



Tiburon Peninsula Village

Empowering older adults to remain active, connected,
and independent in the place they call home

August 2022 Newsletter

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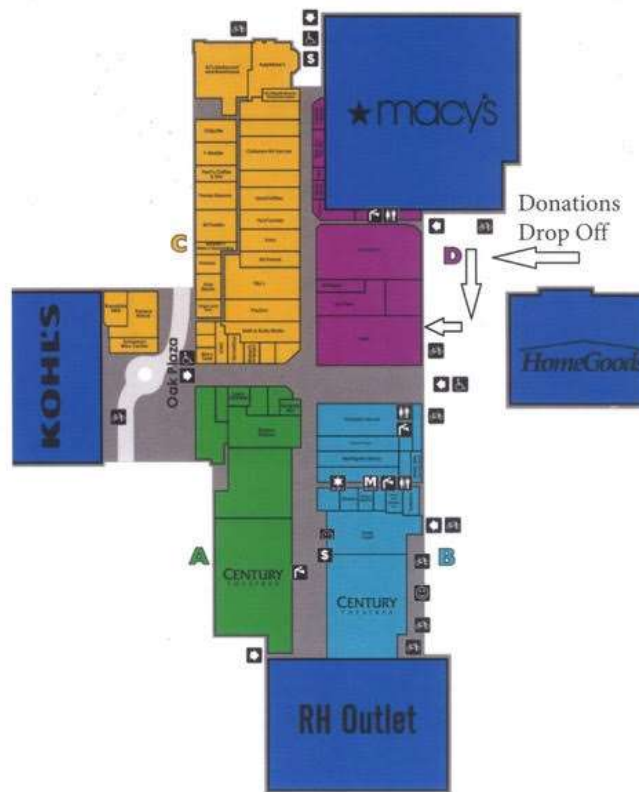


It's August and sunflowers abound! We're entering the second half of 2022—time to reflect on New Year's resolutions we haven't gotten around to, and probably won't in the next five months either. But who cares? It's beautiful in Marin and in Tiburon we get to experience at least three climates a day—dewy grey skies and cold in the morning, beautiful sunshine and warmth by mid-day, and wind with mounds of white fog cascading through the Golden Gate and down the hillsides in the evening.

The Ultimate Thrift Boutique Pop-Up Shop

We are in full swing gathering donations for our October Ultimate Thrift Boutique Pop-Up Shop. Check your treasures! What might you want to donate? We accept women's, men's and kids clothing & shoes in good condition, jewelry, artwork, kitchenware, home décor items, linens, small furniture items, and more. Please, no CDs, books, skis, women or men's suits, large furniture, computers, or monitors!

Donations can be dropped off on Wednesdays and Saturdays in August between 10:00am and 4:00pm up at our new location in the Northgate Shopping Center. The entrance is next to the Bank of Marin on the east side of the shopping center—right across from the Home Goods store.



If you can't drop things off yourself, we can also arrange for pick up. Call Cherie at (415) 789-5305. If you want to help volunteer with intake and sorting, you can sign up using this link: <https://signup.com/go/eqnUKfZ>

Celebration of Creativity

Alas, our planned creativity event with Mill Valley Village has been cancelled because of Covid concerns. But keep on creating! We will reschedule at some point in the future when we can gather more safely indoors. Our planned trip to the Legion last month also was cancelled because of Covid concerns related to being indoors with lots of people. It's still just a lot safer to be outdoors than indoors!

TIBURON PENINSULA VILLAGE EVENTS

All Tiburon Peninsula Village events are open to both members and volunteers, but if you are a member and need a ride to any of the events below, please call the office. (415) 457-4633

Food & Drink

TPV Morning Coffee

Thursday, August 11, 10:30am

Rustic Bakery, Tiburon



- Dutch treat
- Join us at the tables in back outside unless the weather makes inside more inviting.
- Masks are ok, but not required if you are fully vaccinated and we're outside
- We do still recommend masks when you go indoors to order coffee
- If you need a ride, please call the office! Otherwise no RSVP needed.

TPV Happy Hour

Tuesday, August 30, 4:00pm

Sam's



Join TPV friends for a drink outdoors on the deck at Sam's on Main Street. TPV will host one drink for each person, and also offer appetizers. Second drinks and other food are on you! We will be on the deck—probably near the communal picnic tables—so consider bringing a sweater. It can get chilly. Please RSVP to the office so we know how many spaces to reserve, and be sure to let them know if you need a ride. (415) 457-4633

OTHER MARIN VILLAGES EVENTS

Summer Sangria Supper

Wednesday, August 17, 5:00pm

Whipper Snapper Restaurant, 1613 4th Street, between F & G, San Rafael

Hosted by San Rafael Village



All Marin Villages members and volunteers are welcome! Please join your hostess, Valerie Stilson, as we celebrate with other Villagers on the private and charming Whipper Snapper outdoor patio. While this is a no-host meal, a complimentary glass of sangria will be provided. First come, first served, and space is limited to 20 guests. All attendees must be vaccinated and boosted. Please bring cash for your meal. RSVP is required to Valerie Stilson at valerie.stilson@sbcglobal.net. If you need a ride, please call the Marin Villages office (415) 457-4633.

Bocce Ball

Friday, August 26, 1:15 – 3:00pm

Marin Bocce Federation, 550 B Street, San Rafael



Experienced or not, put on your soft-soled shoes and join other Marin Villagers at Albert Park for some light exercise and a few laughs. Look for the happiest group on the courts. That will be the Marin Villages bocce lovers!

And more!



Check out the Marin Villages calendar on our website (www.marinvillages.org) and watch for more announcements of programs in the monthly *Village Square*, which is emailed on the second Tuesday of the month. There's lots to do—hiking groups, book groups, the Sangria Supper in San Rafael, Not Home Alone lunches at Pacific Catch on holidays, monthly movie discussions, writing groups, knitting groups. Practically a group for everything! You just need to look. Have an idea for something that interests you, but we don't yet have a group for? Call Cherie to suggest it! (415) 789-5305

OTHER COMMUNITY NEWS & EVENTS

National Night Out

Tuesday, August 2, 4:00 – 7:00pm

This annual event is hosted by the Tiburon and Belvedere Police and Southern Marin Fire Department in the parking lot in front of the Tiburon Police Station. Meet the folks who help keep our community safe! Enjoy some tacos and other treats.

Tiburon's Draft Housing Element Plan comments due

Friday, August 5

This is the last day to submit written comments on Tiburon's draft Housing Element plan. The draft Housing Element is available on the Town's website. Don't miss this chance for community input! <https://www.townoftiburon.org/>

Plan for Lunch, Plan for Life

Tuesday, August 16 or Thursday, August 18, 11:30am

A Neptune Society free informational luncheon to learn more about the benefits of preplanning your cremation. Call (415) 843-4167 to reserve a spot.

Tiburon Coldwell Banker Office Shred Event

Saturday, August 20, 9:00 – 11:00am

1660 Tiburon Blvd, behind the Coldwell Banker office

Thanks to TPV member and volunteer Matt Masson for letting us know of this event. Free paper shredding for up to five banker boxes per person. Easy drive up from the driveway on the south side of the office.

Art Talk Tuesdays

Second Tuesday of the month, noon

Zoom

These are docent-led programs made available by the San Anselmo Library. Register online directly with the San Anselmo Library. <https://www.townofsananselmo.org/645/Art-Talk-Tuesday>

Save Saturday, September 17 for the reopening of the Belvedere-Tiburon Library!

Ribbon cutting at 10:30 followed by numerous events throughout the day. Won't it be great to have our library up and fully running again?!

FUN/AMAZING STUFF

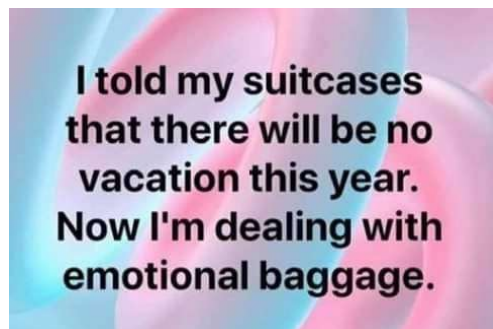
Music lovers, don't miss this wonderful video of this year's winner of the Van Cliburn piano competition. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DPJL488cfRw>

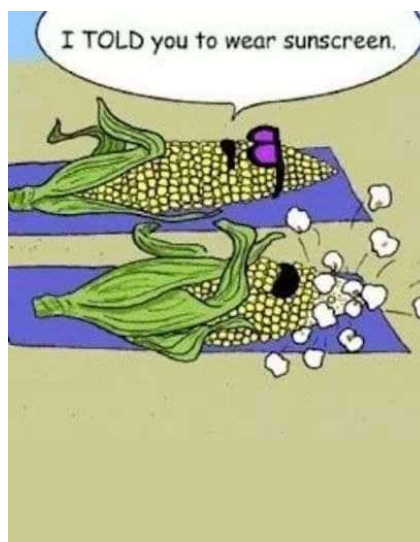
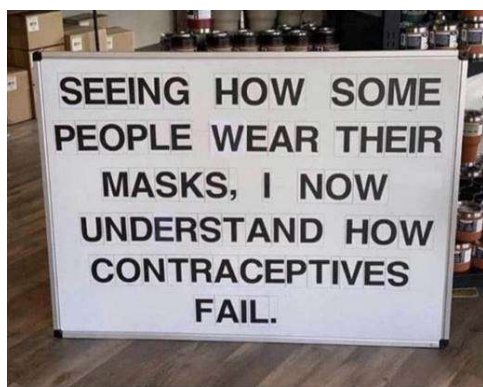
Ever watched a semi-truck driver maneuver his truck into a tight spot? Check out this amazing video. <https://www.youtube.com/shorts/1qmybbVBD40>

Any trivia lovers among you? Which of these is a real Mark Twain Quote and which are apocryphal?

- "There are three kinds of lies: lies, damn lies, and statistics."
 - "To cease smoking is the easiest thing I ever did. I ought to know because I've done it a thousand times."
 - "Wagner's music is better than it sounds."
 - "When I was a boy of fourteen, my father was so ignorant I could hardly stand to have the old man around. But when I got to be twenty-one, I was astonished at how much the old man had learned in seven years."
 - "The reports of my death are greatly exaggerated."
 - "So I became a newspaperman. I hated to do it, but I couldn't find honest employment."
 - "The only way for a newspaperman to look at a politician is *down*."
 - "The coldest winter I ever spent was summer in San Francisco."
 - "It is better to keep your mouth closed and let people think you are a fool than to open it and remove all doubt."
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REMEMBER TO LAUGH A LITTLE





HELP US HELP OTHERS

If you know someone who could use our services or is interested in volunteering with 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. We always welcome donations to support our work! Please visit <https://marin.helpfulvillage.com/pages/10049-marin-villages---donate> to contribute.

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