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- Vicki M.

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#### How do you know if YOU have **Peripheral Nerve Damage?**

Peripheral neuropathy is the consequence of damage to your peripheral nerves. There are over 100 different kinds of peripheral nerve disorders or neuropathies - some are the result of a disease like diabetes, while others can be triggered by a viral infection. Still others are the result of an injury or compression on the nerves. No matter where the problems begin, it is imperative nerve disorders are resolved as soon as possible to prevent permenant damage.

Many people suffer with pain for years, not realizing that thir symptoms may be due to Peripheral Neuropathy. Symptoms start gradually, then get worse, including numbness, burning or tingling sensations and sharp, electrical-like pain. Treatment options have been limited to a small assortment of pain medications, which can lead to futher issues. Ignoring the problem or masking the symptoms has never been a viable solution. If you suffer from any of the aforementioned symptoms, we can help.

#### New FDA-cleared treatments provide hope

Northeast Spine and Sports Medicine is pleased to announce thir new program for treatming Peripheral Neuropathy, which includes a combination of advanced FDA-cleared treatments with breakthrough technology that aids in healing the damaged nerves.

#### **What does Peripheral Neuropathy** look like?

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#### -The Northeast Spine and Sports Medicine Team

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## CORNER

#### **Leisure Village West Association**

#### Board of Trustees Meeting – Mar 9, 2016

Present were Sandra Kaufman, Sue Nordell, Sal Tozzi, Charles Frattini, Charles Lupo, Marge King, Russ Steenweg and Community Manager Joseph Schultz.

The meeting commenced at approximately 1 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance.

R. Steenweg apologized to residents who were offended by his comments at the last Board meeting.

Mr. Steenweg also mentioned that unit owners at Winfield Court and Tiffany Lane received a notice from New Jersey Natural Gas they can convert their electric homes to natural gas. The unit owners must fill out the form and send it back to NJNG if they are interested.

- R. Steenweg left the meeting at approximately 1:05 p.m.
- S. Kaufman chaired the remainder of the board meeting in Mr. Steenweg's absence.
- C. Lupo moved to approve the February 3, 2016 and February 17, 2016 minutes. S. Nordell seconded. All in favor. R. Steenweg absent. Motion carried.
- S. Nordell moved to approve the amended **Charter** for the **Administration Division**. C. Frattini seconded. All in favor. R. Steenweg absent. Motion carried.

M. King moved memorialize the authorization that the Association purchase One 2016 **Freightliner Vacuum Truck** from Peirce Eagle Equipment Co. for a total cost of \$168,900. The funds to meet this expense are provided by A/C 3150-Equipment Replacement. C. Lupo seconded. All in favor. R. Steenweg

absent. Motion carries.

S. Tozzi moved to authorize the Association to contract with CV Transport for a 5-year contract for bus service at a total cost of \$92,000.00 per year. The funds to meet this expense is provided by account #7430-Bus Expense. C. Lupo seconded.

After much discussion with the residents, S. Tozzi moved to table the motion to contract with CV Transport. M. King seconded; Mr. Tozzi, yes; Mr. Frattini, no; Mr. Lupo, no; Ms. King, yes; Ms. Nordell, no; Ms. Kaufman, no; Mr. Steenweg absent.

Motion failed.

S. Tozzi moved to contract with **CV Transport** for a 5-year contract for bus service for a cost of \$92,000 per year. The funds to meet this expense are provided by account #7430-Bus Expense. C. Lupo seconded; Ms. King, no; Ms. Nordell, yes; Ms. Kaufman, yes; Mr. Tozzi, Abstain; Mr. Frattini, Yes; Mr. Lupo, yes; Mr. Steenweg, absent. Motion carried.

C. Lupo moved to approve the amended **Administrative Transfer Fee** increasing the fee for buyers **to \$1,700**, a copy of which is attached to and made part of these minutes. S. Tozzi seconded. All in favor. R. Steenweg absent. Motion carried.

C. Frattini moved memorialize the authorization to the Association to purchase 2-Ex Mark snow throwers from C.A. Power Equipment for a total cost of \$7,490 including shipping and tax. The funds to meet this expense is provided by account #3150-Equipment Replacement. S. Nordell seconded. All in favor. R. Steenweg absent. Motion carried.

M. King moved to memorialize the payment of \$4,460.00 to Curry Electrical Contracting, LLC. for the replacement of electrical panels at 86B Buckingham; 70A Buckingham; 3B Yorkshire; 8A Yorkshire and 21E Yorkshire. The funds to meet this expense will be provided by account #3295-Capital Replacement-Exterior Restoration & Unit Infrastructure. C. Frattini seconded. All in favor. R. Steenweg absent.

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Motion carried.

- S. Nordell moved to appoint Kathleen Maiocco and Eileen Krynicki to the **Welcome Committee**. S. Tozzi seconded. All in favor. R. Steenweg absent. Motion carried.
- S. Tozzi moved to approve the **2016 Pool Rules**, a copy of which is attached to and made part of these minutes. S. Nordell seconded.; C. Frattini, yes; C. Lupo, no; M. King, yes; S. Tozzi, yes; S. Nordell, yes; S. Kaufman, yes; R. Steenweg absent. Motion carried.

#### Manager's Report

J. Schultz reported that residents have been receiving an invoice for payment for the underground water line from Home Serve. This is a scam. The Association and the Manchester Utilities Authority take care of the water lines in the village.

Another notice residents are receiving is from New Jersey Natural Gas Company saying that NJ Natural Gas is going to exchange the gas meters. J. Schultz called NJ Natural Gas to confirm this and gas meters do need to be replaced. The gas company has contracted this out to Pressure Pipeline Solutions.

#### **Recreation Report**

M. Lighthipe reported that Studio C will show a movie that will look back on the film industry on March 10 at 1:30 PM. Bingo is Wednesday, March 16 at 7:00 PM. Tickets are on sale for this month's trips. Ms. Lighthipe also noted the changes made to the 2016 Pool Rules.

#### No old business No new business

#### **Audience comments**

W. Dylewski thanked residents for their prayers and thoughts during his operation, they were much appreciated. He spoke about the recent power outage on February 21 and how he called the Route 70 gate and the guard did not know that she had to notify management. No one knew if the clubhouses were open and heated. He also said that he did not receive a robo call.

E. Baumeister said the outage took place in a small confined area on Liverpool and six Reveres went out knocking on doors. A problem they encountered was

that residents with Hotwire phones had no power. Residents should give their cell phone number to the One Call so they can get messages. She said the One Call notification worked well but needs some tweaking.

- S. Kaufman thanked Ms. Baumeister and the volunteers for their effort.
- L. Kohler said he lives on Gramercy and did not lose power and did not appreciate the One Call at midnight.
- F. Weinstein asked the Board what their views were on committees. Residents volunteer to be on a committee and when the committee makes a recommendation, the Board ignores it, such as the Pool Committee and Technology Committee.
- S. Kaufman reported that the Election Committee is looking for volunteers and anyone who is interested in serving should send a resume to the chairperson at the Association office.
- M. Lamberti asked about the Door to Door Solicitation Policy and why it's been removed from the new Resident Handbook. She thinks that legal counsel has advised the Board incorrectly. Residents may not want people knocking at their door.
- E. Baumeister said she read the court case concerning the door to door solicitation during political activities and her interpretation is for that particular community, it was not disruptive for them. She thinks the interpretation depends on that community's situation and in our community it would be disruptive. She thinks the attorney should look at it one more time.
- J. Ercolino said he is the person who handles the newspaper recycling and people have been placing shredded paper at the edge of the bin and it blew all around. He asked that they try to keep shredded paper to a minimum. He thanked everyone for placing their newspapers neatly in the container.
- A. Damato said the Board has a fiduciary responsibility to the community and asked that the Board consider voting machines to save money. He said Viston could accommodate residents to the club house and he will volunteer to drive people back and forth to vote.
- L. Kohler said he watched the last meeting and a resident asked how a resident can view Association's emails that are sent if they don't have a computer. There should be a hard copy at the Association office and then he asked how a resident knows there is a hard

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copy at the office.

M. Lamberti said she was on a committee in her town for elections and you need people to handle the books and see that they are registered voters. In the Village, we have nothing that qualifies people as the voter.

A. Damato asked if all the residents' names can be listed in the phonebook. If they don't want their phone number in the book, that can be eliminated. He asked how many extra copies of the LVW News we have each month.

- J. Carmody said she disagreed about voting machines and that paper ballots are archaic. If a person really cares they will go to the polling place.
- K. Maiocco said she is glad for the One Call. She was awakened in the middle of the night and was able to check on her roof mate to see if she had oxygen on. She also spoke about the elections regarding government elections and the village elections which are two different entities. You have to check people, run the machines and it's hard to get volunteers.

W. Dylewski asked if anyone was considering going to Natural Gas, he checked his bills for the last 2 years and natural gas went down 28%. Electricity's rate has not changed.

- A. Damato said that the county provides absentee ballots for individuals.
- S. Kaufman said the next meeting will be March 23 at 7 p.m.

There being nothing further to discuss, the meeting ended at approximately 3:20 p.m.

## Did You Miss the Board of Trustees Meeting?



If you missed the Board of
Trustees meeting
on Wednesday, you can view
the meeting on KLVW-TV
Channel 15 at 10 a.m. and 6
p.m. on Friday and at 10 a.m.
on the Saturday following the

meeting. Board of Trustees meetings can also be viewed at www.lvwcreeper.com.

After login, click "Board Meeting Video."

## LVW Residents Share Their Memorable Moments



Many of you have seen this self-disciplined, goal-oriented resident running through the streets of LVW. Our very own MaryLou Donor was training for the Princess Half Marathon at Disney World in Florida on February 21. Her goal was under three hours and she finished at 2 hours and 23 minutes. MaryLou rocks! Training continues for her next run at Disney Land in California with more to come after that. Congratulations MaryLou and we are cheering you on.

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## Manager's Corner

by Joe Schultz



#### It's "Free" Permit Season Again!

Truthfully, our permits are always free, I just wanted to get your attention. It's that time of year again where we all get out after a long winter's nap and tend to the yard. Here in the Village that's exclusively the "five-foot area." I just want to remind everyone and inform our newest residents that if you plan to be adding or replacing shrubs and such, to come in and get a permit first.

The landscaping specs have been carefully honed over the years to reduce any maintenance problems that you may have not considered. For example, we do not permit trees to be planted in the five-foot area as the developer once allowed. Wayward planting like that has, unfortunately, caused much unneeded expenses to our units, ultimately increasing your maintenance fee.

The spec will also address other areas such as borders, edging, ground cover, clearances and safety. Safety is a very big concern, especially because all of our utilities are underground and digging inappropriately may cause personal injury or at the very least, an inconvenience and or unanticipated expenses. It's important to know that you must call 811 before you dig and follow their instructions carefully.

The process won't take long thanks to the best volunteers in any community. We all own a great deal of gratitude to our resident volunteers, your peers, who do a fantastic job assisting the rest of the community. You can help them immensely with any permit you may obtain, to follow through quickly once all work is done and contact them by phone so they can finalize your permit.

Okay, that's it, let's get started spring is here!



#### Governing Documents, Policies, Resolutions and More

Recently, the Board has made it clear that they want all of our policies, resolutions and other documents available online so that residents have access to them whenever they need to. In following the Boards demand we have uploaded most of the documents, with more to follow, to the lywcreeper.com. Once you're on the site you can click on "Document Downloads" and you'll see another link to get access to them under "Governing Documents, Policies, Charters, Resolutions, Minutes and More." You will find all of the categories to locate the particular document you may be interested in. The website will contain only the documents currently in effect. The Secretary to the Board will continue to maintain all of the documents for historical purposes, such as the ones that have been superseded.

For those residents who may not have access to the internet, you will be able to obtain them at the Association Office or since they're on the internet, at any of our offices or recreation halls. Office staff will be able to access them for you and print out the items you need.

#### Household Hazardous Waste Disposal Set for May 14

You are urged to take advantage of this opportunity to protect the environment and you from this potentially hazardous material we all accumulate. This free of charge one day drop-off is set for **Saturday**, **May 14 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.** 

The following information is provided by The Ocean County Board of Chosen Freeholders and The Ocean County Department of Solid Waste Management.

#### Manager's Corner Cont.

by Joe Schultz



**Acceptable Materials:** paints/thinners/boat paint, solvents, pool chemicals, pesticides and herbicides, aerosol cans, auto products, toilet and drain cleaners, silver polishes, oven cleaners, photographic chemicals, rug and upholstery cleaners, polishes and bleaches, waste oil and used gasoline. All of these materials, except oil and gasoline, must be in the original containers. Maximum volume per household is limited to 200 pounds of dry materials and 20 gallons of liquid. Please, no containers larger than 5 gallons.

**Unacceptable Materials:** radioactive materials, dioxins, infectious waste ("Red Bag" wastes), explosives, unknown or unidentified materials. No construction waste or asbestos.

Pre-registration is required. Registration is on a first-come first-serve basis.

To pre-register call 732-367-0802. The drop off is located at: Public Works Garage, 1360 Route 70, Whiting, NJ 08759.

## AMENDED RESOLUTION POLICY ESTABLISHING AND INSTITUTING AN ADMINISTRATIVE TRANSFER FEE FOR OWNERS

OF LEISURE VILLAGE WEST UNITS MARCH 9, 2016

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Trustees of Leisure Village West pursuant to the powers and duties vested in it by the Association's Bylaws including, but not limited to, Article 1, Section 10, and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Trustees established an Administrative Transfer Fee Policy on February 16, 1994, and

**WHEREAS**, on December 7, 1994, the Board of Trustees of Leisure Village West amended the Policy Establishing and Instituting an Administrative Transfer Fee for buyers of Leisure Village West units, and

**WHEREAS**, on August 6, 2003, June 4, 2008 and August 1, 2012 the Board of Trustees increased the administrative transfer fee to \$750.00 and \$1,000.00, and \$1,500.00 respectively, and

**WHEREAS**, it is necessary to maintain a steady flow of cash to meet the increased costs and future financial obligations and desires and to lessen the financial impact on resident members of the Association,

THEREFORE, it is hereby resolved that the Administrative Transfer Fee for buyers of a Leisure Village West unit shall be \$1,700.00 and become effective for all sales contracts signed, MAY 2, 2016 and thereafter. These funds will be distributed as follows: \$1,000 into the Operating Budget and \$700.00 into the Reserves.

This Resolution amends prior resolutions of February 16, 1994, June, 18, 1997, August 6, 2003, June 4, 2008 and August 1, 2012 and April 2, 2014 on this matter.

Approved and Adopted:

#### Leisure Village West News

## **Guidelines for Submissions**

"Publicity Packets" with full details for submitting articles for this publication are available at the *Leisure Village West News* Office, 959 Buckingham Drive.

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Your suggestions are always welcome. This publication is intended as an upbeat, enjoyable reading experience. If you have any questions, call 732-657-0181. Our office is staffed part time and we will return your call as soon as possible. Thank you.

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959 Buckingham Drive or e-mail to <u>news@lvwa.net</u> in **jpeg** format

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The official opening is Saturday, May 28 for the Willow Pool and Saturday, June 4 for the Encore Pool. Both the Willow Pool and Encore Pool will remain open until Sunday, September 11 (weather permitting and subject to the availability of lifeguards).

NO SWIMMING UNLESS LIFEGUARD IS ON DUTY

POOL HOURS: Willow Pool 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. daily

Willow Pool 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday & Saturday during July only

Encore Pool 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. daily

Aquacisers 10 to 11 a.m. Monday through Friday at Willow Pool

Only NO CLASSES on Holidays or Weekends

(Gate will not open until 10am)

Lap Lanes Residents must yield to lap lane swimmers at the

**Encore Pool** 

Adult Guests (Accompanied by a resident)

Regular pool hours as listed above.

Youth Guests 4 to 14 years of age

(Accompanied by a resident)

10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Encore Pool & Pool Area

4 to 7 p.m. at Willow Pool & Pool Area

Youth guests under 4 years of age are not permitted in either pool. Guests with diapers are **NOT PERMITTED** in the pool. In the event of the closing of one pool; the youth guest hours are as follows at the opened pool – 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 4 to 7 p.m.

BADGES: Residents and guests MUST PRESENT APPROPRIATE BADGES; those not

presenting the proper badges will be denied entry into the pool area. Residents are to present their **RESIDENT BADGE (Name)** for entry into the pool. **ALL** guests including youth guests of residents are to present **GUEST BADGES (Street Address)** for entry

into the pool.

ATTIRE: Proper swim attire must be worn from home to pool since changing area is limited. Cut-

off jeans are not allowed in the pool. DIAPERS (ADULT/CHILD) ARE NOT

PERMITTED IN THE POOL. A cover-up wrap is needed when coming to and from the

pool or when outside the pool area. The Association is not responsible for any

discoloration of bathing suits due to pool chemicals. Street shoes are not allowed in the

pool. DO NOT LEAVE SHOES OR SLIPPERS AT THE POOL STEPS.

**SAFETY:** NO DIVING OR JUMPING IS ALLOWED AT EITHER POOL AND WILL BE STRICTLY

ENFORCED. NO SITTING OR STANDING ON POOL STEPS. **RESIDENTS & GUESTS MAY SIT ON STEPS WHERE INDICATED AT THE ENCORE POOL.** 

#### **Swimming Pool Rules Continued**

**SWIM AIDS:** NO swim aids, floats, toy surfboards or swim toys are permitted in the pool with the

exception of noodles. **One noodle per person will be permitted in the pool**. Mesh seat noodles are also acceptable. Swimsuits that incorporate a flotation device as part of the suit construction are allowed. Residents are permitted to use therapeutic aquatic

belts. Coast Guard approved life vests are also permitted.

HEALTH: PERSONS WITH OPEN WOUNDS ARE NOT PERMITTED IN EITHER POOL AT ANY

TIME. LIFEGUARDS WILL ENFORCE THIS RULE.

GUESTS: Guests MUST be accompanied by a RESIDENT who must REMAIN with guests and

have appropriate badges at all times. This applies to both adults and youth guests.

**FOOD:** Food and beverages are permitted in the pool area. NO GLASS OR OTHER SIMILAR

CONTAINERS THAT MIGHT CAUSE PERSONAL INJURIES IF BROKEN ARE PERMITTED IN THE POOL AREAS. **NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ARE** 

**PERMITTED IN THE POOL AREAS.** Tables and surrounding area are to be left clean.

**SMOKING:** Smoking is not permitted within the pool area

Lounges, chairs or tables are not to be reserved with a towel, etc. When leaving CHAIRS, TABLES the pool area chairs and lounges are to be returned to their proper places.

**UMBRELLAS** Umbrellas are to be opened by the lifeguards.

**SHOWERS:** Bathers are required to shower before entering the pools. If water shoes are

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# Emergency Notification Committee (ENC)

#### By Anne Niebergall

As a follow up to our March article, a representative group of Reveres met with Joe Schultz, Community Manager and Chuck Lupo, Trustee liaison to the ENC to talk about the One Call System. As residents have communicated, it was very helpful to receive Mr. Schultz's messages during the severe weather we experienced this winter. Mr. Schultz"s article in the March *Leisure Village West News* provided an update on One Call for residents and we encourage reading and sharing the information with others.

One of the issues for further review by Reveres is the value of "text messages" during a prolonged and serious emergency. At our next open Revere meeting on **April 12** at 6 pm in the Ceramic Room at Willow Hall, we will discuss opting in for text messages from One Call. For those not familiar with how to receive or send text messages, we will provide an overview. Bring your cell phone if you have one. We will also update everyone on the other issues we discussed and begin to plan the agenda for the next mandated Revere meeting in the fall.



Joe Schultz with ENC members R.Walters, S.Kern, D.Letch, E.Baumeister and AnneNiebergall.



#### Welcome New Neighbors

#### by Roberta Klotz

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Knospe, Frederick & Donna	Cresskill, NJ
Larca, Thomas	Manchester, NJ
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McClelland, Donald	Toms River, NJ
Mibis, Richard & Dolores	Spring Hill, FL
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Souza, Gary & Lisa	Howell, NJ
Sullivan, Steven	Freehold, NJ
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Please note that married couples are listed as such, but significant others, adult children and co-owners are listed individually.



Dear Friends,

I cannot thank you enough for all of the prayers and good wishes I received during my recent illness. I'm continuing to recuperate and move forward with my treatments. I must praise the doctors and staff at Community Hospital for the excellent care I received while there.

I'm sending you all "hugs" as I know they will help in my recovery.

Thanks again, *Annette Larsen* 

I would like to extend my heartfelt thanks to all of the wonderful friends who supported me after the passing of my husband Alan. Your kindness and generosity have been of great help during this difficult time.

Patty Greenberg

We want to thank all our LVW friends and family for their prayers, concern and get well cards during Walter's surgery and recovery. It means the world to us.

Walter and Gail Dylewski

I would like to express my special gratitude to the wonderful volunteers in our Viston group, as well as the folks in Helping Hands. For the many times I've had occasion to utilize their services, I can never thank them enough .Thank you, again and again.

Phyllis Clemente

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#### by Ellen Jenkin

Flowers are blossoming and the beauty of spring has arrived. The Bocce courts are being readied for the Leagues to begin play in May. The boards are being freshened and the necessary work is being completed for the members who, with a spring in their step, anxiously await their favorite pastime after the long winter break. The Men's League will be coordinated by John Bencivenga. Karen McGinley will be charge of the Ladies League assisted by Scarlett Thomas. John Calcaterra and Lou Majocco will co-coordinate the Home Team.

At the February general meeting the Bocce Club members were warmly greeted with an unusual form of entertainment. Mentalist Flavian had the group join him on a voyage into the universe of the mind. Through a variety of games encompassing the entire audience, he left everyone spellbound. He was able to say what the others thought. The attendees enjoyed this unusual treat thoroughly.

Sign up for the Spring Men's League, Ladies League and Home Team will take place at the April 4 General Meeting at 6:30 p.m. in Club Encore. Anyone who wishes to play must be a member. The dues are \$8 a year.

On Friday, May 6, the Bocce Club will sponsor an Open House. Our first 2016 trip to Atlantic City will take place on Wednesday, May 4. The bus will be going to Resorts. For \$23, a show and \$10 in play money will be given to each person.

Our breakfast at Applebee's fundraiser will be held on Saturday, May 14 from 8 to 10 a.m. The cost is \$10 for a complete breakfast and lots of fun.



Flavian excites the audience with his mind games.

At our spring meetings, anyone who wishes to purchase a Bocce shirt can do so by speaking with Andy Moran. The Bocce Club is looking forward to a wonderful season with many exciting activities and events.

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#### **Yoga Thrives**

#### Mindful Eating

#### By Linda Kay

Once, while on a yoga retreat, I saw a sign, "Food is Medicine." I was young, I didn't believe it then, but do now! Unfortunately, our culture hinges on mindless eating, an addiction as harmful as any other. However, you can take steps that will promote mindfulness in this area of your life.

Plan Ahead: Notice upcoming occasions where food will be present. How will you manage yourself, with kind compassion?

Meet Food Mindfully: The fewer foods you deal with, the better your chances of staying mindful, so choose wisely. Ask, "Does having this promote my goals for myself?" If it's a trigger food, notice that, too, without judgment. Ask, "What do I expect it to do for me? How can I remain mindful here?"

Eating: Eating is a pleasure! Slow eating enhances the experience, aids digestion, and gives your body a chance to register fullness. So put down the reading, turn off the devices, and pay attention. Monks chew each bite 50 times, but if you chew 20 times, it will be enough. The food will be close to liquid by the time you swallow.

Eating with others takes special attention. We eat 44% more, on average, when with others than when alone. How will you manage others' expectations that you will join them in eating what they eat, with kind compassion for where they are on their journey?

Fullness: Before eating or drinking, pause. Notice each bite or sip. Notice when your interest starts to flag (usually by the 7th bite or sip.) Now's the time to notice your body's fullness. Your body takes 20 minutes to register your meal. In general, on a fullness scale of 1 to 7, try to stay in the 3 to 5 range, neither too hungry nor too full.

Books that have helped me are: "Mindless Eating," by Brian Wansink, and "Mindful Eating," by Jan Chosen Bays.

Our free volunteer-led yoga classes are at Leisure Fair on Wednesdays from 10 to 11 a.m. and Saturdays from 11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. Beginners are welcome. You'll need unrestricting clothing and a yoga mat.



#### First Aid Auxiliary

By Marie Weir

Spring is in the air! What a delightful time of year. As we watch the trees and shrubs starting to show their leaves and colors and the early blooming flowers showing off their beauty, it looks like the village is awakening from a long winter's nap.

We had our first meeting of the year on March 9 with Tai Chi instructor Tit Lau demonstrating Tai Chi movements as our guest speaker.

At our **April 13** meeting at 1:30 p.m. in Willow Hall, Dr. H.S. Athwal, well known Ophthalmologist will be our Guest Speaker.

Our fundraising Luncheon is Wednesday, **May** 11 at Willow Hall. Watch the creeper for details. Unfortunately we had to cancel our trip to Atlantic City scheduled for March 15 due to not enough tickets sold to pay for the bus.

However, our trip to the Sands Casino in Bethlehem, PA is scheduled for Tuesday, **April 19**. The cost is \$38 with a slot return voucher of \$30 and a food coupon for \$5. The bus leaves the Encore Parking Lot at 9:45 a.m. Games are played on the way to Bethlehem and a film is shown on the way home. We leave Bethlehem at 5 p.m. and return to LVW at approximately 7 p.m. Besides gambling there are other attractions at the Sands. There are many fine restaurants and a food court. The food court opens to an outlet center. For reservations call Carolyn at 732 276-2764.

Hope to see you at our April meeting.

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#### Getting to Know Helping Hands

By Peggy Hathaway

Where is the LVW Helping Hands organization located? The answer is: at a resident volunteer's home. These Helping Hands volunteers act as dispatchers and are known as coordinators. Presently we have 6 women coordinators. This responsibility rotates from one to another coordinator's home on a weekly basis.

When you call Helping Hands at 732-657-2842, your message goes to an answering service. The coordinator, at her convenience, phones into the message center to receive the request.

She then records the information: name, address, phone number and the problem. We hope the resident who phoned in followed the instructions on the tape. Speak slowly and spell your name even if it is, for example, Smith.

The coordinator evaluates the task or tasks that the resident requests. She has a list of jobs that we don't do. Especially NO plumbing and NO electrical work unless it has a plug. If it is a job that we have on our no-we-don't-do list, the coordinator phones back that information to the requester.

If the task is one that we do, such as putting in a light bulb, programming a TV remote, or bringing something up to the attic, she checks the list of volunteers to see who hasn't done a job lately, plus who is physically able to do the job, as well as their handiness ability level. Many of the volunteers can no longer climb a ladder. She may have to call several volunteers and presently we have 25 of them. However many aren't available to take the request as they may be snowbirds, sick, or they are not at home, etc. If anyone reading this who is handy and would like to volunteer, please phone the Helping Hands number.

Just to clear up a misconception that some people have, Helping Hands is a resident volunteer organization, it is not connected with LVW Maintenance. It is neighbors volunteering to assist neighbors with minor household repairs.

Our volunteers do not accept tips. If you would like, you may donate money to LVW Helping Hands. Our mailboxes are located in Willow Hall and Club Encore. Please include your name and address. These funds mainly go for a Helping Hands luncheon for its volunteers. We are so lucky to have this service in our community.



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#### **April Showers Bring...Novy & Associates**

**By Roberta Klotz** 

Please join us Thursday, **April 7** at our general meeting to hear Robert Novy, Esq. discuss a variety of issues of interest to active adults. Mr. Novy, star of WOBM-AM radio's "Inside the Law," will bring his expertise to Club Encore. Refreshments will be served at 7 p.m.

Love to eat out? Come to our "on your own tab" monthly Celebration Luncheons on the third Thursday of the month at wonderful neighborhood restaurants. Watch the creeper to find out where Arlene Glasman made the reservation. Call her at 732-408-1842 if you would like to join our Celebration Luncheon.

May flowers bring ORT events, so plan ahead! The Annual Walk-For-ORT, a leisurely stroll from Club Encore down Buckingham Drive ends with a fabulous lunch at Leisure Fair at 12 p.m. on **May 1**. Get \$25 (or more) from your sponsors and support a good cause! Contact Susan Barnett at 732-408-7389 for enrollment forms.

ORT's member's only paid-up membership "Shmear" will be held at Club Encore on Thursday, **May 5** at 12 p.m. Please contact Elaine Baron at 732-408-9474 or Phyllis Schwartz at 732-503-2387 for reservations and to pay your annual ORT dues.

It is not too early to make a reservation to join ORT members and friends on the Cape May County 4 day/3 night trip, May 23-26. Included is round trip transportation; a Dolphin Watch cruise; Cape May

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By Pat Kinane

#### It's in the Cards



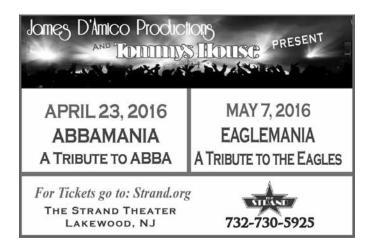
April 28 is the date for the Caritas Guild card party at Willow Hall from 1 to 4 p.m. The prizes to be awarded are estimated to be worth \$1,000. If you were unable to obtain tickets at the March or April Caritas meetings, you can call Marge at 732 657-5484

or Liz at 732-657-8396. Tickets are \$5.

Proceeds go to charity and last year we were able to present six \$500 checks to area charities because of the success of our card party and your generous participation. So come out once again and enjoy playing your favorite games with your friends and don't forget that there will also be delicious desserts, hot coffee and tea.

I don't want you to think that I forgot about our **April 19** general meeting, but as of this writing we are still waiting for a speaker. As soon as we get one, we will update the creeper, the online creeper and also notify members by the telephone squad before the actual meeting. Tickets for the card party will also be available at this meeting if there are any left.

Hope to see you all there.





## Volunteers in Service to Our Neighbors

by Sandy Bermel

"Social Security"

Social Security is not only that important monthly check. There is another kind of monthly social security that affects you, me and others.

Social, because we live in this friendly community. Security, because volunteers such as those of VISTON support our neighbors' well-being. There are residents who cannot drive for one reason or another. Volunteering one or two hours a month to take someone to a medical appointment is a good thing. The benefit to all is social security.

The VISTON office in Willow Hall is open Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9 to 11 a.m. You can call 732-657-1818 or stop in during these hours to volunteer or ask for assistance

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Tuesdays at 6 p.m., Mahjong Club.

Fridays at noon, Chess Club.

**April 1-23:** The Works of Olivia Majeski will be displayed in the meeting room.

April 9 reception at 2 p.m.

**April 5** at 9:30 a.m., Introduction to the Internet. Please register.

At 10:15 a.m., Book Discussion, "Hotel on the Corner of Bitter & Sweet" by Jamie Ford.

At 6 p.m., Allergy Seminar. Please register.

April 5 and 19 at 2 p.m., Writer's Circle.

**April 7** at 10 a.m., Travel Series: Mapquest and Google Maps. Please register.

At 1 p.m., Book and Film Discussion, "The Help" by Kathryn Stockett.

At 2 p.m., Get Ready for Baseball 2016. Prizes. Please register.

April 7, 14, 21 and 28 at 10 a.m., Canasta Club.

April 8 & 22 at 1 p.m., Quilting Bee.

**April 11** at 9:30 a.m., Introduction to Inkscape. Please register.

**April 12** at 10 a.m., Spotlight On: Windows 10. Please register.

At 2 p.m., French Club for Beginners: Present Tense Irregular Verbs. Please register.

**April 14** at 9:30 a.m., Create Your First Email. Please register.

At 2 p.m., Chicks with Sticks- A Knitting and Crocheting Group. Also Wednesdays at 6 p.m.

**April 18** at 10 a.m., Using your IPad to Borrow Library Books through ELibraryNJ. Please register. At 6 p.m., French Club. Please register.

**April 19** at 2 p.m., Digital Spinal EMG Screenings. A quick painless test to show dysfunction of the spine due to injury, poor posture or stress. Presented by Ocean Integrated Wellness Center, first come first serve.

**April 21** at 2 p.m., Book Chat.

**April 23** at 2 p.m., Behind Broadway: Meet Former Child Broadway Star Kimberly Hannon, who starred in *Tommy* and *Les Miserables*, She will talk about her experiences and sing songs from Broadway shows.

Please register.

**April 26** at 2 p.m., Spotlight on Windows 10. Please register.

Feature Films are shown on Wednesdays at 2:30 and 6 p.m. as follows:

April 6, "Spectre"

**April 13,** "The 33"

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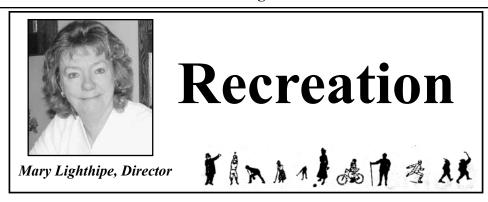


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Spring is finally here! As the robins return, daffodils appear and the days get longer. We enjoy brisk mornings, warm afternoons and an occasional April shower! Outdoor activities resume as energetic residents look forward to the start of golf, bocce, tennis and shuffleboard games. Enjoy!

The Recreation Department is busy arranging upcoming shows, trips and dances for the months ahead. Hope to see you at our events.

Our Friday Social on **April 15** promises to be a special event as we welcome the Happy Days String Band. The Jersey Shore's premier String Band presents Mummer's Music in the Philadelphia tradition. The show features unique costumes, music and pageantry. We hope you will plan to join us for a fun filled afternoon! The show will be held in Encore and begins at 1:30 p.m. Tickets are \$5 per person.

Our movie this month is "The Danish Girl" on Sunday, **April 17**, at 2 p.m. in Willow Hall. A love story loosely inspired by the lives of Danish artists Lili Elbe and Gerda Wegener. Lili and Gerda's marriage and work evolve as they navigate a groundbreaking journey.

Our Sunday Dinner bus will take us to the Crab's Claw Inn located in Lavallette on **April 17**. Enjoy a leisurely ride and treat yourself to dinner out. The price of \$4 per person is for the bus with dinner on your own at the restaurant.

We celebrate Earth Day on Thursday, **April 21** with our annual Village clean up. Please refer to the flyer in this newspaper for details of this extraordinary community effort.

Pinnacle FCU will sponsor a free luncheon Bingo on Wednesday, **April 27** at 11:30 a.m. in Willow Hall. Seating is LIMITED. Admission tickets are available at Pinnacle Bank beginning on **April 1**.

From Gardens to Giraffes – featuring the NY Botanical Gardens and the Bronx Zoo on Thursday, **May 12**. A private tram ride has been reserved for

us featuring "Wonders of the Garden." Enjoy this fascinating overview of the Garden and its history. Time on your own for a short stroll through the gardens, conservatory or gift shop. Next we are off to the famous Bronx Zoo. A "Total Experience" ticket is included allowing admission and unlimited access to special rides, Gorilla Forest, Zoo Shuttle and more. Dine on your own at the Dancing Crane Café or the many food stands throughout the park.

We are pleased to announce the return of our Showtime Comedy Cabaret on Saturday, May 21 at 8 p.m. in Encore. The show was cancelled due to the January blizzard, a distant memory now that spring has finally arrived! The show will feature two great comedians. Tom McTiernan grew up in New York City one of eight siblings. Tom's New York background perfected his crisp viewpoint and smart wit. He has captured the eye of critics who describe him as very funny, and someone you'll be hearing a lot about. Gary DeLena mixes musical parodies, goodnatured clowning and the ability to be riend the room by simply chatting. His credits include Showtime, Comedy Central and ABC's The World According to Jim. He has appeared with Chicago, Kenny Rogers and the Temptations. Prior to the show, relax and enjoy a delicious dessert, coffee or tea. Hope to see you there!

We're off to the Brownstone for the Ace in The Hole Production of "Give My Regards to Broadway" on Tuesday, May 24. Celebrating their 25th Anniversary, Ace in the Hole Productions presents their original show "Give My Regards to Broadway" featuring the golden voices of Donna Vivino and J. Mark McVey. This incredible musical features the great lullabies of old and new Broadway. Enjoy two complimentary drinks, soda, and the famous family style menu. See the flyer in this edition for complete details.

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#### Recreation

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We return to the Buck's County Playhouse for the classic comedy "Steel Magnolias" on Wednesday, **June 8**. The day includes time for browsing through historic New Hope, PA, a delicious buffet luncheon at the Triumph Brewing Company, followed by Buck's County Playhouse's production of "Steel Magnolias." Oscar nominee Marsha Mason stars in this tale of Truvy's beauty salon, where village gossip and chatter of family crises follow six distinctly different women who have forged a unique bond of friendship and sisterhood. Alternately hilarious and touching, "Steel Magnolias" celebrates enduring friendships.

A unique and new experience awaits us as we depart for our New York City "Noshing" and "Melting Pot" Tour on Wednesday, **June 22**. We visit the most famous immigrant neighborhoods in New York – Little Italy, Chinatown and the Jewish Lower East Side. We tour by coach with the Guide Service of NY and disembark at specified neighborhoods enjoying culinary delights from shops that have been serving these communities for decades. Try bialy, pickles out of barrels, Chinese roast duck, pork buns, prosciutto bread, fresh mozzarella, cannoli and more. There's eating on the streets, time for shopping and learning of our rich immigrant history. A brief stop at Delicious Orchards in Colts Neck on the way home completes this exciting day.

#### **Recreation Notices**

The Recreation Department wishes all our residents and their families a Happy Passover.

Mahjong instruction will be offered by residents Mary Ann Koeppel and Debra Corelli on the first and third Thursday of the month beginning April 21 in the Encore art room at 3 p.m. If you would like to play Mahjong and are not familiar with the rules or if you know how to play and haven't been able to get a group together this is an opportunity to play with other residents. Contact Mary Ann Koeppel at 201-388-6300 for additional information

#### Township Recycling Dates: Wednesday, April 13 & 27

Please Note: Household batteries are no longer recyclable. Tape the terminals of the batteries and dispose of in the regular trash.

#### LVW Newspaper Recycling

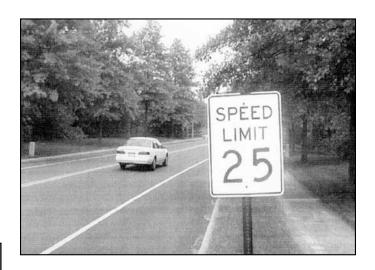
Recycling will be held at the Club Encore parking lot on the following days:

Wednesday	April	6	9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Thursday	April	7	9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Friday	April	8	9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

The container is open all the time. If you are unable to put paper items in container, leave on end and we will put in the back.

The Annual Meeting of Club Presidents will be held in Willow Hall at 1:30 p.m. on Tuesday, **April** 19. We welcome club presidents and their executive boards to attend this informative meeting.





Meeting notices and calendar updates must be submitted to the Recreation Department to appear in this section. Email these updates to: <a href="mailto:recreation@lvwservice.com">recreation@lvwservice.com</a>.

#### **April Meeting Schedule**

The DEADLINE for this "Club/Group MEETING SCHEDULE" is BY or BEFORE the FIRST of EACH MONTH for the following month's publication. Please submit this information to the Recreation Department at Willow Hall.

Alzheimer's Support Group Club Encore Ceramics Room April 26 10 a.m.

Arts & Crafts Leisure Fair 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday 1 p.m.

Knitting, crocheting; lap robes for nursing homes; hats for needy. For showcase items, call 732-657-7092.

**Art Group** Club Encore Ceramics Room Fridays 10 a.m.

No instruction. Bring your own supplies (all media). For info call Jane at 732-657-9194.

**Bocce & Social Club** Club Encore Auditorium **April 4** 6:30 p.m.

General meeting.

**Book Discussion Club** Willow Hall Room **April 13** 7 p.m.

Book to be discussed "Hannah's Dream" by Diane Hammond.

**Baby Boomers Social Club-** Relive music and memories of the 60s, 70s, and 80s. Call Rose Jenik at 732-657-

6640.

Breast Cancer Support Group Club Encore Ceramics Room April 12 10 a.m.

General meeting.

Bridge Club (Duplicate) Leisure Fair Tues. & Thurs. 6 p.m.

ACBL sanctioned games, certified director. Transportation/lessons available. Call Sid Klotz at 732-408-7451.

**Bridge Club** Leisure Fair Thursdays 6 p.m.

Small, informal, friendly group. Men and women welcome. No charge.

Briscola Card Club Leisure Fair Wednesdays 6 p.m.

Card games every Wednesday. Refreshments.

Card and Social Club Willow Hall Card Room Daily Noon

Men & women attend our meetings. Poker on Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 1 to 4 p.m., first come, first seated.

Caritas Guild Club Encore Auditorium April 19 2 p.m.

Speaker to be announced.

Computer Club Club Encore Auditorium April 12 10 a.m.

General meeting.

Cooking Club Willow Hall Auditorium April 12 1 p.m.

Arista Care presentation 4/12. Road trip: Freehold Boro Culinary School luncheon 4/13 & 4/14.

**Current Events Group** Club Encore Auditorium 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday 2 p.m.

We hope you will join us April 4 and April 18. Be a part of the discussion or just sit and listen, as we discuss

the topics of the day.

**Dance Club** Willow Hall Auditorium **April 9** 7 p.m.

Dance theme: Dancing in the Rain; Music by: Piper's Alley; \$7 members, \$8 guests. Call Nick 732-657-9049.

**Emergency Notification Committee** Willow Hall Ceramics Room **April 12** 6 p.m.

ENC focus group meets 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday. All reveres are welcome.

#### April Meeting Schedule (Continued)

Farmers' Club Leisure Fair April 5 2 p.m.

General meeting.

Financial Information Club Club Encore Auditorium April 19 10 a.m.

Goal based financial planning presented by Little and O'Reilly wealth management team from Merrill Lynch.

First Aid Auxiliary Willow Hall Auditorium April 13 1:30 p.m.

Ophthalmologist Dr. H.S. Athwal will be our guest speaker.

Fishing Club Willow Hall Ceramics Room April 7 2 p.m.

General meeting 4/7. Refreshments will be served. Board meeting 4/28 at 2 p.m.

Garden Club Willow Hall Auditorium April 26 1:30 p.m.

General meeting.

Genealogy Club Willow Hall Auditorium April 27 1 p.m.

Workshop.

Golf Club Willow Hall Auditorium April 13 7 p.m.

General meeting.

Hadassah Willow Hall Auditorium April 18 6:30 p.m.

General meeting.

Helping Hands Leisure Fair April 4 10 a.m.

Open meetings on the first Monday of the month. New volunteers, call 732-657-2842 for information.

**Irish-American Club** Willow Hall Auditorium **April 21** 1 p.m.

General meeting.

**Knights of Columbus** Club Encore Auditorium 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Monday 7 p.m.

LVW Veterans Club Willow Hall Auditorium April 11 7 p.m.

Veterans in any branch of Service that are looking to be with and help other Veterans. For more information call

Stan 732-300-2896 or Carl 732-657-8856.

**Model Railroad Club** Willow Hall Ceramics Room **April 25** 7 p.m. Regular business meeting. All members are invited. Dues will be collected. Anyone wishing to join is also

invited. Note: our picnic is set for May 27.

Nature Club Willow Hall Auditorium April 25 7 p.m.

Come hear about Diamondback Terrapins and conservation efforts on their behalf.

Nightingales (Group of retired nurses) No meeting this month. Questions? Please call Joan 732-657-4938.

ORT Club Encore Auditorium April 7 7:30 p.m.

General meeting.

Pet Club Club Encore Auditorium April 13 7 p.m.

General meeting.

Pine Tree Needlers (Quilters) Club Encore Ceramics Room Wednesdays 1 p.m.

New quilters welcome. We meet weekly and learn new skills. Make great gifts!

#### April Meeting Schedule (Continued)

**Ping-Pong Club** 

Leisure Fair

Open play Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday 2-4 p.m. Sunday 2:30-4:30 p.m. Practice Tuesday and Friday 9 a.m. to noon. Lessons for members 11 a.m. to noon on Tuesday and Friday. Sign up for Spring Singles in the Ping Pong room by April 7.

**Recycling Club** 

**Encore Overflow Parking Lot** 

Rummy-Q Club

Leisure Fair

Fridays

6:30 p.m.

Like Rummy but played on tiles. Come join the fun!

**RV Camping and Social Club** 

Willow Hall Ceramic Room

April 21

7:30 p.m.

General meeting 4/21. Square Dance 4/16 in Willow Hall Auditorium at 7pm.

**Service Club** 

Willow Hall Auditorium

April 26

9:30 a.m.

General meeting.

**Stained Glass Group** 

Club Encore Ceramics Room

Wednesdays

9:30 a.m.

All welcome to come learn the art of stained glass making.

**Tennis & Social Club.** 

Club Encore Auditorium

April 14

7 p.m.

Spring Fling.

Travel Club

Leisure Fair

April 14

2 p.m.

General meeting.

VFW Post 7904

Willow Hall Auditorium

April 27

7 p.m.

If you know any LVW residents who served overseas and received a campaign, occupation or expeditionary medal, we need members and you are welcome.

**VISTON** – Office open Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9 to 11 a.m. Volunteers needed to drive neighbors to medical appointments or to Willow Hall on Tuesday a.m. for blood work. Call 732-657-1818.

W.V. PLAYERS

Willow Hall Auditorium

April 26

7 p.m.

Entertainment by Carole Sloan singing country and pop songs. Refreshments served.

Westernaires

Leisure Fair & Willow Hall

Tues. & Fri.

9:30 a.m.

(Tues. 9:30 LF; Fri. 9:30 Willow). Contact Judith Carelli-Stout 908-433-6649

**Yiddish Club** – No meeting this month. Happy Passover holiday to all!

Yoga Group

Leisure Fair

Wed. & Sat.

10 a.m. and 11:15 a.m.

All residents welcome.

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Please check the Creeper for the most up-to-date meeting and event information.

Dear Unit Owner:

## Your neighbors have already joined.

Don't delay - start today!

We currently offer an automatic payment plan for your monthly maintenance fee. This is a program whereby your monthly maintenance fee can be automatically withdrawn from a checking or savings account at your bank.

If you are interested in taking advantage of this time-saving program, please stop by the association office to sign up. You will need to bring a voided check to start the program.

If you have any questions, please call us at

732-657-5881.

Sincerely, LVW Accounting Office



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Note: Please have doctor provide his/her fax # on the prescription form to insure timely result reports.

**MEDICARE CARDS.** 

Questions or concerns, call 732-886-4784.

Your **Grandmother's Cupboard** is a non-profit organization established by people who recognize the needs of the homeless and working poor in our communities. The Cupboard was established to provide some of these basic needs through local donations. Your **Grandmother's Cupboard** will provide a drop-off trailer at the Club Encore parking lot on the **FIRST WEDNESDAY** of each month, weather permitting, from **9 a.m. to 12 p.m.** Residents can drop off donations of clothing, shoes, blankets, household items and personal care items for distribution to the needy.

#### PLEASE - ALL DONATIONS SHOULD BE CLEAN AND GENTLY USED.

Our Village has always been known for its generosity and we are proud to partner with this honored charity and member of the United Way of Ocean County and The Food Bank of Monmouth and Ocean Counties.

The drop-off trailer is unmanned, so if you have heavy items please bring someone to assist if necessary. Do not leave items if trailer is already full.

## BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING



**April 22** 

Willow Hall Card Room

Blood pressure screenings are conducted by LVW volunteers and blood pressure equipment donated by the Red Cross.



#### GLUCOSE SCREENING

April 22

Willow Hall Card Room

By Monmouth Medical Center Southern Campus and the Ocean Office of Senior Services. Conducted by a registered nurse.



The date for CHRISTMAS TREE SHOP/COSTCO/TARGET is Tuesday, April 5
MARQUEE/WALGREENS is Tuesday, April 12 & 26
The date for the FREEHOLD MALL trip is Thursday, April 14
The date for the LACEY MALL trip is Tuesday, April 19

Riders may board the bus at their usual bus stops as per the bus schedule.

#### **QIGONG**

Qigong class is offered on Tuesdays at 10:30am in Willow Hall Rooms A&B for a fee of \$10 pay as you go.

Qigong is a practice of aligning breathing, movement and awareness for exercise, healing and meditation. It involves rhythmic breathing coordinated with slow stylized repetition of fluid movement.

Class is taught by Darren Orr, Doctor of Chinese Medicine in Medical QiGong, Therapy,
Massage Therapist, Reiki and QiGong Master,
Meditation teacher, Sound Healer.

All residents are welcome.

# SUNDAY DINNER "Crab's Claw Inn Lavalette April 17 at 1 p.m. \$4 per person (BUS ONLY)

Note: This trip is taken on the Village bus, which begins at Willow Hall and circles the Village following its regular route. Purchase tickets at the office. Tickets are not sold on the bus.

#### **Recreation Department Sponsored Dance Classes**



Social Ballroom Dance class is held in Willow Hall on Mondays from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. with instructor Richard Horblit.

Line Dance class on Tuesdays, except the fourth Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m. in Willow Hall with instructors Rosemarie Jenik and Linda Labita.

Social Free Style Dance class is held in Leisure Fair on Wednesdays from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. with instructor Richard Horblit.

Classes are free of charge and all residents are welcome to attend.





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#### AN AFTERNOON AT THE MOVIES

#### "The Danish Girl"

Starring

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A fictitious love story loosely inspired by the lives of Danish artists Lili Elbe and Gerda Wegener. Lili and Gerda's marriage and work evolve as they navigate Lili's groundbreaking journey as a transgender pioneer.

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Sunday, April 17 Willow Hall Auditorium at 2 p.m.

No tickets required. Seating will be on a first come basis.

# Free Luncheon Bingo Sponsored by Pinnacle FCU



April 27 11:30 a.m. WILLOW HALL Doors open at 11 AM





LIMITED SEATING
Admission Tickets available
at Pinnacle Bank
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## Happy Days String Band

Friday, April 15 Club Encore \$5 per person



The Recreation Department is pleased to present the Jersey Shore's Premier String Band Mummer's Music in the Philadelphia Tradition



#### Ace in the Hole Productions at the Brownstone Presents



Tuesday, May 24 \$79 per person (All Inclusive) Depart Encore: 10 a.m.

11:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.: Arrive at the Brownstone, a elegant historic premier landmark and our host for today's show. Ace in the Hole is turning 25 and they are celebrating this year with a fabulous season. Today is their original production of "Give My Regards to Broadway" featuring the golden voices of Donna Vivino and J. Mark McVey. The Lights of Broadway are burning bright when these two major stars perform for you fresh from the great white way. Enjoy an incredible musical ride featuring the great lullabies of old and new Broadway! The Ace in the Hole All Star Band gets things started and a show stopping feast is included. Upon arrival, happy hour is from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. where all can enjoy 2 complimentary drinks (free soda on table all day) and the family style menu includes: Fresh Garden Salad, Ziti Marinara, Roast Beef, Roast Chicken, Rosemary Potatoes, Fresh Garden Medley and Dessert, Coffee and Tea. After the show, we depart for home.

NO REFUNDS GIVEN – If you are unable to go on this trip, the Recreation Office will attempt to re-sell your ticket if the bus is sold out and there is a waiting list.





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# LVW Marks Earth Day 2016 on Thursday, April 21

The first Earth Day April 22, 1970 activated 20 million Americans from all walks of life and is widely credited with launching the modern environmental movement. Growing out of the first Earth Day, people in 192 countries now work to broaden, diversify and mobilize the environmental movement. More than 1 billion people now participate in Earth Day activities each year, making it the largest civic observance in the world.

### How does LVW mark Earth day?

Residents join in a community-wide cleanup of our Village. We go out as individuals, teams, groups of neighbors and friends to pick up trash. The maintenance department joins in by picking up filled trash bags and bulky items. Volunteers work at recruiting other volunteers, sending them to areas in need and providing tools and trash bags.

### Where does this trash come from?

Windblown recyclables end up in the bushes and perimeter fences. Think of all the windy Wednesdays this past year! Residents, visitors and employees drop or toss all sorts of trash.

# Why can't our grounds crew pick up the trash?

No one wants to add to our maintenance fees to pay workers to pick up after us. The total hours spent on this project in previous years indicate that the cost would be considerable if we hired people to do this for us.

# How can you participate in Earth Day?

Come to the Willow Hall parking lot between 9 and 11 a.m. to get trash bags, tools and directions. Volunteer to recruit workers and teams. Staff the table to give out bags and directions.

Pick up trash on Thursday, April 21 with your neighbors.

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10 a.m. – 2 p.m.: Get your walking shoes on and prepare for a unique and new experience in lower Manhattan, specifically at the most famous immigrant neighborhoods in NY. A new phenomenon has been the idea of "noshing" through a city, eating a little bit of this and a little bit of that and that is exactly what we do on this tour. Along with learning about the immigrant experience in NY by our knowledgeable guide from the Guide Service of NY, we will be transported by coach to each neighborhood then disembark to "nosh!" Nosh on the included culinary delights from shops that have been serving these communities for decades – try a bialy, pickles out of barrels, Chinese roast duck, pork buns, prosciutto bread, fresh mozzarella, cannoli and more. There's eating on the streets, there's time for shopping at the specialty food shops. We end this very special trip having learned much about our rich immigrant history.

At the conclusion of the tour we depart for home. There is a planned stop at one of our favorite "on the way home" destinations – Delicious Orchards Country Food Market. Located in Colts Neck, this famous market specializes in fresh fruits, vegetables, fine meats and cheeses. Time is allowed to browse and shop the unique country market.

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# **Buck's County Playhouse**



Wednesday, June 8
Departing Encore at 10 a.m.
Cost \$89 per person.

l1:15 a.m.: Arrive in beautiful New Hope, PA. This historic and quaint town lies along the west bank of the Delaware River and is well known for its lovely streets and shops and galleries. Enjoy time on your own prior to lunch.

12 p.m.: The Triumph Brewing Company is our fun destination for lunch. A buffet luncheon has been reserved consisting of House Salad, Asian Chicken (grilled chicken, julienned vegetable, sweet and spice sauce), Black Angus New York Strip "Prime Rib" and Penne Carbonara with Sweet Peas, Bacon, Caramelized Onion and Parmesan Cream with Strawberry Shortcake for dessert.

1:30 p.m.: Arrive at the State Theatre of Pennsylvania, the Bucks County Playhouse, a national landmark rich in theatrical history. A classic comedy, *Steel Magnolias*, directed by and starring Oscar nominee Marsha Mason. The hair is big and the tales are even taller. Through outrageous village gossip and chatter of family crises, this play follows the women who have forged a unique bond of friendship and sisterhood.

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- Remove all documents from their envelopes, organize and arrange into the categories listed above.
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# From Gardens to Giraffes: Featuring the NY Botanical Gardens &



# the Bronx Zoo

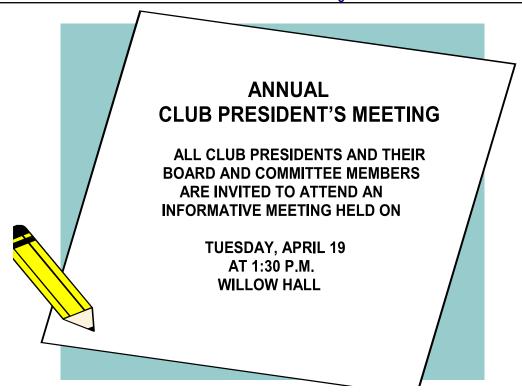
Thursday, May 12 \$84 per person (All Inclusive) Depart Encore 8 a.m.



10-11:30 a.m.: Every time of the year is a great time to visit the famous New York Botanical Gardens, however spring time can't be beat. While not a full day at the Gardens, just a short stop, a private tram has been reserved for us upon arrival to take us on the NYBG's "Wonders of the Garden: A Tram Tour." This 45 minute escorted tram tour offers the best way to see much of the Garden's 250 acres with narration, offering a fascinating overview of the Garden and its history. Enjoy the Garden's Benenson Ornamental Conifers and Ross Conifer Arboretum; see many of the Garden's historic buildings and marvel at the distinguished collections of magnolias, oaks and tulip trees, among others, while enjoying the blooms of the season. After tram ride, our group is on our own for a short time to stroll the gardens, conservatory or gift shop.

11:45 a.m.-4 p.m.: Mere minutes away from the Gardens will be our next stop. The Bronx Zoo is a timeless classic that first opened its doors in 1899 and is one of the world's largest metropolitan zoos. Comprising 265 acres with some 4, 000 animals representing about 650 species from around the world, the Bronx Zoo is incomparable and should not be missed. Although too numerous to list, the "Total Experience" ticket gives all admission and unlimited access to special rides and attractions available during their visit such as Jungle World, Congo Gorilla Forest, Butterfly Garden, Himalayan Highlands, Tiger Mountain, World of Reptiles, the African Plains, Baboon Reserve, Big Bears, Zoo Shuttle, Wild Asia Monorall and more. Time is allowed on your own and dining options at the zoo include the Dancing Crane Café serving hot and cold dishes, as well as food stands sprinkled throughout the park.

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# **Ping-Pong Club**

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### A Bit of Ping-Pong Terminology

By Marie Lamberti



What a pleasure it was to see many members and residents watching the Winter Doubles Tournament. The semifinals A & B division first match had Don McGuire and Alex Shainbart win in two straight games from John Russo and Howie Topchik. Many good volleys and return slams aided Bob Nucci and Andy Catania to defeat Phyllis Gudewitz and Ricco Guerriero in the two game set. The B & C division and the finals will be reported in the next *Leisure Village West News*.

### A bit of Ping-Pong Terminology:

Backspin – a form of spin which makes the ball rotate in an anti-clockwise direction as it leaves the striking player's paddle.

Flick - a stroke produced largely from the wrist often used as a way of returning various types of short service.

Kill – also known as the "smash," a shot which is designed to win the rally outright by hitting the ball as hard as possible.

Dropshot – a surprise shot which is played early in the bounce and close to the net when the opponent is some way from the table.

The Spring Singles Tournament will be played during the month of April. If you are interested in becoming a better player, you take lessons. If you are a member, on Tuesday and Friday at 11 a.m., John Russo will graciously help you. See you at the tables.





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# **Travel Club**

**By Carole Brown** 

A wonderful trip to the Dover Downs Casino and Hotel was enjoyed by the 14 people who took our first trip of the year. Everyone in attendance had a great time. Next time we hope to have more people join us on this trip.

May 15-25: National Parks celebrating 100 years. We will visit Grand Canyon, Bryce, Zion, Sedona, Hoover Dam, Tour Montezuma Castle, 2 nights extra in Las Vegas. (You do not have to extend the 2 days extra). Pick and drop off at LVW. Drop off only applies to those staying for the entire trip. Deposits are due ASAP. A \$300 non-refundable deposit due. If not enough people interested, we will have to cancel this trip as well.

August 1-13: The Alaska trip also was cancelled. September 17-24: Canada/New England Cruise. Join us for a 7 night freestyle cruise on the Norwegian Gem leaving out of New York. Our ports of call will be Newport, R.I., Bar Harbor, Maine, New Brunswick, and Halifax, Nova Scotia. There are perks given by the cruise line on this trip. Deposits of \$250 due by April 15.

**October 17-21:** Woodloch Pines. 30 people have already paid their deposit. We have 3 rooms available. "A cruise on land."

For information on any of our trips, call Carole Brown at 404-944-9833 or join our monthly meetings on the second Thursday at 2 p.m. in Leisure Fair. Watch for our meeting dates on the Creeper.



Travel club members enjoy our first trip of the season.

# **Cooking and Social Club**

By Ellen Jenkin

Each month from September to June, the LVW Cooking and Social Club select a different theme and provide many tasty dishes. The membership always experiences some new culinary delight.

At our January meeting, the members noshed on hot and cold hors d'oeuvres accompanied by a variety of drinks. After a short meeting, delicious desserts and coffee were served. The 2016 Board including Co-Presidents Janice Mohr and Joan Zec, Vice President Doris Lang, Secretary Ellen Jenkin, Treasurer Dee Staugaitis, and Assistant Treasurer Kathy Robinson thanked everyone for their support throughout the year.

February was a highlight month because the theme was "Soup Day." Over 25 varieties of soup were prepared and tasted by the membership. These hearty dishes ranged from chicken to egg drop to vegetable

bean and sausage which engaged everyone's appetite and warmed their souls. As an added treat, breads of every shape and size were served. The culmination of this wonderful day included a dessert table and hot drinks. All the members left fully satisfied and content.

In April, the Cooking Club will travel to the Culinary High School in Freehold, New Jersey for a four course lunch including soup, salad, main course and dessert prepared and served by the student apprentices. The cost is nominal for such a gourmet treat. At our May meeting, we have our annual High Tea. Everyone can wear their favorite hat and sip tea from the cup of their choice. Only members are allowed to participate in these activities. The club meets the second Tuesday of each month at 1 p.m. in Willow Hall. The cost to join is only \$5. Come and enjoy a grand afternoon each month.



A wonderful volunteer, Sal Tozzi, serves the members.



Pat Spendley lights up the Cooking Club while serving others.







# Garden Club

**How Does Your Garden Grow?** 

By Yvonne T Huacuja

April is a happy month. Not too hot, not too cold. The light and the birds tell us the trees will soon leaf out and flowering plants will be regaling us with blooms. We can surround ourselves with beauty by planting annuals, maintaining evergreen plantings, or putting perennials in our borders.

There are so many ways to enjoy gardens and gardening, and the easiest way is to visit everyone else's gardens! The Garden Club has scheduled a trip to the Brooklyn Botanical Gardens on May 24th. Space is limited to twenty-two people. Sign up for this trip by calling Antoinette Guarraci. We are also planning a Garden Tour in our Village on June 28th. If you would like to include your garden in the tour please call JoAnne Sheehan or Antoinette Guarraci. Whether your garden is postage sized, container or front yard, we look forward to having the opportunity to appreciate it. Other local gardens include Georgian Court College, and the garden tours offered by the Island Heights Garden Club or the Seaweeders Garden Club of Bay Head and Mantoloking.

If you enjoy being outside and enjoy working the soil you can join the crew that works on the Butterfly Garden on Huntington Drive by calling JoAnne Sheehan. Membership in the Garden Club is optional and we can use your help, whether for one time or on a regular basis.

### **Plant Tips for Shade**

Easy care perennials that bloom early to mid spring:

- Barrenwort (Epimedium grandiflorum). Also called Bishop's Hat or Fairy Wings. Low grower for the woodland or shaded areas. Deer resistant.
- Little brown Jug (Asareum europaeum) also called Asarabacca, European Wild Ginger, Hazelwort or Wild Spikenard. Evergreen groundcover for light to full shade. Deer and slug resistant.
- Lungwort (Pulmonaria spp). Also called Bethlehem Sage, Jerusalem Cowslip, Joseph and Mary, Soldiers and Sailors, or Spotted Dog [who names these plants!!!] Semi evergreen, tolerates light to very deep shade. Deer resistant.



# **Pet Club**

By Irene Dissis

Greetings to all LVW residents! 2016 has started off with lots of new programs. We've seen the return of old members as well as new ones joining. We hope you'll come and join us as well. Dues are just \$5 and can be dropped off in our Encore mailbox or brought to our next meeting. Remember you can also purchase the Pet Emergency cards for your wallet for just \$1.

Our meetings so far have been quite interesting and informative. Pet Etiquette and Safety, Professional Training for dogs and people, and even a presentation on how to use the defibrillators found around the village.

At the next meeting on **April 13** at 7 p.m. in the Club Encore auditorium, we will have a presentation by S.A.V.E. Rescue Shelter of Toms River, which will be the recipient of some of our fundraising efforts in 2016. We are also working to establish an ongoing support effort with military families at the Joint Bases in Lakehurst.

In keeping with our Mission Statement, "The LVW Pet Club seeks to provide education and resources for a healthy pet environment thereby improving the quality of life for both residents and pets of Leisure Village West," our May meeting will be addressing the issue of health risks associated with dog feces left on the ground. We look forward to sharing this information with our fellow residents.

Reserve the date and check the creeper as we will soon start selling tickets for our Game Night on June 8 from 7 to 9:30 p.m. in the Club Encore auditorium. Cost is \$5 per person. All residents are welcome. Beverages, hot and cold snacks will be served and there will be door prizes and 50/50 raffle!

Dog Day Afternoon will be returning on September 17.

We look forward to seeing you at our meetings and events.



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# **Service Club**

By Harry Wiener

Despite a nasty rainy Tuesday our meeting was held on February 23 in Willow Hall. Our speaker was Karen Walzer, Public Outreach Coordinator for Barnegat Bay Partnership. She told us many interesting things about the Bay. It is formed by mixing ocean water and fresh water from the Toms River. It is very shallow, at this point, about 5 feet. There is a deeper channel down the middle that allow fishing boats.

The Bay is a great habitat for fish. The water is usually warm and they can hide in high grasses. Oysters, shrimp and scallops are not as plentiful as they used to be because of algae and over fishing. Many birds can be seen there. The Osprey are making a comeback. The sea level is rising rapidly and in time the Barrier Islands will be under water.

If you are interested in learning more about Barnegat Bay, there is a Program at Ocean County College that takes you on a field trip with a great guide.

Our next meeting will be on Tuesday, **April 26** at 9:30 a.m. in Willow Hall. Our speaker will be "The Anchor Lady" discussing a ship wreck at the Jersey Shore. Come and enjoy breakfast with us.

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# **Bridge Club – Duplicate**



### by Sid Klotz

In February our club ran 2 ACBL sanctioned STaC (Silverpoint Tournament at Clubs) games. When our results were grouped with other games held in Unit 140 the same night, we fared quite well.

On Tuesday February 23, Ann Therway and Alice Werner finished 1st in the 0-750 point group (and tied for 3rd in the 750-2,000 point group) with 59.10%. Bill Beuka and Rita Ellard, with 58.63%, finished 6th in the 750-2,000 point group. Jackie McGinnis and Florence Mintzer, with 52.38%, finished 4th in the 0-750 point group.

On Thursday, February 25, Sid Klotz and Barbara Schpok, with 59.90% finished 2nd in all 3 categories (0-750, 750-2000, 2000-unlimited), Mel Traum playing with Margaret Kearney finished 3rd in all 3 categories with 59.38%, and Madalyn Crackel and Adele Shuldman, with 50.63% finished 5th in 0-750 and 750-2000.

Our quarterly club championship held on Thursday, February 11 had Adele Shuldman and Madalyn Crackel in 1st with 65.00%. 2nd was Bill Beuka and Ann Cottone with 61.25%; and 3rd was Elsebeth Gotham and Mary Ruth Hague with 58.13%.

Our quarterly club championship held on Tuesday, February 16, had Bill Beuka and Rita Ellard in 1st place with 56.25%. 2nd were June Lapp and Barbara Schpok. Tied for 3rd were Sid Klotz and Ann Cottone and Dennis Wilcox and Jackie McGinnis.

Masterpoint leaders for February 2016 are:

For February, 2016		Year 2016 through February 29
<ol> <li>Bill Beuka</li> </ol>	5.52	Bill Beuka 6.96
2. Rita Ellard	3.69	Sid Klotz 5.04
<ol><li>Barbara Schpok</li></ol>	3.33	Ann Cottone 4.96
4. Sid Klotz	3.30	Barbara Schpok 4.37
5. Ann Cottone	3.24	Rita Ellard 3.97
6. Madalyn Crackel	2.44	Madalyn Crackel 3.79
7. Dennis Wilcox	2.23	Dennis Wilcox 2.95
8. Adele Shuldman	2.04	Ann Therway 2.85
<ol><li>Jackie McGinnis</li></ol>	2.00	Adele Shuldman 2.83
10. Ann Therway	1.95	Alice Werner 2.69
10. Alice Werner	1.95	

Although the Club is sanctioned by the ACBL, you do not have to join ACBL to belong to the LVW Duplicate Bridge Club. Anyone interested in joining or with questions about the Duplicate Bridge Club, contact Sid Klotz at 732-408-7451; Barbara Schpok at 732-657-2174 or Jackie McGinnis at 732-657-1842.





# **Book Discussion Club**

By Lorraine Wirths

Our next meeting will be on Wednesday, **April 13** at 7 p.m. in room A/B of Willow Hall. We will be discussing "*Hannah's Dream*" by Diane Hammond.

For 41 years, Samson Brown has been caring for Hannah, the lone elephant at the down-at-the-heels Max L. Biedelman Zoo. Despite his failing health, he vows not to retire until a loving and devoted caretaker is found to replace him. Sam rejoices when smart, compassionate Neva Wilson is hired as the new elephant keeper. Neva quickly discovers what Sam already knows: that despite their loving care, Hannah is isolated from the company of other elephants and her feet are nearly ruined from standing on hard concrete all those years. Using her contacts in the zookeeping world, Neva and Sam form a plan to send Hannah to an elephant sanctuary. Just at this time the zoo's owner launches an aggressive revitalization campaign which would spotlight Hannah as the star attraction thus tying Hannah's future to the fate of the Max L. Biedelman Zoo. A very real fear develops for what awaits Hannah as she lives out the final third of her life.

This book is quite a contrast to our last, more serious book, "*Infidel*." I hope you will enjoy this heart-warming story.

I hope to see our regular members for this discussion. Newcomers are welcome.



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by Phyllis Clemente

### **Pretty Scarf**

Using 10 1/2 needles, cast on 21 sts with a worsted yarn.

**Row 1:** K1 (YO, P2 tog, 9x) K2.

Row 2: Knit across.

Isn't that easy? Block lightly. Enjoy!

### A few hints for crafters:

- 1. Keep a packaged wipe in your craft bag to clean your hands. Touching things while working on yarn can soil your work, especially light colors.
- 2. With a label marker, or magic marker, place a piece of tape with the number of the needle noted at the top of the needle. Our eyes get weaker as we age, and the numbers on the end of our needles become difficult to make out. You can make the labels in colors, or with a red magic marker. Works great!
- 3. If you do not have a stitch saver for the end of your needle, tie a small rubber band around several times and protect your work from slipping off the needle. Don't know about you I absolutely hate to pick up stitches!

Happy Crafting!





# **Dance Club News**

"Lucky Leprechaun"

by Jon Telfer



With spring upon us, the West Village Dance Club hosted a dance on March 12 at Willow Hall. What a wonderful time of year with our weather continually improving and even better times ahead. Our DJ for the dance was Donny Pesce who kept our dancers kicking up their heels keeping pace with a fast moving evening.

The hosting committee for the evening was Marilyn Walters, John Leigh, Jan and Bill Berry and Norma and Jon Telfer. Dessert with coffee and tea were served late in the evening to the delight of our patrons. Door prizes were two Shop Rite \$10 certificates. Don Esteves assisted by Jon Telfer ran our 50-50. Our sincere thanks to Ridge Realty for their generous donation of \$50 which covered the costs of our dessert. Thank you for your continuing support.

Tables were adorned with green and white tablecloths in honor of the Leprechaun, a fairy creature in Irish folklore dressed in green who excels in mischief. Does this sound like some of the characters attending our dances?

Don Esteves and Jon Telfer, members of the nominating committee, solicited nominations from the club for officers for the next dance club executive board. Nominees are needed for the May 2016 election with the installment of the new board in June.

Our next dance will be on May 14 with Peter Lieberman as our DJ. Our dance theme will be "Spring Bouquet." Tickets are \$7 for members and \$8 for nonmembers and guests. Please place your check in the Willow Hall Dance Club box. For more information please contact Nick Raspa at 732-657-9049. All are welcome! Come join us for a great evening out with your friends and neighbors just a short distance to your home! See you at the dance!



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# **Financial Information Club**

By Walter Dylewski

With April showers also comes the headache of dealing with the IRS on April 15. While you have your financial papers in front of you, it may be a good time to evaluate how you are doing

financially. Is your net worth growing or are you depleting your retirement assets? Few of us know how many years

we have ahead of us, but the potential could be 30 years. What happens if you outlive your assets? Bankruptcy? Home foreclosure? The ideal plan is to enjoy your retirement, treat yourself occasionally and make prudent financial decisions so you will always have a growing nest egg for unforeseen major expenses.

On Tuesday, April 19 at 10 a.m. in the Encore Auditorium, our guest speakers will be from Little and O'Reilly Wealth Management, a part of Merrill Lynch. The topic will be "Goal based financial planning." The process of developing a financial plan suited to your needs.

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# **Recycling Club News**

by Joe Ercolino

I hope as you read this in April, spring has finally arrived. As we look around our beautiful village let us be sure that our recycled papers are not obstructing our view of our green lawns. Wind-blown papers are not pretty to see.

Please do not shred paper unless absolute secrecy is needed. Such as checking account numbers and tax reports. Other than these types of papers, there is little else that needs to be shredded. Some people even shred the Sunday comics and envelopes. Please do not.

Shredded papers do not compact in the trailer. they are slippery and dangerous to work around. They blow out of the trailer! There is very little you need to protect from garbage pickers. Your address and a lot of personal information you might not be aware of is available through easier methods than going through our recycling. Shredding is basically a waste of time.

On a much nicer note, we are pleased that most people have abandoned using plastic bags. Everyone seems to be tying the newspapers and magazines into bundles or they put them into paper bags. Please see the notice in the Leisure Village West News for reminders of our simple rules for depositing your paper recycling items.

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# West Village Players

### **Time for Celebrations**

### By Jan Berry



We welcome spring back and, with a sigh of relief, say "How great is that?" We would like to thank everyone who came out for our Cast Call in March and we are all looking forward to bringing you "Welcome to Our Cabaret" on Sunday, May 15 with accompanist Mary Kay Mason,

co-directed by Lillian Haase and Jan Berry. It looks like another fun filled evening is in store for all! Don't forget to save the date and mark your calendar now!

At our **April 26** meeting at 7 p.m. in Willow Hall, we will be hosting a gal who has been singing for a while now. She won her first singing competition at the young age of 7. Yes, that's right, 7 yrs young; she is Toms River's own Carole Sloan. Please come out and welcome Carole to our village. She will be singing some country favorites and also some pop renditions. Don't miss it. We heard she'll have you doing the 2-step!

We start our meetings with time for chit-chat with some familiar faces and time to make some new friends before the business begins at 7:30, with entertainment to follow. A little chit-chat, a little business, a little entertainment and of course we end with coffee and treats! Such a fun filled evening! Dues still only \$5 for the year. Come on out and start off the new season with a spring in your step! See you soon.



# **Current Events Group**

### By Adele Shuldman

Wow! So many interesting topics and so much to discuss. In February we covered the Presidential campaigns (of course), China's Haier buying General Electric, Scalia's passing, Immigration and the path to citizenship and natural-born citizens, the high cost of drugs, Charter Schools, Caucus voting, Iranian observations, the 18 trillion+ debt of the U.S and more. Does that sound interesting? Then join us the first and third Mondays of the month.

This month's meetings are **April 4 and 18** in Club Encore at 2 p.m.

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# Westernaires

By Kathy Hubany and Barbara Corrigan

Rehearsals have started for The Westernaires Spring Concert. The music committee has done another great job choosing some of the best selections from hit Broadway Shows and we are so excited to be presenting them to all who attend. We will be performing excerpts from Beauty and the Beast, which is both comical and endearing. Then we bring you to Broadway with excerpts from Best of Broadway for a little variety and excitement. If you need to feel the beat then "All that Jazz" should get your feet a tapping. Let us not forget the always entertaining and surprisingly wonderful solo from our talented pianist, Sara Hoey. We are sure to have you singing and swaying to many more of these Broadway tunes, but you will have to come and find out what they are. If that isn't enough, our director, Dennis Rittenhouse, has some fun surprises in store for this concert. For those of you still deciding to join us, our rehearsals are Tuesdays at Leisure Fair from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. for Bass and Tenors, 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. for Altos and Sopranos and Fridays at Willow Hall 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. for the entire group.

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# **Rebels Bowling League**

by Mary Ann Earlman

Individual achievements at the end of February, 2016

High Game – Wome	n	High Game – Men	
Dolores Kaminski	214	Ted Edmondson 258	
Pat Kinane	205	Nick Rosatelli 234	
Kathy Dowd	199	Jack McGuire 230	
Emily Beck	197	Gene Parot 214	
Marie Wilcox	182	Peter Bushauer 193	
High Series – Wome	n	High Series – Men	
Pat Kinane	500	Ted Edmondson 651	
Dolores Kaminski	500	Gene Parot 606	
Carol Quackenbush	485	Nick Rosatelli 598	
Kathy Dowd	484	Jack McGuire 574	
Marie Wilcox	477	James Shamy 503	
High Average – Won	nen	High Average – Men	
Dolores Kaminski	139.48	Ted Edmondson 183.3	9
Carol Quackenbush	135.12	Nick Rosatelli 167.0	18
Kathy Dowd	135.04	Gene Parot 165.3	2
Ann Greco	133.44	Jack McGuire 159.3	3
Pat Kinane	131.78	James Shamy 143.8	3

These and Team Standings are posted in both clubhouses each week.

There are a few openings for new bowlers in this league. If interested, please contact Mary Ann at 732-408-1547.





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# Men's Tuesday Bowling League



by Sid Klotz

At the end of February, we have completed 25 of 32 weeks -78% of the season. Congratulations to Rocco Lecce who bowled a 290 game and a 746 series.

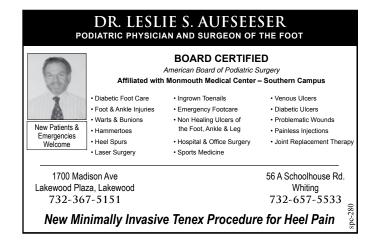
As we head into the stretch, 5 teams are beginning to pull away from the pack with points ranging from 101 to 106. But, right behind at 96 are the Lions and the Seahawks, who have each won 19 of 28 possible points since the last Bulletin. The standings as of February 29 are:

<b>Place</b>	Team Name (#)	<u>Won</u>	<b>Lost</b>	<b>Place</b>	Team Name (#)	<b>Won</b>	<b>Lost</b>
01.	Browns (17)	106	69	12.	Chiefs (18)	90	85
02.	Bears (1)	106	69	13.	Rams (21)	87	88
03.	The Bills (2)	103	72	14.	Titans (14)	86	89
04.	Cowboys (11)	103	72	15.	Colts (13)	83	92
<b>05.</b>	Dolphins (5)	101	74	16.	Redskins (9)	83	92
<b>06.</b>	Lions (19)	96	79	17.	Steelers (3)	81	94
<b>07.</b>	Sea Hawks (4)	96	79	18.	Eagles (6)	81	94
08.	Jets (7)	95	80	19.	Saints (8)	80	95
<b>09.</b>	Ravens (16)	94	81	20.	Giants (10)	75	100
10.	Packers (15)	94	81	21.	Patriots (20)	72	103
11.	Forty-Niners (12)	93	82				

On an individual basis, our leaders have been perfect (with 300 games), or near perfect. A 989 Team game means 4 bowlers have averaged 247 in one game. A 2662 Team series means that 4 men have averaged over 221 in 3 games. Season High Scores:

Individual	Individual	Team	Team
High Game	High Series	High Game	High Series
300 Fred Stone	773 Richard Lulek	989 Colts	2662 Colts
300 John Gilmour	746 Rocco Lecce	930 Lions	2543 Patriots
290 Rocco Lecce	743 John Gilmour	915 Patriots	2501 Lions

High Averages: 219.08 Rich Campoli 217.14 Lou Lindia 213.99 Rocco Lecce





# **Thursday Mixed Bowling**

### by Sid Klotz

Through February 29, we've completed 22 out of 32 weeks – 2/3 of the season. The Men's High Scratch Game and Series are the same players, except Art Hansen has jumped to the top lead with a 290 game and a 678 series. Bob Horn increased his high series to 661. On the Women's side, the only change is Barb Wilkes leaping into 3rd place with a 211 game and a 521 series. Congratulations, Barb. Barbara Fabbo has increased her high game to 200. For high handicapped game and series, Art Hansen (290) and Don McIlwrath (287) have jumped in to lead in Handicapped Game and Don McIlwrath has leapfrogged to the fore with a 770 Handicapped Series. The Women's handicapped game and series are unchanged. The individual top scratch games and series are now held by:

Men's High Game	Women's High Game	Men's High Series	Women's High Series
290 Art Hansen	246 Lil DeLello	678 Art Hansen	637 Debbie Tkaczuk
269 Barry Johnson	237 Debbie Tkaczuk	666 Fred Stone	589 Lil DeLello
253 Fred Stone	211 Barb Wilkes	661 Bob Horn	521 Barb Wilkes
247 Larry DePalma	200 Barbara Fabbo	633 Barry Johnson	518 Sandy Montaigne

Men's High HCP Game	Women's High HCP Game	Men's High HCP Series	Women's High HCP Series
290 Art Hansen	298 Lil DeLello	719 Don McIlwrath	753 Carol D'Amato
287 Don McIlwrath	281 Carol D'Amato	707 Peter Yurkowski	727 Lil DeLello
287 Peter Yurkowski	268 Fran DePalma	705 Sid Klotz	725 Sue Ippolito
286 Barry Johnson	264 Phyllis Gudewitz	703 Alex DeAmicis	704 Sandy Montaigne

The league has completed its reorganization with members of the STILLWELL team being disbursed to other teams, bringing the league status to 16 teams. This was done due to a large loss of players due to illness or death. The top 5 teams include HANSEN (1) who won 24 out of 28 points since last month, and 4 teams who started the month in the top five: F. STONE (5) who won 24 points, JOHNSON (3) who won 20 points, CIMINO (6) fading with 11 points, and S.STONE (14) only winning 7 out of 28 points. We still have 10 weeks to go, so anything can happen.

### The standings after 22 weeks (as of February 29, 2016):

<b>Place</b>	<u>Team (#)</u>	Won	Lost	<b>Place</b>	<u>Team (#)</u>	<b>Won</b>	<b>Lost</b>
1.	F. STONE (5)	102	52	9.	TKACZUK (7)	80	74
2.	JOHNSON (3)	93	61	10.	BUCCI (2)	78	76
<b>3.</b>	HANSEN (1)	91	63	11.	DEVANEY (16)	78	76
4.	CIMINO (6)	90	64	12.	WILLIAMS (9)	75	79
5.	S. STONE (14)	86	68	13.	KUNKEL (8)	71	83
6.	MILLIGAN (13)	85	69	14.	KLOTZ (11)	69	85
7.	HORN (4)	82	72	15.	DE LELLO (12)	61	93
8.	KATZ (10)	82	72	16.	DEPALMA (15)	52	102

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# **Ladies Golf**



By Linda Holzbaur

If the robins have arrived, can golf season be far behind? As I sit here watching dozens of robins passing through, I can't help but get excited about the prospects for our 2016 season. We begin with our Women's Golf Club breakfast on April 28 at 9 a.m. in Leisure Fair. Come out to reconnect with longtime friends and make new ones.

Whether you have played for years or are just learning, you are welcome. We will discuss our upcoming season, pass out our 2016 booklets and answer any questions you might have. There will be an informal outing at the Willow Course after the breakfast for those who are interested, so don't forget your clubs!

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# **Fishing Club News**

By Jim Larsen

### Top 10 Reasons to Go Fishing

- 1. Contribute to Conservation: By purchasing fishing licenses and paying special taxes, anglers have helped to fund many of the wildlife and conservation programs that exist in the United States.
- 2. Stress Relief: Spending a day casting for trout or fishing for bluegills helps us escape from our everyday environment.
- 3. Social Bonding: Sharing a fishing experience helps strengthen relationships.
- 4. Supports Wildlife and Fisheries Management: For more than 100 years anglers have helped to contribute to wildlife and fisheries management efforts by helping to set seasons and creel limits.
- 5. **Health Benefits:** More than fifty percent of Americans are overweight. Being outside and being active helps to make you feel better and encourages a healthier way of life.
- 6. **Recreation:** Having a bad day of fishing still beats a day tending to household chores. The most common reason you will find with people who like to fish is that it is simply fun.
- Self-Fulfillment: Fishing offers you the chance to improve your self-esteem through respect for the environment, mastering outdoor skills and achieving personal goals.
- 8. Boost to the Economy: Anglers generate millions in state and local taxes and directly support thousands jobs.
- 9. **Fishing for Food:** Wild fish are low in fat and cholesterol and high in protein. In fact, the American Heart Association recommends a regular diet of fish.
- 10. **The Thrill:** Fishing has a way of fulfilling an ageold need of pursuing and catching. The thrill lies in the challenge and there are many who will be quick to profess that it's not the catching of fish that's important, but the immeasurable life lessons that you will experience along the way.

# Golf & Social Club



Fore' Fun

by Susan Comeau

Spring has sprung! The crocus, daffodils and tulips are in bloom. The snowbirds are returning and golfers are looking for those birdies and eagles. The Leisure Village Golf and Social Club members are looking forward to their first meeting of the season on Wednesday, April 13 at 7 p.m. in Willow Hall.

This is the Membership Meeting. We're looking forward to seeing returning members and anyone who's interested in playing golf or joining the club for the social activities. Dues are \$8 for a yearly membership and \$7 to play in the Inside Tournaments (\$15 for both).

Paul Mazza has all the courses lined up for the outside tournaments. Linda Holzbaur has arranged the Inside Ladies' Tournaments and Dan James the Men's Inside Tournaments. The Holiday Mixers are being handled by Anna Horn. Booklets with dates, times and places will be available at the meeting.

We have entertainment, discussions and games scheduled for upcoming meetings. Jean Mazza will be selling 50/50 tickets. We all enjoy the refreshments provided by our Refreshment Committee, which is cochaired by Ken & Kay Jacobsen and includes Shirley Cervino, Paula Dunn, Reva Nakash and Betty Capone.

Join us if you're an active golfer or a new golfer. Join us even if you don't care about the game but like spending time with positive, friendly people. Just join us! See you on the 13th.

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# Dates to Remember – April 2015



April is Celebrate Diversity Month, started in 2004 to recognize and honor the diversity surrounding us all. By celebrating differences and similarities during this month, organizers hope that people will get a deeper understanding of each other.

April is also Autism Awareness Month, established to raise awareness about the developmental disorder that affects children's normal development of social and communication skills.

# Friday, April 1 April Fools' Day

On this day in 1700, English pranksters began popularizing the annual tradition of April Fools' Day by playing practical jokes on each other.

Although the day, also called All Fools' Day, has been celebrated for several centuries by different cultures, its exact origins remain a mystery. Some historians speculate that April Fools' Day dates back to 1582, when France switched from the Julian calendar to the Gregorian calendar, as called for by the Council of Trent in 1563. People who were slow to get the news or failed to recognize that the start of the New Year had moved to January 1 and continued to celebrate it during the last week of March through April 1 became the butt of jokes and hoaxes.

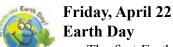
### Saturday, April 2 World Autism Awareness Day

World Autism Awareness day was created to raise awareness of the developmental disorder around the globe. The United Nations adopted a resolution on Dec. 18, 2007 declaring April 2 World Autism Awareness Day. The inaugural celebration on April 2, 2008 included 20 participating countries.

The U.N. notes that World Autism Awareness Day is meant "to highlight the need to help improve the lives of children and adults who suffer from the disorder so they can lead full and meaningful lives."

### Friday, April 15 Income Tax Returns Due

In the United States, Tax Day is a colloquial term for the day on which individual income tax returns are due to the federal government. The term may also refer to the same day for states, even where the tax return due date is a different day. The filing deadline for individuals was March 1 in 1913 (the first year of a federal income tax), and was changed to March 15 in 1918 and again to April 15 in 1955.



The first Earth Day, March 21, 1970, was celebrated to raise the public's awareness of environmental issues. The Earth's inhabitants have grown more aware of the effects of global warming, the importance of recycling, conservation and environmental concerns. Let's treat the Earth like our lives depend on it... because they do!



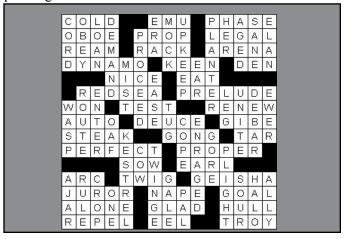
# Friday, April 22(sunset)-April 30(sunset) Passover

Passover is the eight day observance commemorating the freedom and exodus of Israelites from ancient Egypt and the reading of the Haggadah. Today, Passover is celebrated as a time of family gatherings and lavish meals. The Seder meal, with special foods, songs and customs, is the highlight of the celebration.

# Friday, April 29 Arbor Day

The first Arbor Day took place on April 10, 1872, in Nebraska. Created

by Julius Sterling Morton, Secretary of Agriculture for President Grover Cleveland, he set aside a special day dedicated to planting trees and increasing awareness of the importance of trees. Today, many towns and cities, as well as local groups and resident, celebrate the day by planting trees.



# **Baby Boomers Social Club**

By Phyllis Brown

Due to an ongoing illness, our founder and main cheerleader, David Sneddon has decided to pass the Boomer's torch to very capable Boomers Rose and George Jenik. David and Robin, his wonderful wife, will continue their active support of the Boomers in a more behind the scene capacity.

Because of David's tireless efforts, the Boomers have grown to one of LVW's most active and successful groups, and now a "Social Club" open to all residents. Come join us on April 23 to say a big "Boomer Thank You" to Dave and Robin. Help us welcome Rose and George as the Baby Boomers Social Club presents the first event of the year in Willow Hall from 7 to 11 p.m. featuring music from the 60s, 70s and 80s. Bring your own drinks and food. Singles are always welcome. Door prizes, line dancers, rock & rollers and strollers; it all happens at the Boomers. Join the fastest growing club here in the Village by leaving your email address when you enter the hall to find out what's going on at outside Boomer events in surrounding areas. There is no fee to join the Boomers. Wear your Boomer T-Shirt!

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# **Computer Club**

By Arthur Weiner

The Computer Club Board will meet on Tuesday, **April 5** at 10 a.m. in Club Encore. Visitors are always welcome and you will have an opportunity to meet our board members and officers

The next meeting of the Computer Club is Tuesday, **April 12** at the Club Encore auditorium. Coffee will be served at 9:30 a.m. so come a little early to reminisce with family, friends and neighbors. Our experts will be available during this time at the "Help Desk" located in the back of the auditorium to answer any questions and listen to suggestions. We encourage both. Why not bring a friend to this meeting which is always an exciting learning experience. The meeting will begin at 10 a.m.

At our general meeting we will present and discuss 'What is the internet and how does my e-mail, browsing, shopping, etc. happen?" We will learn how this magic happens and hopefully separate fact from myth and urban legend.

Nick Raspa, our Education Chair, is still recovering as of March 1, the date this was submitted for publication. I will send out updates as they are available. If any member would like to step in on Thursday mornings (1 or many) to work with fellow residents on any issues they have or a computer topic you feel comfortable with please call Arthur Weiner at 973-625-0832. Workshops are on hold, for now.

Joining the Computer Club is easy. It's \$25 for a lifetime membership and \$35 for a couple. Keep checking the LVW Creeper and the online www.lvw-creeper.com for updates.



Discussion of considerations for a change in TV/Internet service providers at our recent meeting.



# Knights of Columbus Council 9134

By SK Neil Emmino GK

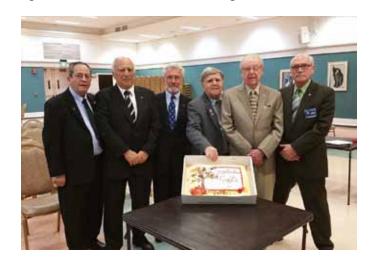
LVW Knights of Columbus Council 9134 hosted their annual Snow Ball Dinner Dance and what a great and festive event it was. Dinner served by Blue Fountain was fantastic. Music by Wild Rose was awesome and believe me everyone danced until almost 10 p.m. I want to thank everyone who came to our dinner dance. Many thanks to the committee members Rico Guerriero, Mike Noto, John Corona and Joe Catroppo.

We had a joyful Christmas Social with Santa Claus and Mrs. Claus adding to the festivities. PDD Frank Kearney was given an Appreciation Award for his great help to our Council. The passing of George Spencer, one of our newest Knights, came as a sad

blow to the whole council. I knew and loved George for many years and he will be missed. He was surely a unique and one of a kind wonderful person.

LVW Columbiettes President Connie Emmino thanks all her wonderful members who did a great job of fundraising in 2015. For new members who would like to join and be a part of this beautiful organization, please contact her or any member to join.

We have kicked off the new fundraising year with plans for a great 2nd Annual Firehouse Breakfast at Willow Hall in July. We hope everyone will come and enjoy a great breakfast in a friendly social atmosphere. Look for the fliers in the village halls.









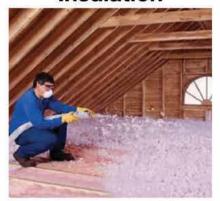
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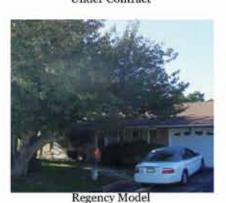
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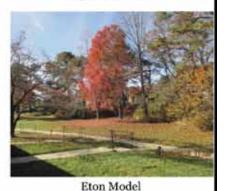


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