

CARD PARTY WINNERS

AND THE WINNERS ARE:!!!!!!!

Florence Gardner, Rose Liedberg,
Hilda Griffin, John Schultz,
Anna Dean, May Luke, Aileen
Spencer, Bill Pace, Kate
Blumer.

Pinochle winners were:

12/20/82

Walter Ruth	578	\$1.75
Ann Skigen	574	1.25
Florence Simpson	572	1.00

12/27/82

Joe Rak	640	1.50
Helen Burns	577	1.00
Margaret Rose	547	.50

1/3/83

Sophie Kelley	590	2.00
Helen Burns	578	1.75
Margaret Rose	547	1.25
Joe Rak	533	1.00

1/10/83

Eileen Kelly	612	1.75
Joe Rak	598	1.25
Mary Blasco	595	1.00

1/17/83

Rosemary Belz	575	2.00
Sophie Kelley	573	1.75
Edna Carr	553	1.25
Betty Pinter	545	1.00

FEBRUARY MALL TRIPS

Euclid Mall - February 2nd

Mentor Mall - February 19th

ANOTHER TRIP????? OH BOY!!!!!!!

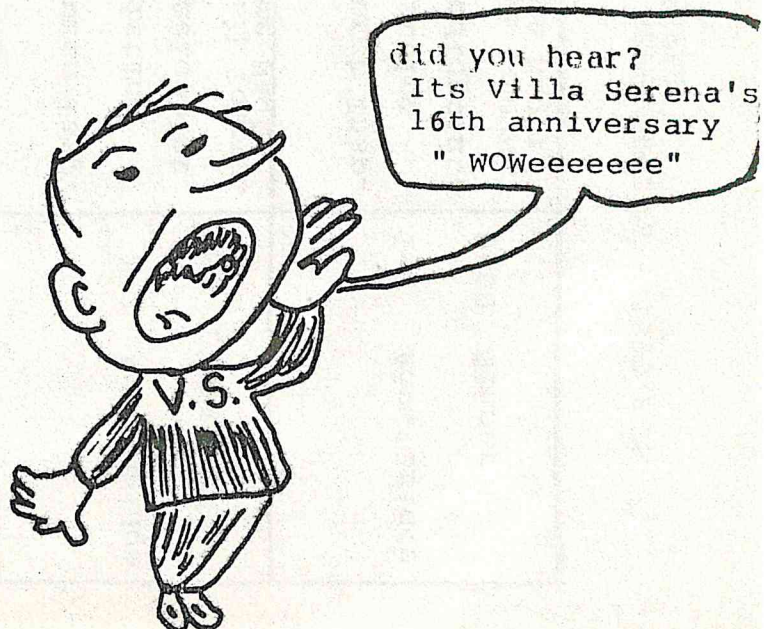
No sooner did we get back from our "fabuluos and fantastic" trip to Las Vegas, when we began to hear, "Where is the next trip going to be??"

Well, we have stated time and again that we will be happy to plan a trip anywhere you would like to go.

The suggestions we have had so far are trips to, "Hawaii" - "Cancun" - "Florida and Disneyworld" - another "Canadian Bus Tour" - "Europe" - "Israel" - Vegas, again???? - and high on the list a "Cruise".

Where would you like to go, just drop us a line and offer your choice. In the meantime, there is definitely going to be another colossal trip in the near future, "where" depends on the responses we receive from you.

The trip that gets the most votes will be the one we will get busy and put together. - Get busy and write us.



SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1983

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7	1:00 Bowling 3:30 Rosary 1-3 Art Class 7:00 Pool Tourn. 7:30 Pinochle	8 9-1 Sewing 9-12 Ceramics 2-3 Dancercise 7:30 Game Night	9 10-12 Boutique	10 10:00 Church Insp. 1-3 Knitting 3-4 Needlepoint 7:00 Pool Tourna. 7:30 Game Night	11 1-3 Adv. Bridge 5:00 Dinner
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28	1:00 Bowling 3:30 Rosary 1-3 Art Class	<p>SPECIAL EVENTS:</p> <p>SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 6th - BIG BINGO* PRIZES AND REFRESHMENTS - 1:30 P.M.</p> <p>SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 20th - MENS CLUB PANCAKE BREAKFAST</p>			

UP AND DOWN THE HALLWAYS

Our thanks to Katie Blundell for her generous donation of lovely hard cover books in memory of her husband. They are wonderful reading both in autobiographies and non-fiction -- they are available for your reading enjoyment - the library is just a short trip downstairs.

Our thanks also to Mae Brazis for her kind donation of books for our library - can't say that we don't have some very "intelligent" persons in our midst who read a lot!!!!!!!

It is certainly nice to hear that Mary Hillen is now home from the hospital and on the mend. - Keep up the good work of improving everyday, Mary!!!!!!!

FOR FUN

The first snowfall of the year made me nostalgic for the long walks that my husband and I used to take when we were dating.

I stuck my head into the living room from the kitchen and asked if he'd like to go for a walk. Without ever looking up from his newspaper, he replied, "I already took out the garbage."

Submitted by
Eileen Bentler

The Hillcrest Hospital Party will be held at the Villa Serena on Wednesday, February 23rd. Bingo, prizes and refreshments are the order of the day. Get your tickets early - Ask Eva Kleinhanz for the details on where to purchase them.

Our heartfelt get well wishes go to Ed Picozzi who is presently in the hospital. God Bless, Ed.

Our thanks to Colette Comiskey, Elizabeth Koches and Mr. Smola who were kind enough to donate some more lovely books to our library. I understand that the books donated by Colette are "X" rated reading. That should create a rush to the library!!!

We are sorry to hear about the passing of Thelma Lilje's son-in-law, and do extend to her and the family our very sincere sympathy.

Helen Staropoulos has 14 grandchildren and as of November 15th, has 21 great-grandchildren. How's that for a "big" family. - Some record!!!!!!!

Can you top that number????????? If you can, let us know - it will be fun to see how far we can go!!!!!!!

MENS CLUB NEWS

JANUARY BIRTHDAY-ANNIVERSARY PARTY

Once again reliable Len Shoe-
maker took over as Sargeant-
at-arms and did his usual good
job of "pinch hitting". Thanks,
Len, for always being there
when you're needed.

We were most happy to welcome
new member Lee Olsen into the
Mens Club. Needless to say, he
was given a hearty welcome.

Welfare Chairman, John Smola
reported that Joe Tarro was
laid up with the gout. We
wish him a speedy recovery
from this painful experience.

The pool tournament will be
back in full swing on Monday,
February 7th and we all look
forward to some more enjoyable
evenings.

The highlight of the meeting--
completely unexpected but very
thoroughly enjoyed--was a solo
rendition of an "aria" by our
own Rudy Freed which conveyed
the message of friendship, co-
operation and happiness. A
loud round of applause greeted
his final notes. Thanks, Rudy,
for sharing your thoughts with
us.

President Curry announced that
Sunday, February 20th, will be
the date of our semi-annual Mens
Club Pancake Breakfast. (Details
are elsewhere in these pages).
This is an event we all look for-
ward to and you can be sure we'll
all be there to serve you with a
smile.

Next meeting, Tuesday, February 8
at 6:30 P.M.

Bill Nau, Secretary
John Curry, President

The program opened to a capacity
crowd with the "one and only" Sammy
Berk, playing medleys from "Fiddler"
"Dr. Zhivago" and the "golden oldies"
we all remember and love to sing.

The "Sweet Sixteens" from Brush High
School, under the direction of
Barbara Artino, consisting of 8
handsome young men and 8 lovely
young women, accompanied by piano,
drums and guitars enthralled us with
their songs and choreography. They
were truly delightful and a pleasure
to hear. The selections were well
chosen and included melodies we all
remember well.

Birthdays were celebrated by many,
including our January members as well
as Sammy Berk himself. The program
closed with Sammy again playing a
series of medleys.

Mr. Chesler told the story of Sammy's
discovery playing the piano in the
window of Kresge's or McCrory's (take
your pick) many years ago. He traced
the song "Second Hand Rose" from
rendition of 10 year old Sammy Berk
to the present day version.

With the closing of the program, it
was on to dinner with no waiting in
line. The food and service were fine.
Pork Chops or Fish whichever you wish,
were delicious. Sherbet was a very
delightful ending to a wonderful
dinner and program.

Written by
--Margaret Rose--

FEBRUARY FANTASY

Maybe its the shortest month of the year, but like Pandora's Box, it is full of lovely moments. Carefully open the lid, out pops February 2nd and with it a furry little sleepy eyed fellow, cautiously peering around and making up his mind "am I rested enough to stay up and greet spring or, ho hum, shall I crawl in for six more weeks of shut-eye." Your guess is as good as mine, what will the answer be.

Peek into our box further and "viola", February 14th, that beautiful "lovely" day when all the world is in love. Just the mention of flowers and hearts and cupids and darts-fills ourselves with joy, why not try to spread that joy around--a happy smile, a friendly word, a sympathetic ear, a little kindness, a special thoughtfulness, can't buy these Valentines, but aren't they real tokens of love.

Whoops, what's down in that corner-a tiny log cabin to remind us of that indescribable man who brought our country out of chaos, a bowed head and a silent prayer on February 12th, for that beloved Abe Lincoln.

Now February 22nd pops into sight, even the mention of the day brings pictures of hatchets and cherry trees and George Washington, our first President so honest and so loyal to mind, especially that beautiful sight of him tossing a dollar across the Delaware. Now wouldn't he be oh so disillusioned if he knew that today that dollar isn't worth much more than a "plugged nickel".

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FEBRUARY FANTASY (cont'd)

Now as we carefully close the lid on our Pandora Box, a beautiful birthday is right on top. Our own Villa Serena is "sweet sixteen" this month. Sweet sixteen and never been kissed as the old saying goes --- I wouldn't bet on it.

Written by
Eileen Bentler

SIGNS OF THE TIMES

- By the entrance to traffic court:
"Welcome to 'What's My Fine'".
- On the counter at the post office:
"To each his zone."
- On a hardware store counter:
"We sell hardware and steel for a living."
- Over a restaurant door:
"The Federal Frank and Crust Co."
- In the window of a marriage counselor's office:
"Union Shop"
- Over a display in a shoe store:
"Our tongues never wag".

- Mother: "How did you do in your tests today, Billy?"
- Billy: "I did what George Washington did."
- Mother: "What was that?"
- Billy: "I went down in history."

SUBMITTED BY
Eileen Bentler

MEN'S CLUB BREAKFAST

Mark a real "big heart" on your calendar for Sunday, February 20, 1983. Its going to be a "Sweetheart of a Day".

Start it off with your family or sweetheart by joining us for our now "famous" PANCAKE BREAKFASTS, served in most elegant style and decorum as only the men of the Men's Club know how to do so well (Ladies, please stand aside, because you have seen nothing, until you've seen our men in real action).

We will be serving from the hours of 10:00 A.M. TO 1:15 P.M. Cost will be the small amount of \$2.75 per person for juice, pancakes, sausage and coffee or tea.

So, how about it, give our men a try!!! You'll find they are extra special in Service, Smiles, SEXINESS, Supermen, and Super Sensational.

BOWLING NEWS

Joining the 200 Club in Bowling are Frank Neroni who bowled a game of 218 and Jack Walters who bowled 629 in 3 games.

Come and join us for Bowling every Monday at 1:00 P.M. Call Bill Pace at 442-3928 or see him at the Villa Serena, he'll be glad to welcome you on the teams.

POOL TOURNAMENT NEWS

Be patient fellows - the second session of the Pool activities will start on Monday, February 7th at 7:00 P.M.

On Wednesday, January 5th, Mary Calogero and Jim Hillen provided a most delicious dinner which was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Mr. Chesler gave an interesting summary about being an active participant at the Villa Serena and presented the awards to the winners.

Louis Vargo

BIRTHDAY-ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS

We will acknowledge all of our February Birthday and Anniversary celebrants at our Shrove Tuesday Mardi Gras celebration on February 15, 1983.

Plan on being with us and we'll be glad to sing for you in honor of your big days.

DEVOTIONAL HOUR SERVICES

Thursday - 10:00 A.M.

- Feb. 3 - Rev. Milton Smith
South Euclid Methodist
- Feb. 10 - Fr. Frank Von Bergen
St. Clare's Catholic
- Feb. 17 - Rev. William Neil
Hillcrest United
- Feb. 24 - Rev. Donald Hufman
Mayfield Methodist

A birthday, an anniversary--may it be a wonderful, happy time for each of you, with lovely days to follow-----this is the loving wish of the Board of Trustees and the Villa Serena Staff.

FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

Flower: Violet

Birthstone: Amethyst

FEBRUARY

- 1 George Maurer #615
- 2 Anna Paluf #523
- 3 Helen Fekete #430
- 4 Allan Heckaman #401
- 5 Anne Klein #516
- 6 Rosemary Belz #806
- 6 Edith Madge #529
- 8 John Musacchio #221
- 10 Pauline Bradac #226
- 14 Ethel Gothard #702
- 14 Alfred Salvatore #605
- 15 John Pazderak #719
- 16 Viola Judice #719
- 17 Ruth Groenwold #616
- 18 John Fekete #430
- 18 Dave Milroy #212
- 18 John O'Donnell #621
- 26 Christina Stech #325
- 27 Anna Dean #220
- 27 Anna Roth #219
- 27 Geraldine Jepson #406

FEBRUARY

- 1 John Burke
- 2 Beulah Fleishman
- 3 Caroline Leanza
- 3 Mary Sansonetti
- 3 Clara Zeligman
- 4 Harry Guda
- 5 Dorothea Brethauer
- 5 Patrick McGinty
- 6 Louis Storto
- 8 Mrs. Arnold Harting
- 8 Angela Storto
- 9 Christian Weaver
- 10 Dwight Dawson
- 10 Violet Orifici
- 10 Elsie Ranzdorf
- 11 Marguerite Beechinor
- 12 Belle Bunin
- 12 Harriet Kish
- 13 Bernice Holec
- 13 Albert Kaszian
- 13 Mary Raguso
- 16 Helen Pacosky
- 16 Joseph Colocchi
- 19 Russell Brack
- 19 Myrtle Andrews
- 19 Marion Simocic
- 22 Helen Trivison
- 23 Helen Poderski
- 24 Frances Barskitis
- 24 Bertha Fischer
- 25 Nellie Owens
- 26 Margaret Adzema
- 26 Sara Ciongoli
- 28 Everett Hosack
- 29 Susie DeLambo
- 29 Florence Gefuert

ANNIVERSARIES

- 2 Mr. & Mrs. Jackson Walters
- 9 Mr. & Mrs. John Schultz #808
- 12 Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Skarnus
- 14 Mr. & Mrs. George Tresnicka
- 14 Mr. & Mrs. James Pritchard
- 15 Mr. & Mrs. Bert Gordon #417
- 16 Mr. & Mrs. Harry Kulas
- 18 Mr. & Mrs. Elmer Wenner
- 21 Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Wiltshire



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BIG BINGO TIME

So many of you have always said that it is so nice to have an activity on Sunday to help pass the idle hours. Our "Big Bingo" on Sundays has been just that type of activity.

Our next one will be Sunday, February 6th at 1:30 P.M. Plan on coming and bring along a friend who has never played. You will both enjoy a very pleasant afternoon of lovely refreshments, great prizes and big games.

MARK THE DATE ON YOUR CALENDAR
YOU WON'T BE SORRY!!!!!!

SHROVE TUESDAY-MARDI GRAS CELEBRATION

It has been some time since we have had a real "ripping razzle dazzle" authentic Mardi Gras celebration at the Villa Serena.

Well--get prepared for Tuesday night, February 15, 1983. We will serve a traditional Barbecue Ribs or if you prefer, Chicken Dinner with all the trimmings. Dinner is at 5:00 P.M. followed by some of the "jumpiest" music in Dixie Land Style you have ever heard. Your dancing feet will literally leap off the floor.

We "implore" you to get into the swing of this festive occasion when we stuff ourselves with food and have the greatest fun of our lives before we begin the traditional Lenten season. Make it even more fun by wearing a Mardi Gras costume or even a simple mask. It will make the program so much more appealing and gay!!! Put your imagination to work right now. There are so many beautiful ideas and creations in making so many wonderful things in keeping with the spirit of the day.

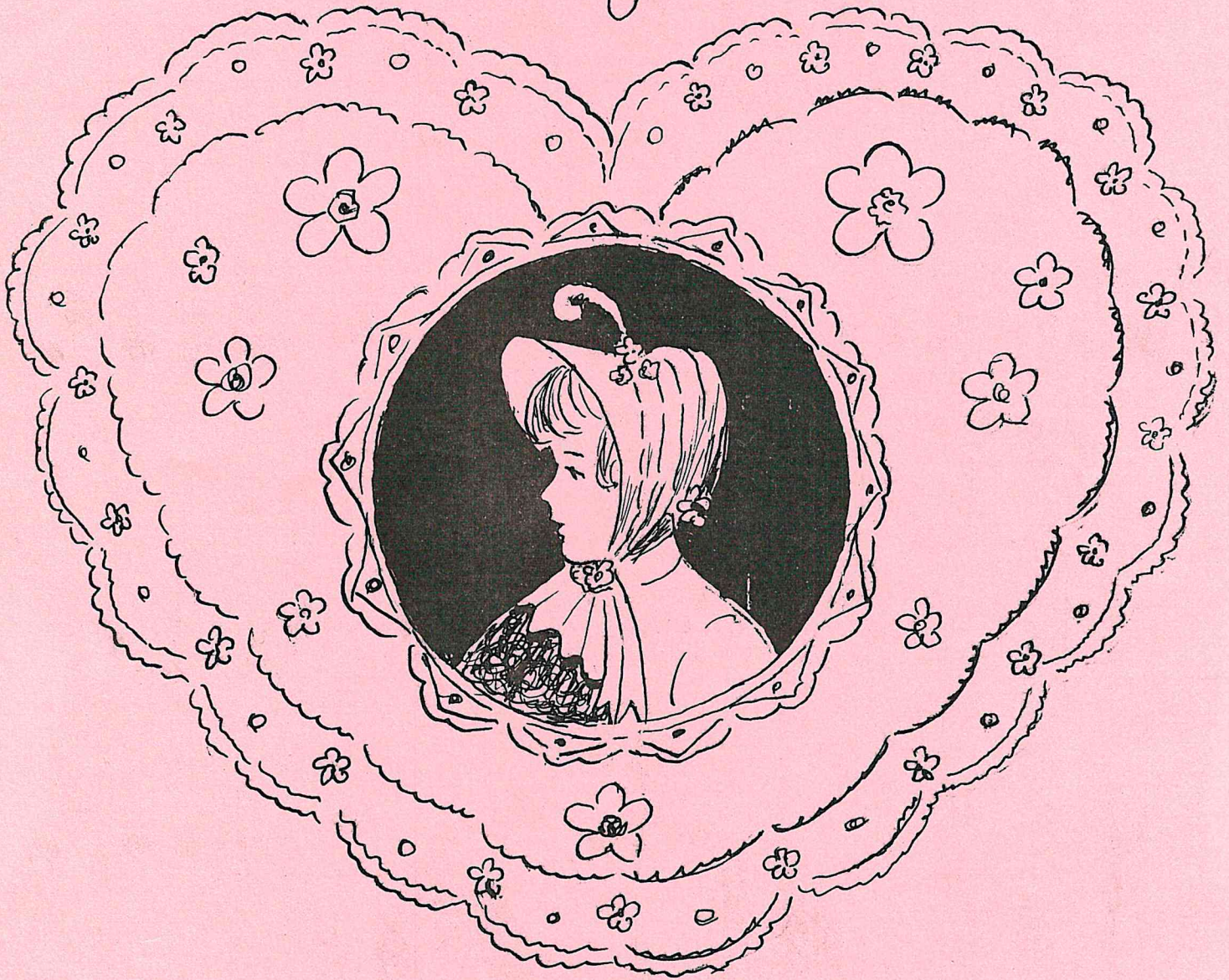
This year, we are also going to go all out and even crown a "King" and "Queen" of the Mardi Gras. Who knows - - maybe you might be the winner.

Its going to be the nicest pre-Lenten celebration you will have ever attended. Cost for the entire evening will be \$6.50 per person.

All tickets must be purchased, paid for and picked up prior to the day of the dinner.

The Villa Voice

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Be my Valentine

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