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FRIDAY, MARCH 3rd

Baked Fish Potatoes Vegetable Dessert



FRIDAY, MARCH 10th

Choice of Baked Fish or Brisket of Beef Potatoes Vegetable Dessert

FRIDAY, MARCH 31st

Choice of Baked Fish or Breaded Pork Chop Potatoes Vegetable Dessert

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15th

ST. PATRICK'S DAY DINNER

Corned Beef and Cabbage and all the trimmings including "that special brew"

TO OUR LOYAL DINNER SUPPORTERS:

Through this column, we wish to take this opportunity to thank all of you for the fine support you have given us. We pledge to continue our desire to bring you only the best and finest foods possible at a price which all of our senior citizens can afford. Should you have any suggestions as to what you especially like to eat, please let us know, we shall endeavor to prepare any type of foods you might like "A LA VILLA SERENA STYLE" - you can't beat that!!!

SPECIAL POEM FOR VOLUNTEERS

Many will be shocked to find When the day of judgment nears That there is a special place in Heaven

Set aside for volunteers
Satin couches and footstools
Where there is no committee
chairman

No group leaders or car pools No eager team that needs a coach

No bazaar and no cake sale There will be nothing to staple

Not one thing to fold or mail Telephone lists will be out-

But a finger snap will bring Cool drinks and gourmet dinners

Rare feasts for queen and king.

You ask "who will serve these Privileged few

And work for all they're worth? Why all those who reaped the benefits

And not once volunteered on Earth.

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WHERE'S THE ACTION?

Downstairs. Cost? What cost? Do you live here? Are you a member?

There is no fee for attending classes. And you can join as many as you care to.

Ceramics (Cost of supplies)
Exercise

Sewing Needlework

Boutique Bridge

As you can see, we try to cater to everyone.

Do you play bingo? Any game? Pinochle? The fee is nominal and you have an opportunity to win. Monday night is for pinochle players. Just come on down. Fee 50¢. Wednesdays are for cards of your choice. Bring Your partners and games and make your own rules.

Check the calendar in the Villa Voice for all activities.

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WHAT'S NEW RUBY?

Mary Francis Dunlap's son-inlaw, Ed Malik of Elyria, has donated a number of books to the library. Good Reading. Thank you, Ed.

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Thank you <u>Aileen Spencer</u> for your generous donation to the Villa Serena.

We were sorry to hear of the recent death of <u>Helen</u>
<u>Burns</u> and at this time we want to express our sympathy to her family and friends.

As you can see, the Showcase is filled with a great variety of items for your selection whether it be a gift or something for yourself. Check it out again.

At this time we want to express our sympathy to the family and friends of Harold Palmer who recently passed away.

Members: Checked the expiration date on your cards lately? Do it now so it will not expire.

Mae Drinko is off to Florida. Enjoy yourself, Mae but do return.

Ann Picozzi is spending a couple of weeks visiting her son in Palm Springs, California. Have a good vacation, Ann.



Sorry to hear that Amelia Nagy is in the hospital and that Jim Cordaro is ill. Good health to both of you and very soon.

Lots of good reading material is available in the library. Something to please everyone's interest. Stop in and check it out.

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Tenants: Do we have your license numers on file? If not, please contact the office. Thank you.



BRIDGE NOTES

Our Friday afternoon bridge group has finished discussing play of the hand and will now start discussing the Goren bidding system. This gives players an opportunity to get answers to any questions they have about bidding.

On the Friday before Valentine Day, we had a "Travelling Two Valentine prize". This was won by Mary Jane White.

Playing bridge is an enjoyable way to spend these cold, wintry afternoons. Come join us.

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MOVIE REVIEW

On Friday, February 17th, we had our usual superb dinner of Swiss steak or fish with cherry pie for dessert, served by swift, smiling waiters and waitresses.

At 7:00 P.M., we filled the Red/Blue Room, which was our movie theater, to watch 'The Eddy Duchin Story' with Kim Novak and Tyrone Power. This was a tender love story in the style we all remember so well!!! The music was splendid and brought back many memories.

Popcorn was served at intermission and was welcome and fresh.

Margaret Rose

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RELIGIOUS INSPIRATION

On Thursdays at 10:00 we have church services conducted by a minister from the area. Everyone is welcome to attend.

The ministers for March are

-2nd Rev. Rick Falkenberg
Lyndhurst Baptist
Church

9th Rev. William O'Neill St. Clare Church

16th Rev. Graham Smith Church of the Good Shepherd

23rd Rev. Stan Leonard
The Great Lakes Church

30th Rev. Claudia Lewis
Faith United Church of
Christ

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MEN'S CLUB NEWS

The Men's Club is making plans for a fantastic Pan-cake Breakfast scheduled in April.

As you know, the Men's Club puts on the greatest break-fast you can imagine. They top all others.

Further details in the April issue of The Villa Voice. Be sure to check it out and then make plans to attend. Is your mouth watering yet?

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MONDAY PINOCHLE WINNERS

Jan. 23		1 -
Violet Orifici	596	\$4.25
Mae Gaghan	575	3.75
Tony Gentile	571	3.25
Margaret Rose	564	2.75
Gladys Schaefer	562	2.25
Winnie Hellwig	559	1.75
Jan. 30		
Arlene Wasniak	624	4.25
Winnie Hellwig	611	3.75
Gert Pierce	594	3.25
Joe Ariemma	583	2.75
Vera Kozak	558	1.00
Violet Orifici	558	1.00
Feb. 6	1 1	
Mae Brazis	628	4.25
Edith Kern	614	3.75
Rosemary Belz	607	3.25
Anne Panichi	602	2.75
Collette Comiskey	576	2.00
Feb. 13		
Alma Reinke	621	4.25
Florence Treichel	604	3.75
Chas. Schaefer	574	3.25
Barbara Rixie	555	2.75
Marian Skarnus	553	2.00
Anne Panichi	553	2.00

BOUTIQUE CLASS NEWS

Where did the last month go? Time is flying by and still our orders are coming in. We surely could use your help -- we even do on-the-job training. Our pay isn't much but the rewards are great. Guaranteed!

We are still trying to fill doll orders, plus more chairs and soldier pillows. Now some adorable mice have stuck their noses into our class-what next! We have baby bibs and clowns

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BOUTIQUE (Cont)

partly constructed but, alas, the elves are few. Do come join us -- all you need is a smile and a willingness to help the Villa Serena.

Sally Kinney

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BIG BINGO PLAYERS ATTENTION

Calling all BIG BINGO players. We do not want you to miss our next session so now is the time to tell you that on Friday, March 10th, at 7:00 we will play your favorite game--BINGO.

The big prize will be \$200 if you get a fill-up in 57 numbers. Come on, somebody will win it this time, we hope.

So bring your money -- just \$5.00 for three cards and, as usual, your lucky charms. You do want to win, don't you?

The date is Friday, March 10th starting with dinner at 5:00 and bingo at 7:00 so come and make an eveing of it. See you then. Oh, lots of other prizes, too.

EXERCISE CLASS NEWS

Happy Easter! Waiting for spring may seem like forever. It is expexially hard if the weather is cold and damp--activating our aches and pains, arthritis, pain from an old jijury, etc. Exercise can and does improve this condition. Keeping all joints moving really helps keep discomfort to a minimum. Hop on down and join us in our hour of fun and fitness.

Beth Parnin

HAVE YOU MET

....Andrew Hromco? Andy is a native Clevelander, He lived in the Buckeye Road area as a boy. When he moved to the Villa in September, he met Frank Thomas who also lives here. It turns out they had been neighbors in the old area.

Andy is a widower. He was very happy to move here as his one daughter lives in the area and they can now visit often. He is the proud grand-father of two grandsons and a lovely granddaughter who attends Ursuline College.

Andy had a variety of jobs before he became a tool and die
maker. He vividly recalls his
first job at sixty cents an
hour! Andy also plays the
violin and has had a few
'jam sessions' with other
musicians here.

After Andy retired, he and his wife took up square dancing and line dancing. They took their first lessons at the Berea Fairgrounds. The group started out with 55 squares then dwindled down to about 30. Before his wife passed away, they danced at many senior citizens doings and often at Parmatown Mall. It was at Parmatown Mall that some of the stores had Andy model men's clothing for their style shows.

Andy has a framed 'diploma'
"for having attended the College of Do Si Dos and Allemande
Lefts" and having completed
the prescribed courses in "Fun,
Friendliness and Good Fellowship". For this he was given
the degree of "Bachelor of
Square Dancing".

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ANDY HROMCO (Continued)

Andy is hoping to find a square dance group in the area. It sure sounds like lots of fun! Does anyone know of any groups?

Thelma Olsen

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BINGO REPORT

Friday, February 10th, was cold and snowy outside, but Villa Serena was warm as friendly people milled about. After a delicious dinner, we filled the dining room armed with our carefully chosen bingo cards. Mary Calogero called for a variety of games. The winners smiled and clapped, while losers sighed, frowned and commented 'only one number needed'. Mr. Chesler called for the final fill-up game which would pay \$200.00 if won in 57 numbers. No such luck but a lucky guest won \$40.00 as a consolation prize.

P.S. We are always hopeful and there is always next month to try again. Why not join us?

Margaret Rose

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MENTOR MALL

Wednesday, March 15

9:00 Sign up

10:00 Departure

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A TIME OF REBIRTH AND REDEDICATION

MARCH COMES IN LIKE A LION AND GOES OUT LIKE A LAMB.

How nice it would be if March, 1989 would come in with soft winds that would herald the beginning of the month that ushers in the first day of spring and indeed goes out with the warmth of the winds of the lamb.

A paschal lamb which is the symbol of sacrifice would usher the Easter Season in the true spirit of bringing to mankind the end of human sacrifice in all lands for all people.

Holy Week begins on March 19, 1989 and culminates in the celebration of Easter Sunday. We extend our greetings to each of you for an Easter Season filled with the fragrance and warmth of family love and friendship, all of us uniting with a rededication to God.

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WEDNESDAY CARD PARTY WINNERS

Hello All. We could use some new faces at our card parties. You can play any card game you choose. We meet twice a month so check the Villa Voice for the dates. The March dates are the 1st and the 8th. See you then.

February 1st winners were Alma Reinke, Helen Lysko, Mary Fran Dunlap, Ruby Jacobs, Aileen Spencer and Len Shoemaker.

February 15th winners were Mae Brazis, Alma Reinke, Flossie Podojil, Marie Verba, Mary Oley, and Thelma Lilje.

Len Shoemaker

PROF. KALL

Prof. Kall will again be here on Tuesday, March 28th, at 7:00. Current events will be discussed and everyone is welcome to join in the discussion. If you have never heard Prof. Kall's talks, now is the time. Definitely interesting and informative.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Friday, March 3rd -- 5:00 Dinner Friday, March 10th -- 5:00 Dinner, -- 7:00 Big Bingo Wednesday, March 15th 5:00 Dinner, -- 7:00 Program Friday, March 31st -- 5:00 Dinner, -- 7:00 Program

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MARDI GRAS CELEBRATION

Friday, February 3rd, was cooler with a little snow. Mr. Chesler greeted us for our dinner, barbecued ribs or chicken with berry pie for dessert. SUPERB!

Helen Fekete had a birthday on the 3rd and was given special ice cream while we sang to her.

At. 7:00 P.M., Mr. Chesler opened our program by showing a volume of Michael Angelo's works which was donated to Villa Serena library in memory of Mary Siciliano, who had been an active member.

Billy Kaye and his band of talented musicians played Dixieland music for our program. They opened with Bill Bailey and on to more spirited numbers, which brought out all of the dancers. 'Stardust' was a solo on the horn. Everyone stood as the band played the chicken dance and all took part...quite a sight!!!

The band played 'Elvira' as Mary Oley did a solo dance. The Tarantella really did have everyone taking part. "Saints Go Marching In' was played as people marched round and round, in and out of the Red/Blue room. What a rousing windup for a lively, lovely evening.

Margaret Rose

AN OFFER TO GOOD TO REFUSE

Would you like to obtain a season pass for yourself to attend the facilities at May-field High School "at no charge" - this includes swimming, exercise and whatever services the school may offer. The

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SEASON PASS (Continued)

school representatives will be at the Villa on <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>March 7</u>, at <u>11:00 A.M.</u> to take your photograph and issue you a laminated pass.

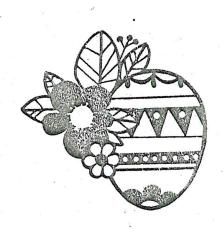
If you wish to avail yourself of this offer, please sign up in the office so that we will know how many persons to anticipate. Thank you.

SEWING CLASS NEWS

Hasn't this been a funny winter? Just when I should be urging you all to get your spring ward-robes in order, spring has apparently arrived. I guess you can always think ahead to summer wardrobes because Cleveland usually has winter followed by summer.

The sewing class could certainly use some new members. I know you are out there because I talk to you all the time. Many of you have projects you are putting off or things that aren't quite finished. Make plans to join us -- we'd love to see you.

Sally Kinney



BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

MARCH 1989

MARCH	MAR	CH
l Mabelle Heidy 511	1	Adam Falzarano
2 Mary Hillen 406	-	Helen Kizas
Eva Mandula 203	2	Anthony Coletta
3 Ruth Rafferty 302		Bernice Hylan
5 Max Michael 407		Nettie Kaufman
8 Louise Rossi 517		Mary Lundeen
11 Jacob Heintz 207		Emma Pestella
John Blasko 518		William Takacs
13 Wilmer Nau 830	3	Filomena DiFranco
14 Anthony Lo Castro 632		Blanche Rini
17 Genevieve Dolfi 430	4	Florence Smaldone
19 Mary Hentemann 318		Mary Tarbet
21 Hortense Gordon 417	5	Mildred Lucci
26 Ethel Blakeney 422	6	Lillian Abe
Loretta Copeland 527		Mary Sprafka
Catherine Menier 419	8	Joseph Ruggie
29 Mary Calabrese 530	9	Ida Zupnick
Mildred O'Neill 603		Florinda Felice
30 Adolph Strumbly 524	10	Mollie Lebowitz
31 Ann Shelling 528		Gertrude Mandelbau
	11	Tony Ruggiero
	13	Marion Levey
	7.4	Joseph Morelli
	14	Jean Griffith
	1 -	William Shay
	15	Tillie Boxerbaum
		Clara Cobb
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ANNIVERSARIES	17	Martha Signorelli Mary Glowacki
MARCH	1.7	Josephine Huber
MARCH		Lillian O'Donnell
9 Mr. & Mrs. Gordon Groenwold 616	19	Rose Ladny
25 Mr. & Mrs. Jack Cole		Carl Pistone
28 Mr. & Mrs. Charles Kozak 416	22	Florence Kendis
		Margaret Onacila
	24	Louise Yacobucci
	26	Marie Matelock
		Nellie Weiss
	27	Frank Davis
4.0		Loretta Ruggie
· HAPPY · BIRTHDAY ·	28	Margaret Stralka
	30	Dora Kohn
	31	Joan Pappas

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ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARTY AND BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES!

YES, we've rolled all our celebrations into one, because we felt when the "Irish" celebrate they really celebrate. Those jolly leprechauns are going to have a real swingin' time at the Villa Serena on Wednesday, March 15th.

Don't miss this really gala affair. We're serving "Mr. Jiggs" favorite food (if you are old enough to remember him), that luscious corned beef and cabbage dinner with a few more trimmings, a la Villa Serena style. Dinner starts at 5:00 P.M. with our party celebration starting at 7:00 P.M. in the Red Room.

Lets all join in for this special night and share a large dose of "Irish Happiness" because we will be serving that good "Old Mountain Brew" at dinner for those of you who want to get "stewed", but remember this, you must promise "not to drive" if you get too "tippsy".

Join in the spirit of the evening by making it a must that there be a "wearin' of the green". Cost of dinner and entertainment is \$6.50 per person.

Find that "bit of green" to wear and join us. We will try to make it another great night spent at the Villa Serena.

SPRING TIME DANCE

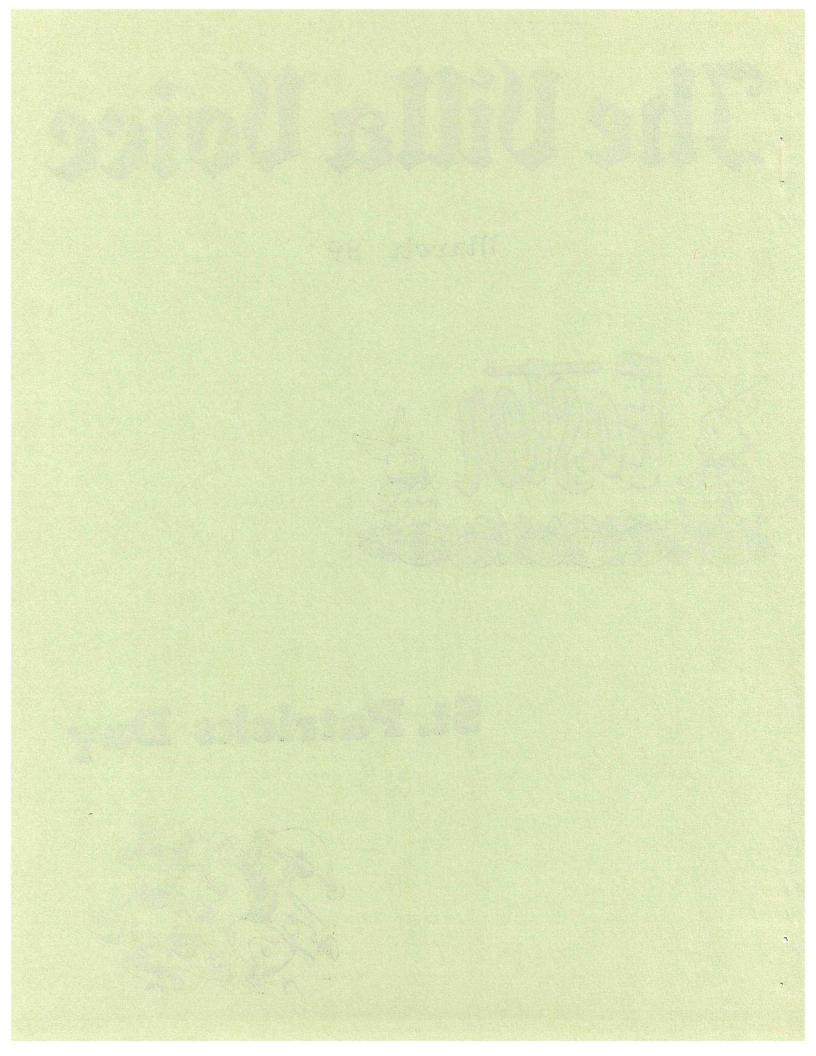
Now that the Lenten season of fasting is over, we will welcome Spring. This is the time for celebrating with music, friends and lots of fun entertainment.

Don't you all feel the spring in your step? The desire to go out and have a fine evening of pleasure? Well, to help you fulfill your dreams, we will welcome back Ed and Gilda Cifani to make music and song that is among the best.

Make plans now for dinner at the Villa Serena at 5:00 and at 7:00 music, dancing, singing and a great time for all.

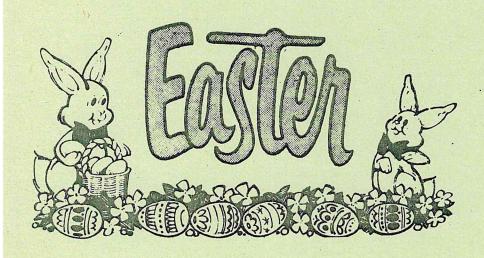
See you on Friday, March 31st. Mark your calendars now. Don't forget.

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St. Patricks Day

