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Congratulations to the two big winners in our bingo games. The winners are Rose Vitale and Ann Kandrac. Enjoy!

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Several of our friends are in the hospital and at this time we wish them a speedy recovery. Hurry back Lad Cimlar, Christine Stech and Fay Levitt.

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Walter Ruth and Mary Calabrese are improving day by day. Keep it up.

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Travel time again and our friends are covering the country. Mae Gaghan is in Pennsylvania, Allan Heckaman is in Florida and Bernard Shilling was in Las Vegas. Rose Marie Leotta is in California visiting her sister.

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Just heard that Charles Hridel is in the hospital. Get well soon, Charlie.

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MEMBERS Please check the expiration dates on your cards. You don't want to miss any of the activities!

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MALL TRIPS

April 10th          Euclid

April 24th          Mentor

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RESIDENTS: Be sure to turn in your new license numbers so we have them on file. Thank you.

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A speedy recovery to Betty Kosak Gawor. She is home now and doing well.

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Our party table decorations in the dining room are the combined efforts of Mae Gaghan, Maggie Strache and Clara Colson. Thanks gals.

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Congratulations to Margaret Rose. She is now a great-grandmother for the first time!

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Do all of you green-thumb gardeners have your plans made for your gardens? Spring is here to planting time will be here before you know it.

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Our sympathy to Margaret Trivisonno on the recent death of her sister. Also to Betty Kosak Gawor. Her sister also passed away recently.

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## SEWING CLASS

I don't know about you but I have spring fever already. My daffodils are coming up as I write this and my geraniums are sprouting in my family room. I'm grateful for longer days and sunny skies--it gives me new energy to get busy and get to work. It's the perfect time to start a new sewing project--the new fabrics and colors are simply beautiful. Perhaps you have an old sewing project to finish first. Why not get it out of the way then you can start a real project. There is nothing like the feeling of finishing something that is uniquely yours--your style, your color, your shape and your price range. Perhaps your wardrobe needs sprucing up. Styles change even if we don't. You probably can't stand to face your closet and all the winter clothes anymore. Spring is the perfect time for a new outlook and a new outfit. Don't you think so? See you Tuesday mornings.

Sally Kinney

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## WORLD WAR I VETS

The World War I veterans, Villa Serena Barracks #3482 and their Ladies Auxiliary will meet at 1:30 P.M. on Tuesday, April 8th at Villa Serena. All U.S. World War I vets are welcome.

Commander Mike Perella

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## REMINDER

In keeping with the traditions of the holyday season, all classes and activities are cancelled for the week of April 1st through the 6th. The only exception is the church services on Thursday, April 4th at 10:00 A.M.

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## MENS CLUB NEWS

At our March meeting it was announced the pool tournament was back in operation after an interruption of a couple of weeks. As of this writing there are a few openings, so if any of you men would like to join in for some fun on Monday evenings contact Lou Vargo in apt. 617. You don't have to be a pool shark to sign up -- you can be like the rest of us!

Welfare Chairman John Smola reported that Lad Cimlar was in the hospital. We hope Lad's recovery is speedy and that he will be back at the Villa before long.

The members were asked to consider a change in time or day of the week (or both) for our meeting nights in an effort to bolster attendance and attract new members. As all of you know, there are many activities here at the Villa and we feel we are flexible enough to consider a change so as not to be in conflict with any of them. It all proves once again there is never a dull moment at Villa Serena!

All members are urged to be present at our next meeting on Tuesday, April 9th at 7:00 P.M. We want every member to have a voice in this important matter.

See you at 7 o'clock on the 9th of April.

Bill Nau  
VP & Secy.

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## REMINDER

Don't forget to come to the special Banner Show on Thursday, April 4th at 1:00 P.M. The Heddelsens were here once before and the banners and all of the handwork involved is beautiful. See you there.

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VILLA SERENA DINNER MENUS

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FRIDAY, APRIL 12th

PASSOVER DINNER

Matzo ball soup

Chicken

Passover Cake

Wine

(Cost \$6.50)

FRIDAY, APRIL 26th

Choice of baked fish  
or Breaded Veal Cutlet

Potato

Vegetable

Dessert

(Cost \$5.00)



THERE WILL BE NO DINNER ON FRIDAY,

APRIL 19th

## MONDAY PINOCHLE

Pinochle players are still flocking to the card party on Monday evenings at 7:00 P.M. Why not join the group for an evening of fun.

The following were recent winners:

Feb. 25	H. Lasky	556	1.75
	W. Hellwig	544	1.50
	M. Dunlap	541	1.00
	M. McCurdy	530	.75
Mar. 4	F. Vormelker	589	2.00
	H. Burns	563	1.75
	R. Belz	558	1.25
	H. Lasky	548	1.00
Mar. 11	J. Musacchio	582	1.75
	H. Lasky	539	1.50
	A. Reinke	519	.75
	E. Carr	519	.75
	G. Schaefer	507	.25
Mar. 18	F. Simpson	572	2.00
	H. Griffin	568	1.75
	M. Blasko	556	1.25
	E. Carr	551	1.00

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## NEEDLEWORK CLASS

Monday afternoon? A nice group of women meet to knit, crochet or deedlepoint from 1 to 4 in the dining room. Come and stay as long as you wish.

Brush up on any craft you have not done for some time or would like to learn from scratch. You will be welcome.

If you do not have things to make for yourself, we are busy working on boutique items. Materials are furnished and your time would be greatly appreciated.

Phyllis Milbrodt

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## GREAT DAY FOR THE IRISH

On Friday, March 15th, the Villa Serena lobby was crowded with people attired in green--all Irish for the evening. Tables were decorated with green or white cloths and shamrock centerpieces. A cool can of beer was at each place. A great Irish dinner topped off with lemon pie with green meringue! What a treat!

We filled the Red/Blue room and lobby, as usual, for a musical program which was a little late in starting due to Mr. Chesler's decision to change to green slacks and jacket to keep up with the audience.

Our guests from the Institute of Music were Christopher Lloyd at the piano who accompanied the two singers, John Vergieli and Diana Vidu, both outstanding performers. Their program consisted of operatic selections as well as lighter numbers including "Old Black Magic," "Summertime" and "Kiss in Shadows" from The King and I. Several selections from "West Side Story" were well received.

March birthdays were celebrated enthusiastically by many guests. One anniversary couple was Mr. & Mrs. Jack Cole who claimed 34 years of wedded bliss. John Vergieli serenaded them with "This is My Beloved".

One of our best dressed diners was Mary Ann Tobin, complete in green with a green tam. She passed out Irish fortune cookies.

For all the good "Irish" in the audience we sang "Wild Irish Rose," and "When Irish Eyes are Smiling". The program closed with a wonderful rendition of "Funiculi, Funicula" by John.

Margaret Rose

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CHURCH SERVICES

Every Thursday at 10:00 A.M. one of the ministers or priests from the area comes to the Villa to conduct services. Some prayer, some singing and possibly a sermon since each minister is allowed to conduct the service in his own way.

The ministers for April are:

- 4th Rev. Robert Cline  
Messiah Lutheran Church
- 11th Rev. Boyer Wild  
Lyndhurst Baptist Church
- 18th Rev. Roger Spence  
Church of the Epiphany
- 25th Rev. Terry Taylor  
St. Bartholomew Episcopal Church.

Do join us any Thursday morning at 10:00. Everyone is welcome.

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TRAVELOGUE

On Wednesday of the week when everybody is Irish, the Rossers took us on a motor tour of Ireland. From the northern tip to the farthest western peninsula we saw Ireland as it is now and as it was in the castles and forts and monasteries. We sang along with the villagers and helped rethatch their roofs.

And then to the country of Wales. Beautiful and bleak the Welshmen can be proud of his heritage. We saw the Prince of Wales crowned. We even learned the name of a city with 56 letters in it! A very enjoyable evening.

Join us on Wednesday, April 17 at 7:00 when the Neiswanders will take us along on their trip to China.

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BOWLING NEWS

Do you like to bowl? Would you like to bowl with your friends from the Villa Serena? Then come to the Eastgate Coliseum any Monday at 1:00 P.M. Try it, you might like it.

The members of the 200 club are Marge Vobornik, 202, Joe Lessem, 209 and Frank Sparfka, 223.

Our Villa Serena Bowling Dinner will be in April but no date has been set as yet.

New Spring bowling members please call 442-3928 for further information.

Secy. Bill Pace

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SWINGO'S

Sunday, March 17th, a cold St. Patrick's day  
Our bus of green was on its way.  
Loaded with happy people, some in green  
And soon Swingo's at the Statler was seen  
Where tables laden with food were waiting  
For our individual participating  
The food reflected the Irish theme  
With some pastry and noodles tinted green!  
From 11 to 3 we took our leisure  
And eating became our greatest pleasure.  
Music by Harry Hershey and WBBG band  
Was excellent and given a big "hand".  
Home again by four  
Much happier than before.

Margaret Rose

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## BRIDGE NOTES

Our Friday afternoon bridge group is growing! We have been having nine tables for the last three weeks. Even during the bad weather we had 6 or 7 tables--bridge players will battle the snow and cold to play their favorite game.

We welcome newcomers who would like to brush up on their game or just enjoy playing and meeting new people.

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## DINNER AND BIG BINGO

Friday, March 8th, dinner at 5 was a delight  
Fish or tender Swiss steak was "just right",  
Chocolate pie with high meringue was a treat  
And left everyone feeling full and sweet.

Bingo is a game many like to play  
At. 6:30 we filled the Red/Blue room that Friday.  
Mary Calogero called the numbers carefully  
And winners responded with great glee.  
Single, double and "Good Neighbor" games  
Were part of the variety in range.  
Mr. Chesler took over the microphone  
And called numbers in his rich, deep baritone!  
Bingo is the name of the game  
Some Friday soon let's do it again!

Margaret Rose

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## BOUTIQUE CLASS

I have to confess that there are some tasks that I find easy to put off until my conscience pricks me enough to do it. Taking an inventory of the items left over from the Boutique last November was one such job. It wasn't that I didn't want to do it but that I found other things to fill my time. Also, I thought we had loads of things left over and I didn't want to know about it. Well, to make a long story short, I finally did the inventory and was shocked at how little we had left. I'm sure you know what that means --we've got to get cracking!! Time is running out, I can't believe I am writing this for the April issue.

We'd love it if you could give us some of your spare time this year to help out on the Boutique--we really want to keep up the Villa tradition of beautiful hand-crafted items for our boutique. Word gets around town you know so we want to be prepared with the very best. We look forward to seeing you every Wednesday from 10 to 12 and 1 to 3.

Sally Kinney

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## HIDDEN TALENT?

Maybe some of you have a talent for writing. Maybe you have wanted to do some writing for some time but never got around to it. Well, now is your chance.

If you would like to write for the Villa Voice in any capacity, please contact the office and let us know. It could be in the form of poetry, a short article or reporting on some of the activities at the Villa Serena.

Think about it.

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## WEDNESDAY CARD PARTIES

The Wednesday card parties are free; anyone who cares to play cards of any kind are welcome. Make up your own table or group, have an evening of fun and perhaps be lucky enough to win 50¢.

February 20th winners were Mary Clark, Rosemary Belz, Mae Brazis, Hilda Griffin, John Schultz, Thelma Lilje and Clem Brazis.

March 6th winners were John Nagy, Gladys Schafer, Bea Blatnick, Thelma Lilje, Clem Brazis and Ethel Blakney.

March 20th winners were Sylvia Koptis, Vera Ziegler, Kate Blumer, Minnie Prokop, Helen Burns and Amelia Nagy.

Card party dates for April are the 10th and the 24th.

Len Shoemaker

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## PROFESSOR KALL

Professor Kall was here for two afternoon sessions this time. Each time he comes something global makes for an interesting beginning to his comments. We learn much more than reading a newspaper can give us about happenings in this world of ours that affects all of us.

Professor Kall welcomes comments and questions so that we can all understand the situation better. We have a good representation at each of the professors discussions.

The dates for the April sessions are Thursday, 11th at 3:30 and Thursday, 25th at 3:30. See you then?

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## DANCERCISE NEWS

Did you know that every Tuesday from 2 until 3 P.M. there is a very enthusiastic group who spend the hour twisting and bending to keep their bodies flexible? Exercising with music is fun and sometimes we even vocalize!

To get a bit of variety, we do some dance steps. Believe me, the Slosh and the Greek dance will move just about every muscle in your body. And you don't realize you are exercising!

Drop in any Tuesday at 2:00 and you will see what we are talking about. You do not have to participate in every exercise--just do what you are able to do.

Flossie Bluhm

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## MONDAY ART CLASSES

Painting classes are on Monday afternoons from 1 to 3 P.M. Learn to paint in watercolor, acrylic or pastels. Or just have fun learning to draw with a pencil or a pen.

Basic instructions for beginners with individual attention to each class member. Students may do what they like such as landscapes, flowers, still life or copy pictures from books, magazines or snapshots.

You are all welcome to look in on the class any Monday afternoon and it may be that you will find a new hobby-- painting.

Harold J. Dielman

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To everyone celebrating special days this month: May the flowers  
of spring bloom also in your hearts.

APRIL BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Flower: Sweet Pea

Birthstone: Diamond

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2 J. Fred Ohman 334  
3 Alma Reinke 810  
5 Anna Kroszer 521  
6 Loretta Welsh 612  
8 Loretta Smola 816  
11 Helen Farley 311  
12 Christina Colagiovanni 701  
Goldie McDonald 522  
Ellen McClintock 329  
Emma Kuse 322  
13 Bertha Fielding 320  
Ida Michael 407  
14 Winifred Helwig 426  
15 Bertha Deuring 729  
Margaret Trivisono 229  
18 Viola DelGreco 301  
19 Aileen Spencer 408  
20 John Pavelich 409  
21 Kate Blundell 734  
22 Adelbert Casper 627  
Joseph Rak 730  
23 Evelyn DeFlorentis 705  
Klotilda Lucht 332  
Helen Schultz 808  
24 Kate Blumer 710  
25 Charles Hridel 828  
Max Keane 418  
29 Mary Frances Dunlap 502  
Louis Vargo 617  
30 Antoinette Savage 727

ANNIVERSARIES

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6 Mr. & Mrs. Ben Filler  
23 Mr. & Mrs. Chester Ference  
29 Mr. & Mrs. Donald Gisondo 607

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1 Harry Rudofsky  
Stanley Rychlinsky  
Emma Spengler  
Edith Wexler  
2 Frances Szenesh  
4 Irene Zeigler  
5 Evelyn Bennett  
William Pace  
7 Joseph Keck  
8 Edna Jaye  
9 Joseph Kuzmiak  
Vincent Weiss  
10 George Kickel  
George Rudolfsky  
11 Theresa Ference  
12 Joseph Lessem  
James Pritchard  
15 Mae Heiser  
Nancy Pignatore  
Blanche Raybin  
Joseph Venere  
16 Helen Tremaglio  
17 Ursula Gallagher  
Marcella Sattler  
Alan Wiener  
18 Margaret Fecko  
Dominic DeMarco  
Ruth Schwartz  
Jane Uterhark  
19 Stella Cole  
21 Mabel Hunt  
22 Helen Bochniak  
Joseph DiGeorgio  
Betty Gladstone  
24 Stanley Liner  
25 Angelina Ciraldo  
28 Mary Laurio  
29 Margaret Kirchner  
Nick Mancini

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SPRING DANCE

Like to dance? Do you enjoy listening to good music and tapping your toes? Then think spring because on Friday, April 26th, we will have our annual Spring Fling. We guarantee you the best music in town for all of your dancing pleasure. You name it and Mike Jacobs will play it -- from slow to fast and everything in between.

Billy Kaye a great singer will also be here to entertain you. Don't miss it!

Spring is here, the flowers are blooming and now is your chance to get out of the "winter doldrums".

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SPRING DANCE (Cont).

Have dinner with us at 5:00 and then stay for an evening of great entertainment. We will celebrate birthdays and anniversaries at this time.

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THE HOLY SEASON OF THE YEAR

The first part of April welcomes the season of Passover for those of the Jewish faith and the coming of Easter for the Christians.

The people at Villa Serena represent many faiths but each one worships in his own way. Compassion for others is one of the main issues for each.

Although our prayers are a bit different, they all ask for contentment and forgiveness of our past sins. And, of course, obedience of God's laws.

May each and everyone resolve at this time of the year to make new friends and understand each other. Peace is what we all want.

We wish all of you a Happy Pass-over and a Happy Easter.

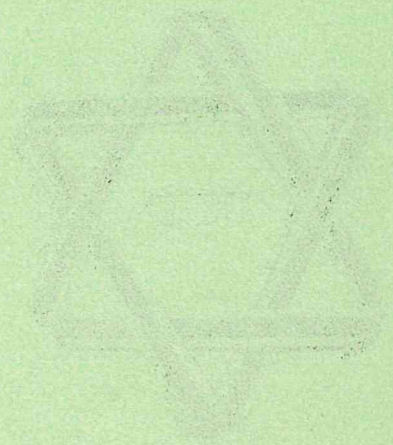
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### APRIL

Once again the earth awakens to  
April's call,  
As all of nature comes alive again  
for all,  
The rivers start their downward  
trend,  
Flowing lazily and playfully  
around the bend,  
Birds are twittering up in the  
trees,  
Building nests as they sway in  
the breeze,  
Crocuses and daffodils show their  
sleepy heads,  
Awakening to the joy of Spring  
from their wintery beds,  
'Tis the time to be joyful for  
every living thing,  
Lest we forget and our resurrected  
King!

Edith Madge  
April 1985

