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Board Discusses Budget and Greenlights Committee Changes

by Stacy Smith, Leisure World News

A motion to limit the increase in residents' Community Facilities fee to the consumer price index's 1.6 percent increase failed to pass at the Leisure World Community Corporation (LWCC) board of directors' regular meeting Aug. 27.

The fee increase was at approximately 1.8 or 1.9 percent in the budget

assumptions, said general manager Kevin Flannery, but was increased to approximately 2.4 percent to accommodate a recent change in the Washington Suburban Sanitation Commission's rate structure, which compelled adding approximately \$65,000 to the budget.

Although the motion failed, it led to a broader conversation about the impacts on

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Open Forum: 2020 Leisure World Budget

Wednesday, Sept. 18, at 3:30 p.m.

Residents have an opportunity to make comments and ask questions about the proposed 2020 budget for Leisure World of Maryland in advance of final budget approval by the Leisure World Community Corporation board of directors.

All residents are welcome to attend an open forum on Wednesday, Sept. 18, at 3:30 p.m. in the Maryland Room in Clubhouse I.

Budget and Finance Advisory Committee Chair Phil Marks hosts the program. He and Leisure World general manager Kevin Flannery will answer residents' questions.

And beginning Friday, Sept. 13, residents can pick up a summary budget information package at the Administration Building's reception desk or either clubhouse E&R office.

In the meantime, residents can view a printed copy of Leisure World's draft budget by stopping by the Administration Building's reception desk, the library in Clubhouse I or either clubhouse E&R office.

Residents can also view, download or print a digital copy of the draft budget by signing in to (residents.lwmc.com). Under the "Documents" dropdown arrow, click on "Resident Document Locator," and then in the "Financials" folder, click on the "2020 Community Budget" folder.

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Comcast Installation to Begin Mid-September



Comcast operations manager Melanie Miller, left, discusses the coming Comcast internet and enhanced cable TV service with a resident in the Harbor Room of Clubhouse I on Sept. 3. Photo by Stacy Smith, Leisure World News

by Stacy Smith, Leisure World News

C omcast is set to begin installing internet and cable TV equipment in residents' homes in phases beginning Monday, Sept. 16.

Each unit will receive a postcard from Comcast in the mail approximately two weeks before the company is scheduled to begin installation in that unit's mutual. Residents must schedule an appointment for their home's installation by following the instructions provided in the postcard.

To see when Comcast is coming to your mutual, check out the tentative installation schedule by visiting the Administration Building reception desk or either clubhouse E&R office, or by signing in to (res

idents.lwmc.com) and clicking on the Comcast news alert at the top of the homepage.

A Comcast account representative is located in Clubhouse I Monday through Friday to answer residents' questions and discuss Comcast's products and services, and a second resident forum to address questions is scheduled for Wednesday, Sept. 11, at 4 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom.

A letter welcoming residents to Xfinity internet and enhanced cable TV service was mailed to each unit by Comcast at the end of August.

For a list of frequently asked questions about Comcast's upcoming installation and the services and equipment provided for in the bulk agreement, see page 3.



The resident survey closed in August. For details on the next steps in the strategic planning process, **see**page 4.

Board

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the budget specific to 2020, including the new Comcast bulk service agreement and Montgomery County's minimum wage increase; the language in Leisure World's Trust Agreement about the index; and ways Leisure World might consider increasing its revenue streams in the future.

The board is expected to vote on the 2020 operating budget at its next meeting on Tuesday, Sept. 24.

Special Personnel

The LWCC board directed the original 2018 resolution creating the Special Personnel Advisory Committee be amended to increase the maximum number of members from seven to 10.

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The added Committee members are Jack Dunn, Sue Zycherman and Juanita Sealy-Williams.

"References to the Leisure World general manager performance and contract need additional input from those who know specific job requirements and expectations," according to the rationale for the resolution.

Government Affairs

The LWCC board confirmed the committee appointment and members of the 2019-2020 Government Affairs Advisory Committee. Members of the Committee serve from July 1 through June 30 in order to conform to the Maryland legislative session.

Medical Center

MedStar Health medical center manager of operations Kellia Giambrone provided a status report on the center's operations and services.

A full-time physician and a certified registered nurse practitioner (CRNP) are being recruited by the center to replace Dr. Benjamin Avrunin, who retired in April, and CRNP Darlene Brownlee, who will be leaving the practice on Friday, Sept. 20.

The center's neurology specialty has left the center, but a neurosurgeon was recently added on an external consultation basis.

The medical center's rehabilitation department is successfully trialing aquatic therapy at the indoor pool in Clubhouse II, Giambrone said.

Psychiatry Update

To address the community's growing need for psychiatric services, the medical center is piloting a collaborative care program in which a patient's primary care doctor works with a care manager and a psychiatrist to provide the correct level of care to the patient.

"[The program] opens access to behavioral health, and it's something that's starting to be seen across the country in light of the national shortage of psychiatrists," Giambrone said.

The medical center is also exploring the possibility of having the Jewish Social Services Agency (JSSA) provide psychotherapy services to medical center patients and will provide more information at the upcoming Health Advisory Committee meeting.

Solar Power

Chair of the Energy Advisory Committee Ed Nicosia provided a report on the Committee's findings regarding the feasibility of introducing solar panels to the community's Trust properties.



The MedStar Health medical center is piloting a collaborative care program to address the growing need for psychiatric services in the community. Photo by Leisure World News

Three options were presented to the board along with the cost, payback credit and potential risks and benefits of each.

The board ended its meeting by motioning to enter into a closed session to discuss personnel matters.

To view the LWCC board of directors meeting agenda packets and meeting minutes, sign in to (residents.lwmc. com) and click on "Resident Document Locator" under the "Documents" dropdown arrow. In the Resource Center, click on the "Board of Directors" folder.

The next regular meeting of the LWCC board of directors is on Tuesday, Sept. 24, at 9:30 a.m. in Clubhouse I.

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Frequently Asked Questions: Comcast Internet and Cable TV Installation

by Leisure World News

Comcast bulk rate internet and enhanced cable TV service is coming soon to every home in Leisure World.

But before the Comcast technician sets foot in their homes, residents may already have some questions about installation, and the equipment and services provided for in the bulk rate agreement.

More information will be provided as it becomes available via the community's communications platforms, which include Leisure World News, the robocall system, the resident website, (residents.lwmc.com) and Closed Circuit TV channels 972 and 974.

1. Q: When will I receive my Comcast bulk rate internet service and enhanced cable TV?

A: Comcast will install equipment in residents' homes in phases from about mid-September to mid-December. A copy of the tentative installation schedule is available at the Administration Building's reception desk and both clubhouse E&R offices, and on (residents.lwmc.com). Residents can also ask their mutual assistant or property manager for a copy.

2. Q: How will I know when Comcast is coming to my home?

A: You will receive a postcard in the mail from Comcast about two weeks before equipment installation begins in your mutual. The postcard will include instructions on how to schedule your home's installation appointment. Appointments will be available seven days per week, with appointment time slots available from 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. (last appointment of the day).

3. Q: What should I do if I don't receive a postcard from Comcast in the mail, or if I misplace it?

A: Call the Comcast bulk phone number at (855-638-2855) to schedule an installation appointment.

4. Q: I rent the unit I live in and the current Comcast account is in the unit owner's name. Is it OK if I schedule an installation appointment?

A: Yes, but only if you have the account holder's information, including account numbers and password. You may also which to communicate with the unit owner about the installation.

5. Q: I'm already a Comcast customer. Do I need to let Comcast know I'm going to be part of Leisure World's new bulk rate service?

A: Cable TV and internet billing rates will automatically be adjusted to the bulk rates when the contract begins

on Wednesday, Jan. 1, 2020. No action is required on your part.

6. Q: I currently use another internet and/or cable TV provider. Should I cancel my service?

A: Comcast recommends that you cancel your service after installation is completed in your home.

7. Q: I just moved to Leisure World and I need Comcast to install internet service now. What should I do?

A: Call the Comcast bulk phone number at (855-638-2855) to schedule an internet service installation. When you receive the postcard from Comcast, schedule a second installation appointment for upgraded internet equipment and enhanced cable TV service.

8. Q: I'll be out of town/not available when Comcast is scheduled to install equipment in my mutual. What should I do?

A: Let Comcast know by calling the bulk number at (855-638-2855) or emailing (Comcast_LeisureWorld@comcast.com).

9. Q: Can I have a neighbor or friend let Comcast into my unit on my behalf?

A: Yes, if the neighbor or friend is 18 or older. Let Comcast know when you schedule your installation appointment.

10. Q: I don't use the internet. Do I have to schedule an installation appointment with Comcast?

A: It's not required, but strongly encouraged. Allowing Comcast to install new equipment in your home will provide you with an upgrade to your cable TV service. Installation is free for now, but if you change your mind later, there will be a charge.

11. Q: What can I expect on the day of installation?

A: Comcast estimates that installation in each home will take about 1-2 hours and asks that residents make the

inside of their homes accessible for the technician to install equipment. The technician will provide a brief overview of how to use the new services. Each resident's individual SSID (name of Wi-Fi network) and password will be provided to them on a pamphlet for future reference.

12. Q: What equipment will I receive?

A: Each unit will receive (2) two-way HD digital cable terminals, (2) X1 voice remote controls, (2) digital transport adapter one-way receiver terminals and remote controls and (1) Wireless Gateway modem compatible with Comcast's Xfinity xFi service.

13. Q: Will my Lifeline work with VOIP?

A: Yes, but it will go out during a power outage. Lifeline subscribers can purchase a special battery that provides backup power.

14. Q: I have a DVR. Can the movies and TV programs I've saved on it move to the new Cloud-based DVR Comcast is providing?

15. Q: How much will the bulk rate internet and upgraded cable TV service add to my monthly fee?

A: Beginning Wednesday, Jan. 1, 2020, each Leisure World resident will receive both internet and cable TV service for approximately \$58.75 per month (\$55 for the Comcast bulk rate, plus approximately \$3.75 for taxes and fees required to be paid to regulatory authorities). The eight-year bulk contract rate contains an annual increase of three percent on the Comcast bulk rate portion.

16. Q: I have more questions about Comcast services and equipment. What should I do?

A: You can stop by Clubhouse I to speak with a Comcast representative, attend the forum on Wednesday, Sept. 11, at 4 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom or call Comcast's bulk phone number at (855-638-2855).

With Survey Now Closed, Committee Works with Experts to Analyze Data and Plan Focus Groups

by Arthur N. Popper

The resident survey for strategic planning closed on Aug. 22. The Special Strategic Planning Committee's (SSPC) goal was to get a response from a large number of residents so that the results meet all scientific standards for statistical reliability.

According to survey experts, a 20 percent response rate is considered excellent and gives a real representation of the community. The SSPC is therefore pleased that it received responses from more than 45 percent of Leisure World households.

Of course, there is always the concern that the SSPC did not receive a representative sample of respondents. For example, it is possible that a disproportionate number of residents over the age of 80 responded.

To test the sample, consultants from George Mason
University have turned to
census and other data to determine if the response sample is
an accurate representation of
the Leisure World community.
This analysis is on-going, and if
there is a discrepancy between
the response sample and the
external data, there are well-

tested statistical methods to make adjustments.

The survey data will be used in developing a strategic plan for the community and to inform and develop discussions for focus groups and community meetings. The data will also be archived as benchmarks for future studies and planning efforts.

The SSPC will share the compiled results of the survey with residents via Leisure World's communications platforms as soon as the initial analysis is complete, hopefully by late September or early October.

About one-third of responding residents answered the open-ended question. Since this was not a specific question, a statistical analysis of these responses cannot be done. Instead, the SSPC will review all of the responses and provide an overview of them to residents. The SSPC will also use these responses to help shape the conversation in the focus groups.

Focus Groups

The SSPC is now planning the next step: focus groups. These will consist of six separate sessions for 10-12 residents each (this number is considered to be most effective for discussions of the type intended).

During the sessions, the SSPC's consultants will seek input on results from the survey, as well as seek other ideas. The consultants are expert in running such groups. Everything said at the focus groups will be kept confidential (though the SSPC does appreciate that it cannot stop attendees from talking about what was heard and said).

Selection of Focus Group Participants

The SSPC spent a great deal of time thinking about how to best construct the focus groups. Its conclusion, with guidance from its consultants, was that the groups be selected from all Leisure World resident households (off-site owners not included) on a random basis, and not just from those who responded to the survey.

The list of households from which the consultants will randomly draw participants will be segmented so that both large and small mutuals (as groups) will be represented in the focus groups.

Once the consultants have randomly selected the potential participants, those households will receive a letter in a business-sized envelope with a Leisure World return address. More information is forthcoming.

The letter will invite one member of a household unit (the household members' pick) to attend a focus group. The letter will also give the dates and times for each of the sessions. Sessions will be held in either the early or late afternoon to accommodate working and non-working residents.

If someone in the unit wants to participate, he or she will have to call a special phone number within a limited time frame (provided in the letter) and indicate interest in attending. They will also indicate the date and time of the session(s) best for them.

The number of participants at each session is limited, so the SSPC will fill each session on a first-come, first-served basis. Once a resident is assigned to a session, the SSPC cannot allow for changes because the process would become too complex. If the SSPC does not hear from a resident within the designated time frame, he or she will no longer be able to attend a focus group session and the spot will be re-assigned to another randomly selected household.

Those attending a focus group will be asked to provide their Leisure World ID to ensure that only those selected are in attendance.

Post-Focus Groups

Once the SSPC and consultants have completed the focus groups and compiled the data, they will have several much larger community meetings. However, unlike town hall-style meetings, the Committee and consultants will use proven techniques for small group discussions led by a facilitator.

Participation in the community meetings will be by invitation to randomly selected households, although the SSPC will eliminate households who participated in the focus groups. The Committee will also be considering how it might ensure representation of particular Leisure World populations, but that is for future discussion.

The SSPC encourages every resident to review the survey responses when they are made available. The Committee also encourages every resident invited to a focus group or community meeting to attend – only in that way will the SSPC and consultants be able to better understand and test the ideas of residents.

The SSPC Dr. Terry Clower, the consultant helping to lead strategic planning efforts.

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GOVERNANCE & Information

Sept. 12: MVA Mobile Office Returns

by Leisure World News

N eed to do business with Maryland's Motor Vehicle Administration? The MVA on Wheels returns to Leisure World on Thursday, Sept. 12.

The van will be located in the Clubhouse II parking lot, where the hours of operation are 10 a.m.-2 p.m.



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Services offered include renewal of non-commercial driver's licenses, Maryland photo identification cards and vehicle registration. You also can obtain a duplicate driver's license, a certified copy of a driving record, disability placards, substitute stickers, return tags and duplicate registrations, as well as apply for a change of address.

If you need to register to vote and/or want to register as an organ donor, you can do that at the mobile office, too.

■ Security and Transportation Advisory Committee

Sept. 20: Smart Investing Seminar and Dinner

A reminder to all ticketholders: the free seminar and dinner hosted by the Security and Transportation Advisory Committee (STAC) and the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (FINRA) Investor Education Foundation is on Friday, Sept. 20, at 5:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom.

The event is filled, but residents are welcome to check with the Clubhouse I E&R office by calling (301-598-1300) to see if any tickets have been returned.

For questions or more information, contact STAC chair Herman Cohen at (cyberpi@msn.com).

- Herman N. Cohen

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Executive Committee Meeting
The Sept. 13 meeting airs on
Sept. 18, 19 and 20.

Board of Directors Meeting The Sept. 24 meeting airs on Sept. 30, Oct. 2 and Oct. 4.

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:

- LWMC Management management@lwmc.com
- LWCC Board of Directors board@lwmc.com
- LWCC Executive Committee execcomm@lwmc.com
- Administration administration@lwmc.com
- Communications communications@lwmc.com
- Education and Recreation recreation@lwmc.com
- Physical Properties physical properties@lwmc.com
- Security security@lwmc.com

Sept. 23: Smart DriverTEK™ Vehicle Technology Workshop

by Leisure World News

Technology is changing the driving experience. The new Smart DriverTEK workshop, developed jointly by AARP Driver Safety and The Hartford, will keep you in the know about the latest high-tech safety features in your current or future car

Learn all about blind-spot warning systems, forward collision warnings, smart headlights and more. A free Smart DriverTEK workshop will be offered on Monday, Sept. 23, from 10-11:30 a.m. in Clubhouse I.

The 90-minute workshop

includes an overview of top vehicle safety technologies, a step-by-step guide of how these technologies work, and how they can make driving safer and more enjoyable. Participants also receive a checklist, which offers guidance on what technologies one may need when shopping for a new car or what features may already be in a current car.

To attend this workshop, a ticket is required. Visit the Clubhouse I E&R office beginning on Tuesday, Sept. 10, at 8:30 a.m. to obtain a ticket. Seating is limited. Please bring your Leisure World ID.

GOOD TO KNOW: REAL ID ENFORCEMENT BEGINS OCT. 1



Beginning Tuesday, Oct. 1, 2020 federal security requirements will require that all Marylanders comply with Real ID, an Act passed by Congress that established specific minimum standards for state-issued driver's licenses and ID cards.

IDs must meet these standards to be accepted for certain federal purposes, such as entering a federal building or boarding a domestic commercial flight. ResiREAL ID is a federal security standard for IDs.

The Motor Vehicle Administration's website allows Marylanders to check their Real ID status, make an appointment or learn more about Real ID. Graphic courtesy (www.mva.maryland.gov)

dents whose ID does not meet these standards will be required to carry a passport or passport card to access federal facilities and board commercial aircraft.

Some residents' IDs may already be Real ID compliant, while other residents will have to gather proof of identity documents and schedule an appointment with the Motor Vehicle Administration (MVA).

To check your real ID status, visit (www.mva.maryland.gov/realidlookup) and input your driver's license or ID number, or call the MVA's customer service center at (410-768-7000).

For more information about Real ID, visit (http://www.mva.maryland.gov/realid).

Remember to Use the Microphone

by Leisure World News

Using a microphone when speaking at a meeting is common courtesy; it helps other residents and staff sitting at the table and around the room hear your question or comment.

Using the Mics

If the green light on the microphone is not displayed, then the microphone is off. To turn on the microphone, press the power switch on the right side of the microphone's base to "on."

To speak into the microphone, press the "talk" button on the front right of the microphone's base. The button and part of the microphone's head will light up red.

When finished speaking, press the "talk" button again to end your microphone's amplification and prevent the feedback that occurs when multiple microphones are on "talk" at the same time.

The red light will disappear, but the green "power" light will remain.



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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

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

STAND WITH THE BOARD

First there were nine, now there are three. Three disgruntled people who say the Leisure World Community Corporation board of directors isn't doing what they want.

They say, "the board does not listen to us." Therefore they should be allowed to speak for the 8,000 residents who want no parts of this. What do the plaintiffs really want? They want to stop the new Administration Building, get rid of the two percent purchase fee and lower the monthly fees.

They have already lost several lawsuits on these issues. They couch their continued legal action in terms of defending democracy in Leisure World. Give me a break.

If the judge certifies a class action, we would be suing ourselves for big bucks with big legal fees. Leisure World has already spent thousands of dollars defending against these plaintiffs.

I am certain the board would appeal a decision to certify a class. That could mean years of litigation and skyrocketing legal fees.

We need to tell these plain-

tiffs we don't agree with them. We need to stand with the board.

– Joel Katz

CORRECTION: The

Thoughts and Opinions letter, "Homeowners' Class Action,' which appeared in the Aug. 16 edition of the Leisure World News, was an incorrect version. The correct version appears below.

PLAINTIFF HOMEOWNERS EXPAND CLASS ACTION

Disclosure: As a homeowner and retired consumer class-action lawyer, I am helping the three homeowners suing and their lawyers; I don't speak for them. This is to correct, from my standpoint, the article about homeowners' voting class action that appeared in the July 5 edition of Leisure World News.

In my opinion, the headline should have read, "Homeowners Expand Voting Class Action," not "Plaintiffs Reallege Lawsuit's Original Complaint."

I feel the article misses the key change, which is adding new legal ground for having all homeowners elect each board member of the community homeowners association (Leisure World Community Corporation).

In my judgment, there are other changes that strengthen the homeowners' main claim—that our board did not allow homeowners to vote on changes in the community governing documents.

The Homeowners Association Act requires an affirmative vote of at least 60 percent. This is serious because it affects everything from our monthly fees to buyers' fees to election procedures to the proposed new Administration Building.

In my opinion, without that affirmative vote, the board had no authority to make the changes.

Growing from that basic problem, there are additional claims for:

- 1. breach of fiduciary duties of care, good faith, loyalty and independence; and
- 2. violations of the Consumer Protection Act by unfair or deceptive trade practices in consumer sales.

The lawsuit includes a roadmap for the court to bring Leisure World into compliance with the state laws.

It also asks to repay us for our actual losses and not continuing illegal actions.

For elections, it asks for the defendants to pay for an impartial election consultant to design and implement adequate election procedures for the special election, and to monitor it.

- Carl Shoolman

OPERA OPPORTUNITIES: 'SILENCING OPERA WITH CHESS'

The Chess Club article
"Silencing Opera with
Chess" that was published in
the August 16 issue of Leisure
World News discussed opera's
financial difficulties and
its efforts to survive as live
entertainment.

However, it did not mention one of the new sources of income from the production of "Metropolitan Opera Live in HD"— the films now shown in movie theatres throughout the world, as well as radio broadcasts "Live from the Met."

A series of about 10 operas will be available this season, opening with "Turandot" by Puccini on Saturday, Oct. 12, and ending with "Maria Stuarda" by Donizetti on Saturday, May 9, 2020. Performances are shown in local theatres, such as the Regal Rockville Center in Rockville. Tickets can be purchased online for about \$25. Go to (https://www.metopera.org/season/in-cinemas/) for more information.

By featuring performances in motion picture theatres, perhaps it will be possible to keep opera alive.

- Bob Frechtel

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FEDERALLY PROTECTED SPECIES IN LEISURE WORLD **PATIO HOME**

y partners and I helped a seller through ups and downs of the renovation of their home. The residence had been vacant throughout the process and went into the multiple listings and got several offers within the week. Home inspection was completed. One issue was to remove a bird's nest from the chimney and have the fireplace checked. The seller had not used the fireplace more than twice in many years of ownership.

The buyer commented that the seller would have to deal with the small bird flying around behind the fireplace glass doors! The bird would not likely survive the night. My partners and I went to the property and no bird was in sight. Where was the bird?

Contractors from chimney professionals arrived to do their inspection and provided us with an estimate with the expectation that the work would be completed within a week. Then they told us that the work couldn't be done for

up to six weeks! Settlement was weeks sooner. So, what was the issue?

It turns out that the birds were federally protected wildlife. They are appropriately called chimney swifts. These birds are one of the few that can fly vertically. Through the cooperation of the owner, buyer, mutual board, chimney company and agents, the transaction moved forward.

We contacted the Physical Properties Department (PPD), Landscape Advisory Committee and state wildlife agency for help. It turns out that PPD and the grounds department are not allowed to remedy problems concerning wild animals. Further, we learned that removal of a nest with eggs or babies can result in up to \$15,000 in fines and imprisonment. Any repair work can't be done unless the nest is vacant. The work must be done promptly as the birds may return for a second round.

Thus began project "baby and nest watch." The chimney contractor came by twice a week, and my partners and I came by almost daily to check the inside. Some days there was distressed cheeping from the

fireplace. Settlement occurred with an escrow. Happily, the birds left Leisure World, work was completed and the new owners moved in to peace and quiet.

As agents, we have dealt with squirrels trapped in walls, raccoons in the attic and fox dens in backyards, but never the little known, powerful chimney swifts. The lessons learned: always make sure that a house with a fireplace has a chimney cap; and, if the owner hasn't used the fireplace for years, have the fireplace pre-inspected, repaired or conveyed "as is."

– Sue Heyman



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EVENTS & Entertainment

- Education and Recreation Department
- **■** Foundation of Leisure World

Sept. 7: 'Satisfaction' Rocks Like The Rolling Stones

TRIBUTE SHOW

n Saturday, Sept. 7 comes the show the Washington Post calls "a spot-on portrayal of the

Rolling Stones."
"Satisfaction/
The International
Rolling Stones
Show" is
performed
twice that day
at 4:30 p.m.
and 7 p.m. in
the Clubhouse II
auditorium. The

show is co-sponsored by the E&R Department and the Foundation of Leisure World.

Tickets cost \$15 and are available at both clubhouse E&R offices. Please bring your Leisure World ID.

About the Show

"Satisfaction" was founded in 2001 by its executive producer Chris LeGrand, who performs in the likeness of Mick Jagger. He and the rest of the cast have since played over 3,500 performances and toured internationally. The show demands of its performers adherence to their characters in look, sound and stage presence.

In 2005, the group was the

first to represent the Rolling Stones in the renowned Las Vegas tribute show "Legends in Concert." It was also

> chosen to promote the 2008 Stones biography "Shine a Light."

The group's other projects include "A Symphony for the Devil," in which it travels and plays with

local symphony orchestras, and shows performed jointly with a Beatles

jointly with a Beatles tribute band.

Video and audio samplings of "Satisfaction" can be found on (roll ingstoneshow.com).

About the Foundation

The Foundation of Leisure World is a 501(c)(3) organization that was established for health, educational and cultural purposes.

Contributions to the Foundation may be claimed as deductions on income tax returns to the extent permitted by law.

If your club or organization has a need, email the Foundation at (foundation@lwmc.com).

Musical Performances at the Clubhouse Grille

The following bands will perform from 6-8 p.m. in the Clubhouse Grille restaurant. To make dinner reservations, call (301-598-1330). A \$5 cover charge applies.

Sept. 11 Motown Classic with The Winstons Duo

Sept. 18 The Night and Day Band with Mike Suser and

vocalist Charlene Cochrane

Sept. 25 Swing'N On A Star with Michael Binder

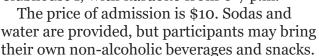
Oct. 2 Jules Levine and The Classy Jazz Band

■ Sock Hop Group

Sept. 7 and 14: Come Sock Hop Dancing

by Abigail B. Murton

The sock hop dances continue with "Sock Hop Live" featuring the band Groove Quest on Saturday, Sept. 7, from 7-10 p.m. in Clubhouse I, with karaoke from 6-7 p.m.



And then on Saturday, Sept. 14, hop on down to Clubhouse II from 7-10 p.m. to dance to the music of "Take Two Entertainment." Karaoke is played from 6-7 p.m. The price of admission is \$5; dancers may bring their own beverages and snacks.

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

■ Fireside Forum

Sept. 8: Program Covers Women in the Military

by Jonas Weiss

On Sunday Sept. 8, retired Maj. Gen. Gale S. Pollock discusses how and why she and other women in the Army managed to break boundaries and become leaders.

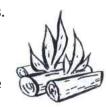
Pollock has a master's degree in healthcare administration, a master's degree in business and a master's degree in national security and strategy. She received an honorary doctorate from the University of Maryland.

She served as the Commander of the U.S. Army Command and as the Acting Surgeon of the Army, the first woman and non-physician to have this role in any of the military services. She was the 22nd Chief of the Army Nurse Corps.

Pollock established the Louis Fox Center for Vision Restoration and became a Harvard University Fellow in their Advanced Leadership Initiative program. Rosalind Kipping will be the host for the speaker.



Maj. Gen. Gale S. Pollock, courtesy photo



Additional Fireside Forum programs this year include:

- Oct. 6 The Issues of Journalism Today with Robert Levy
- Nov. 3 The Smithsonian Castle and the Seneca Quarry with Garrett Peck
- Dec. 1 Challengers and Prospects for the U.S. and Asia with Ambassador Pradeep Kapur

All Fireside Forum programs are free and are held on Sundays at 2:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium.

Expenses for these programs are met by donations by Leisure World clubs and organizations, as well as by individual residents. The Fireside Forum is a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization.

Sept. 13: Feel the Poetry of the Blues

by Grace C. Cooper

The Blues is full of poetry. It does not just have rhythm and rhyme; it has many metaphors and double entendres and other figures of speech that make its language rich and carry meanings not always readily apparent.

On Friday, Sept. 13,
Café AIM again presents the blues singer
Memphis Gold. The
word is out that this
singer gives us a
terrific evening of singing and
interaction with the audience.

Tickets for this performance are sold out.

Lavenia Nesmith

The dynamic and beautiful singer Lavenia Nesmith returns to Café AIM on Friday, Oct. 11. Nesmith is a native Washingtonian and a well-known entertainer in the Washington Metropolitan Area and around the jazz world

She has performed at many local jazz clubs and at other venues around the country, including the John F. Kennedy

Center for the Performing Arts. In addition to her primary presentations of jazz, she enjoys singing gospel songs and has appeared in

a one-woman production as one of her favorite singers, Mahalia Jackson.

Tickets are \$20 each (check only, payable to AIM) and available beginning Monday, Sept. 16, at 8:30 a.m. in the Clubhouse I E&R office. Hors d'oeuvres and snacks are included.

Cocktails begin at 5 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom, and the show is from 6-8 p.m.

Reserved tables for eight or more are available to AIM

members only. Some unreserved tables are available, but seats fill up quickly.

Join Café AIM for a wonderful evening of jazz and fun.



August marked the end of four years of success for Café AIM. All ticket sales are used to help the arts in the Wash-



eight or more Memphis Gold and Lavenia Nesmith, courtesy photos

ington Metropolitan Area and to showcase seasoned performers at Café AIM and provide scholarships and other awards to art students through competitions.

For more information about Arts in Motion's upcoming events, see its Facebook page, (facebook.com/aimartsmd), or website, (aimarts.net).

■ Education and Recreation Department

Sept. 14: Enjoy an Evening Under the Stars with the Dixieland Express



Dixieland Express, photo by Anita Franklin

The band will also play favorite Dixieland music such as "Bourdon Street Parade," "Do You Know What It Means to Miss New Orleans" and "Way Down Yonder in New Orleans," to name

just a few. These are the tunes

that one would expect to hear in New Orleans. Many of the band members have also played with bands in the Big Easy.

The Dixieland Express, which is managed by Leisure World resident and trombonist John Stewart, also performs at the E&R Department's annual Mardi Gras event in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom.

Light snacks will be provided.

A cash bar will be available and a waitress will be on hand to take your order for any food you wish to purchase (on your own) from the restaurant.

Come join the fun and dance, march or just listen to the sounds of the Dixieland Express. Tickets are \$15 per person and are on sale at both clubhouse E&R offices. Please bring your Leisure World ID.

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On Saturday, Sept. 14, from 7:30-10 p.m. on the Clubhouse I lanai, enjoy a pleasant evening under the stars with the Dixieland Express. This is a chance to enjoy the end of summer weather before the cooler temperatures of fall.

The evening will feature well-known local jazz musician Henning Hoehne, who plays clarinet and soprano sax and sings ever-popular tunes such as "A Kiss to Build a Dream On" and "What a Wonderful World." In addition to Hoehne on the reeds and vocals, the band includes the full traditional Dixieland instrumentation of cornet, trombone, tuba, banjo and drums, plus other band vocalists.

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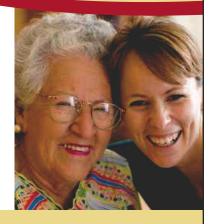
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Sept. 17: La Serenata Performs Even More Smokin' Hot Love Duets

Back by popular demand, La Serenata lights your fire with more of the most thrilling operatic love duets ever written!

The dynamic husband-wife duo of tenor Dr. Harry Dunstan and soprano Kay Krekow, who awed its Leisure World audience last spring, returns on Tuesday, Sept. 17, at 1:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom.

Dunstan and Krekow have made a career of performing opera's most exciting romantic music. Toast to the thrill of loveat-first-sight with the exhilarating "Brindisi" from Verdi's "La Traviata;" be enchanted by the hauntingly mysterious duet from Puccini's little-known masterpiece, "Edgar;" share in the tragedy of forbidden love in Verdi's "Un Ballo in Maschera;" and bring the fire extinguisher for a love too-hotto-handle in Puccini's "Manon Lescaut." This is why people go to the opera!

Tickets for this performance are \$6 per person and are on sale at both clubhouse E&R offices. Please bring your Leisure World ID

About the Performers

A tenor, musicologist, accompanist, translator, stage director, lecturer and independent scholar, Dunstan is the founding artistic director of The American Center for Puccini Studies, and one of the world's leading authorities on the art and life of Giacomo Puccini.

He serves as a consultant to opera companies, conductors and musicians and has been a musical advisor to renowned movie producer Peter Jackson. As well, Dunstan presents seminars on music and the emotional brain in the field of neuroaesthetics and is a member of the Society for Music Perception and Cognition.

Dunstan received a doctorate

degree with distinction in historical musicology from Catholic University and holds a master's degree in vocal performance from The Catholic University of America, and a bachelor's degree in music history from Old Dominion University.

A soprano and accompanist, Krekow is the managing director of The American Center for Puccini Studies and an internationally acclaimed interpreter of the operatic heroines of Puccini. She has sung world premieres and standard operatic and oratorio repertoire at The Kennedy Center, Carnegie Hall and The National Cathedral, as well as in Germany, Italy and the Czech Republic. She is also a specialist in the vocal music of women composers.

A graduate of Stephens College, Krekow received a





Harry Dunstan and Kay Krekow, courtesy photos

bachelor's degree in vocal performance with a minor in music education and organ.

Together they have led several popular classes at Leisure World – "Journeys and Experiences of the Musical Mind," "The Ultimate Puccini Experience" and "The Most Stunningly Beautiful Music Ever Written and How to Listen to It."

For more information on the current class Dunstan is offering and how to register, see the Classes and Seminars section of this edition.





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Sept. 19: 'A Taste of Argentina'

The E&R Department is pleased to bring "A Taste

of Argentina" to Leisure World on Thursday, Sept. 19, from 1:30-2:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium. This is a unique opportunity to learn about the culture, history and mystique behind the Argentine tango.

Using a multimedia presen-

tation, tango artists Tate Di Chiazza and Karen Jaffe will explain some of the intricacies of the dance as they demonstrate the styles as tango dancing evolved.

As the audience listens to

the beautiful and complex tango music, Di Chiazza and

> Jaffe will introduce the audience to the bandoneon, a type of concertina. They will demonstrate how it is played and explain why it is the essential instrument on which to play tango music.

Be transported by Di Chiazza and Jaffe from tango times long past to the tango of today.

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



Di Chiazza is an international artist visiting from Buenos Aires, Argentina. Since his teens, he has studied with masters and now teaches and performs Argentine tango in Buenos Aires.

He has traveled extensively around the world as an instructor and performer of the tango. He toured with the famous show, "Tanguera," from 2002-2009. For more information about Di Chiazza, visit (www.tatetango.

Jaffe lives near Asheville, North Carolina. In her 20 plus years of involvement with tango, she has supported dancers by offering weekly classes and social dances and has organized dozens of events. She has also traveled extensively to continue her own education and to teach. For more information about Jaffe, visit (www.tangogypsies.

■ Hispanos de Leisure World

Sept. 22: Claudia Gargiulo and the DC Latin Ensemble

by Loty Goldenberg

n Sunday, Sept. 22, Hispanos de Leisure World present Claudia Gargiulo

and the DC Latin Ensemble at 3 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium.

The Ensemble will be performing for the fourth time at Leisure World, having been requested by many people because of their very successful previous appearances.

The vocalist, Argentine born mezzo-soprano Gargiulo, and has been trained in classical, jazz and tango music. She currently

voice and promote the Argentine tango and contemporary Latin American music in North America.

She has performed in South

America, Europe and the U.S. at locations that include the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts and Lisner Auditorium at The George Washington University in Washington, D.C.



Claudia Gargiulo, courtesy photo

Gargiulo is joined

by three instrumentalists and two dancing couples.

Tickets are \$10 per person (checks only, payable to Hispanos de Leisure World) and are available in the Clubhouse I E&R office.

■ Ballroom Dance Club

Sept. 28: The Retro **Rockets Play for Dancers**

Tate Di Chiazza and Karen

Jaffe dance the tango.

Courtesy photo

by Joyce Hendrix

n Saturday, Sept. 28, The Retro Rockets, a favorite of the Club's baby boomers, will play for members and guests from 7:30-10:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom.

Because the Club's dances have sold out twice in the last few months, the Club strongly suggests dancers make reservations as early as possible by contacting Hal Freeman at (bobbinhal@

aol.com) or (301-438-7513) no later than Thursday, Sept. 26, to ensure a seat at a favorite table with friends. The Club can't guarantee entry to its dances without prior reservations.

The Club asks that dancers try to arrive on time so the volunteers at the entry desk can enjoy the dance without missing too much dance time. Doors open at 7:15 p.m., and the dancing begins at 7:30 p.m.

With this dance, the Club returns to its winter dress code of jackets and ties for the gentlemen and dressy outfits for the ladies. No hats or jeans, and no tuxes required.



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Oct. 3: Batters Up! Baseball in 1956

On Thursday, Oct. 3, at 2 p.m. in Clubhouse I, return to Washington, D.C., for the 1956 American League baseball season and the All-Star Game between the American and National leagues that was played at Griffith Stadium on July 10.

Bill "Bat Boy" Turner and Ed "Boy in the Scoreboard" Baruch will share their up-close and personal experiences and memories of the 1956 Washington Senators' baseball season, including the 1956 All-Star Game.

The presentation includes rare film clips and secrets and insights into the dugout, bullpen, clubhouse and on-the-field experiences. Relive the excitement of the 1956 All-Star Game, which included Ted Williams, Mickey Mantle and Yogi Berra, among others, playing for the American League. Recall with Turner and Baruch the Life Magazine story as well.

Their story has been featured on WRC-TV, Good Day DC on WJLA, Washington Nationals MASN TV pre-game show, Let's Talk Live on News Channel 8 and on WETA TV. Join "Bat Boy" and the "Boy in the Scoreboard" for a nostalgic look at an exciting season of baseball in Washington, D.C.

Sponsored by the Education





Bill "Bat Boy" Turner, left, and Ed "Boy in the Scoreboard" Baruch, courtesy photos

and Recreation Department, tickets for the program are \$6 per person and are on sale in both clubhouse E&R offices. Please bring your Leisure World ID.

Coming in 2019

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

Sept. 7, 4:30 p.m. Sept. 7, 7 p.m. Sept. 14, 7:30 p.m. The Rolling Stones Tribute
The Rolling Stones Tribute
An Evening Under the Stars
with the Dixieland Express
Artemis Dance Group (sold out)

Sept. 15, 7 p.m. Sept. 17, 1:30 p.m.

La Serenata

Sept. 19, 1:30 p.m. Oct. 3, 2 p.m. "A Taste of Argentina" Bill "Bat Boy" Turner and I

Bill "Bat Boy" Turner and Ed "Boy in the Scoreboard" Baruch on the 1956 Washington Senators Baseball Season

Oct. 5, 9:30 a.m. Fall Flea Market

Oct. 10, 2 p.m.

Rhythms of the Soul with Renee Anderson

Oct. 18, 9:30 a.m. Community Fair

Watch Leisure World News for more information on these and other upcoming programs throughout the year.





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■ Education and Recreation Department

Oct. 5: Resident Vendors' Fall 2019 Flea Market

Join your friends and fellow residents on Saturday, Oct. 5, from 9:30 a.m.-2 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom and Maryland Room for the semi-annual Leisure World Flea Market

Sign up for market space in the E&R office in Clubhouse I, beginning Tuesday, Sept. 10, at 8:30 a.m., through Friday, Sept. 27, or until space is filled.

Residents only are eligible to rent vendor space at the market and a resident must be present at the table at all times.

To accommodate the greatest number of residents and groups, space is limited to a maximum of 12 feet of space (the equivalent of two 3x6' tables or one 3x6' table and one rack) per rental. Tables can be rented at \$18 for 3x6' and \$9 for 3x3'.

One chair is provided for a 3'x3' table, and two for a 3'x6' table. The fee for extra chairs is \$1 each. A limited number of clothing racks are available to rent for \$10 each.

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

Tables, chairs or racks cannot be brought into the sale. (Display racks that fit on top of rented tables are acceptable).

Merchandise may not be

placed on chairs, next to or in front of tables and racks. Space is limited. Placing items around the rented space impedes traffic and is a major safety concern and therefore is not permitted.

Beginning Oct. 5, at 7:30 a.m., numbers will be given out to flea market vendors who want help bringing merchandise into the clubhouse.

Market vendors may begin bringing in their merchandise at 8 a.m. The market will open to the general public at 9:30 a.m.

Keep in mind that clothing offered for sale at the market must be clean and in good condition.

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

Individuals and organizations are responsible for the collection and payment of sales tax. You may obtain this sales tax license from the Maryland State Department of Assessments and Taxation at (taxes. marylandtaxes.gov/Business_Taxes/Business_Tax_Types/Sales_and_Use_Tax/).

Remember that the items you are willing to part with may be your neighbor's sought after treasures.

Join us for a fun-filled day!

Oct. 10: Experience 'Rhythms of the Soul'

o you like to dance like no one is watching?

Sing like no one is listening? Play hand instruments like a maestro? Then join in on the fun with other Leisure World friends for a creative, handson workshop lead by Lady Renee Anderson on Thursday, Oct. 10, at 2 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom.

This workshop will offer African drumming, dancing, singing and the use of percussion instruments. No prior experience is required, just the willingness to explore your inner creativity! Participants should also bring a scarf and dress comfortably for movement.

A Leisure World resident, Anderson is CEO/founder,

and artistic director for Imani Productions & Associates. Imani Productions is a collaborative project with more than 35 years of experience working with adults and youth in cultural education. This collaborative uses performing arts to inspire

positive self-esteem, spiritual motivation and multicultural education.

Sponsored by the E&R Department, tickets are \$5 per person and go on sale beginning on Tuesday, Sept. 10, at 8:30 a.m. in both clubhouses. Please bring your Leisure World ID.



Lady Renee Anderson. photo by Kimberly Y. Choi



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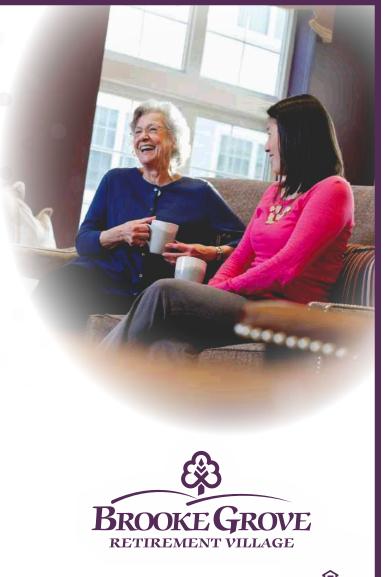
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> To schedule your appointment, contact Toni Davis at 301-388-7209 or tdavis@bgf.org.





Sept. 13: 'Intacto'

by Loty Goldenberg

■ ispanos de Leisure World presents the film "Intacto" (2001, 1 hour 48 minutes, drama/romance/ thriller, rated R for thematic material, Spanish with English subtitles) on Friday, Sept. 13, at 3 p.m. in Clubhouse I.



the story of four people whose lives are intertwined; they must depend on each other

while they gamble in a deadly game in which only one will end up emerging intact. Each one is a survivor of different disasters.

The movie presentation is free and no tickets are required. All residents and their guests are welcome to

attend. Coffee, tea and cookies are available after the movie.

Written and directed by Juan Carlos Fresnadillo, the film tells

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

Sept. 12, 1 p.m. Sept. 29, 2 p.m. Oct. 17, 1 p.m. Oct. 27, 2 p.m. Nov. 10, 2 p.m.

Movie

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■ Cannabis 101 Club

Sept. 18: 'The True History of Marijuana'

by Carminetta Verner

n Wednesday, Sept. 18, the Cannabis 101 Club presents the film "The True History of Marijuana" (2010, 1 hour 20 minutes, documentary/history, not rated) at 2 p.m. in the Clubhouse II

auditorium.

This documentary depicts how hemp and marijuana were used years ago, including the cause of its demise and resurgence by enthusiasts. Residents may be aware of some of the information in this documentary, but may have never seen all

the history of marijuana in one film. This documentary is an eye-opener and should not be missed.

The film showing is open to all residents and their guests; tickets are not required. Save the date and time for this must-see film.

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

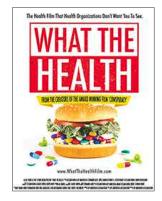
■ Vegetarian Society of Leisure World (VSLW)

Sept. 19: 'What the Health'

n Thursday, Sept. 19, the Group will show the movie "What the Health" (2017, 1 hour 37 minutes, documentary, not rated) at 7 p.m. in Clubhouse II.

The documentary critiques the health impact of meat and dairy product consumption and questions the practices of the leading health and pharmaceutical organizations. The film advocates for a plant-based diet.

The movie showing is free and all residents are welcome to attend.



- Bob Fenichel

■ Jewish Residents of Leisure World

Sept. 25: 'The Last Resort'

by Jonas Weiss

(ewish Residents of Leisure World (JRLW) and the Bender Jewish Community Center of Greater Washington show the movie "The Last Resort" (2018, 1 hour 10 minutes, documentary/history/not rated) on Wednesday, Sept. 25, at 1:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium.

The film is a delightful love letter to Miami's South Beach, where thousands of Jewish retirees from New York came to seek refuge from the Northeast's brutal winters in the 1970s.

All residents are welcome but sign-up is required. The cost to attend is \$8 per person (check only, payable to JRLW). Sign-up begins on Tuesday, Sept. 10, at 8:30 a.m. in the Clubhouse I E&R office.





■ Education and Recreation Department

Sunday Afternoon at the Movies

Sept. 29: 'The Wife'

The E&R Department is pleased to present "Sunday Afternoon at the Movies." The movies are shown at 2 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium.

On Sunday, Sept. 29, the featured film is "The Wife" (2018, 1 hour 39 minutes, drama, rated R for language and some sexual content).

Free tickets, limit two per person, are required and can be obtained beginning on Tuesday, Sept. 10, at 8:30 a.m. in either clubhouse E&R office. Please bring your Leisure World ID.

Joe and Joan, a married couple, are on their way to

Stockholm where Joe will receive the Nobel Prize for Literature. But what about her? Joan reflects on her life and relationship with her

husband, and she is at her breaking point. How will this end?

Based on the book by bestselling author Meg Wolitzer, the movie stars Glenn Close as Joan Castleman and Jonathan Pryce as Joe Castleman.

Sunday 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 that no one will be seated after 2 p.m.



■ Friends of India Association

Oct. 5: 'Gandhi'

by Nalini Kukke

On Saturday, Oct. 5, the Friends of India Association presents the movie "Gandhi" (1982, 3 hours 11 minutes, biography/ drama/history, rated PG) to commemorate the 150th

birth anniversary of Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi.

The movie will be shown from 3-6 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium and is open to all residents and their guests. Admission is free and tickets are not required.

Directed by Richard Attenborough, the film is about a remarkable person who

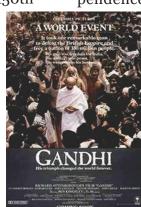
took on the British Empire to free India and her 350 million people from colonial rule – through peace and with humanity and humility as his weapons. His triumph changed the world forever. Gandhi was born on October 2, 1869. He was an Indian lawyer, politician, social activist, eminent freedom activist and an influential political leader who played a dominant role in India's struggle for independence from British rule.

With his unusual yet powerful political tools of non-violence (Satyagraha), he inspired several other political leaders all over the world, including Martin Luther King Jr., Nelson

Mandela and Aung San Suu Kyi. Every year, his birthday is celebrated as Gandhi

Jayanthi, a national holiday in India, and also observed as the International Day of Non-Violence.

For further information, call Madhav Deshmukh at (716-783-0801).









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HEALTH & Fitness

■ Living Better with Parkinson's

Sept. 10: Neurologist Speaks on Parkinson's

by Ray Weil

A t the Group's next meeting on Tuesday, Sept. 10, Dr. David Whitney, a movement disorders neurologist from Inova Medical Group, speaks on the diagnosis and treatment of Parkinson's disease (PD). The meeting is at 3 p.m. in Clubhouse II.

All meetings occur the second Tuesday of each month from September through May at 3 p.m. in Clubhouse II. Light refreshments are served.

About the Group

The Parkinson's Support Group has become Living Better with Parkinson's – Leisure World Support Group.

The purpose of the change is to signal the Group's intent to emphasize ways to improve quality of life for persons with PD and related movement disorders – from current research breakthroughs and understanding of PD, to a means of developing fuller participation in daily activities and experiences that will allow the Group to better meet the challenges of PD proactively.

As a further step in this direction, the Group has been having a weekly informal "coffee club" every Tuesday at 10 a.m. in the Terrace Room of Clubhouse I. The small, lively group gathers for mutual education, discussion, shared experiences and observations, and a variety of topics beyond the clinical and scientific subject matter of PD.

The best part is getting to know each other better than is possible at the Group's more formal monthly meetings. Both the monthly meetings and the Tuesday morning coffee club are open to all persons with PD, their spouses and caregivers, friends and others who are interested.

■ Stroke Support Group

Sept. 17: Learn Exercises for Better Balance

by Amy Boltz

The Stroke Support Group meets monthly on the third Tuesday of the month from 1-3 p.m. in Clubhouse II.

The Group offers educational programs by healthcare professionals who address issues related to stroke prevention and rehabilitation as well as other topics.

Peer support group discussions enable stroke survivors and their family members and caregivers to learn from and inspire each other. Meetings are free and open to the community.

On Tuesday, Sept. 17, the Group will celebrate "Falls Prevention Month" by providing a Grow Young Fitness video showing simple, safe and effective balance exercises for seniors. This topic should be of interest to all residents, not just stroke survivors.

Attendees will be invited to follow along with routines intended to improve their confidence, reduce the risk of a fall and improve quality of life. All exercises can be done either sitting or standing (no need to get down on the floor).

Light refreshments will be available. The Group's helpful peer support session for stroke survivors and their family caregivers will meet from 2-3 p.m.

To RSVP or obtain more information about the Group or this meeting, contact Amy Boltz, Group president, at (248-652-0304).

■ Lions' Vision Support Group

Sept. 11: Retina Specialist Speaks to Group

by Larry Cohen

The incidence and prevalence of low vision will double by 2050, according to the National

Eye Institute (NEI). Currently, 80 percent of all people with low vision are over age 65.

Many of the causes of low vision cannot be reversed at this time, but the progression can be halted with the right care. Many definitions for low vision exist, but the most prevalent is vision less than 20/60 in a person's good eye.

To learn more about low vision and its treatment, join Dr. Catherine Cukras, head of clinical investigation of retinal disease at the NEI, on Wednesday, Sept. 11, from 10 a.m.-noon in the Clubhouse II auditorium.

Learn about current research outcomes of retina disorders, including treatments to slow the progression of visual impairment and reduce the chances of life-altering falls. Cukras will also provide information on participating in NEI research efforts.

Also attending will be two of

Leisure World's social workers and a physical therapist from MedStar National Rehabilitation Network.

The free event is sponsored by the Lions Club of Leisure World in cooperation with The Beacon Newspapers and the Prevention of Blindness Society of Metropolitan Washington.

Light refreshments and resource information will be provided. The event will serve as the Group's September meeting.

For more information, contact Larry Cohen, facilitator of Lions' Vision Support Group facilitator, at (301-244-8004). All residents and their guests are welcome.



Dr. Catherine Cukras, photo courtesy the National Eye Institute

Free Support Groups Begin Meeting at Medical Center

by Leisure World News

As a new support group for those living with chronic illness forms, the popular support group for people living with diabetes returns from its summer hiatus.

The chronic illness support group will meet on the second Thursday of the month beginning Sept. 12, from 4-5 p.m. The group is for anyone living with a chronic disease, such as diabetes, COPD, chronic heart failure/heart disease, stroke, kidney disease, end-stage renal disease or sickle cell anemia.

The diabetes support group restarts on Thursday, Sept. 26, and will meet on the last Thursday of each month from 1-2 p.m. Members will receive information on knowing and controlling their hemoglobin A1c, blood pressure and cholesterol to help manage their diabetes.

To register for either of these free support groups, call (301-774-8881, option 4) or visit (MedStarMontgomery.org/classes).

The medical center is located adjacent to the Physical Properties Building at 3305 North Leisure World Boulevard.

Sept. 17: Conflict Resolution for Seniors and their Adult Children

by Sandra McLeskey

o you have problems communicating with your son or daughter? Does it seem your children are always telling you what to do or not do?

If so, consider attending a talk about the topic on Tuesday, Sept. 17, at 1:30 p.m. in Clubhouse I.

The program is free, but tickets are required to ensure sufficient seating. To obtain tickets, visit Clubhouse I E&R office beginning on Tuesday, Sept. 10, at

8:30 a.m. Please bring your Leisure World ID

Christopher Page, executive director of the Conflict Resolution Center of Montgomery County, will speak on increasing interpersonal understanding between seniors and their adult children. He especially will help people understand what works and how to let go of things that don't work in their efforts to resolve differences.

About the Resolution Center

The Conflict Resolution

■ Memory Café

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Sept. 26: 'How to **Improve Your Balance** and Prevent Falls'

by Nooshin Javan

At the next Memory Café on Thursday, Sept. 26, Terrie Daniels, senior fitness and wellness specialist at Brooke Grove Retirement Village, will present her seminar, 'How to Improve Your Balance and Prevent Falls.'

The seminar is from 2-3:30 p.m. in Clubhouse I, and all residents are welcome.

Daniels will teach attendees how to prevent falls and provide specific exercises that people can do every day to

improve their balance.

About Memory Café

The Memory Café meets on 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.

They mediate many types of

disputes besides those between

including neighbor-neighbor,

and business-client disputes. Additionally, they train people

in skills to prevent, manage,

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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).

■ FISH (Friends in Sickness and Health)

Borrow from FISH

by Beth Leanza

FISH accepts donations of medical equipment, such as incontinence supplies, baskets for walkers and other walker accessories, as well as assistive equipment including canes and elevated toilet seats. Better to give away than to throw away!

These items are kept in the front area of the FISH office and are not limited to Leisure World residents. For example, a health aide may take them for clients.

FISH no longer accepts foot braces, oxygen tank tubes, diabetic equipment and CPAP machines. FISH also does not accept household items.

Those donating items are asked not leave anything outside of the FISH area in the Clubhouse II basement.

Borrowing Items

Completely staffed by volunteers, the FISH office is located in Clubhouse II. FISH volunteers do not usually have any medical training, but do strive to make sure equipment is safe to use.

Feel free to try equipment out by borrowing it first from FISH! FISH keeps the tradition of issuing loan forms for wheelchairs, tub stools (also known as shower chairs), commodes and walkers. While FISH suggests a short-term loan, it is not in a great hurry to get equipment back.

Borrowers who need to keep an item may ask FISH president Beth Leanza by calling her at (301-598-4569).

Volunteering

FISH is always looking for new members. Residents interested in volunteering should contact Beth at (301-598-4569). FISH suggests all volunteers take a training/orientation session with a current volunteer.

Charitable Collections

Some organizations such as the Kiwanis Club and the Lions Club of Leisure World have collection boxes in the FISH office.

Kiwanis helps Ronald McDonald House by collecting can tabs, and the Lions Club of Leisure World collects eyeglasses and hearing aids. Groups, clubs or organizations that want to start a collection, even for a short time, should contact FISH. Be sure to include contact information on the donation box.

Lost and Found

FISH also houses found items that have been lost by someone. If calling the FISH office after 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, be sure to call the Clubhouse II E&R office at (301-598-1320) and they can help locate a found item.

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Oct. 4: Doctor Addresses 'Type 2 Diabetes and Diverse DNA'

by Fred Shapiro

n Friday, Oct. 4, the Center for Lifelong Learning (CLL) and the National Institutes of Health (NIH) present

Dr. Prabarna Ganguly for her discussion on "Type 2 Diabetes and

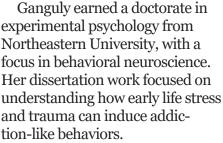
Diverse DNA."

The program is at 2 p.m. in Clubhouse I. While the program is free, residents are asked to register by stopping by the Clubhouse I E&R office or calling (301-598-1300) beginning on Tuesday, Sept. 10, at 8:30 a.m., to ensure adequate seating.

Type 2 diabetes is a chronic condition that affects more than three million individuals in the U.S. Changes in DNA play a crucial role in forming the disease.

In this talk, Ganguly will provide a background on type 2 diabetes and discuss why diversity matters when studying DNA and diseases and how diversity is slowly being included to enable better genomic research, and what it means for you.

About the Presenter



She received a bachelor's in biology from Bard College in 2013. Her thesis helped discover

locations in DNA where newly discovered anti-cancer drugs bind, with implications for treatment.

Ganguly is a science writer at the National Human Genome Research Institute (NHGRI), with a passion for communicating genomics research in a way that is accessible to the academic and public audiences. Her work involves writing content for digital and print media, including news articles and press releases for publication on the institute's main website, (genome.gov).

She utilizes her knowledge of genomics and biomedical research, and expertise in creative content creation to expand the NHGRI's communication portfolio through infographics, video and audio elements.

NIH has been a partner with the Center for Lifelong Learning for the past few years. The programs brought to Leisure World have been very informative and helpful to

Register for the Oct. 4 program and attend to add to your knowledge of what concerns us as we age.

For more information on all CLL courses and lectures, visit (www.cllmd.com).



Dr. Prabarna Ganguly, courtesy photo

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Oct. 15: Author Speaks on Overcoming Adversity and Learning to Thrive

by Bob Stromberg

On Tuesday, Oct. 15, at 11 a.m. Eileen Lenson, author of the book, "Overcoming Adversity: Conquering Life's Challenges" will provide a free talk about how to not just overcome adversity and survive, but to thrive.

The talk is at 11 a.m. in Clubhouse I. Although free, residents are asked to sign up by stopping by the Clubhouse I E&R office or by calling (301-598-1300) beginning on Tuesday, Sept. 10, at 8:30 a.m.

About the Presentation

While everyone is 100 percent guaranteed to experience adversity, not everyone will know how to successfully cope with challenging situations. And it needn't be that way, Lenson says. Adversity is complex, but fortunately,

people who find themselves in a painful place can learn how to seek healthy coping options and change their lives for the better.

Lenson explains that there is a paradox in rebuilding one's life after a traumatic event; that getting to the other side of adversity isn't about locking the door behind you, or being done without difficulty. Rather, it is about realizing that even though life as you know it may never be the same again, you can, and must, move forward with your life.

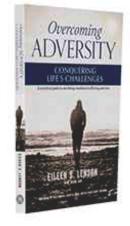
The presentation will provide in detail how to push past obstacles and create changes to a situation. She shares practical ways to calm the brain, manage feelings, experience choices, implement changes and find the courage to go forward, in spite of the uncertainties in your life.

Lenson's professional background includes treating people in crisis for more than 30 years as a licensed psychotherapist and now as a life and business coach. To learn more about her

work, visit her website at (www. LensonLifeCoaching.com).

Her presentation will conclude with free handouts with suggested exercises and keepsake reminders that will help attendees develop the





resourcefulness to not only overcome adversity but to emerge stronger than before.

Be there early and enjoy free refreshments.

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).

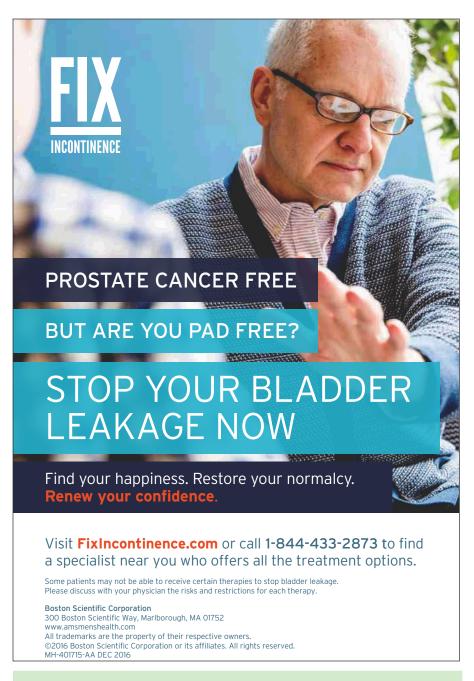
Alcoholics Anonymous (AA): Newcomers welcome. (If outside Leisure World, check in at the main gate.) Meetings are Mondays at noon (Step Meeting) and Thursdays at 6 p.m. (Big Book) in Clubhouse I. For questions, contact Laurie at (240-558-4454).

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. Caring-Matters 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.



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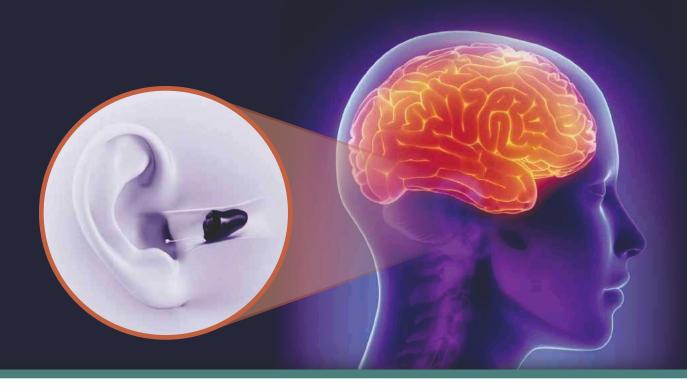
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Mindful Meditation Group Forming

by Rhona Bosin

A new group is forming in Leisure World – Mindful Meditation.

The purpose of the Mindful Meditation group would be to learn and practice mindfulness for greater clarity, improved focus, relaxation, stress management, decreased anxiety, increased awareness and sharing insights.

Mindfulness is the practice of bringing attention to the present moment. It cultivates wisdom and compassion. The Mindful Meditation group would be research-based and non-religious.

The format would be as follows:

1. a seated, silent meditation with minimal guidance, followed by a silent walking meditation that starts with brief instruction (option to remain seated)

2. a short reading or tape related to mindfulness, followed by a thoughtful discussion about the reading

Sometimes, the group would have an alternate format, such as a guided visual meditation or the use of simple art techniques for expression or insight. The group would always end with thoughtful discussion.

Whether you are new to meditation or experienced, all are welcome. The group would be held in the evening. If interested in the Mindful Meditation group, contact Rhona Bosin at (RhoMelody@gmail.com).

■ Yahoo Groups

Join Yahoo Groups to Connect with Community

by Paul Eisenhaur

Leisure World's

Yahoo Groups are an online forum and email listserv that provides informal communication with neighbors and the opportunity to seek information, post announcements and share photos and files.

Yahoo Groups is not an official part of Leisure World's governance, but governance members may post on the site in their capacity as a resident. But their thoughts are their own and do not necessarily reflect the governance position. The listserv is not intended as a 'bully pulpit' for any resident.

Recent post subjects have included 'Pharmacies: Rite Aid vs. CVS,' 'Donors,' 'Produce at LW,' 'Magazine Donations Needed' and 'LWCC BOD Summary.' All postings should be very mindful of following the Yahoo Group guidelines.

The Yahoo server has many layers of security and will require user verification when signing up for an account. This listserv is monitored daily to assure stated group rules are being followed.

To join, go to (https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/leisureworldmd/info) and follow the instructions. If you have an issue or question, contact the moderator, Paul Eisenhaur, at (paule@lwm10.com).

■The Washingtonians

Sept. 7: Group Meets for Final Organizational Meeting

by Ann Nash

The final organizational meeting will be on Saturday, Sept. 7, at 1 p.m. in Clubhouse I. Attendees will review and vote to adopt the bylaws, formally establishing The Washingtonians Club of Washington, D.C. natives.

Checks for prorated dues of \$7.50, payable to The Washingtonians, will be collected at the end of the meeting.

Plan to enjoy relaxed, bi-monthly gatherings with other Washingtonians that may include videos and lectures on the city's history and events, an occasional trip to town and other activities of common interest, topped off with refreshments.

For more information, contact Ann Nash at (branchaffairs etc@gmail.com) or (301-598-2383).

■ Kiwanis Club of Leisure World

Kiwanis Donates School Supplies to Students

by Jack Colvis

The Kiwanis Club of Leisure World thanks the several residents who heard the call and came on Aug. 20 to assist Club members to package the donated elementary school supplies.

Together they filled 34 paper grocery bags with much-needed school items for Harmony Hills Elementary School. The bags were packed into the trunk of two cars and delivered to the school, which is five minutes from Leisure World.

Several more community service project workshops are being planned that will need the help of residents. Kiwanis will be making sandwiches to be delivered to a local shelter for the homeless and painting small rocks with inspirational words to be placed around Leisure World.

Residents who enjoy this type of volunteer work are encouraged to lend a helping hand. Better yet, consider becoming a chartered member



Kiwanis members and other residents package school supplies for elementary school students on Aug. 20. Photo by Robin Handleman

of the Kiwanis Club of Leisure World!

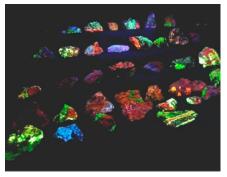
To express your interest, contact Heather

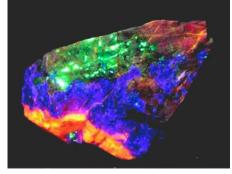
Benjamin-Alexis at (240-433-0948), Susan Leshner at (240-558-3110) or Jack Colvis at (301-598-5380). Interested residents

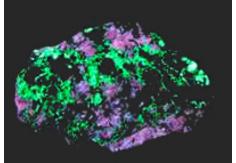
are encouraged to visit a Kiwanis Club meeting on the third Friday of any month at 12:15 p.m. in Clubhouse I.

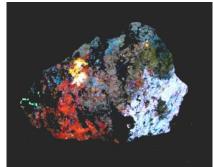
The Kiwanis Club of Leisure World operates under the charter of Kiwanis International. More information about the Kiwanis International organization is available online at (www.kiwanis.org/about/mission/).

Sept. 11: Learn About 'Fascinating Fluorescence'









From left, fluorescent minerals inside the ultra-violet dark room at the Gaithersburg gem show and individual specimens under ultraviolet light. Photos courtesy

by Frank Roddy

The speaker for the next L Gem, Lapidary and Mineral Society (GLMS) meeting on Wednesday, Sept. 11, is Chris Luzier of the Montgomery County GLMS. He will give a talk called "Fascinating Fluorescence" at 7 p.m. in Clubhouse II.

Many geology specimens look like ordinary rocks under normal lighting conditions, such as sunlight or indoor lighting, but some are spectacular under ultraviolet light, glowing with amazing colors totally unlike what they might look like when picked up in nature.

Luzier will discuss the world-famous zinc mining district of Franklin and Sterling Hill, New Jersey. Franklin is known as the fluorescent mineral capital of the world

as there are more than 80 different fluorescent minerals present there. The Franklin/ Sterling Hill district has been known for many years as also having the most mineral species of any other mineral locality in the entire world.

The Franklin Mine itself has been closed since 1954, but this locality holds a special and unique place that still drives Franklin mineral collectors crazy by trying to acquire specimens from a mine that has been closed for 65 years!

Luzier will cover some of the different species of fluorescent and non-fluorescent minerals present with a colorful PowerPoint presentation with a multitude of pictures. There will also be specimens to peruse and personally examine under the ultraviolet lamp that Luzier will brings. An overview of the phenomenon of fluorescence and also instructions on how you can dig your own fluorescent minerals will be shared as well.

Come join the Group for an exciting look at very beautiful rocks that really glow in the dark!

About the Speaker

Luzier has been on the board of directors for the **GLMS** of Montgomery County for many years. He has held the position of president and vice president, and is currently the Downstairs Show chairman for the annual show held in March at the Gaithersburg Fairgrounds.

He is an avid collector of fluorescent minerals and enjoys sharing his knowledge of them with anyone who is interested. He specializes in Franklin and Sterling Hill and the history of the area,

the mines and the miners themselves.

About GLMS

The GLMS of Leisure World holds meetings monthly on the second Wednesday of the month at 7 p.m. in Clubhouse II. All residents are welcome. Membership is \$15 per year with the Club year starting in September.

Lapidary laboratory facilities are extensive and for use by all members trained by shop steward Mark Parker. Members can make their own jewelry. The annual lab fee is \$15 for residents. For more information, contact Mark at (Kb3wuk@gmail.com) or (240-723-5860).

Questions concerning membership should be directed to Frank Roddy, GLMS president, at (roddy. frank2014@comcast.net) or (301-598-3698).

■ Center for Lifelong Learning (CLL)

Oct. 7: Discover How to Protect Your Assets

by Fred Shapiro

ith the passage of time, the investments and savings that older Americans have accumulated over their working years are greatly influenced by the economy and, in many cases, their emergency needs.

Seasoned attorney Mindy Felinton will address this topic in her presentation, "Protecting Your Assets," on Monday, Oct. 7, at 2 p.m. in Clubhouse I. Learn how to plan ahead to secure your holdings.

Felinton will discuss the mistakes people should avoid when making their estate plan and how they can protect their families and their money from possible nursing home costs.

Sponsored by the Center for Lifelong Learning, the program is free but residents are asked

to register beginning Tuesday, Sept. 10, by either calling (301-598-1300) or stopping by the Clubhouse I E&R office to assure adequate seating.

About the Presenter

Felinton has over Mindy Felinton, courtesy 37 years of experiphoto ence as an attorney, with a primary focus on elder law and estate planning. She is an active member of the bar associations in Maryland, Wash-

ington, D.C. and Florida. She is also a member of the National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys. In addition, Felinton is accred-

ited by the Department of Veterans Affairs to file claims for benefits for wartime veterans age 65 and older. Her legal services extend throughout Maryland, Washington, D.C. and

Southern Florida. Felinton has received the

"Clients' Choice" award from (Avvo.com), a website that claims to be the largest online lawyer directory and rating

service. She also hosts a weekly TV show on Montgomery Municipal Cable Channel 16 called "Senior Solutions" that addresses topics affecting seniors and their loved ones.

She lectures to other attornevs on elder law issues and most recently spoke before the Maryland State Bar Association on veterans' benefits.

Prior to her focus on elder law and estate planning, Felinton was an assistant state attorney and special prosecutor for animal abuse cases.

For information on all CLL lectures and classes, visit (www.cllmd.com).



Art Guild Kicks Off its New Year

by Myra Baum

The Rossmoor Art Guild ■ (RAG) is excited about kicking off its 2019-2020 year, a year that will bring art lovers new classes, instructors, workshops and more. RAG really offers something for everyone.

Open House

Everyone is welcome to join RAG for an open house on Thursday, Sept. 12, from 1-3:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse I art studio.

Enjoy refreshments while you meet the art teachers, renew old friendships and make new ones, register and pay for membership and classes and pick up bargains on frames, books and other art supplies that are on sale.

New Classes

RAG offers seven six-week class sessions each year. The first of these is the Fall I Session which begins Monday, Sept. 16, and ends on Saturday, Oct. 26. Nine classes are planned for this session, and there's still time to register before classes start. Classes include:

• Basic Drawing with Alexandra Michaels (beginners) – Students use pencil and chalk pastels to

learn the basics of all art: line, value, composition and perspective.

- All Media I with Ron Erlich (all skill levels) -Students work with watercolor, acrylics, oil, pencil, etc. to develop skills.
- All Media II with Ron Erlich (all skill levels) Working with any medium, students explore composition, color, light and narrative quality.
- Oils and Acrylics I with Genevieve Roberts (all skill levels) – from the basics to creating landscapes, figurative work, miniatures and more.
- Oils and Acrylics II with Bill Mapes (Some knowledge of acrylics and oils required) – Students develop skills working with brushes and palette knives.
- Watercolor I with Millie Shott (beginners) –for all students seeking greater creativity with watercolors.
- Watercolor II with Firouzeh Sadeghi (all skill levels) – A structured approach to learning and progressing with watercolor painting.
- People and Pets with Doris Bryant (all skill levels) – Learn to use

vour favorite medium to capture people and pets in portraits or in action.

• Abstract Art-Any Medium with Hija Yu (all skill levels) – Use your favorite medium to explore a fresh, new approach to your art.

The class schedule, with more details, is posted in the



The art studio recently purchased new desks and easels with grant money provided by the Foundation of Leisure World. Photo by Judy Kirkland

art studio vestibule.

■ Ceramics Club

Ceramicist Duo of the Month Display Asian-Style Art

by Meriel Brewer

his month, the Ceramics Club is displaying the innovative artwork of two sisters.

Pauline Lu, born in Jian Xi Province, mainland China, and Molly Pei from Taipei, Taiwan, are basically self-taught artists. As young girls they learned Chinese brush painting, color blending and calligraphy, which they apply so well in their ceramic projects.

In addition to making mugs for family and friends with their favorite cartoon figures, as well as other ceramic pieces evoking her Asian influence, Lu enjoys handiwork such as knitting, needlepoint and quilting.

Prior to moving to Leisure World four years ago, Pei was the only cake decorator for 20 years at the Carvel Ice Cream shop that she owned. This was a natural lead-in to the Ceramics Club, where she would continue to apply her Asian background and artistic talents to her various creations.

Both sisters say they love the friendships that have developed over the course of their three years with the ceramics studio and are grateful for the help and the willingness of other members to share their experiences.

You, too, may come expe-





Above: a ceramic project created by Lu (left two) and Pei (right two), photo by Dottie Patch. Below: Molly Pei, left, and Pauline Lu, photo by Nicholas Pei.

rience the camaraderie and friendship while learning a new and self-satisfying craft. Annual membership in the Ceramics Club is only \$10 per year and includes personal training and all materials needed for your first project. Call Beth or Janice at (301-598-1312) to arrange your initial appointment.

While viewing the Club's September showcase in Clubhouse II, stop by the studio to visit with the ceramicists at work and browse the Club's selection of lovely giftwares - some great ideas for special occasions or the upcoming holidays, the proceeds of which are donated to local charities.

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Members Urged to Submit Print and Digital Photos for the Open Competition

by Fred Shapiro

ith the new year starting for the Rossmoor Camera Club, two events are scheduled to help members improve their photography skills.

The first of these is a presentation by Loanne Jackson, George Kaye and Jean DeSchriver

on how they got involved in photography and what they look for when taking photos. This presentation is on Tuesday, Sept. 10, at 7 p.m. in Clubhouse II. All residents are welcome to attend.

On Tuesday, Sept. 24, the Club will hold its first competition. It is an Open competition, as opposed to competition featuring a specific subject, and provides Club members the opportunity to submit what they consider their better photos for a visiting judge to review and make comments about how to improve upon them.

Members can submit up to four photos for the competition – two print and two digital. Entries should be submitted to (RossmoorLW@ gmail.com) by Tuesday, Sept. 17. Members should also specify the titles of the prints they wish to be critiqued by Jill A. Bochicchio at the meeting on Tuesday, Oct. 15.

October Meeting

And at the Oct. 15 meeting, Club members will find out what they could have done to improve on their open competition photos when Bochicchio, ranked among photography's top professionals, critiques them. The meeting is at 7 p.m. in Clubhouse II.

Bochicchio considers the following 12 concerns when critiquing photos, listed in order of most to least importance: impact, technical excellence, creativity, style, composition, presentation,







At left, Jill A. Bochicchio, photo by Tim Kelly. At right, "At First Light" and "Car Named Harriet" by Jill A. Bochicchio

color balance, center of interest, lighting, subject matter, technique and storytelling.

About the Judge

Bochicchio has crafted a reputation for creativity and excellence. The Maryland Professional Photographer's Association (MDPPA) named her Photographer of the Year for five consecutive years, and Kodak Corporation honored her with five Gallery Awards for Photographic Excellence.

Her photography business specializes in portraiture. She loves photographing for competitions. Her subjects, besides portraits, have been landscapes, waterscapes, flowers and animals, among others.

Bochicchio has earned both a professional master of photography degree and a craftsman degree, and is certified through Professional Photographers of America (PPA). She has received the PPA Award and the Southeastern Award for outstanding service to photography.

Her articles have appeared in several photography magazines and she is a popular speaker and judge for amateur and professional photographic organizations.

She holds a bachelor's degree in commercial art and jewelry and taught black and white photography at Montgomery College for three years prior to opening her

own photography business 37 years ago.

About the Club

For residents interested in ioining the Club and learning how to improve their photographs, there are two levels of membership.

Members who expect to compete in the monthly competitions pay dues of \$25 for the

year. Residents who wish to join the Club to learn more about photography but are not interested in competing pay dues of

Mail checks for dues to Woody Shields at (Rossmoor Camera Club, 3200 N. Leisure World Blvd., Apt. 817, Silver Spring, MD 20906). For more information about the Club, visit (rossmoorcameraclub.com).

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Club Seeks Volunteers to Help with Dances

by Joyce Hendrix

n Saturday, Sept. 28, The Retro Rockets play for members and guests from 7:30-10:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom. For more information, see the Events and Entertainment section of this publication.

Help Needed

Are you interested in helping the Ballroom Dance Club? The Club needs:

- 1. a nominating committee by Tuesday, Oct. 1, to select officers to replace those retiring in December.
- 2. several people to help out at the front desk on a rotating basis at each dance to take new membership information.
- 3. a decorating committee to take care of centerpieces for each dance.

Contact Hal Freeman at (bobbinhal@aol.com) or (301-438-7513), or president Joyce Hendrix at (301-598-3038) to offer help. The Club has a lot of plans for future dances, but needs help to succeed and

continue.

The Club is also considering having a 30-minute dance lesson prior to the 7:30 p.m. dance if there is enough interest. Let the Club know if you would like to come early for a dance

lesson in 2020 by contacting Hal or Joyce.

Club Information

Residents who have not attended one of the Club's monthly dances are encouraged to do so. The dances are held on the fourth Saturday of each month, January through

November, from 7:30-10:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom, and all dances feature live music. Reservations are strongly suggested.

All types of ballroom dance music, including waltz, foxtrot, samba, rumba, tango, cha cha, merengue, quickstep, swing, hustle and polka, are played in strict ballroom tempo. Put on your dancing shoes and come dance with

Upcoming Dances

On Saturday, Oct. 26, the annual Halloween Dance with costumes optional will be held and will feature The Helmut Licht Trio, one of the Club's favorite musical groups. Prizes will be given for the best single and couples costumes.

The Saturday, Nov. 23, dance will feature the Tony Luciano

Perrie, LLC, Leisure World's catering company, will

sponsor two dinner dances in December. The Holly Ball on Saturday, Dec. 7 will feature Swing'n On A Star and the New Year's Eve Dance will feature the Mike Surratt Trio.

Reservations for both dances can be made with Perrie, LLC by calling (301-598-1330) or at any of the Clubhouse I restaurants.

Past Dance

The Club's Hawaiian dance held in August had a great turnout, with more than 100 dancers at 13 tables. Attendees had their pictures taken as they were presented with leis upon entry to the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom.

The pictures will be given to the August participants at the September dance. During the second intermission, three students of Carol Bartels, one of the dance instructors who attends the Club's dances, showcased their ballroom dance skills.

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Regular Monthly Meetings and Shows Return

by Hannette Allen

Fun and Fancy Theatre Group began a new year of regular monthly meetings and shows on Sept. 4, with Pat McConnell's show, "Color My World."

The meetings, always on the first Wednesday of the month at 7:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium, are short, followed by about 40 minutes of entertainment provided by Fun and Fancy members.

Attendance is free to members who have paid their \$10 yearly membership fee, and \$5 for one-time attendance by non-members. Refreshments follow all monthly meetings and shows.

Membership in Fun and Fancy is for anyone who enjoys theater, particularly musical theater. It's a great opportunity to sing, dance and act, and work on lights, sound, scenery, costumes,

publicity, ticket sales and any other aspect of live performance. For those without experience who want to learn a new skill, help is enthusiastically provided.

And the Group is also for those who prefer enjoying the performances from the audience. The audience is very necessary and much appreciated.

'70, Girls, 70' Coming

"70, Girls, 70" act out part of a scene from is Fun and Fancy's "70 Girls 70." Photo by biannual "big Margurite Mathieu show," presented this year by a professional director, music director and choreographer. It is a

will be enjoyed by all.

Meet the Cast

The show's "love interest"

delightful, tuneful show that

couple, Walter (Steve Bennof) and Eunice (Mary Jane Boyle), ask the audience:

Do we? Do we? / That's what you want to know, isn't

> it? Do we? Do we? / That's what disturbs you so, isn't it? / He looks ancient, chewing his Gelusil, doesn't he? / She was famous nursing at Bunker Hill, wasn't she? / You sit there wondering if we really ring that bell. / Do we? Eat your hearts out, kids, 'cause we'll never tell.

Harry (Ernie Poland) explains the planned crime caper. He makes it perfectly clear, except what do F.N, L.X., F.S., O.S. O.C., and N.C. mean? Who are X, A, B, S, and H? How does Bloomingdale fit in?

All will be revealed onstage in November.

Tickets

Be sure to watch for the special opening night party with the cast on Friday, Nov. 15.

Tickets for this night only are \$15. All other performances are \$10. Ticket sales start Monday, Oct. 21.



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Renew Your Garden Plot for 2020

by Judy Elrod

D espite the number of days of 90-degree plus temperatures, this summer was drier than last year and has resulted in beautiful flowers and bountiful vegetables. Many varieties of butterflies, birds and bees are enjoying the garden as well.

Plot Renewal

Garden plot renewals and new applications are now being accepted for 2020. All plots that have not been renewed will be considered vacant or abandoned and will be available to new applicants.

Residents who do not wish to renew their plot must clean and prepare it for the next gardener, which will also ensure that their deposit is returned.

Residents may pick up a copy of the 2020 garden rules and regulations and the application form at the Clubhouse I E&R office, or sign in to the resident website, (residents.lwmc.com), and print a copy.

To renew a plot, take the completed application and a check, payable to the Garden Plot Group, to the Clubhouse I E&R office before Sunday, Dec. 1.

If you love gardening or want to plant the garden you've always dreamed about, now is the time. New applicants should submit the completed application to the Clubhouse I E&R office. Do not include a check. You will be contacted by the registrar who will provide a list of available plots from which to make your selection. A check will be required once a plot has been assigned to you.

Annual Potluck Dinner and Garden Winners

The Group held its annual awards dinner on Aug. 19. Members feasted on a variety of appetizers, salads and desserts, many made from their garden produce.

Certificates and gift cards to Home Depot were presented to the 2019 garden winners: best flower garden – Shanta and Ajit Kayal; best vegetable garden – Norman and Chan Holly; and best combination garden – Mary Lalley. Congratulations to this year's winners.

Feeding Others

Traditionally, the Group has donated produce to food banks. This year, the Group's gardeners have donated 302



A butterfly suckles from a flower in the garden plots. Photo by Judy Elrod

pounds of vegetables to Nourish Now in Washington, D.C.

Meetings

The Group's meetings are held on the second Tuesday of the month at 9:30 a.m. in Clubhouse I. Members are encouraged to attend as the Group prepares for 2020.

Elections will take place later in the fall. Volunteers for a proposed social committee are also being sought. Please join us!

■ Vegetarian Society of Leisure World (VSLW)

Food Fair, Meeting and Dinner

by Bob Fenichel

An International Vegetarian Food Fair is held on Sunday, Sept. 15, from 1-4 p.m. at the Capital Memorial Church of Seventh Day Adventists in Washington, D.C.

The address is 3150 Chesapeake Street, NW, only a few blocks off of Connecticut Avenue in the fourth alphabet of streets. The cost for an unlimited sampling of

more then 100 different ethnic vegetarian foods, many vegan, is only \$10 for seniors.

More information and directions are available at (www.capitalmemorial.org/coming-up/food-fair).

Next Meeting

The next meeting of the VSLW is on Thursday, Sept. 19, at 7 p.m. in Clubhouse II. The Group will show the movie "What the Health." For details about the film, see the Events and Entertainment section of this publication.

Great Sage

Because of the popularity of last month's visit to the Great Sage restaurant, VSLW will return there on Wednesday, Sept. 25.

The Great Sage restaurant is located at 5809 Clarksville Square Drive in Clarksville. Due to the relatively small size of the restaurant and our anticipated large group size, the Group will again be meeting for a late lunch at 2 p.m.

The Great Sage restaurant has an extensive vegan menu, so consider studying the menu online ahead of time at (www.greatsage.com). RSVP by Sunday, Sept. 22, to Helen Gross at (hgross75@verizon.net) or (301-438-2077).

About the Group

Additional information on VSLW activities is available 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."



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Time to Celebrate the Jewish New Year

by Carole Mund

A'AMAT has a newly designed card for the Jewish New Year. The cost is \$10 for five cards.

The price is comparable to commercial cards and all monies collected support the programs that NA'AMAT USA sponsors. Full donor credit is given. To purchase cards, contact Lenore Kalen at (301-922-4348).

Fashion Show and Luncheon

Open to members and non-members, the annual luncheon and fashion show is often a sold-out event. The upcoming fashion show and luncheon is on Wednesday, Oct. 16, in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom.

NA'AMAT Club members will model fashions by J. Jill of Montgomery Mall. Watch your mail for more details. For questions, contact Harriet Chaikin at (240-560-7487).

Notable Documentary

On Wednesday, Nov. 6, at 12:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom, NA'AMAT RBZ Club shows the documentary film "Heading Home: The Tale of Team Israel" (2018, 1 hour 27 minutes, documentary/ comedy/drama, not rated).

Men and women will enjoy this film that traces the creation of a team to represent Israel in the World Series of Baseball. Learn about the process of gathering players with Jewish heritage from all over to the world to join this amazing team.

Following the movie there will be a brief discussion to share reactions and thoughts.

Refreshments will be served. The cost to attend is \$5 a person, to be paid at the door. So be sure to attend to share in the pride of the team that represents Israel.

Executive Board Meetings

Residents as well as those living outside the community are welcome to attend. The executive board is open to new ideas and encourages participation by the community. It is an excellent way to meet the people that are dedicated to the mission of NA'AMAT.

The next meeting is on Tuesday, Sept. 17. This month the Group will gather for breakfast at 10 a.m. in the Terrace Room in Clubhouse I prior to the meeting.

Book Club Update

NA'AMAT RBZ has a book club that meets on the fourth Wednesday of each month to discuss literature chosen by the club. The book chosen for September is "Where the Crawdads Sing" by Delia Owens, and, for October, "Educated: A Memoir" by Tara Westover. Contact Barbara Tahler at (240-669-6961) for the meetings' times and places.

Upcoming Events

- Oct. 30 An overnight trip to Dover Downs, Delaware. Check the Club Trips section of this publication for more information.
- Nov. 13 Eyre Tours has a trip scheduled to Riverside Theatre to see "Annie." Mention NA'AMAT and the organization will receive a stipend, and you will receive donor credit.
- Dec. 3 Annual Game Day with specially homemade kugels and other refreshments served. Games begin at 11:30 a.m. Contact Barbara Rothenberg at (301-438-8260) if you would like to assist in planning this event.

Future possible events include an omelette brunch and trips to Signature Theatre and Toby's Dinner Theatre.

For more information about NA'AMAT RBZ Club, contact co-presidents Linda Schoolnick at (301-681-1076) and Gladys Blank at (301-438-9666). For membership questions and information, contact Harriet Chaikin at (240-560-7487). For tribute cards, contact Lenore Kalen at (301-922-4348).



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■ Jewish War Veterans Charles B. Krieger Post 567

Sept. 8: 'Normandy – 75 Years After the Landings'

by Jerome "Jerry" Cohen

he Jewish War Veterans Post 567 brunch is on Sunday, Sept. 8, and features retired Col. Harvey T. Kaplan, Ph.D., U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, who will present "Normandy – 75 Years After the Landings." The brunch is at 10:15 a.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom.

Post 567 member Kaplan and his wife, Naomi, recently returned from a visit to Normandy, marking the 75th Anniversary of the Allied landings there in June of 1944. They will present a slideshow of their photographs, which include views of Utah and Omaha Beaches today, including some of the remaining German fortifications. Selected pictures from their trip relate to Jewish history and sites in Normandy.

If you wish to attend this Sunday's brunch and presentation and have not yet registered, call Jerry Cohen at (240-970-5024) to make a reservation.

October Brunch

A special professional musical performance is planned for the brunch on Sunday, Oct. 13. Voices of Vets featuring the fabulous Kassie Sandacz will perform in Leisure World for only the second time. Make your reservations early as a large turnout is expected.

The buffet brunch includes eggs, tuna fish, lox, bagels, salad, coffee, Danish and more. Tables of eight to 10 may only be reserved with payment for all tablemates, and their names are to be included with the reservation. Otherwise, open seating on a first come first served basis will be in effect.

For the October brunch, make the reservation check (\$14 per person) payable to "JWV 567." Mail reservations by Saturday, Oct. 5, to Andrea Goldberg at (15107 Interlachen Dr., Apt. 106, Silver Spring, MD 20906). Include a note with your name, address, number of persons attending and the total amount enclosed.

■ Jewish Discussion Group

Rabbi to Address Group at September Meeting

by Jerome "Jerry" Cohen

S pecial guest speaker Rabbi Gordon Fuller will discuss his book, "Coping with Adversity: Judaism's Response to Illness and Other Life Struggles," at the Jewish Discussion Group's (JDG) next meeting on Sunday, Sept. 22, at 10:30 a.m. in courtesy photo Clubhouse I.



What situations have you faced in your life or are currently facing that feel challenging? Come and hear how Fuller's book uses values from Judaism's time-tested, 3,500year history to help people deal with adversity in their lives. He brings the experience of a social worker, educator and pulpit rabbi to these sensitive issues.

"Combining the medical experience of a cardiologist with the Judaic knowledge of a rabbi, 'Coping with Adversity' draws on the practical wisdom of ancient Jewish teachings and scripture to help people of all faiths.

The advice, inspiration and comfort from the vast stores of Judaic heritage uplift the spirit and give encouragement to those facing illness, mental anguish and uncertainty," according to (Amazon.com).

After his talk, Fuller will sign copies of his book, which will be sold at the special price of \$10 per copy.

General Information

The Group will not hold discussion sessions in August and November. JDG invites people of all faiths to attend these free discussion group sessions held on the fourth Sunday of every month from 10:30 a.m.-noon in Clubhouse I.

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





Sept. 18: Writer/Director Discusses 'Life is Rich'

by Barbara Eisen

The movie event featuring
"Life is Rich" that had been
canceled because of winter
weather has been rescheduled for
Wednesday, Sept. 18 at 2 p.m. in
Clubhouse I.

Bonnie Rich, the writer/ director of this entertaining documentary, will show clips of the movie and lead an interactive discussion.

The film is a real-life comedy about a Jewish mother determined to convince her adult daughters that they should raise her one-day possible grandchildren Jewish. The film received the Audience Award at the Washington Jewish Film Festival in 2018.

Free popcorn will be provided. The cost of the program is \$5 by either a check, payable to Hadassah, or cash. The fee will be collected at the door and will go to Youth Aliyah/Children at Risk.

The meeting is open to everyone. However, residents

are asked to RSVP to either Judy Rumerman at (judyrumerman@gmail.com) or (301-680-0850), or to Bobbi Gorban at (bprem@aol.com) or (301-838-4336) to ensure adequate seating. Bring your spouses and friends to this enjoyable afternoon program.

Study Group

The Hadassah Judaic Study group's monthly meeting on Monday, Sept. 16, will focus on the topic, "So how many commandments can be observed today? Some sages say 271."

The meeting, which is open to all residents, begins at 1:30 p.m. in Clubhouse I. There is no charge, but attendees are invited to make a small contribution to further medical research and patient care at Hadassah's hospitals in Jerusalem.

Marcia Elbrand, one of the study group's four current facilitators, will lead the discussion. "Traditionally, lists of commandments (mitzvot) for Jews to follow number 613, but most scholars agree that nearly 342 cannot be observed in modern times. We will focus on the ones that still are able to be done today," Elbrand says.

For questions, contact planning committee members Shari Goldstein at (240-293-6442), Marcia Elbrand at (marciaelbr@gmail. com) or (216-496-6633), Peri Schuyler at (301-869-2968) or Naomi Kline at (nbk165@comcast.net).

Gift and Cards

Hadassah is selling small gift items at reasonable prices at its meetings. These include scarves, ponchos, winter gloves and hats and socks. Buy something for yourself or for friends and relatives. All proceeds go toward Hadassah projects.

Elaine Schenberg and Jan Bloom sell Hadassah greeting cards. The prices are now \$3 each for one to three cards and \$2.50 each for four or more cards. Rosh Hashanah cards are now available at these same prices. Cards are displayed and sold at every Hadassah meeting. Call Elaine at (301-598-0079) or Jan at (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.

For more information, 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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Sept. 10: Free Lecture on 'Jewish Communities in the Aftermath of Crises'

by Jonas Weiss

Rabbi Seth Bernstein lectures on "Jewish Communities in the Aftermath of Crises" on Tuesday, Sept. 10, from 7:30-9 p.m. in Clubhouse I.

While the news covers these tragedies, what happens to communities afterwards is usually not covered. The program, sponsored by Jewish Residents of Leisure World (JRLW) and the Haberman Institute, is free, but residents as asked to contact Rebecca Leavey at (301-770-4787) to make a reservation.

Brunch

On Sunday, Sept. 15, JRLW hosts a brunch featuring Darryl Davis, a popular

pianist who played for Chuck Berry for 32 years.

He will take attendees on a musical stroll down rock 'n' roll memory lane with his presentation, "Jews Who Sit at the Table of Rock 'n' Roll."

The program is at 10 a.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom. The event is sold out.

Art Lecture

Myrna Teck of Jewish Art Education lectures on Jewish artist Marc Chagall on Wednesday, Sept. 18, at 10:30 a.m. in Clubhouse I.

Learn about this 20th century Russian-French artist and his artwork, and its role in Jewish history.

The program, sponsored by JRLW and the Bender Jewish Community Center (JCC) of Greater Washington, costs \$8

(check only, payable to JRLW) at the Clubhouse I E&R office beginning on Tuesday, Sept. 10 at 8:30 a.m.

Documentary

JRLW and the
Bender Jewish
Community Center
of Greater Washington show the
documentary movie
"The Last Resort"
on Wednesday, Sept. 25, at
1:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse II
auditorium.

For details, see the Events and Entertainment section of this publication.

High Holy Days

The Rosh Hashanah holiday begins on the evening of Sunday, Sept. 29. The cost to attend High Holy Day services is \$110 for JRLW members and \$146 for non-members. A convenient form with details is in the JRLW newsletter.

To purchase tickets for the services, mail a check, payable to JRLW, to JRLW treasurer Marsha Bernstein at (3210 N. Leisure World Blvd., Apt. 921, Silver Spring, MD 20906).

Enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope to receive tickets by mail.

And bring breadcrumbs to celebrate Tashlich on Monday, Sept. 30, at 4 p.m. at The Overlook's pond.

October and Beyond

Dr. Ira Weiss presents a six-week course on Israeli cinema beginning on Friday, Oct. 11. For details, see the

Classes and Seminars section of this publication.

Save the date for a Havdalah Sabbath evening service with cantor/guitarist Wendy Gonzalez, and a Malava

Malka light meal on Saturday, Nov. 2.

Religious Services

Rabbi Gary Fink leads a Conservative Sabbath service on Friday, Sept. 6, at 7:30 p.m. in The Inter-Faith Chapel. And then on Saturday, Sept. 14, Cantor Michael Kravitz leads a Sabbath service at 9:15 a.m. in Clubhouse II.

Rabbi Moshe Samber and volunteers hold abbreviated Sabbath services and discussions of Torah and Mishnah on Saturday, Sept. 7, 21 and 28 at 9:15 a.m. in Clubhouse II.

Donations

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

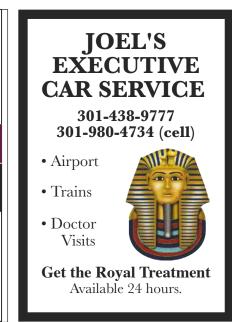
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Join or Renew Membership

Members and prospective new members filled the Activities Room in Clubhouse II to meet each other and learn about JRLW activities.

To follow through and join or renew a membership, mail a check for \$20, payable to JRLW, to Marsha Bernstein at (3210 N. Leisure World Blvd., Apt. 921, Silver Spring, MD 20906).





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Is Suffrage Still Relevant, or Is it Just History?

by Maxine Lewack

This year, the League of Women Voters recognizes the 100th anniversary of the passage of the 19th Amendment, guaranteeing women the right to vote.

Consider the following data from the U.S. Census Bureau: in the 2018 general election, the total turnout was 53 percent of the voting age population, the highest midterm turnout in 40 years.

Turnout among women was 55 percent. Turnout among white voters was 57.5 percent, 51.4 percent among African-American voters, 40.4 percent among Hispanic voters and 40.2 percent among Asian voters.

Are everyone's views being heard? The most common reason for not voting was: "too busy." What were they doing?

Next Meeting

Join the League of Women Voters for its first meeting of the season on Wednesday, Sept. 11, at 10:15 a.m. in Clubhouse I. After meeting and greeting new members, the League will challenge members' knowledge of a few of the facts surrounding the passage of the 19th Amendment.

And then the League will turn to some serious issues, such as: Why were black women left out of the suffrage movement?; Are there any lessons from the past that are relevant for today?; and What is the most effective way the League can increase voter turnout and participation in civic affairs?

All residents are welcome, men and women, to attend the Sept. 11 meeting.

Constitution Day

The League of Women Voters of Maryland co-sponsors the annual Constitution Day program on Monday, Sept. 16, at 12 p.m. in the Ceremonial Court Room of the University of Maryland Carey Law School, located at 500 West Baltimore Street in Baltimore.

The program's subject is "The Constitution and a Changing Climate." A panel of four professors from the School of Law will be featured. A reception follows at 1:15 p.m. Attendance is free. For questions, call (301-328-1845).

■ Unitarian Universalists

Sept. 24: 'Human Trafficking Prevention in Montgomery County'

by Dave Edfors

n Tuesday, Sept. 24, the Unitarian Universalists presents a program by Dr. Wendy Stickle entitled "Human Trafficking Prevention in Montgomery County" at 2:30 p.m. in Clubhouse II. Human trafficking has existed for centuries; however, it is an emerging crime in Maryland.

Human trafficking is not something that only occurs in far away, underdeveloped regions of the world; it is occurring right in our own backyards. Within the past month, a local massage parlor was shut down and the female owner arrested and charged with human trafficking and prostitution.

Increasing peoples' aware-

ness of human trafficking is one of the most powerful tools we have to combat this issue in Montgomery County.

Stickle is the

About the Presenter

director of the University of
Maryland Criminology and
Criminal Justice program

at the Universities at Shady Grove.

Her research interest in

human trafficking began when she was asked to teach a 15-week course on the topic several years ago. Since that time, she has increased her advocacy efforts by acting as the academic advisor to the Montgomery County Human Trafficking Preven-

tion Committee.

She has designed and

implemented human trafficking education abroad with programs in Thailand and Italy and is the co-author of the first criminology-focused textbook on human trafficking, to be published this month.

Join the Unitarian Universalists on Sept. 24 for this thought-provoking and informative presentation. Light refreshments and conversation will follow the program.

Residents don't have to be members of the Unitarian Universalists to attend its meetings. All residents are welcome.



Dr. Wendy Stickle, courtesy photo

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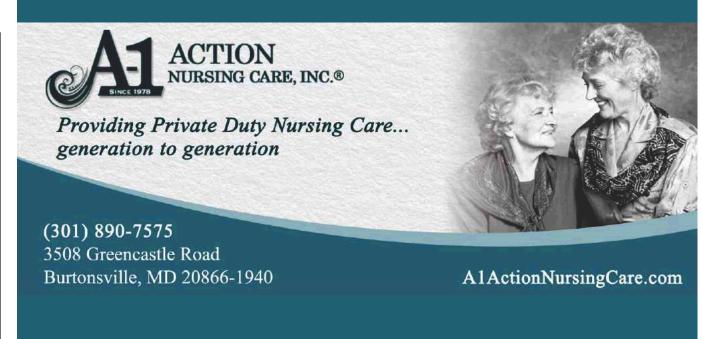
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Sept. 16: Member of Tuskegee Airmen Speaks at Meeting

by Joe Cook

hapter 1143 will have two meetings in September, both open to all residents.

On Monday, Sept. 16, special guest Major Anderson from the Tuskegee Airmen, a famous group of World War

II fighter pilots, will speak at 2 p.m. in Clubhouse I.

Those interested in attending should check the Chapter's website at (https:// narfe1143.org) for the exact room.

The Chapter gratefully acknowledges the support of the Leisure World Association of African American Culture in this endeavor.

Border Crisis

On Friday, Sept. 27, the Chapter will hear two more special guests at 6 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium: Alan Bersin, former "Border Czar" under Presidents Clinton and Obama, and Dr. Sharon Rea, who is very active in working on refugee issues.

Rea is already familiar to many residents as both a minister and wife of Dr. Woody Rea, pastor at The Inter-Faith Chapel.

Look forward to a

very special evening as they address how the border crisis arose and what can be done about

Come to the Cabaret

The Chapter has discount tickets available on a first come, first basis to the Wednesday, Oct. 2, performance of "Cabaret," which

will be performed at 2 p.m. at Olney Theatre Center. Tickets are \$45 each.

Set in Berlin in 1929, "Cabaret" has the bouncy, carefree tunes reminiscent of the Roaring Twenties, and the ominous undertone of the rise of Hitler.

Those who wish to see the show are asked to mail a check, payable to NARFE Chapter 1143, to Jewel Lee at (3528 Chiswick Ct., Silver Spring, MD 20906).

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■ Republican Club

Sept. 17: Secretary of Aging Shares Department's Latest **Developments**

by Fred Seelman

¬he next meeting of the Republican Club is on Tuesday, Sept. 17, at 7 p.m. in Clubhouse I.

At the meeting, residents will hear about the latest developments in the area of aging from

Gov. Larry Hogan's highest appointee in that area: Secretary of the Maryland Department of Aging (MDOA) Kramer, photo Rona Kramer.

Kramer advocates for seniors in Maryland and leads the MDOA's efforts to protect the rights and quality of life of older residents. Most importantly, she provides them with the services needed to allow them to age in

The MDOA runs an array of programs that inform and empower seniors.

of their choice.

their homes in the community

Besides being involved in combating elder abuse and financial exploitation, the MDOA administers programs and services in the areas of

wellness, nutrition, long-term care, housing, retirement communities, caregiver support and legal assistance.

Attend the next meeting and tell the MDOA Secretary what you think of Maryland's senior services and any additions and improvements that may be needed.

Send comments or questions about these or any other Club matters or offers to volunteer to Club president Fred Seelman

at (fseelman@gmail.com) or first vice president Robert Kammer at (301-847-9820). And join the Club for another quality event on Sept. 17.



Secretary Rona courtesy (aging. maryland.gov)





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■ Democratic Club

Club's Straw Poll a Win for Biden

by Pat Duran

large gathering was on hand to take part in the MOGRATIC CIE straw Democratic poll held during the Club's happy hour on Aug. 8.

The runaway winner was former Vice President Joe Biden with 71 votes, which was more than half of those voting. Following Biden was Sen. Elizabeth Warren with 26 votes, Sen. Kamala Harris with 10 votes, Sen. Amy Klobuchar with eight and Mayor Pete Buttigieg with seven. No other candidates garnered more than two votes.

Barbara Noveau and Gwen Stewart from the Democratic get-out-the-vote organization Do The Most Good gave an energetic and informative presentation, with an excellent video describing the Democratic Party's best path to regaining the Senate and White House.

Among the elected officials joining the festivities were

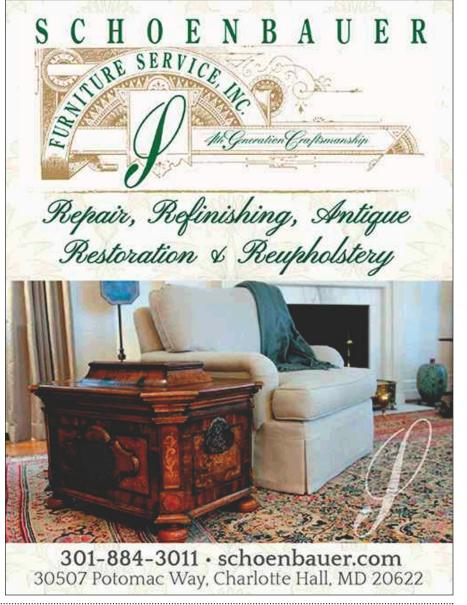
Montgomery County Executive Marc Elrich, District 19 Delegates Bonnie Cullison and Vaughn Stewart, At-Large Mont-

> gomery County Council Members Hans Riemer and Evan Glass and Montgomery County Sheriff Darren Popkin. They all engaged in spirited discussions with Club members.

Finally, a match game tested the attendees' familiarity with the Democratic candidates' policy proposals, with high scores all around!

Upcoming Events

- Sept. 12 An evening with Rep. Jamie Raskin at 7:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom
- Oct. 3 Al Redmer Jr., Insurance Commissioner for the State of Maryland, speaks at a forum on long-term healthcare from 2-4 p.m. in Clubhouse I.



Sept. 25: Learn About the Healthy Green Maryland Amendment

by Sarna Marcus

n Wednesday, Sept. 25, Rabbi Nina Beth Cardin speaks on the Healthy Green Maryland Amendment to Maryland's Bill of Rights at 2 p.m. in Clubhouse I. This amendment would give Maryland residents the right to a clean and sustainable environment.

Cardin had been scheduled to make her presentation earlier in the summer but had to cancel, but she is quite eager to address residents on this proposal that will be introduced at the start of the next session of the Maryland legislature.

This event is co-sponsored by LW Green, the Unitarian Universalists of Leisure World and the Jewish Residents of Leisure World.

All residents and their guests

are invited to attend this free presentation.

Solar Power

While there are currently no solutions to totally reverse the climate damage that has already been inflicted, there are multiple actions that can be taken throughout the world to slow down the effects. Even a place such as Leisure World can play a role in this effort.

The Governor and the legislature of Maryland have committed the state to the goal of deriving half of its electricity from renewable sources by the year 2030.

Part of this effort will be millions in grants to encourage solar arrays on roofs, parking lots and other places, according to articles that appeared in The Washington Post. The



Students strike for action on climate change in Marseille, France. Photo courtesy (commons.wikimedia.org)

world.

Government Affairs Advisory Committee is positioned to learn the particulars of the new state initiative.

The Energy Advisory Committee has done a lot of research regarding the solar possibilities for Leisure World. Residents who express their concerns about climate change and make known their support for specific actions within their mutual can make an impact.

Furthermore, expressing their support to their mutual's board of directors representative for energy renewable projects in Leisure World can add weight to the recommendation.

Youth-Led Movement

orating climate is increasing. The rising concern parallels the rising air and water temperatures being recorded around the

Particularly notable is a growing international movement of students demanding that serious actions be taken to mitigate further global warming and climate change.

As elders, residents have many ways to support this youth-led movement. Many activities are planned around the world throughout the week of Friday, Sept. 20. To learn how to participate, visit (www. strikewithus.org) and (www. eldersclimate action.org).

About LW Green

LW Green consists of a group of residents who are striving to be better stewards of the environment through education and advocacy. You don't have to be an expert to join; we bring the experts to you!

All interested residents are invited to attend the Group's meetings, typically held on the fourth Wednesday of each month at 2 p.m. in Clubhouse I. However, time and location may vary; check the Group's website, (www.lw-green.com).



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Oct. 10: 'Immigration, the Statue of Liberty and the KKK'

The Statue of Liberty,

by Fred Shapiro

With all the current discussion and concern about immigration to the U.S., The Center for Lifelong Learning (CLL) presents Dr. Arnold Sherman to discuss "Immigration, the Statue of Liberty and the Klu Klux Klan" on Thursday, Oct. 10, at 2 p.m. in Clubhouse I.

The program is free, but residents are requested to register to attend by dropping by the Clubhouse I E&R office or by calling (301-598-1300) beginning on

Tuesday, Sept. 10, at

8:30 a.m.
Over the years since the U.S. was

created, immigrants photo by Fred Shapiro have arrived from every corner of the world. How they were and for treated when they arrived is the topic of Sherman's discussion.

The welcome was not always positive and, in some cases, it was extremely hostile.

The strengths and manpower brought here by immigrants helped to build the nation. Despite this, many faced discrimination and persecution.

Some Americans may believe that the country's history has been one that included welcoming immigrants with open arms, but the historical reality is quite different. The Statue of Liberty was built as a sign of friendship between France and the U.S. Its meaning was changed largely by Emma Lazarus's poem affixed to its base.

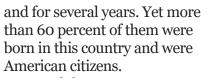
People who the Puritans considered "different," such as Native Americans, Jews, Quakers and Roman Catholics, were not welcome in Massachusetts. During the 19th century, a strong anti-Catholic bias encouraged discrimination against the Irish.

After slavery ended in 1865, it gave way to Jim Crow and a century of racial segregation until the 1960s. The Native Americans had their lands stolen and at times were moved to worthless lands, or slaughtered.

In the late 19th century, Chinese workers who came to the U.S. to work in mining and to build the transcontinental railroad and who died by the hundreds and thousands in

avalanches and cave-ins were told that Congress had passed the Chinese Exclusion Act, which forbade the Chinese from voting or ever becoming American citizens.

In the 1940s, shortly after Pearl Harbor, Japanese Americans were rounded up and sent to permanent relocation centers, often on a week or two of notice



Attend the program on Oct. 10 to learn more.

About the Presenter

Arnold graduated Phi Beta Kappa from Queens College in New York in 1964, and then spent two years at Cambridge University, earning another bachelor's and a master's in history. He then earned a doctorate in history at Yale, working with an early American historian named Ed Morgan.

Sherman taught for five years at Virginia Tech in the 1970s, and then decided to go to the University of Cincinnati to study clinical psychology. He completed all the requirements for another doctorate, except for the dissertation, having earned a master's in psychology in 1981. He then moved to Vermont in 1988 and taught for a number of years at Champlain College.

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The Right to Vote: A History, Colonial America to the Present'

by Fred Shapiro

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Learning (CLL) offers a course by Paul Levy called "The Right to Vote: A History, Colonial America to the Present."

Each session will be a mixture of brief lecture and lots of discussion. Handouts are included, and Levy may ask that participants do about 30-minutes worth of reading prior to classes. For more details and registration information, see the Classes and Seminars section of this publication.

About the Class

Several months ago it dawned

on Levy that the nation was

approaching the 100th anni-

versary of Woman Suffrage.

Congress approved the 19th

Amendment in 1919 and, in

1920, it was ratified by 3/4ths of



Paul Levy, photo by

Fred Shapiro

state legislatures.

He felt that doing a course on this momentous event would be an appropriate commemo-

> ration. The more he thought about this, the more he was led to the notion that suffrage had to be put in context with the U.S.'s history of voting rights.

The first class examines voting rights in colonial America with a comparative focus on

Virginia and Massachusetts, and the second class is an examination of the 15th Amendment, commonly referred to as the Black Suffrage amendment. The class will look at how it came to be written and passed, and why it was largely unenforced.

The third class is a review of the Woman Suffrage movement,

some of the known and littleknown suffragists, and how and why the 19th Amendment came to be passed. Finally, the fourth class looks at the 1965 Voting Rights Act, the 2013 Shelby v. Holder decision and questions of present day attempts at voter suppression.

About the Instructor

Levy is a popular CLL instructor. He holds three degrees from the University of Massachusetts in Amherst and has spent 41 years in education as a teacher and school administrator in public and independent schools at the secondary and college levels.

Levy's undergraduate degree was in political science and that has remained his principal focus throughout his teaching career.

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Take a Glimpse at the Forthcoming Session

by Patricia Means

uring July and August, Cheryl Prejean Greaux, LWAAAC president, appointed standing committee chairpersons Louise Langley, amenities; Alfonso Holston, membership; Juanita Sealy-Williams, program; and Patricia Means, public relations.

The standing committee chairpersons, along with elected officers, comprise the board of directors. Ad hoc committee chairpersons were also appointed. They include Patricia Means, archives; Laura Wiltz, bylaws; Sharon Ricks, community service "educational assistance project;" and Sharon Boone and Patricia Means, procedures manual.

Healthful Thursdays

All sessions are on Thursdays, except for the session on Wednesday, Sept. 11, and each session is from 1-3 p.m. in Clubhouse I. The events are free, but sign up is required. To sign up, visit or call the Clubhouse I E&R office at (301-598-1300) beginning on Tuesday, Sept. 10, at 8:30 a.m. The

event chairperson Jannifer Woodson.

- Sept. 11 Session 1: "The Heart of the Matter - An Overview of Hypertension and Heart Diseases"
- Sept. 19 Session 2: "Your Heart and How to Keep It Healthy – Not Just About Medicine"
- Sept. 26 Session 3: "Heart Healthy Medications – A Review by a Pharmacist with One-on-One Appointments"

Upcoming Events

- Oct. 19 "Jitney" at 2 p.m. at the Arena Stage in Washington, D.C. For more information, see the Club Trips section of this publication or contact Juanita Sealy-Williams, program committee chairperson, at (301-822-4531).
- Oct. 26 Open House, "Greet, Meet and Mingle with Current and Prospective Members," from 3-7 p.m. in Clubhouse II. The event replaces the fall membership meeting and program. The event chairperson Lois Pope Fuller.
- Nov. 20 "To Kill a Mockingbird" at 2 p.m. at the Schubert Theater in New

York City. This trip is sold

- Dec. 15 LWAAAC's 25th **Anniversary Luncheon** from 1-4 p.m. at Manor Country Club. The event chairperson Juanita Sealy-Williams.
- Jan. 20 Martin Luther King, Jr. Brunch at 11:30 a.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom. The event chairperson is to be determined.
- Feb. 9 Black History Program at 4:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium. The event chairperson is Lois Pope Fuller.
- Fun Night, "Members-Only Appreciation," with date and time in April to be determined. The event co-chairpersons are Carolyn Smith and Connie Ambush.
- June 13 LWAAAC Annual Picnic from 4-7 p.m. on the Clubhouse I lanai. The event chairperson is to be determined.

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).

Membership

Membership in LWAAAC is open to all residents. The dues are \$20 per person (checks only, payable to LWAAAC) and cover the period of July 1, 2019 through Sunday, June 30,

Payment may be made at meetings, via the LWAAAC mail slot in the Clubhouse I E&R office, or mailed to (LWAAAC, PO Box 12316, Silver Spring, MD 20908).

A telephone number and an email address should be included with the payment. For more information, contact Alfonso Holston, membership chairperson, at (301-438-3537).

■ New Yorkers and Friends Group

Sept. 12: Group Elects New Leadership

by Linda Mahler

S tart spreading the news..."

Come join fellow New Yor

Come join fellow New Yorkers and Friends on Thursday, Sept. 12, at 10:30 a.m. in Clubhouse I to meet and elect new officers for the upcoming year.

Members who have paid dues since November 2018 are eligible to vote and are encouraged to show their support in order to continue to have this Club at Leisure World. New goals and activities will be discussed, and members' input is needed to set the tone for the coming year.

Remember: "It's up to you, New York, New York."

The Group thanks its founder, Connie Blake, for her initiative in bringing this Group to Leisure World and enabling 'New Yorkers and Friends' from not only the five Boroughs, but from all over New York state, to come together and meet.

Let's pass the torch and continue to keep this vital Group going.



Sept. 22: 'I Love Lucy' Goes to Italy

by Flo Merola

The Italian Social and Cultural Club begins its new season with Café Cinema on Sunday, Sept. 22, at 2 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom.

The Club will present three full-length, commercial-free, hilarious episodes of the award-winning "I Love Lucy" TV series:

- "Lucy Gets Homesick in Italy" Arriving in Italy, Lucy is upset when she realizes she will not be with little Ricky on his birthday and comes up with a plan.
- "Lucy's Italian Movie" Lucy wanders into a vineyard of Italian speaking women and ends up creating one of

TV's most favorite scenes – grape stomping.

• "Lucy's Bicycle Trip" – At a stop at the Italian/French border, everyone is allowed to cross but Lucy.

Dessert, tea and coffee will follow 90 minutes of entertainment that first aired on TV in April 1956. Join the Ricardos and the Mertzes when they visit Italy.

Lucille Ball and Desi

The cost to attend this event

is \$10 for members and \$12 (commo org) payable to the Italian Social and Cultural Club, to Paul D'Angelo at (3310

North Leisure World Blvd., Apt. 310, Silver Spring, MD 20906).

Checks must be received by Thursday, Sept. 19, at the latest.

Join Us

If you haven't become a member, this is the time to join. For only \$12 per person, members enjoy reduced rates for most events. For questions concerning membership contact Barbara Kaminski at (301-847-9313) or (bkaminski0064@gmail. com) (zero, zero) or mail a check, payable to the Italian Social and

Cultural Club, to Paul D'Angelo at the aforementioned address.

The Club holds its next board meeting on Wednesday, Sept. 11, at 1 p.m. in Clubhouse I. Members are encouraged to attend.

Join the Club on the first and second Fridays of each month at 10 a.m. for one hour of fun at the bocce court; it's free!



Lucille Ball and Desi Arnaz, photo courtesy (commons.wikimedia.

■ Comedy and Humor Club

Members Take the Mic

by Al Karr

The Comedy and Humor Club has much fun exchanging play on words at its weekly meetings, which are held on the first three Tuesdays of every month from 1:30-3 p.m. in Clubhouse II.

Those assuming the microphone standup or seated position at a recent meeting included Rudy Volin, Wally Becker, Sunny Levin, Sam Hack, Sumner Levin, vice president Skip Schoening, Charlotte Lass, Fred Fernbacher, Al Karr, Bernie Petlan, treasurer Herb Hodes and president John Lass.

And here are a few of those word plays and other jokes shared at a recent Club meeting:

 Rudy – The inept psychic attempted clairvoyance, but just couldn't get intuit.
 Telling a demolition expert how to do his job is destructive criticism.

- A friend of mine tried to annoy me with bird puns, but I soon realized that toucan play at that game.
- A dog gave birth to puppies at the roadside and was fined for littering.
- Wally A magician entertaining at a hotel didn't get along with the parrot in the show, because the parrot kept ruining the magic routine by explaining the tricks. Then, during a cruise ship routine, the boat sank, and the magician and parrot found themselves clinging to a lifeboat. "Okay," the parrot asked, "how did you make the boat disappear?
- Skip Why do psychics never win the lottery? And why do doctors call it their "practice?"
- Fred A girl potato's parents told her not to marry Tom Brokaw, because he's just a common tater.



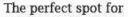


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Boomers Welcome All Residents to Join Walks

by Beth Leanza

The Baby Boomer Club likes to have a good time, often attending or holding picnics, movies, live musical shows and group walks.

The Club also shows a movie on the third Friday of the month at 7 p.m. in Clubhouse II. Occasionally, Club members get together to play games.

And the good news for those residents still working is that the Club's events are held in the evenings and on weekends. The Club doesn't consider age; any resident who is active and fun-loving is welcome to join!

Friday Hikes with Joyce

Anyone is welcome to join the walks led by Joyce Richardson on Fridays. During warmer months, the group meets at 10:15 a.m. at a local trail. Most walk about three miles, but some walk halfway and return. To carpool to the trail, contact Joyce at (301-598-7098) by Thursday night.

For directions to the walk sites, go to the Calendar on the Baby Boomer Club website at (https://sites.google.com/site/bbclwmd/calendar), or use Google Maps.

Upcoming walks include:

- Sept. 13 Brookside Gardens Nature Center Northwest Branch Trail (1400 Glenallen Ave., Wheaton). Meet up at 10:15 a.m. Bring water and a lunch.
- Sept. 20 Berma Road (10801 MacArthur Blvd., Potomac). Meet across from the Old Angler's Inn at 10:15 a.m. Bring water and a lunch.

Sunday Walks

Join a group of walkers that meet up on Sundays at 8:30 a.m. near Arden Court (across from Kelmscot Drive) to walk the entire Leisure World Boulevard circle. Contact Ted Michos at (Tedmichos@gmail.com) for more information.

Weeknight Walks

For a shorter walk (about one mile) around the Broadwalk in Montgomery Mutual, meet on weeknights at 5:15 p.m. in the lobby of Clubhouse I. No announcement is made; just look for a group forming and introduce yourself.

AVA Walks

The American Volkssport Association (AVA) holds events and provides guides to local walks of interest. More information about AVA walks is available on the Club's website at (https://sites.google.com/ site/bbclwmd). Click on Walks, below the events calendar. You do not have to join AVA to participate.

Ready to Join?

Just mail a check for \$5 per person, payable to Baby

Boomer Club, to Susan Landesberg at (3505 Twin Branches Ct. 37-C, Silver Spring, MD 20906). Include an email address to received updates on Club events.

If you're not sure you want to join, then come meet up at a Club activity first. The Club's website is available at (https://sites.google.com/site/bbclwmd) and includes a calendar with activity information.

Not Getting Emails?

Club members who have joined but are not receiving emails are asked to check their email's "spam" and "junk" folders. Also, adding the Baby Boomer Club's email address, (bbclw@googlegroups.com), to your contact list or address book will help to prevent the Club's emails from ending up in these folders.

Still not getting email? Contact Beth Leanza at (bethlea12020@gmail.com) or (301-598-4569).



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New President Holds a 'Knit and Chat' Group

by Elizabeth Brooks-Evans

The Going It Alone Club (GIAC) ■ meets every Saturday (known as Saturday Afternoon Live - SAL!) beginning with armchair travel at 2 p.m. in Clubhouse II.

GIAC's goal is to enhance the social and emotional well-being of its members with games, fellowship opportunities and exciting trips.

The Club's new president Elaine Strass is starting a knitting group during SAL from 2:30-4 p.m. in the Clubhouse II lobby.

Whether you are an advanced knitter, a beginner or somewhere in between, you are welcome to bring knitting materials to knit and chat with each

Contact Elaine at (240-447-2166) to confirm that you intend to participate. The phone number previously provided in the newsletter was incorrect.

On Saturday, Sept. 7, continue "visiting" China with a stop at the national capital of Beijing's wonderful parks and the magnificent Forbidden City followed by a trip to Suzhou, the Venice of the Far East and the West Lake, where Chinese newlyweds spend their honeymoon.

Marvel at The Great Wall, built by human muscle and stretching nearly 4,000 miles. Then travel to Hong Kong, one of the most thrilling urban centers with the most beautiful skyline on Earth.

On Saturday, Sept. 14, plunge right into the land of India's Delhi and Agra for an intoxicating mix of riotous pandemonium and sublime beauty, from Old Delhi's teeming streets to the magnificent man-made wonder to the Taj Mahal

Be completely awed by this wonder of the world, which incorporates and

expands on design traditions of Persian and earlier Mughal architecture.

Games

Games begin at 2:30 p.m. right after armchair travel with bridge and Rubik's cube in the Clubhouse II lobby. Mexican train dominoes are 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

- Sept. 16-20 Pigeon Forge and Smoky Mountains Tennessee Show Trip featuring five spectacular shows and a guided tour of Smoky Mountains National Park
- Dec. 11 Dinner at Carmine's family-style Italian restaurant in downtown Washington, D.C., for delectable portions of pasta, seafood, meat and vegetables followed by mouthwatering desserts. After dinner, relax and enjoy a sightseeing bus tour of holiday decorations and lights in the Nation's Capitol. Details on this trip are in the Club Trips section of this publication.

All residents, whether married or single, are welcome to participate in scheduled trips. Signup for trips takes place during Saturday Afternoon Live (SAL) from 1:30-3 p.m. in Clubhouse II when a Club representative is available to receive payments and answer questions.

Also pick up the GIAC newsletter, which contains more trip information. For questions about trips, call Joe Parker at (301-598-3457) or Nancy Alderman at (301-598-5614). Nancy is forming a travel committee of members interested in planning future trips. Contact her directly to join the committee.

Membership

Residents who missed their opportunity to renew their \$8 membership dues during the annual meeting may still do so during SAL from 1:30-3 p.m.

They may also leave their dues in GIAC's mail slot at the Clubhouse I E&R office or mail them to Club president Elaine Strass at (15107 Interlachen Dr., Unit 218, Silver Spring, MD 20906).

For more information about membership, contact Elaine Strass at (240-447-2166).



Rossmoor Adapts to the Changing Role of Women's Clubs

by Marcia L. Elbrand

Once, the catch phrase "Vive la différence" was a positive, and a Broadway musical had a hit tune stating, "I enjoy being a girl!"

Back then, the idea of a women's club was ordinary and very common. But today, with women taking on leadership roles in virtually every field, readers might wonder why anyone needs a women's club.

There are still women leaving situations of domestic abuse, struggling to pay college tuition and in need of career training to make their way out of poverty.

Our mission is to support local organizations that help with such situations, said Rossmoor Women's Club (RWC) president Abigail Murton.

Wine and Friends

Residents and their guests will have an opportunity to find out more about this 51-year-old Leisure World club at a "Wine and Friends Make a Good Blend" event on Wednesday, Sept. 18, from 3-5 p.m. at Clubhouse I.

The social gathering is open to both Club members and prospective members.

"If you might enjoy volunteering with Head Start children, or selling pecans, fruitcakes and See's chocolates to raise money for college scholarships, you should plan on attending this 'welcome back to volunteering' event," Murton says.

Mail checks for \$25, payable to Rossmoor Women's Club, to Club treasurer Peggy Sullivan at (3743 Glen Eagles Dr., Silver Spring, MD 20906). Checks must be received by Friday, Sept. 13.

For questions, contact Club

vice president Noreen Potter, who is chairing arrangements for this event, at (potters cove@comcast.net) or (301-674-5237).

The "Wine and Friends" event will feature a selection of heavy hors d'oeuvres and a glass of wine for each attendee.

Club members who chair each of the Club's fundraising activities will be on hand to explain how the vendor sales of gifts, the group's luncheons, fashion show and Club trips yield more than \$10,000 in annual contributions for a variety of causes, including college scholarships and an annual gift to Casey House, a part of Montgomery Hospice.

Giving Back

RWC members also provide knitted hats and scarves, in addition to funding field trips and holiday food for the Head Start youngsters at nearby Harmony Hills elementary school.

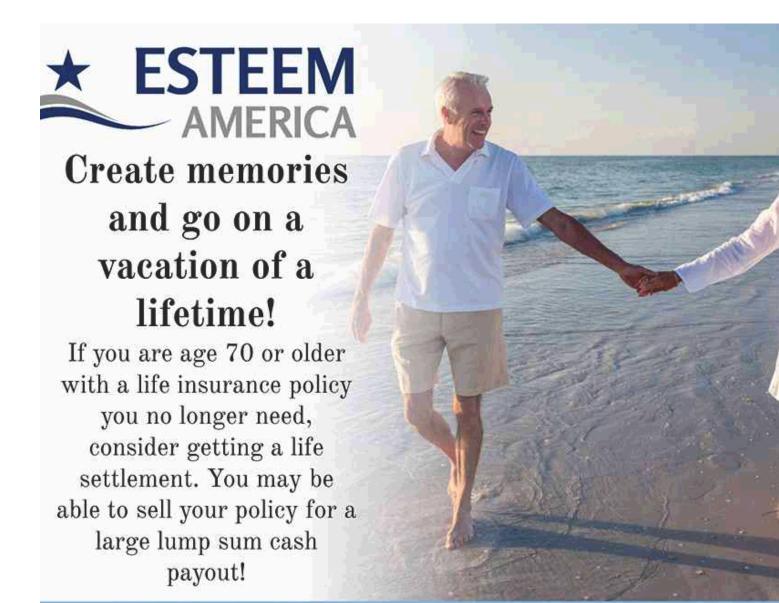
The Club annually donates to A Wider Circle and to the Betty Ann Krahnke Center, which offers shelter to families fleeing domestic abuse.

Another recipient group is the Fisher House Foundation, which provides housing to family members visiting wounded service men and women.

This year, for the first time, RWC will also provide assistance to Leisure World's Social Services Department to assist needy residents.

For readers who might only wish to offer financial support, send checks for membership only (\$40 per person, payable to RWC) to treasurer Peggy Sullivan.

Indicate "membership" on the memo line.



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Group Shares Memories of Moms and Dads

by Gladys Blank

race Cooper's essay on I family fun brought back memories of family trips to East Potomac Park and Hains Point; she remembered getting together for family games and her dad having the first TV set. She also remembered helping her mom with a variety of chores as their family got bigger.

Gladys Blank's essay shared an essay about the ubiquitous commercial, "A Place for Mom." The commercial's concept upset her; she interpreted the TV ad as a place to "put" Mom.

Looking forward to Tom Anessi's poetry is always worth the wait. The Group enjoyed his reading of his mom's first prayer. Sue Williams fondly remembered receiving loving

Mother's Day cards from her son, Scott.

Jerry Udell recalled how his dad, who passed away at the age of 101, passed down his love of country and his interest in sports. Baseball games at

Yankee Stadium were a highlight, especially missing the game when Don Larson, a mediocre pitcher, pitched the only no hit-no run game in World Series history.

Woody Shields read an informative paper on photo technology, especially as it relates to photographing deer various times of the day.

The Bucket List" by Jane Hawes recalled the time her father had his fourth openheart surgery. The doctors were not sure that he would recover and asked her to support him by giving him

something to look forward to. And so a vacation was in order with trips to Gettysburg, white water rafting and Hershey Park, Pennsylvania – several special places were knocked off "The Bucket List."

> One Group member wrote about "a woman with a great smile" – her mom, a woman of amazing character, faith and love. Another new member, John, told about an eerie dream he and his

mother both had of his father after he had passed away.

"So The Beat Goes On" by Sue Billstein related the saga of her seven-year-old grandson needing an appendectomy and her father, a doctor, telling her that all would work out fine.

The Writers of Leisure World meet every other Thursday at 11 a.m. in Clubhouse I.



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How Apple Changed the World

by Ron Masi

A pple started 40 years ago with two guys tinkering in the garage. Now an iPhone is purchased every nine seconds worldwide and it has had the largest quarterly profits of any listed company.

People may think otherwise, but Apple doesn't really invent things; its major products, such as laptops, phones, tablets, MP3 players and desktops, predate Apple. What Apple did was make these things popular.

Macintosh

After the less successful Apple I, II and III, Apple introduced the first Macintosh in 1984. The Mac was the first mass-produced computer using graphical user interface. Users no longer had to enter codes to "talk" to the computer to tell it what to do; now they could drag and point with a something called a "mouse."

These innovations made

computers more useful not just to you and me but to designer industries. Later the Macintosh became a Mac and includes the iMac, Mac Pro, Mac Mini, and Mac Books.

iPod

The MP3 player already existed but Apple released the upscale iPod and, with winning marketing, soon everyone wanted one, and other companies tried to copy it.

The iPod led to more innovations, including the online store called iTunes (remember record/CD stores?). The iPhone was also developed from the iPod.

The iPod became iPod Classic and the company ceased production recently.

iTunes Store

In 2003, people were often illegally downloading music,

and stores that sold CDs and records were becoming scarce, which hurt the music industry.

Apple introduced the iTunes Store as a way to price and sell music all in one device, the iPod, which is how Apple expanded

its music footprint and products.

Smartphones

Remember smartphones before the iPhone? — not pretty, and hard to use. Apple designed a goodlooking and simple-

to-use device and with good marketing, it became the device that people could not wait to spend money on.

App Store

A year after the iPhone was released, the App Store launched and was soon available on almost all devices, leading to the development of a new industry to create "stuff," including games, books, applications and more, which users could buy with just one click.

Club News

The Club's website is undergoing reconstruction; have a look at (mac.computerctr.org).

Tuesday clinics have resumed and are held from 10-11 a.m. at the Computer Learning Center in Clubhouse II.

On Tuesday, Sept. 24, the Club's favorite Apple presenter, Aaron Davis, will talk about the recent Worldwide Developers Conference and all the recent software released by Apple. His presentation is at 10 a.m. in Clubhouse II.

Brent Malcolm has stepped down as Club president and appointed Ron Masi as acting president. Masi will schedule a board meeting in late September to elect a president and appoint more board members.

If interested in becoming a board member, contact Ron at (masiron@mac.com).

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Clubs, Groups & Organizations In Brief

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

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 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 Windows 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) or contact the E&R office in Clubhouse II at (301-598-1320).

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 Sept. 13. 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.

Interfaith Committee for the Homeless and Working Poor: The focus of this committee is to provide opportunities for Leisure World residents to work together to solve some of the problems experienced by homeless and working poor individuals and families in Montgomery County. This coalition is composed of representatives from the Inter-Faith Chapel, Jewish Residents of Leisure World, Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church, the Unitarian Universalists of Leisure World and the community at-large. If you would like information about participation in ongoing projects of this committee, contact Gwen Raphael at (301-598-7653) or (graphael@verizon.net).

LW LGBTQ Alliance: Our group was formed to give members of the LGBTQ community a safe and inviting place to come and meet new friends and to get involved in social activities. Our meetings are the third Saturday of every month at noon in Clubhouse II, except in July and August. We welcome everyone; being gay is not a prerequisite. The LW LGBTQ Alliance strives to provide events and activities to develop strong relationships through education, interaction and fun within our group and with the entire Leisure World community. For additional information and events, email us at (lwlgbt@gmail.com). You can also follow us on Facebook at LW LGBT Alliance.

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 twice 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).

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The Philadelphians: For further information about the Philadelphians and their events, contact Steve Kane at (301-598-2330) or (kanens@verizon.net).

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).

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 Sept. 12.

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 Short Story Prize: 15 Yeas of Great Fiction." On Wednesday, Sept. 19, Mary Ann Chinni will lead a discussion of "My Podiatrist Tells Me a Story about a Boy and a Dog" by Mary Gordon. On Wednesday, Oct. 2, we will discuss of "The Zero Meter Driving Team" by Jim Shepard. 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) or visit (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).

Leisure World Club Trips

The next deadline for trip submissions is **Monday**, **Sept. 9.** 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**.

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

Sept.

Nationals Baseball Game Washington, D.C.

On Sunday, Sept. 15, **Hadassah** invites all residents to attend the 5th Annual Grand Slam Sunday sponsored by The Jewish Federation of Greater Washington, Hadassah Greater Washington and the Greater Washington Jewish community at Nationals Park. The Washington Nationals will play the Atlanta Braves.

Let's make this a Hadassah community event. Bring your family, children, grandchildren and neighbors. Pre-game fun begins at noon in the picnic area behind sections 142 and 143. There will be food and lots of fun. The first pitch is scheduled for 1:35 p.m.

Tickets are \$19 each and can be ordered online at (shalomdc.org/gss2019hadassah). The seats are in the Scoreboard Pavilion in sections 237-245. Tickets will be mailed from the Greater Washington Hadassah Office. For details contact Greta Clark at (gclark@hadassah.org) or (301-881-8203). Transportation is not included.

A portion of each ticket purchased will support significant projects in the Greater Washington area, in Israel and around the world.

Oct. 19

"Jitney" at Arena Stage Washington, D.C.

All residents, family and friends are invited to join **LWAAAC** on a bus trip to see "Jitney" at the Arena Stage in Washington, D.C., for a 2 p.m. matinee on Saturday, Oct. 19.

"Jitney" is a dramatic presentation about the drivers of a Pittsburgh jitney station resisting powerful forces that threaten their way of life and work while coming to grips with their pasts to fulfill hopes and dreams for the future. The play is part of the August Wilson Festival and the Arena Stage's presentation kicks off the national tour of the Festival.

The cost is \$70 per person and includes bus transportation. To reserve a seat, payment must be made by Wednesday, Sept. 18. Checks only, payable to LWAAAC should be placed in the LWAAAC mail slot in the E&R Office, Clubhouse I. Include a telephone number and email address with the payment.

The bus departs Clubhouse II at 12:30 p.m. and returns at approximately 5 p.m. For more information, contact Juanita Sealy-Williams at (301-822-4531).

Oct. 30-31

Dover Downs Hotel and Casino Dover, DE

Return to Dover Downs once again with **NA'AMAT RBZ Club** on this popular trip with its overnight stay in Dover, Delaware. The cost is \$120 per person, double occupancy; \$170 for single occupancy. The package includes round-trip transportation, beautiful hotel accommodations and breakfast buffet, plus \$50 play money.

The bus leaves Clubhouse II at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, Oct. 30 and returns at approximately 2:30 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 31.

Send your check(s), payable to NA'AMAT, to Trudy Stone at (15101 Interlachen Dr., #801, Silver Spring, MD 20906). Be sure to indicate with whom you will be rooming.

If you have any special needs, indicate what they are with your check. Questions? Call Trudy Stone at (301-438-0016).

Nov. 11-13

-13 Gaming and Sightseeing Atlantic City, NJ

From Monday, Nov. 11, to Wednesday, Nov. 13, join the **Tennis Club** 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.

Dec. 11

Holiday Lights and Decorations Washington, D.C.

Join the **Going It Alone Club** on Wednesday, Dec. 11, for a family-style Italian dinner at Carmine's Restaurant. Carmine's is renowned for its extra-large portions of antipastos and pastas, seafood and meat entrées, which are meant to be shared.

After dinner, enjoy a bus tour of downtown Washington, D.C., to see the city's holiday decorations, including the Capitol and White House Christmas trees, the holiday decorations on Embassy Row and much more.

The bus departs from Clubhouse II at 2 p.m. and returns approximately 9 p.m.

The cost is \$70 for members and \$80 of non-members and includes dinner, tax, transportation and driver gratuities. Sign up at Saturday Afternoon Live (SAL) from 1:30-3 p.m. in Clubhouse II. No refunds will be made after Saturday, Nov. 23, unless a replacement is made. For more information, call Joe Parker at (301-598-3457) or Sylvia Pachenker at (301-598-5325).



Attention, Travelers!

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

Leisure World Travel

Travel & Tour Department • (301) 598-1599 • Tuesday & Thursday 8:30 am-2:00 pm Reservations can be made Monday through Friday, 8:30 am-5 pm by calling 301-854-6600 #4 For more detailed itineraries, please see the Eyre Representative at the Eyre Leisure World Travel Office.

DAY TRIPS

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Museum Loop, DC

Thur., 10/3, 8:40 am-3:00 pm\$35.00 per person Choose to spend the day at the Holocaust Museum, Natural History Museum or the National Gallery of Art. Transportation only.

9/11 Memorial & Museum, NY

Sat., 10/12, 7:00 am-11:45 pm\$120.00 per person \$10 Cracker Barrel gift card included.

Bay Lighthouse Cruise, Annapolis

Wed., 10/23, 9:15 am-4:30 pm.....\$110.00 per person Pass by three lighthouses in the Chesapeake Bay. Narrated by a costumed lighthouse keeper. Boxed lunch served on board.

International Horse Show, DC

Thu., 10/24, 5:10-11:00 pm\$85.00 per person More than 500 top horses and riders come to D.C. from all over the globe to win more than half a million dollars in prize money. Trip includes transportation and admission.

Skyline Drive, VA

Fri., 10/25, 8:00 am-4:35 pm\$99.00 per person It's time for leaf peeping! Includes lunch at Skyland Restaurant.

Notorious RBG

The Life and Times of Ruth Bader Ginsburg, National Museum of American Jewish History, Philadelphia, PA

Sat., 11/9, 7:45 am-6:40 pm\$85.00 per person This exhibition explores RBG's legacy as a student, lawyer, women's rights advocate and precedent-setting role on the Supreme Court. Lunch on own.

National African American Museum, DC

Mon., 11/11, 8:45 am-3:30 pm.....\$45.00 per person Timed entry tickets and transportation included.

"Annie," Riverside Center, Fredericksburg, VA Wed., 11/13, 9:45 am-6:45 pm.....\$120.00 per person Transportation, plated lunch and admission to show included.

National Harbor, MD

Sat., 11/16, 9:00 am-4:40pm\$45.00 per person National Harbor has so much to offer! MGM, Tangier Outlets, ICE, Gaylord Hotel.

Radio City Christmas Spectacular!, NYC

11/16 & 12/13, 7:15 am-11:45 pm......\$199.00 per person Trip includes transportation and admission to show.

Edward Hopper at Virginia Museum of Fine Arts, Richmond, VA

Mon., 11/18, 7:45 am-7:15 pm.....\$107.00 per person Admission, audio tour, lunch in the Marble Room and transportation included.

Hollywood Casino, Charles Town, WV

Wed., 11/20, 10:00 am-5:45 pm.....\$38.00 per person \$20 slot play-determined by Casino. Transportation only.

Mount Hope Holiday Dinner Theatre, Lancaster, PA Sat., 11/23, 9:15 am-7:15 pm\$117.00 per person

Christmas tales, caroling and dining blend together for the annual Mount Hope Holiday Dinner Theater. Trip includes transportation, show and meal.

Irving Berlin's "Holiday Inn," Dutch Apple Theatre

Wed., 11/27 9:00 am-6:15 pm.....\$112.00 per person Trip includes transportation, admission to theatre and lunch.

Christmas at Longwood Gardens, Kennett Township, PA

Fri., 11/29, 12:15 pm-10:30 pm.....\$82.00 per person Enjoy this winter wonderland display! Trip includes transportation and admission to the gardens.

"Joy to the World," American Music Theatre, PA Sun., 12/1, 8:45 am-8:30 pm\$139.00 per person Trip includes lunch at Plain N' Fancy, admission to show and transportation.

Dining, Guiding & Lighting, DC

Wed., 12/4, 4:00 pm-10:30 pm\$112.00 per person Dinner at Mrs. K's Tollhouse prior to heading down to DC for a guided tour of

Mount Vernon by Candlelight, VA

Sat., 12/7, 3:30 pm-10:15 pm.....\$135.00 per person Trip includes Candlelight Tour of Mount Vernon, dinner at the Mount Vernon Inn and motorcoach transportation. *uneven terrain-outside and in the dark*

NEW TRIP!

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Dec. 10-13

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INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY: Please call 301-598-1599 after 7 am on the day of a trip to find out if we have cancelled, postponed or are going. If a trip is cancelled, you will also receive a phone call from us once the office is open.



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SPORTS, GAMES & Scoreboards

■ Pickleball Club

Club Boasts Big Wins at Senior Olympics

by Scott Keenum

The 2019 Maryland Senior Olympics Pickleball Tournament was played on Aug. 17 and 18 at Meadowbrook Park in Ellicott City, Maryland.

More than 250 participants from seven states, including members of the Pickleball Club, participated in more than 400 games.

The Club greatly impacted the game with its participation and contributions, and celebrated the honoring of Sylvia Bell for her lifetime efforts as a USAPA Ambassador and top-level competitor.

A large group of volunteers led by Bill and Betsy Wiley, Wendy Flannery, Jenise Bobo, Helen Lee, Gary Lyst,

Donna Leonard, Barb Shavatt and Susan Crawford supported tournament director Scott Keenum in conducting an enjoyable and competitive tournament.

Competition Winners

The Club's winners include:

• Sylvia Bell and Richard Sharpe – All Round Gold







Above: Pickleball Club members Donna Leonard, left, and Sylvia Bell win a gold medal in the women's 80-84 doubles category at the Maryland Senior Olympics. Below: Club members and other players pose with their paddles. Photos by Stacy Sigler

Medal in mixed 80-84 doubles

- Donna Leonard and Ron Grill – Maryland gold medal in mixed 80-84 doubles
- Donna Leonard and Sylvia Bell – gold medal in women's 80-84 doubles
- Gary Lyst gold medal in men's 65-69 doubles
- Susan Crawford Maryland gold medal in women singles
- Bill and Betsy Wiley silver medal in mixed 60-64 doubles
- Rick Bradley and Pam Bradley – silver medal in mixed 65-69 doubles
- Scott Keenum and Rob Schmidt – bronze medal in men's 50-54 doubles
- LeRoy Salazar and Sol Lopez – bronze medal in mixed 65-69 doubles
- Wendy Flannery and Rich Barber – fourth place ribbon in mixed 75-79 doubles

■ Duckpin Bowling League

Sept. 9: New Season of Duckpin Bowling Begins

by Flora Wolf

Bowlers, would-be bowlers and residents who have difficulty lifting those heavy, 10-pin balls: Mark your calendar; the new season of duckpin bowling begins on Monday, Sept. 9.

The League convenes on that day at noon at White Oak Duckpin Lanes, located at 11207 New Hampshire Avenue. The Group will take care of organizational details such as team assignments, and then the fun begins at 12:30 p.m.

The League's teams are mixed gender, mixed skill and range in age over a wide span! The League consists of residents as well as friends from outside of Leisure World who are at least 55 years of age.

Members thrive on friendly competition and the excitement of seeing skill develop with time, experience and the encouragement of teammates.

The League's weekly fee of \$11 pays for three games, bowling shoe rental, weekly printed updates of individual and team standings and generous monetary prizes.

Last year, these fees also provided the League with a lavish lunch during the winter holiday, as well as at the end of the bowling season in May. How can you beat that for afternoons of fun, exercise and good fellowship?

Most League members have formed carpools to help those who need a ride. Residents and friends who will be joining the Group on Sept. 9 and/or need a ride should call one of the following:

- White Oak Duckpin Lanes, (301-593-3000)
- Liza Zarou, (301-814-0029)
- Flora Wolf, (301-598-5807)

■ Tennis Club

2019 Tennis Season in Review

by Alfonso Holston

As the 2019 tennis season comes to an end, the weather was one obstacle to tennis play this season. A majority of the playing sessions and reserved playing times were cancelled because of weather.

The "Hit Around" session introduced this season was cancelled the majority of the time because of rain. The Club hopes to return to it next season.

Later came the heat wave. Round robin and advanced play rescheduled their starting times in order to avoid the heat. Play times for advanced play have returned to 9:30-11 a.m. (Sundays, Wednesdays and Thursdays), and also for round robin play (Tuesdays and Thursdays).

Updates and Other Information

Awnings have been placed on all courts to give players comfort and protection from the sun.

The next and final meeting for the season is on Thursday, Sept. 5 at 7 p.m. in Clubhouse I.

Plans are now in the works for the Club's end of year banquet, to be held on Sunday, Oct. 6, at 5:15 p.m. in Clubhouse I. The cost is \$30 per person. More information is forthcoming.

On Aug. 16, the Club held its annual picnic at East Norbeck Park. Members engaged in good food, conversation and a little tennis.

■ Golf Club

August Golf Results

Compiled by Rita Molyneaux

Aug. 6, 2019 9-Hole Ladies Overall Champion Connie Park 48+58=96 Low Net Tournament Net Champion

- 1. Ruth Cougnet, 31
- 2. Connie Park, 32
- 3. (tie) Mary Lee Amato and Kazue Waller 34
- 4. (tie) Young Sook Lee, Lois Falck, Mary Wells, 35
- 7. (tie) Kay Heier and Susan Newman, 36

Aug. 7, 2019 Leisure World Men Tennessee Waltz

- Steven Moore, James Flanagan, Richard Falck, Douglas Cornish, 120
- 2. Doug Allston, Gene King, Jules Goldstein, Richard Sturges, 127
- 3. Jerry Clark, Joe Crocetta, Joe Genovese, 128

Aug. 8, 2019 Ladies 18-Hole Championship Round 1

KC Choi, 90 Christa Storm, 91 Ivy Holsey, 98 Clara Brincefield, 106 Susan Kim, 107 Yoneko Ramsey, 109 Mary Lee Amato, 115 Patty Howlin, 125

Aug. 8, 2019 MISGA Past Presidents (ABCD) Championship at Norbeck Country Club

Leisure World fielded four players that qualified in this highly competitive tournament. Barry Falgout won the first low net prize in the "A" Flight with a 69 net score. This is a notable achievement, but he also won closest to the pin on number 16 Hole, 169 yards par 3. Barry was 14" from the hole!

Aug. 13, 2019 9-Hole Ladies Step Aside Scramble

(tie) Pat Weingart, Doris
 DeSantis, Brenda Curtis-Heiken,
 Patti Howlin, Mary Lee Amato, Carole Lee Simms, 40

3. (tie) Kazue Waller, Connie Park, Julie Repeta, Bev Haass, 41

Aug. 14, 2019 MISGA with Argyle, Norbeck and Beaver Creek Country Clubs

- 1. Larry Benton, Carl Ridenour, Jeff Pearson, 109
- 2. Semoon Chang, Gene King, Richard Falck, Neil Gagnon, 110
- 3. Malcolm Caponiti, Buck Grier, Joe Boland, Dick Moser, 111

Closest to Pin #8

Joe Crocetta, 8'10 1/2" Closest to Pin #16 Semoon Chang, 16'1"

Aug. 15, 2019 18-Hole Ladies Overall Champion

KC Choi, 182

Net Champion

Christa Storm, 143

Aug. 17, 2019 Men's Member Guest Tournament Overall Winner

- 1. Net Richard Falck, Dennis Gleicher, 57
- Gross Joe Crocetta, Tom Jackman, 68
- Net Sperry Storm, Earl Miller,
 57
- 2. Gross Joe Boland, Alex Lively, 69
- 3. Net Kevin McMahon, Joe Baker, 57
- 3. Gross Ron Holsey, Art Crisafulli, 70

Closest to Pin #8

Wes McMahon - 3 feet

Closest to Pin #16

Randy Wyrick - 4 feet

Long Drive #15

Gold Tee Division – Doug Allston .Ir

White Tee Division – Dave Evans

Aug. 20, 2019 MISGA Mixer at Blue Mash

In spite of the heat, and some minor problems with scoring, the Leisure World flag was flying high and proud. Leisure World had 12 players there, three of whom were among the winners.

(continued next column)

■ Golf Club (cont.'d)

The winning teams with Leisure World players were:

- 1. Jules Goldstein, 114
- 3. Joe Boland, 123
- 5. Joe Powell, 125

Mark Parker won closest to the pin on the par three, #6 at two feet, eight inches.

Aug. 22, 2019 MISGA at Hobbits Glen

Twelve Leisure World golfers

participated, two of who were on place winning teams.

Third Team – Doug Cornish, 120 Fourth Team – Jim Flanagan, 121

Aug. 24, 2019 Par 3 Shoot Out

- 1. Tom Griffith, Doug Brasse, Roger Gerst, Barry Falgout, Hank Weiss, Mike Makfinsky, 20
- 2. Mark Park, Stella Shaw, Mike Chang, Jenny Chang, Pam Mulcahy, Leo Cox, 23

■ Golf Club

Men's Member Guest Golf Tournament a Big Success

by Brenda Curtis-Heiken and John Frensilli

I t was a hot and humid morning on Aug. 17 when 57 men teed off for the 2019 Member Guest Tournament on a greatly improved Leisure World golf course.

A full day of 18 holes of competitive golf plus lots of good food and cold drinks capped off this year's well-attended tournament. A champions luncheon was held following the event in the Chesapeake Room of Clubhouse I.

Golf Pro Richard
Rosenthal presented
gorgeous glass trophies to
Richard Falck and Dennis
Gleicher for first place net
score of 57, and first place
gross score went to Joe
Crocetta and Tom Jackman
with a 68. The president
of the Men's League, John
Frensilli, is the organizer of
the annual event.

Join in the Fun

Come join the Golf Club every Tuesday and Friday at 11 a.m. for an 18-hole golf pickup game.

The entrance fee is \$3, and teams consist of four players. All residents are invited. A current golf hand-



Tom Jackman, left, and Joe Crocetta win first place gross score for the 2019 Member Guest Tournament. Photo by John Frensilli

icap is required.

Other upcoming events include:

- Sept. 14 Par 3 Golf Mixer (9 holes) at 4 p.m.
 no golf handicap required. Refreshments follow in the golf lounge.
- Sept. 27 Twilight
 Golf Mixer (9 holes) at
 4:30 p.m. shotgun; a golf
 handicap is required.
 Refreshments follow in
 the golf lounge.

Stop by or contact the golf pro shop at (301-598-1570) to sign up and for more information on all these events. All residents are welcome.

Summer League Ends with Huggers in Top Spot

by Rita Mastrorocco

he league thanks all the ■ bowlers for making the summer league a great success.

The final summer league standings as of Aug. 23, 2019

- 1. Huggers
- 2. Winners
- 3. Pin Busters
- 4. Rolling Rocks
- 5. Optimist
- 6. Half and Half
- 7. Lightnin Strikes
- 8. Untouchables
- 9. Just One More
- 10. Fighting Irish
- 11. Guttersnipes

The league is based on handicaps with averages for the bowlers ranging from 94 to 177. If you have not bowled in years, come out and join the fun.

Top scores for the week of Aug. 9, 2019 are:

Scratch Game – Huggers, 661 pins

Scratch Series – Huggers, 1,909 pins

Handicap Game - Half and Half, 903 pins

Handicap Series - Half and Half, 2,665 pins

High Average Men - Bill Thomas, 168 pins

Scratch Game Men - Bill Thomas, 201 pins

Scratch Series Men - Bill Thomas, 567 pins

Handicap Game Men - Bill Thomas, 249 pins

Handicap Series Men - Bill Thomas, 711 pins

High Average Women -Chris Porter, 176 pins

Scratch Game Women -

Chris Porter, 244 pins Scratch Series Women -

Chris Porter, 550 pins Handicap Game Women -

Chris Porter, 283 pins

Handicap Series Women -Beth Leanza, 701 pins

Top scores for the week of Aug. 16, 2019 are:

Scratch Game - Huggers,

Scratch Series - Winners, 1,829 pins

Handicap Game - Rolling Rocks, 918 pins

Handicap Series - Rolling Rocks, 2,698 pins

High Average Men - Bill Thomas, 167 pins

Scratch Game Men – Larry Lull, 205 pins Scratch Series Men – George

Izumi, 547 pins Handicap Game Men – Larry

Lull, 267 pins Handicap Series Men – Larry

Lull, 711 pins

High Average Women – Chris Porter, 177 pins

Scratch Game Women -Chris Porter, 215 pins Scratch Series Women -

Chris Porter, 546 pins Handicap Game Women -Barbara Martin, 255 pins



Handicap Series Women -Bea Morrisey, 702 pins

Top scores for the week of Aug. 23, 2019 are:

Scratch Game - Huggers, 656 pins

Scratch Series - Huggers, 1,872 pins

Handicap Game - Optimist, 920 pins

Handicap Series - Rolling Rocks, 2,642 pins

High Average Men - Bill Thomas, 167 pins

Scratch Game Men – Chuck Martinez, 190 pins

Scratch Series Men – Bill Barrett, 548 pins

Handicap Game Men - Bill Barrett, 251 pins

Handicap Series Men – Bill Barrett, 737 pins Most Improved Average Men

Jerry Oslick, plus 24

High Average Women – Chris Porter, 177 pins

Scratch Game Women -Jessica Stephens, 173 pins Scratch Series Women -

Jessica Stephens, 488 pins Handicap Game Women -

Dorothy Adelman, 272 pins Handicap Series Women -Dorothy Adelman, 706 pins Most Improved Average

Women – Tina Moser, plus 25

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 winter league will bowl Fridays beginning Sept. 6 with practice starting at 9:20 a.m. at Bowl America, 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 \$11.

If interested in joining, call Rita at (301-814-9196).

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Playing Chess Like a Tiger

by Bernie Ascher

ppropriately, on A July 29 (World Tiger Day), Narendra Modi, Prime Minister of India, announced that the nation's wild tiger population has increased to nearly 3,000. This is good news for tiger conservationists who fear extinction of this animal of great strength and beauty.

The increase in wild tiger population means that the program adopted in 2010 is working. That program, The St. Petersburg Declaration, resulted from an international forum, called by Russian Prime Minister Vladimir Putin and World Bank President Robert Zoellick. The summit meeting brought together leaders of the 13 tiger range countries, who adopted a global tiger recovery program to double the wild tiger population by 2022, the Year of the Tiger on the Chinese calendar.

In addition to India, the tiger range countries include Bhutan, Nepal, Vietnam, Myanmar, Malaysia, Indonesia, China, Russia, Bangladesh, Thailand, Cambodia and Laos. The forum raised \$127 million to implement the program, but conservationists originally expected about \$350 million.

The World Bank offered a \$100 million loan to Nepal, Bhutan and Bangladesh to support tiger conservation work. Movie star Leonardo DiCaprio, who attended the historic forum, donated \$1 million.

In 1986, the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species (CITES) named tigers as endangered species and banned cross-border trade in tiger parts. However, by the time of the Tiger Summit in November 2010 only about 3,200 tigers remained in the wild, a sharp decline from the 25-30,000 population 50 years ago.

The decline is largely from loss of habitat (tigers now occupy less than seven percent of their historical range) and poaching (killing tigers to supply parts for use in traditional Chinese medicine (TCM)). In China, where some 4,000 tigers roamed the country in 1950, only 1,000 remained after Mao Zedong's

Great Leap Forward economic and social program (1958-61) named tigers as pests that threatened progress.

Wild tigers may no longer exist in China, but the country allows breeding of tigers in farms to supply tiger parts and products to TCM practitioners and to consumers of TCM products. With more than 200 tiger farms, China has 6-8,000 tigers in captivity, exceeding the entire number of wild tigers in the world. Although China is a signatory to CITES and bans trade in wild tiger parts, it allows trade in farm-bred tiger parts.

For centuries, TCM practitioners have used tiger parts to treat a wide variety of ailments - from typhoid to malaria, to even nightmares, baldness and laziness. A popular product in China, tiger bone wine is made by soaking a tiger carcass in alcohol for several years - the longer it soaks, the more expensive the wine. It sells as a health tonic for about \$30,000 a case.

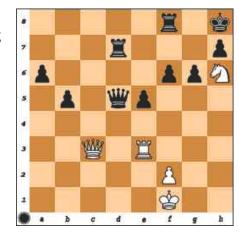
One of the largest Chinese tiger farms has 400 huge vats soaking

Many conservationists fear that the market for farmbred products fuels demand for tiger products, keeping prices high for poachers. For example, a stuffed tiger may sell for \$700,000; skins, \$100-300,000; and a rug, \$124,000, according to various sources, including the Hindustan Times.

In Leisure World, chess players can play an aggressive game without using tiger products. In the game pictured on this page, Black can win by checkmate in two moves. Do you

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

SOLUTION: Black moves the Queen to h1, check. White's King must move to e2. Black's Queen moves to d1. Checkmate!



So, do not wait for more tigers. Do not wait for World Tiger Day. Do not wait for the Year of the Tiger. Play chess now!

CORRECTION: The Chess Club article in the Aug. 16 edition published a portion of the 10 most popular operas in the world according to (www. operabase.com) in non-sequential order. "Le nozze di Figaro" by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozert is the eighth most popular opera, and "Rigoletto" by Giuseppe Verdi, which was absent from the list, is the seventh most popular opera.



■ 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 with less than 500 master points.

Tuesday, Aug. 6, 2019

North-South Flight A

- 1. Diane Keiper Marshall Kramer
- 2. Stephen Weiner Larry Carswell
- 3. Marilyn Udell Maida Crocicchia
- 4. Allen Shaw Patti Anschutz
- 5. Robert Catlett Hanna Schepps

Flight B

- 1. Stephen Weiner Larry Carswell
- 2. Palma Seeger Jim Anschutz

East-West Flight A

- 1. Susan Weiss Sue Swift
- 2. Liz Ferraro Alan Ferraro
- 3. Jerry Miller Marlys Moholt
- 4. Robert Kerr Lorraine Hegel
- 5. Helen Solomon Rae Newman

Friday, Aug. 9, 2019

North-South Flight A

East-West Flight A

- 1. Angela Riani Stephan Billstein
- 1. Judith Lindley Wendy Flannery
- 2. Wendy Morrison Howard Brewer
- 2. Susan Weiss Sue Swift

Flight B

1. Susan Weiss - Sue Swift

Tuesday, Aug. 13, 2019

North-South Flight A

East-West

- 1. Rosmarie Suitor Shirley Light
- 2. Mel Schloss Vern Skinner
- 3. Ann Ruth Volin Joyce Fischer
- 4. Stephan Billstein Marcia Fletcher

Flight B

- 1. Stephan Billstein Marcia Fletcher
- 2. Beena Deshmukh Madhav Deshmukh

- Flight A
- 1. Robert Kerr Jim Anschutz
- 2. Gerald Lerner Jerry Miller
- 3. Saul Penn Nadyne Cheary
- 4. Mildred Lieder Nancy Gordon

Flight B

2. Susan Weiss – Bernice Felix

Friday, Aug. 16, 2019

North-South Flight A

East-West Flight A 1. Murat Berk - Saul Penn

- 1. Aaron Navarro Dora Levin
- 2. (tie) Diane Keiper Mel Schloss
- (tie) Angela Riani Sephan Billstein Flight B

Flight B

2. Marcia Fletcher – James Cowie

- 1. Angela Riani Stephan Billstein

1. Marcia Fletcher – James Cowie

Tuesday, Aug. 20, 2019

North-South

Flight A

- 1. Aaron Navarro Marlys Moholt
- 2. Allen Shaw Patti Anschutz
- 3. Beena Deshmukh Madhav Deshmukh
- 4. Stephan Billstein Bernice Felix

Flight B

- 1. Beena Deshmukh Madhav Deshmukh
- 2. Stephan Billstein Bernice Felix

East-West Flight A

- 1. Alfred Caponiti Frederic Caponiti
- 2. Saul Penn Elaine Conway
- 3. Howard Brewer Joe Boland
- 4. Robert Kerr Lorraine Hegel

Flight B

- 1. Joan Marie Thomas Kathleen Hooley
- 2. Michael Benefiel Marcia Fletcher

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■Tuesday and Friday Duplicate Bridge (cont.'d)

Friday, Aug. 23, 2019

One Section Only

Flight A

- 1. Michael Benefiel Sid Lotlikar
- 2. Diane Keiper Nadyne Cheary
- 3. Mark Lavine Dora Levin
- 4. Lorraine Hegel Saul Penn

Duplicate games awarding masterpoints are held on Tuesdays and Fridays at 7 p.m. in Clubhouse I. Results and hand records are available on (thecommongame.com).

Players who need a partner for either the Tuesday or Friday game should call Shirley Light at (301-598-6611) at least 24 hours in advance.

The next newcomers duplicate game is on Monday, Sept. 16, at 6:30 p.m. in Clubhouse I. Bridge players who are unfamiliar with duplicate will partner with an experienced duplicate player. A brief lesson on one aspect of bridge will precede the card play. Email (jerroldmiller@yahoo.com) to RSVP and for more information.

■ Wednesday Night Chicago Bridge

Compiled by Abigail Murton

Aug. 7, 2019

- 1. Linda Mihm and Norman Salenger, 3,070
- 2. Joyce and Dick Riseberg, 2,990
- 3. Joyce Fischer and Joan Thomas,

Aug. 14, 2019

No game played.

Aug. 21, 2019

- 1. Dottie Hurley and Dottie Donnelly,
- 2. Joyce Fischer and Joan Thomas,

Aug 22, 2019

Aug. 16, 2019

1. Marion Klein, 2,890

3. Judy Lindley, 2,520

1. Mark Levin, 2,490

2. Jerry Weiss, 2,370

3. Mort Faber, 1,770

4. Janet Danziger, 1,590

2. JoAnn Gellman, 2,770

3. Sally McGowan and JoAnn Gellman, 3,170

■Thursday Afternoon Ladies Bridge

Compiled by JoAnn Gellman

Aug. 8, 2019

- 1. Judy Krautworst, 3,070
- 2. Judith Lane, 3,000
- 3. Lynne Bloom, 2,710

Aug. 15, 2019

- 1. Elise Bergamini, 2,760
- 2. Judith Lane, 2.180
- 3. Janet Danzinger, 2,150

■ Friday Bridge

Compiled by Shirley Rosenhaft

Aug. 2, 2019

- 1. Sunny Levin, 3,460
- 2. Jerry Weiss, 3,380
- 3. Bob Stromberg, 2,760
- 4. Bernice Cohen, 2,470

Aug. 9, 2019

- 1. Bob Stromberg, 2,770
- 2. Betty Hecht, 2,680
- 3. Belle Lieberman, 2,470 4. John Hashim, 2,160

ADVERTISEMENTS SUPPORT THE NEWSPAPER.

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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).

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). 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 JoAnn Gellman at (301-351-2391).

Chess: Free chess lessons on Mondays for beginners or "rusty" players. Call Steve Harvith at (301-801-4693) or Lark Keller at (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 on 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.

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).

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.

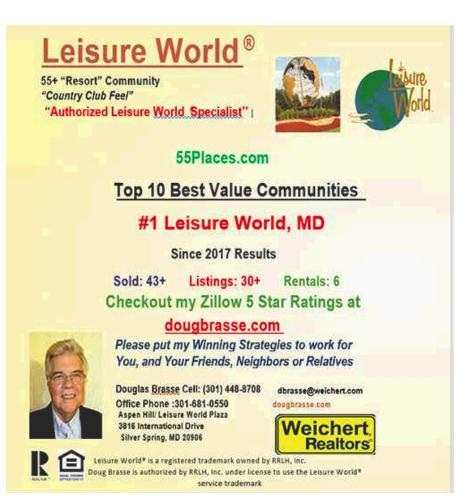
Poker:

- **Poker Game** openings are available at the Greens, Thursdays from 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** Mondays and Thursdays from 1 p.m.-4:30 p.m. in the 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 every Thursday from 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).





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!

Leisure World does not discriminate on the basis of race. color, national or ethnic origin in admission policies, education policies or programs.

EDUCATION

NEW – Israeli Cinema **1986-2008:** Led by Dr. Ira Weiss, participants will examine the relationships between Jewish and Arab characters in Israeli feature films. Preceded by a short introduction, each film screening will be followed by class discussion.

The tentative schedule of films includes "Nadia" (1986), "Cup Final" (1992), "The Syrian Bride" (2004), "The Band's Visit" (2007), "Strangers" (2008) and "Lemon Tree" (2008). All films include English subtitles.

Weiss is a frequent instructor at Leisure World on the topic of Israeli cinema.

This course is sponsored by the JRLW and meets Fridays, Oct. 11-Nov. 15, 10 a.m.-noon. Fee: \$30. Register at Clubhouse I.

NEW - The Right to **Vote: A History, Colonial** America to the Present, a **CLL course:** Led by resident Paul Levy, through lecture and discussion, participants will examine four topics: 1) early voting rights in colonial America, focusing on Virginia and Massachusetts; 2) the crafting of the 15th Amendment (Black Suffrage) and how it came to be largely unenforced; 3) the passage and politics of the

19th Amendment (Women's Suffrage) and 4) the Supreme Court decision in Shelby v. Holder, and current apparent efforts to suppress voting by particular segments of the population. For information on the instructor and his premise for this course, see page 42.

Class meets Wednesdays, Oct. 16-Nov. 6, 10-11:15 a.m. Fee: \$15. Register at Clubhouse I.

Haiti: The Revolution and the Civil War, a CLL course: Led by returning lecturer Marvin Jones, this class will cover the Haitian Revolution, a successful antislavery and anti-colonial uprising by self-liberated slaves against French colonial rule. Jones will discuss how the end of French rule and the abolition of slavery led to successful defense of longheld European beliefs about alleged black inferiority. His lecture will cover the enslaved and abolitionists who, during the Civil War, were encouraged to bring freedom to people of color. He will show how Haiti set the tone for American leaders, who wrote and spoke of why Haiti was so important, and inspired many, including Frederick Douglass, to fight for freedom in America.

This two-session course meets Tuesday, Sept. 24-Wednesday, Sept. 25,

11 a.m.-noon. Fee: \$15. Register at Clubhouse I.

FOREIGN LANGUAGE EDUCATION

Intermediate Conversational Spanish, a CLL **course:** Using the text, "Spanish is Fun," participants will learn about Spanish and the culture of the Spanish-speaking world. Discussions will center around the house, food, locations and asking directions, pastimes and holidays, clothing and animals.

The class is taught by Leisure World resident Judy Frumkin and meets Tuesdays, Sept. 17-Dec. 17 (no class Oct. 1, Nov. 19, Nov. 26 or Dec. 3), 1-2:30 p.m. Fee: \$25. Register at Clubhouse I.

Advanced Conversational Spanish, a CLL **course:** Using the text, "Spanish is Fun," participants will learn about Spanish and the culture of the Spanish-speaking world. Discussions will center on clothing, animals, past activities, nature, stores, daily activities and sports.

The class is taught by Leisure World resident Judy Frumkin and meets Tuesdays, Sept. 17-Dec. 17 (no class Oct. 1, Nov. 19, Nov. 26 or Dec. 3), 10-11:30 a.m. Fee: \$15 plus \$10 materials fee. Register at Clubhouse I.

For more information about the Center for Lifelong Learning (CLL) and its instructors, visit (www. cllmd.com).

MUSIC EDUCATION

NEW - Who are the **Great Composers?:** Who is your favorite composer? Are you vigorous for Verdi? Manic for Mozart? Passionate for Puccini? Happy with Handel? Brooding with Brahms? Dr. Harry Dunstan,

musicologist, historian, tenor and raconteur, brings you his own brilliant insights into the music and lives of the great genius composers of Western

With his usual synthesis of history, humanity, music and scholarship, he will help the great composers leap right off the page and into your listening ears! You'll discover what makes a great, as opposed to a good, composer; why their music is timeless; and how to make these great works your own.

Inspired by the NY Times best-selling book, "The Indispensable Composers" by Anthony Tommasini, Dunstan leads a spirited exploration of enduring musical genius and helps you form your own list of great composers.

Class meets Fridays, Sept. 27-Nov. 1, 11 a.m.-noon. Fee: \$50. Register at Clubhouse I.

TECHNOLOGY

NEW - Internet of Things: Connecting to the Internet: The internet, or web, is an information source, a way to connect with others, a place to play, learn and explore the world. The internet is also a world on its own, and you can access it in many different ways.

In this session, learn the difference between the two worlds and how to use your computer and mobile devices to connect to and browse the internet. Discover some of the places you can go online. Learn about the future of healthcare portal apps and working with your physicians through them. Learn about digitizing photographs with USB sticks and how they save time and frustration, and are useful devices on which to store images.

Bring your mobile phone, pad/tablet, or laptop to class.

For more information, contact Yolande Campbell at (202-689-4207) or email (clcyodavid2018@gmail.

Class meets Friday,

Sept. 27, 10 a.m.-noon. Fee: \$15. Register at Clubhouse II.

Internet of Things: How the Internet Affects You: This is the first in a series of one-day classes that will meet bi-monthly beginning in September. These classes will focus on how to best stay connected with family, friends and health providers using a computer, mobile device, smart home device, wearable tracker and while on a

social media site or watching

television.

This lecture provides an overview of the vast world of the Internet of Things and discusses best practices for keeping a computer and mobile device secure (privacy and security). Participants will learn how consumer devices communicate with each other across Wi-Fi and the Internet and which of these devices are part of the Internet of Things. Participants will also learn what a password book is and about the technology that is fueling smart homes and smart cities.

Bring your mobile phone, pad/tablet, or laptop to class.

For more information, contact Yolande Campbell at (202-689-4207) or email (clcyodavid2018@gmail.com).

Class meets Friday, Sept. 13, 10 a.m.-noon. Fee: \$15. Register at Clubhouse II.

DANCE INSTRUCTION

Line Dance with Wendy: This is an introductory dance course for students who have had little or no dance experience and who want to learn the basics. If you are a beginner/advanced beginner in line dancing, this is the class for you. Join Wendy in a day of fun and dances with a mix of cha-cha, rumba, tango, samba and more.

Class meets Mondays, Sept. 9-Nov. 11, from 2-3 p.m. for the Beginner class and from 3-4 p.m. for the Advanced Beginner class. Choose your session based on your experience. Fee: \$45 per session. Register at Clubhouse II.

EXERCISE

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

Limited enrollment. Class meets Mondays, Sept. 30-Dec. 2, 4-5 p.m. Fee: \$20. Register at Clubhouse II.

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

Class meets Mondays (with Shirley), Sept. 23-Oct. 28, and Thursdays (with Sue), Sept. 26-Oct. 31, 9-9:45 a.m. You can take the class on Mondays or Thursdays, or sign up for both days. Fee: \$38 for one day per week; \$63 for two days per week. Register at Clubhouse II.

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

Class meets Tuesdays, Sept. 24-Oct. 29, and Wednesdays, Sept. 25-Oct. 31, 11-11:45 a.m. You can take the class on Tuesdays or Wednesdays, or sign up for both days. Fee: \$38, one day per week; \$63 for two days per week. 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 need of the practitioner. Beginners and ongoing students are welcome. Bring a yoga mat or blanket to the first class.

Class meets Wednes-days, Oct. 9-Dec. 18 and/or Saturdays, Oct. 5-Dec. 14, 9-10:15 a.m. Fee: \$93 for one day per week, \$160 for two days per week. Register at Clubhouse I.

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
Sept. 9-Oct. 28, 10:3011:15 a.m.; Wednesday,
Sept. 11-Oct. 30, 10-10:45 a.m.;
or Fridays, Sept. 13-Nov. 1,
1-1:45 p.m. Fee: \$60 for one
day per week; \$107 for
two days per week; \$160
for three days per week.
Register at Clubhouse II.

WATER EXERCISE

NEW – Water Exercise with Nancy: Participants will gain strength, stamina and tone from this cardio class. Dumbbells are used, although

they are not required, and are available for purchase from the instructor.

Class meets Tuesdays,
Sept. 24-Oct. 29, and Thursdays, Sept. 26-Oct. 31, 11 a.m.noon. You can take the class on Tuesdays or Thursdays, or sign up for both days.
Fee: \$38 for one day per week; \$63 for two days per week. Register at Clubhouse II.

NEW – Non-impact
Fusion Water Exercise
with Shirley or Sue: This
class is held in the round
leisure pool (warm water).
Dance, yoga poses, and cardio
movements are all fused
together to give students an
awesome, fun class. Participants will improve their
posture, balance, flexibility
and muscle strength.

Class meets Tuesdays,, Sept. 24-Oct. 29, and Thursdays, Sept. 26-Oct. 31, 1-2 p.m. You can take the class on Tuesdays or Thursdays, or sign up for both days. Fee: \$38, one day per week; \$63 for two days per week. Register at Clubhouse II.

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

Class meets Wednesdays, Sept. 25-Oct. 30, from 1-2 p.m. Fee: \$38 for one day per week; \$63 when taken with one day of another water class. Register at Clubhouse II.

SAFETY NOTICE - MOTORIZED SCOOTERS

Residents with motorized scooters are cautioned to operate their scooter only on the sidewalks. Motorized scooters are not roadworthy or designed to be driven on roadways.

Security recognizes that sometimes scooter drivers need to cross at street corners and intersections. Community sidewalks have handicapped ramp cuts to allow scooters access on and off the sidewalks. It is recommended that scooters use "marked" crosswalks whenever possible. Pedestrian traffic encountering motorized scooters is encouraged to step aside and allow the scooter to pass. This is considerate to your neighbor and prevents a pedestrian from being accidentally struck by the scooter.

Let us all be mindful in sharing the sidewalks and roads in a safe and courteous manner.



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CALENDAR of Events

Dial 301-598-1313 for recorded Daily Events

Friday, September 6

Clubhouse I

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 1:00 p.m. Zumba Gold Class 3:00 p.m. Therapeutic Yoga Class 4:00 p.m. Pickleball Club

Saturday, September 7 **Clubhouse I**

8:00 a.m. Shuffleboard Olympics Tournament 9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga Class 10:00 a.m. American Needlepoint Guild (ANG)

1:00 p.m. The Washingtonians 7:00 p.m. Sock Hop Group

Clubhouse II

9:00 a.m. Pickleball Club 9:15 a.m. JRLW Service 11:00 a.m. Pickleball Club 2:00 p.m. Going It Alone Club: Social 4:30 p.m. E&R Event: Rolling Stones **Tribute Band** 7:00 p.m. E&R Event: Rolling Stones

Sunday, September 8

Clubhouse I

Tribute Band

10:15 a.m. Jewish War Veterans Post 567 Brunch

Clubhouse II

11:30 a.m. Pickleball Club 2:30 p.m. Fireside Forum Program: Gen. Gale Pollock Discusses Women in the Military

Monday, September 9

Clubhouse I 9:15 a.m. Stretch, Tone and Strength **Training Class** 10:00 a.m. CLL- and Friends of India Association-sponsored Course: The Underlying Unity of Eastern Philosophical Thought - Vedanta 10:00 a.m. Garden and **Environmental Club** 10:30 a.m. Stretch, Tone and Balance Class 1:30 p.m. Leisure World Chorale

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 Exercise Class 5:30 p.m. Pickleball Club

5:30 p.m. Model Railroad Club

Operating Session

Tuesday, September 10 Clubhouse I

9:30 a.m. Garden Plot Group 10:00 a.m. Eyre Travel Show 11:30 a.m. 9-Hole Ladies Golf Luncheon 1:00 p.m. Amateur Radio Club 1:30 p.m. Book Club Network: Non-Fiction 2:00 p.m. CLL: 9 Things Every Senior Needs to Know about Funeral Planning 5:00 p.m. Lawn Bowls Club 6:00 p.m. JRLW: Rabbi Seth Bernstein on "Jewish Communities in the Aftermath of

7:00 p.m. Trivia Club 7:00 p.m. Duplicate Bridge

Clubhouse II

9:30 a.m. Beginner and Advanced Tai Chi Class 10:00 a.m. LW Apple Clinic 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 1:30 p.m. Comedy and Humor Club 2:00 p.m. Fitness Center Tour 3:00 p.m. Living Better with Parkinson's Support Group 4:00 p.m. Pickleball Club 7:00 p.m. Rossmoor Camera Club

Wednesday, September 11 Clubhouse I

9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga Class

10:15 a.m. League of Women Voters 1:00 p.m. LWAAAC Healthful Thursdays 4:00 p.m. Comcast Forum 6:45 p.m. Chicago Bridge Clubhouse II 10:00 a.m. Zumba Gold Class 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 2:00 p.m. Chair Yoga Class 5:15 p.m. Pickleball Club 5:30 p.m. Model Railroad Club **Operating Session** 7:00 p.m. Gem, Lapidary and Mineral Society

Thursday, September 12 **Clubhouse I**

9:15 a.m. Stretch, Tone and **Strength Training** 10:30 a.m. Stretch, Tone and **Balance Class** 10:30 a.m. New Yorkers and Friends Group 11:00 a.m. Rossmoor Art Guild: 12:30 p.m. Ladies' Bridge 2:00 p.m. CLL: Beyond Glasses -Augmented and Virtual Reality Technology for the Visually Impaired Featuring NuEyes

Leisure World Mutual Meetings

Sept. 6 **Mutual 8 Board**

10:00 a.m., Sullivan Room

Sept. 10 **Mutual 16 Board**

9:30 a.m., Sullivan Room

Mutual 19A Board

9:30 a.m., Clubhouse II

Mutual 7 Board

1:15 p.m., Sullivan Room

Mutual 25 Board

7:00 p.m., Sullivan Room

Sept. 11 Mutual 11 Board

10:00 a.m., Sullivan Room

Sept. 12 **Mutual 6A Board**

10:30 a.m., Sullivan Room

Mutual 12 Board

1:00 p.m., Sullivan Room

Sept. 17

Mutual 14 Board 9:30 a.m., Sullivan Room

Sept. 18

Mutual 5 Board

9:30 a.m., Sullivan Room

Sept. 19

Mutual 15 Board 9:30 a.m., Sullivan Room

Sept. 23

Mutual 23 Board

10:00 a.m., Party Room

Mutual 9 Board

10:00 a.m., Sullivan Room

Meeting times and locations subject to change. Sign in to (residents.lwmc.com) and check the calendar for any changes. Mutual board meetings are open to respective mutual residents and absentee owners.

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

Budget and Finance

Sept. 18, 10:00 a.m., Clubhouse II

Communications

Sept. 19, 10:00 a.m., Clubhouse I

Community Planning

Sept. 9, 9:30 a.m., Sullivan Room

Sept. 17, 9:30 a.m., Clubhouse I

Golf and Greens

Sept. 6, 9:30 a.m., Clubhouse I

Government Affairs

Sept. 9, 2:00 p.m., Sullivan Room

Health

Sept. 18, 2:00 p.m., Clubhouse I

Insurance

Sept. 23, 2:30 p.m., Sullivan Room

Landscape

Sept. 12, 9:30 a.m., Clubhouse II

Physical Properties

Sept. 10, 9:30 a.m., Clubhouse II

Restaurant Sept. 16, 10:00 a.m., Clubhouse I

Security and Transportation

Sept. 12, 9:30 a.m., Clubhouse I

LWCC Board of Directors

Sept. 24, 9:30 a.m., Clubhouse I

The meeting airs on Sept. 30, Oct. 2 and Oct. 4 at 4 p.m. and 7 p.m. on channel 974.

LWCC Executive Committee

Sept. 13, 9:30 a.m., Sullivan Room

The meeting airs on Sept. 18, 19 and 20 at 4 p.m. and 7 p.m. on channel 974.

Meeting times and locations subject to change. Sign in to (residents.lwmc.com) and check the calendar for any changes. Meetings are open to all residents and absentee owners.

6:00 p.m. Lawn Bowls Club 7:00 p.m. Democratic Club 7:00 p.m. League of Women Voters **Clubhouse II**

9:00 a.m. Senior Sneakers

9:30 a.m. Beginner and Advanced Tai Chi Class 9:30 a.m. Quilting Group 10:00 a.m. MVA Mobile Bus 10:30 a.m. Zumba Gold Class 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 1:00 p.m. E&R Movie: "First Man"

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

4:00 p.m. Pickleball Club 4:00 p.m. Friends of India

Association

Friday, September 13 Clubhouse I

11:00 a.m. Book Club Network: Literary Ladies Who Lunch

3:00 p.m. Hispanos de LW movie: "Intacto"

5:00 p.m. AIM performance: Memphis Gold

7:00 p.m. Friday Duplicate Bridge 7:00 p.m. Chinese Club: Autumn Festival **Clubhouse II**

10:00 a.m. Chinese Club

10:00 a.m. Internet of Things Session: How the Internet Affects You

1:00 p.m. Ping-Pong Club

1:00 p.m. Chess Club 1:00 p.m. Friday Bridge

1:00 p.m. Zumba Gold Class 3:00 p.m. Therapeutic Yoga Class

Saturday, September 14

Clubhouse I

9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga Class 7:30 p.m. E&R Event: Dixieland Express: An Evening Under the Stars

Clubhouse II

9:15 a.m. JRLW Shabbat Service 11:00 a.m. Pickleball Club 2:00 p.m. Going It Alone Club: Social 5:00 p.m. Lions Club of Leisure World: Chosen Vessels and Spiritual Jubilees of D.C.

Sunday, September 15

Clubhouse I

10:00 a.m. JRLW Breakfast Forum **Clubhouse II**

11:00 a.m. Pickleball Club 3:00 p.m. E&R Event: Studio Artemis Dance Performance

Monday, September 16 Clubhouse I

9:15 a.m. Stretch, Tone and Strength Training

10:00 a.m. Basic Drawing Art Class 10:00 a.m. CLL- and Friends of India Association-sponsored Course: The Underlying Unity of Eastern Philosophical Thought – Vedanta 10:30 a.m. Stretch, Tone and Balance Class

1:00 p.m. Oils and Acrylics I Art Class

1:00 p.m. NARFE

1:30 p.m. Leisure World Chorale 1:30 p.m. Hadassah Judaic Study Group

6;00 p.m. Newcomers Duplicate Bridge

7:00 p.m. Bingo

Clubhouse II

9:00 a.m. Senior Sneakers Class 10:00 a.m. Clipper Workshop 10:30 a.m. Zumba Gold Class 12:30 p.m. Men's Bridge 1:00 p.m. Chess Club

1:30 p.m. Computer Learning Center: Android Help

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 6:00 p.m. Lions Club of Leisure World

Tuesday, September 17 Clubhouse I

9:00 a.m. Blood Pressure and Hearing Testing 9:30 a.m. Any Medium I Art Class 10:00 a.m. CLL Course: Advanced Conversational Spanish 1:00 p.m. CLL Course: Intermediate Conversational Spanish

1:00 p.m. Open Art Studio 1:30 p.m. E&R Event: La Serenata 1:30 p.m. Health Advisory

Committee: Conflict Resolution for Seniors and Their Adult Children 5:00 p.m. Lawn Bowls Club

7:00 p.m. Trivia Club

7:00 p.m. Duplicate Bridge 7:00 p.m. Republican Club

Clubhouse II

9:30 a.m. Beginner and Advanced Tai Chi Class

10:00 a.m. LW Apple Clinic 12:30 p.m. Pickleball Club 12:30 p.m. Scrabble Group 1:00 p.m. Stroke Support Group 4:00 p.m. Pickleball Club

Wednesday, September 18 Clubhouse I

9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga Class 10:00 a.m. Any Medium II Art Class

10:00 a.m. Rossmoor Library Guild 10:30 a.m. JRLW and Bender JCC: Marc Chagall Lecture 11:00 a.m. Short Story Group

1:00 a.m. Short Story Group 1:00 p.m. Oils and Acrylic II Art Class

1:00 p.m. MISGA Luncheon 2:00 p.m. Rossmoor Women's Club: Wine and Friends Make a Good Blend

3:30 p.m. Budget Forum 6:45 p.m. Chicago Bridge 7:30 p.m. Hadassah

Clubhouse II

10:00 a.m. Zumba Gold Class
11:00 a.m. Pickleball Club
1:00 p.m. Chess Club
1:00 p.m. Ping-Pong Club
1:00 p.m. Aqua Fit Class
2:00 p.m. Chair Yoga Class
2:00 p.m. Cannabis 101 Club
movie: "The True History of
Marijuana"
5:30 p.m. Model Railroad Club
Operating Session

Thursday, September 19 Clubhouse I

6:00 p.m. Pittsburgh Club: Dinner

9:15 a.m. Stretch, Tone and Strength Training Class 10:00 a.m. Watercolor I Art Class

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1:00 p.m. LWAAAC Healthful
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2:00 p.m. Democratic Club: Voter
Registration Workshop
2:00 p.m. Book Club Network:
Thursday Readers
2:00 p.m. CLL seminar: Sound
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6:00 p.m. Lawn Bowls Club Clubhouse II

9:30 a.m. Beginner and Advanced Tai Chi Class

10:00 a.m. Stitching Group 10:30 a.m. Zumba Gold Class 11:30 a.m. Pickleball Club

12:30 p.m. Men's Bridge 1:30 p.m. E&R Event: A Taste of Argentina with Karen Jaffe and Tate Di Chiazza

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

7:00 p.m. Vegetarian Society of Leisure World

Friday, September 20 Clubhouse I

10:00 a.m. Abstract Any Medium Art Class

10:00 a.m. Book Club Network: Bookies

Bookies
12:15 p.m. Kiwanis Club
1:20 p.m. Watercolor II Art Cla

1:30 p.m. Watercolor II 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

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 3:00 p.m. Therapeutic Yoga Class

4:00 p.m. Pickleball Club

7:00 p.m. Baby Boomer Club: Movie

Saturday, September 21

Clubhouse I

8:00 a.m. Shuffleboard Maryland Senior Olympics Tournament

9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga Class 10:00 a.m. Open Art Studio

Clubhouse II

9:15 a.m. JRLW Services 11:00 a.m. Pickleball Club 12:00 p.m. LW LGBTQ Alliance 2:00 p.m. Going It Alone Club: Social 7:00 p.m. Sock Hop Group

Sunday, September 22 Clubhouse I

10:30 a.m. Jewish Discussion Group 1:30 p.m. Italian Social and Cultural Club: Café Cinema

Clubhouse II

11:30 a.m. Pickleball Club 2:00 p.m. JRLW: Meet and Greet 3:00 p.m. Hispanos de LW: Peruvian Music

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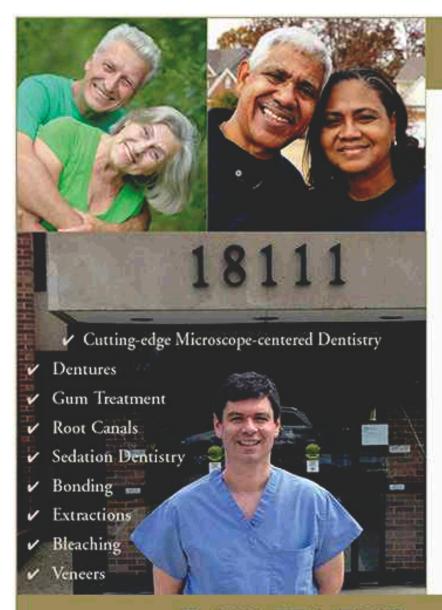
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CONTINENTAL MOVERS. Local moving services. Free boxes. Local long distance - hauling - pick-ups and deliveries. \$80 x two men, one hour driving time. (202-438-1489) (301-340-0602) (Cmora53607@msn.com) (www.continentalmovers.net).

LANDSCAPING SERVICES: Beautifying LW, one property at a time! Affordable, reliable and experienced! Shrubbery trimming, weed removal, mulching, design and planting. Houseplant services also available. Call Greg at (240-994-5258), (gmarinik@gmail.com). References

GUARDIAN ANGEL LAWN SERVICE. Experienced in flowerbeds, mulching, edging, weeding, plowing gardens and repairs. For all your gardening and household needs, please call Robert at (240-477-2158), (301-987-1277).

RELIABLE, EXPERT HANDYMAN: painter, carpenter, tile-setter. Licensed and insured. Affordable prices. No job too big or too small. Extensive experience and references at Leisure World. Please call Carlos Gomez (301-305-4727).

CLEANING SERVICES

R&G CLEANING SERVICES - Small, family-owned business catering to you and your household needs. Friendly, reliable and trustworthy with many vears of experience. Reasonable rates and flexible hours. Licensed and insured. Help with household organization. Free estimate with appointment. Call (301-442-5032).

ALICIA'S CLEANING SERVICES -Good references. Good rate. Once a week or every two weeks. (240-286-3807).

UNITED CLEANING GROUP has been a trusty cleaning company used by several Leisure World members over the past 3 years. Call us for your free estimate today! We offer both apartment and home cleanings, garden work and power-washing services. We are extremely flexible: 7 days a week to accommodate your schedule. Give us a call at (240-498-2748) and/or (301-881-0695). We hope to hear from you soon!

MARIA'S HOUSE CLEANING, free estimates, strong references, good rates. Experienced worker in LW for eight years. Call Maria (240-694-

CARE DRY CARPET CLEANING. Experience the difference. Host dry extraction system. Green, clean and dry in 30 minutes. Water damages wood flooring under your carpet. Choose dry cleaning. Call Mike Gonsalves, owner/operator (301-309-9398).

CARLA'S HOUSE CLEANING - I will concentrate on what is important to you. I will adjust my hours to your satisfaction. Outstanding references and work with free estimates. Call or text (240-551-2707).

COMPUTER HELP

COMPUTER SERVICES - Problems with your PC or Network? Computer Systems Engineer will come to you with help. Home, Business. Call David G. (301-642-4526).

COMPUTER LESSONS / SERVICES — Need help with your computer or other digital devices in your home? Tablets, smartphones, smart TVs and more. Computer training, new computer setup, troubleshooting. Lessons at your residence at your convenience. Learn basic computer, email, surfing the web, digital photos. Patient trainer will sit by your side and teach you in plain English — no technical talk! Shopping assistance for electronics and computers. Senior specialist since 1996. Call David at (301-980-5840). COMPUTERTUTOR

FIX YOUR COMPUTER in 1 hour or it's free for \$50 (non-Leisure World residents \$75). Easy Elder Tech (301-802-6633).

PERSONAL SERVICES

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).

DAHLSTROM SENIOR SUPPORT SERVICES. Assistance with senior care and the care of seniors' pets. Safe/ reliable door-to-door transportation as needed. Assistance with pet care. Dog walking and pet sitting as needed. Transportation for grooming/ vet appointments. I'm a 57-year-old semi-retired doctor, Leisure World

resident. Bonded, insured, outstanding Leisure World references. Call Carl (410-499-9362).

KOMPANION KARE has openings! After 13 years of helping seniors, LW resident Stephanie Sidella has current openings for new clients. Need companionship, driving, light housework or cooking help? This Wellness Consultant has years of experience with First Aid, CPR and understanding medical terminology. Contact Stephanie at (301-922-5080) or (ssidella@verizon.

PAYYOURNURSE! Do you employ a private nurse or caregiver for your loved one? At PAYYOURNURSE, we assist families in navigating the Federal and State payroll tax laws. From paycheck calculations to quarterly and annual tax returns, we have a service plan that will fit your needs. For more information, please call (703-819-9796); or email (byudd@ payyournanny.com). "We're Here to Help Families."

 $\hbox{LIFE STORY LEGACY VIDEOS}-\hbox{Tell}$ stories about your family and your life journey on video. The video will feature your most treasured photos of grandparents, parents, relatives, friends, and special events. Preserve the legacy of your experiences for family, friends and future generations. Research indicates that reflecting on and sharing your life journey has lasting benefits. Learn more at (www. lifestorylegacyvideos.com) or contact Bryon at (301-685-3300).

NEED ASSISTANCE with appointments, shopping, scheduling, errands, medication reminders, mealplanning and preparation, downsizing, de-cluttering or organizing? Years of experience in non-medical companion care. Currently studying Universal Design and Home Modification for accessibility. Clean background, don't drink or smoke, excellent driving record, and get along with most pets. Instructor in CPR/AED and First Aid. Reliable, punctual, efficient with a great attitude. Bonded and Insured. (www.gatekeepercompanioncare.com) (301-371-2210)

NOTARIES

NOTARY, residing in Leisure World. I offer my service free of charge to Leisure World residents. Can come to your home if needed. (301-379-9694).

LESSONS

PICKLEBALL LESSONS: All you need to know in 45 minutes (\$50) from certified coach. If you can throw and catch you can play. Easy Elder Sports (301-802-6633)

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.

LW RESIDENT looking for a new sweetie pie to walk. Doggy's mom has retired. 6 years' experience. Loving, caring. Will work with your schedule. Best prices in LW. Chris (703-965-4863)

DONATIONS WANTED

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 nonfiction, hardback and paperback, audio books, DVDs. Art, kids', cooking, foreign languages, gardening, history, mystery, sci-fi, science, women's studies, African-American & Jewish interests, etc. Pickups can be arranged in and near Leisure World. For more information call Liz at (301-840-1258).

HELP WANTED

DRIVER NEEDED. LW to Olney area. One-way rides. \$15. Occasional rides: For Wednesday or Thursday mornings. References needed and must be dependable. Call (301-278-2189); leave a message.

ACTIVITY OPPORTUNITIES

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 analysis, iust a fun afternoon at the movies with new friends! If you're interested, please email me at (susan.krupka@gmail. com) or give me a call at (240-446-0975).

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).

SCRABBLE CLUB FOR WOMEN

- seeking a few new members
- Club meets at founder's LW home on Thursday nights twice a month 6:30-8:30+ p.m. Typically 1-2 tables are playing using 'official Scrabble rules' and members bring snacks, dessert or wine. Hostess serves coffee,

tea and sodas. Please email a bit about yourself including phone to Polly at (pfields@career-strategies-inc.com) or call ((571-236-1775) in MD in LW).

BOOK CLUB FOR WOMEN — seeking a few "Serious Readers": 15+ year-old club reads award-winning fiction and meets at founder's LW home the second Sunday of the month, 5:30-7:30 p.m., for potluck dinner and discussion. Please email a bit about yourself including phone to Polly at (pfields@career-strategies-inc.com) or call (571-236-1775 (in MD–LW)).

KNITTING AND NEEDLECRAFTS GROUP: 10+ year old club meets every Sunday, 2-5 p.m., with typically 8-12 crafters (any needlework is fine) at founder's LW home. Beginners to seasoned are welcome. Snacks and drinks are served. Please email a bit about yourself including phone to Polly at (pfields@career-strategies-inc. com) or call (571-236-1775 (in MD—LW)).

FILM GROUP FOR WOMEN forming: Seeking 10+ members to watch/discuss 'Bethesda Row' caliber movies at founder's LW home. Meet every 3 weeks on Saturdays, 6:30-10 p.m. Members bring snacks or wine. Hostess serves drinks. Email a bit about yourself including phone to Polly at (pfields@career-strategies-inc.com) or call (571-236-1775 (in MD–LW)).

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

MAKE A DIFFERENCE in a family's life. Habitat for Humanity ReStore needs volunteers to work in its ReStore (Rockville or Silver Spring), especially daytime volunteers who can take a regular shift of three to four hours. Shifts typically are 9 a.m.-1 p.m., 1-5 p.m., or 3-6 p.m. Email (alena.biagas@habitatmm.org) or call (301-990-0014 x 16) if you are interested in volunteering.

VOLUNTEER WITH REPRESENTATIVE PAYEE! Representative Payee helps low-income persons with disabilities manage their finances. Each volunteer is matched with a client who needs help with budgeting, paying routine bills and keeping track of financial matters. If interested in volunteering, contact the Volunteer Coordinator (301-424-0656, ext. 541) or (volunteer@mhamc.org).

VOLUNTEER AS A HOTLINE CALL COUNSELOR with the Montgomery County Hotline! The Montgomery County Hotline is a 24-hour, seven day a week confidential service. Counselors provide supportive and confidential listening; crisis prevention and intervention; and give information, referrals and resources. Contact (volunteer@ mhamc.org) or (301-424-0656, ext. 541) if interested.

MUSEUM GUIDES – at the Montgomery County Historical

Society. Work two weekday afternoons or one weekend afternoon per month from noon to 4 p.m. Receive on-the-job training on local history and museum interpretation. Also receive special admission to programs and a 20% discount in the Museum Shop. Contact Amanda Elliott, Education & Outreach Coordinator, (301-340-6534) or (aelliott@montgomeryhistory.org).

MEALS ON WHEELS is looking for caring and dedicated volunteers to deliver meals to homebound and disabled individuals in the Leisure World area. Service area includes: Leisure World, Olney, Wheaton, Sandy Spring. Please contact Emily Trotter at (443-573-0925) or email (trotter@mowcm.org).

MEALS ON WHEELS (MOW), which runs out of the Inter-Faith Chapel site, needs more volunteers to deliver meals. If you have or know someone who has one and a half to two hours every other week or one time a month and might be interested in serving in this capacity, please contact (410-730-9476).

KOSHER MEALS ON WHEELS, sponsored by JSSA, needs volunteers to deliver nutritious meals to homebound seniors. Volunteers will pick meals up at the Hebrew Home in Rockville and deliver them to seniors in Montgomery County. Schedule is flexible. Call Diane Hays-Earp at JSSA, (301-816-2639).

THE SENIOR CONNECTION needs volunteers who live in the 20906 zip code area to drive seniors to medical appointments and help with grocery shopping. Schedules are flexible and just two to three hours a month can make a difference! Training and liability coverage are provided. Call (301-942-1049) or contact (volunteer@seniorconnectionmc. org) to learn more.

HELP A CHILD! In just onetwo hours a week you can make a difference in a child's life. Volunteers provide friendship and encouragement, help with reading, offer homework assistance, and engage in crafts and cultural activities at schools near Leisure World. For more information, contact Interages at (301-949-3551) or (interages@AccessJCA.org).

BLANKETEERS — Love to knit, crochet or quilt? Project Linus donates handmade blankets to Montgomery County children needing comfort. Contact (projectlinus.mc@gmail.com) for more info, free yarn and fabric, and blanket requirements.

ENGLISH AND MATH TUTORS needed! The Literacy Council of Montgomery County offers one-on-one and small group tutoring, intensive English classes and a new GED program. No experience necessary. We provide materials and training. Sign up online at (www. literacycouncilmcmd.org) or call Ashley France at (301-610-0030).

PET FOSTERS. Seniors needed by AARF (Animal Allies Rescue Foundation) for new program in Montgomery County. Temporarily care for a dog or cat until a permanent home can be found. For more information contact Wanda Mayhew, (301-275-0585) or (www. animalalliesrescue.org). Follow on Facebook. AARF is 501(c)(3) allvolunteer non-profit.

FREE BOOKSTORE seeks volunteers, donations. Velocity of Books opened the first all-free bookstore in Montgomery County at Westfield Wheaton by Hollywood East Café, near Metro entrance. Store open during mall hours. Thousands of books available for kids and adults. To volunteer: (https://volunteersignup.org/7APPQ). Book donations up to five boxes at a time may be brought to the store. Larger donations may be picked up; email (VelocityofBooks@gmail.com).

MONTGOMERY HISTORY, a local nonprofit located in downtown Rockville dedicated to collecting, preserving, interpreting and sharing the histories of Montgomery County's residents, is seeking volunteers in the following areas: museum docents (weekends and holidays); library assistants (weekdays); special events volunteers (weekdays and weekends); and communications and outreach assistants (weekdays only). For a list of volunteer opportunities please visit: (https://montgomeryhistory. org/intern-volunteer-opportunities). Contact Matthew Gagle, Outreach and Volunteer coordinator. at (mgagle@montgomeryhistory. org) or (301-340-2825).

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

REDUCING ANXIETY THROUGH MEDITATION. Join David Newcomb, long-time meditator, for this informative lecture and short meditation. By meditating, we can calm the body and mind which can help us make better decisions and cope with the stresses of life. Tuesday, Sept. 10, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Kensington Park Library, 4201 Knowles Ave.

REAL ID informational program. Did you know federal requirements will require you to be compliant with Real ID? Having a Real ID compliant driver's license or ID card will be necessary to board commercial aircraft or gain access to federal facilities. Come and hear

from the Maryland MVA Outreach Team to learn about this new Federal requirement. Free, no registration, all are welcome. Thursday, Sept. 19, 3-4 p.m. Twinbrook Library. You are also welcome to stay for the Medicare Program from 5-7 p.m.

MEDICARE PROGRAM. Turning 65? Need a Medicare refresher? Do you know the Medicare alphabet? Come to this free program given by SHIP, the State Health Insurance Assistance Program. No registration. Thursday, Sept. 19, 5-7 p.m. Twinbrook Library.

PORTRAITS OF CREATIVE PEOPLE: "CreativitY, with a capital WHY?" Photographer Larry Marc Levine captures creative people at work. On exhibit through Sunday, Nov. 24. Reception on Sunday, Sept. 15, 1-4 p.m., featuring demonstrations by six individuals whose portraits are on exhibit. Sandy Spring Museum, 17091 Bentley Road.

WANTED

FAST CASH FOR USED CARS — Big dollars paid for your used car! Over 43 years' experience serving Leisure World. Please call; available 24 hours. I will come to you. Cash or cashiers' check at your request. I can also help with your new car purchase, any make or model! MD Dealer #U2927. Call Marty Salins (301-325-1973).

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 do something good for yourself. Gold 4 Good (8241 Georgia Ave., Ste. 100, Silver Spring, MD 20910) buys gold and silver jewelry, including broken pieces, all sterling silver, gold watches and gold and silver coins. I will come to your house and give you a free evaluation of what I can pay. 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 homebased business. If you decide to sell, I can buy your items at that time, but there is no obligation. Licensed with both Maryland and Montgomery County (lic. #2327). Call Bob (240-938-9694).

CASH FOR RECORDS, CDs, and tapes. Best price guaranteed. Free appraisals. All types of music, 33, 45, 78 and CDs. Call Steve (301-646-5403) or email (Stevebuysrecords@gmail. com). Will make house calls.

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15400 BASSETT LN #46-3F	Rossmoor Mutual #15	Unit/Flat/Apartment	1	1.5	\$124,000	\$124,000	\$2,000
2921 N LEISURE WORLD BLVD #1-327	Rossmoor Mutual #22	Unit/Flat/Apartment	2	2	\$130,000	\$135,000	\$2,010
3330 N LEISURE WORLD BLVD #5-112	Fairways South	Unit/Flat/Apartment	2	2	\$155,000	\$150,000	\$0
15316 PINE ORCHARD DR #82-1F	Rossmoor Mutual #19	Unit/Flat/Apartment	3	2	\$189,999	\$189,999	\$0
3447 S LEISURE WORLD BLVD #87-2B	Montgomery Mutual Coop	Unit/Flat/Apartment	2	1	\$116,999	\$116,999	\$0
3629 GLEN EAGLES DR #3-1B	Rossmoor Mutual #7	Unit/Flat/Apartment	2	1.5	\$123,000	\$125,000	\$0
3470 CHISWICK CT #43-1F	Montgomery Mutual Coop	Unit/Flat/Apartment	2	1	\$115,000	\$115,000	\$0
2904 N LEISURE WORLD BLVD #509	Turnberry Courts	Unit/Flat/Apartment	1	1	\$134,900	\$136,000	\$0
14801 PENNFIELD CIR #306	Villa Cortese	Unit/Flat/Apartment	2	2	\$275,000	\$275,000	\$0
3502 CHISWICK CT #40-B	Montgomery Mutual Coop	Row/Townhouse	2	3	\$160,000	\$165,000	\$0
3330 N LEISURE WORLD BLVD #431	Fairways South	Unit/Flat/Apartment	3	2.5	\$324,900	\$319,900	\$0
3209 LUDHAM DR #193-A	Rossmoor Mutual #10	Twin/Semi-Detached	3	2	\$325,000	\$315,000	\$2,500
3100 N LEISURE WORLD BLVD #620	Overlook	Unit/Flat/Apartment	2	2	\$299,000	\$285,000	\$0
3100 N LEISURE WORLD BLVD #425	Overlook	Unit/Flat/Apartment	2	2	\$349,900	\$342,500	\$0
14805 PENNFIELD CIR #409	Villa Cortese	Unit/Flat/Apartment	2	2	\$399,000	\$385,000	\$0
15115 INTERLACHEN DR #3-908	The Greens	Unit/Flat/Apartment	2	2	\$210,000	\$205,000	\$0
3210 N LEISURE WORLD BLVD #505	Vantage Point West	Unit/Flat/Apartment	3	2	\$360,000	\$355,000	\$0
3310 LEISURE WORLD BLVD #407-6	Fairways North	Unit/Flat/Apartment	2	2	\$214,700	\$207,500	\$0



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UPCOMING SEMINARS & EVENTS

AT BROOKE GROVE RETIREMENT VILLAGE

As experts in senior care and memory support, Brooke Grove Retirement Village is pleased to offer seminars and events that promote physical, spiritual and mental well-being.

All seminars and events will be held at Brooke Grove Rehabilitation and Nursing Center, located at 18131 Slade School Road on the Brooke Grove Retirement Village campus. Please register with Toni Davis at 301-388-7209 or tdavis@bgf.org.

HEALTHY LIVING CLASS: "EVERYDAY BALANCE"

September 16 through October 23

MONDAYS & WEDNESDAYS 10-10:30 A.M.

During this class, simple yet effective techniques are used to improve balance and agility and reduce your risk of falls. No props are used, so exercises may easily be performed at home.

Six-week Session Fee: \$30

Reservations are requested by September 13.

CAREGIVER CONNECTION: "TOO LATE TO WAIT"

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17 2-3 P.M.

Discover the signs that indicate when it's time to consider adding more care for a loved one with Alzheimer's or dementia — either in the home or with a move to assisted living. During this seminar, you'll explore options, determine how to weigh the pros/cons of a change, and gain tips on how to have this tough discussion with the loved one in your care.

FREE. Register by September 15.

LIVING WELL SEMINAR: "USE IT OR LOSE IT — STRATEGIES TO MAINTAIN YOUR BRAIN"

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18 1-2:15 P.M.

Are you experiencing more difficulty with your memory? Are you worried about developing Alzheimer's disease or a related dementia? Discover the steps you can take to improve and maintain your cognitive function and reduce your risk of developing memory impairment.

Preceded by complimentary lunch at 12:30 p.m.

FREE. Register by September 16.

HEALTHY LIVING CLASS: "MINDFUL MEDITATION"

September 18 through October 23 MONDAYS • 11–11:30 A.M.

Recent scientific studies show that mindful meditation changes the brain in astonishing ways — promoting greater focus, reduced anxiety, increased compassion and improved well-being. Experience guided, mindful meditation in a quiet space.

Six-week Session Fee: \$20

Reservations are requested by September 15.

ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE AND DEMENTIA CARE CONSULTATIONS

SECOND WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH 50-MINUTE SESSIONS

This service is designed to help caregivers — as well as those who are newly diagnosed — cope with the impact of Alzheimer's and other forms of dementia, enabling participants to better understand the disease, manage care and make informed decisions regarding services and treatments.

FREE. Schedule an appointment at any time during the dementia journey.



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