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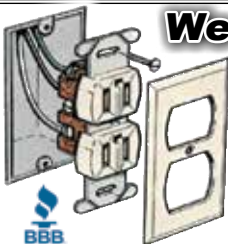
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FROM THE EDITORS

By: Marge Kristall/Lot #1523....727-474-5737.... & Terry Lapierre-McGuire/Lot #671....727-510-2022
or email – mkvoice@tampabay.rr.com

Happy Valentine's Day everyone.

The Voice is looking for someone to deliver the newsletter during the “winter” months only on 9th Street. If you are interested, please contact Marge at 727-709-2345 or stop by Lot# 1523.

Make sure you mark your calendars in February for our monthly **Residents' Club Membership meeting. Held the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7PM.** Get the latest news on upcoming events. We welcome your participation.

Weekly Coffee Hours at 9AM every Wednesday are a great time to enjoy a cup of coffee with your friends and neighbors. We provide coffee and donuts are available for sale. Officer Bowling special guest last Wednesday of every month keeping Lincolnshire residents up to date on latest happenings in Largo and scams affecting Seniors.





Photos from late events in 2025 that did not make our January newsletter. Christmas Dinner, New Year's Eve dance.



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FROM THE DESK OF THE PRESIDENT

By: Teri JonesLot# 210..... (269-207-0466)



Love is in the air, every sight and every sound! February is the month of love, and it brings us Valentine's Day! And it just so happens our February dance is on the 14th of the month – how fortunate is that? So, guys and gals, make sure you bring your sweetie to the dance that night. The two-girl duo of “Tangent” will be performing, and they are sure to give you some nice loving slow songs so you can dance cheek to cheek with your sweetie. And if you are single, come anyway. You never know, you may find a sweetie to dance cheek to cheek with. The dance starts at 7:00 pm and “Tangent” is sure to show you a wonderful time.

Another especially important event happening in February is the bazaar. It is to be held on Saturday, February 7th from 8:00 am to noon. Sandi Wood (585) 747-6232 and Pam Niemantsverdriet (303) 513-6665 are organizing the bazaar and would love to have you there. Get out your red shirt and be ready to help. You can volunteer for many different areas such as set up, clean up, working different tables, etc.; you can contribute household items in gently used condition; you can contribute gift cards; you can work parking cars or in security; and many other areas. No, it is not too late. Call Sandi or Pam and let them know how you can be useful and they will assign you your job. If you are donating items to be sold, bring them to the clubhouse on Friday prior to the bazaar from 8:00 am to 12 noon. That will give the volunteers time to organize and price the items for sale. All help will be appreciated as this is the major fundraiser for the Residents' Club.

I would like to say a huge “thank you” to Kelly Lynch. Kelly has taken over the Monday night Bingo responsibilities and at my last conversation with her, has told me that she absolutely loves it. That's good news for all you Bingo players. It means the tradition carries on. Amy Gabe did a great job for quite a while but retired from her responsibilities mid-December so she will be able to travel a little more. Good for Amy!

For you residents who have been asking for another Joker Poker night, here you go – March 12th at 6:30 pm is it! Hopefully that makes you happy! Check the Events Committee article to see other events going on in the community.

Since our last article we have had a couple of dances, Thanksgiving Potluck, the Carport/Craft Sale, the Golf Cart Parade & Christmas Social, the Cookie Exchange, the Christmas Dinner, a couple I Got Its, a couple Buncos, a New Years Eve dance, a Scavenger Hunt, Music Bingo, Trivia, and a bunch of Bingos. Whew, that is a lot of events. In case you are not aware, those are all part of the Lincolnshire Residents' Club, NOT Lincolnshire itself or the HOA. There is a group of about a dozen people who put these events on and, as you can probably guess, it is a lot of work. Thank you, thank you, thank you to all who contribute their time and energy to making these events come to life. We can always use more help, so if you are interested in helping in any way, please let me, any of the Board members or anyone on the Events Committee

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(see their article) know so we can put you to work!

As I always say, remember to check on your neighbor if you have not seen them for a couple of days. Be kind, love your neighbor, do something nice every day, and remember life is short – eat cake.

Until next time,

Teri Jones

President

Lincolnshire Residents' Club

UPDATED RESIDENT CLUB BY-LAWS

We recently updated our Resident Club By-Laws and had them approved at our October Membership meeting. You can obtain a copy of them simply by reaching out to our Secretary Kathy Burk Lot# 1031/ phone# 517-630-1541/ email kathyburk13@gmail.com.

It would be great if you were able to request an electronic copy of the By-Laws. It is costly having to print many copies of them. Reach out to Kathy and she will see that you get a copy.

ANNUAL RITA SULLIVAN DRIVE:

By: Editors

Linda Casey reported that food drive donations collected in December totaled 198 lbs. The Residents' Club had an annual budget for this drive 2025-2026 fiscal year of \$300.00. Thanks to Linda Casey for getting all that shopping done with the budgeted funds for our food drive and to all of you for your contributions.



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EVENTS COMMITTEE

By: Linda Casey..... (Lot #1211.....727-242-1377

December and January were very busy months for our Voice calendars. Because our January edition had to be turned in earlier due to the New Year's holiday, we did not get a chance to report that the Golf Cart parade winner was Joni Chew for her design and decoration of Mike and Shirley's cart. Prize awarded at our Christmas Social was \$50.00. We also wanted to say special thanks to Jennie Alpert who donated \$250.00 toward our Christmas Social. For many of you that may not come to Coffee regularly Jennie is an Independent Insurance Rep for Medicare and Medicare Advantage plans. Jennie has been helping Lincolnshire residents for years muddle through all the annual Medicare changes. She is responsible for our "free" donuts at coffee the 1st Wednesday of each month. With Jennie's donation we were able to award our golf cart prize as well as 8 (\$25.00 each) drawings at the Social.

We have a good group of bands picked for the 2025-2026 season. We are always looking for new bands so if you see one please get us a business card so we can check them out.

February 14th - Tangent

March 14th - Boomer Band

October 31st - Cruise Control

November 24th - Flashback

December 19th - Happy Days

January 16th, 2027 - entertainer open

February 13th, 2027 - Al Ruggiero

March 20th, 2027 - Carol Motyka

February came faster than ever but here are things to look forward to from the Events Committee.

February:

2nd and 26th - I Got It.

3rd Residents' Club Membership meeting 7PM

6th - Drop off items for Bazaar 8AM to Noon

7th - Annual Residents' Club Bazaar 8AM to 1PM

10th - Potluck dinner 6PM

12th - Bunco 6:30PM

14th - Valentine's Day Dance 7PM Entertainer Tangent

21st - Ladies Luncheon 12 Noon

21st & 28th - Trivia 7PM

28th - Poker Run 1PM

Looking forward:

March 14th - Dance 7PM Boomer Band

March 21st - Pancake Breakfast 8AM to 10:30AM

As always, I hope you join in the fun and have a good time.

Linda Casey, Teri Jones, Liz Roberts and Judy Low

Lincolnshire Event Committee





LINCOLNSHIRE ANNUAL BAZAAR

By: Pam Niemanstraverdriet - Lot# 1217 (585-747-6232) & Sandi Wood - Lot#1207 (303-513-6665)

Don't forget our Annual Bazaar is finally here. Donations for the Bazaar being held on Saturday, February 7th need to be brought to the Clubhouse on Friday February 6th from 8AM to Noon. If you work or are not available to drop off your donations on Friday morning or have heavier items to be donated, please contact Sandi or Pam (phone numbers listed above) so that they can arrange with you how they can be picked up.

If you are donating gift cards/soda/water/scratch off tickets for the Bazaar please get them to Sandi or Pam earlier in the week, preferably before Friday 2/6. We utilize some of these items to prepare baskets for the raffles or our food sales. Anyone who volunteered to provide homemade baked goods for the Bazaar, do not bring them to the Clubhouse till Saturday 2/7 morning before 8AM.

We do not except donations for clothes, shoes or TVs.

Mid December we started asking residents to sign up to help us with the Bazaar. Bazaar set up, clean up and work on the selling floor requires lots of workers. If you have not had a chance to volunteer, please reach out to Pam or myself (Sandi Wood). Our information is listed above. Remember to dig out your red shirt if you have signed up to help at the Bazaar. It takes the whole village to make our Bazaar a success.

Remember we are selling Breakfast and Lunch items. If you are not volunteering and want to come support the Bazaar and purchase tickets for some of the great raffle baskets and 50/50 drawings and enjoy a breakfast or lunch meal. Remember you do not have to be present to win any of the raffles.

COMPACTOR REMINDER



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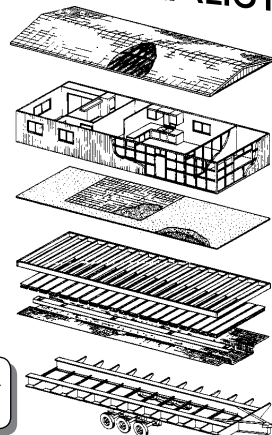
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WHO AM I

Winner for December of (2) \$8.00 gift certificates toward future events was Harold Tanner Lot# 1555. Harold was the young boy with Santa in the photo. There were only 3 guesses in December, none identifying Harold as Who Am I. Harold stumped everyone so he is the winner of the certificates.

Who Am I will be taking a break for a few months. If you would like to be the “Who Am I” resident in future editions, please send a photo and clue to mkvoice@tampabay.rr.com.

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By the Editors:

Just a reminder that we get copies of the weekly publication the Belleair & Largo Bee delivered to our mailroom/laundry room. This newspaper has been free publication in Pinellas County for many years and is full of lots of local news/advertising and happenings in our surrounding area. If you have never seen a copy stop by and pick one up. Usually delivered to us on a Thursday or Friday every week. Pat Magee Lot# 916 keeps watch and notifies us if delivery was missing so we can contact Tampa Bay newspaper’s publications.





MONTHLY REMINDERS

DIAL DIRECTORY -2026

Pete Kristall - Lot#1523/phone#727-474-5737 email mkristal@tampabay.rr.com

As of writing this article, our Dial Directory (Yellow Book) is at the publisher for printing. We hope to have the new books ready for delivery in early February.



2026 Directories will only be delivered to occupied homes. We do not leave books at unoccupied homes or at homes that have renters. If you are away from the community on vacation during our delivery, please contact me and I will see that you get a new Directory when you return. Remember our Dial Directory is printed for us “free” but we are limited to the number of copies we receive from the publisher.

We will continue to put our Dial Directory form in our monthly Voice editions. We hope that many of our new residents will complete the form so that they can be added to next year’s directory. The Dial Directory, like the Voice newsletter, is part of the Lincolnshire Residents’ Club.

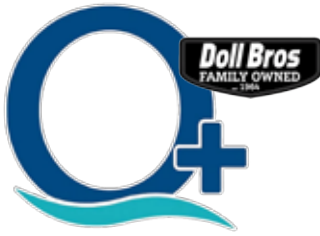
Please read the Directory form carefully. Most important, you understand that you can give us a phone# and if you do not wish it to be published do not check the box with “ok to publish, phone number as recorded above.” If you choose NOT to have your phone# published, you will be listed in the back of the Directory that is in lot# sequence with your last name only. All forms need to be signed and dated. The Lincolnshire Residents’ Club Sunshine Committee utilizes the birthday and anniversary information (only month/day of birth) requested to deliver cards on your special days.

If you complete the Directory form you can bring it to Lot# 1523 Pete & Marge Kristall. If you have any questions, please reach out to us 727-474-5737, or you can leave the completed form in our “in-park” locked mailbox located along the side of our front stairs.

Currently there are more than 30% of our residents that do not place their information in our Directory. We would love to see that number increase. We do not distribute the Directory outside of our community.

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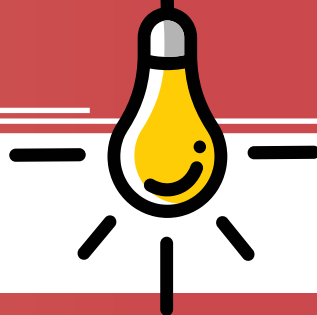
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Monday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>3</p> <p>Chair Yoga 9AM Water Aerobics 10AM Bowling 12 noon I Got It 6:30PM Club ship meeting</p>	<p>4</p> <p>Coffee Hour 9AM Water Aerobics 10AM Cards 6:30PM</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Water Aerobics 10AM Bowling 12 noon I Got It 6:30PM</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Chair Yoga canceled Water Aerobics 10AM Ladies/Mens Golf (see tee times posted) No Cards - Bazaar set up</p>	<p>7</p> <p>Annual Residents Club Bazaar 8AM- 1PM</p>
<p>10</p> <p>Chair Yoga 9AM Water Aerobics 10AM Bowling 12 noon I Got It 6:30PM</p>	<p>11</p> <p>Coffee Hour 9AM HOA meeting after coffee Water Aerobics 10AM Cards 6:30PM</p>	<p>12</p> <p>Water Aerobics 10AM Bowling 12 noon Bunco 6:30PM no ticket required cost \$5.00 to play Lincoln's Birthday</p>	<p>13</p> <p>Chair Yoga 9AM Water Aerobics 10AM Ladies/Mens golf (see tee times posted) Cards 6:30PM</p>	<p>14</p> <p>Valentine's Day Dance 7PM Entertainer - Tanager Ticket required \$10.00 Valentine's Day</p>
<p>17</p> <p>Chair Yoga 9AM Water Aerobics 10AM Bowling 12 noon I Got It 6:30PM Trillium</p>	<p>18</p> <p>Coffee Hour 9AM Water Aerobics 10AM Cards 6:30PM</p>	<p>19</p> <p>Water Aerobics 10AM Bowling 12 noon</p>	<p>20</p> <p>Chair Yoga 9AM Water Aerobics 10AM Ladies/Mens golf (see tee times posted) Cards 6:30PM</p>	<p>21</p> <p>Ladies Luncheon 12 Noon Ticket required. Trivia 7PM no ticket required \$3.00 to play</p>
<p>24</p> <p>Chair Yoga 9AM Water Aerobics 10AM Bowling 12 noon I Got It 6:30PM</p>	<p>25</p> <p>Coffee Hour 9AM Officer Bowling @ coffee Water Aerobics 10AM Cards 6:30PM</p>	<p>26</p> <p>Water Aerobics 10AM Bowling 12 noon I Got It 6:30PM Ash Wednesday</p>	<p>27</p> <p>Chair Yoga 9AM Water Aerobics 10AM Ladies/Mens golf (see tee times posted) Cards 6:30PM</p>	<p>28</p> <p>Poker Run \$5.00 per sheet (no sharing) 1PM - meet at the Clubhouse. Trivia 7PM no ticket required \$3.00 to play</p>



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By: Marge Kristall/Lot #1523....727-474-5737.... & Terry Lapierre-McGuire/Lot #671....727-510-2022
or email - Mkvoice@tampabay.rr.co

Just a reminder. Do not forget you can stay connected with Lincolnshire via Facebook or by reading our Monthly newsletter the Voice on- line. Online copy not loaded till the 1st of the month on the Monthly Media website.

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Linda Casey	02/11		Larry MacDonald	02/28
			Paul Houghtaling	02/28v

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FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARIES:

Jane Pastva & John Morgan	02/02
Mark & Linda Benson	02/12
David & Cindy Cassidy	02/14
Thomas & Darlene Helbling	02/14





SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

By: Mary Jo Webert & Marge Kristall – phone #'s listed at end of article.



Our February cover says it all. We had some mighty chilly days in January but hopeful that the holiday of hearts will warm our February. Some fun facts about Valentine's Day.

Jewelry is the gift that people spend the most money on, with \$5.8 billion spent in 2020.

27.6 million households give their pets gifts for the occasion as well. Pet owners spend an estimated \$751.3 million each year.

Americans send an average of 145 million Valentine's Day cards each year.

It became a tradition in the 17th century to give flowers on Valentine's Day. Red roses are the most popular option.

February Dates:

February 2nd – Groundhog Day – the day we find out whether winter will last 6 more weeks or call it quits early.

February 8th – Football Championship 2026.

February 12th – Abraham Lincoln's Birthday. Our 16th president of the United States.

February 16th – brings Presidents' Day a federal holiday also known as Washington's Birthday that is celebrated on the third Monday in February. (George Washington's actual birthday is February 22nd).

February 17th – is Mardi Gras (aka "Fat Tuesday" or Shrove Tuesday), which is the final feasting day before the Christian tradition of Lent begins on the following day Ash Wednesday.

Deceased

Lisa Harriman Lot# 1563

In Hospital or Home Recuperating

Becky Shoaf Lot# 673

Please keep all these residents and their families in your thoughts and prayers.

If any of our residents get birthday, sympathy, or get-well cards in the mail from various organizations and are not planning to use them we would appreciate you dropping them off to either one of us or calling and we can pick them up. The Sunshine Committee can always put them to beneficial use.

Mary Jo Webert # 727-953-6111

Marge Kristall # 727-709-2345





COFFEE DRAW WINNERS:

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By: Sue, and Shawn Ketcheson - Lot# 649 email - shawn.pastor@yahoo.ca Phone: 613-867-2496

Alpha is back. What is Alpha. Alpha is a 12-week course with dinner designed to engage people from all walks of life and inspire conversation. Each Alpha gathering is 2 hours long and is made up of three components.

Alpha February dates Tuesdays 2/3 and 2/17 from 4:30PM to 6:30PM. You need to sign up for each Alpha date in advance. Contact information above.

Please reach out to us if you have any questions.

BINGO

By: Kelly Lynch..... (Lot #1133309-840-0175)



Come play Bingo with us on Monday evenings. Fun time with lots of games played and chances to win prize money. If you are just getting back to Lincolnshire, make sure you make a note, we have a new start time of 6:30PM. Get there early to purchase your cards and 50/50 raffle tickets. Hope to see all of you there on Monday evening.

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Linda Casey Lot # 1211 Home phone# : 727-581-5257

Now that a lot of you are back our I Got It night is very busy. A few months back we decided to raise the price for each game to \$3.00 per sleeve and we also started doing a true 50/50 raffle keeping half the money in a kitty so we can have an occasional pizza party. Some of our big winners from last month were Linda B. \$50.00, the Tanners \$55.00 and the reverse game split between Teri T. and Gail \$30.00 each. We sell bags of popcorn for \$.25 and bottled water for \$.50. Easy game to learn. Dates for I Got It in February on Thursdays 2/5 & 2/26.

TRIVIA

Kathy Burk...Lot# 1031...Phone# 517-630-1541

Photo of January 3rd winners
Trivia is officially back! Dates scheduled for the February calendar are Saturdays 21st & 28th at 7PM.

Costs \$3.00 per player, and all entry fee money is returned in prizes. We have general trivia questions in a variety of categories. No advance registration is required.



January 3rd Trivia - winners

BUNCO

Debi Sanders...Lot# 1373...Phone# 269-998-7295

Fun evening. Cost is \$5.00 to play all funds paid out in prizes.
Thursday February 12th date for Bunco at 6:30PM.

If you have never planned and would like more information, please reach out to Debi Sanders, her information is listed above.



Jan 10th Bunco winners





SPORTS AND FITNESS

CHOGA

BY: Profiles in Choga – Lulu Roemer...
(Lot #359.....817-504-8552)

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9AM at Clubhouse.

It's January! Our most
enthusiastic month! If you look



REAL close, you can see 2 gentlemen in our class. Wayne has been coming a while and Jane Pastva brought a friend. We hope more people will come to give us more ideas and share the fun. We've started doing a little 10-minute Tai Chi to warm up and then Tuesdays we do a 40-minute stretch with a short weight routine. Fridays we do Tai Chi warm up and complete aerobics/strength and balance routine. We'll no doubt be trying something new in February as we like to keep fresh and most of all Keep Moving. Join us!

MEN'S GOLF

By: Jane Pastva- Morgan...(Lot# 1132....330-718-7789)

Men's Golf Stats

December 12th

Birdies – Irv Bottom #9 & #15; Rob Morse #5; Mike Burrill #10

Low Score – Mike Burrill - 77

December 19th – no Birdies recorded

Low Score – Mike Burrill & Calvin Peddle - 81

December 26th

Birdies – Joe Thompson #1; Gary Jewkes #15; Calvin Peddle #15

Low Score – Calvin Peddle – 79

January 9th

Low Scores – Mike Burrill 80; Calvin Peddle 85; EM Lewis 84

I will be doing the scheduling of the tee times for our Friday AM Golf league at the Landings Course, located at 1875 Airport Dr., Clearwater FL. All tee times are posted weekly in the laundry/mailroom.

I can include out-of-park players if they contact me in advance.

Please contact me or drop by my home Lot# 1132. Jane Pastva Morgan – Phone# 330-718-7789 or email jpagap@aol.com.





LADIES GOLF

Kathy Burk Lot# 1031 Phone# 517-630-1541 e-mail kathyburk13@gmail.com

Any ladies who love golf are welcome to join our league! It doesn't matter if you are a beginner or a seasoned player. We have a non-competitive league that plays every Friday at the Landings, which is an executive course. If you can't play every Friday that is fine. There is **NO** league fee. We get reduced league rate at the course. If you are interested, please let me know! Kathy Burk phone# 517-630-1541 or email: kathyburg13@gmail.com. I am at Lot# 1031.



SHUFFLEBOARD:

Kathy Burk...Lot# 1031...Phone# 517-630-1541



Shuffleboard will be started on January 14th at 1PM. We are going to try pickup shuffleboard this year. Just show up at 1PM and play with whoever else shows up. We will play every Wednesday through the end of March. We are playing for fun! This is **NOT** a competitive league.

Shuffleboard is a lot of fun, and it is not too strenuous to play. You do **NOT** need your own equipment. We have plenty of shuffleboard cues and pucks in the storage hut next to the courts. The courts are open for anyone to play or practice. If you would like more information, please contact Kathy Burk at 517-630-1541, or drop by and see me at Lot# 1031. See you on the courts!

FUN BOWLING LEAGUE:

By: Joe & Rhonda Arena Lot# 939 (402-239-6657.....rhondaarena78@yahoo.com)

Bowling league runs through March 26th. If you would like to join or be a sub bowler, please reach out to us at above contact information. Cost is \$13.00 per week. Any questions please email or phone us Rhondaarena78@yahoo.com or 402-239-6657. **Let's go bowling.**



We bowl weekly at Liberty Lanes located at 11401 Starkey Rd., Largo FL 33773.

Team Standings as of 1/15/2026 (week 7 of 18).

#1 Steelers	#4 Bucs	#7 Packers	#10 Bills
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#3 Commanders	#6 Vikings	#9 Patriots	#12 Chiefs



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Joe Arena: 402-239-6657 Lot#939 or Tom Boyd: 937-605-3223 Lot# 263



Equipment is located on the stage in the clubhouse along with the paddles and balls. It is a portable table, if you are unsure how to set the table up, please reach out to gentlemen listed above. They will be glad to show you how to set it up. Remember when you have finished playing, please make sure the table and equipment are put back in place located on the stage. Enjoy.

HAPPY Valentine's Day

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Lincolnshire Estates.HOA@gmail.com

LHOA Media Committee: Brenda Mattison, Chair and Director; Allyn Webert, Secretary

News and Updates for February 2026:

Tips on successful community along with our tenet association updates on living in Lincolnshire.

- Talking to new arrivals over several months whether for seasonal living, full time or just frequently back and forth to family out of state, the overall impression is that our Park was chosen well above all others in the county. Upkeep of the park, our amenities and of importance, the abundance of coaches that were well attended too. The park was held to higher standards. There is much merit paying attention to the park rules/regulations. Our attention to them not only maintains the park as a community but also the value of each home. It is rooted in the belief that the living community itself can always look prosperous, loved as all our previous homes establish a pretty decent feeling of pride. We all simply can do our part and take the best care of our homes.
- The LHOA Board has continued discussions evaluating the success and the intended purpose of our 4 recycling bins located next to the compactor. Despite repeated actions to ensure the recycling bins are used properly all 4 become contaminated before each pickup. Unsanitary along with biohazard refuse is dumped. The contents simply go to the county garbage pile along with our other trash and garbage. This includes removal and will be addressed at the **February 11th LHOA Annual Membership and Board Meeting. Both will follow after the conclusion of the monthly Resident Clubs Coffee hour which starts at 9 AM.**
- **LHOA membership drive continues for 2026. \$15 for both new members and renewals.** Membership funds not only support yearly non-profit corporation operating costs but also keep the reserve fund strong to ensure that LHOA has the resources to meet our State FS 723 mandates. Preparing to purchase the park should it go up for sale and using funds for legal actions that protect all 463 homeowners whether members or not.
- ❖ **The next LHOA Board of Directors Meeting is the yearly Annual Membership (this is a corporate function where the Board reports directly to the membership) meeting followed by a regular monthly Board meeting on Wednesday, February 11th, 2026. The meeting starts right after the Resident's Club Coffee. There may be Director elections if more than 4 Members complete the election application. Please see the LHOA bulletin board for further information.**
- ❖ The LHOA Board is responsive to emails (Gmail address is above). Officers and Directors are listed on the inside cover of the monthly Voice.
- ❖ LHOA actively supports the FMO (Federation of Manufactured Homeowners of

Florida.) They are our primary lobbying agents promoting tenet rights in over 55 rental home communities to the Florida Legislature in Tallahassee. (<https://www.fmo.org/login#/login>). Often, there are articles posted on the LHOA bulletin board to keep all homeowners informed. Take a look.

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VETERANS CORNER

Bob Behm: 401-207-9317 Lot #775



Operation Underworld: How an Italian Mafia Boss in Prison Helped the US Invade Sicily in World War II - A luxury ocean liner burned and capsized in New York Harbor on Feb. 9, 1942. The SS *Normandie*, being converted into a troopship, caught fire during welding work and took 6,000 tons of water from firefighting efforts before rolling onto its side in the Hudson River. One worker died and more than 1,500 people evacuated the vessel. Commander Charles Haffenden of the Office of Naval Intelligence needed help investigating the incident and protecting the waterfront. He turned to the one man who could make dock workers talk, Charles Lucky Luciano, who was serving 30 to 50 years in New York's Dannemora Prison for running prostitution rackets. The Navy approached Luciano through his attorney, Moses Polakoff, in March 1942. Intelligence officers offered better prison conditions in exchange for Luciano's help securing the docks. Luciano agreed. The Navy moved him from Dannemora to Great Meadow Prison in May 1942, closer to New York City and easier for his associates to visit. Luciano ordered his criminal network to watch for saboteurs, report suspicious activity and prevent labor strikes that could disrupt the war effort. Joseph Socks Lanza, who controlled the Fulton Fish Market and United Seafood Workers Union, became a key contact.

Lanza told Haffenden during their first meeting: "You let me know where you want the contacts made, or what you want, and I'll carry on." Albert Anastasia, who ran the Brooklyn docks and Murder Inc., guaranteed cooperation from the longshoremen. Dock strikes stopped after Luciano became involved. No major acts of sabotage occurred in New York Harbor for the rest of the war. Lieutenant Maurice Kelly, a former New York Police Department officer who joined Naval Intelligence after Pearl Harbor, testified years later in the Herlands investigation

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EVENTS & PROGRAMS

ANNUAL RANCHERO VILLAGE CARPORT SALE. Ranchero Village, 7100 Ulmerton Road, Largo, will be hosting their annual carport sale on Saturday, February 7, 2026 from 8 AM to 8 PM. A wide variety of items will be for sale throughout the park!

Embassy Mobile Park, Inc. Rummage Sale, Saturday, February 7th, 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., in the clubhouse on 4th Street. 16416 US Highway 19 N., Clearwater - Largo area. Off East Bay just West of Tri-City Plaza; come in by Wendy's onto Pine Forest Drive.

Clearwater Cascade park-wide yard sale. Saturday, February 21, 8:00am - 2:00pm. 9790 66th Street N, Pinellas Park

Blue Jay Estates - Annual Community Rummage Sale. Friday and Saturday, February 27 and 28, 2026. 8am - 1pm. Bake Sale and Lunch available both days. In clubhouse and deck. 2755 Curlew Road, Palm Harbor, FL 34684

EVENTS & PROGRAMS

Rummage Sale 2/28, Westwind MHP 1&2. 3301 Alt 19 Dunedin, 8-1

Community Flea Market, 2000 East Bay Drive, Largo. Sat. Feb 28. 8 to 12. Bikes, Furniture, Small Appliances, Golf & Household Items, Apparel, Baked Goods

DORAL VILLAGE YARD SALE BAZAAR, Saturday, February 28th, 8am-1pm, 29250 US Hwy 19 N, Clearwater. Furniture, Clothing, Linens, Books, Electronics, Glassware, Jewelry, Kitchen Items, Baked Goods, Lunch, and Great Raffles and Prizes!



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-Monthly Media Staff



EVENTS & PROGRAMS

March Events

White Elephant/Bake Sale. Saturday March 7, 2026 8:00AM - 1:00PM. Lake Highlander Park: 1500 County Road #1, Dunedin, FL. Small appliances, furniture, lamps, linens, jewelry, household appliances, tools, outdoor furniture, miscellaneous items, baked goods, snack bar

Palm Hill Country Club Annual Bazaar, Saturday March 7th. 8am - 1pm. 1800 Seminole Blvd. Largo

Rummage Sale, Unitarian Universalists of Clearwater, 2470 Nursery Rd, Clearwater, Saturday March 7, 8am-2pm. Kitchen ware, home decor, books, clothing/accessories, linens and more

Crafters Wanted March 21st at Palm Hill Country Club. 401 8th Ave, Largo, 8am - 1pm. Contact Tom Sagitas at 727-315-4369. \$20 per table.

Paradise Island Annual Flea Market, March 28th 9am-2pm. 1001 Starkey Rd. Largo. 8am early entrance \$1.00. Large selection of home goods, tools, furniture, linens, clothes, bake sale and more. Follow signs for Clubhouse.

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about the success of Luciano's connections. "From the time Commander Haffenden made these contacts with Luciano there was a very open and cooperative condition that existed between the investigators and the people that were very influential on the various docks in the Port of New York," Kelly said. The Navy's covert partnership with organized crime, codenamed Operation Underworld, achieved its immediate goal of securing the docks.

Planning for Operation Husky, the Allied invasion of Sicily, began at the Casablanca Conference in January 1943. President Franklin Roosevelt and British Prime Minister Winston Churchill agreed Sicily would be the first step toward defeating Italy and opening a southern front in Europe. The Navy encountered a major problem. American intelligence on Sicily remained limited. There were serious gaps in knowledge about Italian and German defenses on the island. Local customs, beaches, tides, terrain, and other features were also unknown. Traditional intelligence sources could not provide the detailed local information needed for a successful amphibious assault. Haffenden formed the F-Target Section to gather intelligence on Sicily. He turned again to Luciano, who maintained extensive connections to the Sicilian Mafia despite 20 years in America. Luciano provided names of Sicilian contacts in the U.S. who could be trusted. Meyer Lansky brought these contacts to Naval Intelligence for debriefings. Sicilian immigrants living in New York provided maps, photographs of coastlines and harbor layouts. Some offered corrections to existing naval charts. The information came from fishermen, merchants and former residents who knew Sicily's terrain, ports, and villages from personal experiences. Luciano also provided valuable names of local leaders and Mafia connections on the island that American forces could turn to once the troops stormed ashore. Operation Husky began July 10, 1943. More than 150,000 Allied troops landed on Sicily's southern coast in the largest amphibious assault of the war. Lieutenant General George Patton commanded the U.S. Seventh Army while British General Bernard Montgomery led the Eighth Army. Italian coastal defenses melted away, German Italian counterattacks were pushed back, British forces moved north to Messina as Patton blitzed west against staunch Italian defenses. Many Italian American soldiers experienced their familial homeland for the first time or found themselves fighting on soil they had emigrated from years prior.

For his help with the war effort Luciano petitioned for clemency on May 8, 1945, the day Germany surrendered. His attorney cited invaluable service to the military, particularly regarding the invasion of Sicily. Governor Dewey, who as a prosecutor had put Luciano in prison, now weighed the commutation request. On Jan. 3, 1946, Dewey commuted Luciano's sentence on condition of immediate deportation to Italy. Luciano had served nine and a half years of his 30-to-50-year sentence. Dewey's statement acknowledged Luciano's cooperation but was vague about its true value.

Bob Behm LTC (RET)

A NURSE'S SELF CARE TOOLBOX

Allyn Webert, RN. Lincolnshire Estates, Lot # 1438 allynwebert@gmail.com

****Contact me if there is a health subject you want me to bring forward that impacts our Park residents.**

This month's target is the damage high blood sugars create and testing blood sugar. Medications to mediate the effects of high blood sugar and resulting weight control will be in the March edition.



Blood sugar is absolutely needed for life along with oxygen. Our body cells use both to make the energy needed to do their work. The sugar in the blood gets through the cell "door" by insulin, a hormone produced in the pancreas, which drop kicks the sugar into the cell. A field goal and 3 points of millions of times a day everywhere in our body. The blood vessels, especially arteries (the smallest pass by each body cell) are sensitive to a blood sugar level that stays higher and longer in the blood than usual. Higher blood sugars remaining longer than normal are absolute irritants to the lining of the blood vessel. Over time the lining becomes inflamed especially the exceedingly small vessels, called capillaries, and often become "plugged". The blood supply slows and may just stop. The result can and usually is damage to vital organs like the eyes, heart, kidneys, arteries in the lower legs, nerves and much more. The hard part to swallow is the damage may go undetected until after middle age. Another reason to see our physicians on a regular basis. *Not just when we are sick.*

There are 2 main types of diabetes. Type 1 is when the pancreas ceases to produce insulin or extraordinarily little. Found mostly in young people though can occur when our pancreas becomes severely damaged. Why didn't teenagers live to even middle age before insulin and better blood sugar monitoring? No cure yet but they take insulin in several ways either continuously by insulin pump or injections up to 6 times a day. Transplanting with the cells that make insulin is showing great promise. Type 2 can be described as pancreas fatigue, or our body cells become insensitive to the insulin we make over time. Prediabetes is simply a warning that our blood sugars remain elevated when the level should be a resting amount but just below graduating to diabetes. You do not want that diploma!

There are 2 basic blood tests for sugar. Yes, blood as that is where we find it. HgbA1c or just "A1c." started about 25 years ago. It measures on a scale of 5 to 16. It is the average "weight" if I can say that of the sugar in the blood over the last 90 days. Sugar sticks to our red blood cells. 5.5 to 6 is normal and the higher the number the higher the average sugar load over a few months. Knowing your average driving speed is over 90 days. Normal, speeding, or reckless. On the spot glucose monitoring with a home meter is exactly what it is, right now. Blood sugar on a monitor should be below 110 starting 2 hours after we have eaten or in the morning before we eat by 8:30AM. Elevated again right after we eat. Our physicians will tell us when to evaluate, usually fasting (before we put anything, and I mean anything in our mouths and swallow) or 2 hours after we have eaten (tells how we cope with the absorbed sugar.) People who just assess any time to see what their blood sugar is are wasting a valuable test strip for sure. And they will certainly remain confused and frustrated.

Next month, medications and treatments. Chew well.

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