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PROGRAM FOR JULY, 1978 -- VICTOR PECK, PROGRAM CHAIRMAN

Friday, July 7

Speaker: John Dietrich, a Member of S.M.C.
Topic: "The Panama Canal" - Slide show with comments

Friday, July 14

Speaker: Miss Suzanne Gibson, of Children's Hospital
Topic: "Children's Hospital of Michigan."

Friday, July 21

Speaker: Eugene Arthur Moore, Judge of Probate
Topic: "Child Advocacy and Divorce"

Friday, July 28

Speaker: Harry Locke of Detroit Edison Company
Topic: "Environmental Equation -- "A Question
of Balance"

--- NO PROGRAMS IN AUGUST ---

ROY CORNFOT, PROGRAM CHAIRMAN FOR SEPTEMBER

Friday, Sept. 8

Speaker: Gustave J. Weltsek, Jr., Rector of St. James
Episcopal Church
Topic: To be announced.

DISCUSSION GROUP SUBJECTS -- BILL WILSON, CHAIRMAN

Friday, July 7:

"Orphans of the Storm"
Bill Stockwell, Leader

Friday, July 14:

"Conveyors"
Erwin Darling, Leader

Friday, July 21:

"Guide Lines for Living for Grandchildren"
Gordon Robertson, Leader

Friday, July 28:

"Herbs"
Ed Pintar, Leader

Friday, Sept. 8:

Clem Ludden, Leader. Topic to be announced.

OTHER DATES TO REMEMBER:

- .. Tiger Ball Game -- Saturday, July 22
 - .. Annual Picnic -- Friday, August 11 4
- (Details of both are in this issue.)

ANOTHER REMINDER: We do not hold regular meetings in August.

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GOLF LEAGUE HAS 99 REGISTERED --- MORE WELCOME
(Says Frank Morton, Golf Chairman for the Year)

Approaching the season's midpoint, and following nine days of play, the SMC Golf League has 99 "winners" out of 99 registered players. Apparently everyone has been a winner. Even so, more members are welcomed at Springdale Park any Thursday, where tee-off time is from 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Winners, to date, in our "closest to the hole" contest are Henry Smith, John O'Brien, Herb Lugers, Jim Flack, Roy Cornfoot, Murray Kennedy, Carl Schorn, Rollie Nette and Bud Angevine. The record to date is 29 1/4".

The lowest score was a 38 by John O'Brien. Four other golfers succeeded in shooting 39's. They were Chick Holmes, Ed Norris, Larry Hobart and Bob VanDuzer. Several of our golfers are challenging John O'Brien as low scorer but John, our perennial champion, still is leading.

Collectively, all men together have a best ball of 28 on our interesting 33 par course. Every hole has been parred and birdies were scored on #6, #7 and #8. An eagle two was scored on the 328 yard #2 hole.

In several foursomes, all were able to score par 3's on #6, attesting to the accuracy of our golfers.

The most spectacular score and shot was the second shot by Jim Cameron on the 328 yard #2 hole. After a fine tee shot of about 200 yards, a perfectly executed shot of 130 yards found the ball dropping into the hole for an eagle two.

We play every Thursday morning through July, August, and September as we greet each other on the #1 tee.

TIGER GAME IS ATTRACTION SATURDAY, JULY 22

Charter buses will leave The Community House at 12 noon, Saturday, July 22, for the game between the Tigers and the California Angels. Plenty of tickets are available, according to the committee -- so you may feel free to invite friends at the bargain rate of \$4.50. The price includes bus and game. (You buy your own hot dogs.) For more information call Dick Sneed (644-2246) or Don Fleser (644-0750).

COMMUNITY HOUSE FUND DRIVE (Reported by Chick Holmes, Chairman)

Through June 21, the 1978 Fund Drive has received a total of \$7,618 from Senior Men's Club Members, living and deceased. Only eleven regular members have not given (or pledged) -- and I am endeavoring to contact each of them. I hope that by the end of July all members will have turned in their checks to the front desk or to me.

SUMMER ART CLASSES AT SEAHOLM INCLUDE BEGINNING CRAFTS

Ceramics and jewelry, copper enameling, and needle skills are among the subjects offered at \$14 per class, mornings during July and August at Seaholm High School. Intermediate ceramics, silk screen, drawing and painting, and cartooning classes are in a session from July 17 to 28. Beginning subjects start July 3. A third session, July 31 to August 11, is devoted to artists' workshops. More information can be obtained at Barnum school added education department, phone 642-4010.

JUNE BRIDGE REPORT - JOSEPH H. SCHULTEIS - CHAIRMAN

There were 376 bridge players for the four weeks in June for an average of 94 players per week.

TEN HIGHEST SCORE FOR JUNE WERE:

1 - Russ Smith	5140
2 - Charles Richards	4420
3 - Clarence Davey	4350
4 - Chris. Hilliker	4220
Ross Wagner	4220
6 - Victor Ulrich	4150
7 - Chris. Hilliker	4120
8 - Francis Drittler	4100
Bob Benson	4100
10 - Lee Durham	4060

TEN HIGHEST AVERAGES FOR JUNE WERE:

1 - Russ Smith	3960
2 - Chris. Hilliker	3720
3 - Chas. P. Richards	3170
4 - Frank Reynolds	2920
5 - Dustin Thomas	2720
6 - Joe Henninger	2710
7 - Bob Varnum	2690
8 - Jack Decker	2670
9 - Bill Hanlon	2650
- Victor Ulrich	2650

Low score for June was a tie between Mark Frost and Clarence Kimball - 530. There was one grand slam and 19 small slams bid and made during the month.

ANNUAL PICNIC SCHEDULED FOR FRIDAY, AUGUST 11⁴ - LES WILDER, CHAIRMAN

Through the courtesy of Moe Henshaw, our annual picnic will again be held at the Pontiac Yacht Club. Festivities start at 10:00 a.m. and lunch is served at noon. Here is further information:

CARDS: Arrange your own bridge game -- bring tables and chairs. Cards and score pads will be furnished. Chairs and tables available for those who don't wish to play cards.

MENU: Hot dog or grilled cheese sandwich -- buttered sweet corn -- potato chips -- coffee or milk -- pie or doughnut -- ice cream. All for \$1.50. John Pound will have the tickets.

PLACE: Pontiac Yacht Club is on Cass Lake. Take Long Lake Road west to Orchard Lake Road. Turn right to Keego Harbor. There is an A & P Store on the west side of the road -- turn left just beyond the store -- turn right just beyond entrance. You can see the Club from the road.

NEW MEMBERS: Sponsors should see that every new member is invited to this occasion -- it's a great time to get acquainted.

NEW IDEAS WANTED: If you have ideas on how to improve the picnic, pass them along to Les Wilder.

CAMERA GROUP -- BOB BROWN, CHAIRMAN

The Camera Group has scheduled no meetings for July or August. This gives members two months to procure slides of the pictures they took during the recent field trip to the Detroit Zoo. The slides will be reviewed and criticized at our next meeting on September 12, 1978, in the Girl Scouts' Room of the Community House.

Members are urged to mark their slides with their names and the numbers of the targets as shown on the directions for the field trip, and to be prepared for a lively discussion of their merits and faults.

VITAL MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

IN MEMORY OF

John C. Kinsel, who joined the club in 1959 and was a life member, died June 4, 1978.

NEW MEMBERS ADDED DURING JUNE

Foster A. Williams, 755 Redding Road, Birmingham 48009.
Phone 644-1493. Joined June 6, 1978.

Jack H. Siebert, 972 Pleasant, Birmingham, 48009.
Phone 647-8641. Joined June 23, 1978.