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10 01	Pat Chase	117
	Del Miezio	259
10 03	Dianne Arsenault	49
	Jean Bonneau	310
10 06	Robert Deyo	197
	William Lucas	240
	Thurman Bullock	94
	Lisa Rivers	167
10 09	Kathleen Lombardi	233
	Raymond Moore	312
10 10	Sue Stevens	36
10 11	Ronald O'Herien	34
10 12	Leatrice Work	91
10 13	Lorna Lubbers	146
10 14	Beverley Hallwood	1
10 16	Ruby O'Brian	185
	Rebecca Holender	80
	James Strong	20
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10 17	Michelle Geiger	128
10 19	Karen Scalia	221
10 20	Roseann Hubbard	285
10 21	Joan Duclow	304
10 22	Ray Marro	256
	Anne Riley	84
10 24	Mary Lou Fraher	204
10 24	Janice Schultz	90
10 25	Shirley Billingsley	187
10 27	Mary Silvia	223
10 28	Holly Pulver	252
10 29	Terry Lucas	240
	Beverly Matthews	93
10 30	Joy Adams	161
10 30	Delores Latza	12
10 31	Marilyn Hale	264



## ANNIVERSARIES

		Yrs.	Lot #	
10 01	Norman & Mary Jane Gordon	63	124	1955
10 02	Laddy & Roseann Hubbard	53	285	1965
10 03	Warren & Agnes Bowman	54	113	1964
10 09	Robert & Marva Boone	53	281	1965
10 13	Delmar & Amy Haynes	62	238	1956
	Harry & Diane Sharman	17	230	2001
10 15	Richard & Lynne Erne	52	265	1966
10 16	Fred & Marcia Wimmer	59	10	1959
	Don & Beverly Hanson	25	92	1993
10 21	Jim & Diane Mun <mark>dt</mark>	51	249	1967
10 23	John & Norma Buggy	55	30	1963
10 24	Ronald & Dina Sandroni	65	/ 87	1953
10 26	Ronald & Mary Silvia	55	223	1963
10 27	Bud & Edith Ulens	67	17	1951
10 28	Bob & Nat Wright	68	149	1950
10 29	David & Karen Harrell	41	78	1977

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Oct 20	Bowling League (Gloria)
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Millie, Ann, Chip, and Bob at the White House LAKE HIGHLANDER PIPER OCTOBER, 2018 N

## **ICE CREAM SOCIAL**

n August 24, Lake Highlander residents enjoyed an ice cream social in the clubhouse. While the rain came down in torrents, we were all nice and dry inside. We had our choice of a sundae or an ice cream soda. Our host was Kathy Hartwell with helpers Cathy Quast, Grace Hughes, and Shirley Greer. Thank you, ladies, for the opportunity to socialize and have a sweet treat, too.

Kathy Hartwell, Cathy Quast, Grace Hughes, and Shirley Greer

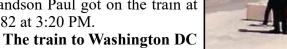
### TRAVELOGUE TRIP TO NEW JERSEY By Bob Frazier

Vou leave Clearwater Station about quarter to four and read a magazine and you're in Tampa. Oh my! That doesn't rhyme! Instead of going to Chattanooga, the four Frazier were going to Haddonfield, NJ. That is Bob, Millie, son John, and Grandson Paul got on the train at Clearwater back in June 16, 1982 at 3:20 PM.

After traveling all night and the next morning, we arrived in Washington, DC at 1:10 PM.

That was the first big stop of our Adventure. We got off at Union Station and walked to our Hotel just a couple blocks from the Capital. For the next two days we explored our Nation's Capital. Sister Ann and her son, Chip, came down from NJ to be with us. We walked the Mall and saw the Vietnam Wall, and the Lincoln Memorial. One very interesting stop was the Smithsonian Museum where we saw "The Spirit of St. Louis." I took a picture of the boys on the Capital steps.

Of course, we had to climb the Washington Monument. And we wanted to tour the White







House. We took a wild taxi ride to the White House, but we were too late. They weren't allowing any more folks in.

It was supper time and we decided to take a walk from the hotel to find a McDonald's. we searched for an hour and found no fast food stores, so we went back to the hotel and ate there. It was a little more expensive than McDonald's.

It was time to board the train again and head up to Philadelphia. There we rented a car and took a 25-mile trip to beautiful Haddonfield, New Jersey, to stay with Millie's mother. There is an interesting story about this house. Millie's Dad built it from a Sears ad in about 1928. He and his brothers put up this three-story house with a cellar. See the ad! This house recently sold for \$500,000.



Millie's Dad's Sears House

From Mother's house we were off on another adventure to the "Big Apple." First, we stopped at Princeton to visit my brother, Howard, and his wife, Florence. He took us to see Princeton University and he told us how to get to New York using the Staten Island Ferry. We wanted to visit the Statue of Liberty and the Twin Towers. While on the ferry, we took a picture of the big city skyline and the Statue of Liberty. We climbed up inside the Statue and one of the Twin Towers to the observation floor. What a beautiful sight!

We are not finished with our adventure yet. We have two more stops in Pennsylvania after leaving Haddonfield. First to visit Millie's brother, Tom, in Manheim, PA, then to visit Millie's sister, Ginny, and brother-in-law Bill in Newburg, PA. While there we went to see their son Billy's pig farm.

I need to tell you one incident that happened when we went back to board the train in Philadelphia for our return trip back home. At the Broad Street Station, we had to go down an escalator to get to the train tracks. Some elderly man fell at the base of the escalator and people were stacking up. There was a lot of yelling and screaming but fortunately an employee cut the power to the escalator. No one got seriously hurt but Millie and I were hesitant to use an escalator ever after. We boarded the train and headed back to Dunedin.



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## FIFTY YEARS ON A MAINE LAKE

By Jan Schultz

recently talked with Don and Bev Hanson (lot #92) after their recent trip to Maine. The bitter-sweet trip was to empty their camp of 50 years of memories, so it could be sold. Their cottage on Little Sebago Lake in Gray, Maine, was purchased by Bev and her first husband in 1968. It is about 18 miles from Portland. Don came on the scene in 1985 and the camp became a part of his life, as well.

When Don and Bev were still working, their summertime at the lake was on weekends and vacations. Instead of spending money on travel, they invested in the camp. They added a double-wide driveway, an artesian well, metal roof, new septic system, new windows, and new siding. Before the putting in the well, they brought in drinking water and pumped water from the lake for other water needs. The cottage had two bedrooms and one room had two sets of bunkbeds. A platform tent in the yard was a favorite place for the boys to sleep on summer evenings. The wise investment in the land and cottage allowed Don and Bev to live there fulltime during summers since 2001. And, of course, Lake Highlander was their winter home.

The camp was a wonderful place for Bev and her children when they were younger. They had a homemade pontoon boat crafter from a float with added sides and a roof. When they loaded the boat with drinks everyone said, "Party time!" Eventually, Don bought a new pontoon boat. Everyone enjoyed riding around the lake in the boat – family, friends, and neighbors.

At first, there was a dirt road leading to the camp. In the spring the road would often get muddy due to two brooks near the road. They often had to approach the camp on foot. Later the road was tarred, eliminating the problem.

Fishing is good on Lake Sebago. Holidays would always include a fishing derby for the children. Don would buy a couple of 25 Susan B. Anthony silver dollar rolls for prizes. The children enjoyed receiving them. One year, Don's grandson won the prize for the catching the most fish by catching lots of small sunfish. Never fear, the fish continued to live because the derby was catch and release. They also had corn hole tournaments for the children. Summer holiday gatherings always saw plenty of family and visitors and the double-wide driveway was able to accommodate plenty of cars. Bev would cook enough food to feed an army, according to Don. On the 4th of July there are lots of fireworks around the lake.

In front of the camp was an island. On the other side of the island was a big rock that was sometimes used by lake residents for bonfires. With cool nights bonfires were always enjoyed. Bev says she used to jump off the rock into the water.

Fifty years ago, Lake Sebago only had summer cottages on it. Now most of the properties have large year-round homes on them.

Don had been willing to sell the property for several years. This year Bev knew it was time to sell. They put the word out that they were selling and by word-of-mouth alone, they had three offers. The camp has been sold but they have not closed yet due to a backlog by the title companies. But the new owner has agreed to let them stay at the camp for three weeks every summer, free, for the rest of their lives. Not a bad deal!

## LABOR DAY

n Labor Day, September 3, residents enjoyed food and activities. The events started with a corn hole tournament at 11:00. After several eliminations, the final round saw Fuzz and Amy Haynes competing against their son and daughterin-law, Dusty and Brenda Haynes. With experience giving the edge, Fuzz and Amy were the winners of the tournament. At 1:00



Mother and son vie for the cornhole championship – Dusty and Amy Haynes

there was a shuffleboard tournament. When the rain came in the afternoon, everyone stayed dry in our covered shuffleboard courts. There were sixteen players and the competition started with a double elimination, with the best two out of three deciding those who would continue in the competition. However,



Fuzz Haynes and J. P. St. Laurent vie for the shuffleboard championship

most players decided they had enough fun after three games. Those who were still competing after three games were Fuzz Haynes and J. P. St. Laurent. It was decided to declare J. P. the winner because he had the most points.

At 5:00 we all enjoyed a sandwich buffet which was catered by HoneyBaked Ham. The evening's entertainment followed with music by the Almost Together Band, made

up of residents Twila Miller, Tom Latza, Steve McCaskey, Joe Kasprzak, Steve Schultz, and band leader Allan Stewart IV. The band's booking agent, Pat Kasprzak, will be happy to book the band for upcoming weddings and wakes. (Smile)



Twila Miller and Allan Stewart, part of the Almost Together Band

## **CALLING ALL SPAGHETTI LOVERS**

There will be a Spaghetti Dinner on Columbus Day, Monday, October 8th at 5:30 PM, with music to accompany us while we dine. We hope everyone will plan to attend this special night. We will be enjoying Millie Beaulieu's special Italian spaghetti sauce and meatballs. To reserve your seat, Social Club Members pay \$3.00, non-members and guest pay \$5.00 per person by Monday, October 1st. Only 70 tickets are available for this event, so be sure to get your tickets early. You can purchase your tickets from Millie Beaulieu, Lisa Howell, Amy Haynes, or Terry Lucas.

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## LHRO BOARD MEETING

Unofficial notes from the September 13, 2018 LHRO Board Meeting:

- All board members were in attendance with Gerry Killham and Susan Zerbe present by phone.
- Karen Larrimore presided over the meeting.
- President's Report:
- o Susan reported that the letter which was sent out to all residents regarding the changes of rules for rentals was met with positive feedback. All questions via correspondence and phone calls were handled successfully.
- o From all reports, the Park is looking good.
- Manager's Report:
- o Beth briefly reviewed some of the changes to the rental procedure.
- o The city is holding up the last permit for the generators. It would like more schematics from the propane company. The generators should be fully installed by the end of September.
- o A resident visited with Beth regarding his concerns about the electric quadrants and specifically regarding the quadrant that tends to have more and longer power outages. He requested Beth call Duke Energy to have an engineer visit the Park and listen to residents' concerns. Beth has yet to hear back but a date should be set soon for a meeting with residents.
- o There was a board discussion, with residents' input regarding a large-capacity commercial washer to be installed in our laundry room. The cost, including installation, would be \$6,000 to \$8,000 and would be an operational expense as a fixed asset. After a lengthy discussion it was decided to table the vote until more northerners return.
- o New chairs need to be purchased for the clubhouse. Replacement chairs should have powder-coated metal to reduce the probability of scraping the paint when they are stacked. Beth suggested we don't need to purchase as many chairs as we currently have, reducing the number from 240 to 200. A committee with look at chair possibilities and meet with Beth. This would be an operational expense as a fixed asset.
- o The chicken wire will be removed from around the lake.
- o Beth proposed that the board hire an engineer, Richard Claybrook, to supervise and monitor the repaving of our streets. He has suggested we start the road project between March and May of next year. The board moved and approved the use of Richard Claybrook's services, with the cost not to exceed \$7,000. This will be charged to reserves.
- o We are changing banks. The issues with our current bank are unacceptable. We will sign on with First Citrus Bank by the end of the month.
- o Beth distributed a flow sheet to the board. It explains issues that are Park responsibilities, and which are resident responsibilities. This will be distributed to all residents.
- Treasurer's Report:

- o Kathy Hartwell asked that discussion of the budget be deferred to next month's meeting because of the upcoming change in banks.
- o The year through July finds us well within the budget.
- Standing Committees:
- o Disaster Recovery:
  - Fred Wimmer stated that the Park has superseded any other park in the area in emergency preparedness according to the fire department and emergency response personnel. This is due to our storm shutters and procedures.
  - Steve Schultz reviewed a report which the board had in hand regarding a facilities-use policy. He also advised the board of the hurricane review meeting which was held for residents. The procedures book has been updated and emergency supplies have been inventoried. All emergency supplies are now stored in the security shed (the old security cart shed).
  - Steve asked that the name of the committee be changed to "Emergency Management Committee." The board agreed to the change.
- o No unfinished business
- o New Business:
  - The board review revisions to the Park's Rules and Regulations. They will now be posted for 30 days and distributed to residents in the 2019 Phone Directory.
  - •Regarding the Rules and Regulations, Karen Larrimore stated, "When we break the rules, all residents suffer." Please make sure you review and understand all the rules.

## **MANAGER' SUMMER REPORT HIGHLIGHTS**

By Beth Carroll

- Installed 4 new gliders and 4 new benches around the lake. We installed some new concrete pads to accommodate the new gliders. They are a cedar color. They are polywood material and will not rust, chip, fade or need any painting.
- We have removed the mulch from the trees at the common area buildings and around the lake, also at the entrances island, corners and some of the beds around the buildings. We replaced with medium size egg rock. For those of you who are not familiar with egg rock, the colors are golden yellow and tan it will be the same egg rock that is around the new directory. The reason for this is we need to replace the mulch 2x per year because of the drying and fading from the sun which gets expensive. With the egg rock, although an initial expense, you will never have a need to replace it, and it does not fade and will cut down on maintenance time. We will also replace the mulch around the trees throughout the park with fresh mulch or egg rock but will start that in September. Between the colors of the directory, the coordinating colors from the gliders and the benches, and the egg rock, the lake and common areas look very coordinated and clean.
- We have installed a vinyl chair rail around the inside of the lanai to prevent the screens from being pushed in when people put the chairs directly up against the screen. We have continued on page 20



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had to replace the same screens a few times because of the position of the chairs.

- We have purchased all new lanai chairs with a sling back fabric and lighter colors than the dark brown we had before. We also placed a bar area and 2 stools with red cushions in the lanai so that there is a place to put food and drink for a party.
- The fencing around the park is completed and looks clean and beautiful.
- The entrance wall from CR1 has been painted a beautiful blue/green. Once we placed the egg rock in the beds in front of the wall it really popped the color.
- I had 12 lounge chairs and 6 chairs out to be re-strapped. In September we will send the rest of them to be re-strapped. We do this every 18 mos. or so because of the harshness of the sun, suntan oil and body oils which takes its toll on the material.
- We installed a STOP sign at Ray Marks corner on the way out to Falcon Rd. There have been many close calls with the cars leaving the park by Falcon Rd. and the cars/golf carts coming up from the maintenance shed. Just some precautions we are taking.
- All the piping at the Laundry has been replaced. The piping was corroded galvanized pipes. All the pipes, and valves are now PVC and have been replaced with a commercial size washer in mind.
- We lost one of our scrambled egg trees during hurricane Irma but after much searching we now have 2 replacements and they have been planted. It will take until next spring for them to bloom but just them being on the island looks beautiful.
- We also had to remove the bushy tree at the end of the island. It could not be trimmed due to the species of the tree. I had it removed and replaced with a tree called a Schilling tree. It is a sort of a topiary tree that are all over Disney. It is easily trimmed and looks very beautiful. It has been planted on the tip of the island and will be decorated for Christmas.
- All the lighting around the lake and at the CR1 entrances have been updated with new fixtures and LED bulbs.
- Generators for the office and the multipurpose bldg. are scheduled to be installed within the next month. The City of Dunedin permitting is the hold-up.
- We are in the middle of weeding the whole park. There has been so much rain that when we get finished we have to start all over again. We are trying an emergent to sprinkle on the beds to see if that can control the weeds.
- Duke Energy has been in and around the park trimming all trees back from the electrical wires.
- The pool was drained and treated with 24 gallons of acid to clean it. It took 2.5 days to fill it but 3-4 days to drain it. The pool edge was painted, the grates have been replaced, the gates have been painted, the shower wall has been re-grouted. Fishing line has been installed over the pool using aluminum pipes to tie the line and will provide strength to hold up the line. The whole process took about 3 weeks before it was completed.
- Due to issues with the park's current bank, Center State, Kathy and I interviewed a couple of banks to take over the park's accounts. We have settled on First Citrus and will begin the turnover in September.

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## SMALL TOWN TO CITY IS DUNEDIN STORY IN '60S

At Wright (Lot 149) recently let me borrow an article she clipped out of the "Clearwater Sun" from December 31, 1969. The article looked back at that closing decade and described the changes which had occurred during the previous ten years. For those of you, like me, who are more recent residents of Lake Highlander and Dunedin, I thought you might enjoy a look back at the 1960s in Dunedin. Below are some highlights from the article.

The 1960s brought many new residents, homes, apartments, mobile home parks, condominiums, and businesses to the Dunedin area. In 1960, the population of Dunedin was 8,444. At the close of 1969, the population was estimated at 18,000. The value of real property grew from \$25,007,812 in 1959 to \$71,945,983 in 1969.

#### HONEYMOON ISLAND

There was much talk and excitement during the '60s about the development of Honeymoon Island, called Dunedin Beach. Plans for a causeway were being made. Under a 1953 Legislative act, the city had obtained title to 3,531 acres of submerged land and in 1959 turned it over to Curlew Properties Inc., in exchange for the proposed causeway. The city was also to receive a 2,500-foot public beach on the island in exchange for the city's holdings on Caladesi Island.

In 1960, Curlew Properties merged with Green Brothers of St. Petersburg to boost capitalization to \$12 million in the new Honeymoon Isles Development Corporation. There were plans for a "luxury residential tourist city" to be completed on the island within 10 years. Four individuals formed Caladesi Corp.

It took until 1964 to complete the causeway and it was not until late in 1969 that dredging and filling on the public beach began. In 1963, dredging began but was intermittent for several years with only 100 acres being created. The firm involved went bankrupt and dredging ceased.

By late 1969, only one of the original organizers of Caladesi Corp. was left. Both the Honeymoon and Caladesi corporations were merged into National Development but the Honeymoon Isles Development Corp. still held title to most of the land. The Caladesi Corp. served as the managing corporation for development.

With a new \$4 million mortgage, dredging began in the fall of 1969 and five feet of rock and other materials were deposited on the beach by the end of the year. Stabilization to the north of the island was underway. Later, the plans were to top the beach with three feet of sand.

By 1969, the Royal Stewart Arms condominiums were the only development on the island. But there were plans for shopping facilities, hotels, motels, low-rise apartments, multi-family dwellings, and single-family residential areas. Also planned were a marina, a city service facility area, a park, and recreation areas.

#### MEASE HOSPITAL

Another area of growth in the 1960s was Mease Hospital. In 1959, the hospital was faced with an anticipated 50 per cent patient-load increase and plans began for expansion. By 1969, a capacity of 500 regular hospital beds was still the goal of the expansion of the facility with another 150 beds for extended care.

A clinic was addition in 1960. The first floor of a new hospital was completed in 1961 continued on pag e 26

and the second floor in 1966. A men's pavilion was built in 1965. By the end of 1969, the hospital's capacity was 202 beds, and most of the time operated at 110% of capacity.

Mease Hospital was begun by Dr. J. A. Mease, Jr., in the 1930s. By 1969 there was a staff of 27 physicians with several more expected in 1970.

FLOODING

In 1959, Lakewood Estates was flooded, as well as the Breezy Acres and Dexter subdivisions. Work was done in the 10 years up to 1969 but there was no real major effort made to correct the multiplicity of drainage problems throughout the city.

But by 1969, the city was considering a master drainage improvement program for the entire city. A bond issue was planned for a coming vote as well as applications for a federal grant.

In 1961, urban renewal plans were defeated by voters. But those who were working for the improvement of a blighted section of the city did not give up. As a result, 30 new family units were built, and 20 units of low-income elderly housing were nearing completion at the end of 1969.

MILESTONES OF THE DECADE

- 1959 plans were made for a boat basin and city marina. Completed in 1961.
- 1959 the Hood Plant was reported to have produced 4,500,000 gallons of citrus concentrate in six months of operation. By the end of 1969 they were projected to produce 12 to 15 million gallons in that year.
- 1959 the city's parks and recreation program were in their third year of operation.
- 1959 the Virginia Street swimming pool opened under private ownership. Plans were underway for six city tennis courts. The pool later became a city facility.
- 1959 Dunedin Highlands school added the 10th grade.
- 1960 Douglas Shopping Center was built with 11 stores.
- 1960 Caladesi National Bank opened.
- 1960 the Fenway Club opened. The hotel had previously been open only three months of every year and now with a club-type operation it was hoped it would become a social center. A year later it was converted into a private school and later, Trinity College.
- 1961 plans for Mease Manor were announced. It was completed in 1964 at a cost of \$5.5 million.
- 1961 Dunedin Comprehensive High School was opened with 44 teachers and 775 students. In 1969 it had 83 teachers and 1,450 students.
- 1961 The PGA announced it was leaving the Dunedin golf course. It had leased the Dunedin Isles Country Club since 1945. Later, 125 local golfers formed the Dunedin Country Club and leased the course from the city. A \$150,000 clubhouse was completed in 1963.
- 1961 the city sold a tract of land on Main Street for a new post office.
- 1961 plans were announced for First Federal Savings and Loan of Dunedin. It opened in 1963.
- 1962 the Jacamica Inn and McKown's Restaurant were built. Also, that year the Discus Owens Building on Main Street was completed. *continued on page 29*

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- 1962 construction of a par-three golf course at the corner of Alternate 19 and Palm Boulevard was begun.
- 1963 a new \$50,000 library was planned. The police department was to take over the old library when the new one was completed.
- 1963 the Inter-Coastal Waterway link was completed along the St. Joseph's Sound, improving access to the city marina.
- 1963 the Masonic Temple on Michigan Boulevard was completed.
- 1964 the \$2 million causeway to Honeymoon Island was opened.
- 1964 the Elks Lodge acquired a new club building.
- 1964 the Chamber of Commerce moved to quarters in the Marina Building after the city sold the old building on Main Street to make way for the King Way Shopping Center. The shopping center was to include a food store, Clark's Variety Store, and Darby's Men's Wear.
- 1964 the football field at Dunedin Comprehensive High School was built. In 1968, permanent stadium seating was completed and was dedicated as Dunedin Memorial Stadium in honor of those who served in the armed forces during the Vietnam Conflict.
- 1964 Spanish Trails, a luxurious residential area northwest of town, was begun.
- 1965 the following shopping centers opened: Dunedin Plaza, Causeway Shopping Center, and the Guy Plaza Center.
- 1965 three tracts totaling 134 acres was purchased by the city for parkland. One tract, at the corner of Pinehurst and Michigan, was to be a community center. Another was to be used for ball diamonds and the Fisher Memorial Building for Parks & Rec classes and activities. The third tract was to become Hammock Park.
- 1965 The first streets on the beach were built and utility services readied.
- 1965 the city constructed a one million-gallon water storage tank on Curlew.
- 1965 the First Methodist Church underwent a major expansion.
- 1965 the city undertook some long-range planning, looking at streets, sewers, and sidewalks.
- 1966 Apartments on Ward Island along the beach causeway were begun.
- 1966 the first phase of Douglas Arms, a condominium development near Virginia and Douglas was completed.
- 1966 the Police Athletic League program was approved.
- 1967 Caladesi Island was purchased as a state park.
- 1967 the Kirk Church of Dunedin and the Christina Science Church were built.
- 1967 Honeymoon Mobile Home Park was developed and Dunedin Mobile Manor and Lake Haven Mobile Home Park both doubled in size.
- 1967 Sparks Marina was started on the causeway.
- 1967 Dunedin received a runner-up citation for the all-American City Award.
- 1968 a new zoning code was adopted by the city.
- 1968 Dunedin was re-certified for two years by the HUD as having a workable program for community improvement, allowing the city to apply for federal funds.

- 1968 construction was begun on Edgewater Arms, a high-rise condominium on Edgewater Drive.
- 1968 Golden Acres Mobile Home Park was completed.
- 1969 the Chamber of Commerce moved to its new headquarters on Main Street.
- 1969 construction began on Scottish Towers, a high-rise apartment building near the causeway.
- 1969 Heather Hill condominium began construction.
- 1969 plans were announced for another new mobile home park, Golden Crest, on Maine Street.
- 1969 Dunedin Towers, a high-rise apartment on Bayshore was built.
- 1969 an application for a federal grant was prepared for a five-year beautification project for causeway beautification.

## FACTS ON HUNGER

ere are a few facts about hunger from <u>https://www.dosomething.org/facts/11-facts-about-hunger-us.</u>

- 1 in 6 people in America face hunger.
- The USDA defines "food insecurity" as the lack of access, at times, to enough food for all household members. In 2011, households with children reported a significantly higher food insecurity rate than households without children: 20.6% vs. 12.2%.
- Food insecurity exists in every county in America. In 2013, 17.5 million households were food insecure. More and more people are relying on food banks and pantries.
- 49 million Americans struggle to put food on the table.
- In the US, hunger isn't caused by a lack of food, but rather the continued prevalence of poverty.

Dunedin Cares, Inc. is a local food bank which opened in November 2015. Several Lake Highlander residents are involved in its operation. If you would care to help, bring your food donations to Saturday Morning Coffee. To see a list of items needed or to make an online monetary donation, go to <u>https://dunedincares.org/donations</u>.









\*\*LAFF CORNER Submitted by Mr. Sunshine, Al Szynski, Lot 212

#### WAR AND PEACE

The social studies teacher had just finished a unit on war and peace. "How many of you," he asked, "would say you're opposed to war?" Not surprisingly, all hands went up. The teacher then asked, "Who'll give us the reason for being opposed to war?" a large, bored-looking boy in the back of the room raised his hand. "Johnny?" the teacher asked. "I hate war," Johnny said, "because wars make history, and I hate history."

#### THE UNIQUE BREAKFAST

Stopping at a restaurant advertising a "Unique Breakfast," a man asked the waitress what this was. He was told it was baked chicken tongue. "That's disgusting!" the man said. "I'd never eat something that came out of a chicken's mouth." "What would you like then?" the waitress asked. "Oh, just bring me some scrambled eggs," the man replied.

#### THE NEW BIRD DOG

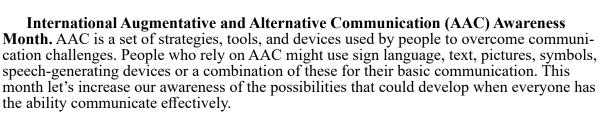
An avid duck hunter was in the market for a new bird dog. His search ended when he found a dog that could actually walk on water to retrieve a duck. Shocked by his find, he was sure none of his friends would ever believe him. He decided to try to break the news to a friend of his, the eternal pessimist who refused to be impressed with anything. This, surely, would impress him. He invited the friend to hunt with him and his new dog. As they waited by the shore, a flock of ducks flew by, the men fired, and a duck fell. The dog responded and jumped into the water. The dog, however, did not sink, but instead walked across the water to retrieve the bird, never even getting his paws wet. This continued all day long: each time a duck fell, the dog walked across the surface of the water to retrieve it. The pessimist watched carefully, saw everything, but did not say a single word. One the drive home the hunter asked his friend, "Did you notice anything unusual about my new dog?" "I sure did," responded the pessimist. "He can't swim."





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**National Work and Family Month.** In 2003 the U.S. government designated October as a time to promote sensible, flexible, and healthy work environments, as well as the benefits of work/life balance. Don't wait for your employer to create an initiative or perk to combat the daily grind. Take a day or more of PTO to decompress from your busy life and reconnect with your family.

**Positive Attitude Month.** Researchers believe people who embrace a positive outlook have less stress, an increased sense of well-being, better coping skills, and longer life spans. Purge the negativity from your life: Meditate, pray, practice positive affirmations, and surround yourself with only happy people. Do whatever you must, but always look on the bright side.

**Fire Prevention Week, Oct. 7-13.** This year's motto is "Look. Listen. Learn. Be aware. Fire can happen anywhere." Look for and eliminate potential fire hazards in your home. Listen for the sound of smoke alarms. Learn two ways of exiting every room in the event of an emergency. Visit the National Fire Protection Association website at https://www.nfpa.org/Public-Education/Campaigns/Fire-Prevention-Week to access more information.

**Bone and Joint Action Week, Oct. 12-20.** It's estimated that more than half of the U.S. population over 18 is dealing with some sort of musculoskeletal issue. This can include arthritis, osteoporosis, back pain, injuries or other conditions causing pain, disability, and a diminished quality of life. There is hope. Visit the website for the U.S. Bone and Joint Initiative at https://www.usbji.org/ to find out about research, prevention, and initiatives targeting bone and joint issues

**National Taco Day, Oct. 4.** Have one for breakfast, lunch, dinner, or any time of the day. We celebrate the taco on this day just to give you one more reason to enjoy them.



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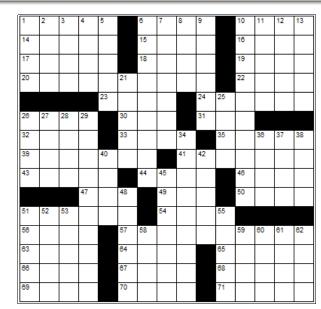
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- 14. Bodies of water
- 15. Groan
- 16. False god
- 17. Wall climbers
- 18. Stopper
- 19. Arid
- 20. A decorated dart
- 22. Walking stick
- 23. Indian dress
- 24. Esophagus
- 26. Young cow
- 30. Offer
- 31. Historic period
- 32. Found in some lotions
- 33. Anagram of "Dice"
- 35. Factions
- 39. A porch
- 41. Unyielding
- 43. Busybody
- 44. Tardy
- 46. Cocoyam
- 47. Not her
- 49. Make lace
- 50. Coarse file
- 51. Adorable
- 54. Black, in poetry
- 56. Anagram of "Rave"
- 57. Repose
- 63. Curtail
- 64. Identical or fraternal
- 65. Flatboat
- 66. If not
- 67. Scallion
- 68. A drama set to music
- 69. Sow
- 70. Makes a mistake
- 71. Assail



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26. South American	51. Shoestrings
rodent	52. Small egg
27. Away from the wind	53. Line of a poem
28. Forsaken	55. Wealthy man
29. Mollycoddle	58. Pitcher
34. Databases	59. Adhesive strip
36. Slang for Father	60. Angers
37. Concludes	61. Monster
38. "Cut that out!"	62. Tidy

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### **Game changer**

It was the bottom of the fourth inning, and the home team was getting slaughtered. The pitcher might as well have been playing for the other team. The bases were loaded, and the visiting team's best hitter was up at bat. Just then a horse walked into the dugout wearing the home team's jersey.

"Put me in," he said to the manager. "Your bullpen is done. I can pitch. I can hit. Just give me a chance!"

"Why not," the manager replied. "It couldn't get any worse."

The horse trotted to the mound and relieved the pitcher. He threw a series of fastballs and quickly struck out the player at bat—and the next one and the one after that. He repeated this performance for the next two innings.

When he finally took his turn at bat, the horse hit a fly ball to centerfield that almost made it out of the park, but it hit the wall and fell to the ground.

The centerfielder grabbed the ball, tripped, and dropped it before picking it up again and throwing it toward the infield. The ball flew over the head of the second baseman and almost knocked out the catcher, who caught it and threw it past first base. The first baseman ran into the field, retrieved the ball, and sauntered back to the base.

The horse was out by five feet. He trotted back to the dugout and took a seat on the bench.

"You're the best pitcher I've had all season," said the manager. "You're a pretty good hitter, too. Not much of runner though, are you?"

The horse looked at the manager and said, "Do you think I'd be here if I was?"

## **Road rules**

Then Jane's car stalled in the middle of a busy intersection, no amount of wishing and praying could get the engine to turn over.

Just as she turned on her hazard lights, the guy in the car behind her began to lay on his horn, and he continued to honk even as other cars began to pull around.

Jane walked back to the other driver and said: "My car won't start and I'm waiting for a tow, but if you think you can get it started, have at it. I'll sit in your car and honk at you."



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#### **EVENTS & PROGRAMS**

HOLIDAY BAZAAR 11/10/18 All indoor craft show. First Lutheran Church, 1644 Nursery Rd., Clearwater. Vendors; 727-744-3806 or eobrien2429@gmail.com

Bazaar/Community Wide Sale. Clubhouse & Carports. Crafts, Homegoods, Bake Sale, Raffles, 50/50, Music. Regency Heights MHP 2550 SR 580 Clearwater (next to Kohl's). Vendors wanted; 727-265-8515

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Art/Craft Sale: Park Royale Mobile Home Park 10611 66th street. 11/17/18 9am-2pm Vendors 727-545-5430

Welcome one and all to our Japanese Garden Art sale and Craft Bazaar. 12/1/18. We still have room for painters as well as crafters. Call: Charlotte, 727-531-3651, for details. A raffle, coffee, and lunch will be available.

Holiday Craft Fair: 11/10/18 Clearwater Cascade MHP 9790 66th St N. - clubhouse Pinellas Park 9am-2pm.

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