

Scene In Sun City Las Vegas

By Sydell Miller



The highest percentage of residents here in SUN CITY come from Southern CALIFORNIA, so when the regional Ice Cream Social for that area was held it was scrumptious. There were many delights for the palate as well as the eye. Old friendships were renewed and new residents were welcomed by SCOTT HIGGINSON, ELLEN PECK and SEAN PATRICK. A special serving of New York style Egg Cream for former New Yorkers like GLORIA & JIM McGANN from ANAHEIM, CA. was included on the menu. Seated at one table were SHERRY HAIMWERTZ, FAYE FRIEDMAN, IDA MAJOR, ROSELLA POMERANTZ, JOCELYN LOHKEMPER and GLADYS BAILIN. nearby were JOANNE & ANSON FRANKLIN from WEST HILL, Calif., BELLE MASLINOFF from SHERMAN OAKS, BETTY SCHREIBMAN from L.A., PETE RIOLO from COSTA MESA was quick to report he is a native Californian where he was a salesman on the road and his wife ZELDA worked for the STATE OF CALIFORNIA. ELEANOR & BOB ECKHOUSE are from SAN DIEGO COUNTY; FRAN & PAUL SELTZER called VAN NUYS, Ca. their home; RITA & HAL STROMBERG are from LOS ALAMITOS; CILA & ZEEV MANSDORF lived in the SAN FERNANDO VALLEY and ROSE & VERIE HOFFMAN moved from LOS ANGELES, CA.

MALCOLM & BERNICE SCHIFFMAN welcomed their first grandchild, KATY ELA GRIMMETT, born on Mother's Day.

A beautiful love story that led to the marriage of JUNE KRAMER & MARVIN EDELMAN began with a chance meeting at the SINGLES GROUP of BET KNESSET BAMIDBAR. They were married at the TREASURE ISLAND HOTEL where JUNE sang to her new husband and RABBI LOUIS M. LEDERMAN officiated. They took a honeymoon cruise to ALASKA. MAZEL TOV!

DELORES RUDIN is a lovely lady who quietly does volunteer work at the NATHAN ADELSON HOSPICE. When she addressed

the Sunshine Club she spoke about how privileged she feels to enter the lives of people at a crucial time and that most of her patients are from SUN CITY and are at home. They talk to her from their soul. There is a special intimacy that is established and she has one patient at a time. The hospice program usually lasts 6 months, the life expectancy of that patient. Family members find it very difficult to care for their loved ones and DELORES knows that volunteering is very enriching to their lives and her own. Her husband SID is most supportive and shows great pride in his wife.

SIMON & IRENE EPSTEIN represented Attorney General FRANKIE SUE DEL PAPA at the VIP pre-opening party for the exciting new STRATOSPHERE TOWER CASINO. Their grade for LAS VEGAS' exciting new addition - A PLUS, ALL THE WAY!

EDITH & BEN CITRON celebrated their granddaughter CARRIE PRIMAS' Bat Mitzvah at TEMPLE BETH AM with RABBI MEL HECHT officiating. An elegant reception was held at the GOLDEN NUGGET HOTEL with many friends and out of town relatives sharing this happy occasion.

The Sun City Music makers Chorale presented an evening of nostalgia with "THE WAY WE WERE." The group received a well-deserved standing ovation. MARIANNE HARKEN is the director, ALICE HOHENTHNER, accompanist, and JOE CRUSE the master of ceremonies.

Chairman ERNEST ZEISS and a committee, including MARTHA FLEISCHER, are working on 15 stain glass windows for the new ST. ANDREW LUTHERAN CHURCH, being constructed on Del Webb Blvd. He met with RABBI LOUIS M. LEDERMAN to authenticate the accuracy of their designs for windows depicting the Old and new Testament and the Ten Commandments. First services at the new church will take place about the first of September.

The Third Annual Job Fair brought out a large number of residents who are interested in part time or full time jobs. Some of the participants were OFFICE TEAM, OLSTEN STAFF SERVICES, WELCOME WAGON INT'L., MONTE CARLO CASINO, DESERT BUICK, MGM HOTEL, McDONALD'S CORP., HOUSEHOLD CREDIT SERVICES and LAS VEGAS HOME CARE INC. The interesting part was that they want seniors for positions because of their experience and dependability.

GARY WADDELL was guest speaker at a recent meeting of JEWISH WOMEN INTERNATIONAL. He was most informative and answered questions pertaining to his position at Channel 8-TV as news anchorman.

The outdoor setting at Highland Falls Golf Course was perfect when the United States Air Force Band presented "A Musical Panorama."

Former Mossad Head Distrusts Assad

JERUSALEM, Israel (JTA) - The former head of the Mossad, Israel's foreign intelligence agency, recently said that he was not convinced Syrian President Hafez Assad was serious about making peace with Israel.

"We still have to look for signs that President Assad really wants a genuine peace with the State of Israel," Shabtai Shavit told reporters. "I am still not totally convinced that [Assad] has made the required change of direction to achieve a sincere and genuine peace."

His remarks contrast sharply with the assessment of the former head of army intelligence, Uri Saguy.

Saguy said Assad was pragmatic, and that after the breakup of the Soviet Union he made a strategic decision to pursue peace, as a means to regain possession of the Golan Heights.

Shavit served as head of the Mossad for 7 years. His successor, Maj. Gen. Danny Yatom, was the prime minister's military secretary.

Roman Mosaic Floors Archaeologists

JERUSALEM, Israel (JTA) - Archaeologists have discovered a 216-square-yard Roman mosaic in the Israeli city of Lod.

The Roman mosaic, which dates back to the third or fourth century and which is the largest ever found in Israel, was uncovered in excavations preceding work to widen a road.

The mosaic was found in near-perfect condition.

Animal and fish motifs appear in the mosaic, leading archaeologists to believe it was the decorative part of a floor in a private villa.

"There were no inscriptions found at all," said Miriam Avissar, one of the archaeologists who worked at the site. "The floor itself is extraordinary. There are images of all kinds of animals: giraffes, lions, gazelles, different animals attacking others and fish from the Mediterranean region.

"There is also a ship, a merchant ship, in the floor.

Avissar added that the Israeli Antiquities Authority recommended that the site be turned into a museum.

"But until some source of funding is found for that, nothing can be done," she said.

Our toes were tapping to the music and we were singing along.

KEEP IN TOUCH!

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