

FRIENDSHIP MANOR NEWSLETTER

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Spring Has Sprung

The Rose Garden is in bloom and Residents are beaming!

Great weather means more outdoor activities – basking in the sun, admiring the roses and other flowering plants, and enjoying open air events. April's Hot Dog BBQ again had music, and as this and the following page demonstrate, Residents were happy and grinning from ear to ear.

Also in this issue is news that Isla Vista is attempting to address the congestion of traffic in the area as it impacts the Manor. And also take time to stop and smell the roses!



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May Highlights

May 6 & 20

Book Mobile

May 12

Covid-19 Booster Shots

May 14

Ice Cream Social

May 19

David Tovar – Jamison Hall

May 21

Hot Dog BBQ – live music in the Promenade by SnapShot

May 21

Arts & Crafts Fair

May 26

RSC General Meeting – Dining Room

May 28

Pizza Party – B Lounge

Resident Resource Committee

Open House – Fridays at 11:00am
in the E Lounge Conference Room
(adjacent to Library)

Local Walks & Joy Rides and Shopping & Medical Van Trips with Chris and Richard – Sign up on the slant boards in the Lobby (rides) and at Reception (medical).

FACES OF THE MANOR



SUBLIME ENTERTAINMENT

Residents are so fortunate to have so many local and international performers come to the manor to perform in Jamison Hall.

One of the Manor's favorites plied her musical magic in April – the exquisite Renee Hamaty. It's always a pleasure to be in her company, and she never disappoints to delight and inspire. Next time you see her name on the monthly calendar, plan to attend and spend a wonderful evening with this incredibly talented woman.



ISLA VISTA AND THE MANOR

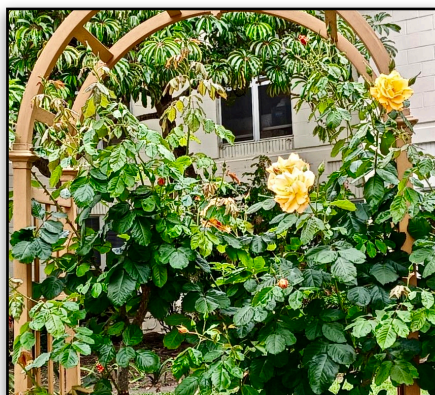
With so many students in the area and vehicles that include cars, bicycles, skateboards and electric scooters, Manor Residents are only too aware of how this impacts the safety of all area residents.

Friendship Manor welcomed three guests from the **Isla Vista Community Services District** to our April hot dog barbecue. These representatives were gathering information from our residents about traffic and mobility issues. Several residents filled out hard copy surveys or obtained the online link, and the whiteboard was filled top to bottom with ideas. The online link for the survey is www.surveymonkey.com/r/LetsGoIslaVista



ROSE GARDEN

The roses are in bloom! This month's featured rose is the Cecille Brunner, which is the foundation of the arch in the garden. This lovely rose starts out with an apricot/peach color, then transitions into petals of yellow and pink as it matures. Since its initial introduction in 1881, it has provided more than a century of enjoyment.



DOROTHY'S CORNER STORE: FEATURING ICE CREAM!

If you like your **ice cream**, then the Corner Store is for you! A generous selection of frozen treats (and sodas) reside in the store's refrigerator, so come in and indulge.



All profits from every purchase go to fund movies in Jamison Hall, the B Lounge wi-fi and copier, and much more. Support your Corner Store and shop this valuable resource in the B Lounge, open Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 1:00 to 2:30 pm. Come and shop local!



And for 24/7 snacks and sodas, remember the machines adjacent to the Corner Store. A portion of those proceeds also go into the RSC general fund for Resident services.

May Birthdays

- 5/3** Kavi Alexander
- 5/3** Wayne Dalton
- 5/4** Imke Bomer
- 5/6** Lottie Stanley
- 5/13** Garlene Colgan
- 5/14** Gay Spears
- 5/22** Hope Winthrop
- 5/26** Paull Rubin
- 5/27** Carmelo Martinez
- 5/28** Almaz Teshome
- 5/29** Shyrlee Jester
- 5/30** Dusty Grigg
- 5/31** Larry Bartley
- 5/31** Virginia Thomas
- 5/31** William Cropley