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#### **MARCH BIRTHDAYS:**

#### **MARCH ANNIVERSARIES:**

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Ohn Brusseau on the passing of his wife Patsy. Cards may be sent to: 14874 White Ave, Allen Park, MI 48101

Jackie Gross, Lot 1002, on the passing of her husband Dennis.

#### IN REMEMBRANCE:

Michael Angel, Lot 1741, passed. Sadly, we have no relative contact information for sending a sympathy card.

#### **GET WELL CARDS WERE SENT TO:**

Yvonne Zsido, Lot 317 Ethel Blanchette, Lot 626 JoAnn Geibel, Lot 830 Elaine Pepper, Lot 833 Dawn Del Rio, Lot 918 Bob and Liv Perras, Lot 1015 Judy Swenson, Lot 1221 Ron Russell, Lot 1301



#### **LIBRARY**

lenn Cooper has a degree in archeology from Harvard and a medical degree from Tuft's University. He is chairman and CEO of a biotech company in Massachusetts, screenwriter and producer, and owns Lascaux Productions. His novels are translated into over 30 languages. A very accomplished man!

Cooper wrote "Library of the Dead" which was later renamed "Secret of the Seventh Son". How is the seventh son of a seventh son born on the seventh day of the seventh month in the year 777 connected to nine murders in New York City in 2009? That's what Will Piper has to figure out. He is handed the case free victim number seven, but he doesn't want it! Will has an attitude and a drinking problem. And it's only 2 years to go for retirement. Enter Marty, an old college roommate working at Area 51.

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#### RECIPE OF THE MONTH:

#### **Slow Cooker Vegetable Minestrone**

#### **Ingredients:**

- 4 c tomato juice
- 12 oz vegetable broth (or double the chicken broth)
- 12 oz chicken broth
- 1 Tbs dried basil leaves
- 1 tsp salt
- 1/2 tsp dried oregano leaves
- 1/4 tsp black pepper
- 1 c sliced carrots



- 1 c chopped celery
- 1/2 c chopped onion
- 8 oz fresh mushrooms
- 2 cloves of garlic
- 28 oz petite diced tomatoes, undrained
- 1 lb ground chicken
- 1 1/2 c spiral pasta (optional)

#### **Directions:**

- 1. In a 4- or 5-qt slow cooker, mix all ingredients except meat.
- 2. Cover and cook on low/medium low for 7-8 hours or until vegetables are tender.
- 3. 30 minutes before serving, add meat and (optional) pasta. Cover and cook on high for 30 minutes.

#### Variations:

1. Substitute V-8 vegetable juice (regular or spicy) for the tomato juice.

Or

2. To put a tingle on your tongue, instead of 28 oz can of diced tomatoes, use 12 oz can of tomatoes and 12 oz mild Rotelle.

Or

3. Use 2 cups of diced, cooked chicken instead of hamburger.

Or

4. Use 1/3 cup of rice instead of the pasta.







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#### FROM THE OFFICE



an you believe that we are already heading into March? As the saying goes, time flies when you're having Fun, and boy do embassy residents know to have fun! So much going on, read your News and Views, attend the Social Club Meeting (March 6th) and come to the Residents Monthly Update Meeting (March date is March 20th). I have been asked that each club or event organizer should attend the Social Club Meeting and the Residents Monthly Update Meeting. There is a time for them to talk about each activity and answer any questions the residents may have, as well as to give a report on a past event and what a great success it was.

Many residents hosted Super Bowl parties, birthday parties, etc. in February. I would like to thank all the residents who: let me know in advance, made parking arrangements to keep the streets open for emergency vehicles, and moved it inside at 10 p.m.

One of my biggest problems with parking on the street is people don't know 2 main things: #1, park on the side of the street you were traveling; #2 park as close to the sidewalk as possible. Embassy streets are owned by the Park, so therefore they are somewhat smaller than regular streets. Because we are a 55+ Park (going all the way up to 105 years old), a lot of ambulances and fire trucks come in and out. Please park in your carport, if possible.

Please keep an eye on your neighbors, especially those who live alone. If you notice a change in their normal activities, such as mail piling up in the box, no lights on at dark, or simply not seeing them outside, please reach out to them, just to say "Hi" and make sure they are ok. If you get no response, please let Roy or I know, and we will do a wellness check. IF YOU ARE one of the people that live alone and end up in a hospital or rehab, please notify the office, either by email or a message on the office answering machine (park emails are monitored every day). Now is a good time to make sure the office has a current key for your residence so no one has to rip a screen or ruin a door by prying it open. Trust me, that is the first thing emergency responders do if I don't have a key, or there is no window access. I have seen them use a crowbar, and there usually is no way to fix the door except to replace it. Roy can gain access to most mobiles, then he just sends someone smaller in to walk through the mobile.

The park has been inundated with Solicitors in the last few months. They seem to be well trained in what to say to my questions, so I frequently call the police. My interactions with Largo PD patrol officers have been less than good. I worked with Officer Bowling, and as a result patrol officers were reminded about the trespass laws and the rights of management to have them removed from the park. Scams targeting senior citizens are on the rise.

This is also a good time to remind everyone about political signs; they can only be put up 30 days in advance of an election (one sign) and must be removed 3 days after the election. This is a park rule.

If you are planning to sell your home, the rule is 1 (one) sign, in the front window of the mobile. NO YARD SIGNS! I pull them out and throw them away. A good mobile home salesperson should know what the park rules are.

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Golf carts MUST HAVE front and rear lights when driven after dark. I have seen several close calls because of residents using their golf cart after dark, and cars not seeing them. Most newer cars have a backup warning that something is behind you, but everyone does not have a newer car. You need to also remember the age of our park residents who still drive (a lot of them shouldn't), as well as the fact that their eyesight isn't what it used to be. I often wonder how some of our older residents can see over the steering wheel! Bikes are also required to have lights on after dark.

The planning meeting for next season is scheduled for March 21st at 10:00 a.m. Every event coordinator should attend, as well as all Clubs sending a representative. Please take the time to look ahead for dates for next winter. Every effort is made to prevent overlapping events, but there will always be something happening that requires changes made to the calendar.

For the last 2 years, event flyers are to be put in the cases, found by the back door of the Clubhouse, and on the front of the building. There is a special case for the monthly event calendar. The only signs allowed on the Clubhouse doors are the Residents Monthly Update Meeting, and notices if an event has been cancelled or last-minute dates or times changed. Flyers can also be put on the back doorwall of the Clubhouse, close to the north side of the window, my office door, the Library, and all laundromats. If you want to drop your flyer off to me, I can print it and have it posted (Thanks to my Mike's). The bulletin board inside the Clubhouse can also be used during the winter months, as something is going on in the Clubhouse daily, so it is usually open.

Good Neighbor food events, every other Monday at noon, is for all park residents, regardless of financial status or country you were born in. All we ask is that you take only 1 item of each until everyone has gone through the line, then you can go through again. Please only take what you need, not enough for your family and friends who don't live here. Close to 100 people attend, and the amount of food we receive is awesome. There is a couple that make this happen for us; I have been putting out a donation jar so at the end of the year we can show them how much we appreciate what they do....I am the first person she calls if she has excess food to see if we can use it, and we have been receiving 2 truckloads of food. This is based on the availability of what they receive, they also take it to many other neighborhoods.

A reminder to Snowbirds....I need your records updated in the office with a good summer address, phone number and email if you have one. This is a park rule, and there are so many different reasons on why we may need to get in touch with you when you are not here. You also should have a key in the office or let us know who has one in case of an emergency.

Jessie Buchholtz, Park Manager









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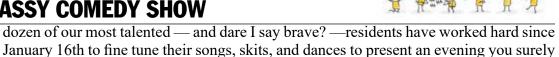
#### RECYCLING BEER, POP, AND SPARKLING WATER CANS

Te ask all Park residents to help us recycle beer, pop, and water cans by bringing them to the Clubhouse Shuffle courts and depositing them in the marked containers. The Shuffle Club is collecting the cans as part of their fundraising to maintain the shuffle courts. Thank you very much for your support.



Submitted by Embassy Shuffle Club

#### **EMBASSY COMEDY SHOW**



won't forget. March 9th at 7:00 p.m.

This is a one-night-only event and seating is limited. Tickets must be purchased in advance so check at the office during normal business hours to see if you can still get a ticket.

Submitted by Lynn Turner

#### **NEW YORK CLUB HOE DOWN**

The Hoe Down on February 3rd was a resounding success. A number of people in the Park were overheard saying that it was the best dance ever. Attendees (75) danced — I heard the dance floor was never empty — and enjoyed the Western-themed games that were played. Arthur and Maude Vandine, newly arrived from Woodstock, New Brunswick and renting at Lot 1116, won the BBQ grill raffle. Al Wilson, Lot 1318, won the 50/50 of \$122.

#### **CRAFT AFTERNOONS**

The Tuesday afternoon craft on March 12th, 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. will be a 'fluid art' picture. No special talent is needed; anyone can do it. The finished product is absolutely amazing. You need only try it once and you will be hooked!

Space is limited to 15 participants so watch for a sign-up sheet to be posted at the Clubhouse. There will be a small participation fee (approximately \$10).

Submitted by Janice Yeo



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#### **BIBLE STUDY**

Bible study group meets on Tuesday evenings at 6:30 p.m. at the Hobby House. There is about an hour of study and conversation with a snack after, and more conversation. Our group varies from 6 to 13; anyone



is welcome to meet with us. It is a learning experience for everyone and a time for fellowship. Any questions please call Dave Burris 727 536 9937.

Submitted by Dave Burris

#### **MEN'S SHUFFLE TOURNAMENT**

he annual shuffle men's tournament took place Sunday, January 28th. We had very good participation from all; 24 people were registered, and we received excellent collaboration, much appreciated by the Ladies who did the refereeing and score keeping. During lunch, the Club offered pizza to all members and their spouses. A great way to thank everyone for their involvement in that main activity of the Embassy Park.

The winners of the Blues team were: 1st place - Danny Czapiewski; 2nd place - Dennis Larocque; and 3rd place - Viateur Viel.

The winners of the Red team were: 1st place - Al Wilson; 2nd place - Marcel Giguère; and 3rd place - Bill Burtt.

Submitted by Viateur Viel





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#### **GAMES, GAMES, GAMES**

n Tuesday February 5th, Park residents and guests were invited to an afternoon of games in the Clubhouse. Only 8 people showed up to play, but it turned out to be an afternoon of fun, laughter, and friendly competition. Sequence, Blokus, Rummikub and Mexican Train Dominoes were played, and everyone had a good time. A suggestion was made to schedule another one next month, but March is shaping up to be a very busy month, so we decided to maybe try again next November.

So, watch out for the title GAMES, GAMES, GAMES in the November issue of the News and Views and join us in playing one of the many other games available. We never know, this might become a monthly activity.

Submitted by Jeannine Goguen



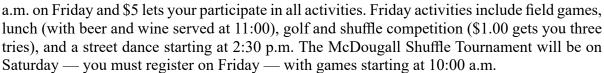


#### **CANADA DAYS**

Thether you hail from Canada or the good ol' USofA, come join the fun on Canada Days.

Friday, March 1st and Saturday, March 2nd.

You do not have to buy a ticket in advance; registration is 9:30



Embassy Park has held this event for the past 40 years. Much like the "Company Picnic" from the old days, residents and their guests come together to play games, eat a hot dog at the BBQ, and enjoy the music provided by the Wigman during the street dance. Activities take place near the lake on the 7th Street shuffle courts.

Bring your lawn chair or blanket and plan to spend the day with us!

Submitted by Lynn Turner

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#### MARCH CALENDAR

(NOTE: Calendar events are based on the information provided at the time of submission. Events are subject to cancellation by the sponsor. We make every effort to post notices when a cancellation occurs.)

MARCH 1st and 2nd - Canada Days

MARCH 6th - Social Club meeting. Refreshments at 9:00 a.m. and the meeting begins promptly at 9:30 a.m.

MARCH 8th - Canadian Club Meeting, 10:00 a.m.

MARCH 9th - Embassy Comedy Show, 7:00 p.m.

MARCH 11th - Deadline for submitting articles for the April News and Views

MARCH 11th - Good Neighbor Food pantry, 12:00/noon

MARCH 12th - New York Club Meeting, 10:00 a.m.

MARCH 12th - Craft Afternoon, 1:00 p.m.

MARCH 13th - Embassy Luncheon

MARCH 15th - Shuffle Club Meeting, 10:00 a.m.

MARCH 16th - St. Patrick's Day Dance, 7:00-10:00 p.m.

MARCH 20th - Resident Update Meeting - refreshments at 9:00 a.m.; meeting starts promptly at 9: 30 a.m.

MARCH 21st – Social Club Planning Meeting, 10:00 a.m.

MARCH 22nd - Shufflers' Banquet

MARCH 23rd - Pancake Breakfast, 7:00-10:00 a.m.

MARCH 23rd - Bread

MARCH 25th - Good Neighbor Food pantry, 12:00/noon

MARCH 28th - Fun Shuffle

MARCH 28th - Neighborhood Watch Meeting, 1:00 p.m.

MARCH 29th - Canadian Club Closing

#### ST. PATRICK'S DAY DANCE

hen: Saturday, March 16th, 7:00-10:00 p.m.

Where: Clubhouse

Admission: \$5 per person.

Ticket sales at the Residents' Monthly Update Meeting on February 21st, after the Social Club meeting on March 6th, and in the office during normal business hours.

Sponsored by the New York Club, this is the last dance of the season. So, get out those dancing shoes for one last hoorah and come to the dance!









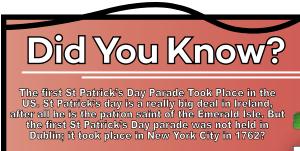




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Texas Holdem  Easter		

## **Embassy**

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#### **ACTIVITIES REGULARLY SCHEDULED:**

Bible Study - Every Tuesday, 6:30 p.m. in the Hobby House

**Bingo** - Every Wednesday; doors open 5:15 p.m. Cards sold until 6:15 p.m. Bingo starts promptly at 6:30 p.m.

**Bread** - delivered to the Clubhouse the 4th Saturday of the month

Canadian Club Meeting - 2nd Friday of the month, 10:00 a.m.

Comedy Show Practice - Every Tuesday, 6:30 p.m.

Craft Afternoon - 2nd Tuesday of the month, 1:00-4:00 p.m.

Cribbage - Every Thursday in the Clubhouse, 7:00 p.m.

Dance - 3rd Saturday of the month

Embassy Luncheon - 2nd Wednesday of every month

**Embassy Resident Update Meeting** - 3rd Wednesday of every month; light refreshments at 9:00 a.m.; meeting starts promptly at 9:30 a.m.

Euchre - Every Monday, 7:00 p.m. in the Clubhouse

Exercise - Every Tuesday and Friday, 8:45-9:30 a.m.

Food from Good Neighbors - Every other Monday, 12:00/noon. See calendar.

New York Club Meeting - 2nd Tuesday of every month, 10:00 a.m.

Poker (Dealer Choice) - Every Tuesday afternoon at 1:00 p.m. in the Hobby House

Sewing Club - Every Tuesday and Friday, 9:00 a.m. at the Hobby House

**Shuffle Club Meeting** - 3rd Friday of the month, 10:00 a.m.

**Social Club Meeting** - 1st Wednesday of the month; light refreshments at 9:00 a.m.; meeting starts at 9:30 a.m.

Texas Holdem - Every Sunday at 11:00 a.m. in the Hobby House

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#### **CHINESE AUCTION**

hank you to everyone who made the Chinese Auction a huge success this year! More than 70 people attended to bid on the loot; there were lamps, dishes, pictures, jewelry, and knickknacks; gift certificates for Applebee's, Publix, and Bingo; and baked goods ranging from cookies and muffins to cakes and cinnamon rolls. There was even a smart TV!

There is no way to thank everyone individually who supported this event, but a few really stand out. Thank you, Jessie, for donating the beautiful outdoor



chair/swing which was won by Barry Murphy. Thanks to Elaine Pepper who every Christmas Day gets up early to go to Sam's Club to shop for at least three of the door prizes donated each year. Thank you to our auctioneer, Barry Murphy; our coffee maker Danny Czapiewski; to all the guys and gals who helped set up — without your help it couldn't be done; and a special thank you to the bakers for making our bakery table awesome.

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#### **HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION**

#### HOMEOWNERS

he Embassy Homeowners Association (HOA) held their elections on Monday, January 15th, 2024, to elect two board members - Angela Robinson (who will replace Ron Russell) and Doug Bentley (re-elected for another term on the board). The members of the board met later to elect officers. See the directory at the back of this issue for a list of HOA officers and board members and their contact information.

The next time you see Ron, take a minute to thank him for his work with the HOA over his many years as a resident at Embassy Park. Not only has he served on the board for a number of years, but he also played a pivotal role in getting the required number of resident signatures so that we can make our HOA a legally recognized entity with full rights to represent our community within the Florida legal system. Ron also volunteered countless hours as liaison between Embassy residents and the FMO (Florida Manufactured Homeowner Organization) and he always briefed their progress at our Resident Monthly Update Meeting (formerly Manager's Meeting).

As a reminder, the HOA speaks for all members when approaching the Park Owner or Park Manager with issues of concern. You do not have to be a member to attend HOA meetings, but you must be a member to vote on actions taken by the HOA. To join, bring a copy of your manufactured home title — with your name on it — to any board member and tell them you wish to join the HOA.

#### **EMBASSY LUNCHEON**

he first monthly Embassy Luncheon of 2024 was held on Wednesday, January 10th, at the Thai Bay Restaurant in Largo. Hosted by Linda Weinelt and Muriel Downie, ten ladies attended to enjoy the great food and fellowship with their friends and neighbors. Door prizes were awarded to Irene Blondin, Elaine Pepper, and Angela Robinson.



As a reminder to all, the luncheons are

held on the second Wednesday of every month (yes, even in the summer) and the location varies depending on who has volunteered to host and what venue is available. This is an opportunity to get to know your neighbors in a smaller, more intimate setting and most places have low cost menu options for the budget conscious. Sign-up sheets are usually posted on the Clubhouse in advance so the host can notify the restaurant of how many diners to expect.

Submitted by Muriel Downie

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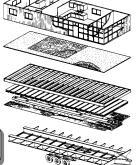
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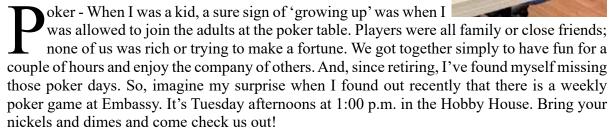


#### **RECOGNITION AND THANKS**

In recognition of her continued support to the shufflers and their many activities, the Shuffle Club presented Jessie with her very own official Shuffle Club shirt at the January Resident Monthly Update Meeting. Thank you, Jessie!

Submitted by Viateur Viel





Cribbage - Cribbage is another game I played in my younger days. It is a fast-paced, easy-to-play game that can be a lot of fun. And there is a group that meets to play every Thursday evening in the Clubhouse. For the low, low fee of \$1 you play cards for 2 hours and, if you're lucky enough, you may win your money back at the end of the evening. I decided to check out our local group this year, and I'm glad I did. The people who play are welcoming, friendly, and just looking to have a good time. So, if you are sitting around the house with nothing to do on a Thursday evening at 7:00 p.m., bring \$1 to the Clubhouse and we'll teach you how to play.

Euchre - Euchre has been in the United States since the early 1800's and has often been described as an excellent social game. I agree. We have a group at Embassy which meets every Monday evening at 7:00 p.m. in the Clubhouse. Entry fee is only \$.50 — that's right, 2 little ol' quarters —and we play for 2 hours. Don't know how to play? No problem, we can teach you in a matter of minutes. Our players are all friendly people who are looking for a good time that does not break the bank. Stop by and check us out.

Texas Holdem - This is one of the most popular poker variants. Two cards, known as hole cards, are dealt face down to each player, and then five community cards are dealt face up in three stages. Each player seeks the best five-card poker hand from any combination of the seven cards: the five community cards and their two hole cards. The player who has the best hand and has not folded by the end of all betting rounds wins the pot. I have not yet played this game, but there is a group which meets at Embassy every Sunday at 11:00 a.m. in the Hobby House. Entry fee is \$6. Once again, this is a low cost way to meet some of your neighbors and enjoy getting out of the house for a few hours.

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#### **EMBASSY FASHION SHOW**

his year's Fashion Show was absolutely fabulous. Patricia Carrier and Jeannine Goguen worked very hard to make it a success ... and boy did they!

Joyce Latuga, Agnes Cyr, Lynn Quillan, Carmella Bonavita, and Yvette Novak modeled the latest designs from the Patchington Spring Collection. The ladies each selected three outfits to wear and they took turns walking on stage for all to see



the clothes which ranged from beach casual to semi-dressy. And such beautiful colors, too! As Mistress of Ceremonies, Michelle Swanlund shared bits of information about each model as they were introduced. And I would be remiss if I didn't mention, and thank, Jesse Osborne and Marcel Giguère for their work as ushers lending a steady hand as the models walked onto and off of the stage. And, Viateur. You were wonderful reminding us to smile as you took our picture and ensuring every moment was captured. Your pictures captured the true essence of each model and the clothes she was wearing. Janice Yeo, thank you for the stunning decorations. Your artistic touches helped to make the event special. Finally, John Halliday, Norm Hagen, Viateur Viel, and Dave Siano, and Guy Giguère served the refreshments after the clothes were shown and the audience was invited to 'take a closer look' at the clothes on the rack.

Note: Ethel Blanchette and Judy Besharah also volunteered as models but, sadly, caught the dreaded flu that's making the rounds at Embassy Park and had to drop out at the last minute. Ladies, get well soon!

There was a 50/50 drawing (winner received \$94), and door prizes were drawn from tickets that were handed out at the door. As a special bonus, attendees were also treated to a discount code for 25 % off their in-store purchase at the Patchington store in Belleair Bluffs.

This was a free event hosted by the Social Club. Eighty-eight (88) people — men and women — attended the show.

Thank you, everyone, who worked in support of this event. From the people who prepared the coffee and refreshments to the models, the ushers, and the men who served refreshments with a smile. And to Patricia and Jeannine, thank you for all of your hard work. You took great pains to ensure every detail was absolutely perfect. Thank you all!

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