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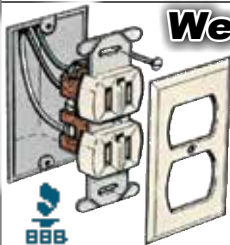


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LET THE COUNTDOWN BEGIN:



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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 SIX (6) 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 440 212-3901...<mitrengrub@gmail.com>

BEWARE THE IDES OF MARCH

This is Issue # 96....Only 6 left
On 3-15-25 the “Hi-Lites” will die after 47 years of continuous publication UNLESS a new editor is found.

The NEW editor will “inherit” a subscription list with 420 names. The NEW editor can make ANY changes they wish. It will be their “baby.” The new editor doesn’t need to even be a park resident. I replaced an editor who lived in Canada the better part of the year and did the “Hi-Lites” for 6 years. As long as you have a computer, you can be the editor.

If you have questions, please contact me at <mitrengrub@gmail.com> 440 212-3901
Tim, “Hi-Lites” Editor

WILL YOU BE REMEMBERED WHEN YOU’RE GONE?

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IF YOU HAVEN’T YET DONE A “MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR/NEIGHBOUR” ARTICLE, YOU NEED TO PUT THAT ON YOUR “TO DO” LIST.

THE FOLLOWING MONTHS ARE CURRENTLY AVAILABLE:

OCTOBER
NOVEMBER
DECEMBER

JANUARY
FEBRUARY
MARCH

APRIL - CLAIMED

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JUST LET ME KNOW WHICH MONTH YOU WISH. I WILL “LOCK YOU IN” AND SEND YOU MORE INFO.

IT’S NICE TO BE REMEMBERED WHEN YOU’RE GONE!

Here are the highlights of the new OCT. “Hi-Lites”

-This OCT. edition is the FIFTH of the six (6) summer editions. For the most part, I only put into the summer editions what others send to me. 24 people sent in contributions this month.

THANK YOU FOR KEEPING THE “Hi-Lites” ALIVE AND WELL BY SENDING IN YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS OVER THE SUMMER!

-We now have SIX (6) months to find a new editor. In finding the next editor of the “Hi-Lites,” the great thing is that you can live ANYWHERE and still be the editor. It’s all done via computer and cell phones. As the new editor, you will be able to make whatever changes you wish to the “Hi-Lites.” You will inherit 420+ subscribers. (I replaced Anne Scott who lived in Canada and was the editor for six (6) years.

My focus in my last year as “Hi-Lites” editor will be to get as many people as possible into the **MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR/MEMORY BOOKS** in the library. NOVEMBER is currently available for a new MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR. **It’s NICE to be remembered when you’re gone. (If you look at the MYN BOOK, you will see that many of the people in that book have now passed.)**

When you see a new resident in the park, PLEASE encourage them to get on the “Hi-Lites” Magazine email list. The best way to do this is to hand them a pen and a piece of paper. Have them write down their NAME, UNIT # and EMAIL ADDRESS. Then forward that info. to me. I will QUICKLY send them a Welcome email along with a link to the latest magazine. There are new people to the park who don’t see their pictures or read about any of the events they attended because I don’t have their email address... **THANKS FOR YOUR HELP!**

Tim

IMPORTANT

THANKS TO ELAINE BLANK FOR THIS:

June 1st was the official start of **hurricane season** here in Florida and lasts until the end of November. As we all know, the weather has been unusual everywhere in the country. Tornadoes are spawning record-breaking wind speeds. Many areas of the country are experiencing record-breaking rainfall causing severe flooding. The temperatures are breaking records for extreme heat. We have been fortunate up to this point. We have never experienced catastrophic damage from a hurricane. In the event of any emergency, the office needs to have a good mailing address of where you can be reached if you are not staying in Westwind. A current email address would also be helpful. It is also very important that we have a current emergency contact with name, phone number and email address for you in our file. Please mail this information to the **Westwind ROC Office at 3301 Alt 19N #181, Dunedin, Florida 34698** or email to Joy Cripe our manager at jcripe@associagulfcoast.com. I can’t stress enough how important this information is to have on file. Thank you for taking care of this ASAP.

Elaine Blank

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THANKS TO ELAINE BLANK FOR THIS:

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Elaine Blank

I WANT YOU!...to be the next editor of the “Hi-Lites” Magazine!

The “Hi-Lites” Magazine AND published booklet will end on March 15, 2025 UNLESS someone becomes the new editor. The new editor will inherit 420 names on the Email list. The new editor can make ANY changes he/she wishes. The new editor can live anywhere. If you have a computer and a cell phone, you have all the tools you need.



You have 7 months left to save this soon to be 47 year old publication.

Please contact Tim Burgner for more information.

[<mitrengrub@gmail.com>](mailto:mitrengrub@gmail.com)

440 212-3901

“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-13 Jokes & Cartoons,” you will need to subscribe to the MAGAZINE by getting on the email list.

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Over 420 people are now on the email list. To add your name, please send your email address to: mitrengrub@gmail.com

**SEE WHAT YOU'RE MISSING...GET ON THE "Hi Lites"
MAGAZINE LIST TODAY! mitrengrub@gmail.com**

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

Are **YOU** getting the "Hi-Lites" **MAGAZINE**? If not, you're missing out on **ALL** the "FUN STUFF." The **MAGAZINE** is sent out at midnight on the 15th of EVERY month - about 2 weeks before the published park newsletter is delivered. It is **FULL** of **COLOR** pictures instead of ads. It's sent out 12 months a year. It's **ALL COLOR** and it's **FREE!....Over 420** people are now on the list....**YOU** should be too....Just send an email to: mitrengrub@gmail.com to get on the list....**SO SIMPLE!**....See what you've been missing. If you're not getting the **MAGAZINE**, you're NOT seeing the "Hi-Lites." (NO ONE will see your email address.)

Patricia Ann Dolin "Pat", February 21, 1942 - August 27, 2024

THANKS TO PATTI BOSNAK AND KAREN CASTILLO FOR THIS:

Patricia A. (Walsh) Dolin, 82, of Newington, CT passed away Tuesday, August 27, 2024 at home. She was born on February 21, 1942 in Hartford, CT.

Pat was a member of our Westwind II community for over 17 years. She and her husband, Peter, moved into Lot 454 in 2005. Sadly, Pat lost her husband in 2011. Five years later, her life was brightened with her emotional support dog, Lilly, a beautiful Yorkshire Terrier. Pat and Lilly delighted in spending time at the beach where they watched the daily sunsets. Pat had unconditional love for Lilly, her constant companion whom she sadly lost in March of 2024.

Pat truly enjoyed her life and friends at Westwind! Her neighbors, Paul and Joanne Zanger, Don and Brenda Rowan, Maria Seraphim across the street, Karen Castillo up the street. Patti Bosnak, Iben Ladefoged and Harlow Boyer of First St. Pat's dear friends in the community included Bobby and Valerie Palermo of Tarpon Springs, Florida. Pat enjoyed going to Bobby's shows, where he performed as a Neil Diamond Tribute Act. Her favorite time of year was snowbird season when her beloved cousin, Janice Hogan and family of Fourth St. came down! Pat had a wonderful 80th birthday party hosted at Janice's home, surrounded by her friends and family just before she left Florida to be with her family in Connecticut in 2022.

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THANKS TO PATTI BOSNAK AND KAREN CASTILLO FOR THIS:

Patricia A. Dolin

February 21, 1942 - August 27, 2024



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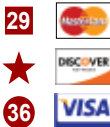
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Prior to her time with us at Westwind, Pat worked professionally as an optician for many years which she enjoyed immensely. She graduated from Wilby High School in Waterbury, CT and Central Connecticut State University in New Britain, CT.

Pat's hobbies - in which she was quite the athlete - included playing golf, bowling, tennis, boating and fishing. Pat also loved photography - accumulating thousands of photos, and enjoyed traveling as well as getting dressed up for a night out for a nice dinner at a good restaurant.

She will be sadly missed by special friends Kathy Mills and Norma Smith of Oklahoma, and her dear cousin, Janice Hogan of Wolcott, CT.

Pat was the daughter of the late Edward and Anna (Meaney) Walsh of Waterbury, CT. In addition to her parents, she was also predeceased by her brother, Edward Walsh, Jr. of Waterbury, CT.

Pat is survived by her children, David E. Segal and his wife, Barbara, as well as Cheryl A. Segal and Marlene Segal Schaffner all of Waterbury, CT, grandchildren, David, Katie, Robert, Shawn, Zachary, and Victoria "Tori" and her great-grandchildren, Melia and Livianna.

Services were private. Arrangements were entrusted to The Neptune Society.

THANKS TO LYNN MILLER FOR THIS:

Patricia Ann Dolin

February 21, 1942 – August 27, 2024

**Patricia Ann Dolin, age 82, of Waterbury, Connecticut passed away on
Tuesday, August 27, 2024.**

Kathy Mills - Friend

08/29/2024

There has never been anyone in my life quite like Pat Dolin.

She was "my other Mother... Mom #2" and I will be forever blessed that we had the loving relationship we had for over fifty years. We shared a clear understanding of each other's ways and spent thousands of hours of time on the phone with each other. Pat and I had an unconditional love and respect for one another and nothing could ever change that. I am heartbroken to know I will no longer hear her voice tell me, "Well honey, I love you!"

Rest in peace in God's loving arms. "A hug and a peck on the cheek"

Miss you dear friend XXXX Kathy

EDITOR'S NOTE: The message above written by Kathy Mills was all that appeared on line for Pat that Lynn Miller and myself were able to find. A week ago, I was sent the pictures and the full obituary for Pat sent by Patti Bosnak and Karen Castillo. I decided to keep BOTH of the articles about Pat in the "Hi-Lites" and in the MEMORY BOOK found in the WW ll library.

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sympathy



**THIS OCTOBER MAGAZINE IS
DEDICATED TO THE MEMORY OF
OUR GREAT FRIENDS -
BOB & JEAN TWEEDY**



Jean and Bob Tweedy were instrumental in purchasing Westwind II. They formed a committee and canvassed the residents until they got enough people to purchase a share to buy the mobile home park from Iva M. Jones - the surviving Trustee of the Living Trust Agreement of Earl A. Jones and Iva Mae M. Jones. The Warranty Deed was signed March 9th, 2001 and filed in the Pinellas County Court March 13, 2001. The purchaser was Westwind II Resident Owned Community, Inc., a Florida not-for-profit corporation.

Sent by Elaine Blank



IN LOVING ♥
Memory

TWEEDY, ROBERT H., 77, of Dunedin, died Tuesday (June 28, 2005) at Mease Dunedin Hospital. He was born in Mount Pleasant, Iowa, and came here in 1993 from Brookfield, Wis. He was a Navy veteran of World War II. He

was a retired equipment manager and had worked for AGCO, Allis Chalmers, U.S. Steel and John Deere companies. He graduated and received a citation in engineering from Iowa State University. He was a registered professional engineer and held several patents on farm equipment. His professional memberships included the Farm & Industrial Equipment Institute, National Safety Council, Society of Automotive Engineers and American Society of Agricultural Engineers, where he was a fellow, past president and received the ASAE McCormick-Case Gold Medal. He was a member of Kirk of Dunedin Church, Westwind II Condo Association and the Masonic Lodge. Survivors include his wife, Genevieve; two sons, Bruce, Eugene, Ore., and Mark, Valencia, Pa.; a stepdaughter, Mary Gehring, Prairie du Sac, Wis.; a brother, Don, Knoxville, Tenn.; two half sisters, Betty Holst, Eugene, and Bonnie Ballard, Las Vegas; a half brother, Jim Tweedy, Las Vegas; and three grandchildren. Curlew Hills Funeral Home, Palm Harbor.



Jean Tweedy was our park's oldest veteran. She wrote about this in her "Meet Your Neighbor" which is in the WW-II library.



"Tweedy Way" in WW-II is a permanent "memorial" to Bob & Jean.



EDITOR'S NOTE:- MANY THANKS TO EVERYONE WHO SENT SENT BD CARDS FOR JEAN'S 100th BIRTHDAY!!

While she didn't live to celebrate her 100th, she had a "GREAT RUN." -I just learned that Jean passed on JULY 17th.

No obituary has been posted in the media, but there is A LOT of info. on Jean in the MEMORY BOOKS kept in the WW-II Library. -I xeroxed all of those pages and mailed them to her. -Hopefully, her family enjoyed reading all the cards.

I found the above obit for Bob while searching for Jean's obit.

Tim

FAREWELL TO GEORGE & JEANIE HUBERT

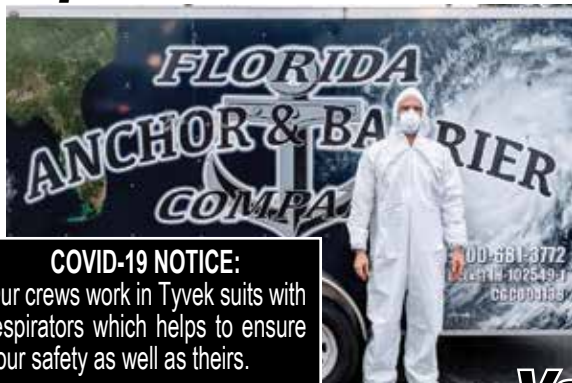


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Beginning with the JUNE edition of the "Hi Lites," I will ONLY be including articles, pictures, announcements, calendar entries, cartoons, jokes, etc. that OTHERS send me. For the summer months, I will no longer be sending out emails requesting these items for the "Hi Lites." (I will continue to send out "Due Date Reminders."). Because Westwind II still has a published edition hand delivered to our residents, something still needs to be sent to the publisher each month.
So PLEASE continue to send articles and pictures that I can put into the "Hi Lites" over the summer months....That would include: "BIRTHDAY/ANNIVERSARY CLUB," "OUR HOUSE IS A VERY.....FINE HOUSE," "MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR," "BEEN THERE; DONE THAT," "LETTERS TO THE EDITOR," "LAUGHS & GIGGLES," "HOW I SPENT MY SUMMER/WINTER VACATION," "PG-13 LAUGHS & GIGGLES," PROMOTIONS FOR UPCOMING EVENTS AND PICTURES -LOTS OF PICTURES.
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They all sent articles and/or pictures 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!**

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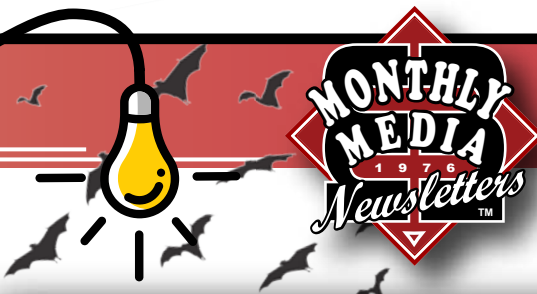


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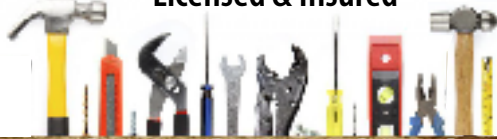
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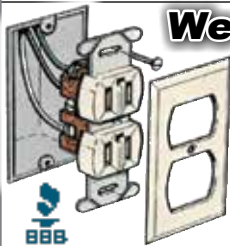
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All of these residents are now a part of Westwind II park history. Their “Meet Your Neighbor” articles and pictures are now in the MEMORY BOOK kept in the Westwind II Library.

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

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OR you can phone Brenda @ 614-371-7842. (Leave message if no answer) THANK YOU!

Brenda Rowan

Hope everyone is having a wonderful Summer...Brenda Rowan

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

Please encourage everyone to get involved. THANKS!

IMPORTANT: If you wish not to have your name/picture included in the "Hi Lites" Birthday Club/ Anniversary Club, please let Brenda or Tim know no later than the **10th** of the month before your BD/anniversary month. THANK YOU!

WANT TO SEE MORE WW II PARK HISTORY?

THANKS TO DENNIS & CAROL LOGSDON, NOW YOU CAN!

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

HERE'S WHAT WE DID LAST MONTH

3rd Sunday "HORS D'OEUVRES & DESSERT Get-Together.- 8-18-24 "WE ARE FAMILY"

I'm delighted that we got to really know the full-time residents this summer. And we surviving the summer. We had about 38.

Arlene picked apple basket.

Diana selected the beach basket.

Herschel won the "Boobie Prize" -

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Harlow won the beach basket

Doyle won the flower vase.

Elaine A selected the cross.

Iben won handcrafted resin art by Karen.

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LABOR DAY LUNCHEON - 09-02-24

WW 1 HOSTED A LABORDAYLUNCHEON TO THANK WESTWIND 1 FOR INCLUDING WW 1 IN THEIR SUMMER ACTIVITIES. KAREN

HANAFIN, AKA Organized Party Gal ("OPG") - WW 11 Social Coordinator, has been most gracious and so full of fun ideas. Her enthusiasm is terrific.

PHYLLIS MANN

Big thanks to Phyllis Mann, Alice Dyer & WW 1 volunteers for hosting a fantastic Labor Day Luncheon for the community.

They have been ever so generous & helpful on all summer events. We have worked together in perfect harmony bringing the full time residents together during this crazy scheduled, hot summer of ongoing renovations in both parks.

Karen Hanafin

LABOR DAY GET-TOGETHER - 09-02-24

THANKS TO KAREN HANAFIN FOR THIS:

THANKS TO TERRE DENNIS FOR THIS:

Look at the cool Irishman / Mayor of 1st Street riding in the park for St. Patrick's Day.....JOHN HANAFIN

JOHN HANAFIN - #110 collects pop tops to benefit the VFW.

You can drop them off at his unit - #110 OR you can put them in the jar in the WW 1 clubhouse.

THANK YOU!

UPCOMING EVENTS

LET'S SQUARE DANCE

THANKS TO JONETTA WOODWARD FOR THIS:

Saturday, October 26, 2024 7-9 PM WW 1 Clubhouse

Callers: Scotty and Marlene Sharrer

Tickets are \$5.00 per person and can be purchased from

Jonetta Woodward.. coach #130 (856)-404-0327

Tickets can also be purchased at WW 1 Tuesday coffee meetings

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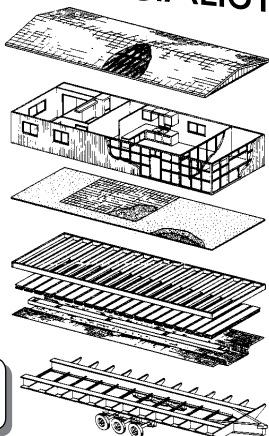
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THANKS TO ELAINE BLANK FOR THIS:

BOOK CLUB

The Westwind Book Club will meet **Tuesday, October 29th at noon** in the Westwind II Library. We will be discussing the book The Secret Life of Sunflowers by Marta Molnar and Dana Marton. The book is based on the true story of Johanna Bonger, Vincent van

Gogh's sister-in-law. The following is a summary of the story: When Hollywood auctioneer, Emsley Wilson, finds her famous grandmother's diary while cleaning out her New York brownstone, the pages are full of surprises. The first surprise is: the diary isn't her grandmother's. It belongs to Johanna Bonger, Vincent van Gogh's sister-in-law.

Johanna inherited Vincent van Gogh's paintings. They were all she had, and they weren't worth anything. She was a 28-year-old widow with a baby in the 1800s without any means of supporting herself, living in Paris where she barely spoke the language. Yet she managed to introduce Vincent's legacy to the world.

The inspiration couldn't come at a better time for Emsley. With her business failing, an unexpected love turning up in her life and family secrets unraveling, can she find answers in the past? It sounds like a good story so I hope I see you on the 29th.

Elaine Blank

BOOK CLUB LIST FOR 2024/2025

JUNE: Deep As The Sky, Red As The Sea by: Rita Chang-Eppig

JULY: While Justice Sleeps - Stacey Abrams

AUG: The President's Wife by: Tracey Enerson Wood

SEPT: The Marriage Portrait by: Maggie O'Farrel

OCT: The Secret Life of Sunflowers by: Marta Molnar and Dana Marton

NOV: Next Year in Havana by: Chanel Cleeton

DEC: The Little Liar by: Mitch Albom

JAN: The Extraordinary Life of Sam Sell by: Robert Dugoni

FEB: The Hidden Life of Cecily Larson by: Ellen Baker

MARCH: Lady Tan's Circle of Women by: Lisa See

APRIL: The Women by: Kristin Hannah

MAY: The Perfect Marriage by: Jeneva Rose

JUNE: Lost Children Archive by: Valeria Luiselli

INTERESTING BOOKS NOT ON OUR READING LIST

WHILE JUSTICE SLEEPS By Stacey Abrams

HELLO BEAUTIFUL By Ann Napolitano

MIDNIGHT AT THE BLACKBIRD CAFÉ By Heather Webber

THE EYES OF ABEL By Daniel Jacobs

THE MUSIC SHOP By Rachel Joyce

THE YELLOW HOUSE By Sarah Broom

ORDINARY GRACE By William Kent Krueger

NOMADLAND: SURVIVING AMERICA IN THE TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY By Jessica Bruder



SOCIAL CLUB NEWS

THANKS TO DAN WILTON FOR THIS:

The “Welcome back Party” will be on **FRIDAY, NOV. 8th. There will be dinner first and a dance later at 7pm.**

The dance group is new with musicians, Mark Hurst and Tom Jurgens. Mark played at one of our Sunday Cafes last year and was well received.

Tickets will be sold near end of October and will give people the option of attending just the meal if they wish. WW I will be invited to attend. Details to follow.

A traditional **Thanksgiving dinner** will be offered this year to those who wish to have it. The social club will provide turkey and rolls. Attendees will provide sides and/or desserts. A sign-up list will be posted in the clubhouse hall.

All events will be spoken to at the **first Nov meeting of the Social Club on Tuesday, Nov 5th** along with other news and elections. Please attend.

A TRIBUTE TO MICHAEL JACKSON

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THANKS TO KAREN HANAFIN FOR THIS:

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“SAVE THE DATE”

THANKS TO ROSE SULLIVAN FOR THIS:

There will be a **resin glass craft class on 1/8/25 at 6pm** in the clubhouse. A professional vendor will be coming in to host this workshop.

They will provide everything (shells, beads, glass and more) to complete a 8 x 10 glass frame project.

I will post a sign up sheet in December. More information will follow.

This should be a fun evening and a nice way to socialize with your neighbors.

Everyone is welcome. Thank you,

Rose S

ONGOING EVENTS

THANKS TO KAREN HANAFIN FOR THIS:

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THANKS TO JOYCE PINCKNEY FOR THIS:

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Your generosity is appreciated!

Joyce Pinckney

PARK BUSINESS

NEWS FROM JOY CRIPE, WW II ASSOCIATION MGR.

THANKS TO JOY CRIPE FOR THIS:

Hello to all residents of Westwind II ROC. The end of summer is almost here. Blessing all who endured this extremely hot summer.

Welcome to all the New Owners. Lots of new faces. You'll love all the fall activities.

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Please check the bulletin boards in clubhouse hallway- the Social Club puts on dinners- several different game nights and group trips like theater, sunset cruises. Etc.

Would like to take this opportunity to thank the Westwind II Board and all the residents for being so kind and offering so much support with the passing of my family member. SO very much appreciated.

Thank you for the Social Committee for providing great summer activities. Movie day has been a great help while pool is closed.

Pool update: the pool will be inspected on September 16th, and should be up and running by the time you are reading this. New pool lounge chairs are scheduled for delivery and the country cottage tables have been shipped. If the pool opens prior to arrival of furniture- we will accommodate with the old tables and chairs until arrival. Our pool bottom was required to be white by the state. **Reminder: four (4) reminders- 1. Shower before entering pool. 2. No suntan lotion or oil is allowed to be put on while in the pool. If you are heavily oiled or using bronzers- please rinse off before entering the pool. 3. No drinks are allowed in the pool area as well as no glass containers - drinks are to be back at chairs or tables. 4. Flotation devices- if the pool is crowded- rafts take up too much room.**

Electric/water heater update. The electric lines have all been run through the clubhouse. Duke Energy is in the process of installing a new transformer for the electric. As soon as it is completed, the heaters will be operational.

Please do not try to adjust any equipment on the pool filtration system. Maintenance, Manager and pool company are the ones to monitor and make adjustments.

Clubhouse - please do not adjust the temperature down to 70. Have found it running all night at 70. Having it that low and with the intense heat this summer has given us makes condensation- then leakage. We are on a quarterly schedule to clean /drain the ac drains handled by maintenance.

REMINDER- Bicycles- electric or not, scooters, golf carts and motor vehicles must maintain staying under 15 Mph and must all be required to stop at stop signs.

Hope you're all having a great summer. Looking forward to seeing all of you in the up coming months.

Sincerely, Joy Cripe,

Association Manager Associa Gulf Coast

WELCOME TO THE WINDFALL SALE

THANKS TO JILL DESRANLEAU FOR THIS:

Here is a quick run down for all the new folks moving to Westwind to learn what our Windfall Sale is all about: ... We have an annual tag sale the last weekend in February. We come together in our clubhouse and have a huge sale for 1 day on Saturday from 8-1 with items donated from the residents throughout the year. The money we raise goes to the Social Club for events they put on all year long e.g., bbq's, shows, dances, games, ice cream social & many more.

Please consider donating items for our annual Windfall Sale as you are cleaning out your closets and sheds. Items may be left in the washer and dryer area and will be put away on a daily basis. Also please consider volunteering your time to help with marking items, baking for our fabulous bake sale and helping the day of the sale. It takes lots of people to make this a success every year. If you have any questions, you can give me a shout. My (cell #) 802-488-4601. I'm in unit #268.

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2 Day Yard Sale. Friday Oct 4th Inside Clubhouse & Outside. Bake Sale in Clubhouse/Refreshments available Oct 4th only, 8-1pm. Oct 5th Outside Only 8am-1pm. LaPlaza MHP 6700 150th Ave N. Clearwater	Annual Craft Fair - Paradise Island - Saturday November 2nd 9-3 pm. Clubhouse, 1001 Starkey Rd. Largo. 80 plus Tables, Handmade items & Bake Sale	Annual Holiday Market at Pointe West Clubhouse, December 7th, 2024 from 9am-2pm. Vendors wanted. \$20/table or \$30 for 2 tables. Contact Susan Barnard for information or to register at 317-402-7904 or susanbarnard930@yahoo.com
Paradise Island Fall Flea Market October 12, 9am-2pm. 1001 Starkey Rd, Largo, 8 am early entrance \$1.00. Large selection of home goods, tools, furniture, linens, clothes, bake sale and more. Follow signs for clubhouse.	HOLIDAY BAZAAR. Saturday, 11/09/2024 9am-2pm. First Lutheran Church, 1644 Nursery Rd., Clearwater. All indoor craft show. Free admission. 217-251-4382 or jaynebl1227@gmail.com	CRAFT VENDORS WANTED, Saturday December 7, 9-1. Southwind MHP, Palm Harbor. \$15/table. Contact Evelyn: 440.227.5906 or evelynfinken@gmail.com
Community Carport Sales. Oak Crest MHP, 9925 Ulmerton Road, Largo and Acorn MHP, 435 16th st. SE, Largo. Saturday, October 12, 8-1. Rain date October 13. Lunch available at Pavilion.	FALL BAZAAR Ranchero Village 7100 Ulmerton Road Hacienda Clubhouse. Sunday 11/10/24 from 11am-3pm. Crafts, baked goods, raffle baskets & more. Vendors: Rent a table for \$20. Contact: Donna Dahmm 309-263-2640 or RDDahmm@gmail.com	<div>December Events</div>
OakCrest MHP 3rd annual craft fair. 10/19/2024, 9-2pm. Vendor spaces available. Call Jill 443-741-5304	Craft Fair 11/16/24, 9 AM - 1 PM at Clearwater Cascade. Contact Jane Boucher 903-426-3636, janeboucher29@gmail.com	WANTED TO BUY
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Russell Schoetker.....	\$10	Air Masters of Pinellas	Gail Pennington	\$10	Battleline Termite & Pest Control
Tamara Poston.....	\$10	Jones & Sons Plumbing	Toni Topczij	\$10	Air Masters of Pinellas
Mary Crown.....	\$10	FL Termite & Pest	Cheryl Chewkanes	\$5	Jones & Sons Plumbing
Catherine Tornabene	\$10	Battleline Termite & Pest Control	David Heywood	\$5	Gulf Coast Pressure Washing
Cheryl Tracy.....	\$10	Air Masters of Pinellas	George Bruce	\$5	Battleline Termite & Pest Control
David Frazier	\$10	Jones & Sons Plumbing	Deborah Grimmett	\$5	Air Masters of Pinellas

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Thanks to ALL past, present and future volunteers. With gratitude,
Jill Desranleau - Chairperson

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THANKS TO KAREN HANAFIN FOR THIS:

THANK YOU FOR YOUR DONATIONS!

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PAY to the Volunteer residents below:

Karen Hanafin @ 186 Donna Wheeler @ 192.

THANK YOU!

THANKS TO ELAINE BLANK FOR THIS:

WW II ROC MEETING SCHEDULE

SCHEDULE OF ROC MEETINGS THROUGH FEBRUARY 11, 2025

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 NEWS

THANKS TO DAN WILTON FOR THIS:

WELCOME BACK TO SUNNY WESTWIND II FOR THE 2024-25 SOCIAL CLUB

Where does the time go? It seems like we just left. I trust all had a good summer and a healthy one. It is finally happening in both the US and Canada where we are seeing decreasing interest rates and releasing ourselves to a more open atmosphere after Covid. There have been more sales in the park and more new folks signing rentals. We are pleased to see new faces. The next generation is upon us. As the social club continues its work to offer entertainment and gatherings, we enter some changes: Jane, Trish and Lynn are leaving their positions as of January. As president, I would like to say that they will be missed as they have contributed their time and efforts positively to making the club operate. Jane has offered to produce tickets for us as she has the program set up. I thank her for this offer. We start off this year with a welcome back party and dance. We will offer Thanksgiving dinner if members wish to do this. Christmas dinner will also be offered. As this will be my final year as president, I hope we can fill the open positions for the club and continue to support the community.

Dan Wilton, President

END OF OCT. "HI-LITES"

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