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LIBRARY ON WHEELS

by Kevin B. McGlynn



The **Library on Wheels** is one of San Francisco's mobile branch libraries. Service is provided to older adults throughout the city as well as here at the Granada.

Library on Wheels comes and parks right outside the frontdoor of the Granada and opens their door to

you for one hour between 10:00 am and 11:00 am and is wheelchair accessible.

Library on Wheels offers a diverse collection of books, magazines and music, including large print books, books on tape and Spanish, Russian and Chinese language materials. See the in-depth collection on health issues affecting older adults and the limited reference services on-board or you can call (415) 557-4351



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Library on Wheels visits The Granada each month on the second thursday, next visit June 10th.

So next time you see the familiar truck parked outside your

door, go talk to Shelly and the other wonderful and informative volunteers, get a library card, get a book, tape, audio book, CD or magazine or reserve a book or just ask some questions about you and the San Francisco Public Library. If you have a chance, take the Muni 2,3 or 4 bus outside our door and transfer at the 19 Polk bus going south and in a short while, ten minutes, you stop right outside our new main library, go take a visit!



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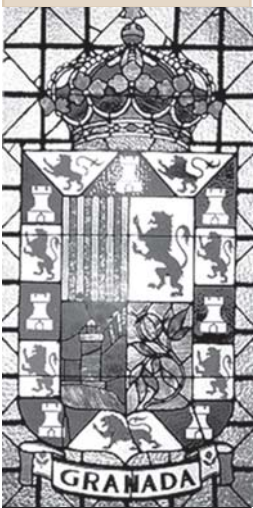
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Dwight Okamura and The Songbirds at The Granada



Come Fly with Me - Fly Me to the Moon - As Time Goes By
Broadway Baby - Taking a Chance on Love - I Say a Little Prayer...

Dateline: 5.6.10

Sound familiar? We heard a non-stop whirlwind performance that kept everyone in The Granada amazed and amused with interesting arrangements and vocals. Dwight Okamura's stellar piano complimented the virtuosity and harmonies of these beautiful Songbirds. Thanks!

Granada *YOGA* Academy

Peace, peace, peace, can't have enough. Yogi Sa'Vonye brings his personalized attention to our posture and breathing. Come join us every Friday at 10:00 am in the lounge for YOGA.



After session photograph of: Joe Sturdevant, Donna Schuck, Peter Hill, Cae Bernard, Yogi Sa'Vonye, Diane Sullivan, Alan Cardon, Marcia Coffield and Steven Herman



Second class: Peter Hill, Margaret Bakke, Cae Bernard, John Sussoeff, Yogi Sa'Vonye, Joesph Craven, Ken Kaffke, Donna Schuck and Karen McClennan

OBSERVATIONS AND OPINIONS OF AN OLD MAN

By J. Hyer Craven

Experience and study tell us that achievement alone will not lead to FAME and FORTUNE. We soon realize that the two significant factors in the pursuit of FAME and FORTUNE are TIMING and APPROPRIATE PUBLICITY.

As examples, please consider:

◆ Leif Erikson. In approximately 1000 AD, he sailed west and discovered the New World.....he was the first European to do so. He spent about a year sailing up and down what is now the East Coast of New England and Canada. He was not very excited about his discovery, so he went back home and never returned. He didn't even tell too many people about that journey.

His TIMING was extraordinary, but his PUBLICITY was negligible, so he had to get his FAME and FORTUNE in other adventures.

◆ Christopher Columbus. 500 years after Erikson's discovery, Columbus acquired the sponsorship and support of King Ferdinand and Queen Isabella of Spain. He set sail westward and "discovered" the New World. As a matter of fact, he didn't even know where he was. He thought he had sailed to the East Indies. The swarthy natives that he encountered looked and acted much the way that Marco Polo had described the East Indies natives, so Columbus referred to those folks as "Indians", and the name stuck. His TIMING was superb, and the Spanish Royalty made certain of the PUBLICITY. Unparalleled FAME and FORTUNE followed for Columbus.

◆ Clarence Chamberlin. He flew from Long Island, New York, to Eiselben, Germany, landing June 6, 1927.....a distance of 3,911 miles....thus setting the non-stop distance record for fixed-wing aircraft.

His TIMING was off by a little over two weeks, and his PUBLICITY was only received by aviation buffs. Thus, very little FAME and FORTUNE for Chamberlin, because.....

◆ Charles A. Lindberg. He flew from Long Island, New York, to Paris, France, landing May 21, 1927 (16 days before Chamberlin's flight)....a distance of only 3,610 miles.

His TIMING was everything, and PUBLICITY was overwhelming for "Lindy". Unprecedented FAME and FORTUNE was his to enjoy.

And may you achieve what you pursue.

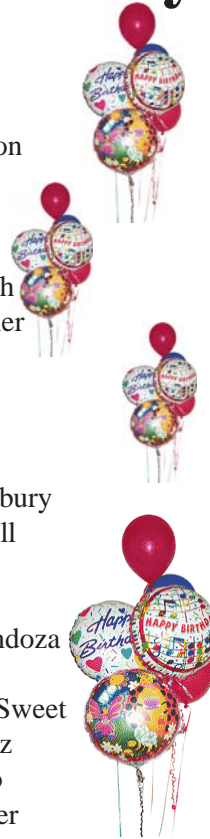
June Birthdays

RESIDENTS

- 1 Sue Pickford
- 1 Morgan Argall
- 1 Anna Thompson
- 2 Robert Low
- 2 Judy Gomes
- 5 Rudi James
- 15 Mary Lotspeich
- 17 Dolores Fletcher
- 22 Victor Viebig
- 22 Peter Hill
- 25 John Jackson
- 26 Donna Baur
- 28 Richard Lounsbury
- 30 Kevin Campbell
- 30 Tom Moller

EMPLOYEES

- 3 Adelberto Mendoza
- 8 Bill Heylin
- 8 James Blaine Sweet
- 12 Gonzalo Gomez
- 26 Alice Jaramillo
- 30 Charles Weaver



June 20th is Father's Day. Happy Father's Day to you all. Men can expect a carnation flower and a steak dinner to say "thanks Dad." June 21st also begins our summer, get ready for the fog. Everyone had fun on our Granada Baseball Tour to AT&T Park, where we went by deluxe coach and were served lunch in our seats, then to our great Granada Memorial Day Picnic with the ribs / burgers / corn / beans / potato salad; a busy day. We'll have another picnic on July 4th summer fun. Remember if you want take-away food, order from the front desk but if you are in the dinning room, please ask your maitre'd. I'm told that "The Birth of Impressionism" will be in the DeYoung Museum until September 6th, so have no fear, Kevin will tour it. Remember if you have any dishes or silver in your room, please call the front desk for pickup. April, my PhD candidate daughter, will be going to Hawaii to present a paper. Hawaii is where her mother and I spent our honeymoon, Aloha. My door is always open. Thanks.

Tony Davidauskis, manager

Aquatic Park Lunch




(1 to r) Around our reserved table are: Pearl Dobson, Robert Thompson, Hilaria Atencio, Rosemarie Duran, Patricia Mitchell, Ken Kaffke and Louis Shackie set to lunch at Aquatic Park's Senior Center. Outside on the deck, a picture, oh yes that's Alcatraz and Hyde Street Pier in the background.





June 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 7:00 Bingo * Sue Pickford * Anna Thompson * Morgan Argall	2 10:00 Exercise 6:30 MOVIE * Judy Gomes * Robert Low	3 4:00 Music Event 7:00 Bingo	4 Donut Day 10:00 Yoga 4:00 HAPPY HOUR 6:30 MOVIE	5 1:30 Bingo 6:00 HBO * Rudi James
6 2:15 Ice Cream Social 7:00 60 Minutes	7 10:00 Exercise	8 7:00 Bingo	9 10:00 Exercise 6:30 MOVIE	10 10:00 Library on Wheels 7:00 Bingo	11 World Egg Day 10:00 Yoga 4:00 HAPPY HOUR 6:30 MOVIE	12 1:30 Bingo 6:00 HBO
13 11:00 SPCA 7:00 60 Minutes	14 Flag Day 10:00 Exercise	15 BIRTHDAY PARTY DINNER 7:00 Bingo * Mary Lotspeich	16 10:00 Exercise 1:30 Granada Tour to Sausalito 6:30 MOVIE	17 7:00 Bingo * Dolores Fletcher	18 10:00 Yoga 4:00 HAPPY HOUR 6:30 MOVIE	19 1:30 Bingo 6:00 HBO
20 Father's Day 2:15 Ice Cream Social 7:00 60 Minutes	21 First day of summer 10:00 Exercise	22 7:00 Bingo * Victor Viebig * Peter Hill	23 10:00 Mass 10:00 Exercise 6:30 MOVIE	24 7:00 Bingo	25 10:00 Yoga 4:00 HAPPY HOUR 6:30 MOVIE * John Jackson	26 10:00 SPCA 1:30 Bingo 6:00 HBO * Donna Baur
27 7:00 60 Minutes	28 10:00 Exercise	29 <i>Camera Day</i> 7:00 Bingo	30 10:00 Exercise 1:30 Granada Tour to Stinson Beach a Picnic 6:30 MOVIE * Kevin Campbell * Tom Moller		<i>Flower of the Month</i> <i>The Rose</i>	* Birthday Person

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