



Mainlands Unit 2 TOWN CRIER



President's Corner

Jim Schimpf, HOA President – Unit 2

Let me start my newsletter this month with a **Very Important Announcement** –

The 2024 Budget was approved on September 19, 2023. The next mailing you will receive this month has to do with the voting on “partial or fully funded” budget. This means if you vote “PARTIAL” your dues will be the new amount of \$440.00 per month – if you vote “FULLY FUNDED” the dues will be approximately **\$892.00 per month**.

It is **VERY** important that you return your ballots since **we need half the residents +1 to avoid being “Fully Funded”**.

Please check with your neighbors, who may be housebound for their ballot – **Out of State residents**, make sure you send in your ballot. I would hate to see us pay more monthly than necessary.

Elections will take place November 28th at 7:00 pm – The 2024 Board will be introduced. Please plan on attending this meeting.

I would like to request that golf carts **DO NOT** park in front of any doors (i.e. office & back entrance). In case of an emergency with people having to exit immediately utilizing canes, walkers or scooters this could create an issue when leaving the clubhouse. This is a fire hazard and I do not want the Fire Marshall issuing any citations.

You may still park in that area but **do not block any doorways**.

Please continue to support your clubs by attending their events and having fun.

See you at the **Turkey Dinner !!**

Mark your Calendars:

NOV. 4 – PANCAKE BREAKFAST

NOV. 4 – HORSE RACES

NOV. 5 – PEACH SOCIAL

NOV. 11 – VETERAN'S LUNCH

NOV. 12 – FRIENDLY FEUD

NOV. 23 – THANKSGIVING

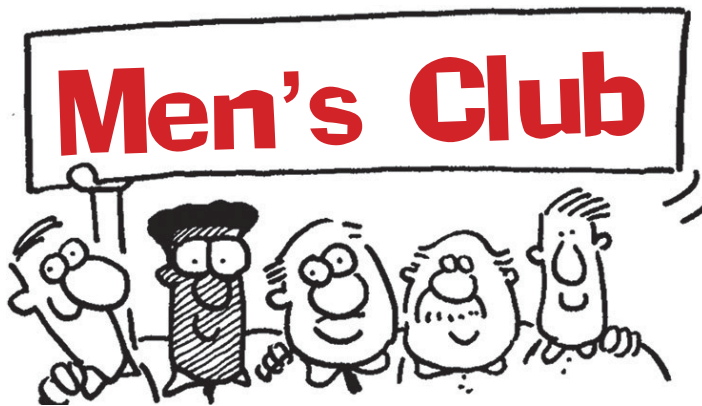
NOV. 26 – COOKIE SALES



**FIRST
SATURDAY
OF EVERY
MONTH**

Sponsored by
the Unit 2 Men's Club.
Next pancake
breakfast will be
Sat. Nov. 4,
8 a.m. - 10 a.m.





Hello everyone, and welcome to our snow bird residents who have returned.

Our first Pancake Breakfast was held on October 7th in our new kitchen and all went well. We were quite busy and everything went smoothly in our new setup.

On Veterans Day Nov 11, the Men's Club is sponsoring a luncheon for all unit 2 veterans, active or retired. This will be held at noon in the clubhouse. You must live in Unit two to attend. Please sign up for this event in the clubhouse prior to November 5th. This is a great time for all our vets to get together so don't forget to sign up.

I also have tickets for those in Unit two who would like to celebrate the Thanksgiving Day holiday in our clubhouse. The event is open to any Unit 2 resident and 4 of their guests. Please see Denis Chenel or call me at 860-218-0072 for tickets.

In December the Men's Club will have their annual Christmas Dinner celebration at "Roosterfish".

That's all for this month. Enjoy your Holiday. GOOD TIMES AND GOOD HEALTH TO EVERYONE!!

SEEKING NEW MEMBERS

Men's Club



The Unit 2 Men's Club is seeking new members. We are asking all men who reside in Unit Two to consider joining the Men's Club. The Club's Primary goals are to provide functions for people in Mainlands to attend and to provide funds for charitable organizations in our area. We also, (along with the other clubs in Unit Two), provide funds for upkeep to our Clubhouse/Pool area. If you are interested in joining this vital organization please plan on attending our monthly meeting which is held on the first Tuesday of every month starting at 6:00 p.m. We serve supper at 6 and the meeting begins at 7:00 p.m. For further information please contact Denis Chenel at 860-218-0072.



Women's Club

Ila Hightshoe, President

The Women's Club met Monday, October 9 with 28 members attending.

The committees for the Peach Social, Horse Races, and Taco Tuesday all reported that all plans are proceeding well. If anyone wants to participate on the Women's Club Board, there are vacancies. Please contact Barbara Young.

We discussed the Christmas Luncheon and have voted to prepare the luncheon ourselves. Also, Ann Boatwright will check on finding entertainment.

Speakers were introduced by Bernadette Homan: Alyssa Malin, an aesthetic nurse practitioner and owner of Inertia Aesthetics and Avail, and Angel Dougherty, a care consultant for Avail. They led a lively discussion and responded to a multitude of questions about aging and elder care.

Thanks to Barbara Y., Linda H., Lorraine O., LaNona R., and Kathleen T. for a lovely lunch.

Our next meeting is Nov. 13, 2023, at 11 AM. Members should be prompt so that our business meeting can be concluded before lunch. The Presidents and Vice-Presidents of all Mainlands Women's Clubs will attend the luncheon served at noon. Bernadette Homan will be providing the lunch.

Thank you for coming and hope to see everyone next month.



PEACH SOCIAL

DATE: NOVEMBER 5

TIME: 2:00 -3:30 PM

COST: \$5.00

**SERVING: PEACH DESSERTS
& ICE CREAM**

**ANY QUESTIONS CONTACT
ANN BOATWRIGHT 727-576-5383**

SOCIAL CLUB NEWS

It's fall and we welcome back our "snow birds." I am seeing familiar faces – Peggy & Jim Kerrigan have arrived along with Don & Barbara Lavy – they brought a new member of the family with them – Rosie. Rosie is a wire haired chihuahua – she is a sweet dog. Brenda Johnson and Larry Elliot popped in for a short period of time, as always good to see them. Millie and Rocco will be joining us for the winter months. I know some of our residents have not returned but we are anxious to see them soon.

The Social Club members continue to "tweak" the kitchen as we utilize the space. We were lucky to have most of the shelf liner donated by one of our new residents, Karen Estes. We thank her for her generosity -this saved us a lot of money and a "**special thanks**" to Ron Bellamy for sharpening our knives – please be careful !! They are **Sharp !!**

Our Police Charity has progressed this year and I want to thank those residents that continue to donate every week. My goal is to collect at least \$1000.00 (if we exceed that amount – that's a plus) and my plan is to have the K-9 and Equestrian representatives join us for Kaffee Klatch on December 20th and we will present each of them with a check.

Our 3 raffles going on (1) Christmas Wreath, (2) Wine Table runner basket and (3) Christmas Table runner basket have been successful. For those who have not heard, the table runners were quilted and donated by Barbara Pastman. Again, we thank her for providing them for the raffle baskets. I appreciate Margie Malone and Karen Estes for helping me to sell the raffle tickets. The funds will help off-set some the expenses we have incurred for internal purchases (bowls, utensils, knives, etc.). The drawings will be held at the Thanksgiving dinner. Remember you don't have to be present to win.

This month you will have the opportunity to bet on your favorite horse on Nov. 4th (let's hope it doesn't throw a shoe !!), visit with the women's club on Nov. 5th for the Peach Social, Nov. 12th attend the Friendly Feud in the afternoon and then get your appetite ready for Thanksgiving dinner 23rd) – Don't forget to bring a dish to share – the turkey, mashed potatoes and rolls will be provided by the clubs. Check the Town Crier and bulletin boards (out/in side) for further information.

Early Notice – the **Christmas Golf Cart parade** will take place Sunday, December 3rd Chaired by Cathy Waldauer. The golf cart contest should consist of golf carts only – **no attachments**. Cookies will be needed for this event – let Cathy know if you can help out. We have such talented bakers in our unit and they provide wonderful cookies for all of us to enjoy. My thanks to them.

Christmas Dinner – Saturday, December 9, 2023 – Dinner will be catered by Banquet Masters – main dishes of beef and chicken cordon bleu. We are asking everyone to pay \$10.00 when they get their ticket. There will be a \$10.00 charge for significant others. Tickets will be sold by: Linda Payne & Gail Arsenault. As always, it will be refunded to Unit 2 Residents that evening – your ticket is required to receive your \$10.00. Come and enjoy the dinner and activities.

Liz Schimpf – President
Unit 2 Social Club

Christmas Stuffed Animal & Toy Drive for the Pinellas Park Fire Administration

Jingle Bells. Jingle Bells; jingle all the way to the children of Pinellas Park by helping the Pinellas Park Fire Administration put a smile on their faces. Once again, this year, we will be sponsoring a Stuffed Animal and Toy Drive for our friends in the Pinellas Park Fire Administration. Stuffed animals can be new or just "bearly" used, but toys have to be new. The stuffed animals will be sanitized by the Fire Administration prior to their being offered to the families. If each family in Mainlands Unit 2 find it within their hearts to donate a stuffed animal or toy, imagine how big a smile we'd see on the faces of the children.

A collection box will be in the Unit 2 Club house from October 1, through December 7, 2023. If you can't make it to the Club House, and want to donate or have questions, please contact Jan Mekeel, 727-545-3814.



Mainlands Unit 2 Activities

ACTIVITY	WHEN	CONTACT
Bible Study	Every Tuesday @ 10 a.m. Will resume Jan. 2024	Lou Astuto (484) 332-4079
Bingo	Every Monday 5:45 p.m.	Jerry Smith (727) 263-6217
Bocce Ball and Shuffleboard	Every Sunday @ 3 p.m.	Gail Arsenault (727) 385-9207
Book Club	1st Monday of the month @ 1:30 p.m.	LaNona Robinson (727) 578-9966
Bowling League	Tuesdays at 1:00 p.m.	Jerry Smith (727) 263-6217
Bunco – Lola's	2nd Friday of each month @ 5:15 p.m.	Cathy Waldauer (727) 460-1406
Diners' Club	2nd Wednesday of each month @ 5 p.m. Green Pagoda, 7900 4th St.N, St. Pete	Jerry & Ila Hightshoe (727) 329-8884
Game Night	3rd Tuesday of each month, 7-9 p.m.	Gail Arsenault (727) 385-9207
7s (*Play the game of 7s- dice game w/nickels).	2nd & 4th Tuesday of each month	Gail Arsenault (727) 385-9207
Hand & Foot	Every Thursday @ 1:00 p.m.	Jerry & Ila Hightshoe (727) 329-8884
Kaffee Klatch *Donuts and Coffee \$1.50	Every Wednesday @ 9 a.m.	Denis Chenel (860) 218-0072 Peggy Chenel (860) 218-0072
Ladies Lunch Bunch	Thursday, Nov. 9 - 11 a.m. Early Bird Theatre, 13355 49th St N, Clearwater	Anne Hildebrand (239) 357-3635
Men's Club	1st Tuesday of each month @ 6 p.m.	Denis Chenel (860) 218-0072
Pinochle	Every Thursday @ 5:45 p.m.	Janet Mekeel (727) 545-3814
Texas Hold'em *\$10 Buy In.	\$1.00 for high hand Every Wednesday @ 6 p.m.	Liz Schimpf (727) 560-8287
Water Aerobics - <i>When the temperature is at least 67 degrees 30 minutes before starting.</i>	Mon, Tues, Thurs & Friday @ 8:00 a.m. Wed @ 7:30 a.m.	Fay Burgeson (727) 577-9534
Women's Club	November 13 @ 11 a.m.	Ila Hightshoe (727) 329-8884

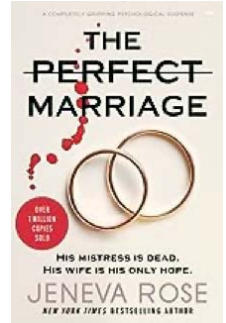


NOTE: The Calendar of Events for all of the Mainlands Units is now available on channel 732. See all of the Mainlands Units' newsletters online at: themainlands.com



Join the Book Club!

Meeting: First Monday of every month
 Time: 1:30 p.m.
 Location: Unit 2 Clubhouse Library
 Date November 6, 2023



Would you defend your husband if he was accused of killing his mistress?

Good question. Our November book is *THE PERFECT MARRIAGE*. The Heroine is a *BIG TIME* defense attorney and her husband is charged with killing his mistress and she defends him. WOW October book club was quite not that intense. We had fun. We got gifts. Liz arranged for everyone who attended to receive a book bag with Coleen Hoover's name on the front. We have read several of her books. October's book *THE CHOCOLATE JEWEL CASE MURDER* was about chocolate and murder so we ate chocolate. Our book was a fast read but disappointing despite good reviews-- too many characters and most were living in one house. What there were no hotels or B&Bs in town. Snowbird members participate with e-mails and texts. This book is part of a series and overall we probably won't read the rest. The word of the month was *wherewithal*. Certainly many of the characters in the book had no *wherewithal*. This is a word that you can use a lot. It can mean "He has no Character or He has no money or She has no plan or She has no idea." It is a great word which described so much in the book. For Show and Tell, Kathleen brought a little pamphlet book from 1900 on how to have a good marriage. We really enjoyed discussing that little book and how women's lives and circumstances have changed so much in 100 years. Calmer topics in December when we read *The CHRISTMAS TRAIN* by DAVID BALDACCI. Come and join us. You'll have fun
 Next meeting ...first Monday in November...1:30 p.m....Unit 2 Clubhouse



FREE Mainlands Grocery Express September through December 2023 Trips

September 14	LARGO MALL/PUBLIX	10:30 to 1:00 pm
10500 Ulmerton Rd, Largo FORM DUE BY Sept 10		
September 28	WINN DIXIE/ RUTLAND PLAZA	10:30 to 1:00 pm
1049 62nd Ave, St Pete FORM DUE BY Sept 24		
October 12	PUBLIX/GATEWAY	10:30 to 1:00 pm
7751 9TH Street N, St Pete FORM DUE BY Oct 08		
October 26	PUBLIX/DISSTON PLAZA	10:30 to 1:00 pm
3501 4TH St No FORM DUE BY OCT 22		
November 09	LARGO MALL/PUBLIX	10:30 to 1:00 pm
10500 Ulmerton Rd, Largo FORM DUE BY NOV 05		
November 30	CLEARWATER MALL/TARGET, ROSS	10:30 TO 1:00 pm
20505 US Hwy 19, Clearwater FORM DUE BY Nov 26		
December 14	WINN DIXIE/RUTLAND PLAZA	10:30 TO 1:00 pm
1049 62nd Ave , St Pete FORM DUE By Dec 10		



ATTENTION: They are having trouble meeting the quota of 10 people and if they don't meet that number this program could be eliminated.

1. Minimum age 60.
2. Fill out the Neighborly Transportation Form . Note due dates!
3. Sign up for your trip on the sheet posted in the Clubhouse
4. Suggest that you bring recyclable shopping bag/freezer bag

Contact Shirley Johns 706.990.0609 or at cakes2utoo@yahoo.com
 Joyce Bachman 270.339.6248 or at joycecadiz@aol.com

for Transportation form or questions



Silver Santa's Annual Charity Project will continue in 2023.

These seniors still need our help with items to make their holidays a little brighter. Beginning in **October**, we will be collecting the following items in the Clubhouse. There will be a box in the porch area.

The items needed are as follows:
Clothing (NEW) Size L & XL – socks, sweatpants/tops, pajamas, t-shirts



- Blankets (Lap)
- Puzzle, puzzle books, books, etc.

Toiletries: shampoo/conditioner, hand/body lotion, toothpaste/brushes, mouth wash, bath wash, razors, shaving cream, etc. (Silver Santas does not take "travel samples"),

**** Please give all travel samples to Tammy Bosco 215-869-6615 ****

Deadline will be Monday , November 29th

Don't forget if you need help or have questions regarding Senior living questions contact Bob Dorian @ 727-457-2467

Thanks for your generosity. Liz Schimpf

LaNona Robinson
Historian



TRAVEL DOWN THE CLUBHOUSE MEMORY LANE

Unit 2 just remodeled the kitchen with new stainless appliances, sharp white cupboards and beautiful countertops. In addition, the floors were cleaned and polished and sealed. But what did our kitchen look like originally. Below are some pictures from the original clubhouse in the 1970s. You will need to look beyond the topic of the pic to see the kitchen but what a difference 60 years makes.



Pic 1 Kitchen cabinets: Today, we have lovely new cabinets but originally we only had shelves under the island. Look at pic 1. No doors, just open shelves. This is your first look at the paneling. Notice everyone seated in folding chairs.

Pic 2: Windows were Old Miami windows that rolled



Pic 3: See the green frig in the kitchen. Also notice the kitchen island even had paneling on it.

Pic 4: The stage had one big step in the front and paneling. This is the original Unit 2 Men's Chorus.



Pic 5: Smoking in the clubhouse was okay, and see the screen doors on the front doors. More clues that point to no AC.



Pic 6: 1972 Men wore hats when cooking a chicken dinner and striped aprons. You can really see the 12 windows overlooking the pool in this photo.

BIG NEWS FROM Spectrum

STARTING NOVEMBER 10, 2023 THE NEW SPECTRUM CONTRACT WILL BE GOING INTO EFFECT. THE NEW CONTRACT INCLUDES:

- DVR AND DVR RECORDING SERVICES
- HD CABLE BOX
- MODEM
- WIFI ROUTER
- 500 MBPS DOWNLOAD AND 20 MBPS UPLOAD

If you already have one DVR and one regular box you will not have to do anything starting on the 10th you will no longer be charged for the DVR.

If you currently do not have a DVR and only two standard boxes one of the standard boxes will need to be exchanged for the DVR. If you are still being charged for the DVR after the start date contact Spectrum at 1-833-210-0530.

DVR stands for digital video recorder it has all of the same features as the regular box but it will also allow you to record and playback TV. You will need to either go to a spectrum store to exchange the regular box for a DVR or you can call 1-833-210-0530 to order the DVR and they will ship it to you. You will need to return the regular box to either a spectrum store or a UPS store and they will return it for you. The boxes come with a self-install kit, but if you are unable to install it Spectrum will install the new box, but there will be a fee associated with the install service at this time the cost is a one-time payment of \$49.99. If you have any questions you can call the Mainlands maintenance office at 727-573-5670.

Kaffee Klatch is held every Wednesday morning at 9 a.m. Coffee and pastries are available for \$1.50 and there is no better way to catch up on upcoming events and the welfare of your friends. Come and join us and keep up-to-date. Also remember that volunteering to serve coffee for a month is a great way to meet your neighbors.

We need volunteers to help out with hosting as MC, servers and donut pick up.

Don't Throw it Away - Recycle!

Jerry Smith is collecting all used ink cartridges and toners to recycle. You can bring them to the Unit 2 Clubhouse or call Jerry (727) 263-6217.



MAINLANDS UNIT 2 - MEMORIAL BRICKS



Those of you who did not get a chance to see our Memorial Bricks installed - go take a look. They are located in front of the Unit 2 Clubhouse on the pathway to the flag and message board. These bricks can be purchased for \$50 in memory of a loved one that passed on and was a resident of Unit 2. Any questions or interest in purchasing a brick, please call Jerry Smith at (727) 263-6217. Special thanks to Pete Whyte for installing the bricks.

A NOTE FROM YOUR LAWN DIRECTOR

We are now in the process of relocating the sprinkler heads to ensure that your lawns are properly watered and no water is wasted. This project will take months to complete as it is being performed by our maintenance people. In my 27 years being a resident, this has been the worst summer anyone can remember for lack of rain. We have also been invaded by insects that are demolishing our lawns. We intended to replace numerous lawns but were advised to hold off due to the excessive heat and lack of rain. Our first infestation happened in June and we began extra treatments for insect control. Again, we had a 2nd infestation in September that was far greater than the 1st. Tri-S began using a granular insecticide that definitely kills the insects. They have informed us that it may be next March before the insect problem is under control. Be patient, we do not wish to spend funds that may be wasted to only have insects destroy the newly replaced lawns. A complete report will be given at the annual meeting in November.



HORSE RACES

MAINLANDS 2 CLUBHOUSE

SATURDAY

NOVEMBER 4, 2023

Hostess: Ila Hightshoe

50/50 (727) 329-8884

DOORS OPEN @ 6:30

FIRST RACE @ 7:00



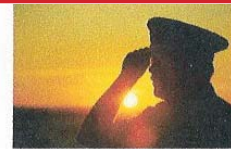
COME & PLACE YOUR BETS



BYOB

DRINKS

FOR PURCHASE



WE WANT TO HONOR
ALL THOSE WHO
SERVED OUR COUNTRY

ATTENTION
ALL PRESENT & FORMER MILITARY
RESIDENTS OF UNIT 2

Unit 2 Men's Club is sponsoring a free luncheon
for all Present & former Military Veterans on
Veterans Day, November 11th at 12pm (noon)
in the Unit 2 Rec Hall.

Please sign up for this event on the attached sheet
inside the club house with your Name, Address &
Military Branch prior to November 5, 2023

Please call Denis Chenel with questions
(860) 218-0072

COME JOIN MAINLANDS UNIT 2
 FOR AN AFTERNOON OF
FRIENDLY FEUD
 SUNDAY
 NOVEMBER 12TH * 1-3pm
 DOORS OPEN AT NOON



"OPEN SEATING"

Tickets - \$5.00 * BYOB

Snacks for sale

(includes answer sheet & pens)

"Teams of 4 Only"

Alan Waldauer (727)460-1406

Peggy Chenel (727) 667-7754

Deadline/No Refunds - November 4th

THANKSGIVING DINNER

UNIT 2

SOCIAL, WOMEN'S & MEN'S CLUB

THURSDAY

NOVEMBER 23, 2023 @ 2:00pm

*Turkey Breast, Gravy, Mashed Potatoes,
 Plus Refreshments*

*"Please bring a covered dish to share
 for the buffet table"*



Tickets \$12.00 BYOB

(Unit 2 household & 4 Guests)

Contact: Ila Hightshoe * (727) 329-8884

Denis Chenel (860) 218-0072

(Deadline 11/17/23 - No Refunds)

**ANNUAL HOLIDAY
 FOOD DRIVE**

It's that time of the year for our Annual Holiday Food Drive. Sacred Heart's Food Pantry needs non-perishables for distribution to give away during the holidays. There is a mail tote in the clubhouse in the porch area.

Please be generous with your canned goods and non-perishable foods (please check expiration dates – any food items beyond those dates will not be accepted)

This is the time of the year when no one should go hungry!

If you need to have the items picked up, please contact Peggy Farrington at (727) 578-0313. Your food donations are greatly appreciated!



UNIT 2 WOMEN'S CLUB
 FOR HEAVEN'S SAKE DON'T BAKE

"HOLIDAY COOKIE SALE"

Sunday, November 26, 2023 from 1-3

Come Choose among a large assortment of cookies provided by the Residents of Unit 2.

Cookies are \$5.00 per dozen

"Maybe even purchase more than one dozen"

Door Prize: To the Unit 2 Resident who brings the most cookies to be purchased

Hostess: Carolyn Moore * (317) 430-2257



Note: Bakers are asked to bring at least 3 dozen cookies in a covered container to the clubhouse on Saturday, November 25th between 3-5pm. Please label the containers with name and type of cookie

Thank You

**UNIT 2 HOMEOWNER'S
ANNUAL**

CHRISTMAS PARTY

Saturday, December 9, 2023

Doors Open @ 5:00

BYOB * Soda & Water provided

Dinner @ 6:00

BANQUET MASTER BUFFET

Carved Steamship Round of Beef

Chicken Cordon Bleu, Mashed Potatoes,

Mixed Vegetables & Dessert

Tickets are \$10.00

Must have ticket to attend

(\$10.00 will be refunded at the door with ticket)

Contact: Linda Payne * (727) 215-2263

Gail Arsenault * (727) 385-9207

(Cut off date December 1st.)

Unit 2 Residents only

Significant other \$10.00 charge)



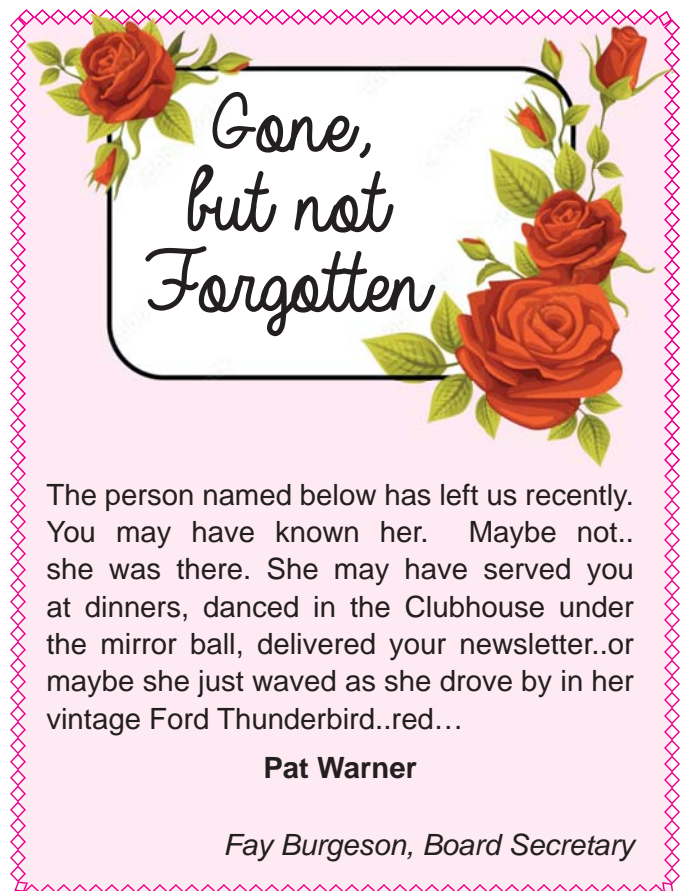
...to **Wendy Kochonen!** Wendy is our new neighbor moving in at 9793 41st St N. Now, there's a neighborhood that could use some new blood!

Valarie Zawacki and her brother **Jeff Johnston** are the new residents at 10155 43rd St. We are sure glad you chose Mainlands. Word has it that you enjoyed a Unit 2 Pancake Breakfast on October 7. Behaving like a good neighbor already!

Pete and Laura Gill have moved in with Laura's mom to help out. What a lovely, caring daughter and son-in-law. Looking forward to getting to know the two of you kids better! They are anxious to pitch in with Unit 2 activities along with our Men's Club.

You will be meeting **Kevin and Carol Mellon** soon as they are looking forward to jumping in and helping with our activities! Music to our ears. They are moving in at 10132 44th St.

Fay Burgeson
Homeowners Board Secretary
(727) 577-9534 or fburgeson@gmail.com





Ladies Lunch Bunch

Our Ladies Lunch Bunch is Meeting on Thursday November 9 at Early Bird Dinner Theater, 13355 49th St N, Clearwater at 11:00 am. Admission is \$45, cash or check.

This month's play is Making God Laugh. The script follows one typical American family over the course of 30 years worth of holidays. It should be a really funny show, full of laughs. Of course, there is always a great buffet to enjoy.

There is a signup sheet in the Clubhouse.

Looking forward to December, we will be lunching at Doc Ford's Jungle Terrace at 8790 Bay Pines Blvd. St Pete.

It is his newest restaurant on the waterfront. I have been to the other 3 locales over the years and guarantee you will be happy with the food.

We invite all our ladies to join us. If you need a ride let me know. Any questions, call Anne Hildebrand @ 239-357-3635.

FALL DANCE

Our annual fall dance was well attended by our Mainland residents and their friends. A thank you to Charlotte Smith who called her friends and helped us to fill up the room.

Our guests were entertained by Tom Davis. He sang a variety of songs from country to the oldies. Everyone enjoyed the evening. There was a lot of line dancing going on as well as some cheek-to-cheek dancing. It's a good sign when everyone stays until the last song.

A special thank you to Carolyn Chilton for donating the snacks and Mike & Marilyn Anderson for making the popcorn (they have their own popcorn machine !!) for our evening.

Thanks to the men's club who assisted with the floor arrangement, Jim Schimpf and Karen Estes for selling the 50/50 tickets, and the ladies who helped decorate and clean up.

A thank you to our hostess, Lorraine Ostrowski for all her hard work & planning. Another successful dance.

*Liz Schimpf
Social Club President*

**WANTED:
MONDAY NIGHT**



Need someone (Male or Female) to help run Monday Night Bingo. Will train.

**Contact: Jerry Smith
727-263-6217**



**UNIT 2 2023
CHARITY PROJECT**

This year we will be collecting donations to support the Pinellas Park K-9 and Equestrian Departments. The donation container will be in the clubhouse along with a description of each department.



The two groups continuously support our community without hesitation. If we can alleviate some of their expenses, it will be greatly appreciated.

Thank you for your generous contributions.



BACK TO SCHOOL

Unit 2 is again collecting school supplies. We will be delivering in November. By then other groups will have finished donating and the need will still be there. Thank you for helping!




A Note from the Editor

IT'S GREAT TO HAVE ALL OF OUR FRIENDS BACK FROM THEIR SUMMER ADVENTURES. WE HAVE A GREAT LINEUP OF EVENTS FOR NOVEMBER SO PLEASE READ YOUR TOWN CRIER TO KEEP UP WITH EVERYTHING THAT'S HAPPENING IN OUR UNIT.

Please submit articles for the newsletter via email as a word doc, rich text format, or type them in the body of your email. Photos should be jpeg format. Please submit articles to Diane Atherton at datherton1@tampabay.rr.com

Deadline for submitting articles is the 15th of the month. Articles received after the 15th cannot be guaranteed to be included in that month's newsletter.



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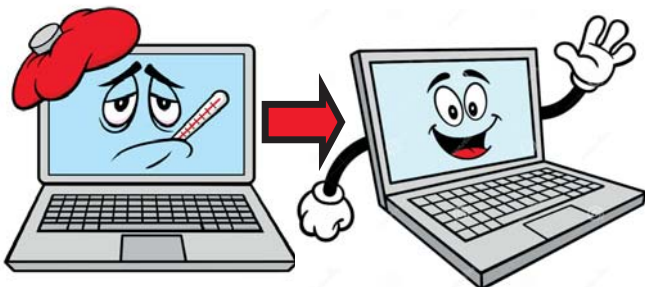
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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 9 a.m. Kaffee Klatch 6:00 p.m. Texas Hold'em	2 1 p.m. – 3 p.m. Hand & Foot 5:45 p.m. Pinochle	3	4 8-10 a.m. Pancake Breakfast 7:00 p.m. Horse Racing
5 2-3:30 p.m. Peach Social 3 p.m. Bocce Ball Shuffleboard	6 Bingo 5:45 p.m. 1:30 p.m. Book Club	7 Bowling 1 p.m. 6 p.m. Men's Club	8 9 a.m. Kaffee Klatch 6:00 p.m. Texas Hold'em 5:00 p.m. Diners Club Green Pagoda 7900 4th St N St. Pete	9 11 a.m. Ladies Lunch Bunch Early Bird Dinner Theatre 1 p.m. – 3 p.m. Hand & Foot 5:45 p.m. Pinochle	10 5:15 p.m. Lola's BUNCO	11 12 noon Veteran's Luncheon
12 1:00-3:00 p.m. Friendly Feud 3 p.m. Bocce Ball Shuffleboard	13 Women's Club 11 a.m. Bingo 5:45 p.m.	14 Bowling 1 p.m. 7s 7-9 p.m.	15 9 a.m. Kaffee Klatch 6:00 p.m. Texas Hold'em	16 1 p.m. – 3 p.m. Hand & Foot 5:45 p.m. Pinochle	17	18
19 3 p.m. Bocce Ball Shuffleboard	20 Bingo 5:45 p.m.	21 Bowling 1 p.m. 7-9 p.m. Game Night	22 9 a.m. Kaffee Klatch 6 p.m. Texas Hold'em	23 2:00 p.m. Thanksgiving Dinner	24	25
26 1-3 p.m. Holiday Cookie Sale 3 p.m. Bocce Ball Shuffleboard	27 Bingo 5:45 p.m.	28 Bowling 1 p.m. 7s 7-9 p.m.	29 9 a.m. Kaffee Klatch 6:00 p.m. Texas Hold'em	30 1 p.m. – 3 p.m. Hand & Foot 5:45 p.m. Pinochle		

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