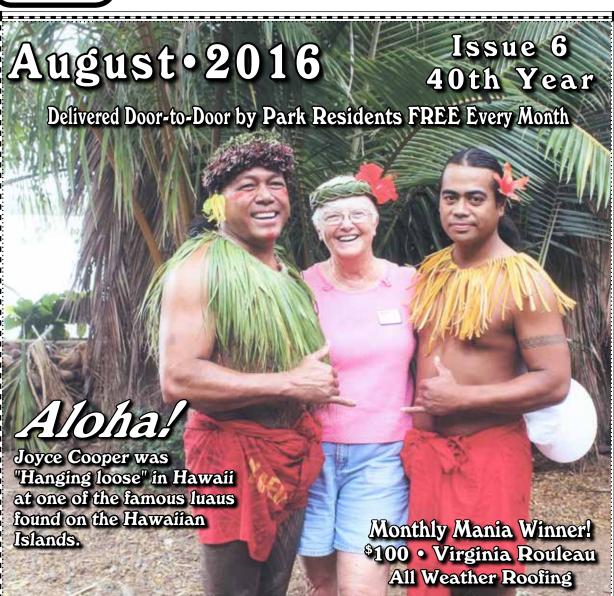


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4th of July PICNIC:

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LABOR DAY PICNIC:

unday - Sepember 4th 4pm Please bring a dish to share and your beverage

REMEMBER TO DRINK PLENTY OF WATER



NO GLASS BOTTLES OR GLASSES IN THE POOL AREA: KEEP AREA CLEAN!!!

REMINDER

UMMAGE SALE: Remember your unwanted jewelry to donate to our sale next year. Please clean out those old jewelry boxes.

Remember those blankets for the migrant workers. Collection in Fall

As announced last month

new trip has been added for full time residents and early arrivals. Biloxi by motorcoach Nov 7 - 10, 2016. \$339.00 per person, \$444.00 single.

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For more information contact Loren directly at Advantage 727-576-4010 toll free 1-866-824-1613



TRAVEL

nother reminder about our day trips for next year: three day trips have been added for next year. If interested sign up on the bulletin board in clubhouse. You can pay next season. Please think about these trips:

Giraffe Ranch – Thursday Jan 12, 2017 - \$99.00 includes lunch – minimal walking

Royal Lipizzan Stallions – Thursday Feb 16, 2017 - \$69.00 –lunch –minimal walking

Florida Strawberry Festival – Thursday March 9, 2017 -\$55.00 – significant walking Flyers are posted in the Club House

Our cruise will take place Nov 28th -Dec. 3, 2016

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For added information concerning all trips contact Advantage 727-576-4010

COMING EVENTS:

Labor Day Picnic September 4th 4pm

October 27-30th John's Pass Seafood Festival -35th Annual Festival

November 24th Thanksgiving Dinner - Tickets \$10.00

December Dance - Dec 1st Level 3 Band

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HURRICANE SEASON JUNE TO NOVEMBER

EMEMBER ALL HOMEOWNERS MUST EVACUATE: Be prepared. Make your plans ahead of time. Make arrangements for your pet, know where you will locate to. Scuttlebutt has been reminding you for the last couple of issues to make your arrangements now. Do not wait for an emergency to happen. If you need assistance contact the proper agency for help. Be prepared!!

REMEMBER OUR WATERING SCHEDULE:

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No jokes this month:

et's take a moment to think of all the friends we have lost this year in Harbor Lights. It saddens me to list all too familiar names in the deceased column. Let's remember them with smiles along with the tears. They will all be missed.

Stay cool and safe

DONATIONS NEEDED:

onations have been requested so that we may show our appreciation and support to the police officers who patrol our park and serve our surrounding community.

Contributions can be given to either Judy Halker or Jamie. Any amount will be greatly appreciated, save your change. Collections will continue the month of August.

For more information and to donate please contact either Judy or Jamie. Thank you for caring.

August Sudoku

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- Nausea
- Dizziness



To prevent CO poisoning, take these precautions at work and at home:

- Buy and install a CO alarm. Make sure it meets safety requirements, and follow the directions for proper placement and installation.
- Install appliances properly. Most of them should be installed by a professional.
- Check your appliances. Have your heating system inspected and serviced every year.
- Only burn charcoal outdoors. Never burn it in a tent, home, garage, vehicle, etc.
- Make sure you turn off fuel-burning engine equipment when you are inside a garage or basement. Just having the doors open does not ensure your safety.
- Always follow the manual directions when servicing fuel-burning equipment.
- Do not use gas appliances, such as ranges, ovens or clothes dryers, to heat your home.
- If you use a fuel-burning appliance that is approved for indoors, make sure it is vented to the outside following the manufacturer's instructions.
- Install and use exhaust fans over gas stoves.
- Open flues when you use your fireplace.
- Choose the proper size wood-burning stove for your home.
- Have a professional inspect, clean and tune up your central heating system (furnaces, flues, and chimneys) annually.



Lost in translation

Tenry was visiting a distant country where he didn't know the language. He managed fairly well with the help of a guide, but on Sunday he wanted to go to church, and his guide had the day off. So he found a small church in the village where he was staying and followed a friendly-looking man inside.

The man greeted him and smiled, so Henry took a seat next to him and decided to copy his every action. When his new friend rose with the congregation to sing a hymn, Henry did the same, finding the hymn by looking at the man's hymnal. When the collection plate came around, Henry put in the same amount of money as the man next to him.

Toward the end of the service, the minister made some kind of announcement. The man next to Henry stood up, so Henry did too. The congregation gasped in shock.

After the service, the minister approached Henry. So Henry's surprise, the minister spoke English. "You don't know a word of our language, do you?" the minister asked kindly.

"Uh, no." Henry was nervous. "Is it that obvious?"

"Well, when I was announcing the birth of a new child and asked the father to stand up..."

The real problem

A little girl was running a high fever with a bad cough and an aching feeling throughout her body, so her father took her to see the doctor. After waiting for an hour, the doctor finally took them into her office for an examination.

"Now, Christina," she said after checking her heartbeat and looking down her throat, "What's bothering you the most?"

"My brother Sam," she replied honestly. "He breaks all my toys!"

High stakes

man walked into a bar and ordered a beer. As he drank, he noticed slabs of beef hanging from the ceiling on hooks. "What's this about?" he asked the bartender.



The bartender smiled. "Well, if you can jump up and pull one of them, we cook it up and give you free beer all night. If you miss, though, you have to put \$100 into the charity jar we keep back here for orphans. What do you say?"

The man looked up, then shook his head. "Sorry. The steaks are just too high."

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Act of compassion

In these days of political polarization, this story about acceptance seems appropriate: When former Vice President Hubert Humphrey died, hundreds of political figures from around the world came to his funeral. One was former President Richard Nixon, who resigned from office in the wake of the Watergate scandal. Everyone wondered how the disgraced expresident would be received.

When then-President Jimmy Carter arrived, he noticed Nixon standing alone. Instead of heading for his seat, Carter walked toward Nixon, held out his hand, and then gave Nixon a hug, saying, "Welcome home, Mr. President, welcome home!"

Despite belonging to a different political party, Carter decided to show compassion toward someone whom many ignored. It was an extraordinary gesture of acceptance.

A life in books

Pulitzer Prize-winning writer Geraldine Brooks' love of books from a young age was supported by a woman she never met. According to The Power of Good, by Mark McCrindle (Hybrid Publishers), Brooks' grandfather mentioned to a friend named Althea Glasby that his granddaughter loved to read, and so every year for Christmas young Geraldine got a book signed, "To Geraldine, with love from Althea Glasby."

"I have no idea what this woman spent so much time and thought on a child she didn't know," Brooks said as a grownup. "Whatever the reason, I wish I could thank her in person. I wish I could tell her how those books shored up a love for the written word that grew over time into a career and a calling. I would like to give her one of the books I've written, nice, hardback first edition. The signature wouldn't be as fine and fluid as hers, but in my own pedestrian scrawl I would say thank you, for the gifts that helped to lead me to a life in books."

A costly game

Bill and Fred were playing golf one day. When they came to a hole with a large water hazard, Bill teed up and watched his ball drop into the water. He checked his golf bag and found he didn't have any extra balls, so he asked Fred to give him one.

That ball, too, went into the water, so Fred gave him another—which also sank. After the third golf ball disappeared into the drink, Fred said, irritated, "You know, those golf balls cost \$10 a piece!"

"Hey," Bill said, "you shouldn't play the game if you can't afford it."



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National Black Business Month. During August, individuals, institutions, and businesses are encouraged to visit at least one black-owned business per day. The increased sales resulting from that traffic could result in more than 40,000 additional jobs during the month and as many as 450,000 new jobs if the habit is continued over the course of a year.

National Immunization Awareness Month. National Immunization Awareness Month (NIAM) provides an opportunity to highlight the value of immunization across a person's lifespan. Activities focus on encouraging all people to protect their health by being vaccinated against infectious diseases.

Clown Week, Aug. 1-7. Celebrations take on a variety of forms, such as putting on shows in malls, child care centers, hospitals, and nursing homes, and clown appearances in parades, grand openings, and other places.

National Fraud Awareness Week, Aug. 7-13. Businesses and government agencies around the world lose an estimated 5 percent of their annual revenues to fraud. National Fraud Awareness Week seeks to educate everyone on the dangers of fraud and how to protect themselves from criminal activities.

Motorcycle Week, Aug. 14-20. For the motorcycle rider and lover, a week dedicated to the vehicle that millions of Americans enjoy. Ride, celebrate, and make new friends on the road.

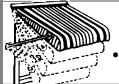
National Aviation Week, Aug. 14-20. A celebration of flight, observed during the week of Orville Wright's birth, Aug. 18. Along with his brother Wilbur, Orville Wright built and flew the world's first successful airplane in Kitty Hawk, N.C., in 1903.

International Beer Day, Aug. 5. Enjoy your favorite beer, or try a new one—responsibly, of course.

World Elephant Day, Aug. 12. Asian and African elephants are loved, revered, and respected around the world, yet we teeter on the brink of seeing the last of these magnificent creatures.

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New moon discovered around distant dwarf

The solar system is a little bit larger these days. The Hubble Space Telescope has found a new moon orbiting the dwarf planet Makemake in a region of space beyond the planet Neptune known as the Kuiper Belt, where many other small planet like objects have been found. Makemake is slightly smaller than Pluto, another dwarf planet, and is covered by a layer of frozen methane.

According to the Sci-News website, the moon, nicknamed MK2, is approximately 100 miles around and orbits close to 13,000 miles above Makemake. Astronomers discovered it after examining observations from the Hubble made in 2015. Astronomers believe that it is the product of a collision between Makemake and another celestial object or was captured by Makemake billions of years ago.

Wookie alert! New species sited on Earth

hewbacca has been sighted—not a long time ago in a galaxy far, far away, but in Papua New Guinea. It's the name of a newly discovered species of flightless beetle, dubbed Trigonopterus Chewbacca because of its distinctive pattern of scales.

As reported on the (e)Science News website, Chewbacca is one of four new black weevils discovered by an expedition of scientists looking for examples of the Trigonopterus beetles. The website notes that unlike its fictional namesake, this Chewbacca doesn't depend on size and brawn to scare enemies off, because it measures only 2-3 millimeters in length.

New evidence changes theory about dinosaur extinction

or years scientists and dinosaur enthusiasts have accepted the theory that a giant asteroid caused the mass extinction of the dinosaurs 66 million years ago. Now that theory has undergone some tweaks, as reported on the Science News website.



The asteroid probably didn't help matters, but evidence now suggests that the dinosaurs had begun dying out long before it struck. Dinosaur species began disappearing faster than new ones evolved some 40-50 million years before the asteroid's impact—a loss in diversity that made surviving the event more difficult.

Many species of birdlike dinosaurs kept going, ultimately evolving into the birds we see today. Scientists speculate that because much of the diet of today's birds consists of seeds, earlier flying reptiles may have relied on the same food source, which can last for decades.

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The Pew Center found that among households with incomes of \$75,000 or more, 67 percent of residents trust all or most of their neighbors, but in households earning less than \$30,000, only 37 percent feel the same.

Race may also be a factor, although the connection is unclear: Sixty-two percent of white Americans say they trust their neighbors, just 31 percent of African-Americans do, and only 27 percent of Hispanics.

The Zika virus: Protect yourself with the facts

The Zika virus is spreading in the headlines and around the world, but you don't have to panic. The best defense is information. Here are some basic facts about the virus from the NBC News website:

- Origins. Zika comes from the continent of Africa. It was first observed in 1947, but didn't seem dangerous. That changed when it migrated across the South Pacific and ultimately arrived in Brazil, where immunity against the virus is low.
- **Effect.** The virus itself doesn't seem to cause major health problems in most people beyond a rash, headaches, and fever. But it can in some cases cause paralysis, nerve damage, encephalitis, and miscarriages, as well as birth defects and deaths in newborn children.
- **Transmission.** The Zika virus is mostly spread by mosquitoes native to tropical regions. It can also be sexually transmitted.
- Reach. Zika has already arrived in the United States, where approximately 700 people have been infected after traveling to foreign countries. Mosquitoes that carry the disease are common in many areas, even as far north as New York, so localized outbreaks could occur in several states.
- **Prevention.** Air conditioning and windows screens are both good defenses against the mosquitoes. In addition, officials advise that people wear long clothing and insect repellant when going outside.









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The night shift takes a bigger toll on women

Torking the midnight shift is hard on everyone, but it may be more detrimental to women's health than men's, according to a study by a sleep research center at the University of Surrey.



The center put 16 male volunteers and 18 females in a controlled environment where each day lasted 28 hours without natural day-night light levels. Every three hours during "daytime" the volunteers performed a range of tasks that measured brain function, alertness, motor control, and memory. Both men and women were affected by the lack of natural circadian rhythms, but the impact was greater on women, who exhibited more problems than men during the early hours of their awake period. The information is useful for everyone contemplating work on the so-called graveyard shift.

Loneliness is bad for the heart

oneliness and isolation may be bad for your mental health, and they can also have a negative impact on your physical health. That comes from a British study reported on the CBS News website, which found that in addition to high blood pressure and compromised immune systems, loneliness can apparently lead to problems with the heart.

The British researchers looked at data from more than 180,000 people. They found that adults with few friends or social relationships were 29 percent more likely to suffer a heart attack or angina, and also 32 percent more likely to have a stroke.

The cause and effect relationship remains unclear, but the findings suggest that strong relationships can influence your health in many ways.

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