

**LEISURE WORLD HISTORICAL SOCIETY
PRESENTS
ELIOT BRODY**

**LEISURE WORLDER OF THE MONTH
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ELIOT BRODY was born in New York City and received his basic education there. He attended and graduated from DeWitt Clinton High School before matriculating at City College of New York (CCNY). After a military service interruption, which included one year at Yale University, he graduated from CCNY with a Bachelor of Business Administration degree. During his collegiate years he was a member of the Sigma Alpha honor society. During his service stint he was a Navy ship Captain operating in the Pacific Theater of Operations.

After completion of service and educational training, Eliot began his working career as a Certified Public Accountant (CPA). He was employed by firms such as Lever Bros. Co., Caterpillar Tractor and Revell Co. in internal Audit Supervision and Financial Management. After relocation to California he spent twenty years administering the diversified investment program of a wealthy family. At age 53 Eliot became a Realtor/General Partner in two real estate limited partnerships. He also lectured at various universities and conducted seminars for the American Management Association. His career assignments precluded "open time" for civic/community participation.

Eliot and Rhoda were married in 1948. The Brody nuclear family includes a son in Israel. They have four grandchildren in Israel and one in San Diego.

Business and vacation travels have taken the Brody family to Europe, the Orient, Middle East and all around the United States of America.

Leisure World became beneficiary to Eliot's talents when he and Rhoda became residents in 1992. He has been a volunteer lecturer on investments for the Saddleback College Emeritus Program for ten years and is a member of the Associates of Saddleback Hospital. His other Leisure World activities include: Director of Leisure World Foundation, Director/Treasurer of L.W. Communications, Director/Secretary of New York club (also member of Travel Committee), Member of Golf, Tennis and Computer clubs, GRF and Third Mutual Nominating Committees, GRF Internal Audit Committee, Broadband Internet Sub-Committee and Advisor to Third Mutual Finance Committee.

Eliot rates two activities as most important and satisfying to him. "My ten years as Volunteer Investment Lecturer - - - -. My several years on the L.W. Communications Board in negotiating with Rossmoor Electric - - - - - and the transition of the cable system to G.R.F."