



UP TO THE HILT



The Official Newsletter of Highlights in Leisure Time

UPCOMING EVENTS

GENERAL MEETING

January 8, 10am
Rick Feingold - Slideshow presentation "Hollywood and the Air Force in WWII"

TRIP

NO TRIP IN JANUARY

GENERAL MEETING

February 5, 10am
Kristina Rufo, RDN
Shop Rite of Fairlawn presents "The Benefits of Chocolate"

TRIP

February 19
"Mardi Gras" - The Shore Club with Mike's All-Star Productions; lunch and show



10th Anniversary ~Giving Thanks~ Ridgewood Elder Dinner

Held on Sunday, November 9 at the Old Paramus Reformed Church was a Warm Heart Felt HUG! Thanks to the Parks and Rec department, The Health Barn Foundation, and Age Friendly Ridgewood along with the Kapur Family for fixing the dinner for us. And the Civic Youth Corps for all their help. There was good food, good conversation and music.

One of the most poignant parts of the dinner is the reading of the Thank You Notes! Thank you who participated to give us a lovely evening.



MEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Linda Brown, Cho Kyungson, Jennifer De Bernardino, Linda Englehardt, Diane Haderthauer, Enid Hochman, Joan Larkin, Maureen Mullane, Margaret Mullen, Arline Potash, Raymond Schrempp, Jeff Welikson

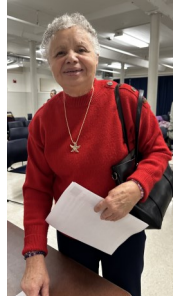


ON THE LIGHTER SIDE

Why does Santa use GPS? He doesn't want to be a lost Claus
Where does Santa Stay on Vacation? At a ho-ho-ho-tel
Who says Oh-oh-oh? Santa Claus walking backward
What did the ocean say when Santa flew over? Nothing, it just waved
What do you call Santa when he is on a break? A Santa pause
Where does Santa store his suit? In a Claus-et



**Bergen County Diners
Presented by Tim Adriance**
New Jersey is the Diner Capital of the World.
There are 34 diners in Bergen County. The diners near us, Matthews, Tom Sawyer and the Suburban are known for their amazingly varied menu of inexpensive American staples in very generous portions.

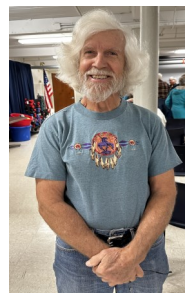


MYSTERY MEMBER

This current member was born in Barnet Hospital in Paterson. Grew up in Hawthorne with a brother and a sister. Graduated from DePaul High School in Wayne and then Graduated nursing school and worked in the field of oncology. Became a store nurse in B. Altman's in Manhattan and Paramus. At the age of 55, completed a personal goal and received a degree in psychology and sociology. Was married in 1969 and has lived in Ridgewood for 52 years. Has two sons; one lives in Maryland and the other lives in Arkansas, and has 5 grandchildren. Enjoys reading, especially British mysteries. Likes to listen to 50's and 60's music and enjoys watching golf and dancing. Especially enjoys spending time with family and partaking in HILT activities and trips.



LAST MONTH'S MYSTERY



This current member was born in Paterson. Lived and grew up in Paterson with a sister. Graduated from Center High School in 1962. Competed in the US Marine Corps physical fitness testing protocols and finished in first place for NJ. Was on the soccer and swim teams. Graduated Springfield College in 1966 and went on to earn a masters degree in Special Education and became a physical education teacher in Glen Rock. Married in 1971 and had three children. Has a son that lives in Ridgewood, one daughter lives in Virginia and one daughter lives in California. Has are 7 grandchildren. Has lived in Ridgewood for the past 44 years. Enjoys reading non-fiction and classic fiction books. Enjoys listening to 50's and 60's music including country and classical. He hiked with his son's family through Nepal for a month where they reached the Mt. Everest base camp. They spent a year traveling. He has run three marathons (two in NYC). He enjoys hiking and jogging and spending time at the shore.