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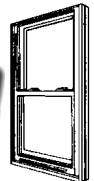
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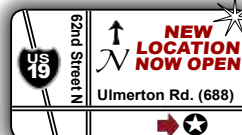


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## From the Board of Directors

*Penny Gilray President*

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**G**reetings All!!

I hope you are enjoying the summer. The pool deck was resealed in June and our palm trees have been trimmed. Thanks to Rich and Cindy Williams for cleaning all the pool furniture.

Thanks also to Ron Beardsley and his crew for sprucing up the front entrance - trimming and putting in new plantings.

We appreciate all your hard work!!

Hurricane preparations have been completed for the common areas. The clubhouse is not a safe place and will be secured in the event of a hurricane. We hope there will not be an evacuation but keep in mind when an evacuation order is given ALL residents in mobile homes are expected to leave. There is no safe place in a mobile home!

Every resident should have an emergency kit and an evacuation plan. Persons with special needs – oxygen; dialysis; wheel chair etc - should identify themselves and be aware of the special needs evacuation locations. Also, if you have a pet you will be taking, you need to pre-register. The county has advised of the emergency evacuation shelters for this hurricane season. The material is posted in the clubhouse and packages have been delivered to those still in residence in Blue Jay. There is also information in the Blue Book.

As a reminder, in anticipation of a hurricane or storm, all articles outside your home should be stored inside so they will not be picked up by the wind and become projectiles.

We continue to have operational meetings on Monday at 8:30am in the clubhouse. Residents are welcome to attend.

That's it for now – be safe.

## From the Social Club

*Paulette Derr, Chairperson*



**T**he summer heat came early this year and all our northern friends have taken flight to where they hope it will be cooler.

We had a BBQ pulled pork luncheon hosted by Tony, Peg, and Crew on May 16th, which was Armed Forces Day so the tables were all decorated in red, white, and blue. I was not able to attend because of my knee surgery, but I was told that the food was really good and plenty of it. We also had a Memorial Day pot-luck dinner, we certainly have some good cooks here in Blue Jay. There was entertainment following the dinner by Tracy Borgatti, she was really super and sang for an hour with a lot of old songs and even had some of the residents



up dancing in the end. Perhaps we could have her back again in the future.

Coming up in July of course is our 4th of July celebration, with a pot luck dinner at 5:30 pm, so the people who want to venture out for the evening to see the fireworks will have plenty of time to let their food digest. Tony, Peg, and Crew are also planning an ice cream sundae social on Friday night July 31st at 7:00 pm in the clubhouse.

My knee surgery went well and I am hopeful to be on the road to recovery. I would like to thank all who sent cards and visited me while I was recovering. I am looking forward to get back into the swing of things.

Please make sure that you are well prepared in case we have a hurricane and everyone who is just going someplace on vacation have a safe trip.

## ICE CREAM SUNDAE SOCIAL



Come cool off and make your own ice cream sundae. It is Friday July 31st at 7:00 pm in the clubhouse. The price is \$ 3.00 per person and tickets will be sold at coffee hour July 15th, 22nd, and 29th. You know there will be lots of ice cream and plenty of toppings to choose from. So see you all there.

Hosts, Tony, Peg and Crew

## Fall Rummage Sale

*Joan Addington, Chairperson*



Keep in mind our big bazaar and rummage sale will be coming up on November 7th. Just as a reminder we do not accept the following items: old computers; TVs; VHS tapes or books. However, any Cook books are always welcome. Call me if you have any questions regarding the annual park event.



**A Complete Listing of Resident Services  
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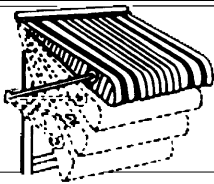
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Date	Double Coverall Winner	Caller
5/17/2015 Total Cash Payout - \$119.60	Fran Low	Joe Montione
5/24/2015 Total Cash Payout - \$138.60	Fran Low	Joe Montione
5/31/2015 Total Cash Payout - \$116.55	Barney Hopkins	Joe Montione
6/7/2015 Total Cash Payout - \$124.95	Fran Low	Joe Montione



# Cribbage

Mary Deperto, Co-ordinator

Date	Winners	Date	Winners
5/18/2015	1.-Carol Violette 2.-John Sturino 3.-Judy Kelly 4.-Phyllis Zaluga	6/1/2015	1.-Mary Deperto 2.-Carol Violette 3.-John Sturino 4.-Frank Walsh
5/25/2015	1.-Judy Kelly 2.-Carol Violette 3.-Bev Myles 4.-John Sturino	6/8/2015	1.-Frank Walsh 2.-Mary Deperto 3.-Phyllis Zaluga 4.-John Sturino





# Hand & Foot

Joan Addington, Co-Ordinator

Date	Winners	Date	Winners
5/13/2015	1.-Judy Kelly 2.-Mike Traficante 3.-Pat Hawthorne Booby - Tony Ruvolo	5/27/2015	1.-Tony Ruvolo 2.-John Tucker 3.-Pat Hawthorne Booby - Mary Duvall
5/20/2015	1.-Pat Hawthorne 2.-Judy Kelly 3.-Jim Hawthorne Booby - John Tucker	6/3/2015	1.-John Tucker 2.-Joan Addington 3.-Carol Violette Booby - Jim Hawthorne

# Farkle

Bonnie Preston, Co-Ordinators

	Game 1	Game 2	Game 3
5/19/2015	Nancy O	Kathy Lake	Nancy O
5/27/2015	Mary Duvall	Nancy O	Fran Low
6/2/2015	Nancy O	Kathy Lake	Fran Low
6/9/2015	Fran Low	Kathy Lake	Fran Low



# July Birthdays

Lot#	FirstName	LastName	Birth Day
199	Glendon	Callow	5
184	Maurice	Ryan	5
161	Wanda	Greber	5
178	Clinton	Powell	7
210	Roger	Grube Jr.	7
31	Bernard	Hopkins	8
130	Lois	Morgan	8
126	Marlene	Stock	8
174	Carmen	Butler	9
43	Bernard	Tucker	9



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234	Tommy	Monacelli	12
25	Herb	Betts	12
221	Elin	Gotschalk	12
93	James	Ellsworth	15
232	Susanne	McMahon	15
17	Madeline	Fried	17
107	Bill	Ball	18
1	Martin	Bennett	18
10	Gary	Krol	18
181	William	Harrison	20
142	Phyllis	Zaluga	21
15	Swede	Ericson	23
164	Kathy	Moore	26
30	Vincent	Pisano	27
103	Susanne	McGregor	27
26	Don	Terrill	28
201	Elaine	Fox	29
65	Harry	Fake	30
21	Nick	Riff	30
47	Cheryl	Nichols	30
176	Carol Ann	Violette	30
51	William	Whitworth	31



## July Annversaries

Lot#	FirstName	LastName	Anniv Day	Anniv. Year
141	Dimitros & Maria	Mavridis	1	2013
45	James & Jean	Hill	5	1952
169	John & Judy	Fell	10	1976
15	Edwin(Swede) & Sally	Ericson	11	1953
156	Joseph & Patricia	Montione	15	1989
131	Gerald & Lorraine	Willemse	16	1986
33	Roland & Suzanne	Doucette	17	1976
16	Luigi & Michelle	Mysak	19	1975
20	Richard & Jeanne	Schroeder	22	1961
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2	1		3			9	
			7		4		
5					7		3
4		9	1		8	2	7
		1			5		8
		2		4			8
							2
		8			4		



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

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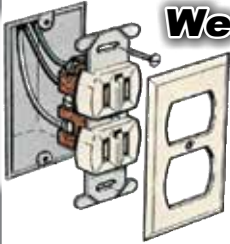


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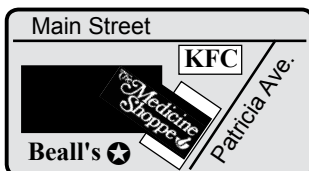
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## Ancient bones offer clues to evolution

Scientists may have discovered a new human ancestor to go along with “Lucy,” the 3.2 million-year-old *Australopithecus afarensis* female from eastern Africa. Dubbed “Little Foot” because of his small bones, this specimen was unearthed in South Africa in the early 1990s. His skeleton was almost completely preserved after falling down a narrow cave shaft and dying there. Whether Little Foot was a relative of Lucy’s or a different pre-human species has been a subject of debate among anthropologists, but a new dating process suggests that Little Foot lived and died some 3.67 million years ago, close to the same time as Lucy.

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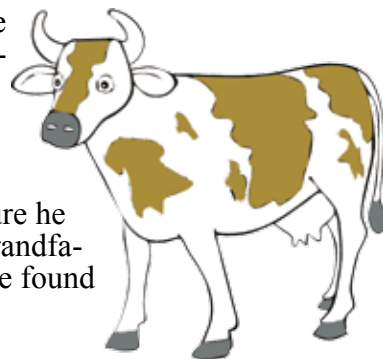
## The strongest bonds

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A farm boy took his cows to the meadows out to pasture every morning and brought them back to the barn at the end of the day. One evening, as he was tying the cows up for the night, he found that he'd lost the piece of rope he needed for the last one.

He couldn't go all the way town to buy more rope, but he didn't want the cow to wander away. So he went to his grandfather for advice.

"Here's what you do," the grandfather said. "Go up to the cow the same way you do every night and pretend to tie a rope around him, then pretend to tie the rope up to his stall. Make sure he sees you doing it, and he'll be fooled." The boy followed his grandfather's advice, and the next morning when he went to the barn he found the cow still there.



He untied all the rest of the cattle and herded them out to pasture for the day. But when he passed by the barn on his way to do his other chores, he noticed the cow was still there. He went to his grandfather again.

The grandfather smiled and said: "You forgot to untie the cow. Go back and pretend to let him loose, and you'll be able to herd him outside."

*Moral: Often what holds us back are the bonds we only think are real.*

## Correct: A Zen parable

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Two monks could not agree on a problem. Finally they went to the master of their monastery to settle the dispute. They agreed to argue their positions one at a time while the master listened.

After hearing the argument presented by the first monk, the master nodded. "You are correct." The first monk was pleased, but the master then told the second monk to speak his piece.



The other monk made his case. Once he finished, the master gave another nod. "You are correct."

"But master!" the two monks cried together. "We can't both be correct!"

Again the master nodded and smiled. "You are correct."



## Support innovation with continuous learning

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## Keep your mouth shut

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A turtle was lying on the bank of a river one day when he heard two hunters walk by, talking about how they planned to come back the next day to catch some turtles for soup. He worried all night, because he knew he couldn't outrun the hunters, and in the morning he had a plan.

He saw two birds in the tree overhead. As the hunters approach, the turtle called out, "You up there! Would you help me escape these hunters?"

"What do you want us to do?" the first bird asked.

"I'll hold this stick in my mouth," the turtle said, "and you two pick me up and fly me to the other side of the river."

The birds agreed and flew down to the ground. The turtle clamped a thick stick between its jaws, and the birds slowly lifted him up off the ground.

As the hunters reached the riverbank, they stared in amazement. "Look at those birds! They figured out how to carry a turtle across the river! Those must be the smartest animals in the world!"

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## Twin suns may support rocky worlds—in theory

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**M**any solar systems around the universe are binary, with two stars orbiting each other in space. Scientists have long believed that rocky planets can't form in these systems because of gravitational forces that would cause planetesimals (worlds in the process of forming) to destroy themselves in collisions instead of slowly merging with each other. Thus, the common image of a world with two (or more) sunsets on the horizon seemed relegated to movies.

But new studies suggest that planetesimals behave differently than had been thought, according to the Sci-News website. Astronomers previously theorized that small worlds seek a circular orbit, leading to collisions around binary stars; now they believe that planets in these systems may take on an oval orbit as they form, avoiding crashes and eventually accumulating a rocky mass. Such worlds could see more than one sun in the sky, and may be able to support life.



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—Theodore Roszak

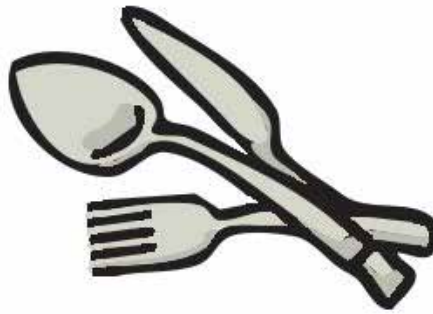


## The state of food across the U.S.

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Every U.S. state is known for something: slogans, state birds, celebrities, etc. If you're hungry, or planning your vacation menu, consider some of these official state foods found across the country:

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- California: Avocado (state fruit)
- Delaware: Peach pie (state pie)
- Georgia: Grits (state prepared food)
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- Louisiana: Sweet potato (state vegetable)
- Maryland: Smith Island Cake—a yellow cake of 8-10 layers with chocolate frosting (state dessert)
- New York: Apple muffin (state muffin)



## The creative process—from the artists who know

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What do professional artists, writers, and performers think about creativity? From The Guardian come these thoughts on the process from people who depend on their imagination to do their jobs:

- Guy Garvey, musician. “Just start scribbling. The first draft is never your last draft. Nothing you write is by accident.”
- Polly Stenham, playwright. “I’m very fidgety, and I seem to work best when my hands are occupied with something other than what I’m thinking about. During rehearsals, I find myself drawing little pictures or symbols that are somehow connected to the play.”
- Tamara Rojo, ballet dancer. “An idea never comes to me suddenly; it sits inside me for a while, and then emerges.”
- Mark-Anthony Turnage, composer. “If you get overexcited by an idea, take a break and come back to it later. It is all about developing a cold eye with which to look over your own work.”
- Fyfe Dangerfield, musician. “For me, the image of the tortured artist is a myth—you don’t need to be miserable to write songs. In fact, if I am feeling down, the last thing I want to do is write; though it’s important sometimes just to sit down and get on with it, however you’re feeling. Your creativity is like a tap: if you don’t use it, it gets clogged up.”



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(Allow 4-6 weeks for mailing of check). **This month's cash winners are:**

Roy Martin .....	\$100.00 .....	Perfect Repair & Construction	Eric Lynn .....	\$5.00 .....	Knoblach Hearing Care
Mary Deperto .....	\$10.00 .....	Community Roofing	Shirley Reish .....	\$5.00 .....	Ron Wyngarden
Bill Janes .....	\$10.00 .....	Jones & Sons Plumbing	Everett Wardell .....	\$5.00 .....	Perfect Repair & Construction
Dale Anderson .....	\$10.00 .....	Kathy's Cleaning	Louise Gross .....	\$5.00 .....	Bob's Appliance
Janice Cook .....	\$10.00 .....	Modern Pest Control	Gary Jira .....	\$5.00 .....	Heller's Mobile Home Washing
Chris Campbell .....	\$10.00 .....	Modern Air	Marilyn Shipley .....	\$5.00 .....	Chambers Specialties
Angie Simon .....	\$10.00 .....	Largo Automotive	Carole Silver .....	\$5.00 .....	Battleline Termite
Peggy Gronck .....	\$10.00 .....	Boss Electric	Gloria Dillie .....	\$5.00 .....	Marti's Hair Salon
Linda Anacreonte .....	\$10.00 .....	Ron Wyngarden	Doris Jager .....	\$5.00 .....	Sunset Appliance Service
Patricia Osdras .....	\$10.00 .....	Jean Satterfield	Linda Baker .....	\$5.00 .....	Doll Brothers
James Patton .....	\$10.00 .....	Mobile Home Depot	Sandy Anderson .....	\$5.00 .....	Battleline Termite
Philip Scott .....	\$10.00 .....	Knoblach Hearing Care	Darlene Coburn .....	\$5.00 .....	Doll Brothers
Agnes Meyer .....	\$10.00 .....	Largo Plumbing	James Erickson .....	\$5.00 .....	Mitchell's Siding
Constance Rakoczy .....	\$10.00 .....	Master Plumbers & Septic	Jacki & Roger Wilson .....	\$5.00 .....	Royal Enterprise
Nancy Eickenberg .....	\$5.00 .....	Bob's Mobile Home Washing	Donna Coffee .....	\$5.00 .....	Boss Electric
Walter Laborn .....	\$5.00 .....	Buggin Out	Jeannie Bovee .....	\$5.00 .....	Debbie's Salon
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• Limit of one ticket per visit • Advertiser may have up to 4 winners per month • Advertiser must have bill paid current to qualify • No purchase necessary • Contest void where prohibited by law • Green tickets available at participating Monthly Media advertisers.



# Blue Jay Estates Irrigation Schedule – Rev. 1

**All Timers are set on Standard Time only**  
**Odd Unit Numbers Tuesday and Saturday**

12-2 AM	2-4 AM	4-6 AM	6-8 AM	6-8 PM	8-10 PM	10-12 PM
1	9	3	11	5	7	15
17	25	19	27	13	23	21
33	41	35	43	29	39	31
37	53	51	59	45	55	47
49	57	67	75	61	71	63
65	73	69	85	77	87	79
81	89	83	91	93	103	95
97	105	99	107	101	117	111
113	121	115	123	109	119	127
129	137	131	139	125	135	133
145	153	147	155	141	151	143
149	165	163	171	157	167	159
161	169	179	187	173	183	175
177	185	181	197	189	199	191
193	201	195	203	205	215	207
209	217	211	219	213	229	223
225	233	227	235	221	231	
17	17	17	17	17	17	16



**Even Unit Numbers Thursday and Sunday**

12-2 AM	2-4 AM	4-6 AM	6-8 AM	6-8 PM	8-10 PM	10-12 PM
2	10	4	6	14	8	16
18	26	20	12	22	24	32
34	42	36	28	30	40	38
50	58	52	44	46	56	48
54	70	68	60	62	72	64
66	74	84	76	78	88	80
82	90	86	92	94	104	96
98	106	100	102	110	120	112
114	122	116	108	118	134	128
130	138	132	124	126	136	144
146	154	148	140	142	152	150
162	170	164	156	158	168	160
166	182	180	172	174	184	176
178	186	196	188	190	200	192
194	202	198	204	206	216	208
210	218	212	214	202	232	224
226	234	228	220	230		
17	17	17	17	17	16	16



Manual units #92 & #173  
 Clubhouse and Common  
 Areas, 2:00 – 4:00 AM  
 Wednesday and Sunday  
 During Water Restrictions  
 delete Saturday and Sunday



## Blue Jay Committee – 2015

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Name Tags: .....	Jackie Triplett
Neighborhood Watch: .....	Dick Hosegood
Newsletter: .....	Sally Ericson
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R. V. Lot: .....	Bob Morgan
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