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Rooting for Spring



Dr. Zutzang Hsu spreads fertilizer on his winter melon plants on a chilly morning April 17. For the latest happenings at the garden plots, **see page 2**. Photo by Maureen Freeman, Leisure World News

Colony Thrives in Montgomery Mutual's Bee Box

by Kimberly Y. Choi

The buzzing swarm was the idea of grounds assistant Aaron Tenley. In spring 2017, he realized Leisure World's pollinator garden would make a good host for a crowd of live-in pollinators.

He brought the idea to a Montgomery Mutual meeting,

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figuring it had the funds and land to install a bee box.

The proposal was met with excitement. No one disputed the worth of a small project to benefit the local environment.

Tenley had never kept bees before. He took a class through the Montgomery County Beekeepers Associa-

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Directory of Contact Information Now Available on Resident Website

by Stacy Smith, Leisure World News

A directory of residents' contact information organized alphabetically by last name, much like a digital phone book, is now available on the resident website, (residents.lwmc.com).

In an effort to protect residents' privacy, the website's users must visit the directory and opt-in to have their contact information, including home address, email address and phone numbers, visible to other residents, even if the user has given prior consent.

Residents who opt-in to share their information in the directory may also opt out some or all of their information at any time.

Residents must be signed up as users on (residents. lwmc.com) to access the online directory. The information included in the directory is not shared with any parties outside of Leisure World Management Corporation (LWMC).

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Directory Search

Search

To find a specific directory listing enter just the first few characters of what you are looking for and select Search.

Search

Search Resident Directory

To further narrow your search, click Advanced

To edit the display of your listing within the directory, click **Edit My Listing**. To update information within your listing, click **My Profile**.

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The opt-in resident directory, now available on (residents.lwmc.com), allows users to manage the contact information they share with other residents and homeowners. Screenshot by Leisure World News



Commemorate this year's Arbor Day, Friday, April 27, with a tree planting. For details, **see page 26.**

Getting Their Hands Dirty Local Students Dig In at the Garden Plots

by Stacy Smith, Leisure World News garden, and another watched as

D uring two hot afternoons in April, with temperatures soaring unseasonably into the 80s, gardeners cultivated soil, carted wheelbarrows and poured bags of mulch, stopping every so often to swig some water or wipe away a bead of sweat from their faces.

Every year around this time, the garden plots are roused from their long, winter naps in preparation for spring planting. It's a tedious job that can require a lot of backbreaking work. But this year, a few more able bodies were on hand to help out.

Eight students from Our Lady of Good Counsel High School in Olney, Maryland, provided their time and labor to help 25 gardeners at the garden plots April 13 and 14. As "payment," the students earned community service hours that go toward the total 100 they are required to attain before graduation.

The students worked alongside the gardeners, did some heavy lifting and even learned a thing or two about what it takes to have a green thumb.

One gardener taught her helper how to make tea from the dandelions in her organic garden, and another watched as resident John Biedenkapp used a rototiller, a machine she'd never seen before, to break up the hardened soil in his garden plot.

Biedenkapp, who lives with several health issues, "doesn't really have the energy or stamina to do the plowing and digging and all the hard work," said his wife, Shelby.

"He was just thrilled to have the help," she added. "He couldn't have had a garden this year if it hadn't been for the kids."

Biedenkapp and his wife were so impressed with the students' work that they sent a letter to the school thanking them.

Some gardeners and students got to know one another a little better as they took breaks to ride out the heat, including event organizer Mary Lalley, who sipped water from under her straw hat.

Earlier that day she'd planted hardy, winter crops such as onions, carrots and radishes, that can withstand the few frosty nights that likely still lie ahead.

As Lalley chatted with folks in the cool shadow of a shed, a student noticed the long-time Garden Plot Group member hadn't received much help yet herself because she'd been so busy tending to everyone else's needs.



"When are we going to do something for you?," she asked Lalley.

And with that, Lalley and the student walked off together to empty some heavy bags.

"The kids who came were wonderful, hardworking and generous," Lalley said.

By mid-summer, the 260

garden plots at Leisure World will brim with flowers, herbs and vegetables ripe for harvesting. But for the time being, the gardeners and their helpers have reaped something perhaps even more substantial – the feeling of satisfaction that comes from a job well done.



A student from Our Lady of Good Counsel High School in Olney, Maryland, helps a resident prepare her garden plot for spring planting on April 13. Photo by Stacy Smith, Leisure World News

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Leisure World News is published for the benefit of Leisure World residents. Its mission is to provide news and information about community governance and other relevant issues, events, and activities, and to provide residents a forum for their opinions and an opportunity to contribute articles of general interest. All matters concerning the Leisure World News will be decided with this mission in mind.

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Bees

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tion, which encourages county residents to raise bees on their property.

By the time he completed the course last spring, it was too late in the year to start the project. He waited until the following year and implemented the bee habitat this March.

In the Bee Zone

The bees reside by the drainage creek at Montgomery Mutual. A wire fence encloses a several-foot radius of their box, complete with an illustrated sign: "Warning: Bee Hive. Do Not Approach."

Establishing a new colony began by bringing some bees together with a different colony's queen bee. The foreign royal had a small, private chamber until she grew familiar enough to the rest of the colony to ensure they would not attack her.

Tenley continues to monitor the queen and her "subjects." As of his last visit, she is alive and well.

If all goes as expected, the bees will build a hive in the box, and eggs and larvae will appear.

Tenley replenishes their sugar water supply as often as needed. As flowers come with the advancing year, nectar will replace the sugar water as their source of food. Some bees can already be seen returning home covered in the pollen of nearby blossoms.

The bees are generally not aggressive during Tenley's tasks, unless the sugar water is depleted and they are hungry. Still, precautions must be taken.

When the bees need to be placated, he uses a device that emits smoke, which temporarily lulls them. He wears a hat with

GOOD TO KNOW: PLACING A CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENT

by Kathleen Brooks, Leisure World News

A classified ad may be the perfect way to get your message out to the community. Whether you are trying to sell something, offering a professional service or looking for some special item, placing a classified ad is quick, easy and economical.

Classified ads are text only, no graphics or borders, with the first three to four words in all capitals. The Leisure World News offers a variety of classifications under which to place your ad, so you are sure to find the perfect spot for it.

- Ads can be submitted via email to (lwnewsads@lwmc. com) at any time, or dropped off at the Leisure World News office in Clubhouse I, Monday through Friday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
- Licensed healthcare providers (RN, LPN, CNA, GNA, Med Tech) must provide proof of certification by the Maryland Board of Nursing.
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a Maryland business or professional license number or business affiliation in their ad.

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Grounds assistant Aaron Tenley checks up on a colony of bees in Montgomery Mutual. Photo by Kimberly Y. Choi, Leisure World News

a veil covering his head – the only time he was stung was the day he neglected to fasten the veil properly, and a bee crawled underneath and stung his face.

Project Outcomes

Tenley is often asked what will be done with the honey. Honey shouldn't be collected in the first year, as bees only produce enough to sustain their own needs; in subsequent years, they make about 50 percent more.

Even next year, it is uncertain whether Tenley will collect that surplus.

"It's a complicated process," he said.

Collecting the honey entails cutting sections of the honeycomb and waiting for the honey to slowly ooze out.

Montgomery Mutual residents are pleased with the

project, Tenley said. They often ask him how the bees are doing.

The bee box and pollinator garden are Leisure World's part in a larger effort to restore populations of insects and other animal pollinators that have been declining globally in recent years. By facilitating plant reproduction, pollinators play an important role in ecosystems and agriculture.

Tenley believes Leisure World is "going in the right direction" with respect to caring for the land it's situated on. He sees his beekeeping efforts, along with other measures, such as reducing pesticide use and planting trees, as a demonstration of Leisure World's increasing commitment to environmental protection.

Where In Leisure World?



A capital letter R in simple typeface is affixed outside somewhere on the grounds of Leisure World. Other letters, indistinguishable in the photo, span to its left and right, spelling out a word or entire phrase. "Rrr" you sure you know what it says and where it is located? Check the next edition of Leisure World News to find out. Photo by Leisure World News

Delivering a Personal Touch to Personal Finance Signal Financial staff reflect on their rewarding work at Leisure World

by Kimberly Y. Choi, Leisure World News

O nce in a while, Signal Financial Federal Credit Union offers not just finance brochures and money management tips, but sweets and snacks as well. The office even twinkled during the 2017 winter holidays with a colorful pine tree and snowy décor.

Staff took part in a lighting of the menorah with the Jewish War Veterans chapter. On another day, Santa Claus and one of his elves, played by branch manager Nabiha Zayat-Calcutt and member relationship specialist Colin Creighton, emerged from the Credit Union to distribute candy canes.

If Signal Financial 'signals' something, it is warmth. Warmth radiates to its visitors in the form of tea, coffee and hot chocolate, and friendly conversation.

The staff's interactions with residents and involvement in the community show how far removed Signal is from the cold transactions of a bank, according to Zayat-Calcutt.

The two types of institutions offer similar services, but Zayat-Calcutt feels working with a credit union is quite different, as it provides an atmosphere that reflects its not-for-profit business model and community ownership. When a bank makes more money, it generates profit for the company; when a credit union makes more money, the funds return in the form of increased dividends to its members.

"Members," Zayat-Calcutt reminds her co-worker who comes from a banking background – because a credit union has no place for customers.

Building Relationships

Like a banker, Zayat-Calcutt speaks of Signal's financial services in terms of the "relationship" produced between the member and the institution. Members can strengthen their relationship with Signal through typical financial services: savings and checking accounts, loans, money market accounts, debit cards and more.

She says, though, that a credit union differs from a bank in that relationships far exceed what the term means to the banking industry.

Members come in asking to chat with particular Signal employees. Member relationship specialist Armela Omerhodzic recalls the time a resident who had recently suffered a serious medical event nevertheless remembered Omerhodizic's birthday and brought her chocolates.



Financial Milestones

Financial services are inevitably tied to life events. The Leisure World branch only opened last year, but staffers say they have already grown to feel a concern for residents' lives beyond their finances. Co-op lending services enable the purchase of a Leisure World property; a loan funds a milestone purchase; financial planning accompanies a retirement.

One woman came into the office on her 99th birthday to open a five-year share certificate, the credit union counterpart to a certificate of deposit (CD). Seeing her determination to prepare for a solid future at any age has been one of Zayat-Calcutt's most rewarding moments on the job.

Branching Out to the Community

Zayat-Calcutt "grew up in credit unions" and appreciates their culture, but working with Leisure World residents has proven especially fulfilling, she says.

"You get to be family, be community with everyone here," she says.

The staff has forged that bond in part by getting involved in the community's activities. Some staff members have been invited to club meetings including those of the NARFE, Rossmoor Art Guild and Camera Club.

Originally the idea of Signal's CEO François Verleysen, a wall inside the Credit Union displays artwork and photographs created by residents. The wall alternately features Camera Club and Rossmoor Art Guild creations.

Signal staff members choose some of the art contest themes and even cast their own votes for best submission. The Quilt Group recently decided to contribute some of their work for display as well. Zayat-Calcutt has gotten to know some Credit Union members on a personal level when they chat about their artwork.



Branch manager Nabiha Zayat-Calcutt points out the wall of resident art at Signal Financial Federal Credit Union. Photo by Kimberly Y. Choi

Signal's Services

Signal Financial offers an introduction to its services at a free seminar, "Why Signal?," on Monday, April 25, from 1-2 p.m. at the Clubhouse Grille in Clubhouse I.

Signal Financial has distributed information at club events and new resident orientations, and presents other free seminars on a variety of financial topics. The seminars are open to Credit Union members and non-members alike.

Residents and their family members are eligible to join. Membership provides access to services similar to a bank's, though often with higher annual percentage yields. Signal offers several product bundles as well that require residents to meet several conditions but pay higher dividends.

Signal keeps current with its use of technology through ATMs and online banking, but those less able to use technology needn't be intimidated. Staff offers tutorials, and the branch welcomes members who would rather conduct transactions in person.

While Signal's own locations are all in Maryland and Washington, D.C., members who leave the area can continue to receive service at credit union branches and ATMs throughout the country that participate in the Shared Branching network.

More information can be found on Signal's website, (signalfinancialfcu.org), or by calling its main number at (301-933-9100). The Leisure World branch is open Monday to Friday, 9 a.m-3 p.m.

Directory

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Opting Into the Directory

To access the directory, sign into (residents.lwmc. com) with your sign in name and password.

Click on the down arrow next to Contacts, and then click on Master Resident Directory.

To opt into, out of, or to specify how much personal information is shared with others in the directory, click on Edit My Listing. A pop-up box appears with three options that are comparable to privacy settings.

Click on the bubble next to "Display my name, address, and contact information" if you wish to have this information searchable to other residents, or click on the "Display my name and address only" bubble if you wish to limit the information available to others to your name and address only.

To opt out all of your contact information from the directory, click on the "Do not display any information" bubble. Your contact information will not be be visible to other homeowners and residents.

After making your selection, click on Update My

save it. If you decide later that you'd like to change the amount of information shared with others, just click on Edit My Listing again and make a new selection.



Editing and Adding Information

Residents who have signed on as users to the website can also modify their own information by clicking on My Profile.

By clicking the Edit button next to their name, users have the option of adding or changing their contact information, and can also choose if they'd like to receive emergency alerts and other communication from LWMC via phone, email and/or text messaging.

By checking the Public box, the information you have included is visible to residents and property owners who are registered on the website, as well as office staff.

By checking the Private box, the information included is visible only to website users in your household, and office staff.

My Profile: More Options

Users can also add their birthday and list their interests in this section, which, if designated by the user as public, will appear in a search.

For example, if a user is looking for other residents who are interested in tennis, he or she can search the directory using the keyword "tennis" to find the contact information for residents who share that interest.

Users can click on the Edit Sign In Information box to change the sign in name and/or password they use to sign into the website. They can also add an emergency contact to their website account such as a spouse or a next of kin.

Searching the Directory

Users can search for a particular resident's information by clicking on the first

letter of the resident's last name.

For example, if a user is searching for the home address of a resident named John Jones, he or she can click the "J" and scroll through the list of residents who have a last name that begins with the letter "J."

Users can also "flip pages" by clicking the left and right arrow tabs located on either side of the page number.

Click on Advanced Search, and a pop-up box appears that allows a user to narrow his or her search to a particular subject.

Assistance

Website users who have trouble navigating the resident directory or website can call the help desk Monday through Friday, from 1-4 p.m., at (301-598-1029), or email (websitesupport@ lwmc.com).

Search Field	Value
Account	
Name	
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City	
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Zip Code	
Email	
Phone	
Interests	
Emergency Contact	
Pet Name	

Completing an advanced search allows users to find other residents based on specific criteria, such as neighborhood or shared interest. Screenshot by Leisure World News

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Keep It Green: Recycling Guidelines for Leisure World Residents

from the Sanitation Department

eisure World has made responsible recycling a priority, but some of the Sanitation Department's collection practices differ from Montgomery County's. Understanding and following these guidelines can help hold down resident fees.

Leisure World does not take paper products to Montgomery County for recycling. Instead, as a cost saving measure, newsprint, cardboard and other paper items are collected separately from other recyclables and sold to an alternate recycling facility. As a result, the community saves the expense of paying to dispose of newsprint and cardboard and receives approximately \$40,000 per year from the recycler.

Place these items in your blue recycling bin; they are picked up



on the same day as your trash schedule:

1. Aluminum, bi-metal (steel/tin) cans, and aluminum foil products

Acceptable metals include: empty "non-hazardous" aerosol cans; all metal food, beverage, and pet food cans; aluminum foil products such as foil wrap, pie plates and other food trays; and tins from cookies, fruitcakes, popcorn and similar items. Items should be wiped off and cleaned as much as possible.

2. Glass bottles and jars (clear, blue, brown, green)

Rinse, remove caps and lids, and place bottles, jars, caps and lids separately into a blue recycling bin. No ceramic materials, mirrors, or window glass.

3. Plastics

Acceptable types of plastic (marked 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 or 7) include: bottles, containers, lids, jars, pails, buckets (with metal and plastic handles), food grade tubs: narrow-neck bottles that contained food, drink and household products (milk, juice, soda, water, salad dressing, cooking oil, shampoo, conditioner, and cleaning and detergent bottles); butter or margarine tubs; yogurt, cottage cheese and sour cream containers; mayonnaise and peanut butter jars; whipped topping containers, prescription bottles, deli containers and trays, tubs with lids, platter trays, ice

cream buckets, plastic beverage cups, laundry detergent tubs and buckets, kitty litter containers, painting buckets (up to five gallons), plastic lids and plastic flower pots.

Unacceptable types of plastics include: containers that held automotive or garden products (motor oil, antifreeze, and pesticide containers), plastic bags, plastic wrap, Styrofoam/polystyrene cups, trays and packaging, clamshell packaging (marked #6), microwavable trays, toys, kiddie pools, plastic flower tray packs (marked #6), other large plastic items.

Other Collections:

4. Newspapers, junk mail, inserts, cardboard (every Wednesday) and magazines (first Wednesday of each month)

If possible, place bundles in paper bags or tie them with string before placing in the blue bins.

Do not package newspaper in plastic bags, which are non-recyclable in Montgomery County. 5. Yard trimmings (grass, leaves, brush and Christmas trees)



Call the Grounds Maintenance Department at (301-598-1314) to arrange for pickup. Do not use plastic bags.

6. Fluorescent light tubes and bulbs

Fluorescent bulbs contain a thin mercury layer, rendering them household hazardous waste when they burn out and require disposal.

While fluorescent bulbs may be disposed of in the normal household trash, it is better to bring them to the Physical Properties Department for recycling.

With residents' continued assistance, Leisure World can maintain its ranking as one of Maryland's recycling leaders.

Reminder: No Dumping

The dumpsters located near Clubhouse I and II are designated for clubhouse trash disposal; they are not for individuals' trash or other discarded or unwanted items, such as furniture or household items.



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3330 LEISURE WORLD BLVD #5-512	FAIRWAYS SOUTH	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors	2	2	\$159,900	\$150,000	\$0
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15107 INTERLACHEN DR #2-517	THE GREENS	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors	2	2	\$200,000	\$200,000	\$0
15100 INTERLACHEN DR #4-101	THE GREENS	Hi-Rise 9+ Floors	2	2	\$159,000	\$156,000	\$0
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GOVERNANCE & Information

April 23: Monday Evenings at the Restaurant

I n a continued effort to engage the community and show their appreciation to customers, restaurant operator Perrie, LLC hosts "Monday Evenings with Your Restaurant Operators" every Monday at 6 p.m. beginning April 23 in the Clubhouse Grille.



Restaurant staff and residents will discuss new menu items

and plans for upcoming holidays and special events. Staff will also gather feedback from the community about the restaurants' services and offerings and how they can improve.

All questions, comments, suggestions and concerns are welcome. Complimentary snacks and beverages are provided.

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April 29: Resident Open Forum – 'Chat with the Chair'

On Sunday, April 29, Leisure World Community Corporation board of directors' chair Paul Eisenhaur hosts a Resident Open Forum at 6 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom.

The event provides working residents an opportunity to meet Eisenhaur and discuss ways in which they can become more involved in Leisure World's governance and other activities.

The Resident Open Forum is free and open to all residents. Tickets are not required, but residents

planning to attend are asked to RSVP by calling the Clubhouse I E&R office at (301-598-1300).

- Leisure World News

Paul Eisenhaur. Photo by

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

Executive Committee Meeting The May 11 meeting airs on May 16, 17 and 18.

Board of Directors Meeting The May 22 meeting airs on May 28, 30 and June 1.

Group Email Addresses

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

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

The group email addresses are:

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

Special Strategic Planning Committee

Committee Seeks Residents' Input

by Leisure World News

W hat do you value about life at Leisure World? How would you like to see the community evolve in the next 10 years?

The Special Strategic Planning Committee (SSPC) is seeking resident input regarding strategic planning for Leisure World's future.

The SSPC encourages all residents to submit suggestions for strategic planning via email at:

(LWstratplan@gmail.com) or by mail at: (SSPC, 3701 Rossmoor Blvd. Attention: K. Ibanez).

For more about the SSPC and strategic planning, including a PowerPoint presentation given by the committee during three recent community forums, visit (residents.lwmc.com). Under the Documents drop down menu, click on Resident Document Locator, and then click on the Advisory and Special Committees folder. "Community Forum Presentation" is found in the 2018 Strategic Planning Special Committee folder.

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Step In and Say 'Ahhhh'



Between the indoor lap pool and the round social pool, the heated spa, or hot tub, provides a warm soak to a resident on a gray morning. In March, replacements and maintenance to filters and pumps kept the spa out of operation for more than a week. But its heater and jets are now back in service, and residents using the indoor pool complex in Clubhouse II can again enjoy the spa's therapeutic benefits. Photo by Leisure World News

GOOD TO KNOW: SECURITY & TRANSPORTATION OFFICE

by Kimberly Y. Choi, Leisure World News

The Security & Transportation office handles a variety of functions that pertain to getting around the area as well as keeping safe from unauthorized visitors while at home.

To find the Security & Transportation office from the Administration Building main lobby, follow the hallway to the right of the Post Office. At the end of the hallway, turn left. The Security & Transportation office is on the right.

Elisabeth Hamilton, the administrative coordinator of Security & Transportation, can also be reached by telephone at (301-598-1355) or email at (ehamilton@lwmc. com).

Security

Residents should contact the Security & Transportation office to report security incidents and concerns. Reports can be made either to Hamilton or to the staff at the Main Gate, which is open daily around the clock.

Leisure World's security staff is responsible for

allowing or denying access to the community. Residents often visit the office to pick up vehicle decals that permit entry through the gates. Decals are available on Mondays and Fridays from 1:30-3:30 p.m., and Wednesdays from 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Residents who plan to have guests, host an open house for prospective homebuyers or hold an estate sale will also find required forms for these activities at the office.

However, the Security & Transportation office does not issue guest passes or assist when a guest pass is lost, as is sometimes mistaken; guest passes should instead be requested by residents at the Administration Building's front desk. A maximum of eight guest passes are allowed per household.

Transportation

The office also provides shuttle bus schedules and information about other transit services: van transportation for residents with limited mobility, and "Diala-Ride," Leisure World's ride service for trips within the community.

Leisure World of Maryland Resales January through March, 2018

монтн	RESALES	RESALES FUND FEES COLLECTED
January	26	\$91,218.80
February	17	\$64,918.00
March	39	\$149,518.00
TOTAL	82	\$305,654.80

The buyer of a home in Leisure World of Maryland contributes two percent of the home's selling price to the Resales Fund. Currently, those funds are used exclusively for Facilities Enhancement Plan (FEP) projects, which are selected by the Leisure World Community Corporation board of directors.

Recent FEP projects include the Fitness Center in Clubhouse II and renovations to the restaurant and Maryland Room in Clubhouse I.

Pedestrian Safety

With the summer months fast approaching, residents are reminded to pay special attention to the numerous pedestrians within the community.

Walking is an excellent form of exercise and many residents have taken up this pastime. The Security & Transportation Department reminds residents and employees that sidewalks should be utilized at all times; let the vehicles use the roadways.

Vehicular Traffic Please Note: Many people in the community are hearing or sight impaired and others walk slowly or have mobility issues. Remember, Maryland State Law mandates: "Pedestrians in a crosswalk, whether marked or unmarked, have the right of way."

All pedestrians are reminded to:

- Wear suitable walking shoes for comfort to prevent falls
- Wear bright colored clothing when walking before dawn and after dusk
- Always carry a form of identification. This identification should include your name, address, any medical conditions and the name of a person to contact in case of an emergency
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THOUGHTS & OPINIONS: From Our Residents

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Respect:	Remember that your opinion is about ideas, not individuals, and please avoid personal attacks.
Brevity:	Being concise will ensure that your opinion will have maximum impact.
Accuracy:	Document all factual assertions. Opinions that are backed up with facts are more powerful, but only if the facts are accurate.
Ownership:	All submissions are subject to editing but you will have the opportunity to approve the edits before publication.

Opinions are strictly those of the writers

Reasons to Build a New Administration Building – A Rebuttal

I recently saw an article in my mutual's newsletter that gave reasons why Leisure World should build a new Administration Building. Because this article echoed various opinions and assumptions that have been heard throughout the Leisure World community, I feel compelled to offer some facts and counter-opinions in rebuttal:

"We have a small group... who suddenly do not like or approve... and have criticized what was done... with false arguments and charges..." The opposition is not "sudden"; it has been around for years. Nor is the group small. The number of letters in the Leisure World News that oppose the project far exceeds the number supporting it, and I have not seen a "false argument" in any of them.

"A new building would have additional space." There is plenty of space in the present building, so much that a whole suite of offices is rented to a real estate agency and another suite is rented to Montgomery Mutual, not to mention thousands of square feet for a private credit union, much of which is unused. Montgomery Mutual could provide its own space and we have no obligation to provide space for private companies. (Nor, in my opinion, should we.) *"Building would be energy efficient..."* This may be true, but most people don't tear down a building at a cost of millions of dollars to save a few dollars on electricity.

"...and meet current building codes..." I don't think that existing buildings are required to meet current building codes, but even if they are, it would likely be cheaper to adapt to the new code than to tear down the building. How many 50-year-old buildings do you know that have been torn down because of changes in the building code?

"A new building would require a much lower maintenance cost." Sensible people don't tear down a building because it needs repairs, unless the cost of repairs is comparable to the cost of a new building. When Clubhouse I needed extensive repairs, the building was not torn down; instead, the repairs were made. Why is the Administration Building different?

"Staff would not have to move into temporary quarters and there would be no disruption to resident services..." With proper planning, a temporary move would not disrupt resident services, and anyway, some kind of move would be required even if a new building is built.

"Creation of 60-70 new parking spaces for handicap..." Handicapped spaces can be added or allocated in the existing parking lot and on surrounding land, if needed. "This will increase the number of people using our restaurants, which will help keep prices down." I doubt that more parking spaces will increase restaurant patronage, and even if it does, I don't think a slight increase will affect prices.

"Many of our residents are in need of better access to our Clubhouse I...There is an 8 degree uphill access... which is difficult to maneuver." The "uphill" is actually a ramp at the beginning of the walkway to the Clubhouse I entrance, similar to (but longer than) the ramp near the Administration Building entrance. If it is now considered too steep, I believe it would be a simple matter to relay a few slabs of concrete, without tearing down the building.

In my opinion, the only "benefit" cited above that could come close to justifying a new building is lower maintenance cost, and only if the cost of the necessary repairs is comparable to that of a new building. I mean, who would tear down a building so that a mutual can have space that other mutuals don't have? Who would tear down a building to avoid relaying a section of walkway? Who would tear down a building to avoid reallocating parking spaces? However, if repairs are needed, I think our Leisure World Community Corporation board of directors should tell us specifically what they are and then get a cost estimate for fixing them from a reliable contractor. This information should be given to the Leisure World community before spending \$5.2 million (and growing) on this project. This is a lot of money and it's money that

came from our pockets when we bought our units. Let's not waste it!

- Rodney Brooks

Kudos to the Restaurant Team

We've had to host guests many times this year. Our home is now downsized and we cannot host large dinner parties there, so we started inviting friends and family to our two restaurants at Leisure World. In both the Clubhouse Grille and the Terrace Room, we have been extremely pleased with the results.

It's a very talented team that can offer the friendly, neighborhood atmosphere of the Terrace Room and the Stein Room, but also be able to put on a somewhat formal and well-executed dinner party in the Clubhouse Grille.

Recently, we had a group of 15 and the event ran like a Swiss watch. The table was immaculately set and everything was ready and in order prior to the time of arrival. Each order was taken and delivered flawlessly, and the plates looked great and were served promptly, hot and delicious. The drinks from the bar were right each time, well made and quick. The food and drinks were outstanding and the service was truly exceptional. The professionalism and the pleasantness of the entire team impressed all of our guests.

Congratulations to the team for doing an excellent job and for providing some outstanding memories!

– Hank and Bea Weiss

SUBMITTING AN ITEM TO THOUGHTS & OPINIONS

- 1. Submissions must be emailed to aclwn@lwmc.com or delivered to the LW News Office.
- **2.** Receipt of submissions will be confirmed by email or telephone.
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EVENTS & Entertainment

Education and Recreation Department ■ Foundation of Leisure World

April 28: The Rat Pack **Together Again**

T his toast to the Rat Pack takes you on a musical journey that features some

of the greatest hits from the legendary Frank Sinatra, Dean "Dino" Martin and Sammy Davis Jr. Tony Sands as Sinatra sings "Old Blue Eyes" classics like "Come Fly with Me," "My Way" and "New York."

He is joined by Johnny Pettillo as "Dino" crooning "Everybody Loves Somebody and

"That's Amore!" and Geno Monroe as the the dynamic Sammy Davis Jr. with renditions of his "Mr. Bojangles" and "Candy Man."

The trio's songs and comedy will have you thinking that you have

■ Ballroom Dance Club

stepped back in time, a time when The Rat Pack was in its heyday.

Sponsored by the Foundation of Leisure World and the E&R Department, the show is on Saturday, April 28, at 7 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium. Tickets are \$15

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

■ Center for Lifelong Learning (CLL) Computer Learning Center

April 29: Tech Time with Students

by Fred Shapiro

n Sunday, April 29, students from the Charles E. Smith Jewish Day School will work with residents oneon-one to help them with their smartphones, tablets, laptops and other computer technology.

The event, co-sponsored by the Center for Lifelong Learning and the Computer Learning Center, is from 10 a.m.-noon in the Computer Learning Center and Clubhouse II.

The students have become a regular feature at Leisure World, satisfying many resi-



dents who need that extra bit of help to master their iPhones and computers. At the same time, the students earn service credits at their school.

Residents who would like to attend are asked to register at the Clubhouse II E&R office by dropping by the office or calling (301-598-1320). When registering, please specify the technology in which you are interested and the session for which you are available.



A student from the Charles E. Smith Jewish Day School assists a resident with her tablet. Photo by Fred Shapiro

PLEASE, NO CASH

The E&R offices in Clubhouse I and II do not accept cash payment for programs or activities it sponsors. Payment can be made by check, payable to LWMC. Or, if \$10 or more, payment can also be made with a credit card (MasterCard, Visa or Discover).

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





April dance is dressy for the ladies and jackets and ties for the gentlemen. Make reservations by calling Connie Roby at (240-393-9808) by Thursday, April 26, to ensure

a seat with friends at your favorite table. When making reservations, let Roby know with whom you wish to be seated.

The dance is \$10 for members and \$15 for non-members and guests. Put on dancing shoes and come join the Club on April 28.

Features The Tony Luciano Band

April 28: Dance

by Joyce Hendrix

¬he Tony Luciano Band provides the music for the dance on Saturday, April 28, from 7:30-10:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom.

Dancers welcome the return of Tony on keyboards, Fritz on drums and Norman on guitar, the three musicians who comprise one of the most requested bands at Club dances. The dress code for the



May 6: The American Indian Wars – An Epoch Surrounded in Myths

by Jonas Weiss

Peter Cozzens, author and editor of 17 books on the American Civil War and the American West, including the prize-winning book "The Earth Is Weeping," presents a Fireside Forum program on Sunday, May 6, at 2:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium.

Cozzens says that after a century of distortions and misconceptions about the history of the American West



after the Civil War, it's time to bring clarity and balance

to the epic history of the Indian Wars and explode some myths about this period.

His version is a far more nuanced picture of the latter half of the 19th century than what Americans have seen in the past. Gone are the clean-cut good

guys overcoming "savages" and Army and government leaders bent on genocide as portrayed in old movies. Cozzens' view is that Indian tribes were as much at war with one another as they were with incoming white settlers and the U.S. Army, and the ragtag Army was hardly a finely tuned killing machine.

Cozzens is a retired and decorated Foreign Service Officer from Kensington, Maryland. Maurice Zeeman is the

host for the speaker.

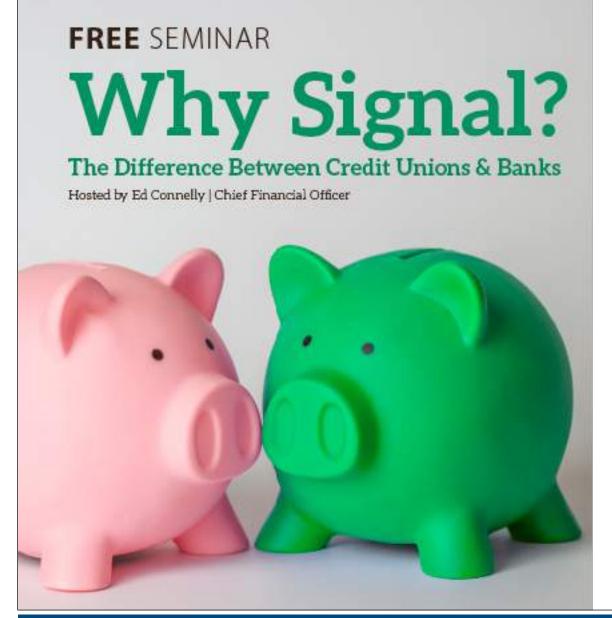
Coming in 2018

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

April 21, 9:30 a.m. April 22, 7 p.m. April 28, 7 p.m. May 11, 10:30 a.m. May 14, 2 p.m. May 26, 4:30 p.m. May 31, 1:30 p.m.

Spring Flea Market Ovation Dinner Theatre – Murder: Take 2! The Rat Pack Together Again St. John's Episcopal School Jazz Ensemble Concert Pianist Solomon Eichner Duke Ellington School of the Arts Performance Steve Friedman – Even More Musicals

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



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May 11: Janine Gilbert Carter Quartet

by York Van Nixon III

When Janine Carter sings, listeners hear a beautiful voice born from the soulful pews of gospel music. She comes to Café AIM to perform on Friday, May 11, in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom.

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

Reserved tables of eight or more are limited to members only. For more information



Janine Gilbert Carter, courtesy photo



s or to join, visit (AimArts. net).

2018 Movie Schedule

Sponsored by the E&R Department

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

Show Date & Time	Movie	Tickets Available		
April 29, 2 p.m.	The Dressmaker	SOLD OUT		
May 17, 1 p.m.	Paris Can Wait	April 24		
May 27, 2 p.m.	Going in Style	May 8		
June 10, 2 p.m.	Lions	May 22		
June 28, 1 p.m.	Collateral Beauty	June 5		
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Education and Recreation Department

May 11: St. John's Episcopal School Jazz Ensemble



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

The E&R Department welcomes The St. John's Episcopal School Jazz Ensemble back for a concert on Friday, May 11, at 10:30 a.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom. The Jazz Ensemble will perform music representing a variety of styles and popular music eras.

Featured pieces include Gloria Estefan's 1980s mega hit "Rhythm Is Gonna Get You"; "I'm Always Chasing Rainbows," based on a melody by Frederic Chopin; "Old Time Rock and Roll" that'll bring a smile to the face of any Tom Cruise fan; "Buckjump" a gem written in New Orleans funk style composed by Louisiana's own Trombone Shorty; "Who's That Masked

Sign Up for Events and Classes

S ign-ups for newly advertised E&R events and classes are taken 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 Clubhouse II, as noted in the event or class description.

Please remember to bring your Leisure World ID.

Man?" featuring music from TV and movie whose main character wears a mask; and "America, the Beautiful," arranged in the style of Ray Charles. St. John's is also pleased

st. John's is also pleased to feature individual members of the band who will play solos ranging from serious concert repertoire to good old swing style favorites to pieces from the Disney library.

So, plan on coming to hear these talented students perform music you remember, along with not so familiar tunes, at this mid-morning concert on May 11. The concert is free, but tickets are required, limit two per person, and are available in both clubhouse E&R offices.



May 14: Concert Pianist Solomon Eichner

E qually at home with solo, chamber and concerto performances, Solomon Eichner has established himself as an exciting and versatile young artist.

He is known for his commanding performances of the romantic keyboard repertoire including Liszt, Chopin, Brahms, Prokofiev and Rachmaninoff.

Having last performed at Leisure World in October 2016, Eichner returns on Monday, May 14, at 2 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium to give another stellar concert.

Eichner has competed nationally and internationally, winning the Golden Key Debut International Competition NYC and receiving second in the Miami Music Festival's Concerto Competition in 2016. After winning the Golden Key at age 27, Eichner made his debut performance at Carnegie Hall in New York City.

He has performed at music festivals and events in the Baltimore-Washington, D.C. area, including at the Sandy Spring Museum's concert series, the Enoch Pratt Library Salon Concert Series in Baltimore, and the Afternoon Concert Series at the U.S. State Department in Washington, D.C. Besides performing, Eichner adjudicates other piano competitions.

Originally from Pikesville,

Maryland, Eichner studied privately with Virginia Reinecke, Reynaldo Reyes and Irene Kreymer. He graduated with his bachelor's of music degree from the Manhattan School of Music, studying with Arkady Aronov, and received his master's of music degree from the Peabody Conservatory of Johns Hopkins University, studying with Alexander Shtarkman.

In 2017, he received his doctor of musical arts degree from the University of South Carolina with his final dissertation on the Jewish repressed composer Samuil Feinberg.

Sponsored by the E&R Department, tickets for this



Solomon Eichner, courtesy photo

performance are \$7 per person and are on sale in both clubhouse E&R offices. Please bring your Leisure World ID.

■Jewish War Veterans Charles B. Krieger Post 567 May 18-20: Musical Tribute to World War II Veterans Returns

by Fred Shapiro

B ased on the positive reception the Musical Tribute to World War II Veterans received on March 2, residents will once again honor these heroes with three repeat performances on Friday, May 18, and Saturday, May 19, at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, May 20, at



Julie Repeta performs during the Musical Tribute to World War II Veterans on March 2. Photo by Fred Shapiro

2 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium.

The show's stage, a simulated radio station, includes projected newsreels and songs from the era. The show follows the course of the war from the bombing of Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941 to the end of the war with the Japanese surrender on September 2, 1945.

President Franklin Roosevelt's "Day of Infamy" and Douglas MacArthur's "I Shall Return" speeches are included.

The show also includes music that dominated the period. You will recall favorites such as "Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy" by the Andrews Sisters, "Lili Marlene" sung by Marlene Dietrich, "Der Fuehrer's Face" by Spike Jones and "As Time Goes By" from the movie "Casablanca."

Julie Repeta, Bob Gotkin, Pat McConnell, Steve Bennof, Nancy Koski and Dave Weiss perform, along with Maxine Lewack on piano. The show's producer is World War II veteran George Jacobs. At one point in the show, all veterans are asked to stand and be recognized for their service.

Tickets, \$10 per person (check only, payable to LWMC), are available beginning Tuesday, April 24, at 8:30 a.m. in the Clubhouse I E&R office. Military veterans from all eras are admitted free of charge.

Sponsored by the Jewish War Veterans Charles B. Krieger Post 567, proceeds from the show will be distributed to veteran's organizations.



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May 26: Classical Music Performed by Duke **Ellington School of the Arts**



Students from the Duke Ellington School of the Arts, courtesy photo

S tudents from the Duke Ellington School of the Arts return to Leisure World on Saturday, May 26, at 4:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium. This year, not only are piano selections performed but several flute and violin pieces are also featured.

The program includes "Piano Sonata No. 17 in D minor" (known as "The Tempest") by Ludwig van Beethoven, selections from "Etudes" by Frédéric Chopin, selections from "Lyric Pieces" by Edvard Grieg, "Over the Rainbow" by Harold Arlen, the "Flute Concertino in D major. Op. 107" by Cécile Chaminade and many more.

The Duke Ellington School of the Arts piano ensemble recently returned from New York after participating in a WorldStrides Music Festival. Once again, the ensemble won a Gold Award, as well as an Adjudicator Award.

The mission of the Duke Ellington School of the Arts in Washington, D.C., is to nurture and inspire a passion for arts and learning in talented students who might not otherwise have an opportunity to develop their artistic skills.

Students come from every section of the District. Each student auditions for the opportunity to attend the school and must maintain a

satisfactory GPA in regular academic studies to participate in their arts classes.

This performance, sponsored by the E&R Department, promises to be another exceptional program by students from the Duke Ellington

School of the Arts. Tickets are \$7 per person, check or credit card (MasterCard, VISA, Discover) if over \$10. They go on sale on Tuesday, April 24, at 8:30 a.m. in both clubhouses E&R offices. Please bring your Leisure World ID.

■ Foundation of Leisure World May 28: Memorial Day **Ceremony at Veterans** Park

by Billie Saunders

n Memorial Day, Monday, May 28, the Foundation of Leisure World sponsors a wreath laying ceremony at Veterans Park in front of Clubhouse I.

The ceremony begins at 9 a.m. and includes a short program featuring a resident honor guard. All residents are welcome and encouraged to attend.

Following the ceremony, attendees are welcome to join Foundation members for a pay-your-own breakfast at the Stein Room in Clubhouse I.

Residents interested in joining the group for breakfast can reserve a seat by contacting Billie Saunders at (301-822-4116) no later than Wednesday, May 23. LEISU

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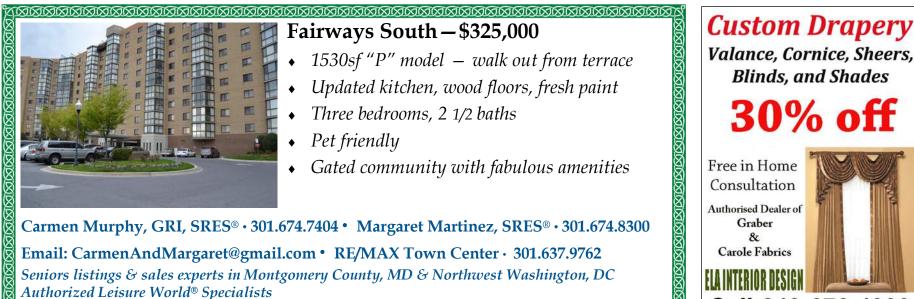
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May 31: Even More Musicals

S teve Friedman returns on Thursday, May 31, at 1:30 p.m. in Clubhouse I for his continuing series of programs on the history of Broadway. Using song and lecture, he explores even more musicals.



Tickets are \$6 per person and go on sale on Tuesday, April 24, at 8:30 a.m. in both clubhouse E&R offices. Please bring your Leisure World ID.

Steve Friedman. Photo by Leisure World News

Check the Directories



Looking for a club or committee meeting? Check the electronic directories in the clubhouse lobbies to find the time and location of that day's meetings.

The directories also offer alerts and headline news.

■Lions Club of Leisure World

June 3: Spend An Evening with Good2Go Brass Quintet

by Maxine Hooker

The Lions Club presents an evening with the Good2Go Brass Quintet on

Sunday, June 3, in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom. Doors open at 5:30 p.m., and light hors d'oeuvres are served. The music begins at 6:15

p.m. A cash bar is available.

The Good2Go Brass Quintet will render a blast from the past and present.

They are five talented and gifted brass performers who

play trumpet, French horn trombone and tuba, and who are renowned in their own right.

Their experience extends

from playing at The Kennedy Center and Harlem Repertory Theatre to playing for The O'Jays, The Temptations, The Dells and many others! Tickets, \$20 per

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The Value of Advance Care Planning: Why You Should Care? Presented by M. Jane Markley, RN, MEd, FACHE

THURSDAY, MAY 17TH 11:30 am - 1:00 pm Have you completed your advance directives yet: your living will and durable power of attorney for healthcare? Much like a will, we all know we need to do these things and we all put it off, until something untoward occurs and moves us to action.

Dementia and Dentistry

THURSDAY, JUNE 14TH 11:30 am - 1:00 pm Presented by Noah Dublin, District Mobile Dental Why is oral health important? What happens to our teeth as we age? What are common oral health issues among older adults? What challenges present those with dementia in regards to oral health? What do we need to do to maintain good oral health?

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■ Leisure World Association for African American Culture (LWAAAC)

April 28: LWAAAC Presents 'Sometimes in April'

by Patricia Means

O n Saturday, April 28, LWAAAC presents the made for TV movie, "Sometimes in April" (2005, 2 hours 20 minutes, drama/history/ war, rated TV-MA) at 2 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium.

The film is a historical drama about the Rwandan genocide of 1994.

Over the course of 100 days, more than 400,000 people were killed in a terrifying purge by Hutu nationalists against their Tutsi countrymen.

The harrowing drama depicts attitudes and circumstances leading to brutal violence, the struggle to survive

the genocide, and the aftermath as people try to find justice and reconciliation.

Written and directed by Raoul Peck, the film's cast includes Idris Elba, Oris Erhuero and Debra Winger.

Admission is free; tickets are not required. All residents are welcome.



Education and Recreation Department Thursday Afternoon at the Movies May 17: 'Paris Can Wait'

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

On Thursday, May 17, the featured film is "Paris Can Wait" (2017, 1 hour 32 minutes, comedy/ drama/romance, PG for thematic elements, smoking and some language).

Free tickets, limit two per person, are required and can be

obtained from the E&R office in either Clubhouse I or II, beginning Tuesday, April 24, at 8:30 a.m. Please bring your Leisure World ID.

With her daughter at college and her workaholic husband perpetually absent, Anne Lockwood is ripe for the wooing when one of her spouse's associates offers to give her a lift from Cannes to Paris.

A seven-hour journey turns into a carefree two-day adventure replete with diversions involving picturesque sights,

fine food and wine, humor, wisdom and romance, reawakening Anne's senses and giving her a new lust for life.

Written and directed by Eleanor Coppola, the film stars Diane Lane as Anne Lockwood, Alec Baldwin as Michael

Lockwood and Arnaud Viard as Jacques Clement, Michael's associate.

Thursday movie screenings are for your enjoyment; there is no charge. Be sure to pick up your ticket(s) in advance if you plan to attend. Please note that no one will be seated after 1 p.m.



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HEALTH & Fitness

Health Advisory Committee

April 28: Prescription Drug Take Back Day

by Mary Wells

 ${f F}$ or the third consecutive year, residents are encouraged to participate in National Prescription Drug Take Back Day on Saturday, April 28, by disposing of their discontinued, outdated or unused medications, including pet medications, at the MedStar Health medical center's drop-off location.

The disposal service is free and anonymous. Needles, illicit drugs, thermometers, inhalers, aerosol cans, hydrogen peroxide, lotions and liquids are not accepted.

The National Drug Enforcement Agency implemented a National Prescription Drug

Take Back Day in 2010. Each year, two days are designated as drug take back days – one in April and one in October. Leisure World is designated as an official site for this biannual event.

The service is provided for the safety and convenience of residents. Medications that may be ingested by accident or misused pose a health hazard to residents, children and pets.

The Health Advisory Committee has witnessed an overwhelming response to the past two Drug Take Back events and hopes to have a similar response on April 28. The Committee encourages all residents to dispose of their

unwanted medications.

The Health Advisory Committee and the Medstar Health medical center have established an ongoing Prescription Drug Take Back program in which residents may dispose of medications throughout the year.

A green collection bin is provided in the Medstar Health medical center's waiting room. Residents may drop off medications Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.

The MedStar Health medical center is located at 3305 North Leisure World Boulevard.



A prescription drug take back bin is available year-round in the MedStar Health medical center's waiting room. Photo by Leisure World News

Health Advisory Committee

May 15: Alternative Ways to Care for Yourself



Massage therapist Beth Armagost, courtesy photo

by Sandra McLeskey

n Tuesday, May 15, the Health Advisory Committee presents a panel of MedStar Health medical center providers who will discuss alternative ways to care for your health and well being.

Massage therapist Beth Armagost, dietician Karen Basinger and acupuncturist Gail Koffman present ways that individuals can care for themselves without medical intervention. The presentation is at 10:30 a.m. in Clubhouse I. 22 | Leisure World News April 20, 2018



Acupuncturist Gail Koffman. Photo by Leisure World News

The three providers each present a short overview of how clients might benefit from their services, and entertain questions at the end of the program.

The presentation is free, but tickets are required and can be obtained beginning Tuesday, April 24, 8:30 a.m. at the Clubhouse I E&R office.

Providers

Armagost is a licensed massage therapist who is a graduate of Potomac Massage Training Institute. She has

a strong background in anatomy and brings a "full system" approach to massage. She helps her clients create goals that are designed to help improve overall health, not just help to ease aches and pains. If requested, she will consult with the client's other healthcare providers to develop an integrated plan. She is available in the medical center by appointment.

Basinger is a dietician with a master's in nutrition, and has extensive experience in counseling patients with a variety of health challenges about diet and nutrition. She also teaches a nutrition

course to undergraduate students at Montgomerv College. She is available at the medical center on Thursday mornings by appointment.

Koffman is a nurse practitioner that specializes in acupuncture. She completed a 300-hour course on medical acupuncture at Helms Medical Institute in 2011 and graduated from Maryland University of Integrative Health (formerly Tai Sophia Institute) in Laurel, Maryland in 2016 with a master's in acupuncture. She is licensed in Maryland and is available at the medical center by appointment.

Psychiatrist Departs Medical Center

D r. Elsie Turner has retired from her psychiatry practice at MedStar Health medical center. Her last day on-site was April 12.

Patients who have questions or concerns about continuing their care are encouraged to call the medical center at (301-598-1590).

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■ Center for Lifelong Learning (CLL)

May 21: Educational Program on Oral Health

by Fred Shapiro

O n Monday, May 21, The Center for Lifelong Learning (CLL) presents guest lecturer Dr. Carmen DeVries, dentist at MedStar

Health medical center in Leisure World, who gives a presentation entitled "Oral Health Concerns of Senior Citizens." The presentation is at 2 p.m. in Clubhouse I.

DeVries has been a medical provider at Leisure World since 2013 and is committed to providing quality dental care to

residents. Her practice focus includes restorations, crown and

Dr. Carmen DeVries. Photo by Fred Shapiro

bridge, implants, veneers and full and partial dentures. Beta Pi, the Engineering Honor Society; Alpha Eta

DeVries strives to make her patients as comfortable as possible and is available to answer any of their questions or concerns.

> She is a member of the American Dental Association and the Maryland State Dental Association.

She has a bachelor's of science in biomedical engineering and electrical engineering from Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore

and received her doctorate of dental surgery from the University of Maryland. Her honors and activities include membership in Tau Beta Pi, the Engineering Honor Society; Alpha Eta Mu Beta, the National Biomedical Engineering Honor Society; Gamma Pi Delta Prosthodontic Honor Society (University of Maryland School of Dentistry) and Gorgas Odontological Honorary Society (University of Maryland School of Dentistry). In her spare time, DeVries is training for her first marathon and recently became a Girl Scout troop leader.

The May 21 presentation is free and tickets are not required, but residents are requested to register beginning Tuesday, April 24, at 8:30 a.m. by stopping by the Clubhouse I E&R office or calling (301-598-1300).



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May 9: FISH Holds Annual Meeting

by Beth Leanza

The FISH organization holds its annual meeting and luncheon on Wednesday, May 9, at noon in Clubhouse II.

Regular volunteers are asked to RSVP in the FISH office, and past FISH volunteers are warmly invited to attend. Residents who are interested in joining FISH are also invited to come meet other volunteers and learn about FISH. Contact president Beth Leanza at (301-598-4569) if planning to attend.

FISH members do not meet regularly, so the annual meeting is a good opportunity to socialize with other volunteers and brush up on procedures.

Who We Are

FISH helps residents and employees by lending assistive equipment free of charge. All of the inventory is donated and often includes items such as wheelchairs, walkers, commodes and shower chairs. FISH volunteers do their best to match the appropriate equipment with those who need it.

FISH is also the place to drop off donations to other causes. The Lions Club collects glasses and hearing aids and the Kiwanis Club collects can tabs, redeemed by Ronald McDonald House. Residents or the organizations they represent are welcome to set up a donation collection at the FISH office.

The FISH office, which also houses lost and found items, is located in Clubhouse II and is open Monday to Friday, from 10 a.m.-4 p.m., except for major holidays. The phone number is (301-598-1345). If the office is closed, an E&R staff member can assist you.



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 longterm 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. Hospice Caring Inc. sponsors group meetings. Registration and a phone conversation with Anne Baker, director of adult bereavement at Hospice Caring Inc., is required before attending. If interested, please call Anne at (301-990-0854).

Essential Tremor Group: Hello to all those with Essential Tremor. We have missed seeing you at our meetings. Where have you been? The Essential Tremor Group meets at 10:30 a.m. the first Thursday of the month in Clubhouse I. There have been some exciting, new developments in research, such as a new tablet that measure the tremors in your hands and possibly the voice, that have been discussed. Try to come to the next meeting on May 4 at 10:30 a.m. to find out about more new research and to meet other people with Essential Tremor. If you have any questions, please call Marlene Golden at (301-438-7773).

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

Memory Café: The Memory Café meets the last Thursday of every month from 2-3:30 p.m. in Clubhouse I. The program provides social engagement for individuals living with early stage memory loss. Registration is required. For more information, contact Diane Vance at (240-428-1342) or (dvance@alz. org).

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

Stroke Support Group: You are not alone! The Leisure World Stroke Support Group invites stroke survivors and caregivers to its monthly meetings (except July and August) on the second Wednesday from 1:30-3:30 p.m. in Clubhouse II. No registration is needed and all are welcome. For more information, contact Amy Boltz at (248-652-0304).

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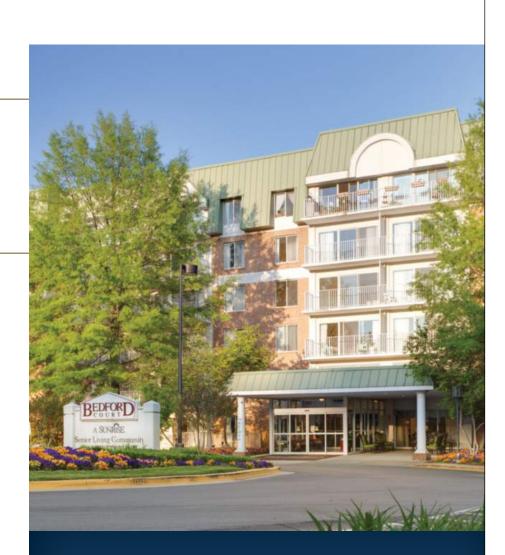
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CLUBS, GROUPS & Organizations

■ Italian Social and Cultural Club

April 22: Sunday Sundaes

by Flo Merola

▶ he Club holds a membersl only business meeting on Sunday, April 22, at 2 p.m. in Clubhouse I.

Nominations for the 2018-2019 Club officers will be taken from the floor, followed by a vote. Members are encouraged to suggest future events and volunteer their talents.

The meeting also includes a screening of the film "Aren't You Embarrassed" starring the

Grown Tree

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April 25: LW Green

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by Janice McLean

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hilarious Sebastian Maniscalco. He will have Club members laughing as they wonder if perhaps they should all be just a little embarrassed.

This members-only event is free and includes do-it-yourself ice cream sundaes, coffee and tea.

The final meeting of the season, also for members-only, is on Sunday, May 20, at 12:30 p.m. and includes the installation of new officers followed by brunch. Details are forthcoming.

■ Garden and Environmental Club

April 27: Arbor Day **Program and Tree** Planting



Magnolia Park. Photo by Jean DeSchriver

by Jean DeSchriver

R esidents and guests are invited to join the Garden and Environmental Club for an educational program and tree planting ceremony to celebrate National Arbor Day on Friday, April 27, at 10 a.m. in Clubhouse I.

McFall and Berry Landscaping Company will provide refreshments and present a short program about Leisure World's trees.

Landscape architect **Ginger Woolridge** will also present an informative talk to courtesy photo the group. Woolridge recently served as a consultant for the "National Geographic Kids Ultimate Explorer Field Guide: Trees" children's book.

Her professional experience includes garden design, and she is a master naturalist certification candidate. She enjoys discussing her favorite native plants and the important role they play in supporting the diminishing native insect and bird populations.

The group will then go outside for the tree planting ceremony, which is held near Daffodil Park next to Clubhouse I.

Proceeds from the Annual Spring Tea are used to purchase the tree, an overcup

white oak. Unlike most of the Club's donated trees, which are ornamentals, the overcup is a medium-size tree that provides shade.

Arbor Day History

The Garden and Environmental Club has planted a tree every year since 1988, the year

that Leisure World was recognized as a "USA Tree City." The Arbor Day trees are planted on Leisure World Trust property.

Four trees have been planted in Magnolia Park, located on Trust property near Turnberry

Courts. This park, which is available to all residents and their guests, has charcoal grills and picnic tables. It is a beautiful place for a cookout and can be used without reservations. At the Arbor Day

meeting, members and guests may obtain a chart listing all of the Club's trees that are still living and where they are located. Each tree has a marker with its Latin and English name.

It is a joy for the Garden and Environmental Club to play a small role in enhancing the community, and the Club hopes that residents will join in celebrating Arbor Day.



Heidi Cortese, courtesy photo

ronmentally green community through education and advocacy.

The tree dedication is at 2 p.m. at Pollinator Park, located at the corner of **Gleneagles Drive and South** Leisure World Boulevard. The Park's grass and plants receive only organic treatments. Light refreshments

are served. On April 14, LW Green sponsored a showing of the award-winning documentary film "Racing to Zero, In Pursuit of Zero Waste"

> nothing in nature is waste. The presentation was a follow-up to the LW Green-sponsored field trip to the Montgomery **County Recycling** Depot.

Club Information

welcome to attend

LW Green meetings. LW Green meets on the second and fourth Wednesdays of every month at 2 p.m. in Clubhouse I.

For further information, contact co-presidents Janice McLean at (janicewmclean@ gmail.com) or (301-847-9169), or Marybeth Ardike at (marybeth.ardike@gmail.com) or (240-353-3242).

Ginger Woolridge,



All residents are

■Gem, Lapidary and Mineral Society of Leisure World

May 9: 'Weird Stuff Out West'



A lenticular cloud at Mount Rainier National Park in Washington. Photo by Frank Roddy

by Frank Roddy

H ave you ever heard of slot canyons, hoodoos, fumaroles, lava tubes, lenticular clouds, jokulhlaups, moraines, lahars, pyroclastic flows, obsidian flows, haboob or calderas?

Come to the Group's next meeting on Wednesday, May 9, at 7 p.m. in Clubhouse II to hear speaker Frank Roddy discuss these unusual geological formations and share photos from the Western U.S. during his presentation, "Weird Stuff Out West."

Slot canyons form when water flows through cracks in the harder surface rock and erodes softer rock beneath. Hoodoos, "legend people" in Paiute mythology who were turned to stone as punishment for bad deeds, have boulders delicately balanced on the

tops of tall columns. Lenticular clouds make a volcano look as if it is erupting, but without noise. In 1963 and again in 1998, terrible jokulhlaups, Icelandic for glacial floods, occurred on a U.S. volcano thought to be dormant.

be dormant. Frank Roddy. Photo by Eliza-Volcanic lahars, beth Roddy Indonesian for

volcanic mudflows, have killed many people in the U.S., and a number of towns will be threat-



Hoodoos at Bryce Canyon National Park in Utah. Photo by Frank Roddy

ened when another eruption occurs. Pyroclastic flows, dense, destructive masses of very hot

ash, lava fragments, and gases ejected explosively from a volcano and typically flowing downslope at great speed, occurred on Mount St. Helens.

While Lewis and Clark were traveling in central Oregon by the Columbia River, a volcano erupted obsidian, a black, volcanic glass. A haboob, Arabic for

dust storm, can occur in the Western deserts at any time.

Would you believe that people

walk around inside several active volcanos in the U.S.? Come join the Group on May 9 and find out where the nearest volcano is to Washington, D.C., and why the folks in Monterey, Virginia, have special directions to their airport.

Roddy's interest in lapidary arts (stone cutting and polishing for jewelry) was piqued when his father made jewelry by cutting and polishing stones.

For information about the lapidary shop, contact shop steward Mark Parker at (240-723-5860). For information about club meetings and other activities, contact president Frank Roddy at (301-598-3698).

The Vegetarian Society of Leisure World (VSLW) May 8: Learning How Eating Healthy Helps the Brain

by Bob Fenichel

The VSLW monthly meeting on Tuesday, May 8, at 7 p.m. in Clubhouse II features a popular guest speaker – PCRM instructor Brian Bergman. The topic of his presentation is how eating healthy food can keep the brain healthy.

The June program will either feature a potluck dinner or another dinner provided by the Vegetable Garden restaurant.

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

Additional information about VSLW activities is available at (www.vslw.org).





Rossmoor Camera Club

April 24: Final Competition Selects Photo of the Year



General Prints third place winner "A Bit of Heaven" by Julie Friedman



Advanced Digitals honorable mention "Face Right" by Al Tanenholtz



Advanced Digitals honorable mention "Raccoon" by George Kaye

by Fred Shapiro

A fter eight months of photo competitions judged by expert photographers, Club members will likely be on the edge of their seats on Tuesday, April 24, as judge Frank Van Riper selects the best of the best, including Photo of the Year.

The competition is at 7 p.m. in Clubhouse II. All residents are invited to attend and enjoy the proceedings.

Besides two open competitions that featured any type of photographic subject, the Club had competitions featuring photos of building interiors, transportation, houses of worship and gardens.

Which photos prevail depends on the nature of the image, composition and technical qualities as judged by Van Riper. The final competition on April 24 is a good opportunity for non-members to see and enjoy Club members' work, get ideas for improving their own photographs or consider joining.

Van Riper is a popular teacher and lecturer, and is on the faculty of PhotoWorks in Glen Echo Park, Maryland. He has lectured widely, including at the Maine Photographic Workshops and the Smithsonian Resident Associate program.

In 2007, he was awarded the Distinguished Achievement Award from the University of Maine at Machias for his outstanding career in journalism and photography, and in 2011, he was inducted into the City College of New York Communications' Alumni Hall of Fame.



General Digitals honorable mention "Looking for Lunch" by Barry McLean

Arts in Motion (AIM) Ensuring A Brighter Tomorrow for Art Students

by York Van Nixon III

A rts In Motion (AIM) has selected four seniors from James Hubert Blake and Wheaton high schools in Montgomery County to receive the AIM scholarship.

Two students from the Duke Ellington School of the Arts will also receive part of the 2018 endowment for freshmen studying fine arts. This year's scholarship fund totals \$8,000.



An awards ceremony is held on Sunday, May 20, at 2 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom.

All residents are encouraged to attend and meet this array of tomorrow's artists who possess exceptional talent and academic achievement.

Playing the Fool for Art

by Ann Bolt

A rtists can fool some of the people some of the time, so come to Clubhouse I and see if Nancy Veit can fool with the realism of her trompe l'oeil (French for "deceive the eye") painting.

Other Clubhouse I exhibitors this month include Donna Ward, Marvin Sirkis, Jeanette Shapain, Ann Bolt, Teresa Milne, Faith Chin, Phyllis Lowinger, Nancy Albrecht, Kathy Hopkins, Gehan Elgamal, Houston Hancock, Billie Van Wiern and Barbara McCool.

Their artwork includes landscape scenes, still life, city scenes, mixed media, portraiture and abstract paintings.

Open Studio Project

The Open Studio "Reflection" project continues this month. For May, students are working on the "50 Shades of Gray" project. Value studies in gray often lend themselves as under paintings in which a very thin wash of color is applied at the end.

Spring Sessions

Spring Session I is underway until the week of Saturday, May 19, and Spring Session II begins the week of Monday, May 21. Each session includes a six-week period. Students select a class and meet six times for two and a half hours each.

Choices include the usual oil painting with brush or knife, watercolor, miniatures, acrylics and drawing, plus independent study at Saturday's Open Studio.

Plein Air

Have you ever painted outside, rather than painting inside by a window? The Rossmoor Art Guild (RAG) is considering forming a plein air group, as Leisure World's grounds lend themselves to many interesting views.

Spring Fling

RAG members learn Chinese brush use and calligraphy from Bertrand Mao at the Open Hours, or Spring Fling, on Saturday, April 21. Be tempted by new approaches, skills and knowledge.

Reminders

April is a great month to show artwork. Residents may exhibit art in Clubhouse I, or by invitation at Clubhouse II or Signal Financial Federal Credit Union in the Administration Building.

Nearby exhibition locations include an Olney Art Association show at La Galeria at Ranazul Restaurant in Fulton,



At left, Nancy Veit's realistic painting. At right, Maria Clark brightens up the activities bulletin board at the art studio. Photos by Ann Bolt

Maryland; a Montgomery Art Association show at Oasis Art Gallery, located in Macy's Home Store in Montgomery Mall; and continuing exhibits at the Visitors Center at Brookside Gardens and the Sandy Spring Museum.

RAG member Maria Clark updates the bulletin board with local exhibition opportunities in the foyer of the Art Studio.

Paintings for the next Clubhouse I exhibit are due by Tuesday, May 1. The paperwork must be completed and the painting properly wired and ready to hang. RAG can't wait to see what its members have created.

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Reviewing the First Three Rules of Ballroom Dance Etiquette

by Joyce Hendrix

O ne of the nicest aspects of ballroom dancing is the way that dancers follow the unwritten rules of dance floor etiquette. Residents who are new to ballroom dancing or just in need of a gentle reminder will do well to remember the 10



rules of ballroom dancing. Rule One is that dancers always move around the floor in a counter clockwise direction to reduce, if not eliminate, the chance of colliding with another couple.

Rule Two is that if a dancer should collide with another couple, the dancer should smile and offer a sincere apology. Make sure your partner is alright, shake it off, reestablish your frame and keep dancing.

And Rule Three, one of the most important of the 10 rules for everyone's safety and enjoyment, is that the faster-paced dancers customarily travel the outer edge of the dance floor.

Slower dancers typically move to the inner lanes of the dance floor in the traveling dances, which include foxtrot, waltz and tango. The dancers practicing a new step use the innermost center of the dance floor.

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The \$10 membership fee entitles Club members to pay \$10 per person at each of the 2018 dances. Guests and non-members pay \$15 each.

Dance Information

The music played at the Club's dances is from all eras, from The Roaring '20s to current day music, including waltzes, foxtrots, Viennese waltzes, rumbas, sambas, tango, cha chas, merengues, quickstep, swing and polkas

played in strict ballroom tempo.

Upcoming Dances

The Tony Luciano Band provides the music for the Saturday, April 28, dance 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.

The next dance, on Saturday, May 26, features Mike Surratt and the ECB's.

■Fun and Fancy Theatre Group Get Tickets for Final Leg of Musical Revue

by Hannette Allen

F un and Fancy Theatre Group's big, exciting musical revue is entering its final weekend of performances.

Residents can still purchase tickets on Friday, April 20, from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. in the Clubhouse I lobby and on Saturday, April 21, and Sunday, April 22, starting one hour before curtain time in Clubhouse II. Tickets are \$10.

From a relatively dark, mildly decadent scene in a Berlin nightclub, which opens the show, to a tuneful and bright finish with the whole cast singing melodies of "Hello Dolly," 39 Fun and Fanciers will surprise with a song-filled patchwork of the busiest decade on Broadway in the last century.

Theatergoers will also take side trips to 1900s New York for "Funny Girl," and to 19th century London for a rollicking tribute to the international hit "Oliver!"

The art and set design by Betty and JJ Boulin is a great step forward for this talented husband-wife team. Music and sound design is by Euclid Coukouma, with Sue Rae, and the lighting design is by Mike Heyman and Irene Shaulis.

Ken Tash serves as musical technical consultant. Costume coordination is by Carol Neckar, who co-produced the show with Abigail Murton. Music direction and piano accompaniment are by Elaine O'Leary, and choreography is by Gerry Kaufman, assisted by Elaine Apter. Allan Okin directed the production based on his ideas.

Play Readers

At the Wednesday, May 2, meeting, the play reading groups present several short readings. The groups are a new venture for Fun and Fancy that promises to be very interesting.

Membership will also vote on the slate of officers for the coming year. The May 2 meeting is at 7:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium. Admission is free for members and \$5 for guests.

Gilbert and Sullivan Gears Up For Summer Performances

by Maggi Lindley

A fter a quiet winter, the Gilbert and Sullivan Society is coming out of hibernation and looking forward to its August production of "The Pirates of Penzance."

The Group has a busy spring and summer ahead, beginning with auditions in May; details are forthcoming. The annual "Spring Fling" kickoff party is on Wednesday, May 16.

Rehearsals begin on Tuesday, June 5, and are Tuesday and Thursday evenings throughout June and July, with more intensive rehearsals in August in preparation for the production.

This year's show is scheduled for Friday, Aug. 24, and Saturday, Aug. 25, at 7 p.m., with a matinee on Sunday, Aug. 26, at 2 p.m. The production is directed by Beth Youse, with Elaine O'Leary as musical director and Maggi Lindley as producer.

"Pirates" is one of Gilbert and Sullivan's most popular operettas. It was presented at Leisure World in 2011 under the direction of Jack Melnick, who founded the Gilbert and Sullivan Society of Leisure World in 2009.

Set in a coastal village in Cornwall, England, it is a topsy-turvy tale about a Major General's bevy of daughters who get mixed up with a bunch of (heaven forbid) pirates being sought for arrest by a group of rather incompetent policemen.

Mabel, the youngest of the daughters, falls in love with the pirate's apprentice, and the plot thickens from there. What happens in the end? Come see the production to find out!

The Group welcomes all who are interested in Gilbert and Sullivan to join. The Group needs singers, but also has a plethora of jobs available behind the scenes, including ticket takers, set builders, dressers, makeup artists and others.

If interested, email Maggi Lindley at (magzjlindley@ gmail.com) with "G&S" in the subject line of the email. The Gilbert and Sullivan Society meets the first Thursday of each month at 1 p.m. in Clubhouse II. Hope to see you there.

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Book Club Network Several Book Clubs Now Have Openings

by Verna Denny

The Book Club Network currently has a few openings in its General Interest book clubs.

Residents who are on the waiting list, new to Leisure World or have been considering joining a book club are encouraged to attend a meeting. The Book Club Network is open to all residents who love reading.

The Book Club Network is a collection of book discussion groups, small in size – eight to 12 members per group – whose purpose is to provide a forum for residents to get together with other avid readers to read and discuss their favorite books. Members meet each month to talk about a specific work chosen by their club.

In addition to creating an atmosphere of learning and helping members stay motivated to read, the Book Club Network provides a social component. The small discussion groups provide for personal and intimate experiences, along with social interaction, and allow each member to have input into the proceedings. Meeting new people with fresh views helps to stimulate the growth of the mind.

The Book Club Network currently includes nine small book clubs: five general interest clubs (Diversity Strong, Searchers, Rose Readers, Fall Readers and Bookies); two topical clubs (The African Heritage Club and Literary Ladies Who Lunch) and two mystery book clubs (The Sleuths and The Suspensers).

For more information about the different clubs, or meeting times and locations, contact Verna Denny at (301-598-1418) or (verhd@msn.com).



A Brief History of the Rossmoor Library

by Barbara Long

• he library had its humble beginning in April 1967 when 14 residents met with the goal of providing library services to the

community.

They processed hundreds of donated books and wrote basic procedures, by-laws and rules and regulations that are still in use today, with some revisions.

The early library was in the Administration Building. As the collection grew,

more space was required, and the library moved to Clubhouse I.

Betty Hughes, a Guild member, remembers the days when books were hand stamped at check out. A few



Betty Hughes. Photo by Barbara $\, {
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of those cards remain in the backs of the oldest books.

As years went by though, the need to modernize arose. Guild members automated the collection using donated

computers and a customized database. Two terminals were installed at the checkout desks. The system went live in July 2008 with a bar code check-in/ check-out.

Since then, the collection has mushroomed, and online access to

renewal of books. Expectations continue to soar as surrounding public libraries continue to offer state-of-the-art services.

A new committee was formed at Leisure World to upgrade software and



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hardware to keep up with changing technology. The library has transitioned from books on tape to CDs and from videotapes to DVDs. The future holds possibilities unthinkable 10 years ago.

"We are a fiction/bestseller library," Hughes said. "We

are your friendly neighborhood place for books and information. We tailor purchases to the demographics of the neighborhood. We interact with the community. What more could you want?"

Computer Learning Center

Center Seeks Volunteers

The Computer Learning Center seeks friendly, tech-savvy volunteers to monitor the Center and assist residents with the basics of email set-up, printing and internet searches. The Center



has both Mac computers and Windows desktops, and is a great resource for residents to learn and meet other residents.

Individuals who have a minimum of two hours per month to volunteer are encouraged to stop by the Computer Learning Center in Clubhouse II and fill out an application. Volunteers are able to access free online training courses as needed.

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May 11: Climate Scientist Discusses Climate **Challenges and Solutions**

by Fred Shapiro

From transit and zero waste to community solar and green buildings, solutions to Montgomery County's environmental and climate challenges abound.

Join climate scientist Danielle Meitiv on Friday, May 11, at 2 p.m. in Clubhouse I to learn about the current and projected impacts of climate change in Montgomery County, and listen as she discusses a comprehensive environmental agenda to windstorms sweeping the meet the county's

ambitious climate emergency goals. The presentation is free, but residents are requested to register beginning Tuesday, April 24, at 8:30 a.m. by stopping by the Clubhouse I E&R office, or calling Danielle Meitiv, courtesy (301-598-1300).

photo Whether its

nation, the impacts of climate change have been evident in recent years, and understanding them can help explain the role of humans and their actions.

Meitiv earned a master's in oceanography from the University of Rhode Island.

For the past 20 years, she has worked on

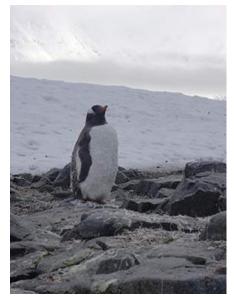
climate and environmental policy for the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, the EPA, the World Bank, the Environmental Defense Fund and others.

She became known as the "free range mom" when she stood up for her family after her children were detained by police for walking home from a playground without an adult.

She lives in downtown Silver Spring.

the shrinking glaciers or Center for Lifelong Learning (CLL)

May 15: A Voyage to Antarctica





Resident Dianne Bradley, center, shares experiences and photos from her time in Antarctica during a lecture on Tuesday, May 15. Photos by Dianne Bradley

by Arthur N. Popper

R esident Dianne Bradley has been to Antarctica and extolls its magnificence.

Bradley and her husband, Maurice Zeeman, are avid travelers. Bradley has been to all the states in the U.S. and all the continents, including guest speaking in schools in Australia and New Zealand, hiking to the Sun Gate in Machu Picchu, swimming with sharks in the Galapagos, and going on safari in Africa.

As a former teacher, she loves to share her experiences in talks that are filled with wonderful photos.

Bradley shares her experiences, photos and videos of the southernmost continent

in a special lecture presented by the Center for Lifelong Learning (CLL) on Tuesday, May 15, at 2 p.m. in Clubhouse I.

The lecture is free, but residents are asked to register beginning Tuesday, April 24, at 8:30 a.m. by stopping by the Clubhouse I E&R office or calling (301-598-1300).

During this presentation, Bradley explains what a voyage to Antarctica entails and shares her experiences of the voyage and of being in Antarctica. The talk is designed to give residents a vicarious trip to Antarctica the coldest continent on Earth or help them prepare for one.

As part of the talk, Bradley takes participants along on her adventure to this white

wilderness. They travel with her through the high winds and waves of the treacherous Drake Passage to the calm seas of the Beagle Channel where the whales put on a whale of a show.

She guides the audience through the Lamaire Channel full of icebergs, and introduces them to some of the most beautiful scenery in the world. The audience joins Bradley as she boards the Zodiacs and makes wet landings.

She shares her experiences with the unique Antarctica penguins as they interact with each other and slide around on the ice. Be there for a surprise penguin visit!

Bradley and her husband moved to Leisure World

almost three years ago. They have always enjoyed traveling, but their interest in other countries was heightened when they hosted a dozen exchange students over the years from Japan, Germany, Greece, Albania, China and Russia and subsequently attended weddings in Japan and Germany.

When they weren't traveling in other countries, they were able to experience the U.S. through the eyes of youth from around the world. Bradley now serves on the Board of Trustees for Youth for Understanding Intercultural Exchange headquartered in Washington, D.C.

For more information about all CLL courses and lectures, see (www.cllmd.com).

April 24: Victor Borge Revisited



Rae Cooper presents a program on comedy and piano virtuoso Victor Borge. Courtesy photo

by Dave Edfors

O n Tuesday, April 24, the Unitarian Universalists of Leisure World (UULW) presents a program celebrating the life and times of pianist-comedian Victor Borge. The program is at 2:30 p.m. in Clubhouse II.

The Danish-born Borge perfected a blend of comedy and virtuosic piano that combined musical satire with impromptu gags and verbal quips. His comedy has a unique style that he developed in Scandinavia before escaping to the U.S. in 1940 when the Nazis invaded Denmark. Fellow UULW member Rae Cooper who has been a lifelong fan of Borge, having attended numerous live performances, presents the program.

Cooper's curiosity has spanned several careers as an educator, public servant and small-business owner.

She enjoys playing piano, writing, supporting music scholarships in Montgomery College and caring for the homeless community.

Join the UULWs on April 24 for this informative and entertaining presentation, which is followed by light refreshments and conversation.

Residents don't have to be a UULW member to attend its meetings. All residents are welcome.

The program is sponsored and organized by the UULW, a faith-based organization associated with the Unitarian Universalist Association of Congregations in Boston, Massachusetts.

For more information about Unitarian Universalists, visit (www.UUA.org). For more information about the Unitarian Universalists of Leisure World, send an email to (mike_benefiel@yahoo. com).

■Jewish Residents of Leisure World April 27: Program on Abuse and Neglect

by Jonas Weiss

O n Friday, April 27, several speakers discuss their experiences with abuse. The program is at 10:30 a.m. in Clubhouse II. The program is free and open to all residents; tickets are not required.

Good Deeds Day

On Sunday, April 29, Jewish Residents of Leisure World (JRLW) accepts donations of non-perishable and non-expired food packages and cans from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. in the Clubhouse I lobby. The donations are sent to Manna Food Center to help feed Montgomery County residents.

Religious Services

On Friday, May 4, Rabbi Gary Fink conducts a Conservative service at 7:30 p.m. in The Inter-Faith Chapel. Cantor Wendy Gonzalez enlivened the last Friday service by singing and playing guitar. JRLW expects to have more special Reform services with cantor Gonzalez, as well as a deli dinner after the



service on Friday, June 1. Abbreviated Sabbath services with Rabbi Moshe Samber continue on Saturday,

April 21, and Saturday, April 28, at 9:15 a.m. in Clubhouse II. The services include discussions of the Torah portion as well as study of rabbinical writings.

Membership

To continue to enjoy JRLW activities and religious services, the group needs people to join and participate. Send \$20 checks, payable to JRLW, to Milli White at (2901 S. Leisure World Blvd., Apt. 106, Silver Spring, MD 20906).

Donations

For the Torah maintenance fund, send checks made payable to JRLW, (\$25 minimum) to Carol Wendkos at (14805 Pennfield Cir., Apt. 212, Silver Spring, MD 20906). Janet Lazar receives donations for prayer books (\$25 minimum) at (15311 Beaverbrook Ct., Apt. 1B). Send donations for Kiddush (\$25 minimum), an Oneg (\$25 minimum), Yiskor or general tzedukah to Susan Weiss at (3739 Glen Eagles Dr., Silver Spring, MD 20906).

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May 15-17: Hadassah Holds National Conference in Washington, D.C.

by Barbara Eisen

The National Hadassah Health & Advocacy Conference is held from Tuesday, May 15, through Thursday, May 17, at the Capital Hilton in Washington, D.C. The theme is "From Passion to Action."

Highlights include panels of health experts, a spectacular Hadassah Medical Organization Gala with entertainment, an empowering "Day on the Hill" with members of Congress and an update by Israeli Ambassador Ron Dermer.

For more information or questions, email (celebration2018@hadassah.org) or contact the Hadassah Greater Washington Region office at (301-881-8203).

Presentation

On Thursday, April 26, at 7 p.m. the Hadassah Greater Washington Region presents a Steinberg Lecture Series program featuring Michael Eric Siegel, a senior training specialist at the Division of Education of the Federal Judicial Center.

Siegel speaks on "U.S. Presidents as Leaders and Tweeters Since Watergate." The lecture is at Ohr Kodesh Congregation located at 8300 Meadowbrook Lane in Chevy Chase, Maryland. Dessert and coffee are served.

To attend the program, send checks, payable to Hadassah, \$15 for members and \$20 for non-members, to (Hadassah Greater Washington, 11900 Parklawn Dr., Suite 350, Rockville, MD 20852).

For more information, contact Stephanie Guy at (301-881-8203) or (sguy@hadassah. org).

Silent Auction and Accessory Sale

Don't forget to attend the "Silent Auction and Second Time Around Accessory Sale" on Wednesday, April 25, from 7:30-9:30 p.m. in Clubhouse I. Purchase beautiful, gently worn jewelry, handbags and scarves and bid to win prizes at the silent auction. The sales benefit gene therapy research. Light refreshments are served. For questions, contact Judy Rumerman at (301-680-0850) or (judyrumerman@gmail.com), or Sandy Stein at (301-384-8739) or (sandy_j_stein@ yahoo.com).

Judaic Study Group

The Judaic Study Group meets on Monday, May 14, at 1:30 p.m. in Clubhouse I. The topic is the upcoming festival of Shavuot, the Feast of Weeks.

Jewish people associate many things with Shavuot, such as receiving the Torah at Sinai, counting the Omer, eating blintzes, eating dairy, reading the Story of Ruth, staying up all night studying and more.

But do we know where all these traditions arise? Is Shavuot a harvest festival or a religious festival? Is it biblically ordained or rabbinic? Even the actual date of the festival is a bit fuzzy.

Join the Group and contribute to the ongoing discussion. Bring answers, or even more questions. All are welcome.

Pin Sale

Hadassah continues selling unique pins, handmade by resident fabric artist, Bobbi Gorban. The pins are \$18. Order forms are available at each Hadassah meeting, or pick one up in the Hadassah mail slot at the Clubhouse I E&R office.

For questions, contact Judy Rumerman at (judyrumerman@gmail.com) or (301-680-0850). You don't have to be a member to buy a pin.

Greeting Cards

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

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

Youth Project

Larelda Gruber (301-598-5922) is chair of Youth Aliyah/Children at Risk. This project helps disadvantaged children in Israel. The goal is to create a circle of \$1,000, made by individual contributions of \$40.

Send donations to Larelda at (3200 N. Leisure World Blvd. #201, Silver Spring, MD 20906).

General Information

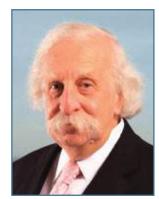
Hadassah sponsors many activities to further the worthwhile projects it supports in medical, educational and social programs in Israel and the U.S. If interested in knowing more about Hadassah, contact one of its membership vice presidents: Ruth Temin at (301-288-7387) or (teminar@ comcast.net); Lois Fields at (301-585-9804) or (loisfields2@earthlink.net); or Natalie Rosen at (301-279-5640) or (bnrosen@comcast. net).



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■ NA'AMAT RBZ Club Shabbat Service and a **Donor Luncheon**

by Carole Mund

oin the NA'AMAT RBZ Club on Friday, May 4, in celebrating Shabbat service at 7:30 p.m. in The Inter-Faith Chapel.

Each year, NA'AMAT has the privilege of sponsoring and supporting the monthly services provided by the Jewish Residents of Leisure World. NA'AMAT members actively participate in the service. The coffee and cake (Oneg) following the service provides time to meet and greet members of the community.

Donor Luncheon

The Donor Luncheon is on Thursday, May 10, at 11:30 a.m. at Norbeck Country Club. It is always a wonderful event with good food and entertainment.

Prince Havely is back to perform by popular demand. His repertoire includes music and songs from a variety of genres. He truly sounds like the artists that made the songs famous.

The event celebrates Club members' participation during the past year. The many activities the Club enjoys not only create opportunities for socialization with friends and neighbors, but also serve as fundraisers to support the many programs NA'AMAT provides.

Participants who have achieved the individual \$50 donor credit goal are invited to attend the luncheon, and new donations can help meet the goal. Donor credit is simply money attributed to each member over the cost for participating in activities sponsored by NA'AMAT.

If attending, send a \$35 check, payable to NA'AMAT RBZ, to Theda Rosenblum at (3330 North Leisure World Blvd., Apt. #115, Silver Spring, MD 20906). Include the names of people you'd like to sit with on the check. For questions, call Theda at (301-598-9105).

Tzedakah

Tzedakah is a custom of

donating loose change to charity on each Sabbath. NA'AMAT has little puskie boxes to encourage members to save and donate.

Every penny counts in supporting the many programs NA'AMAT sponsors to provide services to women and children.

Carol Milwit is the coordinator for the collection and replacement of the tzedakah boxes. Just drop your change or maybe your mah jongg winnings into the box and Milwit will gladly collect the box and replace it with a new one. Full donor credit is given. For more information, contact Carol at (301-288-7534).

Tribute Cards

NA'AMAT is a charitable organization dedicated to helping NA'AMAT Israel provide educational daycare programs, vocational training and legal aid for women, services and assistance for new immigrants and centers for the prevention and treatment of domestic violence.

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

NA'AMAT has cards to honor all occasions, from congratulations for a special event to memorial cards.

Each card is \$3.50 if purchased and sent by you or \$4.50 if sent by Linda Schoolnick, tribute chairperson. Full donor credit is given for each card. Contact Linda at (301-681-1076) with any questions.

Trips

An overnight trip to Dover Downs, Delaware, is planned for Wednesday, May 16 and Thursday, May 17. See the Club Trips section of this publication for more information.

For more information about the NA'AMAT RBZ Club, contact co-presidents Trudy Stone at (301-438-0016) or Gladys Blank at (301-438-9666).

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Library of Congress Interviews Veterans

by Fred Shapiro and Dr. Naomi Dornfeld Platt World's veterans in Clubhouse II. As a

• iven the varied and intensive J experiences undergone by members of the armed forces, the U.S. Congress created the Veterans History Project in 2000 as part of the American Folklife Center in The Library of Congress.

The Veterans History Project's mission is to interview and video the reminiscence of veterans. The Center collects, preserves and makes accessible the personal accounts of American war veterans of all ranks so that future generations may hear directly from the veterans and better understand the realities of war.

The Jewish War Veterans Post 567 is sponsoring the project's leader, Dr. Naomi Dornfeld Platt, as she interviews Leisure

souvenir for participation, each veteran receives a DVD of his or her interview.

As of the beginning of April, more than 75 veterans have received their completed interview disks. Each participant's completed disk is also logged and submitted for storage in the archives of The Library of Congress.

A resident of Leisure World, Platt is privileged and honored to meet each veteran and share his or her private memories of military experiences. Each veteran entrusts Platt with their most precious memories, and she and her team have been forever changed by their stories.

Veterans who wish to be interviewed for the program are asked to call Platt at (301-598-7859) and leave a message.

Jewish Discussion Group

April 22: Next Meeting Considers Big Questions

by Jerome "Jerry" Cohen

s Israel about to face another Palestinian intifada? Is Iceland's proposed bill to ban male child circumcision an attack on religious practices? At age 70, is Israel a senior citizen amongst nations?

The Jewish Discussion Group has much to talk about at its upcoming meetings, including these and other topics of interest.

The next meeting is on Sunday, April 22, from 10:30 a.m.-noon in Clubhouse II. Check the electronic directory in Clubhouse II on the day of the meeting for the meeting's specific room location.

Volunteers Needed

Calling all volunteers! Several volunteers are needed to help expedite the monthly meeting registration

process.

Contact group moderator Jerry

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Cohen at (jcohen@jccbb.com) to volunteer, and plan on arriving 15 minutes prior to the start of each meeting.

Group Information

The group invites people of all faiths to attend its free discussion group sessions. The Group meets year-round on the fourth Sunday of each month in Clubhouse II.

If you would like to consider doing a presentation yourself, or would like to recommend an expert to present a talk at one of our meetings, please contact Jerry Cohen, group moderator.

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

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May 6: Expert in Political Science Discusses Israel's Current Affairs

by Fred Shapiro

C harles B. Krieger Post 567 holds its next brunch on Sunday, May 6, at 10:15 a.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom.

The brunch features guest speaker Dr. Mitchell Bard, who brings attendees up to date on Israel's current affairs.

Bard is the executive director of the nonprofit American-Israeli Cooperative Enterprise (AICE) and a foreign policy analyst who lectures frequently on U.S.-Middle East policy.

He is also the director of Jewish Virtual Library, an online encyclopedia of Jewish history and culture published by AICE.

Bard co-chairs the task force on boycott, divest and sanctions and deligitimization for the Global Forum for Combating Antisemitism created by the Israeli Foreign Ministry and is a member of a similar task force established by the Conference of Presidents of Major American Jewish Organizations.

He has been named one of the "top 100

people positively influencing Jewish life" by The Algemeiner Journal.

For three years, he was the editor of the Near East Report, the American Israel Public Affairs Committee's weekly newsletter on U.S. Middle East policy. He also served

He also served photo as a polling analyst in the 1988 presidential

campaign. Bard has appeared on Fox News, MSNBC, NBC, CBC, The Jenny Jones Show, Al Jazeera



Dr. Mitchell Bard, courtesy

and other local, national and international television and radio. He is the editor and/or author of 23 books.

Bard holds a doctorate in

political science from the University of California, Los Angeles, and a master's in public policy from The University of California, Berkeley. He received his bachelor's in economics from the University of California at Santa Barbara.

The buffet, \$14 per person, includes eggs, tuna fish, lox,

bagels, Danish pastries, salad and coffee. Send reservation checks, payable to JWV 567, to Jerry Cohen at (3330 N. Leisure World Blvd., Apt. 919, Silver Spring, MD 20906) by Tuesday, May 1.

Next Meeting

Post 567's next business meeting is on Wednesday, May 2, at 11 a.m. in Clubhouse I. Please attend the meeting and join members in the reorganization and revitalization of Post 567.

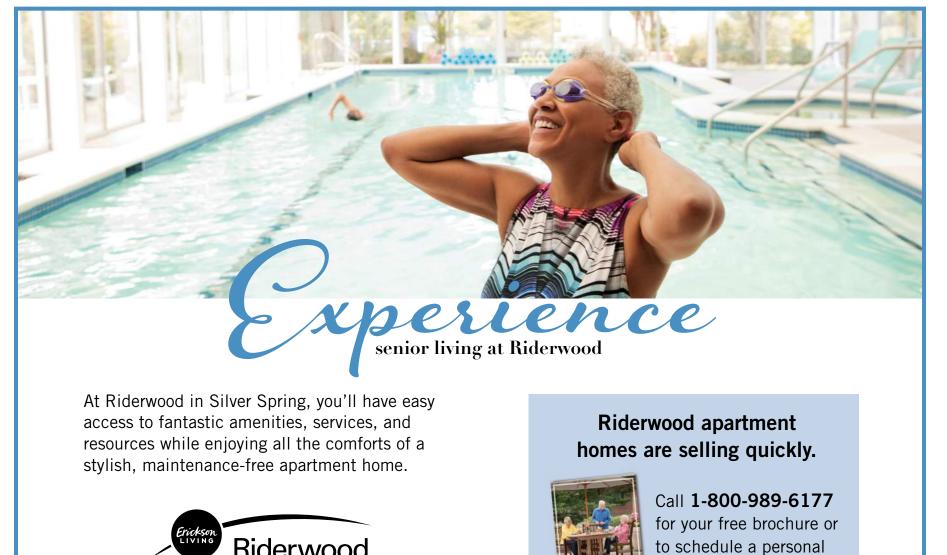
Input from veterans, reserves and ROTC is welcome. Post 567 is also considering patron membership for veterans who are not Jewish.

Project

community tour.

Jewish veterans are conducting a project using stamps for artwork.

Residents who clip stamps from the mail they receive are encouraged to mail them to Melvin A. Gervis at (10321 Lexington Lakes Blvd., S. Boynton Beach, Florida 33436-4550).



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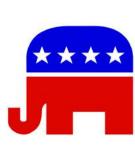
May 15: GOP 8th Congressional District Candidate **Addresses** Meeting

by Fred Seelman

¬he Republican Club's L next meeting is on Tuesday, May 15, at 7 p.m. in Clubhouse I.

At the meeting, Victor Williams, a law professor running for the 8th Congressional district, addresses the Club about his candidacy in the upcoming Tuesday, June 26, Republican primary election.

Williams has taught law for more than 20 years. He currently teaches at the University of Maryland



School of Law in Baltimore. Before taking up law, he was an elementary and high school educator. Williams supports the

Make America Great Again message, which is pro-growth, pro-faith,

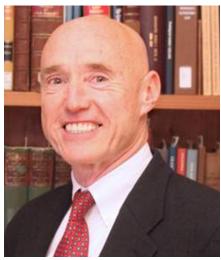
pro-freedom and pro-rule of law. He also endorses the America First mantra: fair trade, defeat ISIS, support Israel and enact merit-based immigration.

For more information, visit his website at (https:// www.trumpcongress. com/), and visit (http:// www.law.umaryland.edu/

faculty/profiles/faculty. html?facultynum=1169).

Bridgette Cooper, another of the candidates, spoke to the Club in April. Come to the May meeting to hear from Williams, and inquire about becoming a candidate in the Club's upcoming election, or staffing a non-elected Club position.

Send comments or questions about these or other Club matters, or offers to volunteer, to Club president Fred Seelman at (fseelman@ gmail.com) or first vice president Ray Spieler at (301-460-3563).



Victor Williams, courtesy photo

Join the Club for another quality event on May 15. Enjoy our refreshments.

■ National Active and Retired Federal **Employees (NARFE) Chapter 1143** May 21: Chapter Holds **Its First Pet Event**

by John Moens

n Monday, May 21, the Chapter opens the doors to the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom for its first pet event. The event starts at 1:30 p.m. and is open to all

residents who love animals.

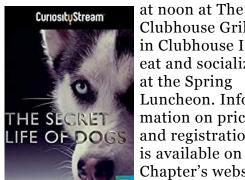
Del. Ben Kramer and an ASPCA representative discuss passed and pending legislation that protects pets and other animals. Vendors discuss products and services, and pet owners can share information.

The event also includes a showing of the BBC Earth film "The Secret Life of Dogs" (2013, 1 hour, documentary, not rated). Light refreshments are provided.

The Chapter hopes that this will become an annual event. NARFE members love dogs and cats, but service animals only, please.

Luncheon and Musical Tickets

On Monday, June 18, Chapter members gather



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Clubhouse Grille in Clubhouse I to eat and socialize at the Spring Luncheon. Information on price and registration is available on the Chapter's website at (http://narfe1143. org) Click on the



stage at Olney Theatre Center from Wednesday, June 20, through Sunday, July 22.

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LW LGBT Alliance Visit the Group at its New Facebook Page

by Mike LaPoint and Pat Ritter

• he Alliance now has its l own Facebook page, where upcoming events and news relevant to the LGBT community is posted.

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page, type LW LGBT Alliance in the search bar and, when redirected, select Groups and join the Alliance group.

The LW LGBT Alliance is busy planning its second annual LW LGBT Pride month celebration for Saturday, June 2, at 6 p.m. in Clubhouse II. The Alliance is recruiting members to serve on the planning committee, and is taking submissions for this year's

Preserve Your

Family Memories!

theme. By all accounts last year's Celebration was a big hit, so the Group is excited for another festive time.

News and Events

On April 14, several members attended a daylong workshop for the LGBT 60+ community called "Creating a Personalized Roadmap to Aging" and held at Iona Senior Services in Washington, D.C. The work-



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shop offered tips for aging well, age-related resources in the Washington, D.C., area and community building and networking.

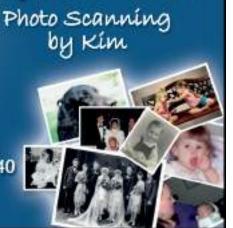
Every Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. in Clubhouse II, the Alliance holds its weekly game night. Group members play cards, board games and any other game chosen by attendees.

On Saturday, April 21, The Alliance holds its monthly potluck and meeting at noon in Clubhouse II. Members discuss upcoming events and ideas for future activities over a tasty meal.

Sunday, May 6, is Gay Day at The National Zoo in Washington, D.C. Email (lwlgbt@ gmail.com) for details and possible carpooling.

Contact

To learn more about the Alliance, email (lwlgbt@gmail. com) or, better still, attend the next monthly potluck meeting on April 21.



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April 26: Members' Fun Night

Saturday, April 28, at 2 p.m. in the Clubhouse II auditorium.

For more information, see the Events and Entertainment

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by Patricia Means

M embers are reminded to attend the "Fun Night" members-only event on Thursday, April 26, from 6-10 p.m. in the Clubhouse I Crystal Ballroom. Entertainment is "Legends Revue," featuring artists in the style of Diana Ross, Donna Summers, James Brown, Otis Redding and others.

After the show, line and hand dance to the "oldies but goodies" music with emcee, The Woodman. Tickets are required and available to members at the Clubhouse I E&R office until Tuesday, April 24.

Movie

All residents are invited to attend the screening of the movie "Sometimes in April" on

■ Kiwanis Club of Leisure World

May 2: First Evening Club Meeting

by Jack Colvis

The next meeting of the Kiwanis Club is on Wednesday, May 2, at 6:30 p.m. in Clubhouse I. Evening meetings offer membership opportunities to residents who work during the day or have other daytime commitments.

In addition to launching a new schedule of monthly meetings in May, the Kiwanis Club celebrates 51 years of service on Saturday, May 12, at a Charter Celebration. Over the years, the Club has completed several projects to improve the lives of children in Montgomery County.

Club Information

The primary mission of the Kiwanis Club is the health and education of the youth in Montgomery County. Several permanent programs have been established to ensure that youth learn to care for the needs of their community.

One of these programs sponsors Kiwanis youth club members in community service projects, which, in turn, develops their confidence

and strong leadership skills.

Residents who would like to spend time

helping serve their local community and/or children should consider joining the Kiwanis Club. For more information, contact Heather Benjamin-Alexis at (240-433-0948) or Jack Colvis at (301-598-5380).

All interested residents are encouraged to visit the Kiwanis Club's meetings on the first Wednesday or third Friday of each month in Clubhouse I. More information about the Kiwanis International Organization is available at (www.kiwanisone.org).

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May 16: Celebrate Scholars at Luncheon

by Marcia L. Elbrand

7 eather forecast for Wednesday, May 16: a beautiful, sunny day with balmy breezes and plenty of smiles.

That's the day more than 80 Rossmoor Women's Club (RWC) members, supporters and guests are expected to celebrate at the Club's Spring Luncheon at nearby Manor



Country Club, located at 14901 Carrolton Road in Rockville, Maryland.

The event, which starts at noon, features a choice of Caesar salad with grilled salmon or a Cobb salad with chicken breast. Warm rolls and butter, iced tea, lemonade, coffee and tea are served. Dessert is Manor's popular warm brownie sundae.

Send checks, \$35 per person, payable to Rossmoor Women's Club, to Carolyn Thompson at (15000 Pennfield Cir., Apt. 202, Silver Spring, MD 20906) by Friday, May 11, after which checks are not refunded. Include your choice of entree and a contact phone number with the check.

"Each year, we are delighted to award scholarships to Blake High School seniors and to ACES scholars at Montgomery College," said the Club's education committee chairperson Rita Posner.

"Several of the six winners hope to attend the luncheon, and give the audience a brief

glimpse of their career goals."

All luncheon attendees are encouraged to bring needed donations for the Betty Ann Krahnke Center, a local shelter for women and children seeking refuge from domestic violence.

The Center needs gently used twin-sized bed sheets, blankets, towels and summer clothing for women and their children.

Disposable diapers, baby wipes and full-sized packages of essential health and personal care items are always welcome, as are gently used car and booster seats. New toys and nearly new children's books are also requested.

RWC volunteers will deliver the donations to the shelter's intake coordinators.

Take a Chance, Win a Big Ticket

As a special feature at the luncheon, attendees have an opportunity to buy chances for three different prizes, including a Sangria pitcher and a ticket to the RWC's 50th anniversary

gala celebration.

The 50th anniversary gala, held on Sunday, Sept. 23, is themed "Cheers for Fifty Years."

Time to Renew or Join

Now is the time for all existing members to renew, and for new members to join.

Annual dues of \$40 per year cover the new 2018-2019 Club year, which officially begins on Friday, June 1.

"If you are really thrifty, you can bring your dues check, payable to the Rossmoor Women's Club, to the Scholarship luncheon, and save a postage stamp," she notes.

Checks can also be mailed immediately to Arlene Siller at (3100 N. Leisure World Blvd., Apt. 909, Silver Spring, MD 20906).

For further information, contact her at (abs929@yahoo. com) or (301-460-7859).

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Baby Boomer Club Walkers Trek to Brighton Dam and Riley's Lock

by Beth Leanza

R esidents who enjoy watching movies, dancing to the music of the '50s and '60s or going to dinner theater productions may be interested in joining the Baby Boomer Club.

A small group of members go out to dinner and a local movie theater together. About every other month, the Club holds a potluck event followed by dancing to live music. In the summer months, the Club holds a picnic at East Norbeck Park. During some months, members get together to play board games.

The Club also shows a movie in the Clubhouse II auditorium each month. Upcoming movies include:

- April 20 "Victoria and Abdul"
- May 18 "The Ottoman Lieutenant"
- June 23 "Dunkirk"

The Sock Hop Club, a spin-off of the Baby Boomer Club, holds a dance on the third Saturday of each month at 7 p.m. Bring your own snack and beverage. A small fee covers the cost of the DJ.

Join Us and Connect

Residents interested in joining the Club are encouraged to come to a movie. Members always follow the movie with a snack and get together.

Residents can also send a check for \$5, payable to Baby Boomer Club, to membership chair Susan Landesberg at (3505 Twin Branches Ct. 37-C). Be sure to enclose your address and phone number, if not on the check, and your email address.

Baby Boomers communicate mostly by email. Be sure to add the Club's email address to your email address book or contact list, (bbclw@googlegroups.com), to help ensure that Club emails reach your inbox. The Club keeps its emails limited to activities that members might enjoy.

Residents who don't have email should write "no email" on their check. The Club strongly suggests that these members connect with members who do have email, so as not to miss out. Residents who have joined the Club but are not receiving emails are asked to contact Beth Leanza at (301-598-4569) or (bethlea12020@gmail.com).

Need More Information?

The Club's website is available at https://sites.google.com/ site/bbclwmd/) and includes a calendar with walk information.

Friday Hikes with Dawn

Many walkers meet up at the walk site, but if you want to carpool, contact Dawn Carlisle at (301-598-7098) by Thursday evening. Always bring water.

 April 27 – Brighton Dam Azealia Garden (Brookeville) Meet in the Brighton Dam Recreation Park parking lot at 1:15 p.m. Drive through the Norbeck Gate and turn right onto Norbeck Road. Turn left onto North New Hampshire Avenue, and then turn right onto Brighton Dam Road. Parking is on the right just above the dam, across from the garden.

May 4 – Riley's Lock (Poolesville) Meet in the parking lot at 11 a.m. Bring water and a lunch. Take Falls Road (Rte. 189) south to River Road. Turn right onto River Road. Continue for eight miles. Turn left at the T-intersection, continuing on River Road for 0.7 miles. Take the next left onto Riley's Lock Road. Drive to the end of the road and meet at the parking lot.

Sunday Morning Walks

Members up for a longer walk, about three miles, can join a group on Sundays at 8:30 a.m. They meet up at the corner of Leisure World Boulevard and Arden Court (across from Kelmscot Drive). The walkers usually go out to breakfast afterwards.

Weeknight Walks

A smaller group of walkers meet Monday-Friday at 5:15 p.m. in the lobby of Clubhouse I. Beginning on Monday, April 23, they meet at 7:15 p.m.

They walk around the approximately one-mile Broadwalk in Montgomery Mutual. No one makes an announcement (or carries a sign!), so introduce yourself to the group.

Volkssport Walks

One Club member is also a member of the American Volkssport Association. He posts their walk information on (bbclw@googlegroups.com). Under Calendar, click on "Walks."

Mah Jongg

Experienced mah jongg players can join others on Tuesday or Wednesday nights at 7 p.m. in Clubhouse II. Email Donna Copeland at (dc@grandmathegeek. com) for more information.



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■Going It Alone Club GIAC Prepares for Election of Officers

by Elizabeth Brooks-Evans

The Going It Alone Club (GIAC), which meets every Saturday from 2-4 p.m. in Clubhouse II, holds its election of officers during the annual membership meeting on Saturday, June 23.

In preparation for the meeting, a nominating committee is seeking volunteers to fill the positions of president, vice president and treasurer.

The president's main duty is to preside over the monthly board meetings. The vice president fills in if the president cannot attend and the treasurer deposits checks in the bank and records receipts.

Any interested members should contact Elizabeth Brooks-Evans at (240-242-4433) or Pat Connelly at (301-598-9369).

Armchair Travel

On Saturday, April 21, at 2

p.m., armchair travelers tour England's West Country with well-known travel guide, Rick Steves, who will lead them through its quaint Cotswold villages and the dramatic prehistoric stone circles of Stonehenge.

On Saturday, April 28, Steves and his travelers go from Canterbury's cathedral to Dover's fortifications, and hike atop the chalk cliffs of the South Downs as they arc along the coast of Southeast England.

Games

Right after travel, bridge and Rubik's cube begin at 2:30 p.m.

Bingo is played on the second and fourth Saturdays of the month, and Pokeno on the alternate Saturdays from 2:30-4 p.m.

GIAC's long-time bingo caller, Sylvia Pachenker, is looking for a member to assist her with that task.



Anyone interested should call her at (301-598-5325).

Trips

GIAC sponsors the following trips, which are open to all Club members, other residents and guests:

- May 22 Partake in "High Tea" at Camellia's Sin Tea Parlor, which includes soup, salad, sandwiches and scones, as well as side trips to Meadowbrooke Gourds in Carlisle, Pennsylvania, and a stop at Baugher's Farm Market in Westminister, Maryland (40 person limit).
- June 4-8 Enjoy "Cape Cod and the Islands," an exciting five-day bus trip to Martha's Vineyard, and more. This trip is full, however there is a waiting list.
- July 24 Experience the musical "Jesus" at Sight and Sound Theater in Pennsylvania after a smorgasbord lunch at the Bird-In-Hand Restaurant.
- Sept. 20 Take a trip to Harris' Crab House on the Chesapeake Bay for an all-you-can-eat feast, followed by a stop on the way home at the Amish Market in Annapolis, Maryland, to shop for

fruits and vegetables, gifts and crafts, candy and homemade ice cream.

Details about these trips are in the Club Trips section of this publication.

Sign-ups for trips take place during Saturday Afternoon Live (SAL) from 1:30-3 p.m. in Clubhouse II, when Club members Joe Parker and Sylvia Pachenker are available to receive payments and answer questions.

The GIAC newsletter also has trip information and is available at SAL. For more information about trips, call Parker at (301-598-3457) or Pachenker at (301-598-5325).

Membership

The membership period is from July 1 through June 30 each year. New members can register to join, and current members are welcome to renew.

Those wishing to sign up for membership can do so during SAL from 1:30-3 p.m. in Clubhouse II, when representatives are available to provide information and answer questions about the Club and its activities.

Residents interested in more information about membership can call Sylvia Pachenker at (301-598-5325).



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The Beauty of Nature, the Ides of March and Jinns

by Carlos Montorfano

J ane Hawes began the proceedings with "Perception," telling about her lifelong love for a sculpture in her home made of multicolor tiles that elicited many admirers.

Lee Hardy read "Snowy Morn," an unforgettable memory of an early snowfall that included observations of tree branches roped in white and tiny sparrows hopping by, giving bug hunting a try.

Woody Shields' "Understanding Cohorts," is part of his forthcoming book that explains the dynamics of a white-tailed deer population.

A cohort is a group of animals of the same age and sex. Upon birth, each deer joins a cohort group. As the years progress, each group is reduced by mortality until all members are deceased.

Verna Denny read a touching, old story called "April's Fool," about her mother passing away just two days before April Fool's Day. She and her mother enjoyed playing family tricks on her sister and other relatives.

Phil Wendkos, a new member, read a serious piece about Jewish war veterans, and the need for proper diplomatic relations and understanding among different countries and religions in the Middle East.

Kimi Sugimura, with her long experience as a teacher, gave the group a well-thought piece about schools, guns in the classroom and the NRA.

Gladys Blank wrote a long piece about the history and significance of the ides (the middle of the month), especially the Ides of March and its relationship to the murder of Julius Cesar and other unfortunate events.

Radha Pillai read "The Real March" about The March for Our Lives on Washington, D.C.

Judith McLean read a couple of poems, one about a "Jinn," an immaterial being of fire in the Qur'an whose nature is between human and angel.

Danuta Montorfano read

"A Hint of Spring," a piece about the good feelings spring weather provides. Meetings are on the first

Meetings are on the first and third Thursday of each month at 11 a.m. in Clubhouse I. All residents are welcome to attend.



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Comedy and Humor Club Club Revels in All Things Punny and Funny

by Al Karr

F rom time to time, a member of the Comedy and Humor Club brightens up a club session with a shaggy-type story, which has a very punny, and funny, ending. Rudy Volin and treasurer Sumner Levin each offered one of these at a recent meeting.

The Club meets every Tuesday at 1:30 p.m. in Clubhouse II. On the last Tuesday of the month, president Sam Hack presents a video of a classic TV show.

On March 27, it was a hilarious replay of a Jerry Seinfeld gem. Come visit a meeting and have some fun.

At a recent meeting, those

doing the standup comedy bit included Rudy Volin, Sumner Levin, Sam Hack, Al Halpert, Wally Becker, John Lass and Al Karr. Here are a few of their favorite jokes:

 Sumner – A rabbi in Madrid suddenly needed a large supply of chrain, a horseradish, for a Jewish holiday for his temple's worshippers, so he ordered the chrain from Tel Aviv.

It was flown to Madrid, but after landing, the aircraft was stuck on the runway for four days, during a major storm. So the chrain in Spain stayed mainly on the plane.

• John – Newspaper headline: "Police plan to run down jaywalkers"

Elw Apple Club Buying and Installing a Disk Drive

by Brent Malcolm

A tone of the Club's recent monthly meetings, a member asked how to buy an external disk drive to be used as a Time Machine backup disk, and if users have to buy a Mac disk? All disk drives are essentially the same and their ultimate use (Mac or PC) dictates how the disk drive should be formatted. Users can find some drives sold as Mac disks, but most are sold as undefined drives.

Because a user can reformat any disk to be used with a Mac, the only important criterion is the size of the drive. As a general rule, users who want to use it as a Time Machine back-up disk should select a size that is twice the size of their internal drive. For example, a user with an internal Fusion drive of 1.11 TB could buy a 2 TB Time Machine external hard disk drive as a back-up disk. To find the size of the internal drive, go the Apple menu (apple logo at extreme top left) and select About This Mac. In the new window, click the Storage tab and the internal drive and its size is shown.

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Apple

Once a user has the new disk drive, he or she will need to format it. Fortunately, this is a relatively simple process using the Apple-supplied utility, Disk Utility.

To find Disk Utility, open the Utilities folder located in the Applications folder. Plug

in the new drive and it will appear in the Disk Utility sidebar labeled "Untitled." Select that disk drive and, after ensuring the correct drive has been selected, click the Erase button at the top of the window. In the drop-down window, choose a name for the new drive, such as TimeMachine1. Ensure the Format popup menu selection is "Mac OS Extended" (Journaled), and then click Erase.

When done, a new window appears saying that the Erase

process is complete, and then click Done. The drive will be formatted for the Mac and can now be used as a Time Machine drive or for any other Mac-related purpose.

To begin using Time Machine,

open System Preferences and select Time Machine. The window opens and a query asks, "Do you want to use (name of new drive) as your Time Machine disk?"

If you do not see that query, click the lock in the lower left corner to unlock the window. Then click the Select Disk button and select the newly formatted disk TimeMachine1.

Apple Club News

The Club welcomes back its popular presenter, Jim Ritz, at the next meeting on Tuesday, April 24, at 10 a.m. in Clubhouse II. Ritz discusses something on everyone's mind these days: security and passwords.

All sorts of Apple Club information is available on the club's website: (http://mac.computerctr.org). Available information includes meeting and clinic dates, past Leisure World News articles, information on past presentations, and more.

Today's Tip – Skip the Confirmation Query

When initiating a Log Out or a Restart, users get a window asking if they really want to Log Out/Restart. To bypass this query, hold down the Option button when initiating the Log Out or Restart.

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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).

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

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

Hispanos de Leisure World: We invite all residents who are Hispano-Parlantes to join us in enjoying the activities of this club, including card games and conversations, every Friday at 3 p.m. in Clubhouse I. Once a month, Latin-American and Hispanic movies, with English subtitles, are screened at the same location and same time, 3 p.m. Also, the club organizes a Fiesta de La Amistad on a weekend in the spring and a Christmas dinner in December. And we have organized and presented musical shows about once a year in the Clubhouse II auditorium as well. If interested, contact Maria Blanco, club president, at (301-847-9066) or Carlota "Loty" Goldenberg at (301-598-6869).

Knitting Corner: Join us the second and fourth Fridays of each month at The Inter-Faith Chapel from 10 a.m.-noon. Our next meeting is April 27. 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.

LW Discussion Group: The group meets the third Wednesday of each month at 1:30 p.m. in Clubhouse II. Various members lead discussions on hot topics and current events. For more information on this, at times, provocative and always enlightening group, contact Laurie Burdick at (240-558-4454) or (lgburdick@aol.com).

Musical Jammers: We gather informally once a month with other amateur musicians, singers and lovers of music to sing, play music and have fun – no dues, no meetings, no agendas, no committees. We meet on the second Monday 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: We meet in Clubhouse II by the fireplace on the first Wednesday of the month at 11 a.m. All ex-Philadelphians are welcome. At our May 2 meeting, there is a presentation on books about the city, followed by a raffle. For further information, 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).

Quilt Group: Come and join our fun group as we work on our individual projects. We now include those interested in all needle-work 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 April 26.

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. We are currently reading from "The Oxford Book of American Short Stories," 2nd edition, editor Joyce Carol Oates. On Wednesday, May 2, Barbara Bowers will lead a discussion of "Today Will Be a Quiet Day" by Amy Hempel. On May 16, Gina Hirsch will lead a discussion of "Fleur" by Louise Erdrich. The Short Story Group meets at 11 a.m. on the first and third Wednesdays of the month in Clubhouse I. For information, call Beth Leanza at (301-598-4569).

Stamp and Coin Club: Are you a philatelist or a numismatic? Join the Stamp and Coin Club. We meet on the first Thursday of each month at 3 p.m. in Clubhouse I. Members discuss their collections, including first day covers, day of issue programs, yearbooks, coins, medals and more. Stamps are shared for "show-and-tell," and we hold an auction of members' stamps. In addition, a gift certificate from Coins of the Realm in Rockville is awarded as a door prize at each meeting. All residents and non-residents are welcome to attend. Annual dues are \$5. If interested, contact Rita Mastrorocco at (301-814-9196).

Town Meeting Organization: (TMO) is a movement of residents concerned about governance and management that meets every month to discuss and schedule community-wide town hall meetings. Topics such as the proposed administration building, funding a strategic plan, community governance and management involvement in mutual elections, are addressed. The town halls are held to inform and involve residents in issues affecting them. TMO meets the third Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. in Clubhouse I. All residents are invited to attend and become active in the movement. For information, email (admin@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: Paid-up members will gather on Sunday, May 6, at 1 p.m. in Clubhouse I for a Cinco de Mayo celebration. The event is first come, first served. The cost is \$18 for the event; \$10 for dues if not already paid. Mail checks, payable to Elinor Tattar, to (15300 Pine Orchard Dr. 3K, Silver Spring, MD 20906). For queries, call Marlene at (301-438-7773).

Leisure World Club Trips

The next deadline for trip submissions is **Monday**, **April 23**. 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.

May 16-17 Dover Downs Hotel & Casino

Come back to Dover Downs with **NA'AMAT** on this popular trip with an overnight stay in Dover, Delaware. The cost is \$115 per person, double occupancy, \$165 single occupancy, and includes round trip transportation, beautiful hotel accommodations, breakfast buffet, plus \$50 play money.

The bus leaves Clubhouse II at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday and returns at approximately 3:30 p.m. on Thursday.

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, include what they are with your check. Questions? Call Trudy at (301-438-0016).

May

22 Camellia's Sin Tea Parlor and Meadowbrooke Gourds

Join the **Going It Alone Club** for High Tea in Carlisle, Pennsylvania. The tea includes salad, scones, petite sandwiches, desserts and seasonal teas.

Then it's off to Meadowbrooke Gourds for a demonstration of crafting gourds into works of art. On the way home, we stop at Baugher's Farm Market in Westminster, Maryland, for a little shopping. The cost is \$68 for Club members and \$75 for nonmembers. The bus leaves Clubhouse II at 10 a.m. and returns at approximately 8 p.m.

Sign up at Saturday Afternoon Live (SAL!) from 1:30-3 p.m in Clubhouse II. No refunds will be made after Saturday, April 21, unless a replacement is made. For more information, call Joe Parker at (301-598-3457) or Sylvia Pachenker at (301-598-5325).

July

22 NEW – "Getting Momma Married"

Join **NA'AMAT** for a delightful, twilight dinner buffet and the show "Getting Momma Married" at the Rainbow Comedy Playhouse in Paradise, Pennsylvania. The bus leaves Clubhouse II at 11:30 a.m. and returns at approximately 8:30 p.m.

The cost is \$95 per person and includes delicious food, a delightfully funny show, tips and gratuities, as well as transportation.

To make reservations or for more information, call Gladys at (301-438-9666).

July 24 "Jesus" The Musical

Come with the **Going It Alone Club** to see the musical, "Jesus" at the Sight & Sound Theatre in Lancaster, Pennsylvania. Also enjoy a smorgasbord lunch at the Bird-in-Hand Restaurant.

The cost is \$110 for Club members and \$117 for non-members, and includes lunch, show, transportation, tax and driver and restaurant gratuities.

Sign up at Saturday Afternoon Live (SAL) from 1:30-3 p.m. in Clubhouse II.

No refunds will be made after Saturday, June 30, unless a replacement is made. For more information, call Joe Parker at (301-598-3457) or Sylvia Pachenker at (301-598-5325).

Sept. 20 And the Amish Market

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

On the way home, we stop at the "Amish Market" in Annapolis, Maryland, for a little shopping.

The bus leaves Clubhouse II at 10:30 a.m. and returns at approximately 4 p.m.

The cost is \$75 for members, and \$82 for non-members and includes, tax, dining and driver gratuity. Sign up at Saturday Afternoon Live (SAL) from 1:30-3 p.m. in Clubhouse II. No refunds will be made after Saturday, Aug. 18, 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.

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Travel & Tour Department • (301) 598-1599 • Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 8:30 am-2 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

Springfest Ocean City, MD 🦾

Sat., 5/5, 7:45 am-9:00 pm\$60.00 per person Enjoy great food, music and crafts while being on the inlet in Ocean City! Transportation only to the festival.

Hershey for Mother's Day, PA 🖉

Sat., 5/12, 8:00 am-7:45 pm\$109.00 per person Start with a little shopping at Hershey Chocolate World before heading to the Hotel Hershey Circular Dining Room for an elegant buffet lunch. Then, wander through the Gardens that started over 75 years ago as a modest plot of roses and has blossomed into 23 acres of botanical beauty.

"Grease" the Musical at Dutch Apple Theatre, PA Wed., 5/16, 9:00 am-6:00 pm......\$112.00

Dust off your leather jackets, pull on your bobby socks and take a trip to a simpler time! Transportation, show and lunch included.

Land, Sea & Safari, PA Sea Contraction Con

Wed., 5/30, 7:15 am-8:45 pm......\$119.00 per person Trip Includes: guided tour of the Pennsylvania Capitol building, lunch at Old Country Buffet, Paddle Boat Cruise on the Susquehanna River, and a threehour visit at the Lake Tobias Wilderness Park.

National Harbor & MGM Casino, MD 🥯

Mon., 6/4, 9:00 am-4:30 pm\$42.00 per person Transportation only! You choose where you want to spend your day. Waterfront, Casino or Outlets (shuttle service available to purchase).

U.S. Naval Academy & Harbor Cruise, MD 🖉

Tues., 6/12, 8:45 am-5:35 pm\$115.00 per person A 90-minute walking tour of Naval Academy, lunch at Drydock Restaurant, Free time in Annapolis City Dock area before boarding the Harbor Queen.

Let's Play Ball! Battle of the Beltway Nationals vs. Orioles, DC

Ceźanne Portraits at the National Gallery of Art, DC

Thurs., 6/21, 8:40 am-2:00 pm \$35.00 per person Spend the day exploring this special exhibit of Cezanne's Portraits. Transportation only.

Mama Mia at Toby's in Columbia, MD 郄

"Back by Popular Demand" American Treasure Oaks Mon., 7/16, 8:15 am-6:15 pm......\$95.00 per person Take a 45-minute tram ride to see the most iconic collection of Americana you will ever experience! Wander through the Music Room, view the dioramas, and see their brand new car exhibit. Soup and sandwich buffet included.

Hollywood Casino, WV 🌌

Thurs., 7/19, 10:00 am-5:45 pm\$38.00 per person \$15.00 slot play offer from casino. Transportation only.

Songs of the Silver Screen at American Music Theatre, PA 虑

Sat., 7/28, 8:45 am-8:00 pm\$115.00 per person Movie buffs of all ages will delight in this new production. Enjoy live performances from the AMT cast and band as they bring you the biggest hits from movies past and present. Lunch prior to show at Shady Maple Smorgasbord. Trip includes: transportation, lunch and admission to show.

"Swing" the Musical at Dutch Apple Theatre, PA Sat., 8/15, 9:00 am-6:00 pm\$112.00 per person

Sat., 8/15, 9:00 am-6:00 pm\$112.00 per person We'll be jumpin' and jivin' with over 30 fabulous songs from the Big Band Era. Trip includes: transportation, ticket to show and buffet lunch.

Ellis Island & Statue of Liberty, NY See

Sat., 8/18, 7:15 am-11:00 pm\$113.00 per person Trip includes: deluxe Eyre motorcoach transportation, ferry tickets to Ellis Island and Statue of Liberty, \$10 Cracker Barrel gift card.

Museum of American Revolution, PA

Tues., **8/21**, **7:15 am-6:00 pm\$99.00 per person** Philadelphia was one of the crucial hubs of the American Revolution, which makes the city's Historic District the perfect place for its newest, allencompassing museum. It's an absolute treat for American history buffs! Lunch is included at City Tavern.

Museum Loop Washington DC 🖉 🎯

Mon., 8/27, 8:40 am-3:00 pm\$35.00 per person You choose where to spend your day! We will drop off at the Holocaust Memorial Museum, the National Portrait Gallery (special exhibit of President Portraits), and the American Indian Museum. Transportation only.

Spotlight On...

Baltimore Aquatic Adventure 🖉 🖉

MULTI-DAY TRIPS

Chihuly at the Biltmore, NC & The Smoky Mountains, TN May 20-24 Cape Cod, MA July 22-26 Nova Scotia & Canada's Maritimes

Aug. 10-18 Castles of New York-1000 Islands Aug. 26-29 A Taste of Tuscany Sept. 2-9 The Ark Encounter Sept. 4-7 Mystical Peru Sept. 11-17 Hudson Valley, NY Sept. 26-28 Trains & Canaan, WV Oct. 1-3 Reflections of Italy

Royal Caribbean Canada &

Oct. 10-19

New England

Sept. 27- Oct. 6

CRUISES

Princess Cruise Alaska on the Golden Princess (land/cruise) Aug. 14-25

Princess Cruise Alaska on the Golden Princess (cruise only) Aug. 18-25

Aug. 10-25 We can book any cruise line anywhere you want to cruise.

(All Trips depart from Clubhouse II)	

Some trips require a certain amount of walking.	The shoe symbol 🔬 provi	ides an indication of how much walking may be involved.	
Key: Easy Walking	More Walking	A Lot of Walking	

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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.

SPORTS, GAMES & Scoreboards

Golf Club

Opening Day Golf Results

Compiled by Rita Molyneaux April 4, 2018 Men's Opening Day ABCD

- 1. Kevin McMahon, Pete Porrello, Stephen Sherrod, 10
- 2. Doug Allston, Doug Cornish, Dick Curtin, Bob Rauner, 7
- 3. Mark Parker, Carl Ridnour, Sam Pak, Bob J. Brown, 6

<u>April 12, 2018</u> Ladies' Opening Day ABCD Step Aside Scramble

- 1. Pam Mulcahy, Susan Kim, Ruth Cougnet, Barbara Peters, 35
- 2. Jane Hughes, Alice Parker, Kazue Waller, Mary Wells, 36
- 3. KC Choi, Kay Heier, Pat O'Connor, Janet Danziger, 37

May 8-9: Pro Shop Offers Demo Days



Photo by Maureen Freeman, Leisure World News

O n Tuesday, May 8 and Wednesday, May 9, residents can test out some of the latest golf clubs and equipment available on the market from 2-5 p.m. at the Golf Course driving range.

The May 8 event features Callaway Golf Company clubs and equipment, and then on May 9, test out the latest from Taylormade Golf Company. Swing some clubs and see what you like; the Pro Shop will order golf equipment for any resident and match advertised prices on non-closeout clubs. All residents are invited. For

questions, contact the Pro Shop at (301-598-1570).

No Walking Permitted on Golf Course

P edestrian traffic is not permitted on the golf course paths or greens between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m., except for residents and their guests

playing a round of golf. Residents looking for alternative walking paths in Leisure World can pick up a map at either of the clubhouse E&R offices.



■10-Pin Bowling League Half and Half Pours on the Winnings

by Rita Mastrorocco

The top league standings as of April 6 are: Half and Half in first place; Wild Things in second place; and Winners in third place.

The league is based on handicaps with averages for the bowlers ranging from 93 to 180.

If you have not bowled in years, come out and join the fun.

Top scores for the week of March 30 are:

Scratch Game – Wild Things, 700 pins

Scratch Series – Wild Things, 1,931 pins

Handicap Game – Huggers, 945 pins Handicap Series – Huggers, 2,685 pins

High Average Men – Steve Hays, 180 pins

Scratch Game Men – Steve Mueller, 227 pins

Scratch Series Men – Steve Mueller, 584 pins

Handicap Game Men – Mark Bandak, 287 pins

Handicap Series Men – Mark Bandak, 771 pins

High Average Women –

Chris Porter, 161.99 pins Scratch Game Women –

Jessica Stevens, 190 pins Scratch Series Women –

Jessica Stevens, 515 pins Handicap Game Women –

Eileen Fishman, 257 pins

Handicap Series Women – Eileen Fishman, 684 pins

Top scores for the week of April 6 are:

Scratch Game – Wild Things, 711 pins

Scratch Series – Wild Things, 1,961 pins

Handicap Game – Winners, 940 pins



Handicap Series - Winners, 2,684 pins High Average Men - Steve Hays, 180 pins Scratch Game Men - Steve Mueller, 213 pins Scratch Series Men – Steve Mueller, 565 pins Handicap Game Men -Arthur Strum, 255 pins Handicap Series Men -Chuck Martinez, 705 pins High Average Women -Jessica Stephens, 162 pins Scratch Game Women -Jessica Stephens, 198 pins Scratch Series Women -Jessica Stephens, 532 pins Handicap Game Women -Jessica Stephens, 251 pins Handicap Series Women -Cathy Flinchbaugh, 707 pins You do not need to be a good bowler to join. Come and join us for fellowship, fun and easy exercise. There is no long-term commitment. The league bowls every Friday morning with practice starting at 9:20 a.m. at Bowl America, 1101

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

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

Leisure World News

Tuesday and Friday Duplicate Bridge

Compiled by Jerry Miller

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

Tuesday, March 27, 2018

North-South Flight A

East-West Flight A

1. Ann Ruth Volin – Stephan Billstein 2. Diane Keiper – Nadyne Cheary 3. Aaron Navarro – Patricia Haggerty

4. Wendy Morrison – Saul Penn

Flight B

1. Michael Benefiel – Marcia Fletcher

Flight B 1. Bernice Felix – Ted Michos

4. Helen Solomon – Rae Newman

1. Patti Anschutz – Mary Lafferty

2. Bernice Felix – Ted Michos

3. Dora Levin – Abigail Murton

2. Dora Levin – Abigail Murton

1. Liz Ferraro – Alan Ferraro

East-West

East-West

Flight A

1. Jerry Miller – Marlys Moholt

3. Nancy Gordon – Bernice Felix

2. Doug Brasse – Merrill Stern

4. Barbara Summers – James

Friday, March 30, 2018

North-South

1. Saul Penn – Lewis Gold 2. Carole Ruth Cougnet – Ted Michos 2. Norman Salenger – Doris Perschau

Tuesday, April 3, 2018

North-South Flight A

1. Alfred Caponiti – John Ryan

2. Hanna Schepps – Robert Catlett

3. Rosmarie Suitor – Thomas Leahy

4. Angela Riani – Betti Goodman

5. Wendy Morrison – Saul Penn

Flight B

1. Rosmarie Suitor – Thomas Leahy 2. Angela Riani – Betti Goodman

2. Liz Ferraro – Alan Ferraro

Friday, April 6, 2018

North-South Flight A

Flight B 2. Carole Ruth Cougnet – Ted Michos

1. Alan Ferraro – Liz Ferraro

2. Aaron Navarro – Deborah Cobb

3. Carole Ruth Cougnet – Ted Michos

Friday, March 23, 2018

North-South Flight A

1. Aaron Navarro – Judith Perrier 2. Alan Ferraro – Liz Ferraro 3. Stephan Billstein – James Cowie

4. Thomas Leahy – Doris Perschau

Flight B

1. Alan Ferraro – Liz Ferraro 2. Stephan Billstein – James Cowie

East-West

Flight A 1. Lorraine Hegel – Sue Swift 2. Nancy Gordon – Doris Perschau 3. Mark Lavine - Saul Penn

Flight B

1. Kimi Sugimura – Louise Bargamian 2. Sharon Strong – Beth Harper

NO PICK UP OR DROP OFF OF RIDERS AT THE MAIN GATE

To prevent endangering yourself and to reduce risk liability, the Leisure World of Maryland Transportation Service does not transport any individual to or from the Main Gate.

The designated pickup area for such riders is in front of Clubhouse I or the parking lot of the Administration Building.

Wednesday Night Chicago Bridge

Compiled by Abigail Murton

March 28, 2018

- 1. Joann Bland and Pat Villareale, 4,980
- 2. Joyce Fischer and Joan Thomas, 4,900
- 3. Helen Montanaro and Betti Goodman, 4,640
- 4. Barbara Bryant and Virginia Pace,
- 3,840
- 5. Doris Perschaw and Mildred Lieder, 3,400

Thursday Afternoon Ladies Bridge

Compiled by Jackie Harrell

March 29, 2018

1. Ruth Kozlow, 4,150 2. Jackie Harrell, 4,130

3. Freda Nicolosi, 3,980

Friday Bridge

Compiled by Betti Goodman

March 23, 2018

1. Gloria Kitzler, 2,680

2. (tie) Barbara Marcus, 2,370 (tie) Jerry Feldman, 2,370

3. Shirley Rosenhaft, 2,310

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GOLF CARTS – RULES OF THE ROAD

Golf carts must be driven on the right hand side of the road nearest the curb. Operators must obey all traffic rules and regulations. Driving golf carts is prohibited outside the community, including the Leisure World Plaza. Parking or driving carts on any turf areas is prohibited unless areas have been designated for golf cart usage. Golf carts parked in unauthorized areas are subject to towing at the owner's expense.

April 4, 2018

1. Virginia Pace and Barbara Bryant,

2. Anna Pappas and Bob Bridgeman,

3. Marcia and Monroe Elbrand, 3,930

April 4, 2018

4. Betti Goodman and Helen

Montanaro, 3,590

1. Pat Patton, 2,830

2. Ruth Kozlow, 2,140

3. Jo Ann Gellman, 1,760

4,930

4,670



5. Liz Ferraro – Alan Ferraro Flight B 1. Nancy Gordon – Bernice Felix

Summers Jr.

Hats Off to Chess

by Bernie Ascher

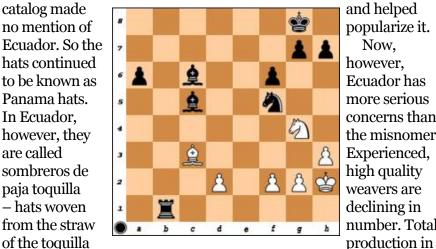
ne of the world's most misleading names is the "Panama hat." Panama hats are made in Ecuador, not Panama.

The industry in Ecuador dates back hundreds of years before the arrival of Francisco Pizarro and the Spanish conquistadores in 1526. In the 1830s, an enterprising Ecuadorian immigrant from Spain named Manuel Alfaro brought hats on horseback to Panama to sell them in the bustling trading hub and set up a hat business there.

During the California Gold Rush that began in 1848, prospectors bought hats in Panama on their way to California. They called them Panama hats. The hats became so popular that, by the 1850s, the U.S. was buying 220,000 per year, according to Brent Black, a retailer of Panama hats.

The Panama hat made its international introduction at the 1855 World's Fair in Paris. It could have been a special opportunity to clarify the identity of the country of origin, but the World Fair

are called



plant. Laborers wore these hats while building the Panama Canal from 1904-1914. At the peak of construction, 40,000 people worked there. In 1906, a visit to the canal by President Theodore Roosevelt, whose picture appeared in newspapers wearing a Panama hat, helped to spur sales even further.

The white hat with black band made a special fashion statement. Many celebrities, including Mark Twain, Ernest Hemingway, Fred

Astaire and Truman Capote, liked the dapper look of the hat

> and helped popularize it. Now, however, Ecuador has more serious concerns than the misnomer. Experienced, high quality weavers are declining in number. Total

Montecristi is now down to about 5,000 hats a year. Only about a dozen of these are the finest, museum quality.

Weaving a fine hat requires special skills and nimble fingers. It can take from one day to eight months to complete a hat, depending on the quality and finesse. A museum quality hat can sell for hundreds or thousands of dollars, but the average Panama hat sells for \$20-25.

As the story goes, you can fill a fine hat with water and not



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a drop will go through. Rolled up, the hat could pass through a wedding ring.

The weavers are mostly peasant families who pass on traditional techniques of cultivation and processing to their children. It is a distinctive tradition and part of the country's cultural heritage. In 2012, UNESCO recognized this Ecuadorian tradition and added it to the List of the Intangible Cultural Heritage of Humanity.

Ecuador's other concern is that it must compete with cheap Panama hats from China, some selling for about \$8. China is the world's leading producer of "straw" hats, with exports valued at more than \$1 billion a year and accounting for more than 40 percent of world demand.

According to the Financial Times, China's "straw" hats are actually woven from paper, but few consumers can tell the difference. Ecuador's exports are far fewer and valued at roughly \$2.3 million.

Ironically, in 2017, UNESCO recognized Panama's pintao, or painted hat, adding it to its List of the Intangible Cultural Heritage of Humanity. "The pintao hat has become an integral part of regional outfits throughout the country, worn during traditional dances and community festivities," UNESCO's statement read. The pintao differs from the widely known "Panama hat," which has a wide brim.

In Leisure World, players do not wear Panama hats during chess games, especially indoors. In the game shown on this page, Black is in a strong position. What is Black's best move?

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

ANSWER: Black moves the Bishop to d6, checking the King and forcing White to block with Pawn to g3. Black then moves the Rook to h1. Checkmate!

So, do not wait for a Panama pintao. Do not wait for a Chinese Panama hat. Do not wait for a drop of water to pass through a Panama hat. Play chess now!

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 Pantry 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. Have fun. Win masterpoints. Questions? Call Nadyne at (301-598-5677).

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

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

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

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

Duckpin Bowling: Join us for the Duckpin Mixed Bowling League Mondays at 12:30 p.m. at White Oak Bowling Lanes (11207 New Hampshire Ave., Silver Spring). We need bowlers of all skill levels and will welcome you into our enthusiastic group. We carpool regularly, so non-drivers need not stay away. Call Grace White at (301-438-7892) or Flora Wolf at (301-598-5807) to join as a substitute or regular bowler. **Jigsaw Puzzle:** There is a jigsaw puzzle table in the Clubhouse II lobby. Feel free to work on it at your leisure.

Mah Jong: Learn how to play Mah Jong. Call (301-598-3438). **Ping Pong:** Get healthy exercise and camaraderie playing ping pong. The club meets every Wednesday and Friday, from 1-3 p.m., in Clubhouse II multi-purpose room. Drop in anytime during that period. Some experience preferred. If interested, call Julie Friedman at (301-598-5424).

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

Poker:

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

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

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

Scrabble: Please join us at Clubhouse II on Tuesdays at 12:30 p.m. for a game of Scrabble. Boards are available. Call Rahda Pillai at (301-438-1223) if you are interested in playing.

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



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CLASSES & Seminars

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

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

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

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

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EDUCATION

NEW – Supervised Bridge (for Advanced Beginners and Intermediates): Back by popular demand, teacher/director Saul Penn leads six sessions of assisted play. Short (fiveto 10-minute) lecture/tips are presented before each class on topics of particular interest.

Sufficient physical dexterity handling cards is required to enable timely play. Partners not required, but welcome. Lots of fun is guaranteed!

Class meets Wednesdays, May 9-June 13, 2-4 p.m. Fee: \$36. Register at Clubhouse I.

Coping with Your Digital Camera and Computer, a CLL course:

The object of this course is to explain how a digital camera works; how the built-in software enables the novice to select a mode that will make the decisions, other than composition and focus, to get better photographs; and to demonstrate how images are transferred from the camera to the computer, and modified to improve quality.

Topics include: digital photography basics and digital cameras; the basics for good photography and using the modes in the digital camera to enhance images; additional modes are available; how to transfer to and organize images on the computer; how to print and present photos; and how to prepare slideshows and DVDs, including music tracks, with PowerPoint and typical software used for editing.

Students are encouraged to bring samples of their photos on a flash drive so they can be shown and critiqued by the class.

Fred Shapiro is the course instructor. Class meets Thursdays, May 3-June 7, 1-2 p.m. Fee: **\$20. Register at Clubhouse II.**

Biographies of Controversial People, a CLL Course: In this course, Dr. George Birnbaum examines the lives of four individuals, all controversial, who distinguished themselves through their achievements.

Each week, one individual is discussed. They include Moses Annenberg, Walter Annenberg, Armand Hammer and Menachem Begin.

Class meets Fridays, May 4-May 25, 11 a.m.-noon. Fee: \$15. Register at Clubhouse I.

For more information about the Center for Lifelong Learning (CLL) and its instructors, visit (www. cllmd.com)

En avant! French in Action for Beginners: This class, led by Gilles Gouin, is for beginners or people who have taken French and would like to refresh his/her knowledge. The focus of the class is to provide basic French grammar so that participants can communicate in the target language (i.e. French) at the survival level.

In addition to learning basic French grammar and vocabulary, course topics include greetings and farewells, family members, numbers, dates, telling time, health, colors, household objects, and more.

Class meets Tuesdays, April 24-June 12, 10-11 a.m. **Fee: \$15. Register at Clubhouse I.**

En avant! French in Action for Intermediates: This class, led by Gilles Gouin, is for intermediates who have some solid knowledge of French and want to build on their knowledge in order to sustain some conversation.

The focus of this class is to provide basic French grammar in context so that students are able to communicate more easily in the target language (i.e. French) at a functional level.

In addition to reviewing basic French grammar and vocabulary, this course covers more advanced French grammar in context, and French vocabulary for numbers, weather, dates, telling time, health, colors, household objects and more.

Students are expected to speak in French most of the time. They will be able to describe a picture or photo, and also express themselves in the present, past and near future.

Class meets Tuesdays, April 24-June 12, 11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m. Fee: \$15. Register at Clubhouse I.

NUTRITION

NEW – Food for Life: The Power of Food for Cancer Prevention and Survival: Sponsored by the Vegetarian Society of Leisure World (VSLW), Brian Bergman returns with five sessions designed to help people prevent and survive cancer through proper diet and nutrition.

The National Cancer Institute research shows that as much as 50 percent of cancer risk may be related to diet. In this class, participants learn about making food choices that can help reduce the risk of developing cancer as well as overcome the disease after it has been diagnosed.

A variety of cancer-related nutrition topics are covered, and information on planning meals and maintaining a healthy weight is provided as well.

Participants taste healthful dishes in a supportive group setting, and go home with numerous recipes.

Bergman has a certificate in plant-based nutrition from Cornell University and is a certified Food for Life instructor, associated with Dr. Neal Barnard's group, PCRM. For more information, contact Brian at (301-540-0404) or (brian@ahelpingofhealthydc. com). Class meets Fridays, June 1-June 29, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Fee (includes lunch): \$95 per person. Register at Clubhouse I.

EXERCISE

NEW – Move It or Lose It: Enjoy dancing to the rhythm of a beat? These aerobic exercises will keep you moving and up on your feet.

Movements are designed to promote cardiovascular health while having fun. Warm up and cool down are designed to strengthen and tone.

Questions? Contact Betty Smith, Certified Group Exercise Instructor, at (301-598-4245).

Class meets Wednesdays, May 2-30, 4-5 p.m. **Fee: \$29. Register at Clubhouse II.**

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

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

Class meets Wednesdays, April 25-June 20 (no class May 9), 2-3 p.m. **Fee: \$100. Register at Clubhouse II.**

Zumba Gold with Denny – **Mondays or Fridays:** This program was designed for the older active adult,

a person who has not been exercising in a long time or individuals who may be limited physically. The biggest difference between Zumba Gold and Zumba Basic is that Zumba Gold is done at a much lower intensity. It is just as much fun, just not as fast! Zumba Gold utilizes the same great Latin styles of music and dance that are used in the Zumba basic program. Class meets Monday, April 30-June 11 (no class May 28), 10:30 a.m. or Fridays, May 5-June 15 (no class May 25), 1 p.m. Fee: \$37.50 for one day; \$70 for two days. Register at Clubhouse II.

Stretch, Tone and Strength Training for the Active Adult (9:15 a.m.): Join our fun exercise class that utilizes a variety of equipment for the active adult. This dynamic strengthtraining class will develop a body instilled with power and one that can move with ease and confidence. Get stronger, steadier, and more balanced as you develop new body awareness, flexibility and control of "usable strength."

Weights, bands, and balls are provided; and a mat is recommended for some floor work. Modification can be made for the individual exerciser and all are welcome to join in the fun. The instructor is Linda Ginsburg.

Class meets Mondays, April 23-June 18 (no class May 28) and/or Thursdays, April 26-June 21, 9:15-10:15 a.m. Fee: \$55, one day per week, \$85, two days. Register at Clubhouse I.

New Students Only -Stretch, Tone and Balance for the Active Adult (10:30 **a.m.):** The early morning class is filling up! This class is for new students who want to join a fun exercise class that utilizes a variety of equipment for the active adult. This dynamic strengthtraining class will develop a body instilled with power and one that can move with ease and confidence. Get stronger, steadier, and more balanced as you develop new body awareness, flexibility and control of "usable strength."

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SPORTS INSTRUCTION

NEW – Learn Tennis, Beginner and Advanced: Learn how to play tennis or improve your strokes in just two hours. Participants will learn forehand, backhand and serve. The strokes are modeled after the best player in the world, Roger Federer. Sign up soon, class is limited to 10.

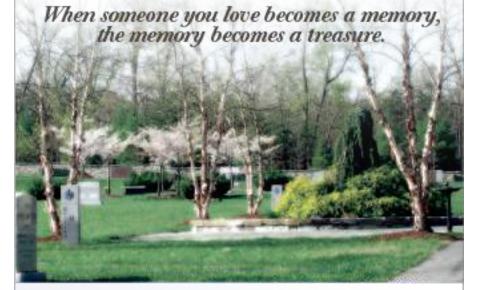
The instructor is Tom Meyer. Class meets Sunday, May 13, 1-3 p.m. (Rain date: Sunday, May 20.) Fee: \$25. Register at Clubhouse II.



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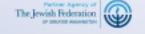


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CALENDAR of Events

Friday, April 20

Clubhouse I 10:00 a.m. CLL Course: Introduction to Dancing for Hesitant Beginner 10:00 a.m. Drawing Clinic Art Class 10:00 a.m. Book Club Network -**Diversity Strong** 10:00 a.m. Book Club Network -**Bookies** 12:15 p.m. Kiwanis Club 1:30 p.m. Any Level Watercolor Art Class 3:00 p.m. Hispanos de LW: Games 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 7:00 p.m. Baby Boomer Club Movie: "Victoria and Abdul"

Saturday, April 21

Clubhouse I 9:00 a.m. American Needlepoint Guild (ANG) 9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga 9:30 a.m. Spring Flea Market 10:00 a.m. Open Studio Clubhouse II 9:15 a.m. JRLW Service 12:00 p.m. LGBT Alliance 2:00 p.m. Going It Alone Club: Social 7:00 p.m. Fun and Fancy Theatre: "Broadway Melodies of the '60s"

Sunday, April 22

Clubhouse I 2:00 p.m. Italian Club General Meeting 6:00 p.m. Ovation Dinner Theatre: "Murder: Take 2!" Clubhouse II 10:30 a.m. Jewish Discussion Group 2:00 p.m. Fun and Fancy Theatre: "Broadway Melodies of the '60s"

Monday, April 23

Clubhouse I 9:15 a.m. Stretch, Tone and Strength **Training Class** 9:45 a.m. AARP Safe Driving Course 10:30 a.m. Beginner Stretch, Tone and Strength Training Class 1:30 p.m. Book Club Network: Fall Readers 1:30 p.m. LW Chorale 2:00 p.m. CLL Class: American Architectural History 7:00 p.m. Bingo **Clubhouse II** 9:00 a.m. Senior Sneakers 11:00 a.m. Chair Yoga Class 12:30 p.m. Men's Bridge 1:00 p.m. Chess Club 2:00 p.m. Line Dance Class 2:00 p.m. Chair Yoga Class 3:00 p.m. Line Dance Class 4:00 p.m. Ba Duan Class 6:15 p.m. Move to the Beat Class

Tuesday, April 24 Clubhouse I 10:00 a.m. CLL Course: Habla Conmigo Part II

10:00 a.m. En avant! French in Action **Class for Beginners Course** 10:00 a.m. En avant! French in Action Class for Intermediates Course 1:00 p.m. CLL Course: Habla Conmigo Part I 2:00 p.m. Book Club Network: Suspensers 2:00 p.m. CLL Course: Reflective Writing: Finding Your True Voice 7:00 p.m. Duplicate Bridge 7:00 p.m. Trivia Group Clubhouse II 10:00 a.m. LW Apple Club 11:00 a.m. Mild Exercise Class 11:00 a.m. Water Exercise Class 12:30 p.m. Scrabble Group 1:00 p.m. Non-Impact Fusion Water **Exercise Class** 1:30 p.m. Comedy and Humor Club 2:00 p.m. Unitarian Universalists 6:15 p.m. Move to the Beat Class

Wednesday, April 25

7:00 p.m. Camera Club

Clubhouse I 9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga Class 2:00 p.m. LW Green 6:45 p.m. Chicago Bridge 7:30 p.m. Hadassah: Silent Auction and Accessory Sale Clubhouse II 11:00 a.m. Mild Exercise Class 1:00 p.m. Chess Club 1:00 p.m. Ping Pong Club 1:00 p.m. Aqua Fit Class 2:00 p.m. Chair Yoga Class

Thursday, April 26 Clubhouse I

8:30 a.m. Interfaith Committee Baby Shower 10:30 a.m. ALL Course: Exploring Ultra-Orthodox Judaism 11:00 a.m. Writers Workshop 12:30 p.m. Ladies Bridge 1:00 p.m. Ladies Golf Lunch 2:00 p.m. CLL Class: Great Decisions **Discussion Group** 2:00 p.m. Health Advisory Committee: Memory Café 6:00 p.m. LWAAAC: Fun Night **Clubhouse II** 9:00 a.m. Senior Sneakers Class 9:30 a.m. Beginner and Advanced Tai Chi Class 9:30 a.m. Quilters Group 11:00 a.m. Water Exercise Class 12:30 p.m. Men's Bridge 1:00 p.m. Non-Impact Fusion Water **Exercise Class**

Friday, April 27 Clubhouse I

10:00 a.m. Drawing Clinic Art Class
10:00 a.m. Garden and Environmental Club: Arbor Day Celebration
1:30 p.m. Any Level Watercolor Art Class
3:00 p.m. Hispanos de LW: Games
6:30 p.m. LW Golf Twilight
7:00 p.m. Friday Duplicate Bridge
Clubhouse II

9:00 a.m. JRLW: Many Faces of Abuse

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

Technology May 1, 10:00 a.m., Sullivan Room

Education and Recreation May 1, 9:30 a.m., Clubhouse I Special Strategic Planning Committee

May 3, 1:30 p.m., Sullivan Room **Golf & Greens** May 4, 9:30 a.m., Clubhouse I

TennisMay 2, 1:30 p.m., Sullivan RoomEmergency PreparednessMay 3, 9:30 a.m., Sullivan Room

n., Sullivan Room **LWCC Board of Directors** May 22, 9:30 a.m., Clubhouse I

The meeting airs on May 28, 30 and June 1 at 4 p.m. and 7 p.m. on channel 974.

LWCC Executive Committee May 11, 9:30 a.m., Sullivan Room

The meeting airs on May 16, 17 and 18 at 4 p.m. and 7 p.m. on channel 974.

Meeting times and locations subject to change.

Leisure World Mutual Meetings

April 23 Montgomery Mutual Board 9:30 a.m., Clubhouse I Mutual 23 Board 10:00 a.m., Party Room Mutual 9 Board 10:00 a.m., Sullivan Room

April 24 Mutual 17A Board 2:30 p.m., Party Room Mutual 21 Board 2:30 p.m., Community Room 3 Mutual 13 Annual 3:30 p.m., Clubhouse I

April 25 Mutual 20B Board 9:00 a.m., Community Room 4 Mutual 19B Board 1:00 p.m., Sullivan Room Mutual 11 Annual 6:30 p.m., Clubhouse I

April 26 Mutual 10 Board 9:30 a.m., Sullivan Room Mutual 20A Board 9:30 a.m., Party Room 2 Mutual 6C Board 9:30 a.m., Community Room

Meeting times and locations subject to change.

10:00 a.m. Chinese Club 1:00 p.m. Ping Pong Club 1:00 p.m. Chess Club 1:00 p.m. Friday Bridge

Saturday, April 28 Clubhouse I 9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga Class 10:00 a.m. Open Studio 7:30 p.m. Ballroom Dance Club Mutual 26 Board 10:30 a.m., Party Room Mutual 24 Board 1:30 p.m., Community Room Mutual 14 Annual 3:00 p.m., Clubhouse I

April 27 Mutual 17B Board 10:00 a.m., Party Room Mutual 5 Annual 2:00 p.m., Clubhouse I Mutual 9 Annual 2:00 a.m., Clubhouse I

May 1 Mutual 18 Board 1:30 p.m., Sullivan Room Montgomery Mutual Annual 1:30 p.m., Clubhouse I Mutual 6B Annual 2:00 p.m., Clubhouse I

> May 2 Mutual 8 Board 1:30 p.m., Sullivan Room Mutual 19B Annual 2:00 p.m., Clubhouse I

May 3 Mutual 27 Board 10:00 a.m., Community Room

Clubhouse II

9:15 a.m. JRLW Service 2:00 p.m. Going It Alone Club: Social/ Video 2:00 p.m. LWAAAC Movie: "Sometimes In April" 7:00 p.m. The Rat Pack Together Again 7:00 p.m. Sock Hop Group

Sunday, April 29

Clubhouse I 6:00 p.m. Resident Open Forum - Chat with the Chair **Clubhouse II** 10:00 a.m. Jewish War Veterans: Tech

Dav 2:00 p.m. Movie: "The Dressmaker"

Monday, April 30

Clubhouse I 9:15 a.m. Stretch, Tone and Strength **Training Class** 10:30 a.m. Beginner Stretch, Tone and Strength Training Class 1:00 p.m. Paintbrush and Knife Art Class 1:30 p.m. LW Chorale 7:00 p.m. Bingo Clubhouse II 9:00 a.m. Senior Sneakers Class



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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 2:00 p.m. Line Dance Class 2:00 p.m. Chair Yoga Class 3:00 p.m. Line Dance Class 4:00 p.m. Ba Duan Class

Tuesday, May 1

Clubhouse I 9:00 a.m. Blood Pressure Testing 9:30 a.m. Any Medium Art Class 9:30 a.m. Garden Plot Group 10:00 a.m. CLL Course: Habla Conmigo Part II 10:00 a.m. En avant! French in Action for **Beginners** Course 11:15 a.m. En avant! French in Action for Intermediates Course

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Writing: Finding Your True Voice 7:00 p.m. Duplicate Bridge 7:00 p.m. Trivia Group Clubhouse II 9:30 a.m. Beginner and Advanced Tai Chi Class

Part I

Class

11:00 a.m. Mild Exercise Class 11:00 a.m. Water Exercise Class 12:30 p.m. Scrabble Group 1:00 p.m. Non-Impact Fusion Water Exercise Class

1:00 p.m. CLL Course: Habla Conmigo

1:00 p.m. Watercolor Techniques Art

2:00 p.m. CLL Course: Reflective

1:30 p.m. Comedy and Humor Club

Wednesday, May 2

Clubhouse I

9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga Class 10:00 a.m. Express Yourself in Drawing and Painting Art Class 11:00 a.m. Short Story Group 12:30 p.m. NA'AMAT RBZ Club 1:00 p.m. Painting and Miniatures: Oils, Acrylics and Alkyds Art Class 2:00 p.m. Book Club Network: African Heritage 6:30 p.m. Kiwanis Club Dinner Meeting 6:45 p.m. Chicago Bridge Clubhouse II 11:00 a.m. Mild Exercise Class 1:00 p.m. Chess Club 1:00 p.m. Ping Pong Club 1:00 p.m. Aqua Fit Water Class 2:00 p.m. Chair Yoga Class 4:00 p.m. LWAAAC General Meeting 4:00 p.m. Move It or Lose It Class

7:30 p.m. Fun and Fancy Theatre Group

Thursday, May 3 **Clubhouse I** 9:15 a.m. Stretch, Tone and Strength **Training Class** 10:00 a.m. Painting is for Everyone Art Class 10:30 a.m. Beginner Stretch, Tone and Strength Training Class 10:30 a.m. ALL Class: Exploring Ultra-Orthodox Judaism 10:30 a.m. Essential Tremor Group 11:00 a.m. Writers Workshop 12:30 p.m. Ladies Bridge 1:00 p.m. Oils and Acrylics Art Class 2:00 p.m. CLL Course: Great Decisions Discussion Group 3:00 p.m. Stamp Club **Clubhouse II** 9:00 a.m. Senior Sneakers 9:30 a.m. Beginner and Advanced Tai Chi Class 11:00 a.m. Stitching Group 11:00 a.m. Water Exercise Class 12:30 p.m. Men's Bridge 1:00 p.m. Non-Impact Fusion Water Exercise Class 1:00 p.m. Gilbert & Sullivan Society 1:00 p.m. CLL Course: Coping with Digital Photography 7:00 p.m. Tennis Club

Friday, May 4

Clubhouse I 10:00 a.m. Drawing Clinic Art Class 11:00 a.m. CLL Course: Biographies of **Controversial Famous People** 1:30 p.m. Any Level Watercolor Art Class

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> For more information or to register, contact Toni Davis at 301-388-7209 or tdavis@bgf.org by April 30.

BUS TRANSPORTATION TO THE EVENT WILL LEAVE CLUBHOUSE #1 AT 5:30 P.M.



3:00 p.m. Hispanos de LW: Games 7:00 p.m. Friday Duplicate Bridge **Clubhouse II** 11:00 a.m. Book Club Network Potluck 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

Saturday, May 5

Clubhouse I 9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga Class 9:00 a.m. American Needlepoint Guild (ANG) 10:00 a.m. Open Studio Clubhouse II 9:15 a.m. JRLW Services 2:00 p.m. Going It Alone Club: Social

Sunday, May 6

Clubhouse I 10:00 a.m. Jewish War Veterans 1:00 p.m. Women's Fun Bunch Clubhouse II 2:30 p.m. Fireside Forum 7:00 p.m. Baby Boomer Club

Monday, May 7

Clubhouse I 9:15 a.m. Stretch, Tone and Strength Training Class 10:30 a.m. Beginner Stretch, Tone and Strength Training Class 1:00 p.m. Paintbrush and Knife Art Class 1:00 p.m. CLL Annual Meeting 1:30 p.m. LW Chorale 2:00 p.m. CLL Class: How to Maintain a Pain Free Life with Arthritis 7:00 p.m. Bingo

Clubhouse II

9:00 a.m. Senior Sneakers Class 10:00 a.m. Clipper Workshop 10:30 a.m. Zumba Gold Class 12:30 p.m. Men's Bridge 1:00 p.m. Chess Club 2:00 p.m. Line Dance Class 3:00 p.m. Line Dance Class 4:00 p.m. Ba Duan Class

Tuesday, May 8

Clubhouse I 9:30 a.m. Any Medium Art Class 9:30 a.m. Garden Plot Group 10:00 a.m. CLL Course: Habla Conmigo Part II 10:00 a.m. En avant! French in Action for Beginners Course 11:15 a.m. En avant! French in Action for Intermediates Course 12:00 p.m. Ladies 9-Hole Golf 1:00 p.m. CLL Course: Habla Conmigo Part I 1:00 p.m. Amateur Radio Club 1:00 p.m. Watercolor Techniques Art Class

2:00 p.m. CLL Course: Reflective Writing: Finding Your True Voice 7:00 p.m. Duplicate Bridge 7:00 p.m. Trivia Group

Clubhouse II

9:30 a.m. Beginner and Advanced Tai Chi Class

11:00 a.m. Mild Exercise Class
11:00 a.m. Water Exercise Class
12:30 p.m. Scrabble Group
1:00 p.m. Non-Impact Fusion Water Exercise Class
1:30 p.m. Comedy and Humor Club 3:00 p.m. Parkinson's Support Group 7:00 p.m. Vegetarian Society

Wednesday, May 9

Clubhouse I 9:00 a.m. Gentle Yoga Class 10:00 a.m. Express Yourself in Drawing and Painting Art Class 10:15 a.m. League of Women Voters 12:00 p.m. FISH Luncheon 1:00 p.m. LW Golf MISGA 1:00 p.m. Low Vision Support Group 1:00 p.m. Painting and Miniatures: Oils, Acrylics and Alkyds Art Class 1:30 p.m. Patients Rights Council 2:00 p.m. EYRE Bus Tour and Travel 2:00 p.m. LW Green 2:00 p.m. Supervised Bridge Class 6:45 p.m. Chicago Bridge **Clubhouse II** 11:00 a.m. Mild Exercise Class 1:00 p.m. Chess Club 1:00 p.m. Ping Pong Club 1:00 p.m. Aqua Fit Class 1:30 p.m. Stroke Support Group 4:00 p.m. Move It or Lose It Class 7:00 p.m. Lapidary Club

Thursday, May 10

Clubhouse I 9:15 a.m. Stretch, Tone and Strength

Training Class 10:00 a.m. Painting for Everyone Art Class

10:30 a.m. Beginner Stretch, Tone and Strength Training Class 10:30 a.m. ALL Class: Exploring Ultra-

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12:30 p.m. Ladies Bridge

3:00 p.m. Art Guild Educational Program 7:00 p.m. Democratic Club Clubhouse II 9:00 a.m. Senior Sneakers Class 9:30 a.m. Beginner and Advanced Tai Chi Class 9:30 a.m. Quilters Group 11:00 a.m. Water Exercise Class 12:30 p.m. Men's Bridge 1:00 p.m. Non-Impact Fusion Water Exercise Class 1:00 p.m. CLL Course: Coping With Digital Photography

1:00 p.m. Oils and Acrylics Art Class

4:00 p.m. Model Railroad Club

Friday, May 11 Clubhouse I

10:00 a.m. CLL - Introduction to Dancing for Hesitant Beginners Class 10:30 a.m. St. John's Episcopal Jazz Ensemble 11:00 a.m. CLL: Biographies of **Controversial Famous People** 1:30 p.m. Any Level Watercolor Art Class 2:00 p.m. CLL Program: Climate Change 6:00 p.m. AIM Program - Janine Carter 7:00 p.m. Friday Duplicate Bridge **Clubhouse II** 10:00 a.m. Chinese Club 1:00 p.m. Ping Pong Club 1:00 p.m. Chess Club 1:00 p.m. Friday Bridge 1:00 p.m. Zumba Gold Class

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Nother's Day Brunch & Dinner **DINNER** May 13th, Clubhouse Grille BRUNCH May 13th, Crystal Ballroom, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. \$23 plus tax and gratuity All entrees include a House Garden or Caesar Salad as well as a selec tion from our dessert menu. Scrambled Eggs Chicken Marsala and Rice Pilof Bacon & Sausage Center Cut Filet Mignon......\$30 Sliced Beef Tenderloin mashed potatoes/red wine demi/asparagus Fresh Fruit Display Homemade Cheese Grits Assorted Danish & Muffins risotto and asparagus + Quiche Corned Beef Hash Twin Lobster Tails\$30 Coffee, Teas and Juice Ricotta Cheese Filled risotto/asparagus/herb butter · and More **Blintzes with Toppings** Surf and Turf petit filet & 5 or and lobster tail ...\$30 Broiled Fresh Salmon mashed potatoes/asparagus Grilled Lamb Chops\$30 mashed potatoes/red wine demi/asparagus risotto/asparagus/herb butter Call 301-598-1330 for reservations 11 1 1 1 M 10 811 3 1 essert? y Hous Even if you decide to leave the community for dinner, stop by Clubhouse Grille afterwards for Wednesday through Saturday, 4 p.m. - 6 p.m. dessert and coffee; maybe even a drink. Enjoy coffee and any dessert ALL RAIL COCKTAILS ONLY \$3 for only \$4 after 8 p.m. Pinnacle Vodka, Seagram's Gin, Old Grand Dad Bourbon, Seagram's 7 Whiskey, Bacardi Rum, White Horse Scotch Also available: Irish Coffee\$3 ALL CALL BRAND COCKTAILS ONLY \$4 Tito's Vodka, Tanqueray Gin, Jim Beam Bourbon, Seagram's VO Scotch Whiskey, Captain Morgan Rum, Kahlua\$3 Cutty Sark Scotch ALL TOP SHELF COCKTAILS ONLY \$5 Bailey's Irish Cream\$3 Absolut Vodka, Bombay Gin, Maker's Mark Bourbon, Cointreau.....\$4 Jack Daniels Whiskey, Johnnie Walker Red Scotch Amaretto DiSaronno....\$3 ALL BEER AND HOUSE WINES ONLY \$3 Clubhouse Grille Hours: Tues. - Sat.: 4 p.m. - 10 p.m. | Sundays: 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Stein and Terrace Room Hours: Sunday: 9:30 a.m. – 8 p.m. | Mon.– Tues.: 9 a.m. – 8 p.m. | Wed.– Sat.: 9 a.m. – 9 p.m. For Clubhouse Grille Reservations, call 301-598-1330 | For Stein and Terrace Room reservations, call 301-598-1331 **FIND YOUR TREASURE!**

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Saturday, April 21 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Clubhouse I: Crystal Ballroom • Maryland Room

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- Jewelry
- Handmade Crafts & Gifts

- New & Used Books
- Contemporary & Vintage Clothing
- Glassware & China
- Toys & Dolls
- Small Appliances
 & Housewares
- Bric-a-Brac & Collectibles
- AND MORE!

All residents, their families and friends are welcome to join in the fun!

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