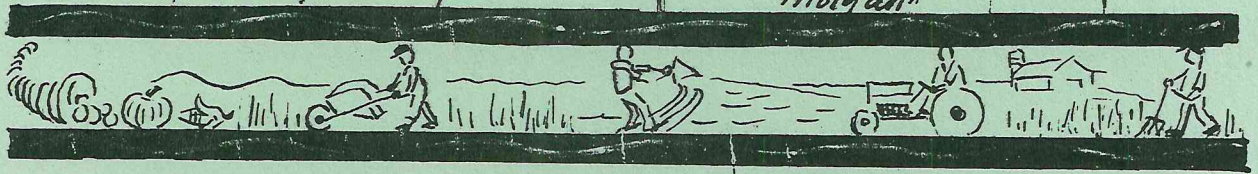


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BIRTHDAY-ANNIVERSARY PARTY
AND
PRE-FOURTH OF JULY DINNER
AND CELEBRATION

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On Thursday, June 29th, at 5:00 p.m. all Villa Serena members are invited to a bang up, all encompassing celebration. The June birthday-anniversary celebrants will be especially remembered, and in addition we will celebrate our country's fourth of July birthday!!!

We will start the evening with one of our fantastic dinners (either barbecued ribs or chicken), and for entertainment we have especially invited the United States Post Office Band under the direction of Mr. Zeitlow for an evening's outdoor concert (along with majorettes, too!!).

Buy your dinner tickets early (\$3.50 per person) for this promising evening of good food and pulse stirring, rousing, and exciting music!

FOR YOUR DANCING PLEASURE...

We have a special evening of enjoyment planned for Friday, June 9th, beginning at 7:30 p.m. A real "live" band will be here at the Villa Serena to play for your dancing pleasure and entertainment. It is "dance night" at the Villa Serena. Pick your partner and come along to the Red Room. It is one of those rare opportunities to dance to the sound of a "live" band.

See you! We suggest you enjoy some "finger lickin' chicken" in our dining room and make it a big big night on the town!

"The world is a better place because you are in it."

The Board of Trustees and Villa Serena staff wish you a day that's extra bright!

--Eileen Bentler

June Flower: Rose

June Birthstone: Pearl

JUNE BIRTHDAYS

June

1 Eva Kleinhans #811
3 Ella Zeigler #302
5 Gordon Groenwold #616
5 Rose Vitale #620
6 Jennie Kapelka #518
6 James Micale #534
12 William Jaeger #834
12 Lola Lang #423
15 Rose Nevetral #322
16 Mae Gaghan #202
16 Marie Nau #830
16 Josephine Sabatino #227
16 Grace Schepis #625
19 John Kandrac #812
19 Clyde Gordon #103
20 Esther Everett #623
20 Joseph Finger #503
22 Minnie Prokop #815
22 Carl Latini #516
24 Charlotte Bohacek #415
24 John Smola #816
25 Lenore Terrill #633
28 Emma Tullio #402
30 Marion Keberdle #321
30 Florence Welsh #409

June

1 Mayme Blank
1 Howard Lohiser
1 Mary Sherry
2 Marjorie Philleo
2 Rita Smith
3 Dorothy Filion
4 Bertha Viktora
5 Marjorie Hardman
5 Justyn Pretnar
6 Mae Clarke
6 Angela Coletta
6 Nettie Kalish
7 Llewellyn Jewell
11 Betty Schweiber
12 Agnes Corrigan
12 Elizabeth Trivison
15 Everett Allen
15 James Fasimpaur
15 Margaret Schirmer
17 Mary Rankin
18 Lois Brown
18 John Matelock
20 Josephine Yurka
22 Maryann Seitz
24 Charlotte Maier
24 Mary Surman
27 Paul Pocock
28 Clara Corea
28 Rose Cohen
30 Eleanor Allen
30 William Grimm

JUNE ANNIVERSARIES

June 1 Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Shoemaker #316
June 4 Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Iglewski #716
June 7 Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tarzano
June 7 Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Liedberg #718
June 8 Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cahill
June 9 Mr. and Mrs. George Maurer #615
June 14 Mr. and Mrs. John Allison #307
June 18 Mr. and Mrs. George Lash #417
June 21 Mr. and Mrs. Clem Brazis #416
June 22 Mr. and Mrs. James Fasimpaur
June 29 Mr. and Mrs. Everett Allen
June 29 Mr. and Mrs. George Binder

JUNE'S BUSTIN' OUT ALL OVER

Croon June; croon June, moon; croon June, moon, balloon; croon June moon balloon soon; but whatever you do croon any old tune you please "cause June is a real croon-in' month." So much to croon about--brides and graduates and roses and June bugs and no more pencils, no more books for the kids, proms, picnics and vacations and thirty beautiful days to enjoy. Warm breezes, soft green grass, a bright blue sky, and darn it more June bugs. So many kinds of flowers and bees and birds, Mother Nature literally "knocking herself out," and it's all free. No reservations needed, no tickets to buy, and we all have a front row seat for this breath-taking gift from a loving Father.

Speaking of father, June gives us Father's Day. We really don't need just one day to remember father, be it in happy memory that we honor him or if is still with us to receive our love. Pay tribute to some father; maybe, the warm and loving father that made us the proud bearers of the title "mother," or those wonderful young fathers that made us "grandmothers." So whatever, we hope and pray that all fathers, old and young, bushy-haired or bald, tall and thin, or short and rotund will enjoy Father's Day and every day. Fellas, you all deserve the very best.

--Eileen Bentler

AFTERNOON BIG GAME EVENT

On Thursday, June 8th, at 1:30 p.m. the Villa Serena has planned a fun time of bingo playing. Come prepared for lots of laughs, excitement, and suspense as Joe Slaminka gives the barrelful of numbers a whirl and a call, and your lucky or unlucky fate is determined.

BACKWARD GLANCE AT THE MAY BIRTHDAY-ANNIVERSARY PARTY

On Friday, May 12th, the Villa Serena was alive with the sound of music and happy chatter as we once again celebrated the birthdays and anniversaries. The walls of the Villa were bursting with senior citizen power! What do you know--a handsome couple, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Morgan, were celebrating 57 years of married bliss!

For our entertainment pleasure, and I mean great pleasure, Bob Bevoy, a newcomer to the Villa, and his super-duper orchestra played sensational dance music for the evening. This wonderful band consisted of maestro, Bob Bevoy, vocalist and player of trumpet and trombone, Nelson Preslay, clarinet, saxophone, flute, and vocalist. Al Ginter played electric piano, and Igy Valentini, the drums. This band really played heavenly music for dancing feet. One of the best that we have ever had!

Yum, yummy, refreshments were served to end an enjoyable and unforgettable evening. A word to the wise--take advantage of "La Dolce Vita," the sweet life, that goes on within the walls of the Villa Serena! Cio! Will be seeing you!

--Edith Madge

SING-A-LONG WITH FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS

We invite all of you to join us in a night of song with SAMMY BERK on Friday, June 16th, at 7:30 p.m. Sing-a-long nights generate warm feelings of companionship as voices join in nostalgic and memorable songs.

DEVOTIONAL HOUR SCHEDULE

Thursday, 10:00 a.m.

- June 1 Highland Road Baptist
- June 8 Rabbi Milton Rube
- June 15 Rev. George Hickson
South Euclid United
Methodist
- June 22 Rev. Robert L. Cline
Messiah Lutheran
- June 29 Rev. H. B. Wild
Lyndhurst Baptist

A thank you to all who participated in our devotional service during this past year. God bless and keep you well and happy until we meet again in September. Best regards from Gordon Groenwald, Erna Hallen, Clinton Kroh, Ruth Storey, and Ann Tieleman.

BUS FUND DONATIONS

Cash

- \$5.00 Anonymous
- .65 Anonymous
- 3.00 Ralph Keeler

--Joe Slaminka

JUNE BUS SCHEDULE

- June 7 Severance
- June 14 Richmond
- June 21 Mentor Mall
- June 28 Severance

MEN'S CLUB

Our next meeting will be held Tuesday, June 13th, at 7:00 p.m. Because this will be nomination night, please be present and select the officers of your choice for the ensuing year.

Our annual dinner was held on May 17th, and it was the best ever. The food and service was fine. A big hand of thanks to Mary Calogero for all her help.

--John Fekete
President

VETERANS OF WORLD WAR I AND LADIES
AUXILIARY, BARRACKS 3482

Our next meeting of the Veterans of World War I will be held on Monday, June 12th, at 1:30 p.m. in the Villa Serena.

--Fred Jackson, Commander

The June Meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary has been cancelled.

--Marie Jackson, President

UNCLE RUDY'S TRAVEL NEWS

Hi Friends. As you read this, Margaret and I will be on our way to Sweden to visit my sister. Looking forward to seeing you all the latter part of July. Many thanks for all your get well wishes for Margaret while she was in the hospital. Have a happy summer.

Yours in Friendship,
"Uncle" Rudy Freed

OUR BIG HAND OF THANKS

Sparkling blue eyes and always a smile to match, and they call her Ann. Slowing up a bit, maybe, but still always ready with a willing ear and a kindly word, and they call her Ann. Underneath it all a loving heart and a ready hand. Always ready to serve her God and her fellowman, and they call her Ann. Hours and hours spent easing the pain, the heartache, and the loneliness, not only of her friends and neighbors here at the Villa, but in hospitals and nursing homes...always some homemade goodies, a cheerful book, or newspapers, even maybe a latest copy of our Villa Voice. If her car could have talked, what a beautiful story it would have told of a very charitable unselfish Christian lady to whom distance meant nothing if somebody needed her help or cheering up. Never too busy though to bring God's message to the folks at the Villa through her untiring efforts in bringing so many of His fine ministers to our doors. This, my friends, is just a very small picture of a very dear lady, and they call her ANN TIELEMAN.

POOL NEWS

The men's pool tournament ended on Thursday, May 11th. Len Shoemaker was the leader in Class A with Ralph Myslenski having the low score. James Micale was the leader in Class B with John Smola, Mike Parella and Carl Calabrese tied for low score. Winners of our special play-off were Walter Ruth and Gordon Groenwald. Awards will be presented at our dinner on June 7th.

--Lad Cimler

SPRING LUNCHEON AND STYLE SHOW

On Wednesday afternoon, May 10th, a large group gathered in the dining area of the Villa Serena for a delightful luncheon. Spring flowers on the cheery tablecloths greet lovely ladies in colorful dresses and early summer finery. It was a pretty setting for a mouth-watering salad consisting of fresh fruit artistically arranged in a scooped-out half pineapple. Really delicious!!

The decorated runway in the red and blue rooms reminded one of a "theatre in the round." The models attired in unusual and beautiful dresses for daytime, evening, sports and lounging were graceful and pleasing to watch. Lane Bryant's fashion coordinator, Betty Yax, described the dresses as Clara Corea, Helen Fekete and Minnie Prokop made many hurried changes to the delight of all.

Sally Kinney, Villa Serena's sewing instructor, presented Angie Coletta, Pasqua DiFranco, Rose Belz, Rosemary Janson, Kate Blumer and Amelia Nagy wearing their own smart and professional looking creations. Just great!!

A first showing at the Villa for this shoppe--Carla-Nina DiRoma--proved to be very exciting. Olga Varano, the commentator, introduced models from their store and also included Jean Daniels, exercise instructor, Audree Cain, ceramics instructor, and Aurora Polenek from the Villa. They modeled dresses and smart sport outfits for the coming season.

This concluded an enjoyable afternoon. Most of us left with a glint in our eye and planning a summer wardrobe.

--Irene McDonough

UP AND DOWN THE HALLWAYS

Our warm greetings and get well messages go to Irene Nye, Raymond Schneid, Gisela Moral, Lottie Jucha, and Joseph Iglewski who are in the hospital.

Also to Margaret Freed, Barbara Delfs who have come home from the hospital, all best wishes for a speedy recovery.

Our congratulations to Edward Smatt, son of Helen Smatt, who was recently promoted as president and chief executive officer, Blue Shield of Maryland.

Very special thanks to Mrs. B. C. Taber for her donation of a rotatiller to the Villa.

For their contribution of books to our library, many thanks to Christine Urban and Mr. and Mrs. Matelock.

Edith Madge is spending some time with her son and his family in Cleveland, New York.

The VILLA VOICE and its readers extend its deepest sympathy to the families of
John Kandrac
Angela Marazzi
Violet Schmunk

We also wish to extend our sympathy to Mildred Johnson on the death of her brother.

Congratulations to pinochle winners--

Clayton Gray, Elmer Doerner, Minnie Prokop, and Kate Blumer.
Lillian Maurer, Hilda Griffin, Palmino Ramunna, Mae Brazis.
William Grimm, Thelma Lilje, Hazel Thompson, and Alex Martinazzo.

Congratulations to card party winners--

Laura Seibert, Caroline Novy, Kate Blumer, Hilda Griffin, Florence Simpson, and John Schultz.

PROFESSOR KALL GIVES LAST LECTURE OF THE SEASON

Many of us have looked forward to Professor Joseph Kall's lecture time on Thursday afternoons for without a doubt it always was a bright and interesting session. Thursday, June 1st, at 2:30 p.m. Professor Kall will give his last lecture for this season, and then it is happy vacation until we meet again in the fall and another year of stimulating talks.

EXERCISE YOUR VOTER'S POWER!!!!

Just a reminder that Tuesday, June 6th, the polls will be open at the Villa Serena and throughout the city for primary elections. Exercise your right to vote and VOTE!

SPECIAL EVENTS:

8:00 Every Saturday Night -- Game Night
 Thursday, June 8th, 1:30 p.m. SUPER BINGO
 Friday, June 9th, 7:30 BAND MUSIC FOR DANCING
 Friday, June 16th, 1:00 p.m. BRIDGE PARTY
 Thursday, June 29th, 5:00 p.m. PRE-FOURTH
 OF JULY CELEBRATION BIRTHDAY-ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION
 MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

<p>5 10-12 Red Cross 9:30-12:30 Ceramics 3:30 Rosary 7:30 Pinochle</p>	<p>6 PRIMARY ELECTION VOTE!!</p>	<p>7 9:30-12:30 Ceramics 10-12 BOUTIQUE 1-3 BOUTIQUE 7:30 CARD PARTY</p>	<p>1 10:00 Church 1-3 Knit & Crochet 3-4 Needlepoint 2:30 KALL LECTURE 3:30 First Thurs. Mass 8:00 Game Night</p>	<p>2 10-12 Inter. Bridge 1-3 Adv. Bridge NO DINNER 8:00 Jukebox Dancing</p>
<p>12 10-12 Red Cross 9:30-12:30 Ceramics 1:30 W.W.I VETS I 3:30 Rosary 7:30 Pinochle</p>	<p>13 10-12 Sewing 1-3 Sewing 7:00 MEN'S CLUB 8:00 Game Night</p>	<p>14 9:30-12:30 Ceramics 10-12 BOUTIQUE 1-3 BOUTIQUE 6:30 <u>Pinochle Class</u></p>	<p>15 10:00 Church 1-3 Knit & Crochet 3-4 Needlepoint 4:00 Newspaper 8:00 Game Night</p>	<p>16 1:00 BRIDGE PARTY 5:00 Dinner 7:30 <u>SING-A-LONG</u></p>
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VILLA SERENA DINNER MENU

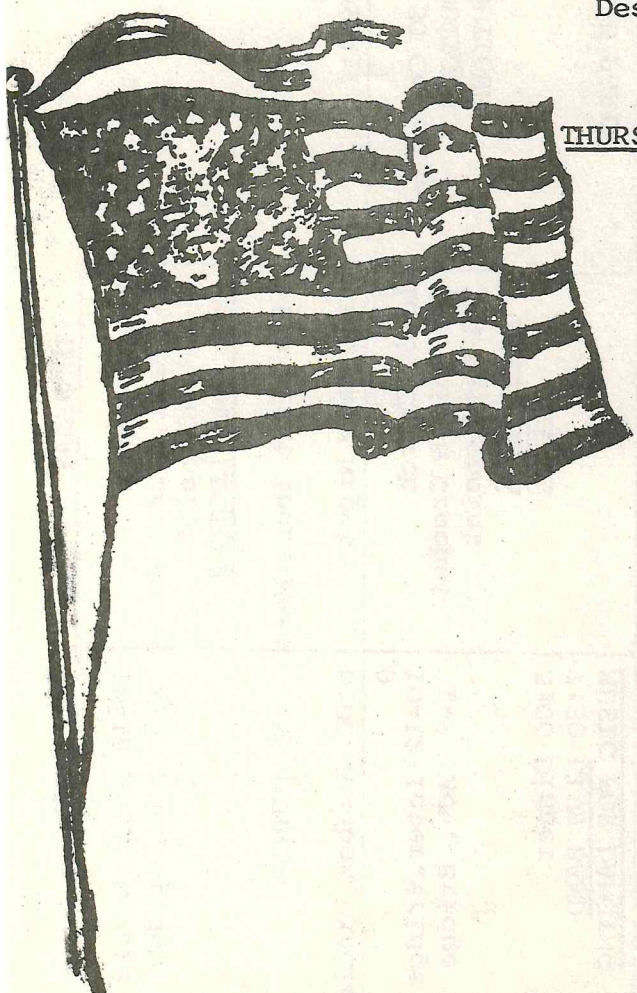
MONTH OF JUNE 1978

Friday, June 9th

Choice of Baked Fish
or Finger Lickin' Chicken
Escalloped Potatoes
Spinach Souffle
Salad
Dessert

Friday, June 16th

Choice of Baked Fish
or Old Fashioned Baked Ham
Noodles Romanoff
Vegetable
Salad
Dessert

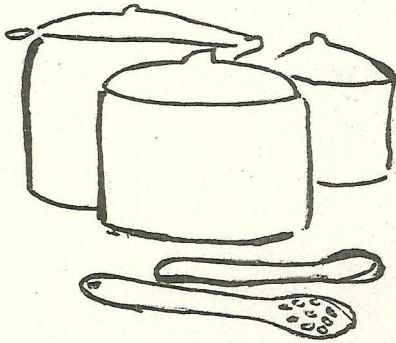


THURSDAY, JUNE 29th -- PRE-HOLIDAY
FOURTH OF JULY
CELEBRATION!!!

Choice of BARBECUED RIBS
OR
CHICKEN
also delicious delectable accompaniments

Cost: \$3.50 per person

CLASS NOTES



BOUTIQUE CLASS NEWS. Recipe reminder for the Cookbook: we are still looking for a copy of your favorite recipe for the Boutique Cookbook. This is going to be a fun project for the Villa, but we need each of you to be a part of it. Just copy your favorite recipe and leave it with Dorothy Papcke in the office, or Amelia Nagy, or bring it to class on Wednesdays. Please do this right away and help us to make this cookbook a success.

--Sally Kinney

BRIDGE. Although the bridge instruction classes will end as of June 9th, put FRIDAY, JUNE 16th, at 1:00 p.m. on your calendars for a Villa Serena BRIDGE PARTY!!! All Villa Serena members and their friends are invited to join us. Please bring your own partners. There is a 50¢ fee; money will go to top scorers.

--Ve Karash

CANCER VOLUNTEERS. You all know by this time that Cancer classes have been suspended. I would just like to tell you how much I enjoyed working with all of you and hope it won't be too long before we meet again on Tuesday mornings.

--Dorothy Khaner

CERAMICS. The ceramics class enjoyed the Senior Citizens Day at Mayfield Community Center. Mary Calabrese gave a demonstration on glazing and cleaning greenware. Orders for Christmas trees were taken. Anyone is welcome to come in to see our ladies busy at work on their own pieces and articles for the Christmas boutique. We could always use help for the boutique.

--Audree Cain

KNIT, CROCHET, NEEDLEPOINT. Would you like to be hooked on knitting, crocheting or needlepoint? Then you are not alone; we are making many interesting items for our boutique in November. We will share our "how to" ideas with you, and you can share yours with us. We meet 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. on Thursdays.

--Phyllis Milbrodt

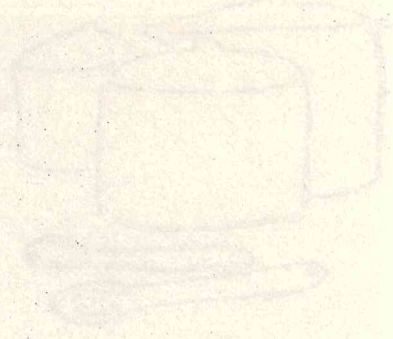
PAINTING. The class continues to work on still life setups. Composition is an element stressed. A demonstration in the use of acrylic was presented for guidance. Mrs. Burt Simkovitz is a new student in our class.

--Lawrence Blazey

SEWING. Our class has really been busy this spring as evidenced at the spring luncheon. Six of our gals showed off very lovely garments they had made in class. Special thanks to Kate Blumer, Rose Belz, Pasqua DiFranco, Angie Coletto, Rosemary Janson and Amelia Nagy. You just did a super job.

--Sally Kinney

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