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The Women's club was happy to sponsor the Pancake Breakfast on Sunday January 25, 2015. We served pancakes, sausage, scrambled eggs and beverages to many hungry Bay Laker Residents. It was a treat for all to be served their beverages and enjoy all they could eat pancakes. While dining our Bay Lake family enjoyed good food and fellowship. As always it was nice to see our friends having such a nice morning.

We had a dedicated and fun group of volunteers. The majority of the committee included women's club members who worked out on the floor. We send a special thanks to a few gentlemen that worked in the kitchen. The kitchen crew consisted of: Ron Suit, Ken Havens, Joe Conley and Dave Baumgartner.

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FROM THE MANAGER

Leslee Jones



I have just a couple of reminders this month. Please make sure that I have your correct phone number. Remember that we use a

calling system for any notifications that you should be aware of such as boil water notices or emergencies. The next thing I would like to remind everyone about is parking. It seems that this has been written about many times, but we continue to have a growing problem. There is no parking on the grass or on empty lots. This includes contractors that are working at your home.

Overflow parking is at the clubhouse or the office. Starting this month you will receive a parking violation sticker on the window of your vehicle. I will give one courtesy call to you and if the vehicle is not removed it will be towed at your expense. This is a last resort as we have many violators in the community mostly at night or on the weekends. Remember that if you think I won't know – I will. My phone rings all the time with complaints of some nature. This is another good reason to make sure that I have your correct phone number.

Our "Home of the Month" award for December went to 137 Camellia Street, January went to 48 Orange Blossom and February went



to 59 Hyacinth! They have all received their \$50 gift cards! Make sure that you take a ride by these homes. To date Bay Lake has given \$2450 in Home of the Month awards! Good luck to next month's winner!

Until next month!

ST PATRICK'S DINNER

There will be a corned beef and cabbage dinner in the clubhouse on Sunday, March 15, 2015, at 5:00 P.M. to celebrate St. Patrick's Day.



There will be entertainment following the dinner, as well as a sing-a-long, the "Irish Sweepstakes," prizes, etc. Coffee and tea will be furnished. Bring any other beverages you desire. The cost will be \$8.00 for residents and renters and \$10.00 for guests. Tickets will be sold at the Saturday morning coffees and at Bingo. The last day to purchase tickets for this dinner is Monday, March 9, 2015. If you have any questions, please call Connie Conley at 412-3444.

RUMMAGE SALE FOR 2016



A HUGE Thank YOU to Janice and Dennis Edwards for stepping up to do the rummage sale for the next

two years! Our annual rummage sale proceeds help with paying for the entertainment we hire throughout the year.

IS YOUR HOME FOR SALE?

Steve Rollison

Is your home for sale? You may want to list it (free) on BayLakeEstates.org.

All we need is some digital photographs, a description of your home, and the sales particulars



(price, etc.). It's best if you can mail all that to us at ble@steverollison.com.

BIRTHDAY PARTY



Caroline Smedick will celebrate her 100th birthday on June 30, 2015. She would like to celebrate with her Bay Lake family on Wednesday, March 25, 2015. The party will be an open house from 2-4 p.m. at the

clubhouse. Please plan to help her celebrate. Bring cards but no gifts please.

WATCH FOR INFORMATION ON A PANCAKE BREAKFAST IN



BEACH PICNIC

Janice Edwards



This year's Beach Picnic will be held on Thursday, March 19, from noon till 2 p.m. at the Picnic Shelter at the North Jetty. Let's hope Mother Nature will cooperate

this year and our picnic will be actually held at the beach.

Our theme this year is Fun and Games. There will be baggo, lasso golf and a few other games that everyone should enjoy (no running races or hurdles.)

Tickets will be on sale Saturday, during coffee and at Bingo on Wednesdays. Cost for this event is \$7.00 for residents and \$8.00 for guests. Please BYOB.

Hope to see you there!

DOG TRAINING & DOG SHOW

Dog training is at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesdays in the bone yard. Please wear proper closed toe shoes.



On March 11, we will have our Dog Show at 10:00 a.m. outside the clubhouse in the yard. Be sure to come out and see what we learned. Please bring a donation of dog or cat food or treat. We will take them to the closest animal shelter.

<u>"WOW"</u>



Women of the Word bible study is on Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m. thru March 17, 2015.

BATIK WATERCOLOR

It's as easy as paint by number. There is a pattern and the rice paper is in the kit. All other items you need will be furnished, such as watercolors, brushes, wax, etc.



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The kit is \$13.00 and \$2.00 for other items you will need for a total cost of \$15.00.

It's fun!! You will go home with an heirloom. The classes will be:

March 6, 2015 9:30-12:00 & 1:00 -3:30 or March 13, 2015 9:30-12:00 & 1:00-3:30 With lunch from 12:00 to 1:00.

OH-MI CLUB



The OH-MI Club will be going to Joseph's Diner & Pizza at 1:00 p.m. on Monday March 9, 2015. Joseph's is located at 625 N. Tamiami Trail

in Nokomis. There is a sign up sheet in the clubhouse. Everyone is welcome.

EUCHRE

Friday night Euchre (a card game in which each player is dealt five cards and the player making trump must take three tricks to win a hand) will start on Friday night, January 9, 2015, at 7:00 p.m. in the clubhouse. A signup sheet will be posted in advance each week, Dodi Farmiloe; 6 Flamboyant St., 440 487-8626.

BAY LAKE ESTATES BOOK CLUB

The Bay Lake Estates Book Club meets in the library on the third Wednesday of each month at 1:00 p.m. Selections for March and April are as follows:

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March 18, 2015 - Still Life by Louise Penny April 15, 2015 - All the Light We Cannot See by Anthony Doerr

There is a sign-up sheet in the clubhouse. If you have any questions, please contact Connie Conley at (941) 412-3444.



CHORUS CONCERT COMING



The spring chorus concert will be presented on Tuesday March 24, 2015, at 7 PM in the clubhouse. This year's theme

will be "The Fabulous Fifties." Plans are in place for spirited performances of some of your favorites from the decade, including dance and comedy, followed by light refreshments. Mark your calendars now and don't miss it! Admission charge: one nonperishable item for the needy in our community, per person.

This year Dorothy Stone has contributed a beautiful framed painting, to be raffled off the night of the show. Tickets for the raffle will be available at Saturday coffee beginning on February 28th.



New singers are always welcome, reading music not a requirement. Beyond the concert on March 24th, the chorus usually presents seasonal music the Saturday before Easter. Call Grace Gagliardi at 941-484-6412 for further information about the chorus.

SPRING FLING ESCAPE

There will be a Spring Fling Escape on Saturday, March 28, 2015, from 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. There will be music provided by Escape Entertainment.

There will be door prizes and a raffle. Snacks and dessert will be provided. BYOB

Tickets are \$6.00 for members, \$7.00, for non-members, and \$8.00 for guests. The tickets will be available at Bingo and at Saturday morning coffee. You can also call Bonnie Gates 941-484-9454 or Joyce Martin 941-412-9663 to purchase tickets.

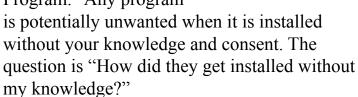
Plan on coming and having a great time! We hope to see you there!

COMPUTER CLINIC

by Steve Rollison

"This PUP Ain't Cute"

In computer lingo a PUP is a "Potentially Unwanted Program." Any program



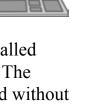
First, you may have selected a fake download option on one of the download portals. Websites like Filehippo.com, Download.com and many others allow you to download free, high-quality software like, for example, IrfanView, a wonderful, free program to edit photographs.

On Filehippo.com you will see a brief description of IrfanView, and right next to it a large "Download" button. The problem is, that button downloads Search Conduit, a program that changes your home page and displays tons of ads. If you aren't paying attention and just install the software you unintentionally downloaded, you will indeed have something "unwanted" on your computer.

Another way you can put a PUP on your computer is by using the "express install" option for programs you download. For example, the express install option for KMPlayer - a highly regarded, free multimedia player - changes your home page and default search engine to Yahoo.

To avoid that problem, whenever you're putting new software on your computer always use the "custom" install option, and pay careful attention to the option check boxes that are preselected.

Virtually every computer we work on at the Computer Clinic has at least one PUP. Sometimes there are many. (Clinics are free, every Wednesday from 1:00 p.m. until 3:00 p.m.) This brief article is intended to just introduce you to the threat of PUPs. To learn more, do a Google search for "how to avoid pups." One of the best articles found is on blog. emsisoft.com.



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<u>HELP HOSPITALIZED</u> VETERANS USA

There are craft kits available for Veterans.

The free Craft and Art kits are: number painting, moccasins, model cars, leather kits, etc. You must have a VA card as proof of veteran. You are eligible to receive two kits.

- TIME: 9-12
- Where: Bay Lake Estates Mobile Home
- Park Club House
- When: 2nd, 3rd and 4th Tuesday of every
- Month.

CHILI DINNER



64 people attended the chili dinner. Entertainment was by "Jumpin Joey's 50's Rock and Roll." A big thanks to the ladies who made Soup: Carla Hannay, Sylvia Richardson, Jane Ann

Miller, Grace Gagliardi, & Patti Schinharl. The cornbread was made by our two "Muffin Men", Mike Parisi, and John Stephens. Salad was provided by Joyce Martin. Two gift cards from Publix were won, and there was a 50/50. Unfortunately attendance was very poor, but we would like to thank all those who attended.

MEDICAL SHED

Donna Loveless 219 Periwinkle St. 941-484-4089 is in charge of the medical shed. It has wheelchairs, walkers, bicycles, toilet seats, bath seats, etc. Items you might need or can

use if you have company with children. If you need anything, please give her a call.



MAH JONG



Anyone interested in playing Mah Jong or learning how to play come to the clubhouse on Thursdays at 1:00 p. m.

SALVATION ARMY

Tony and Jamie Best take food to the Salvation Army weekly or biweekly. Please leave your donations in the colorful box on the stage at the clubhouse.

Your gifts are greatly appreciated.





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Top 40 Professionals 2014



HYPE or Reality?

Blair Post HAS, BC-HIS, ACA Board Certitied Hearing Instrument Sciences American Conference of Audioprosthology

In the beginning of this month I was back in training with another manufacturer. They are training me on their new product line. Changes in product lines are made to alter how sounds are prioritized and processed within the chip platform selected for hearing aids.

The new sound quality will have an emphasis on speech priority and a broader music sound.

As with all of our hearing aids, each manufacturer has a sound quality difference. Some people prefer the smoother sounds from manufacturer R, others prefer crisp sounds from manufacturer O.

I won't know until after the training how these new changes affects the quality of the sound.

The manufacturer of this aid has this HYPE... automatically makes speech clearer and listening easier, no matter where your day takes you.

Whether the HYPE is accurate or not, I don't know. What I can do is offer you a chance to experience this new technology platform. I need feedback from you to determine if the quality of the new sound lives up to the hype.

If you would be willing to provide me your feedback, call Cindy, 244-9300 to set a Demo Appointment.



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BLOOD PRESSURE READINGS

Joan Zimmerman

Again blood pressure readings will be offered the 2nd Saturday of each month from 8:30 to 9:15 a.m. in the clubhouse library. PLEASE for an accurate reading, NO caffeinated drinks until after reading. Also refrain from smoking at least 20 minutes before your reading.

LINE DANCING

Joyce Martin

Join us every Monday for line dancing. Everyone is welcome. We start at 9:30 a.m. with beginner dances and progress to low intermediate dances until 11:00. See you at the clubhouse. ??

Call Joyce Martin 941-412-9663

NEW RESIDENTS



The residents of Bay Lake Estates would like to welcome these new home owners to our family:

12 Flamboyant - 73 Azalea - 155 Oleander -	Martin Szarvas Norma Jane Wilkins Thomas and Sharon
157 Oleander -	Gibbons Mary and Fred
	Samples
173 Oleander -	David Eungard, Ray Poth and Sandra Lee

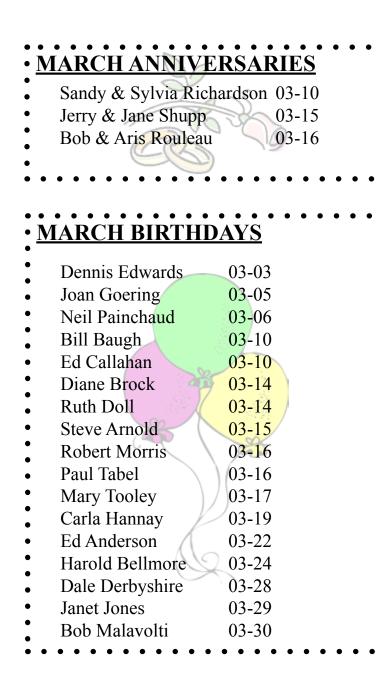
Among those whom I like or admire, I can find no common denominator, but among those whom I love, I can: all of them make me laugh.

-W. H. Auden

ContemporaryHearing.com

JULIET'S

Juliet's will be going to Burgundy Square Cafe on Thursday, March 12th at 9:30. Address is 227 Miami Ave. West, Venice, FL. There is parking in front and in back. You may want to do some shopping after wards. There are a lot of shops close by. There will be a menu posted in the club house along with a copy of the address. Hope to see you there. Any questions call Patti at 419-902-1378



SNAPPY COMEBACKS

At one time or another, we've all been victims of insults that leave us fuming without an appropriate reply. Would that we could have been as quick-witted as these individuals:

- An actress to actress/writer Ilka Chase: "I enjoyed your book. Who wrote it for you?" Chase: "I'm so glad you liked it. Who read it to you?"
- Playwright George Bernard Shaw to his wife: "Isn't it true, my dear, that male judgment is superior to female judgment?" Charlotte Shaw: "Of course, dear. After all, you married me—and I you."
- Poet Lewis Morris to writer Oscar Wilde: "There's a conspiracy against me, a conspiracy of silence, but what can one do? What should I do?" Wilde: "Join it."
- Member of Parliament to Winston Churchill: "Mr. Churchill, must you fall asleep while I'm speaking?"
- Churchill: "No, it's purely voluntary."
- Playwright Noel Coward to writer Edna Ferber (who was wearing a tailored suit at the time): "You look almost like a man."
- Ferber: "So do you."

<u>CHEMISTRY AND HUMOR: A</u> DANGEROUS MIXTURE?

- You don't have to be a scientific genius
- to get a laugh from these jokes, but a little
- knowledge of physics and chemistry will help:
 - Never trust atoms—they make up everything.

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- Did you hear about the guy who read a whole book about helium in one sitting? He couldn't put it down.
- What do you do with a bunch of dead chemists? Barium.
- What's the first rule of chemistry? Don't lick the spoon.
- The optimist sees the glass half full. The pessimist sees the glass half empty. The chemist sees the glass completely full, half in the liquid state and half in the vapor state.
- A chemist's motto: If you're not part of the solution, you're part of the precipitate.

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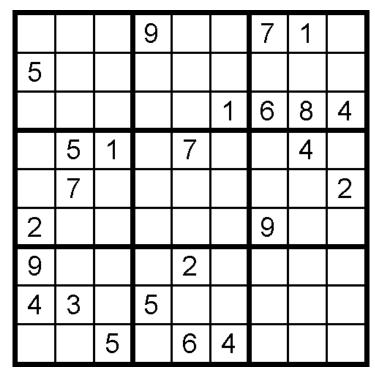
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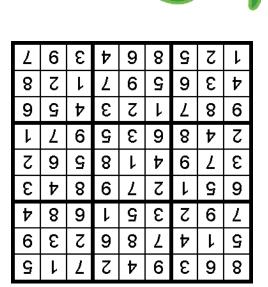


March Sudoku

How to play: The numbers 1 through 9 will appear once only in each row, column, and 3x3 zone. There are 9 such zones in each sudoku grid. There is only one correct solution to each sudoku. Good luck!

Difficulty level: easy.





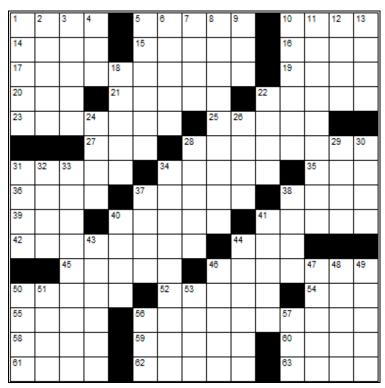


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ACROSS

- 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

March Crossword



DOWN

- 1. Official tree of Canada 18. Show respect towards 40. Sleep in a convenient
- 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

- 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

- - place
 - 41. Move forward
 - suddenly
 - 43. A hard metallic
 - element
 - 44. Larder
 - 46. Eveshade
 - 47. Ancient Greek marketplace
 - 48. Thin
 - 49. S S S S

 - 50 Verdant
 - 51. District
 - 53. Employ
 - 56. Spelling contest
 - 57. Regulation (abbrev.)



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