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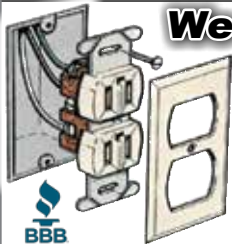
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On March 15, 2025, I will be sending out my 100th "Hi-Lites" Magazine. That will be the 2025 APRIL EDITION. THAT WILL BE MY FINAL EDITION AS EDITOR OF THE "Hi-Lites" Magazine. HOPEFULLY, a NEW editor will be found and this 47 year old publication will continue. We currently have thirteen (13) months to find a replacement. Fortunately, I haven't "set the bar very high" so this should NOT be a difficult task! If you have ANY interest in taking over the "Hi-Lites," PLEASE contact me to discuss this opportunity to become the newest "Hi-Lites" Editor.

Tim

## MARCH ROC MEETING

THANKS TO ELAINE BLANK FOR THIS:

The MARCH meeting of the ROC is Tuesday, March 12th at 10:00 A.M. in the Westwind II clubhouse.

The meeting time and date will be posted on the white board in the clubhouse as well as on the message boards at the CR 1 entrance and Tweedy Lane and on Town Square.

The agenda will be posted on the ROC section of the white board in the clubhouse.

Elaine Blank, ROC Corporate Secretary

## "HI-LITES" MAGAZINE CELEBRATING 46 YEARS OF CONTINUOUS PUBLICATION!

### IMPORTANT

ALL the events are on the calendar that were sent to me right up until "press time." Please check the clubhouse bulletin board and the outdoor signs for event updates.  
Tim Burgner, "Hi-Lites" Magazine Editor

## The ONLY way to receive the "Hi-Lites" MAGAZINE is to get on the email list.

### \*\*\*IMPORTANT\*\*\* ANNOUNCEMENT CONCERNING THE PUBLISHED EDITION OF THE "Hi-Lites."

The published edition of the "Hi-Lites" is a newsletter. There are NO pictures/cartoons/NO PG - 13 Jokes & Cartoons in the booklet that is delivered in the park. In order to see them, you need to receive the "HI-LITES" MAGAZINE via email.

The MAGAZINE edition continues to have MANY COLOR pictures (usually 200 or MORE). In order to see the pictures/Jokes/Cartoons and the "PG

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## James "Jim" Keller Obituary

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James "Jim" L. Keller, 57, passed away unexpectedly on Saturday, January 27, 2024. James was born in Detroit, Michigan on May 22, 1966 to the late James and Bonnie Keller. He was a resident of Canton/New Franklin for over 30 years. Jim was a graduate of Windham High School, Class of 1984 and graduated from Mount Union with a Bachelor's Degree. He retired from Stark County DD with 30 years of service. Jim was proud to be a coach with the Special Olympics for 30 years. He was an avid collector of Coca Cola memorabilia and loved traveling, cruises and spending time at his house in Florida. Jim is survived by his spouse, Shawn Williams; Shawn and Saiva; brother, Mike; sisters, Valerie (Joe), Suzanne, Elizabeth (Chris) and Christine; brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, Stephen (Kathy), Michele (Steve) and Mike (Pam); along with many, many nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews and many loving friends. Jim's family will receive family and friends on Friday, February 2, 2024 from 5 to 8 p.m. at the Campfield-Hickman-Collier Funeral Home, 566 W. Park Ave., Barberton, Ohio 44203. In lieu of flowers donation may be made in Jim's name to the Special Olympics Ohio at <https://support.specialolympics.org>ohio>donate-now>

*EDITOR'S NOTE: Jim Keller was a new resident of WW II. He owned Unit # 150. Many people will remember his mom and dad who owned the same unit. Jim, Sr. lived on my street in Kent, Ohio. Some people may recall an article published last spring thanking Jim, Jr. for donating a scratch art painting of an elephant which was purchased from Dennis Logsdon and donated to the park.*

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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

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## **I WANT YOU!...to send "stuff" for the APRIL "Hi-Lites" ..... DUE DATE: 03-05-24**

"BIRTHDAY/ANNIVERSARY CLUB," "MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR," "BEEN THERE; DONE THAT," "LETTERS TO THE EDITOR," "LAUGHS & GIGGLES," "HOW I SPENT MY SUMMER/WINTER VACATION," "PG-13 LAUGHS & GIGGLES," "HEART GRABBERS," PROMOTIONS FOR UPCOMING EVENTS, AND PICTURES - LOTS OF PICTURES.

## **MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR**

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**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 2024. Just let me know which month you would like. (I don't assign months.)

## **Will YOU be remembered by the WW II Park Community?**

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**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

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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.

## MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR

### BOB EVANS - #467



Hello Westwind!!

¶

My name is Bob Evans, not to be confused with the Bob Evans restaurant chain.¶

¶

I started renting Unit 467 in May, 2023 and really love it here. The welcome I received immediately from the "year-round" residents was awesome and I very quickly felt a part of the Westwind family. Most recently, I was voted onto the Social Club board as Secretary and I'm excited to give back to Westwind in any way possible.¶

¶

Why did I end up in this area? I vacationed with my family including my parents in the Clearwater Beach area for a ten-year span and fell in love with this part of FL. There are some very fond memories walking the beach with my mom every morning...just peaceful time. My mom passed 7 years ago after a freak accident and my father passed in March, 2023 and they are reunited with family in a happy place.¶

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Over the years, my homes started in Wisconsin (Go Badgers, Packers and Marquette). Then a job took me to Columbus, OH (Pickerington) and then on to Charlotte, NC. Another job change took me to Austin, TX, then another move to the Denver area. Speaking of the Green Bay Packers, I am a season ticket holder after being on the waiting list for 33 years!!

I have 2 adult children (Rachel, 27 and Bradley, 25) who live in the Charlotte, NC area. There are some great friends and golf buddies that I enjoy visiting in Charlotte. Now that I have more time in retirement, I will experience a healthy dose of travel!

I decided to retire this year to spend more time working with nonprofit organizations. Many of you know I am very actively involved with "Movember" - a men's health organization. I live with Prostate Cancer and If you go to this link, you'll know why. <https://us.movember.com/>

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You will see me walking in the park every day (I like to straighten American Flags). Other hobbies include golf, riding my bike and going to the gym. I love warm weather so you'll see me quite a bit at the pool.

I visited an Elephant Sanctuary in Bali, Indonesia during a President's Club award trip. The 35 elephants there were rescued from poachers in Australia and brought to Bali. I fed one elephant and after giving it 3 pieces of bamboo, it gave me a hug with its trunk!

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

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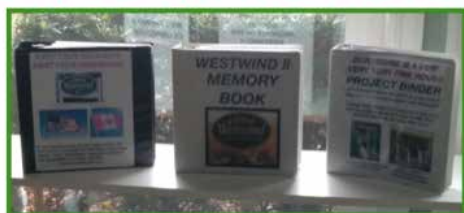
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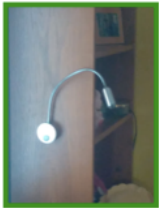
## SENT BY ME:

### **OUR HOUSE IS A VERY, VERY, VERY FINE HOUSE # 7**

What project have you done to your unit that you would like to share with the park? This segment began a year ago. These ideas are now in a binder as a resource for others to use.



Many years ago, we visited the famous historic Coronado Hotel near San Diego, Cal. We looked at a regular room which back then was \$600.00 a night. I noticed mounted on the wall, 2 gooseneck reading lights. I said, "We should get those." We now have them in both FL. & Ohio. The light shines directly on a page and doesn't light up the room. You can pay as much as you wish for them, but I bought ours on eBay for less than \$20.00 each.



I did not mount ours on the wall. In FL., I mounted them to the bookcases beside the bed. I used a phone jack cover to hide the wire nut connections. I used a brown indoor extension cord to wire the lights. The plug goes to the wall outlet behind the bookcase. A small hole had to be drilled in the side of the bookcase to pull through the 2 lamp wires. NO holes had to be drilled in the halls. In Ohio, I mounted them to the back of a nightstand.

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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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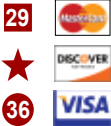
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Brenda's email address: 961benny@gmail.com OR you can phone Brenda @ 614-371-7842. (Leave message if no answer) THANK YOU!

Brenda Rowan

## HAPPY St. PATRICK'S DAY TO EVERYONE

*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!

**NOTE:** If you would like to be a POSTER CHILD for the BD CLUB, please send me a picture you'd like me to use.

## HERE'S WHAT WE DID LAST MONTH!

### GRILL - 1-17-24

THANKS TO BARBARA SCHUTT FOR THIS:

We had our first grill of the season, yeah!!

We grilled hamburgers, brats/sausages, hot dogs, salads, chips and drinks. Being the weather was a bit on the chilly side, all residents chose to eat in the warm clubhouse. It was cozy as we were not all spread-out, outside. Tim and Lou C. manned the grill. Gerry Marier was the runner for supplies to/from the kitchen.

Thank you to the prep team: Dan Wilton, Gerry Marier, Tim, myself, and Carol Marier along with servers: Carol, Ann, and myself and all of us as clean up crew. Our apologies to the yoga group as we were using the slicer to slice veggies. It was quite loud at times and probably not conducive to the relaxation of yoga!

We all pulled together and I believe all had a good time. Thank you all for coming and see you at the next grill event - W. 2-21-24....11:30 - 1 PM

Jimmy D. won the 50-50. Twenty-nine people attended.

### BINGO - 01-18-24

THANKS TO ROSE SULLIVAN FOR THIS:

Our January Bingo had a full room of very happy people from both communities.

The Bingo payout was \$34. The coverall payout was \$137 and was won by Carol Egstrom.

It is always nice to see new neighbors and the socializing. The next Bingo is 2/15. Everyone is welcome to join in.

If possible, please try to bring small bills as this helps us with the payouts.

Thank you to Don for calling, Roger for verification of cards, Debbie, Joyce and Rose for

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handling the bank. Thank you,  
The Sullivans

## “WHISTLES & STRINGS” - CELTIC MUSIC - 1-21-24

THANKS TO CHERYL LEIGH, ROSE SULLIVAN AND RALPH ARABIAN

“Sunday Afternoon Cafe” featured the trio, “Whistles & Strings.” They played Celtic tunes and shared some of their stories with the group. The group handed out little containers that had beads in them and the residents shook the containers keeping beat with the music. 40 people attended. Cake and coffee were served. Thanks to Dan & Ann Wilton for the entertainment for our first “Sunday Afternoon Cafe.” Join us on Sunday, February 25th - 2 - 3 PM for Mark Hurst on Guitar.

## HERE ARE SOME COMMENTS SENT BY PEOPLE ATTENDING THIS WELL RECEIVED EVENT:

About 50 residents of WWII enjoyed an afternoon of Celtic music at the clubhouse. We all had fun.....RA

The medicine bottles were given to each of us at the Celtic music event t in the clubhouse and we were shaking them to the music!! It was fun - and they were actually filled with beads.....BF

It was such a good afternoon. The music was delightful RS

It was a delightful time EB

We really enjoyed playing yesterday! We had so much fun...SH

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## BOOK CLUB - 1-30-24

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## 2-02-24 BREAKING NEWS STORY: PUNXSUTAWNY PHIL DID NOT SEE HIS SHADOW...IT WILL BE AN EARLY SPRING!

## THANKS TO KAREN JEWELL FOR THIS:

### Constitution Alive! - 2-07-24

*By Karen Jewell*

Constitution Alive! has met for just a few of six classes so far. Eight Westwind residents have joined us in our home to learn more about the foundations of our Constitutional Republic, the guiding documents of The United States of America.

In Week One, we learned that Dr. Benjamin Rush, a Founding Father, listed the three purposes of public education: To teach students to love and serve God, to teach students to love and serve their country and to teach students to love and serve their family. Dr.

Rush put country before family because he understood that if we ever lost control of our country, it would become the great enemy of our families.

We learned that socialism has already been tried in our country! Governor Bradford said socialism caused “much confusion and discontent, and retard(ed) much employment, that

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would have been to their benefit and comfort” and caused people to “allege weakness and inability.” (Bradford’s History of Plymouth Plantation, 1606-1646. Ed. William T Davis, New York: Charles Scribner’s Sons, 1908.)

After starving literally to death (many of the Pilgrims), Gov. Bradford made two very important changes by implementing private property & free enterprise. They were soon exporting corn and thriving!

“This had very good success; for it as made all hands very industrious, so as much more corn was planted than otherwise would have been; by any means the Governor or any other could use, and saved him a great deal of trouble, and gave far better content.” (Ibid)

We are not only learning about the Constitution, but the proceeding “Declaration of Independence” and what experience and teaching led to Independence and the principles contained in these historical and world-changing documents!

Like no history class we have ever attended – “Constitution Alive!” is re-awakening the dreams that founded the greatest country the world has ever known!

There’s still time to join us! Sign up at <https://www.patriotacademy.com/coach/register/7305> or call Wayne (810) 623-9234

or Karen (810) 923-4829. Classes are at Unit #263 on Wednesdays from 11:30 – 1:00 until Feb 28th. Classes are free, but pre-registration is helpful!

## **BOBBIE’S ART CLASS - 02-07-24**

Thanks Bobbie for free art classes on Wednesday!

Just two and she’s taught me a lot!.....MSM

## **PRETTY IN PINK / RETRO BARBIE - 02-07-24**

*THANKS TO PEGGY SNOOK-FINKE FOR THESE:*

FUN night last night with the Westwind ladies! Pink outfits, yummy food & lots of laughs. Thanks, TERRE DENNIS for all your hard work & wonderful party!

Terre Dennis you are amazing. RS Really fun time! Thanks Terre!....LS

Great job Terre Dennis putting this together!!....MM

That looks like everyone had a blast!!!!

Terre Dennis you should be an event

We had a great time, thanks Terre for your hard work. IM

We had a great time. Thanks Terre for getting us all together-FUN!....LT

Terre shows up jumps in and gets it done. With grace and ease! LT Another fun "Ladies night out" event. Thx Terre Dennis SC

It was so fun....JM Great party! DR

Love love all the pink ...JH

Looks like a fabulous night....JH

How fun and you all look great in your pink! JG Looks like everyone had a wonderful time!...BS Oh how I wish I could have joined you all!....AC

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## WW I BINGO - 02-08-24

THANKSTOBRENDAROWAN-"Hi-Lites" photo Editor - FOR THIS:

Fantastic night at Westwind I Thursday, February 8th Lots of people playing Bingo. Lots of winners.

Single games won over \$40.00 each.

The final coverall went for over \$200.00.

Next WW I Bingo will be on the 29th of February.

Westwind II Bingo will be held on the 15th of February.

Come out and join in the fun!

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## MILITARY WHIST - 2-10-24

THANKS TO BRENDA ROWAN - "Hi-Lites" Photo Editor, ROSE SULLIVAN AND LEE ANN DeCRANE FOR THESE:

On 2/10, Military Whist was played by 72 people. We ran into to a few snafus but within a few minutes we were off and running. We had a least 6 newbies tonight and it's wonderful to see everyone helping them to lessen the confusion. A thank you to Rich G and Janet H for coming to the rescue so that everyone could play. One of the biggest challenges with this game is that there has to be 4 people at each table or that table has to forfeit playing. This also then means the playing sheets then have to be changed out.

A thank you to the social club for the snacks...They was enjoyed by all. The 1st prize went to Team Cuffe.

2nd prize went to Team Craig.

We had a tie for 3rd prize.. Team Marier and Team Grandmont.

The "Thank you for Coming Prize" went to Team Scott.

A huge shout out to Deb and Paul G, Jeanie H, Lou C and Gerry M for the set- up and to all who helped reset the room.

See you all in March for the final session this year.

Thank you,

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Here's a pic of the second place winners at Military Whist at WWII tonight - Cheryl, Craig, Lee Ann and Lynn. Was fun!

## WESTWIND DOWNS SUNDAY HORSE RACES - 2-11-24

THANKS TO BRENDA ROWAN - "Hi-Lites" Photo Editor AND ROSE SULLIVAN FOR THESE:

Westwind Downs opened their doors to 30 (\$\$\$) happy people. The jockeys were pumped and trotting down the track. There were a total of 6 races. One being a losers race and another was the owners race. The betting for the owners race was fast and high.

Owners: Glen C, Rich G, Tammy G, Lynn/Shirley and Denise F. The owners race was won by Denise Fountaine. Her winnings totaled a whopping \$93. Wooho!!!!

The average payout was about \$1-\$1.50.

Lou C and Paul G did a great job manning the betting window and stats.

Don S really enjoys being the track announcer and keeps the crowd cheering.

A special thank you to the crowd for supporting this fun event. Rose & Don Sullivan



## NFL CHAMPIONSHIP PARTY - 2-11-24

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

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### Horse Racing Season is now upon us at Westwind II Downs

THANKS TO ROSE SULLIVAN FOR THIS:

Please come and join in the fun. The horses will be off and running at 1pm on  
SUNDAY, MARCH 3rd

You are welcome to come and bid, participate as a jockey or just come and cheer everyone on.

Bring a few dollars for the last race. This is a "owners race" and has everyone hooting and hollering.

Sign-up is not necessary, just show up and enjoy the camaraderie. This event only lasts a couple of hours at the most.

Don S is our track announcer.

Paul G and Joel D man the bidding track window.

Hope to see you all at Westwind II Downs ( community room) Thank you,

Don and Rose

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TJ Brinson is coming back to Westwind after several years of being absent. His country singing and guitar playing are great and always a crowd pleaser. So strap on your boots - Westwind II is having a hoe down!

Dance is WEDNESDAY, March 6th. 7pm to 10pm

Tickets will be \$8 pre sold. (First come first served.)

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### Men Cooking Breakfast SATURDAY, 03-09-24

THANKS TO ANN & DAN WILTON FOR THIS:

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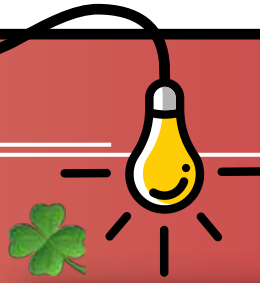
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The first St Patrick's Day Parade Took Place in the US. St Patrick's day is a really big deal in Ireland, after all he is the patron saint of the Emerald Isle. But the first St Patrick's Day parade was not held in Dublin; it took place in New York City in 1762?

IT'S THE START OF FALL IN SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE. Spring may be springing here, but March 20 means it is time for those in the Southern Hemisphere to begin winter preparations?



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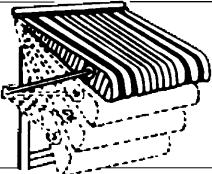
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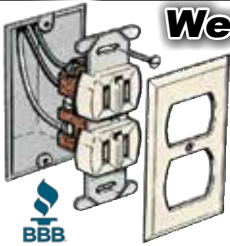
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## **WESTWIND COMMUNITY ARTWALK, SUNDAY, MARCH 10th - 12 NOON - 4 PM - WW II**

*THANKS TO EILEEN PUTMAN FOR THIS:*

Save the date of Sunday, March 10th for our annual Art Show/ Walk. Start at the Westwind II clubhouse to view artwork there and receive your printed guide with carport locations of others participating. Then proceed to follow your printed guide while spotting balloons on mailboxes at artists who welcome you to view their

works. You may see paintings, handmade cards, collage items, pottery, hand painted palm fronds, knitted or crochet items, fabric artwork, jewelry, woodcarvings, handmade furniture and wood pieces and more. A great way to get out and walk or golf cart a little, see your neighbors, enjoy local artwork and novel crafts. If weather is inclement, artists will show their items in Clubhouse

II. Refreshments will be served there as well. Most artwork will be available for purchase.

## **GRILL - WEDNESDAY, 03-13-24**

*THANKS TO CHERYL LEIGH FOR THIS:*

11:30 -1 PM

WESTWIND II PATIO & CLUBHOUSE DONATION - \$7.00

The menu will be:

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## **MILITARY WHIST**

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Military Whist will be held on Saturday, MARCH, 16th at 7pm. Cost \$2.00.

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Sign-up sheet is located in clubhouse. This is a great social mixer and lots of fun. Only a basic understanding of cards is required.

Any questions, please check with with Rose or Don S.

A snack will be provided.

Thank you, Rose and Don

## **Ladies Tea**

*THANKS TO DEBBIE GRANDMONT FOR THIS:*

Monday, March 18, 2024 - 1 - 3 PM

Donation: at least 1 dozen cookies, tea bread, muffins or snack of your choice to be shared....

As well as a \$7 to \$10 wrapped gift for a Yankee exchange.

Flyer and sign-up sheet will be posted in Westwind II

## **THANKS TO ROSE SULLIVAN FOR THE FOLLOWING:**

Welcome back to Bingo at Westwind II The next session is on Thursday, 3-21 at 7pm Cost is \$10

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## **WESTWIND COMMUNITY ARTWALK**

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Save the date of SATURDAY, March 25th from 10 AM - 2 PM for our third annual Artwalk. A day to stroll through our streets observing artists in their carports showing paintings, pottery, cards, crafts, carvings and unique works of art.

Some of our artists may choose to display their art in our clubhouses, especially in inclement weather. Watch for fliers listing the lot # of each artist taking part. It will be a great day to view and appreciate all the amazing talents shown by our residents while getting exercise and greeting artists and neighbors. Most artwork will be available for purchase.

Contact Eileen Putman @320 282 4554 or Kathy Lemay @ 508 868 1006 with questions.

## **WINDFALL SALE**

The Windfall Sale is almost here. Thank you to everyone in the community for all the donations and monitoring of the sheds.

By the amount of merchandise available to sell, we hope to have a record breaking sale. I'm looking forward to working with all of you setting up and holding the sale. Watch the "Hi-Lites" next month for our Windfall profits.

I'd like to thank the community in advance for all the hard work I know that will be happening during the sale.

## **SUNDAY AFTERNOON CAFE SUNDAY, 3-24-24**

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## **BOOK CLUB**

The Westwind Book Club will meet Tuesday, March 26th in the Westwind II library at noon.

Our discussion this month will be on the book, Go As a River, by Shelley Read. This is a riveting and deeply moving love story in the spirit of Where the Crawdads Sing which we all loved. The novel is a stunning exploration of the natural world and an unforgettable coming of age story. I don't want to spoil the pleasure of reading this story by telling you too much about the book. I look forward to your comments at our next meeting. Can you believe it is spring already? Where does the time go!

Happy reading. Elaine Blank

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## 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 Cronicles 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

## EASTER DINNER

SUNDAY, March 31 - 2 PM

SIGN-UP CUT-OFF ~ MARCH 28th

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WW II CLUBHOUSE

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## LADIES' "SHUFFLING"

THANKS TO BRENDA ROWAN FOR THIS:

TUESDAYS AT 1 PM

ALL LADIES ARE WELCOMED TO JOIN!

CONTACT TAMMY GAUGHAN FOR MORE INFO.

Ladies Shuffling happens every Tuesday at 1pm. We have lots of laughs and all that is required is a quarter (.25 cents) and a good sense of humor. Come and enjoy a nice couple of hours with some fun loving ladies.

## THANKS TO ANNETTE CUFFE FOR THIS:

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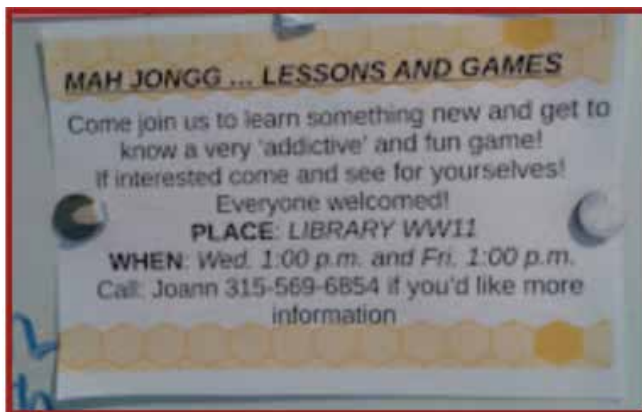
Wednesdays at 9:30 AM

WW II Clubhouse

Please contact Annette Cuffe at # 286 or call 315 404-532 for further information for this 1 hour class. A yoga mat and/or blanket is a must!

Anne Scott (certified ) will be our tv zoom instructor.

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## BOBBIE'S ART CLASS

THANKS TO BOBBIE INGLEHART FOR THE FOLLOWING:

WEDNESDAYS 1:00 - 3:00 PM

Westwind II Clubhouse

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THANKS TO ED FOX FOR THE FOLLOWING:

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## “CREATIVE ART WORKS”

THANKS TO EILEEN PUTMAN FOR THIS:

Beginning Friday, Jan. 5th, the Westwind Artists are invited to drop in to the Westwind II Clubhouse, 1PM. Artists will gather to work on their own projects and share ideas on their artwork with one another. CREATIVE ART WORKS, formerly “Drop In Art Group,” will meet on Fridays at 1PM at WW II and continue through April. This group is expanding its scope to include not only painting, drawing, scratch art & collage, but also jewelry making, fabric art, paper craft, knitting, crocheting, rug hooking, card making, etc. Drop in and check it out!! Inspiration is contagious! Bring your own supplies, whatever they may be.

Questions? Call Eileen Putman @ 320-282-4554

## A GUIDE FOR ORGANIZING AN EVENT IN WW II

THANKS TO TAMMY GAUGHAN FOR THIS:

- 1 Pick a date and have it put on the Social Club calendar.
  - 2 Meet with the entertainment committee to help find music.
  3. Send info. to Tim so he can make a “promo” for the “Hi-Lites.”
  - 4 Make flyers to pass out .
  - 5 Have Jane at #367 make tickets.
  - 6 Get two grill guys and make sure they check for gas.
  - 7 Find people to help prep the food the day before.
  - 8 Shop for food.
  - 9 Get people to help serve the food.
  10. Men to set up and take down the chairs and tables. 11 Get a great kitchen clean up crew!
- if someone is interested in putting on an outdoor party, I have all the food information and will be happy to share.

Tammy Gaughan #370

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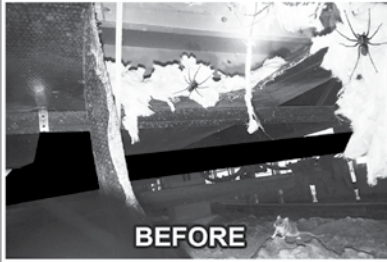
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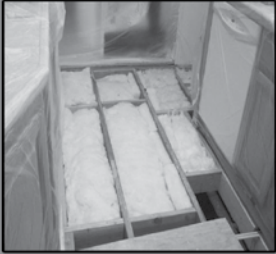
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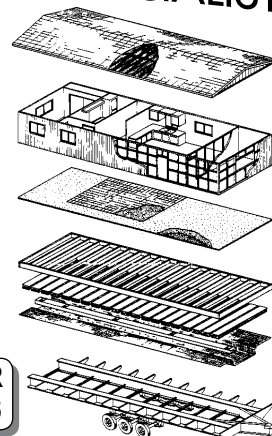
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*EDITOR'S NOTE: The Social Club is ALWAYS in need of people willing to step-up and plan events in the park. If no one does, there are no events. Tammy has planned MANY events over the years and has ALWAYS done an EXCELLENT job! She thought it would be a good idea to share this step-by-step list of what to do in planning an event.*

## THANKS TO ELAINE ANDRELSKI, JIM/LINDA TOY AND RICH GAUGHAN FOR THIS:

### CARDS

MONDAY: Mexican Train/Dominoes 6:30 - see "promo"  
TUESDAY: Hand & Foot.....Cribbage 7pm  
WEDNESDAY: Euchre 7pm  
THURSDAY: Men's Poker 7pm...starting a new table  
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Can contact Robin Fischer at [Roz2034@msn.com](mailto:Roz2034@msn.com)

## F.E.A.S.T

THANKS TO JOYCE PINCKNEY FOR THIS:

Food for thought.... If you are able, when you attend an event at the clubhouse, please bring a donation along for our FEAST box. Every and any donation is greatly appreciated. Thank you for continuing to support our northern Pinellas neighbors.

40 Joyce Pinckney



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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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### THANKS TO BARBARA SCHUTT FOR THIS:

Good morning, Tim. Wonderfully full magazine this month! I got quite a laugh out of Joel's sharing of the children's take on Bible stories and also the one on talking how God made the world and man.

Hopefully, we won't have anymore of wasted printing happening in the CH after Joy's letter was printed. Goodness, that is a lot of waste and thoughtlessness! Have a good day!

Barbara

### THANKS TO JILL DESRANLEAU FOR THIS:

Wow big news, lots of great pictures, great job. Thanks,

Jill

### THANKS TO KATHY LEMAY 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,

Kathy Lemay

# 371 508 868 1006 <kathymariel@yahoo.com>

*EDITOR'S NOTE: Kathy will be in charge of the Sunshine Committee until 4- 1-24. The Social Club is searching for a permanent replacement for Joyce P.*

### THANKS TO PETER DUGGAN FOR THIS:

No problem, glad to see other people are contributing. Have you thought of adding a crossword puzzle, sudoku game, they are popular now?

How about recipes, and take it a step further, food that is known from residents’ states, country. Philly- cheesesteak, buffalo-wings, south-fish etc.?

TV shows, series-with Amazon, Netflix, Apple TV, etc. There are lots of good movies, series. Maybe people can share?

Residents also seem to dine out a lot, from breakfast, lunch or fancy dinner. Maybe they can do a brief review and share with other residents, especially new ones.

Hope I’m not making a ton of work for you. Peter

*EDITOR'S NOTE: Thanks, Peter! I will put it out there and see who “salutes.”*

Tim

### THANKS TO LYNN MILLER FOR THIS:

CONGRATS ON 400+!!!

Lynn Miller

### THANKS TO TRISH CRAIG FOR THIS:

Magazine Exchange

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Submitted by Trish Craig

# PARK BUSINESS

## 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.

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### \*\*\*WINDFALL SALE\*\*\*

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Jill Desranleau - Chairperson



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THANKS TO ELAINE BLANK FOR THIS:

### SCHEDULE OF ROC MEETINGS THROUGH FEBRUARY 11, 2025

March 12, 2024 ROC board meeting at 10:00 A.M.

April 9, 2024 ROC board meeting at 10:00 A.M.

May 14, 2024 ROC board meeting at 10:00 A.M.

August 13, 2024 ROC board meeting at 10:00 A.M. November 12, ROC budget meeting at 7:00 P.M.

November 12, ROC board meeting immediately following budget meeting January 14, 2025 ROC board meeting at 10:00 A.M.

February 11, 2025 ROC annual meeting at 7:00 P.M.

February 11, 2025 ROC organizational meeting immediately following annual meeting

## SOCIAL CLUB

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FEB. 6, 2024 — Social Club President, Dan Wilton, announced that the SC Minutes will NO LONGER BE PRINTED IN THE “Hi-Lites.”

Instead, they will be posted on the Clubhouse Bulletin Board AFTER THEY HAVE BEEN APPROVED AT THE NEXT SC MEETING.

IN ADDITION, THE SC President will not send another “President’s Letter” until the end of the winter season.

## SOCIAL CLUB NEWS

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### Social Club Committees 2024:

Art Committee: Eileen Putman

Auditors: OPEN

Breakfasts: Dan Wilton Chalkboards: Trish  
Craig

Entertainment Committee: OPEN

Flags: Iben Ladefoged

Grill: Jim & Linda Toy

“Hi-Lites” Editor: Tim Burgner - (now  
looking for new editor to begin 3-15-25....  
contact

Tim to learn more.)

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Trips and Tours: OPEN

Windfall Sale: Jill Desranleau

50/50 Raffle: Joan Rand

Xmas Decorating:

Inside Clubhouse - Jane Merucci

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*EDITOR’S NOTE: THE  
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