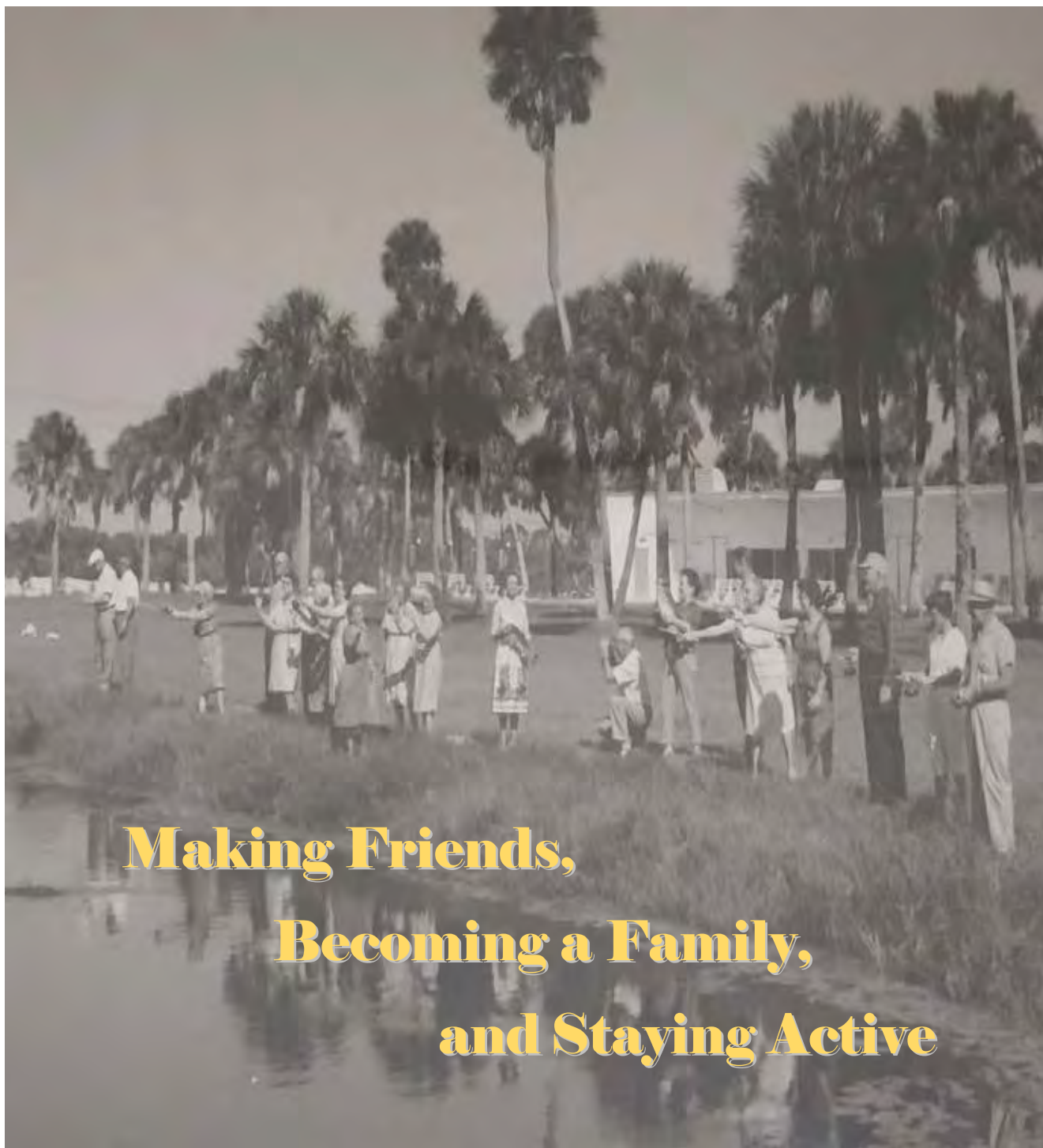




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*Dear God, as I grow older, keep me from becoming too talkative, from repeating myself, and falling into the habit of expressing an opinion on every subject. Give me wings to get to the point. Give me the grace to listen to others without the need to interrupt. Teach me the glorious lesson that, occasionally, I might be mistaken. Keep me reasonably sweet and not sour in nature. And, Father, give me the patience I seem to be misplacing more often.*

**Amen**



## LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

The month of February is going to be very busy. On February 1st the clubhouse will be closed at 7:30 AM for set up of the **White Elephant Sale**. February 2<sup>nd</sup> is the day of the White Elephant Sale. Cleanup after the sale will be done by 4:00 PM, and the clubhouse will reopen at that time.

Next are the final dates for pictures to be taken for the **Pictorial Directory**. Those dates are Thursday through Saturday, February 9-11. Time slots are available from 1:00 to 7:30 PM Thursday and Friday and from 10:00 AM to 4:30 PM on Saturday. I encourage everyone to their picture taken. The last Pictorial Directory was in 2016. There is no charge to have your picture taken and you will be given an opportunity to purchase pictures if you wish. These dates are the last chance to be included in this directory.

Our **Annual Meeting** is on February 13<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM. This meeting requires a quorum. The results of your voting will be announced, and the new Board of Directors will be introduced. Make sure you sign all required documents and envelopes and turn in your proxy. Sheriff Rick Wells will be our guest speaker that evening.

February 14<sup>th</sup> is Valentine's Day. Everyone be sure you get something nice for your sweetheart.

February 16<sup>th</sup> will be **New Resident Orientation** from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM in the front of the clubhouse. This is a meeting that all new residents are required to attend. If you are a new or newer resident and want good information about the park, please plan on attending this meeting. There will be another New Resident Orientation in April if you are unable to attend this one.

I am encouraging everyone to attend Coffee Hour each Saturday morning from 9:00 AM to 10:00 AM each Saturday. This is a good time to socialize with your friends and neighbors, meet new friends and neighbors, and hear weekly announcements of activities, meetings, and functions in the park. Bring your coffee cup, you can have all the coffee you want, and one donut per person. You will pay \$1.00 for your seat.

Get involved in activities in Golf Lakes. The various committees are always looking for volunteers. If our residents do not volunteer, some of the things that go on in Golf Lakes may go away. No one wants to see this happen. Imagine a Golf Lakes with no flowers, no activities, no improved video and audio equipment, no entertainment, no library, no exercise classes, no nice chairs on the pool complex, no picnic area. Pretty boring!

My wife and I wish you all a Happy February. See you around the park!

## THIS IS IT – YOUR LAST OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE!



The final dates for signing up to have your photos in the new Golf Lakes Pictorial are fast approaching! **Do Not Miss Out!**

Dates in February are **Thursday through Saturday, February 9-11**. Time slots are available from **1:00 to 7:30 PM Thursday and Friday and from 10:00 AM to 4:30 PM on Saturday**. Sign-up sheets are posted on bulletin board #3.

**Once you have selected a date and time, please keep your appointment (except in case of an emergency, of course). It is very difficult to change an appointment at the last minute. This is especially true with the final dates listed here.** Don't forget to please make a note of the day and time you select. The list must come down for the chairman to complete the schedule with the company on the computer.

Remember, you will receive a **free complimentary copy of the Pictorial Directory and one free 8X10 of your directory selection**. You will have an opportunity to purchase keepsakes as well if you choose to do so. Please allow 45-60 minutes for the professional photographers to create your photos, then you will have an immediate opportunity for viewing your portraits.

*Submitted by Barb Jahnke*

## RESIDENT UPDATES

### December 2022

#### NEW RESIDENTS

Chiavelli, Pam & Jordan, F.	4911 1 <sup>st</sup> A St E	DE
302-858-6897		
Jordan, Frank & Chiavelli, P.	4911 1 <sup>st</sup> A St E	DE
302-858-6897		
Thull, Carol	4910 4 <sup>th</sup> B St E	WI
920-858-1552		

#### MOVED AWAY

LaTour, Gerald & Mariette	4911 1 <sup>st</sup> A St E
Minnich, David	4910 4 <sup>th</sup> B St E
Regimbald, Mariette	4911 1 <sup>st</sup> A St E

#### DEATHS

Caracker, Dolores	Former Resident	12/28/2022
Porter, Robert	5104 5 <sup>th</sup> B St E	11/24/2022
Thornell, Alma	801 49 <sup>th</sup> D Ave E	10/17/2022

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## Manager's Report

Pamela J. McFarland

The Annual Meeting will be Monday, February 13, 2023 at 7:00 PM. Votes will not be accepted after 7:00 PM. on the 13<sup>th</sup>. You may turn in your election items at the office when it is convenient for you. A quorum must be obtained to have the meeting. Please be sure to fill out and sign the proxy and turn in to the office

as soon as possible. Residents must sign their blue sheet and the self-addressed white envelope or they will not be counted.

I want to express my appreciation to last year's Board of Directors for all their work and help. I would like to acknowledge the service of Gerry DeJong and Connie Geth to Golf Lakes Board of Directors as they have decided not to run for re-election. They both have contributed to the Co-Op during their time of service. We appreciate all that they contributed to the business of Golf Lakes. The annual meeting requires a lot of work on behalf of the Board, staff and volunteers. Thank you all!

We appreciate all our volunteers, if you have a complaint about any policy set by the Board of Directors, please defer those complaints to the Board or myself. Please do not give our volunteers a hard time and if you are volunteering, please tell anyone complaining to you to contact a Board Member or the Manager.

Board Meetings are normally the second and fourth Thursdays of the month during the season. Until further notice these meetings will be in-person/zoom meetings in the Board Room. The notice of the meeting and the agenda is posted on Tuesday of the week of the meeting by 9 AM on the bulletin board outside the office entrance and on the one in the foyer inside the office entrance door. All Board Meetings are open to all unit owners. An e-blast is sent out 48 hours prior to the meeting containing the zoom information and agenda. If you want to receive the e-blast please be sure the office has your email address.

The accountant should be working on the 2022 financials at this time. It is always good for the office staff to have this process accomplished for another year. Cindy and Judy's great work ethic is seen especially this time of year and your patience during this busy time is appreciated. You will get a postcard notifying you that the review is available. You can then pick the account's report up at the office or request it be e-mailed or mailed to you.

As broker of the Golf Lakes' real estate office, I appreciate the opportunity given to Lynne and myself to represent you in the sale of your home. If there is any way the sales office can be of assistance to you, I hope you will call upon our services.

It is very important that residents report any wet areas you discover in the park to the office so that it can be checked for a water line break. The Association is responsible for all the water lines in the Park except those under your unit. The Association is only responsible for the poles and backboards for the electric to the units. Also, the Association is not responsible for the sanitary sewer going from your unit to the main line.

I would like to encourage all unit owners to take a walk around their units for items that need cleaned, trimmed or repaired.

Do not forget that remotes are no longer needed to exit the park at any gate.

Golf Lakes is posted as a NO SOLICITATION community. Please do not purchase from vendors going door to door in the Park. Tell them there is no soliciting in Golf Lakes and call the office to report them.

Feeding food to the wildlife I know is fun for some. But, please do not encourage wildlife to be fed at your individual units. Please check the bulletin board for information on feeding Canadian Geese and the effects of doing so.

On Thursday, March 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> there will be a Spring Clean-Up Day. The garbage collectors will take away all items put out to the curb except for paint and hazardous materials. Everyone needs to have their items to the street by 7:00 AM on the 23<sup>rd</sup>. There will be no going back to an area for additional pickups. The vendor is hoping to have all the park completed in one day. If not the second day will be used. Please take this opportunity to clean out, especially things stored outside. Outside items need to be stored away, anchored permanently or removed when you depart Golf Lakes for any time longer than 14 days. Year-round residents need to make it as easy as possible to put things away during a storm. Please consider getting rid of items that cannot easily be put inside quickly.

### RULE REMINDER

#### **X. VEHICLES, TRAFFIC AND TRAILERS:**

**Speed limit for all vehicles is fifteen (15) miles per hour.**

**Universal remote usage entering or exiting any gate is strictly prohibited.**

**Residents shall park their vehicles on their own driveway and shall not park on the street overnight.**

**B. VEHICLES, OTHER THAN GOLF CARTS, shall not park on the grass or stone**



### From the EDITOR'S DESK

**Any articles, photos, etc. for the MARCH issue should be received by The Banner no later than 5:00 PM on Friday, Feb. 10<sup>th</sup>.** Items may be placed in the Banner box located on the front of the sound booth in the Clubhouse or emailed to the Editor at [golfcakesbanner@gmail.com](mailto:golfcakesbanner@gmail.com).

*Carolyn Boyle, Editor*

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## Through the Years Cover Story

In the early days, residents had pancake breakfasts and celebrated the holidays together with potlucks and fishing in the lake (see cover photo). As the park grew, special groups and organizations were started and the following is a bit of the early history in the *Making of New Friends, Becoming a Golf Lakes Family and Staying Active!*

The *Red and Black Shuffleboard* competition took place on Friday afternoons with the losers treating the winners to coffee and donuts on Saturday morning. This became an official coffee hour for all residents in 1966. The *Petticoat Shufflers* were then started and, after eight additional courts were added, the official tournaments with other parks began in 1970.

The *Women's Club* began in 1965 for volunteer and charity work including Head Start in 1970 and making Lap Robes for nursing homes in the 80's. They have received many special service awards throughout the years. In 1966, the women started their Hobby and Bazaar Sale which morphed into a larger "White Elephant Sale" in 1971. In 1966, the *Vespers* Sunday devotional services started along with *Bible Classes* during the week. Unfortunately, with growth comes strife, so Lynn Gilmore formed the *Residents Association* and Kay Bower was the 1<sup>st</sup> President to help the residents adjust to Golf Lakes Park Life with their new-found friends and neighbors from all over the U.S.

Have you ever heard of the Jolly Loners/Rovers? In 1966 five ladies created what is now known as the *Gad A Bouts* who wanted to get acquainted with new friends and see different places. In '68 the *Star Club* was created for Eastern Star Members from their respective hometowns. *Ladies Bridge* started in '66 and has grown into several other card clubs like *Pinochle* in '69, *Euchre* in '74, and more recently *Hand & Foot*.

The first park-wide entertainment was "The Follies of 1968" in which 100 residents took part and marked the debut of the ladies' *Tinphony Band*. In '69 the band made its first public appearance in the Cortez Plaza which led to several other local performances. The *Singing Men of Golf Lakes* graced us in '68 with beautiful music along with the *Mellowtones* and many piano accompaniments. *Ballroom Dancing, Square Dancing/Round Dancing* also started in the late 60's. Our "Night of Music" began in 1977 as a way to "show off" the talent in the park. It still is not to be missed!

In 1969 the *Bicycle Club* started and they went on to help construct bike paths outside the park and hold many competitions. *BINGO* began with an electric machine that shot the balls up and used cards to push numbers. We have come a long way since the 60's!

In 1970, the *Men's Golf League* began with an astonishing 120 members who played at various courses until '73 when our Executive Golf Course was built. In '80 the *Ladies Golf League* began. *Ten Pin Bowling* started at Cortez Lanes with eight teams in 1971 and has expanded since then. *Lawn Bowling* began in '76 with the construction of a new court and tournaments started in 1980.

Research and composition of this article is courtesy of  
a special Banner Committee Team:  
Rita Marderosian, Don Raymond, and Cathy Woodman



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Remmer Cramer, Ken Flint, George  
Oborn, Earl Munder



**Ladies Shuffle Board**  
Mildred Manske, Oris Flood,  
Arvalene Haske, Laura Barnhart



**Vesper Committee 1969**  
Phyllis Nason, at Piano



**Ladies Bridge 1984**  
Dorothy Paton, Instructor (center)



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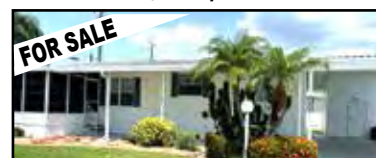
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*Submitted by Cheryl Dunlap*



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- 1 Rick Burkley, Terry Dreyer, Donald Kline
- 2 David Fisher, Rita Leipf, Mark Schaefer
- 3 Dan Ford
- 4 Shirley Kamps, Flora Schout
- 5 Thomas Love, Joan Schrock
- 6 Phil Gargac, Nancy Rosenthal
- 7 Betty Chiffolo, Diane Gordon, John Stanley
- 8 Don Eilers
- 10 Reg DeBoer, Wanda Hurst
- 11 Darlene Lichty
- 12 Forrest Conrad, Phil Snape
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- 14 Mary Hofman, Gayle Lesch, Barb Rospert, Curtis Wulliman
- 15 Leland Ver Helst
- 16 Ria Buitenhuis, Al Derosier, Sandy Gallo, Diane Gelder
- 17 Brenda O'Connor, Cande Vermeulen
- 18 Lynne Neyhart
- 19 Barb Witucki
- 20 Bill Smith
- 21 Debbie Atkinson, Dick Blevins, Cathy Overmyer
- 22 Dale Overzet, Nancy Overzet, Harriet Trumper, Jim Ulbert
- 23 Sharon Dabney, Bill Tice
- 24 Bonnie Holman, Maggie Lowman
- 25 Dale Bronson
- 26 Heather Aberdein, Rhonda Ford, Kay Miller
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- 28 Betty Maille, John Witucki
- 29 Alan Habegger

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## Golf Lakes Women

*GLW* will not have their regular meeting on February 2<sup>nd</sup>. All ladies will be on deck helping with the White Elephant Sale that day! The sale will be held from 8:00 AM until 2:00 PM in the Clubhouse. Everyone is welcome! Remember, someone's trash may be your treasure. This is the *GLW*'s biggest fundraiser.

The *GLW* regular membership meeting will be held on Thursday, Feb. 9<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 PM in the Clubhouse. The program is entitled "Be Kind to Yourself" and will feature massage therapist Kim Dolnick, chiropractor Jim Gallo, and a skincare specialist.

*GLW* will sponsor a concert on Saturday, Feb. 18<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM in the Clubhouse. Featured will be The Best of Cahal Dunne, singer, songwriter, storyteller, and comedian. There will be complimentary FREE admission for all Golf Lakes residents. A donation of \$10.00 is suggested for each guest.

DID YOU KNOW? *GLW* has helped Stage & Storage purchase equipment, made a donation to the Pool Committee for the purchase of the chair lift, provided funds for game tables in the Friendship Room and the picnic tables in the Shuffle area, helped with the new Bingo equipment, and many other areas which benefit all Golf Lakes residents. Your support of the White Elephant sale makes this all possible!

*Submitted by Grace Naegele, Publicity Chair*

## Phone Number Clarification

When two different phone numbers are listed for a unit in the Golf Lakes directory, the first or upper number is associated with the first name listed and the second is associated with the second person, whether spouse, or partner, or companion.

## GET YOUR BP CHECKED



Anyone wanting to have their Blood Pressure checked can come to the Friendship Room on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month (November through April) from 8-9:30 AM. Please call Phyllis Wendt at 812-453-6363 if you have any questions.

*Submitted by Phyllis Wendt*

# White Elephant Sale



## **WOMEN'S CLUB WHITE ELEPHANT SALE Thursday, February 2, 2023 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM**

It's February and what are we getting ready for? One of the biggest "VOLUNTEER" events of the season and – believe it or not – we actually have a good time doing it! SO COME ONE – COME ALL.....

We are nearly ready. Workers will be awaiting your donations when you drop them off Wednesday, February 1<sup>st</sup>, between 8:00 AM and 1:00 PM. Call Lisa Goodie at 301-467-6944 or Sherie Wood at 753-4673, to schedule a time for pickup of large items. If you haven't called yet, please call now!

There will also be books, linens, kitchen items, pots and pans, household goods, antiques, electronics, lamps, outside and inside furniture, Christmas decorations, tools to fix tools and hardware a plenty, bikes, Holy Cow – you name it we got it – so come on up to the Club House! Lunch will be served and then there are those awesome homemade pies too! Everyone will be there!

Items we will NOT pickup are: Console or heavy table-model televisions, any and all computer hardware, old large microwaves, mattresses, big mirrors (we love those ornate decorator mirrors though), old mobile home doors and windows, sofas and sofa beds (they are just too heavy for the guys), fiber board computer tables and furniture and finally – no clothes!

If you want to donate something and you are not sure if we would want it, call Lisa or Lennie Goodie; they will come take a look and together you can decide if it is right for our sale. Please do not donate an item just to get rid of it knowing it will not sell.

Grab your purse or wallet and come to the club house Thursday morning, February 2<sup>nd</sup>, to see what treasures you can find. Your purchases benefit the Women of Golf Lakes and in turn many projects for all of Golf Lakes. I know this is going to sound greedy – our goal this year, same as last time we had a sale, \$1,000,000.00 – Just Kidding!

**PLEASE NOTE:** The Clubhouse/Hall will be closed to ALL activities ALL DAY and EVENING Wednesday, February 1<sup>st</sup>, and on Thursday, February 2<sup>nd</sup>, until 3:00 PM.

*Submitted by Sherie Wood*



The Penny Sale Committee has been busy as beavers getting the baskets and gift cards ready for your inspection and "chance" to take home. It's not too late to re-gift something you simply didn't need. We will put it to good use.

*Submitted by Sherie Wood*



The White Elephant Sale Raffle is in full swing; we've been selling tickets like mad at Social Hour and other special events. We have for you this year:

- ⌘ A Tiffany & Co. Sterling Chain and Pendant designed by Peretti
- ⌘ A \$100 Walmart Gift Card
- ⌘ A Hundred Dollar Bill
- ⌘ A small Stained Glass Lamp from Carolyn Bailey
- ⌘ An original water color by Sheila Snape entitled "Pollination"
- ⌘ A hand-quilted, original bed runner by Dianne Bradt
- ⌘ A gorgeous handmade woodworking art by Junior Heyboer

You do not have to be present to win! Winners will be drawn at the White Elephant Sale on 2/2/23! Wonder who will be the lucky winners this year. Sherie Wood will make house calls if you are unable to get out and buy your raffle tickets at the Hall.

*Submitted by Sherie Wood*

## **JEWELRY WANTED!**

Janet Eisses and Joanne Kloosterhof and their Committee have been busy preparing your jewelry donations for resale every Tuesday this month. They are a little light this year and can always use more; thank you so much for all you have donated.

The donation drop box will be on the stage during social hour from now until the sale. Please contact Janet Eisses with any questions you may have via email at [jeisses@gmail.com](mailto:jeisses@gmail.com) or phone at 902-899-1415.

*Submitted by Janet Eisses*

## Men's Monday Golf League Schedule Greens of Manatee 2022/2023

Date		Week	Time
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Half</b>			
02/06/23	League Weeks	3	8:30 AM
02/13/23		4	
02/20/23		5	
02/27/23		6	
03/06/23		7	
03/13/23		8	
03/20/23	Scramble #2 and Banquet at Moose Lodge		



### MEN'S MONDAY MORNING GOLF LEAGUE Greens of Manatee

League play started in November. As in the past, the first tee time of the morning is 8:30 AM. It is recommended that you arrive at least 10 to 15 minutes ahead of your scheduled tee time. On some Mondays, the league play is able to start early. A schedule for the fall season has been posted on Board 1 in the Clubhouse.

If you were unable to sign up in advance and you would still like an opportunity to join us, please contact Paul Maille or Terry Keller regarding your availability as a substitute or as a fill in player. League Dues for the 22/23 season are \$15.00.

Contact Paul Maille (941-751-2162) or Terry Keller (269-953-2431) with any questions.

*Submitted by Terry Keller*



## GREENS OF MANATEE

The Family Friendly Course  
Winter 2023

Last year flew by and the folks at the Greens of Manatee wish you the best for the New Year. The course sustained a bit of damage from Hurricane Ian with multiple trees down and tons of debris to clean up. Many "Thanks" to our employees and all the volunteers who worked hard for 4 days to get the course reopened.

**For the Golfer:** Golf Lakes leagues are going strong and will begin the 2<sup>nd</sup> half of the season mid-January. All league information is on Board 2 in the GL Clubhouse. As a reminder, the Golf Scrambles are the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of each month thru April. You may sign up in the golf course clubhouse at any time. The scrambles are lots of fun regardless of your level of play.

**For the Golfers and Non-Golfer:** First, if you have not been over to the snack bar, be sure to stop over and check it out. Breakfast and lunch are both great and prices are very reasonable. Next, a quick note to inform everyone that the Greens of Manatee Board Meetings are on the second Tuesday of each month at 2:00 PM. The meetings are in the Golf Lakes Boardroom and everyone is invited. Finally, we had a lot of expense cleaning up the course. If you are interested in helping, a donation to the Greens of Manatee would help. Simply stop by the course and contact Tom Ladd or one of our associates. The golf course is an important asset to our community and everyone benefits from this wonderful green space.

To keep track of what is going on, check out the *Greens of Manatee Golf Club* Facebook page. Daily posts feature pictures of scramble winners, "hole-in-one" golfers and provides a bit of enjoyable golf humor. Check it out and share it with your friends.

*Submitted by Terry Keller  
President, Greens of Manatee*

## NEW RESIDENT COOPERATIVE ORIENTATION

Thursday, February 16, 2023

1:00 PM until 3:00 PM

In the Golf Lakes Clubhouse

New Owners and Renters who have never attended a New Resident Cooperative Orientation are requested to participate in this event.

Participants will be familiarized with the rules that all Golf Lakers need to understand and adhere to. Time will be provided to answer all questions related to the rules and regulations listed in the Golf Lakes directory. The objective of this orientation is to share knowledge and understanding of the rules and regulations associated with Cooperative living.

**Please RSVP to the office by Friday, February 10, 2023.**

*Submitted by Mark Hooker*

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## NIGHTS OF MUSIC



**Thursday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> and Saturday, March 4<sup>th</sup>  
Show Time is 7:00 PM Both Nights**

It never ceases to amaze us how a lot of "show" folks come to our first organizational meeting of the year in January and then – away we go! We are on our way to putting together another exciting show for Golf Laker.

"Life Is Like A Box of Chocolates" is our theme this year and we believe it will be most entertaining. It is always fun to see your friends and neighbors "act up" a bit! We know there are a lot of new folks in the park and we would especially like to extend an invitation to you to join in the fun; it is not too late. If you have questions, please feel free to call Jo Rupp or Sherie Wood.

Vouchers for this year's show will be available soon for everyone who wants to attend. Don't miss out – watch the Banner, Channel 732, our Facebook page or – better yet – come to Social Hour – then you'll know everything going on and how to obtain a voucher. We always have a great time putting this show together for "you all" and looking forward to seeing you there.

*Submitted by Sherie Wood*



**Northeast Gathering  
Tues. Aug. 8, 2023  
Lake George, NY**

The 2023 Northeast Summer Gathering will be held at Lake George, NY and is open to folks from all states. There are plenty of things to do in the area but the gathering will be two-fold.

**Luncheon** will be at the Barnsider from 2:00 PM until 4:30 PM (menu at later date). We will have our own dining area and estimate the price to be around \$25 per person. We will have an outdoor patio as well for socializing.

**A Scenic Sunset Cruise** is also being offered on the lake from 6:30 PM until 8:30 PM aboard the Lac Du Saint Sacrement. Snacks and drinks can be purchased onboard. The cost for the cruise is expected to be \$33 per person.

**Lodging** at a group rate is currently being held at the Mohican Resort and Motel (518-792-0474). Tell them you are with the Golf Lakes group. Book early!

A sign up sheet is on the Gatherings Board in the Clubhouse. Call Duane or Kathy Frederick, Bette Buzzell, Rita Leipf, or Ellen Varney with any questions.

*Submitted by Duane Frederick*



## PARKING LOT FLEA MARKET Friday March 10<sup>th</sup>

The Annual Golf Lakes Flea Market/Parking Lot Sale will be held **Friday, March 10<sup>th</sup>** in the North Parking Lot between the hours of 8:00 AM to 12:30 PM. The marked-off parking spaces will cost **\$10.00 each**. The parking lot spaces will go on sale at Social Hour February 11<sup>th</sup> and will continue until all spaces have been sold. If you don't attend Social Hour, contact Bev Vasey at 570-423-2152.

Please note, **no reservations will be taken prior to February 11<sup>th</sup>**. As in the past, spaces are limited. Also, the number of spaces per person could be limited based on overall demand. As a reminder, **no overnight vehicle parking is allowed in the North lot March 9<sup>th</sup>**.

*Submitted by Terry Keller*



## BET WE GOT YOUR ATTENTION WITH THIS!

The Golf Lakes Women will be presenting a Tour of Homes (within our park) together with a Brunch on Thursday, March 9<sup>th</sup>. Tours will be at 9:30 and 10:30 AM. Watch for more details. Tickets will be on sale soon at \$5.00 per person.

*Grace Naegele, Publicity Chair*

## Channel 732

Sometimes things change after an article appears in the Banner. Get up-to-date information on activities in Golf Lakes on your Community Channel—**Channel 732**. Slides are short and kept current. Please contact either Barb Jahnke at [cjahnke@tampabay.rr.com](mailto:cjahnke@tampabay.rr.com) or Diane Dube at [dubedi52@gmail.com](mailto:dubedi52@gmail.com) if you have information you would like posted on the Community Channel.

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## We come to the neighborhood

**Terry Dreyer** resides at **804 52<sup>nd</sup> Ave. Circle Drive.** Terry comes to us from Allegan, Michigan where his RV is parked, waiting for the next big adventure. He is a retired truck driver but is now just driving for pleasure. Terry's big passion is hunting. He has been to South Africa two times and is currently planning a 3<sup>rd</sup> trip. He also enjoys traveling in his fifth-wheel and following NASCAR. Terry chose Golf Lakes after looking at many parks from south Florida to Louisiana. What really sold him on our park was a personal recommendation from a resident as well as our exceptional pool. He moved to Golf Lakes on August 25, 2022 and will be a seasonal resident. He was visited by Dick and Karla Blevins.

**Carol Thull** resides at **4910 4 B. St. E.** She comes to us most recently from Oshkosh, Wisconsin. She was born, however, in Berlin Wisconsin and also lived in Ripon, the home of the "Ripon Good Cookies," if anyone remembers them. Carol is a new retiree from the University of Wisconsin, Oshkosh, where she worked in the Student Union and had a variety of responsibilities. Carol has 2 sons and 4 grandchildren and already has one son coming for a visit. Before moving to Florida, Carol was very involved in a Volkswagen Club and was a proud owner of a restored 1966 Volkswagen Beetle named Esther. (Esther did not make the move to Florida.) She was also very involved in planning school and family reunions and is in the process of planning her 50th High School reunion. Involvement in church activities has also played a big part in Carol's life and she has already found a church home here in Bradenton at the Tabernacle. Carol looked at many mobile home parks, but it was not until she met Fred Van Swol and Mary Luchtenburg at the Tabernacle and they invited her here that she chose Golf Lakes. She was attracted by the friendliness of people to whom she spoke, the cleanliness and attractiveness and the fact it was gated. Carol will be a full time resident. She was visited by Dick and Karla Blevins.

## Pickleball

Our season is well under way. The pickleball Tuesday and Thursday Ladders resumed in January. Also, the Monday night Partner Play and the Women's Wednesday night play have begun.

Our first tournament on Saturday, January 28<sup>th</sup> was a great success. We have a 2<sup>nd</sup> tournament scheduled for Saturday, February 18<sup>th</sup>. (Details to follow on our website.)

Free pickleball classes are offered to anyone in the park interested in learning to play. The classes are offered every Wednesday at 11 am to noon. If interested, please sign up on the bulletin board in the clubhouse.

Dues are \$20/year payable to Bonnie Frye. New members can sign up on the bulletin board in the clubhouse. Please turn in your new member form to Bonnie.

Please be sure to check out our website at [www.GL-PC.org](http://www.GL-PC.org) for all the latest pickleball information.

*Submitted by Larry Van Deventer*

## VESPERS

February is the month of some special days - Valentine Day, Presidents Day and Ash Wednesday. We will have Vesper speakers on four Sundays.

Feb. 5 - Jonathon Jankovich

Feb. 12 - Gene Maddox

Feb. 19 - Jason Lane

Feb. 26 - Dwayne Kitchens

We are fortunate to have some great musicians to accompany our singing. The Vespers Committee, however, would welcome anyone who might like to accompany with guitar or other instruments.

*Submitted by Carol Montgomery*



*Shown are Lisa Goodie and Barb Wenzler*

On behalf of the Golf Lakes Women's Club, I want to extend my thanks to those who volunteered for the **2022 Salvation Army Kettle Drive.**

Congratulations on our 6<sup>th</sup> season of supporting this local charity here in the Bradenton area. During our 4 days of ringing at Walmart on State Road 70, with 32 volunteers from Golf Lakes, we raised \$1,537.06. Thank you and Happy New Year.

*Submitted by Lorna Ulmer*



This unique card game is now being played in the Golf Lakes Craft Room on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of each month at 6:30 PM until April.

Feather Your Nest is similar to Bingo but played with poker cards and it is fast-paced and a lot of fun. Cost is \$1.00 per card or six for \$5.00. Winnings are distributed from the pot.

Contact Duane and Kathy Frederick (860-458-9225) with any questions.

*Submitted by Duane Frederick*



### TEN-PIN BOWLING LEAGUE

If you were unable to sign up at the beginning of the season but may be interested in playing with us, please call Grace Naegele at 614-314-1101 or League President Milton Christy at 603-524-6301. Our league members have a lot of fun and enjoy friendship and comradery. You don't have to be a great bowler - we ALWAYS need bowlers and subs!!

*Grace Naegele, League Secretary/Treasurer*



You may have noticed a nice new little building down at the horseshoe pits. Pam had that done this summer and it sure looks nice. Also, the Horseshoe Club of Golf Lakes has received a nice donation of four sets of league-qualifying horseshoes for your use and enjoyment. They are stored in the new little building and the Club says: "go ahead use them, just please do not remove them from the horseshoe playing area". The Pits are open all day every day. Enjoy!

*Submitted by Robert Wood*



The Golf Lakes BUNCO games will be played this year on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays at 6:30 PM (sharp), unlike last year's 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays. There will be no play on the 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of any month.

EVERYONE is welcome! Bring \$1, which is returned in prizes each evening. If you can roll 3 dice, you can play BUNCO! Come a little early for quick instructions!

*Submitted by Grace Naegele*



### DECEMBER RESULTS

#### AMATEURS

DATE	PLAYER	PLACE
12/2	Charles Stannard	1 <sup>st</sup> Main
	Janet Eisses	2 <sup>nd</sup> Main
12/8	Janet Eisses	2 <sup>nd</sup> Main
12/15	Sam Furnari	2 <sup>nd</sup> Main
	Janet Eisses	3 <sup>rd</sup> Main
	Diane Fielbrandt	4 <sup>th</sup> Main
12/22	Janet Eisses	3 <sup>rd</sup> Consolation
12/29	Ed Barron	1 <sup>st</sup> Main
	Paul Maille	1 <sup>st</sup> Main
	Janet Eisses	1 <sup>st</sup> Consolation
	Henry Eisses	3 <sup>rd</sup> Consolation

#### PROS

DATE	PLAYER	PLACE
12/2	Letha Deveris	1 <sup>st</sup> Main
	Jill Debruyne	2 <sup>nd</sup> Main
	Larry Taylor	3 <sup>rd</sup> Main
	Rita Marderosian	4 <sup>th</sup> Consolation
12/8	Rita Marderosian	2 <sup>nd</sup> Main
	Larry Taylor	2 <sup>nd</sup> Main
	Frank Marderosian	3 <sup>rd</sup> Consolation
	Mary Fowler	4 <sup>th</sup> Consolation
12/15	Jerry Stannard	1 <sup>st</sup> Main
	Letha Deveris	2 <sup>nd</sup> Main
	Larry Taylor	4 <sup>th</sup> Consolation
12/22	Jill Debruyne	2 <sup>nd</sup> Main
	Letha Deveris	4 <sup>th</sup> Main
	Larry Taylor	2 <sup>nd</sup> Consolation
12/29	Larry Taylor	2 <sup>nd</sup> Main
	Jill Debruyne	4 <sup>th</sup> Main
	Mary Fowler	1 <sup>st</sup> Consolation
	Rita Marderosian	1 <sup>st</sup> Consolation
	Mike Collins	2 <sup>nd</sup> Consolation
	Diane Fielbrandt	2 <sup>nd</sup> Consolation

# Things to Do and Ways to Enjoy Yourself



## New Residents (New Comers) Ice Cream Social 2023

All new residents (2 years or less in Golf Lakes) are invited to an Ice Cream Social in the Clubhouse on Saturday, February 4<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 PM.



*Submitted by Terry Keller*



## Golden Butterflies Potluck Wednesday, February 15<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 PM

All couples married 50 years or more as of February 15<sup>th</sup> will be honored at the February Potluck dinner. Bring the love of your life and enjoy the evening with others who have made this wonderful journey. The Activities Committee will provide the meat, coffee, and other drinks for the meal.

A signup sheet will be posted on Board 2 the first of February. Signup is required to prepare nametags for the Golden Butterflies and the program. Deadline for signup is February 12<sup>th</sup>.

Non-Butterflies are welcome to attend. A donation of \$2.00 will be requested for all non-butterflies that join this celebration. If you have any questions, call Terry Keller 269-953-2431.

*Submitted by Terry Keller*



## Line Dancing

Line dancing continues in the clubhouse on Fridays. If you are new to dance, come at 11:45 for basic instruction and learn a few dances. For those of you who have danced, come at 12:30. We dance until 3 PM. Hope to see you on the dance floor. The most important rule is to have fun. Every week will be different and each week the dances will seem easier.

*Submitted by Bonnie Frye*



Our small group, in-home Bible studies continue on the second and last Thursdays of February and March. They are non-denominational and open to all owners and renters. We are continuing the sessions on the book of James and the book of Jude and extend a warm welcome to all who wish to join us this year. A signup sheet is on bulletin board number #4 if you wish to participate.

*Submitted by Marty Van Egten*



*Actual Residents Shown*

## Dancing In The Street

Come join us on **Tuesday and Thursday** mornings for some fun and exercise. We've taken line dancing to another level with rock and roll music. Class starts at **8:15 AM** and lasts approximately one hour. Anyone is welcome. Please bring a towel and some water as you'll need both! Join us at **4915 2<sup>nd</sup> A Street**.

*Submitted by Karen Furnari*



## VESPER CHOIR

**All voices** are welcome to join the Vesper Choir in Golf Lakes Estates. We are a mixed choir and will be singing for the Vesper Services once a month. Our rehearsals for 2023 will be on **Thursday, at 9:15 AM** in the clubhouse on the stage. Our rehearsals are 1½ hours long.

Music is a powerful force, being beauty itself, wherever it is shared. People who make music like the Vesper Choir are inspirers: because music, like love becomes a verb when it is shared. I will say we have a wonderful time singing together and we also do a lot of laughing together as well. This is our second year in existence and we have a wonderful time making music together.

**We will sing at the Vesper Services on February 19<sup>th</sup> and March 19<sup>th</sup>.**

Please consider joining the Vesper Choir and if you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact Shirley Ensing at 616-460-1620.

*Submitted by Shirley Ensing*

# FEBRUARY

## DAILY ACTIVITY SCHEDULE

### Monday

Ladies Exercise	CH	8:15
Men's Golf League	GOM	8:30
Tai Chi/Qi Gong	N.Lot	8:30
Women's Monday Golf	GLC	9:00
Ceramics	CR	9:00
*Water Aerobics	P	9:40
*Stretch & Flex	P	10:30
Ladies Bridge	FR	12:30
Clever Creations	CR	1:00
Shuffleboard	SC	1:00
Double Pinochle	FR	6:15
Feather Your Nest (1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> )	CR	6:30

### Tuesday

Dancing in the Street - 4915 2 <sup>nd</sup> A	FR	8:15
Lap Robes	CR	8:30
Women's Bible Study	CH	9:00
Women's Tuesday Golf	GLC	9:00
Ten Pin Bowling - at Bowlero Lanes	FR	9:15
Hand & Foot	FR	12:00
iPad Beginner I	CH	12:30
Mah Jongg	CR	1:00
Shuffleboard	SC	1:00
iPad Beginner II	CH	1:30
iPad Intermediate	CH	2:30
Hand & Foot	BR	6:00
Couples Bridge	FR	6:30
Shuffleboard Open Play	SC	6:30

### Wednesday

Breakfast Club @ Fiona's	out	8:00
Ladies Exercise	CH	8:15
Tai Chi/Qi Gong	N.Lot	8:30
Ceramics	CR	9:00
Zero Impact Exercise	CH	9:00
Fall Prevention Exercise	CH	9:30
*Water Aerobics	P	9:40
*Stretch & Flex	P	10:30
Women's Bridge	FR	12:30
Woodcarving	CR	1:00
Shuffleboard	SC	1:00
Euchre	FR	6:30
Bunco (2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> only)	FR	6:30

### Thursday

Dancing in the Street - 4915 2 <sup>nd</sup> A	CR	8:15
Thursday AM Crafters	CR	9:30
Piecemakers Quilt Club	CR	12:30
Mah Jongg	FR	1:00
Shuffleboard	SC	1:00
Square Club (2 <sup>nd</sup> Thurs. only)	BR	1:00
Women's Club (1 <sup>st</sup> Thurs. only)	CH	2:00
Under the Palms (1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> )	CHgr	2:00
Hand, Foot & Elbow	FR	6:00
Cribbage	CH	6:30

Let us welcome  
February &  
take every chance  
to show love  
to all we meet

### Friday

Ladies Exercise	CH	8:15
Art Group	CR	9:00
*Water Aerobics	P	9:40
*Stretch & Flex	P	10:30
Line Dancing	CH	11:45
Hand & Foot	FR	12:00
Mah Jongg	CR	1:00
Shuffleboard	SC	1:00
Social Hour Set-Up	CH	3:00
Bingo	CH	6:30

### Saturday

Social Hour	CH	9:00
Banana Grams	FR	1:00
Shuffleboard	SC	1:00






### Sunday

No Activities Scheduled	AM
*Vespers	CH 6:00

#### LEGEND

BR	Board Room
CH	Clubhouse
S	Stage
CR	Craft Room
FR	Friendship Room
P	Pool
SC	Shuffle Courts
GLC	Golf Lakes Course
PC	Pickleball Court
HC	Horseshoe Court
GOM	Greens of Manatee
N.Lot	North Parking Lot
CHgr	Clubhouse Grounds

\*Do not have Submission forms.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			<b>1</b> HALL CLOSED ALL DAY	<b>2</b> 8A-2P White Elephant Hall Reopens 3 PM	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> 9A Social Hour 10A Fitness Center Open House
<b>5</b> 6P Vespers	<b>6</b> 9A GLW Exec Bd Mtg	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> 8A BP Check 9A BOD Mtg 2P GLW Meeting 2P Square Club Mtg	<b>10</b> 12P RSVPs due for New Res. Co-Op Orient. 5P Banner Deadline No Bingo Tonight	<b>11</b> 9A Social Hour Parking Lot Market Spaces on Sale
<b>12</b> 6P Vespers	<b>13</b> 7P Annual Meeting	<b>14</b> VALENTINE'S DAY 	<b>15</b> 5P Golden Butterflies Potluck Dinner	<b>16</b> 1P New Resident Co-Op Orientation	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> 9A Social Hour 7P GLW Free Concert for all Residents
<b>19</b> 6P Vespers w/ Vesper Choir	<b>20</b> PRESIDENT'S DAY 	<b>21</b> BULK TRASH DAY	<b>22</b> ASH WEDNESDAY  Lent Begins Ash Wednesday	<b>23</b> 9A BOD Mtg 1P Gad A Bouts @ Beef O'Brady	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> 9A Social Hour
<b>26</b> 6P Vespers	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>		

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# Things to Do and Ways to Enjoy Yourself



Do you have an iPad (Apple product) and not sure what to do with it? Or maybe you only play games and want to know more? You're in luck! The Golf Lakes iPad classes started in January. There are two beginner classes – Beginner 1 at 12:30 and Beginner 2 at 1:30 – and an Intermediate Class at 2:30. Classes meet in the Club House.

Following is a brief description to decide where you feel you would be most comfortable. Once class starts, if you or I feel you don't fit in that particular class we can discuss a change.

**Beginner 1** – know almost nothing about your iPad; not sure what to do with it; not confident using it; have used it a little; although you have attended class before you still feel you need reinforcement in the very basics.

**Beginner 2** – have taken the class before; are familiar with basics such as email, messages, can play some games etc. (not all these are necessary, we will review them); are getting some confidence but still unsure a lot of the time.

**Intermediate** – feeling quite confident; not afraid to try some new things on your own; have taken the class and ready to move more rapidly with less repeat teaching.

There are sign-up sheets on bulletin board #1 for each class. If you have questions call Linda Stannard at 860-227-5958.

*Submitted by Linda Stannard*



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**Bingo** will be held at **6:30 PM** every Friday through May and the gate will remain open on Friday's until 6:30 PM. There will be **NO** bingo on February 10 due to portraits. Last call for sales is 6:15. Bingo is open to all residents and their friends outside of the park so please pass the word.

*Submitted by Bill Oravec*



The pianists of Golf Lakes are getting ready to present a variety of music on **Sunday, February 19, 2023 at 2:00 PM**. Invite your friends for an hour of music including classical, religious, jazz, show tunes, and old time favorites.

*Submitted by Ruth Klungle, Coordinator*



Come and join us for a marvelous Bible study. Kristi McLeland will guide us through a 7-week DVD study of Acts. She will explain how the gospel spread throughout the Roman Empire. Study Books are \$25.00; please contact Ruby VanEgten to order one.

Our first meeting was on Jan. 10 but we have 3 more classes February 7, 14 and 21. Meet us in the Clubhouse at 9:00 AM. You are invited to come for one or all of the remaining classes.

*Submitted by Nancy DeBoer*

## CLEVER CREATIONS

*By Karen Furnari*

The February/March sign-up sheets are posted on the Clever Creation bulletin board in the Craft Room. All classes are on a first come, first served basis, so don't delay in signing up. Due to supply availability, classes are limited in size which is indicated on the sign-up sheets.



## Harmony Notes

There were 17 Harmony Notes ladies who met Sunday Jan. 8<sup>th</sup> to enjoy fellowship and some delicious treats. Several new ladies joined us. We are looking forward to providing special music at Vespers and Social Hour.

*Submitted by Terri Vinovich*





## GAME SCORES



### MONDAY BRIDGE

Date	First Place		Second Place		Third Place	
12/05	Audie Pedley	4850	Sandi Ferris	4740	Barb Jahnke	3530
12/12	Sandi Ferris	3760	Eleanor Love	3650	Dorothy Begin	3360
12/19	Sandi Ferris	3680	Mary Swed	3590	Heather Aberdein	3400
12/26	Audie Pedley	3320	Sandi Ferris	3160	Barb Jahnke	2790
Submitted by: Sandi Ferris						

### CRIBBAGE

Date	First Place		Second Place		Third Place	
12/01	Diane Dube	726	Elaine Jarvis	710	Sharon Kemnitz	706
12/08	Jeff Durand	686	John Seager	682	Sharon Kemnitz & Mike Schlossin	679
12/15	John Dumuat	715	Larry Restuccia	709	Kathy Clute	704
12/22	Jeff Durand	726	Kathy Clute	719	Debbie Caldwell	698
12/29	Helen Irwin	705	John Seager	691	Avon Robertson	688
Submitted by: Bette Buzzel						

### Wednesday EUCHRE

Date	First Place		Second Place		Third Place	
11/30	Don Simmons	55	Sue Thornton	47	Carolyn Bailey & Donna Saunders	44
12/14	Joan Simmons	48	Carolyn Bailey	46	Darlene Lichty & Don Simmons	45
12/21	Bill Lynch	53	Joan Simmons	50	Don Simmons	47
12/28	George Shubley	Not given	Sherie Wood	Not given	Bob Wood Jim Simmons	Not given
1/03	Carol Willems	52	Don Simmons	52	Jim Ryan	48
Submitted by: Carol Willems						

**IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF ALL SCOREKEEPERS TO CLEARLY AND ACCURATELY P-R-I-N-T NAMES OF PLAYERS AND THEIR SCORES.**

**The Golf Lakes Supper Club** is an adventurous group that goes out to taste different cuisine around the Bradenton and Sarasota area. We are an ever-changing group because not everyone can go all the time and some people must decline certain offerings due to schedule conflicts or dietary issues.

**SUPPER CLUB**

We shy away from large parties with long tables and prefer multiple tables of four to six nearby which allows for more conversation as we await our entrees. Early or mid-week dates lessen the chance of the restaurant being over busy.

**If you would like to join us, send an email to [raymond4919@earthlink.net](mailto:raymond4919@earthlink.net) to introduce yourself and be placed on our email list.** Our philosophy parallels Mae West: *"I'll try anything one time. If I don't like it, I'll try it a second time to be sure."*



The Supper Club enjoyed homemade pasta offered by the Tiramisu Ristorante Italiano early in January. Our time was enhanced by the live music that evening.

The special when we dined was Tagliatelle Bolognese which is prepared in a flaming wine, parmesan wheel at the table. Mary tasted the Lasagna with Salmon in cream sauce and proclaimed about its rich texture and blended taste. The Veal Scaloppina and the Ravioli Aragosta were also highly praised.

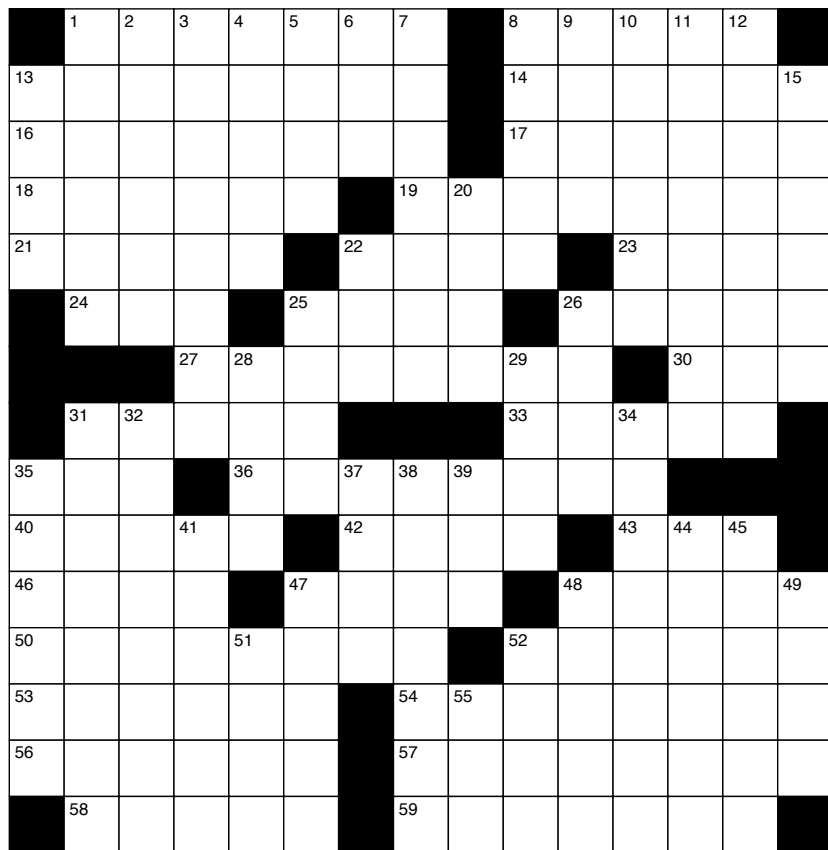
What would a dinner at Tiramisu's be without Tiramisu for dessert? The almonds and caramel were described as "spectacular."

**In February we are planning to dine at a Brazilian Steakhouse which has a unique method of serving. See above for Supper Club contact information.**

Submitted by Don & Paula Raymond

# FEBRUARY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

## Crossword #K422EXY2



### Down

1. Certain loom bars
2. \_\_\_\_ test: pH indicator
3. With dreariness
4. Leases
5. "What I Am" singer Brickell
6. USSR's successor
7. Shakespearean title Moor
8. Big name in rap
9. "\_\_\_\_ giorno!"
10. "With \_\_\_\_ and a Song" (Snow White ditty)
11. Taiwan's setting
12. Jamaica's capital
13. Ancient ointment
15. Maxima manufacturer
20. Potatoes, in Pondicherry
22. Feel poorly
25. Long dist.
26. Singer Winans
28. NFL placekicker Jason
29. Realtor's sign
31. Night spots
32. Musical opening
34. Well-regarded
35. Navigation needs
37. "\_\_\_\_ yellow ribbon round ... "
38. Alter in tone
39. 22nd Greek letter
41. Gets 100% on an exam
44. Ryder of film
45. Doyle's "\_\_\_\_ in Scarlet"
47. Elevated
48. Mud, dust and grime
49. "\_\_\_\_ of the D'Urbervilles"
51. Change the décor of
52. Sixpence \_\_\_\_ the Richer
55. \_\_\_\_-TURN (road sign)

### Across

1. Student of Titian who painted Toledo
8. Arizona baseball player, for short
13. Got an "A," perhaps
14. Act like fools?
16. Surprise
17. A.D. part
18. Point-and-click item
19. Tax-return stat
21. Tom-tom and bass
22. Everybody, to Erich
23. Highland miss
24. Fed. support program
25. Stitch's adopter, in a Disney film
26. Jai alai equipment
27. Go wild
30. Long period
31. With feigned shyness
33. Surfing spot
35. Toyota \_\_\_\_-4
36. Paper contents
40. Lying port-to-starboard

42. "Now \_\_\_\_!" (TV marketing line)
43. Bygone carrier
46. Jeanne \_\_\_\_ (French saint)
47. Get a new mortgage for, briefly
48. Thomas Paine, religiously
50. Word before blood or road
52. Nil, in Naples
53. Gets more life from
54. Mammoth
56. Long step
57. Is in the running
58. Determined to achieve
59. "Ruby \_\_\_\_" (Rolling Stones' song)

*(solution on page 26)*

# *Splendor on (or near) the Grass!*



## **GOLF LAKES WOMEN'S GOLF LEAGUES**

Are you still up north or maybe already in the park and wishing you had signed up for golf. Well you are still in luck. Our Fall League is underway but our Winter League is coming very soon. In fact there is a sign-up sheet in the club house on bulletin board 1 where you can sign up to join either the Monday or Tuesday league. The start date will be on January 9 for the Monday league and on the 10<sup>th</sup> for the Tuesday league. The season will run through March 13 and 14 respectively.

We gather each morning at 9:00 in the north parking lot. The Monday golfers keep scores and are encouraged to make up any missed play. There is prize money given out at the end of the season based on weekly points. The cost for Monday league is \$7 to cover prizes. Tuesday is a drop-in league and there is no fee, hence no prizes.

The culmination of our golf season is always a very fun combined luncheon. There will be more details to follow. If you have any questions you can call Cynthia Pollock our Fall Coordinator or Sandy Tiell our winter coordinator. This league is a very fun way to meet new people and enjoy being outdoors in our great Florida sunshine. See you on the links.

*Submitted by Karla Blevins*

## **TAI CHI & QIGONG**



Come join us for Tai Chi! Tai Chi is a gentle exercise that helps prevent falls by improving balance and strength. We begin with 15 minutes of easy QiGong exercises and meditation. Beginners are welcome and anyone can do this!

Our classes will meet on Monday and Wednesday at 8:30 AM on the grass next to the north parking lot. The season will start on January 9<sup>th</sup> and continue through April 5<sup>th</sup>.

If you have any questions, contact John Dansereau at 508-889-5027.

*Submitted by John Dansereau*



## **WINTER LAWN BOWLING**

All Golf Lakes Lawn Bowlers and Subs were asked to attend the launch meeting for the Winter Season on Jan. 7<sup>th</sup>. Team assignments and schedules were handed out and the \$12 per person fee was collected. A beginner/refresher clinic was held on Jan. 8<sup>th</sup> and league play began on Jan. 9<sup>th</sup>. The league will run Monday to Friday through mid-March. If you were unable to sign up and are still interested in participating, please call Nola Frye.

*Submitted by Nola Frye*



## **Ladies On The Greens of Manatee**

New residents interested in playing on an 18-hole golf course are cordially invited to play every Tuesday morning at the Greens of Manatee Golf Course, just north of Golf Lakes.

We meet at 7:30 AM to form teams with a handicap format. Tee time is between 7:45 AM. There is a \$2.00 entry fee with weekly pay-offs on this league.

If you have any questions, you may contact Maria Baumann at 251-5315.

*Submitted by Maria Baumann*

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## THE BANNER NEEDS YOUR HELP!



### BIRTHDAYS



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### Birthday Correction/Addition

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

BIRTH MONTH: \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF MONTH: \_\_\_\_\_

MONTH & YEAR MOVED INTO GOLF LAKES: \_\_\_\_\_

WAS YOUR DAY PREVIOUSLY REPORTED INCORRECTLY? \_\_\_\_\_ yes \_\_\_\_\_ no \_\_\_\_\_ maybe



We really want to make sure that your activity, group, or club is reported correctly in *The Banner*. We previously requested new Submission Forms from everyone. If you were unable to obtain one or if you forgot, here's an abbreviated form that you can complete and place in the *Banner* box located on the front of the sound booth in the main clubhouse. We cannot guarantee that your activity, group or club will be listed correctly if we have not received correct information. *PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION CLEARLY.*

### Activity Submission/Update

ACTIVITY: \_\_\_\_\_

PERSON IN CHARGE: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

ACTIVITY DAY: \_\_\_\_\_ TIME: \_\_\_\_\_ LOCATION: \_\_\_\_\_

ACTIVITY IS: Weekly \_\_\_\_\_ Monthly \_\_\_\_\_ Year Round \_\_\_\_\_ Seasonal \_\_\_\_\_ \*

\*Seasonal Start Date \_\_\_\_\_ Seasonal End Date \_\_\_\_\_

SAME SCHEDULE NEXT YEAR? \_\_\_\_\_ BEYOND THAT? \_\_\_\_\_

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### We Need Your Help to Reduce Recycling Contamination

Golf Lakes encourages residents to focus on five basic recycling materials – plastic, metal, glass, cardboard, and paper. The goal is to raise awareness about good recycling habits. Below is a list of troublesome materials that should not be placed in the recycling bins:

- No Styrofoam, plastic bags, plastic hangers, extension cords or garden hoses
- No pots/pans, auto parts, fencing, wire, or metal hangers
- No wrapping paper, napkins, or paper towels
- No garbage, yard waste, wet or soiled cardboard (NO PIZZA BOXES)
- No broken glass, drinking glasses, light bulbs or mirrors

Placing improper items in the recycling bins contaminates the materials making them unrecyclable. Placing items such as plastic bags, extension cords, wire, etc. in the bin contributes to contamination. If the contamination is not identified by Golf Lake's staff prior to arriving at the recycling facility it causes problems such as jamming and damaging sorting equipment. Not only can equipment be damaged but the amount of recycles that can be successfully recovered is reduced.

It is incumbent upon Golf Lakes residents to follow all recycling requirements. If you ever have any questions as to recycling requirements, please contact the office or one of the Green Committee members listed in the directory.

*Submitted by Harry Mathos*

## PARKING

### WITHIN GOLF LAKES ESTATES

To provide access for emergency services, 20 feet is commonly accepted as a minimum width for two-way traffic. For perspective, 5<sup>th</sup> Street East and 8<sup>th</sup> Street East are 24 feet wide. However, on some cul-de-sacs and streets the width is only 19 feet making navigation difficult for emergency services. This situation is aggravated if you park your vehicle or golf cart on the street. In addition, because of the narrower street and proximity to other's driveways, it makes it difficult for residents to back out of their own driveway.

If possible, use other modes of transportation when visiting others in the park. Walk, bike or use a golf cart, if available. If you must drive a car and park, park in the guest area at the end of cul-de-sacs.

*Submitted by Harry Mathos*



### SAFETY AND STOPPING REQUIREMENTS

Greater Manatee County traffic can be daunting at times. This becomes especially true during the school season. Here are the requirements when approaching a stopped school bus:

- ✓ The penalty for illegally passing a stopped school bus that is displaying a stop signal is \$200. Illegally passing on the side children enter/exit is \$400.
- ✓ Your license could be suspended for a 2<sup>nd</sup> violation within a five-year period.
- ✓ Your phone must be in hands-free mode when in a school zone. Better yet, put your phone down while navigating traffic. There are enough distractions without having a call or text to complicate matters.
- ✓ On a two-lane road, vehicles traveling in both directions must stop.
- ✓ On a multi-lane road paved all the way across vehicles traveling in both directions must stop. As an example, this would apply to much of SR 70 (53<sup>rd</sup> Avenue East) and sections of US 41 (14<sup>th</sup> Street West).
- ✓ On a highway divided by a median, cars traveling in the opposite direction are not required to stop but should proceed with caution.

School zones typically have yellow flashing warning lights and lower speed limits. They can be easily missed on roads such as SR 70 (53<sup>rd</sup> Street East) so remain alert at all times.

*Submitted by Harry Mathos*

### THE GOLF LAKES



Are you intimidated by the gym? Did you make a New Year's resolution to get into shape? Do you just want to be more active? If you answered "YES" to any of those questions, come to the Fitness Center's Open House on Saturday, February 4, 2023.

Come and see what the Fitness Center has to offer you. You may drop by any time between 10 AM and 2 PM. Members of the Fitness Center Committee will be on hand to answer your questions and recommend equipment that would best suit your needs.

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*Submitted by Phil Snape, Co-Chair FCC*



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- Increases your social skills. Volunteering gives you a chance to talk to new people and sharpen your social skills.
- Provides a sense of community. Volunteering can help you feel connected to those you are helping in the community.
- Improves self-esteem. Volunteering may boost your self-esteem and self-confidence. When you do something that you feel is worthwhile and valuable for the community, it gives you a sense of accomplishment.

**GOLF LAKES NEEDS YOU TO VOLUNTEER!**



The Golf Lakes Women's Club is now collecting items for donation to the local Head Start program. We are in the process of determining where and when these items may be donated.

All items should be separated and placed in the appropriate cabinet in Storage Room B. PLEASE DO NOT JUST LEAVE ITEMS IN BAGS THE ROOM!

The following items will be collected:

- Cardboard Paper Towel Rolls (not toilet paper!)
- Clean Egg Cartons (Styrofoam or cardboard)
- Empty Kleenex Boxes, flattened
- Large Detergent Bottle Lids/Caps (not bottles)
- Plastic Berry Baskets
- Plastic Square Food Containers (not Styrofoam!)
- Fronts only of Greeting Cards
- Oatmeal/Chip Containers with Lids
- Candy/Cookie Tins

We will also be collecting yarn and used linens (for the fabric) to use for nursing home projects. Please see the article next to this one if you can help make items. →

Yarn and linens may also be left in Storage Room B. DO NOT LEAVE IN PLASTIC BAGS PLEASE!

*Submitted by Barb Wenzler*

## Open Invitation!

Although Vesper services have resumed for the 22-23 season, our guest speakers invite you to join them in their respective churches whenever you feel led.

1. Jonathan Jankovich, Faith Bible Church, 1511 57<sup>th</sup> St. E, Bradenton – service at 10:30 AM
2. Eugene Maddox, Oneco United Methodist Church, 2112 53<sup>rd</sup> Ave. E, Bradenton – services at 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM
3. Jason Lane, Skyway Community Church, 512 61<sup>st</sup> St. E, Palmetto – service at 10:45 AM
4. Dwain Kitchens, The Tabernacle Church, 4141 Desoto Rd., Sarasota – service at 10:15 AM

*Submitted by Carol Montgomery*



Interested in helping in the Clubhouse Kitchen? State law requires that you be Food Safety Certified. We will hold a class for first-time certification on **February 15<sup>th</sup> at 9 AM**. If you are interested, contact Brad Tuttle at 508-335-8866. Seating is limited and must be reserved by calling Brad. Meeting location will be provided at the time of your seat reservation.

Please note that we will be holding a recertification class in March. We have a high number of folks that have let their certifications lapse or are expiring this season, and are no longer allowed to participate in kitchen activities. Please take time to check your current certification status by checking in the cabinet in the kitchen. Keeping up to date on your certification expiration dates is your responsibility.

*Submitted by Brad Tuttle*



## ATTENTIION Golf Lakes Women's Club Crafters

We are still seeking ladies who are looking for something to do with their hands using donated yarns or linens.

There is always a need in nursing homes for these items – **Bibs, Caps/Hats, Walker Bags, Shawls, Slippers, Scarfs, and Kleenex Holders.**

If you can help us by making items at any time, it would be greatly appreciated. We will begin collecting items this month and start making deliveries as needed.

*Barb Wenzler, Outreach Chair*



## **NON-RECYCLABLE**

### **MATERIALS**

**Please do not place any of the following items in the Golf Lakes recycling bins.** Our recycling may not be accepted at the recycling center if it contains any of these items.

- Garbage
- Yard waste
- Plastic bags (shopping or garbage)
- Styrofoam
- Sandwich bags / shrink wrap
- Clothing hangers
- Batteries
- Water hoses
- Electronics
- Large plastic items such as pools, coolers or toys
- Any construction materials (siding, decking or molding)
- Household hazardous waste
- E-Scrap (Electric/battery powered devices)
- Egg cartons of any type
- Mirrors or window glass (broken or whole)
- Black plastic plant containers (with or w/o triangle)

*SUBMITTED BY YOUR GREEN COMMITTEE; Taken from the Manatee County web site and Single Stream Recycle (11/2018)*



## **RECYCLABLE MATERIALS**

Many glass, cardboard and plastic items can be recycled. Plastic bags and Styrofoam cannot be recycled by Manatee County and should not be placed in the Golf Lakes recycling bins.

The following materials are recyclable in Manatee County (all food and beverage containers should be rinsed):

- Newspapers, Junk Mail, shopping ads, windowed envelopes, magazines and paperback books
- Office and computer paper (all colors) **not shredded**
- Phonebooks, greeting cards, brown paper bags
- Non-corrugated card stock (cereal, crackers, frozen food and soda boxes) broken down
- Corrugated Cardboard (must be broken down and placed in the recycle bin.)
- Glass bottles and jars (all colors)
- Aluminum and steel cans (soup and vegetable)
- Plastic bottles (with or without caps) and containers
- Milk, water and juice cartons

*SUBMITTED BY THE GREEN COMMITTEE; Taken from the Manatee County web site and Single Stream Recycle (11/2018)*

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# GOLF LAKES SOCIAL GATHERINGS



## POTLUCK DINNERS 2023

### **SPECIAL NOTICE WINTER/SPRING** Activities Committee

The Monthly Potlucks are back on the schedule! The potlucks will be held on the third Wednesday of the months of January to April.

**The February 15<sup>th</sup> potluck will be the Golden Butterflies celebration at 5:00 PM. Look for more information specific to this dinner only on the Things to Do pages.**

With all other potlucks, please bring your table service, your favorite dish to pass, a serving utensil as needed, and a glass or cup for your drink. The sign-up sheet will be on Board 2. Activities provides the drinks and a \$1.00 donation per person is requested.

*Submitted by Terry Keller*

## SOCIAL HOUR INVITATION



The Activities Committee is confirming the open invitation to Saturday Social Hour. Golf Lakes has many new residents and it is important for everyone to be aware of our Social Hour starting at 9:00 AM every Saturday in the Clubhouse.

For a nominal fee of \$1.00 you get a seat, coffee, and a donut. It also provides the opportunity to meet new people and catch up on what is going on in the Park. In addition, there are special announcements made to keep everyone informed of club or committee activities in the park. Be sure to arrive a little early and come join us! If you have trouble finding a seat, look for the gentlemen wearing the funny red and white striped hats to assist you in finding a seat.

*Submitted by Terry Keller*



## SOCIAL HOUR SPOTLIGHT

### WEEKLY EMCEES

Feb. 4	Susan Hullett
11	Karla Blevins
18	Mildred Blankers
25	Connie Geth

*As of 1/10/23*

## SOCIAL HOUR SHORT ANNOUNCEMENTS

Based on concerns about the length and content of announcements made during Social Hour, guidelines have been established to make the announcements shorter and more effective. If making an announcement, please adhere to the following for the benefit of all attendees.

1. Announcements should be no longer than 15 to 20 seconds.
2. Announcements are to inform and not to entertain – elaboration is not needed.
3. Be specific – list dates, times, cost & contact person.
4. Clarify what Board contains specific details and/or sign-up sheets.
5. Should be in a format similar to what may appear as Ch732 announcements (short & concise)
6. Announcements are for events and activities sponsored by Golf Lakes ONLY.
7. Announcements should not be made more than 3 weeks ahead of the activity or event.

If you would prefer not to attend Social Hour but have an announcement, you must legibly write it out and have someone else make it for you or drop it off to the Emcee no later than 8:50 AM that morning and the Emcee will make sure someone makes the announcement.

*Submitted by Terry Keller*

## THE WELCOME COMMITTEE



### ATTENTION NEW RESIDENTS

The Activities Committee has a **New Resident Welcome Committee** and we would love to talk to you. The Committee shares information about our Park, provides you with a voucher for a free safety vest, a "New Resident Handbook" and a Pictorial of the residents in the Park. A short interview provides the opportunity for your formal introduction to the Park. At a minimum, the meeting with the Committee results in your introduction in the Banner. A New Resident listing appears most months in the Banner (*see this month's intros elsewhere in this issue*). You would be surprised the number of times our new residents have found folks from their own state or even their city through the Banner introduction. At this time, the Committee is working hard to get caught up with interviews due to the large number of new residents. If you would like an "Official Greeting" to Golf Lakes, sign up on the New Resident sheet on Board 2 in the Clubhouse or call Terry Keller at 269-953-2431. Arrangements will be made for your official welcome.

*Submitted by Terry Keller*

# Year-Round Happenings

## FRIDAY ART GROUP

Golf Lakes boasts a Friday morning Art Group which meets year-round from 9:00 AM until 12:00 Noon in the Craft Room. All aspiring artists are welcome!

This group has previously shared photos of their works which have appeared on the back cover of The Banner.

For more info, please contact David Harris.



## Ladies' Bridge

The Golf Lakes Ladies' Bridge group meets every Monday at 12:30 PM in the Friendship Room for a good hand of Bridge as well as camaraderie. All lady residents are welcomed to join in the game. For more information, contact Jane at 941-755-8078.

*Submitted by Jane Parks*



## ZERO IMPACT & FALL PREVENTION

Zero Impact Motion Classes will meet every Wednesday from 9:00 until 9:30 AM followed by Fall Prevention Exercises from 9:30 until 10 AM in the Clubhouse.

The goal of the classes is to increase range of motion of all movable joints in the body and increase stability in order to avoid falls. Dr. Jim is looking forward to having you in class. Bring a mat, pillow and water.

*Submitted by Dr. James Gallo*



## THURSDAY MORNING CRAFTERS

Our Thursday Morning Crafters meet throughout the year at 9:30 AM in the Craft Room. These crafters spend their time 'spinning yarn' into hats, blankets, mittens, and other crocheted and knitted items for babies, children and seniors. They love what they do and invite others to join them in their endeavors.

For more information, contact Kim Dolnick at 941-216-4440.

*Submitted by Kim Dolnick*



## GAD-ABOUTS LUNCHEON

The GAD-ABOUTS will meet for lunch on **Thursday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>** at **1 PM** at **Beef O'Brady's, 4286 53<sup>rd</sup> Ave E** (by Lockwood Ridge Rd), Bradenton.

All single ladies of Golf Lakes are invited to join us. There is a **sign-up** sheet posted on **bulletin board #4** in the Clubhouse. Be sure to print your name and phone number. Also indicate whether you need a ride or you can drive.

Please wear your name tag to the luncheon. Masks are optional. Contact Gloria with any questions.

*Submitted by Gloria Slowiak*



## BREAKFAST CLUB

The Golf Lakes Breakfast Club meets at Fiona's Family Restaurant, 5207 33<sup>rd</sup> Street, Bradenton at 8:00 AM on Wednesdays.

No reservations are needed – just show up and grab a seat. Call Leland & Norma Ver Helst at 641-780-4256 with any questions.

## Piecemakers Quilt Club

The Piecemakers meet year-round as needed and welcome new members. Check the Activities Page for dates and times.

## LAP ROBES

We have a group at Golf Lakes who cut, sew, iron, and assemble donated fabrics, sheets and yarn into lap robes delivered monthly by the Women's Club to seven (7) area nursing homes.

Donations of fabric scraps, used sheets and yarn are always appreciated. New members are welcome as your time permits even if only for an hour after Bible study or if you prefer to take pieces home to be assembled. Call Donna for more information.

*Submitted by Donna Gastier*



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Rita and Rob Cassettari  
went Hawaiian for the  
Christmas Golf Cart Parade!  
Submitted by Rita Cassettari



Watercolor Painting by Sharon St. John  
Submitted by David Harris for Art Group



Sunrise over Golf Lakes taken by Grace Naegele



Happy Valentine Day!

Since the 1980's Golf Lakes has incorporated many activities and groups as they became popular. As we continue through the coming years there will be many new adventures and activities to enjoy!

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THE SEASON OF *Lent*

Lent is a season of forty days, not counting Sundays, which begins on Ash Wednesday and ends on Holy Saturday. Lent refers to the lengthening days of spring. The forty days represents the time Jesus spent in the wilderness, enduring the temptation of Satan and preparing to begin his ministry.

Lent is a time of repentance, fasting and preparation for the coming of Easter. It is a time of self-examination and reflection. In the early church, Lent began as a period of fasting and preparation for baptism by new converts and then became a time of penance by all Christians. Today, Christians focus on relationship with God, growing as disciples and extending ourselves, often choosing to give up something or to volunteer and give of ourselves for others.

Sundays in Lent are not counted in the forty days because each Sunday represents a "mini-Easter." On each Lord's Day in Lent, while Lenten fasts continue, the reverent spirit of Lent is tempered with joyful anticipation of the Resurrection.