



The Schooner Flash



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Our Community Is Your Community.

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~Summer at Schooner~
Equals Good Times!



Supporting the Arts

Our Fair Lady, Tonie Ramsey, has become the latest resident to lend her image to our series of theater-inspired ads, which appear in the playbills for The Franco-American Heritage Center, as well as the Public Theater and other local performing arts centers.

Past participants have been Ralph Gould, posing as The Phantom of the Opera, and Romeo and Theresa Labbe, posing as none other than Romeo and Juliet! See our previous season's ad on the back page of this issue of the Flash!

Thank you to all our models for making our annual playbill ads a hit!

Our Fair Lady

Antoinette
"Tonic" Ramsey

...loves living at Schooner.

Schooner Estates Senior Living Community
Supporting the Arts in L/A for more than 20 years.
Call (207) 784-2900 today for a tour.

Our Annual Open House is Saturday, September 9th!

There will be food, fun, entertainment and more! Invite your friends and family today, and make a plan to come on down!

It is with great pleasure that we welcome you to our community!

- ◆ Elaine Letendre, apartment 415
- ◆ Muriel Myers, Residential Care
- ◆ Joan Wood, apartment 621



Something Quick and Tasty!

Whenever you have a craving for chocolate, this easy “No Bake Chocolate Cookies” recipe should cure it! This recipe is a classic! Whenever you want to make something quick and easy and chocolatey, give it a try.

- 1/4 cup butter (melted)
- 2 cups sugar
- 3 tablespoons cocoa
- 1/2 cup milk
- Stir together and boil 1 minute and add:
- 1/2 cup peanut butter
- 3 cups rolled oats
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- Drop with a teaspoon and cool. Enjoy!



Comments in Passing...

“If we fill our hours with regrets over the failures of yesterday, and with worries over the problems of tomorrow, we have no today in which to be thankful.”

Word Search

Nature Cruises



Beware, words can go every which way!

Word List:

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| 1. AFRICA | 12. EXOTIC |
| 2. ALASKA | 13. EXPEDITION |
| 3. AMAZON | 14. ISLANDS |
| 4. ANTARCTICA | 15. MEXICO |
| 5. BELIZE | 16. NATURALIST |
| 6. BIRDS | 17. PANAMA |
| 7. CARIBBEAN | 18. PUGET SOUND |
| 8. CONSERVATION | 19. SAFARI |
| 9. COSTA RICA | 20. TURTLES |
| 10. DOLPHINS | 21. WHALE |
| 11. ECUADOR | 22. WILDLIFE |

D Q I P L O E E B P D V Y N
 A W E T U X M I C O A O L O
 J C J Z O G R E L U U H A I
 N O I T I D E P X E A C L T
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 B M Q L N A K B C O S O W R
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 A O A M N I I S I Z H B L O
 C K R A C C O V M W O U I C
 T S I L A R U T A N K N F G
 W V L Y M T U R T L E S E F



Save the Date...

It's never too early to start preparing for a craft fair. The date for Schooner's craft fair this year is Saturday, October 21st.

If you would like to reserve a table or two to display your crafts, for yourself, a friend or family member, just let Giselle Prevost know and she will be happy to sign you up and give you all the details! Her office is down the hall from the Camden Living Room or you may call her at ext. 135.

Did Someone Say \$\$\$?

A friendly reminder: Schooner Estates offers a \$1000 referral bonus. If you have any friends, family or acquaintances that you believe would enjoy living here at Schooner Estates, invite them in for a tour! They can even stay to have lunch with you, on the house. And the best part? If you refer someone new who comes to live here at Schooner Estates, you will be paid a one thousand dollar referral bonus!

A Special July Birthday

Our own Hope Weston turned 102 years young on July 6th. She is amazing and we hope her day was filled with many birthday wishes!



Take time out from your everyday routine and play a game of pool! Our pool room also contains game tables and a large screen television.

The perfect place for a friendly get together.
Located on the 2nd floor, Searsport building.

"I'm Not Ready Yet"

We hear that comment so often when talking to people about the lifestyle at Schooner Estates and sometimes find it difficult to answer in a brief way. The article below, says exactly what we would like to say to folks who are trying to make this decision.

How often a strong and vigorous man or an active and gracious woman enter their retirement years and use this excuse to postpone the planning and decisions that could free them to enjoy the time.

They're not ready yet...

- To live in an attractive and comfortable home without the effort of maintaining it.
- To enjoy excellent meals, graciously served in an attractive dining room, and give up the chores of constant shopping, cooking, and cleaning up.
- To eliminate worry concerning health, security and transportation.

They're not ready, in short, to simplify their lives. They wait for some sign, some failing, to justify or even compel a move from the home that's too big, or chores and possessions which require a great deal of attention. Sometimes they wait too long.

Sometimes they find they have wasted what could have been some of their better years. Moving to senior living shouldn't mean retiring from life, but simplifying life to enjoy new interests and activities, or the old ones there wasn't enough time for. One doesn't step into old age by moving to a community, but opens a new door to an active, dignified and interesting life.

What does the senior living home have to offer? Independence, a sense of community, friendships, a place to be private and security.

Our best gift? A gift of time to use constructively and personal services to be used as needed.



Supporting the Arts, Continued

Not every great story must
end in woe:
Consider this Lady, and her
Romeo.
Their true love is just as
worthy of poem,
Though they found not tragedy,
but a place to call home.
It's true that their lives aren't
nearly as theatric,
And, admittedly, a bit more
geriatric.
But in taking their lives to live
here at Schooner
Their only regret is that they
didn't come sooner.

Romeo Labbe and
his wife and very
own Juliet, Theresa.

Schooner Estates Senior Living Community is a
proud supporter of theater, the arts, and everything that makes life sweet.
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Estates Senior Living Community

Ralph Gould

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July BBQ Photos

Our lawn was a sea of red, white and blue...during our July BBQ, that is! The weather was fantastic! Residents and guests were numerous and the food was superb!

Thank you to all who helped put it all together.

