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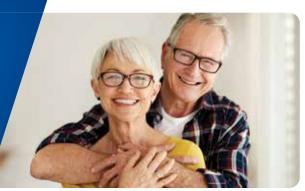




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#### **BRIAR CREEK PHASE I NEWS**

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#### **BOARD BUSINESS and UPDATES**

#### **DIRECTOR, Inspections & Architectural Requests**

Lynn Lijewski

or those of you who have had home inspections and disagree with the citation(s) noted on your Home Inspection Report, we do have an Appeals Board and a process to deal with your concerns. Please contact the Board President, Jeff Clark, and he will set up a date and time to meet with you to discuss your concerns and try to resolve them. We are trying to get our park back to a 5-Star Rating again.

The home inspection team is notifying owners that in 2022, repairs on planter boxes will need to take place. The goal is to have the planter boxes looking great again and to achieve that, we have on hand in storage several of the matching bricks required to repair them. We are asking owners whose planter boxes are in need of repair to contact me so arrangements can be made to pick up your bricks now. This way you will have them to make the repairs. Please be aware that these matching bricks are no longer available from retailers. Please contact me at 727-504-0345 to get your supply.

Our park is beginning to look great now that everyone is "sprucing up" their homes. Good job folks.



#### **AUGUST 2021 BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES**

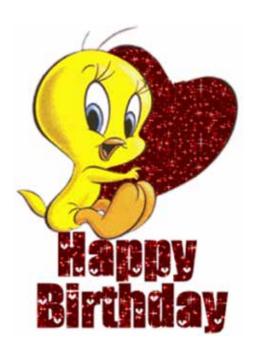
Betty Chatigny

elow are the August 2021 birthdays and anniversaries. If any corrections are needed, please let me know at bettychatigny@hotmail.com.

#### **Birthdays**

<u>rtndays</u>		
August	1	Pete Fedelem
August	1	Kim Stoltz
August	1	Carol Jacobs
August	3	Ginny Berge
August	3	Bill Prentiss
August	4	Dorothy Doyle
August	6	Allan Boys
August	6	Donna Hartin
August	6	Mary Ann Walker
August	7	Emilio Gonzalez
August	8	Naomi Fiacable
August	8	Audrey Nower
August	8	Marge Trevathan
August	8	Delores Whitton
August	9	Elsie Anderson
August	9	Susan Norris
August	10	Sandra McLaren
August	11	Pat Lenty
August	11	Lois Liebeler
August	13	Rose Matteoni
August	14	Patty Campbell
August	14	Kathy Ellison
August	14	Glima Gray
August	15	Bob Hardacre
August	16	Kim Pratt
August	18	Barbara Lee
August	18	Lee Palmer

August	19	Phil Rogers
August	20	Mariecia Maschak
August	20	Lavonne Newcomer
August	21	Linda Bjorn
August	21	Sal Centamore
August	27	Rocky Gaetan
August	31	Allan Berge





#### **Anniversaries**

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August	1	Tony & Paula Alves	1964
August	3	Norman & Doreen Gingras	
August	3	Howard & Mary Cary	
August	7	Allen & Marion Boys	1982
August	8	Everett & Geri Wardell	1981
August	9	Rocky & Debbie Gaetan	2003
August	12	Fred & Karen Mbiad	1967
August	12	Alex & Lavonne Newcomer	1951
August	13	Peter & Lynn Sheppard	
August	19	Allen & Ginny Berge	
August	20	Fred & Carol Michaelis	
August	21	David & Violet Shaughnessy	1978
August	25	Mike & Carol Fetchko	1973
August	25	Carolyn & Ray Jablonski	2001
August	25	Roy & Sue Martin	1956
August	25	Nick & Mariecia Maschak	
August	29	Pete & Jane Fedelem	1969



#### **BEREAVEMENT**

Mary Houpt

ormer resident, **Marian Wahl**, passed away on June 10, 2021, in Canada. No other information is available.



Briar Creek (BC) Phase I resident **Norman (Norm) C. Brown**, 93, died May 30, 2021. Norm and his wife Jane, who celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary in February 2021, have been long-time residents of our community. The Browns bought their model home at 43 Birch Creek Drive from an original BC owner who moved out of our community a few months after purchasing it. If you wish to express your sympathy, please send a condolence card to Norm's wife, Jane M. Brown, 43 Birch Creek Drive, Safety Harbor, FL 34695.

#### **DIAL DIRECTORY**

Helen Coar

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- 2. Mississippi has 4 S's and 4 I's. Can you spell that without using an S or I?
- 3. Three doctors all say Robert is their brother. Robert says he has no brothers. Who is lying?
- 4. I shave every day, but my beard stays the same. What am I?
- 5. You walk into a room that contains a match, a kerosene lamp, a candle and a fireplace. What would you light first?
- 6. I am the type of room you cannot enter or leave. What am I?

#### ANSWERS

- 1. The river was frozen
- 2. T-H-A-T
- 3. No one—the doctors are Robert's sisters
- 4. A barber
- 5. The match
- 6. A mushroom

# WHAT'S GOING ON IN BRIAR CREEK THESE DAYS BUNCO IS BACK! PHASES I & II

t last, we are ready to begin Bunco. Bunco is a dice game, and if you've never played, it takes about 10 minutes to learn. Come join the fun, meet new people, greet old friends and enjoy an evening out.



The 4th Thursday of the month will be Bunco night, starting July 22, 2021. Gather at the **Phase 2 Clubhouse** at 6:30 pm. for dessert and begin playing at 7:00 pm. We collect \$3.00 each for prize money.

If you can roll dice, you have all the skill necessary for a fun evening. It would be nice to have an idea of how many people we are expecting. Please call Marge at 533-6603 and leave a message if you would like to attend. Walk-ins are always welcome. As the saying goes, "*Try it, you'll like it.*"

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Helen Coar

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#### TRAVEL CLUB PHASES I & II Travel Team

Gene Arend, JoAnn Barr, Toni Beaton, Donna Hartin, Carol Keller-Michaelis, Peggy Raynor & Carol Rodrigues

The have two great trips scheduled for October and November. On October 23rd, we have an evening Dinner Cruise from the Clearwater Marina on the Calypso Queen. The cost for dinner, cruise, complimentary beer, wine, rum punch and soft drinks is \$45 per person. Boarding time is 6:30 pm. and we sail at 7 pm.



On November 15th and 16th, we look forward to an overnight trip to EPCOT during the Wine & Food Festival followed the next day by a tour of the Stetson Mansion decorated for Christmas then an afternoon for lunch and shopping at Disney Springs. The motorcoach, Epcot, hotel and Mansion are all included for \$325 per person, based on double occupancy.

We are considering a Christmas Light Tour for later this year.

In addition, we still have several cabins available and well below current list pricing for the February 2022, 11-day Southern Cruise on the NCL Dawn. We will schedule a meeting in mid-September for all those booked for the NCL Dawn to review and plan for our departure to the Tampa port and our cruise. The date and time will be sent to all of our cruisers.

We are also planning a Vegas-to-Vegas Canyons, National Parks, 15-day bus tour in September 2022 and for April 2023, a cruise on the NCL Jewel on the west coast from San Diego to Vancouver, with a stop in Alaska.

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#### **BIRD WALK - PHASES I & II**

Bill Kaempfer

e will resume monthly bird walks around the BC neighborhood in **September**, however, in order to avoid a conflict with lawn mowing, I am moving the walks to the first Friday of each month.

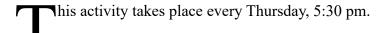
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Please join me on Friday, September 3rd at 8:00 a.m. for a 60 to 90-minute bird walk. We will meet at the Phase 1 Clubhouse. Please wear sturdy walking shoes and bring binoculars, if you have them.

If you have any questions, I can be reached at 303-717-5063 or at <u>kaempfer@colorado.edu</u>.

#### **MEN'S POKER TABLE**

Gene Arend





#### **BINGO**

Kim Stoltz



ingo is over and will restart in September.

#### **BRIDGE - PHASES I & II**

Bill Kaempfer

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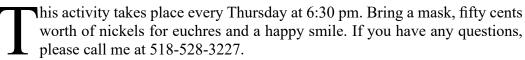


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#### BRIAR CREEK BOOK CLUB - Phases I & II

Jane McKenzie

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Please contact me if you are interested or have questions. 651-353-2602 (cell)

#### Briar Creek Bugle Phase II - August 2021

(Pete Loranger - Editor Phone 421-2321)
(E-Mail: Pete316@Knology.net)

#### **Board of Directors:**

#### **Vice President - Secretary/Alterations**

lean Schmidt

after the storm. Pete Loranger for so many things, Tom Feeley for prepping the pool area, Pete Foley for clearing debris from road drains, and the "crew" that helped put the pool tables and chairs back included Dick Howd, Joan Davis, Robin Feeley, Bill Steiner, Sheena Lee, Bob Raynor, Marsha Bowlby, Sonny Whitehouse's family & me! I'm sure there were some I did not know about or missed mentioning, so thank you all! July was a busy month! I thought summers were supposed to be leisurely! We have a project underway to repair clubhouse damage caused by leaks in the planters outside. We had a water leak caused by a plumbing problem repaired. We have had very few outside alteration requests – I guess we did all our outside work during COVID confinement.



The Social Club calendar is filling up with activities again! I hope to participate soon.

The Document Review Committee will be holding a series of three seminars on the updates to our doc's hopefully starting this month! The end "product" will be easier to utilize with the amendments where they belong with the original text. The updates are too lengthy to print and mail to everyone, so we will have one copy on display at the clubhouse and give a brief synopsis of the contents then answer questions. We broke it up into 3 sessions: the bylaws, restrictions, then the declaration of condominium. We should have the updates on our website for those still away to "study". At the Annual Meeting in December the owners will vote to accept or decline these updates. The chairperson, Jody Larson, and I made presentations at different Board Meetings, to Progressive Management, who made suggestions and changes, and we reviewed and accepted suggestions from our legal department. The Committee worked hard for many months. Thank you!!!

#### **REMINDERS:**

Overnight Parking in the street is NOT allowed.

<u>Daytime Parking</u> – please **Park on ONE SIDE of the street** in your area. This will keep our streets open for Emergency Vehicles.

<u>Visitor Parking</u> is at the clubhouse on the side of the shuffleboard courts, (grassy area). Please put the VISITORS PASS in the front windshield. Residents who do not have the pass can contact a board member. Parking in an empty carport is NOT allowed without permission.

STOP at ALL STOP SIGNS, and our SPEED LIMIT is <u>15MPH</u>. Your help is greatly appreciated.

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#### **TREES**

If you have trees that overhang any street in the community you must keep them trimmed to 14 feet above the road. This allows for the passage of fire equipment, Rescue vehicles, and trash trucks to get in without hitting them. Please look at your trees and if they overhang the street allowing less than 14 foot clearance,

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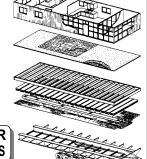


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#### From your Clubhouse Librarians

Billie Ann, Ruth, and Bill



hank you everybody for all your cooperation during the past year.

With everything reopening, we are no longer disinfecting returned books and puzzles.

Our library is running out of space, so we are still in the process of removing duplicate books as well as stained, moldy, and torn books. We are also not taking cookbooks and textbooks.

Please place all books, puzzles, dvds, and magazines being returned and donated in the basket provided inside the library. We are still finding books being returned to the card room.

If you are a puzzle solving person and discover that the puzzle that you are working on is missing more than 3 pieces, please do not return it. You can put in your recycling bin or just the garbage.

If you are returning a puzzle that is complete or missing just one or two pieces, please put a "sticky" on the top of the box and listing whether it is complete or missing a piece. You will find an envelope with "stickies" in the plastic wall rack located on the wall between the puzzle section and the main section of library.

Have you looked through the large selection of DVDs in the cupboard of the main selection of the library? We had a large donation of DVDs in the last few months.

As always, your donations of books, magazines, and puzzles are always appreciated. Billie Ann Berry, Ruth Miller, Bill Steiner

#### **Exercise Classes**

Carol Rodrigues

laudia is providing cardio and strength classes at the clubhouse in phase II. Classes will be held on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday at 10:30 am for 45 minutes. Bring 1 or 2 lb. weights if you have them. If not, Claudia has extras. Wear comfortable clothing and sneakers. There will be no charge for people that have "Silver Sneakers" as part of their insurance plan. Please bring your insurance card the first day so Claudia can get the necessary information to bill silver sneakers. For those without Silver Sneakers, the cost will be \$3.00 per class or you may purchase a punch card for \$20 giving you 10 classes at \$2.00 each. If you have questions, call Carol 413-427-8580.



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#### **Bereavement**

Barbara Bergling

Please contact me either by email or phone if you have any information about a resident passing. Of course I can always use help.

Barbara Bergling

727-204-6457

hepgramma43@gmail.com

As of October 1, 2021 I will no longer be in charge of bereavement. I did this job for many years and when I could no longer do it, Marsha Bowlby and then Judith Holden took it over. When Judith resigned no one stepped up, but, this was during the lock down, so I volunteered on a temporary basis. This is a very important service we provide to our residents, so, please volunteer. I will be willing to help you until you are comfortable on your own.

Thank you Barbara Bergling

#### **Travel – BC Travel Club**

have an evening Dinner Cruise from the Clearwater Marina on the Calypso Queen. Dinner, Cruise, Complimentary Beer, Wine, Rum Punch and soft drinks \$45 per person. Boarding time 6:30 PM sail at 7 PM. November 15th & 16th an overnight trip to EPCOT during the Wine & Food festival, then next day a tour of Stetson Mansion decorated for Christmas, afternoon for Lunch and shopping at Disney Spring. Motor-coach, Epcot, Hotel and Mansion all included for \$325 per person Double occupancy. In the future we are considering a Christmas Light tour. February the 11 day Southern Cruise on the NCL Dawn, we still have several cabin available well below current list pricing. Also we are planning a Vegas to Vegas Canyons, National Parks 15 day bus tour in September 2022 and April 2023 the NCL Jewel on the west coast from San Diego to Vancouver with a stop in Alaska. We will schedule a meeting for all of those booked for the NCL Dawn in Mid-September to review and plan for our departure to the Tampa port and our cruise. Date and time will be sent to all of our cruisers. Contact us at travel@upcsportshub.com . For more detail visit www.upcsportshub.com and click the travel page.

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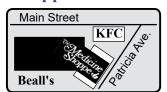
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#### **Ladies' Luncheon**

Carol Smitley

he Ladies Luncheon will be held August 18th at P.F.Chang's, 27001 U.S.19 North, Suite 1150, Clearwater. (Countryside Mall) I know our snowbirds are up north, so those of us that are left behind please make an effort to attend. Phase I and Phase II ladies



and guests are always welcome. The signup sheet is in the hallway, Phase II. Reservations will be turned in the Monday before the luncheon. If for some reason you have to cancel, please give ME call. Remember it is at 1:00.

#### Sit & Stitch

Sandy Fassett

Te are still making shawls for the chemo patients at the cancer center. We are trying to keep up with the demand but need more hands to crochet or knit them. Come down to the clubhouse and join in the fun. We also need to start thinking about projects to produce items for the bazaar in the spring. We need your input. If you have any questions, call Sandy at 727-424-6045 or Darlene at 703-403-9957.

#### Mingle

Billie Ann Berry and Rose Marie Fjelstad

Pring a dish to share, your favorite beverage and don't forget \$1.00 or two for 50/50 drawing.

It's time to meet and greet and enjoy a good dinner. August 19th at 4:30pm

See you there.

#### **BUNCO**

Marge Grohskopf



unco Begins in July

Pending on the delivery date of your Media there still may be time to sign up or call Marge to join the July 22 Bunco.

Our August Bunco is Thursday August 26.

Bunco is a dice game. If you've never played, it takes about 10 minutes to learn. Come join

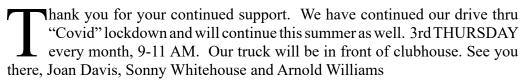


the fun, meet new people, greet old friends and enjoy an evening out. The 4th Thursday of the month will be Bunco night, starting July 22, 2021. Our August Bunco will be on August 26. Gather at the Phase 2 Clubhouse at 6:30 for dessert and begin playing at 7:00. We collect \$3.00 for prize money.

If you can roll dice you have all the skill necessary for a fun evening. It would be nice to have an idea of how many people we are expecting. Please call Marge at 533-6603 and leave a message if you would like to attend, walk-ins are always welcome. As the saying goes "TRY IT YOU'LL LIKE IT"

#### **Food Pantry**

Joan Davis





#### **ASKING THE RIGHT QUESTIONS**

Dr. Marty Finkelstein

et's face it all of us as seniors are going to doctors more often for evaluations, diagnostic tests, and procedures. It is essential that we find the right doctors and also have the right questions to ask. My experience has been all too often that unless you ask the question you will not be explained the answers. Perhaps you have heard of the man who is 70 years old complaining of his right knee hurting. When the doctor explains, well it's just arthritis, part of the aging process. The gentleman looks up and shares, I understand but my left knee is also 70 years old and it feels fine. So what is causing this knee to hurt? So whatever your condition what I recommend is to write down a list of questions to ask before your doctor abruptly leaves the room.

As an example, what is causing the problem that I have? If I take the prescribed medication what are the possible side effects? Will the medication correct the problem? When the pain is gone does that mean the problem is healed? Will the surgical procedure correct the problem I have? What foods are essential for me to eat to assist in the healing process? What are the proper exercises for my condition? If I make changes in my overall lifestyle can I improve my functioning and longevity and overall vitality.

If I elect to have this surgical procedure how long will it take for me to begin golfing or playing tennis again?

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Remember good patients make good doctors. Often people feel they don't want to take up the precious time of the doctor. As a patient that is our time. And truly the most important ingredient in becoming healthier is understanding all options when it comes to our health. Then we can make wise choices. To your health, Living in Paradise, Dr. Marty

Dr. Marty has several books on Amazon regarding physical and emotional wellness and healing.

#### **Humane Society & the Haven**

Barbara Bergling

hanks for all your generous donations for the Humane Society and the Haven. I used to be able to donate clothes, but they no longer accept them. The exception is new socks for children and thongs in all sizes for use in the show.

The humane society and the Haven also don't accept sheets. Remember that if your linens are in good condition, we sell them at our bazaar.

Thanks again everyone Barbara Bergling

#### **Bowling**

Arnold Williams

This is just a friendly reminder that sign-ups & registration for our Winter Bowling League begins August 15-31. If you need to reach me, just text or leave a message at [727] 771-3347. For new residents there IS a sign-up sheet in Clubhouse II. Teams are forming in September. First day of Bowling will be October 12@ 9:15am at Maple Countryside



Lanes off the service road just north of Rte. 580 on Rte.19. If you cannot be here in October we can still save a place for you. There is also a Friday League at Noon if Tuesday mornings do not fit into your schedule. You will need to reach Gene Arend @ [727]725-5844 for the Friday League. If you have already informed me that you would like to Bowl then you will need to do nothing because I have reserved a place for you. Hope everyone has had a Healthy and Safe Summer. Thank You Arnold Williams



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#### **Be Visible at Night**

Jody Larson

emember when we were kids, and the rule was "If you ride at night, wear white"? It still applies.

Acouple of weeks ago, I was driving along Briar Creek Blvd when I saw "something," and that something was a person! Fortunately their running shoes had reflective patches or I might not have seen them. Headlights don't always do the job—and my vision is good!

Some possibilities are to wear light colored clothing, carry a flashlight or lantern (turned on), and/or have reflective clothing or other items to help ensure you're visible. A bike light on your arm would work—and I have seen people wearing those reflective vests like crossing guards wear. Also, walk facing the traffic so you can see what's coming. Better to be safe.

#### Why We Skip Fertilizer in Summer

Jody Larson

rom June 1 to September 30, regular fertilizer containing nitrogen and phosphate should not be applied to lawns and landscaping in Florida. The reason is all the rain we get! The fertilizer washes into the ponds and waterways, causing a green algae scum. The algae buildup can kill fish and other water creatures.

Pinellas County recommends using a nitrogen-free and phosphate-free mixture that still contains potassium and other micronutrients if needed, such as a "0-0-16" fertilizer. These micronutrients won't lead to algae buildup. But most lawns that use Florida-friendly grasses, such as St. Augustine grass, don't need even this.

#### **Briar Creek Resident and Phone Directory**

Sheena Lee

here are just a few changes to the Directory to tell you about this month.

The phone number for Sandra Beach, 92 Natures Trail is 518-744-3165

Janie Dennis, 128 Pinewood Terrace has moved.

Mary "Cathy" Marvel has bought 128 Pinewood Terrace.

Susan Paris has bought 74 Hickory Branch Lane.

The phone number for Dave Swets, 94 Cottagewood, is 219-545-9439, and Margi's number is 219-805-5303

Sadly Stephen Berdy, 62 Cottagewood, passed away in June.



I have been told about one error in the new Directory. Pat Hevalow's daughter, listed as a contact for Pat, 160 Clubview, is called Cathy Rice (not Price). Please let me know about other errors you find. I'm sure there are some more.

As always, you can contact me anytime at 163 Clubview Drive, 727-421-5665 or sheenalee2133@gmail.com. My old hotmail email address will still work but I am trying to move everything over to my gmail account.

#### PHONE TREE

Marsha Bowlby

o, you signed up for the phonetree, but you are not getting any emails?

If this is the case, check your spam/trash file to be sure the emails are not going there.

Another suggestion would be to open a G mail account. I have had a few people do that and they are not having any trouble getting the emails now. Gmail is free and all you would have to do is keep your beginning and end it with gmail. Then you don't have to remember a whole different sign on.

For instant... you were <u>ABC123@yahoo.com</u> change it to <u>ABC123@gmail.com</u>. If you do that be sure to give me your new address so I can change it on my list.

If you have not signed up yet and want to be on the phone tree, again send an e-mail to BC2phonetree@gmail.com. Include your name, address, and phone number.

I am the only one who has your email address and I do not share it. I have around 170 households on the phone tree currently.

Is your spouse the one getting the e-mails and you never know what's going on? I have several families where both spouses are on the e-mail chain so they both read the e-mails at their convenience. So, if this appeals to you, send me your e-mail address.



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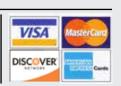
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## **Bible Study**

Kathy Cobb



### Contact Kathy with any questions

f you are interested in joining a Ladies Bible Study every Tuesday at 10:00 a.m. at my home (140 Pinewood Ter.), please call Kathy Cobb at 727-466-3712.

## **Briar Creek Book Club**

(Phase I & II)

re you interested in joining a book club? Enjoy reading a variety of genres, and have fun discussing books with friends. We presently have openings. The next meeting will be in the fall, Oct. 12, and the book we will discuss is *The Silent Patient* by Alex Michaelides. We plan to meet in the Phase II Clubhouse at 3:00 p.m.

Please contact me if you are interested or have questions.

Jane McKenzie 651-353-2602 (Cell) jgmckenzie4647@gmail.com





## **Birthdays and Anniversaries**

Pete Loranger

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Jeri Prisco
Shelia Sparks
Skip Taylor
Ed Gumienny
Doug Hall
Clifford Tatum
Barbara Bergling
Pam Edwards
Kathy Berdy
Bob Boschen
Donna Spinweber
Betty Little
Ann Perdue
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Doris Pearson
Bonnie Gigliotti
William Posnanski
Ronald Booth
Brien Stickney
Dottie Frederich
Loretta Waters
Greg Buhrman
Angela Siggia
Sharon Straub





### **Anniversaries**

8/06/1983	Gil & Joan Mackert – 38 years
8/19/1989	Larry & Sherry Henry – 32 years
8/22/1981	Bruce & Kathy Cobb – 40 years
8/23/1970	Robert & Peggy Raynor – 51 years
8/25/1962	Lew & Loretta Waters – 59 years



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### Camille Mattia, M.D.

Board Certified, Internal Medicine

Dr. Mattia attended Boston College as an undergraduate and completed her medical degree at the University of Florida College of Medicine and post-graduate training at the University of South Florida. Consistently recognized by the Residency Evaluation Committee as an outstanding resident committed to patient care. professionalism, and personal development, Dr. Mattia has had a strong focus on outpatient preventative care throughout her training. Dr. Mattia strives to create a welcoming practice environment for her patients, establishing long-term relationships based on trust and good communication.

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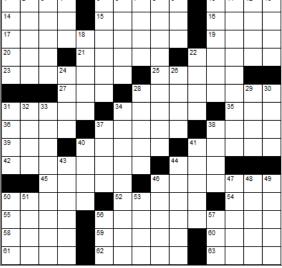
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### ACROSS

- 1. Stow, as cargo
- 5. Test versions
- 10. Ripe
- 14. Flying saucers
- 15. Utilizers
- 16. Wisdom
- 17. Make ame
- 19. Godsend
- 20. Regret 21. Marble
- 22. Pantywais
- 23. Senior
- 25. Animal lif
- 27. Beer
- 28. Type of or
- 31. Declares
- 34. Hosiery
- 35. 24 hours
- 36. French for "Names"
- 37. River muds
- 38. Precious stones
- 39. Pair
- 40. Soft drinks
- 41. Explode
- 42. Inhabitant of an island
- 44. Tall hill
- 45. Inuit boat
- 46. A person who disputes
- 50. Astronomical visitor
- 52. Small islands
- 54. American Dental Association composition
- 55. Baking appliance
- 56. Starting up
- 58. Cleave
- 59. Hockey footwear
- 60. Leer at
- 61. The products of human creativity
- 62. Heretofore (2 words)
- 63. Overtake









### **DOWN**

- 18. Noblemen 22. Lather
- 24. Hearing organs
- 4. Clairvoyant's gift 26. Boats

1. Ill-gotten gains

3. Vaulted

mistake

7. Nipple

pigment

6. An analytic

2. Be in trouble with

5. An embarrassing

8. Man-made objects

10. A person without

9. South southeast

12. God of love

13. Declare untrue

- 28. Pertaining to the Sun 46. High society
- 29. Sweet potatoes
- 30. A covered garden walk
- 31. Against
- 32. Solemn pledges
- 33. A type of compensation
- 34. Cronies
- 11. Common merganser 37. Fizzy drink
  - 38. Firearms

  - 40. Agitated state

- 41. African antelope
- 43. Redress
- 44. Temporary higher rank
- 47. Subarctic coniferous forests
- 48. Graven images
- 49. Flogs with a stick
- 50. Daughter of Zeus and Demeter
- 51. Not under
- 53. Remain
- 56. An Old Testament
- king
- 57. Not bottom



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