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ARE YOU HAVING FUN - in the sun? - at the pool? - fishing? - traveling? - entertaining? WONDERFUL:

THINK FALL

BINGO: :

The Recreation Committee would like to start a <u>Bingo Night</u> this September. Volunteers are needed to help with this program. If you have previous experience, WE NEED YOU: Leave a note at the front desk for Irmgard Jung, unit 913 West.

From

Management

NEW BULLETIN BOARDS

A NEW BULLETIN BOARD HAS BEEN INSTALLED IN EACH MAILROOM LOBBY FOR OFFICIAL ASSOCIATION USE ONLY, SCHEDULED COMING EVENTS WILL BE POSTED ON THIS BULLETIN BOARD REGULARLY.

CONGRATULATIONS, LIFEGUARDS!

WE HAVE RECEIVED MANY COMPLIMENTS ON THE TERRIFIC JOB OUR LIFEGUARDS ARE DOING THIS YEAR AT THE POOL AND EXTEND CONGRATULATIONS TO CRAIG, INGRID AND DEAN FOR ALSO RECEIVING THE "POOL OF THE MONTH" AWARD FROM APPROXIMATELY 40 OTHER POOLS THEIR COMPANY OPERATES IN THE NORTHERN VIRGINIA AREA. KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK!

P. S. SWIMMING LESSONS ARE AVAILABLE AT OUR POOL. SEE THE LIFE-GUARDS FOR DETAILS.

PROPER ATTIRE IN THE LOBBY

WE WOULD LIKE TO REMIND ALL RESIDENTS AND GUESTS THAT PROPER ATTIRE IS REQUIRED WHEN IN THE COMMON AREAS OF THE BUILDING. PLEASE REMIND GUESTS THAT SHOES AND SHIRTS MUST BE WORN TO ENTER OUR LOBBY.

INTRODUCING

CHRISTINE CHURCH, OUR NEW ASSISTANT MANAGER JOINED US IN JULY. CHRIS WAS BORN IN SINGAPORE AND TRAVELED EXTENSIVELY THROUGHOUT THE FAR EAST WITH HER FAMILY. AS A RESULT, SHE ENJOYS GOURMET COOKING WITH AN ORIENTAL FLARE.

CHRIS COMES TO US FROM A CONDOMINIUM GARDEN COMMUNITY IN NORTHERN VIRGINIA WHERE SHE WAS AN OWNER AND THE RESIDENT MANAGER.

I promised a short column this month, so here it is, one of my Favorite Fables (author unknown):

"YOU THINK YOU'RE WORKING HARD"

There aren't as many people actually working as you may have thought. At least not according to this survey: the population of the country is 200 million, but there are 72 million over 60 years old, leaving 128 million to do all the work. People under 21 total 79 million which leaves 49 million to do all the work. But there are 26 million who are employed by the government & that leaves 23 million to do all the work. Ten million are in the armed forces, leaving 13 million to do all the work. Deduct 12,800,000, the number of State & City offices & that leaves 200 thousand to do all the work. There are 126 thousand in hospitals, insane asylumns & so forth, & that leaves 74 thousand to do all the work. But 62 thousand of those are bums or others who will not work, so that leaves 12 thousand to do all the work. Now it may interest you to know that there are 11,998 people in jail, so that leaves just two people to do all the work. And that is you and me.

And Brother, I'm getting tired of doing everything by myself!

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So many people have enjoyed the Exercise Classes that have been offered here at the House, but for those of you a tad too indolent (that's fancy for lazy) to want regimented or strenuous work-outs, here are my easy exercises for correcting Tummus Protrudis (translation: Pot Belly).

At the office while filing, or when waiting for an elevator, or at home standing at the kitchen sink: pull abdominal muscles in, tighten & hold 8-10 seconds. Do this once an hour & in a week you'll notice results (no kidding). Also can be done in the car (perhaps each time you have to stop for a light) but be sure you're sitting up straight with spine against back of seat. This particular exercise is good on long auto trips as it relieves tension & helps fight sleepiness.

Our very Best Wishes for a Happy Birthday in August go to MILTON KAMINSKY (on the 8th) and BETTY MANTON (the 19th).

Quip-for-the-day: Just when you thought you could make ends meet, someone moved the ends!

'Til the next time

SKYLINE HOUSE CLASSIFIED COLUMN

" DDDS 'n ENDS "

- WANTED Babysitter; for weekday evenings & weekends, for 8 yr. old & 2 yr. old. \$1.50 per hour. Call Betsy Russell (H) 998-0126 (O) 328-4500
- FOR SALE Contemporary Karastan rug, 6 x 9, off-white color, thick pile w/design; 60% wool 40% nylon pile; \$600 value, asking \$400 (includes \$50 pad). Call Mrs. Huppert (H) 931-5459 (O) 232-4400
- FOR SALE Bathroom ensemble; new shower curtain & liner, butterfly/autumn print, w/matching waste basket, cup & bath rug. \$15 or best offer. Call Mary, 820-5685
- FOR SALE 15.7 cu.ft. GE frostless refrig/freezer; rolls for easy cleaning; excellent condition; best offer.

 Call 931-2697 between 2 4 p.m. only.
- FOR SALE Skyline House East, 2 bdrm, 2 bath, "Chadwick" model, upper floor, 1,413 sq.ft., SE exposure.

 Owner willing to finance. Price & terms negotiable.

 Call 549-7494 after 7 p.m.
- FOR RENT Indoor garage space #359-E, available immediately at \$50 per mo. Would prefer 1 yr. lease. Call Mr. Armstrong (H) 823-2599 (O) 960-5324

To place your ad free in the "Odds 'n Ends" column, submit your brief message to JAN FLYNN #909-W no later than August 15th to be included in the September issue of "The House Special".

CARD - GAME NIGHTS

The Recreation Committee is lining up House residents who wish to play poker, canasta, bridge, man jongg, gin rummy, rummikub, etc. We will have set evenings in the Card Rooms of both buildings. The Committee will provide playing cards, score cards and hot coffee and tea. Man jongg and rummikub sets will have to be provided by those playing.

If you are interested, leave a note at the front desk for Chris Bicksler, unit 301 West, specifying your choice of game and evening.

HOUSE AFFAIRS

New, eight-week exercise classes will begin Tuesday morning, August 11, and Thursday evening, August 13, WEST Party Room. Watch for flyer giving complete details.

Friday, August 7th, cocktail party, 6:30 p.m., EAST Party Room.

Bring your favorite liquid (including mix) and if you wish, bring snacks to share. Your guests are welcome. Dress is casual.

FRIDAY NITE AT THE (HOUSE) MOVIES. Join us on the pool Sun Deck for an "oldie but goodie" movie, Friday, August 21, 8:15 p.m. Bring your own refreshments. No charge, but as seating space will be limited, reservations will be required. More later . . .

August ushers in Wednesday evenings at the Pool <u>Sun Deck</u> for the 3-D's - Drinks, Desultory Discussion and Deacceleration. Bring your own of everything you need (ice included). Guests, as always, are welcome. 6:30 to 8 p.m. each Wednesday, weather permitting.

September events will include a covered dish dinner and, of course, our TGIF on Friday, September 4, WEST Party Room.

Coming Next Month - Rita's Pigeon Episode

The continued publication of THE HOUSE SPECIAL depends on your cooperation and participation. Reports from committees and/or items of interest to Skyline residents must be sent to Marden Kimball, 513-W by August 20.

INVOLVEMENT BRINGS JOY:

** THIS MONTH'S EVENTS **

Friday Night Cocktail Party, Friday, August 7, 6:30 PM East Party Room. Everyone's invited: singles, couples and guests of both. No charge. No reservations required. Bring your own drinks, mixes and snacks to share. Casual dress.

Friday Night at the (House) Movies. Join us on the Pool Sun Deck for an "oldie but goodie" movie. Friday, August 21, 8:15 PM. Bring your own refreshments. No charge, but as seating space will be limited, reservations will be required. Watch for details. Held in East Party Room in event of rain.

Wednesday Happy Hours. Every Wednesday in August (weather permitting) 6:30 to 8:00 PM, Pool Sun Deck. Join us for the 3D's: Drinks, Desultory Discussion and Deacceleration. Bring your own of everything you need: drinks, mixes, plastic glasses, napkins, etc. Guests are welcome.

Slimnastics. Continuation of eight week classes and new classes beginning the week of August 10. Tuesdays at 10:00 AM or Thursdays at 7:00 PM, new classes West Party Room. Reservations and advance payment required. Flyers with details at desk.

Committee Meetings - Unless otherwise noted all meetings will be held in the West Card Room at 8:00 PM. Meetings scheduled this month when the calendar went to press:

Architectural Planning and Control - Tuesday, August 4
Financial Management and Administration - Monday, August 24
Physical Plant Operations - Thursday, August 13
Recreation - Thursday August 6
Community Relations - Tuesday, August 11, room to be announced.

Board of Directors Meeting - Tuesday, August 25, 7:30 PM East Card Room

COMING EVENTS

September 4 - Friday happy hour.
Covered dish/Potluck dinner - to be announced.