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From Bob Kelsey: Community Manager

Activities are still being allowed, but they must be approved in advance by management of ELS and follow some minimum guidelines. As the new strains are surging across the nation and here in Florida, and with the vaccines now being distributed, we will continue to monitor the CDC website, State of Florida website and local websites for any changes that may need to be implemented. Please be advised events or activities may be cancelled with little or no advance notices.

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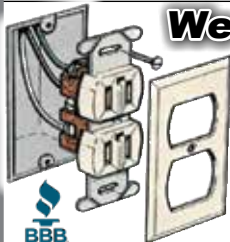
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PRESIDENT'S PODIUM....

I think everyone had an enjoyable season at Glen Ellen. There were many activities, it was a busy season. I thank everyone for their support and hard work!

One of the important functions for residents of Glen Ellen was Equity Lifestyle Properties hosted a COVID 19 Vaccination Clinic for any resident who had not yet received their vaccination. A special thank you to Community Manager Bob Kelsey for coordinating this clinic.

If you have any concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me. I live in mobile #121 or can be reach via phone: 727-238-8927 or email: labbe.nancy@yahoo.com

If you would like to host an upcoming month, please let me know well in advance. During the summertime we will celebrate the major Holidays and have a few other activities.

Nancy Labbe

COFFEE HOUR

Just a Reminder to all the membership, Thursday morning coffee hours have a minimum \$2 charge. This is for the costs of the food items and coffee supplies, whether you have one or the other or both, it is still \$2 each person. As always, the first Thursday of the month, has no charges.



MONTHLY ACTIVITIES

Activities Chairpersons for May: Nancy Labbe

Mother's Day – Sunday May 9th.

Good Neighbor Bingo– Sunday May 16th @ 1pm

Memorial Day – Monday May 31st @ 11am

Depending on the Current Situations at the time of these events due to COVID 19, Parties may be held outside with limited inside activity.

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GOOD NEIGHBOR BINGO

Good Neighbor Bingo, Sunday May 16th at 1pm. Come join in and win, bring your good luck charms. Watch for your flyer.

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Sunday May 9th. Coffee, Tea, or Pastry. Come honor all the Mother's.

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Until We Meet Again

Our hearts are saddened for the passing of some great neighbors last March. The times they shared with us will always be etched in our memories. May they Rest in Peace.

Bob Turner

Mark Marzullo

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3rd Mark Hacker
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13th Tony Miller
16th Linda Roy
21st Mike Hanson
25th Chris Speta



EDITORS' NOTE:

Please make sure anything you need to appear in the next month's **June** edition of the FOCUS be given to Ronnie or Kevin Kimball Lot #221 **prior to the 10th of May**. This gives time to create and send everything to the publishers for review. Everything will be screened, possibly edited, and arranged according to the guidelines set forth by the publishers themselves. Thank you.

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‘Everything you love will be lost’

Writer Franz Kafka (1883–1924) never married and had no children. According to a story, he liked to walk through a park in Berlin where one day he met a girl who was crying because she had lost her favorite doll. She and Kafka searched for the doll unsuccessfully.

Kafka told her to meet him there the next day and they would come back to look for her. The next day, when they had not yet found the doll, Kafka gave the girl a letter “written” by the doll saying, “Please don’t cry. I took a trip to see the world. I will write to you about my adventures.”

Thus began a story which continued until the end of Kafka’s life.

During their meetings, Kafka read the letters of the doll, carefully written with adventures and conversations that the girl found adorable.

Finally, Kafka bought another doll and gave it to the girl. “It doesn’t look like my doll at all,” said the girl.

Kafka handed her another letter in which the doll wrote: “My travels have changed me.” The little girl hugged the new doll and carried it home.

A year later Kafka died.

Many years afterward, the now-adult girl found a letter inside the doll. In the tiny letter, signed by Kafka, was written: “Everything you love will probably be lost, but in the end, love will return in another way.”

So no aliens, but still a fascinating phenomenon for scientists to study.



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— **Bernadette Jiwa**

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— **Flannery O’Connor**



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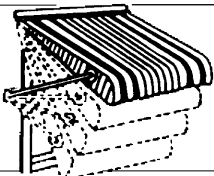
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Mother's Day, May 9. Send a card, make a call, or meet on Zoom to remind mom how much you love her.

International Museum Day, May 18. An opportunity for museum professionals to meet the public and alert them to the challenges that museums face.

Memorial Day, May 31. A day to remember those who gave their lives for their country.

Memorial Day: a solemn occasion

Memorial Day began in the 19th century as "Decoration Day." Citizens were urged to decorate the graves of soldiers who'd died in the Civil War. After World War I, Decoration Day expanded to include ceremonies honoring the dead in all of America's wars.

Decoration Day became Memorial Day officially in 1967. In 1968 the Uniform Holidays Act established it as one of three holidays (including Veteran's Day and George Washington's birthday, now called President's Day) celebrated on a Monday to create a convenient three-day weekend. Memorial Day is now observed on the last Monday in May.



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Mother's Day



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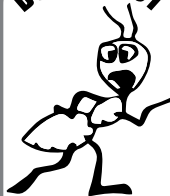
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The dog came back the next day, and the day after that, until soon he was coming every single day. The man didn't mind, but he was curious, so one day he pinned a note to the dog's collar:

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The next day the dog arrived with a note in response:

"Thank you! He lives in a house with five children, two under the age of three, so he's trying to catch up on his sleep. Can I come with him tomorrow?"



Things to think about

Ever wonder about these?



- What if my dog only brings back the ball because he thinks I like throwing it?
- If poison is past its expiration date, does that mean it's no longer poisonous?
- Which letter in the word "scent" is silent, S or C?
- Do twins ever realize that one of them is unplanned?
- Why is the letter W called "Double U"? Shouldn't it be called "Double V"?
- Do you ever think that every time you clean something, you make something else dirty?
- Have you ever noticed that the word "swims" upside down is still "swims"?
- Did you know that trying to lose a game of rock-paper-scissors is just as hard as trying to win?

Language follies

English is strange, isn't it?

- "Minute" and "minute" shouldn't be spelled the same.
- I am not content with this content.
- I object to that object.
- I need to read what I just read.
- Excuse me, but there's no excuse for this.
- Someone should wind this article up and throw it in the wind.

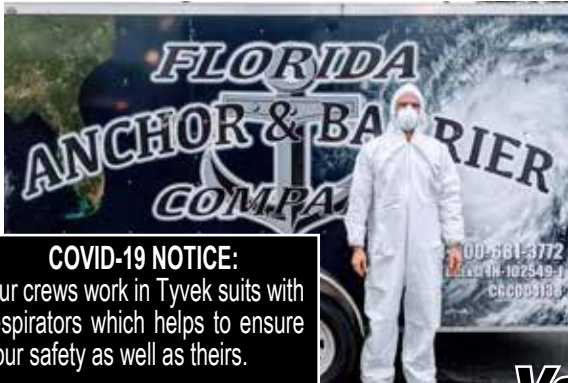


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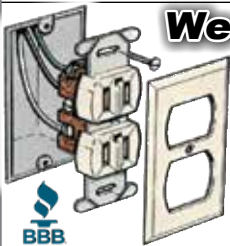
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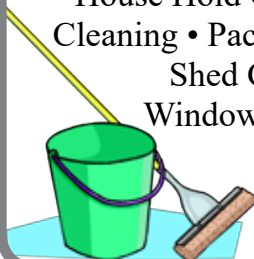
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This goes on several more times, until the librarian gets curious. He follows the chicken outside, down the street, into a park, and to the edge of a pond, where the chicken drops the book in front of a frog.

“Buk, buk,” it says.

The frog pushes it away. “Reddit, reddit!”



A fishy tale

James asked his friend Bill, “How’s that new fish you bought? You told me he was really something special.”

Bill said, “To tell the truth, I’m a little disappointed. The guy at the fish store said he could sing like a bird.”

“What? You bought a fish because you thought it would sing like a bird?”

“Well, yeah. It’s a parrot fish.”

James said, “Look, Bill, you might be able to teach a parrot to sing, you’re never going to get anywhere with a parrot fish.”

Bill said, “Oh, he can sing, but he’s terribly off-key. Do you know how hard it is to tuna fish?”



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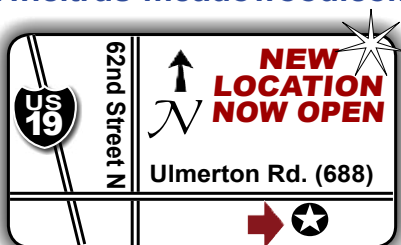


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- **Vitamin C.** This helps stimulate the formation of antibodies. The body doesn't produce or store it, making daily consumption essential to health. Fortunately, vitamin C is found in many foods, like fruits including lemons, oranges, grapefruits, tangerines, and strawberries, as well as vegetables like bell peppers, spinach, kale, and broccoli.
- **Vitamin E.** An antioxidant, this nutrient helps the body fight off infection by neutralizing free radicals. It also helps your body's cells regenerate. It's found in vegetable oils, nuts, seeds, and avocados.
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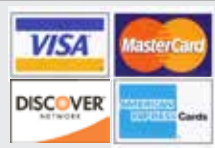
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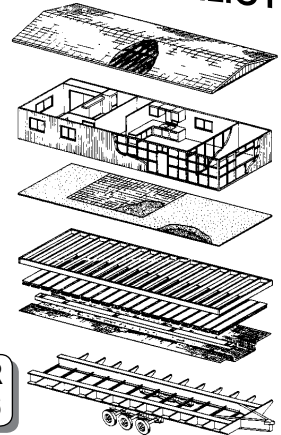
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Keep the fog out

We'll probably be wearing masks to protect ourselves from the coronavirus for at least a few more months, and one problem masks present for people who wear glasses is fogging. Masks cause the warm air of your breath to rise up, creating fog when it hits the cooler air above. The New York Times offers this advice for keeping your vision clear:



- **Get the right fit.** Look for a mask with an adjustable nose-bridge wire, which can limit how much warm air rises up to meet your lenses.
- **Use tape.** You can use paper tape to secure the upper part of the mask to your face, like doctors do.
- **Protect your lenses.** Apply a little baby shampoo or hand soap to your lenses. This can reduce the surface tension of water molecules, stopping moisture from becoming fog.
- **Use antifog spray.** Just don't use a spray containing alcohol, which can damage lenses. Also, sprays may not work on glasses with antireflective coating.

In any language, 'Mother' still loves you best of all

A mother's love has a language all its own, as the poets and greeting card manufacturers like to say.

In honor of Mother's Day around the world, here's how to say "mother" no matter where you happen to be:

- **Albania:** Mëmë, nënë
- **Belarus:** Matka
- **Czech Republic:** Abatyse
- **Estonia:** Ema
- **France:** Mère, maman
- **Greece:** Mãna
- **Indonesia:** Induk, ibu, biang, nyokap
- **Netherlands:** Moeder, moer
- **Portugal:** Mãe
- **Samoa:** Tina
- **Sweden:** Mamma, mor, morsa

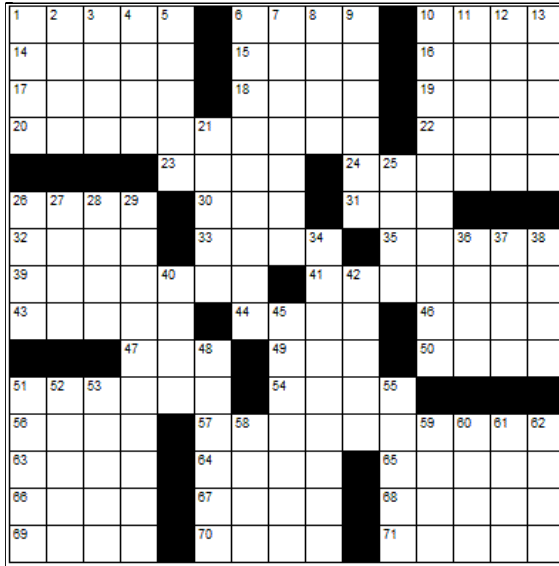


Life began with waking up and loving my mother's face.

— *George Eliot*

ACROSS

- 1. Honor fights
- 6. Rodents
- 10. Colored part of an eye
- 14. An independent film company
- 15. Affirm
- 16. Not a single one
- 17. Leaf opening
- 18. French for "Head"
- 19. Shower with love
- 20. Crybaby
- 22. Utilized
- 23. Plod along
- 24. Sacristy
- 26. Sodium chloride
- 30. Half of two
- 31. Eastern newt
- 32. Buckeye State
- 33. Stringed instrument
- 35. Not stale
- 39. Deletion
- 41. Ash
- 43. Overact
- 44. Always
- 46. How old we are
- 47. An unskilled actor
- 49. An Old Testament king
- 50. "___ we forget"
- 51. Persons
- 54. Untidyness
- 56. Shade of blue
- 57. He works with rocks
- 63. Stars
- 64. Codger
- 65. Wear away
- 66. Diplomacy
- 67. Backside
- 68. Pariah
- 69. Away from the wind
- 70. Lascivious look
- 71. Lariat



DOWN

- 1. Platter
- 2. "Do ___ others..."
- 3. Anagram of "Dome"
- 4. Not stiff
- 5. Aquatic mammals
- 6. A type of explanation
- 7. Retaliator
- 8. Carry
- 9. Veer
- 10. Manufacturing
- 11. Perch
- 12. ___ alia
- 13. Squalid
- 21. Hello or goodbye
- 25. F F F F
- 26. Achy
- 27. Throat-clearing sound
- 28. Large luxurious car
- 29. Dentifrice
- 34. Communicator
- 36. Border
- 37. Litigates
- 38. Command (archaic)
- 40. Calf's meat
- 42. Delete
- 45. Scram
- 48. Peyote
- 51. Noodles
- 52. Identical
- 53. 1/16th of a pound
- 55. Aroma
- 58. Ripped
- 59. Region
- 60. Absorbs
- 61. Poems
- 62. Infamous Roman emperor



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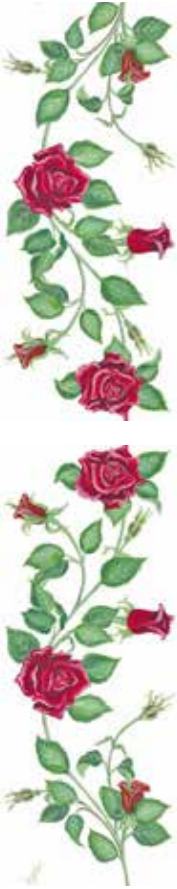
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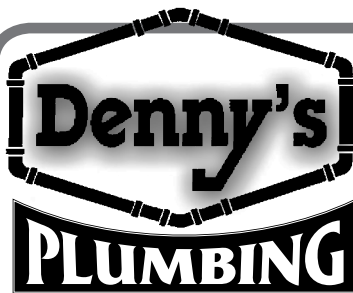
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(Allow 8-12 weeks for mailing of check). This month's cash winners are:

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Cheryl Zack	\$10	Royal Enterprise	Terry Tilman	\$5	1st Class Handyman Service
Jackie Vidal	\$10	Natures Resource Pest	James Sucilla	\$5	BugginOut Pest Control
Liz Bierfelt	\$10	Doll Brothers	Antoinette Schrufer	\$5	Battleline Termite & Pest Control
Suzan Griney	\$10	ASC	Sheila Sakuta	\$5	Bill the Carpet Guy
Toni Hunter	\$10	Air Masters of Pinellas	Lori Allison	\$5	Health Markets - Dawn-Rae
Joan Ball	\$10	Jones & Sons Plumbing	Donna Newman	\$5	ASC
Jerry Schwaderer	\$10	Discount Computer Repair	Richard Veil	\$5	1st Class Handyman Service
Robert Green	\$10	Community Roofing	Kent Obenchain	\$5	Jones & Sons Plumbing
Dolores Dwelis	\$10	Appliance Specialty	Victoria Sorenson	\$5	Ricks Appliance
Ralph Arabian	\$10	Heller's Mobile Home Washing	Todd & Roxanne Emmer ..	\$5	Imperial Electric
Connie Beaver	\$10	BugginOut Pest Control	Guy Kelso	\$5	Community Roofing
John Robinson	\$5	Ron Wyngarden	Bob Devine	\$5	Bill the Carpet Guy
Lois Vollmer	\$5	Battleline Termite & Pest Control	William Looft	\$5	BugginOut Pest Control
Ray Barr	\$5	Royal Enterprise	Donnie Titus	\$5	Bill the Carpet Guy
Chet & Barbara Moore ..	\$5	Boss Electric	Norman Burkey	\$5	Boss Electric
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Phoebe Garrett	\$5	Jones & Sons Plumbing	Carolyn Hooper	\$5	Debbie's Salon
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