

# *The eBuzz – A weekly Email Publication*



## Monday, October 24<sup>th</sup>, 2022

### **Association Announcements:**

Please contact Anita Bauer, the Executive Administrative Assistant,  
at 661-821-5537, ext. 231, or by email at [anitab@bvsa.org](mailto:anitab@bvsa.org)  
for the following updates and information:

- Changes to your eBuzz subscription
- Request for eBuzz articles/updates/pictures (due by Thursday each week)
- Bear Tracks articles/pictures (due no later than the 8<sup>th</sup> of each month)
- Committee agendas and minutes
- BVSA Website information ([www.bvsa.org](http://www.bvsa.org))
- Recognized Club Contact Information
- Board of Directors Meeting Information

A special thank you to all who share their pictures for eBuzz and Bear Tracks.

# UPCOMING Meetings

**BVSA Board of Director Meetings - Now Meeting on the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday**

**BVSA Regular Meeting – 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday at 6:00 PM – October 25<sup>th</sup>, 2022 at OTCC**  
**Special Board Meeting – No Special Board Meeting in November**

### **BVSA Committee Meetings**

Equestrian Advisory Committee	Monday, November 7 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 AM	EC
Golf Advisory Committee	Tuesday, November 1 <sup>st</sup>	8:30 AM	OTCC
Recreational Advisory Committee	Wednesday, November 2 <sup>nd</sup>	1:30 PM	WC
Lake Quality Advisory Committee	Monday, November 7 <sup>th</sup>	6:00 PM	WC
Food Service Advisory Committee	Thursday, December 15 <sup>th</sup>	1:00 PM	BVSA
Finance Advisory Committee	Wednesday, October 19 <sup>th</sup>	1:00 PM	BVSA
BVSA/CSD Liaison Committee	Thursday, November 3 <sup>rd</sup>	7:00 PM	CSD

# Connect Online with Your Association!

[www.bvsa.org](http://www.bvsa.org)

Mulligan Room and The Oaks Specials & Online Ordering available at [bvsa.org](http://bvsa.org)



Instagram

[bearvalleyspringsassociation](#)

[bvsawhitingcenter](#)

BVSA Facebook Pages:

[Bear Valley Springs Assoc](#)

[Whiting Center BVSA](#)

[BVS Pool](#)

[Bear Valley Youth Sports](#)

[Bear Valley Springs Grizzlies](#)



[Click Here for more information on the process for obtaining a new card](#)





# RESTAURANT HOURS



## Mulligan Room (Indoor/Patio/To Go)

7 days a week - 7:30am to 8 pm

Breakfast served:

7:30am-10:45am (Monday-Saturday)

7:30am-11:30am (Sunday)



## Oak Branch Saloon:

Monday 4-10pm

(Football Menu Available for Dine In Only  
until 8pm)

Wednesday/Thursday/Sunday

4pm-10pm

(Food available until at 8pm)

Friday/Saturday 4pm-11:30

(Food Available for Dine-in until 9pm)

## The Oaks Restaurant:

Thursday/Friday/Saturday/Sunday

4pm-8pm

Reservations Suggested.

Call 661-821-5521 for reservations.

## Curbside Pick Up

(Pizza and Selected Menu Items)

Wednesday - Sunday

4pm-8pm



# DINNER SPECIALS

VIEW DAILY BREAKFAST AND LUNCH  
SPECIALS ONLINE AT [WWW.BVSA.ORG](http://WWW.BVSA.ORG)



## MONDAY 10/24

SOUP: BROCCOLI CHEDDAR

TERIYAKI SHRIMP \$16

## TUESDAY 10/25

SOUP: CHICKEN TORTILLA

BAJA CHICKEN TACOS \$13

## WEDNESDAY 10/26

SOUP: CREAM OF GREEN CHILI

BEEF & BROCCOLI \$13

## THURSDAY 10/27

SOUP: TOMATO BISQUE

BANG BANG SHRIMP \$16

## FRIDAY 10/28

SOUP: CLAM CHOWDER

FISH & CHIPS \$16

## SATURDAY 10/29

SOUP: CHICKEN NOODLE

ROASTED HALF CHICKEN \$16

## SUNDAY 10/30

SOUP: MINESTRONE

RIGATONI AMATRICIANA \$13

## DESSERTS

CHEESECAKE

CHOCOLATE LAYER CAKE

LEMON MERINGUE PIE

WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU  
EMAIL US! [commentcard@BVSA.ORG](mailto:commentcard@BVSA.ORG)  
661-821-4107



# Burger of the Week

## Quesadilla Burger

Beef Patty, Cheddar & Pepperjack Cheese, Pico de Gallo, Bacon, & Chipotle Mayo on Flour Tortillas \$14.00

Available  
Monday - Sunday  
11am-8pm

Order Online at  
[www.bvsa.org](http://www.bvsa.org)





**LIVE**

# ***MONDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL AT THE OAK BRANCH SALOON***

**EVERY MONDAY DURING  
FOOTBALL SEASON**

**OPEN 4:00-10:00PM**

**SPECIAL FOOTBALL &  
PIZZA MENUS AVAILABLE  
4-8PM FOR DINE IN OR  
CURBSIDE PICK UP!**

***DRINK SPECIALS!  
BIG SCREEN TV!***





# MONDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL

OAK  
BRANCH  
SALOON

KITCHEN OPEN 4 PM-8 PM

## STARTERS

SPICY BUFFALO WINGS 6/12	\$9/\$16
LOADED TOTS	\$9
BEER BATTERED ARTICHOKE HEARTS	\$9
SPICY GARLIC EDAMAME	\$8
GARLIC CHEESE FRIES	\$9

## TO SHARE

MAHI MAHI TACOS	\$18
SHREDDED CHICKEN TACOS	\$12
FRENCH ONION SLIDERS	\$12
PULLED PORK BANH MI SLIDERS	\$12
COCONUT SHRIMP	\$14

## BURGERS

THE CLASSIC 8 OZ BURGER	\$14
QUESADILLA BURGER	\$14
GRILLED CHICKEN SANDWICH	\$14
IMPOSSIBLE BURGER	\$14

FOR ALLERGEN INFORMATION, PLEASE ASK YOUR SERVER.





# MONDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL

OAK  
BRANCH  
SALOON

**KITCHEN OPEN 4 PM-8 PM**

## SALADS

HOUSE	\$5/\$10
COUNTRY CLUB	\$7/12
CAESAR	\$7/12
SESAME CRUSTED AHI	\$24

## SIDES

FRIES	\$4
TATER TOTS	\$4
ONION RINGS	\$7
SIDE SALAD	\$5/7
CHIPS AND SALSA	\$5

## SPECIALS

PLEASE ASK YOUR SERVER ABOUT  
TODAYS CHEF SPECIALTY

FOLLOW US ONLINE AT [BVSA.ORG](http://BVSA.ORG)  
COMMENTS? SUGGESTIONS? EMAIL US @  
[COMMENTCARD@BVSA.ORG](mailto:COMMENTCARD@BVSA.ORG)

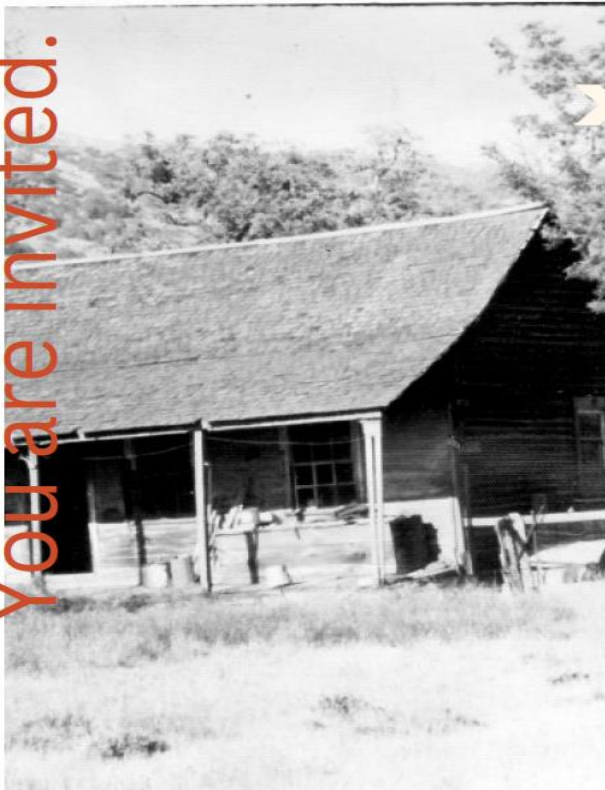
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# Clubs and Special Interest Groups

You are invited.



## BVSA HISTORICAL SCHOOLHOUSE PLAQUE DEDICATION

Join us as the BVS Schoolhouse is awarded a historical plaque by the E Clampus Vitus on Saturday, October 29th at 11am by the BVS Country Market courtyard.



Bear Valley Historic Schoolhouse



## BVS Swing Dance Club

Have fun dancing to a variety of contemporary music at the saloon and events

SUMMER BREAK UNTIL MID-SEPTEMBER



### *Swing Dance Classes*

Fridays at The OTTC Banquet Room

Times to be announced

Facebook: [BVS Swing Dance Club](#)

Email: [SwingDanceClub.BVS@gmail.com](mailto:SwingDanceClub.BVS@gmail.com)

## The BVS Tailwaggers Dog Club Mission Statement



The BVS Tailwaggers Dog Club is dedicated to responsible dog ownership/guardianship. We are a body of people who care about their dogs and want to be with like-minded responsible people who feel the same. We are committed to sharing and learning. The club will provide experiences through education, training, fun events, and social activities. It is designed to improve handler skills and be an information center for owners presenting issues and subjects based on our members' needs. The club will provide support for local rescues in Kern County. Tailwaggers is open to any BVSA resident in good standing and BVSA renters with amenity privileges.



Your dog is your partner, your friend, your defender. You are your dog's life, love and leader. Your dog will be yours, faithful and true, to the end. You owe it to your dog to be worthy of such devotion.

For more information or membership details  
Contact Lucy Radike at 661-904-3379.

Scan to see our website:



Scan to see our Facebook.



# *BVS Garden Club 2022*



## *BVS Garden Club*

**When:** Friday, February 17, 2023 at 1 p.m.

**Where:** Equestrian Center Lounge

## *Next Meeting*

We don't meet in November, December, and January so meetings will begin again in February.

## *Membership*

Annual dues are \$10 for BVS residents and \$20 for non-residents. Guests can attend for \$5 per meeting or event.

## *Contact Us*

Ivette Farrell, Director, 661-544-0087

Email: [bvsgardenclub@gmail.com](mailto:bvsgardenclub@gmail.com)

Facebook: BVS Garden Club 2022 Group

The BVS Garden Club is a resource for all Bear Valley residents who would like to make the most of their gardens. Bring your questions, lessons learned, and gardening enthusiasm to our meetings, which take place every third Friday, February through October at the Equestrian Center Lounge. We also planted and maintain the Water Wise Garden on the corner of Bear Valley Rd. and North Lower Valley Rd. next to the CSD parking lot. Stop by to take a stroll through our garden!



The BVSAC was formed to bring together people interested in enjoying the beautiful night skies of our valley. The Club is open to people at every level – from complete beginners to astronomy professionals. We have regular meetings, star parties and numerous public events throughout the year. We also want to educate our residents about the advantages of keeping our skies naturally dark.

MEETINGS are the first Monday of the month at 6:30pm at the Equestrian Center Lounge. All are welcome!

Public Star Parties are generally the Saturday closest to first quarter moon, held at the Cub Lake basketball court. Club Member dark sky star parties are generally held the Saturday closest to new moon. Check our Facebook page (Bear Valley Springs Astronomy Club) for updates and special events!

Interested? Contact Interim President Claude Plymate ([info@bvsac.com](mailto:info@bvsac.com)).



# The BVS Wildlife Coalition

The mission of the Bear Valley Wildlife Coalition is to promote a community that lives in harmony with nature by protecting and preserving BVS wildlife and their habitat. You can join our Facebook page, become a dues-paying member of the Club or join our email list by contacting us at [BVSWildlifeCoalition@gmail.com](mailto:BVSWildlifeCoalition@gmail.com).

## BVS Wildlife Coalition presents



## Wildlife Management with Melissa Storti

Melissa and brother Michael run a wildlife removal company and work with rodents, snakes, bats, birds, skunks, raccoons, foxes, coyotes, gophers, moles and squirrels.

Living with wildlife is not always easy! Come learn about these important issues:

- The dangers of Rodenticide
- The definition of a wildlife pest
- Zoonotic diseases that can be contracted by wildlife and people
- What homeowners can do to prevent wildlife from invading their homes
- How to humanely remove wildlife from buildings and structures and prevent re-entry

**October 26 (Wednesday) @ 6:00 pm – OTCC**

**RSVP to [BVSwildlifecoalition@gmail.com](mailto:BVSwildlifecoalition@gmail.com)**



***SEE AN ISSUE ON THE TRAILS?  
TEXT THE TRAIL CREW!***

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**661-866-5892**

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Please text location and  
photo of the trail concern.



## BVS Vintage Dance and Tea Society

Dance like Jane Austin at colonial balls, debutante balls, etc.  
Costumes are admired, but not required



Classes at OTCC Banquet Room

Thursdays 6:30-7:30 PM

Sundays 4:00-5:00 PM

Facebook: [BVS Vintage Dance and Tea Society](#)

Email: [BVSVintageDanceClub@gmail.com](mailto:BVSVintageDanceClub@gmail.com)

Monthly Tea Time Socials

Pamela Bettencourt-Spitzer

Facebook: [Tea Time at Bear Valley Springs](#)

*Dates and times are subject to change check the Facebook page or join the email list*



## BVS Swing Dance Club

Have fun dancing to a variety of contemporary music at the saloon and events  
BACK FROM SUMMER BREAK FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 23

### ***Swing Dance Classes***

Fridays at The OTCC Banquet Room

Beginners 6:30 PM to 7:30 PM

Intermediates come to beginner class

Facebook: [BVS Swing Dance Club](#)

Email: [SwingDanceClub.BVS@gmail.com](mailto:SwingDanceClub.BVS@gmail.com)

Call: Brian at 818-961-4622



The new fall classes are good opportunity for new dancers to start with many other beginners. We have made the lessons simple and fun so you should be able to dance and make turns after just a few classes. If you can walk and clap to music, we should be able to help you dance. We are novice teachers and offer the classes for free.

A partner is not required, but it can help with balancing leads and follows. I expect many of our student from early this year will be rusty after the summer breaks, so we will be getting back to basics.

# Line Dancing!

## Oak Tree Country Club

**Time to get moving & grooving and have lots of fun!  
Beginners welcome, no partner needed.**



## Wednesdays 6 – 8 PM

Beginner dances at 6pm, we play a variety of music so come on out and join us. It is great exercise too!



## BVS CYCLE CLUB



[www.bvscycleclub.com](http://www.bvscycleclub.com)

[www.bvscycleclub@gmail.com](mailto:www.bvscycleclub@gmail.com)

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/BVSCycleClub/>

We meet on the **1st Thursday** of the month at **6:30 PM** at the Oak Tree Country Club. Beginning and experienced riders welcome! Many of our riders can be seen riding throughout Bear Valley Springs and beyond. New to cycling or just getting back in? Our members have a "stick together" policy when riding.

Looking for a place to ride off the road? Check out the mostly flat 1 ¼ mile bike-friendly Nature Path at Beaubien Field. Most importantly, we work with the BVSCSD and the BVSA to improve our community's outdoor recreational opportunities throughout Bear Valley Springs and beyond.



# PICKLEBALL

**OPEN PLAY:** Monday thru Friday.

Mornings: 7:30-10:30 am Evenings: 7:00-9:00 pm

**CLUB MEMBERS ONLY CLINICS:** Thursdays 9:00 am hosted by Rick

**CLUB CONTACT:** Rhonda at (661) 428 7461 or Julian at 661 599 0731

# Tennis Club

For more info on the Oak Tree Tennis Club, check out our Facebook page!

<https://www.facebook.com/oaktreetennisclub/>

## Happy Halloween 2022

**Date:** Saturday, October 29th

**Time:** 2:00 to 4:00 pm

**Age:** 4 and up

**Where:** Bear Valley Tennis Courts

**Sponsored by:** Oak Tree Tennis Club

- Costume contest
- Halloween Drills/Games
- Treats

Point of Contact: Julian 661-599-0731



# BVSA Archery / Rifle Range

[Click here](#) to check out the Bear Valley Shooters Facebook page

The BVS Range is Closed Until Further Notice.

## The Whiting Center



The main activity center for the valley, the Whiting Center offers an indoor Jacuzzi, a basketball court, (which also doubles as an inline hockey rink, and indoor pickleball in the winter), a game room, a fitness center, and different types of exercise classes are also available. Our classes are offered to Property Owners and their guests. Fees do still apply. To use the Whiting Center the guest fee with the Property Owner are as follows:

Ages 9-16 is \$2, ages 17 and older is \$5 per day.

Without a Property Owner and with a temporary amenity pass is \$10 per day. Which is good all day just come back with your receipt showing you paid already.

If you have a talent or skill you would like to share with the community, please give us a call. We are always looking for additional classes to offer. Please have your amenity card ready when you sign in at the Whiting Center. For more information call 821-6641.

Come and work out at the fitness center!

Without a Property Owner and with a temporary amenity pass the fee for the Fitness Center is \$15 per day.

**Please see Staff for more information.**

**[CLICK HERE](#) FOR THE NEW WHITING CENTER FACEBOOK PAGE**

**Annual trunk or treat at the whiting center**

**Saturday, October 29<sup>th</sup>**

**ALL VEHICLES WILL HAVE ASSIGNED SPOTS**

**Sign up at the Whiting Center**

**Vehicles must be in the parking lot by 4:00 pm.**

**For the safety of the children no one will be allowed into the parking lot after 4:00 pm**

**Prizes will be awarded to the two best decorated vehicles.**

**Trunk or Treat begins at 5:00 promptly and ends at 7:00 pm**

**Please supply your own candy**





# BVSA HALLOWEEN EVENTS!



SOMETHING FOR  
EVERYONE!

- Thursday, 10/27 - Thriller Thursday Movie: Poltergeist at Oak Branch Saloon (21 & Older)
- Saturday, 10/29 - Halloween Tennis Event at OTCC Sponsored by the Oak Tree Tennis Club with games & treats (Ages 4 & Up)
- Saturday, 10/29 - Halloween Carnival & Trunk or Treat at the Whiting Center 5-8pm
- Saturday, 10/29 - Costume Contest at the Whiting Center 5-7pm PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED
- Saturday, 10/29 - Halloween Party at Oak Branch Saloon (21 & Older) DJ/Costume Contest/Photo Booth
- Monday, 10/31 - Host Homes for Trick or Treating 6-8pm

**SIGN UP FOR TRUNK OR TREAT,  
HOST HOMES, & COSTUME  
CONTEST AT WHITING CENTER!**

The background of the entire image is a close-up, top-down view of various LEGO bricks. There are blue bricks with circular studs, yellow bricks, and white bricks. The bricks are scattered across a light orange surface, creating a playful and colorful backdrop for the text.

WHITING CENTER

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# LEGO CLUB

LIMITED OPENINGS!  
THURSDAYS 4:00-6:00PM  
\$40/MONTH/CHILD  
AGES 7-14

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REGISTER AT [BVSA.RECDESK.COM](http://BVSA.RECDESK.COM) OR AT THE  
WHITING CENTER





# Bunco

*2nd Sunday of the month!*

at the Whiting Center 1 pm-3:30 pm

**COST: \$5 PER PERSON**

**DATES:**

**JAN 16TH**

**FEBRUARY 20TH**

**MARCH 13TH**

**APRIL 10TH**

**MAY 15TH**

**JUNE 12TH**

**JULY 10TH**

**AUGUST 14TH**

**SEPTEMBER 11TH**

**OCTOBER 16TH**

**NOVEMBER 13TH**

**DECEMBER 11TH**

**\*\*THE SCHEDULE IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE**

## **FOR MORE INFORMATION:**

Call 661-821-6641 and ask for  
Linda Wetta

# Sign-Up for our Costume Contest ahead of time!

(NOW REQUIRED)

Where and with who? The Whiting Center staff  
at the front desk. 😊

Save Time - Sign Up Early  
Enter by 4 pm on Oct. 29th

## Halloween Costume Contest October 29th

Night of: You're already registered! Check In &  
Pick up your number half an hour before.

**0-3 Years:** Check-in by 4:45- Starts at 5 pm

**4-6 Years:** Check-in by 5:15- Starts at 5:30 pm

**7-9 Years:** Check-in by 5:45- Starts at 6 pm

**10-13 Years:** Check-in by 6:15- Starts at 6:30 pm

**Group/Families:** Check-in by 6:45- Starts at 7 pm

Bear Valley Springs Associon

# Whiting Center



[www.bvsa.org](http://www.bvsa.org)

Whiting Center Facebook page





# Open Gym Adult Pick Up Basketball

**THURSDAY NIGHTS:  
6:30 –8:30 PM**



- **CO-ED Game**
- **Must be 18+ older to play**
- **Release & Liability form required**
- **BV Residents Free**  
\*Must show amenity card to front desk
- **Guest fees apply for Non-Residents**  
\*\$5 w/ sponsor present or \$10 w/ amenity guest pass



## BVSCAA TENTATIVE EVENTS FOR 2022

- Theater "Love Letters" at OTCC– October 15 4:00 pm
- Holiday Bazaar at Whiting Center - November 25 & 26
- Holiday Music at The Whiting Center - December 10



Darleen Carr- You may not know the name, but you've certainly heard the voice (*The Sound of Music* and *The Jungle Book*) and seen the face ("The Streets of San Francisco," Clint Eastwood's *The Beguiled*, and so many, many others.) Darleen is a veteran character actor who has been Michael Douglas's love interest, Ron Howard's sister, Henry Fonda's daughter, and James Garner's co-star. With well over a hundred film and television credits, she brings her extraordinary talent and experience to the role of Melissa Gardner in the BVSCAA production of A. R. Gurney's two-person play, *Love Letters*.

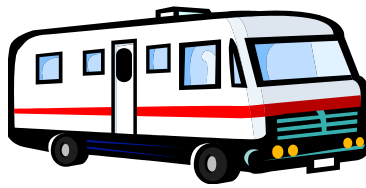
Darleen will be joined by writer-producer Dan Bronson as Andrew Makepeace Ladd III. Dan's acting credits are, as he himself observes, "somewhat more limited" than Darleen's, but he's quick to point out his "acclaimed performance" as "The Jogger" in his own *Death of a Cheerleader* and his turn as Yasmine Bleeth's father in the still photo on her bookcase in his *Talk To Me*. "It's a bit like a match-up between Serena Williams and someone whose experience is confined to having watched a lot of tennis games."

The play itself is a kind of tennis game with life-long friends (and sometime lovers) slamming words back and forth in a colorful correspondence that covers decades, during which Andy excels at Yale and Melissa flunks out of school after school. For Andy, life is a conventional marriage and a highly successful career in law and politics. For Melissa, it's divorce, gigolos, booze, and a failed stab at a career in art. And running through it all, as different as they are, is the love they have always felt for each other.

Please join Darleen and Dan, Melissa and Andy, and board of the BVSACAA Saturday, October 15<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 p.m. at the Oak Tree Country Club. Admission \$10. Free to members.

## SPORTSMAN'S CLUB





***“The BVS Sportsman’s Club: We’re not just friends, we’re family!”***

If you are interested in finding out more about the Sportsman’s Club, come along to our Monthly Meeting at 6pm on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month at the Garden Room at the Oak Tree Saloon

## GREENHORNS



Fundamental Horsemanship, for both horse and rider, of that found on *working cattle operations* is the environment we provide. While cattle are used from May thru Oct., we currently hold numerous sessions during this time of year practicing a lot of other fun things that improve our ranch horsemanship skills. We do not hold timed events or competitions.

## BVS PONY CLUB



BVS Pony Club is part of the United States Pony Club, an organization which promotes the development of the young English or Western rider (ages 8-25).

The Housemaster's branch focuses on enhancing adults' current knowledge and skills.

Contact Debbie Swarens at 661-821-0968 or Gary Yettner at 818 415-1222

## BVS Carriage Driving Society



**Meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of every month at the Equestrian Center Lounge at 6:00 PM.**

**For more information contact Debbie Mayer 802-343-5483**

**[dciancamayer@comcast.net](mailto:dciancamayer@comcast.net)**

## Horsemen's Association



We meet on the third Monday of each month at the Equestrian Center Lounge beginning at 7:00 PM. We are neighbors, family and friends. We share a common interest with all the residents in our desire to see an active, prosperous community. We strive to promote good fellowship among the people of Bear Valley Springs and promote a natural blend of equestrians with all the residents of the community. We promote equestrian related activities and facilities and support the acquisition and preservation of riding and hiking trails in Bear Valley Springs. We strive to promote the interests of all riding disciplines. We encourage safety, good horsemanship and sportsmanship. We invite you to participate in the protection, promotion and preservation of the riding and hiking trails that help to define our community. Everyone is welcome and horse-ownership is not necessary. Your first year of membership is FREE!

To access the Horseman's website go to [bvsha.com](http://bvsha.com) or contact our President, Susan Mustaffa at 661-538-0995 or [smustaffa@outlook.com](mailto:smustaffa@outlook.com). We are also on Facebook: Bear Valley Springs Horsemen's Association

## BVS Dressage Club

Janice Polletta- President 661-847-8364 or [JKPolletta@gmail.com](mailto:JKPolletta@gmail.com)



# Bear Valley Buckaroos

Our big news this year is that we are now the host club for the BV Buckaroos AMA Mule and Horse Show on August 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, & 7<sup>th</sup>. This show has become a Bear Valley tradition and is a great spectator event. Full details can be found on the Bear Valley Buckaroos Facebook page.

Our first playday was held on Saturday, June 18<sup>th</sup>, and we had a huge turnout. Playdays are fun & challenging for riders of all ages and will be held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month through October.

Our first team sorting "round robin" competition was held on Sunday, June 19<sup>th</sup>, with 90 teams competing for the prize money and end of season buckles. The competitions will continue on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month through October. There will be cash pay outs to the top 3 riders in each group of 10, with both morning & afternoon sessions.

Practice sessions with our cattle will be held at 5:00 pm on Wednesdays & Saturdays through October. Practice will not be held on the Saturday prior to a competitive team sorting. Practice is fun and non-competitive. Riders of any level, beginner to advanced, are welcome to practice at their own speed. There is a \$30 fee per rider for each practice session.

We have already held a successful barrel racing clinic and we have a 2-day horsemanship and cattle work clinic scheduled for July 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>. The clinic is limited to 10 people per day and spots are still available for either or both days.

All events and practice sessions do require an annual \$60 Buckaroo family membership fee. Membership applications and current information are available on our "Bear Valley Buckaroos" Facebook page. Applications will also be available at all events. Applications and payment can be deposited into our mailbox at the Equestrian Center or brought to an event.

Please feel free to contact any Board member for further information.

## 2022 BV Buckaroos Board

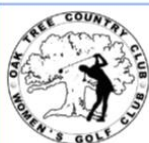
President Jeff Kermode (661) 343-7503

1<sup>st</sup> VP George McMackin (661) 400-1333 ▪ 2<sup>nd</sup> VP Erica Underwood (805) 705-1123

Treasurer Cheryl Akerly (661) 609-6113 ▪ Secretary Debi Kermode (949) 291-0551



## Oak Tree Country Club Women's Golf Club



Weekly Playdays: Open Play - Monday at 10:00  
9-Hole Playday - Wednesday at 10:00  
18-Hole Playday - Friday at 9:30  
Sign-up at the Pro Shop by 2:00 pm the day before play

Our club meeting is held the second Wednesday of the month at 8:30 am in the OTCC Garden Room. For questions about joining our club or about any playday or event, contact the Pro Shop or our Club President, Joy Webber at 661-300-1536 or email at cows4joy@sbcglobal.net

The Oak Tree Women's Golf Club would like to thank  
all who participated in our Play for Pink Tournament  
on Saturday October 15, 2022 as well as those  
who contributed funds, prizes or services:

### **2022 Play for Pink Contributions**

#### **Cash Sponsors**

<i>Ashmore Motors</i>	<i>Martin, Russ</i>
<i>Bell, Lantie</i>	<i>Misklevitz, Leigh</i>
<i>Boudreau, Wayne &amp; Sherry</i>	<i>Morones, Joe - Miramar</i>
<i>Bower, Rod and Kitty</i>	<i>Newton, Wayne and Judy</i>
<i>Carey, Kathy - BVS Properties</i>	<i>OTCC Women's Golf Club</i>
<i>Davidson, Yvonne</i>	<i>Panek, Jim - Panek Real Estate</i>
<i>Fick, Toni</i>	<i>Potvin, Dede</i>
<i>Gardner, Terry - Miramar</i>	<i>Reyburn, Butch and Karen</i>
<i>Gore, Duane &amp; Tammy</i>	<i>Rubow, Mark</i>
<i>Griffin, Grif and Diane</i>	<i>Schick, Maggie - BVS Realty</i>
<i>Hall, Beth - BVS Realty</i>	<i>Schroeder, Sonya</i>
<i>Herrera, Skip and Colleen</i>	<i>Skeels, Sherry - BVS Realty</i>
<i>Hutson, Jim - Access Realty</i>	<i>Smith, Scott - Miramar</i>
<i>Juckes, Alice</i>	<i>Thompson, Solveig - BVS Realty</i>
<i>Kagley, Marilyn - BVS Realty</i>	<i>Underwood, Don &amp; Kathy</i>
<i>Lewis, Gail</i>	<i>Webber, Ric and Joy</i>
<i>Lewis, Michael</i>	<i>Welch, Bob - Bob Welch Construction</i>
<i>McCormick, Jim and Patty</i>	<i>Williams, Sandy &amp; Irene</i>
	<i>Zanutto, Rick and Donna</i>

### **2022 Play for Pink Contributions**

#### **Raffle Prizes or Services**

<i>Bower, Barry</i>	<i>O'Neal, Chaney</i>
<i>Bower, Kitty</i>	<i>O.T.C.C. Golf Shop</i>
<i>Bower, Rod</i>	<i>Panek, Cathy</i>
<i>BVSA Duane Gore</i>	<i>Potvin, Dede</i>
<i>Cross, Linda</i>	<i>Prior, Meg</i>
<i>Gifford, Anita</i>	<i>Rabe, Warren/Christy</i>
<i>Harrison, Michael</i>	<i>Ramirez, Jesse</i>
<i>Hoyt, Carrie &amp; Jessica</i>	<i>Ramirez, Tammy</i>
<i>I.G.M.</i>	<i>Reed, Ken</i>
<i>James, Jeanne</i>	<i>Roush, Debby</i>
<i>Juckes, Alice</i>	<i>Sadler, Ann</i>
<i>Kohnen's Bakery</i>	<i>Scotti, JoEllen</i>
<i>Kowey, Joanne</i>	<i>Steinbach, Bo &amp; Kelly</i>
<i>Lance, Eva</i>	<i>TK's Pizza and Pasta</i>
<i>Lopes, Paula</i>	<i>Webber, Joy</i>
<i>Lozar, Sharon</i>	<i>Zanutto, Rick and Donna</i>
<i>McGowan, Bridget</i>	
<i>Martin, Russ</i>	



## Play for PINK Highlights



On #15 Tracy Martin (above) teed off and her ball hit the antler of the elk on the right and dropped about 5 ft away. The hit woke the elk up but he didn't seem to care. Needless to say, Tracy didn't use that ball.





# Oak Tree Golf Course

Call the Oak Tree Golf Course at (661) 821-5144

## Oak Tree Men's Golf Club



For Information Call President, Mark Poindexter at (805) 320-9444

The Oak Tree Men's Golf Club holds their meetings  
on the second Wednesday of the month at 6:00 pm  
in the Green Room of the Whiting Center.

### Oak Tree Men's Golf Club – 2022 Club Championship

The Club Championship was held October 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> and was chaired by Mark Poindexter. The non-senior club championship was won by Vic Keesey Jr. with a gross score of 144 and the senior club championship was won by Scott McKettrick with a gross score of 154. Congratulations to Vic and Scott. Other finishers of note are:

- First Flight
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Net - Lamar Kruitbosch with a net score of 144
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Net - Mel Beck with a net score of 145
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> Net – Gary Kabonic with a net score of 146
- Second Flight
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Net – Bob Stephens with a net score of 146
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Net - Jodi McKeehan with a net score of 148
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> Net – Tony Misklevitz with a net score of 149



ENJOY SOME OF  
THE MOST  
amazing SIGHTS  
IN ALL OF BVS



CONTACT  
Duane OR Tammy  
AT THE BVS PRO SHOP  
661-821-5144

OR

OAK TREE MEN'S GOLF  
CLUB PRESIDENT

MARK POINDEXTER  
805-320-9444

WITH ANY ?? OR  
COMMENTS

SEE YA AT THE NEXT  
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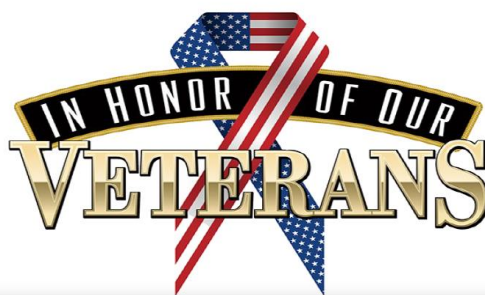
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*Member-Guest Tournament*

# 2022







## **VETERANS GOLF TOURNAMENT**

**Oak Tree Men's Golf Club - 4 Person Scramble**

**Saturday, November 12, 2022 - 9:00 AM Shotgun Start**

**Sign-In at least 30 minutes prior**

Make your own foursome or just sign up in the pro shop. Open to the first 72 Players (Men and Women) to sign up. Last day to sign up or cancel is November 8th

Cost is \$41.00 per person, which includes a cart, \$30.00 with your own Cart.

All proceeds to benefit Veterans Honor Flight

Lunch will be provided on the Golfer's Patio immediately following the tournament. Beer, water, Gatorade, and soft drinks will be provided on the course and the Golfer's Patio.

1<sup>st</sup> Place Net per Flight, Opportunity Drawings, Raffle Prizes, Hole-in One Prizes, Closest to the Line on 5, Closest to the Pin on 11, Putting Contest & On the Green Wagering on 2 & 11

Tee Box Sponsor Signs are Available for \$50, with All Proceeds going to Honor Flight  
Sign-up at the Pro Shop and/or Contact Ned Harris for Questions @ 661 342-2573

All Prizes will be Awarded at the Luncheon. For additional information call

Mark Poindexter @ 805 320-9444



# Bear Valley Nature Path



Enjoy walking, cycling on the 1.25 mile trail surrounded by nature.  
The entrance is at Beaubien Field with parking available.

## BEAR VALLEY SPRINGS VETERANS ASSOCIATION



The BVS-VA monthly member's meeting is the second Tuesday of the month at the Equestrian Center Rec Room. It begins with a meet & greet at 6 pm, come and get acquainted with your fellow Veterans. The telling of "Tall Tales" and "Sea Stories" is encouraged. The meeting runs from 6:30 to 7:30. Coffee and snacks are available. We will have an interesting Guest Speaker at every meeting.

*Membership is open to all BVS veterans who served honorably in any branch of service. Your DD214 is all that is required. Contact any of the officers below for further information.*

**Commander Bill Kritlow**  
(949) 394-4525 [billkritlow@gmail.com](mailto:billkritlow@gmail.com)

**Vice-Commander Lee Tharp**  
(818) 515-0241 [sltharp@aol.com](mailto:sltharp@aol.com)

**Chaplain James Carmichael**  
661-821 0493 [jpcarmichael90717@yahoo.com](mailto:jpcarmichael90717@yahoo.com)

**Membership Jed Hannan**  
(818) 414-2430 [jerseyjed@aol.com](mailto:jerseyjed@aol.com)

# Cub Lake Dog Park





We are thankful to have this wonderful amenity.  
Please pick up after your pets while using the trails.

If you have any questions about the Dog Park , please call the Association Office at 821-5537 ext.222.

**Bear Valley Springs Women's Club**  
**Wishing all BVSA a happy and wonderful**  
**FALL season!**

**Help us sponsor youth in our community!**

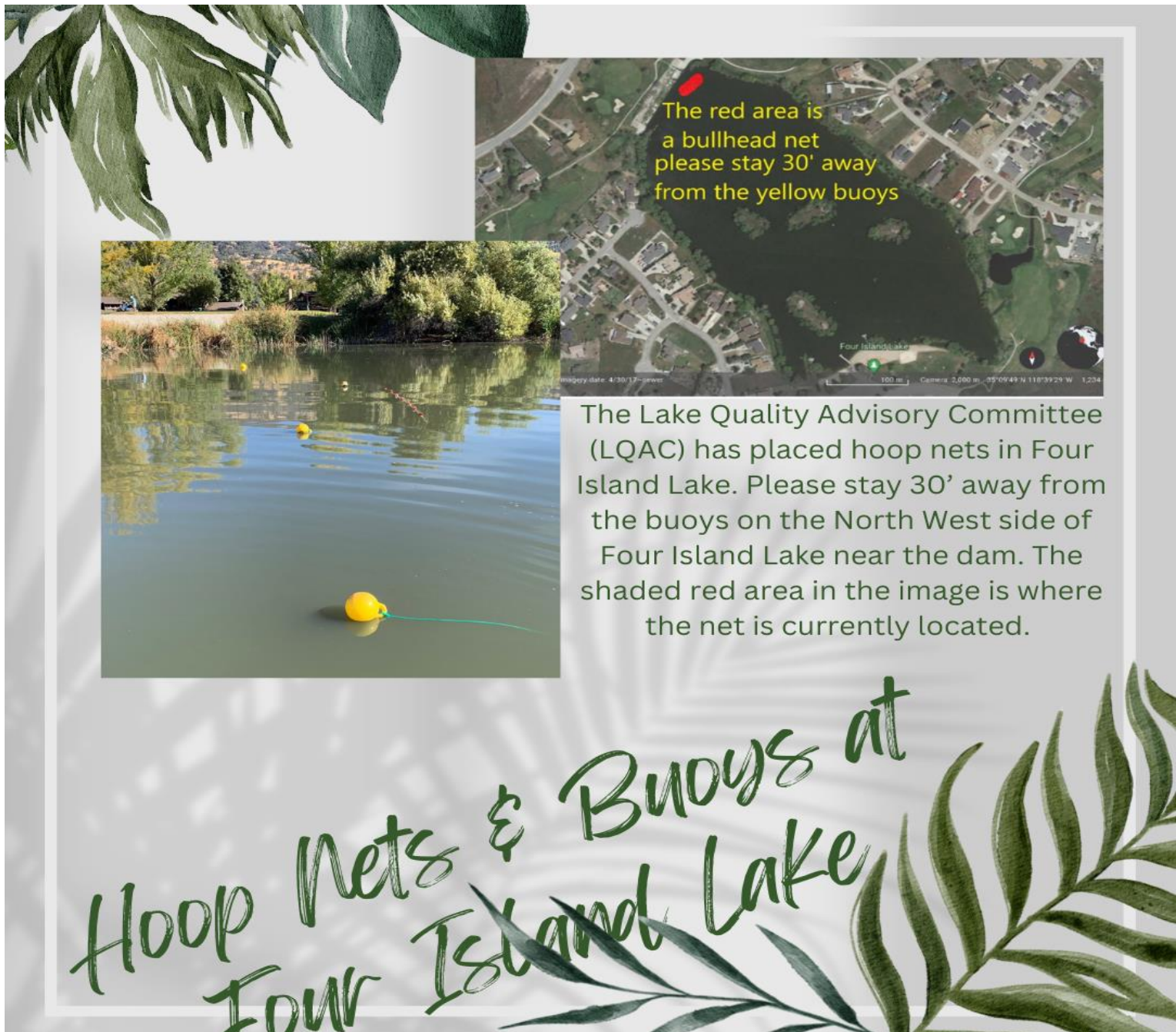
- Women's Social Club dedicated to providing scholarships to local graduates
- Open to all Bear Valley residents
- \$20.00 annual dues
- Join us for monthly dinners, door prizes, raffle prizes, and special events!

If interested, contact:

**Deanna Hurst**  
**President**  
**(805) 551-6954**

**Tammie Saranpa**  
**Membership Chair**  
**(661) 209-9156**

***Lake Quality Committee***



Want sustainable lake water quality? Join the LQAC Lake Quality Advisory Committee  
For additional information, please email [bvlqac@gmail.com](mailto:bvlqac@gmail.com)

## BVS Historical Society Senior Softball

Anyone that can't catch, pitch, throw, or bat will fit right in. This is not competitive in any way. You or your spouse has to be 50 years old or older and want to have fun, meet new people, and get some exercise at the same time. Come on out. Everyone is welcome.

**MEET US AT THE BALL PARK AND HAVE SOME FUN! 3:00 PM on Tuesday and Thursday. For information call Lisa Burt (661) 821-0850 or email [@The\\_burt\\_family@yahoo.com](mailto:@The_burt_family@yahoo.com)**



# BVS RC Model Club

**Flying or Driving Hours: Daily 7:00 AM-Dusk**

BVS RC Model Club is a club here in Bear Valley and flies and drives at the Ron Samuels Model Field located next to Jack's Hole which is west of the CSD trash area. We meet regularly on Wednesday and Saturday mornings. We would like to invite anyone interested in RC Model Aviation or Model Cars to come join us. While we encourage everyone to join the BVSA RC Model Club, it is not necessary in order to fly or drive at the field. For more information, please contact Mitch McDiffett at 661 378-5596.

## CUB SCOUT TROOP 135

Cub Scouting is a home and neighborhood centered program designed to support family life for boys in first through fifth grades. Each Cub Scout learns to respect his home, country, God and others. Scouting does this through service projects, group activities, sports, crafts, games, and outdoor activities. Please join us for an exciting and fun filled year of scouting. For additional information please contact Cubmaster Jon Read at 909-268-3297.



## BOY SCOUT TROOP 135

**Calling All Boys Age 11 to 18!!!!**

Come see all the adventures that the Boy Scouts have to offer. Tehachapi **Boy Scout Troop 135** (2008 Super Troop for the Southern Sierra Council) meets on Monday nights at 7 p.m. at the Bear Valley Springs Church. You can obtain further information by calling the Scoutmaster, Kirk Newman @ 821-7011. **Don't miss out on all the excitement this Troop has to offer.**



**The BVS Emergency Radio Team members (amateur radio emergency communications net) meet on the last Saturday of every month at the Mulligan Room for breakfast (08:00) for discussions affecting Bear Valley and nearby community ham operators who are involved with this volunteer communications service.**

## OAK TREE BRIDGE CLUB



**Mondays at 9AM.**

**ACBL sanctioned duplicate bridge games in a friendly environment.**

**Contacts: Tom Papac at 821-1334,**

## Bear Valley Police Department

### "Volunteers In Police Service"

We are currently accepting applications for community minded individuals interested in providing service to the residents of Bear Valley Springs.

**Bear Valley Police**  
**VIPS**  
Volunteers in Police Service

**GET INVOLVED:**

- Vacation House Patrol Checks
- Traffic Control
- Patrol Community Events
- Work the Front Counter
- Assist with the "Challenge the Bear" cycling event

For Information and Application:  
Contact Capt. Jay Carlyn  
702-591-6893

## Alcoholics Anonymous

Alcoholics Anonymous Meetings are held at Bear Valley Community Church, Rm. B

Monday, 5:30pm (Literature) - Tuesday, 5:30pm (Men's Stag) - Thursday, 5:30pm (Participation)

For More Information, please call: 661-202-8553.

## The Snake Guys

**The Snake Guys**  
Preserving the BVS Ecosystem  
A Volunteer Service

Snake Relocation  
Small Wildlife Rescue  
Facebook: Bear Valley  
Springs Snake Guys

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Text or Call		
Ron Hayton Chris Budge Key Budge	661-203-4468 661-972-4320 661-972-4328	Debbie Swarens 805-405-6010 Craig Swarens 661 821-0968

**The Snake Guys have a Facebook page.**



# BVS = CSD + BVSA

## CSD (Think Necessary)

Supports all infrastructure and public safety (water, sewer, solid waste, roads and PD) including maintenance, capital expenditures, and all personnel. Paid from five buckets.



### General Fund

- Funded by 19% of property tax
- 7% of the above goes to BVSA for lake fill



### Water/Sewer/Solid Waste Enterprise Funds

- Funded by usage fees (Increased in 2019)
- Subject to Prop 218, requires user input on fees



### Roads

- Funded by Special Parcel Tax
- Not increased since 1996, requires vote\*



### Gate

- Funded by Special Parcel Tax
- Not increased since 2006, requires vote\*



### Police

- Partially funded by Special Parcel Tax
- Backfilled by General Fund
- Not increased since 1996, requires vote\*

\* Requires super majority of 2/3 of residents

## BVSA (Think Fun!)

Supports all amenities (golf, lakes, restaurants, etc.) including all their associated maintenance costs and personnel. Paid from three buckets. Any surplus generated must be reinvested in the amenities.



### HOA Annual Dues (\$1,776)

- Can raise annual dues without resident vote or input



### Amenity Revenues

- Amenity revenues generated from sales/fees



### From CSD

- 7% of the property tax revenues for lake fill only

Which  
Covers  
What?



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