

The Mussell Messenger

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DECEMBER 2019 - JANUARY 2020



Carolyn Cabrera

President's Message ~

I was awakened the other morning early (since my sleep patterns seem to be disturbed by the time change) with the thoughts about life and how we go about doing this process called life. Can we dare call it an adventure or is it just a journey. Do we know where we are going all the time or is it more uncertain? I decided to call "life" an adventure instead of a journey. Adventure is defined as an exciting or very unusual experience, bold. I liked that! So, this adventure of life can be exciting instead of routine. Of course, it is made of different sections of time.

As we grow up that is structured as a child but think about where you have been. That is why the senior population has such depth. When you sit and talk to each other there is such a history of adventure.

Keep exploring where you can go on the **Adventure of Life**. Come to the Mussell Senior Center. Get involved in activities. Spend time with others and expand your **Adventure**. I enjoy sharing life's adventures with you all.

Our **December Membership Meeting** will feature a delicious **Christmas Dinner** prepared by Jovi's Delight, featuring ham, scalloped potatoes, vegetables, salad, and spice cake! Our program will feature **Coastal Voices**, singing holiday songs! Please note, this meal is a bit higher in cost than our regular monthly meetings. We will also be voting on the 2020 Board of Directors. All current Board members have agreed to serve for another year, but we still have an opening for Member at Large. If anyone is interested in this position, please contact me!

Our **January Membership Meeting** will feature lemon chicken, rice, steamed veggies, tossed salad, and toasted almond cake. In addition to our guest speaker, we will induct our 2020 Board of Directors!

Have a Blessed Christmas and a great start to a New Year in 2020!

~Your President, Carolyn

RECEPTION DESK HOLIDAY HOURS

NO Hours: Monday, December 23 - Monday, December 30

Limited Hours: December 31, January 2 & 3 ~ 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Santa Maria Valley Senior Citizens Club

Central Coast Active Adults!

Our Mission:

Our purpose is to promote the happiness of active adults 50+ so they may enjoy life to the fullest. We provide fun and interesting activities, opportunities, and information. We do this while espousing no political, religious, philanthropic, ideological, or social enterprise.

2019-20 Officers & Committee Chairpersons

President:	Carolyn Cabrera	805-448-0623	ccabrera48@verizon.net
Co-1st Vice President:	Judy Garrett	805-927-6807	mrsclif1@gmail.com
Co-1st Vice President:	Annie Lawrence	805-903-3170	annieink@sbcglobal.net
Co-2nd Vice Presidents:	Ray & Alice Torres	805-931-0305	pelon@charter.net
Treasurer:	Christel Kurth	805-332-3328	kurth1313@comcast.net
Recording Secretary:	Judy Lindquist	775-813-5186	judybluenote@gmail.com
Corresponding Sec.:	Laura Selken	805-406-9989	laura.selken@gmail.com
Member-at-Large:	OPEN	Contact Carolyn	if you are interested
Receptionists:	OPEN	Contact Carolyn	if you are interested
Sunshine:	Simone Gillogly	805-925-6267	
Travel:	Kathy Doty	805-937-0314	dudoty@comcast.net
Recreation Coordinator:	Barbara Wiley	925-0951, ext. 2264	bwiley@cityofsantamaria.org

IT'S THAT TIME AGAIN . . .



PLEASE RENEW YOUR
MEMBERSHIP TODAY!



\$20 PER PERSON PER YEAR

NOTE: IF YOU RENEW IN PERSON, JUST CHECK YOUR INFORMATION IN THE MEMBERSHIP BINDER.

IF THERE ARE NO CHANGES, YOU DON'T HAVE TO FILL OUT A NEW FORM!

YOU MAY ALSO MAIL IN YOUR RENEWAL TO PO Box 6688, SANTA MARIA, CA 93456.

BE SURE TO INCLUDE A SELF-ADDRESSED STAMPED ENVELOPE SO YOUR NEW CARD MAY BE MAILED TO YOU.

Visit our website: smvsc.org

You'll find the current month's newsletter on the home page, along with special events and important information. Explore other areas of the site by clicking on various sections in the upper right side, including a calendar of events, senior resources, & past newsletters.

NOTE: Your Club offers **FREE Wi-Fi** at the Center **plus** two laptops & several tablets are available to use in the lobby area **at NO CHARGE** thanks to the City of Santa Maria!

Traveler's Annual Thank You Party!

WHEN: Sunday, January 26, 2020 ~ 1 to 4 p.m.

WHERE: Santa Maria Elk's Lodge, 1309 N. Bradley Rd.

COST: Travelers ~ \$5 — Guests ~ \$20

TICKETS ON SALE TUESDAY, DEC. 3 - THURSDAY, JAN. 9

(during regular office hours)

FUN ~ FOOD ~ MUSIC ~ DANCING ~ PRIZES

featuring



Hours: Tues., Wed., Thurs., 12:30 – 3:45 p.m. / Office Phone: 805-349-0688

FIRST DAY SALES ~ “FIRST” MONDAY MORNING OF THE MONTH

Roger Rocka's "The King & I" (March 22) & Laughlin, Nevada (April 27-30)

UPCOMING TRIPS SCHEDULED/UNDER CONSTRUCTION FOR 2019/2020:

December 4 ~ Cambria Christmas Market - Festival of Lights **\$45***

Leaves at 4 p.m. sharp. ***Waiting List***

January 15, 2020 ~ Buck Owens' Crystal Palace - Bakersfield \$98*

Includes dinner (steak, chicken, pork chops, or salmon) at the Palace and entertainment to be announced! ***Limited Seats Available!***

January 27, 2020 ~ Trip Presentation - San Diego **\$TBA***

More information to come for this trip planned for mid-May!!

February 9-12, 2020 ~ Las Vegas **\$213 Dbl., \$280 Sgl.***

Don't miss this trip! We'll be staying at the Golden Nugget!

February 24, 2020 ~ Trip Presentation - Eastern Canada \$3449 Dbl., \$4399 Sgl*

More information to come!!

February 27, 2020 ~ Hearst Castle

More information to come!!

March 22, 2020 ~ Roger Rocka's Dinner Theater - Fresno

“The King and I”

April 5-9, 2020 ~ Spotlight on San Antonio

\$1999 Dbl., \$2399 Sgl.*

Mission San Jose • The Alamo • Paseo del Rio Cruise • LBJ Ranch • Fredericksburg • choice of South Texas Heritage Center or San Antonio Botanical Gardens • El Mercado • Olive Orchard ~ includes five days/four nights hotel accommodations and five meals.

April 27-30, 2020 ~ Laughlin, NV

\$TBA*

More information to come!!

May 2020 ~ San Diego

Please call the office (see top of page) or check the board for updates on trip prices. Thank you for your patience!

\$TBA*

More information to come!!

June 2020 ~ San Luis Obispo Repertory Theatre

\$TBA*

“The Marvelous Wonderettes” musical featuring classics from the 1950s & 60s.

August 2020 ~ Roger Rocka's Dinner Theater - Fresno

\$TBA*

“Guys and Dolls”

September 30-October 8, 2020 ~ Eastern Canada

\$3449 Dbl., \$4399 Sgl*

More information to come ~ trip presentation February 24, 2020!!

***All prices are per person** **Travel Office Closed 12/20/19-1/5/20**



Check out our Facebook page: “**Santa Maria Senior Travel**”





GREETINGS FROM THE RECREATION & PARKS DEPARTMENT

“Here we come a caroling among the leaves so green” Yes indeed there will be plenty of caroling this month for the Wiley Family! We sure love all the music of the season, and we will be out caroling several times this season!

As we close one year and welcome the next, there are a few dates and reminders to share.

- 🔔 We will **“Deck the Mussell Halls”** on **Monday, December 2, from 9 a.m. to Noon**. Our decorations will be mainly in the lobby since the meetings rooms are often rented by folks who prefer their own décor for their events. We need volunteers to help with our tree, wreaths, and table décor. No experience necessary.
- 🔔 Enter yourself or a neighbor in the annual **Lights, Sights and Holiday Nights Contest** by submitting their address, phone number, if available, and up to three photos. Send to: rpinfo@cityofsantamaria.org. Deadline for nominations is December 10th (see flyer at right).
- 🔔 **City Tree Lighting** will take place at the corner of Cook and Broadway on **Saturday, December 7**, just before the start of the Rotary Parade of Lights. Event begins **at 4:30 p.m.** and will include music by the Coastal Voices Carolers.
- 🔔 There is still space available for the **December 10th Make & Take Craft Class**. Offered at EMSC twice that day for your convenience, you may choose either 10-11:30 a.m. for ages 50+ and 6-7:30 p.m. for ages 18+. Class is free with a \$13 materials fee. Preregistration in advance online is preferred but let us know if you need to register on-site. The December project is a custom artificial wreath to keep or make as a gift.
- 🔔 The annual **Lights & Sights Bus Tour** will take place at **5:30 p.m. on December 18th and 19th**. There is no cost to attend and registration opens December 2nd. Just call the front desk (805-925-0951, ext. 2207) to let us know you’d like to join the holiday fun! Bus tour includes games, songs, lots of lights, and a possible visit with Santa Claus himself! (Depending on his busy schedule.)
- 🔔 There are **no Senior Club receptionists at the Center from December 23-30, and limited hours Dec. 31, Jan. 2, & Jan. 3.** Some programs are taking time off during late December, but the building WILL be open **EXCEPT December 25 and January 1.**
- 🔔 We’ve been busy planning new classes for 2020. We will share all of our **“2020 Vision”** soon, but for now, please mark your calendars for the **Mah Jongg Tournament** on Friday, January 24, the **Furr-Ever Valentine Pet Adoption Day** and mobile clinic on Thursday, February 13, and a special **Valentine’s Day dance** event on Friday, February 14, that’s bound to make your sweetheart smile!

A Hug. A kind word. A hand to hold. The greatest gifts of all. May you give them freely and receive them abundantly this holiday season and throughout the New Year.

Merry Christmas, Happy Hanukkah, and Happy New Year from all of us at the Recreation and Parks Department!!!

Now back to more caroling !

~ Barbara Wiley, Recreation Coordinator
805-925-0951 ext. 2264, bwiley@cityofsantamaria.org



The City of Santa Maria Recreation & Parks Department and Commission invite you to participate in the 23rd Annual



Lights, Sights, & Holiday Nights

HOLIDAY DECORATION CONTEST

'Tis the season to be jolly and spread holiday cheer throughout the community with our Holiday Decoration Contest!

The community can nominate their favorite decorated residence, business, or church and a committee will select the winning displays! A special "Neighborhood Spirit Award" will be given to the neighborhood that best showcases the spirit of the season!

AWARDS WILL BE GIVEN TO WINNERS IN THE FOLLOWING CATEGORIES:

2019 Best Decorated Rookie Residence – Best decorated new entry.

Clark Griswold – Spectacular lighting display with motion lights, music and/or animatronics.

Norman Rockwell – Nostalgic displays with a focus on classic elegance.

Simply Christmas – Simply decorated homes full of the Christmas Spirit.

Holiday Hall of Fame – Previous winners selected for the Holiday Tour Map.

To nominate an entry, please submit up to three (3) photographs of the location, the address of the entry, and a contact phone number for the location (if available).

Submit entries to
rpinfo@cityofsantamaria.org

Please include
"Lights and Sights Contest"
in the subject line.

Nominations
accepted
November 16th
through
December 10th

Final Judging
will take place
on Thursday,
December 12th from
5:00 PM to 9:30 PM.

Please have
all lights
on during
judging hours.

Only those nominated will be judged. Individuals can nominate their own display. The Santa Maria Recreation and Parks Commission will judge nominations within the Santa Maria city limits. Winners will be announced Friday, December 13, 2019 with special recognition given to the winners at the Santa Maria City Council Meeting at 6:30 PM on Tuesday, December 17, 2019. For more information and contest guidelines, visit www.cityofsantamaria.org or call the Santa Maria Recreation & Parks Department at (805) 925-0951 ext. 2260.



MAKE & TAKE HOLIDAY WORKSHOP

Learn how to create fun and stylish holiday décor!

Classes held at the
Elwin Mussell Center, 510 East Park Avenue,
and are free with a \$13 materials fee for
the finished take-home project.

Space is limited. Register online at
www.cityofsantamaria.org/register

For more information, contact the Santa Maria
Recreation and Parks Department at (805) 925-0951 ext. 2260



December 10
Customized Holiday Wreath

10 AM-11:30 AM • Ages 50+

6 PM-7:30 PM • Ages 18+



Learn All About Medicare

New to Medicare

Let us help you
understand your
Medicare options

Medicare Presentation

Tuesday, December 10, 2019

2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Elwin Mussell Senior Center

Silva Room

510 E. Park Ave., Santa Maria

Part A
Part B
Part D

Advantage Plans
Supplemental
Plans
Penalties
and more

JOIN US at this
FREE unbiased
comprehensive
Medicare Seminar

TOYS FOR TOTS

COLLECTION SITE
ACCEPTING TOYS FOR LOCAL CHILDREN



Elwin Mussell Center is a drop site
for the local **Toys for Tots** program.
Please donate an UNWRAPPED toy
for any age to be distributed to area
youth. Contact Barbara Wiley with any
questions and the final date!



For Information and to RSVP Online
CentralCoastSeniors.org
or call **1-800-434-0222**

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Activity Contact Persons: Book Exchange ~ 1-805-937-8859 (Jane) / Pinochle ~ 1-805-934-2315 (Tuesdays)

Duplicate Bridge ~ 1-805-937-5691 (Mondays) & 1-805-922-5000 (Thursdays)

Bunco ~ 1-805-925-0951 ext. 2351 (Wendy) / Folk Dancing (Thursdays) ~ 1-805-925-5429 (Betty)

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DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Sharron Branco	1-Dec	Duane Long	15-Dec
Nancy Felton	1-Dec	Carolyn McCall	15-Dec
Carol King	1-Dec	Mary Jane Niccoli	15-Dec
Nitaya Nelson	1-Dec	Alice Coop	16-Dec
Don Sylvester	1-Dec	Charlie Laurendeau	16-Dec
Diane Kiss	3-Dec	Jason Schellas	16-Dec
Don Pfingsten	4-Dec	Mary Rose Middleton	17-Dec
George Tise	4-Dec	Art Thaler	17-Dec
Jill Balezentes	5-Dec	Karen Iverson	20-Dec
Joanne Hopkins	5-Dec	Kay Register	20-Dec
Pat Rae	5-Dec	Liz Regulski	20-Dec
Donna Evans	6-Dec	Dan Van Lith	20-Dec
Susan Daughtry	7-Dec	Blanche Boyer	21-Dec
Mary Jane Diaz	7-Dec	Glenn Porter	21-Dec
Nancy Neville	7-Dec	Marilyn Stanley	22-Dec
Barbara Scheideck	7-Dec	Marlene Medeiros	23-Dec
Jean Roth	10-Dec	Darlene Vidal	25-Dec
Evelyn Delaney	12-Dec	Trish Stewart	26-Dec
Rik Dodos	12-Dec	Betty Baxter	27-Dec
Elaine Brown	13-Dec	Joyce Cox	28-Dec
Janet Donaher	13-Dec	Joyce Hershberger	29-Dec
Pam Wright	13-Dec	Leon Permasse	29-Dec
Ron Evey	14-Dec	Pam Cosma	30-Dec
Wayne Peterson	14-Dec	Georgia Schellas	31-Dec

DECEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

Roberto & Ruth Limon	17-Dec
Ray & Alice Torres	17-Dec
Dale & Karen Iliff	29-Dec

NEW/RETURNING MEMBERS

- ◆ Jonnie Donars
- ◆ Erwin Forrest
- ◆ Tara Hoffmann
- ◆ Eileen Krienke
- ◆ Sylvia Mechtold
- ◆ Mike & Nancy Neville
- ◆ Yolanda Ramos
- ◆ Susan Rauzi
- ◆ Jim & Joan Snowdy
- ◆ Pat Storsteen

WELCOME WELCOME

HAPPY NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS



Cindy Cozart, Diana Dodos, and Dawn Kamiya

❶ If a birthday/ anniversary listed here is incorrect, or if your name and special day is not listed, please let Laura Selken know:
1-805-406-9989 or laura.selken@gmail.com.

❶ Note: only couples who are both members of the Club will have their anniversary listed. Please, notify Laura of any errors or additions.

MERRY
CHRISTMAS
HAPPY
HOLIDAYS

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

Joanne Blashaw	1-Jan	Betty Malone	14-Jan
Mike Rosas	1-Jan	Judith Sisti	14-Jan
David Nelson	2-Jan	Lisa Story	15-Jan
Ron Iverson	5-Jan	Jeanne Roemling	16-Jan
Martha Santana	6-Jan	Gene Hershberger	17-Jan
Barbara Brown	7-Jan	Brandie Franklin	19-Jan
Mickey Rodriguez	7-Jan	Esther Hoskins	20-Jan
Jo Sheehan	7-Jan	Gloria Niell	20-Jan
Helen Canales	8-Jan	Nina Prestridge	20-Jan
Barbara Ross	8-Jan	Don Foss	21-Jan
Donna Viadella	8-Jan	Annie Lawrence	22-Jan
Angelo Passidakis	9-Jan	Ray Torres	22-Jan
Peggy Yaeger	9-Jan	Micki Davies	23-Jan
Celeste		Betty Pierce	24-Jan
Coelho-Hudson	10-Jan	Cindy Kuhn	25-Jan
Ruby Bowers	11-Jan	Carmen Solorio	25-Jan
Georgia Evey	11-Jan	Bill Stoore	25-Jan
Nancy Ottzman	11-Jan	Beth Schneider	27-Jan
Peter Skjott	11-Jan	Jim Dvorak	28-Jan
Leroy Jones	12-Jan	Jean Jacobs	28-Jan
Mary Treinen	12-Jan	Frank Rodriguez	29-Jan
Judy Fowler	13-Jan	Jackie Narachi	30-Jan
Juanita Rosas	13-Jan	Freddie Newman	30-Jan
Elly Block	14-Jan	HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!	

JANUARY ANNIVERSARIES

Norm & Jessie Rushing	9-Jan
Louie & Otilia Costa	10-Jan
Ray & Mary Jane Diaz	14-Jan
Frank & Alice Coop	30-Jan

NOTICE:

There will **NOT**
be a JANUARY

issue of the

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This is a double issue for
December 2019 and
January 2020.

The next issue will be
for February 2020 and
mailed/emailed in late
January. Thank you for
your understanding!

Santa Maria Public Library

WHAT WILL YOU
wish
FOR?

Come visit our wishing tree!

1. Choose a **TAG**.
2. Write down your hope, dream or wish for next year.
3. Hang your tag on the wishing tree.
4. Read what others have written.
5. Tell all your friends to do the same.



RIPTIDE
Big Band

Featuring Bob Nations &
guest vocalist,
Liz Douglas

Join Us at the annual Noon Year's Eve Dance!

Tuesday, December 31
11 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Elwin Mussell Senior Center - 510 E Park Ave., Santa Maria

Happy New Year



FREE



This program is made possible
with the support of the



More Information: 805-925-0951, Ext. 2207
Or visit RiptideBB.com or
Riptide Big Band on Facebook

Funded by a grant from



20 YEARS of IMPACT



The Sunshine Corner

Get Well Soon!

Margie Campbell
Lisa Story



In Sympathy to ...
Judy Lindquist
whose husband, **Russ**,
passed away



Have you seen it? The Center has a new drinking fountain with a bottle fill station! This means you can bring in your own bottle and fill it with COLD, fresh, water easily and quickly! (Thank you City of Santa Maria Utilities Dept.!!)



Please contact Simone about members who need a card from the Sunshine Corner, or families who have lost a loved one. When you call, please leave your name and telephone number in case she needs to contact you. Thank you!
~ Simone (805-925-6267)

SMV SENIOR CITIZENS CLUB
PO BOX 6688
SANTA MARIA, CA 93456-6688
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CHANGE SERVICE REQUESTED

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Santa Maria Valley Senior Citizens Club Newsletter

MONTHLY MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS

MONDAY, DECEMBER 2
DOORS OPEN 5:00 PM
DINNER SERVED 5:30 PM

\$15 PER PERSON

**HAM, SCALLOPED POTATOES,
VEGETABLES, SALAD,
AND SPICE CAKE**

**FEATURING ENTERTAINMENT
BY THE EVER POPULAR**

*Coastal
Voices*

Reservations are required by November 29!

MONDAY, JANUARY 6
DOORS OPEN 5:00 PM
DINNER SERVED 5:30 PM

\$10 PER PERSON

**LEMON CHICKEN, STEAMED
VEGETABLES, TOSSED SALAD,
AND TOASTED ALMOND CAKE**

**INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS
PROGRAM/SPEAKER
TO BE ANNOUNCED**

Reservations will be accepted until Jan. 3!



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