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TIBURON PENINSULA VILLAGE NEWSLETTER DECEMBER 2020

Thanksgiving was a lovely day, weather-wise anyway

Check out these great photos from TPV member Nancy Parker who celebrated Thanksgiving at the beach here in Marin.





Aren't we lucky to live in this beautiful place? Despite the disruption of the pandemic, there is always something to be grateful for. I (as in Cherie Sorokin) also celebrated picnic style with my immediate family outside—not at the beach, but on my patio. Paper plates and plastic glasses sure made the clean-up easier!

If you are a TPV member you also received a treat of See's truffles from TPV to help sweeten up Thanksgiving Day. Yum! Another little something to be grateful for in these crazy times. And especially many

thanks to TPV volunteers Doug and Dellie Woodring, Bruce Frank, and Matt Masson, who joined with me to make the deliveries to our members! Here are a few pictures from my deliveries to Julie Hannon Friedman, Allan Bortel, and Sally Warren.







LOCAL VILLAGE EVENTS (open to all, unless noted)

All the events below are offered on Zoom. If you are not yet comfortable with Zooming, we can provide one-on-one help. Just let the office know you would like a volunteer to work with you. info@marinvillages.org or (415) 457-4633.

Food & Drink

TPV Morning Coffee

Thursday, December 10, 11:00 - 11:30am



No agenda, just chatting with friends. What are your holiday plans? What pithy thoughts do you have about 2020 as you look back over the last 12 months? How many 100s of holiday movies will you watch this year since we still have to be home? The Zoom link will be emailed a few days in advance and again on the morning of the 10th.

TPV Happy Hour

Tuesday, December 15, 4:30 - 5:00pm

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Last month we had a party and nobody came (except Cherie). Shall we try again? The Zoom link will be emailed a few days in advance and again on the morning of the 15th.

<u>Groups</u>

Mill Valley Men's Group (TPV Members and Volunteers Welcome) Wednesdays, first and third weeks of each month, 11:00am

This is an informal gathering of guys with no particular agenda beyond the company of friends. It meets on the first and third Wednesdays of the month. Contact Alan Hayakawa at

<u>alan.hayakawa@gmail.com</u> or (415) 384-8998 to get more information or to be put on the reminder list for upcoming meetings.

San Rafael Movie and Discussion Group Sundays at 7:00pm

Every week this group gathers to discuss a film selected from Netflix that people watch in advance. Attendees can join the talk or just listen. If you are interested in joining the mailing list send a note to Karen Gray at karenkasavana@gmail.com or call her at (714) 403-3345.

MARIN VILLAGES EVENTS

Meet the Board

Thursday, December 17 at 4:00pm

Come meet the board of directors of Marin Villages. Can you name them all? A fun opportunity to hear what they love about Marin Villages, and what they are up to when not in board meetings or otherwise volunteering for us! RSVP to the office to receive the Zoom link. (415) 457-4633 or info@marinvillages.org

Not Home Alone—Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, and New Year's Eve Thursday, December 24; Friday, December 25; and Thursday, December

31, 4:00pm



Not looking forward to spending the holidays alone? Join Donnalee Wells on Zoom and celebrate the holiday with fellow Villagers. You are encouraged to have something to eat with the group to celebrate with others. Always fun and good conversation. A movie to follow will also be suggested. RSVP to Marin Villages at info@marinvillages.org to receive the Zoom link.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Silent Wreath Auction!

Ends December 5

Stroll through downtown Tiburon to see the wreaths on offer. A map is available through the library or bid online using this link.

Belvedere Tiburon Library Monthly Events

Lots of online events to choose from for seniors, ranging from chess to trivia to presentations on Medicare. Check the library calendar here.

Tree and Menorah Lighting?

Not sure if these traditional downtown Tiburon events will happen this year or not, but will let you know if they do!

TIBURON PENINSULA VILLAGE ANNOUNCEMENTS



It seems early to wish you Happy Hanukkah or Christmas, and we will undoubtedly communicate at least one or two more times before the end of the year, but nonetheless, Happy Holidays. Perhaps they will be less frantic this year since we can't be running around all over the place!

AND MORE...



Are you decorating or baking for the holidays? If so, send us a picture or two to share with TPV members and volunteers. Or maybe a selfie of you dressed up for the holidays in elegant or wacky duds of the season (do you still have reindeer antlers, or sparkled holiday sweaters?), even if no place to go!

HELP US HELP OTHERS

If you know someone who could use our services, is interested in volunteering, or would like to donate to an organization serving older adults in Marin, please have them call the office at (415) 457–4633, or visit our website (www.marinvillages.org) for application forms and online donations.

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