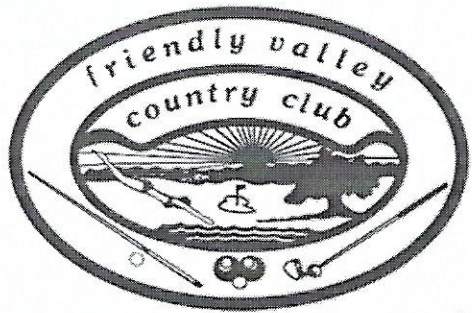


# Villager Newsletter

December 2nd, 2018 – December 15th, 2018

Friendly Valley Channel 1390

[www.friendlyvalleycountryclubwebsite.com](http://www.friendlyvalleycountryclubwebsite.com)



**Friendly Valley Voice**  
**By: Taryn Mills, Office Assistant**



Hello everyone! It's that time of year again. The weather is getting colder, decorations are going up, and everyone seems to be a little bit happier. I thought I would share what's brewing in Friendly Valley this Holiday Season.

## Friendly Valley Holiday Decorating Contest

Association 9 is challenging all residents and Associations to participate in this year's Holiday Decorating Contest. Judging will take place December 4th. Winners and prizes will be announced at the December 10th Rec Board Meeting. Help us bring unity, fun, (and a little friendly competition) back into Friendly Valley! Questions? Contact Keith Pierce at (661) 803-3363.

## New Criteria

- Judges will be looking for creativity, theme, and the overall use of lights, decorations, and inflatables (though it is not a requirement to use inflatables).
- Instead of entire Associations competing for participation, groups of 10 or more neighbors will compete. A "group" is defined as 10 or more neighbors in an area (either in a row, or across a street or pathway) that are all decorated, with no gaps in between homes. There *can* be multiple groups in one Association.
- Please Note: If you won one of the top three prizes in the past 2 years, you will not qualify for a prize this year. Please don't let this discourage you from decorating, as we all love to see your decorations. This is simply to encourage more participation.

## Association 9 Holiday Lights Extravaganza

Come join Association 9 as they celebrate the Holidays with hot chocolate, hot apple cider, yummy cookies, and a cozy fire. Swing by on Thursday, December 13th from 6:00 pm—8:00 pm on Anzel Circle of Lights. The gate will be open. Friendly Valley Residents, friends, and family are all welcome! This wonderful event is free to all. Please be aware that parking is very limited and walking and carpooling are strongly encouraged. Hope to see you there!

## **\*\*FILMING ANNOUNCEMENTS\*\***

- The Business Office will be CLOSED December 3rd, 4th, and 5th due to filming in the Office.
- The Fireside Room, Library, and Auditorium will also be CLOSED on December 3, 4, and 5.
- However, the Auditorium *will be available* on Wednesday, December 5th for the Community Council Meeting and Bingo.
- Both Card Rooms will be open December 3rd and 5th, but through the outside entrances *only*. The Card Rooms will be CLOSED on December 4th.
- NO PARKING in the Golf Parking Lot or Rotunda on Tuesday, December 4th.
- Please be aware of the wires, cords, and filming equipment that will be in the long hallway between the Business Office and Annex on December 3, 4 and 5.

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### FILMING ANNOUNCEMENTS (CONT.)

- If you are dropping off your ballots on December 3, 4, or 5, please bring them to the Security Office.
- Association 1 and 2's Annual Meetings have been moved from the Auditorium into the Annex.
- Please try to avoid the Recreational areas as they will be heavily congested due to filming. Thank you.

### GOLF CLUBS

#### **MEN'S**

Every 3rd Wednesday @ 11:00 am in the Golf Lounge.

#### **WOMEN'S**

Meeting every 4th Thursday at 12:30 pm in the Annex. If you know the basic rules and etiquette of golf, all are welcome. Call Greeter Sharlene Wicks at 252-0959.

### CLUBS, CLASSES, AND GROUPS

*(Please call groups before attending to ensure space)*

#### ACRYLIC PAINTING CLASS

Fridays from 12:30pm—2:30pm in the Conference Room. Teacher is Gina Leonard (661-977-1202).

#### BIBLE STUDY

Bible Study every Tuesday at 10 am in the Conference Room. (Carol Bennett 250-4590)

#### CATHOLIC ROSARY GROUP

Rosary Recitation Dec. 3 @ 7pm in the home of Sheila Griffin 26757-B Whispering Leaves Dr. (661-298-4227). Dec. 10 in the home of Janet Dunn 26353-A N. Oak Plain Dr. (661-298-4831). All are welcome!

#### CERAMICS

Try your hand at being creative with clay. The Ceramics Club is open for new members every Wednesday from 9:00 to 11:30 and Thursday from 6:00 to 8:00 pm. Come explore your artistic side! For more info call Judy (661-360-9386).

#### CITY OF HOPE

-Board Mtg Tues., Dec. 4th @ 5:00pm in the Meeting Place  
-General Mtg Sat., Dec. 8th @ 12:00pm in the Auditorium;  
Lunch 11:00am. Pot luck & \$10 gift exchange. Please bring a wrapped \$10 gift—no gift cards *please*. We will draw numbers and exchange gifts.

-Save the Dates: Jan. 26 Bingo & Feb. 6 Trip to Getty Museum at Malibu

#### FRIDAY BRIDGE

Duplicate Bridge Players wanted. Friday @ 12:30pm in the Annex. Call Harriet (661-299-6944).

#### FRIDAYS WITH THE PROFESSORS

1pm at the Friendly Valley Church. Nov. 30: "A Sociological Study of Residential Maintenance Gardeners in Southern California" Dec. 7: "What is 'Fake News' and How Do We Deal With It?" Dec. 14: "Exploration of the Planet Mars"

#### F.V. COMMUNITY CHURCH

Sunday Service @ 10 am, all denominations welcome!

#### FV LAWN BOWLS CLUB

Afternoon Lawn Bowling Fun! Come join us! M-Th, S & Sun. meet 1:15pm, start 1:30pm. Free lawn bowls to use & instruction. For more info call Judy Brothers (559-250-2217).

#### FV LAWN BOWLS CLUB BUNCO

Bunco! All invited to play with the Lawn Bowls Club Sunday, Dec. 2nd @ 6:45/7pm in the ANNEX.

#### FV LITTLE THEATER

Christmas Party for Little Theater and Lawn Bowls on Monday, December 10th @ 5:30 pm in the Auditorium. \$20 due December 3rd. BYOB.

#### FV TWIRLERS SQUARE DANCE

Join us every Tuesday in the Annex, 11:30—1:30. Dance with your first lesson. Bring your friends and family. No partner or special clothes required. (Joni 661-904-6142)

#### HELPING HEARTS AND HANDS

Join us on Dec. 6 @ FV Church from 12:30pm—2:30pm to sew, knit, and crochet for Vets, hospitals, nursing homes, homeless, and children. Bring snack/finger foods to share with others for last meeting of the year. No Meeting Dec. 20. New time change in January 1:00pm—3:00pm.

#### PARTY BRIDGE

Interested in playing bridge? We have Monday, Wednesday, and Friday groups. Call Judy @ 559-250-2217 for more info.

#### NAMI (National Alliance on Mental Illness)

No cost ongoing support groups. Various location, day, and times. Info on FREE education programs. Call Zee @ 818-371-9381.

#### NIP & TUCK PINOCHLE

Pinochle joins on Thursdays from 12-5 pm in the Men's Card Room. (Carl Stephenson 859-582-4345)

#### NO WILD POKER

Poker players needed. Tuesday nights from 7-10 pm. Meeting Place. (Al Lerch 644-2423)

#### SENIOR CENTER LUNCHES

Santa Clarita Senior Center Lunches on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays at 11:30am at Friendly Valley Church. Call 661-259-9444 for Reservation.

#### WATER EXERCISE

Beginning October 1, join us every M-W-F at 2:00pm. Wiggling and jiggling makes us feel fine.

#### WRITERS SOCIAL

Come share in writing or verbally your memories, ideas, thoughts, or stories. We meet Mondays from 2pm-4pm in the Meeting Place. For info call Jane Hills (661-299-9441).

#### ZUMBA

No charge—video only. Please arrive @ 5:45pm in the Annex. Wear comfortable clothes & non-gripping shoes. Call Rosemarie Sanchez-Fraser for more info.



### **Association #10 Election Results:**

Mary Jane Hartman ..... 2 years

Kathryn O'Haver ..... 1 years

Norma Tobeck ..... 2 years

### **Association #6A Election Results:**

Melisse Benson ..... 2 years

Linda Crawford ..... 2 years

Ralph Esparza ..... 1 year

Melanie Golder ..... 1 year

### **FV Senior Club:**

Senior Club is sponsoring the  
Santa Clarita Concert Band on  
Wednesday, December 19th at  
7:00pm in the Auditorium.

Cost is \$5.00, pay at the door.  
Come and enjoy this great band!

### **Memorial Day Parade**

#### **HELP NEEDED:**

I, Judy Plese, must retire because I  
cannot see and I don't have a car.

Whoever volunteers will start in January,  
and you will have help from Lacy and  
Jackie. I would not like to see the Parade  
stop. I will help you all that I can.

Please come forward. Call Judy Plese at  
661-299-1543.

### **BOARD MEETINGS**

Are you involved with your Association?

Assn. 3	December 3rd	11:00 am Annex
Assn. 9	December 3rd	6:00 pm Annex
Assn. 2	December 4th	10:00 am Annex
Assn. 1	December 4th	7:00 pm Annex
Assn. 5	December 11th	2:00 pm Annex
Assn. 10	December 11th	5:00 pm Ladies Card Room
Assn. 4	December 11th	6:00 pm Conference Room
Assn. 6BC	December 12th	10:30 am Conference Room
Assn. 7	December 12th	2:00 pm Meeting Place
Assn. 11	December 13th	6:30 pm Annex
Assn. 8	December 18th	2:00 pm Conference Room
Assn. 6A	December 18th	6:00 pm Annex
Assn. 6	No December Mtg	Enjoy the Holidays!

### **Community Council Meeting**

Wednesday, *December 5th, 2018*  
@ 10 am in the Auditorium

### **Rec Board Meeting**

Monday, *December 10th, 2018*  
@ 10 am in the Auditorium

### **SECURITY NEWS**

If you are having guests stay for more  
than 48 hours, make sure they get a  
Parking Permit from the Security Office  
in order to avoid receiving a citation.

**Sunday December 2**

10:00 am **Service**—FV Community Church

1:15 pm **Lawn Bowls**

6:45pm **Bunco** —Annex

**Monday December 3**

8:30 am **Aerobics**—Annex

11:30 am **Senior Center Lunch**—FV Church

1:15 pm **Lawn Bowls**

2:00 pm **Water Exercise**—Pool

2:00 pm **Writers Social**—Meeting Place

**Tuesday December 4**

10:00 am **Bible Study**—Conference Room

12:30 pm **No Pass Pinochle**—Men's Card Room

1:15 pm **Lawn Bowls**

7:00 pm **No Wild Poker**—Meeting Place

**Wednesday December 5**

*Men's Golf Play am*

8:30 am **Aerobics**—Annex

9:00 am **Ceramics Morning**

9:00 am **Party Bridge**—Lawn Bowls Lounge

10:00 am **Exercise 1**—Annex

11:30 am **Senior Center Lunch**—FV Church

1:15 pm **Lawn Bowls**

1:30 pm **Bingo**—Auditorium

2:00 pm **Water Exercise**—Pool

6:30 pm **Dominoes**—Men's Card Room

**Thursday December 6**

*Women's Golf Play am*

9:00 am **Strengthen & Tone**—Annex

11:30 am **Senior Center Lunch**—FV Church

12:30pm **Nip & Tuck Pinochle**—Men's Card Room

12:30 pm **Helping Hearts & Hands**—FV Church

1:15 pm **Lawn Bowls**

6:00 pm **Ceramics Evening**

**Friday December 7**

8:30 am **Aerobics**—Annex

10:00 am **Party Bridge**—Both Card Rooms

10:00 am **Exercise 1**—Annex

12:00 pm **Friday Bridge**—Annex

12:30 pm **Acrylic Painting Class**—Conf. Room

2:00 pm **Water Exercise**—Pool

5:45 pm **Zumba**—Annex

**Saturday December 8**

1:15 pm **Lawn Bowls**

6:30 pm **Dominoes**—Both Card Rooms

**NEXT VILLAGER DEADLINE:**

**Monday December 10th**

**Sunday December 9**

10:00 am **Service**—FV Community Church

1:15 pm **Lawn Bowls**

**Monday December 10**

8:30 am **Aerobics**—Annex

10:00 am **Exercise 1**—Annex

11:30 am **Senior Center Lunch**—FV Church

1:15 pm **Lawn Bowls**

2:00 pm **Water Exercise**—Pool

**Tuesday December 11**

9:00 am **Strengthen & Tone**—Annex

10:00 am **Bible Study**—Conference Room

11:30 am **FV Twirlers Square Dance**—Annex

12:30 pm **No Pass Pinochle**—Men's Card Room

1:15 pm **Lawn Bowls**

7:00 pm **No Wild Poker**—Meeting Place

**Wednesday December 12**

*Men's Golf Play am*

8:30 am **Aerobics**—Annex

9:00 am **Ceramics Morning**

9:00 am **Party Bridge**—Both Card Rooms

10:00 am **Exercise 1**—Annex

11:30 am **Senior Center Lunch**—FV Church

1:15 pm **Lawn Bowls**

1:30 pm **Bingo**—Auditorium

2:00 pm **Water Exercise**—Pool

6:30 pm **Jazzercise** —Auditorium

6:30 pm **Dominoes**—Men's Card Room

**Thursday December 13**

*Women's Golf Play am*

9:00 am **Strengthen & Tone**—Annex

11:30 am **Senior Center Lunch**—FV Church

12:30pm **Nip & Tuck Pinochle**—Men's Card Room

1:15 pm **Lawn Bowls**

6:00 pm **Ceramics Evening**

**Friday December 14**

8:30 am **Aerobics**—Annex

10:00 am **Party Bridge**—Meeting Place

10:00 am **Exercise 1**—Annex

12:00 pm **Friday Bridge**—Annex

12:30 pm **Acrylic Painting Class**—Conf. Room

2:00 pm **Water Exercise**—Pool

5:45 pm **Zumba**—Annex

**Saturday December 15**

1:15 pm **Lawn Bowls**

6:30 pm **Dominoes**—Both Card Rooms





# **Friendly Valley Veteran's Club**

19345 Avenue of the Oaks, Newhall, CA 91321

**THE FRIENDLY VALLEY VETERANS  
CLUB HOLIDAY DINNER IS UPON US**

**ON THURSDAY DEC. 20TH AT 6PM IN  
THE AUDITORIUM**

**ALL INVITED MEMBER OR NOT**

**DINNER CATERED BY DICKEYS BAR-  
B-Q**

**LIVE MUSIC BY SUE RAE**

**\$20.00 PER PERSON**

**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO F V VET  
CLUB, AND DEPOSIT IN THE  
VETERANS BOX IN THE OFFICE BY  
WED. DEC 12<sup>TH</sup>**

**WATER, ICED TEA & COFFEE WILL  
BE FURNISHED. BYOB IF DESIRED**