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HAPPY LAB R DAY

AMPHITHEATER 2022

'Maggie May' singer is featured tonight

Gregory Wolfe as Rod Stewart Sept. 1 | 7:30 p.m. Amphitheater Stage

Sponsors: Optum and United Healthcare Cannon Legal Firm

Gregory Wolfe's Tribute To Rod Stewart will start at 7:30 p.m. tonight at the Amphitheater.

When Wolfe hits the stage as Stewart and starts to sing, people do a double take. He is as close to the British rock superstar as a tribute artist can get.

Wolfe covers all Stewart's greatest hits in a raspy voice that evokes one of the best-selling music artists of all time. Stewart has sold over 250 million records worldwide. He has had ten No. 1 albums and 16 Top 10 singles in the U.S., with four reaching No. 1 on the Billboard Hot 100. He was knighted in a 2016 Birthday Honor for his services to music and charity.

Stewart's music career began in 1962 when he took up busking with a harmonica. His early albums were a fusion of rock, folk music, soul music and R&B. His third album, 1971's "Every Picture Tells a Story," was his breakthrough, topping the charts in the UK, U.S., Canada and Australia, as did its ballad "Maggie May."

Wolfe moved from Michigan to California in the mid 1980s. After winning contests for his ability to look and sound like Stewart, he took to exploring the idea of creating a complete tribute showcasing the artist's long illustrious career.

Wolfe has since traveled around the world performing concerts, events and venues.

He is as comfortable in front of a four-piece band as he is a large orchestra. His ability to stir the audience to dance—while dancing on stage with Stewart's signature moves—is what his fans love and remember.

In 2012, Wolfe underwent treatment for cancer.

As a survivor, his talent and passion drives him to continue doing what he loves the most: Entertaining.

His journey is similar to one Stewart himself faced. He was diagnosed and had surgery in 2000 for thyroid cancer.



Gregory Wolfe survived cancer to reprise Rod Stewart's greatest hits.

The surgery threatened Stewart's iconic voice, and he had to relearn how to sing.

In the aftermath, Stewart has been active in raising funds for charities to find cures for all forms of cancer.

Meanwhile, Wolfe went on to play to packed and sold out shows in California, Arizona, Washington, Texas, Maryland, Georgia, Iowa, Missouri, and all the way to exotic Singapore. And he is ready for more. In performing as Stewart, Wolfe skillfully blends in a mix of other popular songs from the pop, soul, Motown and blues genres.

But a perennial concert highlight is his ability to get the audience on its feet.

"I refuse to let the crowd just sit there," he says. "No matter who they are, I make sure they'll get into it. If I'm having fun, usually the crowd reciprocates and has a good time."

Show Notes

- Admission is free; non-residents must be accompanied by a resident.
- Smoking is not permitted at the Amphitheater, which is located behind the LW News Office in the GRF Administration complex.
- No parking is allowed in front of the Amphitheater on St. Andrews Drive along the southbound lanes. This is a tow-away zone on Thursdays during Amphitheater season.
- Minibus transportation will be available before and after shows.
- A food truck from Koffel's will provide pre-event dining.
- Two shows remain in the 2022 season—tributes to the Eagles and Frankie Valli.

SPECIAL ELECTION

Edward Jablonsky to represent Mutual 11 on the GRF Board

A special meeting of the GRF Board of Directors was held on Aug. 29 at 11 a.m. in Clubhouse 4, for the purpose of recording the counting process for the election of a GRF Director representing Mutual 11.

The results of the ballot count are as follows, with the winner's name bolded:

Mutual 11: **Edward Jablonsky**, 139 votes. Quorum only: 1. Abstain: 5.

GRF BOARD HIGHLIGHTS

Employee of Month is Justin Miyamoto

The GRF Board of Directors started one of its shortest meetings in recent history by showing its appre-

ciation to GRF
Purchasing Coordinator Justin Miyamoto,
who stepped up
to run that department in the
absence of longtime Purchasing
Manager Julie
Rodgers. Sheleft



Justin Miyamoto

the company in the spring.

Miyamoto was named GRF Employee of the Month for August and will receive a plaque and a bonus. He went above and beyond to keep Purchasing running, according to Finance Director Carolyn Miller, who nominated him for the honor.

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HOLIDAY NOTICE

GRF to close for Labor Day Sept. 5

In observance of Labor Day, all Golden Rain Foundation offices except Security will be closed Monday, Sept. 5.

The Leisure World Maintenance Department will be on call for emergencies at (562) 594-4754.

The Minibus and the Access bus will operate on the holiday schedule.

U.S. Rep. Porter in LW

Katie Porter, the U.S. congresswoman representing Orange County, will attend a special meeting of the Democratic Club Sept. 2. She will receive the Social Security Champion Award. All residents are welcome. See page 16 for more.

AMPHITHEATER MOVIE NIGHT

'Respect,' starring Jennifer Hudson, is based on life of Aretha



"Respect," a 2021 American biographical musical drama following the life of Aretha Franklin, will be shown on the big screen at 8:30 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 2, at the Amphitheater.

Sponsors are Optum and SCAN.

Following the rise of Aretha Franklin's career—from a child singing in her father's church choir to her international superstardom—it's the remarkable true story of the music icon's journey to find her voice.



Los Cerritos Wetlands

WETLANDS LAND TRUST

Guided nature walk, orientation set for Sept. 3

A Raptor Ramble guided walk on the Hellman portion of Los Cerritos Wetlands will be held at 8 a.m., Saturday, Sept. 3. The parking lot gate will open at 7:45 a.m. and close at 8:10 a.m. No latecomers will be admitted for the tour, and all participants must stay for the entire tour, which will end by 10 a.m.

Meet in the driveway/parking area at the corner of First Street and Pacific Coast Highway in Seal Beach. Close-toed shoes are required, and kids

under 16 must be accompanied by an adult.

For more information about the Raptor Ramble nature walk or to RSVP (which is now required), log on to https://www.eventbrite.com and enter Los Cerritos Wetlands in the search bar.

Educators from the environmental consulting firm Tidal Influence will begin the event with a brief orientation about Los Cerritos Wetlands.

People will then stroll

through heritage coastal sage scrub and historic dredge spoils while looking for raptors (birds of prey) and a number of other species that nest in the area. As walkers pass salt flats, they may see tiger beetles and coyote tracks before hiking up to the Heron Pointe Cultural trail to discuss how tidal circulation shapes local wetlands. The walk will end at the access parking area. People can bring binoculars to observe many kinds of interesting wildlife.

COVID Test Kits

Free COVID-19 test kits can be ordered until Friday, Sept. 2, at *https://special.usps.com/testkits*. Up to eight tests can be ordered.

Even residents who previously ordered COVID-19 tests with the above form may be eligible to receive additional at-home tests now.

Visit the Leisure World Library by Friday for help ordering tests. The library is open Monday through Saturday from 9:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Seal Beach Council Election Update

District 5 Council Member Sandra Massa-Lavitt will be termed out this year after serv-

ing two fouryear terms, so her seat is now open. District 5 covers all of LW west of St. Andrews Drive. That includes Mutuals 2, 3, 4, 5,

6,7,8 and 9 and part of Mutual 1.

The following candidates have filed nomination papers with the Office of the City Clerk of Seal Beach:

- Mariann Klinger of Mutual 9, Seal Beach planning commissioner, representing District 5.
- Michael McGrorty of Mutual 4, retiree.
- Nathan Steele of Mutual 7, business owner.
- Jonathan Rich of Mutual 1, professor/statistician.

Also up for election are representatives for District 1, Old Town and Surfside Colony; and District 3, Marina Hill, Coves, Bridgeport and Heron Pointe.

To win a council election in Seal Beach, a candidate must receive 50% of the vote plus one.

If none of the candidates in a given district reaches 50% plus one, the top two candidates compete in a runoff election.

The city council is the community's legislative body and provides direction on business matters, sets policy, and adopts the annual budget, according to the Seal Beach website. As a legislative body, its members are the community's decision makers.

The city manager serves at the pleasure of the city council as its full-time executive whose job it is to administer city staff, projects, policies and programs on behalf of the council.

The city council meets the second and fourth Mondays of each month. Unless otherwise **COUNCIL**, page 21

Heat Warning, Cooling Centers Open

The National Weather Service issued an Excessive Heat Warning Aug. 30 that remains in effect through 8 p.m., Sept. 5, possibly extending through Sept. 7. The urgent weather message warns of dangerously hot conditions with temperatures of 105-110 expected in parts of Southern California. A high of 95 is predicted for Seal Beach on Sunday, Sept. 4, and lows will only fall to the mid- and upper 70s. This will significantly increase the potential for heat-related illnesses.

The City of Seal Beach will open a cooling center Sept. 3-6 at the Seal Beach Tennis Center, 3900 Lampson Ave., from 8 a.m.-6 p.m. over the weekend and through 9 p.m. on Monday and Tuesday. LW residents can also get relief from the heat at air-conditioned clubhouses and other venues here and the pool.

In addition to staying in air-conditioned buildings, people are advised to drink more water than usual and avoid dehydrating alcoholic, sugary or caffeinated drinks. Dress for the heat in lightweight and light-colored clothing. Eat small meals and eat more often. Monitor people with a higher vulnerability to heat, and check in on family, friends and neighbors. If engaging in outdoor activity, take longer and more frequent breaks.

SEAL BEACH ANIMAL SHELTER

Bring donations to Sept. 8 show

The Seal Beach Animal Care Center (SBACC) will have three tables to collect donations available at the Thursday, Sept. 8, Amphitheater show featuring a tribute to the Eagles.

Volunteers from both SBACC and Leisure World's Paws, Claws and Beaks club will be at the entrances from 6-8 p.m. to receive residents' contributions.

All those who contribute will be eligible to win \$25 gift cards to either Target, Home Goods or California Pizza Kitchen.

Volunteers will also accept cash, which will help cover vet bills and other expenses. People can also contribute the following items that are continually needed by the shelter:

• For dogs: toys, blankets, towels, large and small dog beds, DONATE, page 21

Optum

The Long Run Eagles Tribute

Spend some time with us and take it easy.

Date: September 8, 2022

Location: Leisure World Amphitheater



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Other meeting highlights:
Administration Building
Office Modifications

Upon the recommendation of the GRF Administration Committee, the board voted to spend up to \$52,314 to modify offices in the Administration Building, specifically at Stock Transfer and in second-floor offices. A glass door will be installed in the back room of Stock Transfer, and a glass wall and door will be installed between waiting area and office.

The changes are being made to improve safety there. LW Security has been frequently called to Stock Transfer to quell disturbances by angry residents and their families. Calls for help have increased to the extent that Security has recently established a continual presence there.

In the second-floor reception area, a wall and door will be built to provide more privacy for the office located behind the welcome desk.

In the area now occupied by the assistant to the executive director, a glass wall and door will be installed, also for privacy. The project also includes converting a storage area near Human Resources into an office by moving a wall, adding an exterior window, and installing a work station and cabinets. Work will be done by GRF Service Maintenance wherever possible.

Code of Conduct

Upon the recommendation

of the GRF Administration Committee, the board ratified 30-5093-1, Authorized Resident Rules of Conduct, which was published in the May 5 edition of the LW Weekly for resident review.

The latest version added theft of Trust property and egregious behavior of any kind to the list of prohibited behaviors.

The purpose of the code of conduct is to protect the GRF, GRF staff, GRF-contracted service providers and GRF residents. The rules outline core principles and standards of behavior that must be maintained to facilitate orderly and efficient operations in LW.

Reinstatement of Day-After-Thanksgiving Paid Holiday

Upon the recommendation of the GRF Administration Committee, the board voted unanimously to reinstate the day after Thanksgiving as a paid holiday, bringing the observed employee holidays from 11 days to 12, in addition to one floating holiday.

CH 1 Woodshop Rules

The board voted to adopt 70-1500-1, Woodshop Rules, as drafted by GRF Recreation staff and the Recreation Committee ahead of the anticipated opening of the newly expanded and renovated woodshop in Clubhouse 1.

The Clubhouse 2 woodshop has been closed in the wake of a \$306,600 upgrade to the Clubhouse 1 facility, which is renovated, with electrical and safety upgrades, cabinets, windows, doors and tools and equipment.

North Orange Continuing Education (NOCE), LW's senior university, is recruiting a certified woodworking instructor to spur interest in the hobby.

To prepare for the grand opening, the board approved the new woodshop rules policy pending a 28-day notification to the members (see page 5). The board will make a final decision on the policy at its meeting on Oct. 25, and public comments are welcome before that.

Recreational Vehicle Lot

Upon the recommendation of the Recreation Committee, the board adopted policy 70-1487-1B, Recreational Vehicle Lot (RVL)—Rules and Regulations. Residents were given notice of the changes in the May 5 edition of the LW Weekly. The policy can be found at *lwsb.com* and covers recreational vehicle definitions, leases, penalties, space and lot rules, and eligibility requirements.

Recreational Vehicle Fee Schedule

Upon the recommendation of the Recreation Committee, the board voted to amend policy 70-1487-2, Recreational Vehicle Lot (RVL)—Schedule of Fees and Monetary Fines. The proposed fee schedule was printed in the May 5 edition of the LW Weekly for resident review.

The schedule can be found at *lwsb.com* and lists fees and fines.

Scam Alert—Computer Pop Ups

Tech-support scams siphon billions of dollars from Americans' pockets every year, and LW computer expert Tina Schaffer reports receiving several distress calls last week from Leisure

World residents. Popup messages on their computer screens were telling them their computers had been hacked or infected with a virus, and directing them to call a toll-free number for assistance.

This is a scam, and their computers were not really at risk. Instead, con artists are trying to trick people into paying for computer support services



they don't need, empty bank accounts or even steal identities.

According to Schaffer, a LW resident came within seconds of wire transferring \$75,000 to scammers who were on the other end of the phone number that popped up on his computer screen.

Over the past year alone, Americans lost \$29.8 billion to phone and computer scams.

"We are hearing about scams more than ever, as many as three to four calls a day," Schaffer said. "We used to get that many calls in a month. I am not sure what has changed, but it's very alarming that people are increasingly conned into sending criminals money. Yet, it's not surprising, considering that these criminals are incredibly clever in the way that they manipulate people."

The misleading pop-up Internet advertisements are convincing as they alert unsuspecting computer users that something is seriously wrong with their computers, which must be immediately fixed. Scammers often pose as representatives of reputable, well-known computer or software companies.

Schaffer offers the following advice to help residents protect themselves from computer scams.

- Never call a phone number that pops up on a computer screen or in an email. If this is your first encounter with a scam, the most dangerous thing you can do is think you're too smart to fall for it.
 - The easiest thing you can do to protect yourself is **do not** call **SCAM**, **page 21**

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PERSPECTIVES

Letters to the Editor

Editor.

In light of the recent California state legislation concerning electric vehicles, I am curious as to the long-term plans for charging stations in Leisure World. When I asked my mutual board, I was told that there will be charging stations outside the south gate. Given the number of residents in Leisure World, this does not seem like a realistic solution.

I would like to see information reported concerning the long-term plans. Will our parking locations be equipped with charging stations that can be billed to our individual units or with a credit card? Are there—or will there be—grants available to help subsidize the cost of creating adequate charging facilities?

Many of us will not be around when this law takes full

effect, but I believe we have a responsibility for future residents to provide adequate charging facilities to support this new mode of "fueling" our vehicles.

Cheryl Kelly Mutual 6

Editor:

For over three years, the grounds of the neighborhood United States Post Office branch on Westminster Avenue have been in a constant state of neglect with untrimmed and overgrown bushes, an abundance of weeds over six feet high and litter that is allowed to accumulate.

After watching this ongoing neglect, I finally had my Popeye moment of "can't stand it no more." So, I sent a complaint to USPS, not expecting a reply.

Well, to my surprise, I received a quick response from the branch's Postmaster who agreed

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with my observation of neglect but then shared her frustration that they "can't get funding" to do this landscape maintenance.

Huh? I then waited a few weeks thinking they could maybe find a way to clean this mess out of basic pride.

Nada. This leaves me to wonder why the feds can spend taxpayer billions here and even trillions there but can't find some hope and loose change in a desk drawer to restore some pride and maintain their rather small property?

I recently upped the ante and contacted the City of Seal Beach and our Congresswoman Michelle Steel about this. So far, the city has been responsive but is limited in its options to hold a federal agency responsible as they would any other property owner.

Yes, we all agree there are way bigger fish to fry, but if the feds can't handle this tiny guppy of an issue, how can we set aside partisan bickering and expect D.C. to handle the big fish fry issues? I'm running low on trust.

Lee Howell Mutual 5

Editor:

I would like to address this letter to the writer of a letter (Aug. 18) who stated an abortion is not the death of a child. It is called a fetus in the womb, a baby after it is born until about one year, and a toddler until about three or four years. They are termed pre-schoolers, middle schoolers, junior high and high school students. All their tissues of their bodies are distinctly human during all of these years.

I have degrees in nursing administration and a bachelor's in human science. At one time, I was in charge of a neonatal nursery and the smallest baby we had at that time weighed one pound, eight ounces. She was discharged when she weighed five pounds.

Much more has now been learned about the unborn baby. We know the heart starts beating in the first months, and the baby's fingerprints are formed around 17 weeks.

Persons who say they are respecting a woman's rights are forgetting that many babies in pregnant women are little girls waiting to become women.

The new laws are more helpful if the pregnant woman knows she can't raise a baby. Papers can be signed in hospitals that allow for immediate adoption or the child can later be safely left at a fire or police station.

My huband and I have five children, two planned and three surprises.

We both worked full time through the child-rearing years and completed our educations, as well. We thank God for the five children and 14 grandchildren we call family.

. Marge Dodero Mutual 9 Editor:

I recently moved to Leisure World last year at the age of 55.

I have been loving the concerts, activities and the safety of living here.

I was wondering if there is a

55-65 year old meet-up group here. I believe that its existence would greatly appeal to many 55-plus in moving into this fabulous community.

> Dee Ulit Mutual 14

Perspectives Policy

Submissions in each of the following categories may be published at the discretion of the managing editor.

Letters to the Editor: The maximum number of words is 250. Letters should be typed and delivered to LW Weekly by email (preferred), regular mail or hand-delivered. Letters must be of general interest to the community and may contain opinions, suggestions, compliments and complaints without being scurrilous, libelous, defamatory, repetitive or otherwise inappropriate. The names of individual employees, titles and/or departments will not be permitted in letters that could adversely impact any GRF employee directly or indirectly.

Member Column: At a maximum 500 words, columns may present an argument or opinion or information about pending issues of concern to the community. Priority is given to first-time or less frequent writers. Some names will be left out to protect privacy.

Contributor: Restaurant reviews, theater reviews or travel journal submissions are welcome, subject to terms and conditions in the policy unless otherwise noted.

Setting It Straight

The candidates list for people vying for a seat on the Seal Beach City Council representing District 5 was incomplete in the Aug. 25 edition. Professor/statistician Jonathan Rich of Mutual 1 joins three other nominees in the race (*see page 2 for more information*). District 5 covers all of LW west of St. Andrews Drive, including Mutuals 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 and part of Mutual 1.



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GOVERNMENT

GRF POLICY CHANGE

Residents can review revised Woodshop rules

Per the action of the GRF Board on Aug. 23, in accordance with Civil Code §4360, Notice of Approval, the Board hereby provides general notice to all Shareholders/Members of the following proposed changes to GRF Governing Documents. All Shareholders wishing to comment on the proposed changes to the following may submit comments by either emailing them to $the\,attention\,of\,the\,GRF\,Bo\,ard\,to$ tiam@lwsb.com or mailing them to the Golden Rain Foundation, P.O. Box 2069, Seal Beach, CA 90740, Attn: Proposed Document Revisions. Please reference the name of the governing document on any correspondence submitted. All comments will be provided to the Board for review and consideration. The Board will take final action on the following proposed change on Tuesday, September 27 during the GRF Monthly Board of Directors meeting.

RECREATION 70-1500-1, Woodshop Rules PURPOSE:

The purpose of these rules is to create a safe environment for Woodshop users.

1. GENERAL REGULATIONS

The Recreation Department (RD) is responsible for the fair and equitable use of the Club House One Woodshop. The RD, in cooperation with Woodshop Supervisors, will ensure that all the rules are followed.

- 1.1. The Woodshop is for Golden Rain Foundation (GRF) Members and Authorized Residents (ARs) in good standing only.
- 1.2. The Woodshop will be open only when a trained supervisor, designated and approved by the RD is onsite.
- 1.3. A Lead Supervisor, designated by the RD is responsible for recommending other qualified, experienced woodworkers to the RD for appointment as alternate Supervisors. The Lead will also

Tuesday

Chicken Salad

w/Ranch

Dressing

Sliced Pear

Basa Filet

Zucchini &

Red Pepper

Cantaloupe & Blueberries

Monday

Spinach &

Mushroom

Omelet

Dill Potatoes

Mixed fruit

Chicken

Marsala

Asparagus

Raspberry Crumble

schedule other supervisors to cover the hours of operation.

2. HOURS OF OPERATION

The hours of operation will be determined by the RD in cooperation with the Woodshop Supervisors in accordance with their availability.

3. WOODSHOP RULES

- 3.1. The Recreation Department reserves the right to review and adjust the operating rules at any time to accommodate the needs of the community.
- 3.2. Woodshop users must be approved by Supervisor prior to using the equipment.
- 3.3. Safety is paramount for all Woodshop users:
- 3.3.1. Wear proper clothing (no loose jewelry, gloves, ties, or loose clothing that could get caught in moving parts).
- 3.3.2. Non-slip footwear must be worn. No open-toed.
 - 3.3.3. Secure long hair.
- 3.3.4. Do not operate machinery or tools if on medication that does not allow you to drive.
- 3.3.5. Keep hands in sight and clear of moving tools and parts.
- 3.3.6. Safety glasses must be worn when using all power tools.
- 3.3.7. Safety guards must be used on table saws, circular saws, grinders, and chop saws.
- 3.4. Only GRF Members and ARs with a GRF I.D. card may use the woodshop equipment and must sign in upon entering the shop.
- 3.5. The blade on the table saw should be no more than ¼" above the top of the wood to be cut.
- 3.6. The work benches are for everyone's use. There are no assigned spaces.
- 3.7. Never reach across the machine while it is running.
- 3.8. In crosscutting on saws, one end of the material should be free.
- 3.9. Never pick a cutoff from the table while the saw is turning.
- 3.10. Never attempt to slow down or stop the machine after switching it off by grabbing work or tool.
- 3.11. Use pusher sticks and hold-downs to avoid getting fingers and other body parts no

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Wednesday

LUNCH

Grilled Shrimp

Salad

w/Fresh Corn

& Avocado

Honeydew

DINNER

Salisbury

Steak

Green Beans

Banana Bread

less than 3" from any moving blade, cutter, or disk.

- 3.12. Always control the return of the saw when crosscutting.
- 3.13 Never force the work or rush the job.
- 3.14. Stand at one side of the cutting tool, not in line with it.
- 3.15. Never use carbidetipped blade or cutter to machine secondhand lumber without Supervisors' inspection.
- 3.16. Never stand or lean on the machines.
- 3.17. GRF Members and ARs may drop off items for repair and must check in with Supervisor and keep clear of all power tools.
- 3.18. Do not work with stock or materials that are too small or too large to manage safely; ask Supervisor for assistance.
- 3.19. Never leave a machine running unattended.
- 3.20. Re-purposed wood must be inspected for nails before it is cut, shaped, or planed.
- 3.21. Painted wood shall not be planted on the thickness planer and joiner.
- 3.22. Users are responsible for cleaning the area of their work.
- 3.23. When in doubt, ask the Supervisor!
- 3.24. Woodshop tools may not be removed from the woodshop.
- 3.25. The use of alcohol beverages is expressly prohibited.
- 3.26. Supervisors have the authority to refuse use of equipment if they observe it is used in an unsafe manner.
- 3.27. Any form of harassment, intimidation, and/or verbal abuse is prohibited and may result in GRF taking appropriate actions pursuant to the Code of Conduct, 30-5093-1 resulting in loss of privileges and/or monetary fines.
- 3.28. Signs with these rules will be prominently posted.

Friday

Turkey

Sandwich

Fruit Salad

Seafood

Cioppino

Pasta

Brownie

Thursday

Bacon &

Vegetable

Frittata

Mixed Berries

Shrimp &

Salmon Kebab

w/Grilled

Zucchini

Sliced Mango

GRF Meetings

Golden Rain Foundation committee and board meetings are open to Leisure World residents. The following is a tentative schedule.

GRF Board Executive Session
Conf. Rm A1 p.m.
IT Services Committee
Conf. Rm B/virtual1 p.m.
Physical Property Committee
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Mutual Meetings

Mutual residents are invited to attend the open meetings of their mutual boards. The following is a tentative schedule.

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Thurs., Sept. 15	Mutual 2
	Conf. Rm A/Zoom9 a.m.
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News Deadlines for the LW Weekly

The editorial deadline is 4 p.m. on Thursday for the following Thursday's edition. People may email articles or drop them into the letter slot at the front of the News Building, located on the east side of the Amphitheater. See page 4 of any edition for a list of section editors and their email addresses.

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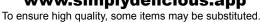
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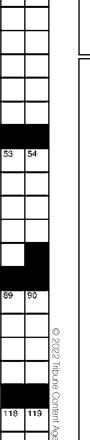
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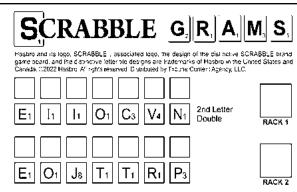
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9 To 5 By Harley Schwadron



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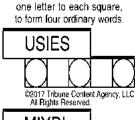
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Puzzles & Comics Answers on page 22

Solve the code to discover words related to dog ownership.

Each number corresponds to a letter.

Determine the code to reveal the answer!

(Hint: 15 = E)

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Clue: Companion animal

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Clue: Dog sound

C. 21 8 23 15

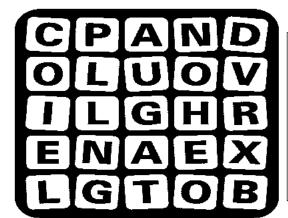
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Clue: One who has a pet



By David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek



INSTRUCTIONS: Find as many words as you can by linking letters up, down, side-to-side and diagonally, writing words on a blank sheet of paper. You may only use each letter box once within a single word. Play with a friend and compare word finds, crossing out common words.

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Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

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Upcoming at the Amphitheater

Summerlong Musical Festival

The 2022 Amphitheater music festival started June 30 with a 12-show lineup at the 2,500-seat Amphitheater located behind the LW News Office in the GRF Administration compex. Nonresident guests must be accompanied by a resident. Smoking is not permitted at the Amphitheater.

No parking is allowed in front of the Amphitheater on St. Andrews Drive along the southbound lanes. This is a tow-away zone on Thursdays during Amphitheater season.

Minibus transportation will be available before and after shows. Food trucks will provide options for pre-event dining. The free weekly concerts start at 7:30 p.m. (schedule is subject to change). The next two performances will be:

• Sept. 1: Gregory Wolfe as Rod Stewart

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• Sept. 8: The Long Run, Experience the Eagles

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Movie Nights

Open-air movie nights at the Amphitheater will be shown through Sept. 16, starting at 8:30 p.m., friends and family welcome. Minibus service will be available to take people home after the show.

• Sept. 2: Respect

Sponsors: Optum and SCAN

Following the rise of Aretha Franklin's career—from a child singing in her father's church choir to her international superstardom—it's the remarkable true story of the music icon's journey to find her voice.

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• Sept. 16: Cyrano

Sponsors: Optum and SCAN

Cyrano de Bergerac dazzles everyone with his ferocious wordplay and brilliant swordplay. However, he's convinced his appearance renders him unworthy of the affections of the luminous Roxanne, a devoted friend who's in love with someone else.

PG-13 | 2h 4min | drama-melodrama | 2021 |



Korean Night brought music, dance and cultural exchange to Leisure World



Leisure Worlders celebrated Korean Night on Aug. 20 at the Amphitheater. Ten teams and nearly 240 Korean American Association members participated in the showcase. Attendees enjoyed two hours of performances by the Korean American Chorale, the LW Orchestra, the Fun Exercise Club's Line Dance, the Korean Women Sing Along, a Korean traditional solo, auto harp, Korean Traditional classic dance, Korean drum, the LW Korean Community Church Chorale and a clarinet solo by Ra Minjoo.

Cribbage Club

Jack Hawn provided refreshments for 46 cribbage players Aug. 23. Margaret Smith assisted him in serving cake and ice cream to the group in celebration of a "Happy Cribbage Day." Other snacks included chips and mixture of nuts.

Winners for the day were: first place: Jesus Sosa with a score of 844; second: Franca Yeske with 825; third: Jorge Moy with 823; and fourth: Donna Morgan with 821.

Cribbage Club meetings are held on Tuesdays. Refreshments are served at noon each week. Members are encouraged to arrive by 12:15 p.m. to be guaranteed a place at the table. Partners are not needed. Those who want to learn how to play cribbage, to brush up on the game or to learn more about the club, call and leave a message with Terry Thrift at (714) 394-5885.

Scrabble Club

The Leisure World Scrabble Club met on the first four Wednesdays in August. The members combined for 53 scores of 300 or higher and 27 "bingos." (A bingo is the use of all seven tiles in one move.)

Larry Edgar led with 12 scores of 300 or above. His best was a 432. He had one bingo.

Diane Seeger topped 300 11 times. She had five bingos and a high score of 392.

Bob Ruderman exceeded 300 10 times. Three of those scores were above 400, including a high of 433. He had 13 bingos.

Suthy Edgar scored above 300 nine times.

She had two totals above 400, the higher score being a 416. She recorded seven bingos.

Club President Maria Giegerich had five totals above 300, including a 362, and recorded one bingo.

Wanda Bemben topped 300 three times, with a high score of 345. Sue Gass scored 300 or higher twice, with a best of 337. New member Kay Pushman recorded a 303.

The club meets on Wednesdays from 1-4 p.m. in Clubhouse 3, Room 5. On Sept. 7, lunch will be served starting at noon.

Local writer

will give talk at

library Sept. 9

The Leisure World Library

is rounding out its 2022 Author-Speak series with a presentation

by Michael McGrorty on Friday,

Sept. 9 at 11 a.m. at Veterans Plaza next to the library.

ian, a federal investigator and

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—Larry Edgar

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Joe Koteras

media platform Nextdoor. His book "The Swimmer and Others: Stories of the Second World War" features nine short stories involving characters as varied as the nations and battles of that conflict. Residents are invited to ar-

rive as early as 10:30 a.m. to enjoy refreshments. The presentation will begin promptly at 11 a.m.

WEEKEND NIGHT DANCES

Swing, jazz, classic rock, Motown and country rock coming to Leisure World in September

Velvetones Ballroom **Dance Orchestra**

The Velvetones Ballroom Dance Orchestra is Leisure World's own professional big band, playing big band swing and jazz standards-music for dreaming and dancing.

They will be back in action on Sunday, Sept. 4 from 6-9 p.m. in Clubhouse 4, and again on Sept. 18.

The Velvetones play regularly at Clubhouse 4 on the first and third Sunday evenings. Doors open at 5:30 p.m.

Vinyl Rock

Vinyl Rock will be back in Clubhouse 4 on Saturday, Sept. 10, at 7 p.m. They are an Orange County based band consisting of nine members who passionately perform classic rock, Motown, and pop tunes primarily from the '60s, '70s and '80s. The band keeps the audience engaged: members participate in sing-alongs and mingling with them on the dance floor. They'll have everyone smiling, singing, swinging and swaying to the songs they grew up listening to and easily recognize. Vinyl Rock is sponsored by Cabaret Entertainers. Doors open at 6:30 p.m.

Abilene

Abilene is Seal Beach Leisure World's No. 1 country rock band going strong for nearly 20



The Orange County based Vinyl Rock band (pictured) will perform in Clubhouse 4 on Saturday, Sept. 10, at 7 p.m.

years. Last year, they opened the Amphitheater season with a rockabilly show that drew nearly 2,000 fans and will play again this year by popular demand. Terry Otte leads Abilene and shares singing duties with Tina Schaffer. Rounding out the group are guitarist Rod Anderson, guitar synthesizer and pianist Jim Long, bassist Doug Decker and drummer Jim Greer. They will be rocking Clubhouse 2 at 7 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 24. Doors open at 6:30 p.m.

Health Guidelines and

- Masks are no longer required regardless of vaccination status but are strongly recom-
 - No table saving. Residents

may bring their own snacks.

- Attendees must be out of the clubhouse no later than 10 p.m. to permit adequate time for the custodian to tear down the setup and arrange the setup for the following day (except New Year's Eve).
- No announcements are permitted from the stage, except by the bands.
- Clubhouse lighting and audio-visual equipment can only be adjusted by the custodian according to the instructions they have been given.
- Be sure to sign in, either as a resident or guest, in the proper spot. This is the only way GRF can judge the popularity of your favorite bands.

-Kathy Thayer



Barbara Houck displays her magnificent quilt, which incorporates her favorite travel photos, at a Photo Arts Club meeting.

Photo Arts Club

The next meeting of the Photo Arts Club will be on Thursday, Sept. 8, at 1:30 p.m. in Clubhouse 3, Room 9. Members should bring their iPhone, Android and/or camera.

The assignment is to make two artistic photos of objects and their shadows. Show the entire objects so members can see the light that creates the shadows. Email the images to Ben Benjamins at benbenjamins@hotmail.com. The photos will be shown and discussed at the meeting.

Members are invited to bring any photos of their choice to be displayed and commented on at the meeting. Individuals with technical or other questions will be paired with someone who can help them for individual discussion after the meeting. For information about the club, call Regine Schumacher at (562) 430-7978. Everyone is welcome.

-Regine Schumacher



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New Gospel and Country Strings Club seeks musical members

The new Country Gospel Strings Club is looking for members. The first meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, Sept. 7, in Clubhouse 3, Room 3, from 1-3:30 p.m.

LW residents who enjoy singing gospel music but do not play a musical instrument or do play an instrument and enjoy group singing and strumming (guitar) are invited to the meeting. Both levels of participation are enthusiastically welcomed at the Sept. 7 meeting to know if regular club participation is of interest.

The club features group playing and singing of Christian music, including country gospel, traditional hymns and praise choruses. All levels of singing and playing ability are welcome. The club provides use of microphones and music stands. Membership is free. Club song books of chords and lyrics for each country gospel, traditional hymn, or praise is available at cost of publication.

For more information and to ensure a reserved seat, call or show up at the meeting to check out the club. To reserve a seat, call Irv Hart at (562) 296-5619.

-Irv Hart

Stamp and **Collectibles Club**

The Stamp & Collectibles Club will meet at 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 7, in Clubhouse 3, Room 9. People are invited to bring items from their collections to show and discuss. Club members collect stamps, postcards, historic newspapers, rare books, vintage toys, or any other items of interest. The members meet to discuss their collections and perhaps discover new information about something they own, such as it's possible value or history.

-Edward Hickman

DOO WOP CLUB



Let the Good Times Roll club members Irene Chapnick (I) and Josie Del Pino (r) in rehearsal for the next Doo Wop show on Saturday, Sept. 17, at 7 p.m.

Dancers & Mixers Dance Sept. 6

Everyone is welcome to attend the monthly Dancers & Mixers dance on Tuesday, Sept. 6, in Clubhouse 4, from 7-9 p.m. A variety of live dance music will be provided by Linda Herman, with some line dancing and a mixer. Partners or dancing skills are not required. Residents are invited to bring their favorite beverage and snacks and enjoy an evening with friends.

Dancers & Mixers club was established in the '80s with a purpose to hold fun evenings with friends and meet new people. The club meets on the first Tuesday of every month in Clubhouse 4 from 7-9 p.m. There is no admission charge. For more information, call Linda Herman at (562) 431-1257.



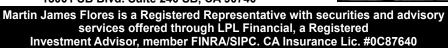
On Sept. 17 at 2 p.m. in Clubhouse 4, the Good News Singers will present their "Light the World" concert directed by Janet Ray (I) and accompanied on the piano by Jean McFarland (r).

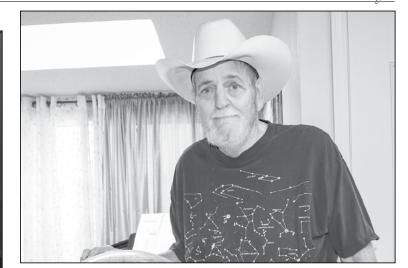


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Astronomy Club President John Rogers.

Astronomy Club president departing, position open

by Emma DiMaggio emmad@lwsb.com

All humankind lives on a pale blue dot floating in the near vacuum of space: Earth. If you zoomed into that dot, past the satellites and layers of atmospheric gases, then deeper still toward the first sight of land, you could steer toward the southern coast of California and land at Leisure World, a community with an Astronomy Club looking for a new president.

Astronomy Club President John Rogers has announced that he will retire from his position due to health reasons.

Rogers joined the Astronomy Club in 2014 shortly after his arrival to Leisure World. After former president Mike Clairmont experienced declining health in 2016, Rogers assumed the role of president. During his tenure, LW residents have delighted in his knowledge of black holes, constellations and Einstein's theory of relativity.

Rogers is also to thank for the club's functioning, computerized, 8-inch Celestron telescope. Around 2019, a 1979 8-inch Celestron telescope was donated to the club in a nonfunctional state. Noticing this, Rogers hauled the 24-pound telescope up to the Celestron manufacturing facility in Torrance for repairs. The facility didn't have the schematics for the old model, so Rogers was awarded for his initiative with a brand-new replacement telescope worth approximately

"It's just the right size and the right weight, and it's powerful enough to do a lot of stuff," Rogers said. "There aren't too many astronomy clubs that are proud owners of a Celestron C8 SLT telescope."

Rogers first became interested in astronomy—the study of celestial objects and

space—in the '50s. In college, he majored in physical science with an emphasis in physics and minored in astronomy. Rogers later worked as a volunteer machinist at Garvey Ranch Park Observatory in Monterey Park, the USS Iowa and the Mount Wilson Observatory in Los Angeles.

Rogers ended his career as a teacher with Los Angeles Unified, where he learned skills he continues to use in Astronomy Club—"I go for comprehension over memory," he said.

Despite stepping down as president, Rogers plans to stay busy. He's the First Vice Commander of the LW American Legion Post 327, vice president of the Radio Club and the assistant radio operator for the Radio Amateur Civil Emergency Service (RACES).

The club is open to "anyone who's interested in astronomy,' Rogers said. The group discusses a wide range of topics that are simple to understand, using DVDs and CDs to enhance members' learning experience. The field has made "astronomical" advancements over the past few decades, he said, giving members lots to talk about.

Although club membership slowed down during the COVID-19 pandemic, the club is ramping back up. Residents can check out the club on the first Wednesday of each month in Clubhouse 3, Room 3, from 6:30-8:30 p.m. If viewing conditions are favorable, residents will get to see the club's 8-inch telescope in action. Members and guests may bring their own binoculars and telescopes if they desire.

On Sept. 7, the group will discuss naming a new president. For further information, questions about the club, or to learn more about the position, contact John Rogers at (562) 431-7240.



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Taylor White, president of the Leisure World Theater Club, dresses as Patty Wilcox, class vice president in the club's newest production.

Theater club will perform comedy based on high school experiences

The Leisure World Theater Club's newest show "The 50th Class Reunion of Duck Pond High School" will be presented on Labor Day, Monday, Sept. 5, at 7 p.m. in Clubhouse 2. This rollicking comedy will bring back memories of some of the teenagers who made high school so memorable. Doors open at 6 p.m. This is a BYOB event. The event is free and donations are welcome.

New Korean Saxophone Club seeks members

The Korean Saxophone Club is looking for members. LW residents who want to learn or play saxophone are welcome to join. The club features group learning and playing of Korean folk songs, old American pop songs and Gospel songs. All levels of playing skills are welcome, especially beginners. Membership is free.

The club's weekly meeting dates will be established based on availability of 10 or more residents. Meeting time will be 9:30 a.m.-noon, subject to availability and the Clubhouse room number will be assigned following approval by the GRF Recreation Department. Each interested resident will then receive an announcement of the club's meeting day, time and location.

For more information and meeting day availability, call Steve Chung at (714) 287-2294.

—Steve Chung



Jojo Weingart

LW residents dance to "golden moon and silvery sea" in "Tiny Bubbles," a popular island song about celebrating long-lasting love.

Hui O Hula visit Fountain Valley

Hui O Hula dancers and band were delighted to be invited back to entertain at Carmel Village retirement community in Fountain Valley last weekend. The residents there are always cheerful and welcoming. A few dancers, at a resident's daughter's request, serenaded her bedridden mother with "Hawaiian Wedding Song" and "Tiny Bubbles" in a private room. The music and dance brought tears and happy memories for her mother who was married in Hawaii.

It is a treat to have live music at any hula performances, therefore big kudos to Larry Yamashiro and his band members for taking the time. Mahalo/thanks also to popular Hawaiian musicians Geri Kuhia and Carole White for their invitation to perform at Huntington Beach's Merrill Gardens memory care unit last week. Here in LW, hula lessons are offered twice weekly to all. Call (562) 431-2242 or email *jojo@huiohula.com* for class information.

Karaoke Club

Tino Tupas started the Wednesday karaoke party with a smooth rendition of "Because I Love You." Ren Villaneauva sang a passionate "Story of My Life." First-time singer Irene Chapnick gave us the familiar pop hit "April Love." Anna Le sang a strong "I Will Survive." Susan Kelleghan and Kenny Notorleva were a hit with "All Ask of You." Ginger Freed wearing a shiny belt and hat sang "Rhinestone Cowboy." A delightful "There's a Kind of Hush" was done by Julie Nulad. Sally Glausser charmed with "I Enjoy Being a Girl." Rockin' the room with fun and lively tunes were Wayne Urban, Vito Villamor, Nina DeRosa, Rob Illingsworth, Bob Barnum, Karen Morris, Eric Voge, Vinny Correnti, Erika Greenwood and Arleen Cullison.

It was a busy evening with 35 folks entertaining. Subway sandwiches and ice cream bars were enjoyed as well. People can join the group each Wednesday in Clubhouse 1 at 5:30 p.m. The quality and enthusiasm of the singers often exceeds expectations. A dozen folks practice their tunes on Monday upstairs in Clubhouse 6 from 1-3 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

-Margie Thompson

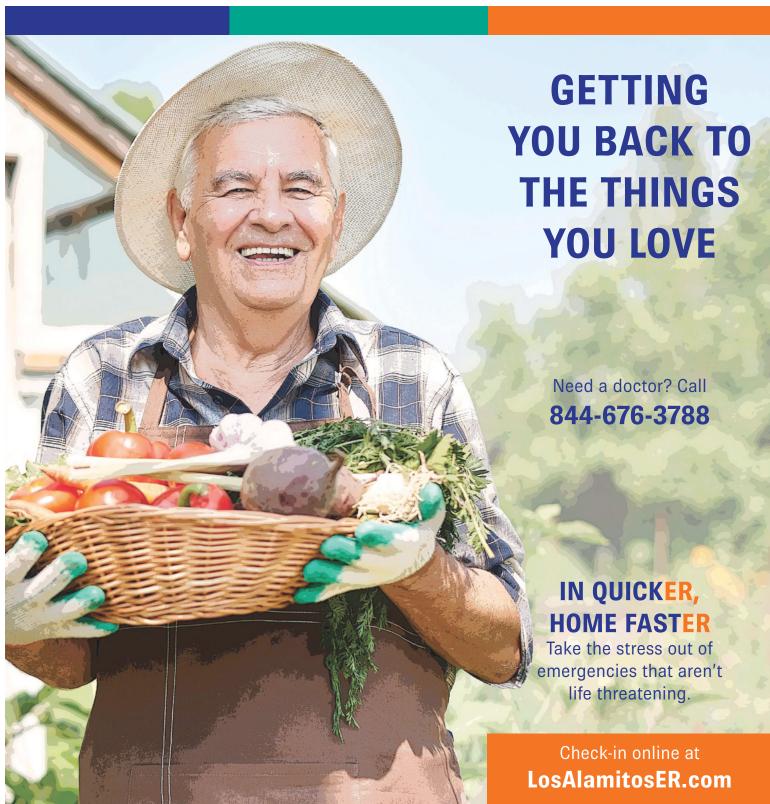
Yahtzee Club

On Aug. 19, the winner for most yahtzees was Joanne Lester. The winner for the highest score was Mary Milhone, and Karen Riner for the lowest score. The door prize winner was Doris Dack.

The next meeting is on Sept. 2 in Clubhouse 3, Room 6, at 1 p.m. There will be a halftime social. The club meets on the first, third and fifth Fridays of the month.

For more information, contact Diane Seeger at (562) 533-5997.

—Diane Seeger





HEALTH & FITNESS

Learn how to line dance Thursdays in Clubhouse 6

Joyful Line Dance Club meets every Thursday in Clubhouse 6, upstairs, from 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., with the purpose to improve LWers physical, mental and social well-being, and share the appreciation for this community. This club also provides an opportunity for those who enjoy music and dancing under the guided demonstration.

Joyful Line Dance

has multiple leaders who take turns teaching, a concept that works well to avoid the burden of responsibilities for one person. Everyone is welcome to attend new instructor, Noly Anglo's dance class, as well as learn the beautiful movements of Albert Comia, Gladys Comia, Jojo Weingart, Noly Anglo, Connie Peck, Caryn Lynn Stel, Kelly Johnson, Anna Derby, Chung Cha Lewis, George Pinada and Sunny Kim.

For the safety and health concerns, classes are limited to 35, fisrt come, first served. Face masks and exercise shoes are recommended for safety issues. No sandals or flip flops. Anyone



LW residents learning the movements of a Joyful Line Dance.

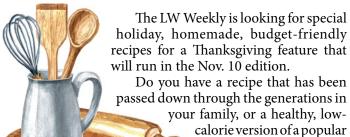
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-Anna Derbv

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STOP Arm extended straight down, palm facing back.



SPEED UP Arm extended straight out, palm facing up, swing upward.



SLOW DOWN Arm extended straight out, palm facing down, swing down to your side.



FOLLOW ME Arm extended straight up from shoulder, palm forward.



YOU LEAD/ **COME** Arm extended upward 45 degree, palm forward pointing with index finger, swing in arc from back to front.



HAZARD IN ROADWAY On the left, point with left hand; on the right, point with right foot.



SINGLE FILE Arm and index finger extended straight up.



DOUBLE FILE Arm with index and middle finger extended straight up.



COMFORT STOP Forearm extended, fist clenched with short up and down motion.



REFRESH-MENT STOP Fingers closed, thumb to mouth.



TURN SIGNAL ON Open and close hand with fingers and thumb extended.



PULL OFF Arm positioned as for right turn, iorearm swung toward shoulder.



POLICE AHEAD Tap on top of helmet with open palm down.



FUEL Arm out to side pointing to tank with finger extended.

All bike lovers are welcome to join the LW Bicycle Club on Sundays (with a breakfast stop), Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9 a.m. at the North Gate. People can join the A or B group. The majority of group A are e-bike riders and may go a little faster. Group B riders, led by Lucy Cyza, meet at 8:45 a.m. and move at a more comfortable pace. Helmets and safe footwear are required. For information about group B, call Lucy Cyza at (818) 209-5075. For more information, call Mary Romero at (562) 810-4266.



Jojo Weingart

Instructor Mel Lockett (center) welcomes everyone to belly-up-to-the-barre class on Saturday, upstairs in Clubhouse 6, at 1:30 p.m. This hour-long class promises relaxation and toning through the traditional ballet movement, regardless of skill level. People should wear comfortable clothes and soft shoes such as ballet slippers, socks or booties. After ballet at 2:45 p.m., people are welcome to challenge their flexibility at the aerobics class with the elements of strength training and stretching. Gym shoes are encouraged. Bring your own mat for an optional floorwork at the end of the hour. For more information, call (562) 252-9676.

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Thursday, Sept.1:

Hawaiian chicken with pineapple, brown and wild rice, brussels sprouts, cheesecake; roast beef and cheese sandwich with lettuce, tomato and pickle, and creamy coleslaw.

Friday, Sept. 2:

Polish sausage with sauteed onions and bell peppers, baked beans, seasoned broccoli, watermelon, Chinese chicken salad with mandarin oranges, cabbage, carrots, onion, Asian dressing, and crackers.

Monday, Sept. 5:

Closed for Labor Day. No deliveries.

Tuesday, Sept. 6:

Oven baked chicken leg and thigh, mashed sweet potatoes, cauliflower, vanilla and chocolate swirl pudding, chicken salad sandwich with spinach and tomato, and homemade macaroni salad.

Wednesday, Sept. 7:

Stuffed bell peppers, garlic and chives mashed potatoes, green beans with pimentos, fresh pear; ham, turkey and cheese sandwich with lettuce, tomato and pickle, plus homemade potato salad.

LW Al-Anon

The LW Al-Anon club meets on Mondays at 9:30 a.m. It's next meeting is on Sept. 5, in Clubhouse 3, Room 8. For more information, call (562) 598-6121.



Mary Dominick (I-r), Ellen Larson and Ruth Depuy.

Wa-Rite Club

The LW Wa-Rite Club recorded a 15-pound weight loss for the week of Aug. 19.

Ruth Depuy was the biggest loser with a recorded weight loss of 4 pounds. She achieved her loss through Betr Health recommended by her health insurance and starts her day with fruit, protein and vegetables for lunch and dinner plus a fruit for snack. Two other members, Ellen Larson, bachelor's degree, and Mary Dominick, masters' degree, also reached their goals. Kathleen Hessley (not pictured) reached her short-term goal. The group held a round table discussion on "Do what you've got to do, so you can do what you want to do."

The weekly weigh-in is from 8-8:45 a.m., and the meeting begins at 9. Everyone must present a GRF ID at the door to join the meeting.



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RELIGION

LW Baptist

LW Baptist's Sunday worship service will celebrate God's declaration that "light shall shine out of darkness" at 10 a.m. in Clubhouse 4.

Corinth, the city Jesus chose to plant his church as a light in spiritual darkness, though commercially prosperous, was notorious for its sinful populace. After listing many such sins, the Bible reminds Corinth's new believers, "and such were some of you. But you were washed, you were sanctified; you were justified in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ and by the spirit of our God." The



Pastor Rolland Coburn

Corinthian church became a lighthouse, a beacon of pure light amid the world's darkness.

On Monday, Sept. 5, at 10 a.m. the men's Bible study group will explain why the Lord trimmed Gideon's army to 300 before granting victory. After choir practice on Wednesday, Sept. 7, at 3 p.m., the Energizers Group will study Psalm 28.

For more information on the church, call (562) 430-8598.

Buddha Circle

Buddha Circle will meet on Saturday, Sept. 3, with Ven. Kusala in Clubhouse 3, Room 1, from 9:30-11 a.m.

Ven. Kusala is well known in the Buddhist community and presents Buddhism in a simple way. He teaches people how to suffer less and become happier.

Donations are welcome and will support Kusala in his teachings. For more information, go to www.urbandharma.org or call (714) 468-6887.

Faith Christian Assembly

Isaiah 43:7 says that humans were created for God's glory and 1 Corinthians 10:31 confirms this, saying "Therefore, whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do all to the glory of God."

Believers seem to understand the importance of living for the glory of God better when they are sitting in church on Sunday. They may have the best intentions while listening to the sermon, but unfortunately those intentions can quickly fade from view by the time they reach the church's parking lot.

God has made it clear in the scriptures that he wants believers to glorify him in everything, including things that seem insignificant, such as eating or drinking.

Psalm 34:2-5 says, "I will glory in the Lord; let the afflicted hear and rejoice. Glorify the Lord with me; let us exalt his name together. I sought the Lord, and he answered me; he delivered me from all my fears. Those who look to him are radiant; their faces are never covered with shame."

Believers should ask them-

selves if they desire his glory more than anything else.

Join Faith Christian Assembly at one of its Sunday services at 10:30 a.m. or 5:30 p.m., with pre-service prayer in the Garden Room at 5 p.m. each week. The Bible study is held every Wednesday at 11 a.m. in the Garden Room.

To receive a free newsletter or for more information on the church, contact the church during office hours by calling (562) 598-9010, emailing *contact@fcachurch* or visiting www. FCAchurch.net.

First Christian Church

First Christian Church of Leisure World teaches from God's word, the Holy Bible, most often verse by verse. It is a friendly church that welcomes all visitors.

People are welcome to worship and explore God's word together "that we may be mutually encouraged by each other's faith, both yours and mine" (Romans 1:12).

Message From the Pastor

Genesis 1:6 reads, "Then God said, "Let there be a expanse in the midst of the waters, and

let it divide the waters from the waters." In Genesis 1:1 God created the earth, and the earth was formless and void of life but covered with water. Now in verse 6, God calls for an expanse to be in the midst of the waters, and in verses 7-8, the expanse is explained, "thus, God made the expanse and divided the waters which were under the expanse from the waters which were above the expanse; and it was so. God called the expanse Heaven. So, the evening and morning were the second day."

All of the creation described in Scriptures can be difficult for humans with finite minds to comprehend what is taking place happened in one day. But for God, an eternal creator with infinite power, knowledge, and presence, it's just another day at the office. This week Pastor Bruce Humes will discuss the importance and vastness of these marvelous wonders God created.

Weekend Services

Sunday services from 9:30-10:45 a.m. are traditional, with hymnal music led by Pat Kogak at the piano.

This week, the First Christian choir director will sing a special worship song.

Saturday services are more contemporary with Gregory Black leading in worship with guitar accompaniment. The Saturday service is held from 9:30-10:45 a.m.

Midweek Studies

Pastor Gary Whitlach leads the Bible study held on Tuesdays from 9:30-10:30 a.m.

Thursday's Bible study, led by Elder Jack Frost, is held from 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Friday's prayer and Bible study is from 6-7 p.m.

Scripture of the Week

"For my thoughts are not your thoughts, nor are your ways my ways; declares the Lord. For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher and my thoughts than your thoughts" (Isaiah 55:8-9).

Announcement

There will be a new women's Bible study group beginning Sept. 12. It will be held on Mondays at 10:30 a.m. in the First Christian Church sanctuary. Melli Herrera will lead the study of King David and the Psalms.

Women interested in the study should bring a Bible and come prepared to be refreshed in God's word and fellowship with like-minded believers.

All women are welcome to attend.

Contact

First Christian Church is located on Northwood Road behind Carport 125.

Those who want more information or have a need can call (562) 431-8810. The call will be returned at the earliest opportunity.

Assembly of God

Service/Gathering Times: Sunday morning at 10:30 in Clubhouse 3, Room 2; Wednesday morning Bible study at 10 in Clubhouse 3, Room 2; the Hymn Sing is held on the fourth Sunday night of the month at 6 p.m. in the Clubhouse 3 Lobby.

Sermon for this week: There are very few things those in the Leisure World generation grew up with that have remained unchanged. Technology changes at blazing speed. Music, fashion, personal interaction, values and beliefs continue to evolve in response to social pressure, leaving many questioning if anything is absolute.

Pastor Chuck Franco will begin a new series titled "What is Truth?" on Sunday, Sept. 4. The first installment of the series is titled "His Word," from 2 Timothy 3:15-17. The message will explore the unchanging, firm foundation on which Christians base their faith.

Bible Study: "Pastor Chuck will lead session the next of the series, "Whisper," by Mark Batterson.

Sometimes the best way to get someone's attention is to whisper. When there are many voices screaming for attention, it might seem as if God's voice is drowned out. However, those listening for his voice will hear him.



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Community Church

Change is hard, especially when it is sudden. This week Community Church will look at a passage from the prophet Jeremiah, who describes God as an artist at the potter's wheel who is forming the clay on the wheel as it spins.

The beauty of the clay at this stage is that it can be smoothed and shaped into something new through the gentle touch of the artist's hands. The prophet describes God's people as needing to be shaped into something new.

Community Church is often called "the friendly church" and welcomes people of all backgrounds. Due to COVID safety concerns, people who want to attend the in-person worship service must provide proof of vaccination, but masking is optional. The church also offers online services for those who do not want to risk exposure.

Those who are in need without another way to address it can call the church office line at (562) 431-2503.

Congregation Sholom

Congregation Sholom will hold services via Zoom with Rabbi Eric Dangott on Friday, Sept. 2, at 6:30 p.m. Rabbi Mike Mymon will hold hybrid services on Saturday, Sept. 3, in Clubhouse 3, Room 9, and via Zoom at 10 a.m. To receive a Zoom invitation call or text Jeff Sacks at (714) 642-0122.

This Saturday's Torah portion is Shoftim from the book of Deuteronomy. Shoftim (Judges) discusses guidelines of leadership, opening with a command to appoint judges and continuing to detail laws of kings, priests and prophets. It also describes laws relating to cities of refuge for accidental killers, false witnesses, warfare and the rite performed in a case of unsolved murder.

Those who want to join Congregation Sholom should call Howard Brass at (714) 396-0121 for a membership packet.

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

Meetings for the Atherton Ward are held at 6500 E. Atherton St., Long Beach. Sacrament service is held every Sunday at 9 a.m. This is followed in the second hour by Sunday School on the first and third Sundays; Relief Society and Elders Quorum meetings are on the second and fourth Sundays. Primary classes for children are held every Sunday during the second hour.

Members who are unable to attend Sacrament services in person can request a link from Bishop Mike Gravley at (562) 212-8681.

Beit HaLev

The High Holy Days will begin one month from now. Beit HaLev is preparing for live, in-person services for the first time since before COVID-19.

All services will be held for Rosh Hashanah, Yom Kippur, Sukkot and Shemini Atzeret/ Simchat Torah in Clubhouse 3, Room 4.

- Erev Rosh HaShanah: Sunday, Sept. 25, at 5 p.m.
- •The First Day of Rosh Hashanah: Monday, Sept. 26, at 10 a.m.
- •Kol Nidre: Tuesday, Oct. 4, at 5 p.m.
- •Yom Kippur: Wednesday, Oct. 5, at 10 a.m.
- Erev Sukkot: Sunday, Oct. 9, at 5 p.m.
- •First Day of Sukkot: Monday, Oct. 10, at 10 a.m.
- •Erev Shemini Atzeret/ Simchat Torah: Sunday, Oct. 16, at 5 p.m.
- Shemini Atzeret/Simchat Torah: Monday, Oct. 17, 10 a.m.

Regular weekly, in-person Friday evening Shabbat services will return following the High Holy Day season; services will be held every Friday, beginning Nov. 4 at 5 p.m. in Clubhouse 3, Room 4.

The Second Days of Rosh Hashanah and Sukkot and the Neila (Closing) service for Yom Kippur will be live-streamed on Zoom, Facebook and YouTube only. Beit HaLev continues to Livestream all services on www. Facebook.com/galityomtov, YouTube.com (Beit HaLev LIVE!

Channel) and Zoom.

The Torah reading for this Shabbat on Sept. 3, is "Shof'tim" (Magistrates) from Deuteronomy 19:14-21:9.

In this reading, Moses delineates the judicial system for the new generation of Israelites, which included safeguarding the judicial system, specifying boundary markers, explaining the rules for war (which included offering peace first) and explaining the laws for murder and the cities of refuge.

All Beit HaLev services use special prayerbooks, "Lev L'Lev," which include excerpts from the Reform Siddur, "Mishkan HaT'filah."

Printed versions of the prayerbooks will be available for sale at in-person services.

Beit HaLev and Rabbi Galit-

Shirah are part of the Union of Jewish Universalist Clergy and Communities. It is progressive in thought and traditional in liturgy. Everyone who seeks a path to the Divine is welcome, and Beit Halev doesn't believe in labels.

To request a membership form, call Rabbi Galit-Shirah at (562) 715-0888 or *email duets@icloud.com*.

Contributions to Beit HaLev are welcome and can be sent to Beit HaLev, P.O. Box 2279, Seal Beach, CA 90740.

Rabbi Galit-Shirah has been "chief cook and bottle washer" for Beit HaLev for the past few years and will need some assistance preparing for services. Those who can help or want a special honor during services, let the rabbi know beforehand.

ASSEMBLY

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This study trains the spiritual ear to hear God speaking. A short teaching video clip is followed by a focused discussion and student participation.

Many students have described this series as life-changing. All residents are welcome to attend the study.

Contact: More information can be found at *www.lwassem-blyofgod.com*.

Those who would like prayer, personal contact from a pastor or a DVD of the Sunday morning sermon can contact pastors Chuck and Sheryl Franco by calling (562) 357-4360 or emailing pastorchuck@lwassemblyofgod.com.

Carolyn van Aalst is also available to receive prayer requests at (562) 343-8424.

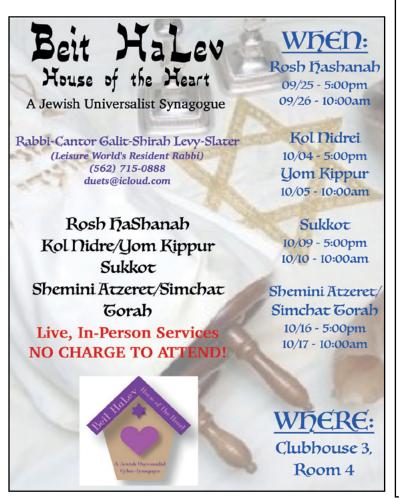
Pastor Chuck Franco's sermons can be accessed on the Faithlife app under "Leisure World Assembly of God," where people can also give online.

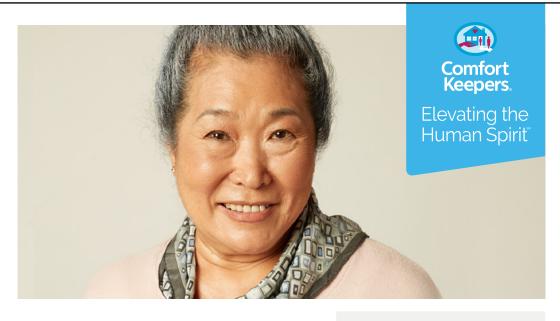
Redeemer Lutheran

In honor of Labor Day, the theme for Redeemer Lutheran's service on Sunday, Sept. 4, at 10:30 a.m. is titled "Laboring in Love...in Retirement." The themes of this week's hymns and Scripture reading will include lifting the cross on high and walking daily with the Lord.

Redeemer Lutheran Church, located at the heart of Leisure World's intersection of St. Andrews Drive and Golden Rain Road, looks forward to sharing the peace of Christ as it gathers to celebrate God's gift of faith during Communion inside the sanctuary. Following the service, there will be an outdoor ice cream social to celebrate summer birthdays and the unofficial end of summer.

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COMMUNITY

LW Birthdays



On Aug. 20, Mutual 12 resident of 34 years Lyndell Phillips (front) celebrated her 100th birthday with her son Roland, grandson Justin and great-grandson Channing. The centenarian was elated to see Justin and Channing, who flew in from Cincinnati for the occasion and to enjoy Channing's 13th birthday on Aug. 19. Friends Debbie, Heather and Cathy Schuster, who used to work with Lyndell at the LW Health Care Center, were there to wish her many happy returns. The Hui O Hula club entertained neighbors and friends with music and dance and there was a cake that read "The First Century Is The Hardest." Lyndell is always bright and cheery, and everyone is looking forward to more of her birthdays and to hopefully be like her one day.



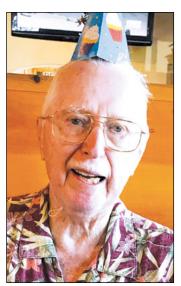
Welcome Alt from Mutual 15 (front, center) turned 99 on Aug. 22. Her triplet daughters Barbara Lovingier (I-r), Beverly Rodriguez, Becky Greenfield and other daughter Del Johnson celebrated with her at the Shenandoah Cafe.

Celebrating a Birthday, Anniversary or Retirement?

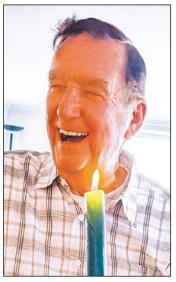
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The deadline is the Thursday before the desired publication date.



Keith Kelsay celebrated his 88th birthday at Islands restaurant. He enjoyed an ice cream treat and is looking foward to his cruise in February.



Jojo Weingari

Long Beach native Mike Dunn and his wife, Katy, moved into Mutual 17 four years ago. He is fun-loving and kind, and often seen biking around or dancing and flirting at the Abileen parties. When Katy passed away in 2021, Mike started baking a cake, a pie, or sometimes both daily for his LW friends and neighbors. Mike is about to take up part-time work as a bus driver. He is thrilled and looks forward to serving those who ride his bus. Mike recently celebrated his birthday with a specialty cake given to him, not baked by himself.

Katie Porter to receive Social Security Champion Award in CH 4

U.S. Rep. Katie Porter will receive the Social Security Champion Award from Jon "Bowzer" Bauman, president of Social Security Works PAC on Friday, Sept. 2, at 9:30 a.m. in Clubhouse 4. All residents are welcome to attend this event.

Most residents will remember Bauman as "Bowzer" from the Sha Na Na band of the 1970s and '80s.

During the event, Bauman will update residents as to what they can do to help preserve and expand their Social Security benefits. He will also explain why Porter is the best choice for the award and have some



Rep. Katie Porter

fun entertaining people by singing and playing the piano during the event.

"Katie Porter is well known as a leading champion for expanding Social Security's earned benefits," Bauman said. "My organization is indebted to her for her efforts in Congress, and we anticipate continuing to work with her long into the future."

The event is co-sponsored by Social Security Works and the Leisure World Democratic Club.



The Paws, Claws and Beaks Club will host a guest speaker who will give a presentation on dog training.

Paws, Claws and Beaks

The Paws, Claws and Beaks Club will meet on Thursday, Sept. 8, at noon in the Clubhouse 1 picnic area. The meeting will include a potluck. Club members are asked to bring a dish for eight people. The guest speaker at the meeting will give a presentation about dog training.

All LW pet owners are welcome to attend. Those with specific dog behavioral concerns who want the guest speaker to address them can email Bonnie Kaplan at *craft.kaplan029@gmail.com* or text or call (714) 930-5314.

The club will also help sponsor the Seal Beach Animal Shelter on the same night at the Ampitheater concert.

ROLLIN' THUNDER CLUB

Air & Water Day will be held Sept. 3

The Rollin' Thunder Golf Cart Club will hold its quarterly Air & Water Day on Saturday, Sept. 3. The popular maintenance event will be held in the Clubhouse 4 parking lot from 8:30-10 a.m.

Entrance to the cart line-up will be on the exit/alley roadway that connects Northwood Road and North Gate Road on the east side of Clubhouse 3. Look for the signs and follow the traffic cones. Club volunteers and Security staff will be on hand to assist.

Club volunteers will check tire pressure and battery water levels. Ignoring these two maintenance items can lead to serious accidents and stall-outs in traffic, as well as premature tire and battery wear.

There is never a charge for this valuable service, and all LW cart owners are urged to participate. Club membership is not required.

For more information, call club President Tom Davis at (562) 431-6859.

American Legion Post 327

On Monday, Sept. 5, the American Legion Post will hold its annual picnic beginning at noon in the Clubhouse 1 picnic area. The Post will provide the barbecue and drinks. All club members and veterans interested in joining are welcome. Auxiliary members are also invited and are requested to bring a salad, side or dessert. People are asked to RSVP to Lee or Sandy Esslinger at (562) 430-2891.

Schmooze Club

After a long hiatus due to COVID, the Schmooze Club will resume meetings on Tuesday, Sept. 13 in Clubhouse 3, Room 9.

The meeting will begin with sign-ins, refreshments and schmoozing (socializing) from 10-10:30 a.m. Rabbi Shmuel Marcus of the Chabad of Los Alamitios/Cypress will blow the shofar and present a program titled "A New Year! Four Lessons From The Shofar" from 10:30-11:30 am.

Rabbi Marcus is a dynamic, energizing, engaging speaker

and longtime friend of the Schmooze Club.

Rabbi Marcus will inspire and lift spirits as the community prepares for the Jewish High Holy Days.

The Schmooze Club encourages everyone, especially new residents, to get acquainted with this friendly, welcoming group. People are welcome to bring friends to the meeting.

Throughout the year the Schmooze Club will present a variety of interesting, and entertaining programs of Jewish and general interest at the monthly meetings. There are "no dues to schmooze," however donations are gratefully accepted at the meetings.

High Holiday refreshments will be served in a safe manner. People who are planning on attending the meeting are asked to wear a mask for everyone's safety.

Those who plan to bring guests from outside LW to the meeting or who want to volunteer for shopping and refreshment set-up should contact Darlene Rose at (562)-347-8088.

HUMANIST SOCIETY

Stephanie Campbell will speak at the Sept. 4 meeting

The Leisure World Humanist Association will meet on Sunday, Sept. 4, at 10:30 a.m. in Clubhouse 3, Room 1.

All residents are welcome to attend.

Stephanie Campbell will speak on the recent changes to the "End of Life Option Act," commonly called the "Death with Dignity Law," that went into effect on June 9, 2016. This law allows all adult California residents to request a drug from their physicians that will end their lives.

In October 2021, Gov. Gavin Newsom signed SB380, which made significant changes to California's End of Life Option



Stephanie Campbell

Campbell is a founding member of the Orange County chapter of Americans for Separation of Church and State. She is currently president of the chapter and a former member of the National Board of Trustees, where she chaired the governance committee.

Additionally, Campbell is a volunteer for the League of Women Voters, where she chairs the Speakers Bureau and is responsible for presentations on ballot propositions. She is also the County Action coordinator for Compassion and Choices speaking for both organizations.

Prior to her work with Americans United, she was active with the ACLU on religious rights, reproductive rights and LGBTQ+ rights and is a former board member of Planned Parenthood. Campbell is also a tutor for adults through the READ Orange County program as well as the Friends of Costa Mesa Libraries.

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Amy Walker (I-r) Maria Rodriguez, and Carmen Edwards

American Latino Club

The American Latino Club will celebrate Mexican Independence Day with Mariachi music, featuring Amy Walker's dancing, and Mexican food on Sept. 23 in Clubhouse 4. The doors will open

Tickets are \$20 per person. People should RSVP to club Treasurer Carmen Edwards at (562) 431-425 before Friday, Sept. 9.

The menu for the evening will be a combination plate with rice, beans and corn tortillas with a choice of carne asada or al pastor (pork meat), carnitas (chile verde salsa with pork meat), Cabeza (pork meat), and/or chicken for the main dish. There will be pineapple empanadas for dessert and coffee, hibiscus drink and lemonade served for drinks.

- Amy Walker

SENIOR PEACE CLUB

Join the postcard party today at 2 p.m.

The Senior Peace Club will meet on today, Sept. 1, at 2 p.m. in Clubhouse 3, Room 9.

Because of the importance of the upcoming November elections, the club has decided to participate in a nationwide "Get-Out-The-Vote" postcard writing campaign.

Postcards and stamps will be provided along with sample messages to write on the cards. The goal is to complete 500 cards and get them in the mail before November.

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Tammie Ottend

SUNSHINE CLUB

Learn about **Pathways**

Pathways Program Manager Tammie Ottenad will speak at the Sunshine Club's meeting on Friday, Sept. 2, in Clubhouse 3, Room, 2. at 10 a.m.

Pathways has been serving the Leisure World community for over 20 years. It helps seniors put together an individualized care plan that may include in-home support, nutritional needs, medicine management, home safety and emotional support. Pathways also provides grief support groups on-site at the Health Care Center.

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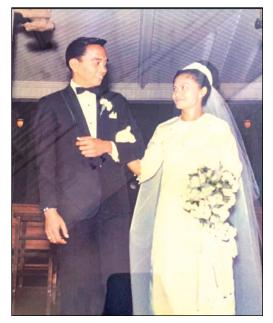
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(Left) Myrrha and Ren Villanueva at a recent event. (Right) Ren and Myrrha at their wedding in Toronto in 1968.

LW ANNIVERSARY

Ren and Myrrha celebrate 54 years together

My wife, Myrrha Villanueva, and I will celebrate our 54th wedding anniversary on Saturday, Sept. 3. Our romance started when we first crossed paths in 1958 in my cousin's house in Manila. Myrrha was a nursing student at the University of Santo Tomas while I was studying mechanical engineering at Feati University. We started dating as friends as we were still students.

After Myrrha graduated from college, she worked herself to a gainful employment and, in 1963, she was granted an exchange student visa by the United States to continue her studies for two years. She would have to return to the Philippines after her visa

ended. She instead applied for an immigrant visa in Canada, which was granted to her. She worked with Toronto General Hospital. While I continued my studies to finish my engineering career, which took longer as I was a working student. All the while we were exchanging letters and phone calls every week.

In 1967, I was recruited by Boeing Aircraft in Everett, Washington, as a contract employee. Myrrha returned to the Philippines unannounced in February 1968 to assess the situation of our relationship. After some serious considerations and being so much in love, I chose to migrate to Canada with her instead of becoming a contract employee in the U.S.

We got married at St. Basil's

Church in Toronto on Sept. 3, 1968. We are blessed with two daughters and a granddaughter. We had extensive travels around the world.

In 2018, Myrrha and I celebrated our 50th wedding anniversary in Bora-Bora, Tahiti. We renewed our wedding vows officiated by a Tahitian priestess. I retired from Los Angeles Unified School District in 2000 and Myrrha retired from LAC-USC Medical Center in 2001. We moved to Leisure World in 2007 and are enjoying every minute of it. We keep ourselves busy by joining clubs and volunteering our time to this incredible community.

-Ren Villanueva

Republican Club

by Brian Harmon

LW contributor

The LW Republican Club information and hospitality booth will offer ice cream to all comers as long as supplies last, to celebrate of Labor Day on Monday, Sept. 5.

The booth will be open every Monday and Wednesday from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. in the parking lot outside Clubhouse 6.

The club meets on the third Wednesday of each month in Clubhouse 3, Room 2 at 7 p.m.

Membership is free and anyone who wants to join the club can do so by emailing lwrepublicans@yahoo.com.

Diane Dixon, the LW Republican Club's endorsed candidate for California State Assembly, is the scheduled speaker for the club's next meeting on Wednesday, Sept. 21, in Clubhouse, 3, Room 2, at 7 p.m.

Dixon served in the private sector as a business executive before being elected to the Newport Beach City Council in 2014. She is serving her second term as mayor, and has served as the chair of the water quality and tidelands committee and the chair of the finance committee.

Fiscal responsibility and government transparency have

been the hallmarks of Dixon's time at city hall. She helped the city deliver budget surpluses, pay down pension liabilities, improve public safety. She also helped complete infrastructure projects on time and within budget and greater cooperation between residents, businesses, and government to resolve community problems.

Dixon has held more than 30 town hall meetings, worked closely with local business owners and residents to solve community problems, and initiated numerous neighborhood and community improvement programs. She added citizen members to the city's finance committee and other council committees and launched independent audits of city projects.

Dixon is a current member of the regional council of the Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG) and a board member of Orange County Council of Governments (OCCOG).

Dixon has been an active member on several philanthropic community-based boards of directors for nearly four decades, including United Way Orange County, YMCA, public television, USC Board of Councilors and Alumni Association, educa-tional institu-



tions, child service agencies and health-related organizations.

The LW Republican Club's book of the month is "Love Your Enemies," by Arthur C. Brooks.

Brooks is the head of the American Enterprise Institute, the largest conservative think tank in America. His book demonstrates that people can change the current political "culture of contempt," not just by toning down rhetoric, but also by changing attitudes about those who disagree.

The book is available free in digital audio version from www. overdrive.com or on the Libby app via cell phone or Kindle devices.

SUNSHINE CLUB

Tickets for Griffith trip are sold out

The Sunshine Club's day trip to the Griffith Observatory in Los Angeles on Sept. 23 is sold out. Spots on the waiting list are no longer available.

The bus will leave at 1 p.m. and will be back by 10 p.m. The location of the meet up will be announced via email.

For more information about the trip, text Anna Derby at (562) 301-5339.

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independently and comfortably. The problem is that when something in a senior's living situation begins to change, many don't know where to turn for help. Ottenad will go over different options that seniors have to make the best choice for their personal needs. She brings over 25 years of program management skills to Pathways.

After walking with her parents and friends through chronic illness and hospice care, she decided to change fields and assist the frail-elderly and their families to receive the services necessary to navigate this difficult, but rewarding, stage of life. She has been with Pathways for the past seven years.

The Sunshine Club will host five speakers this month including Ottenad on Sept. 2. Local historian Larry Strawlther will speaker on Sept. 9, board-certified laparoscopic surgeron and robot-assisted surgery specialist Dr. Eugene Khan on Sept. 16, Tina Schaffer from Computer Image Plus on Sept. 23, and professional organizer Alice West on Sept. 30.

For more information, contact Anna Derby at (562) 301-5339.

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Everyone is invited to help with the task at hand. Membership in the club is not required to participate. Wearing masks is strongly encouraged.

For more information, call Pat Kruger at (562) 357-4040.

Richard "Rick" Allen Riley 1936-2022

Richard "Rick" Allen Riley was born on Feb. 10, 1936 and passed away on Aug. 15. His memorial Catholic



Mass will be held on Saturday, Sept. 10, at 5 p.m. at Holy Family Catholic Church in Leisure World.

Charles Alfred "Chuck" Zeman 1929-2022

Charles Alfred "Chuck" Zeman, a Leisure World resident, passed away on June 13. Born in Detroit, Michi-



gan, on July 30, 1929, Chuck was the oldest child of Albert Zeman and Margaret Moon. He graduated from Laguna Beach High School and earned his associate's degree from Orange Coast College. He was a corporal in the Korean War, where he received a bronze star. Chuck was also member of Sigma Nu Fraternity and graduated from University of Colorado, Boulder, with a bachelor's of science in Business. In 1959, Chuck married Margaret Lambert and had three children. After his divorce, Chuck married Gayle Stanley; they had one son.

Chuck was a draftsman and manager in the early years of the aerospace industry, then

worked for the County of Orange for 30 years. After retirement, Chuck relocated to Garden Valley where he used his skills as a carpenter to build houses. After the death of his second wife, Chuck settled in Leisure World, where he met Susan Ferarro. Chuck and Susan enjoyed traveling together. Chuck was active in the choral and theater groups and Leisure World Baptist Church.

Chuck is survived by his children, Kimberly Zeman (Michael Stark), Bruce Zeman, Tiffany Gaeta, and Michael Zeman (Ruth), six grandchildren, his brother Albert Lee Zeman (Donna), various nieces and nephews, and three stepsons Norman Fox (Jenny), Douglas Fox (Michelle), Robert (Fox) Zeman and their families. In addition to his second wife, Chuck is predeceased by his parents and sister, Margaret Slevin (George.) Chuck and his enthusiasm for life will be missed.

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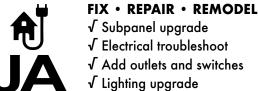
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- •Northwood Road: grind and overlay with curb work. Phase 4 work is as follows:
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- Del Monte Drive
- Shawnee Lane
- North Fairfield Lane
- Prestwick Road
- Homewood Road
- Sunningdale Road
- Tam O' Shanter Road
- Twin Hills Drive

Each phase takes about 4-6 weeks to complete. Drivers and pedestrians should use caution in construction zones.

The GRF Board awarded a \$2.6 million contract to MJ Jurado for resurfacing, slurry and other work on a total of 18 LW streets.

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The 1.8-Acre Site, where residents can dispose of large refuse items such as couches, has new hours. It's open from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. on weekdays and Saturday. The site is now closed on Sundays.

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announced, the meetings are held in the City Council Chambers, 211 Eighth St., and typically begin at 5 p.m. with a study session or closed session meeting.

The televised portion of the meeting starts at 7 p.m. and can be viewed on cable television on SBTV-Channel 3 or on the City's website, www.sealbeachca.gov, through the Agenda, Notices & Meeting Videos option through the Government menu option.

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Men's Golf League Aug. 19 and 22 results

Friday Golf

Fourteen golfers and one guest (Henry Mesa) from the Leisure World Men's Golf League played Aug. 19 at the 4,000-yard par 62 David L. Baker Executive Golf Course in Fountain Valley. The weather was initially overcast and humid. Greens and fairways were very wet and choosing the right club for the approach shots was very important. For the first nine holes, putting was difficult due to slow greens. By midmorning the temperature got warmer and the sun came out, making it a better last half of the round.

The course is being maintained decently with several newly spruced up tees plus well-manicured fairways and greens. As has been the recent norm, the men's tees were way back and the ladies' tees way forward. With the initial difficult playing conditions it was not expected that the course would permit 11 of the 14 rounds to be at or under par and yielded only three birdies.

A Flight (Handicaps 0-19): First place: Larry Hillhouse, a very nice 4

under 58; second: Tim Looney, a hardearned 3 under 59; third: tie between Gary Stivers (with a birdie) and Gene Vesely (plus fewest putts), a nice 1 under 61; fourth: Dave LaCascia; and fifth: Glenn Barry, who was closest to the pins on both the par 3 third and twelfth holes.

B Flight (Handicaps 20 and over): First place: Fujio Norihiro, a spectacular 11 under 51, plus a birdie, tie for fewest putts, and a greenie on the 140-yard par 3 seventh hole; second: Bob Munn, a remarkable 8 under 54; third: Liz Meripol, a very respectable 7 under 55; fourth: tie between Lowell Goltra and William Hillhouse (plus tie for fewest putts and a birdie), a sweet 6 under 56; fifth: Digna Vesely, a well-played 4 under 58; and sixth: tie between Ron Jackson and Mike Looney, a very good 4 under 58.

Monday Golf

Nine golfers from the Leisure World Men's Golf League played Aug. 22 at the 6,000-yard par 71 Willowick Golf Course in Santa Ana. Willowick is a long, fairly flat course with no water hazards. It relies on its length (2 par 5's are over 520 yards) and large, undulating, sloping greens as the significant challenge. This week the fairways were again in poor condition. Due to the high grass, plus numerous grass clumps and gopher mounds, valuable yards were shaved off on drives and approach shots, making the course seem even longer. Sadly, many of the greens seemed to have been seriously marred either for maintenance reasons or possibly maliciously.

The weather was overcast for the entire round with wet greens and such high humidity that the distance of shots was affected dramatically. Considering the very unsatisfactory playing conditions, it was not surprising that the course only permitted four of the nine rounds to be at or under par and yielded just three birdies.

A Flight (Handicaps 0-19): First place: Gary Stivers, very nice 7 under 64; second: Chris Lankford, a well-played 3 under 68, plus two birdies; third: Gene Vesely, a sweet 1 under 70; fourth: Dave LaCascia, a hard-earned even par 71, plus fewest putts and closest to the pin

on the 140-yard par 3 fourth hole; and fifth: Larry Hillhouse, 1 over 72, plus

B Flight (Handicaps 20 and over): First place: Tom Ross, a terrific 5 under 66; second: Digna Vesely, a super 4 under 67; third: Bob Munn, at even par 71, plus tie for fewest putts; and fourth: Mike Looney, plus tie for fewest putts.

The Monday and Friday Golf Leagues play at four local courses, all within 15-20 minutes of Leisure World. The courses the group plays are always quite full, so advance League reservations are becoming the norm with a sign-up sheet available at each round.

There is a prize pool for each round that players are not obligated to enter. Rewards are given for low net in each flight, birdies, closest to the pin on two par threes, and for the lowest number of putts in each flight.

Holes-in-one and eagles (2 under par), although infrequent, are generously rewarded. If interested, contact, Gary Stivers (714) 313-3697 or Dave LaCascia (801) 674-5975.

—Dave LaCascia

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Sudoku 1 Answers

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Jumble Answers

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Puzzle Answers

Puzzle pages 6-7





Sudoku 2 Answers

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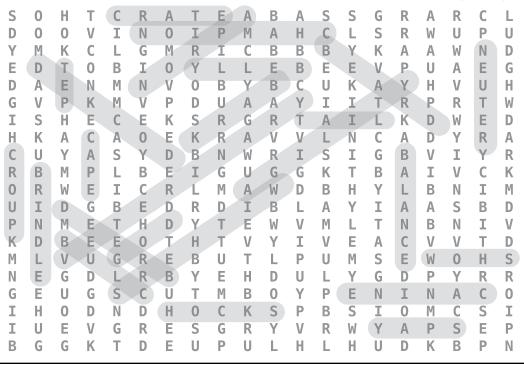
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Boggle BrainBusters Answers

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Duplicate Bridge Club

East/West winners in a seven-table game on Aug. 18 were Dave Carman and Emma Trepinski with a 60.32% game, followed close behind were Jeanette Estill and Bill Brooks with a 60.32% game. Sibyl Smith and Al Appel were North/South winners with a 59.23% game.

The lure of extra ACBL points followed by a barbecue picnic resulted in an 11-table game on Aug. 19. Overall winners of the unit-rated game were Bill Brooks and April Berg with a 61.11% game; second: Larry Topper and Lynn Danielson with a 59.26% game; third:

Judy Jones and Al Appel with a 58.56% game; fourth: LaVonne McQuilkin and Carol Murakoshi with a 53.70% game; tied for fifth: Joan Tschirki and Nancy Lichter and Alan Olschwang and Kay Tseng with 53.24% games.

Overall winners in a fourtable Howell game on Aug. 20 were Russ Gray and Linda Nye with a 60.71% game; second: Sibyl Smith and Al Appel with a 59.52% game.

North/South winners in the nine-table game on Aug. 22 were Linda and Dick Stein with a 63.19% game; second:

Larry Topper and Frances Gross with a 61.34% game. East/West winners were Judy Jones and Al Appel with a 61.11% game; second: Beth Matheny and Fred Reker with a 60.88% game.

Games are played on Monday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday afternoons in Clubhouse 1 beginning at 12:30 p.m. Arrive by noon to confirm reservations.

Reservations can be made at any game using the sign-up sheets and/or by call or email to Dan Frank at (562) 739-6441 dan frank cpa@gmail.com no later than 10 a.m. on game day.

— Gene Yaffee



Gene Vesely (I-r), Dennis Bedford and Mike Pitts.

Bocce Ball: Report from the Court

It takes a lot of work to set up the Bocce Ball court for tournament play. The three gentlemen pictured above just finished leveling and watering the court. When play begins, it's a good bet that one of them will also referee one or more games during the afternoon.

Veteran players Sal LaScala (I) and Jack O'Brien (3rd from left enjoyed mentoring prospective new member Virginia Olejnik (2nd from left) and new member Maria Swift (r).

Shuffleboard leagues start in September

Sign-up sheets for the Fall Friday Morning League and the new October Evening League have been posted. Any LW resident can join the Shuffleboard Club—annual dues are \$5—and include eligiblity to join a league team.

League teams of six or seven players will play only two games each session. The evening league will play for four consecutive weeks beginning Oct.4, while the morning league will begin play on Sept. 30 and end the fall program, after nine matches, just before Christmas.

Games are held at the Courts Building (behind Clubhouse 1 on Burning Tree Lane) on Mondays and Wednesdays from 9-11 a.m. Text or call Kay Mount at (775) 527-0426 for more information.

Pinochle Club

Pinochle is played in Clubhouse I every Monday, Thursday and Saturday. The warm up game starts at 11:30 a.m. The regular game begins at 12:30 p.m. The club provides cards, score cards, pens, tablets and other equipment. It costs \$2 per person to play, and the top four scorers of each day win cash prizes.

On Aug. 18, winners were: Marilyn Allred, first place, 13,360; Julia Troise, second, 12,210; Ruth Bonnema, third, 11,320; and Maureen Hable, fourth, 10,000. On Aug. 22, winners were: Marge Dodero, first place, 12,860; Don Walton, second place, 11,500; Pat Blume, third place, 10,780; and Don Kramer, fourth place, 10,120.

For information on lessons, call Marilyn Allred at (562) 296-5248 or Marjorie Dodero at (562) 430-5828. Anyone interested in playing pinochle should call Marge Dodero at (310) 968-9509.

-Marge Dodero

Monday Night Bunco

The winners from the Aug. 22 meeting of Leisure World's Monday Bunco Club are Michie Kimura with the most buncos; Dolorie Thurner with the most wins; Sandy Wein Senstein with the most babies; Joyce Ingram with the most losses; and Audrey Hulchins, door prize winner.

The club meets on the second and fourth Mondays of every month in Clubhouse 3, Room 1, starting at 6 p.m. sharp. All LW residents and guests are welcome. There is a halftime social for all attending.

For more information, contact Gail Levitt at (562) 596-1346.

-Gail Levitt

Women's Golf Club

Four golfers chipped the golf ball from the fairway directly into the hole with one golfer, Kim Delias, scoring two chip-ins.

The flight winners were:

Flight A - Low Gross: A tie between Zoe Pickell and Sandy Derouin, 28; Low Net: A tie between Lisa Kim and Judy KIm, 24; Chip-in: Jane Song, Hole 6.

Flight B - Low Gross; Jessica Choi, 29; Low Net: Susie Kim, 24; Chip-ins: None.

Flight C - Low Gross: Theresa Lim, 30; Low Net: Hailee Yang, 22; Chip-ins: Sun Lee, Hole 1. Theresa Lim, Hole 3.

Flight D - Low Gross: Kim Delias, 34; Low Net: Sandra deDubovay, 19; Chip-ins: Kim Delias, Holes 8 and 9.

— Dale Quinn 🗅

Men's Golf Club Tournament

The second Leisure World Men's Golf Club Tournament of August was played on Aug. 24. It was a warm and very humid morning that dramatically affected both putting and tee box club selection. No shot seemed to go far enough, and the first group of players were constantly trying to figure out the right club for the distance or how hard to putt. Interestingly enough, the top scorer in each group played in the late groups, but overall best scores in the three groups were split 50/50 with no apparent advantage to the late starters.

Two groups of three flights of variously skilled golfers vied for best net scores (gross score minus handicap), plus two circle holes (shots within a 5-foot radius are rewarded) and two closest to the pin challenges. The Turtle Lake Golf Course is a 1658-yard 18-hole par 54 course that has challenges for all who play.

A total of 63 golfers teed off and played 18 holes. The greens are still not in great shape with considerable encroachment of weeds. The tee boxes are more like sand traps than green grass due to the lack of the correct divot fix material and proper maintenance. Fairways, however, continue to be well maintained.

Without good playing conditions, only 25 of the golfers were net at or under par, with 13 circle holes but an astonishing 68 birdies. Closest to the pin on the sixth hole was Andrew Kim, and on the 15th hole was Glen Barry. The lowest gross score was Mike Mayfield at 1 under 53. Low net was Bill Smith at 7 under 45.

Golfers are responsible for their tee box divots and ball marks on the greens. Players should repair theirs plus one more.

All scores are net (gross minus handicap): **Aflight (Handicaps of 0-6):** First place: Gene Archambault, a well-played 4 under 50; second: tie between Ron Steele and Mike Mayfield, a

sweet 3 under 51; third: three-way tie between tournament director Alan Sewell, Kyoo Choi, and Jong Lee, a hard earned 1 under 53; fourth: three-way tie between Dong Kim, Andrew Kim, and Trai Nguyen, at even par 54; fifth: tie between Dave LaCascia and Stan Johnson, at 1 over 55; sixth: tie between Glen Barry and Young Lee, at 2 over 56.

B flight (Handicaps of 7-10): First place: Bob Johnston, a terrific 6 under 48; second: tie between Fujio Norihiro and Walt Bier, an excellent 4 under 50; third: tie between Bill Zurn and Don Newhall, a marvelous 2 under 52; fourth: Paul Alloway, a nice 1 under 53; fifth: tie between Won Song and Bill Long, at even par 54; sixth: Bruce Bowles, at 2 over 56.

C flight (Handicaps of 1-18: First place: Bill Smith, a tournament best 9 under 46; second: new member John Rodosky, an outstanding 6 under 48; third: tie between Paul Shellenberger and Brian Tivnan, a very good 2 under 52; fourth: tie between Joon Sup Yoon and Dennis Jensen, at even par 54; fifth: Manny Miranda, at 1 over 55; sixth: tie between Peter Bae and Won G. Park, at 2 over 56.

The next Men's Tournament will be on Sept. 14 and then every second and fourth Wednesday of the following months. If you had planned to play in any tournament and cannot, contact Alan Sewell (541) 324-8558 or Dave LaCascia (801) 674-5975 as soon as possible. Arrive 10-15 minutes prior to the scheduled tee time and be ready to play.

Note: The Men's Club general meeting is scheduled for 9 a.m. on Thursday, Sept. 8, at the Clubhouse 1 picnic area. Nominations for next season's officers will be taken at this meeting. Refreshments will be served, plus there will be door prizes.

-Dave LaCascia

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Bright 2 BDR, 1 ½ BA, corner, granite counter tops in kitchen/ bathroom, dishwasher and large skylight, tiled enclosed patio w/ storage closet. Washer & dryer, Central A/C and Heat.



Now Listing, Drive-up Corner Enclosed patio, great candidate for remodel.



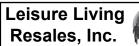
Coming Soon, Basic 1 BDR, Greenbelt view, Skylights, Laminate Flooring, Dishwasher, Furniture for sale as well.

Mutual 1 - 25E \$235,000

Basic 1 BDR/ 1Bath, Very private location, A/C heat pump, laminate flooring, New double pane windows lots of storage. Move-in ready Mutual 11-274H \$240,000



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Mutual 5 – 115i Homewood Sold \$15K over asking price!

Mutual 5 – 103L Medinac Sold Corner Unit \$412,000

Mutual 11 – 273b Northwood Sold \$465,000 Remodeled



Mutual 15 - 43e Del Monte RARE on Mkt. Atruim 2B/1Ba, side greenbelt, Laminate Flrs., Skylights, dual vanities, A/C + Nice Corner Atrium \$429,900



Mutual 7 – 158b Kenwood \$445,000 (\$10K over price)

Mutual 2 – 37i Merion Way Over Asking Price @ \$240,000

Mutual 7 – 163k Kenwood Sold Full Price @ \$225,000

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M7150L\$339,000



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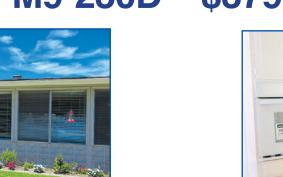
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Mutual 2-6L

Mutual 7-165E



Lovely fully enclosed 2 bedroom 1 bathroom floor plan. Leaded glass entry door opens into a spacious flexible living space that features expansive windows that overlook a beautiful greenbelt. The living room area has a walk-in storage closet, entry closed and heat pump with air conditioning. The kitchen has white cabinets, built-in stove, new oven, refrigerator skylights and an extra built-in cupboard over the sink. Master bedroom is fully expanded with two wardrobe closets. The bathroom has a washer/dryer, cut down shower and large skylight that opens. Second bedroom has wardrobe closet and large skylight. This charming home has new vinyl flooring, new paint throughout and is ready to move in.

M8-189E \$449,000





Elegant fully expanded beauty on a beautiful greenbelt. This fully expanded 2 bedroom 1-1/2 bath has a spacious Living room with a bay window, skylight, extra ceiling lighting and laminate flooring and a formal Dining room with tile flooring. Kitchen has extra large skylight with track lighting, built in appliances including stove, oven, refrigerator, dish washer, microwave, tile counters, added breakfast bar with extra storage and a pantry. Master bedroom has a bay window, walk-in closet and ceiling fan. Bathroom has tile flooring, washer/dryer, cultured marble counter top, added cabinet storage and cut down shower. Second bedroom has half bathroom mirrored wardrobe closet door and ceiling fan. This unit also features central heat and air conditioning. Leaded glass doors, and a brick entry porch. Enjoy the greenbelt view and ocean breezes.

M2-49B

\$318,000

Two Bedroom, 1 bath room adorable beach cottage with private wrap around patio. Living room is carpeted and has a combination heat pump and air conditioning unit. Kitchen has a built-in Leisure World appliances including stove, oven, refrigerator and solar tube. Both bedrooms are carpeted with wardrobe closets. Bath room has vinyl flooring with a solar tube. Patio has a small storage cabinet. Leisure World is a resort like senior community and features over 200 clubs, organizations and activities' including swimming, exercise and dance groups. Pool, Jacuzzi, 9 hole 3 par golf course, shuffle board, pickle ball, amphitheater weekly dances, karaoke, a variety if card clubs, bocce ball, library, health care center and so much more. Enjoy the quaint community of Seal Beach and the wonderful ocean breeze.



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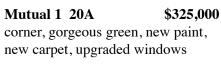
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Mutual 5 124I \$327,000 down town location, enclosed side patio, new paint, washer/dyer, drive-

Mutual 15 23P \$369,000 upstairs unit, 2 baths, enclosed patio, sun room, park in front

\$379,000 Mutual 9 230D expanded, washer/dryer, large windows, large greenbelt, heat pump



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Two-Bedrooms

\$397.500 **Mutual 10 250C** fully expanded, washer/dryer, central air, skylight, nice

Mutual 6 66E \$425,000 1 1/2 baths, washer/dryer, 3 skylights, upgraded windows

\$429,000 Mutual 8 189E full expansion, 1 1/2 baths, washer/dryer, tile counters, large skylight



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Mutual 9 228L \$445,000 btfl. location, south facing, fully expanded, ready to move in

Mutual 2 18F \$610,000 expanded, 1 3/4 baths, washer/dryer, remod. kitchen, cent. air

One-Bedroom

Mutual 1 54E \$180.000 remodel potential, large open patio, good buy



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Mutual 5-124-I \$327,000



NEW LISTING... Looking for cute 2 bed basic with some perks! Here it is!!! Drive-up with New Paint, Laminate and Carpet floors, Heat-pump to keep you cool in the summer and warm in the winter, ceiling fans, enclosed side patio lending for extra indoor space with out the cost, a WASHER/DRYER, and a lovely patio to enjoy your surroundings!

Mutual 1-20-A \$325,000



NEW LISTING ... Sitting on a HUGE BEAUTIFUL GREEN is this cute 2 Bed 1 Bath CORNER! New Paint and Carpet, raised exterior walls and windows in the living room, and a patio to enjoy this GORGEOUS Setting! Call to See!

Mutual 15-8-E \$475,000



NEW LISTING... Lovely upgraded Corner Atrium! Two Bed, 2 bath, remodeled kitchen that opens to the spacious living room, tile floors, enclosed sun room off the master bedroom that will give you extra interior space to enjoy. Drive-up parking, close laundry and a nice green.

Mutual 7-162-G \$469,500



Spacious expanded drive-up corner, plenty of guest parking, a pretty green with beautiful trees to enjoy. Two Bedrooms, One Bath, new paint and carpet, central heat/air, washer/dryer, dishwasher, new microwave, smooth ceilings, Corian kitchen counter-top, and a cut-down shower! Be sure to take a look at this unit ... it is lovely!



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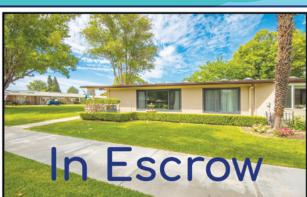
For 2022, We have a total of 72 Leisure World pending and closed sales. Buyers are anxiously awaiting the perfect floor plan for their needs! It may be yours!



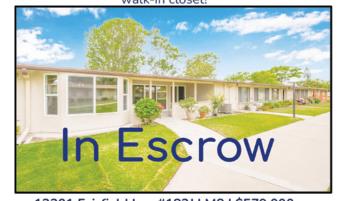
1340 Kenwood Rd. #156D | M7 | \$372,500 2Bed/1Bath interior location with full expansion, laminate floors throughout, skylights, updated bathroom with bathtub, walk-in closet. AC heat pump in living room!



13260 Fairfield Ln #171J | M7 | \$579,000 One of the best green belts around! This 2bed/2bath home has been completely remodeled inside and out! Central AC, washer/dryer, skylights throughout and walk-in closet!



13241 Southport Ln #185L | M8 | \$619,000 Spectacular corner 2 bedroom, 2 bath unit. Incredible greenbelt location w/patio, central HVAC, walk-in closet, washer/dryer. Completely remodeled kitchen and bathrooms.



13301 Fairfield Ln. #183J | M8 | \$579,000 2Bed/2Bath beautiful greenbelt location with bay window! Check out this remodeled patio home with skylights throughout, laminate flooring, gorgeous new kitchen and baths, washer/dryer, and central AC!



1881 St. John Rd. #37K | M15 | \$379,000 2 Bed 2 Bath unit overlooking a gorgeous greenbelt with all newer dual pane window enclosure. Luxury laminate flooring throughout, quartz counters in the kitchen and bathrooms. Vaulted ceilings and lots of closet space!

On August 29th, 2022 a total of 42 units show as active listings on the **CRMLS**

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21 - 2 bedrooms/1 bath units from \$284,000 to \$565,000

14 - 2 bedrooms/2 baths units from \$369,000 to \$610,000

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13461 S Fairfield Ln. #60L | M6 | \$599,000 Corner 2bed/2bath with the best of both worlds! Drive-up and greenbelt location with 2 large patios. Remodeled top to bottom with washer/dryer, central HVAC, expanded skylights throughout!

08/29/2022- Year To Date MLS Activity For Sale In Escrow Closed Sale 80 60 20 Feb Mar Apr May Jun July Aug Sept Oct Nov Dec Jan

My Mom recently purchased a home in Leisure World, Seal Beach. She started the process with one realty company but quickly switched to Nicholas Monteer with Gasper Monteer Realty Group. She and I had many interactions with Nick over the course of several months. He provided excellent customer service, was always very responsive and knowledgeable, both in general real estate processes and Leisure World rules and requirements. We would recommend Nick and his company to anyone looking to purchase in Leisure World or the surrounding area.

-Julie Coons

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