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April Anniversaries and Birthdays

Submitted by Robert Newman #46, 724-6283 pcfriar64@yahoo.com

If you would like your birthday and/or anniversary listed in the newsletter, please contact me by phone or email with the information. I only need the name(s), lot number, and the month and day. You may also jot it down on a piece of paper and drop it off in the office and they will get the information to me. Thank You

April Anniversaries

12 Art & Betty Jackson

21 Glenn & Valerie Dayton

27 Rocco & Trish Gudin

April Birthdays

1 Sarah Jane Pree

7 Dennis White

13 Nancy Hough

14 Jasmina Forcan

14 Doris Ready

18 Mary Burke

21 Alta Keith

24 Trish Gudin

30 Janet Coates

30 Maria Kerkay



Congratulations to IITS 2015 Board

Submitted by Karen Custy Secretary IITS HOA

would like to congratulate all the new members of the IITS HOA Board for 2015. We look forward to working together and moving forward to a great new year for IITS residents. We thank all the residents who came out to vote or submitted absentee ballots. Without your support and encouragement we could not have formed our new board.

The IITS HOA Board for 2015 is as follows:

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PARK TELEPHONE BOOK Correction

Submitted by Bob and Dottie Newman, #46, 7246283, pcfriar64@yahoo.com

Baxter Mary Jane 180 Leeward 3175082215

Men's Breakfast

Submitted by Larry Taylor #257 286-7740

Please come and enjoy our men's breakfast each month. We meet on the 3rd Thursday of each month at 8:30AM at a different place each month to be announced on the sign up sheet in the clubhouse.

Annual Baseball Game at Bright House Field

Submitted by the editor

ur annual trip to Bright House field will be on April 11th . The doors are open at 5:00 and the game will start at 6:30. The Threshers will be playing the Dunedin Blue Jays.

If you've never been to one of our annual ball games, come check it out. It will become an event you will want to attend each year. There is plenty of food to eat, covered seating and a fabulous fireworks show after the game.

Your cost is \$18 (the HOA will pay the remainder of the ticket price so it will be affordable for all to attend) each and it includes the ball game, food in the Big Shark Café (hot dogs, slider burgers, bbq pulled chicken, ice cream sandwiches, chips, peanuts, soft drinks and water) and the fireworks show after the game. Draft beer is \$2 and liquor service is available.

Tickets are available at:

The Koonters #81 The Olivers #184 The Rileys #290

The 2.99 Special

Submitted by Pat Henderson

The went to breakfast at a restaurant where the 'seniors' special' was two eggs, bacon, hash browns and toast for \$2.99.

'Sounds good,' my wife said, 'But I don't want the eggs.'

'Then, I'll have to charge you \$3.49 because you're ordering a la carte,' the waitress warned her. 'You mean I'd have to pay for not taking the eggs?' my wife asked incredulously. 'YES!' stated the waitress

'I'll take the special then,' my wife said.

'How do you want your eggs?' the waitress asked. 'Raw and in the shell,' my wife replied.

She took the two eggs home and baked a cake.

DON'T MESS WITH SENIORS! WE'VE been around the block more than once!

"A NEW YOU" LADIES SCARF TYING WORKSHOP

Submitted by Pat Henderson

11:00-12:00 WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15TH at CLUBHOUSE

Ladies, do you love all the pretty scarves you see in the stores, in magazines and around the necks of fashionable women? This is an opportunity to learn about the variety of ways to tie and wear them. You might want to bring a couple scarves of different sizes to experiment with. I will bring a variety of scarves that I have. I know some of you make knitted and crocheted scarves. Feel free to bring those and offer for sale if you like. You might want to bring a hand mirror also. Come and share your techniques with us. Does anyone have a dressmaker's form or mannequin? This would be nice to demonstrate the scarf tying. Also does anyone have a door mirror that we could sit on the counter over the trash bins so we can use it to practice tying scarves? Let me know if you have either of these items. Sign up at clubhouse. Pat Henderson #266

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Thank you!

Tow that winter is over and many of our neighbors will soon be returning north, the IITS Chorus will be on summer break until October. We want to extend our most sincere gratitude to Wayne Cleveland and Bill Shiels for your talents, time and dedication in directing the IITS Chorus.

And to all the members of the chorus, thank you for sharing your talents with our family here at IITS. We will be anxiously waiting for October!

Again, Thanks! IITS Residents

Favorite Quotes Corner

Liza Crane #193, lizac@tampabay.rr.com



- Spring is here and I love April, a new beginning for Mother Earth and us poor mortals. "Sit quietly doing nothing, Spring comes and the grass grows by itself." Zen Wisdom
- I so am grateful to feel well enough to work on Favorite Quotes again!
 - "If a small thing has the power to make you angry, does that not indicate
- something about your size?" Sydney J. Harris
- "I am easily satisfied with the very best." Winston Churchill
- "Prejudice is a burden that confuses the past, threatens the future and renders the present inaccessible." Maya Angelou
- "Dream as if you'll live forever. Live as if you'll die today." James Dean
- "Yesterday is but today's memory, and tomorrow's dream." Khalid Gibran
- "Ideologies separate us. Dreams and anguish bring us together." Eugene Toneaco
- "I have no special talent. I am only passionately curious." Albert Einstein
- "I am not afraid of death, I just don't want to be there when it happens." Woody Allen
- "Animals are such agreeable friends they ask no questions; they pass no criticisms." George Eliot
- "It's never too late to be what you might have been." George Eliot

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IITS Food Bank

Submitted by Larry and Kris Taylor, Lot 257 727-286-7740

Please place your food, soaps, and paper goods by your mailbox at 1:00 PM on the second Saturday of each month. If your or you know of someone that could use a little assistance, please let us know. Thanks in advance for your help.

Spotlight on Resident - Margrethe Johnson, #57 Submitted by Judy Koonter, #81

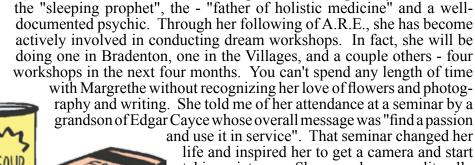
I look at this lady and see so many things - happiness, joy, love, compassion. If you talk to her, those same qualities are evident. Of course, I am talking about Margrethe Johnson, our neighbor that we lovingly call our "Senior Citizen Hippy". When she attended a party as my husband's "date" when I was up north, she easily dressed the part of the party theme with her peace sign, beads, flowing skirt, etc. She is one remarkable lady and we feel so blessed to have her as our neighbor and our friend.

Margrethe was a music educator for 28 years until she retired in 1988 (mostly elementary school music, but also private violin lessons and short stints as music education adjunct at the University level. She moved to our park in 1994 with her husband who had been a college professor and composer but was then afflicted with dementia.

She lovingly took care of him until his passing. Her tender caring has been showered on many others since her husband; her next door neighbor Betty Bilodeau until her passing; then Betty's husband, Herman Bilodeau who she often took to the pool for friendship and therapy until his passing; and then Flo Etherington, her across the street neighbor. The families of those neighbors must have been so thankful for her loving care she gave to her neighbor.

Margrethe has four daughters; two in Florida, one in North Carolina, and one in Berlin, Germany. She has ten grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren. The daughters all visit her often and she has made trips to Berlin yearly for 25 years.

Margrethe explained that her life and outlook on life has been greatly influenced by her involvement in A.R.E. (Association for Research and Enlightenment), Edgar Cayce known as



life and inspired her to get a camera and start taking pictures. She can show you literally thousands of pictures she has taken of flowers. In fact, flowers should be her middle name, another proof of her "hippy" status with us.

Margrethe is very proficient on her computer. I





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expressed my amazement at her abilities at her "young" age. She said she is only good at what she likes to do, not all the other things a computer can do. She said her daughters and grandchildren are also impressed by her computer savvy. She has graduated to interposing her pictures to make birthday cards, get-well cards, thinking of you cards, family letters, etc. She has included pictures on a Southeast region website with the most beautiful writings attached to her pictures.

Until recent months, Margarethe was a member of the IITS Chorus. She also participates with a group of readers in the park in their self-developed book club. She is often spotted walking the park or swimming in the pool after dark. Of all her fine qualities, probably her greatest contribution to our park is trying to promote her belief of "always looking for the good".



FROM THE PRESIDENTS DESK

Submitted by Larry Taylor #257 286-7740

hanks to all of the members of the HOA for exercising their voting rights. We on the board want you to know that we want to help make your neighborhood a better place to live and enjoy all the activities. We are needing volunteers to take turns chairing different monthly events in the clubhouse and for volunteers to help each chairperson achieve his or her goals. Please see Dennis White, our Vice President to fulfill these goals as he is going to coordinate the activity calendar.

Thank you for your support, Larry Taylor

Lunch Bunch

Submitted by Rose Montgomery Oliver, 301-332-9358 or 727-726-0637

n Thursday, February 19th, the Lunch Bunch gathered to have fun at Ivory Mandarin Bistro located at 2192 Main Street in Dunedin. Several things were mentioned. Mary Jane Baxter, #180 will be leaving for a vacation up north for a visit with old friends. She intends to play bridge and enjoy going out for lunch and dinner.

Marcie Shiels, #133 will be very busy during the next month. Everyone up north is cold. She is pretty much booked to solve this problem!

Shirley Savage, #146 is enjoying everyone's company. She always has a good time. Nancy Fields, #279 is also thankful for good friends,

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Janet Coates and Rose Leduc are also happy with their friends. Helen Dennison is so happy to be in Florida because New Jersey is so cold. Joyce Neuheimer, #185 just returned from a vacation in her condo at Ormond Beach. She loves the ocean.

Kris Taylor #257 loves it in Florida. Everyone loves it here too. Sherry feels that it is great to be able to attend the luncheon. She will miss this when she goes back to Canada.

Pat Henderson, #266 had some surgery last week but things are looking better.

Nancy Barnes #157 feels that is such a treat to be with her "second family".

Again, it was a lovely luncheon. Please join us next month. Men are welcome to join us also.

Spotlight on IITS Residents - Lots 1 - 320

Submitted by Judy Koonter, #81

have written two "Spotlights" monthly for the media since I started this last Fall. I am sorry to say that due to some missed appointments and my sister coming to visit, only to end up in the hospital two days after she arrived, that I am short on an interview and therefore short on one spotlight. For this month, I hope you will indulge me with my spotlight on everyone here in our great community.

There are so many amazing people in our community with a myriad of skills and talents and passions. We have people who step up and lead, a thankless and often unappreciated job, with no pay. We have others who volunteer to chair the wide variety of activities that make our Florida lifestyle so rewarding - dominos, shuffleboard, pickleball, bocce ball, euchre, bingo, rummikub, mahjohngg. We have great cooks, great party planners, great bakers who always tempt and please our pallets. We have people who lead us in singing; others who lead us in being more beautiful; another who can teach us to decorate cakes; another who can lead us in pool exercises. And then - the parties - the great parties that don't just happen. They involve lots of planning, shopping, organizing, selling tickets, and so much more, all done by wonderful volunteers who give their time for the rest of us. Even the monthly media takes skill and willingness by others who give back to our community, not just writing articles or gathering articles, or organizing the format of the articles but also the tedious task of distributing the finished product.

We have "Senior seniors". We have seniors. We have "junior seniors". We have residents who are from Canada and residents from many northern states. We have residents who live here all year and others who are here for three, four, six months. We are a melting pot of ages and backgrounds living in a tight community. It is easy to understand how there can be disagreements and unpleasantries. With my sister's terminal illness staring me smack in my face, I am personally aware of what is really important. Because of her I want to be a better person. I want to appreciate the good in others and look beyond the little differences. I encourage everyone to try to be kind to one another. Maybe we can all work at adopting Margrethe Johnson's theory - "always look for the good". Thank you.

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Men's Breakfast

Submitted by Richard Oliver, #184, 727-726-0637

The "Men of the Hood" held their monthly breakfast meeting on February 19th. This time we gathered at the Largo Family Restaurant located on Missouri Avenue. Once again, our choice of restaurant was an excellent one. The menu was quite extensive. There was something to please every pallet.

The attendees were Larry, Ed, Gene, Wayne, 2 Bills, Dick and John. There was the usual banter. Most of the conversations centered around the amount of snow dropped on the various home towns of the attendees. Dick reported that his brother-in-law in Massachusetts told him that the snow in his back yard measured 68" on the flat. On each side of his driveway, it measured 90" from snow blowing. It was agreed that it has been a terrible winter so far. We all extolled how nice it is to be in Florida. Our next breakfast meeting will take place on March 19th. The sign-up sheet is located in the club house. Please join us.

Remembrance and Concerns

Submitted by Rose Montgomery Oliver, #184, 301-262-3057 or 727-726-0637

iana Twomey, #170 lost her father as he passed from this world on February 7th. All of us give her our sympathy.

Richard Oliver had back surgery on February 23rd. Hel is recuperating well.

Please let us know if you have a concern or remembrance. This is the only way of knowing for our monthly media.

DUE TO POPULAR DEMAND, BELLY DANCE CLASSES ARE SCHEDULED WEEKLY AT THE CLUBHOUSE. THURSDAYS 1 PM

Submitted by Pat Henderson

for a "belly dancing" class. Linda Webster provided the TV, music and VCR tape. The instructor on the tape was easy to understand and follow. However, those of us who are "out of shape" found this class to be lots of fun, but rather difficult to do. Due to the ladies being really interested in this form of exercise we have decided to do a class on a weekly basis. Class will be held in the clubhouse at 1 pm on Thursday afternoons. We will repeat what we learned and will continue repeating this until most of us get the hang of it.. We will then move on to more advanced moves or may decide on a different type of exercise video. It all depends on those attending as to what we will do next. The classes are scheduled indefinitely as long as there is interest. Classes are on Thursdays at 1 pm and have been approved for this time slot by Julie Sanders. Sign up in the clubhouse or just show up. All ladies are WELCOME, whether owners or renters.

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Thank You

Submitted by Sharron Hendrixson # 28

Twant to thank everyone who said prayers, brought food and flowers to us. That saved me from trying to cook with a newly operated on knee. The flowers were beautiful. A special thanks to Cathy Gabbert. I have experienced such kindness from people I only know from smiling faces. What a community to live in for the kindness of the people!

Hot Pineapple Casserole



In Memory of my mother, Nancy B. Riley! Submitted by Wally Riley, Lot 290



- 2- 20 oz cans of chunk pineapple (drained, save juice)
- ½ cup of sugar
- 3 Tbs flour
- ½ cup of pineapple juice (drained from can)



Place pineapple in bottom of glass 8X8 casserole dish.

Mix together sugar, flour and pineapple juice and pour evenly on top of pineapple.

Combine 2 cups of grated cheddar cheese, 1 roll of Ritz crackers (crushed), 1 stick of melted butter or margarine and sprinkle over top.

Cook uncovered at 350 degrees for 30 minutes.

IITS Easter Egg Hunt!!! Sunday April 5th 3-5pm

Bring Your Special Basket Come have some fun! Hunt & Gather Eggs! See what kind of prize is for you inside of your eggs!

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IITS Sock Hop

Submitted by the editor

he 50's sock hop was a huge success. The treats were good and the DJ kept everyone dancing! Can't wait for the next party!





PATSY CLINE ENTERTAINS AT ISLAND IN THE SUN POTLUCK

Submitted by Pat Henderson

arry Taylor quickly got everyone's undivided attention when he announced that a celebrity was in the clubhouse at our March Tuesday night potluck. Our heads turned as Helen Dennison approached the microphone stating that her name was Patsy Cline. Helen was outfitted in Western hat and boots, colorful long skirt, blouse and vest and her professional looking hair and makeup. She told a little story about Patsy and her songs by injecting bits of humor in almost every sentence. She sang a few bars of several of Patsy's biggest hits including Crazy, then told us she chose a special song for us, "I Got Your Picture, She Got You".

Helen talked about her "sweetie" and introduced her husband Ed. He just stood there grinning from ear to ear as she sang along with the recording. She kept us in stitches as she pulled numerous articles hidden inside her clothing. She had his picture, several records, tee shirt, and jockey briefs, among other items, that she cleverly pulled from inconspicuous places under her clothing. Every time she pulled out a new item, our residents laughed and roared. Helen did a fantastic job of entertaining us before our meal. We want to see more of Helen's performances at future events.

Helen, you are a star in our heaven here at Island in the Sun!



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HORSE RACING AT TAMPA BAY DOWNS

Submitted by Pat Henderson #266

n a beautiful Wednesday morning a group of IITS ladies met at our clubhouse at 11:00 am and carpooled a short distance to Oldsmar for a day of racing. We had purchased tickets through Groupon that gave us some nice perks.

First was valet parking, then we got our programs, \$5 food and \$2 gambling coupons and admission to the clubhouse and box seats under cover. All of that was covered with our \$7 per person Groupon deal. We had time to get some food and beverages before post time. Another perk was \$2 ice cold draft beer.

We arrived a bit early, so we had time to study our programs. Most of us had never been there, so we had no idea how to even begin to read the program. We shared a lot of laughter as we read about the jockeys, the horses, the farm they came from, etc. Some bet on favorite numbers, but many of us picked our bets according to the horse's name or jockey's color. One of the ladies had some experience with horse racing and programs so she actually appeared to know how to place strategic bets.

The weather was warm, but somewhat overcast so it was quite comfortable most of the day. By about 5 pm with two races left, we went inside the clubhouse as the wind was picking up and a bit of a chill set in. All of us enjoyed a delicious hot chocolate as we placed our final bets. I think a couple of us came away with small winnings but most had very small losses. Thank goodness, no one had to come home and turn their home over to Cal Am. All of the ladies loved our outing and said "We must do this again"!

Free Smoke Alarm Installation

The American Red Cross is sponsoring a smoke alarm installation for free! This is a wonderful program sponsored by the American Red Cross. Island in the Sun has been chosen as a recipient of this wonderful program. Installations will take place in the mornings during the first week of April. We need volunteers to help install and record the installation of the smoke detectors. Please sign-up now if you would like to volunteer and or wish to have a smoke detector (all free of charge) at your home. The sign-up notebook is in the clubhouse.

A special thanks goes to Ron Koonter for this Red Cross Smoke Alarm project. This will make us all feel a little safer

IITS says kudos Ron!



























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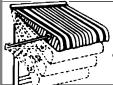


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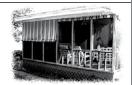


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Submitted by Sally Shoop #214 239-7856

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Submitted by Patrick King #90

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Feb 11th	High Score	Carolyn G	Lot #70
	2nd High Score	Buckeye Bill V	Lot #95
	Lone Hands	Patrick K	Lot #90
Feb 18th	High Score	Tom C	Lot #125
	2nd High Score	Roger	Guest
	Lone Hands	Donna	Lot #76
Feb 25th	High Score	Linda M	Lot #128
	2nd High Score	Ron K	Lot #165
	Lone Hands	Ron K	Lot #165

Moccasin Lake Nature Park

Submitted by Jessi Forcan

occasin Lake Nature Park is located very near our neighborhood. It opened in 1982 and is dedicated to providing guests with a unique environmental experience. Friends and volunteers are needed at the park since it is exclusively operated by volunteers due to budget cuts.

A Note from the Editor

Thank you for all of your contributions of news and general interest items for our Media. It is your input that makes this a great resource of information. Please remember to submit your items by the deadline which is the 9th of each month. Email submissions should be sent to iits. monthly.media@gmail.com. If you do not have the ability to send email, there is a "special" media box located at lot 290.

Again, thank you for all of the information you have provided for the Media. Wally



































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The Wagon Wheel and Mustang Flea Markets have been an attraction in Pinellas County since the mid-1960s. The flea markets are located at 7801 Park Blvd, right in between St. Petersburg and Clearwater.

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The Mustang, open Saturday and Sunday 7am until 2pm and on Wednesdays from 7am until 2pm. The Mustang is a much more traditional flea market in that it is completely outdoors. You'll find many more garage sales and used items, as well as collectors' items like coins and badges. There's also a section where you can find new tools, hand carts, and other general hardware-type items. Everyone's favorite section of the Mustang is the massive produce section, stocked full of unique and exotic fruits, vegetables and seafood that you'd be hard pressed to find anywhere else in the Tampa Bay area!

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- 1.) Walking Shoes The Wagon Wheel is huge, so you want to be comfortable on your feet. There are nearly 2,000 booths to check out, so treat your feet and wear comfy shoes.
- 2) Sunscreen there are covered areas but there are also outdoor areas so use sunscreen to be safe. A hat can be handy too.
- 3.) Cold, Hard, Cash Cash is a MUST at the Wagon Wheel. Having cash on hand will give you a better position when making offers on merchandise. (ATM service at the office)
- 4.) Grab a directory At every entrance of the market and the office, there are directories that include vendor listings and locations, as well as a map of the Wagon Wheel. One of these things will really help you find your way around. It'll show you where important stuff is, like the bathrooms, food court, beer garden, office, ATMs, and where you parked.
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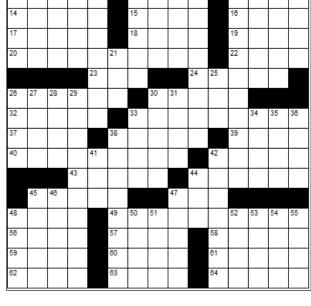
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		Modern AC & Appliance Service
Cathy Abbott	.\$10.00	Planet Earth
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James Huck	.\$5.00	Jones and Sons Plumbing
Bob Post	.\$5.00	Kathy's Cleaning Service
Lillian Migliorini	.\$5.00	Knoblach Hearing Care
		The Plumbing Patrol
Marcelle Larocque.	.\$5.00	Dr. Peter Mason
Sandra Leverette	.\$5.00	Payless Painting Services, Inc.

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Theresa Blanco	\$5.00	Natures Resource Pest Control, Inc.
		Battleling Termite & Pest Control
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Marcy Shiels	\$5.00	Sunset Appliance Service
Richard Gimbert	\$5.00	Largo Tech Services
Gay Clarke	\$5.00	Royal Enterprise
David Miller	\$5.00	Shonna Bender, Massage Therapist
Terry Krischer	\$5.00	Boss Electric Corp.
Robert Grace	\$5.00	ASC Aluminum Specialty Contractors
Beatrice King	\$5.00	Bob's Appliance Repair
Leah MacLean	\$5.00	Marti's Hair Salon
Joan Seagrave	\$5.00	Suncoast Auto & Tire
Glen May	\$5.00	Appliance Specialty
Joanne Kramer	\$5.00	Bob's Mobile Home Washing
Mary Wohler	\$5.00	Action Appliance Sales & Service
Margaret Fartucchi	o\$5.00	Air Masters Of Pinellas
Marie Clark	\$5.00	5 Star Carpet Cleaning
Sandy Farioto	\$5.00	Chambers Specialties
Linda Odette	\$5.00	Debbie's Salon
Teresa Henshall.	\$5.00	Dunedin Electric Company
		Buggin Out Pest Control
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ACROSS

- 1. Duplicate
- 6. False god
- 10. Auspices
- 14. Bees live in them
- 15. Exploded star
- 16. Not a single one
- 17. Notions
- 18. Biblical garden
- 19. Respiratory organ of aquatic animals
- 20. Exchange messages
- 22. A Freudian stage
- 23. Excluding
- 24. Hazy
- 26. Bequest
- 30. Pig
- 32. Mountain crest
- 33 Deadlock
- 37. Widespread
- 38. Go bad
- 39 God of love
- 40. Space traveller
- 42. Negatively charged particle
- 43. Nautical for stop
- 44. What's left behind
- 45. Summary
- 47. Chart
- 48. Fur
- 49. Enticements
- 56. 53 in Roman numerals
- 57. Yowl
- 58. Bog hemp
- 59. Savvy about
- 60. Chocolate cookie
- 61. Seasoning
- 62. Adolescent
- 63. Small slender gull
- 64. Banana oil, e.g.



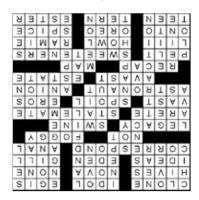
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- 1. Fashionable
- Adriatic resort
- 3. Not under
- 4. Close
- Gist
- 6. Bumbling
- 7. Extinct flightless bird 30. Stalwart
- 8. Baking appliance
- 9. Garbage dump
- 10. Betrothal
- 11. Coming and
- 12. Dental filling
- 13. Peddle

- 21. sauce
- 25. Half of a pair
- 26. Magma
- 27. Historical periods
- 28. A feat
- 29. Allure
- 31. Pause
- 33. Resorts
- 34. Diva's solo
- 35 Horn sound
- 36. Feudal worker
- 38. Photograph

- 41. Egg cells
- 42. Bad-mouth
- 44. Consume
- 45. French for "Oueen"
- 46. High society
- 47. Cantaloupe for example
- 48. Conspiracy
- 50. Be dressed in
- 51. Pitcher
- 52. Short sleeps
- 53. Send forth
- 54. Type of cereal grass
- 55. Clairvoyant







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