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VILLA SERENA DINNER MENU

JANUARY, 1997

FRIDAY, JANUARY 10th

Choice of Baked Fish
or Brisket of Beef
Potato
Vegetable
Dessert

FRIDAY, JANUARY 17th

Choice of Baked Fish
or Chicken Cutlet
Potato
Vegetable
Dessert

FRIDAY, JANUARY 24th

Choice of Baked Fish
or Breaded Pork Chop
Potato
Vegetable
Dessert



WEDNESDAY CARD PARTY WINNERS

December 4th winners were Helen Balutis, Helen Lvsko, Thelma Olsen, Mitzi Weber, Amelia Nagy and Marcy Stianche.

December 11th winners were Mary Blasko, Thelma Lilje, Helen Balutis, Helen Lysko, Marcy Stianche and Jennie Cel-lura.

Come on down some Wednesday evening for some card play-ing. All welcome.

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A motorist was going the wrong way on a one way street and a cop stopped him and said: Look buster, where do you think you are going? And the motorist looked up and said: Oh, well it's okay, officer, I guess I'm too late anyway. I see every-body's coming back.

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Giant oak trees started out as little nuts that held their ground.

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COMING EVENTS

Friday, January 17
5:00 Dinner 6:30 Music

Friday, January 24
5:00 Dinner 6:30 Dancing

SICK LIST

Sorry to hear that Rose Schock is on the sick list. We wish her good health and quickly.

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QUESTIONS

Have you given the office your license plate number and also information regarding next of kin? If not, please do it now.

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ATTENTION MEMBERS

Have you checked your membership card recently? Why not do it now so you can continue to enjoy the programs at the Villa.

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OUR NEW YEARS WISH FOR YOU

Twelve months filled with happy days
With health and friendship true,
With joys that spread like our stars rays
Is our New Year's Wish for you.

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MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

		1 HAPPY NEW YEAR	2	3
6 9:30-12:30 Ceramics	7 3:30 Rosary	8 1:30 Exercise 7:00 Cards	9	10
6:30 Pinochle	7:00 Game night	15 9 - 1 Sewing 1:30 Exercise	16	17 5:00 Dinner 6:30 Program
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SEWING CLASS NEWS

I can't believe it is Holiday time already. It seems as tho our class just began in the fall. It is good to get together to sew and share with each other. Sewing is a wonderful and creative hobby -- and a useful one as well. There has been an absolute explosion of great new technology and patterns and fabrics and notions and -- you name it! I find it hard to know how to focus my efforts with so much available.

Sewing is much more fun now and in many ways much easier today. We do everything in our class - alterations, repairs, as well as making new clothes. Stop by and see us some Wednesday.

Sally Kinney

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LET IT SNOW, LET IT SNOW

No, please don't! I think we have had quite enough snow in November to last until spring. Unfortunately, my thinking is not reality in this case. Yes, the snow is pretty if you can stay inside and look out at it but a lot of us can't do it that way. It was nice to have a nice Christmas, just seemed to be necessary for that day.

Carole Clay

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JOSEPHINE'S COMMENTS

The New Year is here. Be smart and don't ask the following:

1. Are you sleeping?
2. I'll bet you don't remember me. Right?
3. Now what's the trouble?
4. Did I keep you waiting?
5. Is that a real diamond?
6. Did you have your hair dyed?
7. Promise you won't get mad if I ask you a question.

Josephine Gentile

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PINOCHLE WINNERS

Dec. 2

Helen Lysko	592	\$2.50
Vic Di Bartolo	578	2.00
Marie Stianche	543	1.50
Thelma Olsen	524	1.00
Mitzi Weber	504	.50
Ed Mark	504	.50

Dec. 9

Mitzi Weber	663	2.50
Vic DiBartolo	602	2.00
Al McMunn	566	1.50
Howard Barnes	506	1.00
Joe Damanti	496	1.00

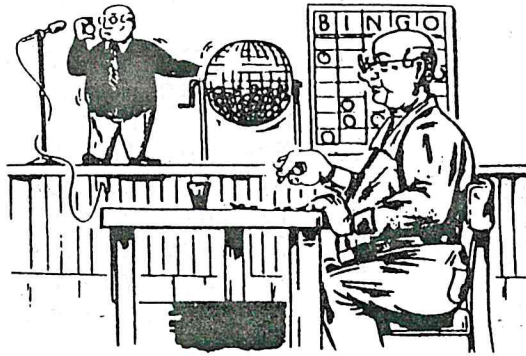
Dec. 16

Ed Markowitz	583	2.00
Helen Balutis	513	1.75
Howard Barnes	477	1.25
Jennie Cellura	460	.50
Frank Stianche	460	.50

Join the group of players. Everyone welcome. Monday at 6:30 P.M.

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BINGO 1997 AT THE VILLA



FRIDAY JANUARY 10 1997

DINNER 5:00 PM FOLLOWED BY BINGO

THREE CARDS FOR FOR FIVE DOLLARDS

SPECIAL DOOR PRIZES

EVERY ONE WELCOME

LINE DANCING-ALIVE AND WELL!

With the coming of the new year and our desire to continue to keep your minds and bodies very active, we will begin another class in line dancing.

We will welcome Elaine Siegel who brings with her some great credentials in experience in teaching, line dancing of all kinds, western line dances & so much more.

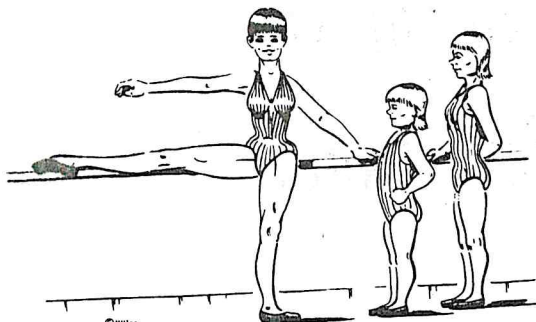
It will be the greatest of fun for everyone, not only in being able to dance but to stretch those muscles. Many of you are already doing it in our Dancer-cise Class, but it is never too much to continue with the fun of line dancing.

Our classes will begin on THURSDAY, JANUARY 16th from 1:30 P.M. to 2:30 P.M. and continue each Thursday thereafter.

Let's all come in and welcome Elaine to our Villa Serena family, we know you will love this activity. It will keep you as "fit as a fiddle".

Mark the date on your calendar. You won't want to miss this new addition to our activities.

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BINGO NIGHT!!

If you enjoy playing Bingo, there is no need for you to hop a bus and ride for hours to another city, whether it be New York or Canada.

You can lose or win your money just the same at the Villa Serena. Granted you will not win as much as you would when you travel elsewhere, but you won't spend as much either.

So, come to join with us for lots of fun on FRIDAY, JANUARY 10, 1997 for the first Bingo game of 1997. We will begin playing right after dinner.

We will be looking for you. The dinner will be delicious and the evening will be a swell time for everyone.

We will try to have you go home a winner!!!!!!

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DINNER SHOW BY POPULAR DEMAND

VALERIE AND ANTHONY

SINGING YOUR FAVORITE SONGS

JANUARY 17 1997

DINNER 5:00 PM SHOW TIME 6:30 PM

A VILLA SERENA EXTRA

JANUARY 24 1997 DINNER DANCE

MIKE JACOBS AND FRIENDS

BUY YOUR TICKETS EARLY

JANUARY CELEBRATIONS!

Now that the new year is here and you have all relaxed from the hustle and bustle of all the holiday shopping, eating too much food and coping with the weather, it is just about time to relax and enjoy the quietness of January.

At the Villa Serena, it will be a gentle kind of quietness in that we will have two very relaxing evenings of entertainment and dancing.

On Friday, January 17th, we will once again welcome the grand performers who had us singing and listening in sheer wonder to the finest accordionist ever, when we will be entertained by the Anthony Rolando and Valerie Vacco. Who can forget their beautiful program of entertainment not too long ago.

On Friday, January 24th we will celebrate all birthdays and anniversaries for January when we welcome everyone for dinner and dancing to our favorite musicians, Mike Jacobs and his group.

These two programs promise to begin the year with a lot of gaiety, laughter and song.
JOIN US!!!!

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CHRISTMAS LIGHTS TOUR

We did see some beautiful sights, the creativity of some of the homes along the way were remarkable. Seeing the Rock Hall of Fame and downtown Cleveland was kind of nostalgic in the wrong way - it was unanimous that we missed the windows at May Company and Hi-bee stores! The Public Square was just slightly decorated and they were ice skating in the quadrant in front of the Terminal Tower. It would have been so much prettier if there had been lights on the skating rink.

It was about a two and a half hour trip on a very comfortable bus with a congenial driver. Seeing all those beautiful sights is just a 'don't miss' event during the Christmas season. (Just so we don't have to pay their electric bill.)

Carole Clay

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INTERESTED IN WORKING ON THE VILLA VOICE?

Have you ever had the desire to report the news and comments? If you still care to do it, why not join our group? Please contact Mary Calogero for more information.

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NEXT OF KIN UP DATE

We are finding that many of you have had changes in your doctors and next of kin phone numbers and have not as yet notified the office.

If you are a resident of the Villa Serena, it is most important that you check to make sure that our files are updated as far as your present doctors, next of kin names, addresses and phone numbers.

We are finding that many phone numbers have changed since your last notification to us and in case of an emergency, it is most important that we have an updated listing of persons to contact in case of emergency.

Please check with Pauline in the office to make sure your records are up to date.

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OUR LOVELY WINDOWS

A very special note of thanks to the Mayfield High School Art students who once again used their wonderful imaginations and talents to paint those gorgeous holiday paintings on our windows.

They added to the warmth and wonderful feelings of the holiday season here at the Villa.

We wish them all the joy of the season in return for all the joy they have given to us.

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CHRISTMAS - 1996

Christmas 1996 in Villa Serena style, began the moment you came into the lobby and saw the stately Christmas tree, the one in our lounge and all the other lovely decorations and flowers. The dinner tables so beautifully set with the very colorful centerpieces we had this year.

Our traditional dinner of Cornish Hen was served with all the extra trimmings that usually come with our holiday dinners at the Villa Serena. How did we consume all this food??? Well, we certainly managed to do it and enjoy it at the same time.

How did we top the delicious dinner? Again, by going into the Red/Blue Room to begin the evening of entertainment with none other than our very favorite "Carmellina" and her group singing and playing the songs of the season and then some.

Of course, the evening would not have been complete without the appearance of Santa Claus. Young or old, we still all love to see Santa Claus in our midst.

The evening came to a spectacular conclusion with our colored lights shining brightly and all of us joining hands as one to sing Silent Night and hear Carmellina sing the Ave Maria. What a moving moment this was.

With peace and contentment in our hearts, we all left the Villa with the wonderful spirit of Christmas in our thoughts. Thus Christmas 1996 came to a beautiful end.

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BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

JANUARY 1997

January

1 Rose Lowery 308
2 Eunice Brichacek 632
5 Anthony Bodanza 734
7 Pauline Pillar 816
9 Joseph Catullo 327
Anthony Seeman 809
11 Alma Fadel 504
14 David Tierney 322
20 Andrew Andrews 718
21 Elsie Hehir 611
Rose DeLaney 413
22 Mary Rose Lociend 810
23 Florence Simpson 505
Tony Glem 826
24 Ann Picozzi 708
25 Kathryn Heinty 207
26 Genevieve Devnev 723
28 Gene Zachary 206
29 Elizabeth Corr 425

ANNIVERSARIES

January

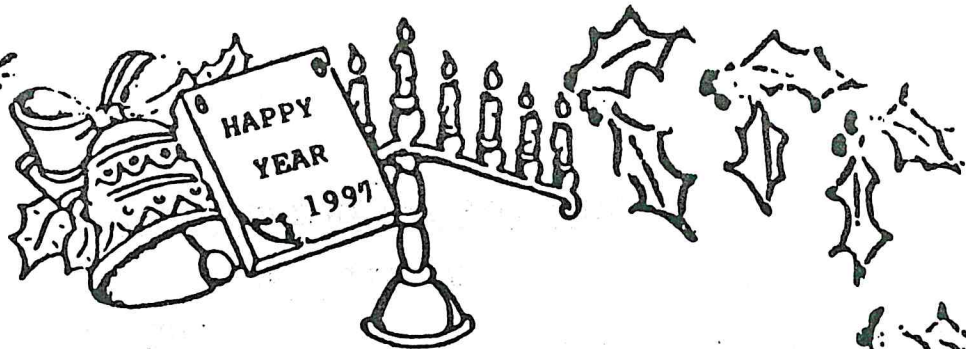
30 Mr. & Mrs. Paul Rosa

January

1 Stanley Caplinsky
Helen Knoll
Dorothy Pokorney
3 Joseph Cipolla
4 Marie Wiltshire
5 Josephine Tagliaferri
9 Teresa McNaughton
10 Wallace Effinger
Helen Goldberg
Beatrice Siegel
11 Norma Sangimino
Howard Barnes
Sandy DeGirolamo
Marjorie Stewart
Madeline Mannino
12 Olga Caruso
Myra Kursman
15 Fannie Herega
Josephine Gentile
Marge Nokes
John Sangimino
17 Josephine Sanson
19 Grace Alliger
Lottie Zavasnik
21 Helen Marshalko
22 Angeline Martella
24 Harold Morton
25 George Cancasci
26 Josephine Boros
Mamie Perry
30 Dorothy Strutz
31 Alice Crobaugh

Happy Anniversary

Happy Birthday



It can't be helped - the years seem to fly by faster and faster and now we are getting ready to welcome in the "New Year Baby of 1997" all fresh, young and full of life. Let's put the past behind you whether it was good or bad. In this new year, put forth a smile, do something for others and we guarantee your burdens will be less.

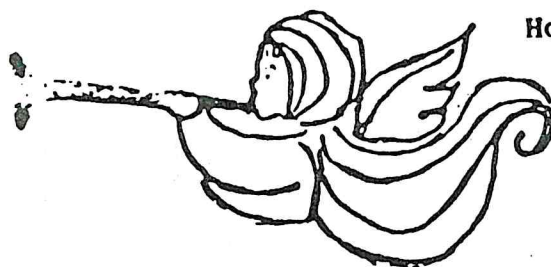
We cannot forget the beauty and friendship that prevailed at the Villa Serena during this holiday season. In this new year we will be celebrating the thirtieth year of our existence and we still continue to extend our hand in friendship and say welcome. Our pleasure in the past as well as in the future is in knowing that we have been able to give to each of you some moments of joy. We will not stop in our dedication to this.

We thank so many of you both residents and members who have continued to support us, our staff, our many many volunteers who have worked so hard during this past year to make "our home" a very lovely and special place to live.

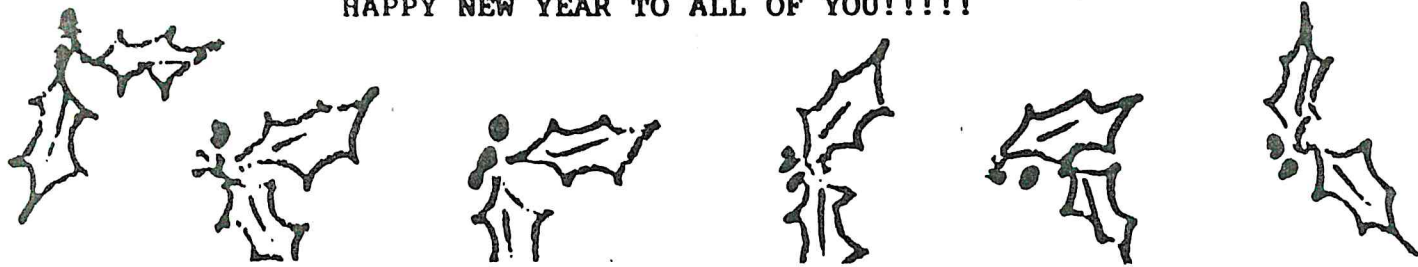
Our wish for each of you from the Board of Trustees, our sponsors, management and staff is that 1997 will be a good year and that God will give you strength to face all the challenges along the way.

LET'S ALL GIVE 1997 A GREAT BIG WELCOME!!!!!!

Howard Chesler



HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL OF YOU!!!!!!



The Villa Voice

JANUARY 1997

