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News

FROM THE HELM

Our change over to self management is in full swing and following is a vignette of our progress. Steve Sonies has been promoted to permanent General Manager and is now hard at work to make our transition a smooth one. We hired a full charge bookkeeper to ride herd on our daily disbursements, her name is Kathy Abbatecola and we welcome her to Niguel Shores. Security Pacific Bank in Laguna Niguel was selected to administer our quarterly billing. Mike Pollock the branch General Manager has been very helpful during our negotiations and I know our association with them will be a good one. Please continue to pay UCB until you recieve your new billing for the third quarter.

The trailer outside the recreation center is serving as a temporary office until construction can be approved adjacent to our present recreation office. Plans are being drawn to enclose that portion which is attached and roofed at the east end of the recreation build-

ing.

In other actions by the board, signs were approved for posting at the gates and beach parking area warning owners of unauthorized vehicles that they will be towed away at the owners expense. Residents are requested to have their guests display their guest pass in full view. New screening has been approved for the tennis courts, and accoustical panels for the multipurpose room were approved.

I'm sure most residents will agree that the landscaping has improved considerably in the past several months, we're elated but feel it is still far from what it should be. A new supervisor has been hired to oversee the crews and Steve Sonies and Jim Guthrie are riding herd on the project. Hopefully good things are around the corner.

HAL SULLIVAN
PRESIDENT
NIGUEL SHORES HOMEOWNERS
ASSOCIATION

RECREATION COMMITTEE

The Board of Directors has approved installation of accoustical panels for the south wall of the multi-purpose room. A special thanks to all of you who helped support this project at the Wine Tasting party last Spring. Your contribution will see these panels completed by the May 21st community STEAK BBQ. Hopefully our new drapes and accoustical panels will let us hear the music and our dinner partner for the upcoming BBQ. Steve Sonies reported the soil engineers will complete testing of the pool area during April. Also Kathy McCaffrey has been hired as a recreation coordinator through the summer months. Kathy has 7 year experience with the Santa Ana Department of Parks and Recreation. The In D Geometre, an adult sponsored group of 7th and 8th grade Idren, have had an active year in our community. Their last event was a day skiing at Big Bear. However, in order to continue activities for these children more adult sponsorship is needed. If you are interested in activities for 7th and 8th grade children, please contact the Recreation Committee. We welcome your support. Windscreens for the tennis courts #1 and #2 are on order. All of the tennis courts will be resurfaced in May. Tree trimming is also in process to aleviate the shedding of leaves onto the courts. Next community event is a Steak BBQ with live entertainment and free tasting of a new Russian Vodka. Tickets for the BBQ may be purchased prior to May 16th at the Community Center Office. Carol Sue Mullen

TENNIS NEWS

The Monte Carlo Masters held March 19-20 proved to be the most popular tennis event of the year with our players. The winning team of Sam Hayes and Nancy Cook were especially happy about it! Coming in second place were Jerry VanBrunt and Jennifer Mathis owned by Bobby Brookman. Hany Thanks to Jim Stevens and Burr Mc-Kinnan and many others who created this special event. A word about keeping your court dates: If players have not checked in by 5 minutes after their scheduled time, the office will page them and if there is no response the court will be given to the person next in line on the racking court. The no-show players will lose their reservation privileges for two weeks. If players have to cancel their court time, please do so an hour ahead so someone on the waiting list can use the court. Coming up is a NO-HOST HAT DRAW MIXED DOUBLES ROUND ROBIN on Sat. May 14th. This one day only innovative event is a chance to meet your friends and neighbors for some tennis fun with a minimum of work for any one!!! Please sign up by Tuesday May 10th, cost is \$.75 per person. Coffee will be served but since this is a no-host day please bring your own cold drinks. By all means bring your own drinks and a snack to share, your spouse, friends and whoever to the SOCIAL HOUR to begin PROMPTLY at 4:00 Saturday! See you there!! Finally we need hosts for June 11 & 12, And. 13 & 14, and Sept. 10 & 11 TENNIS WEEKENDS

> NAN DANNIGER 493-8060

PLEASE NOTE:: JACUZZI RULES
The rules respecting the use of the property, facilities, and equipment of the Niguel Community Center item #1, states "NO ONE UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE IS ALLOWED" in the jacuzzi.
Also there is a sign posted to this effect....

THS FOR YOUTH ACTIVITIES

Mark your calendar for Tuesday, May 10 at 10.15 a.M.

Thats our next meeting, and we'll be having a cake decorating demonstration. Child Care will be provided. Bring a coffeecake and a new neighbor.

Rona Lindl
496-0448

SKATING

On Wed. May 18th rollar skating at Mission Viejo will be available for all boys and girls age 7-11. Please sign up at the Rec. Center office and sign a permission slip as well. DRIVERS NEEDED. CALL LINDA DUFFER 496-5587 ** Bring your report cards. Good grades merit a \$1.00 off passes for Wed. Skating..

MEN'S CLUB

The New officers for your club are:

President Bryce Gillespie Representative Elliot Schiefflin Vice Pres. Joe Sholtz Chef Jim Corcoran

Sec. George McDonald Treasurer Hal Lawrence

As this issue goes to press, we have welcomed our new Fire Dept. crew, under the direction of Capt. Biddle. Every family in our Niguel Shores is delighted with this addition to our neighborhood. Start marking your calendar. Come join us in a wonderful Christmas Party at EL ADOBE. DECEMBER 7th 1977!! Husbands, this is your turn to take the little lady out. BE THERE!!

Twenty-three Niguel Shores Men Golfers are participating in the third annual Match-Play Championship Tournament which will have the final round on June 14th. On April 12th, seven matches were played in the first round. The winners were Ken Ward, John Densmore, Art Westphall, John Wells, Bill Merrihew, Jack Boswell, and Chuck Smith. Sixteen players will face each other in eight matches on April 26th at Rancho California Golf Course for the second round. Competetion is on a handicap basis, with handicaps between 12 and 40.

Other golfers who reside in our community are invited to go along and participate in individual competition until the tournament has been completed. Beginning the fourth Tuesday of June, the group will play on a nearby course, with an occasional long-distance trip, every second and fourth Tuesday.

Any Niguel Shores Men golfers who would like to join the group are invited to learn more about it by attending the Men's Club breakfasts, or phoning the golf chairman, Art Powell, 496-0968.

WHO'S WHO'S NEW, AND HAT'S DOING BY Albert and Bertha Johnson

With our new county library opening early in June, Georgia Moe, Branch Librarian, is obvious choice to star this month's column. Georgia, soon to become vital part of our daily lives, is young, gracious, alert, and innovative, ready and eager to serve the clientele of the total area.

After a degree in Anthropology from Long Beach State College, she earned her masters a U.S.C. so rose rapidly from the stacks to Branch

Librarian in the Orange County library system.

On her highly competent staff in the new library at Mariner and Niguel Road, Georgia will have Virginia Smith as Library Assistant, Linnell Matthison, Childrens Librarian, Barbara Brook as Reference Librarian, and Eve Nieblas and Roberta Harlan as clerks. Additional staff members will be announced soon.

Sophia Laff, president of the Capistrano Area Friends of the Library, is heading plans for a festive grand opening to which the

public will be invited.

Prior to the opening, a three week period for transfer of volumes from phased out branches to the new branch will be followed by two weeks of inventory of old and new catalogue listings that will result in a superior, complete collection worthy of the distinctive building that is the proud product of Architects Fred Briggs and Jack Cressman, Briggs being the artist who designed the Laguna Beach Library.

In our "What's doing" department, more is going on than has met the eye or ear of our faithful, highly competent column reporter Hazel Ewing, who was knocked out by a cold at dead-line time. But our beach is bustling, the sand is back, surfers are out, swimmers are in, strollers stroll, sunners sun, and gulls and squirrels sense the coming of summer and are off their weight watching diets.

Along the paseos neighbors hail neighbors while walking their dogs, cats coyly call attention to themselves inviting a friendly stroke, and the poppies, nasturtiums, and daisies delight in their weed-free banks. The jet swift swallows are back sweeping air above gardens free of pests, and mocking birds, staking their claims, rehearse for their summer concerts.

Then there is the jog set. Linda Martin reports that she and resident joggers Joan Robinson, Nancy Paul, and Mary Jo Fleig jog two miles nightly, three on week-ends. Care to join them? Call Linda

at 493-5885.

POTLUCK

SUNDAY MAY 15th. HAPPY HOUR 6to7 DINNER AT 7pm
It is suggested we have a Mothers Day Theme by bringing our mother's favorite dish. Hot casserole, Salad or Dessert. For every two people prepare for 10 servings. If you are a new resident, this is a great way to meet your neighbors. Our Potlucks are, however, for ADULTS ONLY.. Bring your own plates and forks.

Please call thru the week of May 8th and no later than noon Sat. May 14th to HELEN BALTIMORE 493-8209 or MARALEE DAVIS 496-1049

IGUEL SHORES WOMEN'S CLUB

All members of the Women's Club are reminded of the Plant Sale to take place at the luncheon meeting on Thursday, May 5th, starting at 12:30 p.m.

Bring your cuttings, seedlings, and house plants (tag them with a name where possible, please) and, more important, bring along your neighbor or house-guest to join in the fun of a Green Thumb Swap Meet!! Fresh flowers for sale will also be welcome.

Anyone interested in learning a new craft, or merely in exchanging ideas and skills? The Craft Group meets on Thurs. May 12th between 10 am and 2pm at the Recreation Center, and new members would be most welcome.

Lunch-out date May 19th at HOOLIHAN'S Irvine Industrial Complex (near Orange County Airport). Meet at the Recreation Center for car-pooling at 10:15 am for 11 am lunch.

ANY QUESTIONS CALL ANNA JO PHARES 493-0775 or LUCILLE POWELL 496-0968.

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ATTENTION -- ALL COOKS, CHEFS AND RECIPE COLLECTORS

Several ladies of our community have decided to undertake the horrendous task of developing a cookbook for our Community. We know we have lots of tremendous cooks and bakers cut there so how about contributing one, two or whatever number of recipes so that we can have the biggest and best Community cookbook eyer.

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Please submit your recipes, with your name (we all like to see our name in print, don't we) to the "Cookbook Box" at the Recreation Center Office or to Marcie Tonkinson (493-2463) or Ellen Hanna (496-5493). The deadline is June 15th and we really hope we'll be flooded with recipes.

WATER BALLET CLASSES

Water Ballet classes will be starting July 1st, and will be a-vailable 4 times a week. The cost will be \$50.00. Private swim lessons as well as group lessons are available now!! Call the Rec. Center to sign up...

May 21 St STEAK BBQ

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BEER FREE VODKA TASTING LIVE MUSIC

Saturday May 21 St \$4.00 Per Person

Tickets may be purchased by check only at the Community Center Office on or before May 16th.

Volunteers are Welcome! 413-0122

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