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Why Should YOU Pre-Hab?

by Cindy Shaw, PT, OCS

Fall months are here now and some among us are contemplating getting that knee or hip, even that shoulder repaired surgically. If you and your Physician have decided now is the right time to do that, Pre-Hab may need to be a part of your program. When an injury or degenerative problem with pain and limitations has been a part of your daily life for an extended period of time, you will undoubtedly have developed compensations to stay active and work around the pain and limitations. It is common in my Physical Therapy practice to see low back difficulties or opposite side tension patterns when someone has changed their walking pattern over time. Asymmetry becomes much more pronounced and in the case of hips or knees may even present as a leg length difference because of twists or compression in the pelvis and back.

Considering our bodies remarkable ability to find a way to compensate, it is very important to try and achieve as much balance as possible in the spine, pelvis and both sides of the body before surgical intervention is used to correct a problem. For example, in a total hip or

knee replacement, if the new appliance lines up perfectly with the other side, but you are still having difficulty in your low back, or pelvis, those problems may worsen. Physicians are very good at these replacements and try to consider these factors, but that is difficult to do.

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If you are considering surgery, ask your Physician about a few PT treatments before the big date. If this in in your future, I wish you good healing.



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Huntington Harbour Philharmonic Committee

by Lara Anderson



Holiday Boutique Committee at work over the summer: Roberta Swain, Marlene Nielsen, Helene Rowlette, Gail Sebring, Pamela Myers, Charmaine Rood, Karen Ridout, Kelly Haynes, Lara Anderson.

As my kids went back to school in September, I was reminded of how important the work we do is. The Parent Teacher Organization of the elementary school my youngest daughter attends included a letter in their membership packet saying, "Did you know Ocean View School District provides Music instruction for 4th and 5th graders only...? [And does] not provide art instruction, field trips, or assemblies for any elementary grades?" Thanks to the P.T.O. or P.T.A.'s of each school raising funds, and our work with the Philharmonic Society of Orange County to provide youth music education programs, we are able to have local 2nd graders attend a concert as a field trip, often their first exposure to an orchestra. 3rd grade students are introduced to a variety of instruments up close when our volunteers bring the Music Mobile to the schools.

Exposing kids to music is more than just a diversion, we are enriching and changing lives. A wonderful testament to this came from Ellie Winterfeld, who recently lost her granddaughter, Beth Leann Winterfeld, and held an event with live music called "Beth Fest" in her memory. Ellie writes, "Beth was a lovely and precious soul. She always filled the room with her love and presence. Beth attended Eastwood Elementary, Stacey Middle School and graduated from Marina High School in 2009. Shortly after graduation she attended Goldenwest College. She enjoyed playing soccer and attending concerts. She had a love for music and many of her friends played in a variety of bands. She was a wonderful granddaughter, daughter and sister. She

was loved by all whose lives she touched. She will forever be remembered in music and song." Ellie presented a check for over \$2400 that was raised at the event to Kim Weddon, President of the Committees, to keep the gift of music going in Beth's name.

Supporting our fundraisers throughout the year is a great way to show your support. Tickets are now on sale for all Cruise of Lights® dates, December 17-23 at www.CruiseofLights.org. Keep up with all the latest updates and news on our official Facebook page: [CruiseofLightsHHPC](https://www.facebook.com/CruiseofLightsHHPC) and on Instagram at [CruiseofLights](https://www.instagram.com/CruiseofLights). (Please note, the boat parade is NOT the Cruise of Lights® or vice-versa. They are two separate events! One is our major fundraiser through selling tickets to view decorated homes, the boat parade is our "thank you" to Harbour residents for decorating their homes to make the Cruise of Lights® possible.)

Knock out some of your holiday

shopping early this year with unique finds at our Holiday Boutique at the Huntington Harbour Mall, Friday, October 18 from 10 a.m.-5 p.m. and Saturday, October 19 from 10 a.m.- 4 p.m. There are also fantastic opportunity prizes and exciting themed baskets, so be sure to buy lots of tickets to enter to win!

If you're still stumped for gift ideas for that person who has everything, Cruise of Lights® tickets also make a great gift. Stop by the HHPC office in the Huntington Harbour Mall and purchase gift certificates for the recipient to attend on the night of their choice (subject to availability.)

Look inside this issue (or online) for information on entering the boat parade and the home decorating contest. With the theme of "Rock & Roll Fantasy" you can really get creative. So "Let's Go Crazy", "Rock this Town", and make sure this holiday season we don't get a "Bad Reputation" and "Rock and Roll all Nite."



HHPC Co-Sponsoring the Concert in the Park: Lolly McHardy, Kim Weddon, Helene Rowlette, Cathy Liddle, Susie Lipman.

HHPC: Marina Windjammer

by Lara Anderson



Summer Party “Wear Your Best Hat,” front: Joanne Ferbach, Kelly Haynes, Pearl Holmes, Karen Ridout, second row: Marsha Waldman, host Richard Shaffer, Coralie Prince, Barbara Sentell, Susie Sampson, Carlone Herman, Charlene Bauer, third row: Lloyd Stockwell, Todd Swain, Pam Barthold, Roberta Swain, Lisa Weller, Sherry Skerik, Linda Halopoff.

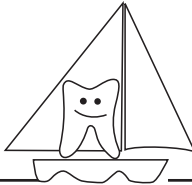
On August 10th we had a fun summer party hosted by Donna and Richard Shaffer at their lovely waterfront home, featuring lots of great food and a performance by a ukulele group. It was a perfect summer evening to enjoy each other’s company. The theme was “Wear Your Best Hat” and our members did just that!

We got down to business on August 29th with President Lisa Weller calling for a pre-season board meeting at Lani Martin’s house to discuss our roles for the upcoming year and brainstorm some new ideas. The fundraising calendar is off to a busy start with the Holiday Boutique. Be sure to bid on our “Night at the Movies” basket.

Our Cruise of Lights® work night is Friday, December 20—get your tickets before they sell out! (We are known to have good luck with the weather on our assigned night.) There are many opportunities to volunteer and we will need all hands on deck to staff the office at the Huntington Harbour Mall, as well as in the parking lot and at the docks to direct and assist passengers. You don’t need to be a member to volunteer—everyone (anyone!) is welcome. Friends, family members, neighbors, teen grandkids who need volunteer hours, perhaps someone who needs to do a few good deeds to get off the “naughty list” before the holidays. We are not the largest Harbour group and could really use the help if you’re available. It’s also a fun way to dip a toe into volunteering with the Huntington Harbour Philharmonic Committee without making a big commitment.

Our regular meetings resumed in September at Barbara Sentell’s home. Meetings are held in the morning on the third Thursday of each month, followed by lunch at the host member’s home and often feature a musical presentation or special guest speaker.

If you’re new to Huntington Harbour, or have been around a while and looking for something new to do, we’d love to meet you! To learn more about volunteering with us, becoming a Marina Windjammer, or to check out the food, fun and friends at our next meeting, contact Membership Chair Pat Decou at (714) 892-1344 or email: dukedecou@yahoo.com.



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HHPC: Admiralty

by Grace Holdaway



L to R: Kurt Jordan, Anne Crowley, Charmaine Rood, Ellie Winterfeld, Barbara Howland, Don Howland, Linda Nibelungen, and Dave Crowley.



L to R: Jackie Demos, Mary Busche, Guest, Janet Johnson, Mim Strickler, and Madeline Campbell.

Admiralty ended the summer with a wonderful, fun filled evening at Michelle Brenner's truly fabulous home on the water. We had a large turnout with family and friends enjoying Tacos & Margaritas provided by our Eve Jordan's Catering. What a feast! There aren't enough words to express our thanks to Michelle for opening her home to us for the second time this summer and to Eve Jordan for always providing great food.

We enjoyed a wonderful summer; how can it be over? We have had our vacations and rest and are looking forward to the next events, the Holiday Boutique and of course the Cruise of Lights!

The Holiday Boutique will be held at the Harbour Mall on October 18th and 19th. If you have never attended this event you will enjoy shopping at all the vendors and be sure you buy some opportunity tickets and try to win one of the numerous baskets full of good things.

In the coming months we will gear up for the 57th Huntington Harbour Boat Parade and the Cruise of Lights; which is our major fund raising event. The Grand Marshalls this year for the boat parade will be Larry Gottlieb and Sheri Schuster. Admiralty's VP's Cruise of Lights is Mim Strickler with Linda

Nibeel staffing the office. The VP of the Boat Parade is Roxanne Talley who has done this job in the past and always does a great job.

Our September 19th meeting will be held at Elaine Montgomery's home and will be co-hosted by Barbara Howland, Anne Crowley and Jeanne Caille. If you are interested in seeing what Admiralty is all about and want to have fun, make new friends, all while helping the music programs of our schools, please contact our VP of Membership, Grace Holdaway, (562) 493-3049. We would love to meet you and add you to our group.

HHPC: Sandpipers

by Cindy Broz Allen

Sandpiper Lolly McHardy and other Huntington Harbour Philharmonic Committee members manned the HHPC Booth at the HHPOA Concert in the Park on Sunday August 11th to promote the October Holiday Boutique and the Cruise of Lights and Boat Parade in December. And on August 26th, Sandpipers got together for a fun Monday Happy Hour at the Bistro St. Germain in Seal Beach.

Our October general meeting will be held on Thursday, October 17th at Terri Feterik's home.

More Information

The Huntington Harbour Philharmonic Sandpipers are one of the five committees comprising the Huntington Harbour Philharmonic Committee (HHPC). Our monthly meetings are held in the afternoon on the 3rd Thursday of the



Sandpipers Susan Lipman, Helene Rowlette, Lolly McHardy, Cindy Broz Allen, Suzie Scott, and Cathy Liddle at the HHPOA Concert on August 11.

month at 3:30 pm in various members' homes. Following our meetings, we have a happy hour with delicious appetizers provided by Sandpipers.

Please call our Membership Chair Heather Sullivan at (714) 272-2195 or email h.sullivan@dreamvacations.com for more information about the Sandpipers.

HHPC: Juniors

by Elizabeth Henry and Rachel Helgeson

The members of the Huntington Harbour Philharmonic Juniors set a course for the year ahead at their first meeting of the 2019/20 year, held on September 22. Several returning HHPC Juniors were joined by a new crew of recruits from a half dozen local high schools.

At the first meeting the group discussed upcoming events including an

October beach cleaning and a November in-gathering of special treats for Robyn's Nest, a local organization that serves the needs of underprivileged local students.

The Juniors are also looking forward to their participation in the annual HHPC Cruise of Lights® this December. All of this is steering the Juniors toward

the year's main event, the 2020 Juniors Fashion show. This exciting event, "Sail Away," will take place on Sunday, March 29. More details will follow. Save the date!

For information about the HHPC Juniors, more specifics about the meeting, and to inquire about donations, email HHPCJuniors@gmail.com.

HHPC: Trinidad

by Tharice Opalewski



L to R: Dr. Michael and Pam Myers.

Welcome to a new season of fun, food, fabulous people and fund raising for the HHPC! Hope everyone had a fantastic summer, minus the shaking on the 4th and 5th of July that impacted the annual

Fourth of July Parade where HHPC was well represented.

As we begin our new season Trinidad hosted a fabulous brunch for new and existing members at the beautiful new home of Dr. Michael and Pam Myers. The event was kicked off with catching up on summer events, lots of brunch food choices and beverages of your choice. To say the least it was a FABULOUS event and we all want to thank the Myers (pictured) for their hospitality and the sharing of their new home on Davenport Island. The team would like to also THANK the perspective new member attendees and we look forward to you joining us as we start this fun season. The ladies would also like to give a warm and loving shout out to the men who support us during the season (pictured) for fetching, toting and

doing the heavy lifting they truly are our "genuine spud studs" and we are grateful for their support.

Our busy and eventful season starts off with the Holiday Boutique on October 18th and 19th in the Huntington Harbour Mall with lots of opportunities to do your early Christmas shopping and of course your winter and fall clothing/ accessory ensembles. We also have begun ticket sales for the Cruise of Lights and as always needing extra helping hands in the HHPC office taking calls for this spectacular event.

Our first meeting is September 19th hosted by the lovely Deborah Fairon. For more information and details please email Ellen Martin at elleninhuntington@yahoo.com. We look forward to your participation in the 2019/2020 Season!

HHPC: Islanders

by Cristi Ulrich

As we rested for the summer to get ready for our busy Fall and Winter activities, the Islanders had our annual SUMMER DAYS SOIREE. Hosted by the ever-gracious Pam and Calvin Free, we ate a delicious BBQ, meat compliments of our favorite Beef Palace, and lounged by the pool and under the stars in their gorgeous back yard. Everyone was festive and enjoyed each other's company.

We are looking forward to another summer evening as we join Marlene and Chris Nielsen for are first meeting of the year on September 19. Our significant others will join us after the meeting for another fun Islander social event. Islanders are ready and happy to participate in this busy year, and looking forward to our Holiday Boat Parade with its great theme: "Rock and Roll Fantasy".



We thank our very own Marlene Nielson for leading us this year as our Islander President and our very own Kim Wedden for stepping onto the Executive Committee as President of the Committees. We are so proud.

The Islanders are looking forward to a busy and prosperous year and can't wait to help our KIDS enjoy all the music, events and opportunities that the Philharmonic of Orange County brings their way.

2019 HUNTINGTON HARBOUR BOAT PARADE



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DECEMBER 14 & 15, 2019

57th ANNUAL BOAT PARADE & HOME DECORATING CONTEST INFORMATION

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Monday, December 9
Tuesday, December 10
Wednesday, December 11
Thursday, December 12
Thursday, December 12
Friday, December 13
Saturday, December 14
Sunday, December 15
December 17 thru 23

Due Date Home Decorating Entries
Waterfront and Off Water Home Spotting
Judging Waterfront and Off Water Homes
Due Date Boat Decorating Entries
Boat Parade Skipper's Meeting, HHYC - 7 p.m.
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Time

1	5:15	16	6:33
2	5:17	17	6:45
3	5:22	18	6:51
4	5:30	19	6:55
5	5:40	20	6:58
6	5:46	21	7:02
7	5:50	22	7:08
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9	5:54	24	7:17
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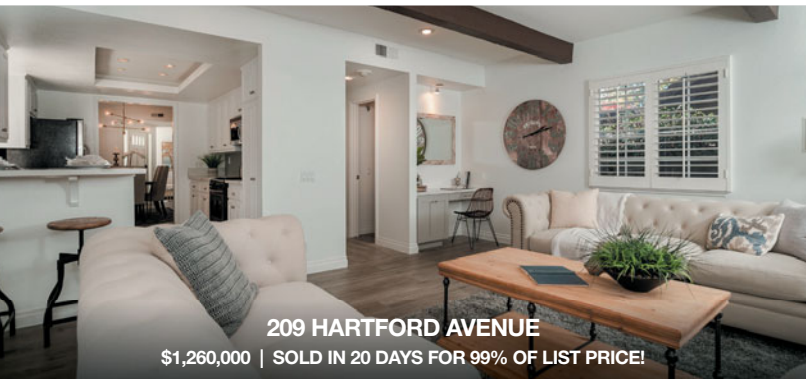
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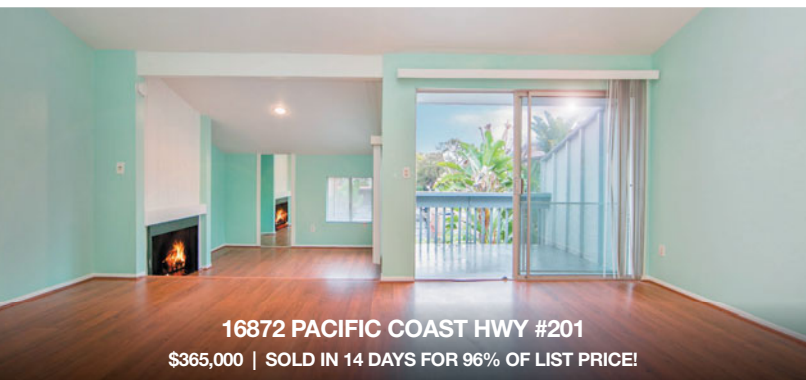
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Chimichurri, a Sauce and a Marinade

by Cathy Thomas

If you are one of those folks who think that cilantro tastes like soap, never mind. Turn the page.

Count me as one who loves it, so I'm a big chimichurri fan. Chimichurri, that bright-green sauce that is a staple in Argentina, is served with that country's legendary steaks. It's also a luscious accompaniment to almost anything off the grill, from chicken to lamb to vegetables.

The base is a combination of olive oil and fresh cilantro. Oregano, parsley, garlic, red-wine vinegar and a little fresh chili, also add to the mouthwatering blend. The recipe makes enough to use half as a marinade for 2 pounds of beef (skirt steak, London broil or flank steak), with enough left over to use as an accompaniment once it's grilled.

Chimichurri Ingredients

(Yield: about 2 cups)

1/2 cup red wine vinegar

1 teaspoon kosher salt

(more if needed)

3 large garlic cloves *(minced)*

1 shallot *(finely chopped)*

1/2 fresh jalapeno chili or red Fresno chili *(seeded, finely chopped)*

2 cups minced fresh cilantro

1 cup minced fresh flat-leaf parsley

1/2 cup finely chopped fresh oregano

3/4 cup extra-virgin olive oil

Instructions

1. Combine vinegar, salt, garlic, shallot and chili in medium bowl; allow to sit for 10 minutes.

2. Stir in cilantro, parsley and oregano. Using a fork, whisk in oil. Taste; adjust salt if needed. Use half as a marinade and half as a sauce. To use as a marinade with beef or lamb, put meat in a large zipper-style plastic bag and add marinade; refrigerate overnight or at least 3 hours. Discard marinade, pat meat dry and grill.

Cathy Thomas, is an award-winning food writer, and lives in Huntington Beach. Read more about her culinary escapades and sign up for her e-newsletter for food lovers at CathyThomasCooks.com.



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Trinidad Ladies Club

by Marilyn Schwartz



L to R: Sandy Gallahger, Carolyn Platt, Lori Camasta, Linda Macbeth, Joyce Kolstadt, Lori Keefner, Mailyn Schwartz, Debbie Cervante.



L to R: Sharon Young, Cindy Shaw, and Lori Camasta.

Welcome Back from The TLC Women

We all had a great summer vacation, relaxing by the pool, going to the beach, and hanging out enjoying our family and friends (and our pets).

TLC had a wonderful summer break. At our first fall meeting at our friend Carolyn Pratt's home.

Her yard was so beautifully decorated with five seating areas various matching flower, succulents and matching furniture. Amazing that she even planned our dinning plates to match her yard! It was still a beautiful summer's day for sipping ice tea, lemonade and a variety of wine.

Lunch was Provided by our Host Carolyn Pratt and our co-hostesses Robyn West, Lori Camasta and Mary Shebell. We dinned on Fresh Salmon mixed atop of sliced French bread, Caesar salad with tomatoes and bacon, mixed seasonal fruits and Desserts of Brownies, cheese cakes and cream cakes. All bite size so easy to take a few.

Prior to our lovely lunch we joined in having our first meeting of the Year. We discussed the "Picnic in The Park" that was held by our HOA on September 22nd. We (TLC) donated \$500.00 for the Stage. The Band was Elmstreet Boys and they played from 4 to 7 PM.

Our wonderful and committed Vikki Morrison went door to door handing out flyers not once, but twice, to remind the Neighborhood of this Event.

We would love to have new members! If any of you Ladies are interested in joining us Please contact: VP Of New Members Debbie Cervantes by email at debcervantes@gmail.com.

In closing I would love for you to read this lovely telling of what the TLC stands for given to us by Carrie Wexler.

TLC

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Have you ever lived in a place where homes were right beside each other, cars pass by day after day, and you have no idea who was inside that car?

I guess after getting involved on the Board I realized there were people inside those homes, the ones we managed, the ones we spoil know.

I focused on finding out who lived in these homes, getting inside that door, breaking down the walls and getting to know our home owners here on the Island.

With the help of Michael Courtway we came up with a plan to have a picnic once a year in our Park. We had overwhelming support. We Need Those picnics back! Right?

Some of the Ladies wanted more, so the Trinidad Ladies Club was born.

This driving organization would not be what it is today without the spirits and hard work that many of us give. We reach out to ladies and their loved ones, providing a

network of goodwill, friendships, outings, and fundraisers which will enhance the beautification on Trinidad.

Now, as a TLC Member, I can look around and, not only do I feel loved, but I feel safe.

We Actually look at each other. We Care deeply about what each other are doing!

We have had many battles which will only bring us closer together, What more can be said but a job well done!!

When you are inspired by a great purpose or an extraordinary project, all your thoughts break their bonds. Your mind transcends limitations, your consciousness expands in every direction and you find yourself in a great and wonderful new world!

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La Familia

by Mary Busché



La Familia members enjoying an outdoor gathering.



Tim Branoff, Vice President of La Familia Orangewood, and his wife Karen.

The weather was perfect for an outdoor gathering and the setting was delightful with a Hawaiian theme and a sky of beautiful white fluffy clouds. Peter and Shawn Hollub were such charming and gracious hosts in their lovely home.

The members of La Familia are so very generous in so many ways. They support the children of Orangewood as well as support other groups such as Philharmonic, Cancer League, Olive Crest and many more. They bring wonderful pot luck dishes to our events and they are truly supportive and loving loyal friends. I'd like to again mention two of our most generous donors to Orangewood. Don and Ellen Goodwin donated the equipment for the beautiful new recreation room. Michael and Teri Federick donated the new to be constructed playground cover.

Cherryl Alexander from Orangewood attended our party and told us how much the children appreciate and benefit from our donations. These latest additions will

be permanent for a long time and be put to very good use.

We all want to welcome our new members Virginia and Frank Buccella (rejoiners) Mary, Ross and John de la Haye, Sue Farnworth, Eileen Hill, Jon Holmwood, and Kaye Harrington and Jeff Nesbit. We hope that our new members will get involved with our activities and enjoy our friendships while doing good things for the precious children of Orangewood.

Dee Wood informed me that our new member Marcia Heath purchased all the necessary materials and created over a dozen warm blankets and with Dee Wood delivered them to Orangewood. When the children arrive the first experience is the receiving a blanket to keep forever as well as a stuffed animal to keep forever. Thanks you so much Marcia.

Tim Branoff was born an identical twin in the Detroit area of Michigan. His father was a running back for the University of Michigan and his mother

worked as Ronald Reagan's personal secretary. Tim came to California in 1978 for our beautiful weather.

Tim and Karen met in 1990 while they were both selling real estate. They were married in 1991 in the home of Bill and Sarah Wilson, Karen's parents. They have two beautiful daughters; Sarah, 26, and Julia, 23.

As Vice President of the La Familia Orangewood, Tim assists Bill Wheeler in the monthly meetings. At the meetings, the kids and group leaders put in their requests for trips, blankets, electronics etc. The kids often attend the meeting to thank us for the items provided. This is why Tim volunteers, "To hear a 6 year old say thanks for something he or she has received is heartwarming."

Recently, Tim has been working on the project of a shade structure to cover the playground so the kids can play even when it is hot out. The shade structure and the game room were made possible thanks to the donations from Teri & Michael Feterik and Ellen & Don Goodwin.

Next year, when Bill steps down, Tim hopes to fill his shoes as the president of this group.

Tim and Karen have been selling real estate in this area for the last 30 years.

Coming events:

November, Tree Decorating Time (TBA) and December 4, Christmas Tree Wonderland.



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Anglers of Huntington Harbour

by Kathy Bayless



AHH Evening on the Bay hosts Rob and Gail Sebring.



AHH Duffy Cruise and Dinner hosts Mike and Pam Myers.

Friday evening June 28th 43 Anglers of Huntington Harbour members and guests gathered at the Humboldt Island waterfront home of Bob and Linda Axel for the groups June TGIF. Each of the Anglers brought one of their favorite appetizers or desserts to be enjoyed by all as they socialized and discussed upcoming events like the July Duffy Cruise and Dinner and the August Evening on the Bay. As a special treat the Axels provided a magician to entertain the crowd with some amazing magic. Attendees celebrating June birthdays included Cindy Harrison and Gail Sebring.

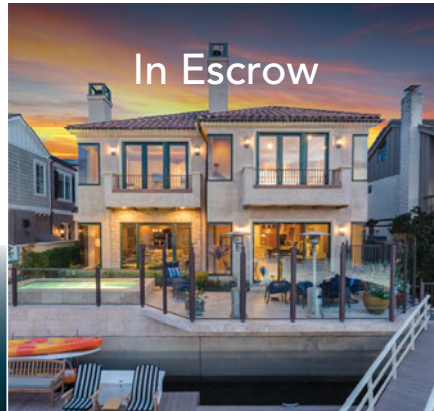
Saturday afternoon July 27th the Lupton, Axel and Pratto Duffys loaded with Anglers of Huntington Harbour took an appetizer cruise through the Harbour before docking at the new Davenport Island waterfront home of Mike and Pam Myers where nearly 40 members and guests gathered on the Myers waterfront dock overlooking Christiana Bay for dinner catered by Buon Gusto. As a special treat the Myers had one of their neighbors smoke dozens of slabs of ribs to supplement the dinner and the ribs became the star of the show,

The beautiful evening of Saturday

August 24th 40 Anglers of Huntington Harbour and guests met at the main channel waterfront home of Rob and Gail Sebring for the organizations Evening on the Bay. The Sebring's provided valet parking and attendees enjoyed live music and delicious passed appetizers on the Sebring's waterfront patio overlooking the main channel before sitting down for a feast of beef tenderloin and grilled wild salmon catered by Belle Fete. Attendees celebrating August birthdays included Helene Rowlette Charmaine Rood, Barbara Howland and Cindy DiBenedetto.



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Flying Dutchman Guild of the Segerstrom Center

by Linda Theile



The Flying Dutchman "Hulu Gang" at the Hawaiian Luau.



Hawaiian Luau Hosts - Chris and Marlene Nielsen.

The Flying Dutchman celebrated their annual fundraiser with a Fabulous Hawaiian Luau at the home of Chris and Marlene Nielsen. The Nielsen's provided the cocktail of the evening, Mai Tai's of course. Frank & Jeannie Gibson provided the wines for the evening.

Mike Nielsen and Joan Foote arranged and catered an authentic Luau dinner

with salads, teriyaki beef and delicious Kalua pulled pork on Hawaiian rolls.

Weikko and Jacki Wirta provided beautiful decorations and over the top entertainment with a Ukulele Duo playing beautiful Hawaiian music and a lovely Hula Dancer. The patio was decorated with Tiki Torches, Hawaiian Leis, signs & flowers. Each table was decorated with

a unique and beautiful Pineapple Floral arrangement.

After dinner and a few Mai Tai's later, the Hula Dancer selected several members from the group to learn to Hula. Some of the guys even wore coconuts and grass skirts! It was quite an evening of fun for everyone.

Huntington Harbour Junior Etiquette Program

by Susan Lipman



Dress rehearsal preparing for their first cotillion.

As HHJEP celebrates its one year anniversary, it is thrilled to be included in Harbour Light magazine. Developer and Headmistress, Doria C. Meralc, has long dreamed of offering an etiquette program for all children. Her goal is to educate, empower and enhance young people's experiences to give them an extra advantage as they grow up in today's world. She believes that acquiring proper social skills is imperative to a happy, healthy and successful future.

This exciting 501(C)(3) non-profit organization offers traditional and modern-day etiquette skills, along with a propriety curriculum which includes communication skills, dining etiquette, social and ballroom dancing, increasing self-confidence and respecting oneself and others.

HHJEP is open to all children from ages four to fifteen. The classes are held at the Huntington Harbour Mall in the HB Harmony Studio on Saturdays, beginning February 22nd through March 28th. Ages 4-7 meet from 2:00-3:15pm, and ages 8 to 12 & 13 to 15 meet from 3:30-5:00. Socio-economics is not a factor for HHJEP. Scholarships are available to make this opportunity open to all students.

At the end of this six week program, a dinner dance (cotillion) is held where students have the opportunity to utilize their new skills as they dine and dance with their parents and other students. HHJEP will be holding fundraising events twice a year to support the program. Visit our Facebook page (under our full name) for updates. We are accepting donations as well as looking for volunteers to assist with this program. All donations go directly for scholarships and for covering direct expenses incurred with such a program. All Donations are tax deductible.

We are currently accepting enrollment, so please register today, space is limited to 20 - 26 per age group. As we feel that we can provide a better retention, with our patented curriculum with a limited number of students.

Doria Meralc has a strong background in education and law. She has also been certified in Etiquette for Children and Teens. She has served on the boards of HHPC, La Familia Orangewood, Las Damas and Sunset Women's Club and many more. For information about HHJEP, contact Doria at (949) 200-0549 or Doria@HHJEP.org, www.HHJEP.org.

Seagate Yacht Club

by Pam Dake Jackson



VC Francis Okino presented Burgee to Craig and Kristi Whitacre.



Josef Davidovits and Felicia Emad HHYC Brunch Hosts.

It has been an interesting and very exciting summer for all of us. We want to welcome new members, Craig and Kristi Whitacre. Kristi is the daughter of long-time members, Hon. Commodore Bob and Joanne McCormick. Craig has already accepted appointed officer position of 2020 Port Captain.

SC Josef Davydovits and Felicia Emad graciously hosted the June 2019 Duffy Cruise to HHYC for their famous Sunday Brunch. It was a delightful day and cruising in the Duffy boats was a lovely way to spend the morning. The brunch was very lively with 4 Duffy's and 36 Seagate members and guests. The mimosas kept coming as we enjoyed a scrumptious brunch and great conversation. From the custom omelets to the giant waffles and biscuits and gravy everyone had their fill.

Tuesday Cruzin' continues again this year. Pelican Isle does a great job of hosting our happy, hungry members and guests. Mike and Sharon Courtway always make this happen, in spite of the construction issues around Pelican Isle. This is a favorite we all look forward to.

Thanks to the collective genius of hosts, Bob and Joanne McCormick, Mike and Sharon Courtway and Vaughn and Pat Jenkes, a new event was added this year. Shindig at the Clubhouse was held on a Friday evening. Everybody came to the Seagate Clubhouse with appetizers to share and the hosted beverages flowed. It was a great Friday happy hour close to home. We must do this one again.

We now anxiously look forward to the pleasure and recreation planned for the SYC members, friends and prospective members. At this writing the September exciting 3 day cruise to Two Harbors, Catalina has not yet occurred but you can be sure we will tell you all about it in the next issue.



Shindig Hosts - Courtways, Jenkes and the McCormicks.

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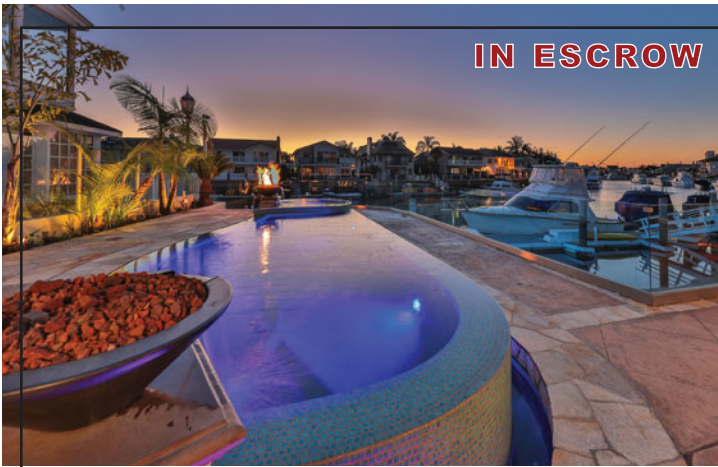




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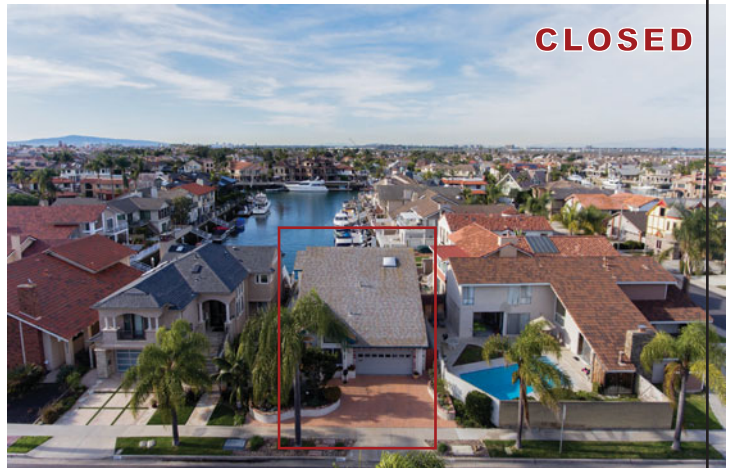
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Huntington Harbour Yacht Club

by Jim Cassidy

Hi to all our neighbors and the general boating community here in the Huntington Harbour. As always, things have been busy this summer at HHYC. After our highly successful Open House including a classic car show in June, our summer continued with a big July 4th event including a parade of many club member Duffy boats along the main channel with flags flying and patriotic decorations all around. The event finished up at our club with a casual BBQ with over 100 in attendance. Yummy

We have cruised through the sunshine of 2019 with club sponsored member trips to Marina Del Rey, San Pedro, and Catalina. These cruises always have special memories for the large number who participate. By the way, did you know that belonging to HHYC gives you the opportunity to visit neighbor yacht clubs as a member of the boating community?

Our award winning Sailing Foundation ran its sailing school very smoothly again this year. Nearly 100 young sailors learned the basics of this wonderful sport. Keep that in mind for next year when your children or grandchildren need some fun in the sun. We also held our annual charity foundation golf tournament at Meadowlark Golf Course plus a silent auction and dinner at the club for those more comfortable with land locked activities.

All summer our Commodores lounge has been busy as we listen to music, enjoy meals, and swap stories of boating and other local events among the membership. For example, two of our distinguished sailors crewed to bring a boat back from the Trans-Pac race (20 plus days at sea from Hawaii), and we were award winners in the national Predicted log races held in Chicago on Lake Michigan.

Following our recent Labor Day cruise to the Isthmus, trips to San Diego, Dana Point and Newport are among our upcoming activities. Social events on our horizon include a fun filled Sunday afternoon/evening organized by our wonderful Sea Belles where the theme is "Caribbean Nights" with live music and food that fits the genre. Lots more I could say about our fall event schedule but enough for now.

Interested in joining the fun? See our website at hhyc.org for information and lots of photos of our activities and call Shirley Wallace at (562) 592-2186 for information on joining. She is available for club tours Tuesday through Friday.



4th of July Duffy Parade.



Huntington Harbour Yacht Club's Annual Isthmus Cruise



Lots of people having a great time at the Annual Isthmus Cruise.

Sea Belles of the HHYC

by Ship's Hailer Lara Anderson



Sea Belles having Summer Fun on Mary Busche's patio: Lorraine Garafolo, Norma Cowles, Rita Collins and Michelle Brenner.

Our Mission Statement: The Sea Belles, is an auxiliary of Huntington Harbour Yacht Club. The purpose of this club is to promote friendship and unity among the women of the yacht club and to work in support of the yacht club and its activities, to serve their interests in creative ways, work closely with the HHYC Board and

to work in support of the yacht club and its activities.

If you are a member of HHYC we would love for you to join us! Our regular lunch meetings are usually at the same time as the Men's Lunch Cruise and you are welcome to attend as a guest to check us out. If you'd like to get even more

involved, our nominating committee is seeking candidates to fill our board and committee positions. Contact our Captain Ellie Winterfeld, First Mate Linda Nibeel, or Parliamentarian Carol Ventura.

Our regular meetings resumed on September 4th and featured a wonderful presentation from Holly Van Dorn with Pampered Chef organized by Cruise Director Jo Andrews. On September 21st we hosted the Caribbean Nights event.

Watch for details about a special October Fashion Show featuring Designer Details by Melinda Taddeo. Melinda says, "If a woman wears it, I sell it!! I go on many buying trips, (Dallas, New York,) so that I will have unique items that you don't see in other boutiques in Orange County. Come and have a fabulous time and bring your friends!"

Stop by the club or visit us on the web at www.HHYC.org for more information. Sea you at the Club!

Huntington Harbour Garden Club

by Doreen Hill



Custom "thank you" card from Edison High School Therapeutic Garden students, L to R: Pam Smart, Doreen Hill and Jo Andrews.

After a summer break, we are looking forward to seeing familiar faces at our September meeting. Unfortunately, we will be missing one of our longtime members, Norma Brandel Gibbs. Huntington Beach and the world lost a remarkable lady in August at the age of 94. She did so much for our city and others in her lifetime, such as, establishing

a home for battered women, foreseeing the need of open space and parks (H.B. Central Park), mentoring students at CSULB, active on the Council for Aging and countless other leadership roles, including mayor of Huntington Beach and Seal Beach. Many of us will attend her Celebration of Life September 21 at the H.B. Senior Center and hear more

about this amazing woman. She truly was an inspiration for a life well-lived.

We continue being proactive in our monetary support for our local school garden programs at Harbour View Elementary, Golden View Elementary and Edison High School. Though we are a small club, gems in the community like Shipley Nature Center and Norma Brandel Gibbs Butterfly Park garner our support as well. Recently the Blue Star Memorial, originally dedicated in 2006 at The Newland House, found a new home in the Urban Forest off Ellis. The H.B. Tree society has transformed this area of Central Park over the last 20 years-a must-see day trip.

Golden West College Floral Arts professor, Gail Call, will demonstrate seasonal arrangements at our September meeting. October we will make pumpkin or driftwood/succulent centerpieces. In November, our local Armstrong's Garden class instructor, Christine Lemus, will give a talk on Succulent Gardens. December is our holiday potluck and member arrangement friendly contest.

Please consider joining us on the third Tuesday of each month at 10 a.m. Call Connie Mandic at (714) 377-0017 or Doreen Hill (714) 878-3011.

FINS

by Barbara Devlin & Pearl Holmes



Barbara Devlin, Evelyn Bishop, Loretta Maiorana, Mary Johnston, Gloria Sliney and Marge Mitchell playing "Uno".



Pat Carr, Rita Collins and Marge Mitchell enjoying the FINS July BBQ at Loretta Maiorana's waterfront home.

FINS Daytime Gourmet meets every other month but every August members enjoy lunch out. This year the restaurant chosen was Las Brisas in Laguna Beach. Sitting by the windows enjoying the beautiful Ocean view with waves crashing on the rocks in the Pacific Ocean members enjoyed a wonderful crab salad luncheon with delicious cakes for dessert (Chocolate and Tres Leches cakes). Members enjoying the luncheon and the beautiful views of the Laguna Beaches were Betty McCarthy, Pearl Holmes,

Barbara Devlin, Mary Johnston, Loretta Maiorana and Marian Galanis.

A "Fourth of July" summer lunch party was held at the home of Loretta Maiorana on her beautiful waterfront deck where members enjoyed seeing the students in the Sailing Class practicing their skills in sailing. Members enjoyed a luncheon of various appetizers, salads and grilled cheeseburgers grilled by Mary Johnston and Jon Fults. Seen also enjoying the day were Rita and Bill Collins, Barbara and Ted Devlin, Pearl Holmes, Loretta Maiorana, Pat Carr, Betty McCarthy,

Barbara Simone, Lois Fults and Doreen and Gary Hill.


In August, Mexican Dominos was held at the home of Mary Johnston. Maggie Flavor was the winner. Also enjoying the game were Barbara Devlin and Pearl Holmes.

UNO was held at the home of Loretta Maiorana with Evelyn Bishop as Hostess of the day. Mary Johnston was the low scorer and winner of the day, the first time she won according to Mary. Low scorer of the day was Evelyn Bishop.

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Huntington Harbour Republican Women Federated

by Annette Eliot

When President Trump came to town, the Federation of Republican Women (FRW) were there to greet him. A contingent of FRW members, including HHRWF members Luanne Hallett and Annette Eliot, greeted President Trump when he came into LAX. The President took time out of his busy schedule to say hello, shake hands, and take pictures. "He looks so young in person," stated Annette Eliot, "Trump's energy and friendliness was overwhelming. This was a life highlight." He was in California attending fundraisers. Thanks to Shawn Steel, the Republican National Committeeman, for arranging the meet and greet at LAX.

Next up for the HHRWF is their fundraiser, the "Huntington Harbour Champagne Sunset Cruise and Dinner." The fundraiser is set to take place on October 12 from 4:00 PM to 8:30. Those attending will enjoy a sunset cruise with drinks and hors d'oeuvres then dinner at a beautiful Huntington Harbour home. For tickets or information call (714) 840-4841 or (714) 964-4536.

Our Next meeting is October 23, with speakers Tyler Diep, CA 72nd Assemblyman and John Moorlach, CA 37 Senator. Please join us, RSVP by calling (714) 846-4841 or (714) 964-4536.



Annette Eliot with President Trump during his visit.

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The event will include - Sunset Harbour Cruise with Champagne, wine, beer, and hors d'oeuvres, then dinner and drinks at a beautiful waterfront home. We hope you will come and enjoy the evening with us.

Featured Guest: Michelle Steel

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4:00 – 6:00 PM - Harbour Cruise and Dinner - Narrated Sunset Harbour Cruise aboard a luxury yacht viewing exteriors of beautiful waterfront homes and sunset over the ocean.
- Meet and Greet with Michelle Steel with photo op.

Served while cruising – Hors d'oeuvres, assorted Non-Alcoholic drinks, Champagne, wine, beer

6:00 – 8:30 PM - Dinner Only – After Cruising return to a beautiful waterfront home for Dinner, Entertainment, and opportunity drawings

COST – Harbour Cruise and Dinner - \$75.00, Dinner Only \$45.00

We are asking all members for your support, if you cannot attend please make a donation.

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Assistance League Huntington Beach

by Diane Dwyer



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As we enter the Fall season, it's time to reflect on what we have given back to our community, to reflect on what we are thankful for, and on what we can do to make a difference in our community.

Assistance League Huntington Beach is one of 120 chapters of Assistance League, a national 501(c)(3) organization whose mission is to "...transform the lives of children and adults through community programs". As a 100% volunteer organization of over 300 members, we are dedicated to making a difference in the lives children and adults in Huntington Beach, Fountain Valley and Westminster.

We are proud to say that this past year, through our programs, our members volunteered 66,000 hours, positively touching the lives of 14,475 children, homeless teens, college students, veterans, teachers, single parents and seniors.

As we close out our 69th year serving our community, our focus will be on two key programs: Links to Learning HB and Operation School Bell®. During September, Assistance League will have awarded \$115,266 in checks to 260 elementary and middle school teachers in Huntington Beach, Fountain Valley and Westminster. Throughout the end of the year, we will be providing approximately 1,600 children the opportunity to shop for school clothes and shoes at eight Operation School Bell® Target Nights in Huntington Beach and Westminster.

What are we thankful for?

We are thankful for the support of our loyal customers who donate their new and gently used clothing, home goods, and more to our thrift shop and then shop. By donating and shopping, they make it possible for Assistance League to have the best thrift shop which, in turn, supports our programs.

We are thankful for our dedicated members who volunteer countless hours working in our thrift shop and participating in our programs. They ensure that we are able to make a real difference in our community.

Last, but not least, we are thankful for the support we receive from our community partners, donors, sponsors and organizations such as the Chamber of Commerce, Huntington Beach Coordinating Council and the city of Huntington Beach. These individuals and organizations make it possible for Assistance League to become a part of something bigger.

Our philanthropic programs are funded by our Assistance League Thrift Shop, our annual Treasures by the Sea® fundraiser, grants and donations. You can help us transform more lives.

You can support our programs by donating to and shopping at our Thrift Shop. Our Thrift Shop is filled with great bargains on clothing for children

and adults, home goods, jewelry, linens, books, art, and a great vintage collection. Our Corner Boutique has a fabulous collection of designer clothing by brands such as Chicos, shoes, jewelry, and unique items. Every \$1 you spend helps to clothe a child, award \$ teachers, provide scholarships to students and more.

The holidays are a favorite time at our Thrift Shop. During the month of October, shop for your favorite Halloween and Fall merchandise. November 5th will see the opening of our magical Christmas Shop. Shop on-line with us on eBay, Craigslist and Amazon Smile.

Assistance League Thrift Shop is located at 8071 Slater Ave (just East of Beach Blvd.), Huntington Beach. We're open Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday 11:00 am – 3:00 pm and on Thursday 1:00 - 5:00 pm.

Make a cash donation to Assistance League of Huntington Beach. To make a donation, go to our website www.ALHB.org and click on the Donate tab.

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Huntington Harbour Art Association

by Jackie Dvorman



A day at the Laguna Beach Festival of Arts, Standing: Rhea Black, Marsha Hendler, Jean Erstling, Linda Sackin, Lilli Cutler, JoAnn Rossi, Barbara Simone, Nancy Phillips, Diane Moos, Kay Sullivan, Dorothy Boyer, Mary Lund, Elise Masseling, Betty Viers, Maria Viers – Sitting: Pat McKenna, Carrol Wolf, Jacqueline Dvorman, Janet Johnson, and Pam Smart.


There was a gathering of friends of Huntington Harbour Arts Association in September to welcome the fall season in the lovely canal side home of Linda Sackin. We couldn't promise a gondola as we have had in previous nights, but the golden sunset was reflected in the surrounding waters. It was truly a Mediterranean Night on the Bay with a taco bar and drinks catered by Achiotte Grill and planned by Doreen Hill and Linda Morrow.

The Annual Fiber Arts Show will be displayed on November 2 at the lovely home of Mary Lundin. There will be 100 exciting projects ranging from quilts to wearing apparel and wall hangings. The Highlight of the afternoon will be the drawing of the winning ticket for the lovely scholarship quilt designed by Linda Sackin. "Memories of Paris" the title of the quilt, was designed by Linda to reflect the paintings of Parisian artists. The proceeds from the raffle will be used to provide an art scholarship for a student at Golden West College. The winner of last years raffle, Kate Hoffman, Director of The Huntington Beach Art Center, was so thrilled by her winning prize ticket that she wrapped herself with the quilt and danced around the room.

Future activities include a luncheon at Mimi's Restaurant with a speaker from

California contemporary Arts displaying and discussing art of the present time. Also, a series of workshops and tours is planned with a possible tour of the Hollyhock House in Los Angeles and a

fun-filled workshop showing how to use men's silken ties to create handbags and wall hangings. The plans are exciting, and enthusiasm is high for the fulfilled year of the Art Association.



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Sea Isle Garden Club

by Caron Mount



Pictured here at the home of Adrienne DeWolfe: Cindy Broz Allen, Caron Mount, Adrienne DeWolfe, Lu Mendenhall, Mary Ann Brinket, Lucille Mascoli, and Carolyn Lloyd.

Sea Isle Garden Club began our fall season with a tour of our Edinger Parkway, led by Caron Mount, checking on the growth of the established plants, our 8 month old matijila poppies, the replacement foliage installed by the newly-constructed Edinger bridge by Seabridge, and the repair of Donor Recognition Plaque. At the Bonaire Clubhouse, we had a lively discussion of what would be our focus for the Parkway this coming year. Some areas of our garden seemed overgrown and others

under-watered, so our Edinger liaison will be communicating our concerns with the City of Huntington Beach. We then enjoyed a luncheon of sandwiches, salad, and dessert, arranged by our hospitality chairs, Lucille Mascoli and Lu Mendenhall. Secretary Cindy Broz Allen completed our yearbook, which was well received by all our members.

Our other activities for the year were planned in August at the summer board meeting hosted at the Humboldt Island home of our President Adrienne De Wolfe.

She treated us to fresh fruit, ham, cheese, and Parmesan flatbread sandwiches, snacks of nuts, white chocolate pretzels, and a cool refreshing beverage.

It's a team effort for programs this year, with Lu Mendenhall and Caron Mount organizing an October 9th meeting where we will be Decorating Pumpkins with Succulents. Treasurer Mary Ann Brinket is setting up an excursion and lunch at Rancho Los Alamitos on November 13. We were thrilled when Cindy Broz Allen was able to confirm that Marsha Henderl will host the December 11th Holiday Luncheon at her home, with our Hospitality chairs Lucille Mascoli and Lu Mendenhall assisting her by planning the menu with the caterer. In February, Adrienne will schedule a Master Gardener to bring us some good tips and ideas on taking care of our own gardens, whether large or small. Not only did our Treasurer, Carolyn Lloyd, come all the way from Utah for our board meeting, but she also agreed return in March to lead a card-making day for our members. So we have a very fun-filled year planned. If you would like to join us, please contact Cindy Broz Allen at (310) 245-8702 or Mary Ann Brinket at (310) 245-8702.

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Algorithms play a huge role not only in helping us make decisions but in influencing those decisions, too. Some people are alarmed about the potential for misuse and they may have good reason. An Amazon artificial intelligence algorithm that was designed to screen job applicants taught itself to weed out women by looking for certain keywords on their resumes. Researchers recently found that job-finding searches are less likely to refer opportunities for high-paying positions to women. These job seekers don't match the typical profile of people already holding those jobs—mostly white men.

Algorithmic lending systems tend to charge higher interest rates to Latino and African-American borrowers, not because they can detect the color of the borrower's skin, but because of ethnic purchasing patterns. Those demographic groups have been, in the past, less likely to shop online than their white Anglo peers.

Is help on the way? A recent article in Bloomberg notes that both the U.S. House and Senate are reviewing a bill called the Algorithmic Accountability Act of 2019, which would require companies to test algorithms for bias. In the U.K., a government-commissioned group comprised of technology experts, policy makers, and lawyers is working on a report that is expected to call for a universal code of ethics for algorithmic integrity.

What can you do? Be aware! Government regulations have proved less-than-perfect governors of behavior. But new laws would at least make it hard for companies to ignore issues that arise as they subtly, quietly, invisibly influence what we see, what is recommended, and how we're treated. It's a new age reminder of caveat emptor!

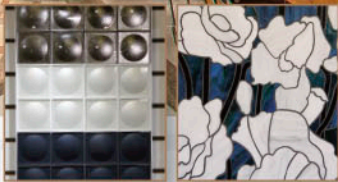
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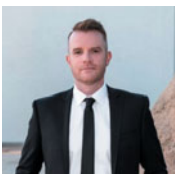
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