaoke

by Abigail Murton

The next sock hop dance is on Saturday, June 22, from 7-10 p.m. in Clubhouse II. The price of admission is \$5. Sodas and water are provided, but participants can bring their own beverages and snacks. "Take Two Entertainment" continues to provide great dance music.



### July Dance

And then at the next dance on Saturday, July 6, join in the fun an hour before the dancing starts with karaoke from 6-7 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom. The price of admission is \$10.

The band Groove Quest begins playing at 7 p.m. until 10 p.m. Soft drinks and water are provided, but dancers should bring their own snacks. A cash bar is included.

Come relive the fun of high school dances. For questions, contact Doug Brasse at (301-448-8708).

## ■ Education and Recreation Department

## July 4: Independence Day Picnic on the Lanai

Enjoy July 4, Independence Day, with a picnic on the lanai behind Clubhouse I.

Tables must be reserved in advance for either the noon or 3 p.m. seating at \$1 per person, payable in the E&R office of Clubhouse I.

Perrie LLC, Leisure World's food service company, offers picnic fare for purchase in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom for the noon seating. Residents may also bring their own picnic food.

Alcoholic beverages cannot be brought onto the clubhouse premises, which includes the clubhouse and the lanai. Residents and their guests may, however, purchase beverages from the Stein Room.

The deadline to sign up is when capacity is reached or by noon on Friday, June 28.

Please note: Because of the expected number of participants, it is not possible to have seating indoors. In case of inclement weather, participants can choose to picnic on the lanai or purchase food and "picnic" at their own homes.

The outdoor swimming pool will be open. Use of the pool is free for residents (with resident ID), and guests must have tickets and be signed in by a resident.

Children ages four through 16 can swim from 10 a.m.-1 p.m. and must be accompanied by an adult in swimwear. Passes may be obtained at the E&R office in either clubhouse.

Make plans now to join your community for the annual Independence Day celebration, and reserve your space for a picnic on the lanai!





■ Education and Recreation Department  
■ New Yorkers and Friends Group

## June 29: Get Tickets for 'Blast from the Past' Senior Prom

No matter how long ago your high school senior prom was, the upcoming "Leisure World Seniors Blast from the Past" offers the opportunity to do it again, do it better or do it for the first time.

This chance to return to a previous time and place is on Saturday, June 29, at 7:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom; doors open at 7 p.m.

The "senior prom," themed after decades past from the '20s to the '60s, will feature live music by the Retro-Rockets, hors d'oeuvres, a dance contest for both couples and solo dancers, door prizes, a photo booth and the crowning of prom king and queen.

One professional photograph is included in the ticket cost; additional photos may be purchased at the prom.

The event is co-sponsored by the E&R Department and the New Yorkers and Friends Group. All residents, including singles and couples, are invited. Tickets are \$20 per person and are available for purchase in both

clubhouse E&R offices. Tables for groups of 10 can be reserved. Attendees should don their dressy wear.

The Retro-Rockets bring a repertoire suited for remembering the good old days. They cover well-known hits in rock 'n' roll, big band, ballads, R&B, country, pop, Motown and swing.

Specializing in the '40s, '50s and '60s, the five seasoned musicians have moved Leisure World audiences to dance since at least 2011.

Come along and party like jukeboxes and drive-in theatres never went out of style!



## ■ Lions Club of Leisure World

## July 19: Take a Swing for Pediatric Cancer

by Maxine Hooker

It's close to tee-off time for the Lions Club's 4th annual golf tournament.

Come swing this year with Club members and enjoy a day of golf and fun, knowing that each stroke is helping children in need.

The tournament entry fee is \$95 per person (includes luncheon). Registration forms are available in the Lions Club's mailbox in the Clubhouse I E&R office and at the Golf Pro Shop. The deadline to register is Wednesday, July 10. Onsite regis-

tration may be possible, but only if space is available.

Those who do not golf may still attend the awards luncheon after the tournament; tickets are \$25 (luncheon-only). Luncheon registration forms are available in the Lions Club's mailbox, or contact Lion Maxine Hooker at (waxiemaxie@juno.com) or (301-598-0242) if you wish to attend.

Those who are interested in being a business sponsor for the tournament or making an in-kind donation also may contact Maxine.



Golfer Mike Miller takes his shot. Photo by Al Holston



## ■ Arts In Motion (AIM)

## July 12: Café AIM Welcomes Jazz Singer Sheila Ford

by Grace C. Cooper

Coming Friday, July 12, AIM Café presents the beautiful and talented jazz singer, Sheila Ford. She has experience performing at many clubs, but is new to the AIM stage.

Tickets, \$20 per person, (check only, payable to AIM) are on sale in the Clubhouse I E&R office. Hors d'oeuvres and snacks are included. Cocktails begin at 5 p.m., and the show starts at 6 p.m. Reserved tables of eight or more are limited to members only.



Jazz singer Sheila Ford. Photo courtesy (www.sheilaford.net)



## Sisters in Crime

On Saturday, July 20, from 1-3 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom, AIM again

presents "Sisters in Crime," a panel of women crime fiction authors who will present a discussion of their new work and entertain questions about writing as well as their experiences.

Books will be available for sale and refreshments will be served.

The event is free, but tickets are required and available beginning Tuesday, June 25, at 8:30 a.m. in the Clubhouse I E&R office.



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# July 13: Guitarist Richard Miller Explores the Rhythms of Northeast Brazil

Guitarist Richard Miller is really excited to return to Leisure World; he enjoys the enthusiasm of the audience. So, on Saturday, July 13, at 7 p.m., he will perform in the Clubhouse II auditorium.

During previous concerts, he has introduced the audience to the Brazilian choro, a subject on which he is an expert, and the bossa nova. For this concert, he will explore other rhythms from northeast Brazil, along with more bossa nova. And you may expect a surprise as well.

Tickets for the event are \$8 per person and are on sale in both clubhouse E&R offices. Please bring your Leisure World ID.

## About the Performer

In addition to appearing as a soloist, Miller often combines talents with other musicians, including other guitarists and

vocalists that also specialize in Brazilian music. He has toured South and Central America as well as the U.S. in both classical recitals and with Latin jazz bands.

He performs often in recital at the Brazilian American Institute and has appeared at the Kennedy Center, the Library of Congress and on many performing arts series, as well as at the White House for President Barack Obama.

Miller earned a doctorate in music theory from the Catholic University of America and a master's in guitar performance from the Manhattan School of Music. He is an adjunct assistant professor at Columbia University where he teaches composition and music theory.

His dissertation, "The Guitar in the Brazilian Choro," was published by Lambert Academic Publishing in 2014.

After many years of being urged to do so, Miller released his first CD, "It's Time," in 2017. It will be available for purchase at the end of the concert, by check, payable to Richard Miller, or cash.

He also continues as the director of education programs for the Afro-Latin Jazz Alliance based in New York City.

A long-time practitioner of yoga and surfing, Miller created the Balanced Guitar retreat to enable guitar students to learn a holistic lifestyle that will ensure many years of healthy and creative guitar playing.



# July 17: Celebrate Summer and Enjoy Classic Tunes with the Olney Concert Band



The Olney Concert Band 30th Anniversary, May 15, 2016. Courtesy photo

The Olney Concert Band (OCB) is excited to be back at Leisure World for another summer concert. Their always lively and entertaining performance is scheduled for Wednesday, July 17, at 7:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium.

You'll hear iconic rock from Eric Clapton, favorite Ray Charles and Frank Sinatra tunes, a musical medley from "The King and I", Americana and more. There is something for everyone!

Tickets are \$6 per person and are on sale in both clubhouse E&R offices.

OCB offers a challenging outlet for local musicians of all ages (from high school to long-retired adults) from throughout the region who enjoy making

music together and performing for the community. The band has been performing for more than 30 years.

OCB provides entertainment and exposure to the arts, and forms an integral part of the program at community festivals, celebrations and charity events. It prides itself in performing a wide range of musical styles so that audience members of all ages and backgrounds can experience a personal connection to the performance.

This concert, along with a December holiday concert, has become a nearly annual event that the band members really enjoy performing. So be sure to get tickets for yourself, family and friends for a truly enjoyable evening of music.



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# July 25: Soprano Performs 'Songs for My Father'

On Thursday, July 25, at 2 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium, soprano Erica Marie Ferguson performs a special concert, "Songs for My Father," in remembrance of her father, Paul Andrew Ferguson.

Featured pieces will include operatic classics by Puccini, heartfelt works by Samuel Barber and festive songs to celebrate her father's life.

Joining Ferguson on stage will be Zach Taylor, the first recipient of the Paul Andrew Ferguson Memorial Scholarship at Towson University.

The scholarship was established to commemorate his life and love of classical music and is awarded annually to a deserving voice

student at Towson University, selected by the faculty.

The performance is free, but tickets, maximum two per person, are required and can be obtained beginning on Tuesday, June 25, at 8:30 a.m., in both clubhouse E&R offices. Please bring your Leisure World ID.



Erica Marie Ferguson, photo by divatophotography

## About the Performer

Ferguson is currently a member of the Maryland Opera Studio at the University

of Maryland where she is pursuing her master's of music degree.

Her operatic performances include the title role in "Princess Ida," Countess Almaviva in "Le Nozze di Figaro," the title role in the world premier

of "Hajar," Laetitia in "The Old Maid and the Thief" and Nurse Lola in "Gallantry; A Soap Opera."

Ferguson has performed with Annapolis Opera for three seasons in their children's opera outreach productions and recently in their Arias & Encores Concert.

She has studied at the Washington National Opera

Institute, the Levine School of Music, the Baltimore Lyric Opera and graduated from Towson University with a bachelor's of music degree.

Donations towards the Paul Andrew Ferguson Memorial Scholarship at Towson University will be graciously accepted at the performance or may be made online at ([towsonuniversity.givingfuel.com/departments-of-music](http://towsonuniversity.givingfuel.com/departments-of-music)).

## Coming in 2019

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

|                    |  |
|--------------------|--|
| June 29, 7:30 p.m. | Senior Prom with the Retro-Rockets         |
| July 13, 7 p.m.    | Guitarist Richard Miller                   |
| July 17, 7:30 p.m. | Olney Concert Band                         |
| July 25, 2 p.m.    | Erica Marie Ferguson – Songs for My Father |
| July 27, 4:30 p.m. | Beatlemania Again                          |
| July 27, 7 p.m.    | Beatlemania Again                          |
| Aug. 3, 7 p.m.     | Frank Plumer – A Tribute to Doris Day      |

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# July 27: ‘Come Together’ for ‘Beatlemania Again’

by Leisure World News

Those who ‘believe in yesterday’ might do well to attend “Beatlemania Again,” a Beatles tribute jointly sponsored by the E&R Department and the Foundation of Leisure World. The performance occurs twice on Saturday, July 27, in the Clubhouse II auditorium, at 4:30 and 7 p.m.

“Beatlemania Again,” which has been performed across the U.S. and Canada for 20 years, portrays the Beatles’ career from beginning to end. Four musicians emulate the great quartet in costume and sound, using the same instrumentation as the Beatles themselves.

Tickets cost \$15. They are available at both clubhouse E&R offices, “but you better hurry ‘cause it may not last!” Please bring your Leisure World ID.

## About the Fab Four

John Lennon is portrayed by Marty McGowan. McGowan has performed as Lennon for more than 20 years, including at several

big-name venues.

Paul McCartney is portrayed at Broadway caliber by Alan LeBeouf, who for two years had the role of McCartney in the musical “Beatlemania.”

George Harrison is portrayed by Tyler Lindemuth. Aside from Beatles tributes, he has written original music and played in a classical guitar ensemble.

Ringo Starr is portrayed by Rich Morello, also the band’s manager. He’s known for rendering Starr’s drum parts with great energy and has drummed nationally and internationally for more than 25 years.



## About the Foundation

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## Thursday Afternoon at the Movies

# July 18: ‘Little Italy’

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 July 18, the presentation is “Little Italy” (2018, 1 hour 42 minutes, comedy/romance, rated R for some sexual references).

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, June 25, at 8:30 a.m. Please bring your Leisure World ID.

A young couple must navigate a blossoming romance amidst a war between their families’ competing pizza restaurants.

The film stars Emma Roberts as Nikki Angioli and Hayden Christensen as Leo Campo, with Adam Ferrara as Sal Angioli and Gary Basaraba as Vince Campo, their pizzeria-warring parents.

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.



## 2019 Movie Schedule

Sponsored by the E&R Department

Movies are FREE and shown for your enjoyment in the Clubhouse II auditorium, though you will need a ticket. 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 |
|------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| June 30, 2 p.m.  | Rebel in the Rye | LIMITED           |
| July 18, 1 p.m.  | Little Italy     | June 25           |
| July 28, 2 p.m.  | On Chesil Beach  | July 9            |
| Aug. 4, 2 p.m.   | The Bookshop     | July 23           |
| Aug. 22, 1 p.m.  | First Man        | Aug. 6            |

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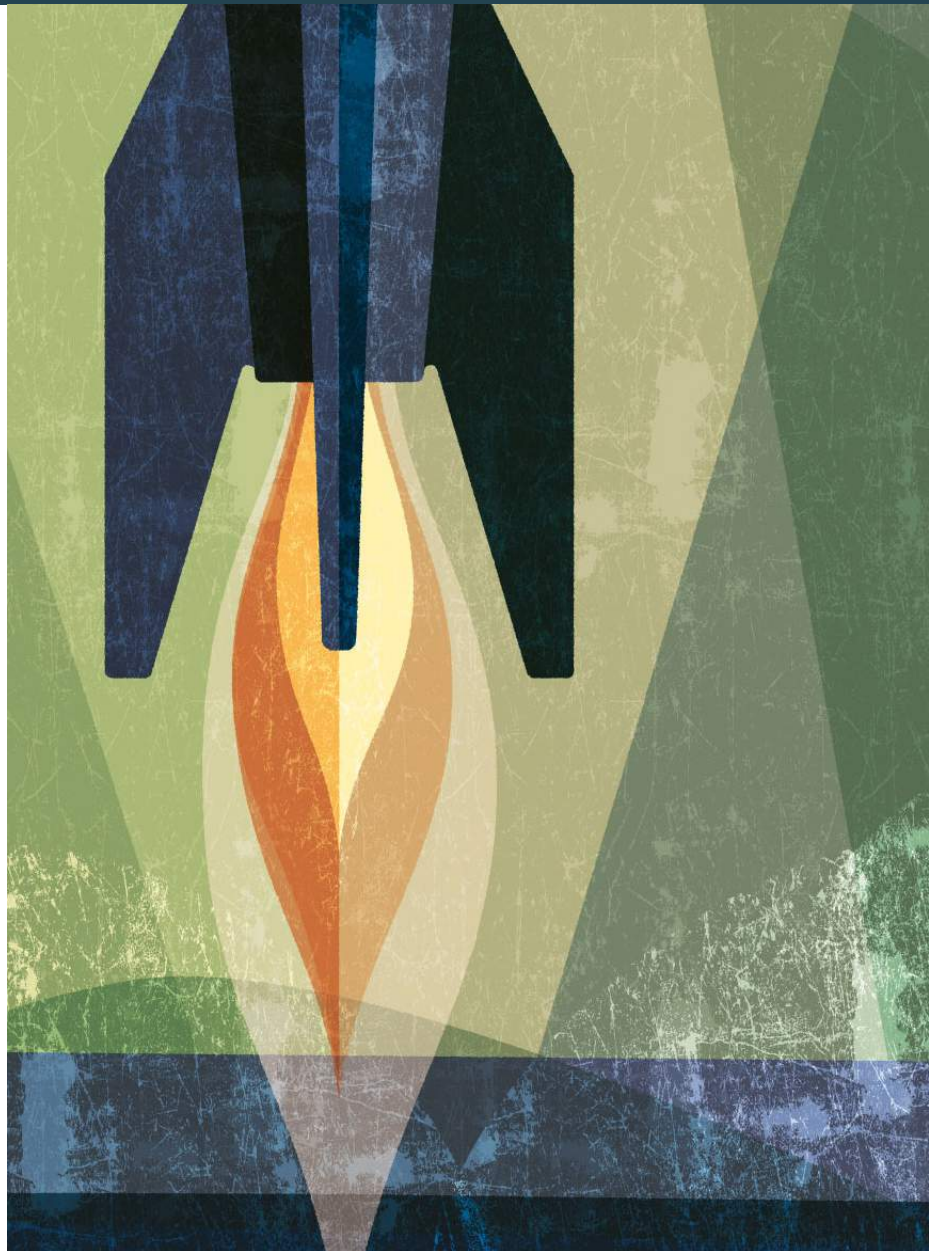
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# HEALTH & Fitness

## ■ Health Advisory Committee

### July 17: Doctor Speaks on Medical Marijuana

by Sandra McLeskey

The Health Advisory Committee brings Dr. David Shurtleff, deputy director of the National Center for Complementary and Integrative Health (NCCIH) to speak at Leisure World on Wednesday, July 17, at 2 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium. He will address the latest research and issues concerning medical marijuana.

Sign-up is not required. All residents are welcome.

As deputy director of NCCIH, Shurtleff directs and implements a program of research that builds a scientific evidence base and informs decision-making by the public, healthcare professionals and

health policymakers related to drug abuse, addiction and complementary and integrative healthcare.

Shurtleff began his National Institutes of Health career in 1995 at the National Institute on Drug Abuse, serving as director of the Division of Basic Neuroscience and Behavioral Research from 2001 to 2010 and as acting deputy director from 2011 to 2013.

The Health Advisory Committee arranged for this lecture so that residents could have access to scientific information concerning medical marijuana, especially its effect on older people who may have concurrent medical problems and take a multiplicity of medications.



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## ■ Cannabis 101 Club

### July 19: Cannabis Health and Wellness Fair

by Carminetta Verner

The Cannabis 101 Club sponsors a Cannabis Health and Wellness Fair for all residents on Friday, July 19, from 1-4 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom. The event is free and tickets are not required.

Come and learn about the natural alternative to prescription drugs that is helping seniors improve their health and vitality.

The Fair will feature informational product vendor tables of various Maryland-produced cannabis products, gentle yoga, meditation demonstrations, blood pressure checks, hemp-based bath and body products, talks with recommending physicians and information about the Maryland Medical Cannabis Program.

The fair does not include consumption of cannabis, but will include refreshments.

#### MMCC Registration

On the day of the Fair, the Club will register residents with the Maryland Medical Cannabis Commission (MMCC)

on a first-come first-serve basis. Space is limited to 25 people.

If interested in this service and to facilitate registration on the day of the Fair, submit your name, phone number and email address to

(lwcen101@gmail.com) as soon as possible. After receiving this initial information, residents will be contacted with further instructions.

For additional information, contact Carminetta Verner at (630-699-1629) after 10 a.m.



Stethoscope and marijuana leaf, photo courtesy Shutterstock

## ■ Lions' Vision Support Group

### Celebrating Our Independence

by Larry Cohen

July in America is about independence. But for older adults with impaired vision, every day of the year can be a struggle to maintain independence.

The Lions' Vision Support Group teaches its members with low or impaired vision how to adapt to their changing needs while continuing to live an active lifestyle. The Group next meets on Wednesday, July 17, at 1 p.m. in Clubhouse I.

#### Special Guest

Dr. Catherine A. Cukras, director of the Medical Retina

Fellowship Program at the National Eye Institute (NEI), gives a talks about "Understanding the Remarkable Retina" at a special meeting on Wednesday, Sept. 11, at 10 a.m. in Clubhouse II.

She will be looking for residents that may be eligible for one of the NEI's retinal studies.



#### General Information

Most regular meetings of the Group take place on the second Wednesday of each month at 1 p.m. in Clubhouse I. For more information about the Group or its programs, contact Larry Cohen at (908-770-9111) or (topops@aol.com).



## 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). 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 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:** If your spouse or long-term partner died in the recent past, you may be eligible to participate in a twice-monthly bereavement support group that meets every other Tuesday, 2-3:30 p.m., in the conference room at MedStar Health, 3305 N. Leisure World Blvd. CaringMatters sponsors group meetings. Registration and a phone conversation with Jim Rossi, director of adult bereavement at CaringMatters, is required before attending. If interested, please call Jim at (301-990-0854).

**Fitness Center:** One of the Fitness Center's personal trainers leads a free orientation tour of the Fitness Center on the second Tuesday of every month at 2 p.m. Learn how to use the equipment and facilities. Registration is not required.

**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.

**Memory Café:** The Memory Café meets the last Thursday of every month from 2-3:30 p.m. in Clubhouse I. The program provides social engagement for individuals living with early stage memory loss. Registration is required. For more information, call the manager at (240-428-1342) or the National Alzheimer's Association at (1-800-272-3900) or (TTY: 1-866-403-3073) or visit ([www.alz.org](http://www.alz.org)).

**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](mailto: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 on the third Tuesday of the month from 1:30-3:30 p.m. in Clubhouse II. No registration is needed, and all are welcome. For more information, contact Amy Boltz at (248-652-0304).

### FITNESS CENTER HOURS

The fitness center in Clubhouse II is open to all residents and has cardio and strength training equipment, free weights and a studio room. Any resident wishing to use the fitness center for the first time must fill out a user agreement form, available at the Clubhouse II E&R office.

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# CLUBS, GROUPS & Organizations

## ■ Friends of India Association

### Club's Inaugural Spring Festival a Success

by Nalini Kukke

The Friends of India Association celebrated the Spring Festival on June 8.

The celebration began with the symbolic lighting of the lamp to evoke peace and success, followed by the playing of India's national song, "Vande Matharam" ("Mother I Bow to Thee").

Two young boys gave endearing performances on the mandolin and mridangam, a South Indian drum. The program also showcased a joyous mix of traditional, folk and modern dances. The Indian dance has existed for centuries and is a rich part of India's history and culture.

The medley of dances presented by young local artists included ancient tradi-

tional classical dances such as Bharathanatyam, a dance from South India that has an unbroken tradition going back 2,000 years. Movement, mime and music contribute in equal measure to the performance.



Anagha Sreenivas performs Bharathanatyam, a classical dance. Photo by Jon Fife

Kathak is one of the main genres of ancient Indian classical dance. Traveling bards of Northern India, referred to as kathakars or storytellers, communicated legendary stories via music, dance, rhythmic foot and eye movements, hand gestures and facial expressions.

These ancient dances were followed by the more modern popular fusion dances such as Bhangra, Gharba and Bollywood dance, which is a hybrid, globalized form – a mixture of numerous styles including belly dance, kathak dance and

Indian folk dance as well as many Western dance styles.

The finale was an interactive dance presentation by Sheila Oak Maggin, who engaged the audience by teaching the

actual steps and movement of the body and eyes.

The festival included brilliant colors everywhere, such as the gorgeous Indian saris and other outfits worn by attendees.

## ■ Vegetarian Society of Leisure World (VSLW)

### July 25: Group has Lunch at Vegetable Garden Restaurant

by Bob Fenichel

During July and August, the Vegetarian Society of Leisure World (VSLW) will not have its monthly meetings, but will continue to have monthly vegan luncheons at local restaurants.

On Thursday, July 25, members visit the always-popular Vegetable Garden Restaurant (Chinese vegan) at 1 p.m. in Leisure World Plaza. To attend, RSVP by Thursday,

July 18, to Helen Gross at (hgross75@verizon.net) or (301-438-2077).

#### About VSLW

Additional information on VSLW activities can be found at (www.vslw.org). All residents are welcome at VSLW activities; they don't have to be vegetarian to participate.

The mission statement of VSLW is "to support group members in maintaining a healthy lifestyle by eating a plant-based diet."

## ■ Arts in Motion (AIM)

### Scholarship Recipients Give Stunning Performances

by Grace C. Cooper

The two talented art students who were each awarded a \$5,000 scholarship – Jenny Choi, visual artist from Thomas S. Wootton High School and Zaria S. Hawkins, classical dancer from Duke Ellington School of the Arts – gave stunning performances at a special presentation on May 25.

Informal discussion with the winners and snacks followed

the presentations. The money for these scholarships comes from AIM's concert ticket sales once expenses are paid. AIM may be able to increase the number and/or amount of scholarship awards it gives out in the coming year.



Remember to check AIM's website at (aimarts.net) to keep up with the Group's activities. For more information about AIM's upcoming performance and program, see the Events and Entertainment section of this publication.

## ■ Ballroom Dance Club

### Recent Dance has Record Breaking Attendance

by Joyce Hendrix

Mike Surratt and The Eclectic Coalition Band garnered the best attendance at any of the Ballroom Dance Club's dances in the past 10 years. 120 dancers were in attendance.

The dance showcased a lovely rumba dance performance, and Club members Jim and Ida Leong performed a spirited tango. The Club hopes to have more showcases at future dances.

#### June Dance

The next dance on Saturday,

June 22, features Steve Monaldi and Mixed Company from 7:30-10:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom. For details, see the Events and Entertainment section of this publication.



#### Membership

The Club is accepting annual memberships from residents at \$10 each through September, which entitles residents to pay a \$10 entry fee at each monthly dance through November. Non-residents and guests still pay \$15 for entry to each dance.

All dances feature live music played in strict ballroom tempo.



# It Takes a Village to Produce the Art



From left, Donna Leonard's oil painting of a most appealing dog; Sandy Greer's painting makes exhibit-goers wish they were in Italy; palm trees jointly painted by Houston Hancock and Jeanette Shampain; and Marvin Sirkis' portrait in ink. Photos by Ann Bolt

by Ann Bolt

**T**he Rossmoor Art Guild (RAG) is the happy recipient of a grant from the Foundation of Leisure World for new art equipment and furniture for the studio.

RAG member Nancy Albrecht is conducting a study of the easels, tables, stools and other art equipment to determine what may need to be replaced. Although earnest attempts have been made to keep tabletops and easels clean, after so many years the furnishings can succumb to drips and smears and permanent markings. New equipment will be a welcome change.

## Exhibit

Changes in the Clubhouse I exhibit for June include 24

paintings by RAG members. It features paintings of boats and beaches, landscapes near and far, people and pets and even a painting done by two artists.

Artists included in this month's exhibit are Bill Bohrer, Ann Bolt, Marilyn Davis, Myra Wolf, Houston Hancock, Sandy Greer, Maria Clark, Marvin Sirkis, Donna Leonard, Jeanette Shampain, Patty Elton, Judith Lessin, Judy Kirkland, Patty Marx and Vicky Batkin.

## Leadership Roles

With all this effort going into painting, members still reserve some energy for leadership roles. Nominations are being sought for a slate of officers to guide RAG starting in September.

Judy Kirkland is gathering names for potential officers. The usual band of leaders includes president, vice president, secretary, treasurer and registrar. Some dedicated members have agreed to continue in their offices, while other openings welcome new leadership.

In addition to the roster of officers, there are many supporting committees that keep the organization strong. The nominating committee welcomes any inquiries and volunteering. Terms are for one year, with renewal possibilities.

## Donations Welcome

RAG also welcomes art supply donations. Artists sometimes put aside their hobbies and commissions and

decide to put their energy into something else.

Supplies needed include paper, canvases, watercolor, acrylic and oil paints, palettes, brushes, drawing pencils, table easels and frames. Most of the exhibited paintings fall into the 16" x 20" size frames.

Art books also act as a real stimulus when planning a painting. They are currently very popular among RAG members who are planning their paintings for the "In the Manner of..." exhibit for July.

RAG appreciates the support and appreciation the Leisure World community offers and invites residents to visit its exhibits often. Or be brave, join a class, and you too can have your work exhibited in the halls.

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# Framing and Hanging Highlights and 2019-2020 Competitions Announced

by Stu Lillard  
and Fred Shapiro

Each month Club members hang and exchange framed prints in the corridor outside the Maryland Room in Clubhouse I. The schedule for this exchange is as follows:

- July 3 – 10-11 a.m., Clubhouse I
- Aug. 1 – 10-11 a.m., Clubhouse I

Louis Paley is taking down his outstanding nature photographs from the hallways in Clubhouse II on Friday, July 5, so be sure to go by and view his display.

On Saturday, Sept. 7, Fred Shapiro hangs his display in the Clubhouse II gallery, which will stay up through Friday, Nov. 1.

Club members often travel during these warm, summer months and take many photographs from which they often choose their



From left, an agricultural business plant, copper flashing and tile roofing and a factory skyline in Decatur, Illinois. Photos by Stu Lillard

competition entries for the next few years. The Club does not have regular meetings during the summer, but members are still working hard at their craft.

## Competitions

The Club's board has released the descriptions of the four subject competitions for the 2019-2020 Club year. Members now can begin taking appropriate photos or researching their files from the last five years

to match the subjects.

If members have any questions about the descriptions, they should contact either Club president Stu Lillard at (rslillar@yahoo.com) or first vice president Jon Fife at (jfife213@gmail.com).

## The four competition categories are:

October 2019, Looking Up – An image is taken from a lower perspective with the camera pointed upward. Some examples could be images of a ceiling or a view up a skyscraper, up a tree at a bird or bird's nest, or a plane in the sky. Make sure the majority of the picture is above eye level from an upward tilted camera.

November 2019, Human Faces – One or more human faces, posed or not, could depict an elderly person, a child, a mother and child, or a couple together, for example. The photograph should show no more than the shoulders up.

February 2020, Color – The main subject is predominantly one color. This could include, for example, an orange sunset, a field of yellow sunflowers, one or more red houses in a scene, a garden of red roses or a person in a yellow, red or blue dress or shirt. Black and white images do not qualify, nor do silver, sepia or infrared images.

March 2020, Architectural Details – This subject includes small details of a building's interior or exterior. Good subjects for architectural detail shots include items such as the decorated bases of columns, pedestals, elaborate doorframes and window frames or gargoyles. Statues or furniture that are not part of the building are not acceptable.

September 2019 and January 2020 are both Open Competitions. This enables members to enter any subject, allowing for images that are impressive but do not fit into any of the subject competitions that year.

Keep in mind that the purpose of holding judged photo competitions is not simply to award a few, but for every photographer to hear a judge critique his or her entry and learn how it could have had more impact.

The Club is always looking to attract new members to the fold. If interested, contact Woody Shields at (301-598-5141).

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# Rehearsals Begin for 'Christmas Carol'

by Maggi Lindley

The Gilbert and Sullivan (G&S) Society's season started with the annual "Spring Fling," a Chinese dinner catered by Hunan Delight in Olney and enjoyed by members – including several new ones – who attended.

The evening was topped off by a talk given by Peter and Syril Kline. The Kline's have honored the G&S Society by becoming members and will join the Group on stage for this year's production.

## August Performance

On June 4 the Society held its first rehearsal for "A Gilbert and Sullivan Christmas Carol" to be performed in late August in the Clubhouse II auditorium. This is a cleverly written

operetta by Gayden Wren, himself a G&S authority.

Wren has taken Charles Dickens' story of Scrooge, ghosts and other characters and set it to music from all 14 G&S operettas. The outcome is a delightful, funny and entertaining operetta that promises a fun evening for the audience.

"A Gilbert and Sullivan Christmas Carol" will be performed on Friday, Aug. 23, and Saturday, Aug. 24, at 7:30 p.m. and on Sunday, Aug. 25, at 2 p.m. Ticket sales will start in early August; more information is forthcoming.

The operetta is directed by veteran G&S thespian and director Beth Youse, with pianist Elaine O'Leary as music director and Maggi Lindley as producer.

The G&S Society also has a

terrific group of technicians: Michael Heyman with Trish Brooks and Irene Lunenberg Shaulis on lighting; Euclid Coukoumo and Sue Ray on sound; Elaine Apter producing the overhead song words; and JJ and Betty Boulin doing the set design.

## Monthly Meeting

At a recent monthly meeting, members discussed plans for Leisure World's July 4 parade. The G&S Society's entry will portray characters from its August performance, including several ladies, Scrooge riding a bicycle and perhaps a visit from Marley himself!

After the parade and festivities, the G&S Society will have a table on the Clubhouse I lanai so that members can enjoy each other's company in a more relaxed atmosphere.

The G&S Society participated in the recent Community Fair and was delighted to have a few folks sign up to help out with "A Gilbert and Sullivan Christmas Carol."

The Society also discussed the possibility of having some evening meetings so that residents who still work have a chance to join. The exact day and time has yet to be worked out, but will start some time in October and in four other months throughout the 2019-2020 year. More information is forthcoming.

## About G&S

The G&S Society meets the first Thursday of each month at 1:30 p.m. and welcomes newcomers at any time. Residents who don't sing but would like to become a member can fill one of the many behind-the-scenes jobs.

## ■ Fun and Fancy Theatre Group

# Group Seeks New Show Ideas

by Hannelle Allen

The annual Community Show, "Around the World in Leisure World," sponsored by the Education and Recreation Department and produced by Fun and Fancy, is held on Friday, June 21, and Saturday, June 22, at 7:30 p.m. and on Sunday, June 23, at 2 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium.

For more information, including ticket price and show details, see the Events and

Entertainment section of this publication.

## Talent Needed

At the July meeting of Fun and Fancy's new board of directors, one of the major issues on the agenda will be the Group's schedule of monthly shows for 2019-2020. The Group performs only nine shows each year.

Six new ideas for shows have already been submitted for

consideration. The Group needs at least three more, and is constantly seeking new talent. Members who have an idea for a show and have never directed before need not hesitate to step forward. Several experienced directors are willing and able to assist.

The Group's annual banquet is held in June, and the Group does not meet in July and August.

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# Class Explores the Hindu Philosophy of Vedanta

by Fred Shapiro and Nalini Kukke

Residents can gain insight into “The Underlying Unity of Eastern Philosophical Thought – Vedanta” by attending a class on this subject co-sponsored by the Center of Lifelong Learning (CLL) and the Friends of India Association.

The class, led by Swami Chidbrahmananda (Swami C), begins Monday, Aug. 5, and will explore the underlying metaphysics of this ideal – Vedanta – and its practical applications within the context of one’s own religion. It will discuss the multitude of tools and practices for deepening one’s relationship with the Divine.

The primary focus of the

class will be on principles and shared truths as opposed to dogmas and creeds. It will borrow from the scriptures of many of the world’s religions to form a cohesive idea of the underlying unity.

The classes will discuss: 1) Vedantic Eden – a reinterpretation of the Creation story in light of Eastern philosophy; 2) The Goal and Its Attainment – a walk through the spiritual awakening experience as seen in multiple religions and Biblical reference; 3) Principles of Practice – guidelines for building a deeper, daily spiritual practice; and 4) Evolving to One – a broad look at unity as found in various of the world’s religious traditions.

## About the Instructor

Chidbrahmananda was born in 1965 into a Christian family whose first-born sons have been preachers dating back to 1749 in Pine Knot, Arkansas. He continued the tradition by enrolling at Abilene Christian University as a Bible major in 1983.

After two years, and before the program was completed, he moved to California to train with a mission team headed to West Berlin. He ended up with a degree in computer science as that was necessary for permanent entry into Germany at the time.

After five years of preparing for the mission, his life took an abrupt change.

In 1998 he took a long trip to India and engaged in multiple conversations with mountain sages, monastery priors, head swamis and insightful nuns. His love and dedication to the Vedanta philosophy was born, leading him to join the Ramakrishna Order of monks headquartered in Calcutta, India, in 1999. He spent the next 19 years in a Vedantic monastery in San Francisco, California, under the tutelage of Swami Prabuddhananda.

For more information about the course and how to register, see the Classes and Seminars section of this publication. For more information about all CLL courses and lectures, visit ([www.clldm.com](http://www.clldm.com)).

## ■ Center for Lifelong Learning (CLL)

# Aug. 5: Bollywood Comes to Leisure World

by Fred Shapiro

The Center for Lifelong Learning presents Madhavi Reddi on Monday, Aug. 5, from 2-4 p.m. in Clubhouse I. She will provide insight into the subject “All About Bollywood: A History and Overview of the World’s Largest Film Industry.”

There is no charge to attend the program, but residents should register by stopping by the E&R office in Clubhouse I or calling (301-598-1300) beginning

on Tuesday, June 25, at 8:30 a.m. to ensure adequate seating.

Reddi’s presentation will delve into the Hindi film industry, popularly known as Bollywood. While Bollywood films are often stereotyped as musical melodramas, this lecture explores the rich history and cultural value of the Hindi film industry as well as how it serves as a soft power in today’s age of globalization.

Hindi cinema, often referred to as Bollywood and formerly

known as Bombay cinema, is the Indian Hindi-language film industry based in Mumbai (formerly Bombay), Maharashtra. The term is a blending of the words “Bombay” and “Hollywood.”

The most popular commercial genre in Bollywood since the 1970s has been films that mix action, comedy, romance, drama and melodrama along with musical numbers. Reddi will expand your appreciation for the entertainment that Bollywood films



Madhavi Reddi, courtesy photo

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# Chapter Celebrates Nation's Independence

by Joe Cook

Look for the NARFE Chapter 1143 banner at Leisure World's annual July 4 parade. Help celebrate Independence Day and the role of the civil and armed services in helping keep democracy and the policy goals of the people intact, and come march with us.

The Chapter's next general membership meeting is not until Monday, Sept. 16, after a summer hiatus.

## Federal Service

The June executive board meeting included a constructive discussion about what many NARFE members consider to be cumulative attacks on federal employment and democracy and the ominous future they believe this holds for federal and military retirement security and benefits.

As former employees of the federal government, NARFE members are sensitive to the requirements of the Hatch Act that prevent carrying out

partisan politics while on the job.

While NARFE is open to individuals of all political persuasions, many members believe these recent attacks have come from the current administration.

See NARFE publications and its website at ([www.NARFE.org](http://www.NARFE.org)) for the some of the latest developments.

## Join NARFE

Chapter 1143 needs the experiences and insights of residents who are retired federal civilian and military employees. Chapter dues are \$44 per year or \$38 if deducted from a federal annuity

payment that's spread over 12 months.

For more information contact membership chair John Lass at ([johnmlass@comcast.net](mailto:johnmlass@comcast.net)), or (301-288-4210).

For questions and suggestions, or if you would like to support the Chapter in some way, contact one of its officers:

- John Moens – ([johnjots@outlook.com](mailto:johnjots@outlook.com)), (301-438-3237)
- Joe Cook – ([joec37766@gmail.com](mailto:joec37766@gmail.com)), (202-271-0710)
- Jewel Lee – ([jewelalee@msn.com](mailto:jewelalee@msn.com)), (301-801-4007)
- Rich Rothstein – ([whobodyelse@aol.com](mailto:whobodyelse@aol.com)) (301-598-5760).



Last year's July 4 marchers. Photo by Jewel Lee

## ■ Democratic Club

# Club Helps Kick Off Annual July 4 Parade

by Roger Blacklow

The Democratic Club will be in the second spot at the head of the July 4th parade at Leisure World. Many of the County's elected officials will join us, won't you?

Club members are encouraged to march behind the Club's banner and "Patches," the Club's donkey mascot. Be there before the parade kicks off at 9:30 a.m. in the parking lot adjacent to Clubhouse I.

## Defusing Hate Speech

It's not just the Virginia Beach, Charlottesville and other white supremacist actions. Every day anti-Muslim, anti-Semitic, homophobic and "white power" confrontations happen in the

community and surrounding area. It could be someone getting on a Metro train wearing a headscarf that gets attacked, or someone spreading hate speech in a public setting.

The Club sponsors a training on "sensitivity/bystander intervention" that teaches people how to defuse and peacefully resolve such situations, in the spirit of Martin Luther King Jr. and Mahatma Gandhi, on Tuesday, June 25, at 7 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom.

## Membership Drive

Now is the time for members to renew their \$15 per person annual membership, which lasts until Monday, June 1, 2020. Renew your membership and bring a friend or two into the Club.

Members get a big bang for their buck when they get to meet and mingle with members of Congress, the Annapolis delegation and speakers at Club meetings, such as journalist Marvin Kalb and State Democratic Chair Maya

Rockeymore-Cummings.

The Club has fun events planned such as happy hours and educational events, including legislative training in lobbying the County Council or State Capitol.

To join the Club, send a \$15 contribution per person (checks only, payable to DCLW) to Jon Fife at (3200 N. Leisure World Blvd., Apt. 1001, Silver Spring, MD 20906). Be sure to include an email address because dues payment automatically provides members a subscription to the Club's in-house newsletter, the "Donkey Dispatch."



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# Book Selection, Italian Food and Entertainment Planned for Summer

by Carole Mund

For more than 20 years NA'AMAT has sponsored a Book Club, which meets on the last Wednesday of each month to discuss and reflect on a selected book.

Usually the meeting is held in a member's home and light refresh-

ments are served. Each month participants contribute \$2 each, which is applied to donor credit.

Now is the best time to get involved. At an organizational meeting on Wednesday, June 26, members will meet at noon for lunch and select the books to be read in the coming year. All participants have input in choosing the books for next year. Book Clubs are a great way to socialize as well as stimulate discussion and reflection.

For more information, contact Barbara Tahler, Book Club coordinator, at (240-669-6961).

## Italian Night

NA'AMAT holds a delightful evening of good food and entertainment on Thursday, Aug. 15, at 6 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom. The delicious Italian buffet includes eggplant Parmesan, salmon and pasta

primavera accompanied by salad, drinks and scrumptious desserts. Entertainment is included.

Tickets cost \$37 per person. To attend, send checks payable to NA'AMAT by Thursday, Aug. 1, to Harriet Chaikin at (15101 Interlachen Dr., #216, Silver Spring, MD 20906). Any inquiries can be made to Harriet at (240-560-7487).

## Tribute Cards

Tribute cards and memorial cards are the perfect way to acknowledge events of friends and family. Funds collected from tribute cards support and maintain the essential programs NA'AMAT sponsors and are an easy way to attain donor credit.

NA'AMAT has cards to honor all occasions, from congratulations for a special event to memorial cards. Each card is \$4 if purchased and sent by you or \$4.50 if sent by Lenore Kalen,

tribute card chairperson. Full donor credit is given for each card. For questions, contact Lenore at (301-922-4348).

## Save the Dates

On Wednesday, Sept. 4, the Club holds its first open meeting of the season. Cantor Michael Kravitz presents "A Program of Jewish Songs" at 12:30 p.m. in Clubhouse I. Kravitz is known to many in the Washington, D.C. area. All residents are welcome and refreshments will be served.

On Saturday, Sept. 14, NA'AMAT is sponsoring a trip to see the fun-filled show Capitol Steps. For further information, contact Esther Goldstein at (301-847-9215) or see the Club Trips section in this edition.

For more information about NA'AMAT RBZ Club, contact co-presidents Linda Schoolnick at (301 681-1076) or Gladys Blank at (301-438-9666).

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## ■ Jewish Residents of Leisure World

# June 21: Panel Discussion on Sexual Orientations

by Jonas Weiss

Rabbi Gary Fink leads a panel discussion on "Jewish Perspectives on Sexual and Gender Orientations" on Friday, June 21, at 10 a.m. in Clubhouse II.

The program explores ancient and modern views that influence our attitudes and understanding of the LGBTQ community.

All residents are welcome to attend this free program.



## Religious Services

Rabbi Fink also leads a Conservative Sabbath service on Friday, July 5, at 7:30 p.m. in The Inter-Faith Chapel.

Rabbi Moshe Samber and volunteers conduct Sabbath services with discussions on the Torah portion and rabbinical writings on Saturday, June 22, June 29 and July 6, at 9:15 a.m. in Clubhouse II.

## Membership

It's time to join the Jewish Residents of Leisure World (JRLW) or renew your membership for the 2019-2020 fiscal year.

Send checks for \$20, payable to JRLW, to Marsha Bernstein at (3210 N. Leisure World Blvd., Apt. 921, Silver Spring, MD 20906). Include a phone number and email address if possible. A membership form is in the JRLW newsletter.

## Donations

For the Torah fund send checks, payable to JRLW (\$25 minimum), to Carol Wendkos at (14805 Pennfield Cir., Apt. 212, Silver Spring, MD 20906).

Donations for prayer books should go to Janet Lazar at (15311 Beaverbrook Ct., Apt. 1B, Silver Spring, MD 20906). Janet is asking for someone to help her label the prayer books.

Send donations for Kiddush (\$25 minimum), an Oneg (\$25 minimum), Yiskor or general tzedukah to Susan Weiss at (3739 Glen Eagles Dr., Silver Spring, MD 20906).

## ■ Unitarian Universalists

# June 25: Learn About Church's Rich History and Beliefs

by Janeil Stewart and Dave Edfors

Unitarian Universalists are often perceived as not believing in anything. Church members are often more likely to relate the things they don't believe in rather than provide a listing of beliefs unique to Unitarian Universalists, as the group has no creed, sacred oath or official doctrine.

Join the Unitarian Universalists of Leisure Worlds on Tuesday, June 25, for an exploration of Unitarian Universalists' long and rich history dating back to early philosophers, Christian writings and the wisdom of world religions and science.

The presentation is at 2:30 p.m. in Clubhouse II and begins with a short recorded talk on this subject by Rev.



Rev. Angela Herrera, courtesy photo

Angela Herrera, senior minister of a Unitarian Universalist church in Albuquerque, New Mexico, followed by an open forum and light refreshments.

Herrera holds a Master of Divinity from Harvard University. She and her husband, Carlos, have grown children and are a bilingual, bi-cultural family who, when not in church, can often be found hiking, running, camping or putting green chile on things.

Join the Unitarian Universalists on June 25 for this thought-provoking and informative presentation. You just

might discover that you are a Unitarian Universalist at heart and didn't know it.

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# July 15-18: Hadassah Holds National Convention

by Barbara Eisen

The Hadassah 99th National Convention is held from Monday, July 15, through Thursday, July 18, in New York City at the Sheraton New York Times Square Hotel. The theme is "Mission Possible."

The convention offers a chance to participate in expanding Hadassah's impact in the U.S., Israel and around the globe. Connect and network with like-minded women. Meet Israel's leading medical experts and hear firsthand from patients who owe their lives to the Hadassah Medical Organization.

Attend sessions on media bias, fighting anti-Semitism, women's health equity and more. Listen to influential speakers on current topics. In addition, have fun at the receptions, dinners, breakfasts, dancing and Zumba.

For information about registering for the convention, call the Greater Washington Hadassah office at (301-881-8203).

## 'The Eddie Cantor Story'

There is still time to RSVP to attend author David Weinstein's entertaining, multimedia presentation, "The Eddie Cantor Story: A Jewish Life in Performance and Politics." The presentation is on Wednesday, June 26, at 7:30 p.m. in Clubhouse I.

To RSVP, contact either Judy Rumerman at (301-680-0850) or (judyrumerman@gmail.com) or Bobbi Gorban at (301-838-4336) or (bprem@aol.com).

All residents, men as well as women, are welcome. The \$5 fee supports the Full Circle Campaign for the Hadassah Medical Center. A check payable to Hadassah or cash will be collected at the door.

## Judaic Studies Group

The next meeting of the Judaic Studies Group is Monday, July 15, at 1:30 p.m. in Clubhouse I. The topic will be the biblical judges.

Do you know how many judges are named in the Book of Judges? Did you know that there are "major" and "minor" judges?

Who were these people and how did they get to be judges? Can you find the connection between one judge's daughter and a Mozart opera? Peri Schuyler will lead the discussion.

Join the Group to learn more about this often-overlooked group of biblical personages. Pick a name and add another bit of enlightenment to the session! The Group is free and open to all residents.

For further information or questions, contact Peri Schuyler at (perislaptop@aol.com) or (301-869-2968), Marcia Elbrand at (marciaelbr@gmail.com) or (216-496-6633), Shari Goldstein at (240-293-6442) or Naomi Kline at (nbk165@comcast.net) or (240-669-7683).

## Greeting Cards

Elaine Schenberg and Jan Bloom sell Hadassah greeting cards. The prices are \$2.50 each or five for \$10. Cards are displayed and sold at every Hadassah meeting. Please call

Elaine (301-598-0079) or Jan (301-593-7720) to buy cards between meetings.

## Youth Project

Larelda Gruber, available at (301-598-5922), is chair of Youth Aliyah/Children at Risk. This project helps disadvantaged children in Israel. The goal is to create a circle of \$1,000, made by individual contributions of \$40. Send donations to Larelda at (3200 N. Leisure World Blvd. #201, Silver Spring, MD 20906).

## General Information

Hadassah sponsors many activities to further the worthwhile projects it supports in medical, educational, and social programs in Israel and the U.S.

If interested in knowing more about Hadassah, contact one of its membership vice presidents: Lois Fields at (301-585-9804) or (loisfields2@earthlink.net) or Natalie Rosen at (301-279-5640) or (bnrosen@comcast.net).

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## ■ Jewish Discussion Group

# Group Hosts Foreign Policy Expert

by Jerome "Jerry" Cohen

The Group's next meeting is on Sunday, June 23, at 10:30 a.m. at Clubhouse II and features a discussion of contemporary topics impacting Israel and the communities throughout the diaspora.

Sustained tensions between Israel and the Palestinians in Gaza may suggest the region is on the verge of yet another Intifada. Come join the Group and partake in discussions about this and other issues affecting the global Jewish community.

### July Discussion

Dr. Mitchell Bard, the executive director of American-Israeli Cooperative Enterprise and a foreign policy expert, is the featured speaker at the Sunday, July 28, meeting.

Bard last appeared at Leisure World a year ago at a

Jewish War Veterans brunch, and the audience was duly impressed with his presentation and fully engaged with him during his question and answer session.

The Group will not hold a discussion session in August.

### About the Group

Members may contact the moderator to suggest featured speakers, to discuss doing mini presentations or to suggest discussions topics that may enrich the monthly sessions.

The Group invites all residents to attend its free discussion sessions held on the fourth Sunday of every month from 10:30 a.m.-noon in Clubhouse II.

For additional information or to have your email address added to the monthly notification list, contact group moderator Jerry Cohen at (240-970-5024) or (jcohen@jccbb.com).

## ■ Rossmoor Women's Club

# Time to Join or Renew Your Membership

by Carole Mund

On May 15, the Rossmoor Women's Club held its annual scholarship luncheon and awarded three scholarships to students at Blake High School and four additional awards to students at Montgomery College.

The Patrica Lyddanne Scholarship Award will be given in the fall semester to two students who pursue a major in business.

### Membership

It's time to renew an existing Club membership for the 2019-2020 year. New members are also welcome to join. Membership is open to residents and non-residents and affords the opportunity to attend all meetings and trips.

The organization provides numerous opportunities to make a difference as well as to meet new people from around the Leisure World community.

To join or renew membership, mail a \$40 check, payable to the Rossmoor Women's Club, to Aggie Eastham at (Rossmoor Women's Club, 3100 North Leisure World Blvd., #126, Silver Spring, MD 20906).

Dues must be received by Saturday, July 6, for those who wish to be included in the annual membership directory and handbook.

For further information, contact Aggie at (aggie.eastham@verizon.net).

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# Projects Serve Local and Global Communities

by Jack Colvis

Residents who would like to spend some time serving the local community and children in small ways can consider joining the Kiwanis Club of Leisure World. Every month has a worthwhile project activity. Kiwanis's efforts include:

- Service Leadership Programs – Kiwanis builds a stronger generation of leaders and service volunteers and includes members of every age and ability, from

elementary school students to adults with disabilities.

- Club and District Service Projects – A fund provides grants for Kiwanis-led, hands-on service projects that focus on health, education and youth leadership development.

- Disaster Relief – Grants requested by local Kiwanis clubs from the Kiwanis Children's Fund quickly provide emergency relief to victims of natural disasters.



- The Eliminate Project – In 2010, the Kiwanis Children's Fund began a collaboration with UNICEF to eliminate maternal and neonatal tetanus from the planet.

- Iodine Deficiency Disorders – In 1994, Kiwanis International teamed up with UNICEF to work toward eradicating iodine deficiency, the leading cause of mental disabilities. Kiwanis has helped raise more

than \$100 million to give children a chance to live healthy, happy and productive lives.

Those interested in becoming a supporting member may contact Heather Benjamin-Alexis at (240-433-0948) or Jack Colvis at (301-598-5380), and are encouraged to visit the Kiwanis Club meetings held each month in Clubhouse I.

Information about the Kiwanis International organization is available at ([www.kiwanisone.org](http://www.kiwanisone.org)). Kiwanis is an IRS 501(c)(4) non-profit organization.

## ■ **LW LGBTQ Alliance**

# Alliance Celebrates its Third Annual Pride Month

by Mike LaPoint

The LW LGBTQ Alliance will not hold its monthly meetings in July and August. The next monthly meeting and potluck is on Saturday, Sept. 21.

The Alliance will host several events during the summer months. To get the most current schedule and to add your name to the Alliance's mailing list, email ([lwlgbt@gmail.com](mailto:lwlgbt@gmail.com)).

### Pride Month Celebration

The Alliance screened the American Experience documentary "Stonewall Uprising" at its monthly meeting and potluck on June 15.

And on June 2, the Alliance

held its third annual pride month celebration in Clubhouse II.

Noted gay activist and historian Craig Howell discussed "The 1970s – the Golden Age of Gay Activism in D.C."

When Howell received his draft notice from the Selective Service Board in 1969, he faced a monumental moral dilemma when confronted by the application question of whether he had ever been involved in homosexual activity.

If he answered the question honestly, he would be exempted from serving in the military, but would also be banned from serving in any government employment, and would be blacklisted by private industry. The alternative was to violate his basic principles of honesty in order to protect his ability to find gainful employment.

This was the moment when Howell realized that after he completed his military service, he would involve himself in activism for gay rights.

He detailed the complex political strategizing and alliance building that he and the other gay activists employed during the 1970s in their struggle to gain basic human rights for the LGBTQ community in Washington, D.C.

Following the presentation, the Alliance hosted a pride month reception with cake, balloons and great conversation. Many attendees shared stories of their involvement in gay activism the 1970s to today.

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# June 29: Annual Meeting Welcomes All Members to Elect Officers

by Elizabeth Brooks-Evans

The Going It Alone Club's (GIAC) annual meeting is scheduled for Saturday, June 29, at 2:30 p.m. in Clubhouse II.

Members will vote for president, treasurer and secretary, and elections will be followed by membership renewal, fellowship and refreshments.

## Armchair Travel

GIAC meets every Saturday in Clubhouse II beginning with armchair travel at 2 p.m. followed by various games at 2:30 p.m.

On Saturday, June 22, video touring company Video Visits leads viewers to "Discover Greece," a land rich in natural beauty and history. Take a walk along paths of the Acropolis that were once trod by Socrates and Plato.

Also, explore the isle of Santorini with its famed Aegean archi-

ture, and visit the picturesque windmills of Mykonos. Then venture into Crete and examine the ruins of Knossos before lingering over a cup of Greek coffee at an outdoor café.

On Saturday, June 29, there will be no armchair travel because of the annual meeting.

## Games

With the exception of June 29 when the annual meeting is held, games begin at 2:30 p.m. right after armchair travel.

Bridge and Rummikub are played in the Clubhouse II lobby. Mexican train dominoes is played in the Game Room, where an old-fashioned dominoes game is also available.

Members are also welcome to bring or suggest other favorite games.

For more information about games, contact Sylvia Pachenker at (301-598-5325).

## Trips

GIAC trips are open to all residents and guests whether single or married. The following trips are scheduled for 2019:

- Aug. 22 – Harris Crab House on Maryland's Chesapeake Bay and Amish Market in Annapolis.
- Sept. 16-20 – Pigeon Forge and Smoky Mountains Show Trip in Gatlinburg, Tennessee. This trip is completely booked and has a wait list.

More detailed information on these trips can be found in the Club Trips section of this publication.

Sign-ups up for trips takes place during Saturday Afternoon Live (SAL) from 1:30-3 p.m. in Clubhouse II when a representative of the program committee is available to receive payments

and answer questions.

The GIAC newsletter, which also has more trip information, is also available at that time.

For questions about trips, call Joe Parker at (301-598-3457) or Sylvia Pachenker at (301-598-5325).

## Membership

Those wishing to sign up for GIAC membership or renew their membership are invited to do so at the annual meeting on June 29 and every SAL after that from 1:30-3 p.m. in Clubhouse II.

Beginning Monday, July 1, the membership fee increases to \$8 per year. The income from dues is used to pay Club expenses and enhance activities such as games and refreshments at periodic general meetings.

For more information about membership, contact Sylvia Pachenker at (301-598-5325).



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# June 27: Association Holds Annual Meeting and Election of Officers

by Patricia Means

The LWAAAC holds its annual meeting and election of officers on Thursday, June 27, at 4 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom.

At this important meeting, members are urged to vote

for individuals who will best carry out the mission and vision of the Association.

The nominees are: Cheryl Prejean Greaux, president; Stanley Jones, vice president; Judith Robinson, treasurer; Eleanor Thompson, financial secretary; Elizabeth Brooks-Evans, recording secretary; and Haroldie "Dee Dee" Spriggs, correspondence secretary.

Before voting, additional nominations may be made from the floor. When the nominations are closed, voting will be conducted. Only LWAAAC members may vote.

## Board of Directors Meeting

At the board of directors meeting on June 5, Glenne Martin, nominating committee chairperson, introduced the nominees for president, treasurer, financial

secretary, and correspondence secretary.

Each nominee addressed the membership and responded to questions. The nominees for vice president and recording secretary were not present at the meeting.

## Healthful Thursdays

The Healthful Thursdays' special guest speaker and chronic disease bingo is on Thursday, June 27, from 1-3 p.m. in Clubhouse I. Admission is free, but tickets are required and available at the Clubhouse I E&R office.

## July 4 Parade

Members are needed to decorate and drive cars or golf carts, carry the LWAAAC banner and walk in the July 4 parade. For additional information, contact Louise Langley, LWAAAC chairperson, at (301-598-3876).

## Membership Registration

Membership covering the current term expires on Sunday, June 30, 2019. Registration for new and renewed membership to cover the period of Monday, July 1, 2019 through Tuesday, June 30, 2020 are accepted at all meetings.

Dues are \$20 per person (checks only, payable to LWAAAC). Payment also may be placed in the LWAAAC mail slot located in Clubhouse I E&R office or mailed to (LWAAAC, P.O. Box 12316, Silver Spring, MD 20908).

## Amenities

Members should notify LWAAAC of illness, disability, death or other situations that affect a member or that person's immediate family by contacting Louise Langley, amenities chairperson, at (301-598-3876).

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# Hey Siri, How Can You Help Me?

by Ron Masi

**S**iri, Apple's personal assistant, can do much to make a user's life easier, safer and less frustrating. For those with vision or dexterity issues, Siri can be life changing.

One reason older adults might shy away from Siri is because they are uncomfortable talking to a machine; another might be that older users may have tried it once or twice with poor results. But Siri does work! With a little practice users will wonder how they ever got along without it.

Here is an example: sending a message without Siri. Without Siri, open the message app, type in the address/phone number, and then type a message and tap send. Or the Siri way: Just say, "Hey Siri, send a message to Jane Doe and tell her I will be 20 minutes late."

Or when getting directions, the user could find the map app on their device and then type in their destination. Or the Siri way: Just say, "Hey Siri, how do I get to the Washington Monument." Siri, knowing where the user is, presents the direction in Maps.

Now ask yourself: Which way is easiest? Here are a few others: "Hey Siri, what's the weather in Paris?" or "When did President Grant die?" That is just a very small taste of what Siri can do for users.

Did you know that Siri is already on your device? iMac, MacBooks, of iOS (iPhone 4s forward, and newer iPads, iPods and Apple watch, Home Pod and Apple TV, and in some cars). Think of Siri as an intelligent personal assistant that understands and uses normal speaking to answer questions, make recommendations, perform requested actions and more.

Here we'll limit our discussion to iPhone/iPads. For advice on the other devices, check the internet or come to the LW Apple Clinic on the first, second, third and fifth Tuesday of each month from 10-11 a.m. in the Computer Learning Center in Clubhouse I.

Siri should be ready to go, but let's check on the iOS device. Go to Settings > Siri & Search > under ASK SIRI make sure the "Listen for Hey Siri" slide is green (on). There are other options on this page such as changing Siri's voice accent to more than 20 choices that include American, Australian, British and Irish. The user can read through and make any changes he or she likes.

## Siri and Your Contacts

When a user asks Siri to send a message to Jane Doe, Siri works closely with the user's Contacts app, which is like an elec-

tronic version of a personal paper address book.

If users have populated their Contacts with names of individuals and businesses, their addresses, phone numbers, emails, birthdays, anniversaries and more, then they can send a message or make a phone call to a friend without touching their devices – and even receive an automatic reminder of their contacts' birthdays.



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To populate Contacts, first open the app by touching the notebook icon on the device. Tap the + plus sign on the top right to open an empty "card." Users can start with themselves, and fill in the information fields beginning with their first name and working their way down

the card.

Type right over the prompt, and avoid the temptation to type information where not prompted. In the "Notes" field users can add

anything they want, such as where they met that person or a pet's name.

Users can continue by adding names and information of family, friends, doctors and whomever they wish to stay in contact with. Users can add more people and information at any time.

Now start using Siri. Say, "Hey Siri, what time is it?" or "Set alarm for 8 p.m.," or "What time does the baseball game start?" or "What is two times 5.8 divided by 83?" or "How many days until Halloween?" or "What day is Dec. 8, 2019?"



## Club Notes

Club activities are suspended for June, July and August. Intermittent clinics will continue. The Club's favorite Apple person will present at the Tuesday, Sept. 24 program; club members won't want to miss this one.

Visit the Club's website at (mac.computer ctr.org) to keep up with OS updates, Club activities and past Leisure World News articles.

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## ■ Writers of Leisure World

# Writers Share Some 'Timely' Thoughts

by Gladys Blank

The subject of the Group's June 6 meeting was "the clock," and several members read their thoughts on some "timely" issues.

Viola Stendardi read a poem, "Past to Present," about life's ups and downs, happy to know that good things still happen as the clock continues to tick. Jane Hawes read an "Ode to Friendship," about the joys of keeping in touch and catching up with old friends.

Gladys Blank spoke of the old and well-remembered films of yesterday. Many of the stars of those beloved films are gone but still remembered.

Jerry Udell, a new contributor to the Group, remembered remarks he had given on the

celebration of the life of U.S. Senator Birch Bayh. As an intern for the senator years ago, he often recalls what a rewarding and fulfilling time it was.

Woody Shields spoke thoughtfully about the tolerance for lying in our society and how it appears difficult to rationalize. 70 years since the original 1950s show "To Tell the Truth," our society continues to struggle with the concept of honesty and whom to trust.

Susie Billstein wrote of growing up in one religion and learning early in life that her true past was actually much different.

The Writers of Leisure World meet on the first and third Thursday of the month at 11 a.m. in Clubhouse I. All residents are welcome.

## ■ Comedy and Humor Club

# Club Elects New Officers

by Al Karr

The Comedy and Humor Club has elected its first new full slate of officers in many years. The new officers are John Lass, president; Skip Schoening, vice president; and Herb Hodes, treasurer.

They succeed Sam Hack, John Lass and Sumner Levin, respectively. Hack and Levin retired after many years in those posts.

The Club meets each Tuesday at 1:30 p.m. in Clubhouse II, with the last Tuesday of each month devoted to videos of past TV comedy classic shows, presented by Hack. Come join Club members for joke telling.

Members who attended recent meetings include John Lass, Skip Schoening, Sam Hack, Sumner Levin, Wally Becker, Ruth Becker, Fred Firnbacher, Bernie Petlan, Rudy Volin, Allan Packer, Jerry Udell and Al Karr.

Here is a small sample of jokes delivered at standup mic:

- Fred – Learning that a man is injured by falls every 19 days, people said that someone should take steps to stop him from doing that.

- Wally – The CIA dispatched a retired agent to contact agent Goldberg in Kiev, told him to go by an airline, then a train and a bus, and finally walk to his destination at an apartment building. His instruction: Always be prepared to say, "The moon is high and the sun is low," to be sure that he had reached the right person. On arriving at the apartment building, he found a Goldberg on the fourth floor and another on the sixth. He chose the fourth, where he told the man who opened the door, "The moon is high..." The reply: "Oh, you want Goldberg the spy. He's on the sixth floor."
- Skip – Paul Harvey once said that an average golfer walks 900 miles and consumes 22 gallons of beer each year, which means he gets 41 miles to the gallon.
- Ruth – Leisure World suffered a power outage recently, and she really enjoyed her kids' company, because they couldn't use their electronic devices.

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# Clubs, Groups & Organizations In Brief

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**Book Club Network:** The 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. For further information, contact Verna Denny at (301-598-1418) or (verhd@msn.com).

**Clipper Workshop:** Members 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. Bring a bag lunch. (We will eat in the lunchroom.) Members 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. Donations of cotton fabrics, stuffing, thread and iron-on facing are appreciated. Contact Joan Mahoney at (240-833-2724) or Jane Brinser at (301-438-2599) for further information.

**Computer Learning Center:** Located in Clubhouse II, 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).

**Hispanos de Leisure World:** All Hispano-Parlantes residents are invited to join the club in enjoying its activities, including card games and conversations, every Friday at 3 p.m. in Clubhouse I. Once a month, Latin-American and Hispanic movies, with English subtitles, are screened. The club organizes a Fiesta de La Amistad on a weekend in the spring and a Christmas dinner in December. The club has also presented musical shows in the Clubhouse II auditorium as well. If interested, contact Maria Blanco, club president, at (301-847-9066) or Carlota "Loty" Goldenberg at (301-598-6869).

**Knitting Corner:** Join us the second and fourth Fridays of each month at The Inter-Faith Chapel from 10 a.m.-noon. Our next meeting is June 28. Bring your knitting and enjoy the conversations. We have patterns and yarn for the Chapel's mission. Yarn donations gratefully accepted. Call Joan at (240-833-2724) if you have any questions.

**The Lapidary Shop:** Our well-equipped Lapidary Shop is available to all residents who join the Lapidary Club and take training on use of the shop's equipment. Shop steward Mark Parker oversees training and is usually in the shop on Monday afternoons after 2 p.m. To arrange for training, contact Mark at (240-723-5860), or drop by the shop in Clubhouse II on a Monday afternoon to talk to Mark and see the shop. For those who have received training, the shop is available whenever the Clubhouse II E&R office is open. Get trained and make cabochons. Get involved and make friends.

**LW Green:** LW Green was formed in 2015 by residents who are enthusiastic about becoming better environmental stewards. Meetings are the fourth Wednesdays of the month at 2 p.m. in Clubhouse I. All those who care about the natural resources in Leisure World and the outside communities are urged to join us. For more information, contact Janice McLean at ([janicewmclean@gmail.com](mailto:janicewmclean@gmail.com)).

**Model Railroad Club:** If you have ever had an interest in model trains, our three layouts in the basement of Clubhouse II offers just about anything you could ask for. Our largest layout, in HO, features scale miles of track, yards and industries, and supports the simulated operation of real railroads delivering passengers and goods from source to final destination. Visit us on Mondays and Wednesdays from 5:30-7 p.m. and Thursdays from 2-4 p.m. in the basement of Clubhouse II, or join us for our monthly business meeting on the second Thursday of the month at 4 p.m. in Clubhouse II. For more information, call Marilyn Chmielewski, president, at (301-438-3259).

**Musical Jammers:** We gather informally once a month with other amateur musicians, singers and lovers of music to sing, play music and have fun – no dues, no meetings, no agendas, no committees. We meet on the second and fourth Mondays of every month at 10 a.m. in Clubhouse II. All instruments and voices are welcome. You bring it; we'll sing it. Questions? Call Richard Lederman at (301-598-1132).

**New Yorkers and Friends Group:** Join fellow New Yorkers

and Friends on the second Thursday of each month at 10:30 a.m. in Clubhouse I. The Group offers opportunities to support outreach projects and to engage in a wide range of social activities. The Group's motto is "New Yorkers & Friends Can Make a Difference!" The Group welcomes anyone who has had affiliations with New York (both city or state), or who just likes New Yorkers. For more information, contact Connie at (301-438-2667).

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**The Pittsburghers:** If you were born, raised or lived in Pittsburgh and/or the Greater Pittsburgh area, you are welcome to join us. For more information, call Tania Iwanowski at (301-598-2278) or email ([Tania.Iwanowski@yahoo.com](mailto:Tania.Iwanowski@yahoo.com)).

**Quilting 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 at (301-642-2430). Our next meeting is June 27.

**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 Group reads from a collection of short stories and discusses them together. The Group is now reading from the anthology "The O. Henry Prize Stories 2018," which contains 20 award-winning stories by various authors. On Wednesday, July 3, Arlyne Liebrand will lead a discussion of "We Keep Them Anyway" by Stephanie A. Vega. On Wednesday, July 17, Sarah Hirschfield will lead a discussion of "Solstice by Anne Enright. The Short Story Group meets on the first and third Wednesdays of the month at 11 a.m. 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. A gift certificate 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 Rita Mastrorocco at (301-814-9196).

**Town Meeting Organization:** TMO is a movement of residents concerned about governance and management. We meet every month to organize, discuss and conduct resident town hall meetings. Topics such as the proposed administration building, community governance, management and its involvement in mutual elections, and funding a strategic plan will be addressed. TMO meets the third Friday of each month at 2 p.m. in the Clubhouse I. All residents are invited to attend and become active in the movement. For information email ([admin@townmeetingorganization.com](mailto:admin@townmeetingorganization.com)) or visit ([www.townmeetingorganization.com](http://www.townmeetingorganization.com)).

**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).

**Women in the Military:** Are you a female who has served in the armed forces? Join us as we shine a light on the role that women play in serving our country. We also strive to promote awareness of the Women's Memorial at Arlington National Cemetery. We meet every second Wednesday of the month at 10 a.m. in the Terrace Room. Call Barbara Long at (301-438-3427) for more information.

**Women's Fun Bunch of Leisure World:** The Women's Fun Bunch is for widows living in Leisure World. We have a good time together and plan for more adventures as the weather improves. For inquires, call Marlene at (301-438-7773).

**Yahoo Group:** The Group is an online forum and email list serve that provides informal, online communication between neighbors. It provides residents an opportunity to seek information, post announcements and share photos and files. This list serve is monitored daily to assure the stated Group rules are followed. To join, visit (<https://groups.yahoo.com/neo>).



# Leisure World Club Trips

The next deadline for trip submissions is **Monday, June 24**. 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. Email your trip information to [lwnews@lwmc.com](mailto:lwnews@lwmc.com).

**Please Note:** Member/Non-Member pricing is at the discretion of the individual clubs.

July  
30

## Nationals Baseball Game Washington, DC

Join the **Jewish Residents of Leisure World** on an evening bus trip to see the Washington Nationals play the Atlanta Braves at a home game on Tuesday, July 30.

The cost is \$45 per person and includes bus transportation and ticket to the game.

The bus departs Clubhouse II at 5 p.m. and ticket holders will disembark by an elevator that will drop them off near reserved seating. Seating overlooks the first base line, is under cover and close to restrooms and food concessions.

To reserve seats, send a check (payable to JRLW) to Dottie Chanil at (3829 Glen Eagles Dr., Silver Spring, MD 20906). Or, call Dottie at (301-871-1513) for more information. Tickets will be distributed as participants board the bus.

Aug.  
22

## Harris Crab House and Amish Market Grasonville, MD

Join the **Going It Alone Club** for an all-you-can-eat feast of crabs, steamed shrimp, fried chicken, corn-on-the-cob, cole slaw, potato salad, desert, coffee, tea, soda and draft beer at Harris Crab House in Grasonville, Maryland.

On the return trip home, we will stop at the Amish Market in Annapolis, Maryland, for some shopping. The cost is \$83 for members, \$93 for non-members, and includes transportation, taxes, dining and driver gratuity. The bus departs Clubhouse II at 10:30 a.m. and returns at approximately 5:30 p.m. No refund will be made after July 20 unless a replacement is made.

Sign up at Saturday Afternoon Live (SAL) in Clubhouse II from 1:30-3 p.m. For more information, call Joe Parker at (301-5988-3457) or Sylvia Pachenker at (301-598-5325).

Aug.  
31

## National Book Festival Washington, D.C.

Join the **Book Club Network** on a trip to the National Book Festival at the DC Convention Center in Washington, D.C. on Saturday, Aug. 31, Labor Day weekend.

This annual event, sponsored by The Library of Congress, brings the nation's top authors together to discuss their work. Supreme Court Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg will be a featured guest discussing her book, "My Own Words." One hundred fifty other writers will be giving presentations including David McCullough, Barbara Kingsolver, Sara Paretsky and Henry Louis Gates Jr.

The bus departs Clubhouse II at 9 a.m. and returns to Leisure World at 4 p.m. The cost is \$35 a person for transportation only. Lunch is on your own. Tickets can be purchased from the Eyre Office in Clubhouse I or by calling (800-321-3973, Option 4). For more information, contact Verna Denny at ([verhd@msn.com](mailto:verhd@msn.com)) or (301-598-1418).

Sept.  
14

## NEW - Capitol Steps, Washington, D.C.

**NA'AMAT RBZ Club** has planned a great trip on Saturday, Sept. 14, to see a 7:30 p.m. performance of the Capitol Steps. Join us for an evening of music and political satire at the Reagan Building.

The cost is \$75 per person and includes transportation and the show.

The bus departs Clubhouse II at 6 p.m. and will return at 10:30 p.m.

Send your check, payable to NA'AMAT, to Esther Goldstein at (15000 Pennfield Circle, #302, Silver Spring, MD 20906). For questions call Esther at (301-847-9215).

Sept.  
16-20

## Pigeon Forge and Smoky Mountains Shows, TN

All residents are invited to come with the **Going It Alone Club** on a five-day, four-night trip to Pigeon Forge and the Great Smoky Mountains of Tennessee.

The trip includes four breakfasts and four dinners, entrance to the Titanic Museum, five shows, free time in historic downtown Gatlinburg and a guided tour of the Great Smoky Mountains National Park.

The bus departs Clubhouse II at 8 a.m. on Monday, Sept. 16 and returns late afternoon on Friday, Sept. 20

The cost for double occupancy is \$480 per person for Club members; \$488 for non-members; and \$149 additional for single occupancy. A \$200 deposit is due upon sign-up, with the final payment due by Tuesday, July 9. Travel insurance is available.

Sign up at Saturday Afternoon Live (SAL) from 1:30-3 p.m. in Clubhouse II; wait list only. No refunds will be made unless a replacement is made. For more information, call Joe Parker at (301-598-3457) or Sylvia Pachenker at (301-598-5325).

Nov.

11-13

## Gaming and Sightseeing Atlantic City, NJ

Join the **Jewish Residents of Leisure World** in a two-night/three-day trip (Monday-Wednesday) to Atlantic City, New Jersey. For only \$205 per person double occupancy (\$90 more for single occupancy), you will get transportation in a modern bus, two nights lodging in the casino hotel, one dinner, two hot breakfasts and a casino bonus.

On your own in this tourist location, you can take in a show and enjoy Atlantic City's famous boardwalk.

Contact Sue Sandler at (240-242-3742) for more information and to make a reservation.

### Attention, Travelers!

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## DAY TRIPS

### National Harbor, MD

Fri., 7/19, 9:00 am-4:40 pm .....\$45.00 per person  
You choose where you want to spend the day: Tanger Outlets, MGM Casino or the Harbor! Transportation only.

### African American Museum, DC

Mon., 7/29, 8:45 am-3:30 pm .....\$45.00 per person  
Explore one or all seven floors of this amazing museum! Trip includes transportation and timed entry ticket. Lunch on own – café onsite.

### "South Pacific" at Riverside Center

#### for the Performing Arts, Fredericksburg, VA

Wed., 7/31, 9:45 am-6:30 pm .....\$117.00 per person  
Escape the heat of summer and be entertained by this classic show and enjoy a plated lunch. Trip includes transportation, admission to show and lunch.

### Museum Loop, DC

Mon., 8/5, 8:40 am-3:00 pm .....\$35.00 per person  
Spend your day at the National Museum of the American Indian, American History Museum or Natural History Museum (New Fossil Hall). Transportation only.

### Mansions Along the Delaware, PA

Fri., 8/9, 6:15 am-8:15 pm .....\$139.00 per person  
This trip includes guided tours of Andalusia, Glen Foerd and Pennsbury Manor. Lunch at the King George II Inn.

### Museum of the Bible, DC

Fri., 8/16, 9:05 am-3:00 pm .....\$60.00 per person  
Admission to the museum and show tickets included.

### Crabfeast on the Choptank River Queen, MD

Fri., 8/16, 8:45 am -7:15 pm .....\$109.00 per person  
Enjoy a three-hour cruise on the Choptank River while picking crabs. Eat fried chicken and other delicious foods! Transportation, cruise and food included.

### Tony Bennett at Wolf Trap, VA

Sat., 8/17, 5:15 pm-11:15 pm .....\$145.00 per person  
Garnering 19 Grammy Awards over a seven-decade long career interpreting the Great American Songbook, "Bennett vocalizes American popular songs like nobody else can." Transportation and admission to show included.

### US Tennis Open, NY

Fri., 8/30, 5:30 am-11:55 pm .....\$169.00 per person  
'Love' tennis? Then this is the trip for you! Ground pass to all stadiums except Arthur Ashe included as well as transportation.

### Library of Congress National Book Festival, DC

Sat., 8/31, 9:00 am-4:00 pm .....\$35.00 per person  
Held at the Walter E. Washington Convention Center. Transportation only. *Expect enhanced safety and security measures when entering the Convention Center.*

### Soar, Sip and Savor, Kent Island, MD

Sat. 9/7, 7:45 am-6:00 pm .....\$126.00 per person  
The trip begins at Massey Air Museum, to view its collection of vintage working aircraft, and then to Crow Vineyard, a farm and vineyard to see the wine-making process and then a farm-to-table lunch at Crow's Haybarn. There will be time at the gift shop, too. Last stop is in historic Galena, Maryland, with time to browse the antique shops and to get a scoop or two of ice cream. Trip includes transportation, admission to the air museum and lunch.

### Glenstone Museum, Potomac, MD

Thu., 9/12, 10:15 am-4:00 pm .....\$40.00 per person  
Enjoy your day inside and outside at this unique museum! Transportation only.

### DC Wharf

Mon., 9/16, 8:45 am-3:15 pm .....\$39.00 per person  
Explore the DC Wharf your way! Shops, museums and more! Transportation only.

### Maryland Wine Festival, Carroll County, MD

Sat., 9/21, 9:45 am-4:30 pm .....\$69.00 per person  
Bring your taste buds! Enjoy the Maryland Wine Festival at the Carroll County Farm Museum complex. Transportation and admission to the festival included.

### Sunfest at the Inlet, Ocean City, MD

Sat., 9/21, 7:45 am-9:00 pm .....\$60.00  
Held at the Ocean City Inlet, this event is enjoyed by the whole family with arts and crafts vendors, a variety of delicious food including Eastern Shore favorites. Enjoy nationally known entertainers all day. All the entertainment is free with the exception of the headline acts. Transportation only.

### \*NEW\* International Horse Show, DC

Thu., 10/24, 5:10 -11:00 pm .....\$85.00 per person  
With more than 500 different types of horses and all sorts of great equestrian events, the annual Washington International Horse Show is one of the best events of its kind in the world, thousands of enthusiasts show up to the Capital One Arena every October to see something amazing. It won't take long to get hooked on the tradition of the Washington International Horse Show, which continues to boast a stunning display of equestrian heraldry that will leave you wanting more. Trip includes transportation and admission.

## Spotlight On...

### "The Cher Show," New York City

Saturday, 9/28, 6:45 am-11:30 pm .....\$189.00 per person  
The Cher Show is her story, and it's packed with so much that it takes three women to play her! Trip includes motorcoach transportation and admission to show.

## MULTI-DAY TRIPS

Castles of NY-1000 Islands  
Aug. 26-29

Finger Lakes, NY  
Sept. 22-25

Hudson Valley, NY  
Sept. 25-27

Albuquerque Balloon Fiesta  
Oct. 4-9 (fly/drive)

Ocean City Getaway, MD  
Oct. 15-18

The Wright Experience  
at Fallingwater, PA  
Oct. 22-24

A Victorian Holiday, Cape  
May, NJ  
Dec. 1-3

Greenbrier, WV  
Dec. 8-10

Country Christmas at the  
Gaylord Hotel in Nashville, TN  
Dec. 10-13

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# SPORTS, GAMES & Scoreboards

## ■ Lawn Bowls Club

### The Sport of Kings and Presidents

by Paul Ganz

Patrons of the Terrace Room restaurant in Clubhouse I are occasionally entertained by people in white playing on the nearby green. These white-clad figures, members of the Lawn Bowls Club, are enjoying a quiet game of lawn bowling, carrying on a tradition that is more than 3,000 years old.

The sport was the favorite of several kings of England and Scotland and also of Augustus Washington, father of George. Our first president played the game while growing up and enjoyed it even after retiring from service to the country.

It is a game now played in more than 40 countries around the world although, interestingly, at one time it was banned in England, the sport being viewed as played only by disreputable people. As a matter of fact, an enactment passed in England

in 1541 stated that lawn bowling could be played only at Christmastime under supervision, and playing outside one's own garden was forbidden, with a fine of six shillings and eight pence.

But the fascinating history of lawn bowling is not the reason why Club members play the game. Club members play because of the society, the gentle exercise and the camaraderie.

In England, preparation for the matches begins with a pint of Guinness and a greeting of friends. Also, following the match, the home team buys a round for the visitors, followed by a meal provided by the home team and perhaps another Guinness.

Whether it's referred to as bowls, bocce or boules, the objective is the same: Players roll a large ball in the direction of a small white ball (jack) and try to get as close as possible to it. Sounds simple? Yes, and it is.

Matches last one hour and 15 minutes.

The lawn bowl area is located next to the bocce ball and shuffleboard playing areas. The Club plays every Tuesday at 5 p.m. and every Thursday at 6 p.m., weather permitting.

The Club provides the bowls (also called "woods") and all the accessories for a match, and Leisure World provides a well-maintained playing field.



Photo by Leisure World News

The Club supplies the friends and the simple instructions. Join the Club for a match; you won't be disappointed.

## ■ Golf Club

### May and June Results

Compiled by Rita Molyneaux

#### May 29, 2019

##### MISGA with Kenwood Manor and Montgomery

1. Christa Storm, Raymond Theim, Susan Kim, Marvin Burt, 107
2. Doug Allston, Stephen Hays, Mary Ko, Alan Wilder, 107\*
3. Jerry Clark, Douglass Lewis, Joe Boland, Joe Genovese, 109
4. Gene King, Jerry O'Neill, Dick Curtin, Ash Sufi, 113

Closest to pin #8 – Bob Hudson, 7'  
Closest to pin #16 – Barry Falgout, 7'11"

\*Ties broken by back nine score

#### May 30, 2019

##### 18-Hole Ladies Lyddane Fallen Angel Charity Event

##### Step Aside Scramble

1. Christa Storm, Mary Ko, Susan Kim, Martha Witebsky, 76

#### May 31, 2019

##### Tw-Lite Mixer

1. Doug Brasse, Abigail Murton, Richard Sherman, Mary Ellen Coffey, 31
2. (tie) Sperry Storm, Kay Heier, Semoon Chang, Christine Petersen, Doris DeSantis, Wendy Flannery, Michael Makfinsky, Brenda Curtis-Heiken, 35

#### June 4, 2019

##### Two Lady Team

##### Better Ball Net

1. Ruth Hutchins, Wendy Flannery, 27
2. (tie) Doris deSantis, Pat Weingart, Lois Falck, Janet Danziger, 29
4. Kazue Waller, Connie Park, 30

#### June 4, 2019

##### MISGA at Timbers

Doug Allston, Sam Pak and Semoon Chang participated.

Allston's team took first place. Allston also won two of the four closest to the pin contests.

#### June 5, 2019

##### MISGA at Bretton Woods

1. Doug Allston's team
2. Jules Goldstein's team

#### June 6, 2019

##### 18-Hole Ladies

##### Low Net Tournament Low Net

1. Susan Kim, 68
2. Ivy Holsey, 72

#### June 8, 2019

##### Par 3 Shoot Out

1. Mark Altbier, Joe Boland, Bernie Blum, Eileen Eisen, Pat O'Connor, 20
2. Charlie Brotman, Greg Chandler, Brenda Curtis-Heiken, Dave Evans, Kevin McMahon, Frank Rifle, 23

## ■ Tennis Club

### July 11: Meeting Follows Ice Cream Social

by Alfonso Holston

Because the July 4 holiday falls on the first Thursday in July, the Club's July meeting is on Thursday, July 11, at 7 p.m. in Clubhouse II, after an ice cream social that begins at 6 p.m.

The Club is getting ready to participate in Leisure World's annual July 4 parade. At the parade, the Club will display their new t-shirts with the inscription, "Still The Best."

#### French Open

On June 9, members of the Tennis Club gathered in Clubhouse II to enjoy the Men's Final of the French Open. Refreshments were provided and the occasion was enjoyed by all. Rose Arnold and Mitiz Estrin were the organizers for the event.

#### June Meeting

At the Club's June monthly meeting Marty Meisel introduced the game of "Masters Tennis."

This game is played on a reduced tennis court and with a larger, softer tennis ball that does not bounce too high and gives players less space to cover on the tennis court – something older players may find appealing. Club members showed interest and asked questions.

After Meisel's demonstration, the Club participated in a tennis trivia game with questions about the history of the French Open. The contest's winner was Natalie Brodsky.

The Club welcomes two new members: Joyce Hendrix and Elliot Lieberman.

# Opera Breaks the Bank, but Chess is Free

by Bernie Ascher

People may have good reason to believe that opera is snobbish, considering the cost of building an opera house – and the cost of attending a show.

Evidently, the first opera was composed and performed before the first opera house was built. The opera “Dafne,” composed by Jacopo Peri, was performed in Florence in 1597, possibly outdoors. The nobles kept opera for themselves at that time.

The first public opera house did not open until 1637 in another city, Venice. Originally named Teatro San Cassiano, it was a stone building owned by the Tron family.

Perhaps the Tron family deserves credit for visualizing that opera needs to be sung indoors on a stage, accompanied by a full orchestra and before an audience including commoners.

Fire destroyed the Venice Opera House three times. After the fire of 1774 (when it was known as Teatro San Benedetto), it reopened in 1792 as Gran Teatro La Fenice (“The Phoenix”). Napoleon visited in December 1807 during the French occupation of Venice.

A second fire occurred in 1836 and the theater reopened within one year. However, after the third fire, started by two electricians in January 1996, the opera house did not reopen for eight years. Restoration cost 60 million euros. Convicted of arson, the electricians were sentenced to six to seven years in prison.

Notably, in addition to Venice, fires damaged opera houses in Milan, London, Barcelona and Zürich. Bombs damaged the opera houses in Warsaw (during the siege of 1939) and in Naples (later in World War II).

Teatro di San Carlo in Naples, Italy, which opened in 1737, is the oldest working opera house in the world. Constructed at a cost of 75,000 ducats (probably \$15 million in today’s money), it was the most important opera house until 1778 when La Scala opened in Milan.

Today, opera houses are

cultural institutions and symbols of national pride in many countries. At least 85 countries have opera houses. Opera houses also are popular tourist attractions. National Geographic’s top 10 to visit are in Milan (La Scala); Paris (Paris Opera); Vienna (Vienna State Opera); London (Royal Opera House); Moscow (The Bolshoi); Buenos Aires (Teatro Colon); Naples (Teatro di San Carlo); Sydney (Sydney Opera House); Prague (Prague State Opera); and New York City (Metropolitan Opera).

The Sydney Opera House with its distinctive roof structure and beautiful setting seems to many as if it were brand new. However, it has already celebrated its 45th anniversary. Originally scheduled for completion in 1963 at a cost of just \$7 million Australian dollars, the opera house opened 10 years late and cost around \$102 million Australian dollars (\$71.4 U.S. million at current exchange rates) – almost 14 times over budget.

American chess master Paul Morphy played a famous chess game in the Italian Opera House in Paris in 1858. In a game, sometimes called the “Opera Game,” he defeated two “strong amateurs,” who played as partners against him: the Duke of Brunswick and Count Isouard. During the performance, Morphy sat with his back to the stage in the Duke’s box.

Chess players at Leisure World

relax in air-conditioned comfort without having to listen to or watch opera. The game pictured on this page is actually from the Opera Game. Morphy, playing White, won the game in two moves from this point. Do you see it?

The solution follows the usual message that the Chess Club meets on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 1-4 p.m. in Clubhouse II. For further information, call Bernie Ascher at (301-598-8577).

SOLUTION: Morphy moves the White Queen to b8, checking the King. Black’s Knight captures the Queen. Morphy moves the Rook to d8.



Checkmate!

So, do not wait for fire insurance. Do not wait for chess games to be played in opera houses. Do not wait for the fat lady to sing. Play chess now!

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# Huggers Embrace the First Place Spot

by Rita Mastrorocco

The league is based on handicaps with averages for the bowlers ranging from 98 to 175. Even if you have not bowled in years, come out and join the fun.

The top league standings as of June 7 are the Huggers in first place, the Winners in second place and Half and Half in third place.

## Top scores for the week of May 31 are:

Scratch Game – Winners, 633 pins  
Scratch Series – Winners, 1,774 pins  
Handicap Game – Winners, 942 pins  
Handicap Series – Winners, 2,701 pins  
High Average Men – Bill Thomas, 169 pins  
Scratch Game Men – Bill Thomas, 199 pins  
Scratch Series Men – Bill Thomas, 517 pins  
Handicap Game Men – Charlie Johnson, 268 pins  
Handicap Series Men – George Spangler, 707 pins  
High Average Women – Chris Porter, 174 pins  
Scratch Game Women – Chris Porter, 201 pins  
Scratch Series Women – Chris Porter, 549 pins  
Handicap Game Women – Betty Roeder, 251 pins  
Handicap Series Women – Arlene Gest, 696 pins

## Top scores for the week of June 7 are:

Scratch Game – Lightnin Strikes, 639 pins  
Scratch Series – Lightnin Strikes, 1,819 pins  
Handicap Game – Gutter-snipes, 910 pins  
Handicap Series – Gutter-snipes, 2,603 pins  
High Average Men – Bill Thomas, 169 pins  
Scratch Game Men – Chuck Martinez, 220 pins  
Scratch Series Men – Chuck Martinez, 531 pins  
Handicap Game Men – Chuck Martinez, 283 pins  
Handicap Series Men – Chuck Martinez, 720 pins  
High Average Women – Chris Porter, 175 pins  
Scratch Game Women – Chris Porter, 217 pins  
Scratch Series Women – Chris Porter, 545 pins  
Handicap Game Women – Chris Porter, 258 pins  
Handicap Series Women – Barbara Raney, 709 pins



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 9:50 a.m. at Bowl America, located at 1101 Clopper Road in 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 interested in joining, call Rita at (301-814-9196).

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■ **Tuesday and Friday Duplicate Bridge**

Compiled by Jerry Miller

Flight A includes all players. Flight B includes only ACBL member pairs, each less than 1,000 master points. Flight C includes only ACBL member pairs, each less than 500 master points.

**Tuesday, May 28, 2019**

**North-South  
Flight A**

- 1. Aaron Navarro – Stephan Billstein
- 2. Alfred Caponiti – John Ryan
- 3. Martin Reed – Howard Tash
- 4. Hanna Schepps – Marlys Moholt
- 5. Marilyn Rubinstein – Stanley Rosen

**Flight B**

- 1. Marilyn Rubinstein – Stanley Rosen
- 2. Marilyn Udell – Maida Crocicchia

**Flight C**

- 1. Wendy Morrison – Vern Skinner

**East-West  
Flight A**

- 1. Nadyne Cheary – Marcia Fletcher
- 2. Jerry Miller – Gerald Lerner
- 3. Norman Salenger – Shirley Light
- 4. Michael Watts – Lorraine Hegel

**North-South  
Flight A**

- 1. Aaron Navarro – Judith Perrier
- 2. Nancy Gordon – Joan Marie Thomas

**East-West  
Flight A**

- 1. Leanna Gipson – Judy Tankersley
- 2. Lorraine Hegel – Saul Penn

**Flight B**

- 2. Marcia Fletcher – Michael Benefiel

**Tuesday, June 4, 2019**

**North-South  
Flight A**

- 1. Stephen Weiner – Larry Carswell
- 2. Wendy Morrison – Vern Skinner
- 3. Stephan Billstein – Angela Riani
- 4. Stanley Rosen – Marilyn Rubinstein
- 5. Diane Keiper – Nadyne Cheary

**East-West  
Flight A**

- 1. Nancy Gordon – Bernice Felix
- 2. Gerald Lerner – Aaron Navarro
- 3. Jerry Miller – Marlys Moholt
- 4. Doug Brasse – Merrill Stern
- 5. Saul Penn – Elaine Conway

**Flight B**

- 2. Helen Solomon – Rae Newman

**Flight C**

- 1. Michael Benefiel – Marcia Fletcher

**Friday, June 7, 2019**

**North-South  
Flight A**

- 1. Mark Lavine – Gail Singer
- 2. Allen Shaw – Patti Anschutz
- 3. Marilyn Rubinstein – Stanley Rosen

**East-West  
Flight A**

- 1. Leanna Gipson – Judy Tankersley
- 2. Doug Brasse – Bernice Felix
- 3. (tie) Norman Salenger – Shirley Light

(tie) Susan Weiss – Nancy Gordon

**Flight B**

- 1. Marilyn Rubinstein – Stanley Rosen

2. Susan Weiss – Nancy Gordon

**Flight C**

- 2. Susan Weiss – Nancy Gordon

Duplicate Games are played on Tuesdays and Fridays at 7 p.m. in Clubhouse I. Results and hand records are available on ([thecommongame.com](http://thecommongame.com)). Players who need a partner for either the Tuesday or Friday game are asked to call Shirley Light at (301-598-6611) at least 24 hours in advance.



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■ **Wednesday Night Chicago Bridge**

Compiled by Abigail Murton

**May 29, 2019**

- 1. Joyce Fischer and Joan Thomas, 3,770
- 2. Ann and Joe Boland, 2,810
- 3. LeLoy Cottrell and Joan Joyce, 2,620

**June 5, 2019**

- 1. Joyce and Dick Riseberg, 4,830
- 2. LeLoy Cottrell and Joan Joyce, 3,740
- 3. Sally McGowan and JoAnn Gellman, 3,150

■ **Thursday Afternoon Ladies Bridge**

Compiled by JoAnn Gellman

**May 30, 2019**

- 1. Wendy Flannery
- 2. Vicky Shaz
- 3. Marion Kline

**June 6, 2019**

- 1. Vicky Shaz
- 2. Ruth Slone
- 3. Delores Shapiro

■ **Friday Bridge**

Compiled by Shirley Rosenhaft

**May 24, 2019**

- 1. Joyce Fischer, 3,030
- 2. Jackie McCarthy, 2,970
- 3. Janet Danziger, 2,390
- 4. Mort Faber, 2,210

**May 31, 2019**

- 1. Betty Hecht, 2,950
- 2. John Hashim, 2,800
- 3. Mark Levin, 2,780
- 4. Joyce Fischer, 2,690

■ **Duplicate Bridge Club**

**June 24: Learn How to Play Duplicate Bridge**

by Jerry Miller

The next Duplicate Bridge Club's newcomer game, for those who've played rubber bridge but aren't familiar with duplicate bridge, is on Monday, June 24, at 6:30 p.m. in Clubhouse I.

Each newcomer will partner with an experienced duplicate player who will answer questions and provide pointers. The play is preceded by a short lesson on defense. At the end, a record of the hands just played,

along with a short analysis of each hand, will be distributed.

The fee to play is \$2. To ensure a sufficient number of mentors, RSVP to Aaron Navarro at ([abn123@netzero.net](mailto:abn123@netzero.net)) or Jerry Miller at ([jerroldmiller@yahoo.com](mailto:jerroldmiller@yahoo.com)).

Newcomers who would like a one-on-one explanation of how duplicate bridge works before playing should indicate in their RSVP they intend to arrive by 6:15 p.m., so the Club can arrange for someone to help.

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# Sports, Games & Scoreboards In Brief

**Bid Whist:** Do you know what Sport the Kitty, Boston Time and Rise and Fly all mean? If you like to play Bid Whist, then meet us on Mondays at 6 p.m. in the Clubhouse II Multi-purpose Room. Questions: Call Jessie at (314-374-4501).

**Bocce:** Games are played on the first and second Fridays of the month at 10 a.m. at the bocce court, located outside the Clubhouse I Terrace Room restaurant. The game is easy to learn, with no special skills required. There is no sign up; just show up (weather-permitting).

## Bridge:

- **Tuesday and Friday Duplicate Bridge** games are at 7 p.m. in Clubhouse I. New players with partners are welcome. Hand records and results are available after the game on (thecommongame.com). Results are also posted on (cuebid.com). If in need of a partner, call Shirley Light at (301-598-6611) at least 24 hours before the game. Questions? Call Aaron at (301-598-3870).

- 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. Women welcome. Call Alan Levine at (301-288-7349).

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

**Chess:** Free chess lessons on Mondays for beginners or "rusty" players. Call Steve Harvith (301-801-4693) or Lark Keller (301-219-5955) for appointments. The Chess Club meets every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 1-4 p.m. in Clubhouse II. Membership is free.

**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.

**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 Lisa Zarou at (301-814-0029) or Flora Wolf at (301-598-5807) to join as a substitute or regular bowler.

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

**Mah-jongg:** Learn how to play mah-jongg. Call (301-598-3438).

**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 Judy Menkes at (301-847-9643).

**Ping-Pong Club:** Get healthy exercise and camaraderie playing ping-pong. The club meets Mondays from 3-5 p.m. and Wednesdays and Fridays from 1-3 p.m., in the Clubhouse II Ping-Pong and Meeting Room. Drop in anytime during that period. Some experience preferred. Questions? Call Julie at (301-598-5424) or email (julie12401@netscape.net).

**Pinochle Players:** Experienced Pinochle players wanted. We play Mondays from 6:30-8:30 p.m. in Clubhouse II. If interested, call (301-775-7238) or (301-598-7064). If you are interested in learning, you are welcome to observe.

## Poker:

- **Poker Game** openings are available at the Greens, Thursdays 7-10 p.m. No prior experience necessary. If interested, call Marcel at (240-486-6205).

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

- **Play Poker** Monday and Thursday, 1 p.m.-4:30 p.m., Clubhouse II Game Room. We play hi/low only (two winners). Call (301-598-4331) or (301-434-6823) or come observe.

**Thursday Night Poker** meets 6-9 p.m. in Clubhouse II. We play hi/lo, with or without wild cards, dealer's choice. All are welcome. Leisure World residents preferred. Call Dave at (301-598-7064) for information or just come and join us.

**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.

**Volleyball for Everyone.** If you are a LW resident who wants to enjoy the inviting warm water of the social pool, join your peers in social volleyball on Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays at 3 p.m. No skills needed, just come and have fun. Competitive volleyball games are played on Monday and Thursdays from 6-7:30 p.m. This game is for long-term, skilled players who want the intensity of competition and rarely miss the games. 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. For more information, email Laurie Burdick at (lgburdick@aol.com).

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# CLASSES & Seminars

Sign-up will be taken for newly advertised classes beginning on the Tuesday after the date of the edition of Leisure World News in which it appears. All sign ups begin at 8:30 a.m. in either Clubhouse I or II as noted in the class description. Residents can register for themselves and two other residents. **Please bring your Leisure World ID.**

If required enrollment is not met five days prior to the start date, the class will be cancelled.

**\*\*\*Please note fees for non-residents: add \$10 for 1-6 session classes and \$20 for classes of 7 or more sessions.**

Payment can be made by check or credit card (MasterCard, VISA or Discover); no cash is accepted. Checks *must* be made payable to Leisure World of Maryland Corp. Please sign up in advance of the starting date of the class since instructors need to know how many will participate. **Note: Registration will not be accepted nor refunds issued after the completion of two sessions!**

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Class meets Fridays, July 12-Aug. 16, 11 a.m.-noon.  
**Fee: \$50. Register at Clubhouse I.**

## RELIGION AND PHILOSOPHY

**NEW – The Underlying Unity of Eastern Philosophical Thought – Vedanta, a CLL- and Friends of India Association-sponsored course:** Vedanta, the world’s oldest philosophy still practiced today, speaks of an eternal religion of which all the world’s religions are a part.

This lecture series, led by Swami Chibrahmananda (Swami C), will explore the underlying metaphysics of this ideal and its practical applications within the context of one’s own religion. It will discuss the multitude of tools and practices for deepening one’s relationship with the Divine. The primary focus will be on principles and shared truths as opposed to dogmas and creeds. It will borrow from the scriptures of many of the world’s religions to form a cohesive idea of the underlying unity.

The lecture topics include: Vedantic Eden, The Goal and Its Attainment, Principles of Practice, Evolving to One and concluding with a summary overview.

Class meets Mondays, Aug. 5-Sept. 16, 10-11 a.m. (No class Aug. 19 or Sept. 2.) **Fee: \$15. Register at Clubhouse I.**

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

## EXERCISE

### NEW – Zumba Gold with Denny – Mondays, Wednesdays 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, July 8-Aug. 26, 10:30-11:30 a.m.; Wednesdays, July 10-Aug. 28, 10-11 a.m.; or Fridays, July 12-Aug. 30, 1-2 p.m. **Fee: \$60 for one day; \$107 for two days, \$160 for three days. Register at Clubhouse II.**

### NEW – Gentle Yoga – Wednesdays and Saturdays with Marilyn:

Yoga is a holistic system that combines movement, posture, breath, and relaxation techniques to improve overall health and well-being physically, mentally, and spiritually. A consistent yoga practice has been shown to increase mobility, strength, and flexibility, and to provide skills to cultivate a peaceful mind in the face of life’s stresses and challenges.

This class is designed for individuals with some ability to get up and down off the floor and can be adapted according to the needs of the practitioner.

Beginners and ongoing students are welcome. Bring a yoga mat or blanket to the first class.

Class meets Wednesdays, July 24-Sept. 25 and/or Saturdays, July 20-Sept. 21, 9-10:15 a.m. **Fee: \$84/1 day, \$145/2 days per week. Register at Clubhouse I.**

**Chair Yoga with Robin, Mondays:** 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 is 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 Mondays, June 24-Sept. 9, 11 a.m.-noon or 2-3 p.m. (No class July 22, 29 and Aug. 12.) Choose the time that suits your schedule. **Fee per session: \$110. Register at Clubhouse II.**

## WATER EXERCISE

### NEW – Aqua-Fit Ballet Water Exercise with Betty:

This class is designed to promote balance and strength while toning the entire body. Learn the language of ballet – plié, tendu, relevé – and keep your cool in the round pool.

Instructor Betty Smith is AFAA certified in Pilates, yoga and group exercise. She has trained with the Maryland Youth Ballet and is an experienced Aqua-Fit instructor (YMCA and LA Fitness).

Class meets Wednesdays, July 10-Aug. 28, 10-11 a.m. **Fee: \$49. Register at Clubhouse II.**

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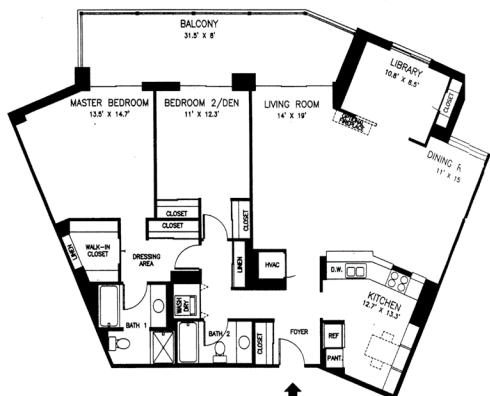
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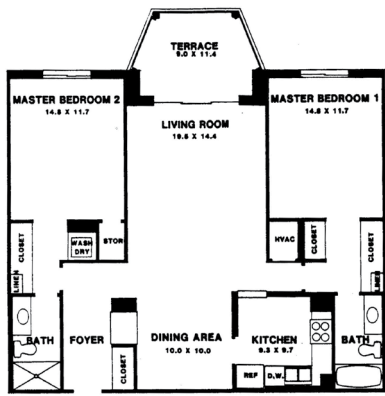


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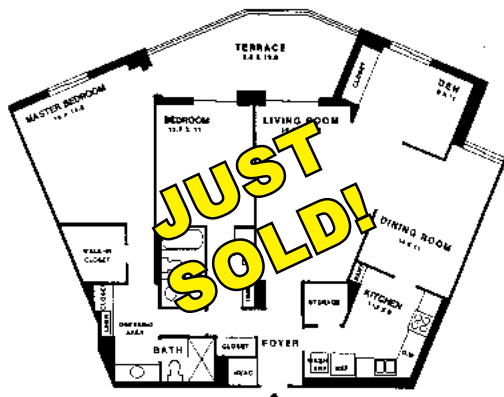
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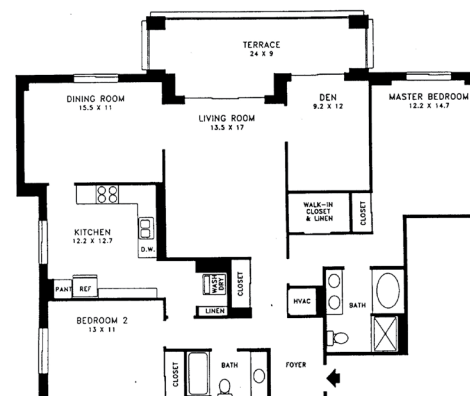
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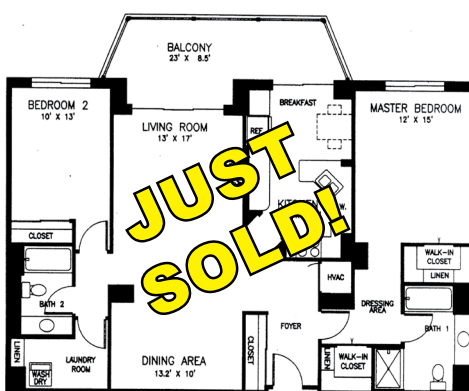
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# CALENDAR *of Events*

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Friday, June 21

Clubhouse I

10:00 a.m. Book Club Network: Bookies  
11:00 a.m. The Most Stunningly Beautiful Music Ever Written and How to Listen to It Class  
12:15 p.m. Kiwanis Club  
1:30 p.m. Watercolor Any Level Art Class  
2:00 p.m. Town Meeting Organization  
3:00 p.m. Hispanos de LW: Bingo  
7:00 p.m. Friday Duplicate Bridge

Clubhouse II

9:00 a.m. JRLW Panel Discussion: Jewish Perspectives on Sexual and Gender Orientations  
1:00 p.m. Ping-Pong Club  
1:00 p.m. Chess Club  
1:00 p.m. Friday Bridge  
1:00 p.m. Zumba Golf Class  
4:00 p.m. Pickleball Club  
7:30 p.m. E&R and Fun and Fancy Theatre Group Community Show: “Around the World in Leisure World”

Saturday, June 22

Clubhouse I

9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga Class  
10:00 a.m. Open Art Studio  
7:00 p.m. Ballroom Dance Club

Clubhouse II

9:15 a.m. JRLW Service  
11:00 a.m. Pickleball Club  
2:00 p.m. Going It Alone Club  
7:30 p.m. E&R and Fun and Fancy Theatre Group Community Show: “Around the World in Leisure World”

Sunday, June 23

Clubhouse I

No Scheduled Activities.

Clubhouse II

10:30 a.m. Jewish Discussion Group  
11:30 a.m. Pickleball Club  
2:00 p.m. E&R and Fun and Fancy Theatre Group Community Show: “Around the World in Leisure World”

Monday, June 24

Clubhouse I

9:15 a.m. Stretch, Tone and Strength Training Class  
10:30 a.m. Stretch, Tone and Balance Class  
1:00 p.m. Oils and Acrylics Art Class  
1:30 p.m. Leisure World Chorale  
1:30 p.m. Book Club Network: Fall Readers  
2:00 p.m. Center for Lifelong Learning Annual Meeting  
6:00 p.m. Duplicate Bridge: Newcomers Bridge Game  
7:00 p.m. Bingo

Clubhouse II

9:00 a.m. Senior Sneakers Class  
10:30 a.m. Zumba Gold Class

11:00 a.m. Chair Yoga Class  
12:30 p.m. Men’s Bridge  
1:00 p.m. Chess Club  
1:30 p.m. Computer Learning Center: Android Help Session  
2:00 p.m. Chair Yoga Class  
2:00 p.m. Line Dance Class  
3:00 p.m. Ping-Pong Club  
3:00 p.m. Line Dance Class  
4:00 p.m. Ba Duan Class  
5:30 p.m. Pickleball Club  
5:30 p.m. Model Railroad Club Operating Session

Tuesday, June 25

Clubhouse I

9:30 a.m. Any Medium Art Class  
10:00 a.m. CLL Course: Advanced Conversational Spanish Class  
1:00 p.m. CLL Course: Intermediate Conversational Spanish Class  
1:00 p.m. Rossmoor Library Guild Meeting: New Library System  
2:00 p.m. Book Club Network: Suspensers  
5:00 p.m. Lawn Bowls Club  
5:00 p.m. Duplicate Bridge: Picnic  
7:00 p.m. Trivia Club  
7:00 p.m. Duplicate Bridge Game

Clubhouse II

9:30 a.m. Beginner and Advanced Tai Chi Class  
10:00 a.m. LW Apple Club Regular Meeting  
11:00 p.m. Mild Exercise Class  
11:00 a.m. Water Exercise Class  
12:30 p.m. Pickleball Club  
12:30 p.m. Scrabble Group  
1:00 p.m. Non-impact Fusion Water Exercise Class  
1:30 p.m. Comedy and Humor Club  
2:30 p.m. Unitarian Universalists  
4:00 p.m. Pickleball Club  
6:00 p.m. Democratic Club: Bystander Intervention Training

Wednesday, June 26

Clubhouse I

9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga Class  
10:00 a.m. Applied Principles – Any Medium Art Class  
12:30 p.m. NA’AMAT RBZ Club:

Book Group Meeting  
1:00 p.m. Oils, Acrylics and Miniatures Art Class  
6:45 p.m. Chicago Bridge  
7:30 p.m. Hadassah Program: “The Eddie Cantor Story”

Clubhouse II

10:00 a.m. Zumba Gold Class  
11:00 p.m. Mild Exercise Class  
1:00 p.m. Chess Club  
1:00 p.m. Ping-Pong Club  
1:00 p.m. Aqua Fit Exercise Class  
2:00 p.m. Chair Yoga with Tai Chi Class  
2:00 p.m. LW Green Movie: “Paris to Pittsburgh”  
5:30 p.m. Pickleball Club  
5:30 p.m. Model Railroad Club Operating Session

## Leisure World Mutual Meetings

June 24

Mutual 9 Board

10:00 a.m., Sullivan Room

June 25

Mutual 17A Board

2:00 p.m., Party Room

Mutual 21 Board

2:30 p.m., Community Room 3

June 26

Mutual 20B Board

9:00 a.m., Community Room 4

Montgomery Mutual Board

9:30 a.m., Clubhouse I

Mutual 19B Board

1:00 p.m., Sullivan Room

Mutual 11 Special Meeting

1:30 p.m., Clubhouse I

June 27

Mutual 10 Board

9:30 a.m., Sullivan Room

Mutual 6C Board

9:30 a.m., Community Room

Mutual 26 Board

10:30 a.m., Party Room

Mutual 13 Board

1:30 p.m., Sullivan Room

Mutual 24 Board

1:30 p.m., Community Room

Mutual 20A Board

7:00 a.m., Party Room 2

June 28

Mutual 17B Board

10:00 a.m., Party Room

July 2

Mutual 18 Board

1:30 p.m., Sullivan Room

Mutual 6B Board

2:00 p.m., Mutual

July 3

Mutual 8 Board

11:00 a.m., Sullivan Room

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

Community Planning

July 8, 9:30 a.m., Clubhouse I

Technology

July 2, 10:00 a.m., Sullivan Room

Education and Recreation

July 9, 9:30 a.m., Clubhouse I

Tennis & Pickleball

July 3, 1:30 a.m., Sullivan Room

LWCC Board of Directors

July 19, 9:30 a.m., Clubhouse I

The meeting airs on July 24, 25 and 26 at 4 p.m. and 7 p.m. on channel 974.

LWCC Executive Committee

June 25, 9:30 a.m., Sullivan Room

The meeting airs on July 1, 3 and 5 at 4 p.m. and 7 p.m. on channel 974.

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7:00 p.m. LW Green Movie: “Paris to Pittsburgh”

Thursday, June 27

Clubhouse I

9:15 a.m. Stretch, Tone and Strength Training Class  
10:00 a.m. Painting is for Everyone Art Class  
10:30 a.m. Stretch, Tone and Balance Class  
12:30 p.m. Ladies Bridge  
1:00 p.m. Portraits – People and Animals Art Class  
1:00 p.m. 18-Hole Ladies Golf Luncheon  
1:00 p.m. LWAAAC Healthful Thursdays  
1:30 p.m. July 4th Organization Meeting

2:00 p.m. Memory Café  
4:00 p.m. LWAAAC Meeting  
6:00 p.m. Lawn Bowls Club

Clubhouse II

9:00 a.m. Senior Sneakers Class  
9:30 a.m. Beginner and Advanced Tai Chi Class  
10:00 a.m. Quilting Group  
11:00 a.m. Water Exercise Class  
11:30 a.m. Pickleball Club  
12:30 p.m. Men’s Bridge  
1:00 p.m. Non-impact Fusion Water Exercise Class  
2:00 p.m. Model Railroad Club Operating Session  
2:00 p.m. Mind-Body Exercise Club  
3:00 p.m. Tap Dancing in a Chair Class



4:00 p.m. Pickleball Club  
4:00 p.m. Friends of India Association Meeting  
4:00 p.m. Center for Lifelong Learning: Costa Rica Trip Photo Slideshow

Friday, June 28

**Clubhouse I**  
1:30 p.m. Watercolor Any Level Art Class  
2:00 p.m. Health Advisory Committee Lecture: “You and Your Adult Kids: Guidelines for Conversations About Your Healthcare”  
3:00 p.m. Hispanos de LW: Bingo  
6:00 p.m. Twilight Golf Dinner  
7:00 p.m. Friday Duplicate Bridge  
**Clubhouse II**  
10:00 a.m. Chinese Club

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1:00 p.m. Zumba Gold Class  
1:00 p.m. Ping-Pong Club  
1:00 p.m. Chess Club  
1:00 p.m. Friday Bridge Club  
4:00 p.m. Pickleball Club  
7:30 p.m. Baby Boomer Club: Movie

Saturday, June 29

**Clubhouse I**  
9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga Class  
10:00 a.m. Open Art Studio  
7:00 p.m. E&R and New Yorkers and Friends Event: “Blast from the Past” – Senior Prom  
**Clubhouse II**  
8:00 a.m. Pickleball Club  
9:15 a.m. JRLW Services  
1:00 p.m. Going It Alone Club: Annual Meeting

Sunday, June 30

**Clubhouse I**  
No Scheduled Activities.  
**Clubhouse II**  
11:30 a.m. Pickleball Club  
2:00 p.m. E&R Movie: “Rebel in the Rye”

Monday, July 1

**Clubhouse I**  
9:15 a.m. Stretch, Tone and Strength Training Class  
10:00 a.m. Center for Lifelong General Meeting  
10:30 a.m. Stretch, Tone and Balance Class  
1:00 p.m. Oils and Acrylics Art Class  
1:30 p.m. Leisure World Chorale  
7:00 p.m. Bingo

**Clubhouse II**  
9:00 a.m. Senior Sneakers Class  
10:00 a.m. Clipper Workshop  
11:00 a.m. Chair Yoga Class  
12:30 p.m. Men’s Bridge  
1:00 p.m. Chess Club  
1:30 p.m. Computer Learning Center: Android Help Session  
2:00 p.m. Line Dance Class  
3:00 p.m. Ping-Pong Club  
3:00 p.m. Line Dance Class  
4:00 p.m. Ba Duan Class  
5:30 p.m. Pickleball Club  
5:30 p.m. Model Railroad Club Operating Session

Tuesday, July 2

**Clubhouse I**  
9:00 a.m. Blood Pressure Testing  
9:30 a.m. Any Medium Art Class  
9:30 a.m. Garden Plots Group  
10:00 a.m. CLL Course: Advanced Conversational Spanish  
1:00 p.m. CLL Course: Intermediate Conversational Spanish  
5:00 p.m. Lawn Bowls Club  
7:00 p.m. Trivia Club  
7:00 p.m. Duplicate Bridge  
**Clubhouse II**  
10:00 a.m. LW Apple Club Clinic Meeting  
11:00 a.m. Mild Exercise Class  
11:00 a.m. Water Exercise Class  
12:30 p.m. Pickleball Club  
12:30 p.m. Scrabble Group  
1:00 p.m. Non-impact Fusion Water Exercise Class  
1:30 p.m. Comedy and Humor Club  
4:00 p.m. Pickleball Club

Wednesday, July 3

**Clubhouse I**  
9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga Class  
10:00 a.m. Applied Principles – Any Medium Art Class  
11:00 a.m. Short Story Group  
12:30 p.m. NA’AMAT RBZ Club  
1:00 p.m. Oils, Acrylics and Miniatures Art Class  
2:00 p.m. Book Club Network: African Heritage  
4:00 p.m. LWAAAC General Meeting  
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  
5:30 p.m. Model Railroad Club Operating Session

Thursday, July 4

**Clubhouse I**  
9:15 a.m. July 4th Parade  
12:00 p.m. July 4th Picnic  
3:00 p.m. July 4th Picnic  
**Clubhouse II**  
No Scheduled Activities.

Friday, July 5

**Clubhouse I**  
12:15 p.m. Kiwanis Club  
1:30 p.m. Watercolor Any Level Art Class  
3:00 p.m. Hispanos de LW: Bingo  
7:00 p.m. Friday Duplicate Bridge  
**Clubhouse II**  
1:00 p.m. Ping-Pong Club  
1:00 p.m. Chess Club  
1:00 p.m. Friday Bridge Club  
4:00 p.m. Pickleball Club

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PRESERVE YOUR FAMILY MEMORIES! Don't let your precious photos be forgotten or fade over time. I'll digitize your photos, slides, and mementos so they can be easily shared with friends and family. Once they're scanned, I can label the photos to identify the people in them, or bring your photos to life in a memorable DVD slideshow. Call Kim at Virtual Computer Services, (301-438-3140).

TIRED OF POLISHING your silver? Turn it into cash, which does not tarnish. I will come to your home and give you a free evaluation of what I can pay. I buy all gold and silver jewelry, including broken pieces, all sterling silver, gold and silver coins, gold watches, etc. I am licensed with both Maryland and Montgomery County (lic. #2327). Gold 4 Good pays an additional five percent to all sellers who are veterans of the U.S. Army, Air Force, Navy or Marine Corps. And we extend the same courtesy to their spouses. We honor our servicemen (and their spouses). Gold 4 Good is a Maryland licensed precious metals dealership, not a pawnshop or private home-based business. If you decide to sell, I can buy your items at that time, but there is no obligation. Call Bob, Gold 4 Good, 8241 Georgia Ave., Ste. 100, Silver Spring, MD 20910 (240-938-9694).

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BEAUTICIAN AND ALTERATIONS: I can do your hair in your own home. Can also remove unwanted facial hair. 45 years' hair styling experience. Also do alterations. LW resident. Gity (301-642-7281).

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NOTARIES

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PET CARE

DOG WALKING SERVICE – Affordable rates. Responsible and dependable Leisure World resident who is available to walk your pet. Please call (301-598-3454) for more information.

CAT SITTER: 5 years' experience cat-sitting for LW residents. Short- or long-term, day-trip or week's vacation. Feeding, litterbox, playtime, cuddle time. References on request. Mary Beth (240-558-4013).

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WELLNESS CONSULTANT: Having health challenges such as fibromyalgia, lupus, arthritis, asthma, allergies, acid reflux, inflammation and more? Call for a free consultation survey for you, your family and your friends. Call Lisa Galloway at (301-928-1188).

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HOUSING UNLIMITED, INC is a non-profit organization that provides housing for people in mental health recovery. We accept furniture and housewares that are in good condition to furnish our homes. We do pick up. The Housing Unlimited office is (301-592-9314). Thank you.

WANTED: CAR DONATIONS. Support MCPS students by donating your car. Write off up to Fair Market Value! (www.Cars2donate.org) or (240-740-2050).

BOOK DONATIONS WANTED for the American Association of University Women (AAUW) Annual Spring Book Sale in Gaithersburg. To support local scholarships for women and mentoring program for girls and women. Fiction and non-fiction, hardback and paperback, audio books, DVDs. Art, kids', cooking, foreign languages, gardening,

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#### ACTIVITY OPPORTUNITIES

Looking for TENNIS AND/OR PICKLEBALL partner/s for evening hours. I prefer to play at Olney Manor Rec Center with many lighted tennis courts. Please reply to Helen: (HLEE555@gmail.com) or text to (240-817-4213).

EXPERIENCED MAH-JONGG player looking to start a friendly daytime game with flexible hours. Call Diane at (301-706-8141).

MOVIES AND MUNCHIES. Are you looking for something fun to do on a Saturday or Sunday afternoon? How about catching a movie at AMC Wheaton once a month and enjoying a nosh after! No discussion, no

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#### NOTICES

KEEPING SENIORS SAFE — KSS. Morton A. Davis, coordinator and resident of Leisure World is available to discuss theft prevention, driving and shopping habits, frauds, home safety inspection and property crimes to any organization. The program is part of the Montgomery County Police Department Volunteer Resource Section. Morton can be reached at (240-706-1850) or (mortonadavis@comcast.net).

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

HISTORY HOUR: Woodlawn Manor hosts a bi-monthly history hour. Every other month local historians, professors, and authors share their knowledge of regional history. June lecture discusses the history of food in the Chesapeake Bay region. \$8 Admission. June 26 at 7 p.m. Register at (www.ActiveMontgomery.org). For details on lecture subjects visit (www.WoodlawnManor.org), call (301-929-5989), or email (mcp-woodlawnprograms@montgomeryparks.org).

JULY 4TH JUBILEE at Woodlawn Manor Cultural Park! Celebrate Independence Day with live music

and family games at Woodlawn Manor Cultural Park. Food and drink available for purchase. Admission \$15 adults, \$12 children. Register at (www.ActiveMontgomery.org). Saturday, July 6, 2 p.m.-6 p.m. For more information visit (www.WoodlawnManor.org), call (301-929-5989), or email (mcp-woodlawnprograms@montgomeryparks.org).

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WILL BUY MILITARY, WWII, WWI, Civil War memorabilia items. Uniforms, weapons, helmets, photos, medals or any other items associated with U.S., German, Japanese or other military history. Call Dave (240-464-0958) or email (obal7@aol.com).

CASH FOR JEWELRY: gold, silver, costume, diamonds, coins (including foreign), watches, stamp collections. (theatticllc.com) Gary (301-520-0755).

TURN YOUR STERLING SILVER and old gold jewelry into cash and

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BUYING JEWELRY, OLD COINS, antiques, gold, silver, old art, old toys, military items, wristwatches, pocket watches, fountain pens, etc. Tom (240-476-3441).

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