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Dates to Remember
Apr. 3 BLEA Meeting
Apr. 12 Juliets Breakfast
Apr. 13 Managers Lunch
Apr. 14 Newsletter Articles Due
Apr. 19 Comcast Meeting
Apr. 19 Juliets Lunch
Apr. 26 Board Meeting

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GOLDTONES CRUISE

This group (mostly from Bay Lake) went on the Goldtones Cruise on March 2 to March 11, 2018.

Mike & Bert Beauchemin, Rosemary & Dave Baumgartner, Carla Hannay, Ruth Roof, Ron & Jane Ann Miller, Jim Trent, Joyce Martin, Ron & Trish Suit, Anne Cashell, Susan & Steve Rollison, Janice & Herb Van Dyke, Sherry Van Dyke, Pat Van Dyke, Barb Hickey and Bakara.

VALENTINES DANCE

Hats off to such a great group we have here at Bay Lakes that helped make our 2nd GOLDTONES Valentine Dance such a success. We had 109 in attendance plus the GOLDTONES and spouses. There were also dinners delivered to people who were sick that could not make the dance.

First I would like to "Thank" Barb Hickey and her committee: Carla, Lisa and Randy, Judy and Jim and Joyce and Paul. The dinner was great and the portions were unbelievable. Thank you to such a hard working group.

Now I would like to thank my committee: Dave, Jane Ann and Ron, Sylvia and Sandy, Anne Cashell, Roger and Connie and Karol. As everyone knows you cannot get things done without great help. "Thank You" to my committee.

We had a great number of door prizes: Saltwater Café, Waterfrontoo, Bogey's Sports Bar, Left Coast Seafood Company, Bill Reese Distributors, Casey Key Salon, Norma Jean's, Simplicity Salon & Day Spa, Tervis Tumbler, Da Vinci Hair Salon, Raylene Baugh and Wezzie who not only donated items but were instrumental in designing the table decoration. Also, Brenda Joy, Diane Steare and Joyce Martin.

Everyone enjoyed the music and dancing. The GOLDTONES never seem to disappoint us with their 50's and 60's music and their entertaining. I hope everyone is looking forward to next February to enjoy them again.

"THANK YOU" to everyone that made this such a great night.

Rosemary

FROM THE MANAGER

Leslee Jones

9th ANNUAL MANAGERS LUNCH Friday April 13th 12 Noon in the Clubhouse Sign up sheet in the Clubhouse on 3/23 Last day for sign up is 4/4 Looking forward to seeing you all!





NEW RESIDENTS

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

Valerie and Ernest Hopkins - 158 Oleander

MONTHLY ASSOCIATION & BOARD

MEETING DATES

Association Tue 9:30 AM April 3, 2018 BOD Thur 9:00 AM April 26, 2018 Association 7:00 PM May 1, 2018

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FROM THE PRESIDENT

Carla Hannay

I have been pondering what to write about for my last newsletter. Wondering how to say the words in a short and to the point way.

Well here goes. After serving on the Board for a period of 12 years,

3 as Secretary and 9 as President, I can truly say it has been an experience, most of the time great, sometimes not so great and then there were times when it was most frustrating. But the good always outweighed the frustration.

In keeping it short I would like to extend to all the residents of the Community for stepping up to the plate and taking on the responsibilities of chairing functions (Seasonal and Summer), along with all who served as Committee Members. Without any of you our events would have been a bust. Additionally to those that served on the Audit Committee, Rent Negotiations, Rummage Sale, set-up for meetings, set up and tear down for coffee Saturdays and the MC's and to those that ran/run our Bingo every Wednesday and all those that served as callers, to our Sunshine persons and Librarians. You all have made my job a lot easier over the years.

To all those that served along with me on the Board, what can I say. We worked as a team for the betterment of the Community. Your dedication to your duties were and are 10 fold. It has been my pleasure to work for and with all the past presidents, Bob Swanson, Leon DeLong, Jim Doll, Mike Parisi, and Interim Susan Dyson-Devault. I picked their brains on several occasions.

Lastly, you have all heard me talk about and have written about the basic rules of the Park (Prospectus) and this will be the last time to remind of these rules:

Parking on the grass is prohibited at all times. No overnight parking in the street

Washing of vehicles is permitted in the car wash area only

All dogs are to be leashed at all times, not to be left to run freely

Pick up all animal waste....carry a baggie with you when walking them etc.

Clear all items from driveways when departing to go back up north

Fill out a Departure Notice with the office

GAME NIGHT

Many Different types of games are played at the clubhouse on Saturday nights at 7 PM. Feel free to come and join in the fun.

RUMMAGE SALE WRAP UP

Rod & Jane Van Buskirk, Ken & Joyce Havens

Thank you to everyone who hauled, sorted, cooked, cleaned and sold. The rummage sale was a huge success. It was a definitely a park effort and a park success. The final total was a profit of \$4,320.00. Way to go everyone.

LEPRECHAUNS RACES

Joyce & Ken & Jane & Rod

It was a fun filled night with the feisty leprechauns racing. Our race announcer, Steve Rollison had his hands full trying to keep those leprechauns in order. They were full of mischief and mayhem. At the end of the 5th race a brawl broke and 2 of the leprechauns couldn't continue with the race. Steve was able to get 2 of last months flamingos to fill in. There were 7 races and a total of \$730.00 was paid out. Thank you to our Association and the Leprechauns for providing everyone with a nice surprise, Ice cream sundaes.

It was a fun social night out.

HELP HOSPITALIZED

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





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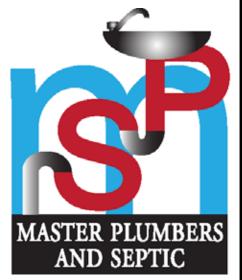
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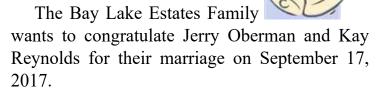
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JULIETS -BREAKFAST

The Juliets are going to breakfast on Thursday April 12th to Burgundy Square located on the Island at 227 Miami Ave W, Venice. Sign up sheet will be on the counter in back of the club house. All ladies are welcome, we will meet at 9:30. If anyone needs a ride pleas note that on the sign up sheet. Any other questions please call me at 480-0208.

CONGRATULATIONS



JULIETS LUNCH BUNCH

Carol Gilchrist

We will be together on Thursday, April 19 at Chaz 51 Bistro for lunch at 1:00 pm.

A sign up sheet is on the counter in the clubhouse. All women are encouraged to attend. Chaz 51 Bistro is located at 103 Triple Diamond Blvd on Knights Trail. Great Ambiance. Great Food. Plan to join us!

EUCHRE

Euchre is being played at Bay Lake Estates on Friday evenings

at 7 pm. There is a sign-up sheet in the clubhouse. If you have any questions, please contact Jane Hodson at 812-371-3692.

TO MY BAY LAKE FRIENDS

Thank you for your thoughts, visits, cards, and prayers during my hospital stay in February 2018.

I am so grateful for your friendship. Love to all, Sandy Lee

WILL YOU COME?

by Steve Rollison

There's a phrase that's associated with the 1989 Kevin Costner movie Field of Dreams. "If you build it, they will come."

For three or four years now I've been hounded by a similar thought that keeps bouncing around in my head: why don't we have a free movie night in the clubhouse?

So there—now I've openly shared that thought that's been pestering me like an annoying song you can't get out of your head. Now maybe it will pester you instead!

If you can't come up with any good reasons why not to have one or two free movie nights each month in the clubhouse – and, in fact you're pretty sure you'd probably attend quite a few of them yourself, depending on the movies that were being shown and whether or not we throw in free popcorn, too – then please get in touch with me and vote "for" making it happen.

If you think movie night is not such a hot idea, then it's easy to vote "against" making it happen: just don't do anything. I'll take your lack of response as support for me taking the lazy way out and filing this project idea under "no further action required!"

THANK YOU

Thank your for your cards and prayers in the loss of my husband, George Stuchell.

DANCE, DANCE, DANCE

Everyone is invited to join the line dance class.

When: Every Monday at 9:30 to 11:00am

Where: At the clubhouse

No experience necessary.

LAST CLASS IS APRIL 16

More info? Call Joyce Martin

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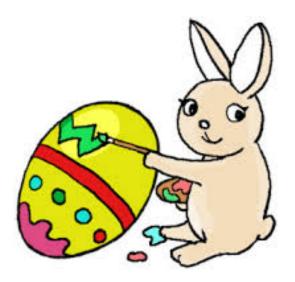
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Hearing Your Words

by Karen Post

"He listens to my needs and problems", "I can go back to him anytime with any questions", "delighted with the service and the personal interest that he gives", "a willingness to listen and work with me" all of these quotes I found in testimonials from clients just like you.

I researched our testimonials in response to a question posed by a business mentor. He asked, "What is your business really good at doing? What do your clients love about what you do?"

Having been in this business for over 10 years, I was certain I knew the answer. We are really good at properly programming hearing aids. We have programmed over 1,200 with success. People have said time and again, how much better they heard after our programming. To be honest, I was kinda cocky about "knowing" what we did well.

Then the mentor said, "Go read all your testimonials and reviews, all of them. Even if you think you know what your clients have said about you, go back and read each one of them"

Two things humbled me. First was the volume of testimonials and reviews we have received from grateful clients, just like you. Second was the consistency of "he listened to me..."

I have a quirky sense of humor. The irony of a frequent compliment being "he listens" coming from people who can't hear, gave me a slight chuckle. Then I recalled how Blair's mom, MaryEllen, would vent her frustrations to Blair, since she knew he would listen.

If someone you know is frustrated with their hearing aids, and needs someone to listen and help, share our newsletter with them, or call us for a "listening" appointment.



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ONCE UPON A TIME

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Judge replied "The same way, simple words and comments may destroy the honor of a person to such an extent that a person will not be able to fix it. If you can't speak well of someone, don't say anything at all. Let's all be masters of our mouth, so that we don't be slaves of our words." Gossips are worse than thieves because they steal another person's dignity, honor, reputation and credibility, which are impossible to restore. So remember this when your feet slip, you can always recover your balance but when your tongue slips, you can never recover your Words.





APRIL BIRTHDAYS

Adrienne Anderson 04-02 Harriet Del Angelo 04-05

Pat Detlor 04-05

Toni Lieberman 04-06

Gordon Lomas 04-07

Cathy Egan 04-08

Ruth Roof 04-08

Linda Nifong 04-09

Donna Mattix 04-10

Diane Steare 04-12

Rebecca Bradshaw 04-12

Kenneth Hill 04-12

Marnie Williamson 04-16

Joe Conley 04-17

Eda Pyrce 04-18

Carol Ann Kelley 04-18

Fran Stine 04-22

Bessie Petropoulos 04-23

APRIL ANNIVERSARIES

Steve & Susan Rollison 04-06 Howard & Carolyn Cook 04-10 Steve & Karen Limkemann 04-07



We do not have everyone's birthday and/ or anniversary month and date. If you had a birthday and/or anniversary in April and we missed listing you or I listed it in the wrong month, please contact Janice at jm.vandyke@ comcast.net . If you are a new resident or have a phone book change, please contact Janice





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APRIL CROSSWORD

ACROSS

- 1. Streetcars
- 6. Zulu warriors
- 10. A Levantine ketch
- 14. Consumed
- 15. Groan
- 16. Linoleum (abbrev.)
- 17. Fragrance
- 18. Pornography (abbrev.)
- 19. Hebrew month
- 20. Journalist
- 22. Add on to the end
- 24. Bobbin
- 25. Braids
- 26. Works bread dough
- 29. The closing section of a musical composition
- 30. Lacking sensation
- 31. Written reproduction
- 37. A magistrate of the Roman

Republic

- 39. Vase
- 40. Strange or weird
- 41. Lycanthropes
- 44. Sheet of glass
- 45. Sword
- 46. Representatives
- 48. Male ruler of an empire
- 52. To cover a wide area
- 53. Quagmire
- 54. Not faithful to religion or cause
- 58. "Negative cheers"
- 59. Neither good nor bad (2 words)
- 61. More reasonable
- 62. Nature of being
- 63. Genus of the pearly-shelled mussel 9. Internal organs
- 64. Go inside
- 65. Accomplishment
- 66. Characterized by malice
- 67. Stalks

- 1. Rip

- 4. Unforgettable
- 5. Caught
- force

- 8. Equality
- 10. Smacks
- 11. Anagram of "Aside"
- 12. Fatuous
- 13. Units of cut wood

- 3. At the highest point
- 6. Cause to move forward with 28. Chieftain
- 7. Secure with cables or ropes

- 2. Scarce

- - - - 32. Monarch

 - 36. T T T T
 - 38. Pitchers

- **DOWN**
- 21. Quiz or exam
- 23. Tranquility 25. 1000 kilograms
- 26. Was aware of
- 27. Naked
- 29. Engrave
- 33. Expressing remorse
- 34. Modern-day Persia
- 35. Half a quart

- 42. A North American marsupial
- 43. Anagram of "Soap"
- 47. They make up the atmosphere
- 48. Set deeply
- 49. Large northern deer
- 50. Not verse
- 51. Alleviated
- 52. Eating utensil
- 54. Largest continent
- 55. Anagram of "Neat"
- 56. Swarm
- 57. Goes astray
- 60. A single thing





APRIL 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
_	2 LINE DANCING9:30 HAND & FOOT 1 PM	3 BLEA MEETING 9 AM BRIDGE 1 PM	4 COMPUTER CLINIC 1-3PM BINGO 7 PM	5 PINOCHLE 7 PM	6 EUCHRE 7 PM	COFFEE 9 AM HAND & FOOT 12:30 PM GAME NIGHT 7 PM
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22	23 HAND & FOOT 1 PM	CRAFTS FOR VETERANS 9-12 BRIDGE 1 PM	25 COMPUTER CLINIC 1-3PM BINGO 7 PM	26 BOARD MEETING 9 AM PINOCHLE 7 PM	27 EUCHRE 7 PM	COFFEE 9 AM HAND & FOOT 12:30 PM GAME NIGHT 7 PM
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