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#### **Fairway Social Committee**

Jan Wallace, Chairperson

Te must thank Charlie and Jean Weaver for chairing the Thanksgiving Dinner again this year and all the crew who worked so hard to make the dinner so special! We just keep getting better!

Thank you to those participating in the Fairway Chorus for all the many hours you devote to entertain our community in November and December at the FSC meetings.

Don't forget to sign up for the Golf Cart Christmas Parade on December 4th. Watch the information channel 801 for more details. You can also donate Christmas Cookies for the parade. All are welcome to come join us at the clubhouse after the parade for refreshments.

Phil and Pat Whitehouse will chair the Christmas Eve pot luck dinner this year which begins at 5:00 p.m. Look for more information on 801.

Just as a reminder for January, we will have the 2nd Event Leaders Conference on January 13, 2017 at 8:30 for those unable to attend in November.

FSC will again host a New Shareholders Breakfast January 19th at 8:30 - 9:45 a.m. We want to welcome all new home owners and give a brief summary of what the FSC is all about.

We wish all a happy Thanksgiving!

#### **Women Working Wonders**

Lois Davis

ecember is here and the holidays are quickly approaching. Members of WWW have been busy planning special events for the coming season. One of these special events includes a 90th birthday party to be held on January 15, 2017, honoring our over 90 year old residents. For those who are not familiar with the mission statement, WWW provides financial and other forms of assistance through members-selected projects that will enhance the quality of life of the special needs of the residents of Fairway Village.

#### Christmas Eve Pot Luck Party

Phil Whitehouse 535-7378

n December 24, Christmas Eve, we will again have our Pot-Luck Party starting around 5:00 p.m. From 5:00 - 5:30 we will socialize, followed by dinner and party until???? Bring a dish to share. \$3.00 charge.

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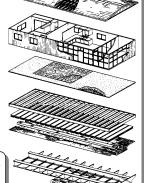


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#### **Fairway Chorus**

November 1. Thanks are extended to all chorus members, special actors, narrators and instrumentalists. Helen Barron starred as the matriarch who traveled west with her family and suffered many hardships along the way, many of which she shared. Indian attacks, the Gold Rush, the Civil War, and the building of the transcontinental railroad were remembered in narrative and song.

The next presentation by the Chorus will be on December 6, at 7:00 in the clubhouse. An International Christmas will be celebrated in song and narrative. Please mark your calendar to celebrate with them. As always, new or previous members of the chorus are always welcome. Call Mary Blythe or Anna Martin, or just show up at our next rehearsal in the conference room at the clubhouse at 9:00 on Thursday, November 10.

#### **Bingo**

Jeff Varney and Sue Bakker

y popular demand Bingo will start on Thursday, December 1, 2016, at 6:45 p.m. sharp! Get your dobbers ready. Everyone is welcome for fun, prizes, and fellowship. No need to pre-register. Just show up and win!

#### **Koffee Klatch**

Kathy Baltzell

he Fairway Village "Koffee Klatch" will be on Saturday, December 17, from 8:00 to 9:30 a.m. Please use your lot number and last name on sign-up sheet. The sheet will be taken down on Wednesday the 14th. Coffee, tea and donuts will be served. Hope to see you all there.

A Complete Listing of Resident Services can be found on the page before your calendar



#### Art Club

Karen Lombardo, Chairman

Telcome back to our first class and welcome to our new art teacher. She will be teaching expressive painting or anything the class would like. Saori Murphy is her name and comes from St. Petersburg. Bring your art supplies and be prepared to enjoy our classes. Saori suggests you bring a journal to class. The first art class is December 2, 2016. See you there!

#### **Architectural Review Committee**

he ARC Policies and Procedures Manual defines and outlines the guidelines for all exterior changes to homes as well as for replacing homes. This manual is available from the office or may be downloaded from the FVRA website (Fairway Info; Home Buyers information, ARC Revised P and P). Before you begin your project please obtain a Home Replacement or Modification Request form from the FVRA office or download it (page 12, Exhibit D, in the manual) and return the completed form to the FVRA office. The ARC, which meets most Mondays in the clubhouse, looks forward to working with you in replacing your home or planning the changes to the outside of your home.

#### **Fairway Dances**

Team Leaders: Al Hillier & Ken Low

Reminder: please complete a "Ticket Info" Forms located in a container on the Kiosk in the Clubhouse and bring to Thursday ticket sales dates at the Clubhouse.

If you plan to use an old ticket from a prior dance or a door prize ticket, please turn it in on the ticket sale night for the dance you want to attend and exchange it for a new ticket and table number. Old tickets can be exchanged for all dances except the Poppy Dance and New Years Dance. Please print your name and lot # on the back of your old tickets.

The Christmas Dance is Saturday, December 10, from 7:30 p.m. - 10:30 p.m. Dress in your Christmas outfit and come for a fun evening. Music will be provided by the popular Flashback Band. Tickets are \$5.00 available at 5:15 p.m. on Thursday, December 1 and 8 in the Clubhouse.

The New Year's Party is Saturday, December 31, from 8:00 p.m. - 12:15 a.m. Music will be provided by "Music on the Move" DJ. Noisemakers and Hats provided. Tickets are \$10.00 available at 5:15 on Thursday, December 15 and 22 in the Clubhouse.

The Nashville Nights Dance is Saturday, January 14 from 7:30 p.m. - 10:30 p.m. Start looking now for your country duds and be prepared to have fun! Music will be by the Sequel Trio Band. Tickets are \$5.00 available at 5:15 on Thursday, January 5 and 12 in the Clubhouse.



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#### **Shuffleboard Club News**

Martha Russell

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Thank you to the regular Good Guys and Gals who make sure all is well at the shuffle board courts in the beginning of the season and throughout. Our sincere appreciation to Glenn Russell, Kris Wechter, Richard Clifton, Lindell Miller (newbee), Fritz Weinrich, plus our new F Maintenance Tech -



Oscar. This team fully cleaned, sealed courts and painted where necessary. On top of what our FV Community got completed over the summer, WOW the Shuffleboard Courts are pristine.

Welcome back to our Season shufflers and friends of this sort. Over the next couple of weeks the Shuffle Courts area will be buzzing. League and Social shuffling will begin very soon.

- Dale Martin and Ted Moran (Directors, Tuesday and Thursday Social Shufflers) are on their way back to Fairway Village and will begin the fun at the Courts, with the assistance of Dick Frampton and Ron Moran, their loyal worker bees.
- To those who pitch in at the beginning and end of the Social and League Home games, as well as with refreshment breaks in the Clubhouse Thank You, your efforts are appreciated for sure.

#### REMINDERS

Shufflers please notify your team Captain as soon as you return, so schedules can be posted.

• Orders will be taken for shirts and jackets later in the month.

#### **State Flags on Half Moon Lake**

Rod Blythe and Ron Wallace

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#### **Fairway Village Bowling Hi-Lights**

Date	Scratch Game	Scratch Series	<b>Handicap Game</b>	<b>Handicap Series</b>
10/6	Gary Haag 231	Darryl Burns 636	Gary Haag 253	Darryl Burns 666
	Diana Burns 201	Janet Hillard 497	Diana Burns 249	Janet Hillard 629
10/13	Darryl Burns 267	Darryl Burns 676	Darryl Burns 277	Darryl Burns 706
	Jane Ann Hedrick 199	Janet Hillard 505	Jane Ann Hedrick 253	Janet Hillard 637
10/20	Larry Hedrick 279	Bob Post 675	Bob Post 244	Bob Post 678
	Judi Flowers 188	Janet Hillard 493	Carol Krieble 240	Cecelia Schroeder 653
10/27	Bill Ashcraft 238	Bill Ashcraft 634	Larry Ensalaco 246	Ed Sjoberg 712
	Carol Krieble 188	Janet Hillard 496	Karen Kools 261	Norma Kenton 666
11/3	Darryl Burns 278	Darryl Burns 708	Darryl Burns 278	Darryl Burns 708
	Jill Metzger 183	Janet Hillard 474	Jill Metzger 247	Vicki Sheppard 658

The Fairway Village Bowling League bowls every Thursday at 11:15 a.m. at Seminole Lanes. Anyone interested in bowling call Diana Burns @ 727-239-7161. We are always looking for new bowlers and subs.

#### Wishing All of You a Happy Birthday – December 2016

- 1 Jack Evans Sharon Evert Hugh Griffin Paula Grindle Edith Kolarek Charles Parker Sheila Sakuta Annette Takat
- 2 Conney Hyatt James Russell Helen Simpson
- 3 Diane Courrier Randy German
- 4 Gerhard Mueller Robert Painter Richard Youman
- 5 Natalie Fennell Lillian Forbes Harry Moulton Thomas O'Brien
- 6 Paul Becotte Alonzo Brake Barry Kent

- 7 Jared Daniels Sally Proctor Evelyn Zabawa
- 8 Geraldine Allen Kathy Comer Rich DeGolyer Ken Malin Ruth Opatz Violet Pye
- 9 Carole Klein Edward Schmidt
- 10 Geneva Becotte
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- 28 George & Christine Clark Bob & Olive Manton
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#### Six Residents Passed Away in Sept. and Oct. 2016

Reported by Mary Thalman

Lloyd Allen William Eldridge Frank Gutowski Loretta Minkel Patty Roeske Marie Thurman

Please keep their families in your daily prayers.



#### **Fairway Village Golf Club**

The annual dues for the golf club are remaining at \$305 per person and \$575 for 2 people living in the same unit (if paid at the same time). Golf dues can be paid at the Fairway Village office starting on December 19. A special thank you to the team responsible for the improvements that were made to the course over the summer. The course looks great.

The next monthly scramble is scheduled for Saturday, December 3.

See you on the course.

Golf Club Committee Members

John Swan, President; Walter Wojick, VP; Ann Brackenbury, Secretary; Mike Clare, Treasurer; Judy Low, Member-at-large; Cash Poulson, Ex-officio, Rules; Steve Ford, FVRA liaison; Hazel Nunnemacher, President Ladies League; Madeleine Clare, VP Ladies League; Wayne Haas, President Men's League; Tom O'Brien, VP Men's League

### **Ladies Golf League**

e're off to a great start with 137 members including 8 new/returning ladies as of November 4th. We ended the previous season with 174 members. If you are interested in joining the

Ladies Golf League please contact Carol Krieble or any member of the executive team. If you are a turning member and have not paid your league dues please contact Carole Fairchild.

The bragging rights for scoring the first hole-in-one of the season on ladies league day are still up for grabs ... will it be you?

See you on the course.

Your Ladies Golf League Executive Team Members are:

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#### **Scramble News (November 5th)**

Leave twas a beautiful day for golf, although the wind did pick up and make things a little more challenging for our 155 golfers. 32 teams competed in our friendly format, with many snowbirds returning for their first scramble of the season. The course was in fantastic shape thanks to the extra car given by Bill and Rick in the weeks leading up to the scramble. The scoring breakdown was as follows: 2 teams tied at 24, 1 at 25, 9 at 27, 9 at 28, 7 at 29, 2 at 30, 1 at 31, and 1 at 33. Thanks to Stephanie for getting everyone out and to the many volunteers who helped check in the players, got the rules explained, and collected and tabulated the results. Thanks to all the golfers who participated, I do believe a great time was had by all. Next scramble is scheduled for December 3rd. See you then.

#### **Computer Club**

Ed Watzel

taff members had a meeting with members of the FVRA and agreed to disband the club. Only a few members have been in the room the past few years.

#### **New Group Forming**

adolyn McMahn is forming a new group to teach residents mobile devices.

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#### Fun Shuffle Board... Sundays 6pm (new time)

Ed Watzel

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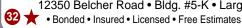
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#### ACROSS

- 1. On-line journal
- 5. Rhinoceros
- 10. Gangs
- 14. Former Italian currency
- 15. A red fluorescent dye
- 16. Send forth
- 17. A Freudian stage
- 18. Totally
- 20. Vixen
- 22. Hypodermic
- 23. L
- 24. Donkeys
- 25. Class chums
- 32. Held on tightly
- 33. Japanese cartoon art
- 34. Beer
- 37. Not yours
- 38. Inscribed pillar
- 39. Make unclear
- 40. Damp
- 41. Villain
- 42. Communion table
- 43. Self-restraining
- 45. A long-legged S. American bird
- 49. Dawn goddess
- 50. Windfall
- 53. Detective (slang)
- 57. Noble
- 59. Greek cheese
- 60. Actors in a show
- 61. Give a speech
- 62. Relating to urine
- 63. Beers
- 64. Waste conduit
- 65. Lake (Scottish)

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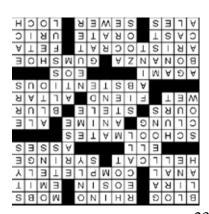
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- 1. Ho-hum
- 2. Connects two points
- 3. By mouth
- 4. Square-rigged
- sailing ships
- 5. Summon to return
- 6. Owl sound
- 7. Belief
- 8. Bites
- 9. Unique
- 10. Anagram of "Smite"
- 11. Portents
- 12. Cause to leak
- 13. Infections of the eye

- 19. Delete
- 21. Blockage
- 25. Flat-bottomed boat
- 26. Hint
- 27. Offended
- 28. Married partners
- 29. Concerning (archaic)
- 30. Diacritical mark
- 31. An uncle
- 34. Countertenor
- 35. Hawaiian feast
- 36. Makes a mistake
- 38. Bro or sis
- 39. Happy

- 41. Lose consciousness
- 42. "Smallest" particle
- 44. Spay
- 45. Hemp
- 46. Small goat antelope
- 47. Licoricelike flavor
- 48. Sail supports
- 51. Animal menageries
- 52. Unit of land
- 53. Way in
- 54. Protagonist
- 55. Ear-related
- 56. Every single one
- 58. Uncooked

December Crossword



#### Did you know that December is also...

**Buckwheat Month.** Designated the "December Grain of the Month" by the Whole Grains Council, buckwheat contains higher levels of zinc, copper, and manganese than other cereal grains, along with a very high level of protein. It's used in soba noodles, crepes, blintzes, pancakes, and other delicious foods.

**National Impaired Driving Prevention Month.** This holiday season, make sure to plan for a safe way home, especially if your plans involve alcohol. If someone you know is drinking, don't let that person get behind the wheel. Remember, too, that just because you're driving sober, others on the road may not be. Always buckle up, drive with caution, and call 911 to report a suspected drunken driver.

**Safe Toys and Gifts Month.** Prevent Blindness America has declared December Safe Toys and Gifts Awareness Month, encouraging gift-givers to consider whether the toys they plan on giving suit the age and individual skills and abilities of the child who will receive them—especially for children under age 3.

**Universal Human Rights Month.** This month commemorates the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations on Dec. 10, 1948. Driven by the human tragedy of World War II, this document represents the first global expression of human rights.



National Handwashing Awareness Week, Dec. 4-10. Remember these four principles of hand awareness to stay healthy: Wash your hands when they're dirty and before eating; don't cough into your hands; don't sneeze into your hands; and avoid putting your fingers into your eyes, nose, or mouth.

**Older Driver Safety Awareness Week, Dec. 5-9.** Promoting greater understanding of the importance of mobility and transportation so older adults can remain active in the community by shopping, working, or volunteering—with the confidence that lack of transportation options will not strand them at home.

Computer Science Education Week, Dec. 5-11. Computer Science Education Week (CSEdWeek) is an annual program dedicated to inspiring K-12 students to take an interest in computer science. CSEdWeek is held in recognition of the birthday of computing pioneer Adm. Grace Murray Hopper (December 9, 1906).



**Kwanzaa, Dec. 26-Jan. 1.** A weeklong celebration held in the United States and in other nations honoring African heritage in African-American culture, culminating in feasts and gift giving. Kwanzaa was created by Maulana Karenga and was first celebrated in 1966–67.

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#### The smell of hate

teacher decided to play a game with her class. She told each child to bring in a plastic bag containing a few potatoes and to give each potato the name of a person that the child didn't like. The number of potatoes that the children put in their plastic bag would depend on the number of people they don't like.

The next day some children had two potatoes, some had three, and some had five potatoes or more. The teacher then told the children to carry the potatoes with them wherever they went for a week.

Days passed, and the children started to complain about the unpleasant smell let out by the rotten potatoes. Also the children with five or more potatoes complained because they had to carry heavier bags. The children were relieved when the game finally ended.



Then the teacher told them the meaning of the game: "This is what happens when you carry hatred for somebody inside your heart. The stench of it spreads everywhere, and you carry it with you wherever you go. If you can't tolerate the smell of rotten potatoes for just one week, can you imagine what is it like to have the stench of hatred in your heart for a lifetime?"

#### The elephant's teeth

ne day a hungry mouse in the jungle found a small nut. He tried to bite into it, but its shell was too hard and thick. Irritated, the mouse said, "Why did the gods give me such tiny teeth?"

Suddenly he heard the voice of a god from far above. "Mouse, go out and look at all the animals in the jungle. If you find one whose teeth you like, I'll give them to you."

Overjoyed, the mouse ran through the jungle, looking for the biggest teeth he could find. He looked at many animals but didn't find any teeth he liked until he spotted an elephant. Envious of the beast's thick tusks, he wandered over and asked, "Sir, are you happy with those big, long teeth?"

The elephant answered: "Friend, these are just for show. I can't use them to chew food as you do. At least you don't have to bear the weight of these huge teeth."

Hearing this, the mouse realized he was better off having tiny teeth and went off to find his nut again.



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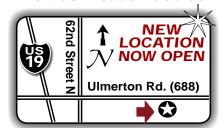
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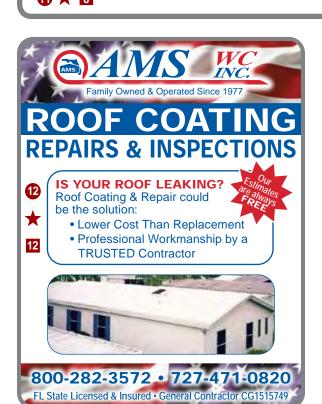
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#### **Seeing Santa Claus**

grandmother took her grandson to the shopping mall in December to see Santa Claus. The young boy was very excited to sit on Santa's lap. "Now, little boy," Santa said, "tell Santa what you want for Christmas."

In a very loud voice, the boy said, "I want a NINTENDO, and a NEW BIKE, and some BOOKS, and—"

"You don't have to shout," Santa chuckled. "Santa isn't hard of hearing."

The boy leaned forward and whispered, "No, but my grandma is."

#### **Wrong answer**

man was being sentenced in a California court for shooting and eating a condor—an endangered species. Looking for mercy, the defendant made a passionate speech.

"I'm truly sorry, your honor," he said. "I just moved here and I don't have a job, and I was hungry and cold. I'd never seen a bird like that, and I had no idea it was endangered. I've never done anything like this before, and I'll certainly never do it again."



The judge have him probation, telling him not to let it happen again. Then he said: "I'm curious. What does a condor taste like?"

"Oh, kind of like a cross between a whooping crane and a spotted owl."

#### Reduced sentence

criminal with a long record of transgressions was on trial for his latest crime. The jury found him guilty on 33 counts, and the judge sentenced him to 189 years in prison. Realizing that even with time off for good behavior he would be more than 100 years old when he was finally released, the prisoner burst into tears.

Touched by this display of remorse, the judge paused to reconsider. "I didn't mean to be so severe," she said. "Thinking it over, I can see that I've imposed an extremely harsh sentence. So you don't have to serve the whole time."

The prisoner beamed with new hope until the judge leaned toward him. "Just do as much as you can."

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#### 'Smart windows' coming soon?

new flexible material for windows and sunroofs may be able to control the heat and light they receive from the sun, according to the Phys.org website. Scientists at the Cockrell School of Engineering at The University of Texas at Austin used a low-temperature process to create a material with a unique structure that doubles the efficiency of the coloration process, allowing it to switch between clear and tinted more quickly than other coatings.

The scientists, part of an international team, believe their research could lead to the creation of materials for other applications such as supercapacitors to store and release electrical energy rapidly and efficiently.

#### Rare shark may have lived almost 400 years

Trees can live thousands of years. Animals don't live nearly so long, but scientists have discovered what they believe may be the longest-living vertebrate animal—a Greenland shark. Analyzing carbon in the eye lenses of one Greenland shark after its death, marine biologists at the University of Copenhagen determined that the shark was 392 years old, give or take about 120 years. That beats the previous record holder for vertebrate longevity, a bowhead whale that lived about 211 years.

Little is known about the Greenland shark. It's one of the largest carnivores in the



world, and dominates the food chain in northern waters. The scientists studied Greenland sharks accidentally caught by fishing boats, analyzing their eye lenses because sharks don't have the kind of bones that build up calcified rings as they age. Although some scientists disagree that the shark's age is typical, they concede that we know little about the average lifespan of this mysterious predator.

#### Particles may halt bleeding, save lives

aving a life after an accident or injury is often a matter of stopping blood loss as quickly as possible. The Science Daily website reports that scientists have devised nanoparticles that can locate the site of a bleed and help form blood clots to stanch the flow.

The nanoparticles are coated with molecules that adhere to a glycoprotein in activated blood platelets and bind to those platelets to form clots. The particles have been tested in rats and pigs, and they soon will be tested for their effectiveness in human blood—potentially saving thousands of lives.

#### Watch the sunrise for better health

ant to lose some weight? Try getting out of bed earlier. In a study conducted at Northwestern University, researchers gave 54 people wrist monitors that tracked their sleeping patterns and exposure to light for a week and asked them to keep detailed records of what they ate. The researchers also measured participants' activity level and age, as well as the season they were being monitored.



The researchers found that exposure to early morning light, whether natural or artificial, was associated with a leaner body weight. The reason, they speculate, is that light may play a role in regulating the metabolism, similar to its effects on wakefulness and alertness. The connection isn't conclusive, but getting up a little earlier couldn't hurt.

#### **Coffee may benefit heart attack survivors**



If you've suffered from a heart attack or know someone who has, this news should perk you up: A study by York University in the United Kingdom found that drinking one or two cups of coffee a day can apparently cut the risk of premature death by 20 percent among heart attack patients.

Researchers kept track of 3,721 U.K. heart attack survivors and their coffee habits in the UK. They're not sure how coffee helps them, but other studies suggest that drinking three to five cups of coffee daily has a beneficial effect on people with Parkinson's Disease, and it may also help people with liver cancer.



#### Don't let wet dishes breed disease

ake sure your clean dishes are completely dry before you start putting them in the cupboard. Researchers have found that still-wet, stacked dishes can be prime breeding grounds for bacteria. In one study at a Veterans Affairs hospital, dishes were washed in a commercial dishwasher. Half were air-dried for 24 hours and the other half stacked while wet. Although researchers found no significant difference in the amount of bacteria found on either sets of plates after 24 hours, the dishes stacked wet teemed with bacteria after 48 hours. The best solution? Air dry.

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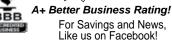
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#### Monthly Mania: It Pays (Up to \$100) To Patronize the Advertisers in Your Newsletter

**THOUSANDS** manufactured home residents have won over \$135,000 since our contest began. It's simple to play ... when you patronize a current advertiser, ask for a Monthly Mania ticket (or a reasonable facsimile) and fill it out completely. Put the ticket in our Monthly Mania drop box in your community or mail your paid receipt to us at Monthly Media • PO Box 1023 • Venice, FL 34284. That's all you do. At the end of the month the Publishers will pick up the tickets and hold a drawing. If your ticket is drawn, we mail you a check.

(Allow 4-6 weeks for	or mailing	of check). This month's cash
Carol Conner	\$100	AMS, Inc.
Pat Silva	\$10	Royal Enterprises
Jean Solana	\$10	Velocity Air Conditioning, Inc.
Thomas Habel	\$10	Dunedin Plumbing, Inc.
Daney Larocque	\$10	Boss Electric Corp.
Ron Paul	\$10	Bill The Carpet Guy
Carol Christensen	\$10	Air & Energy
Richard Gilbert	\$10	Imperial Electric
		Air Masters of Pinellas
Gloria Finch	\$10	O.E. Wilson
Carol Bysina	\$10	All Weather Enterprises, Inc.
Jean Cahill	\$10	Century Awnings
Theresa Hazlett	\$10	Wyngarden Mobile Home Washing
Beverly Harris	\$10	AMS, Inc.
Norma Miller	\$5	Heller's Mobile Home Washing
		Doll Brothers Carpet Cleaners
Beth Tourtellotte	\$5	Bill The Carpet Guy
Mildred Wyns	\$5	Jones & Sons Plumbing, Inc.
Peggy Mount	\$5	Air Masters of Pinellas
Joan C. Athey	\$5	Battleline Termite & Pest Control
Florence Ballard	\$5	Boss Electric Corp.
		Sunset Appliance Service
Walt Kostrzewski	\$5	Haseney Electrical Services, Inc.
Sandra Moran	\$5	Citrus Meadowood Homes of Florida

vinners are:		
Pauline Fowlston	\$5	Debbie's Salon
Dorothy Haller	\$5	
Laura Schwanger	\$5	Jones & Sons Plumbing, Inc.
		Imperial Electric
Judy Perszyk	\$5	Doll Brothers Carpet Cleaners
Margaret Taylor	\$5	Boss Electric Corp.
		Imperial Electric
Gail Lewis	\$5	Buggin Out Pest Control
Chris Eckhart	\$5	Battleline Termite & Pest Control
		Jones & Sons Plumbing, Inc.
Bob Post	\$5	
		Buggin Out Pest Control
Susan Vermeersch	\$5	Bob's Appliance Repair
Lawrence Yannotti	\$5	Jones & Sons Plumbing, Inc.
		Perfect Repair & Construction, Inc.
Raymond Bachara	\$5	Recreational Golf Carts
Connie Beaver	\$5	Kathy's Cleaning
Marge Murray	\$5	Mobile Home Depot
Thelma Payne	\$5	Battleline Termite & Pest Control
Shirley Spencer	\$5	Bob's Mobile Home Washing
		Sunset Appliance Service
Bill McGill	\$5	
Sharon Rop	\$5	Bill The Carpet Guy

<sup>•</sup> Limit of one ticket per visit • Advertiser may have up to 4 winners per month • Advertiser must have bill paid current to qualify • No purchase necessary • Contest void where prohibited by law • Green tickets available at participating Monthly Media advertisers.

## December Sudoku

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#### Important Information You Need to Know

#### Refer to monthly Flier calendar for activities.

- 1. Emergency 24/7 call office 536-2705.
- 2. The Architectural Review Committee (ARC) meets every other Monday at 10:00 a.m. Any outside changes to your house or yard MUST be approved by the ARC (i.e. new home, roof-overs, painting trim or driveways, planting shrubs, etc.). Forms are available at the office.
- 3. Lawn Watering. You may water 2 days per week as follows: Addresses ending with even numbers on Thurs. and/or Sundays. Addresses ending with odd numbers on Wed. and/or Saturday. Before 10:00 and after 4:00.
- 4. Debris pickup is on Tues. & Thurs. Have on curb cut into 4 ft. pieces by 9:30 a.m.
- 5. Any cable problems? Call 1-855-675-6200 or 239-1000 (mention bulk acct # 1269723).
- 6. Notify the FV office of any contact changes: i.e. phone numbers, mailing addresses, etc.
- 7. FVRA e-mail address: Fairwayvillage@knology.net.
- 8. Trash pickup on Tuesdays and Fridays.
- 9. Tickets for dances, pancake breakfasts, some lite suppers, etc. are sold at the clubhouse on Thursdays between 5:30 and 6:30 p.m.





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