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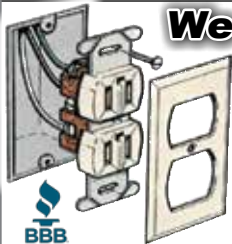
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ROC MEETING SCHEDULE

There is a scheduled ROC Board Meeting on *January 9th, 2024 at 10:00AM* in the Westwind II Clubhouse

There is an Annual Shareholders Meeting scheduled on *February 6th, 2024 at 7:00PM* in the Westwind II Clubhouse.

All ROC Meetings are posted on the white board in the clubhouse along with the agenda at least 48 hours prior to the meeting.

All ROC Meetings are posted on the message boards at the CR 1 entrance and the corner of First Street and Tweedy Lane.

Elaine Blank, ROC Corporate Secretary

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The **MAGAZINE** edition continues to have **MANY COLOR** pictures (usually 200 or **MORE**). In order to see the pictures/Jokes/Cartoons and the "**PG -13 Jokes & Cartoons,**" you will need to subscribe to the **MAGAZINE** by getting on the email list.

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EVERY time you see the above notice, it represents pictures that you are **MISSING**. Each time I have to delete one picture to an entire page of pictures, you will see this notice. By the time the newsletter is sent to the publisher, 200 or MORE pictures have been deleted.

Are **YOU** getting the "Hi-Lites" **MAGAZINE**? If not, you're missing out on **ALL** the "**FUNSTUFF**." The **MAGAZINE** is sent out at midnight on the 15th of EVERY month - about 2 weeks before the published park newsletter is delivered. It is **FULL** of **COLOR pictures** instead of ads. It's sent out 12 months a year. It's **ALL COLOR** and it's **FREE!**....**376** people are now on the list....**YOU** should be too....Just send an email to: mitrengrub@gmail.com with your **name, unit # and email address** to get on the list....**SO SIMPLE!**....See what you've been missing. If you're not getting the **MAGAZINE**, you're **NOT seeing** the "Hi-Lites." (**NO ONE will see your email address.**)



REMEMBERING JOHN HOLCOMB

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Christmas will be here before you know it!! Once again this year, I will be picking up Toys for Tots donation boxes. The boxes will be available Saturday, November 11th to Monday, December 11th. My plan is to deliver them to the donation center on Tuesday, December 12th as I will be flying north on the 14th. We are not driving south this year so I will not have the van and will be looking for a volunteer or 2 to help me deliver the toys. The organizers are always impressed by the amount of toys our generous residents donate. Let's not disappoint them this year!! It's never too early to toy shop...so start looking for those great deals!!!

FYI—All toys must be new and NOT in wrapping paper. Recipient ages are birth to 12. TOYS FOR TOTS WILL NOT DISTRIBUTE TOYS WITH REALISTIC LOOKING WEAPONS OR GIFTS WITH FOOD.

PLEASE CHECK TO SEE IF YOUR TOY REQUIRES BATTERIES. IF SO, PLEASE PURCHASE THEM AND TAPE TO THE BOX. It would be sad for a child to receive a toy on Christmas morning that he/she can not play with!!!!

Please remember Toys for Tots on your next shopping excursion.

Thanks,
Pat Snyder

HAPPY HOLIDAYS!

YOUR LETTER CARRIER
Rick Van Dyke



DECEMBER, 2023 CONTRIBUTORS

MANY THANKS to these people who have contributed items this month: Denise Cocozzo, Leigh Klein, Pat Snyder, Nancy Hamil, Jill Desranleau, Barbara Schutt, Lynn Miller, Brenda Rowan, Tammy Gaughan, Anita Rhordanz, Carl Stone, Max Herrmann, Karen Hanafin, Elaine Blank, Annette Cuffe, Joel Daniels, Debbie Grandmont, Dee & Bob Fenton, Patti Bosnak, Don Rowan, Carolyn Albertson, Laura Strickhausen, Ted Westray, Jim Desranleau, Joyce Pinckney, Ed Fox, Kathy LeMay, Linda Toy.

They all sent items for this month's "Hi-Lites." Without their help, there would be VERY LITTLE to report in this edition of the "Hi-Lites."

THANK YOU!

Tim Burgner, "Hi Lites" Magazine Editor

I WANT YOU!...to send "stuff" for the JANUARY "Hi-Lites"...DUE DATE: 11-29-23

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“Meet Your Neighbor - Lesleigh Klein



Hello, my name is Lesleigh Klein, and I was born and raised in Akron, OH where I currently reside. I am the mother of three and grandmother (Gigi) to one grandson, Oliver Wayne, born September 8, 2023. I

I am currently employed at Coca Cola Consolidated in Twinsburg, Ohio as Warehouse Manager IV, where I oversee two warehouses and three departments. I have enjoyed over 25 years with Coca Cola and intend to retire in the next 7-8 years. I

I love to cook and spend time with my family. I consider myself a pretty good cook and love to feed people! I spend my summers camping in Carrollton, Ohio where my son and I own property. Most weekends you can find me, my mother, and our neighbors, my sister by heart, Denise and her family. I also love to travel. I cruise 2-3 times a year and love the casino! I

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Katie - daughter, me, Konner - son

Katie and Oliver Wayne - grandson

I was introduced to Westwind II about 6-7 years ago when I was invited to vacation with Denise Coccozo, my sister by heart. Since then, we have come down at least twice a year. I fell in love with WW II and Dunedin the first time I visited and knew right then that someday I'd love to live there. Last May, I stumbled on a few units for sale even though I wasn't looking to purchase them. When I walked inside unit 821, I knew I was meant to live there. #821 was the former "Monkey Bar" and I have asked the sellers to leave some of the monkeys that were their parents' so we can honor their memory.

I look forward to making memories and becoming an integral part of the community. My mom, Judie Angel, will be spending time in the winters at WWII until I become a full-time resident.

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Kyle Wayne - son

Mom - Judie and Konner



MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR

W RITING A “MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR/NEIGHBOUR” ARTICLE IS A GREAT WAY TO INTRODUCE YOURSELF TO OTHERS IN THE PARK. HAVING THEM INCLUDED IN THE MEMORY BOOK IS ALSO THE ONLY MEANS WE HAVE OF BEING REMEMBERED BY OTHERS IN THE PARK WHEN WE ARE GONE. THE GOAL IS FOR EVERYONE IN THE PARK TO BE INCLUDED IN THE BOOK KEPT IN THE LIBRARY.

IF YOU HAVE NOT YET WRITTEN A “NEIGHBOR” ARTICLE, I am reserving months for 2023. Just let me know which month you would like. (I don't assign months.)

Will YOU be remembered by the WW II Park Community?

M ANY THANKS to the people who have been featured in “Meet Your Neighbor” thus far: Pat Snyder/Tim Burgner, Ed & Gayle Fox, Ralph Arabian/Kathy LeMay, Craig & Lee Ann DeCrane, Roger & Sandi Crabtree, Phil & Carol Anastasio, Gerry & Carol Marier, Bobbie Inglehart, Nicol & Helen Nelson, Walt Kostrzewski, Genevieve Tweedy, Rick & Bonnie Guerin, Don & Brenda Rowan, Bob & Cheryl Leigh, Max & Renee Herrmann, Herschel & Debbie Philpott, Annette & Mike Cuffe, Paul & Joanne Zanger, Mike Proulx & Kathy McCarthy-Proulx, Mitch & Shelley Wilson, Larry & Terry Brandt, Ted Westray, Art Robinson/Ann Dady, Steve & Pat Schnorr, Ray & Nancy Hamil, Joel & Sally Daniels, Bob & Shelley Lewis, Dan & Ann Wilton, Paul & Lynda Carnahan, Roy & Evelyn Orgar, Jim & Linda Toy, Donna Pylman, Don & Rose Sullivan, Kip & Connie Shindeldecker, Dan Olsen & Jane Merucci, Clyde & Norma English, Bill & Dorleen Cooley, Chuck Hanfield & Laura Bentivegna, Jim & Jill Desranleau, Brent & Velvet Howe, Bob & Mary Ann Essery, Gino & Sonia Gabriele, Emma Spina, Frank & Joyce Pinckney, Tim & Barbara Schutt, Paul Toth and Patti Bosnak, the Ruegers - JoAnn, Bud, Barbara & Bill, LeRoy & Eileen Putman, Frank Duran/Suzanne Barnes, Dick & Nancy Brebner, Joan Rand, Janet Toms, David & Gayle Hickey, Ken & Elaine Pankey, Eva Adamo, Randy & Jan Lloyd, Paul & Deb Grandmont, Lu (Luigia) Cistera & Scott Cooper, Mitch & Willa Elkis, Karin Debertin & Carson Seely, Scott & Jen Hall, Teri Thompson and Lesleigh Klein.

All of these residents are now a part of Westwind II park history. Their “Meet Your Neighbor” articles and pictures are now in the MEMORY BOOK kept in the Westwind II Library.

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THANKS TO PATTI BOSNAK, HERE ARE SOME IDEAS OF WHAT YOU MAY WISH TO INCLUDE IN YOUR “NEIGHBOR” ARTICLE:

- NAME(S) COACH #
- HOME CITY/STATE OCCUPATION
- HOW YOU FOUND WESTWIND II...How long you've lived here.
- HOBBIES
- EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND
- MILITARY BACKGROUND
- AWARDS/SPECIAL RECOGNITIONS
- SPOUSE - HOW YOU MET
- ACTIVITIES IN THE PARK
- CHILDREN/GRANDCHILDREN/ GREATGRANDCHILDREN PARENTS /
- RELATIVES WHO HAVE LIVED IN THE PARK
- WHAT DREW YOU TO THE TAMPA BAY AREA
- VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES
- SPECIAL TALENTS

You will need at least one picture, BUT you can send as many pictures as you wish.

If you don't have computer access, you can simply write out your article on paper. Pictures can be scanned with a printer and still put in your article.

Articles vary greatly in length... anywhere from a few paragraphs to a few pages. If It's short, I make the print larger.

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BIRTHDAY/ANNIVERSARY CLUB

PATTI WILSON

Poster Child for the DECEMBER BD Club!

Everyone is welcome!

Westwind I and Westwind II

If you would like to join the "Birthday Club," please send BRENDA an e-mail with your NAME/Coach #/Month & Day of your birthday. PLEASE send a picture.

To join the "Anniversary Club," send Names/Coach #/ Wedding Date/Number of Years. PLEASE also send a picture and add a comment if you wish.

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- 260 Susan DeSalvo 12-14
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190	John & JoAnn Talmage	12-16-1961	62 years
187	Gerald & Carol Marier	12-26-1973	50 years
379	RANDY & JAN LLOYD	12-26-2014	9 YEARS
456	Don & Brenda Rowan	12-27-1961	62 years



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THANK YOU! Brenda Rowan

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Editor's Note: **MANY THANKS** to Brenda for her monthly BD/Anniversary Column!!! If you send her pictures, **I will be sure to put them in the Magazine.** Please send pictures for **BOTH birthdays AND anniversaries to Brenda Rowan.**

Please encourage everyone to get involved. THANKS!

IMPORTANT: If you wish not to have your name/picture included in the "Hi Lites" Birthday Club/

Anniversary Club, please let Brenda or Tim know no later than the **10th** of the month before your BD/anniversary month. **THANK YOU!**

WANT TO SEE MORE WW II PARK HISTORY?

THANKS TO DENNIS & CAROL LOGSDON, NOW YOU CAN!

THE LOGSDON'S "HISTORY OF WESTWIND II" 108 PAGE BOOKLET IS NOW IN THE LIBRARY TO VIEW. LOOK FOR THE SPECIAL POUCH NEAR THE MEMORY BOOK. (see above)

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HERE'S WHAT WE DID LAST MONTH!

TRICK OR TREAT

I was resting & someone came with bright red eyes & scared me but then she had candy so it was ok. Happy Halloween from Tammy & Nance

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TAMMY TRICK OR TREATING AT GREG RHORDANZ' HOME

THANKS TO ANITA RHORDANZ FOR THIS:

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11-7-23 COFFEE HOUR & SOCIAL CLUB MEETING

THANKS TO BARBARA SCHUTT FOR THESE:

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THANKS TO JIM DESRANLEAU FOR THIS:

Visited with one of our Westwind family today - **Lillian Doran - unit 266.** She told me she was doing well for 95. Also wanted to say, "Hello" to everyone!

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THANKS TO ANNETTE CUFFE FOR THIS:

Mike and Annette's granddaughter, Shea, busy making 120 cupcakes for the "Welcome Back Pizza Party!"

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11-07-23 - LADIES' SHUFFLE

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L - R: Adelle Del Vecchio, Jim Desranleau (sub), Rose Sullivan, Tammy Gaughan

BOWLING LEAGUE - 11-9-23

THANKS TO BRENDA ROWAN FOR THIS:

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We had THREE (3) 200 games!

WELCOME BACK STREET PARTY - 11-09-23

THANKS TO BRENDA ROWAN, DENISE COCOZZO, ANNETTE CUFFE, & PAT SNYDER FOR ALL OF THESE PICTURES:

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What a fun welcome back party. Thank you everyone!
Denise Cocozzo

EDITOR'S NOTE: *There are five (5) pages of pictures from the "Welcome Back Street Pizza Party" in the December*

"Hi-Lites" Magazine. If you attended the street party, you are in these pictures. Most of the people reading this saw these pictures on 11-15-23 when the Dec. "Hi-Lites" magazine was emailed. 376 people received it...You should TOO! Please email me your email addressSee what you are missing....<mitrengrub@gmail.com>

UPCOMING EVENTS

WESTWIND II HOLIDAY CELEBRATION

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Mark your calendars!! The Holiday Celebration will be on **Thursday, December 7th**. The plan is to have it from **7pm-10pm** and have a pot luck dessert buffet rather than appetizers as in the past. So eat dinner at home...but leave room for the scrumptious desserts!!!!

Music will be provided by "The Tangents." When I arrive in November, I will be asking for volunteers to help with flyers, set up and clean-up. More information will be provided as it becomes available. So watch for flyers and postings on the bulletin board in the clubhouse. A sign-up sheet will be posted in November.

Thank you,
Pat Snyder

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THANKS TO ELANE BLANK FOR THIS: FOLLOWING:

The book selected for the December discussion is Circling The Sun by Paula McLain. The following is a summary of the story: Brought to Kenya from England as a child and then abandoned by her mother, Beryl Markham, is raised by both her father and the native Kipsigis tribe who share his estate. Her unconventional upbringing transforms Beryl into a bold, young woman with a fierce love of all things wild and an inherent understanding of nature's delicate balance. But even the wild child must grow up, and when everything Beryl knows and trusts dissolves, she is catapulted into a string of disastrous relationships. Beryl forges her own path as a horse trainer, and her uncommon style attracts the eye of the Happy Valley set, a decadent, Bohemian community of European expats who also live and love by their own set of rules. But it's the ruggedly charismatic Denys Finch Hatton who ultimately helps Beryl navigate the uncharted territory of her own heart. The intensity of their love reveals Beryl's truest self and her fate: to fly.

Our meeting is scheduled for **noon on December 26th in the Westwind II library**. I hope you will join the discussion.

I wish all my fellow book lovers a very Merry Christmas!!

Elaine Blank

BOOK CLUB LIST FOR 2023/2024

- JUNE: The Lincoln Highway by: Armor Towles
- JULY: From Scratch by: Trembi Locke
- AUG: Long Man by: Amy Greene
- SEPT: The Master Butchers Singing Club by: Louise Endrich
- OCT: The Little Old Lady Who Broke All the Rules
by: Catharina Ingelman- Sandberg, Rod Bradbury Translator
- NOV: Storm Clouds Rolling In: #1 in the Bregdan Chronicles
Historical Fiction Series
- DEC: Circling The Sun by: Paula McLain
- JAN: The Girls of Atomic City by: Denise Kiernan
- FEB: The Bandit Queens by: Parini Shroff
- MARCH: Go As A River by: Shelley Read
- APRIL: The Housekeepers Tale by: Tessa Boase
- MAY: One Plus One by: Jojo Moyes
- JUNE: Deep As The Sky, Red As The Sea by: Rita Chang -Eppig



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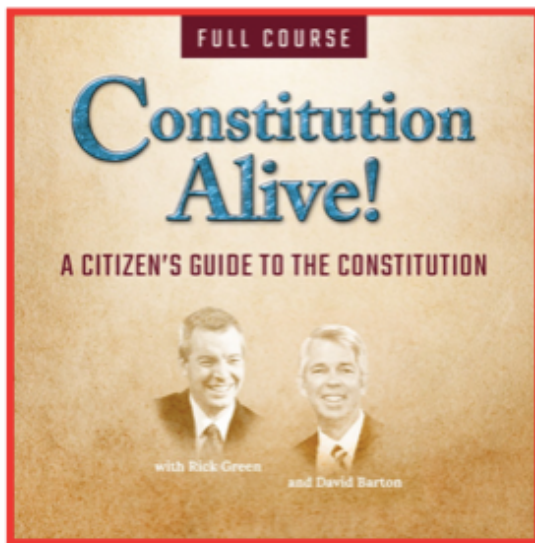
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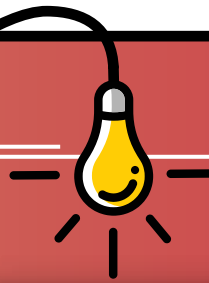
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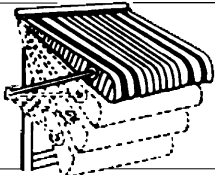
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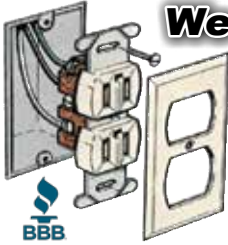
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<p>3</p> <p>First Sunday of Advent</p>	<p>4</p> <p>Horse Shoes 1 PM - see article</p> <p>Pool Hall - 6PM - see article</p>	<p>Coffee Hour Cribbage - see article Hand & - see article</p>
<p>10</p>	<p>11</p> <p>LAST DAY FOR "TOYS FOR TOTS" - see article</p> <p>Horse Shoes 1 PM - see article</p> <p>Pool Hall - 6PM - see article</p>	<p>Coffee Hour SOCIAL ING - IM AFTER C HOUR... BOARD see Anne Letter</p>
<p>17</p>	<p>18</p> <p>Horse Shoes 1 PM - see article</p> <p>Pool Hall - 6PM - see article</p>	<p>Cribbage - see article Hand & - see article</p>
<p>24</p> <p>Christmas Eve</p>	<p>25</p> <p>Christmas Day - check bulletin boards for any Xmas events</p> <p>Horse Shoes 1 PM - see article</p> <p>Pool Hall - 6PM - see article</p> <p>Christmas</p>	<p>BOOK CLUB noon...s Cribbage - see article Hand & - see article</p>
<p>31</p> <p>February "Hi-Lites" Due Date</p> <p>Check Boards for any New Year's Day Event</p> <p>New Year's Eve</p>		

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<p>5 Golf - 9:00 AM Euchre 7PM Foot 7PM</p>	<p>6 Pool Hall - 6PM - see article Euchre 7PM - see article</p>	<p>7 HOLIDAY CELEBRATION - 7-10 PM - see article Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day</p>	<p>8 Golf - 8AM - see article PASS THE ACE - 7 PM - see article</p>	<p>9</p>
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

THANKS TO BARBARA SCHUTT FOR THIS:

Thank you, Tim!! I loved the story of *Max Herrmann* and getting the replicas for his father and getting them framed. What a beautiful thing to do and maybe others didn't know they could get free replicas. The website *Max* added for the National Archives is a great reference for people too! Thank you for sharing your family's service history. I appreciate all the Veterans' stories that were added to the magazine. Thank you, thank you, to all our veterans for their service!

Barbara

Letters to the Editor continued on page 30



THANKS TO CAROLYN ALBERTSON FOR THIS:

Tim, just finished the November Newsletter. I commend you for honoring *Ted*, your dad and grandfather. I remember when your father passed and my family went to the funeral at Faith Lutheran. I forgot he was so young. I never knew your grandfather. But I do remember hearing the story about how he passed.....so tragic.

Thanks for sharing another great edition.

Carolyn

THANKS TO ED FOX FOR THIS:

Hey Tim, another great issue of the “Hi-Lites.” Well done.

Tim, can you add the carving class back in the “Hi-Lites?” We start up *Friday, Jan. 5th at 9:00 am in the Westwind II clubhouse*. I would like to welcome back all returning carvers as well as the new members. See you all around Dec. 6 - 7.

Ed Fox

THANKS TO DEE & BOB FENTON FOR THIS:

Here's another funny for you.
Great job on the Veterans' issue.
Keep up the good work.
Dee and Bob

THANKS TO LAURA STRICKHAUSEN FOR THIS:

Another outstanding edition!!!!

THANKS TO KAREN HANAFIN FOR THIS:

Thank you, *Joe* for getting the company out to get #110 covered before it rained. *Frenchy and Stan* pitched in to speed the process along. After its completion, I drove from # 110 to #186 and the skies opened up....They saved the unit -literally - by minutes...Thanks, thanks, thanks again!

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THANKS TO MAX HERRMANN FOR THIS:

Wow, that Veteran's section was outstanding!!! I'm sure there are more Vets in the park that should be encouraged to send in a photo and even a short word or two about their service and that of other friends and relatives that served. Let's keep this going.

Max Herrmann

EDITOR'S NOTE: *The special “Salute to Veterans” that was published in the NOVEMBER “Hi-Lites” Magazine was 16 pages. If you didn’t see it, please send me your email address and I will send you a copy.*

Also if your veteran was not included, you can still send me a story and picture/s. I will put it into the newest edition and add it to the MEMORY BOOK where I xeroxed all of the veterans who appeared in the original salute.

Tim

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**THANKS TO DENISE COCOZZO FOR THIS:
RALPH & ELIZABETH SHOWALTER**

Here are a few pics of my grandparents and my family. I sent one of my grandparents, *Ralph and Elizabeth Showalter*. This is why we came to Westwind. They were one of the first people in Westwind l on First Street. Their coach (#135) still looks the same - white with light blue trim. I think the people who bought it from my parents name is "Prout." I did meet them and got to go through my grandparent's place and show Joel. They had some stuff that was left behind that they gave me that was my grandma's. I could not believe after all these years they still had them. They were Avon plates my grandma collected. I miss them. My grandad was the handyman in the park. He charged \$5.00 for whatever he did and kept it all in a jar for when we would have our visits in Fl.

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THANKS TO KAREN JEWELL FOR THIS:

What a wealth of information! THANK YOU TIM!

I will likely post soon on both FB pages - kind of a "Save the date." Will post more frequently after the holiday rush - part of why we decided not to start the class until the 24th. We will print and hand out fliers when we get to WW in January - sometime around the 10th!

We just finished up our final 8 Week Zoom class - Biblical Citizenship. We had participants from Ohio, Michigan, North Carolina, Colorado and California. It's amazing how "connected" we become with like-minded individuals who are concerned about all that is happening in our country. *And it's so good to learn parts of history that we weren't taught! Example: Did you know that President Woodrow Wilson took out all references to African American patriots and heroes from our history books? This guy [Wilson] actually WAS a member of the KKK. Did you know that the majority of our founders did not want slavery in our country - before the constitution was even framed? And that the first ship of slaves that arrived on our shores - the crews were charged with crimes from enslaving humans, and the slaves were given paid jobs? Did you know that the pilgrims studied together for 12 years with their pastor on how to form a nation, using biblical principals, in response to the Great Commission to "go and make disciples of all nations, teaching them everything I have taught you?"*

David Barton from Wallbuilders.com has an incredible collection of original books and journals from the earliest days

of our country. Lots of information that leads me to want to learn more!

Signing off now to get some dinner! Hope you're enjoying warmer days!

Karen Jewell

THANKS TO KAREN CASTILLO FOR THIS:

The WW II 5 PM Friday Night Gathering is now being held the First & Third Friday of the month.

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THANKS TO JOYCE PINCKNEY FOR THIS:

Please let me know if you or a neighbor would appreciate a "thinking of you" card from our Social Club's Sunshine Committee.

Thank you,

Joyce Pinckney Lot 159, phone 727-771 8724

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Magazine Exchange

THANKS TO TRISH CRAIG FOR THIS:

Please consider donating used magazines to our library.
Take one, leave one, it's all good!
Submitted by Trish Craig

PARK BUSINESS

OPEN LETTER TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF WESTWIND II

THANKS TO ELAINE BLANK FOR THIS:

We who have purchased a share in the Westwind II ROC Inc. have a substantial financial investment in the community. It is our responsibility to stay informed, take an interest in the up-keep of the common areas and volunteer to help whenever we can. The ROC board and all officers and committee members are unpaid volunteers. Our board is elected by the shareholders and any shareholder in good standing is eligible to run for the board. My primary purpose in writing this letter is to educate the shareholders of the procedures followed concerning the agenda for ROC meetings. The agenda is typed up by our property manager at the direction of the president of the ROC. The agenda lists items that will come before the board for discussion and sometimes require a vote. If any shareholder wishes the board to put an item on the agenda, it should be written in detail and submitted to the office. The office manager will forward the written request to the board. The board will then either address the concern with the shareholder directly or place the request on the agenda of the next board meeting. Any such request should be submitted to the office at least two weeks prior to the next ROC meeting. Once the agenda is complete, it is posted on the ROC portion of the white board in the clubhouse at least 48 hours prior to the meeting. We as shareholders have a responsibility to be aware of the list of ROC meeting dates as they are published every month in the "Hi-Lites." If you are out of town, you can call the office and request a copy of the agenda be sent to your email address. If you have a question concerning one of the agenda items, you can email any board member whose email addresses are listed on the inside of the cover of the "Hi-Lites." Now that the new audio equipment is installed and running, there will be a protocol for speaking at the meetings. A sheet will be available at the sign in table to put your name and the item number you wish to speak about. When the item is raised and the President asks for comments all who have signed the paper will be recognized. It is the board's intent that the shareholders have every opportunity to have their voice heard. Finally, I would like to restate that we as shareholders have to assume responsibility for staying informed as to what is going on in our community whether you live here year-round or are a snowbird. With the availability of email and zoom, no one has an excuse for not being informed. This is your investment. I hope you will treat it as such.

Elaine Blank

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**THANKS TO ELAINE BLANK FOR THIS:
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After reviewing our residents' files, we have discovered over fifty residents who have no emergency contact information in the file. At this writing, there are five areas in the Atlantic that the weather channels are watching for potential tropical storm or worse identification. Should our community be hit with a major weather event, it is imperative that we have contact information both in the file at the office and on our protected digital record.

Joy will be contacting all those who have provided the office with an email address asking for you to reply with your contact information. If there is no email address on file, you will receive a letter with a form and a return envelope enclosed to send in the pertinent information via U.S. Postal Service. **PLEASE** respond to the office ASAP. If you have provided this information in the past, and it has changed, please let **Joy** know the up dated information ASAP. **Joy's** email is: jcripe@associagulfcoast.com and the office phone number is 727-784-4380. Thanks so much for your attention to this important matter.

Elaine Blank,
ROC Secretary

THANKS TO ELAINE BLANK FOR THIS:

Note to Residents regarding change of information in the Dial Directories Yellow Book

The new Park Directory is ready and has been delivered to all residents who are currently in the park. ***If you want any information regarding your name or phone number changed, please contact me.*** I have the master excel spreadsheet and will make the changes as they occur throughout the year. I will notify our “Hi-Lites” editor of the change and we will publish them at the bottom of this article each month until next October when the new 2024/2025 directories are printed. Thank you for your cooperation.

Elaine Blank
Jean McGiffin 727-771-6898
Paul Toth 727-223-3810
Denise Hendzel 412-921-2658

**THANKS TO JILL DESRANLEAU FOR THIS:
WINDFALL SALE**

The park is in full swing now and we will be collecting items for our sale in February. If you are not familiar with us, I'll give the quick version.....

The Windfall Sale is held the last Saturday of February, it's our community tag sale. It's our largest fund raiser of the year to support our Social Club and the many events put on throughout the year.

If you are cleaning out and have any items you would like to donate, we are always taking in items and they can be left in the laundry area. If you have any big items you need help with, please reach out to me at 802-488-4601 - I'm in unit #268. We can help remove it.

We are always looking for volunteers to help in anyway, I never turn down help! It's a great way to meet your neighbors and become involved.

We DO NOT take in sofa beds, large old TV's or mirrors!

As always, a HUGE thanks to all volunteers from past, present and future. Please consider joining in We have FUN!

With gratitude ~ Jill Desranleau-Chairperson



THANKS TO JOYCE PINCKNEY FOR THIS:

Park Mail

Just a reminder: Please provide some kind of container in your carport for park mail. There are a lot of clever ideas being used all around our community: mailboxes, empty flower pots, decorative rocks, and baskets make good receptacles.

Thanks for taking care of this.

Joyce Pinckney,

Asst. Secretary - Social Club

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THANKS TO JOEL DANIELS FOR THIS:

TOWN SQUARE INFO.

Town Square is a great tool that is free of charge for WW 2 residents to use for immediate, park-wide communication.

The recent deadly hurricane is the perfect example of when we have a need to disseminate important information.

Certainly not as serious as storm alerts, but Town Square can also be a source for general park business and social activities.

I encourage you to sign-up. Our manager, Joy, can answer any questions you might have and provide you with your account # if you do not already know it. The site is user friendly and it only takes a few minutes to be up and running.

Joel Daniels

EDITOR’S NOTE: Joel is right.....this is a **VERY SIMPLE** process. Once you get your “account number” from Joy, it will take you less than one (1) minute to sign-up.”

“WILL WORK FOR BEER”

Someone in WW ll asked if we could try to bring back our old “Help Out Your Neighbor” that used to be in the “Hi Lites.”

Well.....we are! and here it is: We’re calling it by a NEW name - “Will Work for Beer.” If you have a SMALL job that needs to be done and would like an extra hand, one of these people can probably do it. (We’re not talking about anything major. This is not meant to be for “handyman projects.” It is meant for something relatively simple that should only take a few minutes to complete (installing fluorescent bulbs, programming a TV remote, hanging a curtain rod, getting something down from a top shelf, etc.) It is meant to be a FREE service. You are not expected to pay anything - even a free beer. This service will be provided to WW ll residents

We are looking for MORE names for this list. If you would like to be included, please call or e-mail me - Tim Burgner.

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Submitted by Tim Burgner

SOCIAL CLUB NEWS

From the Co- Presidents:

This is a busy time at Westwind II.

Many snowbirds return to have a warm weather Christmas and some return North to enjoy snowy, family celebrations! Happy holidays to all! Safe travels!

Here is a list of activities that will take place during the month of December. Please read through the magazine to see the accurate dates to attend and where sign-ups are needed. Please attend and help out if you can.

Here is the list at the time we are writing this:

Social Club election: December after coffee hour

Christmas Sale: **Jill Desranleau**

Christmas party: **Pat Snyder**

Christmas Decoration inside clubhouse: Jane Merucci

Christmas Decoration outside: **Tim Schutt**

ALL ACTIVITIES NEED HELPERS!

Please contact the chairperson to learn how you can participate. It takes each of us to do just a bit to make for an active and strong Social Community!

The Social Club members sincerely thank those residents who have been even a small part of participation in the activities we have sponsored in the last two years. As a Board, we have done OUR BEST to provide support

to all the activities that have been available to the residents of WW II.

Please consider your choice to join the Social Club Board when the opportunity arises. It is a gratifyingly and challenging experience .

Sincerely,

Annette Cuffe & Linda Toy Co- Presidents

Social Club Committees 2023:

Art Committee: Eileen Putman

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Chalkboards: Trish Craig

Entertainment Committee: OPEN

Flags: Iben Ladefoged

Grill: Jim & Linda Toy

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Kitchen Supplies: Karen Hanafin

Library: Betty Arengi

Sunshine: Joyce Pinckney

Trips and Tours: OPEN

Windfall Sale: Jill Desranleau

50/50 Raffle: Joan Rand

Xmas Decorating:

Inside Clubhouse - Jane Merucci

Outside Clubhouse - Tim Schutt



EDITOR'S NOTE: THE AUDITORS, ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE, and TRIPS AND TOURS positions are currently OPEN....PLEASE CONTACT THE SC PRESIDENTS IF YOU ARE INTERESTED.

SOCIAL CLUB BOARD ELECTIONS

THANKS TO ANNETTE CUFFE FOR THIS:

We have the following nominees (see below) for the upcoming **December 12, 2023** election for the Social Club Board. We will continue to accept nominations until **November 30, 2023**.

Nominations are to be added to the nomination listing which is on the bulletin board in the WW II clubhouse.

If it is not possible for a resident to sign-up, please notify one of the Co-Presidents to add your name.

Annette Cuffe / Linda Toy
Co-Presidents

As of today, we have a few nominees for the upcoming **DEC.12TH** election for the Social Club Board

We are actively seeking candidates.

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| V. President. | 1.Cheryl Leigh
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3. Shelley Lewis
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THANKS TO KATHY LEMAY FOR THIS:

Social Committee General Meeting - November 7, 2023

There were 33 members present and 8 board members present.
The meeting began with the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silence.
Annette thanked Jane and Karen for hosting coffee and donuts.

The minutes of the May 2 meeting were read by Kathy Lemay. A motion was made to accept the minutes. The motion was seconded and passed.



Treasurer’s Report

Operating account	\$3,434.00
Petty Cash	\$386.29
Savings account	\$,2540.43



(Account Transactions from 5/1/2023 to 10/31/2023 were provided to members)

Annette thanked Karen and Trish for the summer activities they hosted. There was very good feedback about the summer activities.

New Business

Jill Desranleau spoke of the Christmas Decoration sale to be held 11/18 from 9-1. There will be a “pop-up café”. The set up will be Friday, 11/17.

Pat Snyder will host a Christmas party in December.

Donations for Toys for Tots will be accepted.

There will be a “Welcome Back” party 11/9. Tickets are still available. Bring your own chair, drinks and candles to light your table.

A Christmas dinner is TBD. A person to be in charge is still needed.

Annette has talked to Joel, the ROC liaison, to ask for 3 new locks on supply closets. A key will be left with Joy in the office.

There will be a “Bandstand Dance” on January 12 from 7-10 pm.

Christmas decorations will be put up the Friday after Thanksgiving. Jane will oversee inside decorations and Tim Schutt will oversee outside decorations.

House 388 has asked that no park mail be left at their house.

This Sunday, Nov 12, at 2:00 there will be an “Hor’Dourve Get Together”. Everyone who would like to come is to bring an hor’dourve or dessert to share.

The next Social Club meeting is Dec 12. There will be an election for 3 of 4 trustees. The next board can decide how many trustees there will be. A quorum of 35 members is needed for the election.

Joyce Pinckney asked that please donate to the “Feast box”. Also, get well cards for members are going around to be signed.

Elaine Blank said that the new sound system is wonderful. Thanks especially for a microphone that works well.

The next ROC meeting is 11/14 at 7 pm. It will be a zoom meeting.

Information about Yoga is posted. Yoga is conducted by Anne Scott and will begin the third week in January. There is a \$5.00 fee per class, payable to Ann.

There is a suggestion box in the library. Please put any suggestions, complaints or comments in the suggestion box for the Social Club and the ROC.

Annette said this is her last meeting as president of the Social club and she thanked all the people who do things to support the Social Club activities.

Jane Merucci made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Elaine Blank and Jill Desranleau seconded the motion and the motion was passed.

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