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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11th

Choice of Baked Fish or Breaded Pork Chops Macaroni and Cheese Vegetable Dessert

\$ 6.00 Per person

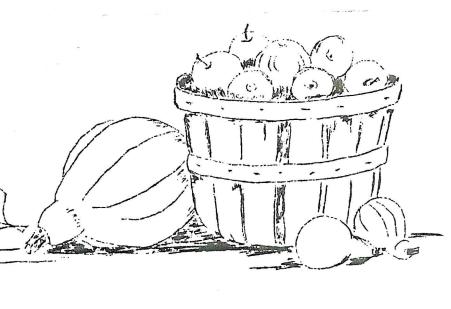
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17th

THANKSGIVING FAMILY DINNER

"TOM TURKEY" what else!!!!

and the rest including
 special dessert

\$ 7.50 per person



MONDAY PINOCHLE WINNERS

| Oct. 3 Carl Schock Vic DeBartolo Jennie Cellura Ellen Guarnieri | 559 556 549 526 | \$2.00 1.75 1.25 1.00 |
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RUBY'S CHATTER

Watch it! With the "new" credit cards being issued you might think you're running up your charge account when in reality you might just be depleting that checking account and if you forget to mark it down you'll never know where it went. Good luck.

Ruby

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RELIGIOUS INSPIRATION

On Thursday, November 3rd, Rev. Dan Erickson from the Church of Latter Day Saints will be here to conduct services. Why not come on down and enjoy the service? See you then.

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My grandmother has always led a very active life. Recently she celebrated her 90th birthday. "Granny," I said, "it's remarkable how young you look. How do you do it?"

"It takes time to grow old," she answered, "and I've never had any."

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COMING EVENTS

Friday, Nov. 11th
5:00 Dinner
6:30 Entertainment
Thursday, Nov. 17th
5:00 Dinner
6:30 Entertainment

| | | 7:00 Joe Frank | 7:00 Game night | 6:30 Pinochle |
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SEWING CLASS

It is always good to have cooler days for invigorating us to get some work accomplished. We've noticed that our unfinished projects are still unfinished somehow our summer days vanished before we knew it. Cooler weather means we have to wear more clothing to keep warm and chances are it needs some attention -- repairs, alterations, updating. Our class has been known to accomplish some great littl- miracles with some great garments. Before you toss it out, come see us.

Sally Kinney

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SHOWCASE CLASS NEWS

How did it get to be Halloween already? All our Halloween items this year are just that-NEW. We try to find clever and different things to make things that are cute and not ugly. We have a small witch with green hair that says "Happy Halloween".

Our class is so small that we are making only very limited amounts of our crafts - like four only of each. Please be sure to check the office to see what's new and speak up if you with to buy (or order) something. We may not have time to make special orders so don't wait too We don't want to dislong. appoint you. Remember that all of our cute crafts are made with love and pride right here at the Villa.

Sally Kinney

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A SIDE-SPLITTING EVENING

Our October birthday dinner was delicious, as usual; a huge chunk of ice cream, covered with either pineapple or strawberry sauce was a delightful ending.

Ragtime Patty Barone was the after dinner entertainment and she truly did entertain us.

Underneath her outrageous clothes and that atrocious wig, there is a spectacular amount of talent. Her piano playing expertise is certainly enhanced by her great singing voice.

The heckling carried on between Patty and Mr. Chesler was hilarious.

Patty took us on a walk down a way back memory lane, both with her songs and her monologues. There was a lot of laughter and singing in the Red Room and everyone left with a smile on their face.

Carole Clay

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Sorry to hear that Ada Toth is in the hospital. We all wish you a speedy recovery, Ada. Continued good health.

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EXERCISE CLASS

Happy Thanksgiving!! Our health is one of our greatest blessings. We have to help make this possible by taking care of our bodies. Come to exercise class and feel great. You will have more energy and extend your life every time you come to class. One very important benefit from exercise is to maintain healthy bones year after year. Osteoporosis is the loss of bone tissue. If you lose too much bone tissue, the end result can be weaker bones that are prone to fractures. If you have osteoporosis, you don't have to fall hard to break a bone. Simple everyday activities may be all it takes. It is wise to keep your body moving as much as possible and to check with your physician to see if you need a calcium supplement.

Beth Parnin

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LINE DANCING

Be prepared for the holiday parties by learning the fun group dances. The electric slide and the achy breaky heart are two necessary dances you need to know before you can really take part in the celebrations of the season. We are also learning the YMCA. It is time to strut your stuff.

Beth Parnin

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WEDNESDAY CARD PARTY WINNERS

October 5th winners were Ellen Guarnieri, Len Shoemaker, Sophie Mazur, Evelyn DeFlorentis, Florence Nagy and Mary Blasko.

October 19th winners were Francis Mickovic, Jane Schow-insky, Sophie Kelley, Helen Lysko, Thelma Lilje and Ellen Guarnieri.

The dates for the November cards are the 2nd and the 16th. See you then.

Len Shoemaker

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JOE FRANK NEWSCASTER

Yes, Joe Frank will be here again on Wednesday, November 30th. Why not join the group and learn about all of the news that is going on. Questions? Comments? Just speak your mind. All are welcome. See you then.

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A VERY BEAUTIFUL AUTUMN

So far we have really been able to enjoy a lovely fall. The weather has been so pleasant with such moderate temperatures, sure wish it could continue.

Have you been out to see some of the gorgeous foliage? The trees are spectacular in their myriad of colors. Sure hope you didn't miss their annual display.

Carole Clay

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Never a month goes by that we are told "thank you" for your lovely birthday card or your lovely anniversary card. It is just about one of the nicest activities we have at the Villa Serena.

These recognitions of the very special days of our residents and members was started many years ago by a very kind and lovely lady who is no longer with us "Eileen Bentler." When she could no longer take on this responsibility because of her health, the banner was passed to "Carol Cordaro" and "Mary Cordaro" who faithfully and happily carried on this tradition.

And then indeed when their time came to an end two lovely ladies, Carole Clay and Irene Beres have now taken on this happy task of remembering each of you who are celebrating your happy days every month.

No small job indeed, sending out these cards each month. They average 50 to 60 cards per month.

We thank all who have helped us make this one of the nicest remembrances for so many.

Mr. Chesler & Mary

Mark your calendar!!!!!!

The date is FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11th.

We will have dinner and at the same time honor all the birthday and anniversary celebrants.

Remember that in order to be acknowledged and receive the \$1.00 discount if you attend the dinner, YOU MUST NOTIFY US BEFORE THE DINNER. We shall be happy to acknowledge all the celebrants, however, it is most difficult to do so when you inform us as we are in the process of serving dinner. We ask your cooperation.

After dinner, we will welcome back our favorites, Mike Jacobs and his trio to play all of our favorite tunes and spend the rest of the evening dancing.

As we have always said, dancing seems to be a favorite past time for so many of you and brings so much enjoyment that we would never let a month go by without planning a dance for all of you.

So, come join with us for dinner and dancing on FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11th.

It will be fun night for all of us!!





OUR CHANGING TIMES!!!!!

The old saying and song we had for so many years, "Over the river and through the woods to grandmother's house we go" is still sung and remembered by many of us, but the old tune now has a new twist and some new words. Its "over the freeway and out Mayfield Road to grandmother's apartment we go".

To pick up a thoroughly modern grandmother, stylishly dressed perfectly coiffured grandma, who will certainly enjoy that delicious cocktail before dinner, turkey and "just a smidgeon of pumpkin pie" and when the holiday comes to an end she can always come home to her quiet comfortable apartment to relax and reminisce and --- truly thank our dear Lord for the wonderful comforts we enjoy.

And best of all, we didn't have to worry about cooking dinner!!!!!!

PLEASE DO NOT FORGET!!!!!!

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8th is the day to vote.

This is a very important year to attempt to elect the persons we feel will respond to the needs of not only senior citizens but to all Americans who are in need of so many things.

Do not become uninterested in voting, your vote will count. Many of us vote right at the Villa Serena so there is no excuse to not vote.

A SPECIAL TRIBUTE!!!!!!

Do you know SALLY KINNEY!!!!!

Well, if you don't, shame on you!!!!

She has been our very dedicated most talented Sewing and Crafts teacher for the past fifteen years. Yes, we said fifteen years.

What a great addition she has been to our family of the Villa Serena. She is here every Tuesday and Wednesday going about her work in her classes unassuming, dignified and ever so graceful. Her shortcut blond hair, lovely smile and kindly ways can almost think when you meet her that she is just a "youngster". But, of course, she will readily admit that she is not.

The many handmade items she and her dedicated women have made in their classes is just proof of what a perfectionist she is in her profession. We are sure you have all seen the beautiful and imaginative creations that have been made and sold through the years. All to help raise funds in support of our Senior Citizens Center.

We want to take this opportunity to thank Sally for her devotion to us over the years and the many hours she has devoted in helping us to maintain the beauty and dignity of the Villa Serena.

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BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

NOVEMBER 1994

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Happy Anniversary

Happy Birthday

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THANKSGIVING!!!

Well, the Halloween goblins have now gone and now its time to look forward to the more meaningful time of the year when we will celebrate Thanksgiving.

As you all know, it has now become very traditional for all of us at the Villa Serena to come together as one family, bow our heads and give thanks for the past favors and health we have received through the year.

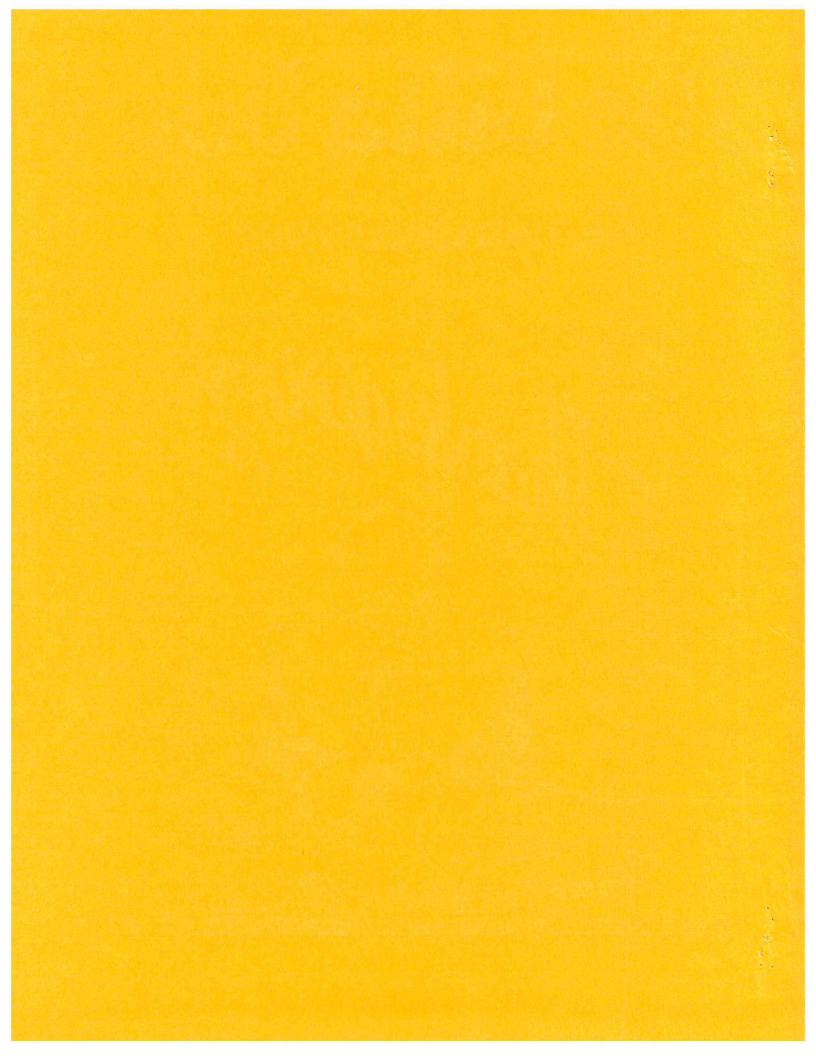
Once again this year, our young men and women are all over the world striving to create peace in lands that were only strange sounding names to us a short time ago. Let us pray that this Thanksgiving will be the beginning of the end of turmoil throughout the world.

At the Villa Serena, we will celebrate Thanksgiving Day together on THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17th, beginning with dinner at 5:00 P.M. followed by a program of wonderful and inspiring music and songs in keeping with this time of the year.

Join us!!!! What's on the menu????? Well, we are sure there is no need to go into detail about that!!!! Suffice to say that on Thanksgiving Day, we will all have our heads and bones in tact, while poor "Tom Turkey" won't.

GET YOUR TICKETS EARLY!

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