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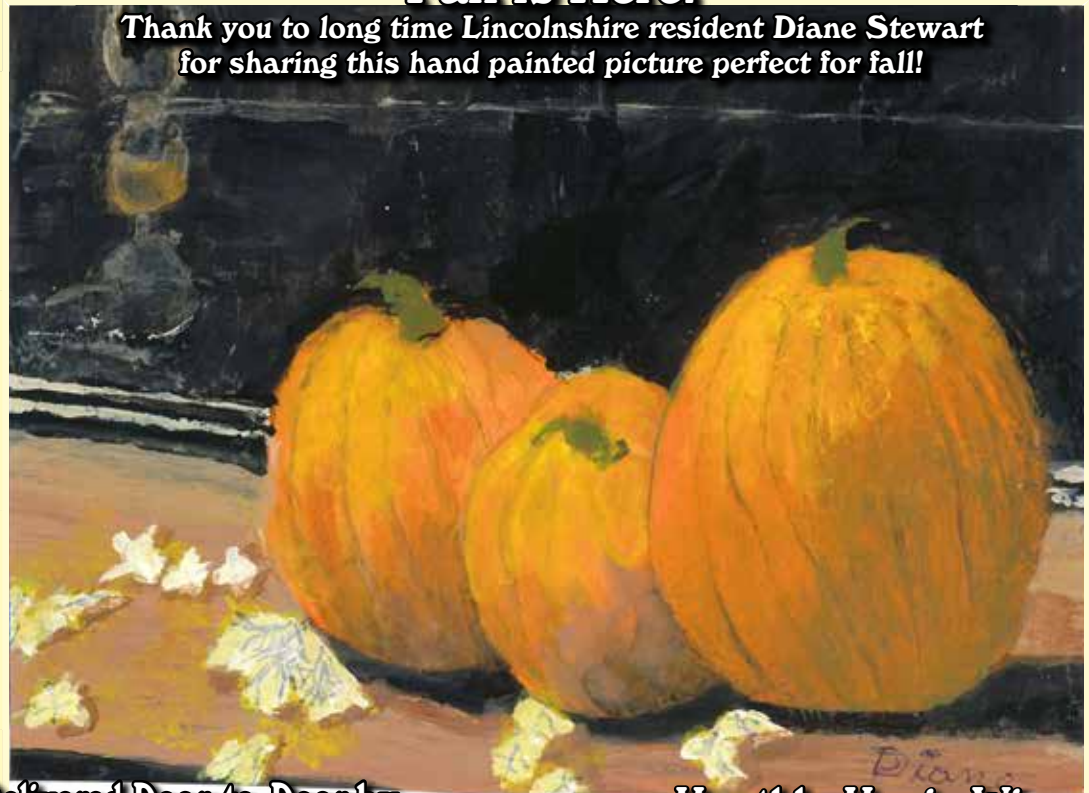
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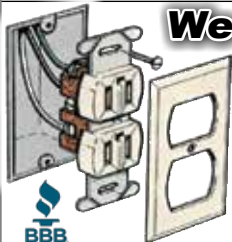


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*By: Rita Atwood*

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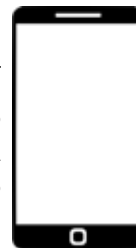
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# Co-op Updates

By Al Noeller



As the weather changes to a little cooler weather, we are welcoming our friends and families back. The HOA, Social Committee, and the Men's Club are preparing our social events and the forecast looks great.

In these days of dissension (some people are never happy), I would like to celebrate some accomplishments of the BOD this year, that affect all residents: No shutdowns of the potable water system this year, improved and expanded PI website, enhanced communication methods for Co-Op and HOA members, and more transparency. Our amenities have been well maintained with regular maintenance, and upgrades as necessary with additions as identified to include painting, repairs, replacement fans, sinks/countertops, benches, and equipment. Every project has been completed to minimize expenses and enhance amenities, such as the new Spectrum contract, obtaining the best insurance rate available, and utilizing maintenance to do some projects formerly contracted out. The HOA, PISC, and Co-Op are working together for the benefit of all. We try to always consider what is fair and equal for ALL of our Residents in our governing, violation management, and all that we do in running the Corporation. The BOD works for what we consider is the majority of the Co-Op owners, not what I/we personally want or what some small fraction wants. We are still a Not-For-Profit Corporation and we are doing our best to follow all the Florida Laws that apply while maintaining a healthy corporate position which helps us to have an outstanding well-maintained community. All this and more consumes many, many volunteer hours. Note: Pinellas County is becoming very expensive to live in and our rates are still well below similar communities.

I hope you all enjoy living here in Paradise Island and we are always trying to enhance the experience.

# Neighborhood Watch

By Nancy LaBelle



Happy Fall from the Neighborhood Watch Team.

Our Monthly meetings are every 3rd Tuesday of the month at 10 AM. Everyone is always welcome to attend. Officer Keith Bowling, our Largo PD liaison, is usually there to give us updates about the park, discuss concerns, and brainstorm for possible events.

We continue to encourage Park Safety, by remembering to lock your vehicles, take your keys, and keep lights on in your carport. If you are away, have a neighbor/friend get your mail, check for packages and keep an eye on your place. Of course, put away outside things that could easily "walk off". Lock your golf cart and block it's exit, if possible.

FYI, Largo PD has a Facebook Page. Electric bikes are now a HOT ITEM to steal. Don't leave these available at any time. Keep inside if possible or lock with a heavy duty U lock. Register the serial number, so if stolen, resale can be checked on various sites.

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We may be a PRIVATE community but we are not gated. And even if we were, thieves are looking for any opportunity.

If you happen to call 911 by mistake please stay on the line and tell the operator, DON'T HANG UP. A hang up call can trigger an attempt to locate where the call came from. It is a waste of time that can be saved by simply staying on the phone. THANK YOU!

Your Block Captains are listed on the inside cover of the Media and we all have maps or stop in the office.

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## HOA Message

By Ray La Belle



### Why you should join the FMO.

The Federation of Manufactured Owners of Florida (FMO) is located in Tallahassee, Florida. Their sole mission is to look after the interests of the mobile home communities.

They have a paid lobbyist that monitors legislation affecting our parks, our subdivisions, our homes and our lives here in Florida. They focus primarily on that dealing with manufactured housing but, along with our partners, also track matters related to many issues that ultimately affect our members.

Their lobbyist monitors and reports on the issues presented in Tallahassee. They also meet regularly with Legislators and staff to promote FMO's viewpoints and member's interests.

Things that they could have used our help on, as members, was by contacting our local state representatives, was a bill that died in the Senate that would have leveled the playing field as such. It took the unfair advantage that park owners have in setting rents over tenants and makes it the same as for HOA's condominium and cooperative disputes. This bill died in the Senate due to lack of support. The FMO asked for people to contact their representatives, but with a small membership the word did not get out.

On the bright side House Bill 321 which would have allowed tiny homes in mobile home parks, such as ours, was defeated by a joint effort of several groups led by the FMO.

There are legislative battles every day, even when the legislature is not in session. This is the time they draft bills for the next session and it is important for the FMO to participate in these off times. They can do a lot more with your help. To join, join go to FMO.ORG

Membership has its advantages, and offers many valuable services to members such as:

- Full Service Website
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# Largo Police Department Lunch and Learn

By Diane Billman

The HOA and Social Committee of Paradise Island are pleased to host the Largo Police Department in presenting a Lunch and Learn on Wednesday, November 29th from 10:30 am to 1:00 pm. Learn about fraud protection strategies and meet local resource non-profits who offer programs for the Largo Senior population. Please sign up at the Clubhouse bulletin board so we can have an accurate count for lunch which will be provided by the Largo Police Department.

## Paradise Island Social Committee Calendar 2023

Any Questions contact Diane Billman 727-434-0048



tickets for all events are sold on Monday nights from 6-7 pm

Nov.4	Craft Fair	NC	Clubhouse	9 am - 3 pm
Nov. 11	Pizza/Karaoke Party	\$5	Clubhouse	6pm -10 pm
Nov.18	Men's Club Event	\$10	Rich Wilson - Singer (BYOB - Snacks)	7pm - 10 pm
Nov.23	Thanksgiving Dinner	Free	Clubhouse Free for Residents Only	4:00 PM
Nov.25	Clubhouse Holiday Decorating		Volunteers Needed	9:00 am - done
Nov.29	Largo PD Lunch n Learn	NC	Clubhouse - Lunch will be served	10:30 am-1:00 pm
Dec.2	Ladies Holiday Luncheon	\$12	Lunch Served at 12:30 at Clubhouse	11 am - 2:00pm
Dec.9	Blue Grass Jam	NC	Small room in Clubhouse	1:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Dec.9	Holiday Caroling	NC	Meet at Clubhouse at 5:30 pm	6:00 pm - done
Dec.10	Holiday Golf Cart Parade	NC	Meet at Clubhouse at 5:30 pm	6:30 pm - done
Dec.16	Holiday Dinner/Dance	\$5	Dinner at 6:00 pm/ Tom Davis at 7:00	5:00 pm - 10 pm
Dec.31	New Year's Eve Dance	\$20	Silver Alert	8 pm - 12:15 am



# Social Committee Update

By Diane Billman



The beginning of our active season has started with the Halloween Dance being held on October 28th. Lots of fun, scary and creative costumes showed up and a fun time was had by all who attended. November and December are even busier months starting off with our Annual Craft Fair, another fun Pizza/Karaoke party, our first Men's Entertainment event and our Thanksgiving Dinner for all residents to enjoy at the Clubhouse. If you have family visiting from out of town, they are welcome to attend for \$5/person. We will do deliveries of a complete Thanksgiving meal to residents who are shut-ins by calling Marcia White at 727-452-3839. Tickets are required and can be obtained on Monday evenings from 6-7 pm at the Clubhouse.

The Saturday after Thanksgiving will be our annual decorating of the clubhouse for the holiday season. We welcome all volunteers to show up at 9 am to help with the decorating. Betty Hiscock is the chairperson and can answer any questions you might have about helping.

December starts with our Ladies Holiday Luncheon on the 2nd, Blue Grass Jam on the 9th as well as Christmas Caroling in the evening, Golf Cart parade on the 10th, our annual Christmas dinner/dance on the 16th and New Years Eve dance on the 31st. It will be a busy two months for sure and we look forward to seeing all our Northern friends and neighbors back for the winter months.

I am happy to announce Betty Simpson as the new Social Committee Secretary and Cindy Maciejewski as a new HOA Director. We still have one HOA Director's position to fill so if you are interested in finding out more information, please contact me at 727-434-0048 and we can chat about it.

## STILL NEED:

Ice Cream Social with Music from Fletcher Music Centers – I have already spoken with the gentleman who does the music, he is just waiting for a date. Your responsibilities would include picking a date (Spring or next summer), selling the tickets (so you know how much ice cream and topping you will need), getting volunteers to help out (plenty of people willing to help) and doing the event.

Pool party chairperson is open and available if you are interested in chairing them in 2024.

If you have an idea for a fun activity and are willing to chair the event, we would be happy to hear the idea and see if it works for our residents.

Should you have any questions, you may reach out to me at 727-434-0048 or [piscprez@gmail.com](mailto:piscprez@gmail.com)

May you enjoy a blessed Thanksgiving holiday!

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# Save the Karaoke date

By Cindy Maciejewski



The biggest, funniest, and loudest karaoke party is once again on the way to our Clubhouse!! Be ready to sing, rock the stage, dance, or just watch... whatever you decide, it's going to be a blast. Mark your calendars for Saturday, November 11 when you can party like a rock star. More details to follow.

# Thanksgiving Dinner

By Michelle Griffith and Nadine Peters



All residents are invited to enjoy a FREE traditional Thanksgiving dinner at the Clubhouse on November 23, 2023 at 4 pm. Family staying with residents over the Thanksgiving Holiday may attend for \$5 per person. Residents who are unable to attend due to medical reasons and are considered shut-ins, can have a meal delivered to them by calling Marcia White at 727-452-3839. Tickets are required and can be gotten at the Clubhouse on Monday evenings from 6-7 pm starting October 23rd through November 20th. You will be responsible to decorate and supply dessert for your table. Please coordinate with your table mates. We will need volunteers to 1) Cook Turkeys, 2) Carve Turkeys, 3) Plate the dinners, 4) Servers, 5) Clean-up crew. You may sign up to volunteer when you pick up your tickets. The Men's Club will set up on Wednesday, November 22nd. Thanksgiving Dinner is sponsored by Church in the Park, PI HOA and PI Social Committee. Any questions please call or text Nadine Peters at 402-750-3083 or email [nadine5106@gmail.com](mailto:nadine5106@gmail.com).

# Water Aerobics

By Anita Reed

Our summer classes ended as if October 31st. Classes will continue throughout the winter months for those who can tolerate the cooler temps.

This will be my last year leading the class, after thirty years, it's time to turn over the reins to someone else. I'm pleased to say that Wendy has stepped up to take my place on Monday, Wednesday and Fridays. Many thanks, Wendy! She is faithful about going every day, come

RAIN or SHINE!! Please give her your support and help her when you can. Janice will still be leading classes on her usual days of Tuesday and Thursdays. I still plan on coming to class (not so much during the winter) but when temps. are a bit warmer. It's been a wonderful experience over the years, and I've met so many remarkable people who have made a difference in my life, and have become great friends. We've had tons of fun, maybe a bit silly, but, what a great way to start the day!!!

Thanks to everyone who has been in our class, keep on exercising, keep on laughing, always think positive!!

Love you all, Anita



# COME ONE, COME ALL TALENT SHOW

By Ken Hopkins



**JANUARY 27, 2024**

The 5th annual talent show is coming!! WOW, five years of great talent shared with friends and neighbors. So, this year we are looking for a great turnout of new and past talent for the show. Musicians, comedians, singers, dancers and any other talent you would like to show off! For information, please contact Ken Hopkins at 727.303.3417. Put on your calendar now!!

# SHUFFLEBOARD

By Gary MacDonald



The winter season of organized Shuffleboard starts this month on November 22. We play Tuesday and Thursday mornings starting at 935 AM, so please try to arrive by 930. We play two sets, which takes approximately 1.5 hours and play for fun during these times. We look forward to welcoming back all players as well as new players. No experience necessary and cues are provided. We look forward to seeing you at the courts!

PS - Shuffleboard courts are available to all residents. The storage shed at the courts are locked outside of organized play, so call Gary at 727 474 6420 for key access if you'd like to play any time.

# Darts

By Anne Elkins



The new dart season started Monday, October 16, 2023 and will run through April 2024. We usually are in need of subs throughout the year. If you would like to join us as a sub, you just need to show up on Mondays before 6:30 pm. We have a lot of fun mixed with playful competition. No experience necessary, darts is an easy game to pick up.

If you have any questions, call Anne Elkins at 727-210-7364.



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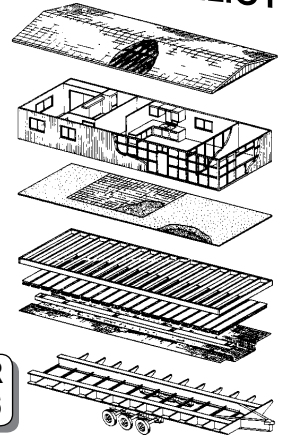
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## New England Plus

By Gail White



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For your holiday planning purposes, the December dinner will be at the Zum Hee Chinese restaurant in Seminole at 4 p.m. Dec. 6.

There is a Facebook group page called New England + Dinner that can be used to register and sign up. You can also use the signup sheet in the clubhouse. Questions? Please contact dinner coordinators Gail White (412-561-5943) or Maureen Ronney (727-648-2571).

Thanks to all for a great October dinner!

## Midwest Lunch Bunch

By Marge Murray



The Midwest Lunch Bunch will meet on November 11 @ 11:30 am at Abe's at 1250 S. Missouri Ave. All Paradise Island residents are welcome to join us for fellowship and lunch. Please rsvp to: shar4u68@gmail.com; Or call Marge @ 727-584-8701 or you can sign up on our Facebook page.

## Paradise Island Annual Craft Fair

By Nadine Peters – Annual Craft Fair Committee



Annual Craft Fair and Bake Sale - Saturday November 4th, from 9 am to 3 pm at the PI Clubhouse. Sponsored by the Paradise Island Social Committee. We are excited with all the returning vendors and new vendors. Over 50 plus tables with vendors are eager to help you with your holiday shopping or just purchasing something new for your home.

Bake Sale – 9 am – 2 pm or until sold out. If you love to bake, we would love to have your donations of cakes, pies, candy, bars, muffins, quick breads, and cookies. NOTE: Please bring items bagged and ready to sell. Bring items either Friday evening 6- 8 pm or Saturday before 10 am to the Clubhouse. Questions contact Nadine Peters. Call or text 402-750-3083; email: nadine5106@gmail.com

**A Complete Listing of Resident Services  
can be found on the page before your calendar**



## PI Monthly Ladies Luncheon

By Beth Pieckiel

Happy November everyone! Please remember that we do NOT have a monthly luncheon for November as it falls in the same week as Thanksgiving. HOWEVER we will be having our Monthly Christmas luncheon on Saturday, December 9th at 11:30 a.m. Your hostesses for our Christmas luncheon are Kim Gibson and myself Beth Pieckiel. We have chosen for this year's monthly Christmas luncheon:

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As always the sign-up sheet will be posted in the clubhouse. If you do sign up and then find you are unable to attend PLEASE remove your name from the list! Also we will be doing a White Elephant gift exchange, so please bring a wrapped \$10.00 gift to be exchanged. This luncheon is open to all of the ladies residing in PI. Hope to see everyone turn out for this fun and festive luncheon.

Any questions regarding the luncheon, please contact me, Beth Pieckiel at (214) 538-7094.

## Christmas Dinner/Dance

By Ken Jonas and Diane Billman

Our annual Christmas Dinner and Dance will be held on Saturday, Dec 16th at the Clubhouse. Social hour will be from 5-6 pm, dinner at 6 and dancing starts at 7 pm to Tom Davis. Ham, dessert, coffee, water and soda will be provided, and each table is responsible for coordinating all side dishes as well as table decorations. Tickets will be \$5 per person and can be purchased starting on November 20th from 6-7 pm. The Church in the Park and the HOA are sponsors along with The Men's Club and Social Committee. We want to wish all our residents Happy Holidays!



## PARADISE ISLAND NEW YEARS EVE

By Judi Mitchell

The time to celebrate and bring in the new year is drawing near. So let's rock the night away at the clubhouse with the band SILVER ALERT from 8PM -12AM. Starting Monday November 27th tickets will be on sale from 6PM -7PM at the clubhouse for \$20.00 each. As always it will be BYOB and bring your own snacks. Come join your friends and neighbors as we say goodbye to 2023 and welcome in 2024.





## Ladies Holiday Luncheon

By Betty Simpson and Sue Stagner



This year's Ladies Holiday Luncheon will be held on Saturday, December 2, 2023 at the Clubhouse. Holiday music will be provided by Phyllis Nelson. Doors open at 11 am and social hour is from 11:30 am -12:30 pm. Dinner will be served at 12:30 pm consisting of Chicken Cordon Bleu, mashed potatoes, vegetables, rolls and dessert. Coffee, water and soft drinks will be provided. You are welcome to BYOB and appetizers for your table. Table set-up will be on Friday, December 1st and you are welcome to start decorating your table after 10:00 am. All tables must be done by 6 pm on the 1st and judging will occur Friday night. Prizes for the best table decorations will go to 1st, 2nd and 3rd place. Tickets will go on sale Monday, October 30th from 6-7 pm at the Clubhouse and the cost is \$12. Questions, please call Betty Simpson at 727-409-8669 or Sue Stagner at 727-698-2698.

## Men's Club

By Ken Jonas



Don't forget to come over to the clubhouse on Monday evening, 11/4 or 11/11 between 6 and 7 PM and get your tickets for our first show of the 2023-2024 season when we will present Rich Wilson and his Las Vegas style of entertainment on Saturday, 11/18 . Happy hour from 6 to 7 PM immediately followed by a great show! Come on out and enjoy a fun night for only \$10 per person!

Then our next fun night will be the Annual Christmas Dinner and Dance to be held on Saturday 12/16 when Tom Davis will entertain us with great dance music! Tickets will go on sale starting 11/20 from 6 to 7 PM and continue every Monday night thru 12/11. This event is open to all Paradise Island residents with tickets only being \$5 per person, so plan on joining in on the fun! No tickets will be available at the door, so be sure to get yours early!

Our next Men's Club meeting will be Tuesday 11/7 with coffee and donuts at 8:30 and the meeting at 9:00 AM and we look forward to seeing you all then. In the meantime we will need all available Men's Club members to help set up for the Annual Craft Show on Friday, 11/3 at 9 AM. Please come help us out!





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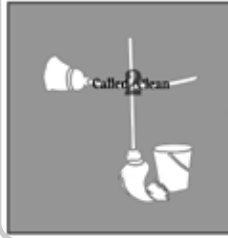
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# Paradise Island Facebook Group

By Media Committee



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All postings will be screened and approved by the PILargo group administrator(s). The commenting option will be turned off for each posting. Posting will inform you as to who to contact if you have questions or concerns.

This group is purely for informational purposes

You may sign up by following these steps:

1. On your Facebook page search for: Paradise Island Largo
2. Click - Join
3. Answer all of the questions – **DO NOT CLICK SUBMIT UNTIL YOU HAVE ANSWERED ALL THE QUESTIONS AND YOU AGREE TO THE RULES.**
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6. If you are having trouble joining contact: Cindy at 727-248-7146 or [dclord80@hotmail.com](mailto:dclord80@hotmail.com)

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Be sure to take a look at the GUIDE TAB at the top of the page!! This is where you can see various postings that are archived for you to be able to reference previous posts on the page. They are organized by categories for easy access.

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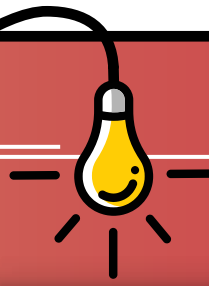


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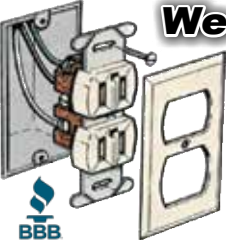
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Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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ter Aerobics Shuffle Board Mah Jongg-F Poker-Fron- g Pong-M A BOD F nko-M	21 SETUP Thanksgiving Dinner-B & K 9am - Water Aerobics 1pm - Bocce Ball 1pm - Craft Club-F 1pm - Cribbage-F	22 Thanksgiving Dinner-B & K 9:30am - Bible Study-F 9:35am - Shuffle Board 10:30am - Choir Practice-F 4pm - Community Thanksgiving <b>Thanksgiving Day</b>	23 9am - Water Aerobics 10:30am - Prayer Meeting-R3 3pm - Ping Pong-M	24 1pm - Bocce Ball
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## Thursday Co-Ed Bowling

By Shirley Pultorak



Our first day of the Paradise Island Bowling League was Thursday, October 12. We enjoyed renewing friendships and meeting several new bowlers. We bowl 3 games at Liberty Lanes with practice beginning at 12:15. We welcome any resident who is interested in bowling with us, especially as a sub. It is a great opportunity for new residents to get to know other residents and enjoy an activity offered by Paradise Island. If you are interested in bowling in our league, please call Shirley Pultorak at 315 796-2110 or sign up on the sheet on the bulletin board in the clubhouse.

We take Thanksgiving off to enjoy our families and friends.

Have a happy and blessed Thanksgiving.

## Heads up!! Save the date!!

By Terri Dacy



The Paradise Island Social Committee is sponsoring our second annual Christmas Caroling event. Last year it was a great success and so much fun was had by all. Our goal is to have many more participants this year, so we're getting the word out early!

It will be casual and open to all residents, utilizing the old standard Christmas songs that everyone knows! Let's all get into the Christmas spirit! The caroling date will be on Saturday, Dec. 9th from 5:30pm until 10pm. We will have an organizational/rehearsal meeting the prior Sunday, December 3rd in the clubhouse, from 3:30pm to 5:30pm.

If you would like to participate, please notify Terri Dacy by phone call or text message at 727-278-3395 or by email at [tdacy1@gmail.com](mailto:tdacy1@gmail.com). Please spread the word to everyone you know, as some residents do not have access to email or social media. The more, the merrier! Mark your calendars!



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# Paradise Island Church in the Park

By Pastor Serena Johnson



**T**hank YOU!

YOU are appreciated, yes, YOU!

As we gather together this Thanksgiving may we remember all the gifts God has bestowed upon us. May we thank Him for His goodness and mercy. During this season take a little time to think about all the blessings we have in our life. May we always reach out to those who feel alone and may need a blessing. Sometimes just a smile or a hug goes a long way. So, yes, I thank you for giving of yourself to make life easier for someone else.

Happy Thanksgiving!!! May your blessings be abundant!

Everyone is cordially invited to join us on Sunday mornings at 9:30 AM in the Clubhouse. We are a non-denominational church, we welcome all, and look forward to meeting you. Come feel the love of God as we worship the Lord together. If you are unable to come you can view the service on YouTube under "P I Church in the Park."

You are welcome to attend our Bible Study on the Book of Romans, Thursday mornings at 9:30AM led by Ron Ellis. After Bible Study we have Choir Practice from 10:30 to 11:30 AM led by Jenny Caldarello.

Prayer meeting on Fridays at 10:30 AM led by Serena Johnson is on hold at least till January. Thank you...

If you know of someone who needs prayer and you would like to add to or take off our prayer list, please contact Pat Murphy by email: [pamurphy51@gmail.com](mailto:pamurphy51@gmail.com), with pertinent information.

BE AWARE WE CARE! If you know of someone in the Park who is ill and/or needs some encouragement and a Prayer Bear please contact Wilma Largent at (260)316-1296 or [largentw6048@gmail.com](mailto:largentw6048@gmail.com).

If you know of someone in the Park who has a need, please let us know. All requests are confidential. We would like to help if we can. Please call one of the numbers below and we will look into what we can do to help,

Do you have need of prayer or would like a visit, please do not hesitate to contact: Pastor Serena Johnson (727)530-5905 or Associate Pastor Ron Ellis (614)753-6744. If no answer please leave a message and you will be called back asap.

*Prayer does not change God, but it changes him who prays. Soren Kierkegaard*

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# Editor's Corner

By Harold Noeller



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- Please note the persons in charge of delivery of the Monthly Media are Dave and Elaine De Yong. If you don't receive your copy of the Media please call them at (727) 531-8426.

- Disclaimer: Remember, this publication is for News & Events for the benefit of Paradise Island residents. The Board of Directors of Paradise Island Co-Op and the Editor of the Monthly Media are not responsible for the content of any articles submitted. If the article is determined not to comply with the 'News & Events' concept, it will not be printed. If you have a 'Letter to the Editor', a section is provided for opinion related articles not of a negative nature! Also, articles might appear in the media before the actual event date.

Also, there are 6 places to look for an activities date and time either in the current month or in future months. They are:

- Within the media, there might be an article with all of the details.
- The calendar section of the media.
- The Bulletin Board in the Clubhouse.
- Our web site at [www.paradiseislandlargo.com](http://www.paradiseislandlargo.com) under the Amenities link.
- Facebook group, 'Paradise Island Largo'

## Letter(s) to the Editor

The Paradise Island Non-Denominational Church In The Park is seeking a retired or semi-retired Minister of the Full Gospel, for a part-time position, beginning in January 2024. If interested or you know of someone, please email a short resume to Pastor Serena Johnson at [smjpray@aol.com](mailto:smjpray@aol.com).







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# VETERAN'S CORNER

By Bob Behm

**F**ormer Thunderbirds Commander, Retired NFL Player Die in New York Plane Crash:

Russ Francis, who played a total of eight seasons with the New England Patriots, died Sunday in a plane crash outside of Lake Placid, New York, the team confirmed Monday.

The 70-year-old Francis was a passenger on an aircraft that was piloted by Richard McSpadden, a former commander with the Air Force Thunderbirds. The crash of the Cessna 177 Cardinal occurred around 4:09 p.m. on Sunday at the end of a runway at the Lake Placid Airport. The Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association (AOPA) said in a statement that McSpadden was in the pilot's seat when the aircraft "experienced an emergency after takeoff." "The airplane attempted to return to the airport but failed to make the runway. Both occupants lost their lives," the AOPA wrote. The AOPA, of which McSpadden was a senior vice president, described McSpadden as "a very accomplished pilot."

Francis was the president of the scenic tour company Lake Placid Airways, which he recently purchased. The company noted that Francis has been a pilot himself for 49 years, has owned an air charter company in Hawaii and also "owned and piloted his P-51 Mustang and Hawker Sea Fury British fighter."

Francis was drafted by the Patriots in the first round of the 1975 NFL Draft out of Oregon. Francis placed his first six seasons in New England before going on to join the San Francisco 49ers. Francis went on to win a championship in Super Bowl XIX during his time in San Francisco. The former tight end finished his NFL career with a three-year stint back in New England. He was a three-time Pro Bowler and a two-time second-team All-Pro selection. Francis finished his career with 393 receptions for 5,262 yards and 40 touchdowns. He remains third in Patriots history in touchdowns and receiving yards among tight ends, trailing only Rob Gronkowski and Ben Coates.

VA reports that there is news concerning the 2024 disability rates. Initially it was estimated that the new increase would be 2.7 but the latest news looks like it will be 3.2 payable on 1 Jan 2024.

President Biden signed the Veterans Compensation Cost-of-living Adjustment Act of 2023, directing the Department of Veterans Affairs to align Veterans benefits cost of living adjustment for 2024 with the COLA applied to Social Security benefits, as determined by the Social Security Administration. The final VA disability rates for 2024 are scheduled to be released on October 13, 2023.

I want to take a moment to wish each Veteran and their Spouses, (without them at home taking care of everything, we could not have done our jobs!) a very Happy Veterans Day!

Bob Behm LTC, (RET ARMY)





## In Memoriam

By Dianna Gilmore

**James E. Prehoda**  
**Lot 622**  
**8/16/23**



James died suddenly on, August 16th. He is survived by his wife, Geri. In addition he is survived by children, Rob Pioth, Tracy Stamko, Rob Prehoda, Jaimie Cherok & Todd Prehoda; grandchildren, Adam Christner, Cameron Pioth, Miranda Pioth, Brett Cherok & Sean Cherok; and great grandchildren, Jaxson Christner, Harper Cherok, Max Cherok, Preston Cherok, & Jaren Campman.

James was in the Navy. He spent 2 years as a radarman and 1 year in the reserves. He and Geri have lived in Paradise Island for around 6 years. James was a gym enthusiast and bowled on teams for over 20 years.

A Memorial service will be held in the Paradise Island Clubhouse on Friday, October 20, 2023 from 1:00 pm until 4:30 pm.

Please contact me, Dianna Gilmore at 303-748-6572 of any deaths you are aware of in our community. It is my honor to lower our community memorial flag and post notices on the flag board, the clubhouse and in the Monthly Media. Your calls to me will be greatly appreciated. Thank you!

*“The bitterest tears shed over graves are for words left unsaid and deeds left undone.”*  
*- Harriet Beecher Stowe*

## New Residents Joining our Community

By the Welcome Team, Nancy & Ken Jonas



Welcome to all our old friends who are returning after spending the summer up north enjoying cooler weather, and to all you folks who have recently joined us here in Paradise! We look forward to meeting you folks soon, if we haven't already, as many of you will be joining us as the weather turns cooler back home. As many of our activities start back up again, please check this publication each month for what's coming up and come on out and join the fun! That's what living in Paradise is all about!





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187	Rick & Joann	Atkins	November	8	2014
179	Danny & Betty	Shipman	November	11	1978
478	Glen & Sonjie	Blitt	November	12	1969
636	Jim & Jane	Pilla	November	14	1998
202	Barry & Jo Ann	Kip	November	15	2002
314	Rick & Leslie	Cowley	November	18	2010
359	Rhonda & John	Miller	November	19	1990
660	Thomas & Denise	Donohue	November	21	2016
790	James & Donna	Lish	November	22	1968
65	George & Barbara	Steinmetz	November	24	2004
315	Bonnie & Paul	Deveau	November	26	1977



*A successful marriage requires falling in love many times, always with the same person.*

**Mignon McLaughlin**

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# November Birthdays

105	Raymond	Labelle	November	1
299	Barbara	Cannon	November	1
373	Cheryl	Chapman	November	1
515	Peg	Grant	November	1
526	Ruth	Billings	November	3
83	Frederick	Nohmer	November	4
143	Arther	Cherbonnie	November	4
242	Lois	Scarborough	November	4
279	John	Gwin	November	5
473	Kerry	Atwood	November	5
644	Honor	Kinney	November	5
45	Nancy	Kazakis	November	6
70	Eugene	Thomson	November	6
143	Debra	Cherbonnie	November	6
254	John	Medick	November	6
480	Ken	Stagner	November	6
358	Dana	Howard	November	7
711	Robert	Bechard	November	7
176	James	Kinsey	November	8
306	Cindy	Lyman	November	8
418	Lonnie	Krawczyk	November	8
423	Alice	Shumaker	November	8
534	Irene	Woodial	November	8
699	Vickie	Burton	November	8
564	Richard	Whitbeck	November	9
744	Darlene	Blair	November	9
754	Kelly	Hochderffer	November	9
827	Mary	Desjardin	November	10
26	Shira	Pacult	November	11
786	Kathryn	Duncan	November	11
386	Diana	Shaw	November	12
478	Sonjie	Blitt	November	12
771	Don	Schneider	November	12
73	Cyndi	Shacklee	November	13
128	Diann	Osgood	November	13
339	Jim	Fromfield	November	13
362	Christine	Sheetz	November	13
382	Donald	Berg	November	13
198	Yolande	Macarther	November	14
265	Catherine	Rogers	November	14
552	Susan	Fairhurst	November	14



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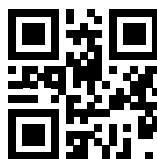
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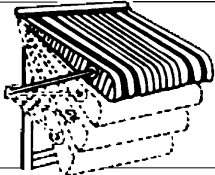
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734	Cheryl	Marrepese	November	16
398	Jackie	Struss	November	17
588	Carolyn	Keezer	November	17
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203	Bob	Gustke	November	18
156	Karen	Crowe	November	19
543	Ronald	Marcissuk	November	19
616	Theresa	Goliber	November	19
502	Gerda	Peacock	November	20
575	Colleen	Cowden	November	20
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10	Leslie	Marshall	November	21
623	Myron	Zarlinsky	November	21
266	Marian	Green	November	22
376	Diane	Pupecki	November	22
67	Pat	Depoole	November	23
79	Kim	Zehender	November	23
220	Pat	Widmer	November	23
637	David	Bolewicki	November	23
659	Connie	Rogers	November	23
67	Nick	Depoole	November	24
185	Joan	Sweeney	November	24
226	Bob	Scott	November	24
300	Robert	Puro	November	24
458	Diane	Billman	November	24
775	Warren	Gleiser	November	24
812	Mike	Caldarello	November	24
396	Marilyn	Crobaugh	November	25
674	Peggy	Wittlake	November	25
137	Jacalyn	Lane	November	26
543	Vilma	Marcissuk	November	26
162	Roy	Allan	November	27
151	Mike	Robbins	November	29
190	Carmelle	Pariseau	November	29
53	Karen	Grachek	November	30
66	Carol	Dellechiaie	November	30
193	Rich	Carver	November	30
575	Pat	Cowden	November	30



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<p><b>OTHER</b></p> <p>GOLF club re-gripping. Call or text 301-466-7090</p>	<p>CRAFT FAIR 11/11/23 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. AMERICANA COVE Clubhouse 7201 1st Street NE Saint Petersburg</p>	<p>Bay Ranch MHP Flea Market / Bake Sale 12-02-23 8am - 1pm. Refreshments! Vendor Tables \$10. Contact: Paige 727-543-9871. 7349 Ulmerton Rd</p>
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<p>Regency Heights Carport Sale: Friday and Saturday, November 3-4, 8am-2pm. 2550 State Rd 580, Clearwater.</p>	<p>Craft Fair 11/18/23, 9AM - 1PM at Clerawater Cascade. Contact Jane Boucher 903-426-3636, Janeboucher29@gmail.com</p>	<p>HELLO CANADIANS! Canadian Club Canadien Gulf Coast Florida, having survived COVID, is now regrowing to promote fellowship among Canadians in Pinellas County, and foster goodwill with American people. Join us; for our monthly lunch with informative speakers, weekly golf, MLB game, dinner/theater, museums, deep sea fishing. Your first lunch is FREE! For information, email: cccgcf@galt.biz.</p>
<p>Annual Craft Fair - Paradise Island - Saturday November 4th 9-3pm. Clubhouse, 1001 Starkey Rd. Largo. 50 plus Tables, Handmade items &amp; Bake Sale</p>	<p>Palm Hill Bazar has split. Craft Bazar Nov. 18, Christmas Flea Market Dec. 2. Both 8-1. Refreshments and bake sale at both. 401 8th Ave SW.</p>	<div style="border: 2px solid black; padding: 10px;"> <p><b>ATTENTION RESIDENTS!</b> Did you know this Emporium/ Classified listing reaches over 21,500 homes in Pinellas County? It goes into 60 community newsletters (just like this one) from Dunedin to St. Petersburg. This is a great market to sell items, advertise your next event, try and get help for a function, and many other things. Remember to think about this the next time you're planning something.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">-Monthly Media Staff</p> </div>
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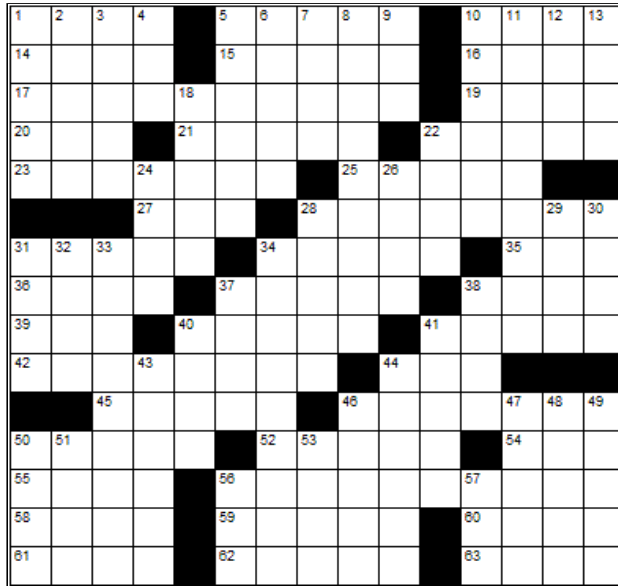
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- 5. Personnel
- 10. Circle fragments
- 14. Brews
- 15. Reef material
- 16. Arid
- 17. Writing paper
- 19. Gush forth
- 20. Be mistaken
- 21. The best people or things
- 22. Femme fatale
- 23. Dawdled
- 25. Domicile
- 27. N N N
- 28. Assembled in one place
- 31. Thin person
- 34. Legal setting
- 35. Chapter in history
- 36. Durable wood
- 37. Nonpoetic writing
- 38. Make a sweater
- 39. Commercials
- 40. High-pitched woodwind instrument
- 41. Waits
- 42. Chide
- 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
- 12. Algonquian Indian
- 13. Stitched
- 18. Sugarcoating
- 22. Tallow source
- 24. Fluid escape
- 26. Beast
- 28. Bicuspid
- 29. A Great Lake
- 30. Rodents
- 31. Asterisk
- 32. Formally surrender
- 33. Boo or hiss
- 34. Shaped like a cross
- 37. Scheme
- 38. Toy with a tail
- 40. Typeface
- 41. Beats
- 43. Alcove
- 44. Woe
- 46. Sorrow
- 47. Nimble
- 48. Father Christmas
- 49. Grain disease
- 50. Flock members
- 51. Former Italian currency
- 53. Scarce
- 56. C
- 57. Type of hat



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