



Ponté Palmero

RESORT-STYLE LIVING

August 2023

Resident of the Month



Lola Rice: Resident of the Month

Meet Lola Rice, our Resident of the Month for August. Lola has been a resident of Ponté Palmero since February of 2011. Lola is the founding member of our Ponté Palmero Wine Club. She has also served as Vice President and Secretary of the Ponté Resident Council.

Lola hand-typed a lot of the original paperwork for the Resident Council.

Lola has a family history of military service; her husband served in the Air Force for 27 years. His last assignment was the commander of typhoon chasers. Lola's father and brother were also Air Force. Her brother landed at Pearl Harbor December 7th, 1941, on Pearl Harbor Day.

Lola and her husband raised two daughters; one lives in Placerville and the other lives in Prunedale, CA. They have one grandson who lives in Canada; he visits every year.

Lola was raised in Southern California on a 160-acre farm where her parents grew apples. She went to elementary school through part of high school in Frazier Park, CA, where she attended a school with about 7 students. For her higher education, she earned a PHT, otherwise known as "Put Husband Through". Lola held a certificate as a "Pinchitter" which means she is able to land an airplane if needed. Lola also worked as a Travel Agent and typist. Lola has moved 25 times in all. They've lived in Japan, Guam, Australia, Arizona, Florida, Colorado, Utah and more. While living 2 years in Australia, they built a Catamaran sailboat and learned to sail from the Australians. They even raced their sailboat at Coral Bay, Australia.

Lola and her husband even built their own airplane. They actually flew it for the first time on their 50th wedding anniversary. While Lola and her husband lived in Placerville, they built their own home with a hangar for the airplane that they built together.

When Lola is not building airplanes and sailboats, she enjoys knitting, shopping on line, reading, and gardening.

Historic Events in August

1848: Congress creates the Oregon Territory.

1890: Baseball great Cy Young pitches his first professional game.

1893: Whitcomb Judson receives a patent for the zipper.

1900: "The Wonderful Wizard of Oz" by L. Frank Baum is copyright-registered.

1909: The Ford Motor Corp. registers the trademark for Ford.

1912: Arthur R. Eldred of Oceanside, N.Y., becomes the first person to achieve the rank of Eagle Scout.

1930: Philo Farnsworth patents an electronic television system.

1935: William Coolidge obtains a patent for the cathode ray tube, a critical ingredient of TV and other electronic applications.

1950: The American Broadcasting Co. begins airing Saturday morning TV shows for children.

1951: Oral B, the famous line of dental products, is trademark-registered.

1966: The United Farm Workers union is formed.

1968: The song "Hey Jude" by John Lennon and Paul McCartney is copyright-registered.

1984: IBM releases MS-DOS version 3.0.

1994: IBM announces it will not oppose Microsoft's attempt to trademark the name "Windows."

Senior Citizens Day is observed on August 21st



Senior Citizens Day

National Senior Citizens Day recognizes seniors who have spent their lives contributing to society and have impacted everyone's lives for the better. The country's foundation and stable sectors are the result of the hard work of our senior citizens and they deserve all our gratitude.

President Ronald Reagan took the initiative to honor seniors in 1988 and marked August 21 as the day seniors will be celebrated. "Throughout our history, older people have achieved much for our families, our communities, and our country. That remains true today, and gives us ample reason this year to reserve a special day in honor of the senior citizens who mean so much to our land," Reagan proclaimed.

According to the U.S. Census Bureau, approximately 78 million people aged 65 and older will reside in America by 2035.



- Elaine Scholle- Aug. 1
- Charlene Yust- Aug. 3
- Mae Smith- Aug. 4
- Vance Spencer- Aug. 6
- Jeannine Balmert- Aug. 7
- Bonnie Tibbitts- Aug. 10
- Kay Wyman- Aug. 10
- Sandy Dwyre- Aug. 12
- Herman Hoag- Aug. 13
- Tom Surrency- Aug. 16
- Sally Anderson- Aug. 21
- Carole Logsdon- Aug. 21
- Shirley Lafountain- Aug. 26
- Joan Stabe- Aug. 26

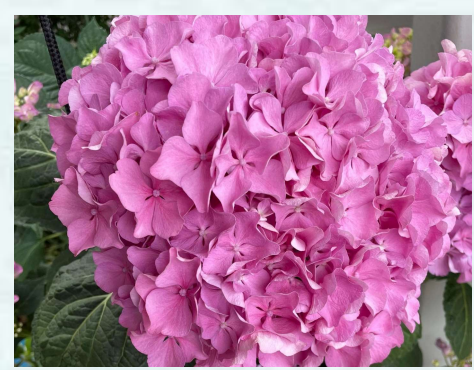
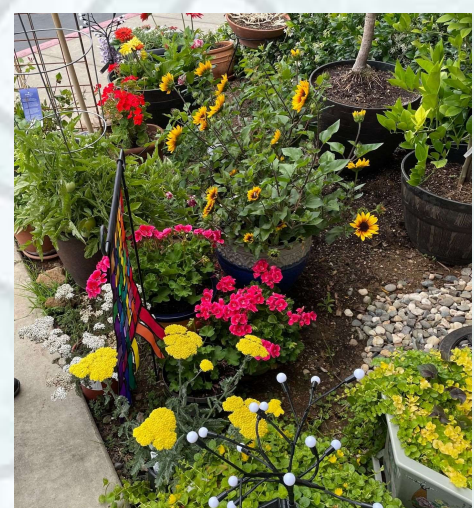


- Gary & Nancy Cramer- Aug. 1
- Pete & Jean Peterson- Aug. 18

Dolores Nilsson, featured Artist of the Month



Beautiful blooms!



Christi and Christi!



Pepper's birthday celebration!



*Thank you for another fabulous
July 4th celebration!*





Father's Day BBQ!



Marketing Crab Feed Event



Enjoying lunch after a morning swim



Playing Pinochle



Lunch at Moonraker



Flowers for everyone!



Chair Exercises



Fun in the pool!



Decoupage Seashells

YOU WILL NEED:

- Seashells
- Tissue paper
- Mod Podge
- Paint brushes
- Metallic paints



INSTRUCTIONS:

- Clean seashells with soap and water. Allow to dry.
- Cut a square of tissue paper 1 in. bigger than the shell.
- Use paint brush to apply a very thin layer on the inside of the shell.
- Place the tissue paper on top of Mod Podge. Make sure the tissue paper sticks to the inside of the shell.
- Tear the tissue paper off the edge of the shell.
- Apply another thin layer of Mod Podge over the top of the tissue paper to seal it. Be sure to seal the edges as well.
- Once dry, paint the outside edge with your favorite color of metallic paint.
- Allow shell to completely dry before displaying.

Chocolate Peanut Butter Banana Bites

YOU WILL NEED:

- 3 ripe bananas
- 1/3 cup peanut butter
- 1/2 cup dark chocolate chips
- 2 teaspoons coconut oil



INSTRUCTIONS:

- Peel and slice bananas into rounds.
- Place 1/2 teaspoon of peanut butter on a banana slice and top with another banana slice. Continue until all banana slices are used. Place in the freezer for about 1 hour.
- Microwave chocolate and coconut oil until chocolate is completely melted.
- Remove frozen banana bites from the freezer. Dip each frozen banana bite into the melted chocolate so that half of each bite is coated.
- Place chocolate covered bites back in freezer to harden for about 15 minutes.
- Enjoy!



The Buzz on Bee Species

They're some of the best-known pollinators, essential to helping crops and flowers grow. Here's the buzz about some common types of bees:

Honeybee. The world's most famous bee species, honeybees are prized for the sweet, golden honey they produce from nectar. To feed their hives, honeybees collect pollen in special "baskets" on their legs.

Bumblebee. Though larger and fuzzier than honeybees, bumblebees also live in groups and make honey, although not on a large enough scale for harvesting. Bumblebees move so quickly that they make a buzzing sound, which vibrates pollen off of flowers and onto their bodies.

Carpenter bee. A bit larger than bumblebees, carpenter bees are recognized by their smooth, mostly black bodies. They're sometimes considered pests because they drill holes and build nests in old wood, including buildings.

Sweat bee. These tiny bees are attracted to salt found in perspiration, so they tend to buzz around people. Solitary and peaceful, they come in many colors, including metallic blue and green.

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Ponté Palmero Resort-Style Living

