

## October 22, 2019

#### Tuesday- 22

10a Bible Study

11a Chair Exercise

1p Games Day

1p Duplicate Bridge

1p Shanghai

4:30p Poker Night

#### Wednesday-23

10a Fitness

1p Sewing Group

1p Canasta

**3p BOARD MTG** 

#### Thursday-24

10a Walk Aerobics

11a Chair Exercise

1p Bridge

1p Poker

1p Asian Mahjong

6p Shanghai

#### Friday-25

10p Fitness

1p Rummikub

1p Art Group

6p Shanghai

6:30p Halloween Party



#### Saturday-26

10a Walk Aerobics 11:00a Cardio Line Dancing

#### Sunday-27

**Clubhouse Closed** 

#### Monday-28

11a Fitness

1p American Mahjong

1p Poker

4p Int Line Dancing

6:30p Party Bridge

7p Choir



## Happy Boss's Day

On Boss' Day, October 16<sup>th</sup> the BellaVita staff surprised our property manager, Shannon Boogades, with some decorations, flowers and cards to show our appreciation of her leadership and support in BellaVita.



#### **NOVEMBER 2019 ELECTION**



There is a very important matter on the upcoming November 2019 ballot which bears your consideration I am taking this information from a recent news article. Look for Texas Proposition 4.

#### LOOK AT NOVEMBER BALLOT CAREFULLY. TEXAS INCOME TAX? VOTE YES

"For the upcoming ballot in November: One of the items will be TEXAS INCOME TAX. <u>If you don't want it, VOTE YES</u>, if you do VOTE NO. (a YES vote supports the amendment to permanently ban a state income tax. If you vote NO – thinking you are voting against a state income tax - you are voting against the ban and are voting for a state income tax). CONFUSING as always.

Just let everyone know about this voting ballot. Texas doesn't have a State personal income tax. NOT YET. But there are people working to change that. On Tuesday, November 5, 2019, we can vote to protect ourselves against this tax."

BE INFORMED. The BellaVita Arts and Crafts Room will be a voting site on election day from 7 a.m. – 7 p.m. Early voting begins October 21<sup>st.</sup> You can vote at any voting location in Harris County. If an "SOR" sign is displayed, you may be required to fill out a Statement of Residency if you are not voting in your precinct.



#### **BELLES**

The Bella Vita Belles Nominating Committee as prescribed in the by-laws is announcing that the Bella Vita Belles board is up for re-election.

The board positions are: President, Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary.

If anyone is interested in running for any of these positions please contact the Nominating Committee for guidance: Sandra Rodgers, Marcia Glatzer, Barbara Moore or Karen Wiggins. The BellaVita pool is in need of a volunteer to help with pool maintenance. If anyone is interested in this great endeavor please contact Dorothy Barrera at:

Phone # (713) 416-1530

#### **TEC Election of Officers**

A new term for officers of TEC, That's Entertainment Club, is forthcoming. As a citizen of Bella Vita, and an automatic member of TEC, you are eligible to serve on the TEC slate of officers consisting of President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. A valid candidate is one who has attended at least 8 monthly TEC meetings in the past 12 months.

To learn more, please contact Ed Jamison at 713-443-6585 or at ezlife71@comcast.net.

# Annex will be Closed



The Annex will be closed on

October 28th through

November 1st due to painting.

Clubhouse will still be available for routine events. Sorry for any inconvenience.

## FISH FRY

PRESENTED BY THE MEN'S CLUB



Menu

FRIED
CATFISH,
WITH
FRENCH
FRIES,
HOMEMADE
COLESLAW,
AND ADULT
BEVERAGE

Tickets
Dinner music by Traci Cooper
and Great Food!
Saturday, November 2nd
at 6:30pm

Tickets available at Clubhouse or from Sue Steik

#### MISTLETOE MARKET 2019 APPRECIATION RECEPTION

This event is for anyone that served on the

core-committee, admission, golf cart team, hostesses, and Treasure Box



FRIDAY November 1, 2019 6:00 TO 8:00pm

#### **DINNER | DESSERT AND DOOR PRIZES**

**CLUBHOUSE BALLROOM** 



#### Please RSVP and sign up at the front desk by 10/28/19

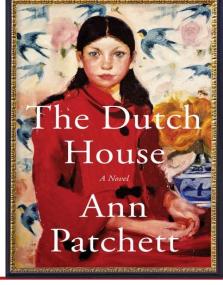
You all have worked so hard and we want to thank

you for your dedication to Mistletoe Market. It would have not happened without you.



## **The Book Review**

The next meeting will be
November 14 in the annex
at 1:00 pm.
The book is "The Dutch House"
by Ann Patchett,
--Norma Falco







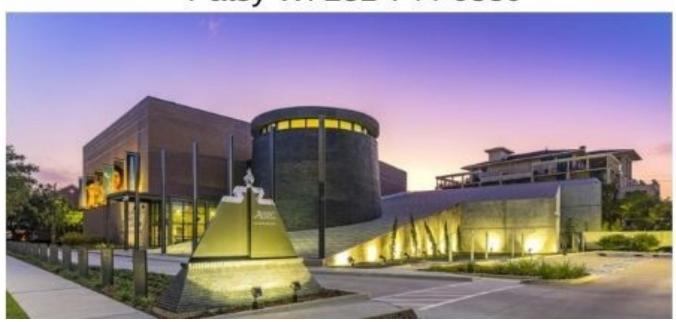
When: January 16, 2020

Meeting at the Clubhouse at 10:15a.m.

First we'll have lunch at PAPPADEAUX
then to the Holocaust Museum.

Returning to the clubhouse around
4:30p.m.

Cost: \$20.00 (Lunch is not Included)
Sign Up November 19, 2019 at 10a.m.
For any questions please contact
Patsy W. 281-744-0830



### The Villas Master Association, Inc.

For Villa D Este Villa Verde and BellaVita

#### **Notice of Town Hall Meeting**

The Villas Master Association would like to invite you to the Town Hall Meeting
On Wednesday, November 13, 2019 at 6:30PM Sign in to begin at 6:15 PM

This meeting is open to all homeowners and will be held at BellaVita Ballroom
1548 North Riviera Circle
Pearland, Texas 77581

The Association attorney will be present to discuss The Villas Master Association responsibility regarding the concrete perimeter fence repairs and other responsibilities of The Villas Master. The Board of Directors and Association Staff will also be present to address any questions, comments, concerns or suggestions you may have regarding your Community.

We look forward to seeing you there!

The Villas Master Association Board of Directors

#### **SHELTER NEEDS**

Bras (new, all sizes)

Underwear (Adult) (Child Sizes 4 – 7)

Diapers Size 4, 5 and 6

Baby Bath Tubs

Washcloths

Wal-Mart Gift Cards

Deodorant

Body Wash

Shower Gel

Shampoo/Conditioner

Toothpaste/Toothbrush

Air Freshener

Cleaning rags/supplies

Laundry Detergent

Bleach

Flip Flops (adult and children)

Feminine Products (Tampax/Pads)

#### **PANTRY NEEDS**

Coffee Creamer

Sugar

Ketchup

Mayonnaise

Mustard

Tuna/Chicken Packs

Crackers/Goldfish

Child friendly Snacks

Fruit Cups

8 oz. Cups

Plates foam (3 compartments)

Plastic Ziploc Storage Bags

Utensils

#### ANNUAL BELLES CLUB SPONSORED CHARITABLE EVENT

Shelter for Battered Women



We are collecting these items throughout October.
Please leave your donation at the box in the Clubhouse Lobby.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT.

## **IMPORTANT NOTICE!**

## There's bad news ...



And there's good news.

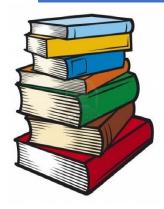


The BAD news is that the Library will be CLOSED from Friday, Oct 25 through Friday Nov 1.

The **GOOD news** is that the closure is required because of **new paint going up on the walls!** 

So, stock up while you can!

AND, just hold on to any books you have out now, as ALL the books will be removed from the shelves on Oct 25 in preparation for the painting. We'll let you know when **your library** is re-open for business!



BTW, did you know that **your** BV library currently houses **over 3400 BOOKKS** <u>for YOU</u>? And that's not counting the **MOVIES, AUDIO BOOKS, MUSIC, MAGAZINES. PUZZLES and MORE!** 





Please tell your Guests and Vendors Do NOT Tailgate.





Please be watchful where you park at the Annex.
There are only a few parking spots there, but
most are for either Handicapped Parking or 15
minute parking. If you park there for Gym use
and are there longer than 15 minutes, please
park in larger lot.



We are no longer receiving bills over \$20. If anyone comes and tries to pay with more than \$20, we will have to turn them away. Thank you for understanding.



During ticketed or private party events, the ice machine will not be available for personal, pool or other activity use to fill coolers or drink containers





ATTENTION RESIDENTS:

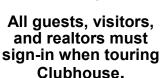
NO PETS ARE

ALLOWED IN THE CLUBHOUSE, ANNEX or

on the POOL DECK









Please make sure all Cats and Dogs are on Leashes

Please do not work on motor vehicles in the driveway or in the street. The BellaVita CCR Section 8 states that motor vehicles can only be worked on in the garage or an approved enclosure..



Please be considerate and pick up after yourselves when exiting the annex, ballroom, and kitchen areas.

We have found coffee grounds left over in the coffee maker in the kitchen, wrappers and food on the floor in the Annex, spilled soda in the clubhouse hallway, etc.

#### **IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT:**

#### PLEASE DO NOT PARK ON THE CURBS!!!

BellaVita owns our streets within the community and when the curbs are damaged the association has to repair/replace. Please be cautious.



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1<sup>st</sup> Ruben Castillo 2<sup>nd</sup> Nancy Anderson 3<sup>rd</sup> Nancy Hudson

### Tuesday, October 15, (Duplicate Bridge)

#### North/South

1st Gail McCullah – Pam Halloran

2<sup>nd</sup> Mary Ellen Henry – Carol Dyson

#### East/West

1<sup>st</sup> David Dommert – Jean Foltz

2<sup>nd</sup> Jim Reinders – Nancy Hudson

### Thursday, September17, (Duplicate Bridge)

#### North/South

1<sup>st</sup> Gail McCullah – Bill Harry

2<sup>nd</sup> Linda Aaron – Rhonda Bryant

#### East/West

1<sup>st</sup> Joyce Wormser – JoAnn Pierce

2<sup>nd</sup> Phyllis Chaney – Jean Foltz

Party Bridge is played on Monday evening at 6:30 PM. Experienced players do not need a partner to play but must

sign up in advance by calling Ruben or Pat Castillo.

Duplicate Bridge is played on Tuesday and Thursday afternoon at 1:00 PM and a partner is required. Partners must sign up in advance and may do so by calling Lyle Ganucheau.

## EMBALMING FLUID COCKTAIL



#### **INGREDIENTS**

#### INSTRUCTIONS

Mix all ingredients in a shaker over ice. Shake twice and serve in your most ghoulish of glasses.

- 1½ oz. mandarin vodka
- ½ oz. sour apple mix
- ½ oz. lime juice
- 4 oz. gingerale
- 2 drops green food coloring, optional

Now's the time to get that last swim in before winter! The Bellavita pool heaters will only be on until November 15th.



#### **Holiday Schedule**

If garbage collection day falls on a holiday, service will resume on the next regularly scheduled day. If recycling or yard trimmings pickup falls on one of these days, these services will skip that week and resume the following week.

If recycling falls on the same day two weeks in a row (Christmas and New Year's Day) Waste Management will pick up recycling the Saturday after the holiday.

#### Waste Management observes three holidays a year:

New Year's Day - January 1 - Tuesday

Thanksgiving Day - November 28 - Thursday

Christmas Day - December 25 - Wednesday



#### Int. Line Dancing Monday at 4pm

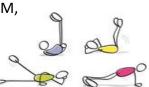


**Beg Line Dancing** Wednesday at 3:30pm

We meet on: Monday @ 11AM,

Wednesday @ 10AM and

Friday @ 10AM. See you there!



**Walking Aerobics Thursdays and Satudays** @ 10AM



**Gentle Chair Exercise Class 11am** Tuesdays and Thursdays in the ballroom on the big screen.





Come and join us on Monday at 1pm in the Annex.

Contact: Midge 281-460-4847





Every Wednesday, at IPM. In the annex

Contact Anne Valdez 713-306-3518

Come and join us on Thursdays at 1PM in the Annex.

**ASIAN MAH-JONGG** 



Rummikub





Fridays @ the Clubhouse1:00 PM Lots of fun! Good brain exercise!

Wednesday October 30 6:45pm in the BellaVita Ballroom

Come out to join the cardio line dance and have some FUN! Cardio line dance will meet at 11:00 every Saturday in the ballroom.



Tuesdays at 1PM in the annex FRIDAY AT 6pm IN THE ANNEX

Singles and couples are welcome. There are no partners in **Shanghai**. Please call Charlotte Goza

713-819-1881

to indicate your interest, and please let her know if you already know how to play.



Bible Study every Tuesday at 10 A.M.

This is a friendly reminder that the Clubhouse's hours are posted as follows:

#### **CLUBHOUSE HOURS**

Sunday....Clubhouse Closed

#### Monday....11a to 10p

Tuesday.....10a to 10p

Wednesday...10a to 10p

Thursday....10a to 10p

Friday......10a to 10p

Saturday .....10a to 6p\*

\*Closes at 6 PM unless there is a

#### Scheduled activity at clubhouse

Please be advised that the staff will **NOT** be opening the doors earlier than the specified times. **Please be cognizant of the times your activities begin if you don't wish to wait outside.** Thank you for your immediate attention to this matter.

## BEREAVEMENT COMMITTEE SPONSORED BY THE BELLES CLUB

#### **DID YOU KNOW?**

The Belles Club sponsors a Bereavement Committee to assist families with meal services on the death of a loved one in which the family wishes to use Clubhouse Facilities for a memorial reception.

The following are guidelines of the committee:

- Service offered <u>only</u> on the death of a resident;
- Family contacts the Clubhouse Manager to arrange for use of the clubhouse facilities;
- Clubhouse Manager contacts Bereavement Committee to assist family;
- Bereavement Committee provides salads, vegetable dishes, desserts, and tea/coffee/water. Family provides any other beverages of their choice;
- Bereavement Committee works with the clubhouse personnel and family on the set up and clean-up.

Sue Steik has graciously volunteered to serve as coordinator of the Bereavement Committee. The committee is comprised of volunteers from the Belles Club as well as any other residents of the community who would like to assist. You may contact Sue Steik if you wish to be on the list as a volunteer (281-464-9454).

BellaVita is a community committed to neighbors helping neighbors and this is just one small way in which we try to be a support in the loss of a loved one.

## Copy. Print. Fax. and more!

The Service Desk will provide the following FAX, Notary and Copy services for home owners:

- Long distance faxes \$1 for each page
- Sending local Faxes no charge
- NO International faxes
- Receiving Faxes 10 cents per page up to 25 pages and 25 cents per page over 25 pages.
- Notary services are free when a Notary is available.
- Notary services are for residents only. Please make appointment at the front desk.
- Scanning to email-No charge
- Copy Services 10 cents per page up to 25 pages and 25 cents per page over 25 pages.

The **Copy Center** copying guidelines for the BellaVita HOA Board, Board Committees and Clubs and Organization Officers are at no charge as follows:

- Maximum of 25 pages immediate copying
- Maximum of 400 pages 24 hour copying
- Over 400 pages one week copying
- Any specialty services (stapling, binding, hole punching, etc.) are the responsibility of the requester.
- All copies are black and white on white paper only.
- All specialty papers are to be provided by the requester.

**NOW OFFERING**: Laminating- 25 cents for 1/2 page and 50 cents for a full page.

## ARCHITECTURAL GUIDELINES REMINDER:

Remember to check the Architectural Guidelines before making any improvements or modifications to the exterior of your home or property. There are specific requirements for many changes.

The ARC Guidelines are on the BellaVita website along with an application which explains the time frame for approval and the documents required to be submitted.

The Rules and Regulations governing the use of BellaVita property (clubhouse, annex, pool and common grounds) state that no more than 10 guests per household are allowed. Exceptions to this rule are for Bereavement/Memorial services, private party rentals and events open to the public such as the Mistletoe Market. Your private homes are not governed by these Rules and Regulations.



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Katy, TX 77449

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Animal Control– City of Pearland- 281-652-1970

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Lawn Care—Rusticscapes - 832-620-6529

Street Light- Center point- 713-207-2222 Opt.5

#### **HOA Board of Directors**

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