

# VILLA MONTEREY ONE AUXILIARY

## MARCH 2017 NEWSLETTER

Our yard/rummage sale was a HUGE SUCCESS (as usual) with many residents taking part in this community event. Whether you contributed items, helped carry them over, set up, priced, purchased items, placed signage around, sold, wrapped, or just helped happy folks to their car, we love and cherish your enthusiastic participation in this fun event (yes, it is more fun than work!). YOU are so appreciated! At noon on Sunday we began packing up unsold items and filled the truck for White Dove. By 12:35 one would never guess there had been a beehive of activity all morning. Every year I marvel at the meticulous clockwork of this event, many hands making light work. A well-known secret is that many of us end up with a lamp, chair, bowl, blanket, table, picture, etc., that belonged to our neighbor the day before! The Auxiliary thanks all of you!

### **CALENDAR:**

Wed. Mar 1	Men's Coffee	9:30 am
Wed. Mar 8	Women's Coffee	9:30 am
Wed. Mar 8	Service Project – see below	2:00 pm
Sat. Mar 18	All Coffee pot luck	9:30 am
	Wednesdays - Tai Chi with JoAnne Roberts – VM friend (480.747.0994 if you plan to attend as time may change)	8:00 am
Sun. Apr 2	Annual Meeting – refreshments	2:00 pm

**SERVICE PROJECT:** Help to make sleeping mats for the homeless by bringing clean plastic grocery bags and scissors to the park on International Women's Day.

Thanks to everyone who donated groceries and personal care items for St. Mary's Food Bank.

**WEEDS & TREES:** Spring rains bring beautiful flora, shrubs and WEEDS! Please keep your property tidy by pulling weeds that spring up in spring. The joyful profusion of desert daisies in several front yards is a sight to behold. They are also an eyesore as they age and lose their luster; April 1 is the removal date. Orange and grapefruit trees should be clear of all fruit by now in order to control the roof rat problems.

**NOTE:** There will be no March board meeting in preparation for the annual Association meeting April 2. Auxiliary dues of \$7 per person will be accepted at that time.

**PEOPLE OF INTEREST:** We wish Joe Falduto a full recovery after a recent setback. While in rehab cards may be sent to the home address, 4834 N 74<sup>th</sup> Place; no visitors at this time. Pat, you take care of yourself, too.

Do you know we have a famous actress, Patti Hannon, living amongst us? Patti is the notorious Sister Patti of Late Nite Catechism at the Scottsdale Center for Performing Arts and would like to have you in her class!

