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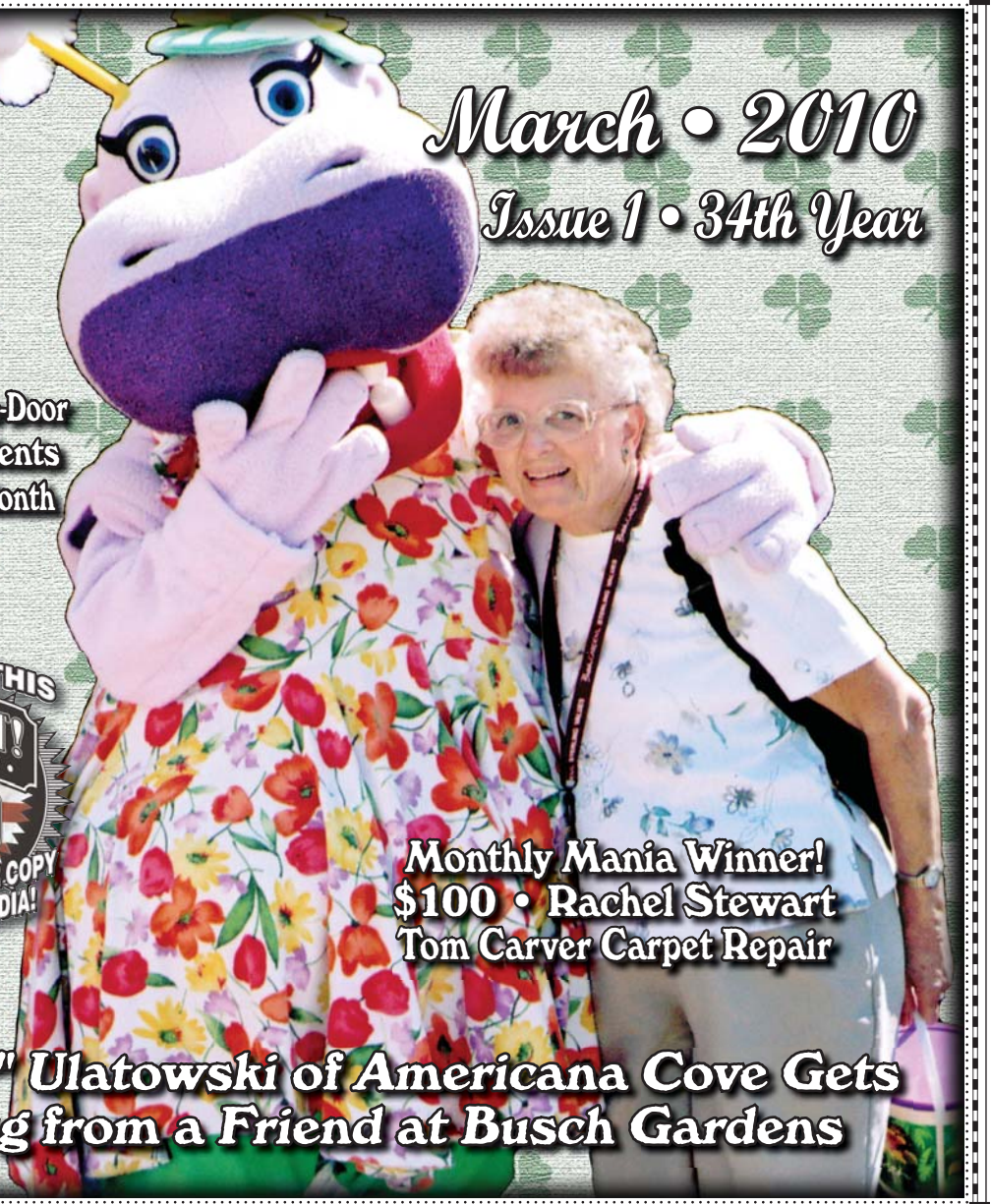


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News From Teakwood Village Main Office

By Lori Fliger, TKWDLLEF@AOL.COM

Wow, I just looked at the calendar and realized it's March already. This may seem a little early, but let's cover this now so we all can keep ourselves, our homes and our neighbors safe.

For those who are only in residence for the cold winter northern months, ha ha, remember to take an extra bit and look around your lot when you shut your home for the summer. Make sure that your patio furniture, grills, plants and anything not nailed down is placed inside the home or shed or is taken with you. We get a little windy and stormy here in Florida over the summer so we need to make sure that anything that could take off is secured.

As I said let's take a little extra time this year and make sure that we secure everything and maybe eyeball your neighbor's yard and gently nudge them in the same direction.

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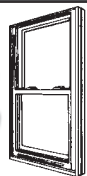
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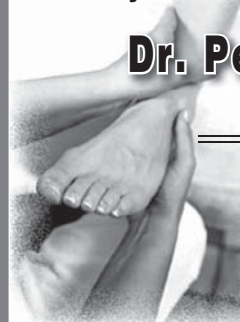
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Media Deadline for April is March 22

Send all items to largomarty@tampabay.rr.com or drop them at 598 Whippoorwill Lane.

Welcome Committee Report for February 2010

Submitted by Ronnie Kierstead



Maureen Galvin - 423 Molokai Lane from St. Petersburg, FL
 Beverly Smart and Larry Geraci - 439 Trinidad Lane from Teakwood West
 Don and Nancy Russell - 489 Canary Lake from Richview, IL
 Savino and Aimee Stallone - 641 Poinsettia Lane from Wilbraham, MA

Wearing of the Green

Social Club Activities for March



- Monday, March 1, 9 AM..... Bocce Tournament
- 7-9 PM every Monday night..... Mojo & Friends
- Sunday, March 7, 4 PM..... Bocce Banquet
- Sunday, March 7, 7 PM..... Movie/Popcorn "Couples Retreat"
- Wednesday, March 10..... Karaoke with Les 6:30-9 PM
- Saturday, March 13, 5:30 PM..... St. Patrick's Dinner/Dance
- Saturday, March 20, 7:30-9:30 AM..... Pancake Breakfast
- Saturday, March 20, 7 PM..... Horse Racing
- Sunday, March 21, 9 AM..... Shuffle Elimination begins
- Sunday, March 21, 5 PM..... Shuffle Awards Dinner
- Wednesday, March 24..... Karaoke with Les 6:30-9 PM
- Saturday, March 27, 5:30 PM..... Farewell Dance/Italian Dinner/Comedy Show

Special Events for March 2010

- All Mon., Wed., Thurs., Fri..... Noon-4:00 PM Poker (T) 
- All Mondays thru Fridays..... 11-11:45 Aquatic Exercise 
- All Mon., Wed., & Fri..... 9:30-11 Pool exercise 
- Every Monday evening..... 7-9 PM Mojo and friends (A) 
- Every 2nd Monday..... 7 PM Computer Club meeting 
- Every 3rd Monday..... 7 PM Garden Club meeting 
- All Tuesdays..... 9 AM Koffee Klatch & Cribbage 
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- All Tuesdays..... 7 PM Bingo 
- All Wednesdays..... 9:30-11:00 AM Dancing with June (A)
- 1st & 3rd Wednesdays..... 12:30 PM Ladies Friendship (A)
- 2nd & 4th Wednesdays..... 6:30-9:30 PM Karaoke with Les
- All Thursdays..... 6-9 PM Poker at Tiki
- All Fridays..... 9 AM Line Dancing with Linda (A)
- All Fridays..... 9 AM Bridge Club
- All Fridays..... 1-3 PM Ladies Poker (A)
- All Sundays..... 7 PM Bid Euchre (T)

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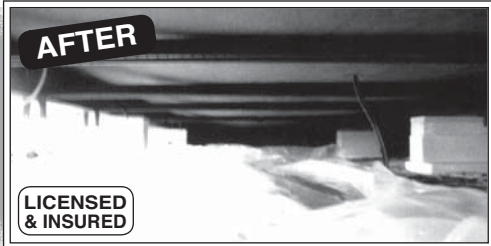
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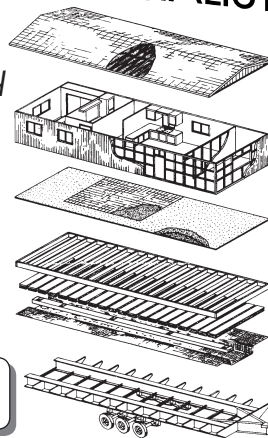
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8 Marty Dietz
13 Joan Myers

March Birthdays

1 Natalie Kleinmeyer
5 Deanna Kennedy
7 Harold Voigt
11 Trudy Nesser
17 Karen Berning
18 Terry Beaudet
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21 Gini Cornuet
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Thank You



From Monique and John:

To Earl Davidson, Ralph Coolong, and David Brothers for your help in parking cars for the Mojo and Friends Jam. We really appreciate your work.

From Monique:

Another "thanks" goes to June Davidson, Betty Flanary, and Darla Macdonald for their excellent job in decorating the Hall for Valentine's Day, and to John Benfield for his long reach in hanging our lighted heart.

From Don St. Jean:

I wish to thank everyone for all the "get-well cards" and good wishes and prayers I received on the occasion of my recent surgery. God bless you all.

From Toni Topczij:

I would like to thank everyone for their visits and help during my recent illness. Thanks to those who cooked a meal, brought desserts, delivered my paper every morning, took out my trash, brought me books to read, and just stopped by for a visit. You all brightened my day! A special thanks to Carol McClure for all her help: taking me to the doctors, shopping, and cleaning up for me. Everyone has been so wonderful! I am so lucky to live in a community where everyone cares for each other. I am hoping to return to work soon. Again, all my love and many, many thanks.

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From Don and Joan Myers:

Don and I thank those of you who visited at our home or in the hospital, made telephone calls, sent cards, offered prayers, baked goodies, and brought magazines while we each had a turn in the Largo Medical Hospital. I went in first in December and was there over Christmas Day; and Don was admitted a few days after I came home. It was not a fun way to end the year; however, we are both well now and we look forward to a healthy 2010. Thanks so much to everyone for your kindness and friendship in Teakwood East and West. We would also like to add that our four new neighbors were fantastic. Your caring was very much appreciated.



From the Women of Teakwood:

On behalf of the ladies of Teakwood East, I want to thank some very special men: Hank Sauer, Paul Fadden, Harold Voigt, Bert Boyer and Jim McMurray for the lovely flowers they presented us on Valentine's Day (a tradition which was begun by Bill LaPointe, Claire Kanan's late brother) honoring us ladies on Valentine's Day, as well as Mother's Day. We want these men to understand that we found their thoughtfulness greatly appreciated in this deed, as well as in all the other great work they do. Thanks again.

Teakwood East's Kentucky Derby

At Aloha Hall on Saturday, March 20th the racing season comes to an end, so we hope you can make this last race meeting of the year. If not, we will be back racing next January.

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Annual Bocce Tournament - March 1 - March 6



Don St. Jean would like to announce that the annual bocce tournament will be held during the first week of March.

The double elimination rounds this year will also include two new challenger teams made up of subs only.

Harriet's Kitchen will be serving great lunches on the first few days of the tournament. Please come join the fun as a participant, spectator, or cheerleader.

On Sunday, March 7th the awards banquet will begin with cocktails at 4:00 p.m., followed by dinner at 5:00 p.m. Then there will be musical entertainment from 6:00-7:30 p.m., which will be followed by the awards for season champions and tournament winners.

Sunshine Committee Report

Submitted by Carol McClure, Sunshine Committee Chair



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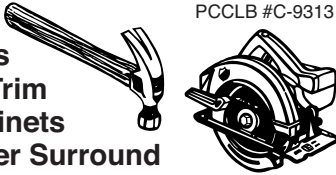
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Carolyn Morrison



When you think of Italian people, what do you think of? I think of laughter, warmth and good food. These people have all of this and more. Both Marie and Pete grew up in East Harlem in Manhattan, New York. They came from large Italian families. Pete had 5 brothers and 3 sisters. Pete was a middle child. Marie had 3 brothers and 2 sisters and was the baby of the family.

Peter's family was a gang and if you messed with one of them, you had all eight to contend with. They got together at Marie's Sweet Sixteen Party and it must have been a real success, as they have lasted 50 years. They were married on February 27, 1960 and their wedding was a catered affair for 250 people.

Throughout their working careers, Pete worked for 26 years with the New York Transit Authority as a Supervisor and after retirement he went to Grumman Aircraft for an additional 15 years. Marie worked as a property manager for 25 years, and as an administrative assistant to the owner of a major sporting goods company.

They bought their first home in East Meadows, Long Island and have lived there for 47 years.

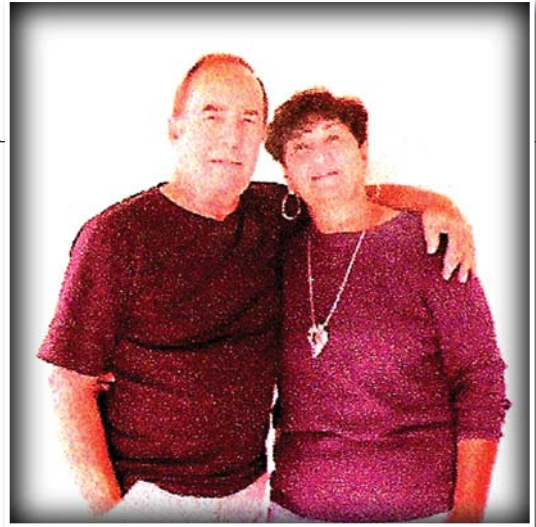
If you ask what was their greatest achievement is, they both will tell you it is their wonderful children and grandchildren. They have two girls and a boy, and 6 grandchildren.

Anyone who knows Marie will tell you that cards are her passion and she will play cards at the drop of a hat. Pete told me that she got started by playing penny football machines and gambling was in her blood.

When they were first married, Marie, as a dutiful wife, got up every morning to make Peter's breakfast and lunch, but when she got pregnant with their first child, Pete said, "Marie, rest and take care of yourself." She never made breakfast again.

Even though she doesn't make breakfast, I can tell you she is the best cook in the world and comes from a long line of fantastic cooks. And she learned at their side. You all will be able to see this for yourself at their Italian Night Dinner on March 27, 2010.

They both feel that the best thing they did was to buy their winter home at Teakwood Village and all their many friends they have made over the years.



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Renee Ouellette and Carol Morrison write the “Meet Your Neighbor” column. If you would like to be interviewed or would like to suggest a neighbor with an interesting story to share, please contact either of us:

Renee Ouellette at 812-8696 renken26@msn.com

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Young at Heart News

Submitted by Barb Wautlet



A small group of us continue to work on felt and foam projects for Florida First Start School. We also made 48 white/felt boards to be given to each child entering school in the fall. They can practice printing letters and numbers on the whiteboard and then easily erase and start again. The felt board provides a place for them to work out stories, learn colors, shapes and relationships.

20 5th grade band students from Mildred Helmes Elementary School came to Koffee and presented a music concert for us on Jan. 26th. Most of the students are on scholarship and the instruments they play are on loan. (It made me wonder if there are any instruments tucked away in the back of peoples closets here in Teakwood that could be put to good use!) We enjoyed their music, and they enjoyed our donuts and juice!!



The winners of the original artwork donated by Gail Forsberg and Rose Carriera were Vic Able and Betty Woods. The drawings were held at the Valentine Dance on February 13th and both winners were present to accept their paintings. The proceeds from the raffle were \$200. Thank you, Gail and Rose, for donating your beautiful artwork.



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If you have a photo that you think would be entertaining for the covers of all of our Monthly Media Newsletters, send it to Monthly Media at 151 1st Street N.W., Largo, FL 33770. We are now looking for pictures of mobile home residents that are of interest to readers from all communities. We’re looking for something funny, interesting, exciting, surprising, etc. All photos must include the following four things ... (1) your park name, (2) your phone number, (3) name(s) of person(s) in photo and, (4) signed, written permission of all people in picture to print. Photos will not be returned to sender. Original photos only. No xerox copies, laser or ink jet printer copies will be published. Deadline: 1st of month preceding the issue the photo is to appear. **If we use your photo you will be our guest for a dinner for two at a local restaurant.**



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President's Message

By Steve Gillis



March is here already. The weather has been cool but Teakwood West is still hot with lots of activities on for the month. Something new is the Scavenger Hunt/Karaoke scheduled for March 6. This sounds like it is going to be a lot of fun for Members only. If you have any ideas for something different please give me a call and we can discuss it. Also March is the month when some people start planning for the trip north. As usual we will be saying goodbye with our Annual Farewell to Friends on March 27. On



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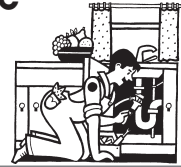
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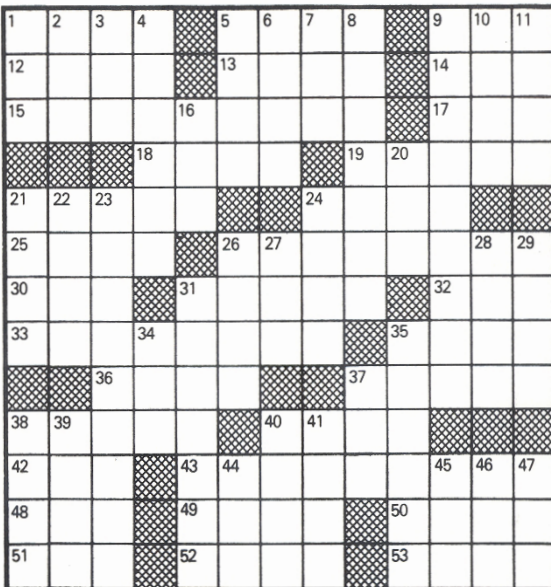
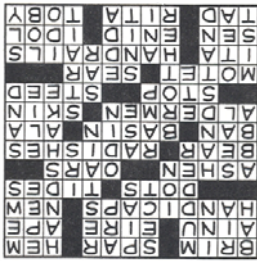
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February 16 the annual election was held and I want to welcome the incoming Board members and say a big thank you to the ones who have served their terms and done a great job. As I mentioned last month, volunteers are the lifeblood of this park and we need to say thank you to them often. Keep an eye on the bulletin boards for any event information or changes.



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By Paul DesRoches



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Teakwood West Neighborhood Watch

By Guy Shreck



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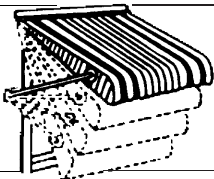
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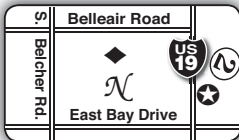
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January Golf Tournament Report - Jan. 16, 2010

Ian Denholm



On Saturday, January 16, we had 61 golfers plus 62 dinner guests participate in the first of two golf tournaments. The winners were as follows: Low net (Trophy winners) John Doiron and Paul Johnston; Low Gross (tie) Murray Turnbull and Irene Landry; Barry Scott, Joan Ferrier and Jean Roberts. The closest to the pin for men was Dave Ginsberg (no ladies hit the green). Closest to the line for the ladies was Angela Cormier and the men - Steve Hewak. Least number of putts went to the team of Barry Scott, Joan Ferrier and Jean Roberts. The putting contest winner was Linda Bonner. Our prodigious Sand Pail Award was presented (with the usual poem by Keith Collings) to Bonnie Oliver. A new Sand Pail Award plaque (donated by Keith Collings and Bruce Johnston) with all the previous and subsequent 'winners' engraved will now be hanging in the clubhouse. Thank you, Keith and Bruce.

Special thanks to Bruce Johnston who at the last moment stepped in to take charge in my absence. Thanks to Barry F., Lynn O., Milo P, Paul B., John F., Keith C., Omer L., for all their help and also to the kitchen help: Sue F., Sharon H., Kathy S., Marge J., Bonnie O., Anne and Erik C. If I forgot someone, I apologize.

See you all in March for the last Tournament of the year.



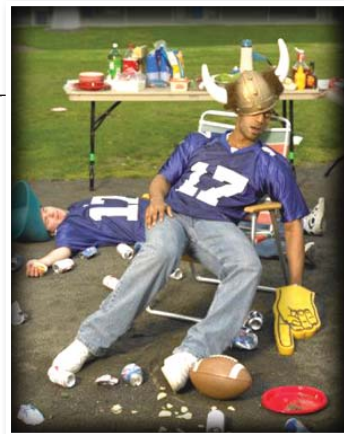
Superbowl 2010 Report - Sun., Feb. 7, 2010

Submitted by Ian Denholm

On Sunday, Feb. 7, we held our annual Superbowl Games Day. We had 134 people attend the day's tournaments, food, and the football game on the big screen.

The Tournaments, with winners receiving \$10 and runner-ups \$4, started with a shuffleboard tournament won by the team of Barry Scott and Maggie Haubert with Margie McKinney and Jim Bulbrook the runner-ups. The Cribbage was won by Buffy Handville and Merv Neil with runner-ups Alex Korkush and Pat Lynch. The Euchre winners Maggie Haubert and Helen Foster; runner-ups Karen Blanchard and Merv Neil. The Putting contest won by Tom Blanchard with Barry Scott (in a put-off) second. The Dominoes winner was Steve Gillis with Jean Roberts second.

Included with these was a pool tournament and 5 games of bingo followed by a meal of chili, hotdogs, cold cuts and 'beverages.'



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Thanks to all who helped make this another successful day. Special thanks to Helen Burnett with her crew of Dot and Paul Bryant and Bob Hartel for looking after the chili. Thanks to tournament workers: Rita, Bonnie, Gerry, John F., Barry S., Leonce, Joe R; Cooks: Barry F., Milo; Servers: Lou, Lynn, Sharon, Sue, Anne; Football Pools: Bill P. and Milo. Can't forget the ticket seller Jean P. As you can see it takes a number of people to make this day a success. Hope to see you next year.

Valentine's Dance Sunday, Feb. 14, 2010

By Barbara Bulbrook

The Valentine's Day Dance was a great success - it felt more like a big party. Doug Wilson, our entertainer for the evening, kept everyone busy dancing with a good variety of music including some line dancing. Our line dancing girls are getting better by the week. Best costumes were won by Sue Scott and Gayle and Steve Kaschuk. To end the evening the fruit and delicious sweet table was enjoyed by everyone.



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Stars of the West

By Lorraine Sturtz



Jean and Steve Kostow, 70 Redwood, are our first Stars of the West. Jean's parents, Leonard and Mary Anderson once lived there. Jean and Steve both attended the University of Pennsylvania, where Jean graduated with her BSN. She worked as a charge nurse and Steve worked as Chief Physical Therapist. They settled in Wilmington, DE and ran a physical therapy practice for 31 years. Jean, with pride in her smiling eyes, told how respected Steve was in the field. They have three sons, a daughter, two granddaughters and a cute dog named Sammi.



Jean was Chairman of the Delaware Women's Golf Association, arranging state tournaments. For eighteen years she chaired an annual LPGA Jr. Clinic. Jean does hobby projects, including shrinking wool sweaters (on purpose) and making purses out of them. She has several other items in her handwork collection.

Steve played football, was scouted as a baseball player, and was part of the basketball team in the Army when they won the European Theater of Operations Championship. He won many club championships, qualified to play in the US Senior Amateur Championship, scored a record 61 at a championship course, tied for Delaware State Amateur, and has had two holes in one (Jean reminded Steve she also had one). Steve shot 79 when he was 79. They have a unique antique ball return built into the bottom of a living room bookcase that he uses for practice. He chips, putts and does an awesome trick - hitting the living room curtain.

After 52 years this handsome couple compliment each other in speech and appearance. Thank you neighbors.



Life is not lost by dying; life is lost minute by minute, day by dragging day, in all the thousand small uncaring ways. —Stephen Vincent Benét

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Sunshine Report

By Betty Carey



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Rita and Ian Denholm, 95 Redwood Lane, Largo, FL 33770 - death of mother
Jo Jankowski, 115 Redwood Lane, Largo, FL 33770 - death of daughter
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If you know or hear of a Teakwood West resident who is ill, has had a death in the family or any circumstance where we can show them our support by sending a card, contact: **Betty Carey, 42 Beechwood, Largo, FL, (727) 586-0888**. Please leave a message with your name and phone number and she will get back to you.

March 2010 Activity Schedule



Coffee Hour – Tuesday, Mar. 2 - 9:00 a.m. (Installation of Board)
TMHA Meeting - Thursday, Mar. 4 - 9:00 a.m. - Teakwood West Clubhouse
Mini Scavenger Hunt - Saturday, Mar. 6 - 3:30 p.m.
Golf Tournament - Saturday, Mar. 13 - 9:00 a.m.
Coffee Hour - Tuesday, Mar. 16 - 9:00 a.m. (General meeting to follow)
St. Patrick's Dance - Wednesday, Mar. 17 - 7:00 p.m.
Lunch with the Bunch - Thursday, Mar. 18 - 11:30 a.m. - check board
Shuffleboard Tournament - Friday/Saturday, Mar. 19/20
Driveway Sale - Saturday, Mar. 27 - 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Farewell Party - Saturday, Mar. 27 - 5:00 p.m.



Any additional activities will be posted on the bulletin board.

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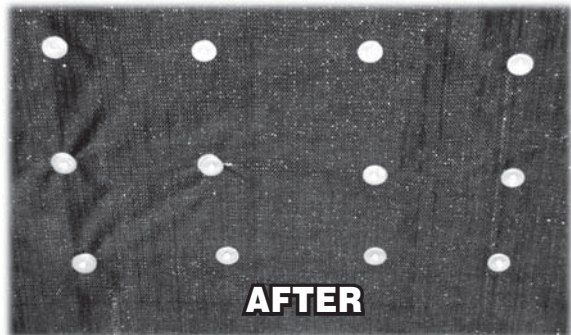
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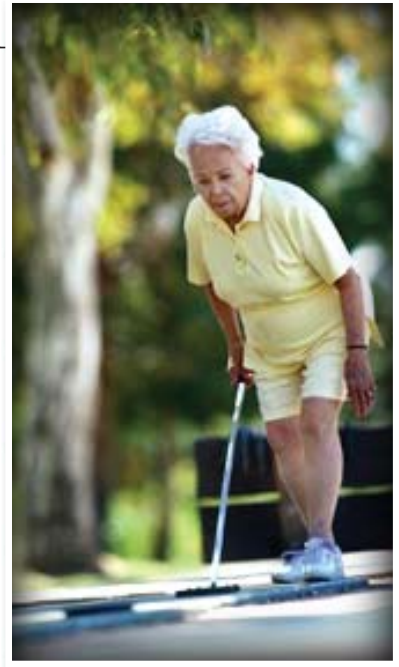
- Sundays: Mixed Shuffle - 1:30 p.m.
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- Mondays: Shuffle - 10:00 a.m.
Golf - Pinecrest - 10:00 a.m.
Ladies Poker - 1:00 p.m.
Cribbage - 7:00 p.m.
- Tuesdays: Coffee - 9:00 a.m. (1st and 3rd Tuesday)
Bocce - 10:00 a.m.
Dominoes – 7:00 p.m.
- Wednesdays: Shuffle - 10:00 a.m.
Golf - Largo - 10:30 a.m.
Ladies Bingo - 1:00 p.m.
Pinochle – 6:30 p.m.
- Thursdays: Ladies Shuffle - 10:00 a.m.
Line Dancing - 11:15 a.m.
Men's Poker - 1:00 p.m.
Euchre - 6:30 p.m.
Billiards – 7:00 p.m.
- Fridays: Shuffle - 10:00 a.m.
Wii Bowling - 10:30 a.m.
Bingo – 7:00 p.m. (3/19 Can Bingo)

Saturdays:

Coming in April 2010



- Apr. 4 - Easter Dinner
Apr. 17 - Picnic - Taylor Park



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**Coffee Hour - Tuesday,
March 2 and 16 - 9:00 a.m.**



Join us for coffee and donuts and some early morning conversation with your neighbors. In addition, you'll learn of any changes in our monthly activities. The Social Club General Meeting follows the second coffee of the month.

A note to our new neighbors in Teakwood West.

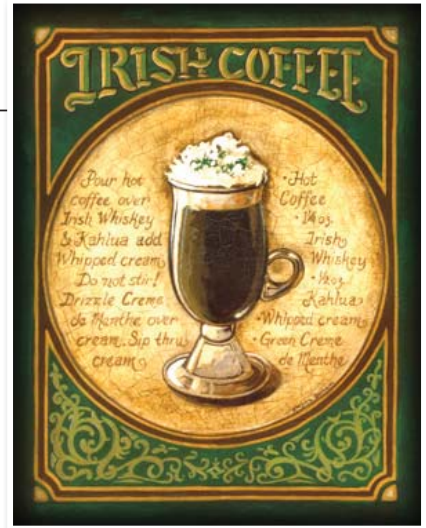
First of all, WELCOME. We would very much like to meet you at our morning coffees held on the first and third Tuesday of every month. We gather in the clubhouse at 9:00 a.m. for fellowship and donuts. This is a great way for you to become acquainted with your Teakwood West neighbors. There is no charge – residents submit donations throughout the year to help cover the costs. Bring your own coffee cup and if you want to take a chance on winning one of the Share the Wealth prizes, bring a dollar for three tickets.

February hosts and hostesses were Jean and Eric Roberts, Helen and Jim Foster, and Jean and Jim Granger.

Donut donations received in February:

Feb. 2 - Anne & Erik Clark, Rachel Kelly, John & Priscilla Robinson,
Don & Faye Whitley

Feb. 16 - Ruth Goodes, Don & Roberta Perry, Fred & Marjorie Eveleigh,
Ida & Ettore DiMuzio, Teddy & Bob Swartz, and Joe & Rose Razzanno.



Mini Scavenger Hunt - Saturday, Mar. 6, 2010 - 3:30 p.m.

By Bonnie Oliver



On Saturday, March 6th, Teakwood West Social Club Members will be invited to choose a team and participate in a Mini Scavenger Hunt. The Hunt will be followed by judging, prize presentations, chicken wings, pizza and Caesar salad followed by a Karaoke/Dance. This event is free to all Social Club Members and admission to the "Hunt" is a donation to the Food Bank. Team registration for this event is February 23 at 9:30 at the clubhouse. Come out, challenge your friends and neighbors, and enjoy a fun day.

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Golf Tournament - Saturday, March 13 - 9:00 a.m.

By Ian Denholm



The next tournament will be played at Pinecrest Golf Course with the sign-up sheet being posted March 1. It will be open to all members and those non-members who have golfed at least once with the league during the year. Due to the ever-increasing numbers, dinner will be restricted to golfers, their spouses or significant others, and in-house guests.



St. Patrick's Dance - Wed., Mar. 17, 2010 - 7:00 - 10:00 p.m.

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Shuffleboard Tournament - Mar. 19/20, 2010

By Bruce Johnston



For this tournament, a limit of 48 players will fill the courts twice. Any member of the Teakwood Social Club is welcome to play, no matter how much experience you have. The goal is to have fun. A sign-up sheet will be in the clubhouse a week prior to the tournament. The first game will be at 9:30 on the 19th, with registration at 9:15. Further games will be posted with the finals on Saturday. A dinner will follow the last game.



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Farewell Party - March 27, 2010 - 5:00 p.m.

By Steve Gillis



Come the end of March, some of the northerners will be leaving us for their trek home. The Farewell to Friends Dinner is an Annual Event to bring everyone together one time as a group before we start saying goodbye. Bring your own dishes. There will be entertainment after the dinner. Watch the bulletin board for a sign-up sheet.

Easter Dinner - April 4, 2010 - 5:00 p.m.



By Lois Miller

Ladies and Gentlemen! The Easter theme this year will feature a ladies' bonnet and gentlemen's most outrageous tie contest. Start planning your original ideas. Prizes will be awarded. Potluck dinner - bring a covered dish - enough to share with eight people. Ham and coffee and tea will be provided. Don't forget your table service.

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Saturday, March 6, 8 a.m. - 1 p.m. **COMMUNITY GARAGE SALE.** Southwind MHP Clubhouse, 795 CR 1, Palm Harbor. Lots of bargains, Come early, find your special treasure. Also Bake Sale. Coffee/Tea available. Come join us! There is something for everyone!

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| Rachel Stewart | \$100 | Tom Carver Carpet Repair |
| Bill Strong | \$10 | Honka Automotive Service |
| Bob Post | \$10 | Doll Bros. Carpet/Upholstery Cntrs. |
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| Fran Bowen | \$10 | Top Cat Same Day Appl. Repair |
| Gail Kyea | \$10 | The Window Guy |
| JoAnne Taylor | \$10 | Carpet Color Systems |
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| Mary Buscemi | \$10 | Dr. Peter M. Mason |
| Roy Platt | \$10 | Anthony Pest Control, Inc. |
| Sharon Moore | \$10 | Knoblach Hearing Care |
| Vivian Gurtowski | \$10 | O. E. Wilson Insurance, Inc. |
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| Arline Horslin | \$5 | A Step Ahead Tours |
| Carl Horsley | \$5 | Top Cat Same Day Appl. Repair |
| Carmela Kiely | \$5 | Dunedin Electric Co. |
| Cathy Leonardo | \$5 | Pro Video Sales & Service, Inc. |
| Daryl Hutchison | \$5 | Largo Plumbing Co. |
| Dortha Vettel | \$5 | Ron Wyngarden MH Washing |
| Dave Sajer | \$5 | Air Masters of Pinellas, Inc. |
| Dave Whitton | \$5 | Largo Plumbing Co. |
| David Wade | \$5 | Bill, the Carpet Guy |
| Debra Herrick | \$5 | Florida Anchor & Barrier Co. |
| Mr. Ecker | \$5 | Buggin Out Pest Control, Inc. |
| Don McKinney | \$5 | Ron Wyngarden MH Washing |
| Joan Brown | \$5 | AAA Vapor Barrier |
| Joe Borg | \$5 | Barron's Air Conditioning |
| Louis Fritz | \$5 | Heller's Mobile Home Washing |
| Don DeGroot | \$5 | Ron Wyngarden MH Washing |
| Malcolm Brackett | \$5 | Modern Air Conditioning |
| Marilyn Lyall | \$5 | Largo Plumbing Co. |
| MaryAnn Delzer | \$5 | Heller's Mobile Home Washing |
| Mickey Hojnacki | \$5 | Buggin Out Pest Control, Inc. |
| Mr. Nelson | \$5 | Doreen's Cleaning Service |
| Nina Fake | \$5 | Dunedin Plumbing, Inc. |
| Norman Gordon | \$5 | Bob's Mobile Home Washing |
| Patricia LePointe | \$5 | Generous Electric, Inc. |
| Thelma Mullens | \$5 | Dunedin Electric Co. |
| Vince Malorni | \$5 | Modern Air Conditioning |

• Limit of one ticket per visit • Advertiser may have up to 4 winners per month • Advertiser must have bill paid current to qualify • No purchase necessary • Contest void where prohibited by law • Green tickets available at participating Monthly Media advertisers.



T.M.H.A. President's Message

By Hugh Austin



The annual TMHA meeting was held on Wednesday, February 10. Thank you to those who attended or sent in your proxy. A discussion of complaints and violation procedures took place. If you need more information on these procedures, please contact any board member whose names are listed in the front of the media or in the club houses.

Speeding is an issue in the park. Please make a conscious effort to check your speedometer when driving in the park.

This time of year the fruit trees are producing and encourage the rats. Residents and renters check your backyards for fruit that has dropped and dispose of it. If the fruit is good, it can be taken to the clubhouse for the pantry box.

Please continue to recycle newspapers and magazines, **NO cardboard or plastic bags.**

Thanks to everyone who was involved at making the annual meeting run smoothly.

Notice of T.M.H.A. Board Meeting

By Gayle Kaschuk, Secretary

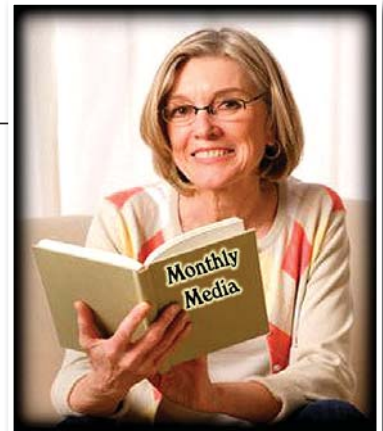


This month's meeting of the TMHA Board of Directors will be held on Thursday, March 4, 2010 at the West Clubhouse, beginning at 9:00 a.m.

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