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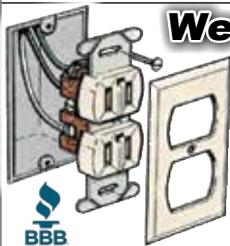
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## Co-op Updates

*By Al Noeller*

I hope everyone is enjoying a great spring and summer, filled with adventures, surrounded by family and friends.

Paradise Island is doing very good, with everything running as it should and it is being well supported by a great group of volunteers and the Resource Team. As we continue to strive to provide the best services and conditions for all the residents of Paradise Island, we do need your continued help and support. Your help is important to us and needed, and you can help the community in several ways.

Please update your contact information with the office, as that information will be used for the next phone directory, to contact you in an emergency and / or notify you with the One Call system or via emails as necessary. Up to date contact information will also insure you are included and aware of important issues. You have control of how we will contact you or your family, we ask that you stay informed, keep us updated.

Your help is also needed by you taking proper care of your home and home site to protect your investment and the investment of your neighbors. Prepare for those summer storms, clean the gutters, trim the bushes and trees, minimize the yard art and properly put away the other things in your carport.

You need to be in control, plan for the next weather emergency, remember Paradise Island is a mandatory evacuation zone during major storms. Management takes care of the common



elements, but you have to take care of your home and family.

Be a good neighbor, follow the rules you agreed to follow. We have reports of speeding, failing to stop at the STOP signs, misbehavior incidents at the pool, besides homesite violations, someone is going to get seriously hurt. The Paradise Island residents wanted security, but then some don't use their FOB's or loan them out or just let others into the pool or clubhouse improperly. This is your community and we don't have any guards on duty, that is every resident's responsibility to help protect each other. If you see something say something! Call the Police if appropriate and / or report it to the office, or Neighborhood Watch. Get names, take pictures, note the time of day, let it be known to others around you. Then the Police or management will then deal with the violators appropriately. It starts with you reporting violations. If potential violators know that they may or will be reported, then they may not do the deed.

**Please help us ALL be safe in Paradise.**

Please remember we have suggestion boxes located at the Clubhouse and at the Co-Op office, we check and review those suggestion weekly. Thank You to those that have made a suggestion.

Please be a active part of Team "Paradise Island".

Have a Great Summer!

## MANAGERS CORNER JUNE 2024

*By Richard Thomas, Community Manager*



**H**URRICANE SEASON IS HERE: June 1, 2024 thru November 30, 2024

NOAA (National Oceanic Atmospheric Administration) has forecasted 17 to 25 named storms, 8-13 of which are forecasted to become Hurricanes (winds of 75 MPH or Higher) and 4 to become Cat. 3, Cat. 4 or Cat. 5 Hurricanes.

In the event a storm is projected to impact our area, a Mandatory Evacuation would be issued for all Mobile Home Communities. Now is the time to prepare for a Mandatory Evacuation. Items that may become airborne in high winds, should be moved inside the mobile or shed. The Clubhouse **IS NOT** rated as a shelter and as such will be locked down. Residents who decide to ride out the storm (NOT RECOMMENDED) must understand that should you stay, Emergency Services Police, Fire, Ambulance will not respond to calls.

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## HOA UPDATE

By Ken Hopkins



Vacation Time!! When you read this, Mary Ann and I will be on a much-needed vacay. We will travel north to visit family and chill a little---as if this will be possible anywhere this summer. While we are away, the HOA will be in the capable hands of your VP, Liz Neumann and the HOA Board. Feel free to reach out to her for any immediate needs. Liz will also chair the upcoming residents meeting on July 10. You will not want to miss this. We have a demonstration by the K-9 Unit scheduled, a Hurricane preparedness session and an informative program on Medicare. Come one, come all for a great sharing evening.

Your HOA continues to be active, working on programs of benefit to all residents. The Home of the Month program kicked off with our first winner. Read about it in this booklet. Thanks to Liz and her committee (Barb, Peggy, Terry, Vicki, Mary Ann and Nancy). We value your input and suggestions as to how we can improve our service. so let us know,

It promises to be a long hot summer, so stay cool and above all be safe. Thanks for your support and see you soon.

## HOA Home of the Month

By Liz Neumann

Our team has been hard at work trying to pick one home to be our monthly winner. It's our pleasure to announce our June winner was Jim Shreve at lot # 387. He received a \$50.00 Visa gift card, and a Paradise Island Home of the Month sign was placed in his planter until the committee picks July's winner.

For more information on our new program please attend our all-residents meeting July 10th at 7 pm.

Time to show off your curb appeal!  
Good luck!

## Did You Know?

By Co-Op BOD



Did you know the definition of the word "STOP" in the dictionary is "to cease to go forward". We point this out as there seems to be a growing problem of drivers either not knowing what "STOP" means or not having enough respect for everyone's safety to take an extra second and STOP for the STOP signs placed throughout Paradise Island for everyone's safety!

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This plea to STOP is not only directed to the operators of cars and trucks, but the operators of bikes, e-bikes, mopeds and golf carts. Just take a minute and think of how you would feel if your disregard of this simple request to STOP for a STOP sign resulted in injury, or even death, of anyone, much less one of our fellow Paradise Island Residents!!!!

## Neighborhood Watch

By Nancy LaBelle



It's been great seeing more residents attend our meetings. Welcome!

They are held the 3rd Tuesday of every month at 10AM. Everyone is always welcome.

We have an awesome, caring Park!

### IF YOU SEE SOMETHING SAY SOMETHING

Call 911 for an active emergency situation, like a break in, in progress. Call the non-emergency LPD number 727-587-6730 for a situation, for example, that you discovered the next morning. Then please let your Block Captain know that you called, 9AM to 9 PM. If you have any concerns, give us a call and maybe we can help. Sometimes it is a park management issue and not Neighborhood Watch, but it's okay to question. We are always learning.

New residents should get a map in their packet and know who their Captain is, with phone number. We are also listed on the inside cover of this media. Call the wrong person, no problem. We can all help. If we don't answer, leave a message.

Please attend the Hurricane Preparedness program July 10th. There will be very helpful information.

Thanks to all who call the Block captains after making the call.

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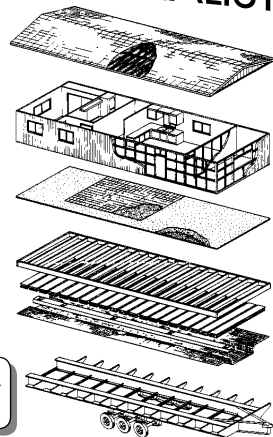
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Any Questions contact Diane Billman 727-434-0048

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

July.6	Pool Party	\$5	Pavilion	7:00pm- 9:00pm
Aug.10	Pool Party	\$5	Pavilion	7:00pm-9:00 pm
Aug.24	August Dance	\$10	Red	7:00pm-10:00pm
Oct.11	Fall Resident/PISC Flea Market		Set-up	9:00 - 4:00 pm
Oct.12	Fall Resident/PISC Flea Market	\$1	Early Bird 8 am \$1	9:00 am-2 pm
Oct.26	Halloween Dance	\$10	Silver Alert	7:00pm- 10:00pm
Nov.2	Annual Craft Fair	NC	Clubhouse-set-up on the 1st	TBD
Nov.9	Karaoke	TBD	BYOB and snacks	5:00 pm -9:00pm
Nov.16	Men's Club Event	\$10	Donna Marie - Singer/Entertainer	6:00 pm - 10 pm
Nov.28	Thanksgiving Dinner	NC	Tables are responsible for desserts & drinks	4:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Dec.6	Set-up for Ladies HL	NC	Decorate tables	10:00am-5:30 pm
Dec.7	Ladies Holiday Luncheon	TBD	Enjoy a meal served by our Men's Club	11:00am-2:00pm
Dec.14	Community Christmas Party	TBD	Tom Davis	5:00 pm-10pm
Dec.31	New Year's Eve Dance	TBD	Shakes Society	8:00 pm - 12:15 am
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Jan.18	Men's Club Event	\$10	Gary Roberts - Not So Newly Wed Variety	6:00pm-10:00pm
Feb.1	Italian Night with Trivia	TBD	Enjoy a great Italian meal & Trivia	5:00 pm-9:00pm
Feb.8	Dance	\$10	Taria Lee & Marty	7:00pm- 10:00pm
Feb.16	Men's Club Event(Sunday)	\$10	Rich Wilson - Singer/Comedian	6:00pm-10:00pm
Feb.22	Goldern Ann Set-up			
Feb.23	Golden Anniversary	NC	clubhouse	1:00 pm-3:00pm
Feb.28	Flea Market Set-up		volunteers needed for set-up	8:00 am - done
Mar.1	Flea Market & Bake Sale	\$1	early Clubhouse	8:00 am -2:00 pm
Mar.8	Men's Club Event	\$10	Two Shay Entertainers - Shania Twain Imp	6:00pm-10:00pm
Apr.5	Men's Club Event	\$10	William Florian - Singer/Entertainer	6:00pm-10:00pm

## Social Committee Update

By Diane Billman

Welcome to our new residents. If any resident (new or past) didn't fill out a Social Committee Resident Survey at their orientation requesting a Meet 'n Greet with our Welcome Team, please reach out to Nancy Jonas at 727-221-9613 or Paulette Rich at 304-582-2285 and request one. It is our goal to meet with all new residents to inform them of all the different Social Activities within the park, but sometimes things do fall through the cracks and we don't get notified of our new residents.



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On June 2nd we lost one of our chair people suddenly and unexpectedly. Janice Buchko has co-chaired Water Aerobics for many years and she had stepped up to co-chair Darts in the fall. She will be missed greatly by many people here in our community and we send our thoughts and prayers to her family and friends at this difficult time.

June activities started out with a huge turnout for the first pool party of the year. I believe this was a record attendance with over 100 people showing up to enjoy a Margaretville Cheeseburgers in Paradise themed cookout. Music was provided by our own Phyllis Nelson and I understand lots of delicious side dishes were provided by the residents who attended. I was sorry I had to miss it as it sounded like everyone had a fabulous time!

At the time of this writing the June dance has not happened but our very own Tammy Nadeau and A Hot Mess will be singing and entertaining us. I am sure it will be a fun night of dancing and partying!

The computer room is sporting a new computer, monitor and printer for the resident's use. This is a shared computer so please do not save any private information on it. This was purchased by the Social Committee to replace the old out of date equipment that was in there.

I hope all residents will attend the July All Resident's Meeting as it will be on Hurricane Preparedness. We have always been very blessed to be missed by the severe hurricanes but we should all be prepared and know what to do and where to evacuate if necessary.

It looks like Bandingo won't be happening in July so the July 6th pool party is it for activities at this time. Unless someone is willing to come up with an idea and chair it! We are always open to new ideas.

Stay safe, stay as cool as possible and always remember to be kind to one another! Happy 4th of July, celebrate our great country and the freedom it provides us.

## Ladies Monthly Luncheon

*By Beth Pieckiel*

Summer is here and so is the heat. Our next Ladies Monthly Luncheon will be Tuesday, July 23rd, 2024 at 11:30 am. After cancelling our luncheon last month out of respect for our dear friend Janice DeLaquil Buchko. I have booked us at:

PJ's Oyster Bar  
415 2nd Street  
Indian Rocks Beach, FL 33785  
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Our waitress for our July luncheon is Aimee, and she is coming in on her day off to take care of us. She has been with PJ's for years and is a real sweetheart.

As always, the sign-up sheet will be posted in the clubhouse. If you do sign up to attend and then find you are unable to join us, PLEASE, remove your name from the list so that your hostess/hostesses can give the restaurant of their choice an accurate headcount.

Hoping more of our year-round ladies of Paradise join for a fun luncheon of fellowship. Hit you should have any questions regarding our luncheons, please call me Beth Pieckiel at (214) 538 - 7094.

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Romance scams occur when a criminal adopts a fake online identity to gain a victim's affection and trust. The scammer then uses the illusion of a romantic or close relationship to manipulate and/or steal from the victim.

The scammer's intention is to establish a relationship as quickly as possible, endear himself to the victim, and gain trust. Scammers may propose marriage and make plans to meet in person, but that will never happen. Eventually, they will ask for money.

If someone you meet online needs your bank account information to deposit money, they are most likely using your account to carry out other theft and fraud schemes.

#### Tips for Avoiding Romance Scams:

- Be careful what you post and make public online. Scammers can use details shared on social media and dating sites to better understand and target you.
- Research the person's photo and profile using online searches to see if the image, name, or details have been used elsewhere.
- Go slowly and ask lots of questions.
- Beware if the individual seems too perfect or quickly asks you to leave a dating service or social media site to communicate directly.
- Beware if the individual attempts to isolate you from friends and family or requests inappropriate photos or financial information that could later be used to extort you.
- Beware if the individual promises to meet in person but then always comes up with an excuse why he or she can't. If you haven't met the person after a few months, for whatever reason, you have good reason to be suspicious.
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## Bandingo

By Diane Billman

**S**AVE THE DATE - Unfortunately Bandingo won't be happening in July but it will be back on Saturday, September 21st from 7-9 pm so make sure you save that date!



## Summer Horseshoes

By Stanley Pulpecki

**O**rganized playing times are Tuesday mornings at 10:00 to 11:00. The horseshoe courts are available to all residents throughout the year for play or practice. The horseshoes are locked up outside of organized play. Please contact Stacy at 860-919-7325 for access to the horseshoes or for other questions.



FYI: Mondays have been dropped because of lack of interest.

## Summer Pool Parties (July)

By Sandy & Allen Sumey

**W**ow! What great time we had! Our first PISC Pool Party was a hit and the next one is almost here - Saturday, July 6 from 4 until 9 P.M. Food in the pavilion from 4-5:30 or so and the rest of the evening will be poolside with music and lots of social time. The theme for this month is a patriotic one - Wear your red, white, and blue. Cost is \$5 per person to cover food and DJ; Bring a dish to share and your cooler full of whatever beverages you prefer. More info needed? Call/Text Sandy 615.275.5460 or Allen 615.275.5458. Next one is August 10th - Save the date. Thanks to all who make PI the great place that it is!



## The Sunshine Committee

By Gloria & Wilma

**P**aradise Island residents are here for you and would like to send our caring thoughts to those park residents who are ill, having surgery, a shut-in, or have had a death in the family.

Please contact Wilma Largent at 260-316-1296 for Bereavement cards, or Gloria Garafola at 727-463-7307 for sending Get Well cards.





## New England Plus

By Gail White

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**T**he New England + Dinner group will hold its July meeting at the Olive Garden Restaurant in the Largo Mall at 4 p.m. July 3. All Paradise Island residents are welcome!

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

Thanks to all for a great June dinner!

## Midwest Lunch Bunch

By Marge Murray

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**O**n July 13th the Midwest Lunch Bunch will meet at the new Village Inn at 2659 Roosevelt Blvd. The restaurant is located east of US 19 between Wawa and Cheddar's. We will meet at 11:30 am. All residents of Paradise Island are welcome to join us. Please come and meet some neighbors you might not know. RSVP to: shar4u68@gmail.com or call Marge at 727-584-8701

We need to let the restaurant know how many people are coming and so they have the staff to serve us. You can also RSVP on our Facebook page. Hope to see you there.

## Men's Club

By Ken Jonas

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**I**want to thank all who showed up to help when we had to fold all the tables and stack all the chairs, and stow them all, to facilitate the cleaning and sealing of the Clubhouse floors! They look great! And of course, to those who helped set up for the pool party and the dance, a big thank you as well!

Here we are in July already! We're almost halfway through the summer season and before we know it, our friends who travel north will be returning to Paradise for another season of fun activities and great shows! We look forward to seeing you all again!



## Paradise Island Bowling League

By Claudia Gisvold

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**P**aradise Island bowling will start mid-October and go through mid-April. The sign-up sheet is in the clubhouse. Need full time bowlers and subs. When you sign up, please indicate if it would be a full time or sub bowler. If you have any questions, please contact me Claudia Gisvold at 612-386-3515





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## Paradise Island Facebook Group

By HOA Media Committee

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The Facebook group, Paradise Island Largo, is an exclusive group for ALL Paradise Island residents for the sole purpose of keeping all residents informed of community events, committee happenings, meeting schedules, and contact information for your community leaders - anything that is deemed to be newsworthy and informative to assist you as you live the Paradise life!

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

### **This group is purely for informational purposes**

You may sign up by following these steps:

1. On your Facebook page search for: **Paradise Island Largo**
2. Click - Join
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4. Click - Submit
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6. If you are having trouble joining contact: Cindy at 727-248-7146 or [dclord80@hotmail.com](mailto:dclord80@hotmail.com)



Nadine at 402-750-3083 or [nadine5106@gmail.com](mailto:nadine5106@gmail.com)

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

Updated: June 10, 2024

## Paradise Island Annual Craft Fair

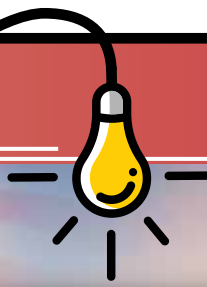
By Nadine Peters – Annual Craft Fair Committee

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The Paradise Island Annual Craft Fair will be held Saturday November 2, 2024 from 9 am to 3 pm at the PI Clubhouse. The Fair is sponsored by the Paradise Island Social Committee. If you are new to Paradise Island Community and would like to participate as a vendor this year, email me to receive a contract and vendor guidelines, [nadine5106@gmail.com](mailto:nadine5106@gmail.com) with your contact information and lot number. This Craft Fair is for homemade craft items only. Questions contact Nadine at 402-750-3083

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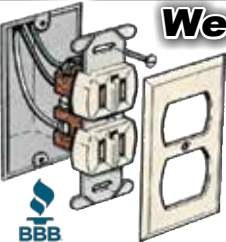
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You are welcome to attend our Bible Study on Thursday mornings in the Clubhouse at 9:30AM led by Pastor Serena Johnson. After Bible Study on Thursdays, we have Choir Practice from 10:30 to 11:30 AM led by Jenny Caldarello. Prayer meeting on Fridays at 10:30 AM led by Pastor Serena Johnson, Room 3 Clubhouse. Saturdays at 9:30 AM in the Clubhouse is a Bible Study led by Skip Simpson. Come, join in, there is always room for YOU.

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## Editor's Corner

By Harold Noeller

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Also, there are 5 places to look for an activities date and time either in the current month or in future months. They are:

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- The calendar section of the media.
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- Our web site at [www.paradiseislandlargo.com](http://www.paradiseislandlargo.com) under the Amenities link.
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## VETERAN'S CORNER

By Bob Behm

### What 'D-Day' Actually Stands For:

Twenty years after planning the Allied invasion of Normandy, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower received a letter that asked him how the June 6, 1944, amphibious assault came to be commonly called D-Day.

Answering through his executive assistant, Eisenhower replied that "any amphibious operation has a 'departed date'; therefore, the shortened term 'D-Day' is used." But retired Army Lt. Col. Mark Calhoun, a senior historian at the National WWII Museum in New Orleans, does not buy Eisenhower's explanation, reasoning that it took more than one day to load the Allies' ships and landing craft for their journey across the English Channel to fight the Germans on the beaches of France. "Some soldiers departed a couple of days earlier than others did, so it has to be the date that you actually arrive," Calhoun told Military.com in a phone interview. "Otherwise, it's going to be different days."

What the "D" in D-Day actually stands for has been a source of debate almost from the time that the Allies first landed on the French coast. It is one of the most frequently asked questions that the tour guides at the National WWII Museum, known as the National D-Day Museum when it opened in 2000, receive from visitors. The magnitude of D-Day -- the 150,000 Allied service personnel who participated, the 4,415 Allied troops killed, the 12 countries that were part



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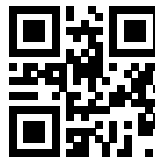
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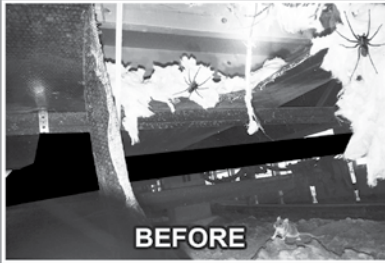
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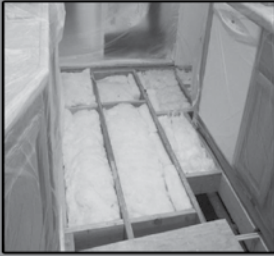
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of the invasion -- is plain for everyone to see, but pinning down the name's origin has proved elusive for many military historians and observers. Some have asserted that D-Day stands for "Decision Day" or "Designated Day," while others have surmised it is short for "Deliverance Day" or have gone a darker route to "Doomsday" or "Death Day".

Then, there are those who apparently are just fans of repetition, alliteration or both, believing the "D" stands for Day. And they would be generally correct, according to Calhoun, a former military planner who taught for 14 years at the Army's School of Advanced Military Studies at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. He explained that "D-Day" -- the date a military operation begins -- is a term favored by strategists in plotting out a mission when the precise date is not known. D-Day is part of a common terminology for military planners that also includes H-Hour (the hour a military operation begins -- for D-Day, it was 6:30 a.m. local time -- and M-Day (the date that mobilization for an operation begins). Such jargon proved especially useful in the planning to invade Normandy, which Calhoun said actually began in early 1942, more than two years before Germans spotted the first Allied paratroopers on the French coast. Relying on all-encompassing terms instead of actual dates also can avoid confusion when the plan changes, such as when D-Day was originally scheduled for June 5, 1944, but pushed back a day because of a forecast for bad weather. Adding or subtracting days from an operation's start is much easier, too, under this planning method, according to Calhoun. For example, military planners use "D-2" to mean "two days before D-Day" and "D+6" to indicate "six days after D-Day," avoiding exact dates and maintaining operational security. "So, you can't say, 'It's June 1, so this has to happen on May 1,' but you can say 'D-Day' and then you can say 'D-30,' and now you can do all of your planning and you can have this long, detailed timeline where you've got a D-Day and you've got things ... that are going to have a D plus and a D minus," Calhoun explained.

"Once you finally pick your D-Day, then all you have to do is insert '6 June' where D-Day is, and then your minuses and your pluses, you can do the math and you know all the dates." The first time that the U.S. Army is believed to have referenced a "D-Day" was on Sept. 7, 1918, about two months before World War I ended. Field Order No. 9, First Army, American Expeditionary Forces, stated: "The First Army will attack at H hour on D Day with the object of forcing the evacuation of the St. Mihiel Salient [in France]." Calhoun, though, said such military terminology goes back further than that, to the mid-19th century and the Prussian general staff under Helmuth von Moltke the Elder.

World War II included other "D-Days" besides the one at Normandy, including in North Africa and Sicily, but in the public consciousness, only one invasion comes to mind. The impact of what that day represents in U.S. military, American and world history cannot be overstated, and as D-Day's anniversary approaches, those four letters still stir a sense of reverence for and pride in what the Allies endured that day.

"I have full confidence in your courage, devotion to duty and skill in battle," Eisenhower wrote in his "Order of the Day" on D-Day. "We will accept nothing less than full Victory! Good Luck and let us all beseech the blessings of Almighty God upon this great and noble undertaking." In that message to the troops, Eisenhower never referenced "D-Day." Somehow, it didn't seem necessary.

Bob Behm. LTC US Army Ret.

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# In Memoriam

By Denise Donohue

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**Janice Buchko**

**June 2, 2024**

**Lot 468**

**J**anice passed away suddenly on June 2, 2024. She was 72. She is survived by her daughter Allison Buchko from California. She had two grandchildren, Bryson and Jenna.

Janice lived in Paradise Island since 2019. During her time here, she was quite active in the park as a co-chair for water aerobics and a co-chair for darts. She also enjoyed attending and being a member of the Red Hat Ladies group and attended many activities here in the park. She will be greatly missed!

**Peggy Corson**

**May 26, 2024**

**Lot 75**

Peggy J. Corson 63, beloved wife of Shawn D. Johnson for ten years, daughter of Ray & Toshiko Cull (both deceased), went home to be with the Lord on May 26, 2024. She leaves two daughters Sondra Lynn Johnson and Katheryn Lee Ikehara, both living in the State of Washington, as well as cousins in Ballston Spa, NY and her mother-in-law Serena Johnson.

Peggy was born in Los Angeles, California and as a teen moved to Latham, NY, but spent most of her adult life in the State of Washington. She graduated from Eastern College with a Bachelor's degree in Psychology, and North Seattle College with a second Bachelor's degree in Early Childhood Development.

Peggy was a Director of Childcare for over 30 years and retired in December of 2023. She really loved working with children.

Peggy and Shawn moved to Paradise Island the beginning of March 2024. She looked forward to her retirement here, as well as, when she and Shawn could spend time at the beach together and when her daughters would come to visit while in Washington. She enjoyed working on puzzles and playing games in her spare time. She will be greatly missed!



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*By the Welcome Team, Paulette Rich & Nancy Jonas*

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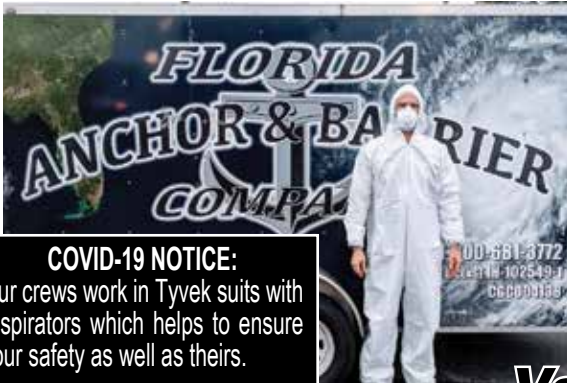
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By Bonnie Melke

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## July Anniversaries

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333	Jessie & Janet	Spears	July 3	1970
20	Larry & Mary	Kuykendall	July 3	1993
64	Brenda & Jerry	Struble	July 3	1999
467	Robert & Ann	Hagerty	July 4	1976
788	Charles & Donna	Henderson	July 6	1967
10	Paul & Leslie	Marshall	July 11	2009
588	Steven & Carolyn	Keezer	July 14	2017
815	Charles & Barbara	Vranich	July 15	1967
772	Roy & Patti	Johnson	July 15	1972
453	Jean Pierre & Madeleine		July 15	1991
220	Dwight & Pat	Widner	July 17	1966
56	Bradley & Barbara Hall	Keelan	July 17	
773	John & Debra	Bonilla	July 19	1975
766	Frank & Johanna	Albus	July 21	1956
229	Charles & Patricia	Walkling	July 22	1967
59	Bob & Pat	Canning	July 24	1982
670	Stan & Debbie	Schutz	July 26	1975
633	Jerry & Joanne	Koenig	July 28	1971
739	Pamela & James	Stevens/Roussell	July 29	2003
302	Percey & Rose	Doiron	July 30	1966

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202	Barry Kip	July 1	610	Mary Ann Demarco	July 20
616	Earl Goliber	July 1	809	Eleanor Rice	July 20
773	John Bonilla	July 1	822	Gerald Johns	July 20
821	Kim Gibson	July 1	373	Paul Schirmer	July 21
434	Ronald Kinsey	July 2	545	Dennis Crawford	July 21
456	Lois Kilmister	July 2	140	Buelah Wells	July 22
484	Kevin Pike	July 3	356	James Spikes	July 22
573	Lorraine Gilbert	July 3	188	Lois George	July 23
677	Pete Venero	July 4	313	Robert Beattie	July 23
405	Mary (Mindy) Paight	July 5	426	Bob Beauto	July 23
105	Nancy Labelle	July 6	516	Joe Walsh	July 23
377	Gail Barber	July 6	549	Vincent Angeline	July 23
681	Gary Mcclaws	July 6	166	Walter Peifer	July 24
411	Laura Lemay	July 8	182	Joseph Russell	July 24
793	Suzanne Pritz	July 9	369	David Matthews	July 24
557	Robert Johannes	July 10	436	Jane Ellis	July 24
604	Charles Harrison	July 10	553	Ray Olley	July 24
632	Barbara Estabrook	July 10	745	Ronald Heim	July 24
724	Karen Clator	July 11	825	Shirley Johnson	July 24
769	Betty Powell	July 11	496	Terry Reeves	July 25
830	Sheryl Roush	July 11	629	Morgan Emiloglu	July 25
765	Tom Brandt	July 12	725	Donald Hackett, Sr.	July 25
397	Rich Gruscynski	July 13	682	Sharon Cremers	July 26
95	Edna Munoz Soto	July 14	125	Thomas Dunne Iii	July 27
206	Shane Crisco	July 14	381	Bonnie Lee Hernandez	July 27
437	Edith (Dolly) Taylor	July 14	798	Ken Jonas	July 27
765	Rose Brandt	July 14	232	Heather Traficanti	July 28
827	Richard Desjardin	July 14	259	Marvin Tanner	July 28
129	Byard Cherrix	July 15	455	Ronald Murphy	July 28
237	James Burge	July 15	764	Charles Damit	July 28
206	Thad Crisco	July 16	28	Graham Wells	July 29
402	Robert Mcquaid	July 16	48	Sheila Exum	July 29
750	Kathy Macdonald	July 16	315	Paul Deveau	July 30
192	John Cyr	July 19	379	Diane Prain	July 30
743	Pat Trach	July 19	497	Linda Henderson	July 30
758	Don Melke	July 19	156	Gary Foldessy	July 31
522	Patricia Syler	July 20	776	Beth Glenn	July 31
538	Marvin Watrobski	July 20			

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 — Booth Tarkington



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			7	1				4
		1			8			
						1	9	
2				7	9			
8					2			5
9	6		3					2
	2			4	7	5	6	
		3		8				
			2					



1	8	7	5	3	2	9	4	6
9	4	2	8	1	6	3	7	5
3	6	7	4	9	8	2	1	5
2	9	6	7	3	5	4	8	1
5	8	3	4	1	6	2	9	7
4	2	1	5	8	7	9	6	3
7	4	8	6	5	2	3	1	9
6	3	7	1	4	9	8	2	5
8	5	9	2	7	1	6	3	4

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