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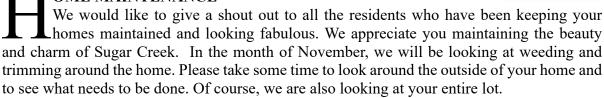




# MANAGER'S CORNER

*By: Victoria Greenwood November 1, 2023* 

**TOME MAINTENANCE** 



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### HOLIDAYS

The holidays are approaching fast, and we are glad to see more functions happening. We would like to thank the Social Club for putting on the Thanksgiving Dinner for the residents and we are glad to donate money for the turkeys every year to continue this ongoing event. Also, the Social Club has many other fun events and games that are open to all so, come on down, join the fun!

### GARBAGE PICKUP WILL BE ON FRIDAY NOVEMBER 24TH.

### **BBQ SOCIAL**

We are EXCITED to host our yearly BBQ for all residents, on Thursday, November 16th from 5pm-7pm. This is a great time to socialize, eat Sonny's BBQ, and meet the Sugar Creek owners and employees. We will welcome our new residents and welcome back our residents that have returned for the season! This is a FREE event for residents of Sugar Creek. There will be a sign-up sheet in the clubhouse. Please sign up before November 10th so we can have an accurate headcount. If you cannot make it to the clubhouse to sign up, please call the office and I will sign you up. We look forward to seeing you there.

### FURRY FRIENDS

To all our furry friends, remind your owners to take you out back of your own home first to do your waste before going for a walk. We have a dog park on Robin Rd. with a waste station for your use. Please DO NOT let your dog enter any residents' lawns but your own. Respect your neighbors and your park, be a responsible pet owner. All dogs MUST be on a leash when outside of the home, even in your carport.

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### HOME SALES

We often have people come to the office telling us Sugar Creek is a desirable community, so thank you to our residents for making Sugar Creek a friendly and welcoming environment for all. If you are considering selling your home, just let Daniel or Vicki know and we will use the resources at our fingertips to sell your home quickly and for a great price. We are here to help: 727-586-2002.

### OFFICE

The office will be closed on Thursday November 23rd and Friday November 24th. Have a Happy and Safe Thanksgiving!

# SUGAR CREEK MANUFACTURED HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATION

eeting on Monday, November 13, 2023 6:00 P.M. Social 6:30 p.m. Business



Please plan on attending our Sugar Creek HOA Meeting on Nov 13. There will be a social half hour with coffee and cookies prior to the meeting.

The Homeowners' Association shall have no standing to challenge the increase in lot rental, reduction in services or utilities, or change in rules & regulations unless a majority of the affected homeowners agree in writing to such representation per Florida Statue 723.037 (1) in the event of mediation.

Your Homeowners' Association has made every effort to increase our membership over the last five months. Presently, we have 82 members out of our 250 residents; an increase of 16 members from our membership in January which was 66. For us to be successful, we must have greater participation in the HOA. Please talk with your neighbors and your Sugar Creek friends and encourage them to join our HOA to help us make a difference for you.

We have just been advised by Sugar Creek's Owner that our monthly lot rental will be increased by \$98 in January, 2024. We have upcoming meetings to determine why the increase is necessary, any reduction in services or utilities, or change in rules and regulations and to share with the Park Owner why you/we feel this number to be absurd and unreasonable as well as to discuss your other areas of concern.

Many of you have contacted members of our Board of Directors expressing your concerns over the proposed rental increase and how this is going to affect you negatively. If you want OUR VOICES TO BE HEARD WHEN WE SPEAK UP FOR YOU, we need to strengthen our membership numbers. We need to present a unified front, so please send your \$10.00 in dues to Elaine Kowalczyk, Lot 134, Membership or Bev Burke-Gray, President of the HOA, Lot 142.





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# SUGAR CREEK SOCIAL CLUB PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

t's hard to believe we are in November already. I am sure that we are all welcoming the change in weather. WE are so blessed to have made it through (so far) another hurricane season.



Looking forward to our busy holiday season and all of the upcoming events.

I would like to thank Moe Ledger for his time and dedication to the Social Committee as Secretary. Sadly, he has resigned. You will be missed!

If there is anyone interested in the secretary position, please declare your intent by signing the sheet on the bulletin board in the clubhouse. We will announce a new secretary at the Nov. meeting on Nov 6.

There will be another Humana food distribution on Nov. 8 at 11:00. Please come to the Clubhouse to pick up your share.

Remember our breakfast on Nov. 11, 8:30-10:00. We will be serving French toast, sausage, and fruit. We celebrate our Veterans this month by serving them a free breakfast. Get your tickets from Patty Flack or Nancy Pietro. Let them know if you are a Veteran.

Thank you to Tina Ramsburg, Kathy Wellington, and everyone else who worked so hard on the craft show. All the planning paid off. What a great show.

The Community Thanksgiving dinner is Nov. 12th. Doors will open at 4:30, dinner served at 5:00. There will be a sign-up sheet on the board at the Clubhouse by the end of Oct. for those that will attend and for the side dish or dessert you will bring. Remember to sign up by Nov. 6 so we will know how many turkeys to purchase.

Thank you to Patty Flack for keeping us all informed on our upcoming events. Please sign up to be on the text or email list to receive the event reminders.

### **"7 RULES OF LIFE"**

- 1. Let it go. Never ruin a good day by thinking about a bad yesterday.
- 2. Ignore them. Don't listen to other people, live a life that's empowering for you.
- 3. Give it time. Time heals everything.
- 4. Don't compare. The only person you should try to beat is the person you were yesterday.
- 5. Stay calm. It's ok not to have everything figured out, know that in time you will get there.
- 6. It's on you. Only you are in charge of your happiness.
- 7. Smile. Life is short. Enjoy it while you have it.

Have a safe, happy, and blessed November!

In Friendship Karla Sladewski, President



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# **MEMBERSHIP S.C.C.C.:**

he color for 2023 will be green. The cost is \$10.00 per person per year or \$25.00 per person for 3 years. Remember the members of the S.C.C.C. always get first choice. If you have any questions, you can call Beverly Perry 508-995-4223 before 6:00PM, Lot 225 Egret Lane

# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

hristmas Party on Dec. 2, 7:00-10:00. Entertainment by Jerry Chase White Elephant on Dec. 16, 5:00
New Year Eve Party on Dec. 31, 7:30-12:00.



More details to follow on all of these events as they get closer. SAVE THE DATE!

# **RETURNING ACTIVITY-TINA'S COTTAGE CARDS**

Yome make special cards with Tina Nov. 15 (this date has already been filled) and Nov 29 at 10AM. \$10 for 2 cards. Sign-up sheets on the bulletin board at the Clubhouse.

## **IN MEMORY OF**

# #82 Eric Christie#211 Charles BarneyThe lease remember their families in your prayers.









## **NOVEMBER ANNIVERSARIES**

- 5 John and Sandi Triba
- 10 Dick and Diane Williams
- 12 Ed and Dorothy Burke
- 28 Lucy and Keith Bush Steve and Sheri Hartsock



# **NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS**

4 Allen Fitton
6 Judy Podraza
10 Sally Yergeau
22 Karla Sladewski
24 Frank Balas
24 Judy Storts

25 Lenny Byczynski29 Nancy Pietro Patty Flack30 Frank Rosina Sue Altman



# SUGAR CREEK LIBRARY

Relation and lower temperatures (we hope). We have been receiving some new reading material including brand new authors. Come and visit our library, take as many books as you want and return them to the basket provided. Due to lack of space, please do not leave any magazines or periodicals. Enjoy and happy reading!

Marie and Jerry

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When renting the Clubhouse for a Private Party, you need to supply your own paper goods & trash bags. Also, you are responsible for cleaning up the kitchen and hall to get back your security deposit of \$200. Need something for the Sugar Creek residents' functions, leave me a note on the fridge. When wiping the countertops, please use Windex, which is under the sink.

# **EDITOR:**



R eservations for the Clubhouse can be made with me by email at terricarlisle48@gmail.com or by calling me at 727-224-5650. You will then need to

Linform the Office of your event and leave a \$200 security deposit. December newsletter submissions need to be received by Nov. 4, 2023. Please email me at terricarlisle48@gmail.com. If you have any questions, please call me at 727-224-5650. Please remember, if you need to cancel a scheduled activity at the Clubhouse, post a cancellation notice on the Bulletin Board. Thank you.



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ends with the gathering of family and friends around the table, which makes it the perfect month to start telling and saving family stories. For more information, browse www.scrapbookstorytelling.com.

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I Am So Grateful Month. Nov. 1–30. To give thanks and count your blessings daily. For more information, browse www.nancyjlewis.com.

Lung Cancer Awareness Month. Nov. 1–30. To increase awareness of the need for screening, early detection, research and compassion for lung cancer survivors. For more information browse www.alcase.org.

National Hospice Month. Nov. 1–30. To promote greater awareness of hospice care and the advantages it offers. For more information, browse www.nahc.org.

### Weekly

November Calendar

Monthly

www.diabetes.org.

**World Communication Week.** Nov. 1–7. To stress the importance of communication among the more than 6 billion human beings in the world who speak more than

3,000 languages and to increase the use of the international language Esperanto. For more information, browse www.friendshipandgoodwill.org.

National Animal Shelter Appreciation Week. November 5–11.

To recognize the indispensable role that animal shelters play in maintaining the safety and health of a community — for all of its residents. For more information, browse www.groveparkinn.com.

**Better Conversation Week.** Nov. 20–26. To focus on making better conversations with friends and relatives. For more information, browse www.conversation-matters.com.

### Daily

Veterans Day. Nov. 11. Formerly called Armistice Day.

**Prematurity Awareness Day. Nov. 17**. To alert Americans to the problem of premature birth (before 37 weeks).

Prematurity is the leading cause of newborn death (before the first month in life). For more information, browse www.marchofdimes.com.

Thanksgiving Day. Nov. 24.









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# A manual for life

t birth, there is a manual for life that is given to each of us. Here it is:



- 1. You have received a body. It will be yours for the duration of your stay this time around. You may or may not like it, but it is yours.
- 2. Pay attention to the lessons to be learned. You are enrolled in a school that is full time and informal—it is called life. In your school, you will have chances to learn lessons. You are free to like the lessons or think that they are very stupid.
- 3. Keep in mind that there are no mistakes, just lessons to be learned. You will be involved with a process of trial and error, and this process will, with luck, incite growth. The "failures" you experience will be as much a part of your process as the parts of your life that "succeed."
- 4. You will repeat the same lesson, in its various forms, until it is learned. Then you will be free to go on to the next lesson.
- 5. Your learning in life is never over. As long as you are alive, there are lessons to be learned. There is no part of life that does not contain a lesson for you.
- 6. Places other than where you are will always look better to you, but this is a trick of the mind. It is never better to be other than what and where you are at the time. But it will always feel like you should be someplace else, be something else in order to find "happiness."
- 7. Your fellow beings are merely reflections of yourself. Whatever you love or hate about them is exactly what you love or hate about yourself.
- 8. What you make of life is up to you. You have everything you need to live life. What you do and how you live is up to you.
- 9. The answers to life's questions are within you. You just need to listen and trust your inner knowledge.
- 10. You will forget you have been told all of this.

### Wisdom from George Burns

Actually, it only takes one drink to get me loaded. Trouble is, I can't remember if it's the thirteenth or fourteenth. — George Burns



Too bad that all the people who know how to run the country are busy driving taxicabs and cutting hair. — George Burns

> You've got to be honest; if you can fake that, you've got it made. — George Burns

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## Which dog will you feed?

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One day the young girl came into the grandmother's cozy little house with a look of pure rage on her face.

"What has happened, little one?" the grandmother asked softly. The anger immediately left the girl's face, and she crumpled into a sobbing mass of tears.

The girl recounted her day to her grandmother. "I went to the store today, and while I was there I bought the most beautiful hair barrette. I had saved my money so that I could buy it. It was shiny and beautiful and something I wanted very badly."

"And then what happened," the kindly grandmother asked.

"Well, I went outside and was admiring my new barrette in the sunlight when three girls who I know from school came up to me. They started laughing at me and saying that I was ugly, then one of the girls pushed me down to the ground and another girl pulled the barrette from my hand. They said I was too ugly for such a beautiful thing." The girl stopped and the anger and rage returned to her face. "I hate those girls. I hate them more than anything in the world."

The old grandmother, who had been in the world for a long time, wrapped her arms warmly around her granddaughter.

"There, there," the old woman said. "I, too, have felt what you're feeling when people have taken things from me with no remorse or regret. But these feelings will wear you down and wear you out. It is like drinking a cup of poison in hope that it will make your enemy die, but in the end the poison will only hurt you. I have had these same feelings many times in life. It is as if there are two dogs inside of me. One is always good and does no harm. He is loyal and lives in harmony with me. He does not take offense in life, when it does no good to do so. He will fight when the time is right, and fight nobly, but if it would be to no avail he lets it go. The other dog is full of anger. The least little thing makes him go off, and he is ready to fight. He wants to fight everyone all the time and he doesn't really have to have a reason for the fight. His anger keeps him from thinking. His anger is helpless and will change nothing. It is hard to live with these two animals inside of me — both of them are always trying to win."

"Which one wins, grandmother?" the little girl asked.

"Ah," said the old woman, "it is always the one I feed."

### **On impact**

If you think you're too small to have an impact, try going to bed with a mosquito. — Anita Roddick





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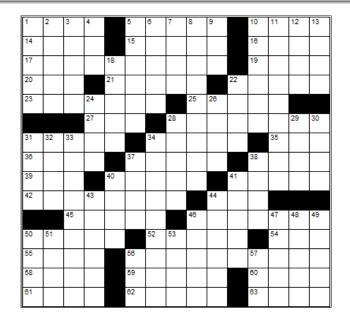
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#### ACROSS

- 1. Small containers
- 5. Personnel
- 10. Circle fragments
- 14. Brews
- 15. Reef material
- 16. Arid
- 17. Writing paper
- 19. Gush forth
- 20. Be mistaken
- 21. The best people or things
- 22. Femme fatale
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- 35. Chapter in history
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- 38. Make a sweater
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- 40. High-pitched woodwind
- instrument
- 41. Waits
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- 44. Encountered
- 45. Sesame
- 46. Illness
- 50. Select by voting
- 52. Ice a cake
- 54. Needlefish
- 55. Telegram
- 56. Blending
- 58. Makes a mistake
- 59. Mistake
- 60. Countertenor
- 61. Articulates
- 62. File
- 63. Kind of moss



#### DOWN

- 1. Enclosed
- 2. Extreme
- 3. Necklace item
- 4. Supersonic transport
- 5. A large amount
- 6. In shape
- 7. District
- 8. Farmer's home
- 9. Travel by plane
- 10. Help
- 11. Criticize
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# November Crossword

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# **SUGAR CREEK POOL AND SPA RULES**

- Swim at own risk
- Warning no lifeguard on duty
- Maximum load for swimming pool 15 persons 7 persons for spa
- Pool and spa open 24 hours
- Under 18 not permitted in pool or spa from 12:00 noon to 4:00 PM
- Children must be accompanied by resident adult
- Cut offs not allowed in pool
- Shower before entering pool or spa
- No toys, glassware, food or drink in pool, spa or on sun deck no animals
- Suntan lotion prohibited in pool
- Protect furniture with a towel if suntan lotion is used
- No children in diapers permitted in pool
- No persons with open sores or bandages permitted in pool
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