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ROUNDUP TIME AT THE VILLA  
SERENA RANCH

No one really needs to get into the mood for a hearty steak dinner, but let's whoop it up in really cowboy western style. Don your ten gallon hats, men; and ladies, put a red kerchief around your neck, and ride on down to the Villa Serena roundup for a steak dinner (includes corn on the cob, plus other authentic western style dinner accompaniments). A steak dinner like none you have ever tasted; we promise you it will be mouth watering good!

STAFF

Eileen Bentler, Joseph Bentler, Elsie Brenneman, Lad Cimler, Mollie Cohen, Kathryn Ewing, Rudolf Freed, William Jaeger, Ralph Keeler, Dorothy Khaner, Edith Madge, Irene McDonough, Amelia Nagy, Joseph Rak, Ann Tieleman, and Art Wiedlund.  
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ADVISER: Jean D. Carver

At 7:30 p.m. after giving you plenty of time to savor the good food, we will gather in the Red Room with the August birthday and anniversary celebrants for special entertainment. You'll be glad you joined us because we know there is a beautiful evening of enjoyment in store for you.

HOT SUMMER

Oh for a cool spot somewhere,  
Away from the bustle, without  
a care.

A quiet place where I can dream,  
Or go swimming in a quiet  
stream.

To sit under a shady tree,  
With its branches fanning me.

The heat of summer wears me out,  
But the most delightful, there's  
no doubt.

--Edith Madge

We recommend that you buy your roundup dinner ticket (\$3.50 per person) early for this big time summer evening. Wednesday, August 13th, is the date to red circle on your calendars. Dinner will be served at 5:00 p.m.

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DONATIONS FOR THE BUS FUND

Cash

\$2.00 Anna Konyesni  
2.00 Eugenia Majoros  
3.00 Theresa Bocchicchio  
2.00 Ralph Keeler

Loose Stemps

Ralph Keeler

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MEN'S CLUB NEWS

The next meeting of the Men's Club will be held on Tuesday, August 12, 1975, at 7:00 p.m. Installation of officers will be held. The installing officer will be Len Shoemaker. Refreshments will be served.

Joseph McClintock  
President

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VETERANS OF WORLD WAR I  
Barracks No. 3482

The regular meeting of the Villa Serena Barracks will be held Monday, August 11th, at 1:30 p.m.

Joseph McClintock  
Commander

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LADIES AUXILIARY TO VETERANS  
OF WORLD WAR I

The regular meeting of the Villa Serena Auxiliary will not be held in August.

The next meeting will be Monday, September 8th, at 1:00 p.m. in the TV room of the Villa Serena.

Ellen McClintock  
President

TONY CATULLO DAY AT  
THISTLEDOWN RACE TRACK

Ladies!! This is your free day at the race track, and in addition to this bit of luck, you will all be escorted by our own gracious charming man about town--and the race track--Tony Catullo.

The only cost to our ladies will be \$1.25 (includes transportation and reserved seat). Men are welcome to join Tony and the ladies but their cost will be \$2.25 (admission, reserved seat, and transportation).

Tony welcomes all of you to join him when the bus leaves at 12:45 p.m. on Thursday, August 28th.

If this sounds like your kind of afternoon, and you would like to try your luck on the horses (with Tony's expert advice), make your reservation in the office as soon as possible.

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PINOCHLE WINNERS

Dorothy Stahre	\$4.00
Charlotte Bohacek	3.00
Erna Haller	2.00
May Luke	1.00
Rosella Rodgers	4.00
Adda Davenport	3.00
Sue Wohlers	2.00
Ann Tieleman	1.00
Charlotte Sadowsky	4.00
Helen Burns	3.00
Marion Davenport	2.00
Thelma Lilje	1.00
Charlotte Bohacek	4.00
Joe Coneglio	1.50
Len Shoemaker	1.50
Ann Tieleman	2.00
Hazel Thompson	1.00

A PEEK INTO THE FUTURE

The last month of the summer is fast approaching and September will be on our door steps! We want you to know that the Villa Serena has not just been lazing in the summer sun, but has been busily planning and putting together exciting new classes for all of you to take part in this fall. Along with your "tried and true" classes, you will have the opportunity to indulge yourself in trying something a little bit different.

Singing is just about everybody's forte. So how about joining the choral group with Mrs. Erna Haller as your leader. Tiling is a very productive and successful way of creating something new and different. Marilyn Marks will be available for a two hour session to help you "do your own thing." It will be a craft class that will include instruction in a wide variety of "do it yourself" crafts. You decide what you would like to work on, come into class, and Marilyn will be there to lend you a helping hand.

A pool tournament for ladies will be organized. Let's think about getting in a lot of practice time before the September starting date.

Everybody rarin' to go? September 7th is "blast off" for a great new beginning of classes at the Villa Serena. The new schedule of activities will be available in the September VILLA VOICE.

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"The man who can smile when things go wrong has probably just thought of somebody to blame it on." A.C.W.

BOUTIQUE WORKSHOP

Our summer workshop is closed, but all "old hands" will be welcomed back again, and we will certainly welcome "new hands" to the re-opening Boutique Workshop in September.

Lots of lovely items were created by many devoted Boutique workers these past several months, but we all know there is much more to be accomplished to make the BOUTIQUE '75 the fantabulous success we would all like it to be.

Let's all continue to work for the Boutique during August --even just a little bit-- 'cause we all remember how quickly the days go by during the "count down time" before the November opening day arrives.

Truly the old saying "every little bit helps" means a great deal to a successful BOUTIQUE '75.

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"LUCKY 8" GAME NIGHT HAS A RETURN ENGAGEMENT

Because of the marvelous success and the enthusiastic demand for another "Lucky 8" game night, we have planned one for Thursday, August 7th, at 8:00 p.m.

Again for the low cost of \$1.00 a card you can join the fun--with door prizes and refreshments as added attractions.

Here's another great chance for you to be one of the "lucky 8" winners!

REMEMBER WHEN

In the hot month of July at the Villa Serena a savory dinner, prepared and delivered by our good natured Evelyn Johnson, and which was followed by our birthday and anniversary party, turned out to be one "cool cool" time of a shindig! It proved to be quite a popular time for birthdays and anniversaries. The lucky couples celebrating marital bliss were Mr. and Mrs. John Baker, Mr. and Mrs. John Smola, and Mr. and Mrs. George Tipping.

Need we ask what kind of entertainment we had? The "BEST" in the persons of Sylvester Blue, whom we all know and love, Donna Weichel on the organ and Dave Evanko on drums. The singing of Mr. Blue was superb, and the best of the music was excellent for dancing. A lot of our senior citizens took advantage of the fact and had a good time "strutting" throughout the evening.

We're sure everybody had a good time. No one goes away unhappy from a Villa Serena party! More to come so be on the lookout! "Cio!"

Edith Madge

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PRESSED FLOWER DEVOTEES

Although Nan Rood will not teach the pressed flower class this September, there will be some pictures made for the Boutique so that contributions are still needed. Please see Nan Rood for details.

UP AND DOWN THE HALLWAYS

We wish good health to Anna Senkyr and George Tipping who are now confined in the hospital.

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Welcome home from the hospital to Rose Checcl, Dominic Daly, Henry Herczog, and Hazel Barrett. Glad you are back and stay well.

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Winning I.S.D.A. raffle ticket for July was #871.

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Congratulations to card party winners: May Luke, Anna Lyons, Tony Catullo, Bill Jaeger, Hettie Johnson, and Alphonsine Massaro. Also to Caroline Novy, Ann Tieleman, Bill Jaeger, Sylvia Koptis, Emma Baker, and Helen Sulzer who were winners on July 9th.

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We want to wish all our happy travelers happy vacationing, especially to the Vendel Sarmirs who will be visiting in Yugoslavia and Vienna.

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The VILLA VOICE and its readers extend sincere sympathy to the family of  
Jean Hovey

"To err is human, but it takes a better excuse the next time."  
A.C.W.

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**SPECIAL EVENTS:**

8:00 Every Saturday Game Night

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 13th, STEAK DINNER AND BIRTHDAY-ANNIVERSARY PARTY

SUNDAY, AUGUST 17th, PINOCHLE TOURNAMENT

SUMMER FUN TOURS, page 8

REMEMBER THIS IS OUR VACATION SCHEDULE  
CLASSES BEGIN AGAIN IN SEPTEMBER

Friday

Monday		Tuesday		Wednesday		Thursday		Friday	
4	3:30 Rosary	5	8:00 Game Night	6	PITRONE'S PICNIC 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. see p. 9 for details	7	2:30 First Thursday Mass	8	CLEVELAND ZOO TRIP 5:00 Dinner 8:00 Dancing
11		12		13		14	8:00 "Lucky 8" Game Night	15	NO DINNER 8:00 Dancing
3:30 Rosary		7:00 MEN'S CLUB 8:00 Game Night		5:00 STEAK DINNER 7:30 BIRTHDAY-ANNIV. PARTY see p. 1 for details		8:00 Game Night		NO DINNER 8:00 Dancing	
18		19		20		21		22	
3:30 Rosary		8:00 Game Night		CEDAR POINT TRIP		8:00 Game Night		NO DINNER 8:00 Dancing	
25		26		27		28		29	
3:30 Rosary		8:00 Game Night		8:00 CARD PARTY		TONY CATULLO'S DAY AT THE RACES SEE p. 4		NO DINNER 8:00 Dancing	
7:30 Pinochle		8:00 Game Night				8:00 Game Night		8:00 Dancing	

VILLA SERENA MENU

MONTH OF AUGUST 1975

Friday, August 1st

Choice of Baked Fish  
or Salisbury Steak  
Mashed Potatoes  
Stewed Tomatoes  
Cole Slaw  
Dessert

Wednesday, August 13th

WESTERN STYLE STEAK DINNER

(\$3.50 per person)  
(see story on p.1)



REMINDER

FUN TRIPS PLANNED FOR AUGUST

FRIDAY, AUGUST 1st---- THE CLEVELAND ZOO

Cost: Admission is free to senior citizens  
Transportation: \$2.75

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 6th--- ANNUAL PICNIC AT MR. PITRONE'S

(SEE STORY ON page 9)

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 20th--- ANNUAL TRIP TO CEDAR POINT

Cost: \$6.50 plus transportation (includes all attractions in the park).

AN EARLY ANNOUNCEMENT FOR SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 20th.

Cleveland Civic Light Oper Company "GAY '90s NITE"  
at the Music Hall.

Cost: Special half rate for senior citizens: \$2.50.

This will be an extraordinary musical extravaganza in the planning now and reservations must be in early for the best seat selection. This will be a perfect evening for your enjoyment. Cost of transportation and time of departure will be announced in a later issue of the VILLA VOICE. In the meantime, GET YOUR RESERVATION IN TO THE OFFICE WITHOUT DELAY.

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN ANY (OR ALL) OF THESE TRIPS, PLEASE MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS WITH DOROTHY PAPCKE IN THE OFFICE.



AN INVITATION TO ALL OUR MEMBERS AND RESIDENTS

IT'S SUMMER AND PICNIC TIME AGAIN

EVENT: OUR ANNUAL PICNIC AT MR. PITRONE'S  
WHERE: HOLIDAY HIDEAWAY (See directions below)  
WHEN: WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 6, 1975  
TIME: 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

PACK YOUR OWN PICNIC BASKETS -- PLAN A  
GAY AFTERNOON. WE WILL SUPPLY THE COLD  
DRINKS AND COFFEE FREE.  
BRING YOUR BATHING SUITS FOR SWIMMING FUN.  
JOIN IN AND PLAY SOME GOOD OLD FASHIONED  
GAMES WITH US.

THERE'LL BE PRIZES FOR YOU TOO!!

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP IN THE OFFICE IF YOU ARE PLANNING  
TO ATTEND.

Directions: Take Mayfield Road to Bass Lake Road (past Rt. 306).  
Turn right on Bass Lake Road and continue on for  
approximately one mile to Holiday Hideaway Picnic  
grounds.

AN INVITATION TO ALL OUR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS

TO JOIN US FOR THE WEEKEND

FOR THE WEEKEND FROM 10:00 AM TO 12:00 PM  
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 1953  
THURSDAY, APRIL 16, 1953  
FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 1953  
(See attached leaflet for details)

PLEASE JOIN US FOR THE WEEKEND -- WE CAN  
GIVE YOU A GREAT TIME AND WE WILL  
SUPPLY THE FOOD, DRINKS AND  
ENTERTAINMENT. WE WANT YOU TO  
JOIN US AND ENJOY YOURSELVES  
WITH US. WE WANT YOU TO JOIN  
US FOR THE WEEKEND FOR YOUR OWN

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