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(Recorded message listing current events)

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I hope everyone had an enjoyable and safe holiday and welcomed in the 2015 New Year with friends and family. 2015 will be another great year in Spring Valley Lake and your board and staff are committed to continue our efforts to keep our community the best place to live in the High Desert. Every New Year is filled with exciting plans and I'd like to talk about some of ours for the upcoming year.

As mentioned previously, one of the most exciting projects for 2015 is the resurfacing of the Parkway from Bear Valley Road to the entrance of SVL. This spring project will be a joint effort between SVLA, Victorville, and San Bernardino County. We thank all those who helped make it finally come together. This project, together with the median upgrade, and arch refurbishment by San Bernardino County, should make the entry into SVL much more attractive and welcoming to homeowners, visitors, and prospective buyers.

As shown below, several other significant projects were approved by the Board in last year's budget. The total value of all approved capital projects is \$250,000.

- Community Building Upgrades
- Several Fishing Area updates
- New bathroom at Fishing Area

- Remodel of the Association Office

We also approved projects for the Equestrian barn, Meadowlark Park irrigation, and an upgrade to the membership card system. All of these projects are possible because of SVLA's strong financial condition and add value and quality-of-life improvements to our community.

The Board of Directors consists of seven homeowner volunteers who contribute their time and expertise to make SVL a better place to live. SVLA's Corporate By-laws require us to hold an election every year in April for a portion of the Board of Directors. Each board member serves a two-year term, with four directors being elected in even years and three directors in the odd years; so the upcoming 2015 election will have three open seats.

Directors are homeowners like you who want to give back to their community by taking on the responsibility of making sometimes difficult decisions on policies, budgets, and the overall direction for SVL which best serves our 10,000+ residents and 4,213 owners. It is a given that not every SVLA member will like every decision made by this Board, or any Board, but it is each directors' responsibility to do what they believe is best for SVL as a whole, and be willing to

take the criticism from those who disagree with their decisions.

One of the Board's most important functions is to select our General Manager (GM). It is the GM and staff that adds stability and continuity to our community year after year. Glenn Grabiec, our current GM, and his staff work hard every day to make SVL run smoothly and efficiently. They are the ones responsible for the daily operation of SVLA and for making sure our community operates according to the CC&Rs, By-Laws, and Rules and Regulations that have been agreed to by everyone that purchases a home in SVL. Our staff regularly go "above and beyond" for us, so please give them a thank-you when you see them working around our community or in the AO. Glenn and his staff have the

full support of this Board of Directors.

Finally, if you think you have what it takes to contribute to our community, as a Board member, and are willing to give some of your time and energy to make it better, please consider running for the Board of Directors this year. We are all in this together and there is no "them and us". Decisions made by the current Board and all future boards apply equally to every homeowner – including Board members. More information will be available soon in the Breeze newspaper and other media sources.

Again, Happy New Year to Spring Valley Lake residents! Together we can make 2015 the best year ever for our community. There's lots of good things ahead in 2015!

Open Forum with the Board President
January 27, 5PM @ Community Building
 (prior to regular open board meeting)
 Focus on Public Safety

December 2014 Board Meeting Summary

- Accepted October 2014 Financial Report
- Approved SVLA Club Policy
- Approved new "Coffee Break" Club
- Approved new member on Citation Committee
- Approved Resolution to fly POW-MIA flags at SVLA facilities six days per year
- Wished everyone a Merry Christmas, Happy Hanukkah, and Happy New year!

Note: Due to the earlier December meeting date the November 2014 financial statement was not available.

REMINDER: Vessel Registration Expired 12/31/14

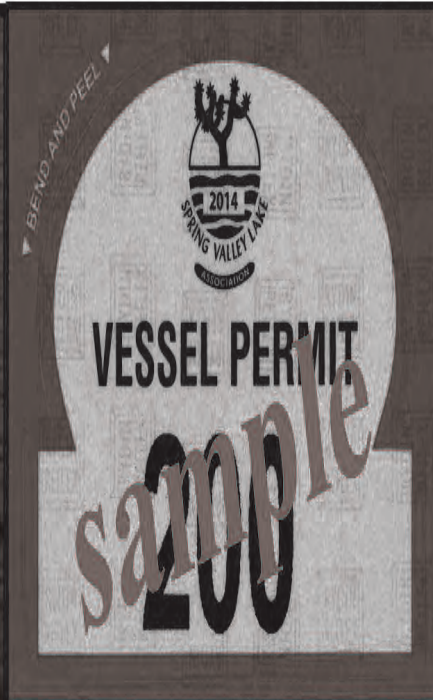
If you are a vessel owner in Spring Valley Lake it is important that you have your vessel properly registered for the 2015 year. Your boat will not be allowed on the water until you have completed the registration process and have received the 2015 stickers.

If your vessel is not currently in the water you can register your vessel at any time this year, but keep in mind you will not be able to launch, until it has been registered, and the registration fee is not prorated.

If your vessel is currently in the water, it is important that you immediately register your vessel in order to avoid any additional fees or citations.

Vessel Registrations can be completed at the Association Office Tuesday- Friday from 7:30am - 5:30pm.

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Vessel registration will begin January 2, 2015. Vessels can be registered from **7:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m., Tuesday through Friday.**

All **NON-POWERED** vessels (kayaks, canoes, paddle boats etc.) as well as **POWERED** vessels must be registered prior to entering the lake. If any vessel found on the lake is not registered, the owner will be cited and fined per vessel in the water.

The following requirements are necessary to register your vessel with the Association Office.

VESSEL REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS:

All Documents (DMV Reg., V.O.P., Ins.) MUST list the same Homeowner/Tenant Member's name. The Association office will need copies of the following: V.O.P, Driver's License, DMV Registration, Insurance, Safety Inspection and Signed Conditions form.

- 1. Yearly safety inspection.** All powered vessels must pass a safety inspection by our Public Safety Department. You may call and schedule an officer to come to your home or bring the vessel directly to the launching ramp. Please remember to **make an appointment prior to bringing the vessel to the marina.** Other than sailboats, all non-powered vessels do not require a safety inspection. **The inspection will include a review of the following:**

- Current DMV registration, listing the hull number, make and model of the vessel
- State registration numbers properly displayed with certificate number when applicable
- Sound signal devices, visual distress signals, lights, ventilation systems, flame arrestors, water ski flags, fire extinguishers, and personal flotation devices
- Inspections will include check for Quagga Mussels
- **Please contact the Public Safety Department at 760-245-6400 with any questions**

- 2. Current Driver's License listing the HOMEOWNER or TENANT Member's name.**

- 3. Current SVLA Operator's Permit.** An operator's permit is **required** for all Homeowners, Tenant Members, and their guests driving powered and non-powered vessels. The Public Safety Department administers the test daily at 9 a.m., in the Community Building. Study guides are available at the Association Office and online at www.svla.com.

- 4. Current State DMV Registration.** The registration must include the homeowner's or associate member's name and address.

- 5. Current insurance policy.**

- **Powered vessels must** provide the following:

- a. Name of the homeowner or tenant member
- b. Policy number
- c. Policy period **must include beginning dates**
- d. Vessel hull and CF number
- e. Spring Valley Lake Association **must** be listed as **additional interest or additional insured**
- f. SVLA correct mailing address: 7001 SVL Box, Spring Valley Lake, CA 92395
- g. \$300,000 minimum liability

- **Non-powered vessels must** provide the following on homeowners policy:

- a. Name of the homeowner or tenant member
- b. Policy number
- c. Policy period must include beginning dates
- d. Spring Valley Lake Association **must** be listed as **additional interest or additional insured**
- e. SVLA correct mailing address: 7001 SVL Box, Spring Valley Lake, CA 92395
- f. \$300,000 minimum liability

- **SVL Staff members cannot inquire for you.**

Insurance companies will **ONLY** provide information about individual policies to policy holders.

- 6. Payments and stickers.** Payments are taken and stickers are issued **after** all the above requirements are met:

- Non powered vessels \$0.00
- Powered vessels 15 horse power and under \$45.00
- Powered vessels 16 horse power and over \$150.00

Vessel Stickers are not prorated.

For any questions, regarding the above information please contact the Association office at 760-245-9756. Our goal is to make this process as easy and convenient as possible for all homeowners/tenant members. Please register your vessels early and take full advantage of our beautiful lake.

Friday is our busiest day for boat registrations. So please consider an alternate day to save both waiting time and frustration. If you call our office prior to registering a vessel, we will gladly provide you with a personalized list of requirements.

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I hope that everyone had a nice holiday season! I look forward to the new year with optimism and enthusiasm for all of the things we have planned for our community!

As Scott Eckert, Board President, pointed out in his article last month, we had an outstanding year and accomplished many of the goals that were set forth. I intend for this to continue into this fiscal year. One of the main areas that I focused on was the financial health of the association. Our new accounting firm has been in place over 18 months and we have a steady track record of data with them. We also implemented a sensible delinquent assessment collection strategy that has been quite successful. We will continue our efforts in the area of ensuring the financial health of the association remains steady for the future. This will enable us to continue to implement the plans set forth by the Board of Directors for all of the capital improvements.

Our main capital improvement project that everyone sees daily is the parkway median. We had hoped to complete this project by

the end of December. As you can see, that didn't happen. Early in the project, we experienced some serious equipment failures. The concrete that was removed from the median finished off our 40 year-old dump truck. The truck we rented also failed. We eventually purchased a dump trailer to complete the project. This was timely anyway since we were going to replace the dump truck with a less expensive option this year. As you read this, the Operations Department is hard at work to finish this project.

Finally, you may recall that last year I negotiated an agreement with the County Department of Public Works to take over maintenance of our storm drains. They have completed all of their surveys and started working on some of the drains late last year. You will see them out here with a large vacuum truck later this month and their focus will be the side catch basins on the streets. It will be very welcome to see this long-standing issue finally resolved!

Happy New Year!

GET INVOLVED! BECOME A BOARD MEMBER



2015 Annual SVL Board of Directors Election

Once again, the SVL Board of Directors election is around the corner. Invest your time, knowledge and efforts into shaping your community! We are looking for interested and dedicated candidates to run for the 3 open seats. Your Board of Directors is the governing body of the Association and is responsible for setting policies, standards and programs. They approve the annual budget and set the rate of the Association's yearly assessments. Download an application off our website at www.svla.com or visit the Association office to pick one up.

DID YOU KNOW



RULES AND REGULATIONS

5. BOATING

5.2.6. Vessel registrations may be transferred by a property owner to a newly purchased vessel subject in accordance with the rules of the Association and upon payment of applicable fees. Any change of ownership of vessels registered with SVLA must be reported in writing to the Association office within ten (10) days following such change of ownership. Registration fees are not refundable

5.2.7. Size Limitations:

5.2.7.1. Power boats and sail boats may not exceed 22 feet maximum length.

5.2.7.2. Pontoon boats may not exceed 24 feet maximum length.

5.2.8. Prohibited vessels include:

5.2.8.1. Fixed keel sailboats with deeper than 24" draft.

5.2.8.2. Vessels with toilet facilities and/or capable of discharging waste water unless such facilities are disabled.

6. FISHING

6.7. Size and bag limits may be established by the Board of Directors from time to time based on estimated biomass of certain species, known spawning seasons, and the stocking schedule of the Association. Such limits will be posted at the fishing areas, in the Breeze, on the website, and at the Association office.

6.8. When anchored or still fishing after sunset, boats shall display an all around white light. When trolling after sunset the boat shall display navigation lights as required by law. When trolling between sunrise and sunset the boat must display a red/orange flag of twelve inch by twelve inch (12" x 12") minimum size.

12. EQUESTRIAN CENTER ARENA RULES

12.10. No standing or sitting on arena walls.

12.11. Horse Shows - Main arena closed prior to shows for a reasonable period of time for preparations.

12.12. Minors under the age of eighteen (18) may not use the Equestrian Center without adult supervision unless a parent or guardian has signed a release form and it is on file in the Association office.

Governing Policies will be printed each month in the SVLA Breeze publication.

Rules and Regulations latest Board of Directors approved edition-2007.

Architectural Policy and Procedures edition approved by the Board of Directors-2010.

Association By-Laws as amended and Board approved 4/26/97.

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by DENNIS TEECE OPERATIONS DIRECTOR

PROJECTS AROUND THE COMMUNITY

Center Median Upgrade Project



The Center Median

The weather, equipment issues and maintenance emergencies have slowed down our anticipated progress on the Center Median. Our next phase will have our guys back on the median doing physical labor and showing visible progress.

project is scheduled to start just after completion of the center median.



Arena Fencing

We are currently working with 440 Fence, the arena fence supplier, on finalizing the order to replace the arena fencing at our Equestrian Center. This

Playground Equipment

The new replacement equipment and shade structures are on order and scheduled to ship out by the end of January. We are excited to see this new equipment installed by the spring of this year.



Camera System Upgrade

We have just finished up the upgrade of the wireless infrastructure on our current camera systems. We have added 5 wireless networks, upgraded POE,

Cat5 wiring and grounding at all locations. This was all done to optimize our current system that is now 18 cameras, covering all entrances into Spring Valley Lake Association and the Association's community properties.



OUR LAKE



Fish Stocking



For winter fishing SVLA stocks trout and we have planted 3,000 pounds of trout since November 2014. We have seen some good fishing out there this season; so grab your poles and head to a fishing area. Our next trout planting will be on February 9, 2015.



In last month's article I talked about keeping our lake clean. This month we received some good news from the County of San Bernardino regarding cleaning out our storm drains. Our General Manager, the Board and local Government agency have been working together on this issue. So look for the county to



start cleaning out all the storm drains using a vacuum truck to clear them out. This program is scheduled to start on January 26, 2015 and will continue over the following 4 months until complete. They have broken the



area up into phases and expect to complete the program around the end of May 2015.

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(4-5 age category)



Hannah Mcleod
(6-9 age category)



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Training is essential to any organization. The Public Safety Department's goal is to take every opportunity to learn and grow. We strive to consistently improve the quality of service that we provide and increase the knowledge/confidence of the Officers. The way we accomplish this goal is by providing a training calendar that each employee receives on a monthly basis. Approximately four days a week our team covers topics such as Officer Safety, customer service, verbal judo, conflict resolution, ethics, SVLA's Rules & Regulations, SOPs and so much more. Just recently, the PSD team completed 4 hours of refresher baton training. If we are not already the best Public Safety team around, we are definitely working on it. We would love to hear from you, and your opinion matters. If you have any concerns, suggestions or ideas, please do not hesitate to send me an e-mail at Alogan@SVLA.com

Registering your Vessel

Please be sure that if you plan to use your vessel in the lake, that it's registered for 2015. The PSD team will be going out on the water to identify and document all vessels that are not properly registered.

The PSD team will send out courtesy notices first. Feel free to contact Dispatch to schedule a vessel inspection. Remember before you schedule your inspection that you have the following: Current and valid state registration indicating the appropriate member as the registered owner; State registration numbers and hull identification numbers must be displayed properly and unobstructed; vessel must be maintained in a working order (motor and structural efficiency), Navigation and anchor lights must be in working order (PWC excluded), Sound device (built-in air horn, hand-held air horn, whistle, Etc.), Flame arrestor properly installed (PWC excluded). Serviceable fire extinguisher filled to appropriate levels, Red/orange ski flag (PWC excluded). Throw-able personal floatation device (PWC excluded). USCG approved life jacket for every persons allotted by max capacity, Ventilation or 'blower' must be in working condition (PWC excluded). There are NO inspection or state registration requirements for non-powered vessels. However, all non-powered vessels must register with the Association office (no registration fee) and meet insurance requirements. Please contact the Association office for any information

regarding insurance requirement. Vessel inspections are done by appointment only and are conducted 7 days a week. Please contact PSD to schedule an appointment. Appointments can be made via phone at 760-245-6400 or in person at the PSD office located at 12975 Rolling Ridge Drive.

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HAPPY NEW YEAR 2015



We hope everyone had a great Christmas and a wonderful New Year's. Now comes the task of putting away all those decorations, returning unwanted gifts, and getting rid of the Christmas tree. For those of you that have live trees, please call Advance Disposal if you were not able to drop off your tree during the period of time a roll off bin was provided at the Marina parking lot.

The New Year is greeting us with very cold temperatures. Some areas have even been covered with snow. We have learned that some home-owners have had frozen pipes, and this is the weather to watch out for that. Make sure, if it is going to be freezing at night, to leave water running at a low trickle. Remember that "running water will not freeze".

(<http://www.wikihow.com/Prevent-Frozen-Water-Pipes>)

As we have been driving around,

we have noticed that some animals do not have any shelter. If it is too cold for you to be outside, it is too cold for your horses and pets to be outside. Even though the horses may have shelter, they still need a blanket or two on. Please do not leave your dogs or cats out at night in this freezing cold. They depend on you to protect them and keep them warm. Remember... they are part of our family also.



Just a reminder: We will start inspecting for decorations still up around January 27, 2015. We



thank you ahead of time for helping us move forward in this new year.

We hope everyone is looking to this coming year with positive dreams, new projects, and getting much accomplished. Stay healthy and safe in the New Year.

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Story and Photos by Jeri Lawrence

Are you ready for 2015? Did you say "goodbye" to 2014? Your community Social & Fishing Club certainly has. The Club Christmas Dinner Celebration was a fantastic success with all the fanfare an event could bring. Ending a year with friends and neighbors is just the beginning of the new year with plans in place for exciting events and (of course) food!

During our February Italian Dinner night, the club is planning to have a guest speaker, Carroll Yule. Carroll is the High Desert Real Estate "guru" and will bring us up to date on the latest news in the Real Estate Industry. Broker/Owner of Shear Realty, is her primary job, but Carroll is affiliated with many other aspects of public service here in the Victor Valley.

Our dinners and events are open to S&F Club members and their guests, only. But if you would like to join our club and enjoy Carroll Yule and other guest speakers planned throughout 2015, call Carol Grace at 760 243-8014 for all the information. There is a small yearly fee to belong to the Social & Fishing Club, but we hold an event of some kind each month in the Community Building. We publish a yearly event calendar as well as a bimonthly Newsletter. We even fish! Yep, we hold a fishing derby the first Monday of every month and the winners receive a monetary prize. Call Carol Grace, today and join in the fun and informational events planned by the club board. Your neighbors have already joined. 💎




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SVL Storm Drains Renewed by Eagle Scout



Justin Stewart, an Eagle Scout and long time resident of Spring Valley Lake, completed a project within our Community that was beneficial to Spring Valley Lake and also allowed Justin to complete his Eagle Badge Project.

If you are familiar with the storm drains in Spring Valley Lake, then you are aware that they were in need of freshly painted "No Dumping Signs". The signs were severely weathered, hard to read and in some cases completely faded.

Justin's proposal to the Board of Directors was to repaint the "No Dumping" signs next to all storm drains within Spring Valley Lake to increase people's awareness of polluting our water resources. The Board of Director's approved Justin's proposal on October 28, 2014 and Justin got to work. The Association provided all the needed materials for the project; stencils, paint, brushes, etc. Justin dedicated two weekends to complete the project. The first weekend was dedicated to painting the white boxes that would contain the blue writing and the following weekend was dedicated to stenciling the "No Dumping" signs.

We would like to thank Justin for his act of service for the Community and also Congratulate him on achieving his Eagle Scout Badge.

Justin is 18 years old and has lived in Spring Valley Lake his whole life. He is a Senior at Excelsior and will be graduating this coming Summer. His future plans are to complete a Mission with his church, after High School, then continue on to college and become a Law Enforcement Officer.

Good Luck to you, Justin, in all of your future endeavors and thank you for contribution to the Community!!





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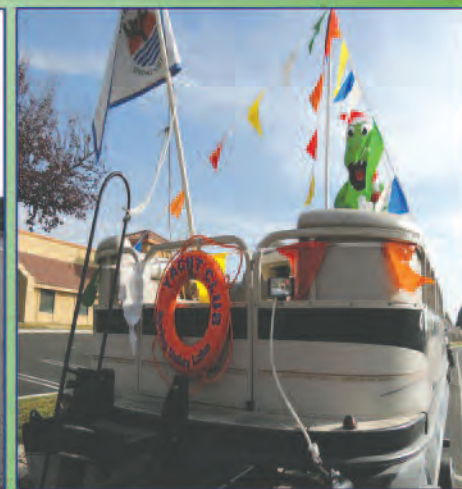


SVL Yacht Club *On the Street* Christmas Boat Parade



The SVL Yacht Club hosted their annual Christmas Boat Parade on Sunday, December 7, 2014. The decorated boat and vehicles lined up outside of the Community Building at 1:30pm and began their trek around the lake. The parade consisted of 7 vehicles and one boat that were all decorated with Christmas Cheer. Santa Claus hitched a ride on the boat and gave a friendly hello to each passerby.

This is just one wonderful example of the fun activities the Yacht Club hosts throughout our Community. If you are interested in becoming a part of the SVL Yacht Club and to participate in lots of fun activities contact Byron Ward at 760.963.4942 or blanor@aol.com



BURLESQUE 2015

AN INVITATION TO COMIC IMITATION

By Jeri Lawrence

The High Desert Theater Arts Guild, begins the New Year with stars from Spring Valley Lake. Take note of the dates on the flier and plan to attend this comic show where you will see and laugh with your friends and neighbors.

Carlotta Diggs has been show-



ing her talent since the age of 15 appearing on television on The Ed Sullivan Show. She has not stopped since. From Carnegie Hall, New York, to Pittsburgh and back to California, Carlotta has sang and acted with many greats. We are proud to boast that in 1987, she and her husband, Richard and their two children, settled here in Spring Valley Lake. As busy as

Carlotta is with performing and doing production work, she finds time to support two projects that she is passionate about, Breast Cancer and Systemic Lupus Erythematosus Research. Both have been a personal struggle in the Diggs family. Catch Carlotta's performance in Burlesque 2015 as well as other popular venues in the High Desert.

Our neighbor, Donna Fotschky, whose bio appeared previously in our community paper, will be flaunting her talents in Burlesque 2015, as well. She is always a hoot in the many personalities she so eloquently portrays. Sheila Fares, our local Country Club server, will be among the other TAG Comedy Players in this performance. The show could not go on without the special effects by our friend and community resident, Don Amador. Don sets the "sets" making the whole play experience enjoyable for everyone.



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Lark at the Lake by Joy Ohler



More and more families are starting their own home gardens as our parents and grandparents did years ago.

Our neighbors are beginning to plant, nurture and harvest Spring Valley Lake gardening inspirations; as simple as mulling over and preparing our well-kept family recipes that lead us forward into a world of fun, spices, herbs, and abundant reward.

I just learned that the first super-mar-

ket didn't open here until 1946 and before that it was the vegetable gardens, fruit trees, herbs, almonds and pistachios flourishing from the rancher's caring hands that sustained. According to one old timer, there were apples being grown along the Mojave River back in the day. Today people of many ethnic cultures live here together in the peaceful surroundings of Spring Valley Lake. We are learning to create diverse native gardens and these water saving projects can be engaging for the entire family to participate in,

"Sometimes, when you think the storm is coming to rain on your parade, it's actually there to water your garden." Hall.

and partake of. The scope of the project can be large or small, portable or stationary. The container gardening is always fun for a sunny patio. Emphasize the use of native, pollinator friendly plants. Also, reduce pesticide use by using organic methods in both flower and vegetable gardens.

Our 'garden therapy' naturally leads to kitchen creativity and is a popular endeavor. Here is a green recipe for serving a meatless pate:

Two lbs. of mushrooms, onion slices, three sprigs of thyme, salt, pepper,

three cloves of peeled garlic, more or less to taste, now drizzle with olive oil and bake at 450 degrees on the broiler rack so the juices will drain. Transfer to pan then simmer on top of stove with a cup or more of sparkling apple cider added. Sauté until apple cider is reduced and the flavor transfer is complete. Now place the ingredients in food processor with a cup or so of walnuts and pulse until desired consistency. Serve over cracker, biscuit or toast. ...Continued happiness in the New Year everyone!

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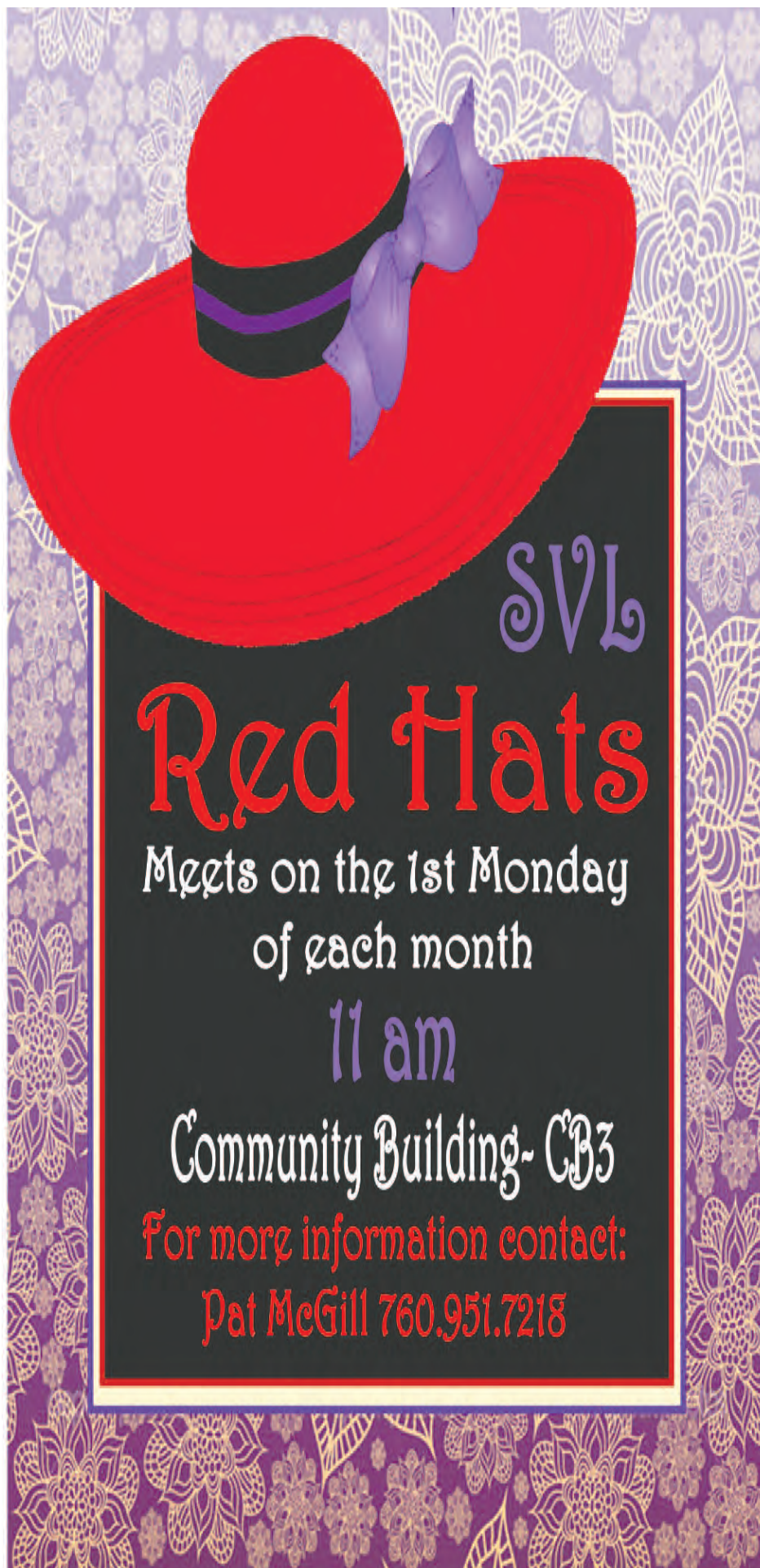
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1/14	Lake Committee	10am	CB3
1/15	Community Plan Committee	4pm	CB4
1/22	Architectural Committee	3pm	CB4
1/26	BOD Executive Session	6pm	CB4
1/27	BOD Open Meeting	6pm	CB1
2/3	Citation Committee	5:30pm	CB4
2/7	Valentine Adult Dinner Dance, Reservations Required	5:30pm	CB1
2/11	Lake Committee	10am	CB3
2/12	Architectural Committee	3pm	CB4
2/17	Equestrian Committee	6pm	EQ1
2/19	Community Plan Committee	4pm	CB4
2/23	BOD Executive Session	6pm	CB4
2/24	BOD Open Meeting	6pm	CB1
2/26	Architectural Committee	3pm	CB4

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SVL Committees

COMMITTEES	COMMITTEE CHAIR	MONTHLY	TIME/LOCATION
Citation Committee	Don Nelson	1st Tuesday	5:30pm CB4
Equestrian Estates Committee	Marvin Jobes	3rd Tuesday Every other Mon.	6pm EQ1
Lake Committee	Pete Lawson	2nd Wednesday	10am CB3
Communication Committee	TBD	TBD	TBD
Architectural Committee	Penny Mickelson	2nd & 4th Thurs.	3pm CB4
Community Plan Committee		3rd Thursday	4pm CB4
Finance Committee	Jim Carr	Meetings vary	

SVL Clubs

CLUBS	INSTRUCTOR CONTACT
Yacht Club - 3rd TH, 6-8pm CB1	Byron Ward 760-963-4942
Archery Club - T, 3pm Play Fair Park	Bob Gierlich 760-243-6082
African Violet Club - 4th W, 12:30-3pm CB1	Virginia Granados 760-245-7801
Pan Card Club - W, 12 -5pm CB3	Carol Christie 760-245-9756 (Assoc. Office)
Craft Club - 2nd & 4th TH, 10-3pm CB3	Sandra Dorman 760-962-1999
Rods & Relics Club - 2nd SAT, 8am CB4	Don Sedam 760-955-6052
Red Hats Club - 1st M, 11-3pm CB3	Patsy McGill 760-951-7218
Lions Club Poker - 1st F, 7pm CB1	Jim Meehan 760-680-0029
Citizens on Patrol (SVL C.O.P.) -1st Tues. CB1	
Social & Fishing Club - Varies, CB1	Carol Grace 760-243-8014
The Coffee Break --Pending	Lisa Verhagen
Amateur Radio Club - 1st TH, 7pm CB3	Rick Danzey 760-486-1218, SVLARC@charter.net

SVL Recreational Classes

CLASS	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	Instructor
Bocceball /Horseshoes	M,W,F	8 - 11am	MLP	Raul Paz 760-245-6311
Group Exercise (Body Express)	M,W,F	8 - 9am	CB1	Jace Knisely 760-628-6416
Walk-N-Workout	M,W	9 - 9:45am	CB	760-245-9756 Assoc.
Line Dance Beginner/Intermediate.	M	9:10-10:10am 10:10-11:40am	CB1	Su Kim 760-241-8823
Line Dance Ultra Beg./ Beg./Easy Intermediate	T	8-9am, 9-10am 10-11:30am	CB1	Su Kim 760-241-8823
Bunco 2nd TH./mo.	TH	6pm	CB1	Debbie Clements 760-245-8204
Fitness Walk	T,TH	7:45am	CB	Betty Francois 760-243-3956
Arthritis Exercise	T,TH	8 - 9am	CB3	Dottie Schiller 760-243-4697

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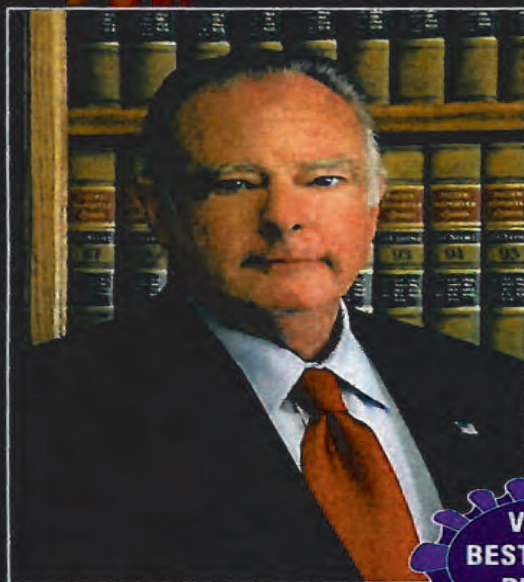
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