

Winners of the Fall RR – WE TAKE NO PRISONERS Referee Kerry Besmehn, Frank Garcia, Captain Joe Pulis, Bud Meacham, Mariyln Johnson, Adam Boyarski, Evonne & David Cook.



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2ND PLACE WINNERS—NACHO AVERAGE TEAM Tournament Coordiantor Paul Andersen, Captain Jeanne-Anne Whitacre, Tony Orlando Margaret Richardson, Yves Toussaint, Renee Woolard, Claire Toussaint, Gloria & Sandy Fernandez

BOCCE NEWS

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Congratulations goes to "We Take No Prisoners" for their first-place victory in the 2018 Fall Round Robin. The team consists of Captain Joe Pulis and team members Adam Boyarski, David Cook, Evonne Cook, Frank Garcia, Marilyn Johnson and Bud Meacham. 2nd place goes to "Nacho Average Team" Captain Jeanne-Anne Whitacre and team members Gloria & Sandy Fernandez, Margaret Richardson, Tony Orlando, Claire Toussaint, Yves Toussaint and Renee Woolard.

For this six-week tournament a thank you goes to coordinator Paul Andersen, the many referees, Captains, team members and the well wishers who supported their favorite team or players.

Reminder the Awards Dinner/Dance is tomorrow evening at the Clubhouse starting at 5 p.m. See you there!!

Membership/Elections Meeting is on Monday, November 12th at the Foothill Center from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Plan on attending to help decide your 2019 Board. Lots of candidates to choose from this year. Check out the club's website at <u>www.villagesbocceclub.com</u> or the cabinets at the bocce courts for who is running. Candidates photos and bio's will also be on display at the Membership Meeting on November 12th. Immediately after voting you are invited to a Wine & Cheese Reception.

Court Improvements are on schedule to start this week so the courts will be off limits to all bocce play during work on the courts. The carpets will be replaced and the rails will be refinished on both courts before the end of November. A much-needed improvement!! After the courts are refurbished, there will be lots of activity at the courts trying out the new carpets and rails. All the old tricks may not work on the newly resurfaced courts. It will be a level playing field for everyone and practice time may be at a premium as bocce player seek the edge for the 2019 tournament season on the new surfaces. New tournament balls will be ordered for 2019. Happy rolling!!!

A big thank you to the Bocce Club board led by Paul Andersen and Marion Logie for all their hard work and persistence in getting this started. A special thank you to Wayne Weiler who has been the bocce club's advocate with the Village Club Board of Directors.

More improvements are needed at the bocce courts and the board is hoping to have some fund raisers next year for these much-needed improvements.

Check out the club's website at <u>www.villagesbocceclub.com</u> for up to date information.