# **VOICE OF THE VILLAS**

February 6, 2022

#### YOUR VOICE AND YOUR VOTE IS NEEDED....

The Villas' **Annual Meeting of Membership and Election of Directors** is scheduled for

**Thursday, February 17**, **10:00** am at the Gazebo. Sign in is at 9:30. Your participation is essential.

In advance of this important meeting for all homeowners, two mailings were sent...one with the Proxy which we ask you to submit in advance of meeting either by mailing to Sunstate Management (envelope was enclosed) or you can drop off at the Kienitz home (512 Pendleton Place). In addition, another mailing was sent which included a form for those who are interested in serving as a candidate on the Board. Although the deadline for submission for Board nominations has passed, it is a reminder to thank all those who currently serve our community as leaders. So a great big Villa

# THANK YOU to LYLE KIENITZ, ERIC DOBIS, ART BACON, JIM LARR, SAM DE ANGELO, PAUL KING, HOWARD GRUBB

In addition to the business Agenda, there will be Sign Up Sheets for those who would like to volunteer for Committees. Please give serious consideration to serving. The Chairs of each Committee will be on hand to explain the scope of involvement. Current Committees include -- Grounds, Irrigation, Pool, Reserve & Fiduciary, Social, Welcome.

The 80/20 Rule (also known as the Pareto principle or the law of the vital few & trivial many) states that, for many events, **roughly 80% of the effects come from 20% of the causes**. In other words, 20% of the people, do 80% of the work. We thank the 20% who give their best to the Villas, and invite those in the 80% to consider how you might get involved to keep our community the best in every way.

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THE VILLAS 2022 DIRECTORY ... will soon be hot off the presses. Your input is needed immediately. Kindly check the 2021 edition and inform ALICE KIENITZ (avkienitz@aol.com) of updates to your phone numbers/email addresses. We are deeply grateful to Alice for her continuing efforts.

FROM SOCIAL COMMITTEE CHAIR, EILEEN DEIMLER Saturday. Feb. 19, at Left Coast Restaurant in Venice at 5 PM.

The total cost is \$30 per person inclusive of non-alcoholic beverage, tax and gratuity. A sign-up sheet is posted at the pool bulletin board. *Final date for signing up is Tuesday, February 15* so a count can be called in to the restaurant. Cake will be provided by the social committee funds. Because Left Coast Restaurant requires one full payment the evening of our event, *Eileen will need your payment (cash or check only)* no later than February 17.

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The 5th Annual Villas Yard Sale is scheduled for **Saturday, March 5, from 8am to Noon**. Everyone welcome to participate. Search those closets, attics and drawers for Treasures to sell.

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On Saturday, **March 19, we'll have a Pot Luck** at our Pool Gazebo to celebrate Spring. A sign-up sheet will be posted at the bulletin board in early March. We've had great success with the wonderful variety of food and a great neighborhood participation for our pot luck events. Let's keep it up!



#### FOR DOG LOVERS and WALKERS PLEASE NOTE

Do not throw dog waste in various garbage pails in the pool and surrounding common areas as garbage is not picked up weekly, only after social events. We appreciate your cooperation.

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### **VENICE ITALIAN AMERICAN FEAST & CARNIVAL**

FEBRUARY 24, 25, 26, 27

CHECK BULLETIN BOARD FOR FULL SCHEDULE OF ENTERTAIMENT WWW.ITALIANAMERICANCLUBOFVENICE.COM/FEAST

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#### **VENICE AREA GARDEN CLUB**

TOUR AND PLANT SALE MARCH 11 & 12

CHECK BULLETIN BOARD FOR FURTHER DETAILS
WWW.VENICEGARDENCLUB.COM

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#### **ONGOING VILLA ACTIVITIES**

**Women's Wednesday's** - 4:00 to 6:00 pm- bring your own beverages and snacks and gather at Gazebo

Pool Aerobics - Monday to Friday, 10:00 am

Shuffleboard - Tuesdays @ 9:00 am

SEE OTHER PLANNED ACTIVITIES POSTED ON BULLETIN BOARD

