

The Bay Laker

Issue 122

Dates to Remember:

- Oct 05 (9:30 a.m.) – HOA Meeting
(Refreshments 9:00 a.m.)
 - Oct 12 (9:00 a.m.) – Romeos
 - Oct 12 - Newsletter Articles Deadline
 - Oct 14 (1:00 p.m.) – Juliets lunch
 - Oct 14 (3:00 p.m.) – Investment Club
 - Oct 19 (9:30 a.m.) – Juliets breakfast
 - Oct 26 (9:00 a.m.) – Romeos
 - Oct 28 (9:00 a.m.) – Board Meeting
 - Oct 30 (6:00 p.m.) – Halloween Party
 - Nov 02 (9:30 a.m.) – HOA Meeting
- Saturday Morning Coffee – every Sat. (9:00 a.m.)
 Bingo – Every Wed. 7:00 p.m. (6:45 card buy-in)
 Game Night – every Saturday (7:00 p.m.)

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FROM THE PRESIDENT

Steve Rollison 941-375-8110

Support the NVFD

As a Bay Lake resident you should have received an \$85 invoice in early September from the Nokomis Volunteer Fire Department.

Many new residents – and perhaps some long-time residents – probably saw the bill and thought, “Wow, here’s another scam. They’re always coming up with something new to swindle unsuspecting people.”

However, what you received was actually a solicitation even though it was labeled an “invoice.” Further, the Nokomis Volunteer Fire Department is a legitimate 501(c)(4) charitable organization that provides our community with valuable, essential services.

I whole-heartedly endorse the NVFD and urge you to pay the “Readiness to Serve – Annual Fire Service Fee. Any additional donation you make is much appreciated by them and is used only to purchase new Firefighter Safety Equipment.

If you have misplaced your invoice, call the NVFD on the special phone line they have set up: (941) 780-7939.

The fee is due by October 1st each year.

What benefits come with paying your fee?

If you have a fire service call at your address and you are not current on your annual fire service fee, NVFD will respond – but you will

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be charged the FEMA-authorized rates for all equipment and personnel time spent on the fire service event.

If you have a fire service call at your address and you are current on your annual fee, you will not have to pay NVFD anything for the response service.

The fire departments of Venice, Englewood, North Port and Sarasota County all receive money through tax assessments. The Nokomis fire department receives no money through assessments and depends on the Annual Fire Service Fees they collect.

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Steve Limkemann 734-419-9142

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

- 2 Kathie Morris
- 5 Bonnie Heintz
- 8 Kenny Nifong
- 10 Rebecca Dole
- 11 Sandra Lee
- 13 Donna Symonds
- 17 David Baumgartner
- 19 Herb Van Dyke
- 21 Jen Calata-Carella
- 23 Liz Breadstill
- 23 Frank Carrier
- 26 J. Dino Carella
- 30 JoAnn Macchia



OCTOBER ANNIVERSARIES

- 10 Bonnie & Rudy Heintz
- 17 Jen Calata-Carella & J. Dino Carella
- 17 Ernest & Valerie Hopkins
- 23 Bobby & Carol Brinkley
- 26 Dave & Stephanie Singer



We do not have everyone’s birth and/or anniversary month and day. If you had a birthday and/or anniversary this month and we missed it, or listed it with the wrong month or day, please send a correction to stevelim@wwnet.com. That’s also the e-mail address to use to send your info if you are a new resident or have a phone book change.

THE JULIETS BREAKFAST

Rosemary Baumgartner 419-215-4733

The Juliets will meet for breakfast on Tuesday, October 19th at 9:30 a.m. at Great Day Cafe in Venice. All women from Bay Lake Estates are invited. Please feel free to join us. Be sure to sign up on the sheet in the clubhouse so we have an accurate count for the restaurant.

CLIP IT - SNIP IT - DID IT!!

Carol Gilchrist 941-485 7043

A BIG Thank You to Karol Nickerson, Jan Smith, and Annette Calderin for volunteering their clip it and snip it skills to help me remove seed pods last month from the magenta flowering crepe myrtle trees by the office and laundromat. I was allowed to plant them many years ago. Their beautiful blooms in the summer have been enjoyed by all. After the seed pods are removed in late summer, we often get a second showing of the blossoms.

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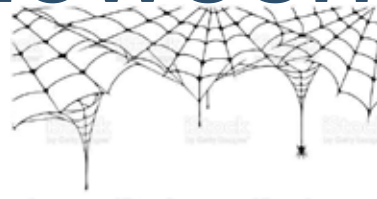
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Happy Halloween



IT'S PARTY TIME AT BLE

Come one, come all and enjoy this *no-cost* event on Saturday, October 30th, at 6:00 pm, at the Clubhouse! Costumes are optional, and there will be at least 3 prizes for best costume.

BLE residents pay nothing, Guests pay only \$5.00.

Food will be provided, however, you need to bring your own drinks, whatever that may be. *The menu consists of Sloppy Joes, Creamy Macaroni Salad, Potato Chips, Dill Pickles, decorated Deviled Eggs, and Deserts.*

Wear your dancing shoes and dance the night away to the music provided by BLE'S very own, Andy & Donna Takach. There will also be a mix of Karaoke with songs conducive for dancing. YES, there will be a 50/50 drawing.



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RECYCLING DO'S AND

DON'TS

Connie DeLong

Here is a reminder from Waste Management of things to recycle and not to recycle. Wash or at least rinse items before recycling.

Plastics: **ONLY** the plastics with the recycling numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7, **NOT 6**.

Also recycle aluminum cans, foil trays, steel and tin cans, all color glass bottles and jars, drink boxes, milk and juice cartons, newspapers, mixed paper, magazines and flattened cardboard. **NO PLASTIC BAGS**. Plastic bags can be recycled in the proper bins for them in front of many grocery stores.

NO, NO, NO...

Broken glass, ceramic tiles, dishes, glassware, eyeglasses, flower pots (ceramic, clay or plastic), clothes hangers, hardcover books, light bulbs, mirrors, packing materials, plastic deli trays, plastic toys, pots, pans, ovenware, **STYROFOAM**, window glass, yard waste, plastic bags, electronics, paper plates, paper towels, napkins, bedding, rugs, auto parts, hoses, holiday lights or diapers.

DO NOT PLACE the garbage, recycling or yard waste to the curb before 5pm the day before pickup.

Remember to keep the recycling bin 3 feet away from everything.

NEW PHONE RULE AFFECT

US!!!

Steve Rollison 941-375-8110

Effective Sunday, October 24, 2021 you **must** dial 10 digits when placing any call to area code 941.



Historically you have been able to place **local** 941 area code calls by dialing just the “main” 7 digits.

Stated another way... Suppose your full phone number starts with area code 941. For example, (941) 488 1234. Until October 24th you can call me at home by entering just the main 7 digits of my phone number: 375-8110.

Starting October 24th you will have to dial 10 digits: 941 375 8110.

That is true even if you are calling from a land line next door!

It is also true if you are calling from a cell phone, regardless of what area code it is configured with.

Here's a tip you may find useful.

Though seven-digit dialing is still available until October 24, you should immediately start dialing 10 digits (area code + telephone number) for all local calls so you can get used to it.

Two more tips...

Check all your services and equipment that might be programmed to dial seven-digit local numbers, and add the area code where necessary to dial 10-digit numbers. Especially check your cell phone's contact list, since area codes are not often added automatically.

Other examples: Automatic dialing equipment, medical monitoring devices, fax machines, fire alarms, security systems, speed dialers, call forwarding settings, and voicemail services.

Also, remember to include your full 10-digit number when filling forms on websites or advertising materials. You may need to order new checks, personal or pet ID tags, and other such items.

Anything else?

The new dialing requirement should not change the price you pay for any phone services.

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You will continue to dial 1+ area code + telephone number for all long-distance calls from a landline.

You will still dial just three digits to reach 911 (emergency services), and any other 3-digit services you may currently be using, including those below. (3-digit services vary by community. Not all are available in Florida.)

- 211 (community information and referrals)
- 311 (non-emergency police/governmental services)
- 411 (directory information)
- 511 (national travelers assistance)
- 611 (phone company customer service)
- 711 (hearing/speech impairment assistance)
- 811 (pipeline/utilities excavation damage protection)
- 988 (available after 7/16/2022: Suicide Prevention Hotline)

JULIETS LUNCH

Helen Baker 309-830-8449

The Juliets will meet for lunch on Thursday, October 14th at 1:00 p.m. at Dockside Restaurant. The Sign-up sheet is in the clubhouse. All Bay Lake Estates women are welcome. Call Helen with any questions.



WELCOME CURRY CREEK CLOGGERS

Joyce Martin - 941-451-1624

Starting in October, the **Curry Creek Cloggers** will be practicing in the Bay Lake Estates' clubhouse. Would you like to know more about clogging? You can watch us on YouTube. Or come see us practice in person at the clubhouse. We meet on Mondays from 11:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and Wednesdays from 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.



Would you like to learn to clog? Talk to Joyce Martin (941)451-1624

With enough interest, she will start a beginner's class.

CRAFTS RETURNING

Becki Phelps 585-813-8625

Crafts will be returning in November. Dates and times to be determined.



DR. SUESS IS SPOT-ON!

Steve Rollison 941-375-8110

A resident texted me a poem written in the style of Dr. Suess. It is titled "The Cat in the Hat on Aging" and when I read it I laughed out loud.



Unquestionably copyright infringement is involved, so we can't print it here in The Bay Laker – but that doesn't mean we can't show you the eBay page that displays the poem on a refrigerator magnet!

<https://TinyURL.com/CatOnAging>

FOOD DONATIONS

Karol Ann Nickerson 813-464-0648

Bay Lake Estates collect non-perishable food items, such as; canned goods, pasta, rice or prepared boxed foods and other dry goods, peanut butter, jelly, non-refrigerated jars of food, etc. All items are donated to the Salvation Army right here on Albee Farm Road.

Place your donated items in the collection box on the stage in the clubhouse.

All donations help feed our local community. Please give what you can.



Baby, You Can Drive My Car

- VW (2)
- CRV (3)
- GMC (3)
- KIA (3)
- FORD (4)
- JEEP (4)
- RAV4 (4)
- BUICK (5)
- CAMRY (5)
- CHEVY (5)
- HONDA (5)
- LEXUS (5)
- ENCORE (6)
- IMPALA (6)
- MIRAGE (6)
- PASSAT (6)
- RANGER (6)
- SIENNA (6)
- SIERRA (6)
- SUBARU (6)
- TOYOTA (6)
- CAPTIVA (7)
- COROLLA (7)
- HYUNDAI (7)
- MUSTANG (7)
- OUTBACK (7)
- SEBRING (7)
- SORENTO (7)
- CHRYSLER (8)
- WINDSTAR (8)
- WRANGLER (8)
- MINI (8)
- MITSUBISHI (10)
- OLDSMOBILE (10)
- SILHOUETTE (10)

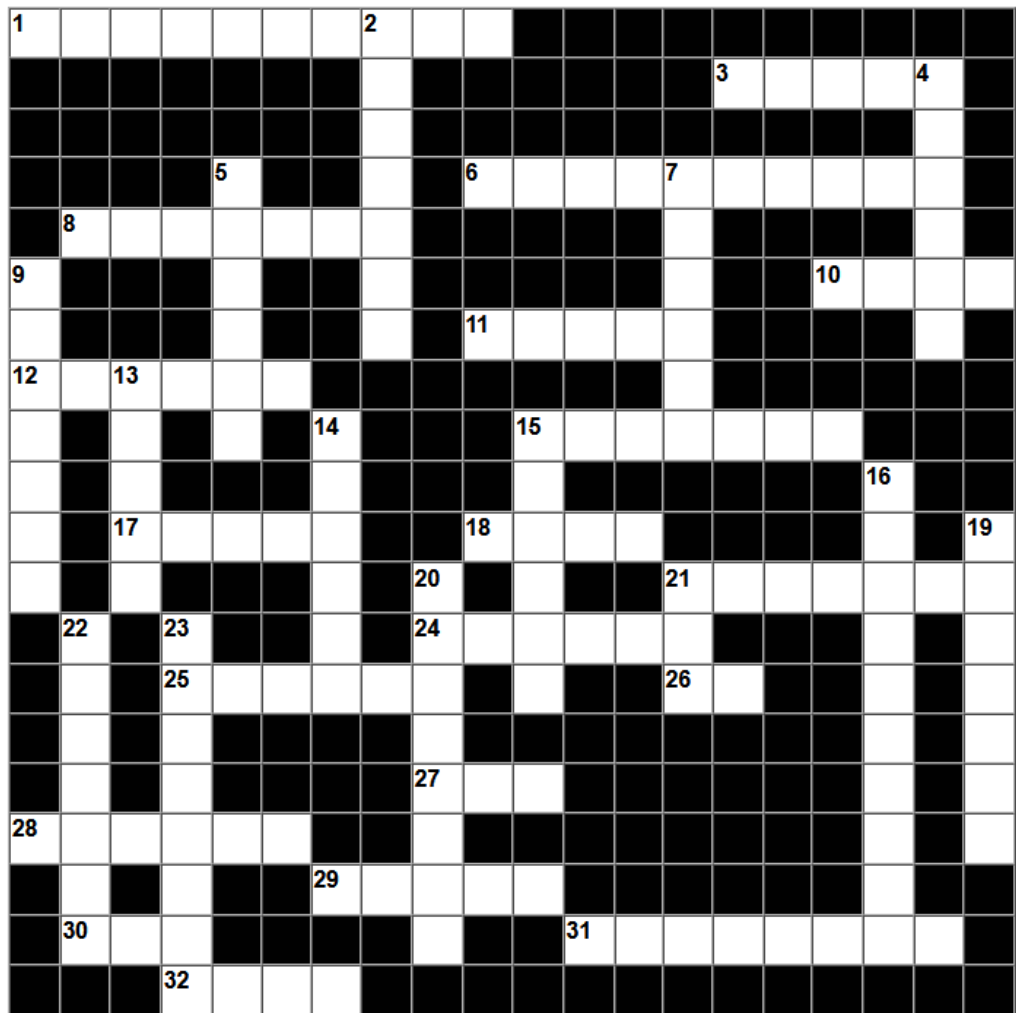
At the left is a list of vehicles that were seen recently in Bay Lake Estates. You've probably seen most of them yourself just driving through the park. But can you figure out where they fit in the puzzle below?!!!

NOTE: You may have noticed that the simple-style Crossword puzzles shown here each month have no clues. Wherever a word or phrase fits is where it belongs.

This is the most difficult puzzle provided here so far!

HINT: To give you a head start, the length of each word is shown in parentheses, and the words are sorted by length. Since there's only one word that has exactly two letters, there's only one place in the puzzle where that word could go. Start working the puzzle by filling in the spaces for that word.

HINT #2: Keep building off of each filled in entry. Once you've entered "VW," there's only one 3-letter word available that ends in "V"...



HOME OF THE MONTH

A tip of the hat to Larry Johnson at 145 Camellia Street. Larry's home was awarded Home of the Month for the month of September.

Larry has focused lately on a number of remodeling projects inside his home, but, repainting all the trim in a bright shade of green really made the exterior "pop." What a huge difference it made.

If you run into Larry while you're out and about, be sure to thank him for doing his part to boost the attractiveness of our park and congratulate him on winning Home of the Month recognition which includes a \$50 Lowe's gift card. Congratulations Larry!



NOTES FROM THE EDITOR

Donna Pfeiffer – 941-586-2812

Editor@BayLakeEstates.org

Please submit your newsletter articles and photos for the **November issue no later than Tuesday, October 12th.**



Heads Up: In order to print and deliver the newsletters before the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays, Community Media must receive the edited copy of our Bay Laker much sooner. Therefore, please make a note of the up coming holiday submission deadlines for the December and January newsletters.

New 2021 Holiday Newsletter Deadlines:

December Issue:

Deadline for article submissions:

Saturday, Nov 6th

Estimated delivery to BLE: November 19th - 24th

January Issues:

Deadline for submissions to us: Saturday, Dec 4th

Estimated delivery to BLE: December 20th – 23rd

If you are reading this newsletter, please consider writing an article to be included in the next edition. We ask you to avoid political topics. Most other topics are acceptable.

All articles and information must be received by the due date each month to be included in the newsletter for the following month. Please email all submissions to Donna Pfeiffer at: Editor@BayLakeEstates.org Thank you.

HISTORICAL HIJINX

Joyce Martin

The craziest command ever given caused the Death March. While reviewing his troops before the Kremlin in Moscow, Czar-Paul I became displeased and ordered the troops to "March to Siberia". They did and were never heard from again.

Napoleon once killed over a thousand people with a single cough. In 1799, he was in the midst of deciding whether or not to release 1,200 Turkish prisoners of war. He was just about to give the order to set them all free, when he coughed. He exclaimed, "Ma sacre tough!" (My darned cough!), which sounded to his officers like "Massacrez rous!" (Kill them all !) So they did.



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Steve Rollison 941-375-8110

After an absence of nearly five weeks, The Bay Lake Fountain is a welcome sight for residents and visitors once more.

Back in August the pump motor in our practically-new fountain failed prematurely. Since it was covered under warranty, everyone figured the vendor would have it back up and running in short order.

Thanks to COVID-19 it didn't work out that way.

The vendor ordered a new motor, and waited for it to be delivered. And waited. And waited some more.

Components were not available because the manufacturing facilities were all sidelined by the virus. My first reaction to this news was, "COVID is going to be a convenient excuse for business foul-ups for a long time coming." However, according to one academic research company, "the pandemic has interrupted shipping of parts and materials to nearly 75% of U.S. companies."

Regardless of the delay, we can all be grateful to have our beautiful fountain back up and running.

The cormorants don't seem to be pleased about it though. They've been spreading their wings to dry every morning as they roost on the dormant fountain. Now they scatter in alarm at 7:30 a.m. as the timer kicks on and the spray shoots into the air!



THE ROMEOS BREAKFAST

Steve Rollison 941-375-8110

A BIG Surprise!

When you try someplace new, as often as not you are in for a surprise. Sometimes a BIG surprise – like this “as big as your head” pancake David Baker was served when the ROMEOS went to A Good Day Café on August 31st.



All gentlemen living in the park are encouraged to join the very informal ROMEOS group. **ROMEOS** is an acronym for “Retired Old Men Eating Out” – a purely social group that is highly focused on a single activity: chowing down!

Please note that you don't have to be retired to join us – that just made for a catchy acronym. If you're still working (i.e. have money!) you can tell people it stands for “Rich Old Men Eating Out.” 😊 Particularly if you're new in the park, The ROMEOS is a great no-stress way to get to know a few of your fellow Bay Lakers.

You'll pretty much hear two distinct sounds our breakfasts:

1. Loud, good-natured ribbing accompanied by boisterous laughter.
2. Near total silence once the food arrives!

The ROMEOS meet on alternate TUESDAYS (recently changed!) at randomly chosen restaurants. We generally try to carpool, and leave the park around 8:45 a.m. Give me a call to see where we're headed next, and let me know if I may set you up with a ride.

P.S. David was not able to finish that oversized pancake! He'll remember “big enough to share” if he orders it again.



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BINGO WEDNESDAYS

Weekly bingo returned to Bay Lake on September 8th after the once per month summer schedule concluded.



Every Wednesday from 7:00 p.m. until a little before 9:00

p.m., players enjoy a full program of bingo. The full program consists of 10 regular games, one winner-take-all full card special, and one “Speedy” full card game that’s called at a moderately fast pace using numbers only – no b/i/n/g/o letters.

Additionally, there’s a Magic Ball pot that carries over week-to-week until someone wins a regular game with the “magic ball” that was selected at the beginning of the evening.

Be sure to arrive at least 15 minutes early to purchase your cards (and daubers if you need them).

Any questions? Call bingo coordinator Miriam Davidson at (941) 303-6923.

BABY, YOU CAN RIVE MY CAR

SOLUTION

Across:

- 1 Mitsubishi
- 3 Lexus
- 6 Oldsmobile
- 8 Hyundai
- 10 Ford
- 11 Honda
- 12 Subaru
- 15 Sorento
- 17 Camry
- 18 Jeep
- 21 Corolla
- 24 Ranger
- 25 Impala
- 26 VW
- 27 GMC
- 28 Passat
- 29 Chevy
- 30 Kia
- 31 Chrysler
- 32 RAV4

Down:

- 2 Sebring
- 4 Sierra
- 5 Encore
- 7 Mirage
- 9 Mustang
- 13 Buick
- 14 Toyota
- 15 Sienna
- 16 Silhouette
- 19 Captiva
- 20 Wrangler
- 21 CRV
- 22 Outback
- 23 Windstar



RUMMAGE SALE 2022(?)

Steve Rollison 941-375-8110

Will there be a rummage sale this February? Yes? No? Does anybody know? How does all this confusion proliferate?



Short Answer Yes, as previously announced, we are planning to have another rummage sale in February of 2022. Including an accompanying plant sale.

Longer Answer It will probably be our last rummage sale since our volunteer base is dwindling. But maybe we'll get some new residents involved after the first of the year, and with their help we'll be able to continue having our primary fund raiser into the future.

None of the above is new information, but it bears repeating here.

It also warrants a reminder that we are continuing to accept donations of saleable merchandise for the February event. However, except for the plants the 2022 sale will be "indoors only" to allow us to get by with fewer volunteers for running the sale and hauling and displaying donated merchandise. That means we won't be able to sell (or take donations of) furniture, bicycles or other large items.

In the meantime, please, please, please remember to save your "used but still in good shape" stuff for the rummage sale.

That does **not** mean we're looking for worn out clothing, stained linens, broken household items, non-functioning small kitchen appliances, or puzzles with missing pieces. While it's true that "one man's junk is another man's treasure," it is also true that

"junk" junk just doesn't sell. We cannot afford to fill up the rummage sale shed with donated spring cleaning *rubbish* as we have in the past.

But that perfectly good stuff you want to get rid of just because you don't want it anymore? Those are the things we're pleading with you to save for the rummage sale!

You don't need to store them for months on end, either. Got something now for the rummage sale shed? Call me and I'll make the necessary arrangements pronto.



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From July through September taking a dip in our pool *used to be* like taking a bath in a tub full of tepid water – a little cringeworthy and anything but refreshing.



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But that's old news. You already knew that – right?

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You know about the Event Alerts – right?

They are **short** "blast" e mails sent out whenever there are news items, announcements, events or activities you'd want to know about. The Bay Laker Newsletter is great, but like **any** printed information, it's pretty much out of date by the time you pick it up.

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My mom, MaryEllen, was profoundly hard of hearing and struggled with higher frequencies, like small children.

When we asked her to babysit, she said she was not confident being alone with Evan. It took us a while to understand her lack of confidence, because we knew she had raised two boys of her own.

When we asked her about her hesitation, she explained that she wasn't sure she would be able to hear his cries.

Looking back, it was probably this heightened anxiousness that prompted her to get a better-quality hearing aid that enabled her to hear with ease in these situations.

As we know, kids, whether our own or our grandkids, are chaotic and create complex listening situations.

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