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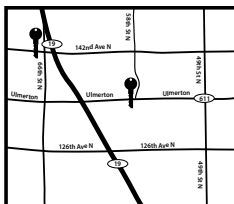
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Kay Voorheis, President

The Corral pool deck has new pavers and looks great! Dave Neumore spearheaded this project and should be commended for the job he did. We are working on finding a way to keep animals and birds off the new surface; it is a challenge every year.

The celebration on February 16 for the new mortgage was enjoyed by many residents. It was good to see so many people there. We anticipate being able to make further improvements to our wonderful community over the next years in large part because of the mortgage.

As of this writing, we have sold one park owned home this year. We currently have 13 homes rented seasonally, 13 rented long term and 2 that are just about through the renovation process. Several people who are renting for the season have already inquired about renting next year. Pat Rudness is now chair of the volunteers who make sure that our park owned homes are set up for rental. This is a huge job and we are very grateful to Pat for chairing this wonderful group of women and men! It makes a big impact to the renters when they walk in the door and are able to just unpack and enjoy our Rancho lifestyle. A gigantic thank you to Leanne Chiz who got this sub-committee of the Real Estate Committee started! Leanne recognized the need to put a formal process in place for our rental properties, organized the people and the supplies and did a lot of shopping for our homes. Until you have tried to get a house ready for renters, you don't really appreciate all that needs to be done. Thank you Leanne for all you have done with this endeavor!

THE ASSOCIATION OF RANCHERO VILLAGE HOMEOWNERS INC.

Ron Luciano, President

The Annual Meeting



The RV HOA Annual Meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 10 at 3:00 p.m. at the Hacienda Clubhouse.

The business part will include a small number of reports concerning the past fiscal year.

New business for the AGM involves the proposed 2015 budget and the election of Directors. Jan Casali, the leader of "Helping Hands" will be the guest speaker and refreshments will



be served

Bruce and Bonnie Perry are retiring as HOA Board members and their many contributions will be both missed and a challenge to replace. They have been essential and valued at the building of the new HOA. Tremendous effort and skill have been freely given by Bruce and Bonnie. Thank you both so very much. We are blessed that Bruce will continue to be our “Web Master” on the RancheroHOA.com web site!

Special appreciation to Nancy and Larry Idoux for heading our Nominations Committee and assisting membership/MDP sales.

The 2015 Board of Directors meets immediately after the AGM to elect officers.

The Merchant Discount Program

HOA Director Marie Claude Jacques assisted by Paul Cyr, Don Sullivan and others has launched the program with enthusiasm and new marketing energy building on previous work.

The program, now open to all Ranchero residents, is growing with more merchants participating. The new 2015 membership cards are available from Don Sullivan (Lot 925) at a nominal cost of \$10. Per household. Land Lease homeowners also get an HOA membership card and shareholders receive the merchant discount program card. Remember to check the web site (RancheroHOA.com) for the updated lists of participating merchants. And, we have a kit for merchant recruitment - identify prospects, please



HOA Membership



Don Sullivan has taken charge of this process and has the current membership files completely up to date.

We urge former members to renew their 2015 membership now so that we can keep you informed of current park activities and HOA Matters.

Finally, to all of you who contribute to making this a great community with exceptional social activities, a heart felt “THANK YOU.”

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Another busy month is coming up as usual. The Coast Guard Air Station Tour, the St. Patrick's Day Dance, the health "fair" called Prevention + on Thursday, March 12 at the Lakes Clubhouse the whole day, a shuffleboard tournament on March 9th and 10th, involving 8 teams from Pinellas County, and a Turkey Shoot at the Shuffleboard courts on March 28th and many season ending functions of the Park.

That is among a few of the things going on, so, everyone needs to read their Bulletin and come to Coffee On Saturday morning to check and see what is happening, where and when. The doors open for COFFEE for everyone at 7:30 a.m. so you can drink your coffee and enjoy your pastry while visiting with your friends.

Our "Coffee Meeting" begins at 8:00 a.m. for a short informative time of about 30 to 45 minutes. Please come and join us. We sure don't want you to miss out on anything.

Remember coffee and donut are free if you are 85 years of age, or older. Tell the volunteer at the door if you are 85+, and they will set you up for your free coffee and a donut for the rest of your life here at Ranchero Village. Otherwise, if you are younger than 85, it is just \$1.00 for a cup of coffee and a donut. Please come because this is a place where you find out what is going on in the park and meet new friends. Looking forward to seeing all of you!

And please take an opportunity and use the form that is enclose in the Bulletin to help us continue to make life good here in Ranchero Village. Take your completed form to the office and ask them to place it in the

SAC mailbox.

Thank you and have a good life!



MEN'S CLUB

John VanHorn, President; Dave Neumore, Vice President; Gerry Soules, Secretary; Paul Allard, Treasurer

March 5, 2015 Irish Diner ... Hacienda Clubhouse ... Doors open 5:00 p.m. Handicapped with one caregiver admitted at 4:45 p.m. We will be serving Corned Beef & Cabbage, Carrots Potatoes and Dessert.



Tickets are 7:00 on sale now

Men's Club Board meeting March 7, at the Corral Clubhouse at 9:30 a.m.

General Meeting...March 12, at 7:00 p.m. All men that reside in Ranchero are members of the Men's Club come out and join us bring a friend along. This will be our annual meeting to elect new members.

We will serve sandwiches and a beverage.

Pancake Breakfast ..March 20, 2015 at the Hacienda Clubhouse 7:30 -9:00 a.m.

We will be serving Orange Juice, Pancakes , Scrambled Eggs, Sausage Tickets are still only \$3.00 on sale

February 28, before and after Saturday coffee.



RANCHERO VILLAGE ACTIVITIES SURVEY

As we all know Ranchero Village is a great place to live. However, in an effort to improve and embrace our Ranchero Village "Lifestyle," the Social Activities Committee is asking you to assist by providing comments or suggestions for new events or changes to current events. Your monthly Ranchero Village Bulletin lists the activities . Saturday morning coffee also provides details on these activities. You can choose to identify yourself or remain anonymous, but your participation would be greatly appreciated. Please remove this form from the bulletin and return it with your input to the Park office. Thank you!

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WOMEN'S CLUB

Sandie Biddle, President, 474-2446

Ladies, I am so sorry that I canceled the February luncheon. I felt like Gail had been such a strong figure in the Women's Club that I had to respect her memory this way. Thank you all for understanding.

March is going to be an Irish luncheon. We will have Irish Stew catered by "Finley's Irish Pub" (made with beef not lamb) scones from "Publix" and other surprises. Tickets will be \$7.00 for lucky "7".

Doors open at 11:30 a.m. and we eat at noon. So wear your green and join us for a good time March 10th at the Hacienda.

I would like to thank Renee Smith and Debbie O'Conner for all their hard work setting up the Strawberry luncheon. We will try the strawberry again sometime.

April is listed for a fashion show but that was Jodi and Judi's month and they are not on the board any more. All I can say is we are working on it. I am sure you will have a good time.

May is our last luncheon for the season and we will be eating out.

See you March 10th

ST PAT'S DANCE

Dance Committee General Chairpersons:

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Saturday, March 14, 2015.....7:00 p.m. -10:00 p.m. at the Hacienda Clubhouse...Doors open at 6:30 p.m.

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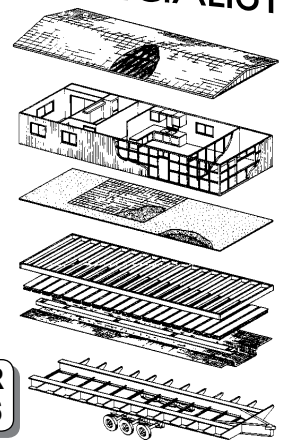
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Saturday, April 4, 2015...730 -10:30 p.m. at the Hacienda Clubhouse..Doors open at 7:00 p.m.
"Hawaiian Theme"...casual dress...Music by Bob Swenson.. Door prizes...50/50... BYOB..
Tickets are \$6.00 per person on sale March 21, after Saturday coffee
Your committee chairs for this event will be Gene and Doreen Belanger and Sharon Dennis

BINGO

Barbara Sparrer & Shirley Nonemacher



MARCH MADNESS and for those of you who will be heading North we wish you a good spring and summer. It is amazing how quickly the "season" is over, seems like we were just getting ready for the

"Holidays". We intend to continue playing all year, we welcome all to join us on Wednesday evening beginning at 5:30 p.m. when cashiers start selling games. The games will start at 7:00 p.m. Come early and bring a snack, we provide FREE coffee and donuts and cold drinks are available at a reasonable price.

LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU SOON

RANCHERO CHAPEL

Joyce Oliver, Secretary

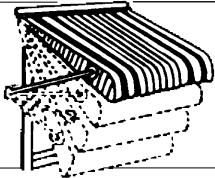
Non-Denominational services held in the Corral Clubhouse each Sunday. We meet folks at 9:30a.m. and the service begins at 10:00 a.m. All are welcome; residents, renters, visitors and friends.

A ladies prayer circle meets the third Tuesday of each month at 2:00 p.m. at the Lakes Clubhouse for an hour of fellowship and prayer. Call Karen at 523-7265 for further information or a ride.

Each Wednesday at 7:00 p.m., we hold a Cottage Prayer/ Bible study meeting at the Corral Clubhouse with each attendee bringing their own non-alcoholic beverage to drink.

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RANCHERO DAY OF GIVING

Dorothy Norris

Place: Corral Clubhouse

Time: 9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Date: March 27, 2015

Please bring non-perishable food to the Corral Clubhouse during these hours. What a great way to help those in need and clean out your cupboards before you go home.

If you have any questions see Dorothy Norris at Lot# 427 or call 535-3137.

BOWLING HI-LITES JANUARY 1, 2014 THRU JANUARY 31, 2014

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Karl Kraengel 205

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John Lech 216-615

Larry Grasso 203

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Vicki gardner 178-516

Pat Peloquin 177

Barb Grasso 159



Some real hard splits were picked up: John Lech picked up the 3-10, 4-9 & 5-7; Joe Werner picked up the 5-7; Barb Grasso picked up the 3-10 three times; Vicki Gardner picked up the 5-6; Larry Grasso picked up the 4-5-7 & 3-10; Roy Peloquin picked up the 3-4-6 and Mike Sowers picked up the 9-10 & 5-7 splits

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Tickets are only \$3.00 and may be purchased at Saturday Coffee, or from Virginia Fitzgerald 536-9368 or Linda Lush 729-4313.

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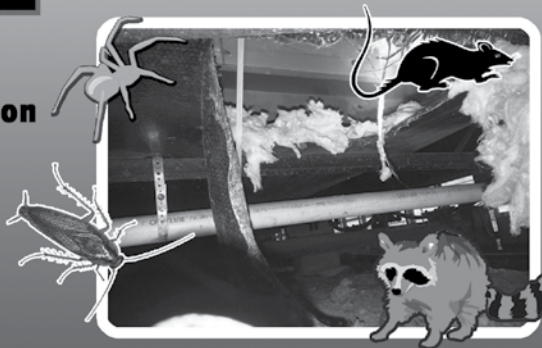


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	6:30 p.m.	cards	Lakes
	6:30 p.m.	Dup. Bridge	Corral



Tuesdays	6:30 p.m.	Dup. Bridge	Corral
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Tuesdays	11:00 a.m.	Mah Jongg	Lakes
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Tuesdays	7:00 p.m.	Bunco	Lakes
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Wednesdays	11:30 a.m.	cards	Lakes
	1:00 p.m.	Ladies Cards	Corral



Thursdays	6:15 p.m.	Euchre	Corral
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Fridays	11:30 a.m.	cards	Lakes
	6:30 p.m.	cribbage	Lakes

Saturdays	11:30 a.m.	cards	Lakes
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<p>1</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Chapel - C 2:00 p.m. Movie - C 5:00 p.m. Shuffle Banquet - C</p>	<p>2</p> <p>9:20 a.m. Chorus - C 10:00 a.m. Tai Chi - L 12:15 p.m. - Shuffle - C</p>	<p>9:00 a.m. Contr 9:00 a.m. Club Bro 9:00 a.m. 9:20 H. I 1 p.m. W 6:30 p.m.</p>
<p>8</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Chapel - C 2:00 p.m. Movie - C 6:00 p.m. Chapel Ice Cream Social - C 6:30 p.m. Shuffle</p>	<p>9</p> <p>9:20 a.m. Chorus - C 10:00 a.m. Tai Chi - L 10:15 p.m. Shuffle - C 7:00 p.m. Casey & Dunne Show - H</p>	<p>9 Wgt. C 9:00 a.m. 9:20 H. I 11:30 Wr 1p.m. W 2 p HOA 6:30 p.m. 7 p VFW</p>
<p>15</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Chapel - C 2:00 p.m. Movie - C 6:30 p.m. Shuffle 6:30 p.m. Chorus - H</p>	<p>16</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Tai Chi - L 12:15 p.m. Shuffle - C 7:00 p.m. Chorus Spring Show - H</p>	<p>9:00 a.m. Contr 9:00 a.m. 9:20 H. I 2p.m. La 3p.m. Te 6:30 p.m. 7 Chrs S</p>
<p>22</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Chapel - C 2:00 p.m. Movie - C 4:30 p.m. Hot Dog Dance - H 6:30 p.m. Shuffle</p>	<p>23</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Tai Chi - L 10:00 a.m. Ladies Golf Banquet - H 12:15 p.m. Shuffle - C</p>	<p>9:00 a.m. Contr 9:20 H. I 6:30 p.m.</p>
<p>29</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Chapel - C 2:00 p.m. Movie - C 6:30 p.m. Shuffle 7 p.m. H. Hoarsemen Show - H</p>	<p>30</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Tai Chi - L 7 p.m. H. Hoarsemen Show - H</p>	<p>9:00 a.m. Contr 9:20 am 6:30 p.m.</p>

Ranchero Village

Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
. Wgt. 3 . Col & Health - L . Women's . Mtg. - C . Bocce . Hoarsemen - C . Watercolor - C . Shuffle	4 9:30 a.m. Crafts - C 10:00 a.m. Tai Chi - L 12:15 a.m. Shuffle - C 12:30 p.m. Bowling 7:00 p.m. Bingo - H 7 p.m. Bible Study - C	5 9:15 a.m. Outreach - C 11:30am Bell Choir - C 1:30pm Chapel Choir - C 5:00 p.m. M/C Irish Dinner - H 6:30 p.m. Shuffle	6 9:20 a.m. Chorus - C 1:00 p.m. Dartball - H 1:30pm Line Dance - C 6:30 p.m. Movie - C	7 8:00 a.m. Coffee - H 9:30 a.m. M/C Board Mtg. - C
. Ctrl & Hlth-L10 . Bocce . Hoarsemen - C . nn's Clb Lnch-H . Watercolor - C . A Brd. Mtg. - H . Shuffle . V Meeting-H	11 9:30 a.m. Crafts - C 10 a.m. Lil Theatre - H 10:00 a.m. Tai Chi - L 12:15 p.m. Shuffle - C 12:30 p.m. Bowling 7:00 p.m. Bingo - H 7 p.m. Bible Study - C	12 8:00a.m. Prevention Plus - L 9:15 a.m. Outreach - C 11:30am Bell Choir - C 1:30a Chapel Choir - C 6:30 p.m. Shuffle 7:00 p.m. M/C General Mtg. - H	13 9:20 a.m. Chorus - C 1:00 p.m. Dartball - H 1:30pm Line Dance - C 6:30 p.m. Movie - C	14 8:00 a.m. Coffee - H 7:00 p.m. St. Pat's Dance - H
. Wgt. 17 . Col & Health - L . Bocce . Hoarsemen - C .adies Circle - L . nnis Mtg. - L . Shuffle . pring Show - H	18 10:00 a.m. Tai Chi - L 12:15 p.m. Shuffle - C 12:30 p.m. Bowling 7:00 p.m. Bingo - H 7 p.m. Bible Study - C	19 9:15 a.m. Outreach - C 11:30am Bell Choir - C 1:30a Chapel Choir - C 3:00 p.m. Co-Op Brd Meeting - H 6:30 p.m. Shuffle	20 7:30 a.m. M/C Pancake Breakfast - H 10am SAC Brd. Mtg - C 1:00 p.m. Dartball - H 1:30pm Line Dance - C 5:00 p.m. Dartball Banquet - H 6:30 p.m. Movie - C	21 8:00 a.m. Coffee - H
. Wgt. 24 . Col & Health - L . Hoarsemen - C . Shuffle	25 9:30 a.m. Crafts - C 10:00 a.m. Tai Chi - L 12:15 p.m. Shuffle 12:30 p.m. Bowling 7:00 p.m. Bingo - H 7 p.m. Bible Study - C	26 9:15 a.m. Outreach - C 11:30am Bell Choir - C 1:30p Chapel Choir - C 6:30 p.m. Shuffle	27 8:30 a.m. Pilatti - L 9:30 a.m. Ranchero Day of Giving - C 1:00 p.m. Dartball - H 1:30pm Line Dance - C 4p Legends of Golf - H 6:30 p.m. Movie - C	28 8:00 a.m. Coffee - H 6:30p.m. H.H. Rehearsal - H
. Wgt. 31 . Col & Health - L . H. Hoarsemen . Mtg. - C . Shuffle				APRIL 2015 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30

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Reed Yeasted, and Dino Sundin Stats; Josie Yeasted, Sunshine Lady*

We have now completed 6 weeks of Dart Baseball with Team 1 holding a commanding lead with 12 wins and 6 losses. Team 1 is led by the hot hitting of Ruth Coleman 359 avg. and Hazel Koreen 204 avg.

The homerun hitters for this year so far are Ted Barksdale for the men with 3 homeruns and for the women it's Doris Brown with 3 homeruns.

We play every Friday at 12:30 p.m. at the Hacienda. New players and subs are welcome. It's great fun!

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It certainly is great to have our many winter residents here, as well as our permanent residents, and we are looking forward to everyone joining us at the shuffleboard courts. We still play our silly game of "Horsecollar" on Tuesdays and Thursdays (weather permitting). Be there by 6:15 p.m. and we start at 6:30 p.m., and bring 25 cents. This is a game where nobody goes home empty-handed.



. (PLEASE COME AND JOIN US)

Also, we play competitive shuffleboard on Sundays at 6:30 p.m. Be there by 6:15 p.m., and bring three dimes.

The courts are open daily until 10:00 p.m. for all adults to play except, of course, on Sundays, Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. (Children who play must be supervised by an adult.) Also starting November 12, thru to the end of March, 2015, on Mondays and Wednesdays, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. all the courts are reserved for League play.

****TOURNAMENT:** On Monday, March 9th and Tuesday, March 10th, 2015

There will be a Shuffleboard Tournament which is sponsored by the Sunshine League of Pinellas County and is being hosted by the Ranchero Village Shuffleboard Club. On the 9th, the courts will be reserved strictly for the Tournament from 7:30 a.m. until 7:00 p.m., and on the 10th, 7:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. (or later). We appreciate your observance of these hours.

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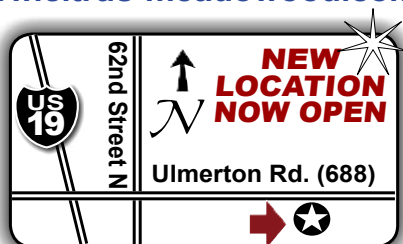
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SEE YOU AT THE COURTS!

RANCHERO VILLAGE PROFESSIONAL ENTERTAINMENT

Boyd Lee, Chairperson

Over four years ago George Casey and Cahal Dunne performed for our Ranchero residents and at the request of many of you they will be returning with their “Grand to be Irish Show” just in time for St. Patrick’s day. George and Cahal usually have their own separate shows but they agreed to again appear together for our community.

George Casey’s Career has spanned over 35 years as a good clean comedian and has performed at Caesar’s Palace and The Sahara and is a regular act at the Riviera and Casino in Las Vegas. George also performs on many of the cruise ships out of Florida and has opened for many well known entertainers.

Cahal Dunne is a songwriter, a masterful pianist and one of Ireland’s best singers who has a variety of songs in his repertoire. Several entertainers he has appeared with in the past were Wayne Newton, Tony Orlando, Bob Hope, and Al Martino and of course he will bring his beautiful white grand piano with him when he comes to Ranchero Village.

This is a show for those who are Irish and those who wannabe Irish.

PHASE 10 AND HAND & FOOT

Sandi Biddle



Lately the “Phase 10” ladies have been playing Hand & Foot cards. So, we are going to set up several tables and you can choose which game you prefer to play. We are still at the Corral on Wednesdays at 1p.m. Let’s put that new A/C to work and have some fun. See you Wednesday, Sandie



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The last Tuesday of the month we play at Country Pizza Inn and enjoy lunch out.

CRIBBAGE

Connie Letendre 727-531-2306



Happy Valentine All, our January Cribbage winners were Bob Bocek, Lot 1002 - took 1st place, Len Whaling at Lot 416 took 2nd. And Harvey Johnson at Lot 529 took 3rd. Come and join us at the Lakes

Clubhouse at 6:30 p.m. on Friday nights.

PROGRESSIVE EUCHRE: THURSDAY NIGHTS

We are now a two stream euchre club! Bob Bocek has organized half the room for bid euchre and the other half of the room is reserved for regular euchre. This seems to be working out well and it is great to have new folks coming out. The days of March are filling up with end of season activities but we will continue regular play until the end of April. After April, you may bring your own cards and still play informally even through the summer. Hope to see you all back next November! Have a great summer! Sign in at 6:15 p.m.

For more information call Connie Flanagan 524-6314 or Carol Martin 559-1528

Jan. 15, Euchre: Nancy Persons ; Jan. 22, Norm Leveille; Jan. 29, Bev Peel; Feb. 5, Connie Flanagan; Feb 12, Bob Bocek

Bid Euchre :Jan 25, Len Whaling; Jan. 22, Len Leveille; Jan. 29, Uta Leveille; Feb. 5 Donna Whaling; Feb, 12, Jim Peel.



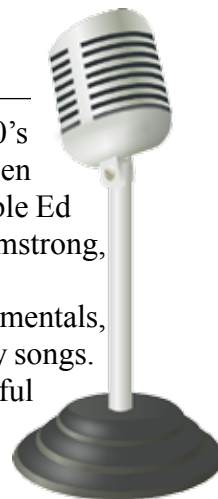
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Alex Campbell, Secretary 530-9499

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Tickets at a cost of \$3.00 each will be available March 14, 21, and 28 after Saturday coffee.



OUTREACH

Sandie Biddle 474-2446

Same old, Same old, we have lots of people working, but still need people to cut material. That is not a hard job and it keeps the sewing machines working. Think about joining us at the Corral, Thursday mornings at 9:15 a.m. We would love to have you.

On Thursday, March 12, 2015 Outreach will be having it’s annual Open House @ the Corral Club House From 10:00-11:00 a.m. Come and enjoy all the activities going on. There will be items to bid on and some to purchase. FREE coffee and donuts.

CHICS ‘N’ STICKS”

President, Marilyn Willette

This is the March Bulletin? How on earth did we get here so fast?

The story of our games in February was mostly, getting soaked in the rain and not getting to finish a game, or rain on Monday which meant we didn’t get to play!

Cannot believe I am mentioning this already, but our Banquet is scheduled for Monday, March 23rd. Last League game of the season is March 16th. Christine Campigotto and Jan

Rendall are the co-chairs for the banquet so please direct any questions through them about this event. At the beginning of March, Christine usually starts to put out a sign-up sheet for our pot luck at the Hacienda Clubhouse.

Just for general interest, the leaders of the pack as far as handicaps go are: Sandy Ogden with 13; Christine Campigotto with 14 and Connie Flanagan with 15. We still have a few games left so maybe there's hope for the rest of us...well, there's always next year too!!

Thank to all of the wonderful ladies who make golfing in this league such a pleasure. Special thanks to Jan and Christine for their hard work on the banquet and to Connie for her usual diligence keeping track of all our stats.

LEGENDS OF GOLF

Gerry Campigotto, President

It always seems time flies when you are having fun. Our golf season is slowly winding down.

Unfortunately, we had to cancel February 5 due to weather. Let's hope that is the last week we can't play because of rain.

Due to cruises, injuries, illness etc. the schedule we gave everyone at the start of the season is impossible to follow. Joe Ogden has done his best to get the pairings rescheduled. I've been told he has a few more gray hairs lately. It's been no picnic for Sam Farmer either. He's in charge of handicaps and the point system. I'd like to thank both of them for their hard work.

I'd also like to thank everyone who attended our KFC dinner in February. The dinner is a popular function that is always well attended. A fun night was had by all. A final thanks to everyone who volunteered to make it a success.

Be sure to keep Friday, March 27th open. That is the night of our awards banquet. We will be having a KFC dinner. The awards banquet is open to golfers and their spouses only. Golf invented new math. You yell fore, shoot 7 and write down 5.



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RANCHERO VILLAGE TENNIS CLUB

Bob Chapman, President; Doug West, Secretary



Members of the RV Tennis Club are looking forward to our annual Tournament which will be held during the first week of March. More details to follow soon.

Following the tournament, we will hold our annual spring luncheon. This will be our last social function of the year, so all tennis Club members and their spouses/ partners are urged to attend. Watch for further information and a sign-up sheet at the Hacienda Bulletin Board.

Another reminder to everyone that our Tuesday afternoon practice/learning sessions are still available. This is a great way to find out if you like the game and to acquire a few basic skills. Sessions are free and open to everyone who lives in Ranchero - there is no need to be a Tennis Club member. We will even lend you a racquet. See the list of people to contact at the hacienda courts Bulletin Board.

Finally, a reminder to all members that our final General Membership Meeting will also be held in March at the Lakes Clubhouse. At this meeting, we will be electing our Board of Directors for the 2015/2016 season. Also, this meeting will provide a forum for members to make suggestions for changes for the coming year. So... please plan to attend!

BOCCE

Leanne Campbell, President

An evening game and orientation was held on February 8, 2015 at 6:00 p.m. Six new players showed up to try it and enjoyed their evening. Another evening game was held on February 22.

The final date for our "fun game" is March 15 at 6:00 p.m.. Bring 25 cents for an evening of Bocce under the lights and League play ends March 18. Our closing luncheon, awards presentations and elections will be held on March 24 at Country Pizza located on US 19 in Largo at 1:00 p.m.

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Bev Bowan

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COUPONS FOR TROOPS

Bill Reynolds

Please cut your grocery coupons and save the ones you don't use. There is a box inside the front door of the Hacienda Clubhouse to put them in. The coupons are sent overseas by the Elk's. They can be expired for up to six months. Any questions call Bill Reynolds @ 539- 6943

TRAVEL WITH ART AND MARY JO

Mary Jo Mewbuorn Lot #2001...&27-524-6176

Next January we will be sailing on FREEDOM OF THE SEAS out of Port Canaveral January 24-31,2016.

The Freedom is a Great Fun Ship.

Calypso Queen a fun day trip March 18, 2015 sailing around Clearwater Harbor, having Continental breakfast and lunch aboard. We will end up in Tarpon Springs.

4th Annual Gambling Balloon Festival in Immokalee April 11-12, 2015.

CHECK OUT THE FLYERS ON THE TRAVEL BOARD for more details.

FROM THE EDITOR

Leslie Van Horn

The deadline for the bulletin is the 10th of every month. You can bring your article to my home #625 or send them to me by e-mail: lesliev123@verizon.net

MESSAGE FROM THE MANAGER

March already!!!! The time is flying by and on top of that we have to move our clocks ahead on March 8th for Daylight Savings Time and lose an hour!! (Don't forget to check the batteries in your smoke detectors at the same time you are adjusting the clocks. That's an easy way to remember to keep them in working order.)



Happy St. Paddy's Day to all. EVERYONE is Irish in March!!
In case of a Park related after hour's emergency, please call 346-4819.

DOGS –DOGS-DOGS

There is so much to be said about dogs. We encourage everyone to review your Rules and Regulations manual to update yourself on all the rules. Among many of the rules in section VII. PETS, you will find it states: "Guests and visitors are to be advised not to bring their pets into the Community, with the exception of trained working dogs."

This means you must alert your guests that their pets are NOT allowed to visit in the community.

Also, "No pets are allowed in the Community recreation or common areas at any time." Please come to the community office for a Dog Section Map if you are not sure of the dog section. Dogs can only be walked in the areas indicated and on the side of the street designated "Dog Section". Keeping these rules makes for happier neighbors...and management, too!

Service and medical dogs are to have their jackets on at all times when outside the owner's home to identify them as working dogs.

And, of course, all pet owners are to have a litter bag with you at all times to pick up and properly dispose of pet litter.


WATER BILLS

FewTek is the company hired by Ranchero Village to do the reading of water meters and send out the water bills. They will not mail outside the U.S.A., but they will send by email. If you haven't received a water bill please contact the Ranchero Office and we will investigate to see how the problem can be resolved or you can contact FewTek yourself at fewtek2@verizon.net. Their toll free phone and fax is 888-455-8333.

Ranchero Village pays for all the water used in the community and each resident is charged for the amount they have used in their home. These funds reimburse the community for water used. When a resident doesn't pay their own bill they are expecting their neighbors to pay it for them. If you are one that is behind on water payments, the hard reality is: You are stealing from your neighbors!

ALTERATIONS AND SUCH STUFF!

No alterations to the exterior of the Home may be made without the written consent of Management. All contemplated changes must be submitted in writing to Management for approval or disapproval. Management will advise the Resident within fifteen days thereafter of the decision. Management's consent does not relieve the Resident from the responsibility of applying for proper permits from local governmental authorities and meeting existing building code requirements. Management reserves the right to require that any improvements made without the written consent of Management shall be removed at Resident's expense.



These alterations include the planting of trees and bushes, adding patio stones or removing existing plants or construction. Exterior antennas, satellite dishes and other external signal receivers must be approved by Management as well.

DIAL DIRECTORY CHANGES

It's another new year already and time to start preparing the 2015-16 community phone book. Check the old one and if your entry is incorrect or changes have taken place, please leave a note in the drop box outside the front door of the Hacienda Club House (office door) or call the office. We would rather hear from you a second time rather than miss making the changes before the book goes to print. Thanks for your help in this.

MESSAGE FROM THE LARGO POLICE DEPT.:

(The following came in an email from the Largo Police Dept. along with their Monthly Crime Bulletin which can be viewed on the bulletin board across from the Community Office door.)

Reminder to everyone when you are working with ANY company that provides you a service:

Always verify legitimacy through the Florida Department of Business & Professional Regulation (DBPR). These guys handle the majority of licensing.

Other licensing such as painting, flooring, and carpentry is handled through the County (PCCLB) Pinellas County Contractor Licensing Board <http://www.myfloridalicense.com/dbpr/> or call 1-850-487-1395 (don't use the prompt's just wait for an agent or press zero for operator) <http://www.pcclb.com/>

Get a written contract on company letterhead. If they're not with a company...is the savings worth the risk???

NEVER pay in full before the work has been completed.

If you didn't request them...You don't want them.

Also helpful:

<http://myfloridalegal.com/pages.nsf/Main/81bf89afaf04dbeb85256cc6006ff6bf>

WEBSITES

Home or away, check out the Ranchero Website at: www.rancherovillage.com. Tell your friends so they can see all the wonderful things happening at Ranchero Village.

Another handy site is www.resourcepropertymgmt.com. At Resource Property Management's site you can pay your maintenance or Lot rent by e-check at no charge. However, there is a charge for using credit cards.

POOL RULES

All the rules for the pool apply to all people at all times. The rules posted as well as those



which we highlight in this Bulletin are to be followed at all hours and conditions.

HOT TUB USE is for adults only.

No one under 18. Food and drink are not allowed in the pool/hot tub. The hot tub is only meant for short sessions, no longer than 15 minutes. The use of alcohol combined with the relaxing heat of the hot tub can be a dangerous combination. A person can easily slip under the water unnoticed and tragedy can strike quickly. Never swim alone, use the buddy system for safety.

Also, for the health and well being of everyone, please do not go in the Hot Tub or Pools if you have wounds or open sores.

GLASS BOTTLES – PLEASE REMEMBER that no glass of any kind is allowed around the pool area.

No smoking at the pools – please adhere to the No Smoking Rules at the pools and smoke only away from the pool area in the designated areas.

TREE PERMITS

Permits MUST be obtained from the City of Largo for the removal of any tree with a trunk larger than 4” in diameter. Certain trees will require a fee before the permit can be obtained. The community office must submit the request to the City.

If you have gone through the permit process and have removed a tree please contact the community office and let us know so we can have the permit closed out with the City.

PUT IT IN WRITING!

All requests and complaints should be put in writing and signed. Anonymous reports will not be addressed. Forms are available in the office for your convenience

HANDICAP CHAIR LIFT

If you need assistance to go into a pool, we have a Handicap Chair Lift available at the Hacienda swimming pool.

STREET LIGHT OUT

Unknown to many, our streetlights do not belong to us. They are the property of Duke Energy and maintained by them. If a light is out please: Call Duke Energy @ 1-800-228-8485.

WATER SHUT-OFFS

The water is scheduled to be shut off for maintenance repairs IF NEEDED on Tuesdays, from approximately 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. (weather permitting). It is handy to keep a gallon of water on hand for these days and remember to turn off your hot water heater.

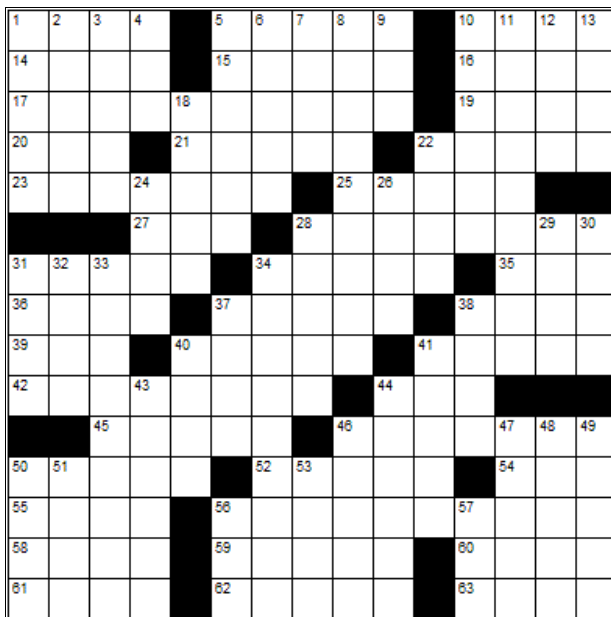
DEATHS

Nona Soifer.....	former Lot 830.....	December 26, 2014
Sally Selfors	Lot 2029.....	January 20, 2015
Gail Wheeler.....	Lot 730.....	February 6, 2015
Frank Richey.....	Lot 547.....	February 7, 2015
Bill Kobza.....	Lot 2183.....	February 9, 2015



ACROSS

1. Not less
5. Fable writer
10. Church alcove
14. Cards with 1 symbol
15. Courageous
16. Parasitic insect
17. A toy that fires pellets
19. Dregs
20. Varnish ingredient
21. Law and _____
22. Wobbly
23. Accord
25. Cereal grass
27. Mayday
28. One more than a dozen
31. Indian instrument
34. Strainer
35. Mineral rock
36. Beige
37. Actor Clark _____
38. Happy cat sound
39. Foot digit
40. Jeans material
41. Lariat
42. Large arboreal boa
44. Wordplay
45. Units of medicine
46. Favorable position
50. Young sheep
52. An object
54. Petrol
55. Murres
56. Unruly
58. Peddle
59. Mistake
60. Sea eagle
61. Stop
62. Manicurist's board
63. Handguns



DOWN

1. Official tree of Canada
2. Sea
3. Respond
4. S
5. Terminates
6. Wear away
7. Satisfy
8. Overpower
9. Apiece
10. Borne on the water
11. Ample
12. Search
13. Not difficult
18. Show respect towards
22. Used to be
24. Brother of Jacob
26. Apiary
28. Leg bone
29. Makes a mistake
30. Roman emperor
31. Bristle
32. Computer symbol
33. A walking exercise device
34. Sirocco
37. Heredity unit
38. Breathe hard
40. Sleep in a convenient place
41. Move forward suddenly
43. A hard metallic element
44. Larder
46. Eyeshade
47. Ancient Greek marketplace
48. Thin
49. S S S S
50. Verdant
51. District
53. Employ
56. Spelling contest
57. Regulation (abbrev.)



March Crossword

NEW PHONE NUMBERS OR CORRECTIONS

Jim & Clara Fisher..Lot 214....727-648-2286
Gerard Lewis...Lot 2057727-412-1464
Joan LongLot 826.....727-219-0640
Ken & Elizabeth
Montgomery ...Lot 2186.....727-754-2523
Marie Stuart.....Lot 846.....727-470-9597

PLEASE WELCOME OUR NEW RESIDENTS

Glenn Teunissen & JoAnn DeCoster...Lot 747
JoAnne Handelman.....Lot 2072
Alan Brown.....Lot 204
Kim Farrier.....Lot 2085
Arthur & Gail Keefe.....Lot 685
Lloyd Schmidt & Jack Spears.....Lot 890



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