JERSEY VILLAGE COMMUNITY NEWS

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Jersey Village Senior Outreach (JVSO) is celebrating a successful first year with helping JV’s residents 55 years of age and older “stay active and connected” with the community. A kickoff celebration dinner will be held in January for 2019 members. If you are interested in learning more about JVSO’s programs, calendar of events, and membership opportunities, visit www.jvso.org and “Like” us on Facebook.

The Jersey Village Women’s Group will have their first meeting of 2019, on January 22, at 7:00 PM at the Civic Center. All women who reside in Jersey Village are invited to join us for the fun. Bring a friend, meet your neighbors, and be prepared to laugh and smile. For more information go to our web site at www.JVWG.org.

Statistics for November 2018
JV Police Department
Calls for Service 1489
Vehicle Theft 1
Aggravated Assault 0
Burglary, Business 1
Burglary, Residence 0
Burglary, Vehicle 0
Disturbance 1
Narcotics, Felony 3
Minor Accidents 121
Major Accidents 0
Alarms 27
Suspicious Person 215
Traffic Control 11
Traffic Hazard 26
JV Fire Department
Building Fires 1
Auto Fires 0
Other Fires 1
Rescue/EMS Incidents 64
Hazardous Conditions 4
Service Calls 7
Smoke or Odor Calls 1
False Alarms/Cancelled Enroute 11
Total Ambulance Transports 46

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Jersey Meadow Golf

Happy New Year to all from Jersey Meadow Golf Course.
Here are some good “golfer” New Year’s Resolutions:
1) Play More Golf!
2) Do less yard work and Play More Golf!
3) Join the MGA, SGA or LGA and Play More Golf!
4) Do less handyman stuff and Play More Golf!
5) Watch less TV and Play More Golf!
6) Take a few lessons and Play More Golf!
7) Hit more range balls and Play More Golf!
8) Practice your short game and Play More Golf!
9) Work less and Play More Golf!
10) Come visit the best Pro Shop and staff in Houston and Play More Golf!

Just Play More Golf

Jersey Meadow Snack Bar
January JV Resident Special Monday, January 14, 2019
$1.00 Regular Breakfast Tacos
Stop by the course and have breakfast with us!
Cut this coupon out and give it to us when ordering.

January KIDS NIGHT
1/18/2019
6 pm – 8 pm
Golf Theme: Indoor putting instruction and game
Menu: Chili or Frito Pies w/ fountain drink or juice $5 per person
Craft, coloring and fun!

Taco Tuesday at the Course
January 29, 2019
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$7.99 per person
(three street tacos, rice & beans)
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Tip of the Month by Matt Jones
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