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Saturday, October 13, 2018, Carmel Valley Manor will celebrate the 55th anniversary of its opening. By now we've all received the beautiful invitations, designed and executed by the Anniversary Committee, with special thanks to Shirley Loomis for her calligraphy.

The history of the Manor in a softcover book entitled *Carmel Valley Manor 1962~2013*, last edited by Dick Wheat in 2013, can be obtained from Angie Machado, Director of Admissions, and will also be on display in the library.

The history begins in 1950, when the Northern California Conference of Congregational Churches pointed out to their national association the need for institutions under the auspices of the Congregational Church to be created for their elderly congregations.

Years went by without progress, however, because committees formed to study retirement homes across the country found that most of these homes were created with gifts and private funding. This information proved so discouraging that the concept of a retirement facility created by the Church was abandoned.

Until, that is, 1957, when Mr. and Mrs. William Sadler, members of the Berkeley Congregational Church, approached Dr. William Pratt, an officer in the Northern California Conference of Congregational Churches, to discuss donating their house to the Congregational church as a retirement home in their will. This generous idea, for various

reasons, went nowhere, however. But the next year, Mrs. Sadler, now a widow, advanced the church \$10,000 and directed a portion of her estate to the church as well.

Thus began a journey of good intentions that remained unrealized for two more years, until 1960, when Dr. Pratt, representing the Congregational Church and assisted by a team experienced in real estate, acquired the Sullivan family ranch called Hollow Hills in the Carmel Valley. The ranch, with an adjoining four acres, satisfied the zoning requirements for the planned retirement community of 170 units.

Possession of Hollow Hills was taken on September 1, 1960. Dr. Pratt, the Manor's first administrator, and his wife Louise moved into the adobe guest house (now occupied by Skip and Joan Keyzers). The architectural firm of Skidmore, Owings, & Merrill was selected to design the buildings and layout on the property. Construction began on September 21, 1962.

Terry Hanson

## EVENTS

## **SUN SEP 23 MOVIE – 1:30 – MH**

**The More the Merrier** is a charming romance about wartime housing conditions. The chemistry between Jean Arthur and Joel McCrea adds to this delightful performance.

# MON SEP 24 MONDAY MORNING FORUM – 10:30 – MH

Scott Delucchi, Executive Director, SPCA, will speak... and bring his dog; bring yours, too!

## WED SEP 26 HEALTH FORUM – 10:30 - MH

Dr. Hal Luft is the Senior Scientist at the Palo Alto Medical Foundation Research Institute, which is dedicated to providing the best information about health care to and for everyone. He will speak on "Single Payer Health System."

## **WED SEP 26** MOVIE – 7:15 – MH

**Breathe** After contracting polio at the age of 28, Robin Cavendish is confined to bed and given only months to live. But with the help of his wife Diana and her twin brothers, and the groundbreaking ideas of inventor Teddy Hall, Cavendish emerges from the hospital ward and devotes the rest of his life to helping fellow patients and the disabled.

# THU SEP 27 HALF-FAST WALKERS PLAN TO WALK – 9

Walkers will head for **Glen Devon.** Sign up on BB and order your brown bag the day before. Harry Hanson will lead

## **SUN SEP 30 MOVIE – 1:30 – MH**

Mr. Roberts is an enjoyable naval comedy set on a cargo ship during World War II. With Henry Fonda, James Cagney, and Jack Lemon aboard, it's bound to get some laughs.

## **WED OCT 3 MOVIE – 7:15 – MH**

**Book Club** The lives of four lifelong friends - Diane Keaton, Jane Fonda, Candice Bergen, Mary Steenburgen - are turned upside down to hilarious ends when their book club tackles the infamous *Fifty Shades of Grey*. From discovering new romance to rekindling old flames, they inspire each other to make their next chapter the best chapter.

# THU OCT4 HALF-FAST WALKERS PLAN TO WALK – 9

Walkers will head for **Toro Park.** Sign up on BB. Marty Rosen will lead.

# MON OCT 22 DAYTRIPPERS GO TO BEACH HOUSE RESTAURANT

Manor Bus will leave at 4. Choice of 4 entrees. \$13 incl. tax & tip. Add soup or salad for \$5 more. Cash or check to CVMRCDT. Select menu and sign up on BB. Questions? Lari 4818 or Mary 4770.

# 9/18 Bruce Reeves

## SIGNS OF THE TIMES

In an office:

TOILET OUT OF ORDER.....PLEASE USE FLOOR BELOW

*In another office:* 

AFTER TEA BREAK STAFF SHOULD EMPTY THE TEAPOT
AND STAND UPSIDE DOWN

ON THE DRAINING BOARD. *In a laundromat:* 

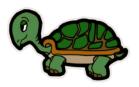
AUTOMATIC WASHING MACHINES: PLEASE REMOVE ALL YOUR CLOTHES WHEN THE LIGHT GOES OUT.

Seen during a conference:
FOR ANYONE WHO HAS CHILDREN AND
DOESN'T KNOW
IT, THERE IS A DAY
CARE ON THE 1<sup>ST</sup> FLOOR.

Spotted in a safari park: ELEPHANTS PLEASE STAY IN YOUR CAR

## **The Turtle**

The turtle lives 'twixt plated decks Which practically conceal its sex. I think it clever of the turtle In such a fix to be so fertile.



Ogden Nash

## OUR RESIDENTS' WEBSITE HAVE YOU SEEN THE NEW 'RESIDENTS' WORK SHOP' PAGE?

It's amazing and it's right here on our campus Go to the Residents' Website, click on 'Committees' and scroll down to 'Residents' Work Shop' Cv8545.org

## NEW/SOON-TO-BE RESIDENTS

Bill Schueler and Susan Nycum
Claude"Skip" & Joan Keyzers
Selma Petker
Diane Greenlee
Charles and Leslie Snorf
Paula Albert

Tom and Sue Masters
Susan DuCoeur
John and Ann Mahoney
Bruce and Harriet Newell
Aliceon Jones
Roger Newell

# Happy Birthday

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9/21	Lee C.	9/28	Cyn C.
9/25	Bobby B.	9/28	Max C.
9/26	Art L.	9/30	Cindy T.
9/27	Anna B.	9/30	Gloria M.
9/27	Nancy M.	10/2	Norma M.



Betsy Breuleux was celebrating her 100th birthday with her girlfriends. Betsy is a resident at Hillcrest.

Starting at Betsy's right: Trudy McEwen, Ruth Louis (hostess), Marcia Waples, Barbara Hill, Nancy Downey, Betty Holmgren, Gloria Mikuls (on Betsy's left).



Day Trippers at the Santa Cruz Follies. . .







#### **ONGOING ACTIVITIES**

See also Master Schedule of Ongoing Activities

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(C 10,11	Residents <sup>1</sup>	Handbook)	

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MON	Chair Exercise MH	8:30 <b>-</b> 8:45ÁM	<u>THUR</u>	Chair Exercise MH	8:30-8:45AM		
	Monday Morning Forum (4th) MH	10:30AM		Half-Fast Walkers	9:00AM		
	Advanced Exercise MH	11:00-11:45AM		Adv. Water Exercise SP	9:30-10:15AM		
	Duplicate Bridge GR	1:00PM		Games GR	7:00PM		
	Dominoes GR	7:15PM	FRI	Chair Exercise MH	8:30-8:45AM		
TUES	Chair Exercise MH	8:30-8:45AM		Balance and Stretch MH	9:15-9:45AM		
	Council Meeting (2nd) CR	9:30AM		Strength Circuit Training FC	11:00-11:45AM		
	Adv. Water Exercise SP	9:30-10:15AM		Bookmobile	12:45-1:15PM		
	Worship Services (1st) H	10:30AM		(Every other Friday (September 21)			
	Communion Service (3rd) HC	10:30AM		Lawn Bowling PG	1:15-3:15PM		
	Lawn Bowling PG	1:15-3:15PM		Social Bridge GR	7:15PM		
	Sing For Fun (1st) WP	2:30PM	SAT	Chair Exercise MH	8:30-8:45AM		
WED	Chair Exercise MH	8:30-8:45AM		Putting (2nd) PG	10-11:30AM		
	Balance and Stretch MH	9:15-9:45AM		Wine Dinner Group (2nd) PDR *	5:30PM		
	Advanced Exercise MH	11:00-11:45AM		Music on the Menu DR (Sep 22)	6:00-7:00PM		
	Strength Circuit Training FC	11:00-11:45AM	SUN	Classic Movie MH	1:30PM		
	Communion Service (2nd) WP	11:15AM	*NEW				
	Mahjong*	2:00-4:00PM	* Oct is different				
	Movie Night MH	7:15PM	LOCATION LEGEND				
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CR Conference Room(s) DR Dining Room FC Fitness Center GR Game Room
H Hillcrest HC Health Center HG Hall Gallery L Library
MH Meeting House PDR Private Dining Room PG Putting Green PL Pavilion Lounge

SP Swimming Pool WP West Parlor BB Sign-up and/or Information on

**Bulletin Board** 

## LIBRARY NOTES

## **BOOKS SELECTED FOR OCTOBER 2018**

**Fiction** 

WHERE THE CRAWDADS SING

Delia Owens
VICTORIA\*

COME RAIN OR COME SHINE\*

Jan Karon
CIRCE\*

Madeline Miller

**Biography** 

BETTY FORD\*\*\*

REVOLUTION FRANCAISE\*\*
THE LAST PALACE
BENJAMIN FRANKLIN\*

Lisa McCubbin
Sophie Pedder
Norman Eisen
Carl van Doren

**Italian History** 

A CHILL IN THE AIR

Iris Origo & Lucy Hughes-Hallett

U. S. History

OUR TOWNS James & Deborah Fallows

\*Donation \*\*MacCullough Fund \*\*\*Wagner Fund

## **DVD'S CHOSEN FOR OCTOBER 2018**

A QUIET PLACE BECK – 3 Seasons

THE GREAT BRITISH BAKING

SHOW - 2 Seasons

THE RIDER

## QUARTERLY DEPARTMENT NEWS SEPTEMBER 2018

## **Dining Services:**

Based on residents' feedback, Dining Services has created a rotating system for serving smoothies twice a week. Back by popular demand, the ice-cream social has resumed and will continue monthly. Initiated lunch with Ilona. This is going great! Monthly kitchen tours are a hit! Sign up at Front desk.

Resident and staff input have helped us refine the Brunch process.

## **Maintenance:**

Please welcome Carlos Correa as the new Director of

Environmental Services. Carlos is in the same office and at the same extension that Brian Rasmussen had. Carlos will be responsible for the day to day operation of maintenance as well as general oversight of house-keeping and grounds. The department continues to complete over 1,000 work orders every month. More than 85% of work orders are completed the same day and almost 95% are completed within 2 days. **Grounds:** 

At building #1 we are revising the planting, because the Continued on page 6

be replanted sometime in Sept.-October when it is cooler and closer to the rainy season.

#### **Capital Projects:**

Brian Rasmussen has transitioned to Director of Capital Planning and will manage capital improvement projects. Capital improvements include unit renovations, major repair/replacement projects and the master plan process. There are currently 9 units with active ongoing construction and 4 units in the planning/permitting process. The new heating/cooling controls project at Hillcrest/Health Center is underway. We have also awarded the contract to replace the fire alarm in Hillcrest/Health Center and work should start in the next 60 days.

## **Hospitality Services:**

We welcomed John Rico to our team. John is responsible for resident technology support, AV support for special events, non-maintenance resident assistance, as well as surrey transportation. The first Skype for Monday Morning Forum lecture took place, using our webcam. This meeting was a hit!

All guest and meeting room reservations are now being booked online via Worxhub. Manual entry and reservation books have been eliminated. Those residents with email will receive confirmation of their bookings via email. To stay current, please remember to update any email or phone changes with the front desk

#### **Health Services:**

#### Clinic:

Many residents have had the Shingrix Vaccine # 1. Dose # 2 will be coming within the next 6 months. There is a nationwide shortage of this vaccine. The clinic will keep you updated on expected arrival. Licensed Social Worker, Cindy Klaniecki, and our contracted Psychologist, Bill Zika, are able to meet with residents on our campus. Please contact the Clinic to contact Cindy or to make an appointment with Dr. Zika. Both are valued and trusted resources for our residents.

Students interested in both the geriatric and medical field have volunteered to spend some time at the Clinic,

plants have gotten too large for their space. The area will Health Center or Activities. They are always with a staff member and have signed volunteer forms, which include HIPAA and Confidentiality language. Collectively they express appreciation for the opportunity to learn. Ancillary personal care program for private services such as pet sitting, ironing, down-sizing, accompaniment on appointments, incidental transportation, running errands, light housekeeping, laundry assistance, personal assistance needs, respite care for spouses - to name a few things. Please call the Clinic if you are interested in booking these services.

## Physical Therapy:

Incorporation of LiteGait Mobility Device Therapy equipment which includes a portable treadmill. Attended the Rehab Summit and gained useful knowledge in various topics including taping techniques, dementia in rehab, orthopedic issues, balance and fall prevention, and yoga in rehab. Continue to evaluate and treat those recovering from surgeries or assist with improving functional mobility and return to highest level of living.

#### **Fitness:**

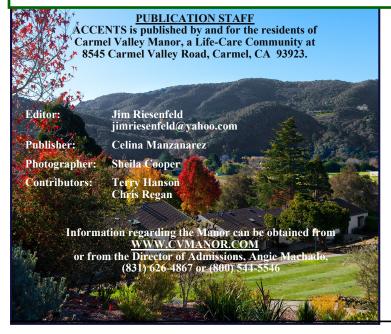
Engaging fitness and balance classes offered to promote wellness. Personalized home visits post illness to assist with recovery.

#### **Hillcrest:**

Initiated wine and cheese events on the back patio while weather is fabulous. First one was a hit! Getting to know our new Residents and promotion of gathering. Monthly outings for lunch away from the Manor. We visit various venues on the Peninsula.

### **Health Center:**

MPC Nursing Students on campus this semester for their geriatric rotation. Initiating "How Full is your Bucket!" program to encourage staff, utilizing some of the cards that Residents make in Activities. Looking with Pharmacy at feasibility of using individual resident emergency medication packs. In-service set up for possibility of obtaining a hydraulic lift that can be used by a single staff member and is easy to use, which would protect staff when assisting residents who fall. Chris Regan



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