

President's Message



August 2024

Dear Fellow Residents,

This will be my final message to you as your President. I officially resigned my post, effective July 15, 2024. In accordance with the CCVRA Bylaws, Kathy Love will be moving up to finish out the year as President. I wish Kathy every success in the position and have every confidence in her abilities to carry on. Please welcome her to the position and give her all of the assistance that you have extended to me!

As many of you know, Tim and I have a home in Casper, WY and that is where we are off to. Tim has officially retired and wants to just unwind and decompress in a more laid back environment over the coming months. Then, I am sure he will be on to his next chapter, whatever that may be.

I have enjoyed my time with all of you and have made many friendships that will carry on far into the future. I wish nothing but the best for everyone at Cape Cod Village. I trust you will continue to have strong leadership with your current board. They are all good people and very capable. It has been a pleasure to work with them!

Sheila Wark
warkwyn@gmail.com



The 2023 CCVRA Board Members

(L to R) Sheila Wark, Kathy Love, Peggy Wegner, Bruce Edmundson, Diane Daley, Bill Hines, Priscilla Mattson, Elizabeth Morrison and Weizhi Sun

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Cape Cod Village Residents Association

June 25, 2024 Association Meeting Minutes



CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order on June 25, 2024 at 7:05 pm. There were 14 residents in attendance.

FLAG SALUTE: was led by **Art Aguiniga**.

WELCOME NEW ATTENDEES: No new attendees.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: A motion to approve the April 30, 2024 Association Meeting minutes was made by **Art Aguiniga** and seconded by **Nat Hanson**. Motion carried.

REPORTS

TREASURER'S REPORT

As of June 1, 2024, the beginning balance was \$5,342.49.

Total Income was: \$252.57.

Total Expenses were: \$180.89.

Ending balance as of June 25, 2024 was \$5,414.17.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT

Diane Daley reported that we have 110 members out of 71 households.

CIRCLE OF CARE

No report. Please see Whaler for further details.

TREASURE SEEKERS REPORT

We collected \$242.57 for the month of June. The next collection date will be July 7, 2024. **Bill Hines** has taken over the collection of the Treasure Seeker items. If you cannot hold your Treasure Seeker items until our collection date, please reach out to **Bill Hines** at: 408-571-9152. You may also drop off your items to him in Unit 165.

OLD BUSINESS

► WHALER

The July Whaler went to the printer on June 12th. **Sheila Wark** hasn't heard anything yet. The good news is **Daniel Schwartz** is feeling up to resuming his position as the Whaler editor starting with the August edition! Welcome Back **Daniel!!!**

NEW BUSINESS

► PRESIDENT'S RESIGNATION

Effective July 15, 2024 **Sheila Wark** is resigning her position as President. In keeping with the CCVRA's Bylaws, **Kathy Love** will elevate to the position of President for the remainder of the term. **Sheila Wark** wishes her every success as **Kathy Love** assumes the role.

► PRINTER

Due to **Sheila Wark** leaving very shortly, the Association will have a printing issue. The Board has researched options and it looks like the Epson Ready Print: Office would be the best solution for us. The cost is \$19.99 per month plus taxes. This program included the ET-3850U printer with ink, unlimited ink replacements before you need them and unlimited printing capabilities. **Kitty Etter** made the motion for the Association to obtain this printer. **Art Aguiniga** seconded the motion. Motion carried.

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► DONATION TO MELODY CHORUS SOCIETY

Last year the Association donated \$200.00 to the Melody Chorus Society as a small token of our appreciation for all they do to entertain us. We have just enjoyed another wonderful performance from them. **Sheila Wark** was asked by a resident of the park if we would consider donating to them again. **Mary Knoppe** made the motion to donate \$200.00 to the Melody Chorus Society. **Nat Hanson** seconded the motion. Motion carried.

► CHINESE CALLIGRAPHY

September 5 and 19, October 10 and 24, November 7 and 21 from 2:00 to 4:00 pm. **Weizhi Sun** wants to start a Chinese Calligraphy class in the Clubhouse. More details to come.

► EVENTS

- **Exercise Class - Monday, Wednesday and Friday morning at 10:00 am to noon**
Sandy Bain and **Jon Lichtenberg** are the chairpersons. They are no longer offering Line Dancing.
- **Bible Study - Every 2nd and 4th Wednesdays from 1:30 to 2:30 pm in the craft room.**
Mary Knoppe has informed **Sheila Wark** that Bible Study will be taking a break for the summer. Bible Study will resume on August 28, 2024.
- **Father's Day - June 8, 2024**
Potluck and Bingo. **Bill Hines** was the chairperson. We had 36 people sign up for dinner and approximately 30 people attended Bingo. **Derek Shaw's** Mother, **Isabella**, played the piano for us.
- **Movie Night: June 22, 2024**
Doors opened at 6:30 pm and movie started at 7:00 pm sharp. This month's movie was "One Love". This is the Bob Marley story. The movie celebrates the life and music of an icon who inspired generations through his message of love, peace, and unity. Popcorn and drinks were provided. The donation and suggestion box were out as usual. We had 7 people attend and brought in \$10.00. We had no expenses. **Bruce Edmundson** and **Elizabeth Morrison** are taking over movie nights after **Sheila Wark** is gone. **Sheila Wark** handed everything to **Bruce Edmundson** at the end of the evening. **Sheila Wark** wishes them all the best in continuing the Movie Night entertainment.

July Event(s)

- **4th of July - July 4, 2024**
Flag raising followed by games, BBQ, and Bingo. We will be having Corn Hole and Cookie Walk. The flyers have gone out. So far 29 people have signed up.
- **Movie Night - July 20, 2024. Doors open at 6:30, movie starts at 7:00 pm sharp!**
This month's movie is "*The Descendants*" starring George Clooney and Shalene Woodley. From the celebrated director of *Sideways* (Alexander Payne) comes a wonderful and witty film. Experience a bittersweet drama about a detached father's (George Clooney) attempt to reconnect with his two daughters and their often hilarious quest for the truth.
- **Western Party - Canceled**
- **Luau - August 25, 2024**
Kathy Love is chairperson. Details to come.

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Comments, questions and additional items are invited from the floor.

Kitty Etter commented that with people taking more vacations, some may like to share their trips with the residents. They could have a presentation to show their pictures and share their experiences.

Sheila Wark thanked **Diane Daley** for the treats.

The next Association meeting will be July 30, at 7:00 pm, doors open at 6:45 pm.

There being no further business, a motion to adjourn was made by **Art Aguiniga** and seconded by **Nat Hanson**. Motion carried.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:32 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Peggy Wegner

Secretary

Cape Cod Village Residents Association

Treasurer's Report - June 2024

06/01/2024 Balance Forward **\$ 5,342.49**

Income:

Dues and donations	\$ -	
Treasure Seekers	242.57	
Event income	10.00	
Total Income		<u>252.57</u>

Expenses:

Clubhouse	\$ (160.90)	
Event expenses	(19.99)	
Total Expenses		<u>(180.89)</u>

Monthly Net Income (Expense) **\$ 71.68**

06/30/24 Ending Balance **\$ 5,414.17**

Event summary by item	Expense	Income	Net Income
06/08 Father's Day potluck	(19.99)	0.00	(19.99)
06/22 Movie Night	0.00	10.00	10.00

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Movie Night At The Cape Cod Village Clubhouse

Saturday, August 17, 2024

Doors Open 6:30 pm

Movie Starts at 7:00 pm

Popcorn and Soda/Water will be served

Cost: Donation Box to help offset costs

Bring your own comfy chair and enjoy the show!

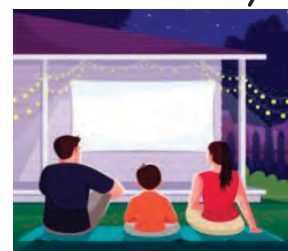
For more information call:

Bruce at: 408-307-6810

Dave

This month's film is "Dave", a 1993 American political comedy film starring Kevin Kline and Sigourney Weaver. Dave was a box office success, and was met with critical acclaim.

Plot: Bill Mitchell is the philandering and distant President of the United States. Dave Kovic is a sweet-natured and caring Temp Agency operator, who by a staggering coincidence looks exactly like the President. As such, when Mitchell wants to escape an official luncheon, the Secret Service hires Dave to stand in for him. Unfortunately, Mitchell suffers a severe stroke whilst having sex with one of his aides, and Dave finds himself stuck in the role indefinitely. The corrupt and manipulative Chief of Staff, Bob Alexander, plans to use Dave to elevate himself to the White House - but unfortunately, he doesn't count on Dave enjoying himself in office, using his luck to make the country a better place, and falling in love with the beautiful First Lady....





Aloha

Don't Miss Cape Cod Village's 15th Annual Luau

Presented By Kathy Love and Art Aguiniga

Sunday, August 25, 2024

6:00 pm to 9:30 pm

Details to come

CCVRA Contact Information

Name	Function	Number	eMail
Kathy Love	President/Events	1 (650) 793-0991	Kathylove07@comcast.net
Diane Daley	Membership / Kitchen	—	dddaley3@gmail.com
Bruce Edmundson	Treasurer / Flyers and Copying	1 (408) 307-6810	bruceedm@gmail.com
Jo Asplund	Circle of Care	1 (408) 205-1159	jvasplund@gmail.com
Vicky Lawson		1 (408) 230-2551	—
Kitty Etter	Whaler - Crew	1 (408) 744-0789	ketter63@yahoo.com
Priscilla Mattson		1 (408) 744-0789	prism2018@yahoo.com



August 2024

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
				1	2 Walking Exercise Class 10:00 am	3
4 Treasure Seekers 6:30 pm	5 Walking Exercise Class 10:00 am	6	7 Walking Exercise Class 10:00 am	8	9 Walking Exercise Class 10:00 am	10
11	12 Walking Exercise Class 10:00 am	13	14 Walking Exercise Class 10:00 am	15	16 Walking Exercise Class 10:00 am	17 Movie Night 6:30 pm
18	19 Walking Exercise Class 10:00 am	20 CCVRA Board Meeting 6:30 pm	21 Walking Exercise Class 10:00 am	22	23 Walking Exercise Class 10:00 am	24
25 Luau 6:00 to 9:30 pm	26 Walking Exercise Class 10:00 am	27 CCVRA Meet & Greet 6:45 pm to 7 pm CCVRA Meeting 7 pm	28 Walking Exercise Class 10:00 am Bible Study 1:30 to 2:30 pm	29	30 Walking Exercise Class 10:00 am	31

August 4	Treasure Seekers	6:30 pm to 7:00 pm
August 17	Movie Night	6:30 pm
August 20	CCVRA Board Meeting	6:30 pm
August 25	Luau	6:00 pm to 9:30 pm
August 27	CCVRA - General Meeting	7:00 pm



August Celebrations



Happy Birthday

4 Wendy Jeng	18 Linda Brandewie
4 Cui Ju Duan	19 Maria Eloisa Abaya
8 Judie Aquino	21 Jimmy Vinh
8 Claris Bozzini	26 Nancy Rice
9 Ronnie Sendaydiego	28 Lisa Dee
13 Daniel Schwartz	

Anniversary Congratulations

No Anniversaries

August Directory Updates

Gail Griffin	Spc 99	Pages 5 and 14		Delete
Diane Poarch	Spc 170	Pages 9 and 17	1-909-273-7610 dianepoarch2@gmail.com	New
Gary Poarch	Spc 170	Pages 9 and 17	1-909-648-2462 poarchcons@gmail.com	New

Please update your directory and take a moment to make sure your entries are correct. If not, please submit changes on the CAPE COD VILLAGE INFORMATION FORM printed in this Whaler and deposit in the CCVRA mailbox in the clubhouse.

CAPE COD VILLAGE INFORMATION FORM

Please **PRINT** all information

Date: _____ Space # _____

Name 1: First _____ Last _____

Phone (only 1 per person) _____ Birthday: (mm/dd) _____

Email _____

Name 2: First _____ Last _____

Phone (only 1 per person) _____ Birthday: (mm/dd) _____

Email _____

Anniversary: (mm/dd/yyyy) _____

Please fill out this form and place it in the CCVRA mailbox in the clubhouse.

***** Updates and additions will ONLY be accepted on this form. *****

*** This information will be published in the Whaler, and used to update the CCV Phone Directory, (unless requested otherwise). ***

***** For Official Use Only *****

Date Received: _____ Date Entered: _____ By: _____

Code: Anniv Birthday Delete Email Moved New Phone Spelling



Long time resident Gail Griffin has passed away. Our deepest condolences to Gails sister and family.

Bill Miller has recently suffered a fall and is recovering nicely at home.

A reminder from Co Chair Jo Asplund and Vicky Lawson to all residents. Please contact either of us to report any information about a friend or neighbor who may need get well wishes or condolences. Please collect pertinent information concerning the individuals for correct spelling of their name and correct space number.

Questions directed to co chairs will be answered as quickly as possible.

Help us bring a small amount of comfort to those involved.

Thank you so much!

Jo Asplund 408 205-1159

Vicky Lawson 408-230-2551

Healthy regards to all residents from Cape Cod Residents Association



Walking Exercise Class

In the Cape Cod Village Clubhouse

Every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 10:00 am

Call: Sandy Bain or Jon Lichtenberg for details:
408-685-2140



Cape Cod Bible Study



4th Wednesday August 28, 2024

1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

2024 Lesson Psalms

Everyone is welcome!!!!!! Give us a try!!!!!!!!!! Questions?

Any questions contact Mary Knoppe 408 541-1520

maryknoppe@sbcglogal.net.

Library or Clubhouse Donations

Please **DO NOT** leave items in the library or clubhouse. If you have items you wish to donate, please contact one of the following people:

Books for the library: Kathy Love at 1-650-793-0991

DVD's for DVD library: Joe Madison in #150

Puzzles for the puzzle table: Peggy Wegner at 1-650-303-4072

All other items, please speak to Management.

Sheila Wark
1050 Borregas Ave., SPC 60
Sunnyvale, CA 94089

June 25, 2024

Cape Cod Village Residents Association
1050 Borregas Ave.,
Sunnyvale, CA 94089

Dear Residents:

Please accept this letter as my formal resignation as President of the Cape Cod Village Residents Association (CCVRA) effective July 15, 2024. I have enjoyed my time on the CCVRA board over the past 5 years, first as a member at large, then as Secretary and finally as President. Everyone has been a pleasure to work with.

Please let me know how I can help you during the transition period. I wish everyone nothing but the best going forward.

Sincerely,

Sheila Wark



smHpa is co sponsoring a SUNNYVALE MAYORAL CANDIDATE FORUM

Why Care?

What Does a Mayor Do?

No matter the role of the mayor, they have the power to shape the vision of the city. They are the public face of the city, and that role has influence.

- **Mayors propose or influence city laws.** They can vote on where new housing developments are built
- **Mayors oversee departments like the police or public works.** They have a direct influence on your local police force and oversight on works like road repairs. *(Like the Tasman lane closure)*
- **Mayors set the budget, deciding where to prioritize spending.**

League of Women Voters article - Why Vote for mayor

<https://www.lwv.org/blog/voting-local-matters-why-you-should-vote-mayor>

Who are the Candidates What are They Saying

Larry Klein
Russell Melton
Bradley Duplantier

<https://larryformayor.com/>
<https://www.meltonforsvmayor.com/>
<https://www.brad4sunnyvale.com/>

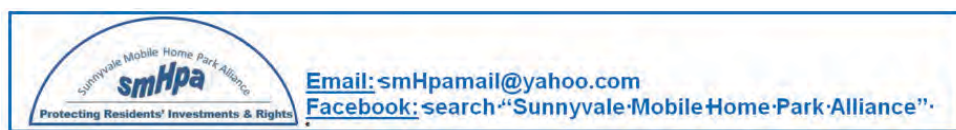
- ♣ SNAIL (Sunnyvale Neighbors of Arbor including LaLinda) North Sunnyvale Voting District 5 – borders (101, Central, Mathilda & Fair Oaks)
- ♣ Sunnyvale Mobile Home Park Alliance
- ♣ The League of Women Voters of Cupertino-Sunnyvale

Will be co hosting a Sunnyvale Mayoral Candidate forum

Thursday, Sep 26, 2024

7:00 to 8:30 PM

Sunnyvale Community Services - Community Room - Zoom (The Link next month)



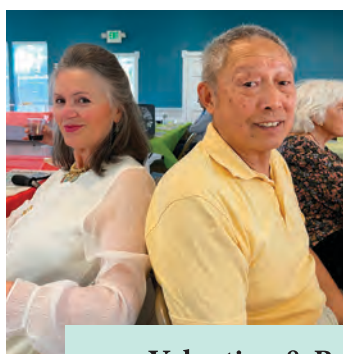
Father's Day Potluck



Valentina, Dave, Pong, Dace & Weizhi



JoAnne & Nat



Valentina & Pong



Mary, Paul & Christy



Elizabeth & Eric



Pong, Kathy & Bill



Valentina, Dave, Diane & Dace



Bingo



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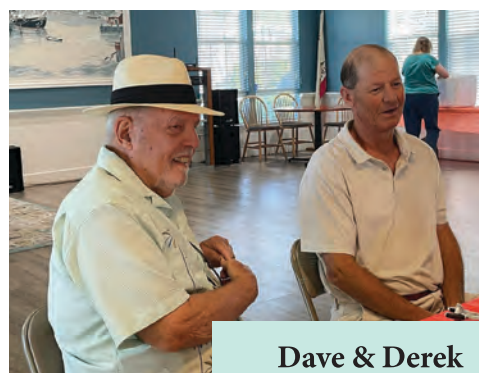
Isabella



**Kathy, Ardi, Dace, Jon, Valentina,
Pong & Sandy**



Sandy & Jon



Dave & Derek



Art, Kathy, Jo, Sandy & Ardi



Bill & Pong

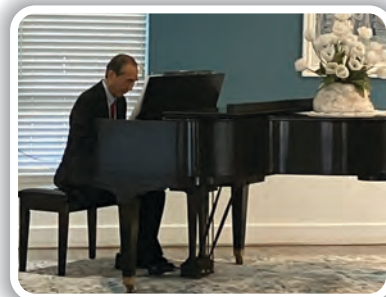
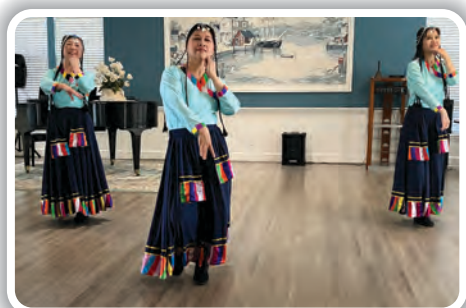
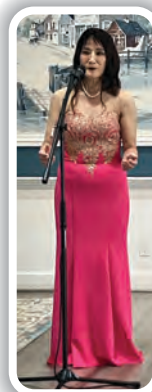
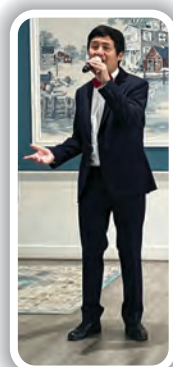
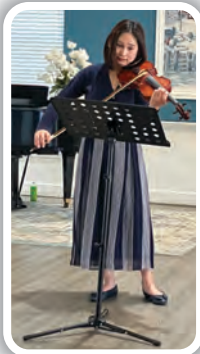
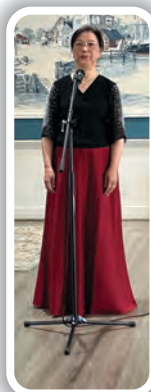
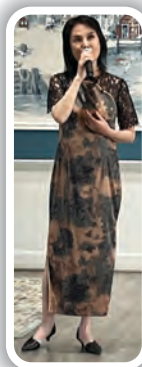
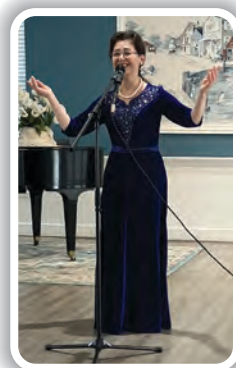


Lisa & Bill



Dragon Boat Festival Concert

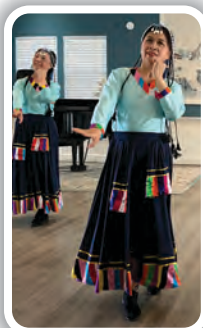
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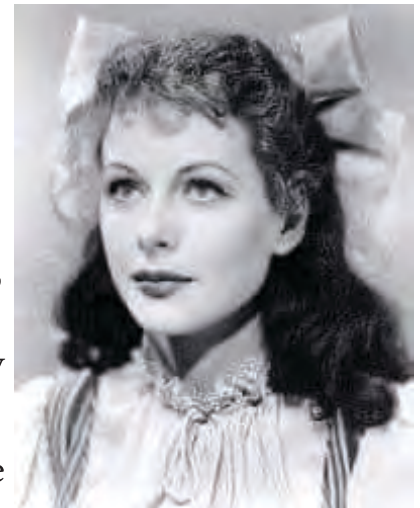
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Hedwig Kiesler (Hedy Lamarr)

In 1933, a beautiful, young Austrian woman took off her clothes for a movie director. She ran through the woods, naked. She swam in a lake, naked. Pushing well beyond the social norms of the period. The most popular movie in 1933 was King Kong. But everyone in Hollywood was talking about that scandalous movie with the gorgeous, young Austrian woman. Louis B. Mayer, of the giant studio MGM, said she was the most beautiful woman in the world. The film was banned practically everywhere. Mussolini refused to sell his copy at any price.



The star of the film, called “Ecstasy,” was Hedwig Kiesler. She said the secret of her beauty was “to stand there and look stupid.” In reality, Kiesler was anything but stupid. She was a genius. She excelled at science. As she grew older, she became ruthless, using all the power her body and mind gave her.

Between the sexual roles she played, her tremendous beauty, and the power of her intellect, Kiesler would confound the men in her life including her six husbands, two of the most ruthless dictators of the 20th century and one of the greatest movie producers in history. Her beauty made her rich for a time. She is said to have made - and spent - \$30 million in her life. This young Austrian starlet would take one of the most valuable technologies ever developed right from under Hitler’s nose. After fleeing to America, she not only became a major Hollywood star, her name sits on one of the most important patents ever granted by the U.S. Patent Office. Today, when you use your cell phone or, over the next few years, as you experience super-fast wireless Internet access (via something called “long-term evolution” or “LTE” technology), you’ll be using an extension of the technology a 20-year-old actress first conceived while sitting at dinner with Hitler.

At the time she made Ecstasy, Kiesler was married to one of the richest men in Austria. Friedrich Mandl was Austria’s leading arms maker. His firm would become a key supplier to the Nazis. Mandl used his beautiful young wife as a showpiece at important business dinners with representatives of the Austrian, Italian, and German fascist forces. One of Mandl’s favorite topics at these gatherings - which included meals with Hitler and Mussolini - was the technology surrounding radio-controlled missiles and torpedoes.

Wireless weapons offered far greater ranges than the wire-controlled alternatives that prevailed at the time. Kiesler sat through these dinners “looking stupid,” while absorbing everything she heard. As a Jew, Kiesler hated the Nazis. She abhorred her husband’s business ambitions. Mandl responded to his willful wife by imprisoning her in his castle, Schloss Schwarzenau. In 1937, she managed to escape. She drugged her maid, snuck out of the castle wearing the maid’s clothes and sold her jewelry to finance a trip to London. In 1938, Germany annexed Austria. The Nazis seized Mandl’s factory. He was half Jewish. Mandl fled to Brazil. In London, Kiesler arranged a meeting with Louis B. Mayer. She signed a long-term contract with him, becoming one of MGM’s biggest stars. She appeared in more than 20 films. She was a co-star to Clark Gable,

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Judy Garland, and even Bob Hope. Each of her first seven MGM movies was a blockbuster. But Kiesler cared far more about fighting the Nazis than about making movies.

At the height of her fame, in 1942, she developed a new kind of communications system, optimized for sending coded messages that couldn't be "jammed." She was building a system that would allow torpedoes and guided bombs to always reach their targets. She was building a system to kill Nazis. By the 1940s, both the Nazis and the Allied forces were using the kind of single frequency radio-controlled technology Kiesler's ex-husband had been peddling. The drawback of this technology was that the enemy could find the appropriate frequency and "jam" or intercept the signal, thereby interfering with the missile's intended path.

Kiesler's key innovation was to "change the channel." It was a way of encoding a message across a broad area of the wireless spectrum. If one part of the spectrum was jammed, the message would still get through on one of the other frequencies being used. The problem was, she could not figure out how to synchronize the frequency changes on both the receiver and the transmitter. To solve the problem, she turned to perhaps the world's first techno-musician, George Anthiel.

Anthiel was an acquaintance of Kiesler who achieved some notoriety for creating intricate musical compositions. He synchronized his melodies across twelve player pianos, producing stereophonic sounds no one had ever heard before. Kiesler incorporated Anthiel's technology for synchronizing his player pianos. Then, she was able to synchronize the frequency changes between a weapon's receiver and its transmitter. On August 11, 1942, U.S. Patent No. 2,292,387 was granted to Anthiel and "Hedy Kiesler Markey," which was Kiesler's married name at the time.

Her patent sits at the foundation of "spread spectrum technology," which you use every day when you log on to a wi-fi network or make calls with your Bluetooth-enabled phone. It lies at the heart of the massive investments being made right now in so-called fourth-generation "LTE" wireless technology. This next generation of cell phones and cell towers will provide tremendous increases to wireless network speed and quality, by spreading wireless signals across the entire available spectrum. This kind of encoding is only possible using the kind of frequency switching that Hedwig Kiesler invented.

Only the First Sunday of Each Month

Pick-up Sunday Between 6:30 pm and 7:00 pm

Treasure Seekers **Permanent** Pickup Schedule

A few tips to help you (and the Treasure Seekers Crew)

Be sure to place your recyclables in a container (plastic, paper or reusable container that we will return to you).

Place your containers at the end of your driveway - Not in the street or in the rain gutter.



Put Your “Treasures” Out No Later than 6:00 PM on Sunday Evening.

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• *5th of each month*

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