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## Senior citizens hold their own prom in San Jose

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Showing that prom night isn't just for high school students, senior residents at On Lok Lifeways' East San Jose Center threw their own—although earlier in the day—with the help of staff and volunteers on Thursday, June 1. The seniors danced to music from their country of origin and crowned a king and queen.



Huong Vo, 71, left, gets a kiss on the hand from husband, Lan Lai, 78, during the Senior Prom at On Lok Lifeways' East San Jose Center in San Jose, Calif., on Thursday, June 1, 2017. The couple were crowned king and queen of the prom.



Seniors Zebedee Hall Jr., left, and Diana Landucci, 69, right, dance during the Senior Prom at On Lok Lifeways' East San Jose Centerr in San Jose, Calif., on Thursday, June 1, 2017.



Diana Landucci, 69, and Bartolo Madriz, 66, celebrate being named the princess and prince during the Senior Prom at On Lok Lifeways' East San Jose Center in San Jose, Calif., on Thursday, June 1, 2017.



Margarita Partida, activities director, gives a toast to Jovita Lopez, 73, and her table during the Senior Prom at On Lok Lifeways' East San Jose Center in San Jose, Calif., on Thursday, June 1, 2017.



Huong Vo, 71, and her husband, Lan Lai, 78, are crowned king and queen during the Senior Prom at On Lok Lifeways' East San Jose Center in San Jose, Calif., on Thursday, June 1, 2017. At far left is Annie Mai. At far right is Jenny Rojas-Singh, center manager.





Annie Mai, left, puts on the sash for prom queen Huong Vo, 71, right, during the Senior Prom at the On Lok Lifeways' East San Jose Center in San Jose, Calif., on Thursday, June 1, 2017.



Seniors Zebedee Hall, Jr, 75, left, Diana Landucci, 69, center, and Bartolo Madriz, 66, right, dance during the Senior Prom at On Lok Lifeways' East San Jose Center in San Jose, Calif., on Thursday, June 1, 2017.



Rosario Barbosa, 73, has her photo taken by staff members during the Senior Prom at On Lok Lifeways' East San Jose Center in San Jose, Calif., on Thursday, June 1, 2017.