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VILLA SERENA DINNER MENU

FEBRUARY 1986

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7th

Choice of Chicken or  
Barbecued Ribs  
Potatoes  
Vegetable  
Dessert

(Cost \$6.50)

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13th

Choice of Baked Fish or  
Breaded Veal Cutlet  
Potatoes  
Vegetable  
Dessert

Fish \$4.50

Breaded Veal \$6.00

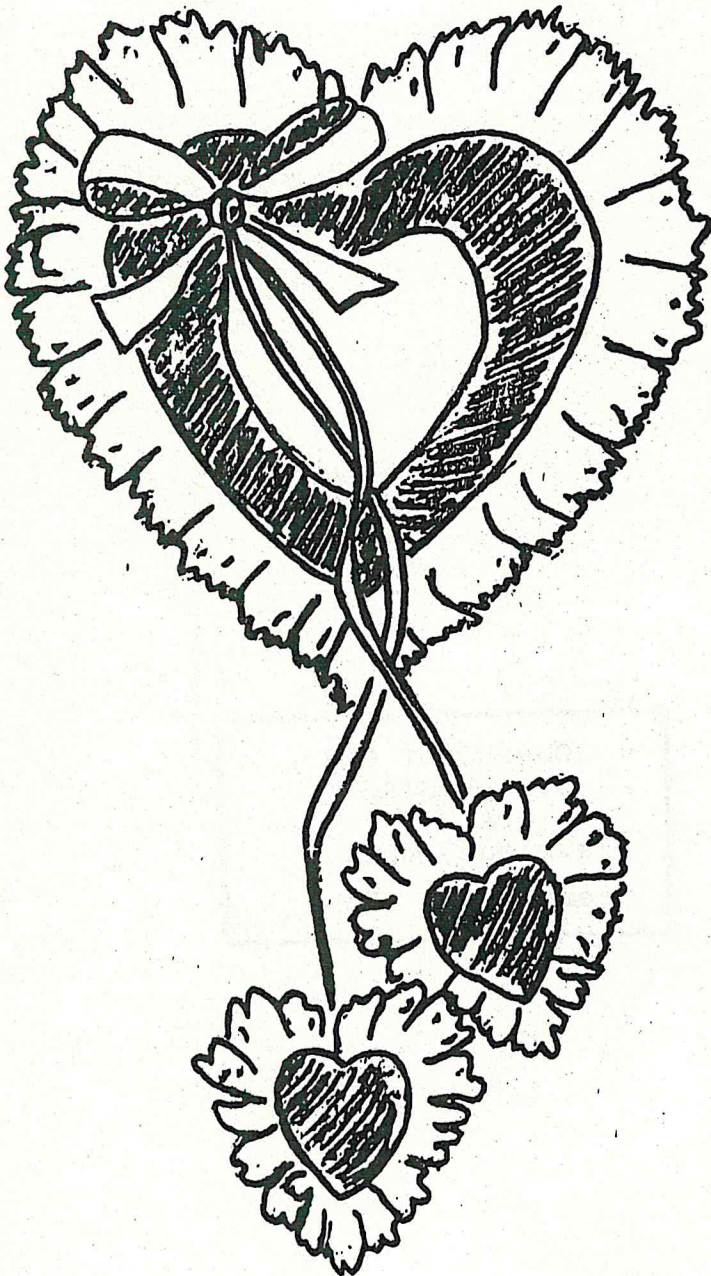
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21st

Choice of Baked Fish or  
Brisket of Beef  
Potatoes  
Vegetable  
Dessert

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28th

Choice of Baked Fish or  
Ham a la Hawaiian  
Potatoes  
Vegetable  
Dessert

(Please note the prices on the  
various dinners)



THIS - N - THAT

There were two lucky bingo winners recently. They are Rudy Freed and Rose Vitale. Congratulations, people!

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Some of the people who have headed for warmer temperatures are Leo Greenberg and Mr. & Mrs. Al McMunn. Flossie Podojil is leaving for her annual vacation in Florida. Have fun!

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Catherine Menier had a surprise visit from her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. & Mrs. J. Carnovak from Pittsburgh,

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Have you checked out the library recently? If not, you may find we have a good selection of books to suit all interests.

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Tenants: Do we have your new license number? We have to keep it on file.

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Mother Nature is wonderful. Millions of years ago she did not know we would be wearing glasses but look where she put our ears!

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We are glad to report that all of the people who were in the hospital are now at home and improving day by day. Keep it up Anna Kandrac, Charles Guild and John Musacchio.

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Members: Don't let your membership lapse. Check your card now for the renewal date.

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A large group of family and friends helped Rudy Freed celebrate his 80th birthday. Congratulations, Rudy.

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Be sure to read about all of the Special Anniversary events this month.

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Communication a la Villa

No answer to your knock?  
You've tried the phone before?  
Why not try the tangible?  
A note under the door?

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If you can spend a perfectly useless afternoon in a perfectly useless manner, you have learned how to live.

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MONDAY                      TUESDAY                      WEDNESDAY                      THURSDAY                      FRIDAY

3 1:00 Bowling 1-3 Art 1-4 Needlework 3:30 Rosary 7:30 Pinochle	4 9-1 Sewing 2-3 Dancercise 7:30 Game night	5 10-12 Boutique 1-3 Boutique 9:30-11:30 Ceramics	6 10:00 Church Insp. 7:30 Game night	7 1-3 Bridge 5:00 Dinner 7:00 Program
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V I L L A S E R F E N A C C T I V I T I E S

**SPECIAL EVENTS**  
 Friday, Feb. 7th -- 5:00 Dinner -- 7:00 Program  
 Thursday, Feb. 13th -- 5:00 Dinner -- 7:00 Program  
 Friday, Feb. 21st -- 5:00 Dinner  
 Sunday, Feb. 23rd -- 10:00-1:00 Pancake Breakfast -- 1:30 Big Bingo  
 Friday, Feb. 28th -- 5:00 Dinner

Birthdays and Anniversaries

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DINNER - DANCE

Our "January Thaw" dinner dance really went along with the weather. Or did the thaw go along with the dinner - dance?

After a delicious dinner, we gathered in the Red/Blue room. Before the musical program, Instant Bingo Tickets were sold in the office and a few people were lucky winners.

The Johnny Singer 4 piece band appeared on stage and opened the program with "New York, N.Y." The floor filled instantly with happy dancers while others tapped their toes on the sidelines. Fox Trot, waltz, polka, bird dance and hokey pokey were included. The band tried to please everyone.

January birthdays were celebrated by many including 4 men! Mr. & Mrs. Murray Bader danced to the Anniversary Waltz. More sentimental tunes were played. It was truly "sweet and lovely".

The program closed much too soon and we all went home humming happily.

Margaret Rose

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MALL TRIP

Mentor Mall

Wednesday, February 19th

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SEWING CLASS

The Sewing Class is off to a busy and productive year. Our projects are very varied right now - everything from teddy bears and clowns, new clothes, shortening Christmas gifts and (ugh) alterations. No matter what the temperature is outside, it is always warm and sunny in the sewing class. It's the perfect answer to the winter blahs.

The Sewing Class wishes to extend its deepest sympathy to Dora Kohn on the loss of her husband Henry.

Sally Kinney

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WEDNESDAY CARD PARTIES

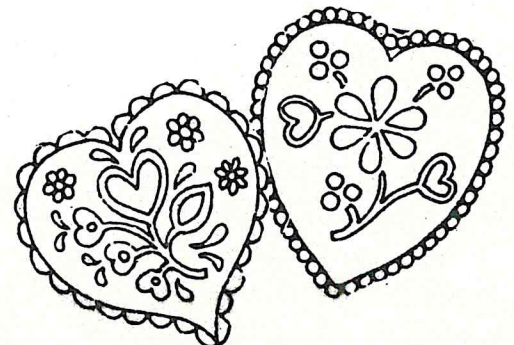
Hi! This is a short month so this article will also be short. We can only report the winners for one night. Come down, make up a table, play any cards you desire and have fun.

The winners for the card party for January 15th were Renato Ticconi, Jane Panuchi, Rosemary Belz, Alma Reinke, Minnie Prokop, and Mildred McCurdy.

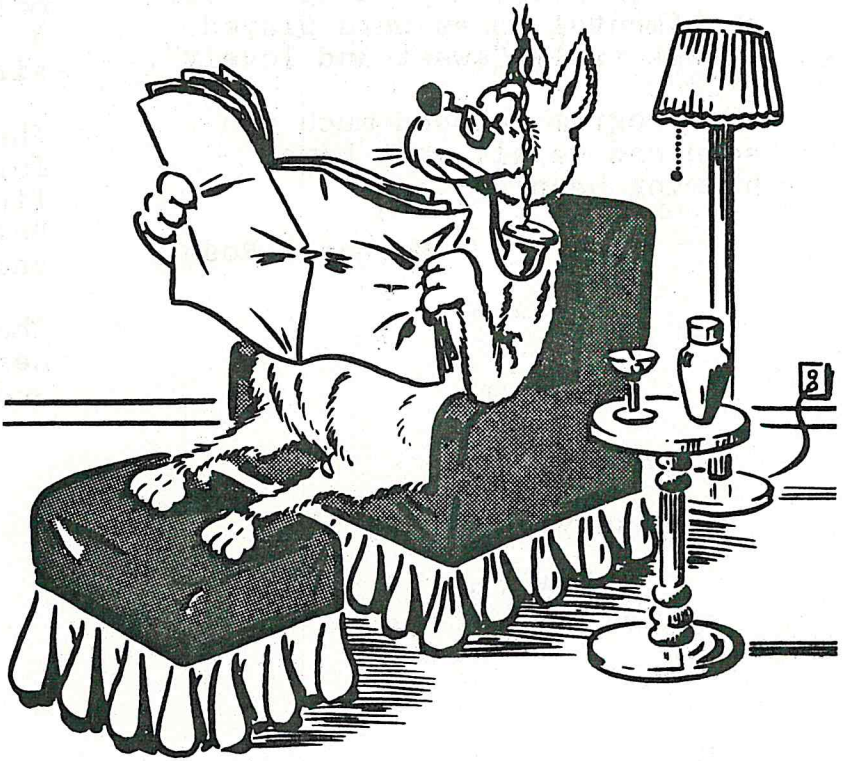
The dates for the February Wednesday Card Parties are the 5th and the 19th.

Len Shoemaker

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DINNERS  
BRIDGE  
DANCE  
MUSIC  
BINGO  
BREAKFAST



## ART CLASS NEWS

The Monday afternoon art class has a few new members and we welcome them to the art group.

It would be nice to add a few more to join in the fun and learning experience of drawing and painting. Even if you have never tried to paint or draw it would be a satisfying hobby to pursue.

The class meets on Monday afternoons from 1:00 to 3:00. Why not stop in to see what is being accomplished with the help of constructive instructions and a desire of creativity.

H. Dielman

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## CERAMICS CLASS

Good news! Remember the boutique? Well, something new is coming up. We are now going to have a gift showcase all year long! That's right, ceramic pieces made by the students will be available for sale year round. This Gift Showcase will be opened around the beginning of March. To keep our showcase stocked, we will be having special classes so students interested in making pieces for this project can make them in the special class held Wednesdays from 9:30 to 11:30 from February 5th through March 10.

I'd like to welcome our newest student Harry. Harry is making a lava bowl. Glad you joined us, Harry.

Mercedes takes the lead in early preparation for Christmas by

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## MONDAY NIGHT PINOCHLE WINNERS

### Jan. 6th

1. Len Shoemaker	611	\$2.00
2. Joe Rak	599	1.75
3. G. Schaefer	555	1.25
4. F. Treichel	511	1.00

### Jan. 13th

1. Pauline Kubik	599	2.25
2. Winnie Hellwig	596	2.00
3. Barbara Rixie	561	1.50
4. Joe Rak	560	1.25
5. Alice Graff	557	1.00

### Jan. 20th

1. Helen Burns	582	2.25
2. Barbara Rixie	581	2.00
3. Pauline Kubik	546	1.50
4. Ruby Jacobs	543	1.25

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starting a large Christmas tree. Good idea, Mercedes!

Alma is into the pre-spring mood with her pretty daisy spoon rests. Jenny, Marge and Margaret are making some really nice casserole dishes and Rose Katz just finished her hadro-type figurine which is truly lovely.

By the way, Clara has had eye surgery and I, and I am sure everyone else, wishes her a speedy recovery and a quick return to class.

Til next month

Ray DiSanto

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## BOUTIQUE CLASS

It may be cold outside but the boutique class is thinking of hearts and flowers and spring and even Easter. Yes, that's right - Valentines and Easter baskets. The Villa Serena Boutique Class is going to be making pretty things for all seasons available year-round. That means the elves now have to compete with cupid, the Easter bunny, witches and goblins. As you know, this is a competitive world out there. We've decided to put our creative energies to work and try something new. The details are still being worked out but it opens up a ton of opportunities in areas we've never been. We hope you'll be as enthusiastic as the class is and I'm sure you'll have ideas for us as well.

We still have some things left from last year which are available for sale if you need a gift. You can see me on Wednesdays until we get our display set up. We hope you'll enjoy shopping at the Villa where you can buy a bit of hand made love to soften up your high tech world.

Sally Kinney

P.S. We have some cute hearts for Valentine's Day for gifts or decorating your home or apartment. They can be used year round, are guaranteed non-fattening. Come see me Wednesdays.

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## MINISTERS FOR FEBRUARY

Church inspiration is every Thursday at 10:00 A.M.

6th Rev. Wm. O'Neill  
St. Clare Church  
13th To be announced  
20th Rev. Roger Spence  
Church of the Epiphany  
27th Rev. Robert Cline  
Messiah Lutheran Church

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## TRAVELOGUE

Maurice Wolfson, a retired violinist with the famous Cleveland Orchestra for many years, will present a travelogue on Wednesday, February 26, at 7:30 P.M.

In his travel with the orchestra, to many countries, he has acquired a great selection of slides of many points of interest. Mr. Wolfson is now retired and will honor us by coming to the Villa Serena to show films on Japan and Hong Kong. This should be a beautiful show and a wonderful evening. Don't miss it. Remember the date is Wednesday, February 26th at 7:30 P.M.

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Don't forget to check the Anniversary Special events and mark your calendar!

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# ALASKA

VILLA SERENA GOES ALASKA -- YES!!!!!!!!!! AGAIN!!!!!!!!!!

ITS THE TRIP OF A "LIFETIME" -- DON'T MISS IT!!!!

LAND OF BEAUTY AND WONDER - JULY 6th to JULY 17th

IT'S A TWELVE DAY TRIP - THREE DAYS IN VANCOUVER AND EXPO '86 - ONE DAY IN VICTORIA AND THE BORCHERT GARDENS. ALL FUN, FOOD AND SIGHTSEEING, WITH A TRIP INTO THE MOUNTAIN RANGES OF CANADA.

AND ABOARD THE S.S. RHAPSODY  
(A MAGNIFICENT SHIP) FOR A SEVEN  
DAY CRUISE THROUGH ALASKA WITH

STOPS AT

ANCHORAGE AND HUBBARD GLACIER

JUNEAU, SKAGWAY, KETCHIKAN

THROUGH

THE LYNN CANAL AND

GLACIER BAY.

FABULOUS FOOD,

ENTERTAINMENT AND

MORE IS YOURS FOR 7 DAY

ABOARD THE

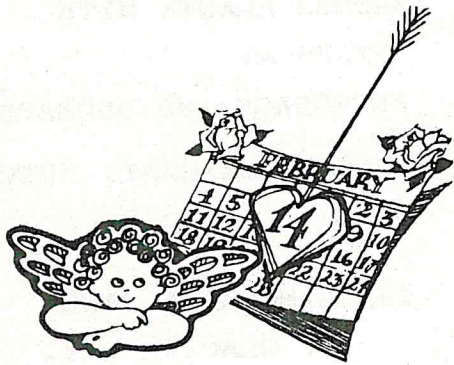
S. S. RHAPSODY

THE ENTIRE TRIP INCLUDING FLIGHT, STAY IN VANCOUVER, ALL FOOD, CRUISE, TIPS AND GRATUITIES (except for the ship tips) FROM THE VILLA SERENA AND RETURN WILL BE THE TOTAL SUM OF \$2,300.00, PLUS PORT TAX OF 56.00 A BARGAIN PRICE COMPARED TO THE ACTUAL COST FOR A TRIP OF THIS MAGNITUDE SIGN UP IN THE OFFICE IF YOU ARE INTERESTED OR CALL 241-5454 for FURTHER INFORMATION - YOU MUST ACT FAST - SPACE IS VERY LIMITED!!!!

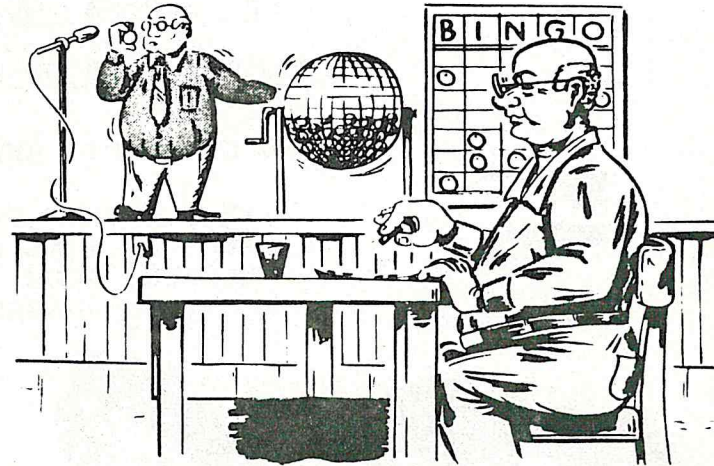
ANNIVERSARY SPECIAL

Continuing with the special programs we will have a special Bridge Tournament on Friday, February 14th, at 1:00 P.M. with special table prizes and goodies. Guests will be welcomed for this special occasion, if you care to invite a friend. Tickets will be 50 cents each. Come and enjoy an afternoon of bridge.

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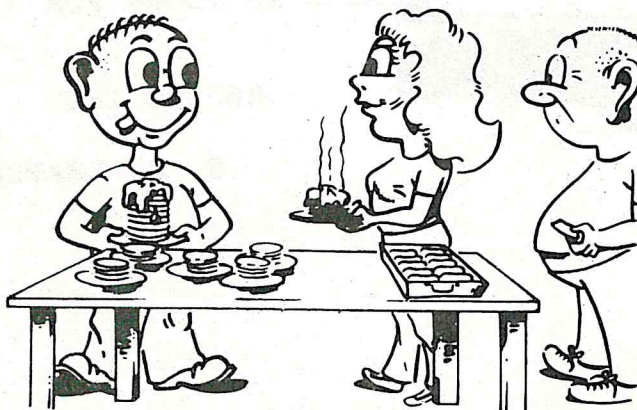
# BINGO



ANNIVERSARY SPECIAL

What could be more wonderful than to enjoy one of our extraordinary Pancake Breakfasts on Sunday, February 23rd. As George Washington would say, "we cannot tell a lie" our pancake breakfasts are super terrific. Serving will be from 10:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. and the cost is only \$2.50 per person.

At 1:30 P.M. we will begin a **BIG BINGO EVENT** - three cards for \$2.00 for "big prizes". Plan to come for breakfast and stay on for our special Bingo. You'll have lots of fun! And remember there is a \$90.00 pot if you get Bingo in 54 numbers. The date again is Sunday, February 23rd. **DON'T MISS THIS EVENT!!!**



## PANCAKE BREAKFAST

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## BIG BINGO

As usual there was a large crowd at our monthly Big Bingo. All of the tables were filled with happy, hopeful players.

Mary Calogero called "loud and clear". Winners were glad and losers sad. Mr. Chesler took over the calling for the final game. If your card was filled in 54 numbers, you would win \$80.00 but no such luck. But one of our guests won \$30.00 consolation prize for the fill up.

Instant Bingo cards were sold at a fast pace by Mary Calogero after the game. Why not come to the Villa Serena in February and try your luck...you might win a buck! Check the calendar for the date.

Margaret Rose

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## BRIDGE NOTES

As promised, since the holiday we have been discussing competitive bidding covering overcalls and take-out doubles. These situations are the most controversial part of bidding so they must be reviewed from time to time.

On Friday, February 14th, we will have a bridge party. It will be a progressive game with prizes for top scores plus a travelling "2" prize. Donation is 50¢. Buests are welcome. Come enjoy the fun.

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## DANCERCISE NEWS

The year 1986 has gotten off to a good start with a class of 25, some old, some new and we also have room for you.

What better way to tone up your body than to join the friendly bunch of people in the Villa Serena exercise class!

Come and see what you've been missing. We meet every Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 P.M. See you there!

Flossie Bluhm

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## NEEDLEWORKERS TAKE NOTICE

Treat yourself to learning the needlework you have been wanting to do, but never did. Now is the time for you to be knitting or crocheting the sweater or vest for yourself. How about cross stitching a small sampler, or a needlepoint pillow or picture for your home or a family gift. If you don't know how to start or finish a project, do come on Mondays from 1:00 to 4:00. I do have some patterns for you to choose from or you can bring your own.

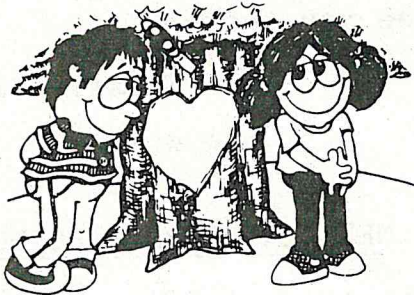
Phyllis Milbrodt

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Special February Anniversary Activities -- don't miss them! Something for everyone.

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# Valentines Day



## ANNIVERSARY SPECIAL

Starting off our month of anniversary celebrations will be a special Anniversary Dinner of your choice of Chicken or Barbecued Ribs at \$6.50 per person, followed by none other than the great Ed and Gilda Cifani to play and sing for our dancing pleasure. How can you miss this delightful pair? We promise you a very nice evening together.

Mark the date on your calendar right now. Circle Friday, February 7th for an evening of great entertainment. See you there.

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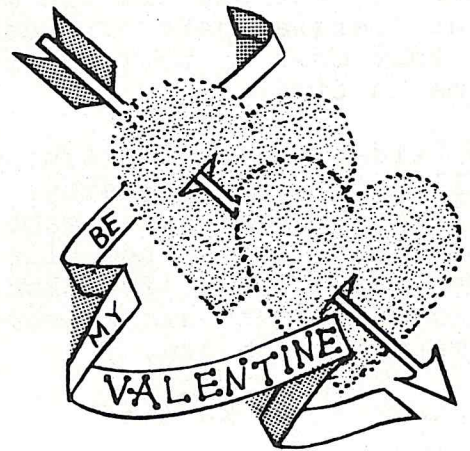
## ANNIVERSARY SPECIAL

Come join us for a Valentine Dinner. You will enjoy a super dinner "a la Villa Serena". After dinner, we will once again welcome that marvelous Billy Kaye and June Anthony who will help us to "swoon" and remember that it is a time of "love, love, love" by presenting a program of love songs you will be singing and humming in the days to come.

The date is Thursday, February 13 Our "sweetheart kitchen hostesses" will be right there making sure you enjoy your dinner. Can you ask for more???? On the menu will be Breaded Veal Cutlet at \$6.00 per person.

We will celebrate birthdays and anniversaries at this time. Do be sure to make a note of the date -- Thursday, February 13th.

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May all of your wishes come true during this YOUR new year!

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

FEBRUARY 1986

Flower: Violet

Birthstone: Amethyst

FEBRUARY

3 Helen Fekete 722  
4 Allan Heckaman 401  
5 Ann Klein 516  
6 Rosemary Belz 806  
Vernita Coleman 314  
8 John Musacchio 221  
10 Pauline Bradac 226  
14 Ethel Gothard 702  
15 John Pazderak 716  
16 Viola Judice 719  
17 Ruth Groenwold 616  
19 Mercedes Dirner 630  
20 Albert McMunn 818  
21 Theresa Feinkohl 805  
24 Carmella Belcon 232  
25 Mary Jane McMunn 818  
26 Christina Stech 525  
Mary Weir 313  
27 Anna Dean 220  
Anna Roth 219  
Geraldine Jepson 406  
28 Margaret Poe 306

ANNIVERSARIES

9 Mr. & Mrs. John Schultz 808  
10 Mr. & Mrs. Alec Lobas  
12 Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Skarnus  
14 Mr. & Mrs. James Pritchard  
15 Mr. & Mrs. Bert Gordon 417  
16 Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Kulas  
18 Mr. & Mrs. Elmer Wenner  
19 Mr. & Mrs. Robert Bernstein  
21 Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Wiltshire  
22 Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Heiser

FEBRUARY

1 Evelyn Becker  
John Burke  
2 Beulah Fleishman  
Mary Sansonetti  
Clara Zeligman  
4 Sylvia Kaplow Anna Hetzel  
5 Dorothea Brethauer  
Isabelle Byron  
6 Joseph Kovatch  
Louis Storto  
8 Wells Hugo-Smith  
Angela Storto  
9 Elaine Braund  
Helen Horvath  
10 Viola Orifici  
12 Harriet Kish  
13 Bernice Holec  
Mary Ianni Clarence Schmitz  
Mary Raguso  
14 Rosemary Lendvay  
Charles Roberto  
Dorothy Ungeran  
15 Bernard Biederman  
Ruth Kleppel Gerry Tomaro  
16 Robert Bernstein  
Joseph Colocchi  
Ethel Fagan  
Helen Pacosky  
Andrew Zamec  
Ida Zamec  
Mildred Kossoff  
17 Rose Mihi  
19 Myrtle Andrews  
Margaret Lobas  
Marion Simocic  
22 Helen Trivison  
Jennie Vaccariello  
23 Josephine Mecca  
Helen Poderski  
24 Frances Barskitis  
25 Edward (Bud) Kleppel  
26 Margaret Adzema  
Sara Ciongoli  
Ruth Katz  
28 Evelyn Bollman  
Dorothy Drembus  
29 Susie DeLambo  
William Sattler

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FEBRUARY - ANNIVERSARY MONTH

February as we all know is the anniversary month for the Villa Serena. This year marks the 19th year of our existence.

And what an existence it has been!!!! So many wonderful remembrances of days gone by - most have been happy, some have been marred by illness and sadness, but we have overcome with courage and faith.

More important has been our ability to live together over the years. Yes, the Villa Serena has become a success story. Many attempts have been made to duplicate the Villa Serena but the one ingredient that no one can

ever duplicate is the "spirit" of the Villa Serena.

Let us not forget the early days. We wish that many of you could have been with us in the days of our infancy when we were stumbling and learning how to walk, but learn how to walk we did and the years passed with new faces in our midst and new friends. As we begin to look forward to the years ahead, remember a proverb of old, "To be happy, man must always remember the past with warmth, to appreciate the present in its fullest and develop hope for the future.

And the future is what we are surely thinking about because next year God willing we will celebrate our 20th year. We should hope that we can continue to all be together because we make a commitment now that it will be the greatest of celebrations come February, 1987. You can count on it!

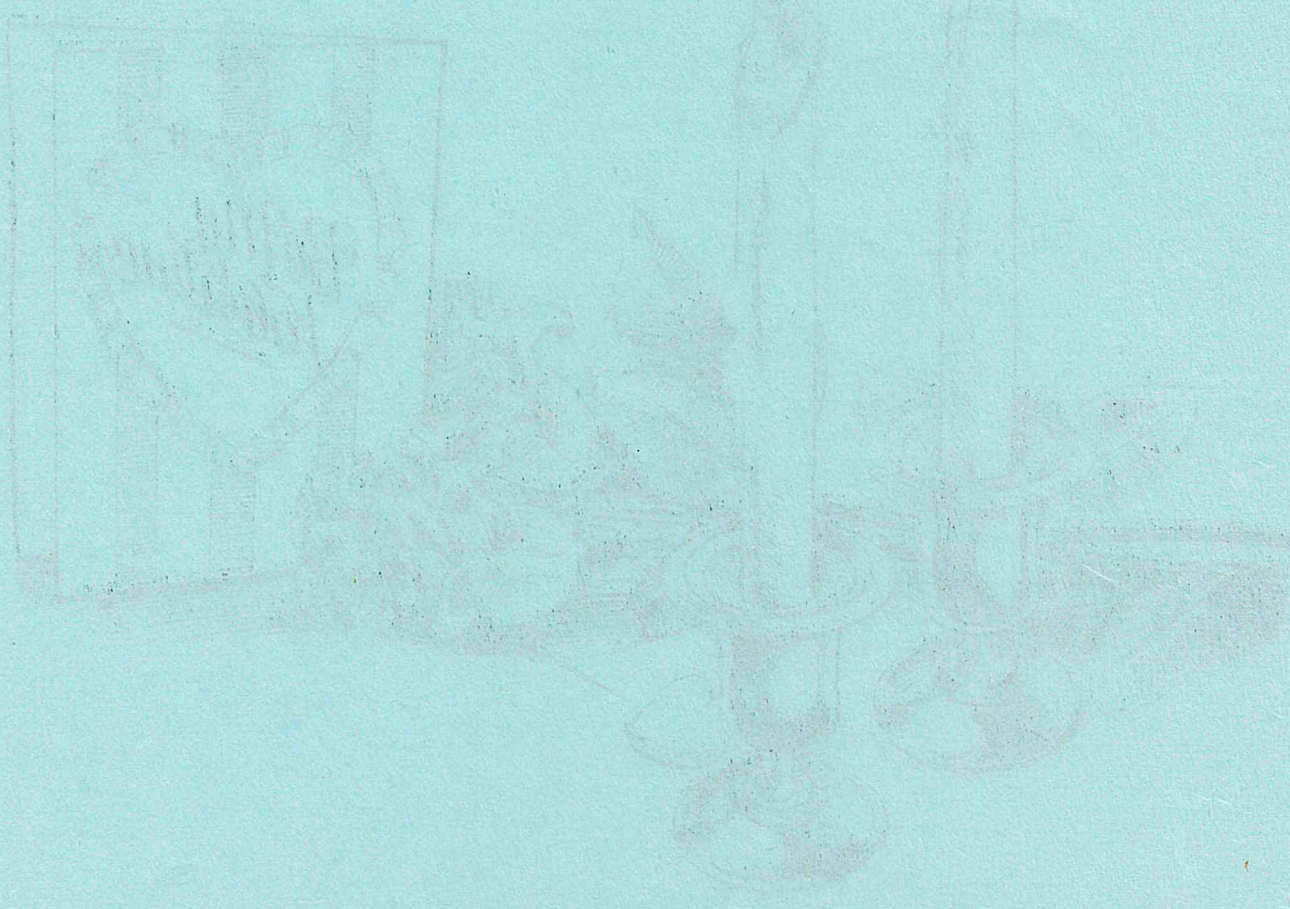
In the meantime, our sincere blessings to all who have come under our roof and with the hope that you will enjoy the coming year with us in good health and happiness.

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# The Little Prince

by Antoine de Saint-Exupéry



# The Villa Voice

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