

# Village SPIRIT

e-newsletter



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## October Calendar

**26th** - Hamburger Mary's Bingo Fundraiser night for Valley Village.

**31st** - Happy Halloween!

Birthday Party on November 6, 2011!



New Valley Village photos on facebook



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## Quick Links



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### Greetings!

We hope that you've been enjoying your fall! Now find out what Valley Village has been up to.

## KARAOKE AT THE DAY PROGRAMS!

### Good Job Participants!

The day programs at Valley Village held their very own Karaoke competition in September. The Karaoke was filmed and posted on our Facebook page for voting. The program that received the most "Likes" on their video was the winner of a free lunch for staff. The competition was fierce and the winning program was the Winnetka Adult Day Health Care center with 122 "Likes"! Not only did the staff enjoy their contest, the clients were able to participate during the singing and had an amazing time!



Juno from Winnetka ADHC enjoying the Karaoke Contest!

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## COMMUNITY-AT-LARGE DAY!

### Special Day for our Special guests!

On Sunday, October 2nd Valley Village, along with our partner organizations [New Horizons](#) and [TLC](#), and [The California Science Center](#) organized a special day for people with intellectual and developmental challenges. The purpose of this special day was to make sure that

anyone with a developmental disability was able to come out and enjoy the afternoon at a location that was easily



Valley Village clients enjoying the Community-At-Large Day held at California Science Center. A special day for our special guests!

accessible. The California Science Center was the perfect

location for our special day! They were able to work with us and provide the extra space that was needed for our clients with medical needs. The day was a big success, we had nearly 350 attendees who enjoyed touring the museum, treasure hunting, and a picnic lunch. Thank you to The California Science Center for hosting Community-At-Large Day and our partners, New Horizons and TLC, and to everyone who was able to come out and enjoy the afternoon with us.



Valley Village Gladstone guys participating in the geocaching treasure hunt!

## SAVE THE DATES

### Upcoming Events

We have several exciting events coming up that need your support. Here's what's happening:

1. **NEW DATE!**  
[Hamburger Mary's  
Legendary Bingo  
Fundraiser.](#)

**Wednesday, Oct 26,  
9pm** at 8288 Santa  
Monica Blvd. West  
Hollywood, CA 90046 -  
Join Valley Village for  
another hilarious bingo  
night at the famous  
Hamburger Mary's restaurant in West Hollywood. We'll  
be playing laugh-out-loud bingo, enjoying great  
burgers and having  
an amazing time!

2. [Valley Village's 40th  
Birthday Celebration,](#)  
**Sunday, Nov 6,  
11am-3pm** at  
20830 Sherman  
Way, Winnetka, CA  
91306 - Join us in  
celebrating Valley  
Village's 40th

Birthday with music, food, games and much more. It is  
going to be a very special day filled with remembering  
old times and making new memories.



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"The difference between school and life? In school, you're taught a lesson and then given a test. In life, you're given a test that teaches you a lesson."

-Tom Bodett

Every time you give through Valley Village, you're supporting 400 men and women with developmental challenges.

Sincerely,

Your Friends at Valley Village