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Busy Granada Tours

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First a classical music concert at Old Saint Mary's then dine at S.F.'s Far East Cafe. Frank Hicks, Pearl Dobson, Louis Shackie, Helga Rowloff, Karina Schmidt and Laurence Tenney navigating the lazysusan. Next the Blue Angels Air Show with lunch served at the Aquatic Park Senior Center to the lovely music of Casey. Sirak, John and Bill ready to serve beer to 100,000. Around the table Dr. Norton Kolomeyer, Gerald Haratani, Dina Halperin, Diego Szimanski and Marie Jolly. Bill Heylin enjoying the action while John gets debriefed. Look ! Angels overhead.



A Granada Welcome to

Brian Kiernan
 Mathew McQueen
 Anna Melnick
 Ryan Abels
 Davis Goodknecht
 Dan Stewart
 Obrey Ferguson
 Fadha Al-Otaibi
 Awatef Al-Otaibi
 Constance Thomas
 Joann Cano-Leguani
 Frank Cano
 Michael Griffith
 Helga Rowloff
 David Persky
 John Hulton
 Sekina Abbes



On November 11, 1918, the armistice between the Allied and Central Powers that halted the fighting in World War I was signed in Marshal Ferdinand Foch's railroad car in the forest of Compiègne, France. In the United States, the name Armistice Day was changed to Veterans Day in 1954 to honor those who have served their country in other wars as well.

In Great Britain, Canada, and France, it is dedicated primarily to those who died in either of the world wars. The British, and Canadians call it Remembrance Day. In England it is also known as Poppy Day for the red paper flowers sold by the British Legion to benefit veterans. In the U.S. veterans groups sell poppies on Memorial Day.

An attempt in 1971 to make Veterans Day conform to the "Monday Holiday Law" by scheduling it on the fourth Monday in October triggered widespread resistance, and seven years later it was moved back to the traditional November 11 date. In many places the 11th day of the 11th month is celebrated by observing a two-minute silence at 11:00 in the morning, the hour at which the hostilities ceased.



Now the 49ers are doing it, so good; time for another Super Bowl? So, on we go with our Halloween party and dress up competition with special refreshments: wine, beer, soda and snacks. Columbus Day we celebrated by having an "Italian theme dinner," and how about that "Oktoberfest, get enough beer?" Rainy season is approaching so if you have window problems or you see a drop or a drip let me know, we'll fix it pronto. Pigeon feeding is still a concern, so please, no feeding, except in the park, you know it is against the LAW. Flu season is around so make special attempts to wash your hands often and please cover your cough especially in the elevator.

Not exactly "American Idol" but we're looking for a Santa Claus volunteer? April, my daughter, will be home in November before she heads to Delhi, India for a wedding (Kevin tells me it's just like a chapter of Seinfeld when Elaine went to a wedding in India so watch out for those nose rings). She just got back from a wonderful wedding in Martha's Vineyard; I wonder if her wedding will be next in... Monte Carlo, no Paris and I don't mean Texas.

Legion of Honor Tour sounds good, that includes "paper cup Champagne" and hor d'oeuvres overlooking San Francisco. My door is always open. Thanks

Tony Davidauskis, manager

November Birthdays

RESIDENTS

- 2 Stephen Clark
- 3 Edwin Niles
- 4 Marshall Ordway
- 4 Ed Visintine
- 16 Dinah Haworth
- 17 Phillip Prather
- 18 Corbett Meadows
- 18 Barry Kushner
- 19 Constance Thomas
- 20 Sally Klein
- 20 Linda Barker
- 20 Jo Richards
- 22 Brian Kiernan
- 24 Mark Bennion
- 24 Michael Braun
- 24 Dina Halperin
- 28 Marianna Rieser
- 28 Yolanda Hall
- 30 Michael Braslaw



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Noontime Concerts

are presented weekly at 12:30 on Tuesdays in Old Saint Mary's at 660 California Street at Grant Avenue. At its completion in 1853, Old St. Mary's was both the first cathedral and the tallest building in the new state of California. Restored after San Francisco's devastating earthquake and fire of 1906, it was rededicated 1909. The historic cathedral remains an important San Francisco landmark and a beautiful and serene setting for concerts so come on by.