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**November
2024**

**November
Holidays**

*Daylight
Savings
November 3rd*

*Veterans Day
November 11th*



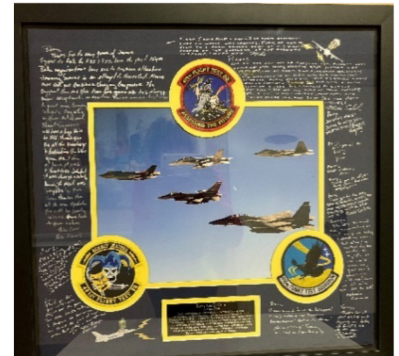
*Thanksgiving
November 28th*



November at the Townehouse Salute our Veterans

On Veterans Day, November 11th, we will honor all our veterans and veterans' wives. Join us for a gathering at 10:30am in the Rose Garden. The Ventura British Brass will set the tone by performing a selection of Americana and patriotic music, followed by a service to recognize all our veterans. Bring your veteran photo down to the front lobby by November 4th to be displayed on the tables provided.

Make sure you check out the wonderful memorabilia displayed by Veteran Barry La Com in our lower-level showcase.



Thanksgiving Luncheon



Life is abundant. Always.... not just on Thanksgiving. We are grateful! Thanksgiving is a reminder to share and celebrate the abundance of life. Gratitude for food, love of family and friends.

Here at the Townehouse we will serve our traditional Thanksgiving lunch on Wednesday, November 27th, at 11:30am. Please make reservations for family and friends at the Front Desk. The cost for an adult guest is \$20 and for children under 12 years \$10. Please note: no green buck vouchers will be taken for the Thanksgiving meal. At 10am, meet your family and friends in the front lobby for our champagne reception.

Townehouse News

A warm welcome to Nik Jabin



I was born in East Los Angeles. I have had multiple careers including Army officer, commercial pilot, truck driver and software engineer. The previous ten years I have lived with my daughter and her family helping raise the grandchildren. I'm now living here and making many great friends with all the wonderful Townehouse residents.

A warm welcome to Marvin Bauer



My journey began on June 28, 1940, in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, and my mother often commented she couldn't improve on perfection - so I was an only child! I attended a Lutheran grade school and high school going on to a BS degree from the University of Wisconsin. My desire to be a lawyer led me to the University of Chicago Law School. In 1962 I applied for a position, and was accepted, in the California Attorney General's office. Two years was required with them in which I passed the Bar Exam and liked the work so much I stayed another two years. In 1968 I joined a Santa Barbara law office. My legal work involved litigation cases regarding malpractice in the medical and hospital field. In several cases I was the prosecuting trial attorney with successful results. For forty years I enjoyed this career.

I have a son and daughter and when I remarried, my wife and I became a blended family of five children. We were married for forty years until she passed away this past August. During these years we toured Australia, New Zealand, China, Japan, Russia, South America, Africa and all of the European countries on a motorcycle. Dressed in Levi's and leather jackets with two side cases, one top case and two up on the motorcycle seat we enjoyed luxury hotels, many exciting sights and not once did we have an accident or incident to spoil our adventures. In retirement I rode a scooter, and she had a small motorcycle.



My journey has brought me to the Townehouse with thankfulness for a very full life. On display in my apartment is framed, and wall hung, currency from all the countries we visited. You are invited to see my memories anytime. You can find me around usually eating an ice cream cone when I'm not swimming laps at the YMCA or golfing.

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Act of Kindness

Dick Kein



If any Townehouse resident cannot make Wednesday or Sunday Mass, Dick Klein and Mary Ambrose have permission from Our Lady of Assumption to bring you communion. Our phone numbers are in the Townehouse phone directory. Please let us know if you are sick or disabled, and we will be happy to bring the Sacrament to you. We are both Eucharistic Ministers, with different backgrounds.

Dick Klein was born in North Redondo. When he was eight, he began work as a paper boy. His family lived in an Army surplus tent, and they raised chickens and rabbits. After graduating from Redondo High, Dick joined the Coast Guard. Later, he worked at Universal Studios earning \$500 a month. Dick married Maria, who preceded him living at the Townehouse.

Mary Ambrose



Mary Ambrose was born in Massachusetts, lived in Albuquerque, New Mexico, and grew up in Phoenix, Arizona. She attended Loyola Marymount University and received her master's degree in education. She also attended Mount Saint Mary's College in Los Angeles where she met and married Bill Ambrose. He worked in the San Fernando Valley so they moved to Canoga Park where they raised four children. Mary managed a small bookstore and later became librarian at Chaminade High School. Mary is currently the librarian for the Townehouse. She enjoys choosing and shelving the books without the paperwork of a real librarian.

Joy to the World

We are excited to announce our Wednesday Townehouse Choir rehearsals will resume at 3:00pm in the Vista Room. Barbara Reed will accompany us on the piano. The joy of singing is the only requirement needed. We will hand out lyric sheets with all your favorite holiday songs. Let us know if you have a favorite holiday song. Here are just a few suggestions see you there!

Deck the Halls
Let it Snow
White Christmas
Joy to the World
O Holy Night
Silent Night
We wish you a Merry Christmas



Townehouse Management Team

Executive Director	Evan Granucci
Business Office Director	Daniel Adams
Marketing Director	Harvey Marasigan
Director of Resident Care	Yonatan Isaacs
Director of Social Events	Nancee Borgnine
Director of Memory Care	James Christensen
Director of Culinary Services/Executive Chef	Bryan Gross
Director of Housekeeping	Alejandra Hernandez
Director of Social Services	Kimmi Bryan
Chief Engineer	Steve Drake
Assistant Chief Engineer	Cliserio Meza
Lead Concierge	Deserae Navarro
Transportation	Ed Cardona
Fitness Director	Frank Jackson



Employee of the Month Congratulations Brian Hernandez



Brian enjoys working as a caregiver and med tech with our memory care residents. He is part of our amazing compassionate caregiving team, bringing joy and laughter to our residents. When Brian is not working, he enjoys spending time walking his three dogs in the park and on the beach. His hobbies are reading and listening to cool jazz.

Gobble Gobble
the turkey says!
Don't forget to
contribute to the
employee
gratitude fund!

