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Homeowner's Meeting

By Jeff Hanson

There won't be any meetings again until September 2nd. Everyone have a good summer and whatever you might do be safe and have fun.

DINNER and BINGO

By Jeff Hanson

Summer is coming and it's getting hotter but at Paradise Island Clubhouse the air is cool. Every Thursday evening you can come have a good dinner for a reasonable price and then stay for an evening of bingo and be home by 10PM.



There have been some changes made since last year and we hope for the better so come by and see what you think. The kitchen is open from 4PM till 6PM then at 6PM we have door prizes, pregame drawings and pull tabs. Then at 6:30PM it's time for bingo. We have 3 games that pay up to \$250 and 23 games that pay \$50. There is a short break about half time when we have popcorn, chips, drinks, candy bars and ice cream for sale. There is also free ice tea and coffee.

Everyone has fun and some win money. If you would like to see something on the kitchen menu let us know and we might try it. If you would like to volunteer we always need help either full or part time. HOPE WE SEE YOU THURSDAY

“What you get by achieving your goals is not as important as what you become by achieving your goals.”
Henry David Thoreau

Editor's Corner

By Carmen Hale

The September articles are due by August 15, 2015 as are the dates you might want on the calendar for September events, meetings or dinners. Please send all articles to snapshot406@tampabay.rr.com

If your name, Lot number, birthday or anniversary is incorrect in the Media just call or e-mail me and it will be corrected.



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Park Calendar

By Carmen Hale

Please use the calendar in the center of the Media to get the date and time of activities that are of interest to you. In some cases that will be the only place to get that information. Also check the bulletin board for sign-up sheets.

In Memoriam

Please notify Mike and Audrey Gervasi of any deaths that you are aware of in our community. Without us knowing we cannot post an article or lower the flag paying you're respects to the deceased and their families. Any help would be greatly appreciated. You can reach us at 727-507-8957



Thank you, Mike and Audrey Gervasi



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By Amy Martin

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Walkers and Wheelchairs Available for Residents

By Marian Chase

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When no longer needed, PLEASE RETURN PROMPTLY to the clubhouse so that others can use them. We currently have a shortage of wheelchairs because they have not been returned.



You will find, as you look back upon your life, that the moments that stand out are the moments when you have done things for others.

Disabled Parking Permit Holders: Are You Tired of Feeding Parking Meters?

By Ron Anderson

My wife and I enjoy visiting St. Petersburg, or occasionally Tampa, to go to a restaurant or whatever. We were told that as disabled parking permit holders we do not have to put money in parking meters. That's nice, but a prudent person will check out such a statement. Here is the straight story directly from the Florida statutes:

FS 316.1964 Exemption of vehicles transporting certain persons who have disabilities from payment of parking fees and penalties.—

(1) A state agency, county, municipality, or any agency thereof, may not exact any fee for parking on the public streets or highways or in any metered parking space from the driver of a vehicle that displays a disabled parking permit or a license plate ... if the vehicle is transporting the person who has a disability and to whom the disabled parking permit or license plate was issued.

(2) The driver of a vehicle that is parked as provided in subsection (1) may not be penalized for parking, except in clearly defined bus loading zones, fire zones, or access aisles adjacent to the parking spaces for persons who have disabilities, or in areas posted as "No Parking" zones or as emergency vehicle zones, or for parking in excess of the posted time limits.

(5) Notwithstanding subsection (1), when an on-street parking meter restricts the duration of time that a vehicle may be parked, a vehicle properly displaying a disabled parking permit is allowed a maximum of 4 hours at no charge; however, local governments may extend such time by local ordinance.

Tampa holds to the four hour limit but St Petersburg allows disabled parking all-day, but not overnight parking. Affected persons might wish to take a look at the cited Florida statute to see other limitations concerning parking when there is a street fair, or a convention, or whatever taking place.



A Visit to My Birthplace — Lowell, MA

By Jim Lambert

It was Thomas Wolfe, who wrote the novel, “You Can’t Go Home Again,” the story of a young writer, George Webber, who writes a book that makes many references to his home town. Unfortunately, what he writes and how the residents of the town perceive his descriptions of them is the cause of outrage, including some death threats, that makes him unwelcome in the town where he grew up.

While my wife, Cheryl, and I are vacationing in New England, I am visiting my home town of Lowell, MA. I have no intent to downgrade it but I will express some disappointment in the rundown condition of the neighborhood of my youth. Which was once the proud homestead of immigrant Irish, Greek, and Canadian French residents is no more. They have been replaced by an entirely different group of immigrants with a “it’s not my responsibility” attitude. It is depressing.

My parents immigrated to Lowell from Italy and Ireland, respectively. They lived here, died here, and are buried here. It remains my home town. I am proud to remain a favorite son of the community. Like George Webber, my view today might be disturbing to me but I still love coming home. There’s no need for controversy.

The Parking on a Sidewalk Dilemma

By Ron Anderson

We have all seen people with mobility issues having to leave a sidewalk to walk around a parked car. There have been several articles in our newsletter concerning parking on sidewalks, emphasizing the potential dangers of doing so. A recent article in the Tampa Bay Times by “Dr. Delay” (Lori Lykins), who addressed the issue with reference to the law in Florida writes “Here’s what FS316.1945 states: ‘Except when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic, or in compliance with law or the directions of a police officer or official traffic control device, no person shall: stop, stand, or park a vehicle on the roadway side of any vehicle stopped or park at the edge of the curb of the street; on a sidewalk; within an intersection; or on a crosswalk.’” The key point here with regard to our dilemma centers on the phrase “Except when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic, or in compliance with law,” The law states that a car may not be parked on a street such that the passage of emergency vehicles is obstructed or hindered (FS316.194). The street width for many of the streets within Paradise Island is such that parking entirely on a street would hinder passage of ambulances and fire apparatus. So our dilemma reduces to a “darned if you do, darned if you don’t” decision. The best option is to park in our driveways, failing that, common sense tells us that leaving the street clear for emergency vehicles takes precedent over not parking on the sidewalk. Try to leave a little room on the sidewalk for someone to pass the car on the lawn side and, never park directly opposite a car on the other side of the street.

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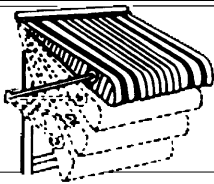
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Can You Play Songs on the Piano?

By Marian Chase



A lot of us volunteer outside the park, library, hospital, schools, etc. Right now there is a real need for someone to play simple songs for sing-a-longs. ARC (Association of Retarded Citizens) of Tampa Bay is looking for a volunteer to play once a month, or more if you wish, at their Clearwater location. You don't have to be perfect and you can choose the day and time. It brings such joy to these special needs folks, please help if you can. Contact Volunteer Coordinator Deborah Simeone 727 799-3330 Ext 7632, feel the love that comes from helping.

Donations of Non-Perishable Foods

By Ruth Charron 727-559-2034

Please place all donations of NON-PERISHABLE foods in the basket, near the bulletin board, in the club house. Please make sure they are not outdated.

If you, or if you know of anyone in need of groceries, please contact me. All information will remain confidential.

A big THANK YOU to everyone at Paradise Island!!!



Hi Neighbors

By Denise Samson-Nadeau

We can tell by the number of books being dropped off at the library that spring is here and the snowbirds are going home. Keep the books coming. We continue to appreciate your donations. As long as they are in good condition, we will continue to catalogue and put them on the shelves.



The "summer crew" will be taking over the library in a few weeks. Many thanks to Peg Grant and Patrick McGing for their excellent work during the summer.

Thank you again to everyone who helped me during the winter months. Our library looks great. I could not have done it without you.

Have a good, relaxing summer everyone. See you in the fall. Keep on reading.

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Craft Fair 2015

Craft Fair season is fast approaching so I thought it would be helpful if I could give all of our crafters some ideas that I have read about and some that I have experience in. I will try to share some ideas over the next few months as we get closer to our fair. For this month let's talk about your booth.



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A LITTLE OOMPH

Entering a Craft Fair is like entering a sea of color, lights, textures and sounds. There are booths/tables everywhere, which makes it easy for your personal booth/ table and product to get lost in the crowd. Make sure there is something about your booth that makes you stand out from the rest. Add pretty tablecloths and colors that complement one another. Try adding a homemade banner to the front of your table.

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Make sure your customers feel welcome and depending on what you sell even cozy when they stop at your table. Think about it. You are inviting people into a space that is important to you. It should be as if they were coming into your home for a visit. Giving your space a homey feel will be especially effective if you are selling things that can adorn people's living rooms, bedrooms and kitchens.

Stay tuned for more info coming your way next month... Marcia White

August Community Potluck

By Marian Chase - 530-3507



Potluck is always the last Sunday of the month, so August 30 this month. What you bring is what we will eat. Soooo... Bring a dish; Meat, Casserole, Vegetable, Salad or Dessert.

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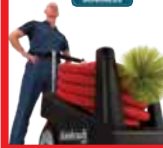
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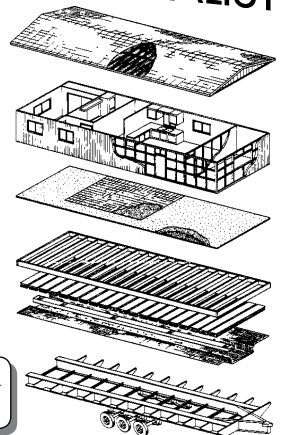
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Lady's Luncheon

By Gloria Walas

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Dart League

By Joan Dunn



There will be pick-up games, Mondays at 6:45 P.M., during the summer. A sign-up sheet for the 2015-2016 season has been posted in the clubhouse. The season will start on Monday, October 12th at 6:30 P.M. Come and have some competitive fun!!!

Questions?? Call Joan at 523-0867.

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Paradise Island Donations

By Marcia White

I would like to remind our residents that we collect donations for our annual Flea Market year round. This year your donations brought in \$1600 to the social committee to help fund all of the events we offer our residents.

If you wish to donate any unwanted items throughout the year, please call Marcia White at 727-953-3616 and arrangements will be made for the storage of those items until next year. The Social Committee purchased a new storage shed so that we could continue to offer this service to our residents. We take household goods, furniture, craft supplies, linens, electronics etc. We do not take any old Large TV's. We appreciate each and every donation so keep them coming our way and we will keep putting the profits back into our community.

With much gratitude, Marcia White

Men's Golf

By Robert Pultoric

Men' Golf will resume in October.



Computer Club Classes

By Harold Noeller

Computer classes are over for the summer. The last class was April 28. For those of you that attended this past season, I hope you came away with some useful knowledge! Classes with resume in October so watch for an announcement in September's issue of the media.

Everyone have a safe and healthy summer!



Trash or Treasure?

By Karen Clator Lot 724

They say one man's trash is another man's treasure. I'm all for reusing, recycling, donating, etc. but when something is placed in the middle of one's front yard - across the entire front yard - I would have to say there is serious doubt as to whether this is truly discarded trash. Especially when said "trash" is in nearly brand new condition. So, to those of you riding in golf carts picking up "treasures", I commend you for keeping trash out of our landfills. However, if there is ever any doubt it only takes a minute to knock on the door and ask. If you are later to discover the "trash" you took was actually that person's possession, the right thing to do would be to return it. If it is given to another and that person knows it was not trash, again, it should be returned. Otherwise, it is no longer "treasure hunting" but stealing your neighbor's property.

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Entertainment Dance and Dinner Schedule Entertainment Update 2015 – 2016 Functions

By Nancy Sullivan and Cyndi Ponder

October 31, 2015 – The Thunder birds Halloween Costume party (plan on working on your costume now so it will be ready by then).

November 21, 2015 – George Durham and Company

December 31, 2015 – New Year Eve party Doo Wop Duo (White & Black nite).

March 19, 2016 – The Joint Venture Beach Band (beach party)

April 9, 2016 – George Durham and Company

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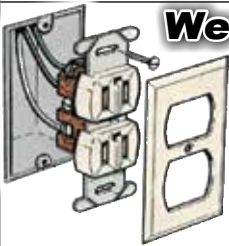
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				1 1:00P – Bocce 6:00P – Poker Night
4 Water Aerobics Men's Club Meeting Bridge Mahjong Cards Bunko Shuffleboard	5 8:45A – Water Aerobics 9:00A – Horseshoe League 9:00A – Indoor Exercise 10:00A – Exercise Class 10:30A – Shuffleboard 12:30P – Bridge 1:00P – Crafts 1:00P – Cribbage	6 8:45A – Water Aerobics 1:30P – Chess Club Meeting 4:00P – 6:00P – Kitchen is open 6:30P – Bingo	7 8:45A – Water Aerobics 9:00A – Indoor Exercise 10:00A – Exercise Class 10:30A – Shuffleboard 6:00P – Men's Cards 6:00P – Straight Pool League 6:15P – Euchre	8 1:00P – Bocce 6:00P – Poker Night
11 Water Aerobics Bridge Mahjong Cards Bunko Shuffleboard	12 8:45A – Water Aerobics 9:00A – Horseshoe League 9:00A – Indoor Exercise 10:00A – Exercise Class 10:30A – Shuffleboard 12:30P – Bridge 1:00P – Crafts 1:00P – Cribbage	13 8:45A – Water Aerobics 1:30P – Chess Club Meeting 4:00P – 6:00P – Kitchen is open 6:30P – Bingo	14 8:45A – Water Aerobics 9:00A – Indoor Exercise 10:00A – Exercise Class 10:30A – Shuffleboard 6:00P – Men's Cards 6:00P – Straight Pool League 6:15P – Euchre	15 1:00P – Bocce 6:00P – Poker Night
18 Water Aerobics Bridge Mahjong Cards Bunko Shuffleboard	19 8:45A – Water Aerobics 9:00A – Horseshoe League 9:00A – Indoor Exercise 10:00A – Exercise Class 10:30A – Shuffleboard 12:30P – Bridge 1:00P – Crafts 1:00P – Cribbage	20 8:45A – Water Aerobics 1:30P – Chess Club Meeting 4:00P – 6:00P – Kitchen is open 6:30P – Bingo	21 8:45A – Water Aerobics 9:00A – Indoor Exercise 10:00A – Exercise Class 10:30A – Shuffleboard 6:00P – Men's Cards 6:00P – Straight Pool League 6:15P – Euchre	22 1:00P – Bocce 6:00P – Poker Night
25 Water Aerobics Ladies Luncheon Bridge Mahjong Cards Bunko Shuffleboard	26 8:45A – Water Aerobics 9:00A – Horseshoe League 9:00A – Indoor Exercise 10:00A – Exercise Class 10:30A – Shuffleboard 12:30P – Bridge 1:00P – Crafts 1:00P – Cribbage	27 8:45A – Water Aerobics 1:30P – Chess Club Meeting 4:00P – 6:00P – Kitchen is open 6:30P – Bingo	28 8:45A – Water Aerobics 9:00A – Indoor Exercise 10:00A – Exercise Class 10:30A – Shuffleboard 6:00P – Men's Cards 6:00P – Straight Pool League 6:15P – Euchre	29 1:00P – Bocce 6:00P – Poker Night
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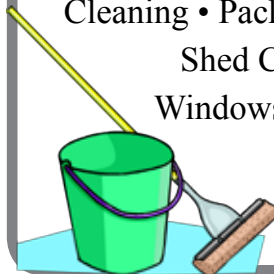
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Men's Club

By Myron Zarlinski

I hope everyone enjoyed the July 4 party. The meal was excellent, I know everyone enjoyed Human Bingo. I would like to thank all the workers for doing a fine job and another thank you to Joe Lyons for a great job decorating the cakes.

Our next affair is Wednesday September 9, 2015. Start of a new winter season.

4:00 to 5:00 happy hour

5:00 to 6:00 meal Italian Feast, Baked Ziti, Meat Balls and Salad

6:00 until ? human bingo

\$5.00 each person

Our next meeting is Tuesday August 4, coffee and donuts at 9 AM, meeting at 9:30 AM. Our strength IS IN THE MEMBERS WHO ATTEND THE MEETINGS. We always need new members stepping up to help. All male residents CO-OP and HOA are members of the Men's Club. I look forward to see some new residents at the next meeting. Meetings are always on the first Tuesday of the month. I would to thank the decorating committee for a great job decorating for July 4.

MENS CLUB COMING EVENTS

Wednesday, October 14, 2015

Mark Ralston "Professional Entertainer"

Friday, November 13, 2015

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Friday, December 18, 2015

Christmas Party "Ann Marie"

Wednesday, January 13, 2016

Erick Kearns "Singing Impressionist"

Friday, February 5, 2016

Cahal Dunn

Wednesday, March 9, 2016

Ruby Tuesday and Keith Coleman

Las Vegas Revue

Wednesday, April 13, 2016

Night at the Races





Paradise Island Church In The Park

By Serena Johnson



Greetings! Although many of our friends have traveled North for the Summer, our services continue. We would like to welcome all, especially those of you who are new to Paradise Island, to join us on Sundays at 9:00 AM in the Clubhouse for a wonderful hour of fellowship and worship. The Church in the Park is a Non-Denominational Christian Church where we share our love for the Lord with everyone. If you are unable to attend the service at the Clubhouse, we invite you to tune to Bright House Cable channel 96 and join us in that manner. We hope that you will find our service enjoyable and want to join us in person.

The Church in the Park has recently been able to assist several residents of the Park through the Outreach Fund. If you, or someone you know, have a need, please contact a member of the Church Board. All requests are confidential. We thank all who contribute to make this Outreach possible. Without you this would not happen!

If you have a prayer request, have a question about our church and/or would like a visit, please contact: Pastor Bob Brookhart 480-9793 or Pastor Bill Ogburn 474-2722.

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Birthdays and Anniversaries

By Carmen Hale

Please read...
I've been trying for some time to get resident's birthdays and anniversaries corrected in the Media. There have been quite a few residents who've contacted me. Thanks to all of you. If your information is still incorrect all you have to do is let me know either by phone or email.

Melissa, (in the office) has volunteered to lend a hand to help get this problem resolved. It would be helpful if you would put your name/s, lot number, and birthdays and anniversaries on a note and leave it with Melissa or put it in the same envelope with your lot rent in the payment box in front of the office. She'll collect them and give them to me periodically so I can make the corrections and finally get the lists corrected.

A phone call to me or a note left in the Media box at the foot of my driveway would work even better. My phone number is 530-9049. Then there's email. Send your information to snapshot406@tampabay.rr.com. Your help would be greatly appreciated.

Bible Study Will Resume in the Fall.

By Serena Johnson



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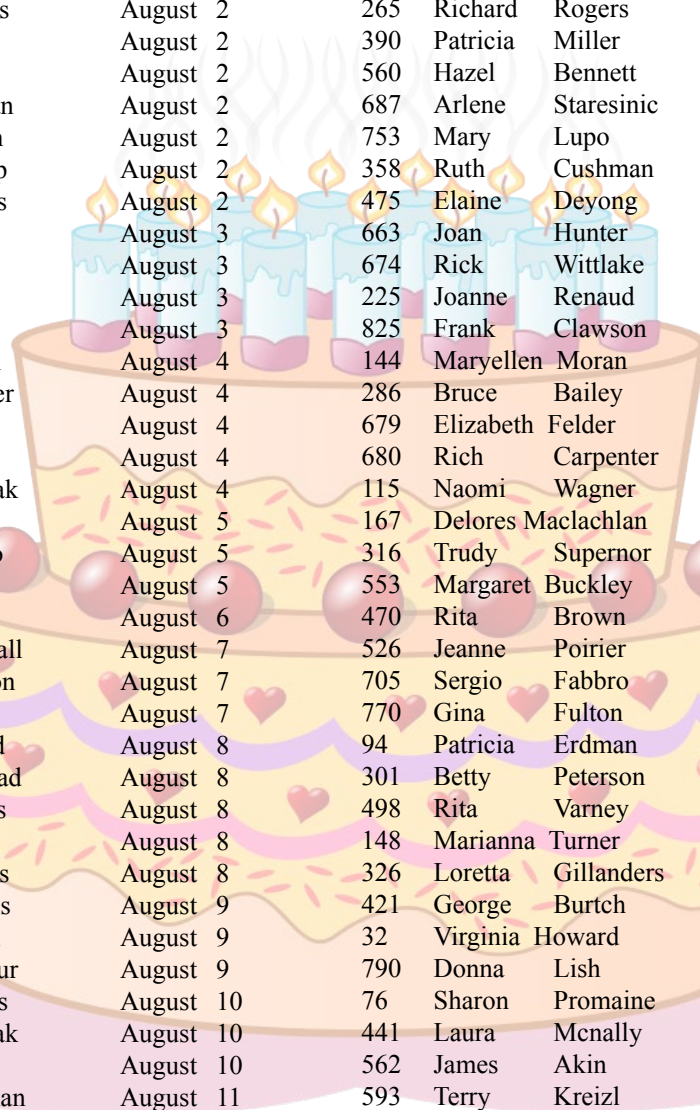
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14	Michael	Hughes	August 2	265	Richard	Rogers	August 15
465	Carol	Julien	August 2	390	Patricia	Miller	August 15
562	Judy	Akin	August 2	560	Hazel	Bennett	August 15
565	Claire	Bittman	August 2	687	Arlene	Staresinic	August 15
592	Nancy	Mohan	August 2	753	Mary	Lupo	August 15
660	Eugene	Waltrip	August 2	358	Ruth	Cushman	August 16
690	Kathleen	Williams	August 2	475	Elaine	Deyong	August 16
431	Sharon	Moore	August 3	663	Joan	Hunter	August 16
443	Mike	Cox	August 3	674	Rick	Wittlake	August 17
478	Glen	Blitt	August 3	225	Joanne	Renaud	August 18
514	Margaret	Cyr	August 3	825	Frank	Clawson	August 18
86	Vickie	Wetzel	August 4	144	Maryellen	Moran	August 19
96	David	Gessner	August 4	286	Bruce	Bailey	August 19
100	Michael	Bevis	August 4	679	Elizabeth	Felder	August 19
458	Anita	Oberle	August 4	680	Rich	Carpenter	August 20
658	Shirley	Pultorak	August 4	115	Naomi	Wagner	August 21
290	Janice	Kish	August 5	167	Delores	Maclachlan	August 21
677	Doris	Venero	August 5	316	Trudy	Supernor	August 21
752	George	Burt	August 5	553	Margaret	Buckley	August 21
496	Janet	Signor	August 6	470	Rita	Brown	August 22
10	Paul	Marshall	August 7	526	Jeanne	Poirier	August 22
656	Helen	Johnson	August 7	705	Sergio	Fabbro	August 22
766	Frank	Albus	August 7	770	Gina	Fulton	August 22
105	Del	Oxford	August 8	94	Patricia	Erdman	August 23
363	Doug	Trygstad	August 8	301	Betty	Peterson	August 23
582	Catherine	Daniels	August 8	498	Rita	Varney	August 23
608	Maureen	Ronney	August 8	148	Marianna	Turner	August 24
636	Peggy	Hughes	August 8	326	Loretta	Gillanders	August 24
427	Jim	Stevens	August 9	421	George	Burtch	August 24
542	Robert	Martin	August 9	32	Virginia	Howard	August 25
747	Norma	Gilmour	August 9	790	Donna	Lish	August 25
409	Janet	Jenkins	August 10	76	Sharon	Promaine	August 26
658	Bob	Pultorak	August 10	441	Laura	Mcnally	August 26
766	Johanna	Albus	August 10	562	James	Akin	August 27
814	Jeffery	Hickman	August 11	593	Terry	Kreizl	August 27
550	Terrence	Baxter	August 12	262	Ron	Guay	August 28
556	Glenna Mae	Breckenridge	August 12	476	Michele	Hartwell	August 28
308	Melvin	Mitchell	August 13	604	Jimmy	Smith	August 28
132	Paul	Clinton	August 14	736	Danny	Jones	August 28
176	Dianna	Kinsey/Steele	August 14	818	Jim	Sayre	August 28
625	Joan	Boulay	August 14	154	Diane	Ussher	August 29



272	Ryan	Mckenzi	August 29
361	Len	Lewis	August 29
475	Dave	Deyong	August 29
483	Mary	Taylor	August 29
493	Marilyn	Frederick	August 29
787	Tom	Watson	August 29
523	Irene	Phillips	August 30
89	Ralph	Donahue	August 31
408	Grace	Sorrell	August 31
433	Sharon	Stephens	August 31
448	Fran	Meegan	August 31
702	Franklin	Bigelow	August 31



August Anniversaries

544	Dale & Carlene	Aborn	August 1	1953
414	Richard & Ruby	Sullenger	August 1	1977
352	Ed & Lori	Makin	August 2	1958
198	Neil & Yolande	Macarthur	August 2	1969
727	Willie & Darlene	Mattingly	August 3	1985
139	Thomas & Billie	Roberts	August 4	1967
472	Jim & Gail	Whiteside	August 4	1967
658	Bob & Shirley	Pultorak	August 4	1973
67	Nick & Pat	Depoole	August 6	1948
444	Art & Peggy	Dumas	August 6	1965
281	Richard & Patricia	Anderson	August 7	1987
240	Leonard & Barbara	Smith	August 8	1962
220	Fred & Diane	Rost	August 9	1958
538	Bill & Marty	Gay	August 9	1986
161	Jerry & Simone	Fournier	August 11	1952
45	John & Nancy	Kazakis	August 12	1961
494	Gene & Audrey	Snyder	August 14	1953
630	Gary & Sandra	Goodwin	August 15	1970
800	Chuck & Sandy	Pariseau	August 15	1986
512	Amil & Peggy	Sustar	August 15	1987
713	Michael & Audrey	Gervasi	August 16	1987
239	Gerry & Marilyn	Bellfontaine	August 17	1974
374	Dale & Ron	Anderson	August 19	1961
825	Frank & Tammy	Clawson	August 20	1948
309	Bob & Judy	Iakisch	August 20	1978
554	Jean-Robert & Maria	Hinse	August 22	1970
733	David & Amy	Martin	August 22	1970



38	Stanley & Joann	Smith	August 23	1975
325	Jerry & Carolyn	Horner	August 24	1963
681	Gary & Ruth	McLaws	August 24	1979
249	Richard & Tricia	Hackenson	August 24	1985
499	Robert & Yvonne	Merpi	August 24	2013
716	Normand & Brenda	Beaudet	August 26	1983
805	Russ & Marilyn	Eckensberger	August 27	1949
490	Carlos & Adell	Almodovar	August 29	1960
424	Frank & Pegg	Toner	August 29	1992
684	Bill & Joan	Menally	August 29	2009
526	Joe & Jeanne	Poirier	August 30	1952
317	Joe & Mary	Grella	August 31	1957
215	David & Evelyn	Wlkewtz	August 31	1972
113	Nicholas & Beverly	Maxfield	August 31	1974
39	Dennis & Patricia	Clarkston	August 31	1990
129	Byard & Sonja	Cherrix	August 31	1998

August Sudoku

How to play: The numbers 1 through 9 will appear once only in each row, column, and 3x3 zone. There are 9 such zones in each sudoku grid. There is only one correct solution to each sudoku. Good luck!

Difficulty level: medium.

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7	4	5	1	3	6	2	9	8
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4	8	9	5	7	1	3	2	6
5	2	7	3	6	9	4	8	1
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9	7	3	4	1	5	8	6	2

Difficulty level: medium

Multiply Your Monthly Mania!

As 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!

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Detailing | • Hearing Aid/Retail | • Pet Services |
| • Automotive Repair/Sales | • Home Care | • Pharmacy |
| • Awnings | • Home Furniture & Mattress | • Remodeling/Interior |
| • Banks | • House Cleaning | • Resale Store |
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| • Bicycle Repair & Sales | • Investment/Brokerage | • Screen Repair |
| • Bingo | • Jewelry Sales/Design/Repair | • Storage |
| • Chiropractor | • Manufactured Home Sales | • Taxi/Shuttle |
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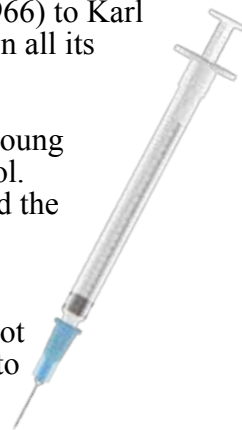
August Is...

American Artist Appreciation Month. From Maxine Albro (1903-1966) to Karl Zerbe (1903-1972) and everyone else in between, celebrate American art in all its forms and the people who create it.

Get Ready for Kindergarten Month. This is the time of year when young children (and their parents) prepare for that all-important first day of school. Relieve their jitters by talking about what to expect, visiting the school and the teachers, and getting excited about the upcoming school year.

National Immunization Awareness Month. National Immunization Awareness Month (NIAM) highlights the importance of immunization—not just for kids, but for everyone. Activities focus on encouraging all people to protect their health by being immunized against infectious diseases.

National Spinal Muscular Atrophy Awareness Month. Spinal muscular atrophy (SMA) is a genetic disease affecting the part of the nervous system that controls voluntary muscle movement. An SMA diagnosis doesn't mean an end to your hopes and dreams. Changes and challenges lay ahead, but also opportunity, fulfillment, and hope for a future free of spinal muscular atrophy.



Celebrate Weekly

Clown Week, Aug. 1-7. Everyone loves a clown. Celebrations during this week take on a variety of forms, such as putting on shows in malls, child care centers, hospitals and nursing homes or educational events about clowns and fundraisers for numerous charitable causes.

International Assistance Dog Week, Aug. 2-8. Created to recognize all the devoted, hardworking assistance dogs helping individuals mitigate their disability related limitations.

Elvis Week, Aug. 8-16. Held every year in Graceland, Tennessee, Elvis Week celebrates the life and legacy of Elvis Presley, “the King of Rock and Roll,” with special events, live music, concerts, movies, and more.

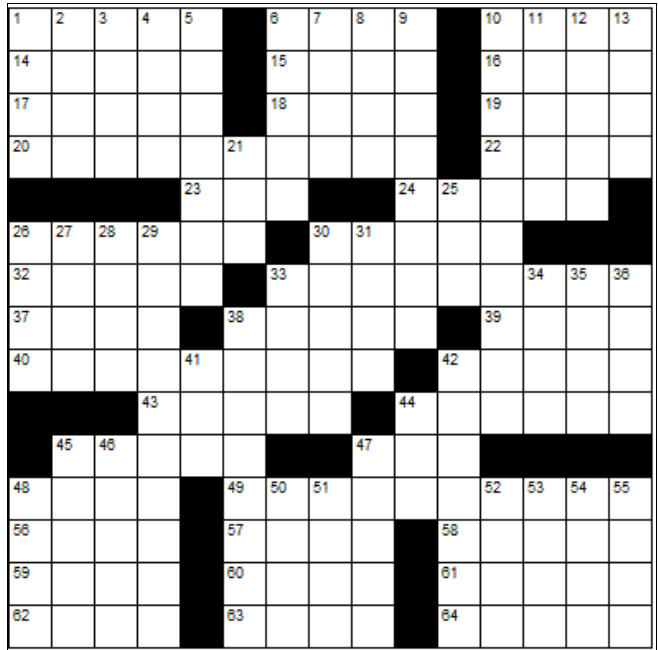
National Safe At Home Week, Aug. 23-29. The National Safety Council estimates that 245 people die of unintentional injuries in and near their home every day. The purpose of National Safe At Home Week is to raise awareness of safety practices to prevent injury and death in and around your home.





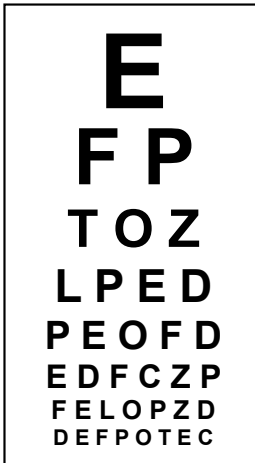
ACROSS

1. Cursed
6. Petty quarrel
10. Hairdo
14. Burdened
15. List of options
16. LummoX
17. Supplemented
18. Weightlifters pump this
19. Cypher
20. Bad luck
22. Applications
23. Tiny
24. Lariat
26. A change for the better
30. Watchful
32. Flip over
33. Convulsive
37. Tidy
38. City in France
39. Rodents
40. It produces electricity
42. A tart fruit
43. Donated
44. Rat or mouse
45. Welsh dog
47. A small piece of cloth
48. Magma
49. Authorized
56. Adjoin
57. False god
58. Hyrax
59. Man
60. Monster
61. Redress
62. Implored
63. Require
64. Conducts



DOWN

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|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Close violently | 21. Ump | 41. 18-wheeler |
| 2. Dry riverbed | 25. Supply with weapons | 42. Rational |
| 3. Probabilities | 26. A step on a ladder | 44. Rodent |
| 4. Coral barrier | 27. Type of sword | 45. A clique |
| 5. Gifted | 28. Low-fat | 46. Small egg |
| 6. Strike | 29. Not segregated | 47. Angered |
| 7. South American country | 30. A cook might wear one | 48. Lantern |
| 8. Nameless | 31. Den | 50. Border |
| 9. Unmelodious | 33. Satisfy | 51. Pierce |
| 10. Habituated | 34. 10 cent coin | 52. Bit of dust |
| 11. Clean between teeth | 35. Computer symbol | 53. Dwarf buffalo |
| 12. Cowboy sport | 36. 1/100th of a dollar | 54. Care for |
| 13. Poems | 38. Large tent | 55. Visual organs |



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Thanks!

-Monthly Media Staff

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(Allow 4-6 weeks for mailing of check). This month's cash winners are:

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Little-known facts about books and language

The world of books, reading, and words is full of surprises. Take a look at some of these stories about writers and other creative people (from the BuzzFeed website):

- Green Eggs & Ham. This Dr. Seuss classic was written on a bet. Publisher Bennett Cerf wagered \$50 that Ted Geisel couldn't write a children's book using fewer than 50 different words. Geisel won.
- Thomas Jefferson. The third U.S. president (and writer of the Declaration of Independence) invented more than 100 "American" words to distinguish U.S. writing from British usage—including the word "anglophobia."
- Gone with the Wind. Margaret Mitchell began work on her first (and only) novel after recovering from an auto accident. During her convalescence, she read so many books from the local library that her husband got tired of going back and forth—so she suggested she try writing a book of her own.
- Amazon. The first book sold on the now dominant website was Fluid Concepts and Creative Analogies, by Douglas Hofstadter. Its subject: whether machines could be taught to think like people.



Stay optimistic to get ahead

Successful people are optimistic. They're realistic, and they see the challenges, but they don't lose their confidence. Here are some of the characteristics of "intelligent optimists" that anyone can master:

- Don't deny problems. Don't try to pretend difficulties don't exist. Learn to live with obstacles while looking for ways to overcome them.
- Accept reality. Recognize that you can't solve every problem. Don't get too wrapped up in trying to fix things you can't influence that you ignore what's possible.
- Don't bury negative thoughts. Everyone has them—"This will never work," or "Why am I wasting my time?" Instead of trying to repress them, ask what they're telling you, and work on getting past the problems that create negative thinking.
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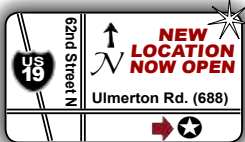


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