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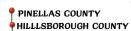
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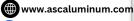


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FROM THE DESK OF THE SOCIAL CLUB PRESIDENT:

Happy October Residents!!

We want to Welcome our returning Residents and our New Residents!!

Congratulations to the Harbor Lights 2 Bowling team for taking 1st place in the Kim Brown Insurance Suncoast Srs Summer League. The team consists of Bill and Heather Yunck and John and Betty Hindman.

Also, Congratulations to Joe Vargas for winning the 1st Pool Tournament held on Labor Day and Joe Schmidtlein for taking 1st in Foosball!

This is going to be a very busy month!

We have a lot planned!

I hope everyone will come out and enjoy the activities! I was in hopes to start our Pancake Breakfast this month, but our kitchen is not quite ready for that. Coming soon, I hope! We will keep you posted!

Enjoy!

Betty Hindman, Social Club President

WEEKLY REPEAT EVENTS – QUICK PEEK

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Monday	Water Aerobics	8:30am	
	Bocce	6:30pm	
Tuesday	Water Aerobics	8:30am	
Wednesdays	Water Aerobics	8:30am	
	Social Hour	9:00am	
	Social Club Meeting	9:30am	
Thursday	Water Aerobics	8:30am	
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s our Snowbirds and Vacationers return, we are pleased to say, **Welcome Home**.

The first meeting of the season is Wednesday, November 5, 2025. We would like to remind everyone, that the Harbor Lights Homeowner's Association (HOA) meets the first Wednesday of every month following the Social Club Meeting, approximately 10:00am. The HOA meetings are open to all residents of our park who own a mobile.

This is an advanced notice to everyone of the upcoming meeting in November.

WEATHER:

Storms, or Storm Surges, pay attention. Follow any guidelines that are always talked about on Spectrum Bay News channel 9, or on the Spectrum Weather channel which is channel 63. There is information in the Clubhouse for you to pick up and familiarize yourself with, including evacuation routes. There have been articles in previous Scuttlebutts with information as to what to pack in the TO-GO-BOX should you need to evacuate, sites for assistance, and contact information.

NIGHT ACTIVITIES:

s the sun is setting earlier and earlier, that means that our streets are getting darker earlier, remember if you are out walking, biking, golf cart riding, jogging, dog walking, etc. Wear reflective clothing, have lights on your vehicles both front and back. If you are walking a dog a reflective collar or vest will make them be seen for their safety. Our streets are dark, and you need to be seen. Stay safe while on our streets, abide by the stop signs, ride or walk on the correct side of the street, use sidewalks when possible. We want our community to be safe.

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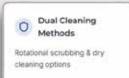
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"When your friends begin to flatter you on how young you look, it's a sure sign you're getting old." - <u>Mark Twain</u>.

"You know you are getting old when everything either dries up or leaks." - Joel Plaskett.

"There's one advantage to being 102, there's no peer pressure." - Dennis Wolfberg.

"There are three stages of man: he believes in Santa Claus, he does not believe in Santa Claus, he is Santa Claus." - <u>Bob Phillips.</u>

"Looking fifty is great—if you're sixty." -Joan Rivers.

"Time may be a great healer, but it's a lousy beautician." – Anonymous.

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- 1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees,
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Bill and Heather Yunck for managing the distribution of the Scuttlebutts monthly, and delivering to a route, Sam Battaglia, Debbie Boso, Alice Distasio, Trudy Bingham, Pam Gonzalez, and Michelle Quigley.

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Happy Anniversary to all those couples celebrating an October Wedding date.





MOVIE TRIVIA QUESTIONS:

- 1. What are the dying words of Charles Foster Kane in Citizen Kane?
- 2. What was the first feature-length animated movie ever released?
- 3. What 1927 musical was the first "talkie"?
- 4. The head of what kind of animal is front-and-center in an infamous scene form The Godfather?
- 5. Who played park owner John Hammond in Jurassic Park?

TRAIL GATE:

s previous from management, information was provided to residents informing them of the changing codes to the trail gate. The trail gate code for our residents will remain at 2023 until issues occur.

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or all you snow birds, and residents on extended vacations, stay current with what is happening in Harbor Lights Community while you are away by viewing this newsletter on-line at www.monthly-media.com.

LAWN CARE REMINDER:

The schedule is: 1 service January and February, 2 services in March and April, weekly service May thru September,
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Membership is open to all residents, family and friends interested in the activities at Harbor Lights. It's a convenient way to stay in touch with friends and our social activities all year long.

Join us on Facebook at "Harbor Lights Mobile Park Group".

MOVIE TRIVIA ANSWERS:

- 1. "Rosebud"
- 2. Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs
- 3. The Jazz Singer
- 4. Horse
- 5. Richard Attenborough

October Sudoku

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HARBOR LIGHTS SOCIAL CLUB

elp us offer activities that you are interested in joining! Please pull this page, complete the information, and hand it to one of the Social Club Board members . Thank you
Social Club ideas:
How to make it special:
Are you willing to chair or co-chair this event?
If undecided, would you work alongside a Social Club member to become familiar with chairing an event, and possibly chair and/or co-chair an event in the future?
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Phone Number:
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- 1. Incorrect
- 6. Wheelchair access
- 10. Cummerbund
- 14. A 4 base hit in baseball
- 15. One of the Great Lakes
- 16. Arm bone
- 17. Drama set to classical music
- 18. All right
- 19. Lives, in brief
- 20. Relating to menopause
- 22. A heavy open wagon
- 23. Go inside
- 24. In need of cleaning
- 25. Tallow source
- 29. Universal
- 31. Spoke
- 33. To the touch
- 37. Streamer
- 38. Mild expletive
- 39. Less reputable
- 41. Interpret incorrectly
- 42. Confined to certain regions
- 44. Glimpse
- 45. Grizzlies for example
- 48. Pertaining to the sun
- 50. Precipitation
- 51. Being at the right time
- 56. Rear end
- 57. Thought
- 58. Female demon
- 59. Misfortunes
- 60. Breathing organ
- 61. Enlighten
- 62. Colors
- 63. French for "Head"
- 64. Pub game

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- 1. Which person?
- 2. Lariat
- 3. Portent
- 4. Detective
- 5. Vineyard fruit
- 6. Proved false
- 7. Come to light
- 8. Mosque turret
- 9. Rind
- 10. Social group
- 11. Assumed name
- 12. Haughty response

- 13. Hurried
- 21. Irate
- 24. Freshwater fishes
- Wolfe 25. Subscriptions
 - 26. Mormon state
 - 27. European volcano
 - 28. Affection
 - 30. Extreme
 - 32. Harnesses
 - 34. Frosts, as a cake
 - 35. Jump
 - 36. Countercurrent

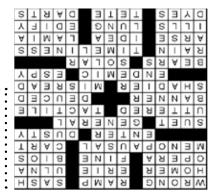
- 40. What's left
- Non-metric road
- distance
- 43. Instant
- 45. Plait
- 46. Not late
- 47. A long narrow
- passage
- 49. Angered
- 51. Pitching to one side
- 52. Nil
- 53. Arab ruler
- 54. Search (through)
- 55. Articulates







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October Holidays

Major Holidays
Indigenous Peoples' Day / Columbus Day –
October 13, 2025 (Second Monday)
Halloween – October 31



Monthly Observances

- Breast Cancer Awareness Month
- National Book Month
- National Pizza Month
- Emotional Wellness Month
- National Cybersecurity Awareness Month
- National Bullying Prevention Month

Health & Awareness Days

- World Mental Health Day October 10
- National Depression Screening Day October 9
- National Mammography Day October 18
- Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day October 15
- World Arthritis Day October 12
- World Menopause Day October 18
- National Physical Therapy Month All October

Animal & Nature Days

- World Animal Day October 4
- National Fetch Day October 19
- National Black Dog Day October 1
- National Pitbull Awareness Day October 26
- National Pumpkin Day October 26

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On questions

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2 Day Park Wide Sale. Friday and Saturday, October 3 and 4, 2025. 8am - 1pm. Vendors in the clubhouse on Friday ONLY. Semiannual Bake Sale and Refreshments available Friday ONLY in the Clubhouse. La Plaza MHP 6700 150th Ave. N. Clearwater

Community flea market. Paradise Island, 1001 Starkey Rd. Largo. Saturday, October 4th, 9-2. Early bird entry 8am for \$1. Bake sale, hot dogs, golf cart taxi service. Follow signs to the clubhouse.

BINGO at Pointe West MHP starting Tues. October 14th. Doors open at 4:30pm. Bingo starts at 6:30pm. 12651 Seminole Blvd, Largo.

Annual Craft Fair Saturday November 1st 9-3pm Paradise Island Clubhouse 1001 Starkey Rd. Largo. 80 plus Tables, Handmade items & Bake Sale

HOLIDAY BAZAAR. November 8th, 2025 from 9am - 2pm. First Lutheran Church, 1644 Nursery Rd., Clearwater. All indoor craft show. Free admission, 217-251-4382 or jayneb1227@gmail.com

November 8th. 9am-2pm. Craft & Bake Fair - Island in the Sun. Multiple vendors with multiple wares. Held in the clubhouse. 100 Hampton Rd, Clearwater, FL 33759. Come check us out!

FALL BAZAAR Ranchero Village 7100 Ulmerton Road, Hacienda Clubhouse. Sunday 11/9/25 from 11am-3pm. Crafts, baked goods, raffle baskets & more. Vendors: Rent a table for \$15. Contact: Donna Dahmm 309-263-2640

Crafters Wanted Fair Nov 15th at Palm Hill Country Club 401 8th Ave, Largo. 8am - 1pm. Email Tom for more information at brendas 76@verizon.net

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Carport Sale - Oak Crest Acorn, 9925 Ulmerton in Largo, Nov 1st, 8am-2pm

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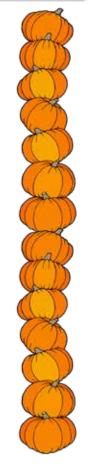
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