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# LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

By Violet Escobar

Just a little reminder that the fiscal year for the HOA is just about over and Elections for new Board Members is upon us.

Nominations will end at the close of the HOA meeting this month (February) giving any candidates time to campaign before voting in March. Be sure to read further in the newsletter what the rules for the elections are so that you will be prepared on Monday night.

# ANSWERS FROM THE MANAGER

These are some of the issues discussed in the recent Town Hall Meeting.

1. Shuffleboard Courts: They will be redone and Corporate will be purchasing the equipment.
2. Shuffleboard table in the clubhouse will be refinished.
3. Corporate will furnish at least one corn-hole game
4. A picnic area will be made on the North side of the Shuffleboard courts... if I understood correctly. We'll know more about a definite location later.
5. The pool hours will remain consistent with the Prospectus and will close 30 minutes before sundown. It was explained that one reason for this was because of improper lighting around and within the pool area.
6. We were reminded to put any complaints or concerns in writing on the forms provided in the clubhouse. Be sure that you sign the forms so that Tom can respond to you. Submit the signed forms to Tom either in person or by using the slot in the office door.

Be sure to check here for more questions each month. We will be posting the questions we ask and the answers we get



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## MONTHLY HOA MEETING – February 5, 2018 – 7:00 p.m.

**W**e're still brainstorming and are ready to share a partial list of fun things to do through the end of next year. (See the Bulletin Board in the Clubhouse) We have many more ideas to propose a little bit later.

We look forward to having more of you come and put in your two cents (or more) on our future endeavors! We want you to be proud of where you live, be heard when you share what you want out of your community and HOA Board and most of all, we want you to offer your thoughts and ideas for improving our community.

To make all our good ideas work, we have to ask for your help. We will need volunteers to assist with decorating, setting up and all the many little jobs required to bring our events to fruition!

HOA Membership cards are \$12.00 and are available now! Let's go for 100% Membership in 2018! Keep the Membership of the Homeowner Association Growing. Let's have a healthy and functioning HOA.

All residents would benefit in many ways from being members of the Association. At the same time, they would support and encourage volunteers who work hard for the well-being of everyone who lives in our community.

Beginning in January, there will be a 50/50 raffle and a Membership Drawing. (See rules below).

### **Rules for Membership drawing.**

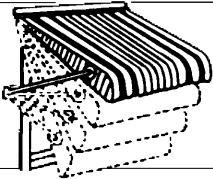
1. Names and Lot #'s of all HOA members will be placed into a container for a drawing during the monthly HOA meeting.
2. The winner will receive a \$\$ gift card to a local store or restaurant or a similar gift.
3. Member must be present to win. (1 chance to be absent then the name is removed)
4. The drawings began at the January 8th meeting and after several draws; the name of an HOA member that was present was finally drawn. Unfortunately, the name drawn was a Board Member who we feel should be excluded.

So, there will be two (2) drawings in February. Remember, if you aren't present, you can't win.

We look forward to seeing everyone at the February 5th HOA meeting at 7:00 pm. Don't be late. There's a lot to discuss, a lot of planning to do and we need you there.



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## HOA NOMINATIONS, ELECTIONS and 2018 DUES

**D**etails for the upcoming nominations and elections for the HOA Executive Board were discussed at the November 6th meeting. Here are the basic details in case you missed the meeting. Our Fiscal year is March to February. Below is the process we use to

The qualifications to run for Homeowner's Association Board are few but firm:

1. You must have lived in the park for 2 years
2. You must have been an Active HOA member for 1 year.

At the January HOA meeting, announcements were made concerning the elections and the qualifications were reiterated and nominations will be opened.

At the February meeting, nominations will be presented. All nominees must be present to accept or reject and then the nominations will be closed. Anyone accepting a nomination will have 1 month to campaign throughout the park. Nominations will be closed at the end of this meeting.

Elections will be held at the March meeting.

If you are an HOA member, you are qualified to vote. One ballot (one vote) per household will be given for you to vote your choice.

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### Friday Night Snack Bar

Come out and have dinner with your friends and neighbors. The Snack Bar is open on Fridays from 6:00pm until 7:30pm. We have an extensive menu: Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Chicken Breast, French Fries, Onion Rings and more.

### Bingo

Bingo continues Friday nights at 7pm and usually runs for about 2 hours. This past season was a great success and enjoyed by all who attended. We've been Thank you to everyone who volunteered their time and to all those who participated.

### Poker

Friends & neighbors gather on Sunday evenings for Texas Hold'em, so if you're looking for something to do, head on down to the clubhouse and join in the fun.

## UPCOMING EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

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**T**he newly-formed Entertainment Committee (from now on referred to as EC) has announced their next monthly planning meeting for the 10th of February. Tom will furnish Donuts & Coffee to wake up our brains and get us thinking and planning.

### Taco Tuesdays

The EC is sponsoring a Taco Tuesday and scheduled for every other Tuesday beginning on the 6th in the clubhouse. The idea is for people to sign up to bring something different to add to the taco's. See instructions and sign up in the clubhouse to add to the fixings.

### Every Wednesday – Games & Cards

The EC is also sponsoring games & cards nights. They have been scheduled for every Wednesday starting around 6 pm. We hope to see this take off, so we can branch off to several different games being played at once. Come down on Wednesday night and let's get this popular activity off to a good start. This could be a good time to learn a new game. Do you like to play Skip-Bo or Rummy or Board Games like Monopoly or Scrabble? Let us know. We want to play, too

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### Thursdays – Billiards

The EC wants to see more people shooting pool, so they are sponsoring a Billiards night every night from 7pm -9pm. We've been told that our very nice pool table has just been re-leveled, so we want to see more people using it. Come down every Thursday from 7 – 9pm and shoot some pool with your friends. Tom says he'll purchase plaques or trophies to post on the clubhouse wall if people are interested in competing.

### February

10th – Valentines Dance – from 6 – 9 pm. See the Bulletin Board in the Clubhouse for more information and to sign up if you plan to attend this HOA sponsored Party and to see how you can volunteer to help.

17th – National Act of Kindness Day Event – (EC)

Sign up in the CH if you would like to help some of your friends and neighbors in our community to spruce up their properties on this day of Kindness. Some small thing such as gutter-cleaning, weed pulling, even power washing can make a world of difference to someone who wants to clean things up but may be incapable... you may already know who some of these neighbors are.

### March

17 - St. Patrick's Day Potluck Dinner – bring your favorite Irish dish (HOA)

More to be announced later.

### April

1 – Easter Brunch / Potluck

14 – 2nd Annual Fishing Tournament & Fish Fry (HOA)

### May

5 – Cinco de Mayo / Latin Festival (HOA)

13 – Mother's Day Brunch / Potluck (HOA)

More to be announced later.

**TBA** – Another Gambling Cruise is being planned for the very near future. Details will be posted and announced as soon as they become available.

\*Beginning in March with our St. Patrick's Day POTLUCK, for any event that is called a POTLUCK, we're asking that you bring your own place-settings (plate, cup, utensils, etc.). We've done with success in the past and to us it makes sense.

\*\*Be sure to sign up in the Clubhouse and when necessary, purchase your any tickets in advance.

\*\*\*There will be a 50/50 drawing at almost all our events and activities. Come prepared to go home a winner.



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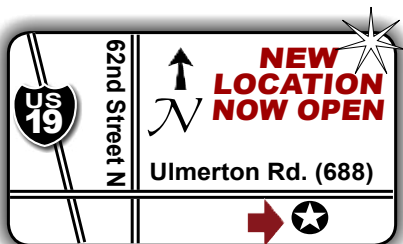
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Tuesday <sup>20</sup>	6:00P Games & Cards <sup>21</sup>	7P-9P Billiards <sup>22</sup>	6:00P Snack Bar <sup>23</sup> 7P BINGO 5:30P Marketing - Paparazzi Jewelry - Rose	<sup>24</sup>
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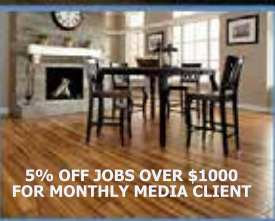
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### Committees are being formed to carry out some very important tasks.

1. Welcome Committee – We have prepared a packet of important information and some goodies to take when we greet our new neighbors. Right now, this committee is being staffed by Board members, but we want to share the responsibilities. The only requirements are to be able to smile, have a positive attitude, give some out some information we provide, ask for some information like name, what do they like to do, do they have any special skills they'd like to share, etc. Easy, peasy.
2. Public Relations – Our new PR person, Lynn Geiser, comes with all the right skills to talk to local merchants to solicit donations for our events. We're excited to welcome Lynn's assistance and talents.
3. Sunshine Committee – It's not always easy to know who is sick, in the hospital or in rehab or who has gone to a nursing home. We would love to have someone who knows "who's who" in the park or who can find out who might like for others to know what's going on with them. It would be so nice for someone to send a get-well card or even plan a visit to someone who might feel under the weather and alone or might need someone's help.
4. Meals-on-Wheels – We are aware that some of our neighbors don't have the means to eat well or eat as they should to be healthy. These people usually miss out on the awesome meals that are prepared for our potlucks or events.

The HOA is now cooking extra food & preparing carry-out containers at our potlucks and dinners and delivering them to those not as fortunate or unable to come out to share with us.

We'd like to know if you are aware of anyone in the park who could use a good home-cooked meal occasionally, if so, please let Ron & Kim or any Board member know, and we'll arrange to see that they don't go without food.

5. Personal Shopper – We know that some of our neighbors don't or can't get out for basic things like food, toiletries or cleaning supplies. If shopping is something you like to do, there are ways you can help and get some things for yourself at the same time.
6. **H.O.P.E.** (Helping Our People Excel) is the HOA-sponsored Neighbor's helping Neighbor's Committee. Our last day of helping was a great success and some of our most deserving neighbors received some very needed aid. We washed homes, trimmed trees and overgrown bushes, replaced blocks that had fallen around a home, pulled weeds and some other things that I've forgotten about and had it all done before noon. We worked, we laughed, we got sweaty and dirty and had a lot of fun doing it. When we were done working, we met back at the clubhouse to cool off and eat lunch.

We are planning on having another day of helping in the Spring but would like to see more volunteers than just the 5 we had the last time. It would be so nice to see more men step up to help us ladies... Ron G. was the only guy to help last time. We need more! With more

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volunteers, we could help more of our friends clean up their homes (outside) and improve the appearance of our community.

7. And last, but certainly not least, Manager Tom has offered a “Yard of The Month” prize each month of the year. The winner will be given a sign in their yard for all to see, they will receive a gift card from a local garden center and of course they’ll have bragging rights. Maybe we can post a picture of the winning yard on the Bulletin Board in a special “Wall of Fame” place. More details about this will be discussed later.



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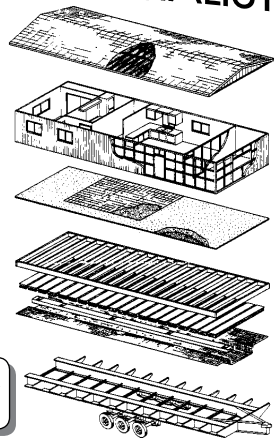
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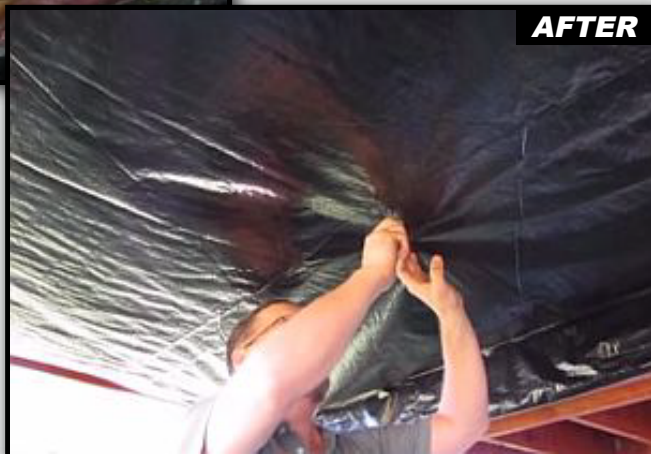
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**C**lubs are being formed because many of you have shown an interest in some of the following: Men's Club, Ladies Club, Cards, Crafts, Gardening and others. We'll be asking you very soon to let us know what you would like to do.

A list of suggestions to get you thinking will be posted in the Clubhouse on the bulletin board. Please run by (or walk) and check it out, sign up to find out who else is interested and by-all-means, add to it!

Suggestions for tournaments are also being discussed: Pool (Billiards), Corn hole, Bowling, Darts.

Watch for a meeting to be scheduled soon to talk more about the kinds of things our residents want to do as a group and we'll get things started.

## VOLUNTEERS

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**V**olunteers spend countless hours working on your behalf; this is why we are always requesting more help. And, this is why we need you.

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Volunteers are always needed for all sorts of things! Some things can be done in 5 minutes, some things can be done at home, some things require a little more time and effort, but all things are very important. The more Volunteers we have to help, the more fun things we will be able to do.

If you've signed up before and were never called, Not to Worry! We need you and we will be calling you. Please, let us know, once again who you are!

Right now, I can tell you that we're going to need we someone to help us sell Tickets for the New Year's Eve party, Set-up, Clean-up and people to help Decorations.

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# RECIPES

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## Grandma's Pepper Steak

### Ingredients:

- 2 Tbsp. olive oil
- 1 medium onion, chopped
- 2 large bell peppers, sliced into thin strips
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 1/3 cup low sodium soy sauce
- 1/3 cup honey
- 1/3 cup red wine vinegar
- 1 ½ pounds flank steak, cut into thin strips

### Directions:

Heat olive oil in a skillet over medium heat. Sauté onion, bell peppers and garlic until tender-crisp, stirring frequently. Set aside.

Heat a large skillet over medium-high heat. Pour soy sauce, honey & red-wine vinegar in pan. Add beef. Cook beef stirring frequently until done, about 10 – 15 minutes. Stir in cooked vegetables and cook another 10 – 15 minutes.

Serve over rice.



## Irish Potato Cakes

You need leftover mashed potatoes for this classic recipe.

### Directions

Combine 2 cups leftover mashed potatoes, a heaping 1/3 cup flour, 2 tablespoons milk and 1 tablespoon chopped mixed herbs in a bowl; knead until smooth. Season with salt and pepper. Divide into 4 balls on a floured surface and flatten each into a 3-inch patty. Melt 1 1/2 tablespoons butter in a large skillet over medium-high heat; add the patties and cook until golden brown, 4 to 5 minutes per side, adding more butter to the pan as needed. Season with salt.

Source: <http://www.foodnetwork.com/recipes/>

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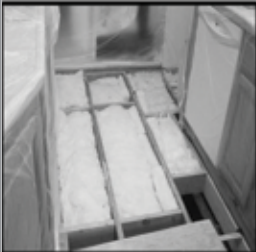


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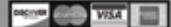
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## WORD FUN ~ OPPOSITES

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### Do you know the opposite of ‘warmth’?

It’s coolth. Yep, that’s right.

If warmth evokes a pleasantly warm sensation, coolth suggests an enjoyable coolness.

The word has been around since the 1500s and is generally used in good humor.

Ezra Pound, J.R.R. Tolkien, and Rudyard Kipling all used this uncommon word in their writing.

Taken from Dictionary.com

## FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

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2 – Joan Mrowiec

24 – Kim Gaines



## FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARIES

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20 – Vladimir & Cornelia Moldovan

For birthdays, we would like to know the month and day you were born. (No years, please.)

For Anniversaries: The Month, Day and if you want to include the year, that would be great.

Please call, e-mail me or see me so that I can get this information from you. Thank you so much for your participation.

## PLEASE SLOW DOWN

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**T**he Speed Limit in our community is 10mph! We have a few residents that consistently violate this policy.

Their lack of regard for the safety of the residents and wild life may lead to a needless tragedy. Many residents have physical handicaps whether it is simply a small problem with mobility or being hearing or visually impaired.

Many of us use our streets to take walks or visit with each other.

Someone could be injured, and it would be a needless tragedy. Please be courteous to everyone, and slow down. There is no reason to use excessive speed inside our community.



## WIN WITH THE VENDORS OF CRYSTAL LAKE PARK

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**W**hether you need a Plumber, a Vapor barrier or a new roof, the first and best place to look is in the Media! Supporting the vendors in the Media keeps the monthly newsletter available and helpful to each homeowner because sooner or later you are going to need a service that is advertised.

In appreciation of your support, you could be eligible to win \$5.00 to \$100! Once a job has been completed at your home, the Vendor will provide you with a Monthly Media contest entry ticket.

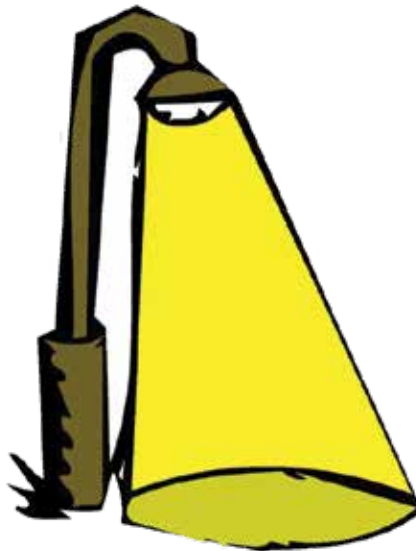
All you need to do is fill out the ticket and deposit it in the Media box that is located in the clubhouse. There is a limit of one entry per month.

## STREET LIGHT OUT

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**W**e want to keep all our residents safe especially walking in the park. If you can provide an address to after dark

If you know of a streetlight that is on or not working properly, you can call Duke Energy at (727) 443-2641 with the number on the pole and/or a nearby address. We need to keep our streets well lighted and safe. You can also use the Duke Energy website to make the report.





# February Sudoku

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



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4100 Suzie

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## EVENTS & PROGRAMS

BC MART in Briar Creek, 100 Briar  
Creek Blvd off McMullen Booth! Used  
goods of all kinds; just a fun place  
to hunt for all kinds of treasures; just  
follow the red arrow. Open Wed & Sat  
10-Noon!

Gateway MHP Community Sale,  
Saturday February 3rd, 8am-2pm.  
10100 Gandy Blvd. St. Petersburg,  
33716

Annual Bazaar - Lincolnshire Estates  
1071 Donegan Rd, Largo. Sat. Feb.  
3rd 8am-noon. Breakfast and lunch  
available.

Annual Rummage Sale. Harbor  
Lights MHP 9191 Baypines Blvd, St  
Petersburg. Saturday February 3rd,  
9am-1pm.

Annual Yard Sale. February 3rd  
2018 8am - 11:30am in Crosswinds  
MHP 4125 Park St. N., St Petersburg.  
Household goods, furniture, jewelry,  
clothing, bedding, etc.

Shangri La Annual Garage Sale.  
Saturday, February 10th 8:00AM -  
2:00PM. All kinds of good stuff. 249  
Jasper St., off Missouri.

Carport Sale - February 17th, Rancho  
Village, Ulmerton Rd., 8am-3pm.

Largo, multi carports sale! Saturday,  
Feb. 17, Teakwood Village East.  
800 Missouri Ave. 8am-1pm.  
Refreshments in Aloha Hall. Lots of  
great bargains! Furniture, glassware,  
jewelry, clothing, household,  
crafts, and more.

ANNUAL BAZAAR: Feb. 17th,  
2018, 9:00am to 1:00pm. Shady Lake  
Oaks, 15777 Bolesta Rd, Clearwater.  
Breakfast and lunch available.  
Household items, furniture and more.  
50/50 drawings and raffles.

TRASH TO TREASURE SALE:  
Serendipity Mobile Home Park,  
Saturday February 17th, 8am-1pm  
at 29081 Hwy 19N, East Clubhouse.  
Bedding, dishes, furniture, appliances,  
tools, sporting goods, home baked  
goods, basket raffles, coffee & donuts  
on the deck, lunch available. Something  
for everyone. COME JOIN US!

La Plaza MHP Carport Sale. 6700  
150th Ave. N., Clearwater. Saturday,  
February 17th, 8am-1pm.

RUMMAGE - BAKE SALE -  
DUNEDIN: Saturday, February 17,  
2018, 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM, Lake Haven  
Mobile Home Park - Treasure Cove  
Clubhouse 1415 Main St. (SR580),  
South on Lake Haven Road, East into  
Treasure Cove, watch for signs. Small  
Appliances, Linens, cloths, furniture,  
baked goods. Breakfast and Lunch  
items available.

ANNUAL FLEA MARKET FOUR  
SEASONS ESTATES, LARGO.  
Saturday, February 24, 8am-1pm. \$1.00  
early bird entry fee 7:30am-8:00am.  
Furniture, clothes, tools, jewelry, linens,  
books, homemade baked goods, snack  
bar, raffles and more. Complimentary  
golf cart shuttle. 13225 101st Street,  
Largo, off Ulmerton behind the Largo  
Mall and Golden Corral.

Colonial Village Flea Market, 2000  
East Bay Dr. Sat. Feb. 24, 8-12noon

CARPOT SALE, Sat. Feb. 24th.  
Clearwater Cascades MHP, 9790 66th  
St.N., 8AM-12PM.

Carport Sale February 24th East Bay  
Oaks 601 Starkey Road, Largo. 9am to  
2pm

ANNUAL SALE: Saturday February  
24th, 8A-1P. Household, clothing,  
furniture, misc., holiday, bakery,  
lunch. Bag sale 12 -1. Westwind I  
and II Clubhouses. 3301 Alternate 19,  
Dunedin. Enter off County Rd 1 or  
Alternate 19.

DORAL VILLAGE BAZAAR, Sat.,  
Feb. 24th, 8am-1pm. 29250 US Hwy  
19N, Clearwater. Furniture, Clothing,  
Linens, Books, Appliances, Kitchen  
Items, Glassware, Jewelry, Baked  
Goods, Raffles, Donuts, Coffee, and  
Lunch!

**Note: Emporium is 2 pages**

## MARCH AD DEADLINE - FEBRUARY 10, 2018

- Advertise BUY, SELL, TRADE ITEMS by sending copy & check to Monthly Media at 220 Bahama St, Venice, FL 34285.
- Ads over 10 words must be accompanied by \$.80 per extra word or publisher will edit. • No mobile home sales, no professional products or services. SORRY: No ads accepted by phone or email. DEADLINE: 10th OF EACH MONTH.

## Emporium Continued

February 24th Sugar Creek Annual Carport Sale 8 am-?. 10265 Ulmerton, Largo.

BAZAAR: Saturday, March 3, 2018 Down Yonder 7001 142nd Avenue N, Largo 33771. Special Raffle for New Samsung Galaxy Tablet-10

Paradise Island Annual Flea Market March 3, 2018, 9 AM to 1 PM. Tables available call Marcia 727-953-3616. Over 60 Vendors, food, bake sale and more. Early entry 8am \$1.

Caribbean Isles Rummage Sale: March 17th 8-1. Food and baked goods. Tables \$10 two for \$15. Call Brenda 262-331-0030

## MARCH AD DEADLINE - FEBRUARY 10, 2018

### We Need Cover Pictures! Send in Your Interesting Photos!

**Get Your Picture on the Cover** - We select a new and interesting picture every month to be printed on the cover of your newsletter. If you or your neighbors have fun events or activities please send in a picture and we'll enter it to be selected. Please include a description of the image and a brief release allowing us to reprint the picture. Our mailing and email address are here:



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

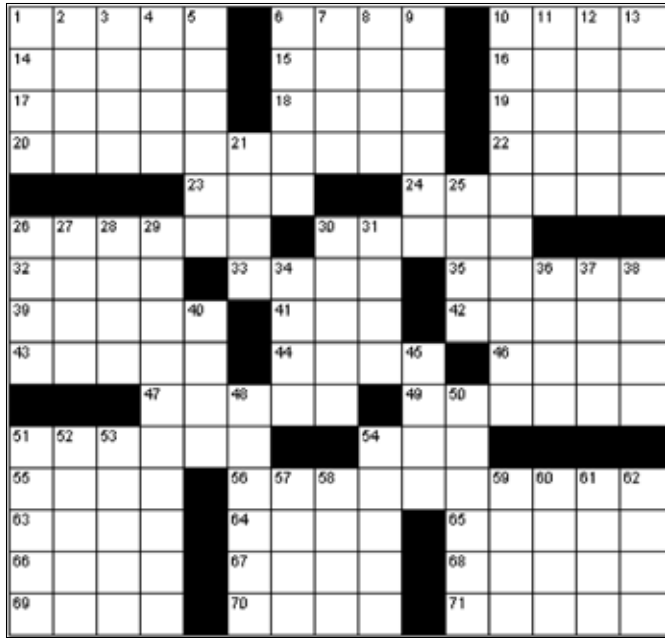
Jim Walters..... \$100 .....	Imperial Electric	Tom Foley..... \$5 .....	Buggin Out Pest Control, Inc.
Kathy Herman..... \$10 .....	Dave St. John Mobile Wash & Wax	Jackie Cunningham..... \$5 .....	Bobs Mobile Home Washing
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• Limit of one ticket per visit • 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.



**ACROSS**

- 1. Double agents
- 6. As a result
- 10. They come from hens
- 14. Beautify
- 15. Hindu princess
- 16. Flame
- 17. Tropical vine
- 18. Wings
- 19. A Roman deity
- 20. Communicable
- 22. 1 1 1 1
- 23. Do-it-yourselfer's purchase
- 24. Terrapin or tortoise
- 26. Self-centeredness
- 30. Breakfast bread
- 32. Bacterium
- 33. Ancient Biblical kingdom
- 35. Run off to marry
- 39. Klutzy
- 41. Metric unit of area
- 42. Kidney-related
- 43. Tale
- 44. Bronzes your skin
- 46. Stars
- 47. Hebrew unit of dry measure
- 49. Tenant
- 51. Orbital high point
- 54. Fellow
- 55. Formal dress
- 56. Vote
- 63. Largest continent
- 64. Double-reed woodwind
- 65. Not tight
- 66. A hole for the escape of gas or air
- 67. Colored part of an eye
- 68. Aromatic compound
- 69. Border
- 70. Not a single one
- 71. Not those



**DOWN**

- 1. French Sudan
- 2. Chief Norse god
- 3. A unit of bread
- 4. Sea eagle
- 5. Light informal meals
- 6. Attribute
- 7. Angelic headgear
- 8. A Central American sloth
- 9. Afternoon snooze
- 10. Easy
- 11. A very tall fellow
- 12. A thin porridge
- 13. Detect
- 21. An indefinite period
- 25. Utilizer
- 26. Auspices
- 27. Lady's man
- 28. Chocolate cookie
- 29. Make pregnant
- 30. Pentateuch
- 31. Portent
- 34. Information
- 36. Burden
- 37. Sheet of glass
- 38. Otherwise
- 40. Sort
- 45. Aspersion
- 48. An opiate
- 50. Lace place
- 51. Sisal
- 52. Modeled
- 53. Being in debt to
- 54. Fliers in V's
- 57. A river in Spain
- 58. Stab or thrust (archaic)
- 59. Nibble
- 60. Lavish affection (on)
- 61. Purposes
- 62. No more than





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