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From your Board of Directors

t the Board of Directors meeting held on January 20, 2015, there were 17 shareholders present to observe the proceedings. Our financial report for the month of December 2014 indicates that income for the month was \$33,790 with expenditures of \$25,533. After one year of operation we are \$5,405 plus to budget on income and \$2,963 under budget on expenses making us \$8,369 plus to budget for 2014. The financial statement for each month is posted on the bulletin board at the rear of the hall for everyone to review. Motions were approved to transfer the interest earned on the reserve accounts into the deferred maintenance reserve account.





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Annual Meeting

The Association Annual Meeting is scheduled for 10:00 A.M. of February 17, 2015. <u>A</u> <u>quorum of shareholders is necessary to even have this meeting so it is important that</u> <u>shareholders either come to the meeting in person, or submit their proxy</u>. Proxies will be in the package being sent out at the beginning of February. The terms of Roger Bonenfant and Don Grubbs will expire in February, 2015. They have both served for 6 years and are not eligible to run again. Rich Avitabile will remain on the board until February 2016. Paul Carter and Dennis Dufault will remain on the board until February 2017. There are five candidates for director, Carol Gagliano, Don Kuzmickas, Sabina Piergiovanni-Soffritti, Helen Smith-Bonenfant and Michael Sorenson have submitted their resumes.

Returning To the Community

S nowbirds (and vacationers) returning to the community MUST sign back in at the office. If you have any changes to phone numbers or other information now is the time to update it since the new phone directories will need to be sent to the publisher by February.

Shut off water valves

f you are using the water outdoors, please remember to shut off the valve at the house instead of just turn the nozzle on the hose.

Parking and No Parking

This is being done in response to residents tripping over the stops at night and day. Hopefully the more vibrant color will aid our residents.

No Parking signs have been erected by the city on 82 Ave (behind houses on 1st Ave). In discussions with the police, the Board was informed that our residents cannot park any vehicles on the right of way. If you park there you WILL receive a ticket.

Light up at Night

f you are riding a bike or driving a golf car at night you should have lights on so others can see you.

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







Articles for the Newsletter

ny article submitted to the Golden Gate Newsletter should have the author identified. If you have a computer with an email connection, articles may be emailed to <u>ggmedia@</u> <u>tampabay.rr.com</u>, preferably by the Monday before the third Tuesday of the month. The Board of Directors' Meeting is the third Tuesday of the month and the agreement with the publisher gives us up to the day after the meeting to deliver copy to be published. If you don't have a computer you may continue to deliver a double-spaced paper copy, again, preferably by the Monday before the third Tuesday of the month.

Weed Program

s most of you are aware, we have a problem with the growth of weeds during the summer months, typically May through September. The weed problem we are concerned about is in the planter boxes and the front of the homes. Even those homes that have mulch or stones in the planter boxes will have weed growth.

The board does send "friendly reminders" to alert residents as stated in rule #16..."Each shareholder is responsible for the neat and orderly appearance of his or her premises at all times. However, the general response to the friendly reminders has been less than satisfactory.

We would like to aid in solving this problem by having our maintenance staff spray weed killer in the planter boxes or in front of the home for any resident that desires to participate. There will be a \$40.00 per year fee to cover the cost of the material for spraying from May through September. If you wish to participate in this program, send a check or pay cash to Jane in the office. If you choose to participate in this program, our maintenance staff will spray, beginning in May and ending in September. However, if you have ornamental plants that could be harmed by the spraying, you will have to make other arrangements, since we will not be responsible for any damages.

If you choose not to participate, the weed issue for planters and the front of your home will continue to be your responsibility, and be subject to the terms of rule #16 concerning work done in your absence.

Safety & Security



"Remove It!!" "Lock It!!" or "Lose It!!"

This is a new campaign to all Pinellas County residents to lock your vehicles. There have been a rash of burglaries to unlocked vehicles. Officers will be using notices on vehicles to instill upon the citizens to lock their vehicles so they won't become a victim.

The following Scam Alerts have been verified by Donna Saxer, Pinellas Park Crime Prevention Officer.....Don't be a victim! Continued on page 9



Which tastes Better? Coke or Pepsi? Do not call the phone number...it is a scam to get your personal information. They will try to set up an appointment to sell vacuum cleaners. Never give out personal information to someone you do not know.

People have received fake court documents via email. Do not open the attachment. It will activate a computer virus. DELETE THIS EMAIL! Official court documents such as subpoenas, depositions, court appearances are never sent via email.

(Thanks to Las Villas newsletter for the above information)

Parking Request

Thenever you, your guests, or contractors need to park out on the street, please follow Community Rules!

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V• No parking on the sidewalks. Your maintenance fees pay for all repairs.

• Please use common sense and do not park near or on corners or close to intersections. We would encourage parking on the same side of the street to avoid traffic having to "zig-zag" to get by. This causes obstructions and creates a dangerous situation for cars, golf carts and bicycles trying to proceed by the vehicles.

"Tis The Season"

Just a reminder that once Pinellas County swells with our welcome "snow-birds" petty theft and vandalism tend to increase. It is wise to always keep your home and vehicle doors locked and lock up your bikes, trikes, tools and sheds even when you are home. As always, please remember there is no soliciting allowed in our Community and you should call the Police dispatch number 541-0758 to report all solicitors. Never invite them in to your home.

Maintenance Staff Assistance

f you identify a maintenance item around the Community, please ask someone in the office (Jane or a member of the board) to complete a work order for Lam or Tran. This allows them to track, prioritize and complete their daily work load. Thank you!

Golf Cart Parking

Board of Directors



I has been brought to the Board's attention that many unit owners are leaving their golf carts parked between units. This causes a problem for the Association's Lawn Contractor, for it impacts his ability to perform his responsibilities in a proper manner. Please refrain from parking the carts on the lawn areas, especially on Mondays, the designated day for lawn cuttings. Your cooperation is truly appreciated.

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Bicycles

Dease remember that bicycles are vehicles and must obey all traffic laws including stopping at all stop signs. This applies to residents and visitors.

Violation of Community Rules

There is an intake form for violation of Community Rules in the office for your use. An ongoing concern of your Board of Directors is that written complaints are received in the office without a signature of the complainant. Please understand the Board is not required to act on any unsigned complaint, and we do not ever reveal who the complainant is.

REMINDER

he Association continues to collect aluminum cans for recycling. For your convenience, four (4) stations have been designated as pick – up areas.

- One is the trash building behind the Clubhouse.
- One (blue container) is in the east area of the Shuffle Court.
- One (blue container) is at the Maintenance Area.
- One on the rear patio. Thank you for your contributions and cooperation.



U.S. Postal Service Carrier

If you are returning to the Community after being gone for the summer, please put a note on the outside of your box stating you are back. Also please remove sticker dot from your box.

Thank you.

Pool, Spa, and Shower

THESE PRODUCTS WERE FOUND AROUND THE POOL AND SHOWER AREA. THEY ARE NOT ALLOWED AND ARE CAUSING YOUR FELLOW RESIDENTS TO SLIP AND HURT THEMSELVES.

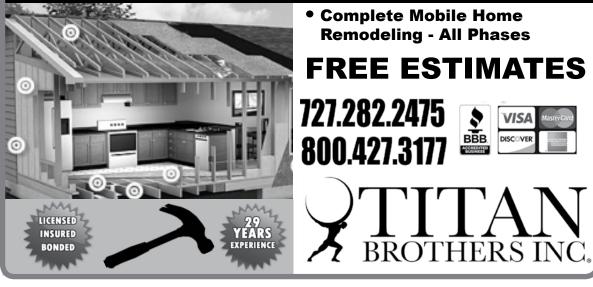


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Recycling on Wednesday

N To plastic bags please!

Aluminum Cans – Empty aluminum cans used for drinks or food. Rinse and crush if possible.

Cartons – Empty gable-top beverage containers such as milk, half and half or orange juice cartons. Rinse and crush if possible.

Glass – Empty glass bottles or jars (all colors). Labels okay. No caps or lids.

Mixed Paper – Any clean, dry paper item that tears, such as white or colored paper, shredded paper, office paper, magazines, catalogs, phone books, junk mail, envelopes, wrapping paper, or paperboard items such as cereal boxes. No paper towels or tissues.

Newspapers – Clean and dry newspapers (including inserts). No string or twine. It's okay to put the news¬papers inside a paper bag.

Plastic Bottles – Empty bottles such as water, soda or mouthwash bottles. Rinse and crush if possible. No need to check for a number—just "check for a neck" (i.e., an opening smaller than the base). Bottles only; no tubs, cups or bags. Labels okay. Caps okay but remove the cap from the bottle so that liquids dry out. Place the cap and the bottle in the bin.

Steel (Tin) Cans – Empty steel cans used for food such as soup cans. Labels and lids okay. No paint cans. Aerosol cans okay. Rinse if possible.



THANK YOU

Words cannot adequately convey our full level of appreciation for the kindness, love and prayers extended to Myrtle and myself during her illness and since her passing. Our Golden Gate friends were a true blessing and encouragement to Myrtle. To each and every one whose thoughts and prayers helped us accept the unacceptable, God bless you. Your belief in God and His purpose, as well as your outreach to us, helped us cope every day. Myrtle has passed through the open door that leads to eternal rest and we know she is at peace.

Kathy O'Brien and Laura Worthy

or the many cards and wonderful comfort food and for all the thoughtfulness from friends and neighbors concerning Mike's passing.

Most of all thank you for your prayers for Mike and our family.

God bless this Golden Gate community in which I am privileged to live.

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FROM JOAN GLENNON

Y sincere and most heartfelt thank you from the Foster children of Pinellas County to the generous residents of Golden Gate. Each and every tag on our Angel tree provided so many children with such a wonderful Christmas. Many thanks to the members of the Men's Club and the Neighbors Helping Neighbors project for their generosity. Those of you who gave of your personal time and effort to help make our Angel tree such a success again this year. Each year so many of you are so caring and keep so many children believing in the true meaning of Christmas knowing that so many people care. A special thank you to Lam and Tran for setting up the Angel tree and to Jane Hotchkiss for receiving each gift as it is returned to the office. I have received over 100 thank you notes from the children whose Christmas was made a little merrier thanks to your effort.



Foster Parent Association Of Pinellas County

The Foster Parent Association is a non-profit organization that supports foster parents and the children in foster care in Pinellas County. This area stretches from Tarpon Springs to the Pinellas Bayway.

There are up to 800 Plus children from ages 0-18 at any time in state custody at any time throughout the County. There are many reasons that bring a child into care. Most resulting from abuse, neglect, or abandonment.

There are many services provided by the agencies serving the community but there are no funds provided for field trips, school pictures, birthdays or Christmas. These extras are the reason the F.P.A. reaches out to the generosity of organizations and private donations from the community.

Being away from family members is very traumatic for a child and it is very important for these children to lead as normal an existence as possible. With your generosity, be it food, clothing or monetary donations, you can feel assured that you are supporting those in need within your community.

Our heartfelt THANKS and gratitude are graciously extended to you.

Golden Gate Church

The Church in The Park

Non-denominational Services: 8:45 AM–Sunday–Golden Gate Hall Paul Carter–(Lot 87) With sadness, we announce the passing of Pastor Howard Thompson who was the first Pastor of the Golden Gate Church which began in December 1984. He was an inspiration and his contributions will be dearly missed. We are happy to announce that our congregation is growing with the return of our northern friends. Pastor Bowers continues to bless us with his spiritual message each Sunday morning. Pastor Bowers reminds us to always carry our swords to church, (your Bible).

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Welcome to New Residents

- 1. Marcel and Claire BelAir are partl time residents at 22 B St. They come from Timmons, Ontario.
- 2. Lee and Elaine DeBeaudry are part time residents at 106 A St. They are from Livonia, MI
- 3. Henry and Barbara Pieszcynski are part time residents at 404 New Circle Dr. from Eatontown, NJ







The Directory Good-bye Winter, Happy St Valentines Day



Library News

Janet Bankhead

Tow that all the fun holidays are over and things are quieting down, (ha ha) now is a good time to sit down with an exciting book, with a cup of coffee or tea, and relax.

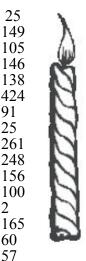
 \mathbf{L} **N** There are two interesting 3-d puzzles in the collection that will be a fun challenge to people who like to do those things.

Please remember to return all books and puzzles into the basket provided. That is how the librarians assess usage, and determine which articles are popular and which are not. This speaks to changes in the total inventory each year.

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Birthdays in February

- 1Tom Leitch252Peter Hervey149
- Joris Bigham
 Joyce Fujimoto
 Joseph Petit
 Dorothy Rissinger
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- 4 Denise Ronnie Klein 91 Susan Leitch 25 Cindy May 26 Jo-Anne Tullis 24
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ourtesy of the golden gate shuffle club, the Tullahoma K-Krewe will present a musical show on Sunday march 1st 2015 at 7:00 pm. Tickets will be \$5.00 per person, sales for residents will be on February 24th 9:00 until 10:00am in the pool room. Tickets for all others will be February 25th 9:00 until 10:00am in the pool room. This group performed here 2 years ago and it was a sellout performance. Mark this good time event on your calendar now.

Fern and marcel ran a great mixed doubles tournament last month that was a big hit with both recreational and competitive players.

A recent beginner was paired with a seasoned player to make a doubles pairing in the tournament.

Marcel was chef in charge of the refreshments, and Fern ran the tournament with his handpicked staff.

Events like this are great fun, and everyone in the park should come out and support events like this either as a participant or as a spectator, it's your courts and your park.

Both beginner teams welcome new members willing to practice and play on your teams, and spread the golden gate hospitality in the surrounding community events.

Shuffleboard Tournament - Fern Lachance

n Dec.29th, 2014 thirty two players participated in a doubles mixed tournament. What a fun day! What a great day! This tournament was like no other. We had sixteen teams playing four games each, a half time dancing show, hot dogs and desserts and mostly

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FUN, friendship and laughs by everyone. Congratulations to our winners:

1st Bill Fournier and Pat Oscien

2nd Ron Sornson and Rachelle Kuhn 3rd Tom Sydeski and Helen Cramer

4th Jim Fox and Lucy Mousseau

Our booby prize winner was Noonie Costello and Claire Belair The ESPN shot of the day had to be the duel between Tom and Randy in the last game of the day. They both had a kitchen but Tom, who had the hammer, showed his skills by reversing a kitchen to win the game.

A noteworthy performance was that of Pat Oscien who has to be one of the most improved players.

After lunch Wendy O'Byrne who was visiting her grandmother, Pat Heinz, gave us a show style "Dancing with the Stars". She was accompanied by her friend Dennis. They were both very artistic and professional.

Thanks to the many involved in making this a "TOURNAMENT LIKE NO OTHER" and hopefully we'll do it again. Keep shuffling.



belated happy and healthy new year to all! Can you believe another season of exciting things have already begun for us. From the moment i arrived in early November i was Ahearing about events being planned. There was the bake sale in November and a cookie sale in December-both events were organized by Janice Black and her band of elves. These events were a very successful endeavor and well received by all. Both of these days the club held a memorial luncheon bringing a total of six held since May 24th.

About fifty ladies attended our year-ending Christmas party and enjoyed a homemade lasagna and trimmings meal along with sharing good times with good friends. This event was chaired by Judy Sornson and her co-chair Pat



Women's Club luncheon Officers presiding

Stevenson, with Therese Lachance providing the beautiful decorations. We also participated in our annual toys for tots campaign, coordinated by Sally Hervey, that resulted in two large tables (9 bags) of toys that was given to the Salvation Army. We are so thankful for the generosity of our members.

December ended with a Christmas brunch held on Christmas morning. Once again our host for this event was Judy Sornson and her many helpers. Word is that we had luncheon workers a record number of one hundred ten people who enjoyed their time together.

We are hopeful our annual men's night will be held again this year on February 22nd with plans still being finalized. Also in February we are planning on Continued on page 24



Women's Club



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holding our second meet and greet for all our new residents that have arrived this past year. It is a good opportunity for them to meet each other and to learn of the amenities of golden gate. Watch for details on a flier coming up soon.

As you can see we still have a busy and fun year ahead and welcome all to come and join us.

Anniversaries in February

- 3 William & Betty Davis
- 14 Dennis & Ruth Hughes
- Henry & Barbara Pieszcynski
- 28 Anthony & Susan Greco



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When the days of winter seem endless and no amount of wistful recollecting can bring back any air of summer. - Shirley Jackson. I am so glad it isn't like that here, aren't you?? Wintertime in Florida is sunny, pleasant and healthy.... a time for bike rides, long walks, swimming, golfing, visiting, and just getting out of doors and enjoying ourselves. We are so lucky to be able to get outside every day, lucky to have friends and helpful neighbors, lucky to call Golden Gate our home, even if it is just for the winter months, and lucky to have a FUN club like the Nuggets to help entertain us, bring us together for fun activities and social gatherings. I think of the Nuggets club as the Friends Fun club......I know I always have fun and we hope you all do too!!

Mark your calendars this month for:

Friday, Feb. 6th, 5pm Pot luck dinner hosted by the Newfoundland group consisting of Richard, Kerrie, Kevin, Barb, Frank and Barb. The main dish will be Roast Beef, and the trimmings to be brought by everyone attending. Remember to bring your place settings for this event, but not before 2pm please.

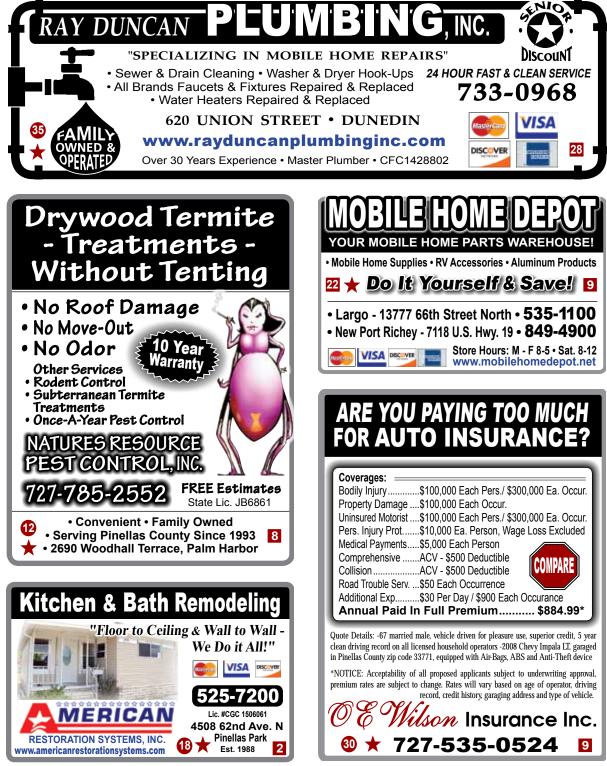
Wednesday, Feb. 11th, 8pm Red Heart Dance, hosted by Marilyn & Roger Fent and Anne & Ken Jones. The wonderful Louie Bravo will be the entertainment for the evening, so be sure to bring your dancing shoes and lots of energy!! Tickets cost \$5.00 and will be sold in the poolroom on Feb. 3rd & Feb. 4th, 9am-10am, and remember, tickets for non-registered guests can only be purchased on the 4th. For this event, we will be making pictures for you under the arches. Anyone interested, please come early, as they will be taken between 7:15-8:00.

Tuesday, Feb. 17th, 7pm Nuggets Club Anniversary Meeting. At this meeting, we honor the couples celebrating their 50th Anniversary this year. Our couples are: Henry & Barbara Pieszc ynski, Francis & Barbara Picco, Raymond & Diane Greco and Leon & Pat Thomas. Please, everyone come and join in the party for these lovebirds, after our short business meeting.

Sunday, Feb. 22nd, 4pm Our fantastic Souper Sunday, under the direction of Pat Heinz.

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purchase necessary • Contest void where prohibited by law • Green tickets available at participating Monthly Media advertisers.



Tickets will be sold in the poolroom on Feb. 17th & Feb. 18th, 9am-10am, and the cost is \$5.00 for residents and registered guests. Non-registered guests cost is \$10.00 and will only be sold on Feb. 18th. Folks, the way this works is, if you bring a pot of soup, you will be given 2 tickets free, but you still have to pick them up in the poolroom at the time of the sell. As usual, the Nuggets will also provide the beer, wine and soda. The entertainment for the evening will be the ventriloquist and magician "RAZZ-A-MA-TAZZ" from 5:30pm-6:30. Everyone come and meet "Joey"!!!!

Remember: In just two days, tomorrow will be yesterday.....so let's try and enjoy each and every one!

The Golden Gate Theater Club News

By: Harvey Hodder, Secretary

s I begin to focus on this monthly commentary, my mind reflects on those happy days of my youth when we bought or made Valentine cards for those important in our lives. The process could be fun as we shared our creativity with those for whom we had that early sense of "being in love"! Of course, then reality set in as our wandering eyes caught the twinkle of another. I suspect more than a few of us remember dropping off that special Valentine card in a place where we were sure it would be found and we may have waiting in the background to witness the response! Perhaps it was our first introduction to real life theater!

Happy Valentine's Day to all of our Theater Cub friends at Golden Gate! Whatever your circumstance, there is no "best-before date" on Valentine's Day! Tell him or her that you love them, recreate and re-live a little romance, laugh until your belly hurts, dance in your pyjamas (or less), sing a love song, etc. but do not let the day pass without sharing with and caring for that special person!

Matters pertaining to the Theater Club are "top-shelf", as my friend sometime describes things. We had 19 faithful and dedicated members attend our January 07th meeting. President Don informed the Club that the February Show with Colin and Jean Simpson would be changed to February 08th so all of us could enjoy the Super Bowl on February 01st. Show tickets will cost \$5 and will be on sale on Tuesday, February 3rd and Wednesday, February 04th at the Clubhouse, beginning at 9:00 a.m. Mark all of those dates in your calendar. Seating with be much the same as last year... circular arrangement. We will see you there!

Treasurer Erma has taken good care of the Club's finances and her Report on January 07th shows that we have a healthy bank balance. Thanks everyone!

Also circle March 15th as the date for the Adult Comedy Show! Tish Farrell and her merry group of theatrical troopers are at their stage best! It is going to be a great time for a laugh or at least a good giggle! Why not plan on joining us!

President Don will be sending out a flyer prior to the Simpson Show in February and the Adult Comedy in March.

All the best on this Valentine's Day or night! Don't worry that the origins go back as far as the Roman Empire and that there was direct connection between Valentine's Day and the Roman Fertility Festival! Hug somebody and enjoy the moment!



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EVENTS & PROGRAMS BINGO, Thursday Nights, 6:30p.m., Paradise Island Clubhouse, 1001 Star- key Rd., Largo, 4 blocks south of East	Sat., Feb. 28, 8am - 1pm, BAZAAR. Doral Mobile Home Park. 29250 US hwy19N, (7/10 mile S. of Curlew). Two clubhouses full of: Clothes, furni- ture, bakery, trash/treasures, china, lin- ens, electrical, etc. Morning coffee and	WANTED TO BUY When selling on consignment <i>always get a WRITTEN QUOTE</i> on the sellers' commission.
Bay. Kitchen open 4 to 6p.m. Dinner specials, sandwiches, Fries, desserts, drinks, ice cream, floats and sundaes. 29 games,\$50,\$250,\$250,\$250, pay- out-\$1850. Fun, Fun, Fun \$\$\$	doughnuts. Lunch at poolside begins at 10:30am. Annual Rummage Sale, Sat. Feb. 7th 9-1, Harbor Lights MHP, 9191 Bay Pines Blvd	!! TOP CASH PAID!! JEWELRY:GOLD, STERLING, COSTUME(EVEN BROKEN JEWELRY),COINS, ANTIQUES, PAINTINGS,GLASSWARE, POTTERY, CHINA,
Sat. Feb. 28, 8-1pm Flea Market, Co- lonial Village, 2000 East Bay Drive, Largo	WHITE ELEPHANT SALE - DUNE- DIN, Sat, Feb. 14th 8am to 1pm, Lake Haven Mobile Home Park - Treasure	ENTIRE ESTATES. FREE HOUSE CALLS, LAURA. ALL SALES SUB- JECT TO APPROVAL. (727) 422-0095
Bingo, Friday nights 6:30pm - Four Seasons Estates Clubhouse, behind Largo Mall & Golden Coral. Variety of	Cove Club House, 1415 Main St (SR 580), Turn South on Lake Haven Rd, Turn East into Treasure Cove, Snack	FURNITURE, good clean, pre-owned. Top dollar paid. Joe, 224-9780
games; Prizes up to \$250! SALE: Saturday, February 28. 8A-1P.	Bar Available Vendors Wanted - Craft Sale - March	GOT A CAR YOU WANNA SELL? THE GOOD, THE BAD, OR THE UGLY. CALL NOW: 727-400-1910.
Household, clothing, furniture, misc., bakery, lunch. Westwind I and II Club- houses. 3301 Alternate 19 N., Dune- din. Enter off Alternate 19 or County Road 1	21, Park Royale MHP. Tables - \$15,00. Carol - 545-5430 Helen - 544-4178. White Elephant Sale. Sat. Feb. 28, 8 to 12. Down Yonder MHP 7001 142nd	BUYING COIN COLLECTIONS. Proof and mint sets, old coins, currency, \$.03 for "Wheaties", American Flyer Trains. 688-9871
Silk Oak MHP Annual Bazaar 28488 US Hwy 19N, Clearwater, February 7, 2015. Great merchandise, food and	Ave. Largo Sat. Feb. 7th, 8am-1pm Annual Bazaar Lincolnshire Estates, 1071 Donegan	CARS OR TRUCKS, Top dollar paid by Andrew 726-0094 or 785-1288
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Annual Bazaar - Shady Lane Oaks, 15777 Bolesta Rd. Off Roosevelt Lar- go - Sat. Feb 7, 8:30-1:30PM. Break- fast and Lunch Served	Attic Treasure Sale at Sugar Creek Clubhouse, also Carport Sale. 10265 Ulmerton Rd., Largo (Behind Pier One Store,) Feb. 21, Sat. 8am-2pm. Bake	Dining table (tall) with 6 chairs and butterfly leaf. Solid Wood. \$400.00 Call 727-366-2681
Gateway Park, 10100 Gandy Blvd., East of 4th St., West of Dog Track. Huge Park-Wide Sale, Feb. 7, Sat. only, 8am - 2pm	Sale - Lunch - Hamburgers & Hotdogs at Clubhouse. Lots of Stuff - All Good Stuff!	FOR SALE - Ladies Golf Clubs - Ex- cellent Condition, WILSON PRO STAFF, 4 Woods (Metal) and 7 Irons, Mizuno Golf Bag w/ Covers, Includes balls, tees, markers, and more, Must see to appreciate - Great Gift, \$125 or
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