



Siesta Villager

November 11, 2024

Seasonal Weekly Activities

Monday

8:30 Men's Pool
9:00 Social Club Meeting - VH
10:00 Use of Wood shop - WS
10:00-1:00 Int Pickleball - VH
10:30 Shuffleboard
12:00 Ladies 9 Ball
1:00 Quilting - CR
1:00 Use of Wood shop - WS
1:00 Mens Pool
1-4:00 Cas Pickleball - VH
1:30-2:30 Water aerobics
1:30 Shuffleboard
2:00 Table Tennis - AP
3:30 Men's Social Club - HW
4:30 Farmer's Market
5:30 Potluck Supper - VH
3-5 & 6:30-8 Men's Pool
practice 8 ball & 9 ball
6:30 Canasta & Cribbage VH
6:30 Bridge - FL

Tuesday

9:00 Bone Builders - VH
9:00 Shuffleboard
9:00-10:00 Coffee - AP
9:00 Use of Wood shop - WS
10:15-1:00 Int Pickleball - VH
1:00 Use of Wood shop - WS
1:00 Mens Pool
1:00 Trail Dancing - VH
1:30-2:30 Water aerobics
1:30 Shuffleboard
2:15-4:30 Cas Pickleball
3-5:00 Ladies' Social Club - AP
3-5 & 6:30-8 Mens pool practice
8 ball & 9 ball
3:30 Men's Social Club - HW
6:30 Pegs and Jokers - VH
6:45 "500" - FL
7:00 Poker (dealer's choice) -HW

Wednesday

9:00 Ceramics - CR
9:00 Shuffleboard
9:00 Use of Wood shop - WS
9:30 Women's Pool
10:00-1:00 Mix Pickleball - VH
1:00 Use of Wood shop - WS
1:00 Mens Pool
1:30-2:30 Water aerobics
1:30 Shuffleboard
3-5 & 6:30-8 Men's Pool
practice 8 ball & 9 ball
3:30 Men's Social Club - HW
6:30 Dominoes - FL
7:00 Poker (Texas Hold 'em) - HW

Thursday

9:00 Shuffleboard
9:00 Use of Wood shop - WS
9:00-12 Int Pickleball - VH
9:30 Bible Study
9:30 Border Mission Sewing-CR
Noon-3:00 Cas Pickleball - VH
1:00 Use of Wood shop - WS
1:00 Mens Pool
1:30-2:30 Water aerobics
1:30 Shuffleboard
2:00 Table Tennis - AP
3:00 Art for Fun - CR
3-5 & 6:30-8 Men's pool practice
8 ball & 9 ball
3:30 Men's Social Club - HW
7:00 Bingo - AP

Sunday

9:00 Worship Service - VH
(POOL CLOSED 9-10 AM)
10:30-2 Int Pickleball - VH
2-5:00 Cas Pickleball - VH
1:30-2:30 Water aerobics
1:30 Shuffleboard
6:00 Poker - HW

Friday

9:00 Bone Builders-VH
9:00 Shuffleboard
9:00-10:00 Coffee - AP
9:00 Use of Wood shop - WS
10:00 Shuffleboard Friendly
10:00 Painting-CR
10:15-1 Int Pickleball - VH
1:00-4:00 Cas Pickleball-VH
1:00 Mens Pool
1:30-2:30 PM-Water
aerobics
1:30 Shuffleboard
3-5 & 6:30-8 Men's pool
practice 8 ball & 9 ball
3:30 Men's Social Club - HW

Saturday

8:00-11:00 Int Pickleball - VH
9:00 Shuffleboard
11:00-2:00 Cas Pickleball - VH
1:30-2:30 Water aerobics
1:30 Shuffleboard
3-5:00 Ladies' Social Club - AP
3:30 Men's Social Club - HW

Legend:

AP - All Purpose Room
FL - Fireplace Lounge
ML - Memorial Library
WS - Wood shop

CR - Craft Room
HW - Harry Walker Bldg.
VH - Village Hall



THANK YOU
VETERANS
FOR YOUR SERVICE

Find Your Activities on the SRV Calendar!

The Social Club's activity calendar is available both in print and digitally! You can purchase a print copy at the Monday meetings or in the SRV office, find it online at siestaretirementvillage.com or access it on your phone. If you do not have the digital one on your phone and would like to, please see Daryl Minifie.

We encourage you to stay up to date on all of the great activities at SRV!



Welcome Back Winter Texans!

We tried hard to care for our village this summer and for the most part, things went well. We did have a problem with break-ins the last part of August and the first 2 weeks of September. Linda Beebe, Celeste Ramirez, and myself did all we could to stop the break-ins and catch the people responsible for them.

We organized a complete village inspection and checked every house that was empty. Thank you to the residents that helped us accomplish this task. What we found:

1. Unlocked sheds and even houses 2. Poorly secured sheds and homes.

We found 3 that day that had been broken into and several attempted. The residents involved were contacted and we tried to determine the losses incurred. Where damage occurred, we contacted contractors of the owner's choice and secured their property.

We requested a police tower and license plate reader to help catch the people responsible. Celeste also gave them access to our cameras. The sheriff's department did put a tower up and things stopped.

The problem is we never caught anyone and we never had anyone see anything that could help us! Celeste and I met with 3 detectives and 2 deputies in early September and shared what we knew with each other. So, here we are – early November and no break-ins since September.

What we did learn, the homes and sheds broken into usually were not well secured. We would suggest you add a deadbolt to your doors and be sure it is a tight fit. A 2 x4 against a garage or shed entry door will stop any sort of entry. When leaving in the spring, unplug the electric garage door.

Security cameras would also be very effective if you have the know-how to install or contract with a company to install them for you. You can watch real time to see your property is secure.

We try to be aware and watch out for our neighbors, but you must also secure your property.

Rick Leland

Upcoming Craft Sale

The SRV Fall Craft Sale will be on November 16 from 1-4 PM! Secure your spot with an 8' table for just \$10.

Calling all craft enthusiasts! Whether you're a local artisan or joining us from another park, this event welcomes everyone to display and sell their unique creations. Our diverse lineup features vendors not only specializing in handmade crafts but also offering a variety of other enticing items for sale.

Set up begins at 10 AM, providing ample time for vendors to prepare their displays. Sales kick off as soon as you're ready!

For table reservations or inquiries, contact Linda Boddy at 660-723-1536. Don't miss the opportunity to be a part of this vibrant and diverse craft sale! Be sure and invite your friends and neighbors to this great fall craft sale.

Cards Sent:

October 31

Jim Thalacker Brother passed away

November 4

Nancy Crandall Hospital

If you know someone we should send a card to,
contact Jody Foriester 573-999-0739 or
jodyf2012@yahoo.com



SRV Quilters

The SRV quilters will be meeting today at 1:00 PM in the Craft Room.

We will be finalizing our preparations for the craft show, discussing projects we would like to put on the agenda for this season and starting to cut fabric for another veteran's quilt. Plus, we will have our weekly show and tell, so we can see what everyone is working on at this time.

We invite anyone interested to join our group. You do not need to be an experienced quilter. We love learning new skills together!

Dance into 2025 with Rick McEwen

Ring in the New Year at Siesta Retirement Village with an unforgettable evening of music and celebration! Rick McEwen will provide live entertainment, playing a variety of music to keep the party going on Tuesday, December 31, from 8:00 PM to midnight.

This year's theme is "Time Capsule", so put on your best formal attire and join us for an elegant night of dancing. The celebration will feature champagne and delicious charcuterie board snacks to make the evening even more special.

Tickets are \$25 per person (all sales are final). The event is hosted by Robyn Minifie and Jane Carter. Have questions? Contact Robyn at 519-379-0711.

Tickets on sale starting November 4 at the Monday morning meetings or call Robyn. The event is open to the public, so come and celebrate with us!

Activities

You're Invited! First Social Hour of the Winter Season with Ron Moshier!

Join us as we kick off the winter season with a special event! We're thrilled to feature Valley Star Awards Entertainer of 2023, Ron Moshier, for an exciting afternoon on the dance floor.

**Wednesday, November 13
3:00 PM – 4:30 PM**

Come enjoy music, dancing, and a lively atmosphere! The kitchen will be open with popcorn, drinks, and free ice. Bring your friends and neighbors—everyone's invited!

We'll be passing the hat, so feel free to chip in for the fun. Don't miss out—mark your calendars! See you on the dance floor! Hosts: Kay and Bob Rodrigue (651-206-5986)

And be sure to stick around for our Social Time Dinner featuring large, loaded beef enchiladas from 4:30 PM – 6:00 PM (or until they're gone). Tickets: \$10 per person (All ticket sales final).

Social Time Dinner

Meal put on by Dee Althoff

Wednesday, November 13

Following Social Hour – Main Hall

Time: 4:30 PM – 6:00 PM (or until we run out!)

We're excited to serve you a hearty meal featuring Dee's large, loaded beef enchiladas topped with tomatoes, olives, and cheese, accompanied by coleslaw, refried beans, and a slice of pie for dessert. Tea and coffee will also be available.

Please bring your table service with you.

Our Social Time Dinner is open to the public and tickets can be purchased at the Monday Morning Meetings in the SRV Main Hall, from

10 AM to 12 PM on the day of the dinner or
at the Social Hour Dance.

Bring your friends and enjoy a tasty evening with us!

Tickets: \$10 per person – all sales final.

All proceeds benefit Siesta Village!

First Dance of the Winter Season

Join us as we kick off the Winter Season with our first dance, featuring the incredible Steven May and the Southern Knights!

Known for delivering the best of country music with a dash of rock & roll, they'll set the perfect tone for an evening of fun and entertainment.

Mark your calendars for Friday, November 15, from 7-10 PM in the Main Hall. Tickets are \$9 per person, and all sales are final. Invite your friends and come enjoy a fantastic night of dancing. The event is open to the public, so everyone is welcome!

The kitchen will be serving drinks and popcorn, with free ice available as always.

Peter Piper Pizza

Wednesday November 20

Sign up in Hall

Plan to bring a cake to celebrate birthday or anniversary for November and May

Trash Pick Up Reminder

On Thursday mornings, please have your Waste Management trash bags ready to be picked up by 7 AM. Please make sure that bags are closed.

If you are able to, please take your trash on Thursday morning to the trailer located behind the main hall kitchen entry.

If you need to order more trash bags, you can contact Waste Management at 956-702-0252.

Sunday Church Service

Time : 9:00am

Location : AP Room

Day: Sundays

Pastor : Andrew Hiebert

Contact Don Charron, 361-243-1030, if you have any questions or would like to volunteer.

The Villager Submission Information:

- There is no fee to list your events in The Villager. You may reach people this way who are not able to attend all Monday meetings.
- If you have information you would like in The Villager, it needs to be submitted by 9 PM the Wednesday prior to Monday publication.
- You need to write the submission exactly as it will appear in The Villager. I will not write your article. If you would like your article to be included for more than one week, please indicate the number of weeks you would like it to run.
- I prefer you email your requests to siestavillager@gmail.com. Also, if you email, please put your submission in the body of the email, not as an attachment.
- If you aren't able to email your information, you can put your information in The Villager mailbox at our home (3134 San Jacinto) or text me at 954-802-7123. The deadline is still the same for these submissions.
- Also, there are times we need to send out an announcement via email. Please ensure the office has your updated email address. Emails will be sent for last minute changes or updates; not for information that missed the submission deadline.
- Print versions of The Villager are available for 50 cents in the office or at Monday meetings. Digital versions are available for free on the SRV website.

General Reminders

Post Office Box Procedures

It is important that everyone receive their mail in a timely manner and in the correct post office box. In order to assist this happening, and ensure that mail is not returned or put in the incorrect box, please follow these procedures:

Residents

Each street address should have one mail box assigned by the Office. The Office should be notified of the following:

- Any resident change in name,
- Any resident change of address especially within the park,
- Any visitor that may receive mail.

The SRV office must be notified when residents return in the fall, leave in the spring, or have new people living in their home. Inaccurate information may result in mail being returned to sender. PLEASE make sure your Unit number is included in your address. Improperly addressed mail may also be returned to the sender. If you are going on a trip and wish to have your mail held, please contact the Weslaco Post Office at (956) 968-7412.

Renters

Renters shouldn't be given mail box keys by the property owners. If the Office and/or Post Office is not notified of the renter information we do not know who is using the box and mail may be returned or misdirected. (We also put names on the boxes inside the mail building to help the USPS, if we do not know the name we cannot label the box.)

Renters need to contact the office and get their own mailbox. They should pick up the key from the Office and return it to the Office when they leave. This assists in the accurate tracking of empty boxes for reassignment. (If a renter returns to the same house annually, they can keep the same box, but need to notify the office.)

Blocks

If using a block in the box, allow enough time for the mail to be forwarded before placing the block and, when you return, remove the block as soon as the forward is requested. If mail is delivered and there is a block in the box the mail will be returned. The Office will be happy to assist with placing or removing blocks.

Key Return

Any time a box will no longer be used by the current resident, the key must be returned to the office (e.g. sale of house, renter leaving for the season, etc.). The Post Office will not make duplicate keys (and they can not be made elsewhere) nor will they retool the box for a new key.

USPS Packages

Packages that are delivered to the Office by USPS (either because they are too large for the key boxes or the key boxes are full) will be available for pick up in the office lobby.

Architectural Requests

ANY change made to the exterior of your home or property requires Architectural Approval and a Permit. Forms are located in the office. Once filled out, two members of the Architectural Committee and a member of the Board of Directors must sign off on the request BEFORE work can begin. When approval has been given, a Permit will be issued and should be placed in a visible front window of your home. Any request that would require a variance of the SRV 9th Amended Covenants and Conditions must be taken to the full Corporate Board of Directors for approval.

Per SRV Covenants Article V.03: No structures of any kind, including MOBILE HOMES, may be commenced, erected or maintained upon the PROPERTIES, nor shall any exterior addition to, or change, or alteration therein be made until plans and specifications showing the nature, kind, shape, height, materials, color and location of the same shall have been submitted and approved in writing as to harmony of external design and location in relation to surrounding structures and topography by the Architectural Committee.

Contractors In The Village

Reminder to all residents having work done by a contractor. All contractors are expected to register with the SRV office PRIOR to performing any work within the Village. **Contractor vehicles should all have a RED SRV CONTRACTOR PERMIT in their front window.** If you notice a vehicle without this form, please either send them to the office or report them to the office. **NO contractor vehicles should be left on SRV streets overnight.**

Rentals

The Office is keeping a list of people who would like to be renters in the Park and also a list of Owners who have rentals available (or that will be available). If you own a rental and would like to be on the list given to potential renters, please contact the Office with your information. As people call inquiring about available rentals, they will be given your contact number. And if you would like the list of people interested so that you can contact them, also contact the Office.

If you have a renter or no longer want potential renters to contact you, please contact the Office to remove your name from the owners list.

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