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UPCOMING EVENTS

- April 2nd – Saturday – Luau Dance @ 7:00 p.m.
- April 6th – Wednesday – Continental Breakfast @ 9:00 a.m.
- April 9th – Saturday – Gateway Activities Organization Meeting @ 10:00 a.m.

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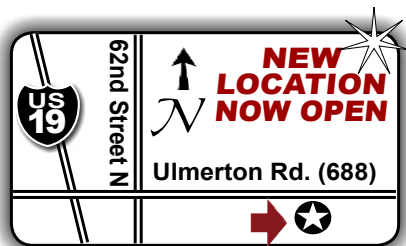
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GAO ANNUAL MEETING

Our annual meeting was held on Thursday, March 3rd. Approximately 30 residents attended. President Cheryl Williams presented her report highlighting this past seasons activities. Park activities remain on sound financial footing and attendance remains stable. For these reasons we can look forward to future seasons of regular and special events.

GATEWAY ACTIVITIES ORGANIZATION

Cheryl Williams, President

The time for our Snow birds to return to their summer residences is upon us. All of our regular activities will be winding done by the end of this month. Pancake Breakfast served their final meal on March 12th and will resume in the fall. This being said, we still have some activities that will continue through the end of this month and one special event, annual season ending Luau Dance (Saturday, April 2nd).

The April 9th Steering Committee meeting will be devoted to scheduling of activities for the 2016-2017 Winter Season. Chairman and individual activity committee members should have starting dates and ending dates in mind and be ready to discuss considerations for when scheduling conflicts may come about. The Halloween Dance is set for Saturday, October 29th; New Years Dance will be on a Saturday evening. We do have some people who are going to be retiring from their activities after a number of years and we will need volunteers to take over these activities. Anyone interested should attend the April Steering Committee meeting.

GATEWAY HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION

Len Stevens, President

The final monthly meeting for the season was held Monday evening March 7th, 7:30 PM at the Gateway clubhouse. In addition to the board and officers there were 12 resident observers.

The board discussed the feasibility of communicating their concerns and that of the residents directly to the owners.

Lew Wood provided the board with details regarding the feeding and care for the Park swans. All indications are that the swans are being adequately and properly cared for and that there are plans in place for others to see to their care when Lew is not available. It was reported the cost for veterinary care is the responsibility of the GHA and that expenses for feed for the swans is shared 50/50 with Gateway owners/management.

Other noted issues of concern included: annual rent increases; stop signs; benches; dead palm trees; security camera at side gate and our status as 55 plus manufactured home park.

It was noted that the clubhouse kitchen area will be worked on over the summer and there was a suggestion as to the addition of a defibrillator to the clubhouse.

We look forward to seeing you when regular meetings resume in October.



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AN EDITORIAL

Pete Soehnen, The Editor

One of the primary purposes of the NewsNDos is to provide information regarding the social activities that are and continue to be varied and attractive to the residents. Prior to ARC Investments purchase of Gateway, there were virtually no social activities during the heat of the Florida summer months. Activities then, as now, followed the seasonal (snowbird) comings and goings.

Over the past 10 years there have been assorted attempts to promote and maintain a more active social schedule throughout the summer. Though promising at times, each attempt has succumbed to either or both of what is said to be the universal failings of volunteer resourced activities; lack of attendance or lack of volunteers. Consider, as late as 2007 a NewsNDos column lists a cast of 49 appearing at the annual Choir Show. This past months annual Choir Show, that has been resoundingly praised, was written, produced, directed and performed through the efforts of fewer than 20.

Our Potluck Dinner committee? Judy Mitsch and Gail Negri have been on the job each month performing all the background tasks necessary for the past six years; Continental Breakfast, Kathy and I, 8 years; Bike Parade committee, each week (until recently), on the job for 10 years, word is that Barb Fuelling would gladly take over and guarantee the continuation of Potluck Dinner, but to even suggest that she and Jon take this on in addition to Bike Parade is sheer lunacy.

What those who attend, participate and appreciate our social activity regimen need to be aware of is maintaining a viable group of volunteers. We do not lack for attendance at our functions, we are however beginning to see the affects of the pressure upon those whom we have come to rely upon. Telling those who have been and are willing to continue to give of their time, talent and toil, how much you appreciate their efforts can only go so far. Recall that for the first time in years, Gateway did not have a community Christmas Dinner at the Clubhouse. This was not due to a belief that there would be too few attending to make it worth the effort, rather that there were not enough volunteers available to do all that was necessary in order to provide it. We need more people willing to give of their time and effort to assist our Gateway Activities Chairpersons!

The GAO Steering Committee will meet this month on Saturday, April 9th at 10:00 a.m. for the purpose of preparing the schedule of Gateway Activities during the 2016-17 season, October through April. Please consider attending.

NEWS N DOS BY MAIL

Forms are available on the table at the East Clubhouse entrance for those wishing to receive a printed copy of News N Dos throughout the summer at their northern home or an address outside Gateway. The form is self-explanatory and the cost for this service is \$1.50 per issue. Do keep in mind that News N Dos is available online at the beginning of each month by following link <http://www.monthlymedia.info/gtGateway.html>.





GATEWAY CHOIR SHOW

Kathleen Soehnlén, Director

It was the Choirs night to shine! From Laverne and Shirley announcing "We're gonna do it!" to the group and duo Carol Burnett's sayin' "So Long!!" **Shine they certainly did!** Once again the Choir worked diligently preparing for our yearly production. their love of music and fun was evident as they brought their voices and zany antics to the stage as teenagers on American Bandstand, kinfolk of Kornfield County, residents of Shady pines and Stone faced hippies. A special Jersey Girl medley to Annie Williams was given by Lana and Betty Kennedy. The audience warmly welcomed the returns of old favorites Mike Johnson, Gateways favorite announcer and our very own Dick Clark. Lana Ray Cyrus, our talented Kitchen Band and the nursing home gang. (Be assured that Sister Beverly made it safely onto the bus.) Great highlights filled the clubhouse with the roar of laughter. Bob Harris full of Love Potion #9; Pete Soehnlén with a favorite Archie Campbell routine and Cheryl Williams performing an hilarious version of Patsy Cline. Add the commercial spots for our new sponsor performed by Judy Mitsch and Barb Fuelling. Thanks Nap Time!

Front and Center, The Gateway Choir Bob Harris, Marlene Johnson, Lana Kennedy, Barb Koubeck, Ellen Mickelson, Judy Mitsch, Beverly Obrian, Leroy Phillips, Bonnie Sisco, Cheryl Williams and Director, Kathy Soehnlén

Behind the Scenes Stage manager, Gail Negri, doing a fine job making sure props were correctly placed and available when needed. Curtain handlers, June Boudreau and Chris Kennedy. Larry Koubeck for Posters and Facebook videos. Dolly Obrien and Sandy Vertz for Social hour food tables. Pete Soehnlén, responsible for all computer work necessary for the success of our show. He took on the job of providing the choir with downloaded song audios and supplied the individual practice CD's with all the songs for rehearsals and the show.

The show of support by our audience with laughter and applause and the sounds of voices joining us in song, makes our weeks of rehearsals and choreography worth all the effort.

GATEWAY BINGO

Ron Martin, Chairman

Chuck & Debbie Gross, Co-Treasurers

March 15th saw the highest attendance for the season at Gateway Bingo. Needless to say, this also brought the highest per game payouts. Gateway Bingo will continue throughout the month of April.

The Bingo Committee is looking for people interested participating as game callers and assisting with pre-game sales. Contact Ron Martin or Chuck and Debbie Gross if you are interested.

Gateway Bingo is played each Tuesday, at the Clubhouse. Sale of game sheets begins at 5 and is set to end at 6:00; play usually begins around 6:15. A full session of 18 games with a 15 minute break usually ends close to 9:00 p.m.

So, come join in the fun each Tuesday at the clubhouse for an evening of Gateway Bingo.



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SWAN NEWS FROM THE PONDS

Lew Wood and Deborah Gray

A reminder that the swans are afforded a special diet at the direction of the veterinarian. Parents and grandparents with children will discover that by merely standing at the fence in their vicinity, the swans will approach if you are quiet and remain still. Under no conditions should stale bread be offered. Dogs, especially those with aggressive personalities, should not be walked in the common area surrounding the front pond.

Special care should be taken by those fishing to avoid the swans altogether. There was an occasion where an errantly tossed lure became embedded in the side of one of the swans and it took extraordinary measures to capture and then remove the lure and correct what could have been a life threatening event. The swans are quite curious and easily attracted to a lure being tossed and retrieved.

Our Gateway swans are a valuable asset and very precious to a great many park residents and though the ponds are available we request you exercise extreme care by avoiding all birds when fishing.

We continue to accept donations from residents for the purchase of food and the care of the swans. We still recycle all metals, large and small. The money goes for the swan's food and upkeep and also for the activities of the park.

You can contact Lew Wood at 576-8422 for metal pickup.

LADIES DAY

Dorinda Houghton Barnes

Ladies Day Chairwoman

Ladies, Lana is still awaiting photos of each of us at the prime period of our lives, she has a few photos for her collage but would appreciate more; so come on girls get out your photos of yesteryear and let us all see each other. It is likely there will be some of us we won't be able to recognize.

At the NewsNDos deadline we hadn't decided where we are going for our April luncheon, but I believe it will be Gulfport. We will have a sign up sheet ready nearer the time, usually we put one at least a week before.

Gateway Ladies Day meets at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday mornings. Coffee is brewing and all Gateway ladies are invited to the clubhouse to share in game playing and crafting or sewing. We bring our lunch, whether it be Yogurt or a sandwich or soup, and we usually eat between 11:30 and Noon.

Some of our Gateway ladies would like to resume making projects for local charitable organizations and nursing homes. Previously our projects were made with donated fabrics. Our current supply of fabrics is low. This is also true of material and supplies for our Christmas Bazaar items. We appreciate any support you can provide.

Hope to see you next Tuesday.





GATEWAY SHUFFLEBOARD

Dick Gilbert

Well, shuffleboard season came to a wonderful close. Although we placed last in both leagues, there is promise of things to come as the newer players begin to catch on to the whims of the game. Our Soup and Salad social was a great evening of food and door prizes. In total we served at least 80 people. My appreciation and thanks to all the chefs and those who helped serve. Kathryn Kurzhals, Betty Kennedy, Ellen Mickelson, Cheryl Williams, Bob Harris and Chuck Gross were the soup and chili cooks. Helpers included Margaret Best, Doris Pion, Harold Hooker, Chris and Bob Kennedy. Many thanks to these and all who assisted in making our fundraiser a success.

The best time yet was with the In-Park Shuffleboard Tournament held Saturday, March 5th. Twenty-two people registered in the doubles event held with a random drawing for partners. Repeating non-team entrants were Pete Soehnen, Diane Altemus, Herb Trenholm, Mike Johnson, Jean Tranchina, Francis Negri and Jon Fuelling. First time tournament players included Berk Parsons, Mike Girardot and John Schreiber. The tournament format was such that first round winners continued in the Main Event bracket where any subsequent loss resulted in elimination. Those teams losing in the first round went to a Consolation Bracket.

The Tournament Results



Consolation Bracket: 2nd Place; Doris Pion and Diane Altemus
1st Place; Bob Harris and Mike Girardot
Main Event: 2nd Place; Ray Santucci and Berk Parsons
1st Place; Jack LaFraniere and Herb Trenholm

Another highlight of the day was the quarter-pound hot dogs served with the free lunch provided to all Tournament participants. Our Chef Chuck Gross was unavailable, but good neighbor Ted Baker came to the rescue. Thanks for the help Ted! All in all it was a great day. I hope those who were able to be there had a good time and will enter again next year and maybe even join with the Gateway Shuffle Club in the fall. We are always seeking people to add to our roster.

It has been my pleasure to serve as President of the Club and as Captain of the How-U-All Friday league.

Thanks to all our members and supporters of Gateway Shuffleboard!

LINE DANCING

Lana Kennedy

It's a Line Dance "Thang". We really like challenging our selves and dancing like no one is watching. Try it for this last month of April and maybe you will enjoy it enough to join us when we start again in October. I, myself, will be line dancing in New Jersey with the seniors this summer and maybe learn a new thing or two. You all have a great summer where ever you are.



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CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

Pete and Kathy Soehnen, Chairpersons

There were 44 residents and guests at our Continental Breakfast on March 2nd. It was especially satisfying to see this many. Everyone appeared to have a pleasant morning of breakfast pastries, raisin toast, tea and coffee, as they chatted with their Gateway friends and neighbors.



Wednesday, April 6th is the final Continental Breakfast of the season and we look forward to seeing you there.

Continental Breakfast is held at 9:00 a.m. the first Wednesday of each month October through April. The breakfast is supplied by ARC Investments through their Management and all residents are welcome to attend.

POTLUCK DINNER

Gail Negri and Judy Mitsch, Chairpersons



March 8th was the last Potluck Dinner of the season and it was one of the best. 36 people attended and we had lots of good food and desserts. Judy and I will no longer be hosting this activity and would like to thank everyone for attending our potlucks and cooking all these great dishes month after month. Special thanks to all the people who have assisted us over the years. We couldn't have done it without you. Potluck Dinner will resume in October and we look forward to attending this great activity throughout the coming seasons.

BIKE PARADE

Barb and Jon Fuelling, Chairpersons

The warm weather is finally here! Good to see everyone come out and join us at Bike Parade. One week we had 20 riders on the road!! Too bad the Bike Parade season is winding down. The last Bike Parade of the season will be held on April 14th. Remember there is no Bike Parade on April 7th, the day after Continental Breakfast. Hope to see you all at this seasons last Bike Parade, and for all those traveling home, have a safe and healthy summer.



LUAU DANCE

Lana Kennedy

The season is almost over and wasn't it Grand!! The Dances, the Choir Show, Christmas and everything in between. We still have the Luau to enjoy on April 2nd. I hope you will all come and party with us-- it's FREE to all residents (\$5.00 for all non-residents). Thanks again to Pancake Breakfast. Bring your own Fire Water and a plate to share.

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PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Dick Gilbert, Chairman

Our final Breakfast of this season was March 12th. What a turnout, we served seventy people not counting our staff.

Figuring amounts for food to have on hand is always a 'crapshoot,' especially the last breakfast of the season. You do not want anything leftover in the Gateway freezer.

[That's why I raided our freezer 'dear,' but don't worry I hear they are still making more.]

Remember, all monies are held for supporting park functions or needs that park owners do not supply. And all of your Pancake Breakfast Committee wish to thank you for your loyal attendance.

Dick Gilbert, Wally McAninch, Chris Kennedy, Harold Hooker and Berk Parsons are those who volunteer their time and effort to provide the premium Gateway Pancake Breakfast twice each month. We hope to see you again this coming Fall.





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Gateway

Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			<p style="text-align: right;">1</p> 7:00A Golf 6:30P Euchre <i>April Fool's Day</i>	<p style="text-align: right;">2</p> 7:00P Luau Dance
<p style="text-align: right;">5</p> Golf Ladies Day Bingo	<p style="text-align: right;">6</p> 9:00A Continental Breakfast 6:00P Holdem Poker	<p style="text-align: right;">7</p> 6:30P Game Night	<p style="text-align: right;">8</p> 7:00A Golf 6:30P Euchre	<p style="text-align: right;">9</p> 10:00A GAO Meeting
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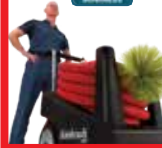
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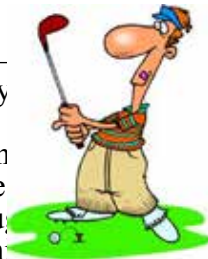
We had an infusion of some new books--thanks to Cassie Gilbert. And I am opening up some new shelving to make it easier to find things.

GATEWAY MEN'S GOLF

Lew Wood and Dick Gilbert

Gateway golfers have been splitting their early morning Tuesday and Friday Mainlands Golf Club and Cypress Links at Mangrove Bay.

For you new golfers at Gateway, we play twice weekly (early morning Friday. Mainlands Golf Club offers a very affordable Back 9 with a cart for the Cypress Links is Par 3, comparably priced with Mainlands with a cart, though to walk. Cypress Links is located east of 4th Street off 62nd Ave North, which is accessed off US 19 just north of Walmart/Park Blvd. Each are between 10 and 15 minutes from Gateway. Following our round we often stop for coffee and chat at the 4th Street McDonald's just south of Gandy or breakfast at Spring Gardens on 62nd Avenue.



For information regarding an opportunity to be part of our groups you may contact Lew Wood at 576-8422 or Richard Gilbert at 329-8017.

THE GATEWAY RUMOR MILL

The Open House at the recently completed new home on 1st Way was well attended. Word is that both residents and non-residents have shown a keen interest and the price is not causing that interest to be an automatic non-starter. The park is virtually full, Gateway continues to have 13 lots vacant and available for homes. If you are looking for a home, pickings are sparse. A recent ride-a-round survey for signs in windows revealed some rather interesting things. 102nd Terrace with construction on Gandy at times around-the-clock has nothing to offer For Sale; 1st Street, one vacant lot and no homes actively being marketed; 1st Lane, three vacant lots and one double-wide; Bay Street, five vacant lots and two single-wides, and; 1st Way with three vacant lots, five single-wides and two double-wides including the one newly installed.



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WELCOME TO GATEWAY

Pat Oliverio and Emma Nebel

This month we would like to welcome David and Coleen Vanderbilt who moved to Bay Street in 2015. They have 8 children and 11 grandchildren. David continues to work as a security guard and performs regular maintenance, while Coleen enjoys arts and crafts. They enjoy being at Gateway and look forward to using the pool and hot tub.

Kurt and Kerry Reinert live on 1st Street and came to Gateway this year. They have 3 children, 4 grandchildren and each are retired from the airline industry. They have two 'dogs,' KoKo and Kandie. They enjoy biking and hockey games and spend time adding personal touches to their new place.

David and Susan Mattingly come to Gateway from Mentor, Ohio and live on 1st Street. They have 3 children and 2 grandchildren. David is a retired CFO and Susan a retired school secretary. They have two dogs, Emme and Harley. David enjoys gardening and socializing and Susan likes to read. They are certified dance instructors. David is also an amateur radio operator. Both say they enjoy being at Gateway.

David Krivena, also of 1st Street is from Seffner, retired from UPS and enjoys bike riding. Welcome to the Gateway Community!



GATEWAY LET'S CONNECT

June Boudreau, Coordinator

Want to be reminded of the activities schedule for the park? Then join in Let's Connect by sending your e-mail address to juneboudreau3@aol.com with a Subject Line of Let's Connect.

Let's Connect is a great way to stay aware of those once a month Gateway activities that we usually remember just hours before or the next day after the event. Event emails usually arrive a few days ahead but just in time for you to adjust your schedule and post a reminder to your calendar.

The Let's Connect notices now go to over 100 throughout the Park and is a great way to be reminded of events and regular activities.



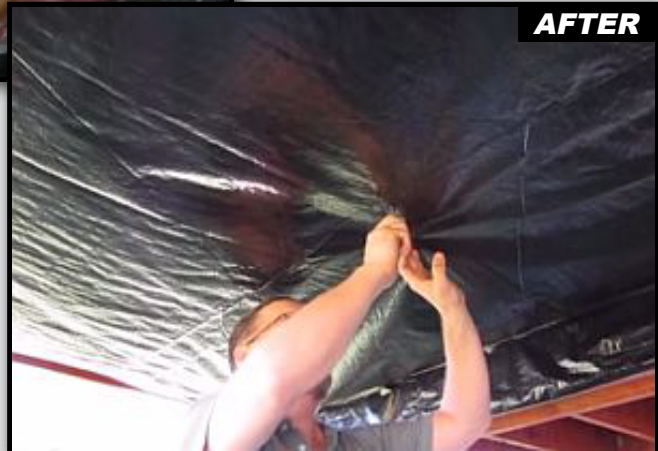
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Peter Soehrlen, NewsNDos Editor

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Please review your information to assure it is correct and listed as you wish for it to appear. When copies of the Directory are available, they will be delivered to residents with NewsNDos.

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April Sudoku



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7	6	1	5	3	8	4	9	2	8	4
2	5	8	4	9	6	1	3	7	8	2
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ANNIVERSARIES, BIRTHDAYS

The Editor

Wedding Anniversaries and Birthdays listed each month in the NewsNDos are based upon information supplied directly to the Editor or to the Welcome committee person who contacted you when you took up residence at Gateway. These dates are maintained separate from Park Directory information and are published only when people have chosen to share this 'personal' information.

If you do not see your name(s) listed it is because the Editor does not have the information in the Anniversary and Birthday Data Files and if you wish the information be published please contact the Editor, Peter Soehnlén, 10402 1st Street; (727) 269-9569, or; GAONews@tampabay.rr.com.

APRIL ANNIVERSARIES

Celebrating an Anniversary this month are:

8th	Herbert & Theresa Trenholm
15th	Frank & Gail Negri
23rd	Gary & Pam Prince
27th	Raymond & Millie Santucci (70th)



APRIL BIRTHDAYS

Celebrating a Birthday this month are:

1st	Judith Mitsch
3rd	Carolyn Rex
	June Boudreau
6th	Bob Harris
7th	Beverly Schipano
16th	Cass Gilbert
18th	Jose Robles
20th	Coleen Vanderbilt
22nd	Betty Goodfellow
23rd	Tim Riley
29th	John Lund
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Month of the Military Child. More than 2 million children in grades K-12 have parents who are serving in our military. Make a difference in the life of a military child by seeking out opportunities to acknowledge their sacrifice, volunteering for organizations that support them, and recognizing their contribution to the nation.

National Autism Awareness Month. A nationwide effort to promote autism awareness, inclusion, and self-determination for all and to ensure that each person on the autism spectrum is provided the opportunity to achieve the highest possible quality of life.

National Garden Month. Gardening grows fun for the whole family. Whether you're digging in the dirt, enjoying the magic of a small seed transforming into a beautiful flower, or observing the bugs, birds, and butterflies, gardening is a delightful way to celebrate the coming of spring.



Weekly

National Robotics Week, Apr. 2-10. The purpose of National Robotics Week is to celebrate the United States as a leader in robotics technology development, educate the public about how robotics technology impacts society, and advocate for increased funding for robotics technology research and development.

Animal Control Officer Appreciation Week, Apr. 10-16. This week recognizes the hardworking men and women who risk their lives and devote huge amounts of personal time and resources while serving the public and helping animals when no one else can.

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National Pet ID Week, Apr. 17-23. Collars and tags are a reliable way to identify your pets should they become lost. Make sure your dog, cat, or other animal friend always wears a current identification tag. Pet supply catalogs, stores, veterinary offices, and animal shelters often have forms to order ID tags.

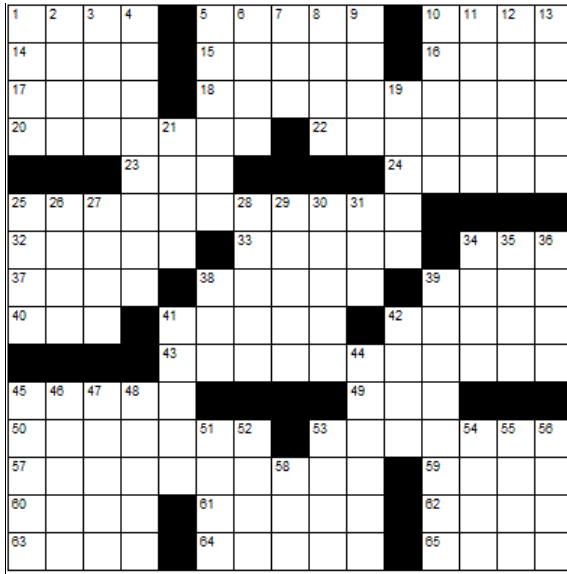




April Crossword

ACROSS

- 1. Decree
- 5. Yokels
- 10. Journey
- 14. Balcony section
- 15. Drink garnish
- 16. Hindu princess
- 17. Absent Without Leave
- 18. Intolerable
- 20. Deep purplish red
- 22. Sleep
- 23. Compete
- 24. Expectorates
- 25. Being present everywhere at once
- 32. Magnetic induction unit
- 33. Disorderly revelry
- 34. Chart
- 37. Connects two points
- 38. Growing old
- 39. Garden tool
- 40. N N N N
- 41. Display
- 42. Aromatic seeds
- 43. Walkers
- 45. Phillippine tribal chief
- 49. Charged particle
- 50. Forward
- 53. Clothing
- 57. Officer
- 59. Roman robe
- 60. Portent
- 61. Slogan
- 62. Black, in poetry
- 63. Lease
- 64. Overweight
- 65. Writing table



DOWN

- 1. Deception
- 2. Hawkeye State
- 3. All excited
- 4. Broadcast
- 5. A type of power tool
- 6. Forearm bone
- 7. Top part of an apron
- 8. Nights before
- 9. Secure against leakage
- 10. Vagabond
- 11. Jewish scholar
- 12. Arm of the sea
- 13. Wharves
- 19. Out of practice
- 21. Bites
- 25. Leer at
- 26. Principal
- 27. Religious sisters
- 28. Nosed (out)
- 29. A river through Paris
- 30. Anagram of "Sneer"
- 31. Henpeck
- 34. Mother
- 35. Analogous
- 36. Writing implements
- 38. Card with one symbol
- 39. Demolished or subverted
- 41. Athletics
- 42. Prune
- 44. Walk quietly
- 45. Painful grief
- 46. Japanese cartoon art
- 47. Not quite a teenager
- 48. Razz
- 51. Audition tape
- 52. Prig
- 53. Picnic insects
- 54. Gown
- 55. Prima donna problems
- 56. Lean
- 58. Consumed food



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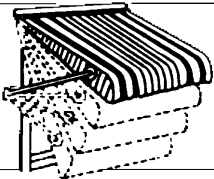
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Golf	Tuesday,	7:15 a.m. ...	Lew Wood.....	576-8422
Bingo.....	Tuesday,	5:00 p.m. ...	Ron Martin, Chair.....	(248) 821-5025
Holdem.....	Wednesday,	6:30 p.m.	Pete Soehlem.....	374-9287
Game Night.....	Thursday,	6:30 p.m.....		
Euchre.....	Friday,	6:30 p.m. ...		
Bicycle Parade	Thursday,	9:00 a.m.....	Barbara Fuelling	577-6042
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