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## Come Hear the Candidates

Don't miss this opportunity to meet the candidates. Find out which candidates will best represent us in city government.

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Julie Dojiri, Civic Affairs Committee Chairperson

Candidates for Treasurer, City Clerk, & Mayor  
Sunday, April 27<sup>th</sup> 2:00 – 4:00 PM Town Hall

Candidates for City Council  
Sunday, May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2:00 – 4:00 PM Town Hall

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## A VERY IMPORTANT MESSAGE

From Eileen Rivet

Planning for a trip can be a very tiring experience. It doesn't matter if it is a long or short trip, you need to take these two last very important steps.

1. Before you step out the door, throw the circuit breaker switch for your hot water tank.
2. Lock your front door and go to the hot water tank where your water shut off valve is located. Turn off the water.

If you follow these instructions you will never come home to the type of disaster that has happened to a few of our residents.

Also, please consider leaving a house key with your building coordinator or neighbor in case of any emergency.

**Please tape this message to the inside of your medicine cabinet**

## Welcome new residents

Kathleen and Robert Cupery Bldg. 206

## Volunteer needed

For an hour or less on **Thursday mornings**, as a newsletter delivery person substitute. Time of day is flexible - the earlier the better.

Deliver our Newsletter to some of our residents, if one of our regular volunteers was not available to do so on Wednesday.

The Newsletter staff.

## Bach's Lunchtime Recitals

Served Up with Fair-Trade Coffee, Freshly Baked Treats, and Seasonal Fruit Selections from the Farmers Market

**May 2, 2014, 12:15 to 12:45 pm.**

## Free, Donations Welcome

The popular *Bach's Lunch Recitals*, a favorite in the South Bay community for two decades, continues at First Lutheran Church of Torrance as *Bach's Lunchtime Recitals*. Half-hour performances by the finest artists to be found in Southern California will be followed by receptions, where you can share conversation with the artists and fellow music lovers/

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Since April is a no trip month, we move on to May. We have already nailed down a trip for May (we will be going to Laughlin). I had planned on going to Descanso Gardens and then the Norton Simon Museum in June. Unfortunately we will have to substitute another outing for this one because the barn at the gardens containing the tram we would be using burned down recently with the tram inside. We'll have to postpone this outing until Descanso Gardens obtains a new tram.

So, where to go. Since so many of us have eye trouble as we age, I thought it might interesting to "Meet the Miracle Workers." According to research, every 11 minutes a person in the United States loses their sight. As I said, diminished eyesight is part of the aging process. But, thanks to modern technology, living is becoming easier for the visually impaired. We begin our day at the Braille Institute, a service organization for blind and visually impaired adults. We'll see students attending classes and learning to live with their impairment. We'll learn the basics of Braille and see how brailleing is actually done.

We will then head over to Universal Citywalk's Saddle Ranch Chop House for a buffet lunch. The remainder of the afternoon is spent visiting Guide Dogs of America. For more than 50 years, Guide Dogs of America has bred, raised and trained some of the world's most dedicated dogs and matched them with blind people of all ages. On this tour we learn how the loving, working partnership of dog and human develops and is carried out.

On July 12, I thought we would take in a fascinating exhibit entitled "Pompei, The Exhibition" at the California Science Center. (More on this fascinating tour in the coming weeks). On Sunday, August 24, we will be attending a wonderful California Philharmonic concert entitled "Broadway and Bolero" at the Walt Disney Music Center. Music selections offered will be from "Chicago," "Evita," "Cats," "Bolero" and "Espana." Stay tuned for upcoming trips in September and October.

Attention all you gamblers! We are going to Laughlin in May for some casino fun. Actually, our May excursion will be the first of two Laughlin getaway trips this year, this one and the other in November. Our May trip is slated for Monday through Wednesday, May 5, 6 and 7. We will be staying at the Riverside Resort Hotel and Casino. The hotel has full gambling action including Bingo, a movie theater and is close to the outlet center. The cost for these three fun-filled days is \$116 per person double and \$134 for a single with vouchers for two breakfast buffets and one buffet of choice. We will be playing Bingo on the bus to and from Laughlin. The sign-up sheet is on the board.



**Comments:** It was a bit of a chilly day out there, today; but still we got 16 players to come out and have a go of it. Congratulations to all the winners, and thanks to everybody for coming out. Keep your eyes open for sign-up sheets for the Cuatro de Mayo tournament next month. They should be going up in the golf room in the next week or so..

<b>'A' Flight</b>	<b>Low Gross</b>	<b>Low Net</b>
Ray Tominaga	50	
Larry Neville		48 (tie)
Jim White		48 (tie)
<b>'B' Flight</b>		
John Calhoun	62	
Paul Cohen		42
Hole in one: none.		
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**LADIES' GOLF RESULTS Thu Apr. 17**  
Renee Chang and Mathilde Lax.

Cool day, but fun to play.

**Winners**

<b>Flight A</b>	<b>Low Gross</b>	<b>Low Net</b>
Renee Chang	51	
MaryLee Lombardi		45
<b>Flight B</b>		
Barbara Helm	66	
Elisabeth McCue		50
Hole in one: none.		

**Pancake Breakfast**

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By Phyllis Mathis

**Comments:** Saturday’s Crazy Golf tournament surely lived up to its name. There were lots of golfers walking around pulling their hair, and there was no shortage of salty language (at least in our group). But that’s what makes it so much fun. A few holes were tweaked a bit from last time, making some play harder and some play easier. All in all there was something for everyone. Next time, though, I’m voting for using the regular (big) mats to tee off from. Congrats to Renee Chang for her ace on #7.

Next month’s tournament will be held on Sunday, May 4<sup>th</sup>. It has been dubbed the “Cuatro de Mayo” tourney. So we can expect a real fiesta, complete with a Mexican lunch. Sign up in the Golf Room as soon as the sheets go up and plan on donning your finest sombrero. If we play our cards right, maybe we can squeeze some Margaritas out of the powers-that-be. Come to the Golf Committee meeting at 6:00 pm on April 30<sup>th</sup> to make your suggestions and take part in the planning and running of the tournament.



<b>Women: Flight A</b>	<b>Low Gross</b>	<b>Low Net</b>
Kay Mori	52	
MaryLee Lombardi		45
<b>Flight B</b>		
Norma Maurer	63	
Barbara Helm		50
<b>Flight C</b>		
Elisabeth McCue	66	
Marge Frye (tie)		54
Mathilde Lax		54

<b>Men Flight A</b>		
Ray Tominaga	51	
Rich Stoffer		48
<b>Flight B</b>		
Gene Aurand	55	
Fred Kobliek		50
<b>Flight C</b>		
Bob Branning	61	
Paul Cohen		51

Hole in one: Renee Chang - # 7 hole



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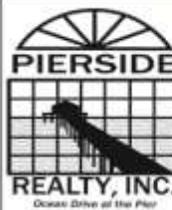
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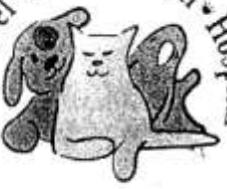
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<p><b>HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!</b> MAY 11</p>	<p><b>HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!</b> MAY 11</p>	<p><b>Memorial Day</b> MAY 26</p>				
<p><b>4</b> 9:00 am Golf "Cuatro de Mayo" 2:00 - 4:00 pm Torrance City Election candidates' forum - Town Hall</p>	<p><b>5</b> <b>TRIP TO LAUGHLIN</b> 10:30 am Bridge Club 11 am Grounds Maint. 3 pm Rec. Council 6:45 pm Line Dancing Celebrate birthdays</p>	<p><b>6</b> 9 am Ceramic Wkshop 10 am Exec. &amp; Rules 10:30 am Personnel Mtg 10:45 am B. I. S. Mtg. 1 pm. Scrabble -Card Rm 2 pm Clubhouse Mtg 3 pm Civic Affairs</p>	<p><b>7</b> 8 am Men's Golf 10 am Residents and Orientation 7 pm Golf Mtg</p>	<p><b>1</b> 8:30 am Women's Golf 7 pm Travel Club Mtg <b>Maint. Fee \$284 Due</b></p>	<p><b>2</b>  <b>Recyclables Pick-up</b> CRV bottles &amp; cans only 1 pm Sit 'n Knit - Lounge</p>	<p><b>3</b> 8 am - 11 am <b>Pancake Breakfast</b></p>
<p><b>11</b> <b>Mothers' Day!</b> 1 pm Getting to Know You - Lounge</p>	<p><b>12</b> 10:30 am Bridge Club 10:30 am Insurance Mtg. 1:30 pm Condo Code Mtg. - Lounge 6:45 pm Line Dancing</p>	<p><b>13</b> 9 am Ceramic Wkshop 11 am Treasurer's Mtg 1 pm. Scrabble -Card Rm 6:30 pm Bunco</p>	<p><b>14</b> 8 am Men's Golf <b>1:30 pm Board Workshop</b></p>	<p><b>15</b> 8:30 am Women's Golf 1:30 DMT Meeting, members and bldg. coordinators, Town Hall</p>	<p><b>16</b> 1 pm Sit 'n Knit - Lounge</p>	<p><b>17</b></p>
<p><b>18</b> 1 pm Getting to Know You - Lounge</p>	<p><b>19</b> 10:30 am Bridge Club 1 pm Conservation Club Mtg. - Lounge 6:45 pm Line Dancing</p>	<p><b>20</b> 9 am Ceramic Wkshop 9:30 am Architectural Comm. Mtg. 10:15 am Newsletter &amp; Publicity Mtg. 1 pm. Scrabble -Card Rm 1 pm Silver Belles</p>	<p><b>21</b> 8 am Men's Golf <b>3 pm Board Meeting</b></p>	<p><b>22</b> 8:30 am Women's Golf</p>	<p><b>23</b> 1 pm Sit 'n Knit - Lounge</p>	<p><b>24</b></p>
<p><b>25</b> 1 pm Getting to Know You - Lounge</p>	<p><b>26</b> <b>9:00 am Memorial Day Golf Tournament</b> <b>11 am Memorial Day Picnic!!</b></p>	<p><b>27</b> 9 am. Ceramic Wkshop 9:30 am. Bldgs &amp; Pools Mtg. 1 pm. Scrabble -Card Rm</p>	<p><b>28</b> 8 am Men's Golf 7 pm C/C Mtg. 50/50 Raffle</p>	<p><b>29</b> 8:30 am Women's Golf <b>1:00 pm Keep Safe Anti-scam workshop</b> Town Hall</p>	<p><b>30</b> 7 am Employees' Safety Mtg. Town Hall 1 pm Sit 'n Knit - Lounge</p>	<p><b>31</b></p>

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