

GRAPEVINE



Active 55+ Resort Living



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Monday–Sunday 8:00AM–5:00PM

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Monday–Sunday 8:00AM–10:00PM

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Emergency? Call 911 Non-emergency- 311

May 2024

BUS SCHEDULE

The Errand Bus runs on Mondays AND Wednesdays. There is no need to call and make a reservation for the Errand Bus. Bus leaves at 10:00AM from the front of the Clubhouse.

Mondays:

1st, 3rd & 5th MONDAYS OF THE MONTH

Walmart, Dollar Tree, Sprouts

Return ~ 12:30PM

2nd & 4th MONDAYS OF THE MONTH:

Trader Joe's and WinCo, Smith's (if needed)

Return around 12:30PM

NO WEDNESDAY BUS FOR THE MONTH OF MAY
Monday, May 6th: Errand Bus will not be in service.



BUS NOTES:

If you are not signed up for a bus trip event, please do not show up at the venue stating you are a part of the group as this creates a big problem.

We have no special bus trips this month. We are looking for a bus driver. Please see Kristi or Kimberly if interested.



St. Patrick's Day Fun!

LVM residents got into the green spirit with a delicious traditional corned beef & cabbage meal and entertainment by Jolli & Hollywood.



Painting With Bonnie

LVM residents had a creative afternoon as they painted these beautiful lilacs in a vase. All were amazed that they could create such masterpieces!



Meet Our New Team Member ... Chaunnah Bates



Chaunnah was born in Las Vegas and raised in Levelland, Texas and Phoenix, Arizona. Her family moved around a lot as they were either farming or managing manufactured housing communities.

Chaunnah comes to us with 4 years of Thesman Community experience under her belt. She was the Assistant Manager at our Albuquerque, New Mexico property.

Two years ago, her husband got a transfer to Las Vegas as well as her son was starting at UNLV, thus her trek back to Las Vegas.

In her spare time, Chaunnah loves to read, crochet and spending time with her family. Her big love is music - she loves all types, with rock and country being her favorites.

Stop by the office to give Chaunnah a friendly "hello."



Starting 6/4: Beginning Water Aerobics

Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 11:00AM, get your swimsuit on and join in the fun! Everyone is welcome.

6/28: Murder Mystery & Dinner

This summer, join us for Trailer Park Tragedy. This trailer park's BBQ is a recipe for disaster. With too much history

DON'T MISS OUT!

5/4: Kentucky Derby Horsing Around Potluck

2:30PM: As they say ... the best 2 minutes in sports! We will have our own Kentucky Derby related games; residents are encouraged to bring a Kentucky Derby related appetizer or dessert. Of course, mint juleps will be available! Don't forget to wear your hat!

5/10: Dance Party W/ Dennis and Marcia

5:30PM: Enjoy an evening of music and dance. Fresh pizza will be available to those in attendance. Cost: \$10.00.

and not enough space, something is bound to happen to send one of the guests over the edge ... and another one to their death. Kristi is looking for actors; please see her for a part.

7/2: Aviator Baseball Game

We have a few seats available for this evening of fun! Cost: \$31 includes round trip bus, admission and ticket fees. The Aviators will be playing the Oklahoma City Baseball Club, which is the LA Dodgers' farm team.

7/4: Red, White & You!

Celebrate 4th of July here at LVM. BBQ, live music and fun!

5/12: Mother's Day Dessert Bar & Movie

5:30PM: Choose from a variety of desserts and enjoy a great comedy movie with a Mother's Day theme; see insert for details. Cost: \$5.00.

5/24: Memorial Day Kickoff Party W/ Sheila

5:30PM: A popular entertainer in the area keeps audiences singing, dancing and enjoying the sounds of all eras with her high energy show.

A fried chicken dinner will be available for those in attendance.

Cost: \$13.00.

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5/2: Lunch & Learn - Summit Air Conditioning

Summit A/C will be here to discuss ways to cool your home for the summer, ways to save money and more! Raffles & lunch will be provided. Please sign up so they know how many to plan for.

5/9: Lunch & Learn: C.E.R.T. Presentation

Join us for the 3rd of 5 presentations from the LVM C.E.R.T. Today's topic: FIRE. What to do, how to prepare and how to respond.

Please sign up so they know how many to plan for - note this event is limited to 35 residents.

5/16: Mad Hatter Tea Party

The last tea party of the season is always celebrated as the Mad Hatter's Tea Party. Guests are encouraged to wear a crazy hat. The menu is prepared with fun and whimsy in mind. Cost - \$10.00.

5/30: A Salad Showdown

Sign up to enter the great Salad Showdown! Pull out those delicious dressing recipes, whip up those cruciferous creations or maybe a macaroni salad?




Tasters (judges) will enjoy the entries as well as sides & desserts. Cost for tasters - \$3.00.



May 2024

- SA Stage Area
- CR Craft Room
- P Pool
- TC Tennis Court
- FC Front of Clubhouse
- BR Billiards Room
- RP Rendevue Patio
- DR Dining Room
- ✓ Sign-Up Is Necessary
- ♥ Activity Led by a Resident

- ★ More Info on Page 7
- No Sign-up Necessary
- 🐾 See Insert

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
<p>1:00 SA Mexican Train ♥</p> <p>4:00 DR UNO Card Game ■</p>	<p>NO ERRAND BUS TODAY.</p> <p>8:30 DR Coffee Klatch ♥</p> <p>9:00 DR Chair Dancing ■</p> <p>9:00- 3:00 CR Hair Care Day with Larry. Call 702-728-1454 for appt.</p> <p>9:00 NW Aluminum Can Pickup ♥</p> <p>10:00 P Advanced Water Aerobics w/Jean ♥</p> <p>10:00 FC Errand Bus ■</p> <p>12:00 TC Pickleball ■</p> <p>1:00 BR Wii Bowling ♥</p> <p>6:00 BR Euchre Card Game ♥</p>	<p>Last Day to Pay Rent</p> <p>8:05 FC RTC 1st Bus Pickup ■</p> <p>9:00 CR NO Ceramics today - ■</p> <p>12:00 TC Pickleball ■</p> <p>2:00 DR Knit Wits & Happy Hookers ■</p> <p>3:30- 5:00 CR Daily Transformations Bible Study w/ David Carothers ■</p> <p>6:00 DR Bunco ♥</p> <p>6:30 BR Men's Billiards ■</p>	<p>Heavy Item Pickup</p> <p>10:00 P Advanced Water Aerobics w/Jean ♥</p> <p>12:00 TC Pickleball ■</p> <p>1:00- 5:00 SA MSL rehearsals ♥</p> <p>3:00 CR Bible Study with John & Joan ♥</p> <p>6:00 BR Mid-Week Poker ♥</p> <p>6:30 DR Trivia with Don ♥</p>	<p>Last Day to Sign Up for Food Pantry: Call Carrie @702-462-4103</p> <p>10:00 SA Morning Stretch with Motoko ■</p> <p>12:00 Lunch & Learn: Summit A/C ✓</p> <p>12:00 TC Pickleball ■</p> <p>1:00 DR Rummikub ■</p> <p>2:00 SA Line Dance 101 w/ Marcia ■</p> <p>3:30- 6:00 SA Round Dance - \$ ■</p> <p>6:30- 8:00 SA T.O.P.S. Meeting ■</p>	<p>8:05 FC RTC 1st Bus Pickup ■</p> <p>9:00 DR Chair Dancing ■</p> <p>10:00 P Advanced Water Aerobics w/Jean ♥</p> <p>1:00 SA Pokeno ■</p> <p>6:00 SA Fri-yay Fun Social! ■</p> <p>6:00 BR Texas Hold 'Em ♥</p>	<p>10:00 DR Fresh Bagels & Brain Games ■</p> <p>1:00 SA Ping-Pong ■</p> <p>2:30 Kentucky Derby Horsing Around appetizer & dessert potluck ✓</p> <p>6:00 BR Poker Tournament ♥</p>
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19	20	21	22	23	24	25
<p>1:00 SA Mexican Train ♥</p> <p>4:00 UNO Card Game - this game is getting popular, we added another day! ■</p>	<p>8:30 DR Coffee Klatch ♥</p> <p>9:00 DR Chair Dancing ■</p> <p>10:00 P Advanced Water Aerobics w/Jean ♥</p> <p>10:00 FC Errand Bus ■</p> <p>12:00 TC Pickleball ■</p> <p>1:00 BR Wii Bowling ♥</p> <p>6:00 BR Euchre Card Game ♥</p>	<p>8:05 FC RTC 1st Bus Pickup ■</p> <p>9:00 CR NO Ceramics today - ■</p> <p>12:00 TC Pickleball ■</p> <p>2:00 DR Knit Wits & Happy Hookers ■</p> <p>3:30- 5:00 CR Daily Transformations Bible Study w/ David Carothers ■</p> <p>6:00 DR Bunco ♥</p> <p>6:30 BR Men's Billiards ■</p>	<p>Heavy Item Pickup</p> <p>10:00 P Advanced Water Aerobics w/Jean ♥</p> <p>12:00 TC Pickleball ■</p> <p>1:00- 5:00 SA MSL rehearsals ♥</p> <p>3:00 CR Bible Study with John & Joan ♥</p> <p>6:00 BR Mid-Week Poker ♥</p> <p>6:30 DR Trivia with Don ♥</p>	<p>10:00 SA Morning Stretch with Motoko ■</p> <p>12:00 TC Pickleball ■</p> <p>1:00 DR Rummikub ■</p> <p>2:00 SA Line Dance 101 w/ Marcia ■</p> <p>3:30- 6:00 SA Round Dance - \$ ■</p> <p>6:30- 8:00 SA T.O.P.S. Meeting ■</p>	<p>8:05 FC RTC 1st Bus Pickup ■</p> <p>9:00 DR Chair Dancing ■</p> <p>10:00 P Advanced Water Aerobics w/Jean ♥</p> <p>1:00 SA Pokeno ■</p> <p>5:30 SA Memorial Weekend Kickoff Party with Sheila Wright-\$ ✓</p> <p>6:00 BR Texas Hold 'Em ♥</p>	<p>10:00 DR Pinkbox Donuts & Brain Games ■</p> <p>1:00 SA Ping-Pong ■</p>
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Happy Birthday May Babies

Debra Dabney	5/1
Larry Young	5/2
Paula McLauchlan	5/2
Robert Gift	5/4
Beverley Hurst	5/5
Essie Woods	5/8
Linda Lezak	5/9
Donald Clodfelter	5/10
Celso Dulay	5/10
Kari Flom	5/10
Rick Pace	5/10
Tammy Carmain	5/11
Brenda Hildenbrand	5/11
Roger Fox	5/12
Rachel Eldred	5/13
Raynaldo Dulan	5/14
Maureen Fox	5/14
Ann Prill	5/14
Eva Cardenas	5/15
Charles Jones	5/17
Emogene Bradford	5/18
Frank Marshall	5/18
Chris Elder	5/19
Brenda Hays	5/19
Eleonore Baumann	5/22
Eugene Kunze	5/22
Ralph Olson	5/23
Deanna Hughes	5/25
John Loerzel	5/25
Cef Irineo	5/28
Thomas Loeb	5/28
Sarah Serna	5/29
Jacqueline Gardner	5/30
Don Hughes	5/30
Fred Karboski	5/30
Tony LaPonza	5/30
Paul Termini	5/30
Joan Bruno	5/31
Stewart Smith Wahlsten	5/31

Community Reminders:

* It is always a good idea to bring your outgoing mail to the office. The mailman picks up mail directly from the office each day.

Mail can be taken out of your mailbox and used for identity and check fraud.

* For safety: The proper protocol for walking/bicycle riding is that you walk against the flow of traffic and you ride your bike with the flow of traffic. Many residents have ear phones on and may not hear the cars coming. Please be alert.

Stamp Out Hunger

The largest one-day food drive in the U.S. takes place the second Saturday in May, when mail carriers collect nonperishable food donations from residents on their routes. The items are then distributed to local food banks. More than 1 billion pounds of food has been collected since the annual Letter Carriers' Stamp Out Hunger Food Drive began in 1993.

Burger Bargains

May 28 is National Hamburger Day and to celebrate, many burger chains offer freebies and specials. Check their social media sites for deals.

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GET CONNECTED!
FIND US ON FACEBOOK:
RESIDENTS OF
LAS VEGAS MEADOWS

Community Reminders:

For everyone's safety:

* Please stop at all "STOP" signs and stop lines.

* Community speed limit is 15MPH.

* Please call the guard house if you are expecting a visitor or vendor.

*No street parking.

May Is National Stroke Awareness Month

Know the signs ...



LVM Soda Machine

We are up and running with the soda machine located in the pool area. Sodas can be purchased for 75¢. The machine does not accept dollar bills, only coins.

**Monthly Activities
In The Spotlight**

**5/11: Wine Tasting
With Hanah**

5:30PM: Always an afternoon of delightful tasting, learning and fun. Everyone gets their own Charcuterie board and sample of six wines. Cost: \$10.00.

5/18 - Spring Craft Fair

10:00AM - 1:00PM: It's time for the annual Spring Craft Fair! We have so many residents with wonderful creative talents who create beautiful one-of-a-kind items & baked goods. Everyone is welcome to stop by and get yourself something special.

**5/18: On the House
Sundae Bar**

12:30PM: The weather is perfect for ice cream! Be sure to sign up so we know how many to expect for this ice cream creation activity.

**5/27: Memorial
Day Celebration**

11:30AM. Neighborhood Watch sponsors a Flag raising ceremony followed by lunch of hot dogs (turkey and beef). Ducky race, raffle tickets and more! Free of charge; donations greatly appreciated.

Please sign up so we know how many to plan for. Last day to sign up is Friday, May 24th.

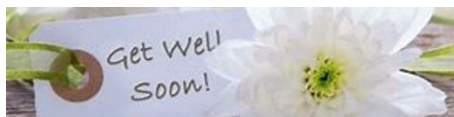


Albert Gaspar
William Land
Mark Jones
Debra Dabney

Goodbye & good luck



James Taylor



Kim Chatman
Marcia Wisusik
Janice Lowe

Donate Your Old Glasses

During Healthy Vision Month in May, help those around the world living with impaired sight. You can donate eyeglasses, readers and sunglasses that you no longer use to nonprofit groups that distribute them to those in need.

Lions Clubs International has a partnership with Walmart. You can deposit your eyeglasses at any participating Walmart Vision Center. Look for collection boxes near the Vision Center entrance.

Easter at LVM!

Residents had a great time with an Easter Egg Hunt & delicious brunch. Followed by a visit by the Easter Bunny throughout the community!



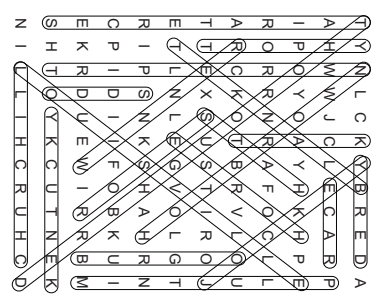
Word Search

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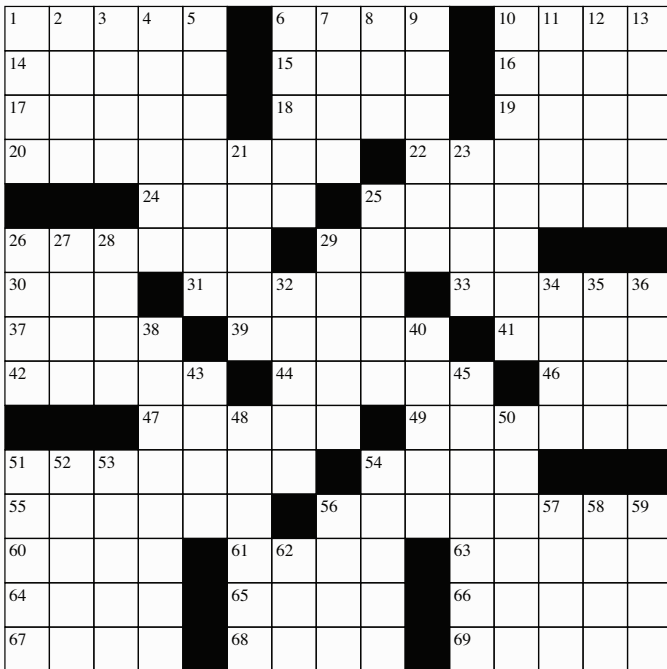
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- Word Search Solution:**
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|----------------|------------------|
| 1. Blanket | 11. Mint julep |
| 2. Burgoon | 12. Odds |
| 3. Churchill | 13. Race |
| 4. Derby | 14. Roses |
| 5. Hats | 15. Secretariat |
| 6. Horse | 16. Thoroughbred |
| 7. Hot Brown | 17. Track |
| 8. Jockey | 18. Triple Crown |
| 9. Kentucky | 19. Trophy |
| 10. Louisville | 20. Winner |



Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS

1. Unruly kids
6. Edible mollusk
10. Dog food brand
14. Rent to a new tenant
15. Healthy
16. Bookish fellow
17. Have ___ to the ground; heed public opinion
18. City northwest of Tulsa
19. Man's nickname
20. Couldn't stand
22. Swell
24. Skunk's weapon
25. Tailor, at times
26. Floated on the breeze
29. Guide
30. Suffix for project or text
31. Thomas More or Oliver Plunkett
33. Pilgrim's destination
37. Afraid to speak up
39. Like Abel
41. Sentence of condemnation
42. Descendant of Noah
44. Permitted
46. Full deck
47. Competitor
49. Coax with flattery
51. Tumbler
54. Singer McEntire

DOWN

1. Actor Garrett
2. France's Coty
3. Pub orders
4. Beverage container
5. Walks
6. Gladden
7. Ground
8. Ring king, once
9. Interfere
10. Like an elk
11. "The Merry Widow" composer Franz ___
12. Rattle on
13. More uncommon
21. Ice cream concoctions
23. Article
25. Lofty spot
26. Sissy
27. Toward shelter
28. Use one of the senses

29. Slow one
32. ___ ease
34. Centennial State: abbr.
35. Spiral
36. Gigi's friend
38. Lamp liquid
40. Kinder
43. Scoff
45. Postponing indefinitely
48. Piece of luggage
50. Member of a high school's junior varsity
51. Is sore
52. Berate
53. Po, for one
54. Out of practice
56. Dressed
57. "By ___!"
58. Mining finds
59. Brontë heroine
62. Went before the others

