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## TEAKWOOD EAST SOCIAL CLUB OFFICERS & COMMITTEES – 2026

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Social Club Board meeting March 5th  
 Social Club Members Business Meeting March 10th – after coffee

## TMHA MESSAGE

*From Louise Bonnette President*

**H**i. I want to welcome the new members to the board! We did not have to have an election as there were not enough candidates, but we have filled the positions. Judy Owen will remain on the board. Tom Rohlfs and Dave Rettig will join us. We are looking forward to a good year!

See the list above as it has positions, names and phone numbers. As always, leave a message

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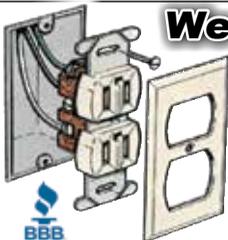
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We will be having our annual meeting at Aloha on Wednesday March 4th at 12:00pm. Join us to meet the new board members and discuss any concerns you have. Hope to see you there!

## FROM THE MAIN OFFICE

*Submitted by Lori Figler*

**W**elcome to March, National Noodle Month.

I have 2 topics that are filling my voice mail, e-mail, text and phone message pad.

Let's start with dogs. Per the Rules and Regulations, as well as Pinellas County law, dogs must be on leash at all times when outside of your home. The leash must be attached to the pet and the owner must have control of the leash, thus control of the pet. There is no tethering (tying outside) of pet allowed. You are also required to pick up your pet's waste. It is also considered trespassing if you allow your pet to enter yards without that resident's permission. Retractable leashes are not strictly prohibited, but we strongly recommend against the use of this type of leash as the pet is not under your control if you are that far from them. Leash at all times, clean up after your pet and keep them out of yards without express permission. Speaking of trespassing, stay out of other residents' yards. Do not walk through, touch the grass/landscaping or move anything that is not in your yard. It's rude and you would be highly offended if someone did the same to you.

Refer to the Rules and Regulations for penalties.

SPECIAL NOTICE from the Office:

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- **CLUBHOUSE CLEANING SCHEDULE:** Tiki Tues. 9AM to 11AM; Ohana Tues. 11AM to 1PM; Aloha Wed. 11AM to 1PM;
- **CLUBHOUSE & POOL HOURS/RULES:** Pool hours 9 am to Dusk. Clubhouse hours 7:30 am to 10:00 pm. You must accompany your guest(s) to the pools/clubhouses.
- **Teakwood Management Office:** 531 Commerce Dr; Largo FL 33770 727-584-8684
- **Young at Heart Volunteer Helpers:** For simple plumbing, electrical, moving furniture etc. call Don Monroe 727-269-3669 to schedule time. There is no set charge but a donation to Young at Heart is appreciated.

## NOTES FROM THE SOCIAL CLUB PRESIDENT

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Janice Ross

**H**ello to all my Irish leprechauns... Amazing, March, time for green. As I write this, it's to thank all of you for all you've done in January as we're only 10 days into February. We had a wonderful spaghetti dinner hosted by Bill Marx and his "Italian" crew, a Derby Race hosted by Sandy Miller and her great volunteers. A fun night with the Godfather of Comedy hosted by Ernie & Maryemma Holben was enjoyed by all. Even though the weather was awful there was a good turnout for Fun Nite with Music hosted by Ruby & Bernie Torino. The Troubadours also brought in a big crowd thanks to Bill O'Sullivan and his group. A large donation was made to the Hope Villages Food Bank. Judy Glenn and Ann Davidson put on another great Variety Show with our own home talent plus professional saxophonist Steve Ermish, so of Kathryn & Mike Ermish. Besides Share the Wealth that brought in over \$400, Art Gerish and Sean Greeley put together raffle baskets that brought in over \$600. A big thank you to Penny Sandborn Dotsie, a new resident, for starting a cornhole competition which has been a big hit.



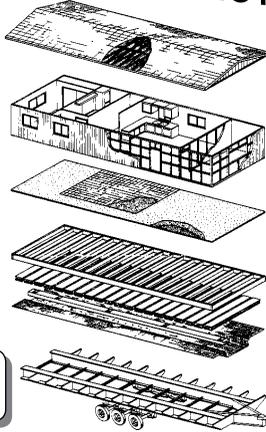
At our Social Club Members Business Meeting on February 10th, our member voted on some changes to the bylaws. The meeting was conducted by MoMo Liebler and a very competent Board. I'm so very proud of them as my sister and I were at a surprise 90th birthday party for a cousin. Thank you Board Members so much. From your chatty pres. Toot-a-loo



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## **CLUB MEMBERSHIP FOR 2026**

The 2026 Social Club memberships are now on sale at Tuesday Koffee Klatch. The \$2 membership fee is good from January 1 – December 31, 2026. Anyone wishing to get the lower cost of tickets for our special events throughout the year must purchase a 2026 membership. We have some great events coming up that you won't want to miss & will be glad to get the lower rate for these activities.

We encourage new residents to come to coffee, hear what is going on in the Village and take a minute to chat with Maureen Liebler who is in charge of Social Club membership.

## **WELCOME NEW TEAKWOOD EAST RESIDENTS**



Linda Sawyer (702) 354-0633 is our Teakwood East 'Welcome Coordinator'. If you are new to Teakwood East or know of someone who has recently moved into the Village please contact Linda. She has a welcome gift bag with useful information about the area and some goodies including a free Social Club membership that is good for January 1 – December 31, 2026.

## **NOTE FROM THE EDITOR**

For those residents who are in charge of weekly or monthly activities who will be heading north for the summer, please let me know as soon as possible what the last date will be for your activity. Prior to returning in the fall please email me with your activity start-up date.

## **SUNSHINE REPORT FOR JANUARY 10, 2025 – FEBRUARY 10, 2026**

*Submitted by: Cindi Nance*

A **GET-WELL** card was delivered to Cora Fadden.

**THINKING OF YOU** cards were delivered to Vivian Hughes and John Walker.

If anyone knows of a Teakwood East Resident that is in need of some Sympathy or Sunshine, or just a "Thinking of You" please contact Cindi Nance @ 816-533-1273 or you can send an email to [csnance@outlook.com](mailto:csnance@outlook.com). Out of respect for the privacy of the individual, it needs to be a family member or a very close friend to inform me.



**A Complete Listing of Resident Services  
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# MARCH 2026 BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Submitted by Dianna Martin

There has been some confusion about getting updated birthday & anniversary information to me in time for the monthly media. For now, I will be handling this myself. If you sent updated or new information to Eileen in the last 3 months, please resend this information to me so I can ensure an updated list. Thank you for your understanding.

## BIRTHDAYS:

- 2nd Shelly Joyce
- 4th "Dick" John Adams
- 5th Bill Pitrof
- 5th Debra Snyder
- 6th Marianne Rohlfs
- 7th Harold Voigt
- 12th Ed Hatch
- 13th Marilyn "Boots" Portegys
- 14th Jeffrey Stewarts
- 17th Rebecca Parke
- 17th Patsy Ervin
- 19th Kerry Scott
- 27th "AD" Adrienne Groves
- 28th Theresa Broad
- 28th Debbie Morkensturm
- 31st Andy Ruger



## ANNIVERSARIES:

- 7th Mike & Sue Siddell 39 years



**CONGRATULATIONS & BEST WISHES TO ALL!** All pertinent data must be submitted before by the 10th of the month preceding your event in order for it to be included in the monthly media. For birthdays I need name, month & date. For anniversaries names, month/day/year married. Please email the information to me at [teakwoodgm@gmail.com](mailto:teakwoodgm@gmail.com) or text me at 727-424-9332 with all needed information. Please DO NOT leave a voice message on this number.



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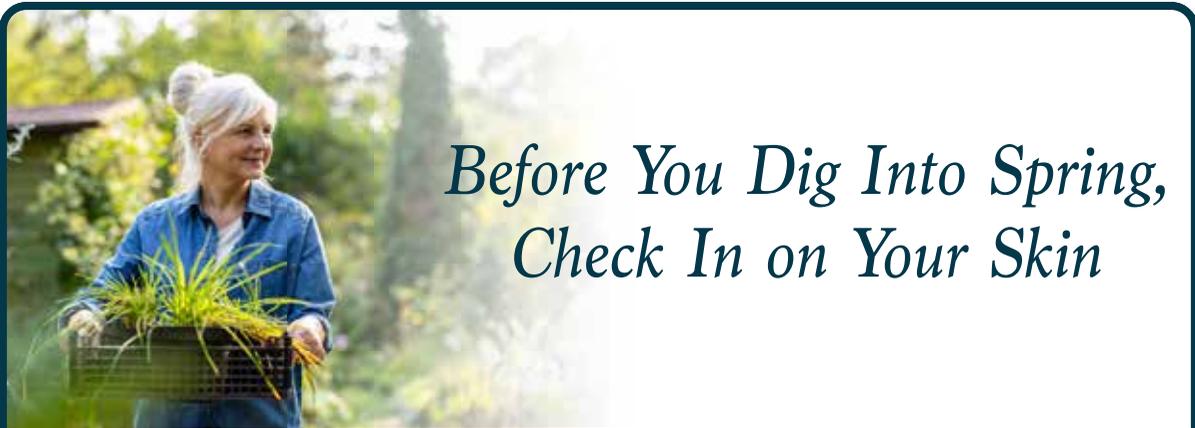


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## **QUILT RAFFLE**

*Submitted by Phyllis Melanson*

## **CONGRATULATIONS !**

**C**ongratulations to Penny Dostie who won the queen size quilt that was raffled off in support of Young at Heart. The amount raised was \$389!! Thank you to everyone who bought tickets, and also for the compliments on the quilt.

## **KOFFEE KLATCH**

*Submitted by Sharon Sklar*

**S**ix Volunteers to host coffee are needed for the following dates: May 26th & June 2nd, June 9th & 16th, August 18th & 25th, September 1st & 8th, October 27th & November 3rd, December 8th & 15th. Unfortunately, if no one volunteers to fill these slots, there will be no coffee on these dates. Please see me at Tuesday coffee to sign up or give me a call 727-667-9412.

Koffee Klatch is every Tuesday at the Aloha Clubhouse starting at 9:00 A.M. The cost is \$3 for one donut and all the coffee/tea you can drink. Please bring your own cup/mug and plate. Even if you don't drink coffee or eat donuts, we would like to see you. There is no charge for just sitting and catching up with friends or meeting new ones. We encourage all residents to stop by as this is the place to hear about all of the upcoming special events and purchase tickets for these activities. If you would like to "Host" a future Koffee Klatch" please see Sharon Sklar.

## **MONTHLY LADIES LUNCH**

*submitted by Nancy Unrue*

**T**he monthly Ladies Lunch is a great way to get together with friends or if you are new to Teakwood to meet new people. Check the bulletin board in the Aloha Clubhouse for more information and to sign up.

## **TEAKWOOD EAST BOCCE LEAGUE**

*Submitted by Mike & Cathy*

**T**eakwood East Bocce Banquet is Sunday March 8th for regular and substitute players. Doors open at 3:00 P.M, cocktails at 4:00 and dinner will start at 5:15. The awards ceremony will be after dinner.

Anyone not already signed up as a player or sub who would like to play during the 2026-2027 season, please contact Cathy Watson at 607-382-5711





## FOOD PANTRY

*Submitted by Ruby Torino*

The “Good Neighbors” Food Pantry will be at the Aloha Clubhouse every 1st Tuesday of each month. March 3rd will be the next food giveaway. Sign-in starts at 12:30PM and the giveaway starts at 1:00PM. For those early birds, you will not be able to sign-in before 12:30 but please occupy the available seats toward the front so the volunteer knows you get to sign-in first. The volunteers can do their shopping FIRST as they are responsible for setting up, unloading heavy boxes, sorting, organizing, breaking down boxes and clean-up. Any important updates/changes will be posted to Teakwood Village Social Club Activities Facebook page. Bring your own bag. Some items will be limited to one per person. Depending on the turn out, it may be possible to have a second helping. If you are homebound and you need food delivered to you or if you have questions, please call Ruby Torino @ (630) 440-6480.



## 2026 DERBY RACE

*Submitted by Sandy Miller*

The last race of the season is SATURDAY March 14th so be sure to mark your calendar. The races are a good way to meet new people or get together with friends as you cheer on your favorite horses. Doors open at 6:00 P.M. The kitchen is open for water, soda, popcorn and ice cream or you may B.Y.O. The first race starts promptly at 7:00 P.M. so your bet must be in by that time. The cost is \$5 per person to play and all monies are paid out in top winners’ prizes and door prizes. We also have Share the Wealth. All residents of Teakwood east and west and their personal guests are welcome. Hope to see you all there!



## ST PATRICK’S DAY DANCE

It is said that on St. Patrick’s Day, everyone is Irish. So don your green outfits and get ready to dance an Irish jig...or your best rock n’ roll moves to the sounds of Sequel March 17th at Aloha from 7:00 – 10:00 pm . This band has been a favorite of Teakwood , so you won’t want to miss out. Tickets are \$10 for members and \$13 for non-members and guests and can be purchased at Tuesday coffee or by calling Ed & Donna Hatch at 330-310-0366





## THE GODFATHER COMEDY SHOW

**A**loha Hall was packed to see Joe Biddea, “The Godfather of Comedy”. Thanks to Maryemma & Ernie Holben and their volunteers for a successful evening.



## BINGO

*Submitted by Maureen Liebler*

**M**arch 18th is our last night of BINGO for the season. Doors open at 4:45 PM. Bingo cards will be on sale from 5:00 – 6:00 PM (no cards sold after that time) and the first game will start at 6:30. The kitchen will be open for Sloppy Joe’s, chips, ice cream, soda & water. We will also have Share the Wealth. Bingo is open to all Teakwood residents! Come join us for a fun night.



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## **FUN NIGHT WITH MUSIC CONCERT**

*Submitted by Ruby Torino*

**P**lease join us for an unforgettable evening of diverse musical performances Saturday March 21, 2026 at the Aloha Clubhouse. Our "Fun Night with Music Concert" will feature a variety of songs to get your toes tapping and your heart singing. Every note played and every ticket sold will directly benefit the Young at Heart Charity, helping them continue their important work in our community supporting the Largo public school children. Doors open at 6 PM and the concert starts at 6:30. Tickets are \$4 and are available beginning Feb 17th at Tuesday coffee, by contacting Ruby Torino at 630-440-6480 or [rubbytorino@yahoo.com](mailto:rubbytorino@yahoo.com) OR at the door on concert night.



## **FAREWELL SOCIAL**

**T**he Social Club is hosting a FREE pizza party on March 22nd from 4-7pm. Come and visit with all of our friends as we say goodbye for the summer. Please sign up at Tuesday coffee or let Peggy Farrell (319-231-6172) know you want to attend as we do need to know how many pizzas to order. This is an EAST SIDE ONLY event. BYOB and if you like to bake feel free to bring a dessert to share.



## **TROUBADOURS CONCERT**

**C**ome out and enjoy a great night of music, as the Troubadours will be performing their annual Spring Concert on March 28 at 7:00 PM. at Aloha Hall. The full band will be on stage including Margette Bianco our fabulous keyboard player. The concert will encompass a variety of music including classic Rock and Roll, Pop, Country, and Motown. The cost is \$5.00 and all proceeds go to the local food bank. (Hope Villages of America) Tickets will go on sale early March at Tuesday coffee klatch. Tickets will be available at the door or can be purchased by contacting Ben Cortez (810-624-5845) or Bill O'Sullivan (727-584-3856). This concert will be energetic and highly entertaining. See you there.



## **SPRING FLING DANCE**

**P**lease join us for our Spring Fling Dance starring Bobby Stillwell on Sunday March 29th from 7-10:00 pm at the Aloha Clubhouse. This will be our last dance until the fall. You can buy tickets at coffee or by calling Dorothy Clegg at 920-540-2455. Cost of the tickets are \$10/member and \$13/non-member & guests. BYOB and Share the Wealth.



## BID EUCHRE

*Submitted by Marilynne O'Sullivan*

**B**id Euchre runs on Sunday evenings at 6:30 PM in Tiki Hall. Come and join in the fun. The cost is \$2.00. New players are always welcome!



## WALK AEROBICS

*Submitted by Peggy Farrell*

**W**e continue our walks in the Aloha Hall at 8:30 AM every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. The last day for this season of walk class will be on Friday 3/27. Thank you all for a great season, see you in the fall!



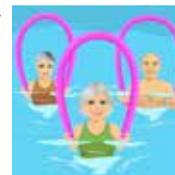
## CHAIR YOGA

**C**hair Yoga starts at 9:15 every Monday, Wednesday & Friday and will last 30-40 minutes. Do as much or as little as you feel comfortable with. The last day for this season for yoga class will be on Friday 3/27. Thank you all for a great season. We will need someone to run this event starting in the fall. Please let Peggy Farrell know at [319-231-6172](tel:319-231-6172) if you would be interested in doing this.



## POOL AEROBICS

**L**ow Impact Aerobics on Monday, Wednesday & Friday at 9:00 A.M., weather permitting. High Impact Aerobics will continue through the summer at 10:00 A.M. Monday – Friday at the Tiki Clubhouse pool.



## MEN'S POOL

**C**ome join the men of Teakwood every Tuesday at the Tiki clubhouse beginning at 5:00 p.m. Bring your own cue stick or use one provided at Tiki.



## CORNHOLE

**C**ome join the fun every Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 pm at the Aloha Clubhouse. This is open to all Teakwood residents ... experienced and beginners.

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**C**anasta is on Monday nights at 5:00 PM at the Tiki Hall. Please arrive about 15 minutes early to pick teams. The cost to play is \$0.75. Everyone is welcome.

## DOMINOES

**P**lease come share an afternoon of fun with us every Wednesday at the Tiki Clubhouse. Please arrive by 1:15 so we can start play at 1:30 P.M.



## CRIBBAGE

**L**ooking for something fun to do at night? Try your hand at cribbage on Wednesdays at 6:30 P.M. in the Tiki Clubhouse. Come join in and bring \$5. All monies will be paid out to the winner(s).



## GREETING CARD CLASS

*Submitted by Ann Cortez*

**F**or those who signed up previously the next Greeting Card Group will be on March 5th at 10:00 am in the Tiki Hall

The next Greeting Card Group will be meeting on April 2, 2026 in the Tiki Hall. We will start at 10 a.m. and the cost will continue to be \$10 to make 5 cards (1 each of 5 designs.) You do not need to bring anything as the materials are provided for you, unless you have your favorite adhesive or tools. The signup sheet will be posted in the Tiki Hall and removed on March 19, 2026.



**NOTE:** This will be the last group meeting until the fall.



## SHUFFLEBOARD & HORSE COLLAR SHUFFLE



**R**egular shuffleboard will begin at 10:00AM every Thursday. Everyone is welcome. It doesn't matter if you are experienced or never played before. Come have fun and meet new friends. Horse Collar is on Fridays at 1:00 PM. The cost is \$1 and all money is given back in prizes to the players. New players are always welcome to join the fun.

## LINE DANCING

**H**osted by Phyllis Melanson is every Thursday from 9:30 – 11:00 at Aloha. All Teakwood residents, beginners and experienced dancers are welcome.



## CO-ED POKER

**I**f poker is your game, come join us on Thursday nights at the Tiki Clubhouse. Play starts at 5:00 pm.



## UNLUCKY 7

**C**ome join the fun every Thursday at 6:00 PM at the Aloha Hall. This game requires no special skill other than the ability to roll the dice! Start saving your nickels as you will need them as markers for your Unlucky 7 card.



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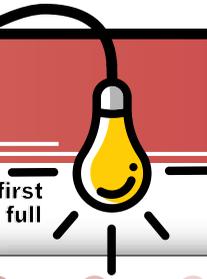


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## A MESSAGE TO OUR TEAKWOOD WEST RESIDENTS

**A**t the time of this writing, we would like to thank Mother Nature for finally bringing back the warmer weather that we are used to ! The cold spell that we had in late January and early February was not making many of us very happy and everyone was tired of being “COLD”. The sunshine is back !

After the initial deadline, to pay membership dues on January 31st in order to vote in the upcoming elections, records show that we have 153+ members in our Social Club ! The number changes week to week as new residents sign up. Membership dues of \$10 can be paid anytime during the year to Ellie or Mary Lou.

The new **2026-2027 Social Club Board** will be updated in the April Media publication. Elections were held on February 17th, after the deadline for the March update. The Executive Board and 2-year Director positions will remain the same as there were no opponents to the President, Vice President, Secretary or Treasurer. There were 5 nominations for the 1-year Director positions with 3 being the current Director positions. Installation of the 2026-2027 Social Club Board will be during the first Coffee Meeting on March 3rd.

The 2026 **Flea Market** brought in over \$2300 for the Social Club! It took a village, 42 people to be exact, to make our Flea Market a successful event. As expected, sales were not like 2025, but that was to be expected since we had more items to sell last year since we didn't have a Flea Market from 2020-2024.

It took a village and Teakwood Village came through.... Bravo everyone !

Wow! We had great participation and turnout for our **Chili Cookoff Event!**

We had 3 “official” judges wearing wigs and robes and banging gavels too !

Chili was sold by the cup or a flight of 4 of your choice, along with Hot Dogs with a special sauce, as everyone enjoyed watching the NFL playoffs on the big screen. Tickets were sold for the Lottery Tree with Cathy Watson being the winner. There were 11 Chili entries with Dennis Green's Chili coming in 1st place, Mark Griffith 2nd and Maureen Lowary 3rd. It was a fun time with special thanks to Kelly and Natalie for hosting this event.

*pictures on page 35*

The **Music Bites and Music Bingo** event was another sold out, successful and fun-filled event with wine, a variety of food bites and Music Bingo. Many, many, many thanks go out to all that helped make the event possible... donations of wine, food, raffle items, the beautiful wine and food servers, and Gabe making the place rock and disco the night away. It's Wine-O clock anytime! Thanks to Sharon Lotwick and her Wine Team for hosting and providing a great night for the community.



*Judge Jamie, Jean and Mel*



*Our Hosts and Winners !*



*Our Chili Entrants*

The **NFL Championship Watch Party** provided Pizza and Wings, along with all the wonderful snacks and dips and desserts everyone brought to enjoy! The crowd eagerly kept track of the board and congratulations to all the winners each quarter.

Kudos to John Morse for hosting the gathering, baking and grilling the yummy wings and making it a fun night for all.

The **St. Patty's Day Dance/Party** is on March 17th, so get ready to "Get Your Green On!!" Tickets are \$10.00 for members and \$15.00 for non-members and guests and are available from Jim or Joy at 179 Beechwood.

The party will be 7pm-10pm and the main raffle item will be a Blackstone tabletop griddle! Donations of baskets, booze, cash, etc. are appreciated and gladly accepted by Jim and Joy. There will also be giveaway prizes. It's the day everyone has a little Irish in 'em !



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## WELCOME NEW TEAKWOOD WEST RESIDENTS!

- Ellie Mills (727) 475-8880 Mary Lou Sanford (413) 530-2316

**E**llie Mills or Mary Lou Sanford will be in contact with new residents in Teakwood West. We have had a lot of turnover within the park and they are trying to get to everyone as soon as they can. Some new homeowners are physically here, and others may be coming to their new homes in the future, so they appreciate your patience in getting to personally greet you.



You will find a Welcome Flyer\* at your door, asking if you would like to receive this packet of information from the Welcome team.

*\*Flyers distributed within our community are NOT considered soliciting*

Please feel free to attend our Coffee Meetings at the Clubhouse on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month to introduce yourself to the community. The meeting will give you information about events, as well as having the opportunity to meet your new neighbors.

**Current Teakwood Residents** → if you have a new neighbor, please share this information with Ellie or Mary Lou.

We urge all ***new and current*** residents to stop by the Clubhouse, at any time, to look at the bulletin boards for more information!

## COFFEE HOUR → MARCH 3RD & MARCH 17TH

**C**offee Hour continues the 1st and 3rd Tuesday each month at 9 am with the 3rd Tuesday of each month being our General Business Meeting.

Come early for 50/50 Share the Wealth tickets! 3/\$1

Don't forget your coffee cup! \$2 per person to enjoy a donut along with your free coffee/tea. You do not have to drink Coffee or purchase a Donut, but these meetings are intended to keep you informed on what is happening in our Social Club, any activities within the park, and news from the Board and Teakwood Management, while enjoying fellowship with your friends and neighbors.



➤ Interested in helping serve and prepare for our Coffee meetings?

- You will get a **FREE** donut !
- Volunteers are **greatly** appreciated! Signup sheets are on the Clubhouse board.



# SUNSHINE AND SHUT-INS

- Bettie Wickersham

If you know of someone in our Teakwood community who is ill, has suffered a tragedy, has lost a loved one, or just needs some encouragement, Bettie will send out cards to spread some Sunshine and offer some well wishes to those in need. You can reach her at 727-420-3469 via phone/text OR email jlbwick37@gmail.com with the name and address.



# TEAKWOOD WEST BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

## March Birthdays

- 2 Gail Arena
- 3 Bruce Johnston
- 6 Pat Kennedy
- 7 John McCarten
- 9 Bob Schultz
- 14 Ellie Mills
- 19 John Robinson
- 22 Paul DesRoches
- 24 Cheryl Murphy
- 29 Pat Dobson
- 31 Earl Jones



## March Anniversaries

- 31 Grant & Cindy Murray



***Congratulations and warmest wishes to all those celebrating in March!***

***If your birthday or anniversary have been missed, there is an error in the date or spelling, or names on the list change and/or need to be deleted, please accept my apologies and provide the correct info to Sharon at slotwick@ptd.net***





## ON OUR CALENDAR FOR MARCH

- Coffee Meeting & New Board Installation      March 3rd
- BINGO      March 7th
- Breakfast Feast      March 14th
- Pizza Party      March 11th
- Food Pantry      March 16th
- Coffee General Meeting      March 17th
- St Patrick's Day Dance      March 17th
- Egg Hunt      March 28th
- Weekly/monthly activities as noted on our calendar



## MONTHLY ACTIVITIES

### BINGO – 1ST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH

- Natalie Cholewa

Join us for our monthly Bingo on the first Saturday of the month.

Next Bingo is on **March 7th**

\*Doors Open **5:00pm** \*Sales end at **6:00pm** \*Game starts at **6:30pm**

Hot Dogs, Soda, Chips, Ice cream and candy are available for purchase prior to game time and during intermission.



All monies received for Bingo are paid back to the players.

**PLEASE → \*Appreciate small bills/change**

### RED HATS

-Andrea Durkin

**R**ed Hats will be meeting in the Clubhouse on the **1st Monday** of the month @ **11:30 AM**. All are welcome to attend!



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## GOOD NEIGHBORS FOOD PANTRY

Please take advantage of the Food Pantry coming to our Clubhouse every month. Exact dates/changes will be on our Facebook Page, or you can hear updates at our Coffee Meetings.



**Next Food Pantry Date- March 16th 12pm**

Please remember to be courteous to your fellow neighbors as this is a first come, first serve event. Each household is allowed one bag of items; if two are required, you will need to wait for the end and see what items are left over. Spread the word to your neighbors that may not know about the Food Pantry or may need help getting the items to their homes. Look for that day's Food Pantry lead (usually Linda Staskal) and provide your house number... and don't forget a bag to carry your selections!

Your name and house number will NOT be put on the list before 11:30am.

A Food Pantry Committee has been created and those that have been appointed are the only ones that will be first on the list as they are responsible for setting up the tables, helping to unload the truck, breaking down the boxes and putting the tables back to their original position. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation!

## LUNCH WITH THE BUNCH

- Debbie Ryder

Lunch with the Bunch is the **3rd Thursday** of the month at **11:30am**. Please look for the signup sheet posted in the Clubhouse. The selection of restaurants has been awesome, and the group usually decides on the next month's lunch spot at the end of the current lunch gathering. We welcome all suggestions!



## FISHING CLUB

- Pat Dobson

Who loves the sport of fishing?  
The Teakwood Anglers will meet on the 1st Friday of each month at 3pm in the Clubhouse to discuss future fishing trips and related topics. Come check it out and see if this club is of interest to you!





## WEEKLY COMMUNITY ACTIVITES

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### BAR POKER \$\$

- Linda Staskal



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### TRAIN DOMINOES

- Buffy Handville



**M**onday **6:30PM** at the Clubhouse.  
It is no cost to play - we play for the fun of it, so just bring yourselves! This is a good way to meet new neighbors and renew friendships with past ones while trying to keep your train off the rails. Hope to see you there!

### BOCCE LEAGUE

-Bob Schultz



**B**occe is every **Tuesday at 10am.**  
**Bocce BBQ** will be from 11am –2pm (or sell out) on the Clubhouse deck.  
There will be hamburgers and hot dogs along with new, special menu items each week. Check out our FB page and the Clubhouse Board for the menu updates.

### SCREW YOUR NEIGHBOR (SYN)

-John Robinson

**T**uesdays at **6:30pm** in the Clubhouse... but favorite seats fill up early !  
This is a fun card game using poker chips for playing, that interacts with your 'neighbor'  
! It costs only \$1 to play and all monies collected goes to the winner who lasts until the end. Come check it out!



## HAPPY HOUR ON THE DECK

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**H**appy Hour every **Tuesday from 4-6pm.**

Feel free to bring a snack to share or just something for yourself.

We will set up outside on the deck. We have so many new residents and it will be great to meet everyone.

Pack up those coolers with ice, fill your cups and enjoy some conversation and fun relaxing by the water, with a little music in the background.

Don't forget.... It may be hot, chilly or rainy, but we have a fan, heaters and shades to utilize and still have fun!



## BID EUCHRE

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- *Avis Sharpe*

**C**ome to the Clubhouse at 6:20pm every **Wednesday** to play Bid Euchre!

The game starts promptly at **6:30pm.**

The cost is \$2.00 and all money is paid out to the players. Prize for the biggest loser!!



## CRAFTS

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- *Debbie Ryder*

**W**e meet every **Thursday at 10am** in the Clubhouse. Please look for any sign-up sheets or hear announcements about what we are working on at our next Coffee meeting. Come join us! The Crafty Crew have been making some cool crafts!

## DEE'S NICKELS

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- *Mary Lou Sanford*

**T**hursday Nights at **6:30pm** at the Clubhouse.

Come early, grab a seat, and play Unlucky 7's.

And don't forget your Nickels!

I got it! You got it! I need it! You need it! Always a fun evening!



## WATER AEROBICS (WEATHER PERMITTING)

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- *MJ Schultz*

**J**oin the morning water aerobics group **Monday-Wednesday-Friday at 8:30am** by our community pool. Bring your pool noodles and have some fun in the morning. MJ supplies other water aerobics equipment, so stop by and check it out!



## COMING EVENTS!

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Bingo – April 4th  
Ice Cream Social – April  
Breakfast Feast – April  
Gift Card Fund Raiser – \$100 gift card  
End of Summer Dance Party – Sept



## FROM THE EDITOR

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- Sharon Lotwick

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Please check our Facebook page called **Teakwood Village West FB group**. Our Facebook page is open to **ALL** current residents and was created to share important information regarding upcoming events, share photos and highlight Social Club activities. Do you have items to sell, items to give away for free, want to share information regarding events/music/shows outside of our community, other helpful information...? This is the place to do so! Please join our group if you would like to stay up to date with any event changes or additional photos of our events!

If you have anything to submit for our monthly Newsletter/Tidings Book, please email me at [slotwick@ptd.net](mailto:slotwick@ptd.net) (all lowercase letters) **or** send a text to my cell phone 484-274-3544. If changes/updates are required for anything in the current/future Newsletter or Calendar, please let **ME** know of any unintentional errors that need to be corrected. The normal submission deadline to me is the **10th** of each month for the following month's edition; however, **holidays may change this deadline**.

*\*\* Events, times, and dates can change before the next publication of our newsletter. Please be sure to check the Clubhouse boards for new or updated information, and our Facebook page.*





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<p><b>EVENTS &amp; PROGRAMS</b></p>	<p>Golden Acres ROA Bazaar. Saturday, March 7, 9am-12:30pm. Clubhouse, 1040 Main Street, Dunedin Florida</p>	<p>Spring Craft Fair, Sunset Palms MHP, 3401 Gandy Blvd., Pinellas Park. March 21st, 9:00am until 2:00pm. Handmade arts and crafts: quilted items, resin art, handmade cards, diamond art creations, jewelry, wreaths and so much more. Homemade baked goods.</p>
<p>2 Day Park Wide Sale. Friday and Saturday, March 6 &amp; 7, 2026. 8am -1pm. Vendors in the clubhouse on Friday ONLY. Semiannual Bake Sale and Refreshments available Friday ONLY in the Clubhouse. La Plaza MHP 6700 150th Ave. N. Clearwater</p> <p>HUGE SALE! TRUCK LOAD OF: CRAFT SUPPLIES / WOMENS BOUTIQUE, CRAFT ITEMS, WOODCRAFT, RESIN, BEADS, CERAMIC. TOO MUCH TO LIST. WOMENS CLOTHING, GIFT ITEMS, JEWELRY, BAGS &amp; SO MUCH MORE! ALL NEW w/TAGS. SINGLE ITEMS OR BY THE CASE. LA PLAZA MHP 6700 150th AVE N. FOLLOW THE SIGNS I WILL HAVE FLAGS OUT FRONT OF LOT. This is a neighborhood wide sale. SAT MARCH 6-7, 8AM-?</p>	<p>Lake Seminole Resort Spring Flea Market, Bake Sale and Lunch on Saturday, March 7th, 9:00am - 1:00pm. Located at 10245 110th Ave. N., Largo, Florida</p>	<p>ART/CRAFT FAIR Saturday, March 21. 9 AM to 1PM. Lake Highlander MHP, 1500 County Road 1, Dunedin. Food available.</p>
	<p>SPRING CRAFT FAIR 3/7/26 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. AMERICANA COVE 7201 1st Street NE Saint Petersburg</p>	<p>ARTS &amp; CRAFTS SHOW &amp; SALE 03/21, 11-3 Westwind MHP 3301 Alt19 Dunedin</p>
	<p>Bay Ranch Community Yard Sale March 21st 8am-1pm 7349 Ulmerton Road Largo</p>	<p>Paradise Island Annual Flea Market, March 28th 9am-2pm. 1001 Starkey Rd. Largo. 8am early entrance \$1.00. Large selection of home goods, tools, furniture, linens, clothes, bake sale and more. Follow signs for Clubhouse.</p>
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## NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH

We are fortunate to have a very responsive police department in our area. If you see anything out of the ordinary, please alert your neighbors and if necessary, ***please call the Largo Police*** (727-587-6730). Be diligent in locking up your outside possessions and your shed doors!



As always...See something... say something!

It is great that everyone alerts their neighbors when they see something or someone that “Just Aint Right”.

## POP TABS

- Ellie Mills

We collect Pop Tabs from beverage cans. Please put your bagged tabs in the basket by the piano in the Clubhouse. VFW Ladies Auxiliary group thanks you for your donations!



## NEED TO KNOW...



- ***Please*** be respectful of our community when it comes to throwing **cigarette butts** in yards and in the street, as well as **cleaning up after your pets**, especially in the grass areas that are not at your home! **Your pet should not be in another resident’s yard unless invited!** Additionally, **there are specific areas to walk your pets**. As pet owners, you should be aware of these areas. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Main Office.

→Remember - LEASH UP AND CLEAN UP !

- If you are on the deck and take advantage of using the **shades**, please be sure to secure them and return them to the rolled-up position that you found them in. We tend to get strong winds, and we do not want to damage these wonderful additions to our outside area.
- If you use the **large fan**, please remember to replace the cover and tie it.
- If you are enjoying the use of the deck, outside of Social Club events or activities, please remember to **clean off the tables** as needed.
- Per Houle Management and the Prospectus, the **Clubhouse will be locked at 10pm** each night, unless there is a scheduled calendar event. No one should remain in the Clubhouse after 10pm.

## LAUGHTER SOOTHES THE SOUL

**A** dad walked into his 12-year-old son's bedroom and was shocked to see a 55-inch TV. When his son came home from school, the Dad asked where he got the TV. He thought he must have stolen it !

"No, I didn't steal it Dad", the son replied. "I bought it."

The Dad was baffled and thought he must be dealing drugs. The son explained that he was not doing drugs but was saving his hiking money.

"Hiking money? What on earth is that?" the Dad asked.

The boy shrugged and said, "Well, every time you're out, Uncle Bob comes around to see Mom, gives me \$20 and tells me to "Take a hike."



## FOOD FOR THOUGHT

**O**ne of our greatest powers is simply being kind to each other. - Anonymous

### BAKED SHRIMP DIP

- Submitted by Sharon Lotwick - requested from the Wine Event

1-lb medium shrimp, thawed, peeled, deveined and cooked

1- 8oz cream cheese, softened

½ c sour cream

¼ c mayo

¾ c shredded mozzarella

¼ c grated parmesan cheese

1-tb minced garlic

½ tsp Old Bay Seasoning

Juice of one lemon



Preheat oven to 350 degrees and lightly grease an 8x8 pan

Cook shrimp, let cool and coarsely chop

In a lg bowl, stir together the cream cheese, sour cream, mayo, mozzarella, parmesan, garlic, Old Bay and lemon juice.

Transfer mixture to baking dish and bake for 25 minutes or until golden and bubbly.

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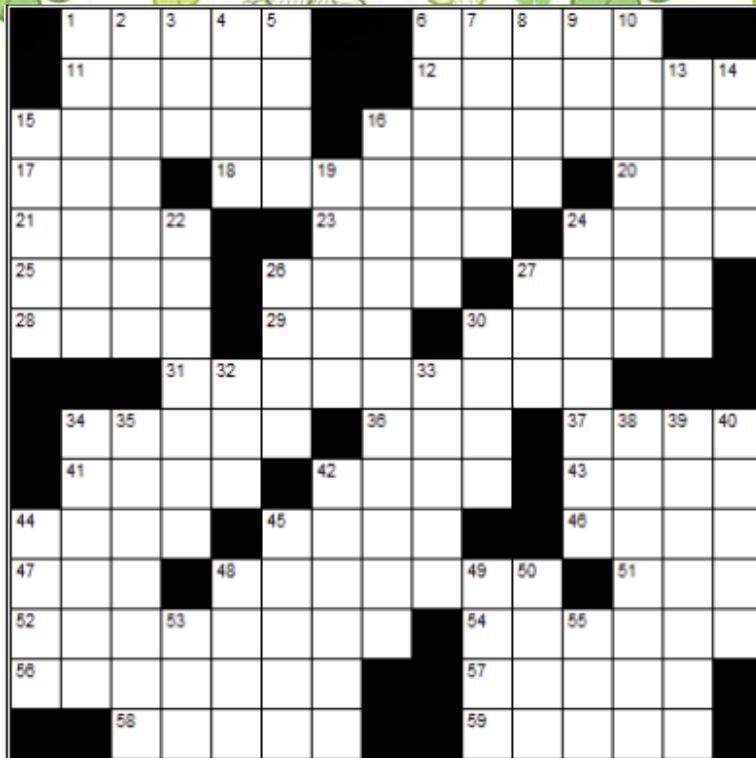
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## ACROSS

1. Boundary
6. Reveals
11. Battery terminal
12. Futile
15. Reply
16. Nasal spray, for example
17. Decay
18. Metal refinery
20. Sticky stuff
21. Distinctive flair
23. Secluded valley
24. Belch
25. One less than 10
26. Dry
27. Puncture
28. Against
29. Animal companion
30. Invoices to pay
31. Flashy
34. Earth tone
36. Small piece of cloth
37. A cooperative unit
41. Jury member
42. Chats
43. Decorative case
44. Darling
45. Carry
46. Tatters
47. N N N
48. Kneecap
51. Destroy the interior of
52. Snobs
54. Blood vessel
56. Nerve junction
57. Tally
58. Color of most grasses
59. Rip up

## DOWN

1. Ointment ingredient
2. Blink of an eye
3. Cut grass
4. Mid-month days
5. Duration
6. Tapped without swinging
7. Pale
8. Towards the back
9. Addition
10. Mostly white aquatic bird
13. Breathes noisily while sleeping
14. Cease
15. Sporting venue
16. Nonreaders
19. Wading bird
22. Not one or the other
24. Fortify
26. Abbey area
27. Not hers
30. Pleads
32. Arrange (abbrev.)
33. Record company
34. Candidly
35. Discontinuing
38. Knickknack holder
39. Foretold
40. Foggy
42. Received
44. D D D
45. Thigh armor
48. Tube
49. Young woman
50. Curve
53. Driveway surface
55. Craggy peak





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