

July 6, 2022

Tuesday-5

I la Chair Exercise Ip Duplicate Bridge

Ip Shanghai 6p Poker Night

6:30 Water Aerobics

Wednesday-6

8a Water Aerobics

10a Fitness

Ip Sewing Group

Ip Canasta

6:15p Belles Mtg 6:30p Men's Mtg

Thursday-7

10a Walk Aerobics

I Ia Chair Exercise

Ip Duplicate Bridge

Ip Asian Mahlong

Ip Poker

6p Int. Line Dancing 6:30p Water Aerobics

6:30 Mexican Train

Friday-8

8a Water Aerobics

10a Fitness

Ip Rummikub

2p Ladies Night in Set Up

6:30'p Shanghai

Saturday-9

6:30p Ladies Night I

Sunday-10

Clubhouse Closed

Monday-II

8a Water Aerobics

I la Fitness

Ip American Mahjong

Ip Poker

2p Cardio Line Dance

6:30 Water Aerobics



THE BOOK GROUP

The Book Review Group meets the second
Thursday of the month at 1:00 PM in the
Annex. The next meeting will be July 14 - "Lessons
in Chemistry" by Bonnie Garmus For
information: Gerry Bartlett 713-408-0984





BellaVita Cardio Line Dancing Class invites you to



TUESDAY, JULY 19TH, 2022

7:00-9:00PM

7-9 MUSIC & DANCE
BRING YOUR OWN DRINKS

DANCE INSTRUCTOR:
RHEE HAUN & LESLIE MALONE
PLEASE SIGN UP AT THE FRONT DESK





THE FAB 5 will bring the greatest hits of your Beatles favorites to life. This mind-blowing performance takes you back in time with this award winning fivesome delivering a note-for-note theatrical event that is "the next best thing to seeing the Beatles."

- Saturday, Aug. 6th at 7pm
- Tickets \$18 (front desk or Sue Steik)
- Doors open 6:15pm
- Non residents welcomed
- Snacks and wine provided
- 50/50 tickets sold



BUSTIN' AT THE SEAMS!

The "Media Room" at the BV Library - just to the left at the entrance to the library - has LOTS of DVD Movies! More coming in every week.

One of our BV neighbors has recently donated a lovely cabinet for that room as well. It will hold even more DVD Movies and CD's of Music and even some VHS movies and, more! Have a look around your house! If you have movies or music that you are not using, bring it!

Come to the Library. Sign in*. Start exploring **Left, Right**, all around! You might be surprised at what you find! You might even stumble onto the (grand)children's section!

While you're there, check out the free-standing shelves in the main library. Both sides. Some pretty interesting offerings can be found there. All sorts of subjects.

There are new things on ALL the shelves almost every day!

IT'S YOUR LIBRARY. ENJOY IT!

Signing in is for COUNT only. We're not "keeping score" of names, just numbers. Thanks

IT'S THAT TIME OF THE YEAR AGAIN!!

Tired of lugging all of those Christmas decorations back into the attic? Ready to scale down Halloween Easter and Christmas décor? Unhappy with those token gifts? **Just moved in and brought too much stuff?**

WE ACCEPT HOUSEHOLD GOODS (POTS/PANS, CHINA, SILVERWARE, PICTURES, ART OBJECTS, LAMPS, GLASSES, PLANT STANDS, PURSES, JEWELRY, ETC.)

CONTRIBUTE TO 2022 TREASURE BOX BENEFITING THE MILITARY MOMS AND WIVES OF BRAZORIA COUNTY (Our troops and veterans)

Call: Carolyn Beeson or Genie Dunnage

2516 S. Venice (New Address) 1235 Modena

346-432-2335 281-481-3289



The Awards Committee would like to announce **Q2 2022 Volunteer of the Quarter, Danny Koons.** The Volunteer of the Quarter is a program to publicly recognize the efforts of an individual for BV community service.

Danny and his wife, Cathy, moved to Bellavita in May 2018 after he retired from Lubrizol Corporation in Deer Park. They knew about BV since Danny's mother had previously lived here and they were familiar with the community. Cathy and Danny have been married for 33 years and have 2 children. Professionally Danny was the Construction Superintendent over capital projects at the Deer Park and Bayport chemical plants.



Since moving to BV, Danny has jumped right in by volunteering with the Men's Club activities always visible in setting up, serving food, and doing anything he can to assist with events. In 2021, he joined the Facilities Committee. He is in charge of pool maintenance and twice a day checks on the pool. In fall of 2021, Danny did a yeoman's job on the pool rehab. He served as a supervisor for the resurfacing of the pool. He knows how important the pool is to BV residents. With his focus on the pool, he can ensure that all residents will enjoy the pool. Also, he is a member of the BV Flag team. You would think Danny was busy enough with all these responsibilities but he wanted to give more to our community. Danny ran for the HOA Board and was elected to serve in March 2022.

Bringing his expertise to Bellavita, Danny is chairing the Scarsdale Wall Task Team as well as the Club House Roof Team. With all this responsibility at Bellavita Danny finds time to be an instructor at the Construction and Maintenance Education Foundation. He teaches Project Supervision on a part time basis in Deer Park. Danny is a man who likes to stay busy as we can see from his contributions to Bellavita and its residents. In his spare time he and Cathy like to travel.

Danny has done an incredible job in all his volunteer efforts. Thank you Danny Koons for all your hard work. Please congratulate Danny on his outstanding contributions and recognition as Volunteer of the Quarter.

Sandra Bornstein

Awards Committee Chair

CHILDREN'S POOL HOURS



- Tuesday & Thursday 3 6 PM
- Children must have visitor wrist bands (see front desk)

- Saturday & Sunday 1 6p.m.
- Children in Diapers must wear swimming diapers

Please note: Floats are not permitted in the pool per BellaVita Rules and Regulations, Section15; L. However, flotation noodles are permitted. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

CHILDREN MUST BE SUPERVISED BY ADULT

Rusticscapes Landscape Report

BellaVita Community
June 2022

Irrigation Report

Received: 20 Completed: 20

June Review

Fertilized Front yards and common areas (2nd round) Includes an insecticide (Chinch Bugs and other insects)

Started 2nd round of trimming

Seasonal color installed

Reminders

With the Extreme temps and minimal rain – Please ensure we are watering as often as possible

Comments

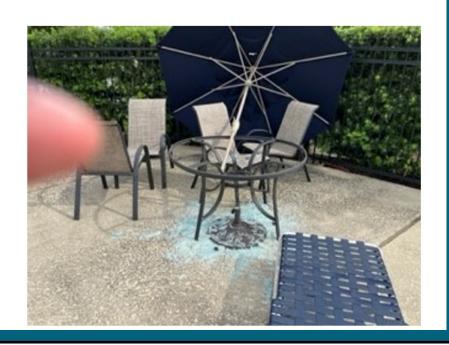
We are spot treating front yards and common areas for chinch bugs

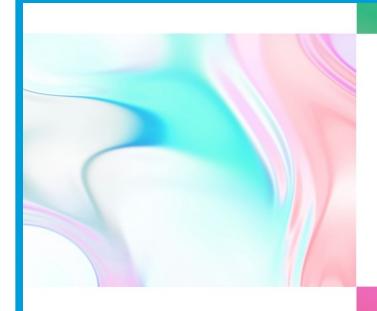


UMBRELLAS

Just as a friendly reminder; when you are finished with the pool table umbrellas, please put them down.

We currently have a broken tabletop (glass) that will now need to be replaced. The wind caught this one and broke the table with the recent storm we experienced.





PEARLAND POLICE DEPARTMENT

NON-EMERGENCY NUMBER

281 - 997 - 4100

Your HOA dues include having your front door maintained every 2 yrs. This means the door will be lightly sanded and a coat of spar varnish will be applied. A new weather strip on the bottom of the door is included, if needed. This will help to protect your door. However, if you postpone or do not request having your door serviced and it requires having your door refinished, the HOA will only cover a portion of the cost to refinish and replace the weather strip. The HOA will pay a maximum of \$210.00 (the cost to the HOA for regular maintenance plus a 2nd coat of varnish). You will be responsible for the remaining cost of the door service. Please note if there is a homeowner cost it will have gone up from previous years as well. It is your responsibility to call and have it serviced every 2 years. Please call or come by the Clubhouse at 281-464-3150 before October and get on the schedule. The doors are serviced March through October.



SURF AND TURF FACTS

What popular expensive seafood was once food for the poor?

Lobster. During the 18th century, lobster was so plentiful, they were used for fertilizer and food for the po

What is Mako?

Shark meat. The Mako shark has the best tasting meat.

What is Mississippi's largest industry?

Catfish; not cotton you might think.

What fish's name means leaper?

Salmon. This fish is famous for its leaping ability.

What is the world's most favorite meat?

Chicken. The modern chicken was domesticated over 4000 years ago in SE Asia. The US broiler industry alone raises 5.9 billion chickens annually.

Why do turkeys have dark meat in their legs?

Domestic turkeys don't fly much but their leg muscles get a pretty good workout.

What is a capon?

A male rooster that's been castrated when young making them full breasted, meaty and tender.

Why is a frankfurter called a hotdog?

Because it resembled a dachshund. In early 20th century, a vender at the Polo Grounds would yell out "Get your red hot dachshund sausages" which was later changed to hotdog.

Why do dairy cows give birth at least once a year?

Unless they do so, they will not produce milk.

What is Spam?

It is 100% pork and ham with no fillers. Hawaii is the number 1 consumer of Spam with 4.3 million cans sold annually. It is a delicacy in South Korea. Nikita Khrushchev once said, "Without Spam, we wouldn't have been able to feed our Army.

What is the difference between mutton and lamb?

Spring lamb is slaughtered at 6 months, lamb between 6 and 9 months, yearling lamb between 9 and 24 months and mutton after 24 months.

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Acrobats Big Top Daredevil High Wire Monkey Rings Trapeze

Audience Cirque du Soleil Clowns Elephants Horses Net Sawdust

Traveling

Bailey Fire Eater Juggler Popcorn Strongman

Balloons Contortionist Flea Lions Ringling Bros. Tent

Barnum Costumes Freak Show Magic Ringmaster Train

Pay yourself

Scammers may contact you impersonating an established individual or company and tell you that they have noticed suspicious activity, such as money being sent from your account to another account. They'll ask you to send money to yourself using your mobile banking app, or via an online wire transfer to "reverse" the payment.

Tip: Banks or Credit Card Companies will never ask you to do this. Before sending money to yourself at another bank or credit union, make sure the email address or U.S. mobile number you're using to send the money has been enrolled by you at the other financial institution and is linked to your account.

Impersonating a Bank or Credit Card Company associate

Scammers will try to pose as Banking or Credit Card Company employees and ask you to provide your personal information or even transfer money by phone, text or email. They might also use a fake caller ID that could show up as your bank or request remote access to your device.

Tip: When in doubt, hang up the phone and call us at the number listed on the back of your debit or credit card. You can also call the number listed on your bank statements.



Utility scam

Scammers can pretend to be utility workers from electric companies or cell service providers to trick people into sending them money. Usually, they'll contact you and put you in a high-pressure situation, such as claiming your electric bill payment is late and your power will be turned off if you don't send money immediately.

Tip: Utility providers won't pressure you into making a last-second payment or paying through an online payment service. You'll receive initial notices through letters or emails before the situation gets serious. They should also provide you options, like paying with a credit card or mailing a check. Call your

utility provider directly before paying a bill over the phone.

Attempting to gain remote access to your devices

T. Mobile Scammers may call you pretending to be support specialists from well-known companies like Microsoft or Amazon. They'll try to gain remote access claiming they can

fix an issue with your account, process a refund or update your device. If you provide access either by clicking a link or downloading an app, you could expose your account information.

Tip: Support specialists will never cold call you. Even if it looks like a trustworthy number, never give access to someone who cold calls you or asks you to download an unknown app. If you need support, call the company directly with a reliable number.

Drink of the week

The tequila sunrise is a cocktail made of tequila, orange juice, and grenadine syrup. It's served unmixed in a tall glass. The modern drink originates from Sausalito, California, in the early 1970s after an earlier one created in the 1930s in Phoenix, Arizona.



Tequila sunrise

Wikipedia

Main alcohol: Tequila

Ingredients: 1 1/2 oz (3 parts) Tequila, 1/2 oz (1 part)

Grenadine syrup, 3 oz (6 parts) Orange juice

Preparation: Pour the tequila and orange juice into glass over ice. Add the grenadine, which will sink to

the bottom. Do not stir. Garnish and serve.

Served: On the rocks; poured over ice **Standard garnish:** Cherry, Orange slice

Drinkware: Collins glass





Tuesday, June 28
North/South

1st Sandy Pollard – Ann Sharp2nd Mary Ellen Henry – Jean Foltz

East/West

1st Nina Martin – Carolyn Beeson 2nd Gary Wood – Wilbur Smith

Thursday, June 30
North/South

1st Sue Kauffman – Gail McCullah 2nd Mary Ellen Henry – Gary Wood

East/West

1st Joyce Wormser – Joyce Garner 2nd Sandy Pollard – Ann Sharp

Duplicate Bridge is played on Tuesdays and Thursdays afternoons. Players may sign up by calling Pat Molley in advance.

Party Bridge has been Cancelled.

Reminder

Assessments are due on the 1st day of each month. After the 15th of the month, a \$25 late fee will be incurred.



Please tell your Guests and Vendors Do NOT Tailgate. The entrance gates are monitored by camera

BellaVita Magnetic NAME BADGE

The Belles are selling name badges for \$10 each. If you would like to purchase a name badge please leave a check at the front desk payables to "BellaVita Belles."

NO DUMPING

Please make sure that you or your contractors are not dumping garbage or trash into the nature reserve.

BEREAVEMENT COMMITTEE SPONSORED BY THE BELLES CLUB

DID YOU KNOW?

The Belles Club sponsors a Bereavement Committee to assist families with meal services on the death of a loved one in which the family wishes to use Clubhouse Facilities for a memorial reception.

The following are guidelines of the committee:

- Service offered <u>only</u> on the death of a resident;
- · Family contacts the Clubhouse Manager to arrange for use of the clubhouse facilities;
- · Clubhouse Manager contacts Bereavement Committee to assist family;
- Bereavement Committee provides salads, vegetable dishes, desserts, and tea/coffee/water. Family
 provides any other beverages of their choice;
- Bereavement Committee works with the clubhouse personnel and family on the set up and clean-up.

Sue Steik has graciously volunteered to serve as coordinator of the Bereavement Committee. The committee is comprised of volunteers from the Belles Club as well as any other residents of the community who would like to assist. You may contact Sue Steik if you wish to be on the list as a volunteer (281-464-9454).

BellaVita is a community committed to neighbors helping neighbors and this is just one small way in which we try to be a support in the loss of a loved one.



Monthly Meetings

6:15p Belles Meeting
6:30p Men's Meeting

6:30p TEC Meeting





6:30p Vets Meeting

3:00p Board Meeting

4th Wed. BellaVita Front Desk will provide the following Fax, Notary and Copy services for home owners. Due to Covid-19 there will be NO Charge at this time up to 10 pages after 10 pages there will be a charge of 10cents per sheet

- Long distance faxes -
- Sending local Faxes
 NO International faxes
- Receiving Faxes
- Notary services are free by appointment only. Notary services are for residents only. Please make appointment at the front desk.
- Scanning to email
- Copy Services

The **Copy Center** copying guidelines for the BellaVita HOA Board, Board Committees and Clubs and Organization Officers are at no charge as follows:

- Maximum of 25 pages immediate copying
- Maximum of 400 pages 24 hour copying
- Over 400 pages one week copying
- Any specialty services (stapling, binding, hole punching, etc.) are the responsibility of the requester.
- All copies are black and white on white paper only.
- All specialty papers are to be provided by the requester.



Beg Line Dancing Wednesday at 3:30p Intermediate Line Dance Thursday 6 pm



Cardio Line Dancing Monday @ 2pm Saturday at 11am

We meet: Monday @ 11AM, Wednesday @ 10AM and Friday @ 10AM.

See you there!

FITNESS



Thursday @ 6:30pm in the Annex

ASIAN MAH-JONGG

Come and join us on Thursdays at 1PM in the Annex.

American Mah-Jongg

Come and join us on Monday at 1pm in the Annex.

Rummikub Fridays @ the
Annex 1:00 PM
Lots of fun! Good brain
exercise!
Come join us!

POKER

Monday & Thursday at 1pm in the Arts & Craft Room Texas Hold'em Poker Wednesday at 6pm in the Annex Starting July 13

The Book Review Group meets the second Thursday of the month at 1:00 PM in the Annex.



Walking Aerobics Thursdays and Saturday @ 10AM



Art Group will start back in September

DAY BUNCO

Second Wednesday of every Month

At 12:45 @ the Clubhouse

\$5.00 to Play



Night Bunco Is July 27 at

1s July 27 at 6:30pm

Tuesdays at 1PM, FRIDAY AT 6:00 pm IN THE ANNEX.

Singles and couples are welcome. There are no partners in

Shanghai. Please call Charlotte Goza 713-819-1881

to indicate your interest, and please let her know if you already know how to play.

Wednesday at 1pm in the annex



Monday, Wednesday & Friday @ 8am

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday @ 6:30pm





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Street Light- Center point- 713-207-2222 Opt.5

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