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Manager's Corner - February 2016

Keeping Our Homes Beautiful Management will be conducting a 360 exterior site inspection of each home starting this month. As they are completed, you will receive a copy of any corrections needed. Thank you for all of your hard work and cooperation.



Happy Valentine's Day!!!

Val-en-tine's Day: noun - February 14, a day when it is traditional to send a card, often anonymously, to a person one is romatically involved with or attracted to. The day of romance we call Valentine's Day is named for a Christian martyr and dates back to the 5th century, but has origins in the Roman holiday Lupercalia.

Rent/Lot Fees

Please ensure that all rent/lot fees are due on the first of each month. We will accept payments up to the 5th of the month. Late fees will be assessed on the 6th of each month. Please DO NOT post-date your checks. They will be returned to you. If you find that you will be late with your checks, please come by our office or call us at 727-797-5432.

Trash Days

Trash days are Monday and Friday. Please, only put your trash out on these days by 8:00 a.m. DO NOT put any trash out the night before as critters have been known to rip open the bags so they can have a "midnight snack," leaving a huge mess for everyone to clean up. Your help is greatly appreciated!

Parking

Management is asking that you do not park in the streets. Some of our roads are too narrow for emergency vehicles to get by. We have had an issue in the past where the EMS had to back up and go around the block to get to the person. If you are nearby, you may park in our office lot (after hours only), the clubhouse or the laundry room parking lots.



Thank you for your assistance and have a wonderful February!



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

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Hillcrest Ladies Friendship Club

MINUTES, JANUARY 12, 2016

The January meeting of the Hillcrest Ladies Friendship Club was called to order by our President, Carole Sutherland, at 1:00 p.m. Twenty-six people were present. Jan Bobb introduced her guest, Linda who was welcomed by all.

Vice President, Diane Hlawati spoke on the cancellation of January's Pot Luck this month. The December's minutes were read and amended by (Secretary) Jane.

Sally gave the Treasurer's report.

Ginny, our Sunshine Lady, reported Sympathy cards were sent to Joanne McMunigle on the death of her sister and Patricia Toale on the death of her husband, patrick, a well remembered snowbird from Canada. She also sent Get Well cards to Jean Carden and Marsha Cellosse. Ginny received a Thank You note from Jean Carden.

Diane Hlawati thanked all who helped with our very successful Christmas celebration in her absence. They were given a big round of applause.

The hostesses for the day, Janet Gruhala and Jane Perley, were acknowleged and thanked for their efforts.

The Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary, and Sunshine Lady's positions available for the 2016-17 season were discussed. As there were no new offers to fill those positions, the current slate was unanimously agreed upon. A move was made and accepted to keep the current ladies in office and overrule our by-laws for one year.

An interesting more positive report of the brain functions of older people was read by Jane. The final sentence replaces the excuse "I'm having a senior moment" with "My disk is full."

Janet and Jane quizzed the ladies on the wild animal food chain. They did well and were rewarded with "good job" stickers.

Judy Bobb led us in prayer. We then enjoyed cake and coffee.

Door prizes were won by several ladies. Those who donated door prizes were thanked for their thoughtfulness.

Our next meeting will be on Tuesday, February 9th at 1:00 p.m. The hostesses will be Andre Ann and Christine. Please bring a smile, a cup, a \$2 donation and a non-perishable donation for the Food Bank.

Our January donation to the Food Bank was 51 lbs.

Carole closed our meeting at 2:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane C. Perley, Secretary

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Neighborhood Watch Report

Bob Fohrmeister, Chairman - Neighborhood Watch

There will be Neighborhood Watch Party on February 27, 2016. Dinner by Butch, Entertainment by Sally and Roy. It will be from 6:00 - 9:00 p.m. Please supply your own drinks. COME MEET YOUR NEIGHBORS.

To All Hillcrest Residents

f you fly an American Flag outside your home, please let Bob Fohrmeister know at 727-432-3904 so that a Thank You Certificate can be presented to you from The American Legion.

Hillcrest Resident's Inc.

Submitted by Pat Jones

ur monthly meeting with Leslie was held on Tuesday, January 12, 2016. Several items of concern were reviewed. Some were about substandard lots which we were assured management is aware of and reasonable and realistic time lines have been given to affected owners.

Items still pending due to lack of corporate approval include the ice machine, the Library (still waiting for the check), and the refrigerator/freezer.

The condition of the laundry rooms was also discussed. We were informed that maintenance sweeps and cleans 4 mornings a week. They wipe the tops of the machiens, and clean the bathrooms. If you use the laundry rooms it is your responsibility to clean the dryer filters after use (I had almost an inch of hair build up). If you forget a tissue in a pocket and the pieces fall on the floor when transferring clothes from the washer to the dryer or lines - that's on you to sweep up. There is maintenance here but their is no maid service. If you make a mess, clean up after yourself.

ANNUAL MEETING of the homeowners association will be held on Monday, February 1. Membership dues will be collected starting at 6:15. Meeting starts at 7:00 p.m. We need to elect a director so please consider running for the board.

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Hillcrest Shuffle Board Club 2015-2016 Officers and Captains January 4, 2016

President: Vice President: Secretary: Treasurer: "A" Captain: "A" Co-Captain: "B" Co-Captain	Fred Reynolds Doug Anderson Morna Rankin Charlie Barnum Jim O'Connell Robert Strang Bill Spannagel Roy Morgan	814-218-8986 791-8414 712-3816 791-2278 754-2751 669-2037 904-403-8146 240-538-4489
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Shuffleboard Club News

ost all of our regular shuffleboard membes have now returned for the winter after the Holidays. We're happy to have them back and also glad to have the 4 new players who have joined the teams.

Clair Sutherland coordinated and chaired the annual Turkey Shoot Fun Shuffle November 19th. Many Hillcrest residents enjoyed shuffling around and through the obstacles on the courts in order to score. The turkeys for the winners were provided by Hillcrest Management. We thank the Management and Clair for another successful fun event. Also thanks to all the shuffleboard members who helped at the courts that day.

The Big Ten League Fall meeting was November 20th at Serendipity Park. Plaques were received for Doug Anderson & Robert Strang who finished 3rd in the Big Ten Tournament "A" Team Main Event at Clearwater in the spring. Dick & Morna Rankin also received plaques for their 2nd place finish in the "B" Team Consolation Event at the tournament.

Jim O'Connell is now our "A" Team Captain with Robert Strang as the Co-Captain. Bill



Spannagel is now our "B" Team Captain with Roy Morgan as the Co-Captain.

We have received new discs to be used for League Play which are quite nice. We thank everyone who had a part in acquiring the new discs.

We are now doing a 50/50 Split Club Raffle at each of our home games to raise some extra funds. Hope everyone continues to support this endeavor.

After two months of our 2015-16 season, the "A" Team is in 1st place in the Big Ten League and our "B" Team is in 9th place. Keep up the good work teams and have fun!

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The List - 2016

The following items are of concern to the residents and need attention:

The stove - professional cleaning Lanai roof leak at joining to exercise and billiard room Pool Table - refelting and new bumpers Pool decking resanded Laundry Drying Lines replaced Grill - needs new starter Seating furniture (sofas, etc.) in the clubhouse cleaned

REPLACEMENT

Truck Window treatments for the hall Shuffleboard seating Refrigerator and freezer with one refrig/freezer unit Ice Machine

<u>NEW</u>

Security Cameras Sound proofing of the hall Drying area at clubhouse - grass replaced with pebbles or crushed shell WIFI hotspot at the hall

A simple favor

man taking a walk one day noticed a small boy trying to use the doorbell on a house across the street. The boy was very short, and the doorbell was too high for him to reach.

After watching the boy's efforts for a minute, the man crossed the street to help. "Hello there," he said, ringing the bell. "What do we do now?"

The boy looked up at him. "Run!"



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February Is...



American Heart Month. Heart disease kills an estimated 630,000 Americans each year. February has been celebrated as American Heart Month since 1963 as part of the effort to urge Americans to join the battle against heart disease. Learn how to reduce your risk through lifestyle changes and, in some cases, medication.

Black History Month. An annual observance in the United States, Canada, and the United Kingdom to commemorate the history and contributions of black people. Black History Month was officially recognized by the U.S. government in 1976, with President Gerald R. Ford urging Americans to "seize the opportunity to honor the too-often neglected accomplishments of black Americans in every area of endeavor throughout our history."

Grapefruit Month. Rediscover the naturally invigorating grapefruit. Loaded with vitamin C, grapefruit helps boost the immune system during these winter months when colds and flu are at their peak. Whether you enjoy it fresh from its golden skin or straight from a glass, there's nothing quite like the bold taste and healthy goodness of grapefruit.

Library Lovers' Month. Library Lovers' Month is a month-long celebration of school, public, and private libraries of all types. This is a time for everyone, especially library support groups, to recognize the value of libraries and to work to assure that the nation's libraries will continue to serve.

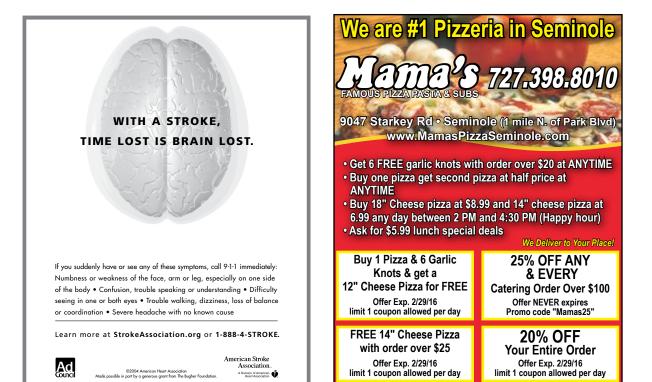
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National School Counseling Week, Feb. 1-5. Sponsored by American School Counseling School Counseling Week highlights the impact school counselors can have in helping students achieve school success and plan for a career.

Burn Awareness Week, Feb. 1-7. Designed to provide an opportunity for burn, fire, and life safety educators to unite in sharing burn awareness and prevention messages in communities, and to kick off a year full of burn awareness education.

National Entrepreneurship Week, Feb. 20-27. National Entrepreneurship Week is a celebration of a lifelong learning challenge for youths and adults interested in finding exciting career opportunities. Teachers and students can get involved at all levels, as well as entrepreneurs, policy makers, community leaders, and parents.

National Engineers Week, Feb. 21-27. Dedicated to ensuring a diverse and well-educated future engineering workforce by increasing understanding of and interest in engineering and technology careers.







The history of Black History Month

When the owner much of our greater understanding of black history to Carter G. Woodson. Born to former slaves, Woodson worked hard and against the tide of prejudice to obtain his own education. In earning his doctorate from Harvard, Woodson was disturbed to find that during his studies, history books virtually ignored the black American population. So he decided to take on the challenge of writing black Americans into the history books.

He established the Association for the Study of Negro Life and History (now called the Association for the Study of Afro-American Life and History) in 1915, and a year later founded the widely respected Journal of Negro History. Then in 1926, he launched Negro History Week, the precursor to Black History Month, as an initiative to bring national attention to the contributions of black people throughout American history.

February was chosen as Black History Month for the significant events and people who figured prominently in black American history. For example:

- Feb. 23, 1868: Civil rights leader and co-founder of the NAACP, W.E.B. DuBois, was born.
- Feb. 3, 1870: The 15th Amendment was passed, granting blacks the right to vote.
- Feb. 25, 1870: The first black U.S. senator, Hiram R. Revels (1822-1901), took his oath of office.
- Feb. 12, 1909: The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People was founded by a group of concerned black and white citizens in New York City.
- Feb. 1, 1960: A group of black Greensboro, North Carolina, college students began a sitin at a segregated Woolworth's lunch counter. The event marks a watershed moment in the civil-rights movement.

Valentine's Day doesn't have to break the bank

ooking for something to do with your sweetheart on Valentine's Day that's not too expensive? Try these ideas:

• Read a story together. Buy two copies of your favorite book or story (or borrow them from your library) and spend the evening discussing it. You may both learn things you didn't know about the story (and each other).



- Team up on a new recipe. Instead of going out to a restaurant, delve into your cookbooks and find a meal to collaborate on. Choose something different and challenging, and enjoy the results.
- Visit a museum. Your town probably has a museum (or two) that you've never been to. Or a landmark you haven't seen yet. Select someplace new and check it out together.

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Multiply Your Monthly Mania!

s you probably already know; patronizing the advertisers in this newsletter also pays YOU with our Monthly Mania Cash Give-a-Way. We pay out \$400 every month to residents who submit tickets they have received from using the businesses in the newsletter. Winning is easy, just patronize any advertiser in the newsletter, then submit either the ticket or a paid receipt to us for your chance to win!

Now You Have More Chances to Win!

We are now offering unlimited entries into our Monthly Mania drawing by just SUGGESTING a business to advertise.

Here is how is works:

- 1. Call our office and suggest a business to advertise in the newsletter
- 2. We will take down your information (name, address, phone number) and enter you into the next month's drawing for over \$400 in cash prizes
- 3. The more businesses you suggest, the more chances you have to win. (To qualify each resident can only suggest a business once)

Thanks For The Referrals Last Month!

What businesses would you like to see advertising? We have spots available in the following categories:

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Bathroom Remodel	 Investment/Brokerage 	Screen Repair Screen Repair Streen Repair				
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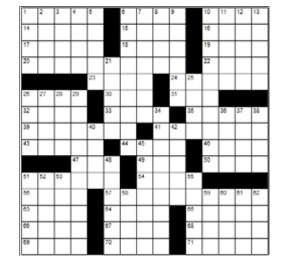


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FEBRUARY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

- 1. Japanese wrestlers
- 6. Hens make them
- 10. Hats
- 14. Not together
- 15. Sensed
- 16. Nursemaid
- 17. Oarsman
- 18. Parasitic insect
- 19 Fail to win
- 20. Nonchalant
- 22. Adorable
- 23. Diplomacy
- 24. Loan shark
- 26. Teller of untruths
- 30, 52 in Roman numerals
- 31. Snake-like fish
- 32. Border
- 33. Sell
- 35. Small drum
- 39. Become looser
- 41 Jubilance
- 43 Small finch
- 44. A soft porous rock
- 46. Gumbo
- 47. Dowel
- 49. A gesture of assent
- 50. Bobbin
- 51. A level in a building
- 54. Algonquian Indian
- 56. Novice
- 57. Never-ceasing
- 63. Ear-related
- 64. Amazes
- 65. Nun's attire
- 66. Urgent request
- 67. Nipple
- 68. Overact
- 69 Peddle
- 70. Makes a mistake
- 71. Regenerate





- 13. Absolute
- 21. Give birth
- 25. Bristle
 - 26. Not more

 - 29. Multiplicative
- 10. Adding machine
- 12. Adhesive

1. Indian dress

4. Chocolate cookie

8. Secluded valley

2. Atop

7. Jelly

3. Mouths

5. Swagger

6. Efficacious

9. Sculpture

- 27. Doing nothing 28. Food thickener
- inverse
 - 34. Removes trees
- 36. Bicycle
- 11. French for "Love" 37. Wisdom
 - 38. A Freudian stage
 - 40. Leg joint

- 42. Burdened 45. Ill-defined
- 48. Whirl
- 51. Ceases
- 52. Name of a book 53. Bay window
- 55. Aromatic solvent
- 58. Pitcher
- 59. Disabled
- 60. Black, in poetry
- 61. Location
- 62. Goulash







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Valentine's Day, love, and money

oney may not buy you love, but on Valentine's Day it can buy a lot of flowers, candy, and jewelry. Americans last year spent \$18.9 billion on Valentine's Day, with the average person paying \$142.93—\$96.63 on their spouse or significant other, and the rest going to gifts for family members, co-workers, teachers, and others.

Men spent more than women—an average of \$190.53, compared to \$96.58. Almost 52 percent of men bought candy for their partners, 61 percent went for flowers, and 21 percent splurged on jewelry.

The gift giving wasn't limited to people, either—21.2 percent bought something for their pets.

Up all night? Fight insomnia with this information

pproximately 6 percent of people in the U.S. suffer from insomnia and the negative effects it can have on health. If you can't fall asleep at night, these facts from the Live Science website may help:

• Keep a consistent schedule. If you can't get to sleep after a weekend, the reason may be that you've stayed up later for a couple of days. Stick to a consistent routine so you're rested on Monday morning.



• Sleeping pills aren't the answer. Specialists caution that medications don't cure insomnia and may increase other health problems.

• Hormones may play a role. Women are twice as likely to struggle with insomnia than men, studies show. Sleepless nights may be associated with women's menstrual cycles, as well as pregnancy, menopause, and other hormonal changes.

Nobody wants to fall into a safety net, because it means the structure in which they've been living is in a state of collapse and they have no choice but to tumble downwards. However, it beats the alternative.

—Lemony Snicket





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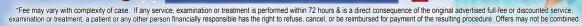
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wo young boys decided to dig a deep hole behind their house. As they were working, their parents came out on the porch to watch.

"What are you doing?" asked the mother.

"We're going to dig a hole all the way to the other side of the world!" said one of the boys excitedly.

The father began telling them that digging a hole all the way through the earth was impossible. After a moment, though, one of the boys picked up a jar full of spiders, worms and a wide assortment of insects. He removed the lid and showed the wonderful contents to his parents. "Even if we don't dig all the way to the other side, look what we found along the way!"



You may not reach all your goals and make all your dreams come true. But when you fall short, remember all the good things you picked up along the way.

The job's not done until everything's done

We all learn important lessons in our first jobs. Jay Chiat, co-founder of the advertising firm Chiat/Day, told Inc. magazine once about working as a short-order cook at his family's drive-through Long Island restaurant. The worst part of the job, Chiat recalled, was cleaning up after the restaurant closed at 1 a.m.—scraping the grill, mopping the floors, and everything else despite being exhausted and wanting nothing more than to go home and get to bed.

But the experience taught him at least one lesson that proved helpful in his later career: "You learn that you're not done with a project until it's completely ready for inspection."

Taking leave of a saint

wo brothers in a small town had a reputation for bad behavior. But they were rich enough to avoid the consequences all the time.

The pastor of the local church knew them well and tried to find the good in both of them, although this was next to impossible.

One day one of the brothers died suddenly. The other came to the church and asked the pastor to speak at his funeral.

"To be honest, I wouldn't know what to say," the pastor replied.

"Here." The brother took out his checkbook. "I'm writing you a check for \$10,000 for the church renovations you're always talking about. All you have to do is tell everyone at the funeral that my brother was a saint."

The pastor though for a moment, then accepted the check.

At the funeral, the pastor stood before the townspeople come to see the last of one of their disliked neighbors. "I didn't know this man well," he said. "I do know that he cheated on his wife, and cheated everyone he did business with. But I can say one thing about him: Compared to his brother, he was a saint."





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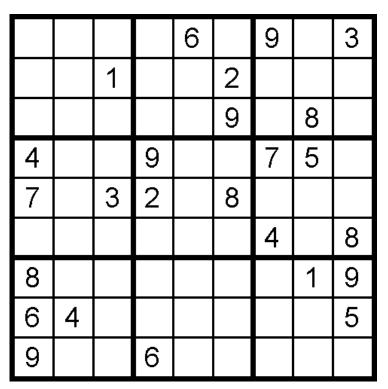






February Sudoku

Difficulty level: hard.







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Cold weather dangers to watch for.

Vinter is far from over, and that means staying safe in cold weather is still important. Remember these tips for getting by until spring:



- Frostbite. Frostbite can occur in a short amount of time, especially with children. They can lose body heat quickly, sometimes in as little as 20 minutes. Dress kids warmly, but don't over bundle them, which can cause sweating and speed the loss of body heat. Also, discourage kids from eating snow, since it lowers body temperature, which can decrease resistance to frostbite.
- Carbon monoxide. Check your furnace and other heating appliances to make sure they aren't creating a danger to your co-workers or family. Carbon monoxide poisoning is often mistaken for the flu. The symptoms include achiness, headache, and nausea. Carbon monoxide is odorless and colorless, and it can affect children before it affects adults.
- Vehicles. We all know to walk carefully on icy roads and sidewalks during winter. But injuries can also stem from sliding and skidding vehicles that may not be able to stop before hitting someone. Be sure to walk in bright or reflective clothing, and be careful when walking near snow piles and drifts that may obscure your view or the view of a driver.

Expect to win

In 1974, Notre Dame's basketball team faced the national championship team from UCLA in a game that everyone expected Notre Dame to lose. According to motivational guru Zig Ziglar in his book, Success for Dummies (IDG Books Worldwide), Notre Dame coach Digger Phelps decided that his team was going to win.

The game was scheduled for Saturday afternoon. At the end of Monday's practice, he told his players to cut the nets from each basket. In basketball, cutting down the nets is a celebration of victory. After Tuesday's practice, he again told the players to cut down the nets, and every day after that. By Friday, they were cutting the nets down with confidence and enthusiasm.

And on Saturday, Phelps' team was able to cut down the nets for real, after beating UCLA in the game that Notre Dame was certain to lose. Although cutting down the nets alone didn't ensure the victory, it did get the players into a positive mindset. By the end of the week they expected to win, and so they did.

Be happy with who you are and what you do, and you can do anything you want.

—Steve Maraboli



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Saturday, February 6th, 8:30am-2:30pm. Garage sale, Shangri-La 249 Jasper St, Largo 33770, off Missouri. Many items & Bale Sale.

Carport Sale February 20th East Bay Oaks, 601 Starkey Road 9am until 2pm

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