

# The Bay Laker

## Issue 139

## THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Joyce Martin



### DATES TO REMEMBER

- Board of Directors Meeting – Thursday, March 2nd at 10:00 a.m.
- Home Owners Association Meeting – Tuesday, March 7th. Donuts and coffee served at 9 o'clock, meeting will be called to order at 9:30 a.m.
- Ladies Luncheon at the Clubhouse- March 16th. See the sign-up sheet.
- Saturday Morning Coffee 9:00 a.m. Free coffee & donuts.
- Newsletter Article Deadline – March 10th
- Romeos – March 8th and March 22nd (8:45 a.m.) (see the sign-up sheet)
- Juliet's Lunch – March 9th at 1:00 p.m., at Deep Lagoon Seafood and Oyster House in Osprey (see article and the sign-up sheet in the clubhouse).
- Juliet's Breakfast – March 21 at 9:30 at SKILLETS (see Article and the sign-up sheet in the clubhouse).

*(Please note, after signing up to attend any function, if you are unable to attend, please let someone know. These restaurants have graciously reserved space for the Juliets and it would be rude to tell them there will be 18 women dining when in fact only 10 show up.)*

#### On-going Events...

**Tuesdays:** Cards -Texas Hold-em for BLE residents only (6:30 p.m.)

**Wednesdays:** Golf in Venice (8:45 a.m.)  
Computer Clinic (1:00 p.m.)  
Bingo – Wednesday evenings

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Euchre (7:00 p.m.)

**Saturdays:** Morning Coffee (free coffee & donuts) (9: a.m.)  
Game Night (7:00 p.m.)

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Why do I say that? Well, when Jim, who has since passed, and I moved here, we went golfing on day two with a bunch from the Park. The next weekend we were invited to sit with some neighbors at the Saturday Night Dance. We liked to sing, so we joined the Chorus. And don't forget Bingo. And so on and so on. Where else could you find instant friends and never run out of things to do.

So I invite ALL our residents to get involved in some way in the many activities in the park. AND, if there is something you would like to suggest or lead as an activity, come to the Board Meeting or Association meeting and speak up. We love new ideas.

What else? How about sending your favorite recipe to the Editor of the newsletter. Or perhaps a joke, poem, restaurant review. Maybe something titled: A Funny or Special Thing Happened to Me on My Way..... I have one. This Happened to Me: on my way home from Coffee Hour 9 am Sat. My golf cart died in front of Kenny's house. Marian was with me and she and I and Ken pushed it into his yard. I got my charger and Ken plugged it into my cart and his outlet for the day. At the end of the day, still not working. Dirk came along and took a look and the two of them said, "Don't worry, we'll get the cart to your house (which is several blocks away and slightly uphill) sometime today. And, sure enough, it was there by the end of the day. Just one

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example of neighbors helping neighbors.

How can you keep up with “What’s Going On”? The newsletter’s in the clubhouse. Pick up a copy. While you’re there, check the sign-up sheets underneath the Bingo board for an activity you would like to be part of. Get your tickets for the Valentine Dinner Dance from Linda Nifong....no partner needed. Talk to your neighbor. Make sure Steve Rollison has your email address so you get the ALERTS as well, etc.

Hope to see you at SATURDAY COFFEE in the clubhouse. PS Coffee and DONUTS are FREE!

## **FROM THE EDITOR**

*Michael M. Kloian (912) 547-2416*

### Radio Free Europe

Radio Free Europe/Radio Liberty (RFE/RL) is a United States government funded organization that broadcasts and reports news, information, and analysis to countries in Eastern Europe, Central Asia, Caucasus, and the Middle East where it says that "the free flow of information is either banned by government authorities or not fully developed". RFE/RL is a private, non-profit corporation supervised by the U.S. Agency for Global Media, an independent government agency overseeing all U.S. federal government international broadcasting services. Jeremy Bransten is acting editor-in-chief of RFE.

RFE/RL broadcasts in 27 languages to 23 countries. The organization has been headquartered in Prague, Czech Republic, since 1995, and has 21 local bureaus with over 500 core staff and 1,300 stringers and freelancers in countries throughout their broadcast region. In addition, it has 680 employees at its headquarters and corporate office in Washington, D.C.

During the Cold War, RFE was broadcast to Soviet satellite states, including the Baltic states, and RL targeted the Soviet Union; RFE was founded as an anti-communist propaganda source in 1949 by the National Committee for a Free Europe, while RL

was founded two years later. The two organizations merged in 1976. Communist governments frequently sent agents to infiltrate RFE's headquarters, and the KGB regularly jammed its signals. RFE/RL was headquartered at Englischer Garten in Munich, West Germany, from 1949 to 1995. Another broadcast site was operated at the village of Glória do Ribatejo, east of Lisbon, Portugal, from 1951 to 1996. European operations have been significantly reduced since the end of the Cold War.

Radio Free Europe was created and grew in its early years through the efforts of the National Committee for a Free Europe (NCFE), an anti-communist CIA front organization that was formed by Allen Dulles of New York City in 1949. RFE/RL received funds covertly from the CIA until 1972. During RFE's earliest years of existence, the CIA and U.S. Department of State issued broad policy directives, and a system evolved where broadcast policy was determined through negotiation between them and RFE staff.

Radio Free Europe received widespread public support from Eisenhower's "Crusade for Freedom" campaign. In 1950, over 16 million Americans signed Eisenhower's "Freedom Scrolls" on a publicity trip to more than 20 U.S. cities and contributed \$1,317,000 to the expansion of RFE.

To submit a newsletter article, simply type something up in an email or text (912-547-2416) and send it off to: **Editor@BayLakeEstates.org**. Please add the word “Newsletter” in the subject line. If you do not receive a reply from me that I received your article that probably means I did not receive it. Send it again or please call me. Kindly pay close attention to the spelling and capital letters for **Editor@BayLakeEstates.org**.

I will take care of the rest. No need to worry about spelling or formatting. If you take a picture with your phone that you would like to submit for the newsletter, send it to me in an email or a text with a little note of explanation. Or if you are unable to do that, simply text it to me at (912) 547-2416.

Remember you can read the Bay Laker Newsletter

online at BayLakeEstates.org. There, you will find links for current and past newsletter editions.

*Please note: ALL articles and submissions may be edited or censored for remarks or comments that residents may find offensive. We strive towards a newsletter that represents our compassionate, loving community that is all inclusive to all current and future residents. If by chance you read something in one of our newsletters that you find offensive, please don't hesitate to contact me, the editor, to discuss your concerns for future newsletters.*

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## **LADIES LUNCHEON**

*contributor Marion Brooks*

Our January luncheon was held on Thursday, January 19. We dined on lasagna, Caesar salad and French bread. Thank you to my helpers, Gaetane Carrier, Denise Brisson, Karen Linkemann, Helen Baker and Dena Swain, and the one woman clean-up person, Jan Smith. Thank-you all.

We learned a lot at that meeting. We learned that Rosemary was a rodeo rider; that Raylene's father drove a tractor during snow storms to get the family groceries; that Karen lives north of our Windsor Bay Lake residents; that Denise has 50 year old twins; that Carol has a son teaching in Prague; that Louise is from the state that held the original Thanksgiving. Where would we be without that celebration. We also learned that Patti came from a family of 15. Her mother was a really good cook and baker. Now I understand Patti's talents. Donna Reese had many secrets to share. A good time was had by all.

Our next luncheon is March 16. it will be a potluck salad luncheon and a white elephant raffle. Come and enjoy!



## **SURPRISE POT LUCK - BURGER NIGHT**

contributor – BLE HOA

Mark your calendars for March 18th at 5:30 at the clubhouse. Sponsored by our HOA, this pot luck will be different from other pot luck dinners in the past. Michael will be cooking burgers, with or without cheese, on the cast iron grill in the clubhouse kitchen for all to enjoy so the side dish you select should complement burgers. For example, various pasta salads, potato salad, green bean salad, mixed green salad, desserts, etc. All the trimmings will be available – onion, lettuce, tomato, caramelized onions, mustard, mayo and ketchup, including Tony Packo's Chili sauce from Toledo, Ohio for those who like chili on their burger.

Please use the sign-up sheet at the clubhouse and indicate the dish you plan to bring. There is cost for this event. We need a head count in order to prepare the correct amount of condiments.

## **WHAT'S GOIN' ON IN BAY LAKES? STAY CURRENT**

contributor Steve Rollison 941-375-8110

What's the best way to stay on top of everything that's going on at Bay Lake Estates? There's only one possible answer: our "Event Alerts."

What exactly are the Event Alerts, you ask?

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.

Alerts are **the best way** to stay on top of things at Bay Lake.

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A brief "Please subscribe me," along with your name, is all you need to send.

## **FAREWELL TO DAVE AND ROSEMARY BAUMGARTNER**

contributor Michael M Kloian

Back in Ohio, where they will live out the rest of their days, Dave and Rosemary Baumgartner, a pillar in our community, and that cute little barking dog, Katie, are gone. Their decision to move back to Ohio was a personal one, not to be shared with the general public. As such, we will all keep their secret to ourselves. Please, no *wild* rumors. Dave was one of several *regulars* in the 'pool'. He was funny and a very happy person. Great smile. When he wore those dark sunglasses, he reminded me of a Hollywood movie star. Rosemary loved living in Bay Lakes and she also was very instrumental in making things happen here by volunteering her time and talent. Rosemary took it upon herself a long time ago to create the sign-up sheets for all our events.

We will certainly miss all three of them, often seen tooling around the park in their golf cart. Adios, for now, Dave and Rosemary.



## **HOME OF THE MONTH IS BACK...**



February 2023 Home of the Month goes to: 187 Carissa St. Congratulations to Joyce and Ken Havens, and Jane and Rod Vanbuskirk.

When a home of the month is selected by the judges, our community manager, Leslee Jones, personally hands the winner a \$50 gift card.



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## MARCH HOA AND BOARD MEETINGS

**Board of Directors Meeting** – Thursday, March 2nd at 10:00 a.m. (meeting rescheduled from February 23rd due to conflict with the rummage sale)

**Home Owners Association Meeting** – Tuesday, March 7th. Donuts and coffee served at 9 o'clock, meeting will be called to order at 9:30 a.m.

## JULIET'S BREAKFAST

*Carla Hannay 941-223-0162*

March 21st (see the sign-up sheet in the clubhouse) at 9:30 A.M. At SKILLETS, Jacaranda & 41 in the strip mall. From 41, turn left onto Jacaranda and immediately put on your right turn blinker.



## JULIET'S LUNCH

*Helen Baker 309-830-8449*

The Juliet's luncheon will be on March 9, at 1:00 pm at Deep Lagoon Seafood and Oyster House, 482 Blackburn Point Rd, Osprey, FL 34229. 941-770-3337. There will be a sign-up sheet at the clubhouse. Any questions, please call Helen. Please use the sign-up sheet in the clubhouse.



## THE ROMEOS

*Tim Swain 317-258-3400*

The Romeos (the men of BLE) meet for breakfast usually on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of every month at 8:45 at a local restaurant. PLEASE check the sign-up sheet in the clubhouse for the location and more details and to be certain breakfast is still scheduled.



## 2023 CHILI CONTEST WINNERS

There was a very good turnout at this year's meet & greet/Chili Cook-off on January 29th. Everyone enjoyed the finger foods, beer and wine. Several pots that were filled with chili rapidly disappeared, as people returned with their bowl in hand for more of that yummy chili.

The superfans (our guests that evening) cast their vote for the best chili. First place winner is Dana Kelley with the most votes, Robin Izbicki came in second, and Raylene Bayless took third.

## NEWSLETTERS

The Bay Laker Newsletter's will continue to be placed in the clubhouse for pick-up until further notice. With damages to homes and some mail boxes missing we feel this is the safest way right now for them to be distributed. You can also access the newsletter on-line at [www.BayLakesEstate.org](http://www.BayLakesEstate.org)

## HOA MEMBERSHIPS

HOA memberships are currently on sale for 2023. All homeowners may purchase a membership for \$10.00 for the entire year.

*Please note*, when voting for the election of directors **only one member of the HOA per household** are allowed



to vote, per #723 of the Florida Statue. Annual renters and occupants may purchase an Associate membership for \$10.00 a year as well. All members may vote on HOA issues and expenditures. HOA memberships are important to receive discounts on certain events, like the Ice Cream Social, the Valentine's Day dinner and dance, and more.

Memberships will be sold at Saturday morning coffee and at association meetings, or by calling Steve Medich at 708-921-3367.



## MY FAVORITE EASY RECIPE

contributor *John Drake/Joyce Martin*

*John's* MARINADE for SALMON. Yummy!

- 1/8 cup soy sauce
- 1/4 cup lemon juice
- 3/8 cup olive oil
- 1 tsp dill weed

Marinate salmon for 2 - 3 hours

Preferred cooking method: Grilled



attempting to save the lives of others. The Hero Fund attempts to re-acquire medals, when located on the open market, feeling that they are not to be traded like commodities. Help for Heroes still exists today and is governed by a board of directors.

It doesn't take much to help someone out, who is in need. If you have a "The Humane Thing To Do Story," you would like to share with BLE residents. Kindly submit your story to [Editor@BayLakeEstates.org](mailto:Editor@BayLakeEstates.org). Please put in the subject line **Newsletter** and your preferred column placement. If you do not receive a reply from me that I received your article, please call me before the deadline of the 12th every month.

## THE HUMANE THING TO DO

contributor *Michael M. Kloian*



Andrew Carnegie, the steel magnate, who made millions in the late 1900's, was perhaps the wealthiest man in the world, that is until he began giving millions of dollars away. In

addition to funding libraries, he paid for thousands of church organs in the United States and around the world. Carnegie's wealth helped establish numerous colleges, schools, nonprofit organizations and associations in his adopted country, and many others. He believed in the "Gospel of Wealth," which meant that wealthy people were morally obligated to give their money back to others in society. Carnegie had made some charitable donations before 1901, but after that time, giving his money away became his new occupation, or obsession.

He also established Help for Heroes. Heroes, or their survivors, may be eligible for financial considerations, including one-time grants, scholarship aid, death benefits, and continuing assistance.

The Carnegie "**Hero Fund**" awards the Carnegie **Medal** to individuals in the United States and Canada who risk death or serious injury to an extraordinary degree, saving or



## IN MEMORIAM

contributor *Steve Rollison*

Mike Grunzweig was 79 years old when he passed away on Thursday, January 26th. He and his wife, Ginny, had celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in 2014. After she went to her final reward in 2018, Mike continued living in the Orange Blossom home they had shared since 2006.

That makes Mike a 17-year resident of Bay Lake – not any kind of longevity record, but more than long enough to establish himself as a valued, liked and respected member of the community.

Mike left behind four grandchildren, two great grandchildren, a sister, two sisters-in-law, and a passel of nieces and nephews. Read about them as well as his "life before Bay Lake" at the Legacy website: [www.Legacy.com](http://www.Legacy.com).

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contributor Steve Rollison

Carissa Street resident, Ken Havens, went to his eternal rest on Thursday, February 2, 2023. Our deepest condolences go out to his wife, Joyce, and to his children, grandchildren, and many nieces, nephews and friends. A special word of sympathy to Joyce's sister, Jane, and her husband, Rod, who have shared the Carissa Street "winter residence" since the four of them moved in many years ago.

Ken contributed his time and thoughtfulness to the park in many ways that most residents were not even aware of. When something needed to be done, he just stepped in and did it without waiting to be asked. On top of that, whenever a plea for help with an event went out, Ken was among the first to be there to lend a hand.

You can find Ken's obituary at <https://WindsorStar.Remembering.com>.

If you'd like to send Joyce a card, here is her home address. Note: postage to Canada is \$1.45 for a 1-ounce letter.

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## SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

Becki Phelps 585-813-8625

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Please let us know about a bereavement or illness

regarding a resident that could be shared with the Sunshine Committee.

Call either Becki Phelps at (585) 813-8625 or Sandra Lee at (419) 921-9361. The Sunshine Committee will be sure to confirm your information before posting it.

## A LITTLE HUMOR



## MY FAVORITE FILM OR TV SHOW

contributor Michael M Kloian

Although I mentioned long ago in a previous newsletter, my very favorite TV show is America's Got Talent, this year's AGT ALL STARS has all of them beat. The caliber of talent from around the world is absolutely the best – magicians, singers, dancers, etc. First place winners from countries like Canada, England, Brazil have appeared on this show this season. Take Mandy Harvey, for example, who appeared on the AGT All Stars on 01/30/23. Mandy is deaf, yet she sings like an angel. Howie Mandell made a comment following her performance how it was possible for someone who cannot hear themselves sing, sing so beautifully. This too is a *miracle*.



# MIRACLES DO HAPPEN

contributor Michael M Kloian



To add another layer to the above article about AGT ALL STARS, we have ballet dancer Vitoria Bueno, a 16 year old from Brazil. Vitoria was born without arms and relies on her toes to perform her daily routine for getting dressed, eating, brushing

her teeth and whatever else she needs to do. She also competed in *Das Supertalent*, season 15, finishing in 2nd place.

Vitoria placed 3rd on AGT All Stars in 2023, in one segment. Vitoria Bueno's Preliminary performance in Episode AS02 consisted of performing a ballet en pointe to Lauren Daigle's "You Say".

Howie Mandel, Heidi Klum and Simon Cowell (the judges) all gave her standing ovations. She received

enough votes from the Superfans that evening to enter the Top 3 of the night. She finished behind Aidan Bryant and Divyansh & Manuraj, eliminating her from the competition.

If you would like to see her perform, simply go to [Utube.com](https://www.youtube.com) and type in her name.

This “all smiles” and “sparkly” personality ballerina surely makes her shine above the rest.

If you have a ‘*miracle*’ story to share about you or someone you know, please send your story to [editor@baylakeestates.org](mailto:editor@baylakeestates.org). Put NEWSLETTER in the subject line.

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# BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

by Steve Limkemann (734) 419-9142



## MARCH BIRTHDAYS

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|-------------------|---------------------|
| 1 Peter Nehring   | 16 Robert Morris    |
| 2 Jeanne Palmer   | 17 Pam Parker       |
| 3 Dave Eungard    | 17 Mary Tooley      |
| 6 Tim Swain       | 19 Carla Hannay     |
| 8 Miriam Davidson | 19 Barbara Myer     |
| 9 Jolene Poletti  | 21 Stephen Mitchell |
| 12 Michael Kloian | 24 Harold Bellmore  |
| 12 Laura Medich   | 24 James Bradshaw   |
| 14 Laura Connor   | 27 Alice McKay      |
| 14 Robert Conway  | 29 Robin Izbicki    |
|                   | 30 Bob Malavolti    |

## MARCH ANNIVERSARIES

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|---|
| 3 John & Susan Zimmermann                   |
| 4 Becky & Ken Smith                         |
| 10 David & Sylvia Richardson                |
| 15 Jane & Jerry Shupp                       |
| 18 Dale & Helen Dickinson                   |
| 23 Charles & Michele Van Dien               |
| 30 Michael & Sue Small                      |
| 31 Kenneth Bertch & Virginia (Ginger) Trent |



We may not have everyone's birthday and/or anniversary month and day. If you had a birthday and/or anniversary this month and we missed it, or listed it incorrectly, please send a correction to [stevelim@wwnet.com](mailto: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.

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March 8th	<b>Midnight Library</b> by <i>Matt Haig</i> pub: 2020	Joyce Martin
April 12th	<b>The Nightingale</b> by <i>Kristen Hannah</i> pub: 2016	Connie Conley





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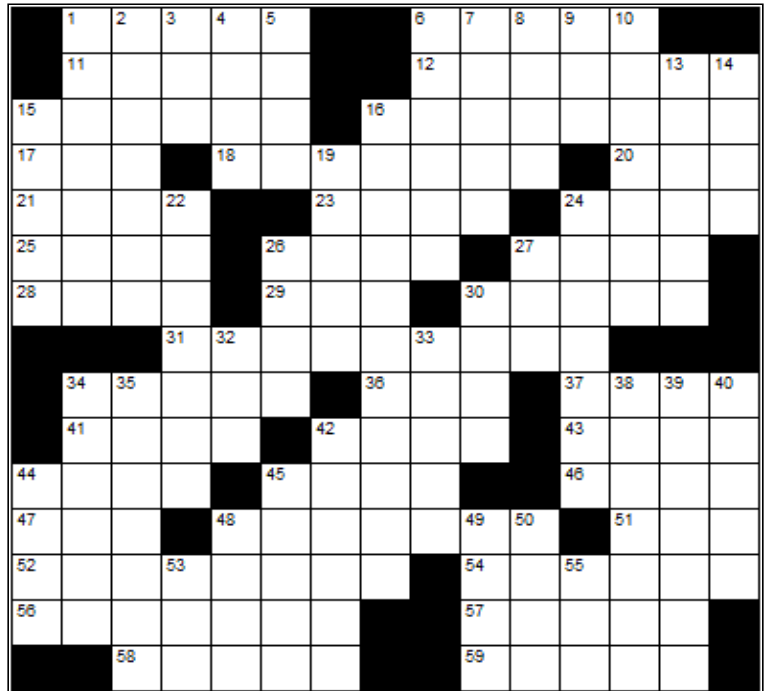
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# March Crossword

## ACROSS

1. Fire remnant
6. Trade name
11. Nigerian money
12. Proof of purchase
15. Amnesty
16. Visit tourist spots
17. Play a role
18. Ship's hospital
20. Youngster
21. Eye infection (variant spelling)
23. Stiletto or wedge
24. Tube
25. Anagram of "Sent"
26. Exhausts
27. Chutzpah
28. Rewrite
29. Cooking container
30. A tree, leaf or syrup
31. In a harmful manner
34. Ice or steam
36. C
37. Fair attraction
41. Type of sword
42. Highlands dagger
43. Utiliser
44. Blows
45. Overlook
46. Alone
47. Type of primate
48. Half woman and half fish
51. Light Emitting Diode
52. Reveals in private
54. Spin
56. Confined to certain regions
57. Gladden
58. Perspiration
59. Genders



## DOWN

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|------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1. Decried                   | 15. Adhesive               | 38. Set apart                   |
| 2. Gin and vermouth          | 16. Doubts                 | 39. Expunges                    |
| 3. Offer                     | 19. Pandemonium            | 40. Wear away                   |
| 4. Cupid's Greek counterpart | 22. Lands and wealth       | 42. Frank                       |
| 5. Hindu princess            | 24. Ancient Egyptian paper | 44. Speed competition           |
| 6. Kickbacks                 | 26. Urge (on)              | 45. Mass communication industry |
| 7. Royal                     | 27. Lass                   | 48. Imitate                     |
| 8. Sore                      | 30. Docile                 | 49. Ticks off                   |
| 9. Mesh                      | 32. Honey insect           | 50. Handout                     |
| 10. Purify                   | 33. Contrariwise           | 53. Not many                    |
| 13. Persons                  | 34. A knife or gun         | 55. Levy                        |
| 14. French for "Head"        | 35. Adds on                |                                 |

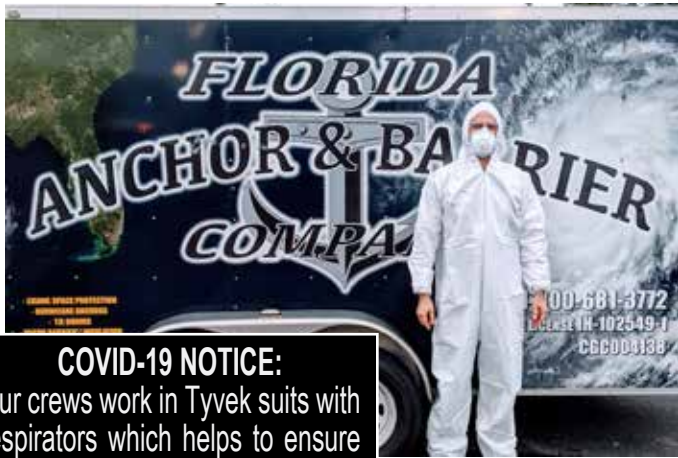


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# MARCH 2023

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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		Home Owners Association Meeting - Donuts and coffee served at 9 o'clock, meeting will be called to order at 9:30 a.m. Cards -Texas Hold-em 6:30 p.m.	Golf in Venice 8:45 a.m. Romeros 8:45 a.m. Computer Clinic 1:00 p.m. Bingo - Wednesday evenings	Juliet's Lunch 1:00 p.m. Shuffleboard 6:00 p.m.	Cards (dealer's choice) 6:30 p.m. Euchre 7:00 p.m. Newsletter Article Deadline	Morning Coffee (free coffee & donuts) 9: a.m. Game Night 7:00 p.m.
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
		Cards -Texas Hold-em 6:30 p.m.	Golf in Venice 8:45 a.m. Computer Clinic 1:00 p.m. Bingo - Wednesday evenings	Ladies Luncheon at the Clubhouse Shuffleboard 6:00 p.m.	Cards (dealer's choice) 6:30 p.m. Euchre 7:00 p.m.	Morning Coffee (free coffee & donuts) 9: a.m. Game Night 7:00 p.m.
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