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MANAGER'S REPORT

By Eric Zarr, General Manager

SLIPPERY SIDEWALKS I know it doesn't seem true, but the illustrious ground hog Punxsutawney Phil has predicted six more weeks of winter. In

light of that please be careful while walking in the community in the morning with potentially slippery sidewalks. Also, be sure to be dressed brightly and carry a light of some kind so that drivers can see you.

DOGS OFF LEASH There is no off leash area yet, so as a reminder please keep all dogs on leashes while walking in the community.

SLOW DOWN Please slow down while driving through the community. The speed limit on Four Seasons Circle is 30 mph. The speed limit on residential streets is 25 mph. There are five crosswalks recently installed so be on the look-out for pedestrians in the road.

BALLROOM Thank you everyone for your patience with the Ballroom closure. We are all looking forward to a fabulous, safe, renovated Ballroom in the very near future. I do not have a set date for when everything will be completed, but I appreciate everyone's flexibility and understanding through this project. Stay tuned to the Daily Report for more up to date information.

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Four Seasons at Beaumont Conservancy

In the beginning there was an 18-hole golf course and the 1989 Hovchild Specific Plan of a 570 acres site was for only a portion of the 2,454 dwellings to be age restricted.

Environmental studies (EIR) brought changes and required the builder to amend their specific plan to conform to the 1989 California Environmental Quality Act. The golf course was eliminated, parks/open space increased from 4.7 percent to 26.6 percent (the Conservancy) and all dwellings were age restricted.

The Potrero Creek and a tributary (Drainage S) were identified as headwaters of the Santa Ana River. They traverse through the development, south alongside Highland Springs Avenue and then west toward San Jacinto enroute to the main river. The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, which has oversight over waterways, California Department of Fish and Wildlife and Santa Ana Regional Water Control Board established the Beaumont Habitat Conservation Easements (CEs) for these environmentally sensitive areas. The CEs require certain maintenance, management and monitoring activities and limited human activity within the easements to protect habitats and water quality.

Project development created permanent impacts to vegetation and wildlife long the watercourses. Riparian shoulders of the watercourses and eight water quality drainage basins were identified, and a buffer zone demarcated to minimize the impacts. The conservation requirements mandated protection of the streambeds with erosion control features and non-water quality drains in the basins (called tin whistles). Trails were also approved for use by residents of the development.

Approval required compensatory mitigation-planting of native

vegetation, initial irrigation (two years), exclusionary fencing and signage of the sensitive areas. Riparian Areas (shoulders of the steams and basins) were identified and are maintained to a different standard. Adjacent to the sensitive areas are Buffer Zones. There are non-irrigated Buffer Zones in the southern portion of the development and irrigated Buffer Zones adjacent to the trails and terraces alongside Potrero Creek. Wildlife Corridors within the waterways and riparian areas are suitable habitats for endangered species to include Bell's Vireo and southwestern willow flycatcher.

Currently the developer, the Homeowner Association (HOA) and the environmental agencies are concluding a Long Term Management Plan (LTMP) for the use and maintenance of the conservancy. The environmental agencies selected the Inland Empire Resource Conservation District (IERCD) to be their Land Manager and interface with the builder and property owner (HOA). The Land Manager has specific authority to conduct and control activities within the Conservation Area.

Both the Land Manager and the HOA have compliance monitoring responsibilities. The Land Manager inspects and records changes in the Riparian Areas and Basin Mitigation Areas and the HOA does the same for the Buffer Zones. Trash removal, broken or missing fencing or signage, irrigation repair, erosion or invasive plant activity will be recorded and corrected as part of the inspections. An annual report is required each year of conditions and actions taken. Special entrance/exit trails to the tin whistles are marked for maintenance and inspections. Only approved changes to Laws of Nature are permitted, e.g., fallen trees provide homes and food for a variety of small life forms and may not be removed. Permission is required to disturb any land form or vegetation even if it interferes with trail trafficability.

Funding for Land Manager tasks within the Conservation Area associated with the Compensatory Mitigation Area will be provided by an endowment for long-term management given by K.Hovnanian to the Land Manager. Costs associated with HOA maintenance will be paid through monthly dues and a supplemental endowment provided by K.Hovnanian. ~ **Len Tavernetti**



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PETS OF THE MONTH: DOLLY & JAYCO



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Every day is a "Paw'ty" at the Mendoza house. Hi! We're Dolly and Jayco. Our parents rescued us and we have a story to tell. Thanks to our Mom and Dad we are settled into our forever home. We are very grateful for the wonderful brother and sister that we are!

I, Dolly (seven-year-old Biewer Yorkie) was born to a breeder who kept me in a kennel for over two years. They finally gave me to Save a Small Dog Rescue. That's where my Mommy adopted me four years ago. I sure love my Mommy now.

I, Jayco (seven-year-old short hair Chihuahua) was found running on Four Seasons Circle almost a year ago. My original Mommy passed away and my auntie took me in and placed me in several

foster homes. I was abused in these homes and I am very fearful of most people. My new Mommy is teaching me how to love and trust in humans again. Thank you, Mommy and Daddy Mendoza!

~ Mendoza Family

(The Mendoza family has generously made a donation to the Four Seasons Tails & Trails group to help with their many service projects in this wonderful community. We hope others will be inspired to do the same for our neighbors and their beloved pets.)

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By Micki Rosen

DID YOU KNOW THAT MARCH 4 IS INTERNATIONAL SCRAPBOOKING DAY? Scrapbooks have been around for a long time, and ones from centuries gone by can give us fascinating insight into the lives of our ancestors. Around the 15th century, Englishers made what was called “commonplace books” out of their favorite letters, quotations, recipes and the like. A commonplace book was an excellent way of compiling knowledge, and it is not uncommon to find them packed with prayers, proverbs, mathematical formulas and informational tidbits. Then, in the 16th century, “friendship albums” began to appear which frequently contained memorabilia from trips and excursions between friends and family, and usually, illustrations or notes were written by them. Much like yearbooks of modern times, friendship albums would be filled with scribbles from the owner’s acquaintances. Women in the early 1900s used scrapbooking as a way to record their lives because cameras were not readily available at the time.

DID YOU KNOW THAT MARCH 7 IS NO SMOKING DAY?

No smoking day started out in 1984 and has grown in size and scope since then. It is celebrated in communities across the world trying to educate more people every year. If you or someone you know smokes cigarettes, you know that it is a very difficult thing to deal with. Cigarettes are highly addictive and are not only harmful to the person who smokes, but also to the people and pets around that person. So do what you can to quit, or encourage a friend or relative to quit and “break free” of a very dangerous habit.

DID YOU KNOW THAT MARCH 9 IS BARBIE DAY?

Barbie debuted on March 9, 1959 at the American International Toy Fair in New York. She was a labor of love from Ruth Handler, who was the wife of the co-founder of the toy giant Mattel, Inc. After watching children playing with baby dolls and paper dolls, she thought that the toy market needed something more. After a trip to Germany where she saw a doll that was in line with what she wanted, she convinced her husband and the company to make the first ever mass-produced doll with adult features. Do you know the background story for Barbie? Her parents, George and Margaret Roberts, named her Barbara Millicent Roberts. Her nickname is the famous Barbie. What about Ken, you ask? His mother, Edna Carson, named him after her father, Kenneth. Head over to your favorite search engine to learn more about Barbie’s extended family and friends.



DID YOU KNOW THAT MARCH 10 IS GENEALOGY DAY? The idea of keeping track of one’s family is not a new one. The family tree of Confucius has been maintained for over 2,500 years; a Guinness World Record. In western societies, genealogy was especially important to royalty, who used it to decide who was of noble descent and who was not, as well as who had the right to rule which geographical area. Genealogy Day was created in 2013 by Christ Church, United Presbyterian and Methodist in Limerick, Ireland to help celebrate the church’s 200th anniversary, and has since inspired many people to take a look into their family tree to find out more about where they came from.

DID YOU KNOW THAT MARCH 21 IS FRENCH BREAD DAY? Oui, oui monsieur – please pass me another stick of French bread! The French have been baking long sticks of bread for over 200 years, but it was only in 1920 that the current baguette we know and love came into being. A law was passed in France in 1920 that prohibited anyone from starting work before 4 am, making it impossible for French bakers to get their traditional breads baked in time before people went off to work. Voila! The quick-baking baguette was born. Why not embrace the whole continental experience and have a glass of French wine with it!





We've had a lot of entrants for our new contest in the *Breeze*. Get The Joke is a simple contest... somewhere in this issue is a "joke" ad, article or other notice. You'll know it when you see it — it will be silly, over-the-top ridiculous or just plain goofy — and hopefully it will bring a smile to your face. When you find it, simply cut out and complete the box below and return to the Lodge Front Desk before the 9th of the month. One correct entry will be chosen at random to win a \$20 gift card to Smitty's. Happy hunting!



LAST
MONTH'S
← JOKE

CONSPIRACY CLUB

Is Paul dead? We think so. We've thought so since 1966! Did John Glenn and Buzz Aldrin walk around on a closed set in Burbank in 1969? They sure did. Who was on the grassy knoll? We know!

And that's just the tip of what we talk about during our three hour, twice weekly meetings. We have touched on the water supply, big pharma, 9/11, the Roswell cover up, contrails, cryptocurrencies, fake news, hurricanes, the UN's plot to depopulate the planet and our current favorite RUSSIA - and new theories arise each meeting. So if you agree with us, join us. If you don't agree with us, REALLY join us! We love debating important points and, maybe just maybe, changing someone's mind.

For further information call Courtney at (909) 797-3647. ~ *Stacey Parr*

FEBRUARY'S WINNER:

Marty Rotman

Go to the Lodge to collect your gift card!

YOUR COMMENTS

Sounds like a great way to get your arguing out of the way so at home can be peaceful. ~ Caryn M.

It took some subterfuge, plotting, planning and scheming to discover the joke. ~ Howard S.

Harder to find. Makes us read everything! Marty R.

Get the Joke Entry Form

Resident name (first & last): _____ Phone _____

The Joke This Month: _____

Comments (about the joke, the *Breeze*, or whatever's on your mind!): _____

Activities Director Corner

By Cindy Graves, Activities Director

March is the month for high winds and hot air (I think... at least for me it is). It's also the month for the mystifying "Mentalist Show" on Saturday, March 10 at 6:30 pm. If you really want tickets, be sure to be put on the waiting list at the Lodge front desk. We always have folks who can't make it for some reason and are looking to sell their tickets. You also don't want to miss the historic Four Seasons Ribbon Cutting and Bridge Opening Parade on Thursday, March 15 at 11 am. This is going to be one hilarious parade! We have the Four Seasons Motorcycle Club leading the parade, followed by the Four Seasons 4x4 group, followed by the golf-cart people, followed by the bicyclers and tri-cyclers with the dog pack group bringing up the rear. We will have that on film for sure. Come join us and be a part of history in the making.

March is also the month for appreciating our incredible volunteers here in the neighborhood who work so tirelessly in all of our various committees (thank you committee members), in our library (thank you Mary Alice and David Chorba), on our Lodge mantel décor (thank you Terry Fears), and in all of our clubs, groups and classes.

Our community, as you may know, won "Best 55+ Adult Active Community in Southern California." That credit belongs to a great extent, to our awesome volunteering residents. Be sure you tip your hat to any neighbors you know who are involved with making these investments of time in our community; it's such a labor of love for us all. For those of you who have been thinking about possibly joining the ranks of awesome volunteers, please be sure to come check out some of the opportunities at the Committee Membership Drive on Tuesday, April 10 from 4 to 6 pm. Grab a piece of pizza while you're going from table to table investigating. That will make for a yummy introduction as to what kinds of things our committees do. I hope to see you there, I'm on a diet and I need to be sure that there are enough people to eat the pizza, so we don't have any leftovers... remember, even eating Committee Membership Drive pizza is a community service.

Let's all look forward to what will be the best month so far this year... April!

See you around the Lodge!

LAP SWIMMING ETIQUETTE

As we all wish to respect our fellow swimmers, being aware of these lap swimming etiquette rules will help to create a safe and enjoyable experience for all.

1. Lap swimmers have priority lane usage during scheduled lap swimming times.
2. Walkers may not share a lane being used for lap swimming during scheduled lap swimming times, for their safety and the safety of others.
3. If swimming alone in a lane, stay on top of the black line, which is the middle of your lane. If there are two swimmers in the lane, it is split into halves and each swimmer swims in one half of the lane, on separate sides of the black line.
4. Always use an empty lane if available. Middle lanes are for faster swimmers. Outside lanes are for slower swimmers and walkers.
5. When entering the pool, enter on the side closest to your lane to minimize crossing lanes in use.
6. When crossing a lane in use, cross behind the swimmer, not in front. Some swimmers make high-speed turns, so be attentive.
7. When joining a lane in use, slowly enter the water and wait on the side until the other swimmer notices that you will be joining.
8. Do not impede lap swimmers by walking or swimming across a lane, and do not lap swim perpendicular to the swimming lanes when they are in use.
9. Use your own gear. Don't "borrow" a piece of swimming equipment that you haven't brought yourself and seems abandoned. It may well be needed by one of your fellow swimmers very soon.
10. If using fins, try not to frog kick. If not in the center of your lane the fin tip could strike a neighboring swimmer.
11. When needing a rest, the walls at the end of the pool are great for a quick break. Stay as far to the side of the lane as possible. If more rest time is required, move to the side walls or exit the pool, keeping the lanes clear for other swimmers.
12. Minimize talking. Smile and be friendly, but don't be too chatty. Remember, serious swimmers don't want to be bothered with questions while in the middle of a workout.



Expressing Gratitude in Four Seasons

Thank you to our
Lodge staff for
always being here for
our needs.
God Bless each one!
- Anonymous

I want to thank everybody
for your prayers, love and
comfort on my daughter ,
Deborah Pope's death on
Dec. 26.
Sincere thanks,
Irene Pope

I was ill with the flu and was ill for
three and a half weeks. I missed
the San Bernardino Ceramics show
which I really had been waiting to
attend since it's once a year.
Bob and Pepsi Powers went to the
show and bought me a wonderful
piece to paint, so nice of them to
think of me.
- Marion Loney

I come in as a guest
on Fridays for Eileen
Gilbert's, Bible Study.
I have been greeted at the
desk with friendliness,
always. Thank you.
- Sue Chapma

I like to be kind...
Four Seasons allows
us to be loving,
supportive friends
because we are a
community.
- Martha Benoff

Efficient team -
Danya and Aly of course,
Ms. Cindy Graves , who is
always there whenever you
need her guidance,
thank God.
- Theresa C. Lee

We appreciate Smitty's and all the family members who make it run so well! Thank you for being here and for making such great affordable food. And we'll still love you even if you raise your prices!
XXXX - Anonymous

Grateful for Al Gray and Ray Geiser - both my neighbors help with all of my house chores, ie. putting up shelves, helped with my garden clearing, replaced a shower head, replaced batteries in smoke detectors, etc. I attempted to pay each of them, they told me no way, that's what neighbors are for. I was so grateful for them, as I'm disabled and a single woman living here in our beautiful Four Seasons community. I am so grateful to be able to live in such a wonderful community.
- Wanda Valentine

When I was ill with the flu, Dr. Batt (Frank) ordered Tamiflu for me, picked it up and brought it to me!
Very caring.
- Joyce Reisurg

I love the morning news emails. They make me feel well informed and a part of this community.
- Anonymous

If you have seen an act of kindness or have received one, please share with the community. Let's spread gratitude! Just go to the Lodge lobby and fill out a gratitude note and put in the box marked "Art of Gratitude." Thank you!





THERE'S
AN APP
FOR
THAT!

Three Special-Use Apps

By Steve Benoff

There are apps I use every day. Every morning I check my calendar app, my weather app, my *NY Times* app, my messages app, my stocks app, and my Podcast app. There are many other apps I use at least once a week. But there are apps that fit special purposes that may not occur frequently, but when the time comes, they come in very handy.

The first app is one I hope neither you nor I need to use. I found **First Aid** by American Red Cross after reading an article on the importance of stopping bleeding. Using simple techniques to stop bleeding can save lives. Bleeding is just one of almost two dozen topics covered by this app. What I like most about this app is how it simplifies these topics into a few important steps, often just two or three. There are five steps listed for "CPR – unresponsive not breathing." Each step is one or two concise sentences. You don't have to read a lot before acting. There is always an illustration and, in some cases, a video.

Beside the steps, illustration, and video, each topic has a list of FAQs (frequently asked questions). For example, under the three-step bleeding topic there are eight FAQs including "should I apply a tourniquet?" and "how do I treat nosebleeds?" There is even a "test yourself" section.

First Aid by American Red Cross is both simple and comprehensive. We should all have it on our phones.

There are all kinds of emergencies and not all are life threatening. How about being presented with writing in a foreign language? Not long ago, at a meeting of the Classical Music Club, we listened to a performance of a piece by Erik Satie entitled *Ogives*. None of us knew the meaning of the word, but because I had the **Google**

Translate app, I learned that *ogive* has two meanings in French (Satie was French): a pointed arch (which wasn't the relevant meaning) and a cumulative frequency graph (which is highly relevant if you listen to much Satie).

With **Google Translate** you select a language from and a language to. Each choice is made from many dozens of available languages. Then you select an input style. You can use your camera to input a word, a paragraph, a menu, a sign, etc. If you select the microphone icon, you can speak the words in English and the phone will "speak" the words in the language you've chosen. Or you can choose the pen icon and type or handwrite the word(s). It's quite an amazing app, and one that can come in handy on any number of occasions.

Surely I'm not the only one to have forgotten where I parked my car. Actually I'm pretty good at remembering where I left my car, but that ability fades the longer I'm away from it. Well, lo and behold, there's an app for that. It's called **Find Your Car with AR**. AR is augmented reality. By now we should be familiar with the terms AR and VR. VR (virtual reality) is a substitute for reality and is most often found in electronic games with headsets over our eyes. Augmented reality doesn't substitute for the real world, it adds to it. **Find Your Car with AR** is only one of a limitless variety of AR applications. You start by pressing the "I parked here" button on the app. Using the GPS function on your phone, the app will guide you back to your car. It acts like a compass, but instead of pointing north, the arrow points towards your car. Of course, you can use it to find your way back to anyplace, not just your car. Hansel and Gretel could have used this app and saved themselves a lot of trouble.

Do you use an app you'd like to share with others? Let me know at steve.benoff@verizon.net.

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EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS COMMITTEE



The Chain of Responsibility in Emergencies

YO-YO: You're On Your Own. In response to a disaster, don't expect help from the community first responders. You need to be prepared to handle the consequences of any disaster without immediate outside assistance. Make a plan and prepare for yourself and family to be self-sufficient for at least 14 days.

The following is what you need to know:

1. You are responsible for yourself and your family.
2. Within your neighborhood, you should check on each other and offer aid.
3. Your neighborhood should report to the Four Seasons Beaumont Command Center as to your status and needs after a disaster. They will respond to life and death emergencies if you can get word to them.
4. The Mayor and Beaumont emergency managers will implement their disaster plan.
5. The Four Seasons Emergency Preparedness Incident Command will communicate with the Beaumont Office of Emergency Services (OES) which will evaluate the status of our community and make plans to allocate resources.
6. Resources are allocated according to the greatest need, concentration of people, and business centers.
 - A school full of kids is a priority
 - A mall full of shoppers is a priority

Volunteer to become a member of the Four Seasons Emergency Preparedness Committee. The EPC meetings are the third Tuesday of every month at 10 am in the RCN Conference Room. Help us reestablish our emergency response teams. To volunteer sign up on the EPC clipboard in the Lodge across from the pool room. ~ **Mike Mendoza**

Pop Quiz: True or False

1. You need 1.25 gallons of water per day per person?
2. You'll be able to depend on the fire and police department in a major disaster?
3. Store enough water for a 7-14 day emergency?
4. Bottled water stored in plastic containers is safe to drink for two years?

event you are asked to evacuate, i.e., clothes, shoes, medications, pet supplies, flashlight, hygiene items, bottle of water, protein foods. Keep the "Go Bag" behind your bedroom door, grab and go if asked to leave your home.

7. True. The first responders will be able to hear the tapping. If trapped for several hours, you may become hoarse from yelling.

8. True. The ATM may not be working due to an electrical outage. If a store does have water, you may end up paying a large sum of money for the water as the cash register won't be working to provide change.

- A business center is important for the community in supplies and jobs
 - Your house is way down on the priority list
7. The county and state emergency responders will begin response.
 8. The governor declares a state of emergency if asked. This will clear the way for federal help and money.
 9. FEMA makes a plan to aid the Beaumont area in response to the governor's request.

NOTE: FEMA, Federal Troops and other outside agencies cannot come into our area unless requested by the state. They are not going to land in your backyard to bring you water and food.

You must be responsible and have water and food in your home. Clean water is the most essential item to have in your home to "shelter in place" while waiting for the emergency responders.

In conclusion, the residents of Four Seasons are responsible for their own safety and well-being. State governments are responsible for the safety of their citizens but the individual is ultimately responsible for ensuring that he is safe. The federal government is there to provide follow-up support. Do not wait around for federal or state officials to take care of your needs. Make a plan today; review it often with your family. ~ **Reprinted from Breeze March, 2015; originally written by Jean Sandoval**

5. Keep household chemical/products in original containers?
6. A "Go Bag" is a bag to go shopping with?
7. If trapped under debris after an earthquake, tap on pipe or wall?
8. You should have cash on hand in small denominations in case of a disaster?

1. False. At least 3.75 gallons per person per day for 7-14 days for drinking, hygiene and cooking.

2. False. Resources are allocated to the greatest need, concentration of people and business centers.

3. True. Yes

4. False. Always refer to the expiration date on any water or food product. Rotate the products at least every six months.

5. True. Yes

6. False. A "Go Bag" is a bag that has supplies for one day in the

Answers to EPP quiz

FACILITIES COMMITTEE

Several projects have recently been completed. The wrought iron fence painting in phases A and B was completed in February. The additional benches have been installed at The Summit bocce ball courts.

The shade canopy for the pickleball courts is being converted from a four post to a two post design to keep the posts away from the playing surface. The installation of the canopy should be completed sometime in March.

We are currently reviewing several new requests including

resurfacing of the shuffleboard courts at The Lodge, window tinting for The Courts facility and the expansion of the Craft Room.

The installation of new flooring at The Lodge will begin as soon as repairs on The Lodge building are complete. The committee is also reviewing options for improving the heating, ventilation and air conditioning in the Ballroom.

The Facility Committee meets in the RCN building on the third Tuesday of the month at 8:30 am. We always welcome residents to join us and share their ideas or concerns. ~**Bruce Lewis**

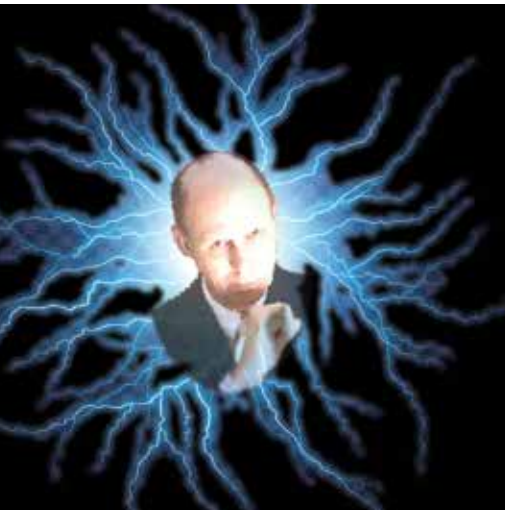
SOCIAL COMMITTEE

Greetings! Mentalist Mark Stone will be entertaining and dazzling our Four Seasons audience with his Mentalmania on March 10. This is another sell out event for the Social Committee! For those who were able to purchase tickets we have a few reminders for you and they are as follows:

1. NO FOOD (including Bistro service) can be brought into the Ballroom. You may bring your favorite beverage (including alcohol) and drinking glasses.

2. Seat saving is not permissible and seating is on a "first-come, first-served" basis. Make sure your entire group is with you if you intend to sit together.
3. The show will start promptly at 6:30 pm and guests must be seated at this time.

Observance of the aforementioned will help everyone enjoy the performance without interruption. On behalf of the Social Committee thank you and enjoy the show! ~ **Pamela Morales**



FINANCE COMMITTEE

The Finance Committee held its regular meeting on Jan. 30. Since our December meeting was cancelled, financial statements were reviewed for the month of November and December 2017. Highlights of the December financial report follows.

Total Assets \$8,520,656 including checking \$256,106 and reserve assets \$6,687,089. Operating money market and CDs totaled \$1,456,623. Total Liabilities were \$460,819 and Total Equity of \$1,422,748. There was a net income loss for the month of \$125,349. The year-to-date net income was a loss of \$436,964. Previously the Finance Committee recommended, and the Board of Directors approved, use of money markets and CDs to offset the net income losses. The

committee continues to closely monitor our net income for potential further recommendations to the BOD. Front yard cost center expenses were over budget by \$4,866 and Springdale cost center expenses were over budget by \$1,101.

Two vendor proposals were reviewed. One was recommended for Board approval and the other will be revisited next month. Committee persons and Board Liaison, Claudeen Diaz were present. Additionally, our Morgan Stanley Account Manager presented an update on interest trends and reviewed our CD investment strategy. There is an opening on the Finance Committee. If you are interested, please come to our next meeting on Feb. 27. ~ **Barry Ginnetti**



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RULES & REGULATIONS COMMITTEE

The Rules & Regulations Committee is continuing to study the Four Seasons Community Guidelines and CC&Rs with our chairperson, Cheri Howard, and new co-chairperson, Roman Dominguez. Sapphire Rhodes has been representing FirstService Management in our meetings and we have greatly appreciated her assistance.

Have you ever wondered what standards Four Seasons committee members must follow? Our Community Guidelines provide guidance on what is expected of the Board of Directors, Association committee members and any volunteers who work on behalf of, or in the interest of, the Association. Everyone must abide by the standards listed in the Code of Conduct. We must conduct ourselves in an ethical and professional manner at all times in speech, actions and in any written work. We cannot abuse the power of our office to conduct personal business or use Association resources for our own gain. We cannot place unreasonable or unethical demands on anyone and may not disclose or abuse privileged information that

has been gained as a result of holding Association positions. If the code is violated, the Board of Directors may require actions that can range from reprimands to dismissal. However, a Board of Directors member may be dismissed only by a recall by the membership.

None of the above is difficult to follow. These rules, plus a portion of one's time during each month, are all that is required, along with the willingness to serve. It's a great feeling to be able to contribute to our wonderful community. Many committees are looking for new members. We currently have two openings on the Rules & Regulations Committee. Come to a meeting and see how you can make a difference. We also welcome guests and are always interested in hearing the concerns of our fellow homeowners. Our meetings are on the second Tuesday of the month at 9 am in the RCN Conference Room. We are here to serve the community. Join us! You won't be sorry! ~ *Margie Chadburn*



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ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

The Architectural Review Committee (ARC) is comprised of seven newly appointed members. We recently amended our charter to expand to eight members to accommodate the increased demands of new home sales.

ARC members look forward to working with homeowners in a positive, friendly, and collegial manner. We are available to help homeowners with their home improvement projects as they relate to the established standards and guidelines of our community.

In a concerted effort to maintain the aesthetics of our community and help homeowners better understand the requirements of the Architectural Guidelines and Standards, we ask that you familiarize yourself with the following before submitting a Property Improvement Application Exhibit A:

- Please read carefully the Architectural Guidelines and Standards for K. Hovnanian's Four Seasons at Beaumont Community Association before submitting your plans. The Guidelines and Standards are also available on the community

website at www.fourseasonsbeaumont.org.

- There is a one-time fee of \$125 payable to "Four Seasons at Beaumont Community Association." This fee is due with the initial Exhibit A application, generally for new homeowner's backyard landscaping projects.
- Please include in your Exhibit A only those projects to be completed at the time of submission. This will help committee members to quickly review your plan and provide feedback as necessary. Future project request(s) can be submitted on a separate Exhibit A at no additional fee.

We strongly encourage homeowners to attend our meetings. There may be instances when committee members have questions and need your input.

ARC meetings are held on the first and third Wednesday of each month in the RCN conference room at 8:30 am. We hope to see you at our next scheduled meeting on Wednesday, March 7 at 8:30 am. All homeowners are welcome to attend. ~ *Elton Ross*

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SAFETY COMMITTEE

Crosswalks are in. The recent sport survey that was conducted revealed that walking is the top form of regular exercise within our Community. It was the Safety Committee's goal to be able to identify intersections that would help residents cross our busy Four Season Circle in a safer manner. Please slow down while traveling Four Seasons Circle and Green Creek Trail and yield to residents in the crosswalks. We have already received some feedback that it seems that our residents have slowed down in our crosswalk areas.

There is a new stop sign at Four Seasons Circle and Slippery Rock Creek/Trout Run. Residents from Slippery Rock Creek attended Safety Committee meetings voicing their concern that they had limited visibility when exiting from the Slippery Rock Creek side due to the curve and utility boxes blocking their view in both directions. This



concern as well as consideration for a crosswalk allowing residents on the north side to be able to cross to get access to trails and The Lodge made this stop sign necessary.

The camera system at The Courts is complete. The new cameras will help management monitor the swimming pool as well as other areas at our new recreation center.

911 phones are being installed at the Summit and The Courts. Installation should be complete before March. Please locate the 911 phone locations in case there is a need for emergency assistance while you are at the facilities. Note, there is a 911 phone at The Lodge pool area near the outdoor shower.

The Safety Committee meets on the first Tuesday of the month at 10 am in the RCN Conference Room. All residents with any questions or concerns are welcome to attend. ~ **Donna Lewis**

COMMUNITY PLANNING & TRANSITION COMMITTEE

This committee is making good progress in meeting its objective to carefully plan the HOA takeover from K. Hovnanian which is anticipated will occur within the next two years. The committee continued to review the Lodge parking lot capacity study, installation

of a dog park and potential modifications to the amphitheater.

We welcome homeowners' interest. Our meetings are at 9 am on the fourth Thursday of the month in the RCN Conference Room. Please come visit us. ~ **Johanna Ballard**



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LANDSCAPE COMMITTEE

Happy spring to all Four Seasons residents. With the beginning of the new growing season, there are some outdoor chores that all avid gardeners need to take care of.

Leaf litter and dead plant material should be removed. It not only provides a hiding place for snails, slugs and insect pests, but can also hinder new shoots of spring flowering bulbs. Be careful when trimming dormant plants. Even though some limbs may appear to be dead, that may not be the case. Some plants may take longer to come to life. Temperature, length of daylight, or amount of sun received can affect when a plant springs to life again.

Always monitor water usage. People do more harm to plants by over watering than under watering. If it rains, turn off your irrigation. It is easy to do. **Save Water / Save Money**

Every homeowner should periodically check the pop-up drains in their front

lawns. If it hasn't rained recently, but there is standing water around the drain, it could signal there is a problem. The reason for the water could mean you are over watering in the rear of your property. It could also mean you have a leak in your irrigation system.

This excess water does create a problem for the front yards that are maintained by the HOA. It can kill plants and trees by drowning them. It also creates a problem for the landscapers mowing the lawns. The mowers can cut deep ruts into the turf, detracting from the appearance of the lawn.

The Landscape Committee tries to monitor these issues when we do our weekly walks through the neighborhoods the HOA maintains. If anyone sees an issue with any landscape problem or water issue, please contact First Service Management or fill out a Landscape Service Request form available at the front desk. The Landscape Committee appreciates all help to maintain our beautiful

community.

The committee meets the third Tuesday of the month at 1 pm in the RCN Conference Room. All homeowners are welcome to attend. ~ **Ken Marquet**



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Chicken Veracruz

By Irene Welker

For your dining pleasure, here is a twist on a south of the border classic using chicken instead of fish. The spice level can be ratcheted up or down according to your preference. For a milder flavor, the fresh jalapeno can be replaced with $\frac{1}{4}$ cup diced mild pickled jalapeno peppers or it may be eliminated altogether. The heat seekers may wish to use two or more jalapenos or even substitute a hotter pepper such as serrano, hatch, or habanero.

I like to serve this with a starch such as steamed white or brown rice or mixed grains. However you decide to serve this, enjoy!

Serves 4 • Prep time: 15 minutes • Total time: 45 minutes

INGREDIENTS

1 Tablespoon extra virgin olive oil
4 skin-on, bone-in chicken thighs
1 teaspoon dried oregano
1 $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoons kosher salt, divided
1 poblano chile pepper

1 green bell pepper
1 yellow bell pepper
1 jalapeno pepper (optional)
1 small white onion
2 medium tomatoes

2 cloves garlic
 $\frac{1}{2}$ Cup sliced pimento-stuffed green olives
1 Cup dry white wine

DIRECTIONS

Heat the olive oil in a large deep skillet over high heat. Pat the chicken dry then sprinkle both sides with 1 teaspoon of salt and the oregano. Place the chicken in the hot skillet. Cook until well browned, 5 to 7 minutes per side, starting with the skin side down.

While the chicken is browning, prepare the vegetables. Stem, seed and remove the white inner membrane from each of the four peppers. Slice the poblano and both bell peppers into thin strips, approximately $\frac{1}{8}$ th inch wide. Dice the jalapeno. Thinly slice the onion. Quarter each tomato. Peel the garlic cloves and smash them with the flat side of a knife blade.

Add the peppers, onion, tomatoes, garlic and sliced green olives to the browned chicken, scattering them over and around the meat. Cook until the vegetables begin to soften, about 5 minutes. Sprinkle with the remaining $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon salt. Add the wine and bring to a boil. Cover the pan with a lid and reduce the heat to a simmer. Continue cooking until the chicken is thoroughly cooked (165 degrees) and the vegetables are soft, about 10 minutes.

Remove the chicken and vegetables from the pan and drain, reserving liquid. Place vegetables on a platter and top with the chicken. Tent with foil to keep warm. Return liquid to pan, increase heat to high and reduce by half. Spoon the sauce over the chicken and vegetables. Serve.

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NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH

Our Neighborhood Watch General Meeting was on Wednesday, Feb. 14, at 10 am in the RCN building. Our guest speaker was Mike Corbett who is currently on the Safety Committee and a member of the Neighborhood Watch Steering Committee.

Mike covered a number of topics including a discussion about keeping our vehicles locked if parked in our driveways. He also suggested taking the garage door opener out of the vehicle if we park in our driveways. By doing this, we minimize the possibility of anyone getting into our car and using the garage door opener to gain access to the garage in order to remove property. Worse yet would be this person opening the garage door and entering the residence. It presents a very dangerous situation. Please lock your vehicles and minimize the opportunity for thieves in our community.

Also be aware of the seasonal IRS scam where callers say they are

from the IRS and you owe money on your income tax and can make a payment to avoid being arrested. The IRS does not call and threaten to arrest you unless you make a payment. If you get one of the IRS scam calls, please call the Beaumont Police Department to make them aware scam artists are working our area.

Speed continues to be a problem on Four Seasons Circle. Please slow down and be aware of pedestrians crossing the streets. If you walk during early morning and evening hours, please take a flashlight and wear reflective clothing, if possible, so you are more visible to vehicles traveling in our community.

A special thank you to Mike Corbett for being our guest speaker.

Remember, if you see something, say something. ~ *Jerry Monahan*



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Four Seasons Salon:
Group for an Exchange of Ideas (political debate discouraged). Sign-up sheet in the Lodge lobby. Contact Johanna Ballard at ballardlands@gmail.com.

Concert Band:
For players of all instruments. Sign up in the Lodge lobby. Proposed by Will Eisenhower.

CLASS, GAME, MEETING SCHEDULES

Below schedules may change, cancel or reschedule at any time. Check with Lodge Desk for updates.

Class Schedule

<u>CLASS</u>	<u>DAY</u>	<u>TIME</u>
ARTS & CRAFTS		
Ceramics	W	1p
	Sat	9a
Clay Class	Th	1p
	Sat	10a
Craft Group	Th	10a
Crafty Cardmakers	1st, 3rd Fri	1p
Drawing & Sketching	M	10a
	W	6p
BIBLE STUDY		
Women's Bible Study	F	10:30a
Life Guide Bible Study	T	7p
OTHER		
TOPS Weigh in	T	8a

Game Clubs

<u>GAME</u>	<u>DAY</u>	<u>TIME</u>
Bid Whist	1st, 3rd F	2p
Bridge	M	12p
Bridge for Fun	M, W	12p
Bunco	2nd, 4th F	1p
Canasta #1	Th	12:45p
Canasta #2	W	1p
Dominoes, Billiards	W, F	4p
Dominoes	W, F	5p
Duplicate Bridge	F	12:15p
Hearts	T	6p
Mah Jongg for Fun	M	12:30p
Mexican Train	M	12p
Mexican Train #2	1st, 3rd, 4th M	1p
Pan	2nd & 4th M	9:30a
Phase 10 Cards	2nd M	4p
	3rd Sat	3p
Pinochle	W, F	10a
Poker	T, Th	9a
Rummikub	Sun	2p

Meetings

<u>BOARD OF DIRECTORS</u>	<u>DAY</u>	<u>TIME</u>
Executive Session	March 8	9a
General Session	March 8	1p
Committee Chair Mtg	March 19	10a
COMMITTEES	<u>DAY</u>	<u>TIME</u>
Architectural Review	March 7	8:30a
	March 21	8:30a
Communications	March 21	11a
Comm. Planning & Transition	March 29	9a
Emergency Prep (EPC)	March 20	10a
Facilities Committee	March 20	8:30a
Finance Committee	March 27	1p
Landscape	March 20	1p
Lodge Committee	March 28	11a
Rules & Regulations	March 13	9a
Safety Committee	March 6	10a
Social Committee	March 1	5p
OTHER	<u>DAY</u>	<u>TIME</u>
Breeze Editorial Board	March 7	10a
	March 12	10a

Calendar changes?
Please complete a Meeting Change Request Form found on the website or at the Front Desk in the Lodge by the 8th of the month to make it in for the following month's calendar.

*The schedules below may change, cancel, or reschedule at any time.
Please stay up to date by checking the Daily AM Report, fourseasonsbeaumont.org, and the front desk at each facility*

PHYSICAL EXERCISE SCHEDULE

THE LODGE:

Facility & Pool Hours M-F 6 am -9 pm • Sat, Sun 7 am -9 pm • Guests under 18 years welcome 1 - 4 pm daily

EXERCISE

Conditioning	M/W/F	8:30a
Beginning Conditioning	M/W/F	9:30a
Zumba Gold	T/Th	9:30a
*Yoga	M/W	6p
*Pilates	T/Th	8:30a
	Sat	9a
*Kick Boxing	Sat	10:15a

PADDLE TENNIS

Beginners	M	2p
	T	11a
	W/F	8:30a, 2p
	Sat	2p
	Sun	8:30a, 2p

PICKLEBALL

	M/TTh/Sat	8a
	W	8:30a, 4p

DANCE

Let's Dance!

Beginners	M	6p
Intermediate & Advanced	M	7p
Practice	Th	6p

Line Dance

Very Beginners	T (odd months)	2:30p
Intermediate	T	3p
Advanced	T	3:45p

Heart & Soul

Beginners	W	4p
Intermediate	W	5:30p

SHUFFLEBOARD

	M & Sat	9a
	Sun	12p

BASKETBALL

	F	4p
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THE SUMMIT:

Facility Hours M-F 6 am -9 pm • Sat, Sun 7 am -9 pm

POOL HOURS

*Water Aerobics Class	M/W/F	10:30a
*Water Aerobics Class	T/Th	6p
Lap Swim	M-F	6-8a

10:30a-12p

5:45-7p

Sat/Sun 7-9a

10:30a-12p

5:45-7p

Open Swim M/W/F 8-10:30a

12-5:45p

7-9p

Sat/Sun 9-10:30a

12-5:45p

7-9p

HORSESHOES

W 9a

BOCCE BALL

T 9a
W, F 3p

THE COURTS:

Facility Hours 7 am -9 pm

POOL HOURS

Open Swim		7a-9p
Water Volleyball	TH	11a-12p

PING PONG

All Level Ping Pong	M/ W-Sat	10a
	T	10a
Advanced Play	T	2p

TENNIS

Club Play Time	2nd, 3rd Th	5p
Club Meeting	3rd T	4p
Play Day	Last Sat. of Month	8:30a

LADIES PUTTERS

	M	6p
	F	9a

**Classes have a fee associated with them and must maintain 10+ participants or classes may be cancelled. Contact The Lodge front desk for further information*

COUNTER CULTURE CINEMA

Come join us for two really interesting small films that didn't play at any of the cinemas anywhere near here. One of them is currently nominated for an Academy Award!

Our first monthly screening, on Sunday, March 11 at 6 pm, is the Oscar-nominated film *Loving Vincent* (Poland 2017, 1 hr. 34 min.,

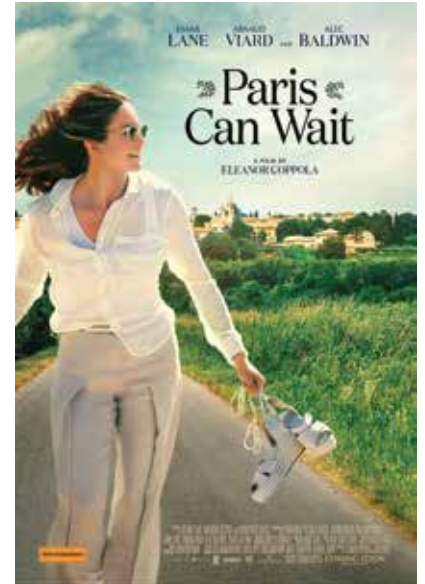


English). Here is a brief description from IMDb.com: "In a story depicted in oil painted animation, a young man comes to the last hometown of painter Vincent van Gogh to deliver the troubled artist's final letter and ends up investigating his final days there. As he digs further, he comes to realize that Vincent's troubled life is as much a matter of interpretation as his paintings, and there are no easy answers for a

man whose work and tragedy would only be truly appreciated in the future."

Our second monthly screening, on Sunday, March 25 at 6 pm, is the film *Paris Can Wait* (USA 2016, 1 hr. 32 min., English). Here is a brief description from IMDb.com: "Anne is at a crossroads in her life. Long married to a successful, driven but inattentive movie producer, she unexpectedly finds herself taking a car trip from Cannes to Paris with a business associate of her husband. What should be a seven-hour drive turns into a carefree two-day adventure replete with diversions involving picturesque sights, fine food and wine, humor, wisdom and romance, reawakening Anne's senses and giving her a new lust for life."

All of our screenings are followed by lively discussion about the film; we'd love to have you join us. The Lodge Theatre has very limited seating, so if you're interested in our screenings, come early; we hope to see you there. Please note that all films announced are subject to availability. If you have any questions about the Counter Culture Cinema Club or want to recommend a film, please email Micki Rosen at michelesrosen@gmail.com. ~ **Micki Rosen**



TASTE D'VINE

We are tentatively scheduled for Wednesday, March 28 and are hoping that the Ballroom renovations are done and we can move ahead with our 2018 schedule. Thank you all for your patience! Please check your e-mail for the Bacchus letter with updates as they occur.

Taste d'Vine Wine Club of Four Seasons is excited to ring in our first meeting of 2018!

We would like to start the year with a look back at some of Total Wine's most popular wines of 2017. They will go through their archives to find two of the top selling white wines and two of the top selling red wines. Some of the wines may be familiar to you but we are hoping to introduce a new "favorite" into your wine collection.

Taste d'Vine Wine Club is pleased to bring you the Best of 2017 Wines at the March meeting in the Ballroom the last **Wednesday** of the month March 28 at 6 pm. Doors open at 5:15 pm. We will resume our regular Thursday schedule in April. Please bring a favorite wine to share with your table along with an appetizer – such as crackers, cheese, desserts or anything in between along with a glass for tasting.

Members \$5, guests \$10 and non-resident guests \$15.

Info., Terry Hall, (714) 369-0828, Terryhall005@gmail; or Barbara Mull, BarbaraRN1973@gmail.com. ~ **Terry Hall**

COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY

The Computer Technology Group meets on the second Tuesday of each month at 10:30 am in the RCN building. We try to announce the current month's subject via email before the meeting. We encourage discussion and suggestions for future meetings.

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This is the perspective of our Artist of the Month Lian Lee

My husband and I moved to this wonderful community in May, 2013. After we made our house into a home and finished landscaping, we were gradually involved in ballroom dance, card games and ping pong. Rob Kelman and I met playing ping pong. One day I told him, "If I can't play ping pong in the future I don't know what to do." He said, "Why don't you come to my class?" I told him "I don't know anything about drawing." He said, "If you don't try how do you know?" That's how I went to the class.

We are so fortunate to have Rob share his experience and expertise at no cost to us in our community. He is so patient developing every single person's potential. He understands everyone is different. There is no pressure. Just fun and rewarding experiences. I knew I would not invest a single penny on myself for art class because I didn't think I could draw. Fortunately, the free class offered me the opportunity to surprise myself and people who know me.

We meet on Monday 10 am to 12 pm and Wednesday 6 to 8 pm. Come on out to make new friends and find a new you. Don't think

you are the only one without drawing experience, most of us are just like you. You will be glad you have the opportunity to surprise yourself. If you have any questions please contact Rob at (951) 992-9156. ~ **Rob Kelman**



Artist of the Month Lian Lee

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NATIONAL VIETNAM WAR VETERANS DAY On March 28, 2017, President Donald Trump signed the Vietnam War Veterans Recognition Act of 2017, S.305, declaring March 29 as an annual Federal Holiday honoring all our Vietnam Veterans.

If you want to be recognized as a veteran of any branch of military service on our "Honor Roll," at www.fourseasonsvets.org, please contact any Lodge staff or myself at irve@verizon.net or call (949) 422-9969. ~ *Irve Sturmer*

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CRAFT GROUP

The Craft Group is swinging into spring with a variety of new ideas. Come see what we're up to any Thursday at 10 am. Join in the on-going projects or bring along one of your own to work on.

For more information, contact Pam Kelley at (951) 769-7976. ~ **Barbara Paules**

CERAMIC CORNER

Ceramics class has something for both the novice crafter looking for a new hobby, or for someone who has experience and wants to create their own unique design or create pieces for friends and family. In addition to individual projects we also offer class projects throughout the year to teach new techniques.

Come and join in the fun. Drop by the Craft Room to see our monthly ceramics class schedule and learn more about our upcoming class projects.

We meet Wednesdays from 1 to 4 pm and the first Saturday of each month from 9 am to 1 pm. Please see class schedule in the Craft Room for any exceptions.

A certified instructor and/or an experienced class team lead is available to support your crafting needs, participation is at your own pace and frequency.

Information, contact Bob Powers at (909) 841-3293 or Elsie Fillman at (661) 414-6270. ~ **Pepsi Powers**

CRAFTY CARDMAKERS

The Crafty Cardmakers meet on Fridays at 1 pm in the Craft Room. The first and third Fridays are our usual class where we make three cards. The second Friday is a technique class and the third Friday is a project class. These classes are more involved and will include two cards.

The cost for all classes is \$6 and that includes all materials and envelopes. You only need to bring your own glue and scissors.

If you're looking for a fun and productive afternoon, please join us and if you have any questions, please feel free to either call or email me, Maryalice Chorba, chorbaparadise@yahoo.com, (951) 849-6336. ~ **Maryalice Chorba**

KNIT & CROCHET GROUP

We would like to invite any new residents who might be interested in joining our group to come visit us each Tuesday morning 10 to 11:30 am and see what we are about. As mentioned previously, our project this year will be baby blankets for the local hospital. It is not required that you participate in the project, especially if you are just learning, or refreshing your skills. It is an enjoyable and relaxing time and a fun group. See you there. Info., Dorothy Payne, (951) 572-5436. ~ **Dorothy Payne**

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We play on the second and fourth Fridays of the month. Bunco is very easy to play and it's a great way to meet new friends. We meet in the Lodge Card Room at 1 pm sharp. Please be on time! ~ **Ema Hajdukovic**

MAH JONGG

Everybody is welcome to join us for Mah Jongg at 12:30 pm on Mondays in the Rec Center North. We accept beginners and offer coaching for those who have not played in several years. A current Mah Jongg card is required but you can borrow or copy one until you get your own. You do not have to own a Mah Jongg set to join the fun, so come on out! ~ **Barbara Goodreau**

PAN

We are looking for players, substitute players, and people who are interested in learning the game. I am happy to teach anyone who wishes to learn the game, either individually or in a small group, your home or mine. Pan is a card game, much on the order of gin in some respects, and played with up to eight people at a table. It is played by both men and women, so all are very welcome. The game can be played in the day, evening, in a room in the Lodge or in private homes. If you are interested, please call Linda Mendelson, at (951) 941-9100 or email Goldtoy@earthlink.net and I will answer any questions you may have. As are all card games, it is played with both skill and luck. ~ **Linda Mendelson**

CANASTA #1

Join us for an afternoon of friendship and fun while playing a game of Hand and Foot Canasta. We meet Thursdays in the Card Room from 12:45 to 4 pm. Table assignments are distributed at 12:45 pm. Each week, you may play with someone different, giving you an opportunity to meet new friends and/or visit with old friends. We supply the cards, so just bring yourself and a desire to have fun. If you don't know how to play, we are always happy to set up a teaching table — by the end of the afternoon you will have mastered the game. Come join us. ~ **Pam Morales**

PINOCHLE FOR FUN

Join us! Whether you are a seasoned player or new to the game, we welcome you. Pinochle is an exciting card game where you bid and bluff to name trump and take control of the game. This stimulating game is a time-honored favorite. Winning is not just the luck of the draw; it is a thinking game which teases the mind and keeps it sharp. We play with a Pinochle double deck of cards, Ace through 10s. We meet at the Summit Mondays and Wednesdays from 10 am to 12:30 pm. Our Chair is Karen Farmer. Contact is Johanna Ballard; ballardlands@gmail.com or cell, (626) 372-7049. ~ **Johanna Ballard**

BRIDGE

We meet each Monday at 12 noon in the RCN building and we extend a warm welcome to all those interested. It provides a time for socializing, continuing Bridge education and relaxation.

Please call Gordon Sheppard at (714) 390-2610 or Helen at (951) 845-9312 for further information. We look forward to hearing from you. ~ **Helen Shoemate-Gurley**

DUPLICATE BRIDGE

We are so fortunate here at Four Seasons to be able to accommodate the very successful American Contract Bridge League (ACBL) Sanctioned game of bridge. Our facility provides room for classes, 12 tables of bridge and a convenient snack room.

Our club is expanding under the direction of Barbara Revels who is a skilled instructor and director. Call her at (951) 845-1523 for reservations and further information.

We look forward to meeting one another each Friday afternoon at 12:15 pm in the RCN Building. Please call Helen at (951) 845-9312 or Gordon Sheppard (714) 390-2610 for more information regarding our club. ~ **Helen Shoemate-Gurley**

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BRIDGE FOR FUN

If you have ever wanted to learn to play bridge, or need a brush up on your skills, Bill Guy can help you. He has volunteered his time to help others learn the game. Bridge can be fun but is also very challenging. The older we get the more we need to have our brains stimulated and bridge is a great way to do that. In our Monday and Wednesday bridge groups we have a variety of skill levels and the better players are always willing to help others. We have a great group of people who enjoy each other's company. For information on Monday's game or to learn the game, call Bill Guy at (951) 845-5627 or for Wednesday's game call Verina Rector at (951) 769-1687. ~ **Tom Halley**

RUMMIKUB

Join us Sundays from 2 to 4 pm. Please try to show up at 1:45 pm as we always welcome help setting up. Have fun with new friends and old friends. Rummikub is played at a table with tiles and a holder for each player's tiles. Players begin with 14 tiles. Initially a player "goes down" putting out a group of at least three tiles totaling 30 points. If unable to play, then you must draw one tile from the remaining Rummikub tiles. Play ends when one person uses all their tiles. Remaining players then add the total numbers of their tiles for a score. Zero is the best score.

If you like Rummy and mah jongg, then you would certainly like Rummikub. We play in the Lodge Card Room. We also will set up a learning table for newcomers. Hope to see you there. If you have any questions, call Lian Lee, (951) 907-3809 or Mike Saperstein, (951) 769-7909. ~ **Mike Saperstein**



PHASE 10

We play the second Monday and the third Saturday of the month. Every week we have a training table and we welcome everyone. We start at 4 pm on Mondays and 3 pm on Saturdays. This is fun and we are friendly so come on down and check us out.

Contact: Cheri Howard (951) 756-1216 or howards1249@gmail.com. ~ **Cheri Howard**



HEARTS

All are welcome. The game is played with a single card deck, no jokers, and 52 cards. We play three, four, or five at a table. No scheduling necessary. We play on Tuesdays at 6 pm in the Card Room next to the Library. A group has played here at Four Seasons for nine years. Seating is random draw, no partners, individual scores. It is easy to learn, harder to win. Players will teach. Games last approximately two hours. Lowest points win. If you have questions, call Mike Saperstein (951) 769-7909. ~ **Mike Saperstein**

DOMINOES

The New Year started out with a bang. Just like a bolt of lightning, Robert Steen hit with a big win of 23 games. John Bragg finished with 20 wins and I had 18 wins. Congratulations to Robert, the domino champ for January.

We have a lot of great domino players and the competition is really tough. I have been trying to step up my domino game but I keep falling short. Maybe I will be able to win at least once in the New Year. It has been over two years since I won the championship.

Dominoes are played every Wednesday and Friday from 5 to 9 pm in the Lodge Game Room. Come on out and join us and make some new friends. For more information, call Jesse at (951) 769-2035 or Reggie at (951) 769-6483. ~ **Marvin Gaines**



Robert Steen won 23 games to become the January Champion

Don't miss these great events!
The Radio Show on March 3 and
The Comedy & Talent Show
"You Know You're Old" on April 26 & 27

PERFORMING ARTS CLUB

I am very sure that March and April will pack punches of fun in the form of great entertainment for you. All at no charge!

On Saturday, March 3, 6:30 pm, we'll present two new Radio Shows for your enjoyment. One is a Tom Mix cowboy plot and the other is "Easy Aces," about a husband, wife and the wife's brother. It's similar to a "Burns & Allen Show," where the wife is a bit ditzy and loaded with laughs galore. They are reminiscent of life in the 1920s - 1940s, when families would gather around the radio anxiously waiting for their favorite shows to be broadcast. We also incorporate sound effects into our shows, keeping them just like the originals. The best way to enjoy the Radio Shows is with your favorite beverage and listening with your eyes closed.

Next is our "You Know You're Old... Comedy & Talent Show" on Friday, April 27, and Saturday, April 28. It will be comprised of funny skits, songs, stand-up comedy and more. Free tickets will be available in early April at the Lodge. John Horning, Producer, has years of proving he really knows how to put on a fabulous comedy show. If you're interested in the "You Know You're Old..." show, please contact John at (323) 253-3854. ~ *Teri Meyers-Kelman*



SPOTLIGHT ON:

Alberta "Bertsy" Seim, Pianist for The Four Season Singers: Raised in a family that had an appreciation for music and playing instruments, Bertsy started formal piano lessons in third grade. As an accomplished pianist, she became an accompanist

for her high school and church. For 35 years, after college, Bertsy and her husband, Jim, entered church ministry, where she was frequently asked to serve as pianist for her church and choir. Once her children were raised, she returned to being an elementary school teacher, where she continued to be the pianist for many school programs. In 2008, the Seim's moved to Four Seasons to start retirement. About two years later, a friend suggested to Bertsy that she volunteer to be the Four Seasons Singers Choir accompanist. In Bertsy's own words, "We were a small group then and it has been a pleasure to watch our growth in numbers and musicianship. With Barbara Wasco as Director, Anne Savy on flute and now Lois Farr on violin, adds to the joy I experience. We are so blessed by the appreciative audience of our Four Seasons friends and neighbors."

A huge thank you to Bertsy from the Choir and Performing Arts Club.

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LINE DANCING



The line dance class keeps growing and having even more fun.

This is the perfect class for you if you need more exercise and need to meet people. Line dancing allows for “variations” as long as you are moving in the same direction as everyone else on the floor. This is wonderful for those who can’t spin all the way around or have knee or hip problems. I can usually figure out a step that accommodates you.

There will be another very beginners class this month from 2:15 pm to 3 pm each Tuesday. If you have ever wanted to learn to line dance, this is your chance. I teach the basic steps, plus you will learn at least two dances, usually after the first class. If you have taken this class before, but feel you need more help, please repeat the class. There are usually about 10 to 12 students, so I can give you more assistance than in a larger class. I have some assistants to help with instructions

as well. You will notice we have added another 15 minutes to this class, which allows us to do a review of last week’s dances and still teach at least one new dance. The same rules apply: you must come to all the classes or wait until the next odd month’s class. This is important because each dance teaches you new steps which makes learning new dances later much easier.

All of our sock hops so far this year have been cancelled due to

Ballroom construction. We have a free sock hop scheduled for April 13, a Friday night from 5 to 8:30 pm. Order dinner from Smitty’s, BYOB and plan to have fun and dance a lot. Our favorite DJ will be in charge again. We will furnish water, ice and cups.

Hope to see you in class or at the dance. For more info, contact, Martha Franck, (951) 769-3889. ~ **Martha Franck**

LET’S DANCE

Our dance group started off the New Year with several new faces including singles. We all had a great time learning the East Coast Swing in February! Our dance for March is the Tango. This dance is not only really fun to do, it teaches you how to lead and follow better than any other dance. Tango is dramatic and exotic and considered simple and easy to learn. We will be starting with the basics so everyone is encouraged to come.

Let’s Dance is excited to announce our new schedule beginning Monday, March 5: 6 to 7 pm – Newcomers and Beginners, \$10 per person for a full one hour lesson; 7 to 8 pm – Intermediate and Advanced, \$10 per person for a full one hour lesson.

We think this new schedule will really help our dancers learn more at their own level. Our professional instructors will be able to

focus on our beginners and move them along with an entire hour of instruction. Also the experienced dancers will have a full hour to improve their skills.

We have been dancing in The Courts Multipurpose Room during the Ballroom renovation. Our group has been practicing on Thursday nights in the RCN building at 6 pm. This is a free event and so very important. It’s amazing how much more you will learn and improve. Practicing with a group is best because what one doesn’t remember the other does, and you will help and encourage each other. So give practice a try – you will be glad you did! For information contact Puring or Gary Stifter at (951) 922-8333, or at purings@verizon.net. ~ **Sue Condurachi**

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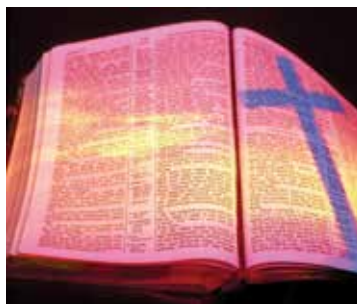
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LIFE GUIDE BIBLE STUDY

During March we will resume our study of I Peter - Discipleship Lessons from the Fisherman. Doc Sellars will facilitate our study. We invite interested residents to join us in learning from God's Word.

We meet every Tuesday at 7 pm. Our regular meeting place is

the third section of the Ballroom. We will notify participants of any room changes by email. Please contact Doc or Letha Sellars with any questions or comments at (951) 797-3302 or docletha@gmail.com.

~ **Doc Sellars**

"BELIEVE..." WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

In the month of January, we had four consecutive lessons with the theme "Loving God." The first lesson asked the questions "How do you know God loves you?" and "Why does He love you?" Two handouts were given to each of the ladies to either keep for themselves or pass on to someone else with the sayings: "God loves you," and "God loves each of us as if there were only one of us." The second lesson discussed how precious we are to God and what does God want from us, along with two handouts stating: "You are always on God's mind," and "Be who God wants you to be, not what others want to see." The third lesson discussed: "Can we make God love us any more than He already does?" and "We are the work of His hand," along with three more handouts to keep or give away. The final lesson

was based on "We are who God says we are" along with two handouts and a beautiful guest singer at the end.

In February we began our study of the smaller books of the Bible: Titus, Philemon and Jude in the New Testament; and Hosea, Joel, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah, Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah and Malachi in the Old Testament. This study will continue for several months.

Ladies, if you are interested in joining an amazing group of wonderful, Godly women who are diligently studying God's Word, we meet in the game room in the Lodge on Fridays from 10:30 to 11:45 am. We will be looking for you. Hope to see you soon! ~ **Eileen Gilbert-Antoine**



INTERCESSORY PRAYER GROUP

Greetings friends and neighbors from the Intercessory Prayer Group.

You are invited to come and join us in prayer in the Game Room on Monday, March 5, at 9 am. We meet on the first Monday of each month.

It is our privilege to come in agreement and pray for families, the sick, shut-in, and the lonely. We also pray for our country, the President, legislative, executive, and judicial branches of the government. We also pray for our community, and our city, all who work at the Lodge, and the Board. So, come and join us. Looking forward to seeing you. Men are also welcome. ~ **Cookie Bonner**

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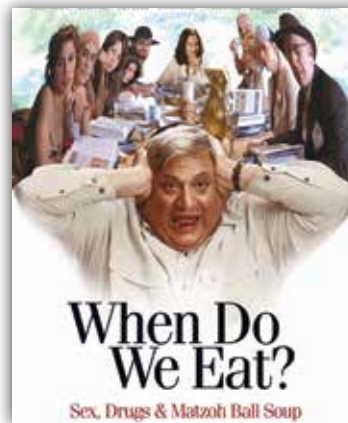
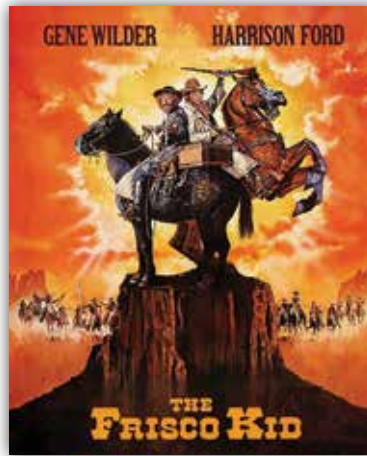
CHAVURAH (HA-VU-RAH) JEWISH SOCIAL CLUB

The Chavurah Jewish Social Club was formed to give Jewish members of the Four Seasons community a place to meet and gather, and a place to explore their Jewish identity. Then it was decided to open membership to any member of the community to give them the opportunity to explore the cultural aspects of Judaism and add to the understanding and tolerance of different cultures in our world.

On March 18 the club will be meeting for its monthly Bagel and Movie Bash. One of three different movies will be shown. *The Hebrew Hammer*, *When Do We Eat*, *Frisco Kid* — decision will be made during February's movie (look for flyer in the Lodge).

April 1 through April 7 is Passover. April 7 is currently planned as the date for our Passover Seder. Date subject to change based on the number of participants. Please call Nancy Justice (951) 769-5804, by March 10 to confirm reservation. This event is open to all community residents. It is traditional to have a Seder on the last night of Passover and so we planned our event for later this year to allow our members to have their own Seder on the first or second night.

I'm still looking for new ideas to expand our events. If you have an idea, please call and let me know. We are also looking for speakers — if you know someone you think would interest the group, please let me know. Info., call Nancy Justice at (951) 769-5894. ~ *Nancy Justice*



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Since our space is limited, we are no longer accepting cookbooks.

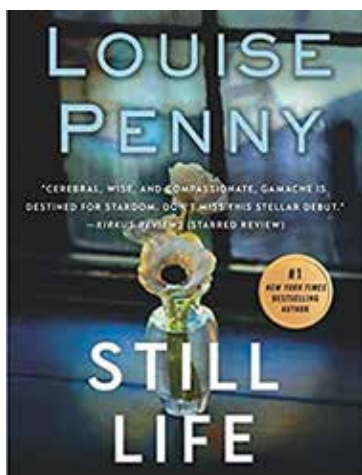
We are now displaying the magazines on a table rather than a shelf in order to make more shelf space for our books. We ask that

magazine donations be only for this current year and we're not accepting catalog donations.

We are hoping that these changes will make our library more user friendly.

A cart is provided for returns and we ask that you use the cart and not put books on the shelves.

We are so fortunate to have such a well stocked library and we thank you all for your donations and timely return of books! ~ **Dave and Maryalice Chorba**



BOOK CLUB

Our book for the month of March is *Still Life* by Louise Penny. *Still Life* is the first in a series of 13 highly acclaimed, best-selling mysteries featuring Chief Inspector Armand Gamache of the Sûreté du Québec.

The Inspector and his team of investigators are called to the scene of a suspicious death in a rural village south of Montreal. Jane Neal, a long-time resident of Three Pines, has been found dead in the woods. The locals are certain

it's a tragic hunting accident and nothing more; however, Gamache is soon certain that Jane died at the hands of someone much more sinister than a careless bow hunter.

Join us on Tuesday, March 13 at 9:30 am in the Lodge Conference Room. April's selection is *Just Mercy* by Bryan Stevenson. For more information about the Book Club, please contact Doreen Sanders at (951) 769-1913. ~ **Joyce Bricker**

WRITER'S CLUB

When you read do you think, "I could write better than that?" If you do, you could be a writer and don't know it, yet! Maybe you could write the book better than the author you're reading. You won't know until you try!

The Writer's Club is for you and others who need encouragement, direction and fellowship toward attaining individual writing goals. Just like there are different types of books, there are different kinds of authors.

Our next meeting is March 13 at 1:30 pm somewhere in the Lodge. We will be debriefing the meet and greet the club hosted on Feb. 28 among other agenda items.

Join us and begin your writing saga. ~ **Karla Noonan**

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AFRICAN AMERICAN CULTURAL CLUB

A World Without Black People Toni Johns facilitated our Black History Month kick-off program where members participated in a reading based on the story entitled, *A World Without Black People*, by Philip Meagwali.

The story began with a young boy named Theo, who asked his mother the question, "Mom, What if there were no black people in the world?" The story proceeds as Theo and his mother go about their daily chores; all the items invented by black people disappeared.

All of a sudden, Theo's clothes were wrinkled because there was no ironing board as it was invented by Sarah Boone, a black woman. He didn't have shoes because the shoe lasting machine was invented by Jan E. Matzelinger, a black man. He couldn't brush his hair because the hairbrush was made by Lydia O. Newman, a black female. "What a sight," his mom said; no shoes, wrinkled clothes and his hair was a mess!

As Theo continued with his chores, he swept the floor but had no dust pan; it was made by Lloyd P. Ray, a black man.

He couldn't mop it because it was made by Thomas W. Stewart, a black man. His laundry took longer because; the clothes dryer was made by George T. Samon, a black man. Theo tried to use a pencil to make a grocery list for his mother but had no pencil sharpener; it was made by John Love, a black man; and the pen was missing because it was made by William Purvis, a black man.

Theo also couldn't mow the lawn because; the lawn mower was made by John Burr, a black man. These are just some of the key inventions that made a difference in American life.

Other inventions created by black people are the invention of the automatic gearshift by Richard Spikes, a black man, and the supercharge system for internal combustion engines invented by Joseph Gammel. Garrett A. Morgan, a black man invented the traffic light. John Standard, a black man, invented the refrigerator. Alice Parker, a black female invented the heating furnace, and Frederick Jones, a black man invented the air conditioner.



In addition, Henry T. Sampson invented the cellular phone; T. Marshall invented the fire extinguisher; Alexander Miles invented the elevator; and Dr. Charles Drew discovered the technique of storing blood plasma and as a result, the first blood bank was formed. Dr. Daniel Hale Williams, performed the first open-heart surgery.

The next AACC meeting is Monday, March 5 in the Lodge at 6 pm. For information, contact Joyce Allen at (951) 769-4354 or Roxie Elliott at (951) 769-2517 for more information. ~Regina Thomas

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Robolights Festival in Palm Springs during this past holiday season and taken by our chairperson Irve Sturner

CAMERA CLUB

We meet the third Tuesday of each month at 6:30 pm in the RCN Main Lobby Room; thus, our March meeting will be March 20.

In our January meeting, we showed photographs from the holiday season. In addition, our chairperson, Irve Sturner, showed us a short clip of pictures he took of the Robolights Festival (see above picture and caption).

Also, at our January meeting, club member Steve Edelman, who is also a member of the Four Seasons Birding Club, invited us to a Feb. 17 Birding Club field trip. I'll report on this next month.

Our February meeting had not yet been held at the time of this

writing, but the assignment was birding photography. I'll report on this next month too.

In addition, we are trying to line up professional photographer Felix Marquez to do an encore appearance as a guest speaker for our March meeting. Stay tuned.

Visitors are always welcome. We invite all photographers, regardless of skill level, to join us for our regular meetings, workshops, in-house hardware and software demonstrations, guest speakers, field trips, and more.

We hope to see you soon. ~ Lyle Cameron

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RAINBOW GROUP

The Four Seasons Rainbow Group is an informal opportunity for our LGBT neighbors, and any other residents who are interested in meeting with us, to keep up-to-date, meet new members and to have a relaxing dinner together. We meet every month on the fourth Thursday - our next meeting will be on Thursday, March 22 at 6 pm. We gather at the

atrium in the Lodge, order any Smitty's food items that we want and then move to the Lodge Card Room. Feel free to bring your own adult beverage, if you desire, and appropriate glassware. Everyone is welcome. Any questions can be directed to Dale at (951) 797-0364. ~ **Dale Beckes**

SEASONED SOLOS

If you are single and enjoy a variety of activities, then Seasoned Solos just might be the group for you. We currently have 20 plus members.

At each meeting we discuss what is going on in the Inland Empire and plan activities for the coming month, from local lunches and dinners to excursions to Presidential Libraries, Redlands Bowl, Metro Link trips into LA and the beach train to San Juan Capistrano. There's not much that we won't consider doing.

We meet on the first Friday of each month in the Lodge Craft Room at 6 pm.

For further information call Joyce at (951) 850-3055. ~ **Joyce Olson**

FOUR SEASONS SINGERS

The Four Season Singers are privately preparing for a memorial service for one of our own singers.

In March we will be starting our preparations for the April Performing Arts Club Show on April 27 - 28. If you would like to join us at that time, or if you have questions about the Four Seasons Singers, call (951) 797-3466 or email me at bawasco@dc.rr.com. ~ **Barbara Wasco**

CLASSICAL MUSIC CLUB

We are classical music lovers with an interest in sharing our love, knowledge, and interest in classical music. We meet on the second Thursday of each month at 7 pm in the Theater. We listen to and watch musical selections on the big screen. Each month we focus on a particular work or several selections of one composer. We also discuss current musical performances in the area. We welcome new members. Contact Steve Benoff at steve.benoff@verizon.net or (310) 413-4896. ~ **Steve Benoff**



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Brian Anderson looks on as partner Pete Antoine takes a shot



Barbara Dipoma is deep in concentration



Dale Weekley grins as he lines up his shot

BILLIARDS FOR FUN

On Feb. 12, the Billiards for Fun Group was challenged to a tournament by the Curly Cues. Okay, so in the past the Billiards group was given several handicaps, so the Curly Cues won the two prior tournaments. However, this time there were no handicaps - which makes it open season for the BFFG members to exercise their amazing skills. However, since this article is due before the tournament takes place, the results will have to be announced in April. Sorry!

On Feb. 20, the BFFG also held their first in-house tournament of the year. As usual, it was an amazing display of talent and expertise among the players, and, uh... oh, yes, the winners will be announced

in April as well. Sorry again.

Although many of our members were out due to the flu, the Billiards for Fun Group members kept honing their skills as they play against each other every week. Each Tuesday at 11 am to 1 pm or 1 to 3 pm; also there is an open-to-the-community practice session on Saturdays in the same time slots. C'mon out and have some fun with that dusty pool stick of yours! (If you don't have one, there are plenty to choose from in the Billiards Room - but they're not dusty.) This is a really fun group of men and women who enjoy the game. Come join us. ~ **Eileen Gilbert-Antoine**

THE 8-BALL CLUB

It's amusing how our double elimination in-house tournaments work out sometimes. During our 8-Ball tournament, Kenny Payne and Larry Rice were first up to play each other. Larry won that game and Larry went on undefeated in a field of nine players into the final match. Meanwhile Kenny dropped into the losers bracket and proceeded to win the next five games to meet Larry in that final match. According to the rules of "Double Elimination" Larry only had to win one game to become champion, which he did; but great exhibition of talent by Kenny Payne in his attempt at the title. Congratulations to Larry Rice, 8-Ball Champ!

9-Ball this month produced a field of 12 players vying for the monthly title. Once again this month Kenny Payne had to fight back from the loser's bracket winning five games in a row to face Leo Babin in the finals. Kenny tied with Leo with one loss each after winning game one then proceeded to take the second game as well, clinching the 9-Ball Champion Title this month. Congratulations Kenny!

For information regarding the 8 Ball Club contact any club officer; Captain: Del Lyles, Sr. (951) 845-5114, Co-Captain: Roland Harrah (951) 267-3793 rolandthanh@msn.com or Thanh Harrah, Secretary/Treasurer (951) 267-3793. ~ **Roland Harrah**



Leo Babin



Kenny Payne



Larry Rice

CURLY CUES

Our Curly Cues have had a busy month, hard to believe it's already March. Time flies when you're having fun and we always have fun. We welcome all you ladies to come join us!

We play two sessions on Mondays from 11 am to 1 pm or 1 to 3 pm, whichever fits your schedule. Partners are selected by pulling peas (numbers) to determine who will partner up for that day's play. This is a great way to get to know one another and avoid anyone feeling left out.

Our 1st quarterly tournament was held on Jan. 22 and what a good time we had! Our top team from our first session was Teri Martin and Bonnie McKenna, second session was Joy Collins and Bev Lunetta. Congrats to our overall winners Teri and Bonnie.

New members this month are Jane Slamer, Sandy Dwyer, and Tracey Laykoff. Our group is growing in popularity, so don't miss out. We are willing to teach those who have never played or need help.

Hope to see you soon! ~ **O'Leta Ramirez and Pat Semler**



L-R: Teri Martin, Bonnie McKenna, Joy Collins, & Bev Lunetta



Bonnie McKenna & Teri Martin strategizing.

CUES FOR TWO

Cues 4 Two is a billiards group for couples. We play on Thursdays from 6 to 8 pm. Our group is expanding rapidly and we may add another session from 4 to 6 pm in order to accommodate everyone.

We currently have about 12-13 couples, our newest members are Jim and Bonnie McKenna and Tom and Jane Slamer. What fun it is watching the husbands and wives play partners. The women don't like to be told how to shoot by their husbands and are constantly telling them to be quiet, just like being at home. Lots of joking around and calling for a mediator to interject.

Our first quarterly tournament will be on March 8 and should be very interesting.

Cues 4 Two is hosted by Johnny and Leta Ramirez (626) 695-0798

and Bob and Pat Semler (714) 325-5280. Please feel free to call if you have questions.

We would love to have you come join the fun! ~ **O'Leta Ramirez and Pat Semler**

WILD BUNCH BILLIARDS

The "Wild Bunch" 8-Ball Billiards group is geared for those individuals who want to play competitively with those of their skill level. We started the new year with inviting the "best of the best" from Sun Lakes to play in competition on Fridays, from 1 to 3:30 pm in our Billiards Room at Four Seasons. It has been a great success with the skill levels ranging from level four to level seven.

The "Wild Bunch" consists of some of the best players in the league: Calvin Moore, Joe Spinella, Lucas Don, Robert Turner, Pete Antoine, Mike Corbett, Carlos Rivera, LeRoy Wright and Gracy Luna.

If you want to play serious, competitive pool, we invite you to come by the Billiards Room and join in the stimulation of competitive play. We do not play with partners; we play one-on-one with an opponent of your skill level. We are always looking for those who want to play competitively and, who knows, you just may want to change up your game and play on the team. And, most important, we have a good time! ~ **Gracy Luna**

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KIWANIS CLUB OF BEAUMONT

The Kiwanis Annual Breakfast was a great success. We served lots of eggs, sausages and pancakes. Thanks to all who attended and supported our breakfast and fundraiser.

We have given the Kiwanis Scholarship Applications to Beaumont High School. Students will be able to apply for the scholarships. All scholarship applications will be reviewed by the Kiwanis Scholarship Committee. The scholarships will be awarded May 17 at Beaumont High School at Senior Awards Night.

We are also working on our 13th Annual Cherry Fest Car & Motorcycle Show which will be held May 26 at Stewart Park at Ninth & Orange in Beaumont. Entry forms may be obtained online at www.beaumontcherryfestival.org, or SoCal Car Culture. The Cherry Fest Car and Motorcycle Show is one of our biggest fundraisers. Last year



we had 175 cars on display and several motorcycles. Several hundred people came out to view the cars and motorcycles.

We are looking for new members. The more members we have, the more services we can provide the community, helping the children of the world and the community of Beaumont.

The Beaumont Kiwanis Club meets in the Lodge Conference Room every Thursday except for the first Thursday of the month. The meeting starts at 6:30 pm. Many of the members come early and order at the Bistro and eat prior to the meeting. You do not need to be a resident of Four Seasons to be a Kiwanis member.

For further information, Call Buzz Dopf at (909) 208-0880. Hope to see you soon! ~ **Buzz Dopf**

TOPS

TOPS (Take off Pounds Sensibly) is here at Four Seasons and we have a great group of men and women who are here to provide support and encouragement to help you reach your weight loss goal.

Our programs include discussions regarding nutrition, motivation, health, fitness and other related topics. A lot of our members have reached their goal and are enjoying their new lifestyle changes to maintain their weight.

The month of January our biggest losers were Charles Caldera and Laurie Larson.

TOPS is also very affordable with a yearly membership fee of \$32 which includes a great magazine every two months plus \$3 chapter dues per month. We meet at the Lodge on Tuesday mornings with weigh-in from 8 to 8:30 and the meeting 8:30 to 9:30. You may attend one meeting with no obligation. You really should come and see what we are all about. You have nothing to lose but maybe a little weight.

For more information please contact our chapter leader and Four Seasons resident, Cathy Calhoun at (951) 849-2614 or Rosalee Strong, TOPS Area Captain at (951) 845-9313. ~ **Cheryl Burke**

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If you are a morning person, putting begins on every Monday

at 9:30 am. If you prefer to putt under the stars, join the group on Fridays at 6:30 pm. All sessions take place on The Courts putting green.

If you would like to try something new, or if you are an experienced golfer, all ladies are welcome!

For additional information, or any questions please contact Judy Irving at (951) 922-2525. ~ **Vivian Walker**

HORSESHOE CLUB

Well it was Super Bowl Sunday and I was writing this article – GO EAGLES! We're still in the process of updating and improving our horseshoe venue at The Summit. Two new matching benches will be installed, one at each end of the venue along with two score boards from the Bocce Ball courts, both of which will add a more professional look to the whole thing. In addition, a request has been submitted to replace the worn out front board of each of the four pits. Our First Quarterly Tournaments were held the last two weeks of February and

due to Breeze scheduling, the winners will be announced in the April issue along with pictures. We meet every Wednesday at 9 am at The Summit, and with the warmer weather, participation is at an all-time high. More players equals more fun, so come on out and join us and don't worry, if you can't throw a horseshoe 40 feet, we'll let you step up to your comfort spot, within reason of course. Our contacts are: Ron Erickson at (951) 846-3288, rejlerickson@sbcglobal.net or Gary Christie at (951) 845-0520, goldtoy@earthlink.net. ~ **Ron Erickson**

BASKETBALL

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At right is a picture of Hidden Beach in Blythe and the Kenyon's 4-wheeling to a miner's camp. For some excitement the group also went to Quartzite, Parker, and Blue Water Casino. We are planning trips to Pechanga, Las Vegas, Pahrump, Bishop, Sedona and more this year and would love to have you come along. We meet the second Tuesday at 6 pm in the Lodge, or you can contact our resident chef Bob Cooper at (909) 684-6388 or President Ron Burke at (909) 203-8005 for more information. ~ **Larry Z**



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HOW TO CALM A DOG THAT BARKS

In last month's post we talked about why dogs bark. This month we will talk about how to calm a barking dog. Although a barking dog can warn of impending peril or danger and serve a useful purpose, a barking dog can quickly become annoying, especially to neighbors, if done excessively. Here are some tips to quiet a barking dog.

1. Shouting at a barking dog only stimulates them. Speak quietly and calmly to quiet them.
2. Use the word "quiet" as the cue word to silence your dog. Speak in a calm, firm voice. Hold a finger to your lips to give a visual cue as well as the spoken cue.
3. Reward your dog with a treat or play as soon as they respond to your command.
4. A tired dog is a quiet dog. Take your dog for a walk or vigorous play in your yard before you leave the house for an extended period of time if you know your dog may bark while you are away.
5. Address a barking issue immediately. The longer barking is allowed to continue, the more difficult it is to correct.
6. Talk to your dog's vet to see if there is some physical or health related problem that may cause your dog to bark.
7. If away from home for extended periods, confine the dog indoors in a single windowless room. This prevents your dog from being motivated by exterior stimulation.
8. If a dog is barking because they are demanding food, water, or attention, never reward the bad behavior. Ignore them until they remain quiet for a few minutes and then reward them.
9. Never scold a dog for barking. Confine them in a room and ignore them until the desired response is achieved.

10. Redirect a barking dog's attention. Give them something more interesting to do than what they are barking at. Usually this means some sort of play with a favorite toy.

11. Never use a "shock collar" or "bark collar." Frequently these devices result in increased barking reactivity. Consult with your vet before using this type of device on your dog.

Patience with your dog is always key in correcting inappropriate or undesirable behavior.

Pack Walks: all dogs are welcome and we practice techniques to calm barking dogs:

- Saturday morning, 8 am, meet at the Spa parking lot
- Wednesday afternoon, 4 pm, meet at the Summit parking lot (please, no retractable leashes)

Dog Owners Group, Patrick and his dog, Ricky Ricardo:
dog_owners@yahoo.com. ~ **Patrick Gerety**



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Our community is filled with loving hearts. Many Four Seasons residents adopt, donate, volunteer, rescue, and foster animals in dire need. All are essential but fostering saves lives in a very profound way.

Fostering clears scarce shelter and rescue space, enabling more animals to find comforting refuge from the perils of abandonment, neglect, and a life filled with fear and pain. When we foster, we enhance at least four lives: the pet we foster; the pet who took their space in a shelter or rescue; the human family who will eventually adopt that furry foster kid; and our own.

For those who cannot make the lifetime commitment required for adoption, fostering is a great way to save many lives. It also has little to no cost to the foster family. Most rescue agencies cover the costs of food and medical needs, especially for animals who have required surgery or treatment for illness. Recovery in a loving home is vastly preferable to recovering in a shelter.

Traumatized animals who previously felt and looked the worse for wear can get their "shine" back under foster care. Fosters come to know the personalities and habits of their furry charges and have

information to share with prospective adopters. While rescue and shelter workers get to know the animals, there is nothing better than the insight that can be gained from observing these pets in a home environment.

Saying 'goodbye' to our foster pets is as much a celebration as it is a farewell – because WE helped an animal find a forever family. Or... some may enjoy the paradox of becoming a 'foster failure,' which means you just can't say 'goodbye' to that furry nugget and want him all to yourself! Where else can you fail and still feel like you just won the lottery?

Foster families must be fully screened by a qualified agency like one of our rescue partner organizations. To be considered as a foster home here in Four Seasons, our Tails & Trails group can connect you with trusted rescue partners. Both short- and long-term foster households are needed. Please contact us at (951) 295-7209 and we will put you in touch.

Our next Tails & Trails meeting will be Wednesday, March 28 in the RCN. Contact us at marthabaumgarten@hotmail.com. ~ **Martha Baumgarten**

PICKLEBALL

On Jan. 13 our Four Seasons pickleball family had its first round robin tournament. All of the players had to battle the "Blowmont winds" but all still managed to have a fabulous time.

There were 37 players who played in the men's or women's division. After a four-way tie for the most points earned in the women's group, a playoff game was needed to determine first and second winners. Kellie Boggs took first place and Julie Stayner took second place. In the men's division, Richard Carrasco took first place and Perry White took second place.

In the women's and men's mixed division, there were 32 players. There were some very exciting games. The winning team in this event was Marty Key and Bernie Albanese.

A BIG thank you goes out to Jesse Aceves and LynnRae Dupree who organized our round robin event. All of their hard work was greatly appreciated.

The new pickleball courts are "open" for play during The Lodge hours. If a group of players want to play for a specific reason (ie. practicing a specific skill, drills, practicing for an upcoming tournament), the players will place a RESERVE sign at their court. Fortunately, we now have other courts to go and play our popular game.

New players to pickleball are encouraged to come out on Tuesday at 9 am or on Thursday at 4 pm to learn the basic skills of pickleball. Court shoes are HIGHLY recommended.

If you have any questions, please contact Nancy Barnaby at (951) 845-0842 or rbarnaby38@verizon.net. Be sure to check out our new Facebook site Four Seasons Pickleballers! Happy pickling! ~ **Irma Peterson**



*Winners: Marty Key & Bernie Albanese mixed group
Julie Stayner (2nd place) & Kellie Boggs (1st place) women's
Richard Carrasco (1st place) & Perry White (2nd place) men's*



Jan. 13 Round Robin Players



*LynnRae Dupree and Jesse Aceves
event organizers*

*Kellie and John Boggs at
Venice Beach enjoying
Paddle Tennis*



PADDLE TENNIS

My name is Kellie Boggs. My husband John and I are one year new to Four Seasons and while checking out all of the fun activities, we were drawn to a "pop" sound on one of the courts at the Lodge. That's where we discovered paddle tennis or pop tennis as it's also known. Since we both play racquet sports, paddle tennis was an easy conversion. With the smaller courts and many great and welcoming players, we were able to start enjoying this fast-paced, high action game immediately. We have really enjoyed the camaraderie and getting to know the other players and their spouses at potlucks, parties and mini tournaments. If you're looking for a new challenge or a way to meet people, or just want to blast 400-500 calories without hitting the gym for the whole day, come out and join us! Just follow the sound of the "pop." ~ **Kellie Boggs**

TENNIS CLUB

March is going to be a great month for tennis. In nearby Indian Wells, the BNP Paribas Open Tennis Tournament will be held between March 5 and March 18, the date of the Finals. The first two days, March 5 and 6, are for qualifying and practice with free admission for fans. This is a special opportunity to see the best tennis players in the world close up, before they work their way to the huge stadium courts.

After you have spent a couple of days watching the best tennis players in the world, you may be ready to participate, or spectate, for the best senior tennis players in the San Geronio Pass. On March 10, the Tennis Club will be hosting the first ever Social Inter-Club Tennis Event involving Four Seasons Beaumont and Sun Lakes Tennis Club players. There will be Mixed Doubles, Women's Doubles, and Men's Doubles matches.

While the goal is to have fun and meet other players, the participants will be playing hard to see which club will prevail as the champions of the South Highland Springs Region. If you didn't lose your shirt betting on the New England Patriots to win the Super Bowl, and still want to make a (legal) wager, just between you and me, based on past performances, Sun Lakes would be considered the favorite. But the Las Vegas casinos haven't posted their betting odds yet, so you can wager with your heart and pull for Four Seasons. (Legal compliance note: this article may include satire and is not promoting illegal gambling. If you think that you may be a problem gambler, get some

help.) Nevertheless, we will be proud to share the awesome Tennis Complex at The Courts with our neighbors from the east. Players must register to participate by March 1 to allow time for organizing the teams. Naturally, we're gonna eat, too. For players, their guests, and tournament viewers, BBQ burgers and wiener lunches will be available for the very modest fee of \$5 per person, while supplies last.

The Tennis Club is pleased to welcome our new members: Sheryl Beckman, Gary Byrd, Alex Castanon, Glenn King, and Sheila Lam. Also, we welcome back Jocelyn Green, who will probably smack me for mentioning her. ~ **Steve Hovey**



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Rony Tordesillas and Suchart Sudhamma enjoying a friendly singles match

PING PONG

Let the games begin! We will be holding the first tournament of 2018 in March. The tournament is open to all levels of experience. Dates are as follows:

March 17: Women's singles at 9:30 am. Women's doubles at 1 pm.

March 24: Men's singles at 9:30 am. Men's doubles at 1 pm.

There will be sign-up sheets in the Multipurpose Room located at The Courts or, you may email Don Fant at dlifant@yahoo.

Spectators are always encouraged. Brackets and teams will be chosen randomly the night before and displayed on our newly purchased 48" x 36" white board the morning of the competition.

Our goal is to hold a tournament every quarter so, if you are unable to attend in March, stay tuned as there will be more dates announced soon.

Whether you're an experienced ping pong player or have never played, we have

something for everyone. For beginners, there is instruction on Thursdays at 10 am and for the "A" player, we have an advanced group that meets on Tuesdays 2 to 4 pm. Please contact Don Fant if you are interested in the "A" group, as there is a qualification process for this group.

Regular club hours are Monday 10 am to 3 pm, Tuesday 10 am to 2 pm and Wednesday thru Saturday 10 am to 3 pm.

See you at The Courts. ~ **Tracey Laykoff**

FISHING CLUB

I cannot believe that it is March already. Because of injuries, I have been going to the doctor's office more than I have been fishing. I am really ready to go after the big fish and I am getting better health-wise.

One of my good fishing buddies, Jim Stover, has moved to Yuma, Arizona. Before he left he told me that I could come fishing with him in Yuma anytime I wanted. Guess what? I will be heading to Yuma to go fishing with Jim as soon as he is settled in.

I know that in the next several months there will be all kinds of fishing tournaments to go to and have a great time fishing. When I find out about a local fishing tournament I will post the information on the Lodge board so, if you are interested, you can give it a shot. If enough people are interested I can set up a guided fishing trip on a guide boat. This trip will probably be to Diamond Valley Lake. One of the guides I talked to said that he can take four people on his boat. He will supply all the fishing equipment and bait. All

we have to do is show up and pay him and away we go. I can almost assure you that we will catch fish and have a great time doing it. After I get enough people interested, I will call you with all the information about the fishing trip. Once again, I will post the interest sign-up at the Lodge board.

Any time you go fishing there is always a little planning that has to be done in order to have a good trip. I usually spend a couple

of hours making calls and getting my fishing equipment ready. Never forget to take three things: tackle box, fishing poles, and a fishing net. I have a checklist that I go through to make sure that I have everything I need to have a great time fishing. Tight lines to all my fishing friends and remember, it is a great time to go fishing and make new friends. ~

Richard Carrasco



Dennis Boozer with nice cat taken from Lake Wohlford.



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MOTORCYCLE CLUB

Over the past summer and fall our weekly rides took us to cool weather destinations like Big Bear, San Diego and San Clemente. With winter upon us, we will be heading to warmer desert regions. We are so fortunate to live and ride out of Beaumont because, weather permitting, there is a seemingly endless choice of weekly rides that can be taken whether it's hot or cold. In addition to our weekly ride, the club takes multi-day rides about three to four times per year. Multi-day rides this past year included a three-day Bishop, Death Valley, Las Vegas loop, a two-day run to Ojai and a two-day San Diego run. This coming May, several of us have signed up for a seven-day Utah run.

Getting ready for another ride. Clockwise: Scott Snyder, Terry Humble, Jim Ayala, Bob Howard, Ron Morgan, Rich Wayne

If you love to ride and you enjoy the company of a great group of fellow riders, please join the club! The club meets the first Wednesday of each month at 6 pm at the Lodge. Our weekly rides start out from the Lodge parking lot on Thursdays promptly at 9 am. Also, if you are relatively new to riding, don't let that discourage you. We are not picky about what you ride. A typical collection of rides on any given Thursday will include Harley Davidson, Triumph, BMW, Kawasaki, Yamaha, Honda, CanAm and Victory.

If you would like to know more about the motorcycle club, give our club president, Terry Humble, a call at 951-381-1354. Better yet, join us at our next club meeting. We'd love to meet you! ~ *Jim Ayala*

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BIRDING CLUB

The Four Seasons Birding Club welcomes beginning and experienced birders to start or hone bird identification skills. The club's main activity is a monthly birdwalk along Four Seasons' beautiful nature trails, which follow native riparian woodlands. We also take field trips to local birding hot spots, discuss backyard bird feeding, and share information on unusual species and behaviors.

The club keeps track of all bird sightings at Four Seasons and we compile our observations on a bird list. To date, we have documented 66 bird species at Four Seasons! The most recent addition to the list was also our first member "rare bird report." Mike Lilly observed an American Kestrel near the corner of Diamond Peak and Stellar Peak in early January and realized this species was not yet on our club bird list. So he took the picture to the right to document the club's 66th species!

In the birding world, the first observation of a new species in a given area is called a "first record," so Mike's observation was Four Seasons' first record for American Kestrel. Finding a first record is the Holy Grail for "serious" birders, who scour their local counties for county first records of various species. The way to become a birding big shot is to find state and North American first records, which must

be reviewed by state and national "checklist committees" before the species is added to official lists.

The Four Seasons Birding Club meets on the first Saturday of each month at 8 am in the Lodge RCN Lobby, talk about birding, then go on our bird walk directly from the Lodge for about an hour. Bring your binoculars or just come to a meeting and ask about birding gear. Sometimes our schedule changes, so before coming to a meeting and to receive club communications, email Steve Edelman at steve.h.edelman@gmail.com. ~ **Steve Edelman**



Birding Club member Mike Lilly captured this photo of an adult male American Kestrel, North America's smallest and most common falcon, to document Four Seasons' first record of the species

Bird of the Month

In the southwestern U.S., winter wouldn't be winter without the handsome White-crowned Sparrow. White-crowned sparrows breed in arctic tundra and western mountains and they spend the winter at lower elevations in the west and across the southern U.S. and Mexico. White-crowned sparrows arrive at Four Seasons in mid-October, where they move in flocks through the bushes and are usually the commonest species at our seed feeders. The smart black-and-white head, pale beak, and unstreaked gray breast make it one of the surest sparrow identifications. Immature birds have brown crowns (no black or white), and both adult and immature plumages occur in about equal numbers in winter flocks.

White-crowned sparrows sing year round and

their whistled songs are a common sound of winter at Four Seasons. Male white-crowned sparrows do most of the singing, but sometimes females sing a quieter and more variable song. Male white-crowned sparrows learn their songs during the first few months of life from their singing neighbors and typically breed close to where they were raised, so song dialects have developed over time.

Alaskan white-crowned sparrows migrate about 2,600 miles to winter in Southern California, so our birds are likely from Alaska. The oldest recorded white-crowned sparrow lived in here in California and was at least 13 years four months old. Don't tell anyone – the white-crowned sparrows at Four Seasons may not be 55+! ~ **Steve Edelman**



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Beautiful scenery is the setting for play. Great game, fun, exercise with friends, all a few steps south of RCN Building at the Lodge. All are welcome to join and learn. Who goes first? Which color disks go? How do we strategize to block, kill other teams' points, and score for our own team. Players use a cue (cue-stick), to push their colored disks down the court. Each time we play, we draw for "random mix" teams. For more information, call Mike Saperstein at (951) 769-7909, or Larry Anderson at (951) 846-3123. ~ *Mike Saperstein*



Friday after play socials: (L-R) Buzz Mark, Charlie Leger, Marian Mark, Macy Chen, Mike Saperstein, Margi Spies, Jack Spies, Jim Johnson

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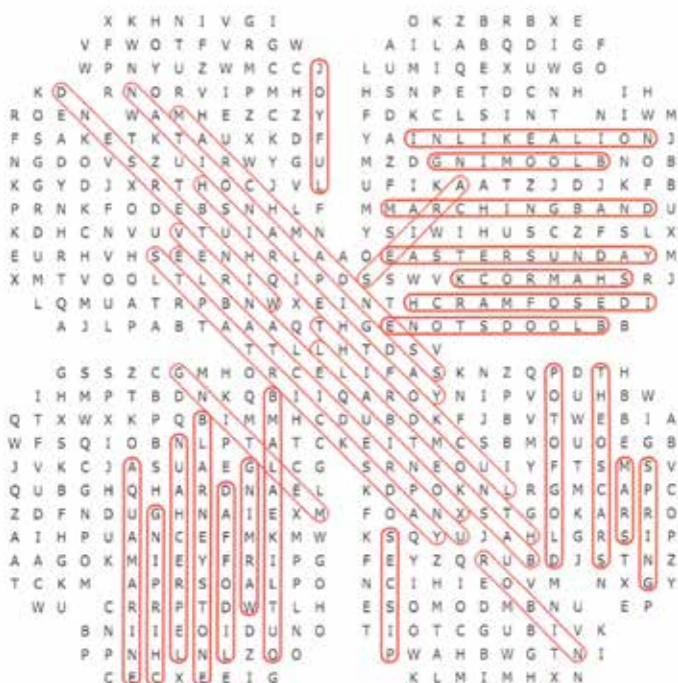
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We started this club last fall when the above photo was taken in the eastern hills near Lamb's Canyon. A Big Foot is rarely spotted this far west and we are very excited about the prospects of documenting his (or her) existence in our very own backyard! We have weekly planning meetings on Sundays at 6 pm in the Lodge where we map out quadrants we will explore each day during the upcoming week.

Three members are selected to wear "bait" suits: A gorilla suit sprayed with gorilla pheromones (for possible mating), a peacock suit (because Big Foots like pretty colors), and a horse suit (horseback riding is widely accepted to be Big Foot's favorite outdoor sport).

Then, every morning Monday through Saturday, we start at a predetermined spot and fan out, looking for evidence, from 7 am to 3 pm, at which time we take a break for lunch. We resume our search until dusk then return to Four Seasons to meet and compare notes.

If this sounds like something you would enjoy, please contact Stacey Parr, our lead Big Foot investigator and board member of the Big Foot Seekers of America, at (909) 435-5042. ~ **Harry Henderson**



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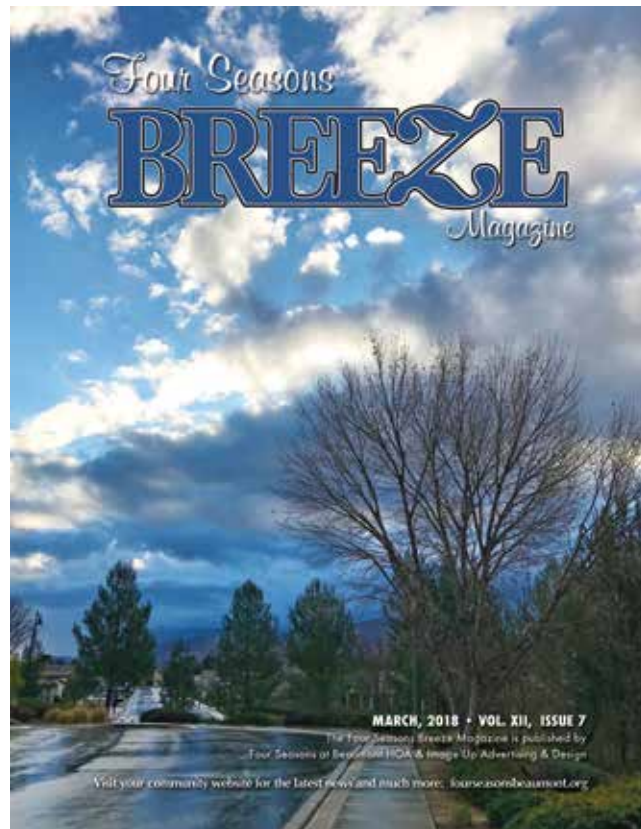
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