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GHA Homeowners Association of Pinellas County, Inc.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Pres/Dir.:Len Stevens (2017)577-5484VP/Dir:Charles VanSolkema (2018)Secy:Sandra Vertz492-7489Treas.:Lana Kennedy579-3679

DIRECTORS:

The Board of Directors meets on the first Monday of the Month at 7:30 p.m. unless otherwise posted. The annual meeting is held on the second Wednesday of December at 7:30 p.m.

Gateway Activities Organization - GAO Board

President:	Cheryl Williams	607-725-2180
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The balance of the Steering Committee is made up of the chair or appointed representative of each park activity. The Steering Committee meets on the second Saturday of each month at 10:00 a.m. The annual meeting of the GAO is held on the first Thursday of March.

Communications

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









UPCOMING EVENTS

February 1st – Wednesday – Continental Breakfast @ 9:00 a.m. February 4th – Saturday – Yard/Patio Sale @ 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. February 6th – Monday – GHA Meeting @ 7:30 p.m. February 8th – Wednesday – Potluck Dinner @ 5:00 p.m. February 10th – Friday – Valentines Dance @ 7:00 p.m. February 11th – Saturday – Pancake Breakfast @ 8:00 a.m. February 11th – Saturday – Gateway Activities Organization Meeting @ 10:00 a.m. February 13th - Monday - Shuffleboard @ 1:00 p.m. February 18th – Saturday – Shuffleboard @ 1:00 p.m. February 20th - Monday - Shuffleboard @ 1:00 p.m. February 20th - Monday - Shuffleboard @ 1:00 p.m. February 25th – Saturday – Pancake Breakfast @ 8:00 a.m.

GATEWAY YARD AND PATIO SALE

Gail Negri

<u>YARD AND PATIO SALE</u> <u>SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4TH</u> <u>8 AM TO 2 PM</u>

The Gateway Community Yard Sale will be held on Saturday, February 4th, from 8am to 2pm. Individual sales will be located on your carport. This year there will be no cost for residents. An ad will be placed in the Tampa Bay Times and on Craigslist. Food and drinks will be provided in the clubhouse. Donuts and coffee served at 8am and hot dogs, chips, and soda at 10am. We are hoping this will generate enough money to pay for the advertising and signage. Please sign up at the clubhouse so we know how many are participating. We will be handing out small flags to place in your yard so people can find your sale. Looking forward to another great turnout this year. Tell all your friends and neighbors to attend and participate. It should be a fun time.

VALENTINE'S DANCE (FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10th, 2017)

B ring your sweetheart, friend or neighbor to the Clubhouse on Friday, February 10th and enjoy an evening socializing and dancing to the music of 'SoundWave,' the Dance will start at 7:00. A signup sheet will be at the east Clubhouse entrance. Tickets are available from Barb Fuelling and Bonnie Sisco at a cost of \$5. Bring snacks for you table, soda, tea, ice and drink cups are provided by GAO.

Don't forget to save the date – and we'll see you on Friday, the 10th of February!

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GATEWAY ACTIVITIES ORGANIZATION

Cheryl Welch-Williams, President

The Holiday season is now behind us. The News Years Eve dance brought lots of fun to the residents and guests who attended. Thanks to Lana Kennedy for avoiding a disaster when our entertainment for the evening had to cancel at the last minute due to illness. Lana was able to find another gentleman to provide us with entertainment for the evening. He was an excellent replacement. Thanks goes out to him and to Lana for working so diligently to make this a successful evening of fun for us! The end of January brought our Memorial service for all of our residents present and past that have passed away in the last year. This always proves to be a beautiful service. Thanks to all those who put this together and to all of you who attend.

February brings us all of our regularly scheduled weekly activities and Saturday, February 4th is our annual yard and patio sale. Please be sure to sign up if you are planning to participate in this event. Friday, February 10th is our Valentine's Dance for all of our sweetheart residents. Tickets are available so check the bulletin board and display cases for details. Also February 18th our Gateway Shuffleboard Club is hosting their annual Soup and Salad supper. This is always a delicious activity to attend. Whew! we sure do have a busy month. Please be sure to plan to attend each of these special events and enjoy your month!

Correction from our January News and Do's

I was wayward in remembering to add Betty Kennedy to our list of people who helped out with our Bake table at our annual Christmas Bazaar. Betty worked diligently all morning long! I am truly sorry for missing you on my list! Thanks again! Also I was misinformed as to who donated the Bicycle for our raffle. The bike that was chosen this year was donated by Betty Kennedy also. Thanks for everything that you do to make our park a better and fun place to be Betty!

!! IMPORTANT !! GATEWAY COMMUNITY DIRECTORY

Peter Soehnlen, NewsNDos Editor

The resident information to be included in the 2017 Gateway Community Directory has been forwarded to the printer. There is a limited period during which corrections to the information already at the Printer/Publisher may be changed.

Please review your information to assure it is correct and listed as you wish for it to appear. Should you wish that your name(s), address, phone number or home state information NOT appear in the directory please contact me immediately.

When copies of the Directory are available, they will be delivered to residents with NewsNDos. These directories are meant for use by residents and should not be casually discarded or left at the Clubhouse. Should yours become lost, destroyed or be eaten by a pet please feel free to contact Peter Soehnlen, Editor of NewsNDos at (727) 269-9569 or GAOnews@tampabay. rr.com for a replacement. Additional copies will NOT be available at the Park Office.







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GATEWAY HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING & ELECTION

June Boudreau, Chair of Elections Committee

The election of 3 new directors took place at the Clubhouse on December 14, 2016 with approximately 40 residents in attendance. Directors Emma Nebel and Susan Peckham retired from the Board after serving 3-year terms and were thanked for their commitment and hard work on behalf of the community.

There were 2 names on the ballot and 2 nominations from the floor for a total of 4 candidates. The successful candidates were Elizabeth Slocum of 10714 1st Street, David Hickenbottom of 10728 1st Way, and Cheryl Blake of 10442 Bay Street. All candidates were congratulated and thanked for participating in this important election process. Immediately following the election, the 7-member Board of Directors met and selected Len Stevens to continue as President for another year. Director Charles Van Solkema was chosen as Vice-President; other Directors are Linda Puckett and Jon Parker. Officers of the GHA Board include Secretary Sandra Vertz, and Treasurer Lana Kennedy.

I would like to thank the following for their valuable assistance: Nominating Committee members Susan Peckham, Linda Puckett, Lew Wood, and Bob Harris; Treasurer Lana Kennedy; Credentials Betty Kennedy; and Ballot Tabulators Marge Best, Pat Oliverio and Pete Soehnlen.

Regular meetings of the Board of Directors are held the first Monday of each month at 7:30p in the Clubhouse and are open to all members. The Annual General Meeting and Election of Officers is held the second Wednesday of December.

GATEWAY HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION

t the January 2nd, 2017 meeting, President Len Stevens introduced newly elected Board members Elizabeth Slocum and Cheryl Blake. Also introduced was vice-president Charles Van Solkema who was appointed to replace recently resigned VP/Director Jackie Branson. Among subjects discussed at the meeting were repairs to the fence bordering Gandy Blvd, efforts to control the proliferation of the Muscovey duck population within the park and questions as to small increases in the cost for water and trash.

For further details of subjects discussed at the meeting, please see the GHA Meeting Minutes that are posted on the bulletin boards at the east entrance to the Clubhouse and the laundry.



GATEWAY SHUFFLEBOARD

Harold Hooker

We have new players and all are doing well and seem to be having fun. Our league records could be better and is about the same as this time last year. We can always use new players and if you are interested in this leisurely sport, take the time to stop by at one of our local games, check out the action and express an interest to any member of the Shuffleboard Club. The days and time for home games are shown Mondays and Fridays on the NewsNDos calendar.

The annual Shuffleboard Club Soup and Salad Dinner is Saturday, February 18th at 5:00 p.m. Tickets are \$4.00 from Dick Gilbert and must be purchased in advance.

GATEWAY CHOIR CHRISTMAS PARADE AND CAROL SING

Kathleen Soehnlen, Director

n Sunday evening December 11th, promptly at 5:15, Gateway Choir Annual Christmas Parade 'stepped-off' at the east entrance of the Clubhouse. This years parade, led by award winning golf cart "Santa's Ride," complete with a colorfully lit tree on the roof, was followed by several other award worthy golf carts, colorful bikes and holiday dressed carolers who traveled through the park merrily singing while Santa and Mrs. Claus, delivered cookies to shut-ins. (Thank you Jon Fuelling and Cass Gilbert.) Many park residents came out to view the group and wish us a Merry Christmas.

Special stops were made at homes with visiting children to take a photo with Santa and sing 'jingle bells'. We also acknowledged the two homes voted best decorated by our selected judges, the evening bike riders. There were many festive homes this year and nine homes that received best decorated votes. This year's winners were the Ging's at 10348 1st Lane and Cheryl Williams of 158 102nd Terrace. There was also what has become a favored traditional stop at the brightly lit 1st Street home of Allan and Cindy Goodwin who favored the parade entourage with a refreshing glass of eggnog and holiday spirit.

After the parade, the merry makers returned to the Clubhouse for our yearly tradition of "Santa and Me" photos provided by our resident photographer, Pete Soehnlen. The group of 50 had a wonderful meal followed by a short program of laughter filled Christmas songs. (Who can forget the Redneck 12 Days of Christmas and Florida Wonderland.)

Prizes were awarded for best decorated bicycle, Bob Harris and golf cart, Pete and Kathy Soehnlen with thanks extended to Frank and Gail Negri for the use of their cart.

Thanks to all who brought goodies and food to share; to the cookie tin people Marlene Johnson, JoAnne Anderson, Judy Mitsch, Marianne Palumbo and Cheryl Williams; our food table organizers Barb Fuelling and her visiting Ohio friend Sharri Rager. And as always, thanks to all who assisted with the cleanup following this joyous event.



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CHRISTMAS DINNER

Pete and Kathy Soehnlen

F ifty-seven residents and guests enjoyed an excellent Christmas dinner at the Gateway clubhouse. The reduced number is likely owing to lower gasoline and air-fare costs that allowed for economic travel to homes and relatives away from the park.

Our turkeys, hams, stuffing ingredients, potatoes and gravy do not magically appear. Shopping for the best food at the best prices and assuring it is timely delivered was accomplished by Bob Daniels and Barb and Jon Fuelling. The delicious turkeys, roasted, carved and delivered to the clubhouse by Ted and Eileen Baker, Virginia Ehrman, Chris and Lana Kennedy, Larry and Barb Koubeck and Frank Negri. The tasty stuffing was made by Cheryl Williams. Hams cooked by Dory Alger, Bob Daniels and Judy Mitsch. Mashed potatoes prepared by Cass Gilbert, Emma Nebel and Kathy Soehnlen. A big thank you is sent out to all the residents who provided tasty side dishes to our buffet tables. Having a buffet table laden with side-dishes speaks of the generous nature of many of our attendees.

All attending were served in less than 15 minutes with Pete Soehnlen calling table numbers while Bob Daniels, Kathy Soehnlen and Judy Mitsch served the turkey and ham. Final cleanup was accomplished by 3 PM thanks to efforts by Dory Alger, Lana Kennedy, Judy Mitsch, Marianne Palumbo, Cheryl Williams, Pete and Kathy Soehnlen.

As with last year the Christmas spirit was extended into the afternoon with a game called "Gift Grab" organized and monitored by Lana and Betty Kennedy which was enjoyed by nearly 20 residents.

Set-up, decorating and table arrangement by Marianne Palumbo, Judy Mitsch, Dory Alger, Pete and Kathy Soehnlen. Pre-dinner assistance (pie cutting and buffet table food placement) by Ginnie Ehrman, Judy Mitsch, Marianne Palumbo and Dory Alger.

Your Christmas Dinner Committee planners and ticket seller (Bob Daniels) did an outstanding job. We wish to thank all those attending for your consideration at signing for tables, signing for food dishes and most of all for paying and picking up your tickets by the published deadline. Your cooperation in this respect is one of the keys to allowing our Christmas day dinner volunteers some extra time to enjoy the occasion with you.

We wish to express our welcome appreciation to all who came forward and offered remarks of thanks for our efforts and that of all of the Dinner Committee.



NEW YEARS EVE PARTY/DANCE

Bonnie Sisco, Co-ordinator

nother fun party/dance at Gateway. If you didn't attend, you missed a good time - and it was free!

L The 2017 GAO sponsored New Years celebration was brought to us through the efforts of our volunteer ad hoc dance committee under the direction and guidance of Bonnie Sisco. An unexpected health issue to our evening entertainer, Frank Canon, was a cause for great concern. Through the extraordinary efforts of Lana Kennedy, GAO entertainment chairperson,

a substitute, Joseph Noe, was booked for the evening. Joe was so well accepted that he will be on our preferred list of entertainers for Gateway dances. Thank you, Lana.

Those on the committee and helping with the decorations and table setup were Judy Mitsch, Marianne Palumbo, Dory Alger, Lana Kennedy, and Cheryl Williams We made it to see the ball drop in Times Square. Thank you also to the people who stayed to clean up after, and to Lana and Chris Kennedy who returned the next morning to finish up. We hope to see more of you attending next year.

LADIES DAY

Ellen Mickelson, Ladies Day Chairwoman

Pelcome back everyone, hope you had a great Christmas and are enjoying a Happy New Year!

♥ ♥ We have some fun projects we will be working on. JoAnn Anderson is going to help us make a quilted bag. You will need material and padding. just sign up at the Clubhouse so we can find a time to do the project. Another project I think will be fun is free. Just save your tin cans. I think it would be fun to Mod Podge some cans. They can be used as a pencil holder or tooth brush holder. If anyone would like to teach us a craft, please bring yourself and your project to Ladies Day.

Our January Ladies Day Luncheon was at Cheddars on Park Blvd (Gandy) in Pinellas Park. Our monthly luncheon is the third Tuesday of each month and we try to find a restaurant that we haven't been to, or one of our favorites. If you need a ride just sign up at the Clubhouse and mark the sign up sheet (Need Ride) and our ladies will assist in finding you a ride. So, we will see you at the Clubhouse Tuesday mornings and 9:30.







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GATEWAY BINGO

Chuck & Debbie Gross, Co-Treasurers

e experienced a slight fall-off in attendance around Christmas, but player numbers quickly rebounded and have increased throughout the month of January. With more players have come



higher payouts. Bingo has been averaging between 25 and 30 per session and the weekly final game Jackpot payout has averaged over \$100 while our seventeen others pay \$20 or more. All money collected from sale of game sheets is paid back as game prizes that evening. A special introductory game package is now available and you can enjoy all 18 games for a cost of \$11. Other multi-sheet game packs cost \$12 and \$18 respectively, are purchased and then combined with 'a la carte' sheets to round out the 18 game session.

Gateway Bingo begins with the sale of game packages each Tuesday at 4:45 pm. Sale of game sheets ends at 6:00 and play can begin as early as 6:15. There is a 15-minute half-time break following our 50/50 game and the session usually finishes prior to 9 o'clock.

CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

Pete and Kathy Soehnlen, Chairpersons

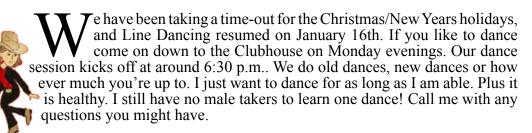
ur January 4th Continental Breakfast followed that of December with weak attendance of fewer than 35. It was noted that many people were taking advantage of much lower fuel prices and air fares to travel north for the holiday season.

Gateway Continental Breakfast is sponsored and supplied by park management and is held the first Wednesday of each month October through April. Gateway Activities Association Chairpersons, Pete and Kathy Soehnlen our your host and hostess for this 9:00am event. Announcements of the month's 'special' activities is followed by an assortment of quality pastries and toasted raisin bread. Coffees and a selection of hot tea are available to enjoy ahead of the program and breakfast, so come early. This months Continental Breakfast is Wednesday, February 1st at 9:00 am.

All park residents and their visiting guests are welcome to join us for your FREE, management supplied Continental Breakfast.

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CREATIVE COLORING

Jayne Naska, Chairperson

T appy New Year! Resolution Time!

Is part of your resolution for 2017 to relax more, de-stress, try a new activity, be more creative or meet new people? Then come to Creative Coloring!

Coloring is claimed to relax and create balance. From the book - Coloring Mandalas for Peace - The left brain sees everything in detail, deals with logic, laws processing, space, time, speech, and the rational. The right side deals with intuition, creativity, arts, imagination, feelings and inspiration. Nature seeks balance and the 2 sides of our brain should work together for balance. If we are constantly busy, always chasing success and results, we risk becoming exhausted. When you choose your drawings and colors, you are using the Right part of your brain - the imagination and creativity. You process color, space and symmetry using logic and deduction or the Left part of your brain. With the two sides working at the same time by coloring a pattern or picture, connection takes place, which allows you to achieve cerebral balance, the source of well-being. Coloring pushes away interfering thoughts and distractions and you are with yourself and able to let go. Coloring is also associated in our minds as something that many of us have done at a happy time when we were young.

Several of the coloring group have commented that coloring is relaxing, many have started to color at home too. I find it very beneficial at night, as I have a stressful job. It gets me away from work and rests my mind. I also have become more interested in my other hobbies which I have not done for a while. Some like color because it is just FUN!!

So come out and chill, we meet the first and third Sunday of the month from 6 to 8 pm. If you don't want to color, just stop by, say Hello and see what nice work the group is doing.

BIKE PARADE

Barb and Jon Fuelling, Chairpersons

First of all I would like to thank Bob Daniels and Pete and Kathy Soehnlen for taking care of December Bike Parades for Jon and I. They seem to do more Bike Parades than us! We had some great bike riding weather in January and Jon was able to lead his first parade of the season around the park.

February bike parades will be held on Thursday the 9th and Thursday the 16th. Blood pressure lady will be there on the 16th.

Bike Parade attendance has been a little short for this season. Please check your calendar for the dates and I will have signs in display cases and bulletin boards to remind you. Plenty of coffee and goodies. Just bring a \$1 and join us. You do not have to bike ride to attend!!





POTLUCK DINNER

Lana Kennedy, Chairperson

(DECEMBER)

Our December 14th Potluck Dinner had 22 participants. This was somewhat less than usual because of people traveling home for the holidays. With 22 different dishes, such as BBQ chicken, parsnips, meat loaf, a variety of salads, desserts and many others—we feasted. I have been identifying the individual dishes on labels in an attempt to avoid any allergic or personal problems. Come and join us the second Wednesday of each month for great eating. The remaining Potluck feasts of the GAO Winter season will be on January 11th, February 8th and March 8th at 5:00PM. Bring a dish to share and your own place settings. We will provide hot coffee, ice teas and lemonade.

(JANÚARY)

Beany Weinies, casserole & pot pies- with beef, sausage, peppers cabbage and/or chix, veal & noodles, scallop potatoes, pasta fruit salad, parsnips- than on to pecan pie, pumpkin and cheese cake—We had a feast!! That was January's Pot Luck with almost 40 residents coming together.

Join us on February 8th and March 8th for the last two of this season. Find an old family recipe and try it out again or just pick up something from the store to share with everyone. Please bring your own place settings. We will provide hot coffee, ice teas and lemonade. In an attempt to avoid any allergic or personal problems, I am trying to label all dishes. There will no longer be a table #4-ha ha (you had to be there)!

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Dick Gilbert, Chairperson

A lthough we are still down in attendance, our average is picking up. On Saturday, January 14th we served a total of 47. We are grateful for our early morning people. Please remind yourselves that Breakfast is served from 8:00 - 9:15 and try to be here no later than 9:00 a.m. For what we charge we try to prepare enough for all, but when you show up at 9:15 or 9:20 we often find ourselves short on eggs. Our Pancake Breakfast eggs take the longest time to prepare and one half gallon is the least amount per batch.

As always we thank you for your continued support and attendance.

Pancake Breakfast is held twice per month at the clubhouse on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays from 8 to 9:15 AM. Regular price is \$2.50 for a breakfast that includes pancakes, sausage, scrambled eggs, orange juice and coffee or hot water for tea. There is syrup (regular and sugar-free) at the tables.





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GATEWAY MEN'S GOLF

Lew Wood and Dick Gilbert

ust to remind Gateway residents. Less than a year ago this column featured an announcement of a Gateway Golfer's Hole-In-One! WELL!!!

Congratulations again go out to 1st Street resident and regular golfer Herb Trenholm! This, for his Hole-In-One at Mainlands Golf Club, Hole 10, on Tuesday, January 10th! (Last season's was February 12th on Hole 16.)

Herb was a member of a foursome that included Lew Wood, Wally McAninch and Frank Negri.

Again, congratulations Herb!

Gateway golfers have been splitting their early morning Tuesday and Friday rounds between Mainlands Golf Club and Cypress Links at Mangrove Bay.

For you new golfers at Gateway, we play twice weekly (early mornings) Tuesday and Friday. Mainlands Golf Club offers a very affordable Back 9 with a cart for the first 6 tee times.

Cypress Links is Par 3, comparably priced with Mainlands with a cart, though some choose to walk. Cypress Links is located east of 4th Street off 62nd Ave North, while Mainlands is accessed off US 19 just north of Walmart/Park Blvd. Each are between 10 and 15 minutes from Gateway. Following our round we often stop for coffee and chat at the 4th Street McDonald's just south of Gandy or breakfast at Spring Gardens on 62nd Avenue.

For information regarding an opportunity to be part of our groups you may contact Lew Wood at 576-8422 or Richard Gilbert at 329-8017.

WELCOME TO GATEWAY

Emma Nebel and Pat Oliverio, Welcome Hostesses

This month we wish to welcome Peter and Danielle Witkop, Barbara McNeil and Roger and Linda Parker.

Peter and Danielle moved into their home on Bay Street this past summer from Tampa. They have two children and two grandchildren. Peter is a retired Electronic and Hydraulic Technician. Danielle likes to read, cook and garden. Peter currently spends time adding improvements to their home.

Barbara came to Gateway from North Carolina this past October. She has two sons, one daughter and four grandchildren. She is a retired Financial Consultant and likes to volunteer when she is able. Barbara has two dogs 'Rittle' and 'Baby.'

Roger and Linda Parker are from Michigan, reside on 1st Street and returned to Gateway following a several year absence. They have three children and six grandchildren; are retired,



enjoy golf and have a dog, 'Eddie.' Roger and Linda enjoy spending winters in Florida.

We extend a warm hearted Gateway welcome to Peter, Danielle, Barbara, Roger and Linda!

GATEWAY LET'S CONNECT

June Boudreau, Coordinator

ant to be reminded of the activities schedule for the park? Then join in Let's Connect by sending your e-mail address to **juneboudreau5@gmail.com** with a Subject Line of Let's Connect.

Let's Connect is a great way to stay aware of those once a month Gateway activities that we usually remember just hours before or the next day after the event. Event emails usually arrive a few days ahead but just in time for you to adjust your schedule and post a reminder to your calendar.

The Let's Connect notices now go to over 100 throughout the Park and is a great way to be reminded of events and regular activities.

ANNIVERSARIES, BIRTHDAYS

The Editor

Wedding Anniversaries and Birthdays listed each month in the NewsNDos are based upon information supplied directly to the Editor or to the Welcome committee hostess who contacted you when you took up residence at Gateway. These dates are maintained separate from Park Directory information and are published only when people have chosen to share this 'personal' information.

If you do not see your name(s) listed it is because the Editor does not have the information in the Anniversary and Birthday Data Files and if you wish the information be published please contact the Editor, Peter Soehnlen, 10402 1st Street; (727) 269-9569, or; GAONews@tampabay. rr.com.

FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARIES

Celebrating an Anniversary this month are:

- 12th Lewis & Barbara Wood
- 17th Ronnie & Janet Meyers



FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

Celebrating a Birthday this month are:

1st 2nd	Martin Miller Jesse Harris	
3rd	Nancy Trank	
5th	Sandra Vertz Jon Fuelling Jack Rex	1
7th	Cindy Cboins	
15th	Janet Meyers	
16th	Jim Sever	
19th	Tom Jarrell	B
20th	Frank Garcia	
21st	Jennie Hammo	nd
23rd	Ted Baker	
25th	Al Kirkley Jack Leperle	
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Paige Emenau \$100	Battleline Termite & Pest Control, Inc	Phyliss Collins \$5	
Cathy Lugg \$10.	Florida Anchor & Barrier Company	Frances Doyle \$5	Air Masters of Pinellas, Inc.
	Bob's Mobile Home Washing	Delight Colby \$5	Heller's Mobile Home Washing
Denny Halloran \$10.	Buggin Out Pest Control, Inc.	Cliff Sykes \$5	Bob's Mobile Home Washing
Ronald Russell \$10.	Mobile Home Depot	Sue Taylor \$5	Battleline Termite & Pest Control, Inc
Marge O'Kane \$10.	Bill the Carpet Guy		Natures Resource Pest Control, Inc.
	AJ's Beds and Furniture	Lois Wysokowsk \$5	Jones & Sons Plumbing, Inc.
Ron Enzinna \$10.	AMS West Coast	Lynn Miller \$5	Bob's Mobile Home Washing
Andy Conway \$10.	Air Masters of Pinellas, Inc.	Dorothy Love \$5	Haseney Electrical Services, Inc.
Linda Webster \$10.	Sunset Appliance Service		Jones & Sons Plumbing, Inc.
Melvin Ray \$10.	E & E Gliddon Air Conditioning	Earnest Lawton \$5	Mobile Home Depot
Georgianna Boucher \$10.			Bill the Carpet Guy
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EVENTS & PROGRAMS

Sat. Feb. 25, 8-12 noon, Flea Market, Colonial Village, 2000 East Bay Dr., Largo

TRASH TO TREASURE SALE: Serendipity Mobile Home Park, Saturday February 18th, 8am-1pm at 29081 Hwy 19N. Bedding, Dishes, Furniture, Appliances, Tools, Sporting Goods, Home Baked Goods, Basket Raffles, Coffee & Donuts on the Deck, Lunch Available. Something for everyone. COME JOIN US!

LARGO, Teakwood Village East, Sat, Feb 18. Annual carport sale. Missouri Ave, between Largo High School & WalMart. 9am till 1pm. Over 50 homes. Look for balloons! TONS of STUFF!

ANNUAL Flea Market: Four Seasons Estates, Largo- Saturday, February 25, 2017. Early bird entrance \$1.00 from 7:30 - 8:00a.m. Huge variety - furniture, tools, clothing, jewelry, linens, books etc.. Homemade baked goods, snack bar and terrific raffles & prizes. Free golf cart shuttle service. Join us at 13225 101st St., behind Largo Mall, just off Ulmerton Rd., beside Golden Corral.

Fun Night with Silent Auction, Feb. 18 eve, Sugar Creek MHP, Largo, North at 101st.

ANNUAL BAZAAR: Feb. 25, 2017, 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. Shady Lane Oaks, 15777 Bolesta Rd., Clearwater. Breakfast & Lunch available. Collectibles. Household items, furniture and more. 50/50 drawling, raffles.

ANNUAL BAZAAR: Lincolnshire Estates, February 4th, 8 - 12. Breakfast / Lunch Served.

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DORAL VILLAGE BAZAAR, Sat., Feb. 25th, 8am-1pm. 29250 US Hwy 19N. Furniture, Clothing, Linens, Books, Appliances, Kitchen Items, Glassware, Jewelry, Baked Goods, Raffles, Baskets, Donuts, Coffee, and Lunch!

La Plaza MHP Carport Sale. 6700 150th Ave. N., Clearwater, FL 33764, Saturday, February 18, 2017, 8am-1pm.

FRIDAY, MARCH 3rd, 9am-1pm, Flea Market/Bake Sale Lake Seminole Resort MHP Clubhouse, 10245 110th Ave. North, East off Seminole Blvd. Refreshments, Lunch.

Sugar Creek Mobile Home Park Carport Sale: Sat. Feb. 4th 8 AM - 1 PM. 10265 Ulmerton Rd., Largo (behind Pier One store). Lots of stuff - Old stuff - New stuff. But - All Good stuff.

Carport Sale - February 18th, Ranchero Village, Ulmerton Rd., 8am-3pm.

BAZAAR: Down Yonder, 7001 142nd Ave, Largo 33771. Sat. Feb. 25th 8a.m.-noon.

CRAFT FAIR 3/25/2017, 1:00-5:00 Briar Creek Phase I. Clubhouse 3175 McMullen Booth Rd Saftey Harbor.

HUGE SALE Sat. Feb. 4th Eldorado Village Clubhouse 2505 East Bay Dr. Largo, 8:00-1:00.

SALE: Saturday February 25, 8A-1P. Household, clothing, furniture, misc., holiday, bakery, lunch. Westwind I and II Clubhouses. 3301 Alternate 19 Dunedin. Enter off Alternate 19N or County Rd 1. CARPORT SALE February 24th Clearwater Cascades 9790 66th Street N 8am-12pm.

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For Park related utilities:TECO (Natural Gas)826-3333Duke Energy (Electric)800.228.8485

For all water related issues contact the Park Office

DAILY/WEEKLY ACTIVITIES COMMITTEES

Creative Coloring	1st & 3rd Su	nday	Jayne Naska	798-9898
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Choir	Wednesday,	10:00 a.m	Kathy Soehnlen	
Ladies Day	Tuesday,	9:30-1:30 p	.mEllen Mickelson	630-530-7924
			Lana Kennedy	
			Lew Wood	
Bingo			Ron Martin, Chair	
Holdem	. .		Pete Soehnlem	
Game Night				
Euchre				
			Barbara Fuelling	
Pancake Brunch	2nd & 4th Sa	iturday	Richard Gilbert	
	8:00-9:15 a.r	n.		
			. Larry Koubeck	
			. Lana Kennedy	
			. Pat Oliverio	
Shuffleboard Club:	President		Richard Gilbert	
	Vice Presider	nt	Chuck Gross	
	Secretary		Betty Kennedy	
	Treasurer		Ellen Mickelson	
St. Pete League	Mondays		Captain: Betty Kennedy	
			. Co-Captain: Harold Hook	ker
How-You-All League	Fridays		Captain: Richard Gilbert	
			. Co-Captain: Kathryn Kur	zhals

SPECIAL MONTHLY ACTIVITIES AND COMMITTEES

Board of Directors (GHA).	1st Monday, 7:30 p.m	Len Stevens	577-5484
GAO Steering Committee (
-	2nd Sat. 10:00 a.m	Cheryl Williams	607-725-2180
Continental Breakfast	1st Wed. 9:00 a.m	Pete/Kathy Soehnlen	
Early Bird Dinner Theatre.	As Arranged	Barbara Wood	576-8422
Cabaret Party Dance	As Announced (NovApr)	
	7-10 p.m.	Misc. Cmmts.	
Potluck Dinner	2nd Wed. 5:00 p.m	Lana Kennedy	579-3679
Gateway Summer Activities		Marlene Johnson,	248-410-2698
-		GAO VP	

