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Bill Beyer, Bob Bowlby, Roger Kolvek,

Joe Donato, Dick Little,

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Briar Creek Phase I News

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BOARD BUSINESS

Beautification Chairperson - Change of Responsibility

Sharon Philyaw has volunteered to assume the responsibility of Beautification Chairperson. She will oversee all landscaping in the common areas of the park, which includes the grounds of the clubhouse, the island planter, the planter on Cedar Elm Drive, the two small planters by the laundry facilities, and a tiny one at the corner of Briar Creek Boulevard and Cypress Drive.

Barbara Pesic will continue in the Lawns & Trees position, which includes overseeing the mowing service for the common areas and residential lots, as well as the trimming of all trees in the common areas.

We are very happy to welcome Sharon and appreciate her assistance handling our common area landscaping.

Lawn Mowing - Barbara Pesic



Weekly mow dates for September are on the following Fridays: September 4, 11, 18, and 25.

A Complete Listing of Resident Services can be found on the page before your calendar

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Tree Questions & Removal Permits

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Handling Grievances

Should you have any problems with the mowing service, please advise Barbara Pesic via phone or email. It is requested that residents not give verbal instructions to the mowing crew. All complaints are to be addressed by the management of the mowing service. Thank you very much for your compliance.

Owner's Classified - Briar Creek Webmaster

o you have an item for sale or services available? The www.mybriarcreek.com website list products Briar Creek owners have for sale, as well as services they can provide. Also this page displays comments, satisfactory and unsatisfactory, on vendors they have hired. This is your ideal source on owner sales and services. If you have something

to sell or information on a vendor, contact webmaster@mybriarcreek.com.

Are You Looking To Rent?

If you are planning to lease your property either for the winter season or on an annual basis, then contact webmaster@mybriarcreek.com.



TO: ALL BRIAR CREEK PHASE 1 PROPERTY OWNERS RE: PROXIES FOR ANNUAL MEETING – DECEMBER 7, 2015

ou will be receiving in the mail from Progressive Management your General/Limited Proxy. It is important that all owners submit their Proxy for our Annual Meeting scheduled for 10:00 AM, Monday December 7, 2015. Your completed SIGNED Proxy ensures the Board of Directors will be allowed to conduct business during 2016. Unsigned proxies will not be counted.

Be sure you vote for each issue as explained in the Proxy. A quorum of owners (159 of 317) is required to pass the listed issues. Only one Proxy is valid per property. If you own two

properties, submit a proxy for each one. Please show your Unit Number, then date and SIGN your Proxy before submitting. The signature must be any owner on the title. If you change, or have changed the title or mailing address since purchasing, you need to let Progressive Management know.

You must submit your Proxy prior to 10:00 AM on December 7, 2015.

There are several ways to submit your Proxy:

- 1. Drop in mail slot at Clubhouse Directors Office; or
- 2. Give to Jo Ann Barr any time, or drop off at 106 Cedar Elm Dr, put in black mail box at back door; or
- 3. Mail to Progressive Management.

It is recommended that your Proxy be dropped at the Directors Office or given to Jo Ann Barr. Mailing slows the tally process. Early submission insures there are enough proxies received to conduct business during the 2016 year.

If you have any questions or need to know your Unit Number, please call Jo Ann Barr (727-669-3820). Thanks for your help.

PLEASE NOTE:

Extra copies of the Proxy voting page will be available. Progressive Management mails your Proxy to the address they have on record for you.

Wednesday Meetings

Very Wednesday morning, there is a coffee meeting for all Phase 1 residents, (plus their visitors). Coffee and pastries are available for purchase at 8:30AM. The "*official*" meeting starts at 9:30AM.

Winners for 07/15/15 Betty Chatigny, 50/50 Carolyn Jablonski, Weekly Drawing Winners for 07/22/15 Carol Fetchko, 50/50 Carolyn Jablonski, Weekly Drawing Winners for 07/29/15 Philip Rogers, 50/50 Mary Casola, Weekly Drawing Winners for 08/05/15 Ronnie Goudie, 50/50 Phil Houpt, Weekly Drawing Winners for 08/12/15 Karen Mbiad, 50/50 Alex Newcomer, Weekly Drawing



Below is a picture of two of our latest new residents, who were introduced at our August 5th coffee hour, Georgia Douglas, who lives on New Fawn Court, and Eda Tesoro, who now lives at 78 Redwood Drive. Welcome, Eda and Georgia!



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Event Feedback

n Sunday, July 26, the "Meet Your Neighbor" event was held. Between the snacks and drinks, as well as visiting with each other, everyone seemed to enjoy the camaraderie. New residents were introduced and encouraged to share their rationale for moving to Briar Creek, and our veteran residents shared lots of information about how Briar Creek functions. The attendees also heard some of the backgrounds of our newest residents. Below are a few photos of people who were there.















NEW MONTHLY FEATURE

Katherine (Katie) H. Riano

atie Riano who lives at 60 Shady Oak Court is the person honored to be "in the spotlight" for September 2015. Katie has lived in Briar Creek since August 1988. Since moving here, Katie has been an integral part of our community. Her



dancing skills have brought her into the spotlight many times before today. She exhibits a "shoulder shake" move on the dance floor that brings many people to their feet in amazement.

Katie was born Katherine Helen Riano on June 23 in Syracuse, New York. Katie was the youngest of seven (7) children, and when her father gazed upon her face right after she was born, and then looked at his other six children watching in amazement, he said, "No more." So Katie turned out to be the "icing on the cake" and rounded out the family into a family number of nine!

The family was a middle class family, much like the rest of us in Briar Creek. Katie's father started off in the work-a-day world as

a grave-digger. He and his wife, as newly-weds, actually lived in the cemetery in the house furnished to the cemetery manager. How exciting that must have been during Halloween!

Later on Katie's dad worked for the railroad and ended up retiring from that profession.

Katie's work career began when she was 19 years old and went to work at a knife factory in Syracuse, New York, with an hourly rate of 22 cents. After leaving the knife factory, Katie was hired at General Electric in Liverpool, NY. Katie did heavy military piece work, as well as piece work for equipment used in the burgeoning astronaut field; Katie mentioned she felt a tremendous amount of responsibility to do her very best work since people's lives depended upon the reliability of the products manufactured with her hands, namely parts to be used in future space-conquering efforts made by the United States. Katie worked for GE for 27 years until she left the New York area in 1977 when she relocated to St. Petersburg, Florida. She took her mother with her to the warmer climate and the two of them lived together until her mother passed away in 1978.

About seven years after Katie moved to Briar Creek, she was a passenger in a car with some other residents heading out to go bowling. As they turned onto McMullen Booth Road (which at that time had no traffic light nor paving) the car was hit on the side where Katie was riding. She was actually thrown out of the car, and was laying on the roadway with her shoes beside her after the collision. Since there was no trauma center at Mease Hospital, Katie was transported to Bayfront Medical, where she was a patient for about six weeks. In addition to a broken pelvis, she suffered broken ribs, as well as a broken shoulder. Katie said the rehab ex-

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ercises were brutal, especially so since she had to lie on a hard table as she underwent physical therapy. But, as is evident today, Katie made a full recovery and is still involved in the many activities offered by our community.

We salute Katie for her boundless energy, her sense of fun, her straight-forward personality and we are proud she was selected to be "In the Spotlight" for September! Congratulations, Katie Riano!

Many apologies to omitting the August anniversaries listed below in the last month's Media issue! I take full responsibility for missing the following couples' special days in the August issue!

August Anniversaries - Betty Chatigny

August	25	Roy & Sue Martin (1956)
August	27	Don & Annette Hall (1960)
August	29	Pete & Jane Fedelem (1969)
August	31	John & Thelma Gaglione (1963)



September Birthdays & Anniversaries - Betty Chatigny

<u>Birthdays</u>

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September 2	Ann Daley	September 14	Sherri Sheridan
September 2	Norman Gingras	September 14	Marion Whitehouse
September 2	Jim McBride	September 15	Ken Anderson
September 2	Gerry Rogers	September 18	Susie Guillaume
September 3	Nina Burnett	September 18	Seamus Knight
September 5	John Pavoni	September 21	Ida Haines
September 7	Ronnie Goudie	September 22	Ken Graham
September 7	Ed McCoy	September 22	Frederick Harrison
September 7	Beth Storrer	September 22	Peggy Tewelow
September 8	Leonard Montoya	September 24	Vincent Tumolo
September 9	Al Bombardier	September 25	Jim Petterson
September 9	Anna Harrison	September 25	Peach Richardson
		September 25	Ed Wahl
September 12	James Heaton	September 29	Karen Baldassarre
September 13	Ray Jablonski	September 29	David Shaughnessy
September 13	Kathy Lofgren	September 30	Vivian Mancuso
September 13	Bud Ritter	September 50	vivian mancuso



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Note: If you would like your anniversary year included, please let me know. If your birthday and/or anniversary information needs correction or inclusion, please leave a message at 727-216-3871 (or email bettychatigny@hotmail.com).

New Residents

Teri Baier, 78 Sugar Bear

DEATHS

Virginia Hitchcock, former long-time resident, passed away July 14, 2015.



John Wilson (husband of Jean Wilson), 52 Beaver Dam Court, died July 24, 2015.

John Wilson and Jean moved to Briar Creek in 1991, and John quickly became an integral part of the Briar Creek Community. For a number of years, John headed up the Annual Bazaar and helped make it a profitable fund-raising activity. The profit made from the bazaar is the primary yearly income for our Social Club, which makes that particular event of vital importance to Briar Creek residents.

Shuffleboard affairs was another interest of John's. He not only headed up one of the teams, but also organized the annual dinners, as well as many other activities concerning the sport.

We will miss you, John Wilson.

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27	28 1pm Sit & Stitch BINGO –sell at 515pm-play at 6pm	1pm M

Briar Creek II

Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Iah Jongg	2 Early Bird Break- fast at "Daddy's"	3	4	5 8am Coffee & Donuts 9am Social Club News Blood Pressure Check
8 Iah Jongg	9 Early Bird Break- fast at "Daddy's"	10	11	12 8am Coffee & Donuts 9am Social Club News
15 Iah Jongg	16 Early Bird Break- fast at "Daddy's" Ladies' Luncheon	17	Patriot Day 18	19 8am Coffee & Donuts 9am Social Club News Non Perishable Foods for Food Pantry Social Club Board Meeting 845a
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Air Potato Vine-Eating Bugs

n August 6th Sharon and Andy Philyaw received a container with the Lilioceris cheni, the air potato leaf beetle. The pictures show Andy releasing the beetles into the wild, shortly thereafter they arrived in Briar Creek. More information can be found at the following link: http://www.tampabay.com/news/environment/biological-warfare-florida-releasesasian-beetles-to-attack-invasive-air/2135135



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You can also check on line to see if you have this valuable program. And, if you don't have a computer, you can ask a friend to check for you.

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Travel Club - Judy Young

✓ A Smoky Mountain trip is scheduled for November 15 for 6 days and 5 nights. A Single accommodation is \$899; a Double is \$649 for each person. If you are interested in this trip, send \$150.00 deposit; final payment is due by 9/30/15. This is a wonderful trip and everything is geared around a Christmas theme. Send check to Judy Young or call 727-725-2090 for more details and/or questions.

✓ An upcoming trip (one very popular in past years) is a <u>Thanksgiving Day Dinner Cruise</u> on 11/26/15, leaving from Clearwater. More details in an upcoming issue.

✓ Our annual <u>St. Augustine trip, highlighted by the Holiday Night of Lights Festival</u>, on 12/6/15 for 3 days and 2 night. Single accommodations are \$469; and Doubles \$369 each person. The deposit required is \$74.00 ASAP (first come, first served).

Suggestions for future trips are always welcome and your thoughts should be communicated to Judy Young (727-725-2090). Many more details are available for all of the above trips in the clubhouse, or sign up online www.mybriarcreek.com under the Travel Club banner.

Bingo - Jean Richter

R ingo resumes on Tuesday, September 1, 2015, starting at 6:00 p.m. Doors will open at 5:15 p.m.



Bowling – Gene Arend

ctober 16th, Friday Noon, the Phase I bowling season starts. I will be out of town from September 17th till October 5th so I will be working on this season's line up and teams for submission to Countryside Lanes on US 19 by October 9th before I leave on September 17th.

The league bowls 24 weeks with Thanksgiving and two Fridays at Christmas time off. The league is mixed and open to all seniors. While the league is primarily composed of Briar Creek bowlers from Phase I and Phase II, we do have some seniors from other communities, so all seniors are welcome.

The league is primarily and first a Fun League composed of beginners and experienced bowlers. Averages range from high 90s and up. It is a handicap league and the teams are created with both experienced bowlers and novices so every team has an opportunity for success. Bowling practice starts at 12:20 p.m. and completes about 3 PM. Plan on arriving at Noon to prepare.

Cost is \$10 per week with a small portion placed is a prize/award fund. The prize fund is calculated so only one team or bowler can win one category award thus several bowlers have opportunities to receive an award. I will be contacting all last season bowlers but we have plenty of room for new bowlers so we can grow the league from 8 teams to possibly 12 teams of 4 bowlers each.

Contact me at 727-725-5844 or e-mail me at garend@mybriarcreek. com. If you contact me by e-mail after September 17th, I will get to you by October 6th to confirm.

Bridge Scores - Barbara Glasheen

Bridge games have been suspended for the summer, and will resume in mid-October.

Crafts - Barbara Glasheen

Crafts will resume in November. Happy summer!

<u> All Media Art - Jack Dennis</u>

All Media Art is on summer vacation and will resume in January 2016!

Euchre Scores - Phil Houpt

- 7/09/15 Phil Houpt (37)
- 7/16/15 Phil Houpt (38)
- 7/23/15 Marty Martin (43)
- 7/30/15 Ben Ragonese (38)

8/06/15 Phil Houpt/Ben Ragonese (40) Tie







Cardio Classes

ardio classes are held every Tuesday at 9:00AM in the Phase 1 clubhouse. If you belong to the Silver Sneakers organization, there is no charge for this exercise class. If not, don't despair; for only \$3 a session, you can join the class. The class is open to both Phase 1 and Phase 2, and is conducted by Claudia from the Long Center.

Wear a tee-shirt and shorts, all necessary equipment is provided, and the classes are geared toward cardio improvement. None of the exercises are difficult, and with enthusiastic people and invigorating music, the hour of activity seems to fly by. Contact Joan Bienvenue at 724-8561 if you have questions.

Library News



First, a big thank you to all the library volunteers. The library looks great, very well organized and well maintained. I know that when our head

librarian Naomi returns in the fall, she will be as pleased as I am. Your efforts are greatly appreciated!

Thanks also to all those of you who have recently donated books, audio books and DVDs. We have such a great selection in all categories including fiction, non-fiction, western, mystery, and everything in between. Of course, we can always use more and I encourage you to place your donations in the basket located on the floor just inside the library entrance, or if the basket is full, just place them on the floor beside the basket for the library workers to stamp and put in the proper locations.

Newly donated books are stamped and entered into the New Books section to the left of the windows where they remain for 30 days, after which they are shelved according to category. We are still accepting DVD and Audiobook donations for our traveling/or sight-impaired readers. DVDs and Audiobooks are located on the shelves at the rear of the great room, near the bingo board.

Happy reading! Carol Marsella, summer librarian

Remember When?

o you remember the barnstorming days? Not the political barnstorming, nor the various athletic team games held in various small town venues, but the exciting kind -- where pilots gave stunt flying, airplane racing, and wing walking exhibitions around the country. The word "barnstorming" originated from theatrical group performances (including

the occasional risque act) in upstate New York barns, and then the usage sequed into describing electioneering activities, and then in 1928, the word was applied to the daring pilots who performed dangerous stunt flying. Today we can see air shows, but in my opinion, the former days of barnstorming flying would have been much more exciting to watch in person!

Interesting Facts about September

 \checkmark Labor Day is the most well known holiday in September, as well as the only legal holiday in that month. Labor Day is celebrated in both the United States and Canada, and it is observed every year on the first Monday in September.

✓ The birthstone for September is the Sapphire.

✓ The birth flowers for September are the Forget-me-not, the Morning Glory, and the Aster.

✓ The Zodiac signs for September are Virgo (August 23 - September 22) and Libra (September 24 - October 23).

✓ National Potato Month

✓ National Chicken Month

✓ National Piano Month

✓ National Biscuit Month

Each of the three September birth flowers have different significance. The Forget-me-not represents love and memories, the Morning Glory unrequited love, and Asters represent love. All three flowers are in the category of passionate blossoms.

Sapphire, the birthstone for September, represents clarity of thought, intuition, and peacefulness. In traditional medicine it is used to treat fevers and reduce inflammation. Sapphire reduces anxiety and procrastination and gives the wearer luck.

<u>Thought for the Month</u>

"By all these lovely tokens September days are here, With summer's best of weather, And autumn's best of cheer." Helen Hunt Jackson

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BINGO BINGO BINGO.....

Marsha Bowlby

I mark back.... in the fall of 2008 I passed Bingo on to Pete Loranger, I had ran Bingo for 2 1/2 years and wanted to take a break. Well my break is over.... Pete has worked hard the last 6 years and he's ready for a break.... Pete you did a good job, let's see if I can keep it going. Thanks for all your hard work.

Bingo will start for Phase II, on Monday evening September 14th. We will start selling cards at 5:15 and begin Bingo at 6:00. I have been working on the games, the Bingo machine has been cleaned...hey we are almost ready. The games usually run from 6:00 to 8:00.

Pete Foley is starting up the Monday Night Kitchen, he will be serving sandwiches from 4:00 to 5:15. Check out his fliers in the Clubhouse. I think this is a really nice addition to our Monday Night Bingo.

So think about having dinner (you don't have to cook) and playing Bingo. If you don't want to stay for the whole session (6:00 to 8:00) then how about just Early Birds. Early Birds are 4 games of Regular Bingo and last about 20ish minutes. So you could come out and have dinner, visit with your friends, and at 6:00 play a couple of games. Maybe you'll find you're having fun and want to stay for the whole evening...

It's so much fun to yell "BINGO"...try it. SEE YOU ON SEPTEMBER 14TH....



Ladies' Luncheon

Hildie Meyer

The Ladies' Luncheon this month will be held on September 16th, 1 p.m., at Tiffany's Restaurant, located in Palm Harbor on US Hwy 19 No. We have always enjoyed their menu, and yet have not been there in well over a year. Am hoping that we will have a good turn-out in September.

Entertainment

Marge Grohskopf

here did the summer go! It will soon be time for our early snowbirds to return. There should still be time for you to get a ticket for the Labor Day Celebration. Mon. Sept.7 12:30 Menu - BBQ Pulled Pork, Baked Beans, Mac & Cheese, Dessert, Lemonade , Ice Tea -Tickets are \$7.00 Bob Swensen will entertain us with music for all. Last day for Tickets is Sept.2. Call Pete for last minute tickets.421-2321.



The date for Bunco will be changed from the usual 4th Thursday. We will have Bunco on Oct.1, same time 6:30 for dessert - 7:00 Bunco begins. A BIG THANK YOU to Carol Centamore, who has set up the room and Mary Pivornik, who has checked in the players at every Bunco. Good job ladies! Many thanks.

I know it's early to talk about Oct.. However, Oktoberfest is Oct. 10, 2015. Tickets will go on sale Sat. Sept. 12th. Check Clubhouse posting for more information. The menu will be Brats, Kraut, German Potato Salad,& Dessert. BIG Thanks to the Berglings and the Bowlbys who run this event!

There is a proposed 2015-2016 Events List posted in the Clubhouse. Please check it out and if there is something that you would be interested in working on let me know. If I have early volunteers you can be in on the planning, "Two heads are better than one" Several heads are the best!

Travel Club

Billie Ann Berry



e sure to check the Bulletin Board in the Clubhouse for any upcoming trips.

The St. Augustine Sojourn December 6, 2015, for 3 days/2 nights is still posted. Also looking into the Show Palace Dinner Theatre in Hudson. They have several shows coming up between September and December, 2015. Price is \$45 each, including tax. We would have to car pool, but, I think it would be worth it.

If interested, please contact Billie Ann Berry at 797-3116.

LAWNS

Billie Ann

ant to thank everyone for your patience during all the rain the month of July. It was hard trying to get the grass mowed, but it finally got done. If you have any problems with the mowing service, please call Billie Ann Berry at 797-3116. All complaints are to be addressed by management of the mowing service. Thank you for your cooperation.

Social Club

Sandy Watson

i Neighbors! September is here already and our third Saturday Business Meetings will resume this month. I expect we will be voting on a couple of projects this fall, so plan on having your membership card with you. Perhaps you should consider putting it in



your wallet/purse or with your coffee cup so you'll be prepared.

Let's all participate and support our community with our presence and efforts to help wherever and whenever we can. We have a wonderful "Family" here, let's keep it that way.

I'm looking forward to the return of our winter residents and a fun and busy season for all of us!

Your friend and neighbor, Sandy

Special Finance Committee

Brenda Greene

s President-Elect, one of my duties is to preside as Chairperson and appoint a committee for recommending expenditures of Club monies to the membership for a vote.

Homeowners or residents of Briar Creek Phase II, who are members or who become members of the Social Club, be thinking of items you would like to see done to improve our community. Present your suggestions to the Special Finance Committee by December 31, 2015. In January of 2016, the Committee will meet to review them. Submitted items will be required to have complete information on the item, cost, installation costs if required, maintenance costs and person(s) responsible for upkeep. Assuming we have all the necessary data, the Committee will discuss and present the items to the membership for voting, hopefully, at either the January or February 2016 meeting. This should enable us to complete most approved projects before our winter residents' leave.

Proposals already submitted this year will be presented to the membership for discussion and voting at the November 21st Board Meeting. Please remember to bring your current Social Club Membership card to this meeting.

FYI Karola Haines

Just a "heads up" for all of the pet owners in Briar Creek. Last night (~ 10:30 pm), as I walked Charlie, I saw a Coyote running down Natures Trail towards Briar Creek Blvd. On several of my walks around the neighborhood as well as in my yard, I have noticed some "big" dog droppings and was annoyed at people for not picking up after their pet. Now since I saw the Coyote last night.(hm)...... mystery solved? INFO to COME

ook for more info on the Fall schedule for Shuffle, Briarettes, Ladies' Golf, Pinochle, Euchre, Bowling, Etc in the October BUGLE,. AND for people organizing these events, be sure to get the info to Pete for the October Issue of the Bugle by 9/13. We have a busy season coming, so be sure to keep up on events, both on the bulletin board, and in the Bugle. The sign under the FLAG highlights the events, so be sure to check inside the clubhouse for details. WELCOME BACK TO THE SEASONAL RESIDENTS RETURNING FOR THE SEASON. "SHOWTIME" tickets are becoming limited. Be sure to reserve your seats with Pete.

Birthdays and Anniversaries

Pete Loranger

Birthdays

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- 9/19 Nancy Eickenberg
- 9/20 Jay Watson
- 9/22 Cheryl Seideneck
- 9/23 Harold Becker
- 9/24 Elizabeth Stephens
- 9/25 Bob Cooney
- 9/25 Bill Benson
- 9/26 Debbie Reichelderfer
- 9/26 Janice Lannan
- 9/28 Barbara Bates
- 9/28 John McCormick
- 9/28 Gil Mackert
- 9/28 Sharon Cann
- 9/29 Rosie Cargill

Anniversaries

- 9/08/1982 Arnold & Marge Grohskopf 33 years
- 9/12/1962 Jim & Lois Heisdorf 53 years
- 9/26/1954 Gene & Margie Breheny 61 years
- 9/28/1957 Harold & Kay Becker 58 years
- 9/29 Angelo & Marie Farese





Pete

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e have 6 months to go for the only and biggest Money Making Event for our Community. Remember...... WE need SPIRITS, cash donations, Jewelry etc.... Enough said for now.....but I am here, accepting......WE WILL HAVE ANOTHER SUCCESFUL EVENT......Pete

Two-minute walks may improve your health

Exercise keeps you healthy. Fortunately for busy people, exercise doesn't have to mean working out at the gym or running a marathon. A study reported on the Science Daily website found that adding just two minutes of walking per hour to your routine can extend your life expectancy.

Scientists at the University of Utah School of Medicine discovered that taking a two-minute walk once an hour was associated with a 33 percent lower risk of dying. Even brief walks add up to a substantial benefit when taken often during the day. The scientists emphasize that these walks should be an addition to a moderate exercise habit, not a replacement for one. It's a step in the right direction.

Protect your hearing

Excessive noise in the workplace (or anywhere else, for that matter) can damage your hearing. The Medicine Net website warns that you risk hearing loss under these noisy conditions:

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- Your ears begin to hurt from the volume.
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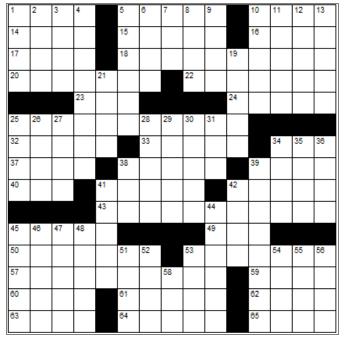




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- 23. Fitting
- 24. Not younger
- 25. Jubilation
- 32. Severe pain
- 33. Virile
- 34. Kitten's cry
- 37. Violent disturbance
- 38. Repaired
- 39. Angel's headwear
- 40. Eastern Standard Time
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- 42. Stogie
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- 49. Dekaliter
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- 53. Pettifogger
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- 59. Hawkeye State
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Welcome Back to SCHOOL



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- 2. Hearing organs
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- 4. Occupant
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- 7 An unskilled actor
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- 36. Be dressed in 38. Pelt
- 39. Brae

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- 44. Cling
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