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President's Report

From the Vice President - Jean Swain

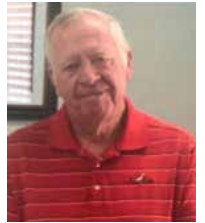
While our Village was beautifully decorated in December by the Christmas Decorating Committee, we experienced a sadness with the passing on December 12, 2021, of our amazing, talented and much-loved Jan Campbell. Her Celebration of Life was held January 22. She touched everyone within this community. Her incredible talent on the piano, her ability to pull people together for musical reviews, her willingness to share her talent at any event and her reaching out to people in need of a helping hand is legendary. Her impish smile and bright eyes greeted almost everyone entering or leaving the Village as she was so often out tending her gardens – even right up to the end. She lived a full and wonderful life and was much loved. We could all learn from her truly giving spirit.

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Manager's Report



For those of you who read “The Current” I stated the wrong day as the February Members meeting. In “The Current” I stated Thursday the 11th of February when it is Thursday the 10th of February.

We started to work on the area behind 142 Rarotonga that was marked off and found a collapsed drainage pipe. We talked with the engineering company, and he is going to be in the end of January to look review the issue.

Following that we will be looking at the area behind 201 & 203 Martinique next and then back to the “T” streets.

The maintenance guys repaired the light poles in the storage yard that were knocked down by the wind storm and repaired several light poles around the park.

Thank you to all the folks that helped remove the Christmas lights.

We have three working John Deere Gators: the managers golf cart, being the better cart, is now available for the beautification team. A replacement golf cart for the office use will be purchased sometime later this month.

Submitted by Rick Silliker - CAM

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ACTIVITY LEADERS	
Anniversaries / Birthdays	Joyce Cote
Art Classes	Kip Greener
Lazy River Band	Tom VanMassenhove
Beautification	Roy Auvil
Bible Study	Nancy Penoyar
Bocce - Monday	A.J. (Allen) Gilson
Bocce - Tuesday	Paul Gunnels & Susie Anderson
Bocce - Wednesday	Bob Erickson
Bowling	Ralph Clay
Canine Fitness Club	Dean Schantzen
Cards Pepper	Richard Ciarlo & Marion Kahler
Pinochle	Lyn Tindall
Tuesday Bridge	Dot Driscoll
Hand & Foot	Mary Dishinger
Chorale	
Dance Club	Babs Findlay
Dominoes	Marilyn Griffin
Fitness-Stretching	Marion Myers
Golf Men's 18 hole	Scott Lockhart
Golf-9 hole Men's & Women's	Bob Jones, Sharon Olmstead
Golf-Couples	Sharon Olmstead
Knitting & Crocheting	Marion Myers
Library	Heike Canaday, Jim Canaday
LRV Boosters	Joe Ogden
Mahjong	Carol Ann Kosinski
Miracle Melodies	Jerry Cote
Nickel Bingo Daytime	Peggy Clay
Pickleball Club	Bob Stokes, Diane Gempp
Pinochle	Kip Greener
Quilting	Betty Morse
Shuffleboard	Gary Cooney
Stained Glass	Fred Buttery
Table Tennis	Ginnie Wood
Tennis Club	Nancy Penoyar
Water Exercise	Lisa Gunnels
Woodworkers Club	Dick Case

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Sunshine Coord	Cheri C ase734-755-9558

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December 21, 2021, was a day to be remembered in Lazy River. Winds gusted through this community with no warning and caused more damage than any hurricane had ever done. Many homes lost carports and facia and roofs. But in the spirit of this beautiful community, once the winds had died down, a team of men and women got together and went from house-to-house securing tarps over damaged roofs, reattaching facia, and clearing the debris. I want to thank Ron Camp who organized getting the lumber and tarps and his team of Tim Norwood, Mike O'Conner, Butch Wells, Burt and Sharon Olmstead, Terry Kerrigan and his daughter and son-in-law Doug and Cheryl Weber. Regardless of whose home it was, they were there, up on ladders with tarps and hammers and drills making things as right as they could.

I would like to emphasis how dangerous it was for anyone to be out and about while the winds were whipping aluminum around. It would be better to lose a roof than an arm or worse your life. We were very fortunate that it was only physical damage to things and not to people that day. The clubhouse, while not a hurricane shelter, is a building that is stronger than our homes and, in an emergency, it is a safe place to be and you do not have to leave your pets behind – they can come with you and be safe as well.

On February 10, 2022, at 7:00 pm we will be holding our Annual Meeting. There are seven candidates vying for three positions on the Board. There are also a number of petitions that require direction from the Shareholders. Too often people sit back and think that the business of Lazy River Village does not affect them and that they do not need to participate. Everyone's opinion matters. This is your home and it matters how it is run and what policies are made or altered. Please participate.

One of the issues that the Board has addressed with the wonderful assistance of the Rules and Regulations Overview Committee is a cleaning up of the wording and ability to implement the rules of this community. Lyn Tindall, Sharon Olmstead, Angie Anderson, Ted Makowski and Jerry White with Board liaisons, Rusty Shelley and Jean Swain, did a review and revision to the Rules and Regulations to remove repetition, correct clerical errors, tighten up

the alteration approval process and to remove fines in favor of fees for service.

Under our previous Rules and Regulations, we had a cumbersome and lengthy fining mechanism for trying to enforce the rules. When a rule was broken, it would take months to enforce its correction. Although many quickly resolved the problem when the Manager pointing out a violation - others did not. With the long fining process, it would appear as if management was not enforcing the rules. The old fining technique has now been replaced by a Fee for Service. The new procedure is to first advise the Shareholders of a violation and give them an allocated time to rectify the situation. If it is not corrected in the time allocated, management will correct it and charge the Shareholder a Fee for Service. It is hoped that all Shareholders will understand that when you live in a cooperative you must follow the Rules and Regulations. We have also made our community a towing community so that management can remove items not properly stored or parked within the community. Without the ability to enforce Rules and Regulations they are rather pointless. As lack of enforcement of the Rules and Regulations was the number one issue on the past survey, it is hoped that the new revisions will go a long way in solving that problem.

I want to thank, once again, Charles Sulzbach and Rusty Shelley for their hard work over the past few years. They have given to this community so much. Being a Board Member can be exhausting and has been exceptionally challenging over the past couple of years dealing with a pandemic and trying to keep our community safe from COVID. We all know that keeping everyone happy is impossible but it is the responsibility of the Board to make decisions in the best interest of the majority of residents. You often feel like you are fighting an invisible force of negativity but, every now and then, someone sends you a card and says thanks for all your hard work and it brings tears to your eyes.

To the new Board - I wish you every success and happiness. Thank you for your support and contributions over the time I have been on the Board and please remember to be kind and thoughtful to others.

*Respectfully submitted by Jean Swain,
Vice President, Lazy River Village*

February 2022 - Weekly Schedule of Activities

Day	Time	Activity	Location	Contact	Phone
Mon	8:00AM to 8:45AM	Stretching Exercises	Fitness Center	Marion Myers	941-426-6260
	8:00AM to 12:00PM	Tennis	Tennis Courts	Nancy Penoyar	941-451-4939
	9:00AM to 4:00PM	Quilting	Sunrise & Sunset	Betty Morse	941-423-0352
	9:30AM to 10:30AM	Water Exercise	Pool	Lisa Gunnels	248-807-3363
	3:00PM to 5:00PM	Cribbage	Myakka Room	Jim Schwandt	262-227-4900
	5:00PM to 8:00PM	Men's Texas Holdem	Myakka Room	John Jacobs	518-365-3846
	6:00PM to 8:00PM	Shuffleboard	Shuffleboard Courts	Beverley Cooney	941-424-2705
	6:00PM to 9:30PM	Bingo	Kitchen & Hall	Joan Rose	941-423-6065
Tue	8:00AM to 11:00AM	Pickleball	Court # 1	Diane Gempp	401-447-6916
	9:00AM to 11:00AM	10 Pin Bowling	Bowland - Port Ch.	Ralph Clay	317-402-7401
	9:30AM to 12:00PM	Water Color Painting	Sunrise & Sunset	Shirley Coleman	941-979-6668
	10:00AM to 12:00PM	Lazy River Band	Stage	Tom V.Massenhove	989-295-5602
	12:00PM to 4:00PM	Bridge	Myakka Room	Dot Driscoll	941-423-6010
	1:00PM to 3:00PM	Other Band Practice	Stage	Tom V.Massenhove	989-295-5602
	1:00PM to 4:00PM	Stained Glass	Arts & Crafts Room	Fred Buttery	941-423-6175
	1:00PM to 4:00PM	Cornhole Throwing	Bocce Screen Room	Lori Smith	513.509-7166
22nd	2:00pm to 8:00pm	Photographer - LRV	Myakka Room	Cheri Case	734-755-9558
	5:00PM to 8:00PM	Men's Texas Holdem	Hall	John Jacobs	518-365-3846
	6:00PM to 9:30PM	Bingo	Kitchen & Hall	Joan Rose	941-423-6065
Wed	8.00AM to 9.00AM	Koffee Klatch	Kitchen & Hall	Cheri Chase	734-755-9558
	8:00AM to 8:45AM	Stretching Exercises	Fitness Center	Marion Myers	941-426-6260

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Wed	8:00AM to 12:00PM	Tennis	Tennis Courts	Nancy Penoyar	941-451-4939
	9:30AM to 10:30AM	Water Exercise	Pool	Lisa Gunnels	248-807-3363
2nd & 16th	1:00PM to 2:00PM	Book Club/Disc. Grp	Myakka Room	Marie Jennerich	941-468-7395
	1.00pm to 3.00pm	Clarinet Music	Bocce Screen Room	Ron Ducham	802-272-1306
	6:30PM to 9:30PM	Pepper	Myakka Room	Richard Ciarlo	508-579-1973
	1:00PM to 4:00PM	Art Class	Myakka Room	Kip Greener	941-426-7454
23rd	2:00pm to 8:00pm	Photographer - LRV	Myakka Room	Cheri Case	734-755-9558
	6:30PM to 8:00PM	Ping Pong	Ping Pong Room	Ginnie Wood	941-423-2184
Thu	8:00AM to 11:00AM	Pickleball	Court # 1	Diane Gempp	401-447-6916
	9:00AM to 4:00PM	Quilting	Sunrise & Sunset	Betty Morse	941-423-0352
	10:00AM to 11:30AM	Bible Study	Myakka Room	Nancy Penoyar	941-451-4939
	10:00AM to 12:00PM	Shuffleboard	Shuffleboard Courts	Beverley Cooney	941-424-2705
	1:00PM to 4:00PM	MahJong	Myakka Room	Kip Greener	941-426-7454
	1:00PM to 4:00PM	Daytime Nickle Bingo	Clubhouse	Peggy Clay	317-340-7966
	1:00PM to 4:00PM	Mahjong	Myakka Room	Kip Greener	941-426-7454
24th	2:00pm to 8:00pm	Photographer - LRV	Myakka Room	Cheri Case	734-755-9558
	6:30PM to 9:00PM	Joker & Pegs (Joker)	Myakka Room	Debbie Rohlin	814-688-5746
Fri	8:00AM to 8:45AM	Stretching Exercises	Fitness Center	Marion Myers	941-426-6260
	8:00AM to 12:00PM	Tennis	Tennis Courts	Nancy Penoyar	941-451-4939
	9:00AM TO 12:00PM	Photography Group	Myakka Room	Bruce Moore	734-645-3346
	1:00PM to 2:00PM	Line Dancing	Hall	Frankie Mangio	941-426-6261
	1:00PM TO 4:00PM	Arts & Crafts	Sunise/Sunset	Sandy Moore	734-645-6554
	1:00PM TO 4:00PM	Knitting/Crocheting	Myakka Room	Marion Myers	941-426-6260
25th	2:00pm to 8:00pm	Photographer - LRV	Myakka Room	Cheri Case	734-755-9558
	5:00PM to 7:00PM	Pvt Get-together	Bocce Screen Room	Linda Mc Gee	716-640-1705
	7:00PM to 9:00PM	Pinochle	Myakka Room	Kip Greener	941-426-7454

Sat	8:00AM to 11:00AM	Pickleball	Court # 1	Diane Gempp	401-447-6916
	9:00AM to 3:00PM	Historical Miniatures	Arts & Crafts Room	Richard Ciarlo	508-579-2622
	10:00AM to 1:00PM	Men's Texas Holdem	Hall	John Jacobs	518-365-3846
26th	10:30pm to 4:30pm	Photographer - LRV	Myakka Room	Cheri Case	734-755-9558
	10:45AM to 1:15PM	Ladies Poker	Sunise/Sunset	Rosanne Clark	941-504-6596
	1.00pm to 3.00pm	Clarinet Music	Bocce Screen Room	Ron Ducham	802-272-1306
	2:00PM to 3:30PM	Ping Pong	Ping Pong Room	Ginnie Wood	941-423-2184
Sun	8:00AM to 11:00AM	Pickleball	Court # 1	Diane Gempp	401-447-6916
	8:00AM to 12:00PM	Tennis	Tennis Courts	Nancy Penoyar	941-451-4939
	2:00PM to 5:00PM	Dominoes	Myakka Room	Marilyn Griffin	941-423-3803

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Day	Time	Activity	Location	Contact	Phone
Wed 2nd	8:00AM TO 12:00PM	B. of D. Agenda Worksh.	Hall & Kitchen	Cheri Case	734-755-9558
Fri Thu	6:30AM to 2:30PM	Craft Fair	Hall	Irma McGuinness	207-713-7706
Sat 5th	9.30AM TO 12.00PM	Meet & Greet	Hall & Kitchen	Joan Rose	941-423-6065
Sat 5th	2:00PM to 9:00PM	Potluck	Hall & Kitchen	Trinie v.d. Ploeg	616-566-3044
Sun 6th	12:00PM to 6:00PM	New England Day	Hall & Kitchen	Dolly Ciarlo	508-579-1993
Mon 7th	2:30PM TO 4:30PM	Boat Club Board Meeting	Sunrise/Sunset	Dave Carley	317-714-9624
Mon 7th	4:00PM to 5:00PM	Tennis Club Monthly Meeting	Myakka Room	Nancy Penoyar	941-451-4939
Tue 8th	12:00PM TO 11:00PM	Recreation Setup	Hall & Kitchen	Vickie Stokes	734-644-1495
Tue 8th	12:00PM TO 11:00PM	Recreation Setup	Myakka Room	Vickie Stokes	734-644-1495
Tue 8th	12:00PM TO 11:00PM	Recreation Setup	Sunrise & Sunset	Vickie Stokes	734-644-1495
Wed 9th	8:00AM TO 12:00PM	B. of D. Meeting	Hall & Kitchen	Cheri Case	734-755-9558
Thu 10th	7:00PM TO 9:00PM	LRV B. of D. A.G.M	Hall & Myakka Room	Rich Donelson	734-771-6249
Fri 11th	3:00PM TO 11:00PM	Veteran's Memorial Dance	Hall & Kitchen	Rich Donelson	734-771-6249
Sat 12th	6:30AM to 2:30PM	Craft Fair	Hall	Cheryl Gustavson Irma McGuinness	231-730-4510 207-713-7706
Sun 13th	12:00PM to 4:00PM	Valentine's Day Cruise	Marina	Dave Carley	317-714-9624
Mon 14th	3:00PM TO 7:00pm	Shuffleboard Shuffleboard	Hall & Kitchen	Beverly Cooney	941-426-2705
Wed 16th	9:30AM TO 11:30AM	AMC Myakka Association	Hall	Linda Deisler	517-281-4611
Wed 16th	2:30PM to 4:30PM	Boat Club Dinner Prep	Sunrise/Sunset	Dave Carley	317-714-9624
Thu 17th	9:00AM TO 9:00PM	Boat Club February Dinner	Hall & Kitchen	Dave Carley	317-714-9624

Thu 17th	10:00AM to 5:00PM	Draw & Share	Kitchen	Joe Ogden	740-605-2200
Fri 18th	7:00AM to 9:00PM	Draw & Share	Hall & Kitchen	Joe Ogden	740-605-2200
Sat 19th	9:00AM to 11:00PM	"Old Guys Rule"	Hall & Sunrise/Sunset	Vickie Stokes	734-644-1495
Mon 21st	10:00AM TO 12:00PM	CFC Meeting	Hall & Myakka Room	Kelly Wells	519-709-2103
Tue 22nd	8.30AM	\$101.00 Bus trip -Everglades	Bus trip & air boat	Jan Boeck	262-989-9826
Wed 23rd	8:00AM TO 9:30AM	Koffee Klatch only	Hall	Cheri Case	734-755-9558
Tue 22nd	2:00pm TO 8:00pm	Photo - Residents	Myakka Room	Cheri Case	734-755-9558
Wed 23rd	2:00pm TO 8:00pm	Photo - Residents	Myakka Room	Cheri Case	734-755-9558
Thu 24th	2:00pm TO 8:00pm	Photo - Residents	Myakka Room	Cheri Case	734-755-9558
Fri 25th	2:00pm TO 8:00pm	Photo - Residents	Myakka Room	Cheri Case	734-755-9558
Sat 26th	10:30pm TO 4:30pm	Photo - Residents	Myakka Room	Cheri Case	734-755-9558
Thu 24th	7:00PM to 10:00PM	Dance Club Monthly Dance	Hall & Kitchen	Babs Findlay	860-372-5498
Sat 26th	9:00AM TO 9:00PM	Canada Day	Hall & Kitchen	Beverley Cooney	941-426-2705
Sat 26th	1:00PM TO 4:00PM	Canada Day	Shuffleboard Courts	Beverley Cooney	941-426-2705
Sun 27th	12:00PM TO 11:00PM	Recreation Setup	Hall & Kitchen	Vickie Stokes	734-644-1495
Sun 27th	12:00PM TO 11:00PM	Recreation Setup	Sunrise & Sunset	Vickie Stokes	734-644-1495
Sun 27th	12:00PM TO 11:00PM	Recreation Setup	Myakka Room	Vickie Stokes	734-644-1495

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My goal with this monthly column will be to provide you with factual information about the real estate market and different facets of it, as well as things that are affecting buyers and sellers. With this, my inaugural column, I am going to discuss my predictions for the market in 2022.

All economic indicators are pointing that 2022 will continue to be a robust market. As of this writing, there are currently no homes available for sale in Lazy River Village. This mirrors the trends set in the local marketplace, as well as state and national markets. The marketplace we are in can be described as a "perfect storm." Here are the contributing factors. First, inventory is at a national low right now. Hard to believe with all of the new construction all around us, but it's true. The amount of available housing is less than the demand, therefore creating higher prices. Second, interest rates are still at historic lows (think what they were in the early '80s). Third, the largest segment of the population continues to buy and move - The Baby Boomers. Don't worry, the millennials are right behind them. Fourth, we are in the middle of a global health pandemic. Which also has created the Fifth cause - people migrating to Florida for many different reasons.

Please stop in the sales center and say "Hello" to my fabulous team. We are here ready to help. You can always reach me on my cell phone at 941-800-2692 or by email at Peter@bishopwestre.com

*Submitted by Peter West,
Bishop West Real Estate*

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Sunshine Report

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I have many memories from my early childhood of talking into my Grandpa's pocket, so his body-aid would pick up my voice. Both my grandfather, Howard and my Mom, MaryEllen, were profoundly hard of hearing.

My Mom's hearing was due to surgical procedure. She had been wearing hearing aids for years before I came into the industry 14 years ago. The first time I fit her with aids she was startled by how much better she heard. I knew the technology had not improved dramatically so it wasn't until I realized she had been using moderate technology levels. That experience showed me how much it had cost her in connecting with others and being part of the group by wearing aids not fit for her busy lifestyle.

She didn't have to buy a moderate set, I just don't think she knew how much benefit and ease of listening a higher level of technology would provide for her challenging hearing and busy lifestyle.

I do understand that there are times when you have to compromise due to financial strains. If you have to compromise do so knowingly. Be aware of what you are choosing between.

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Birthdays - February 2022



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| 04 . . . Michael Berg | 17 . . . James Goff |
| 04 . . . Sheila Henning | 17 . . . Charles McNamara |
| 06 . . . Betty McNulty | 18 . . . Ineke Pratt |
| 06 . . . Diane Wardlaw | 18 . . . Juke Snyder |
| 07 . . . Ellen Murphy | 18 . . . Julie Weise |
| 09 . . . Rebecca Graham | 19 . . . Bob Guyot |
| 10 . . . Ellen Ewen | 20 . . . Len Anderson |
| 10 . . . Dean Kirk | 21 . . . Charlie Racicot |
| 12 . . . Jeffrey Ball | 22 . . . Tom McEnroe |
| 12 . . . Steve Gray | 22 . . . Jan Peloquin |
| 13 . . . Kenneth Aldrich | 23 . . . Florence Powers |
| 13 . . . Carole Samuelson | 25 . . . Vicki O'Nan |
| 14 . . . Marcia Dunnells | 26 . . . Ellen Hurley |
| 14 . . . John Milankov | 28 . . . Hugh Brooks |
| 15 . . . Mark Kouse | 28 . . . Gary Cooney |
| 16 . . . Lou Rose | 28 . . . Wanda Milankov |

Submitted by Joyce Cote

Anniversaries - February 2022



- | | Years Married |
|---|----------------------|
| 7 Ray and Karen Thompson | Over 50 |
| 10 . . . Ron and Brenda Dilley | **60** |
| 10 . . . Edward and Linda Kowalchyk | Over 50 |
| 13 . . . Keith and Valeri Lazor | |
| 14 . . . Roger and Sue Effner | |
| 15 . . . Paul and Constance Rumford | |
| 16 . . . Richard and Sylvia Ciarlo | |
| 19 . . . Tom and Marie McEnroe | Over 50 |
| 21 . . . Steve and Dianna Hale | Over 50 |
| 23 . . . Pete and Myrna Miller | ***70*** |
| 27 . . . Charles McNamara and Patricia Burn | |

Submitted by Joyce Cote

Note: If you are celebrating 50 years or more of marriage and it is not recognized here, it is because I do not have the year you were married. Please send any corrections or additions to the birthday and anniversary list to Joyce Cote: 941-429-0112 or jaglcode@gmail.com

Beautification Committee

Well, January has turned out to be a very busy month. As you know the park experienced a very bad windstorm with a lot of damage in December. Our usual beautification crew is smaller this year, and there was a lot of metal to be recycled.

I put out a plea for help and WOW, did LRV respond! The following neighbors have pitched right in. Willie Gempp, Tom Van Massenhoven, Duane Hackett, Kaye Umbarger, Glenn and Trinie Vander Ploeg, Larry Price, Al Hazlitt, Roy Auvil, Dave Carley, Mark York, Jim Canaday, Mike Kindellan, Bruce Basch, Mary and Jerry Mills, Bill McGee, Andrea and Paul Goerge. I apologize if I forgot anyone that helped out on the tenth.

Roy and some of the regulars will meet at the workshop on the 13th February and again on the 14th February. We want to get this cleaned up as soon as possible. We have already made 3 trips since the storm to the Sarasota Scrap Yard. We estimate at least three more trips and it will be gone.

We continue to pick up cans every Friday by 7:00am. Please have your cans out on or under your mailbox. Remember, we only collect beer or soda cans, no vegetable cans! We also pick up any other aluminum items, windows, doors, siding etc.

Again, many thanks to our LRV friends and neighbors for their help and hope some will come out Thursday or Friday.

Respectfully submitted by Carol Basch



Activities Team



MAINE LOBSTER TRUCK IS COMING BACK.

When: Monday
Date: February 7, 2022
Time: 3:30 pm — 6:30 pm
Where: By Bocce Screen Room

Submitted by Carol Basch

Schedule for Clubs for Koffee Klatch



February Wood Workers Club (Dick Case)

March Boosters Club (Joe Ogden)

April Tennis Club (Nancy Penoyar)

If there is any problem with this schedule please let Cheri Case know ASAP. 734-755-9558, 208 Martinique or dickcheri@gmail.com.

Submitted by Cheri Case for the Activity Team



A transfer in title took place on 12/08/2021

LAMANCUSA, Bernard & Barbara

163 Bermuda Way

Tel: Bernard: (616) 268-7049

Barbara: (616) 634-5755

Email: blama531@gmail.com

Home State: MI

Previous Owner: Mike & Mary Berg

A transfer in title took place on 12/09/2021

DUKE, Margaret

238 Martinique Rd.

Tel: Margaret (845) 594-3546

Email: Margaret – tadah8@aol.com

Home State: FL

Previous Owner: Oren Masters

A transfer in title took place on 12/10/2021

ADRICH, Kenneth & Karon

224 Martinique Rd.

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Karon – (616) 822-3436

Email: ksaldrich@comcast.net

Home State: MI

Previous Owner: Billie Chambers & Paul Young

A transfer took place on 12/29/2021

PRATT, Ineke

235 Martinique Rd.

Tel: (574) 370-7756

Email: Ineke21850@aol.com

Home State: IN

Previous Owner: David & Leslie Doyle

A transfer took place on 12/28/2021

WOOD, Stephen and Susan

186 Martinique Rd.

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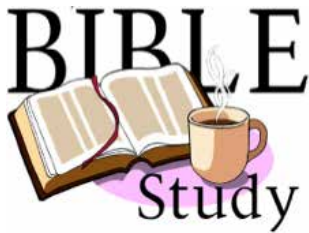
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John 14:13, 14 - And whatsoever shall ye ask in my name, that will I do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son.

Phil 2:10 - That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth; and that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

(Exodus 2:23-25)

In the Old Testament the people did not have access to talk with God directly. Ever since Adam and Eve were removed from the garden, the ability to walk and talk with God in the cool of the day, was no longer possible. From that point on people could call out to God and God heard their cry, but they could not hear from God except through God's spokesperson. Noah, Abraham, Moses, and Aaron were some of the earliest spokespersons. In Judaism the people heard what God would say to them only from the priest. Only the High Priest could annually approach God in the Holy of Holies inside the Temple in Jerusalem. This was possible only as the Temple and the Holy of Holies existed. While all people are CREATED in His image, yet we are BORN in the image of our first parents, Adam and Eve and therefore are all sinners by birth.

New Testament

After the birth of Jesus, his death and resurrection, and the coming of the Holy Spirit, we believers in Jesus Christ now have personal access to speak to our Heavenly Father through the "Name of Jesus Christ". This is because we have yielded ourselves by faith to Jesus as our Lord and Master. This is based on John 3:16-21. The "NAME" is representing His authority, just as LORD represented the authority of God Almighty in the Old Testament.

Whenever we read in Scripture "in the Name of Jesus", it represents the reality that Jesus is all that He claimed to be, and really is the only remedy for our sin. Because the whole human race are PEOPLE who have been created in His image it gives each of us worth and value. Therefore, all people no matter what skin color, or nationality, we all have value and worth. This includes the pre-born person in the womb!

All are welcome to attend the Bible Study each Thursday, at 10 a.m. in the card room.

Submitted by Nancy Penoyar 941 451 4939



Veterans Island Memorial Fundraiser

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2022
7:00 PM- 10:00 PM**

Please join us for a fun evening of entertainment and dancing to Silver Sounds Entertainment, a professional singing DJ, as he plays all of your favorite songs for your listening pleasure.

Pizza will be served during the event, but please bring your own snacks and drinks.

The net proceeds will be used for the continued maintenance and enhancement of the Veterans Memorial Island. Please come out and support this cause as we honor those who served.

The costs will be \$10 per person, and tickets can be purchased at Koffee Klatch, or by contacting Bob Stanko, at 1-330 856 4181.

Submitted by Rich Donelson and Bob Stanko



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Bocce Ball


Bocce will continue to be played at 9:00am on Mondays and at 10:00am on Wednesdays.

New players are welcome, we give lessons on Wednesdays.

*Thanks,
Submitted by A.J.Gilson*

Bowling (Gutter Gossip)

BOWLERS - GET YOUR BOWLING SHOES ON!!!

Our bowling league started on January 4th, and everybody had a great time, after a two year layoff!!  After the first two weeks, we had four “two hundred bowlers”. They were Connie Pommenville – 222, Peggy Clay – 210, Sue Keeler – 208, and Larry Weise – 203. Way to hold up the Guys end of it Larry. I would like to thank all the subs who helped out on opening day.

Our start time was changed. You can now get into the alley at 8:45am, practice starts at 9:00am and we bowl at 9:10am. Please be on time.

No 50/50 is allowed at the bowling alley, so we cannot have it this year. Anyone interested in bowling, please call Peggy Clay at 317-340-7966. Also, please let her know if you are not bowling, so she can get you a sub.

If you have a mask, please wear a mask. We don't want anyone getting sick.

On your money envelope you don't need to put the subs name, only write the word “sub”. Then anytime you have a sub, enter the money they pay in that column.

Submitted by Ralph Clay



Cornhole

Cornhole Games “aka bean bag toss” will begin on Tuesday 11/16 starting at 1:00 pm. Meet at the Bocce Screen Room. If you haven't thrown before we will teach you the game.

We have been getting bigger turnouts for Cornhole each week. We play every Tuesday at 1:00pm and meet at the Bocce Screen Room. It's a “luck of the draw” for your partner and a great way to meet new people. Even if you don't want to throw Cornhole, stop by and socialize, as not everyone plays at the same time. Bring your beverage of choice and a light snack. It's a fun time.

We are still in need of more Cornhole boards and bags. If you have any please bring them on Tuesday. We will looking into getting more boards if residents don't have any and asking for a small fee to play or donations toward them. Hope to see you on Tuesdays.

Submitted by Lori Smith

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Golf – 2022 Men’s 18-Hole League



Welcome back, all Golfers. We are now in full swing to our 2022 Season. The play has been great so far, with the course conditions improving. We also want to give “AttaBoy” to Ralph Clay for shooting a 79.

Please remember to be on time, and don’t forget to call your players if you are Team Captain.

Below is our Itinary for the season.

Closest to the pin will be on 2 of the 4 par three’s for the following dates.

Hills - 20th January, Longmarsh -
27th January
and Palms - 10th February

Playoffs will be held from 24th February to 24th March, 2022

There will be a – b – c flights, with match play this year and you must have 4 rounds in to qualify for handicapping purposes.

Awards dinner will be on the 30th March in the clubhouse. More info to follow at the beginning of March.

On the 7th April, we will be having a 4 man best ball tournament at the Palms, with 1 a player, 2 b players and 1 c player per team, with a small dinner and awards get-together at the bocce screen room. More info to follow in March.

*Regards, Scott : 203-455-1766
and Frankie : 941-426-6261*

Golf – Couples League



Our regular season, which runs from the first of January to the end of March, is off to a great start. This Sunday, we will have approximately sixty people golfing on the three courses at Waterford Golf Club in Venice. All three courses continue to be in good condition so the greens cannot be blamed for missed putts! Most golfers finish the afternoon with an early supper in the Waterford dining room as the food is very good. The drinks aren’t bad either.

Our green fee, through to the end of April, for 9 holes with a cart is \$30.00 plus tax. A small bucket of range balls is included with our green fee, if anyone wants to use the driving range before golfing.

The format is a scramble, i.e., each person takes their own shot but the foursome plays from the best shot. A drive from each member of the foursome must be used at least once during the game.

The schedule is arranged so that each couple plays with a different couple each week, as one of our goals is to get to know our neighbors better.

Our tee times on each of the three courses will be between approximately 1:00 p.m. and 1:40 p.m., usually on a different course than you golfed on the week before.

The membership fee is \$10.00 per person for the season. The fees will be used for prizes in January, February and March and for our end-of-season party. We have started awarding \$5.00 gift vouchers, redeemable at Waterford’s dining room, to the team having the lowest score. To spread the prizes around, on the third Sunday of each month, the vouchers will go to the team having the highest score.

The emphasis in our group is on having fun. You do not have to be a “good” golfer or part of a “couple” to participate. I can “couple” an individual with another individual or a couple when I make up the schedule.

If you are interested in golfing with the Couples group or if you have questions, please email me at sharon.anderson.olmstead@gmail.com.

Submitted by Sharon Olmstead

SPORTS

Women's and Men's - 9 Hole Golf



Approximately forty men and women are continuing to golf on Friday afternoons at the three courses at Long Marsh Golf Club at Rotonda West. The first tee time is usually around 12:30 p.m. and when we finish golfing, most of us stay to enjoy a social time at the clubhouse.

As of January 1st, the green fee for 9 holes of golf with a cart increased to \$30.00 plus tax but will remain at that rate throughout February and March.

Unfortunately, the dress up day for the Women's 9-Hole Golf Group scheduled for January 7th had to be postponed but I think Doreen Werner, our co-ordinator, will ensure that our Team Color Day has just been delayed.

If you are interested in playing 9 holes of golf with our groups, please contact Bob Jones, by e-mail at (jonesra8@aol.com) or by telephone (774-414-3074).

If you have suggestions for or questions about our group, please contact me by e-mail (sharon.anderson.olmstead@gmail.com) or by telephone (613-401-3423).

Submitted by Sharon Olmstead

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Pickleball



The Pickleball Club annual meeting was held on January 10. Thank you to all the members who attended and contributed ideas and positive energy to help us provide an enjoyable experience for all.

Election of officers was discussed and the current team will remain in office. Thank you to Debbie VanMassenhove, Secretary and Jerry Mills, Treasurer, for the fine job they have done, and will continue to do.

Members seemed pleased with how things are running within the Pickleball Club. We will be trying to improve communication amongst members so that it will enable us to arrange spontaneous or unscheduled times of play.

Dues were increased to ten dollars because of the reluctance to hold fund raisers due to COVID over the last two years.

Lou Duke is offering Pickleball lessons to beginners and intermediate players. It was wonderful to see how many experienced players want to improve their game and signed up for lessons. The pickleball tournament will be held on March 12, followed by a cook out and awards ceremony.

Daryl Rutt still has the yodeling pickleball trophy he won at the tournament two years ago. He anxiously awaits the ceremony to present it to our next tournament champion.

As always, we play Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday mornings and Sunday evenings. All are welcome.

Submitted by: Bob Stokes and Diane Gempp

Shuffleboard

Hi, everyone,

We are now into 2022 and I hope we can all stay in good health!!!! It's not fun when you don't feel great in Florida, under sunny skies!!!



Now that our courts are looking so terrific due to Bob Stanko and girls on the beautification team, it's really a pleasure to play Shuffleboard on Monday evening and Thursday morning!

Unfortunately our President, Gary, heard from the INTERPARK leaders, and it was decided for health reasons (Covid19 related) 2022 Interpark Games are cancelled! Best to be safe than sorry!!! This Covid19 just keeps going strong!

February 14th at 5:00pm is the "Pizza Party" at the Screen Rm, next to Bocce Courts. Mark it down. Our sign up sheet will be at the courts as usual.

Debbie Rohlin, our Treasurer is taking the \$5.00 per person membership fees Monday evening and Thursday morning at the courts.

*See you on the courts,
Submitted by Bevie Cooney,
Shuffleboard Secretary*



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Tennis Between The Lines

With many new residents now in the community, there might be new players, regardless of ability, who would be interested in joining us.



If you would like to learn the game, we have extra rackets and players to help teach. We play a round robin style of rotating players on some days, with competitive matches set up on other days.

We play Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8:30am. But the courts are available for open play most other times.

Our next tennis club meeting will be at 10:00am, February 7, at the tennis court.

*See you on the courts,
Submitted by Jim Schwandt 262-227-4900*

Table Tennis

Nothing to report this month



ECHO



(Everyone Can Help Others)

Echo is a committee of volunteers from our residents who meet monthly to confidentially discuss needs of our residents or renters.

The volunteers can make phone calls, visit, and provide assistance with maintenance of property, garden yard work, and minor repairs. Food shopping, make trips for errands, tidy up the house, some cleaning, and provide transportation. Additionally, we have information, such as medical and community resources, meals on wheels, home health agencies, companion care, and county resources assistance. The idea of Echo is to offer help to all residents, including renters, creating a culture of neighbor helping neighbor. It is also a way of getting to know your neighbors.

Looking toward the future, we are in need of Committee members and volunteers. The volunteers can choose how much time to be available and/or schedule specific days. Contact The Chair with questions or requests for registration forms.

Committee members are: Joyce Cote, Pat Krome, Pat Weaver, and Marion Myers. They can be contacted directly or call Chair person - Rosemarie Sulzbach at 941-875-3635.

The committee members are listed in the Lazy River 2020 Resident Directory, with their individual phone numbers. You can call anyone of us to refer someone who has a need, or email a request for services. We are committed to keeping the information in confidence. If you are interested in getting involved we will be happy to provide you with a survey form. We also send out survey forms yearly to residents who may want to volunteer.

Submitted by Rosemarie Sulzbach

CLUB NEWS

Bingo

Wow. These months fly by!!!!
We have begun playing Bingo!



Come see what all the excitement is about every Tuesday evening in the main hall.

Submitted by Joan Rose

Cribbage Anyone ?

The time for playing cribbage has moved to 3:00 pm – 4:30 pm, every Monday in the Myakka Room.



Experienced players or any new players are invited to join us. It is an easy game to learn.

If you have any questions, or if you would like to learn how to play, contact – Jim Schwandt 262-227-4900

Submitted by Jim Schwandt



Canine Fitness Club

Nothing to report this month

Boat Club



By the time you are reading the February Current the Boat Club is almost midway in a very busy season. The Commadore's Ball/ Change of Watch and the Naples trip are history. Looking forward, the February dinner meeting on 2/17/22 will have an Hawaiian theme and the March 10th dinner meeting will be a Gasperilla theme. The dinners will provide lots of good food, entertainment and fellowship.

Looking forward to other activities includes a February 22, 2022, trip to the Everglades for an airboat ride and a March 24, 2022, trip to John's Pass. Finally, there is a trip to St. Augustine April 4-7, 2022. Please observe our Boat Club Facebook page and announcements at Koffee Klatch about boating trips on the Intercostal Waterway to waterfront restaurants.

The calendar is full of a variety of activities only because of the efforts the many volunteers that make the Boat Club work. Our special thanks to Mary Berg and Jan Boeck for arranging and managing all the bus trip outings.

To those newer residents who have moved to the village in the last couple of years, we are enthusiastically looking for new volunteers.

Submitted Dave Carley, Commodore



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CLUB NEWS



Dance Club

The Dance Committee is delighted to announce the following dance schedule. To be held in the club house.

**LOVE IS IN THE AIR -
FEBRUARY 24th, 2022
7:00PM to 10:PM**

Tickets obtainable at Koffee Klatch or from Babs Findlay, 120 Lazy River Road. 860-372-5498

Come help us celebrate LOVE – Valentine’s Day (a little late). Think of all things romantic - Roses, candles, great music.

Your Dance Committee is working tirelessly to make our monthly Dances happen, in the safest way that we possibly can, so that we can say: No matter the circumstances, we are “Having a good season.” Please come and support us. Thank you.



*Submitted by Babs Findlay, Jenny Darling (co-chairs)
Kathy Johnson, Julie Headley & Linda O’Connor*

Nickel Bingo - Daytime



Game is played on **Thursdays,
Screen Room/Bocce**
Door opens at 12:45pm and
the game starts at 1:00pm.

Please be set up and ready to play before 1:00pm.
Bring \$5.00 in nickels and your own daubers.

Submitted by Peggy Clay

Lazy River Boosters

Please make a note of the following dates and info.



February 18, Friday: Draw & Share. Time : 7.00pm to 9:00PM

February 22, Tuesday: Boat club, Everglades airboat ride with lunch.

Approximate time of leaving 8:30 AM. Cost \$101.
Available for sign up at Wednesday Koffee Klatch.
Any questions contact Janice Boeck at 2629899826

March 24, Thursday, excursion to Johns Pass, dolphin watching and nature tour with lunch on your own. Details TBA

Submitted by Jan Boeck

Line Dancing



Hello, Line Dancers and Couples Dancers,

We’ve just finished week No. 1. My gosh, what a great turn-out we had. The dance floor was full. Our biggest turn-out ever. It was amazing to see all the folks. We had lots of new people, and we even had 7 guys, so we were able to teach a couples’ dance. Seems like the majority of people caught on to the dances.

I think this is going to be a great class this season. We will be dancing all the way through to the end of March.

Remember, we start at 1:00PM at the club house. See you there!!

Submitted by Frankie & Marie Mangio

CLUB NEWS

Newcomer's Club



Living in Lazy River Village took on a whole new language of its own. While passing out flyers, also known as rock mail, (which a lot of you don't have rocks on your steps) for our first Newcomer's Happy Hour in November, Sandy Trarter and I finally figured out what the "T Streets" were! Tahitian Way, Tobago Way and Tortola Way!

We heard everyone talking about KK on Wednesday mornings?? Oh, coffee and donuts...Make sure you bring your checkbook because everyone is collecting money for all the fun events planned in the Village.

In December we had a fun Ugly Christmas Sweater/ T-shirt Party followed by a light up golf cart parade.

Thank you to Harry Stephens for the music and hilarious "Simon Says" game to determine the winner of the Christmas Song Bingo game.

Back in Ohio it was considered rude to show up too early for a gathering but here at Lazy River you are considered late if you are on time. I'm usually fashionably late by about 15 minutes which here means the party is just about over!

We will be planning another Happy Hour for February. Look for information under your rock. Maybe Sandy and I will find the no name streets this time out.

Join our Facebook group LRV Newcomers Club.

Submitted by Lori Smith



Woodworking Club (Come See What We Saw)

Nothing to report this month

THIS AND THAT

The Lobster Truck Is Coming Again To LRV

On February 7th, 2022 The Maine Line Lobster truck will return to Lazy River Village! The hours will be 3:30pm to 6:30pm. They were here in January and were very well received.



They feature Lobster rolls and chowder but also have tacos, red hot dogs and an Italian Sandwich.

A more extensive menu is at the truck.

They will be by the screen room on Tortola. Hope to see you there!

Submitted by Carol Basch

Koffee Klatch



Our Wednesday morning Koffee Klatch has resumed.

This is just a get re-acquainted time. Coffee, Tea and donuts will be available. Please bring a donation of \$1.50 per person to off-set the cost of the donuts. Looking forward to seeing all of you there.

*Submitted by Cheri Case
on behalf of the Activity Team*

Attention Lazy River We Need Sound Booth Backup People

The Activity Team is looking for a few people who know how to work a sound system. This is not a full time job. It would be on a "as needed" position. Please let me know if you are interested.

*Thank you,
Submitted by Cheri Case - Activities Chairman
dickcheri@gmail.com*

THIS AND THAT



Celebrating new beginnings at Lazy River. Due to COVID, many were absent in 2021 and tons of new faces have appeared.

The Committee is planning three (3) potlucks for 2022 to renew old friendships and make new ones, as you feast on some fine cuisine

Mark your calendars for **February 5, and March 26, 2022**

January 8 will open the new year with “A Little Bit of Italy – Italian Style”. Consider your best Italian dish to bring. A photo booth opportunity with your romantic someone or just a great friend will be offered. Entertainment is by “The Band” with music and song for our enjoyment.

Cocktails – 5:00PM with dinner at 5:30PM Cost for the event is \$3:00 per ticket along with your favorite Italian dish – hot casserole, meat, chicken, pasta, veggies or salad. Dessert will be provided. Please bring your drink and table service.

There will be a 50/50 raffle to test your luck. Tickets will be on sale the weeks prior to the event at Koffee Klatch, along with a sign up sheet for your preference.

Potluck parties held in the clubhouse, are a great way to get together – a place to meet new friends and neighbors. It’s a party without putting a lot of stress or expense on the one person hosting the event. The responsibility for food, beverages and work are shared. Each guest contributes a dish to be enjoyed by everyone. The memorable ones are often the homemade family favorites that are tried and true. (In our family they are the ones grandma doesn’t have a written recipe for, it’s just etched in her brain.)

There is a small cost (\$3.00) for the overall experience

that includes theme decorating, entertainment and dessert. It’s intended to be a happy experience for everyone attending. Tickets are sold at Koffee Klatch along with a sign up for category of food.

For questions, call Trinie at 269-686-7024. We hope you join us.

*Submitted by Trinie Vander Ploeg,
Jackie Hall & Lisa Gunnels*

All Myakka Room Users

The Myakka Room will be closed to all events from February 22, 2022 thru February 26, 2022 for the taking of pictures for our new Picture Directory.

If you would like to reschedule your event in a different room please contact Carol Klotz - 941-525-8805 for room availability ASAP. Thank you.

Submitted by Cheri Case, Activity Team Chairman

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Cayman Lake Christmas Lights



For a number of years we had a wooden dock to which we wired a nice-sized Christmas tree. Ron Ducham, 226 Martinique, put on the Christmas lights and a bunch of guys from Beautification would risk life and limb to put it in the Lake, then they would attach a long rope and pull it into the middle. Ron would supply the power and we had a nice Christmas display.

However, due to wood, water and “Big Al” the Alligator, the dock was discarded. There was nothing along the Lake. At a social, Sue Avon expressed dismay to me about the lack of lights on the Lake. I told her if she were the new chairperson for the Christmas lights, she could deal with the problem. She agreed—so now we have a new chairperson for Christmas lights. She said she would like to see the palm trees lit up at the end of the Lake along Tortola Way and a Christmas tree on the flagpole. I suggested to relocate the three deer that were usually on the lawn near the office.

The first issue was bringing electricity to the area. Rick Silliker obliged.

Now, the lights and the deer were ok. But a Christmas tree on a slippery flagpole... So John Overton, Sue’s husband and a manufacturing engineering manager by profession, took up the challenge:

John, how did you figure out how to create a three-dimensional tree?

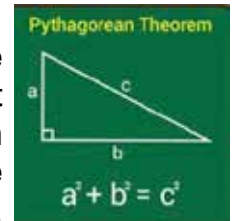
I started thinking two-dimensional, then semi-circular, then why not go all the way around! This would provide a nice display to everyone whose house backed onto Cayman Lake and to the houses along Tortola Way. That was Susan’s vision anyway.

John, how did you get the lights attached to the flagpole?

Duct tape can solve any attachment problem. I taped a bunch of plastic Christmas light clips to

two open circular clamps, then closed them up around the flagpole. A considerable amount of duct tape ensured the clamps wouldn’t slide down. As in most mechanical designs, the manufacture and installation of the first item highlights areas for improvement so I’m already thinking about version 2.1 of the clamp for next year.

John, how did you create the symmetry for all the lights?



This is where mathematics came in. I don’t think Pythagoras ever put up Christmas lights but his theorem came in handy. Half the length of the string of lights was the hypotenuse, the base was whatever looked like the suitable angle to Susan, therefore the height of the clamp up the flagpole was easily calculated. Additional fun with math could have provided the right spacing for the light-strings on the ground but my excellent helpers, Mary and Betty, suggested fixing four strings at four opposite points and eyeballing the spacing from there. Not as precise as I was aiming for but the morning was wearing on and the ladies wanted me to put away my calculator and tape-measurer.

Thanks to Sue and John, with the help of Maddie and Ron Ducham, Bob and Betty Rumley and Tim and Mary Norwood, we have a great improvement for the Cayman Lake area.

Submitted by Connie Quinn

P.S. We are hoping to get substantial financial support from Lazy River Village Board to boost up the light display at the entrance. John, will you design something for us?

Resident Security Detail

Nothing to report this month



COMING EVENTS

Re-Creation

“Rockin ‘In The “Rockin’ In The USA”

**Tuesday, February 8th, 2022
at the Hall 7pm**



*A love offering will be passed
during intermission.*

Re-Creation - Shine

Shine is a Praise & Worship program

filled with traditional hymns, praise & worship
music, and original songs
by Mary Muller

Sunday, February 27, 2022 at 7pm, in our Hall



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All 3 Submitted by Vickie Sykes

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2022 Picture Directory Great news!

We are finally scheduled to get our
photos taken for the 2022 Photo
Directory.



The date for the photos will be:
February 22, 2022 thru February 26, 2022
Tuesday – Friday 2:00pm - 8:00pm and
Saturday 10:30am - 4:30pm

Additional dates have had to be set up.

Tuesday, March 1, Wednesday, March 2 and
Thursday, March 3
from 1.00PM to 7:00PM

This directory is for all LRV owners and there is no
charge for the directory. The only cost to you will be
if you want to order additional photos.

*Submitted by Cheri Case
Activity Team Coordinator*

COMING EVENTS

Canada Day



Canada Day will be held on Saturday, February 26, 2022, in the Clubhouse starting at 3:00p.m. There will be games, food, fun and a chance to meet other Canadians in Lazy River.

The cost is \$10.00 per person, a portion of which is contributed to the Flag Fund. This contribution keeps our Canadian Flag flying in Lazy River.

Tickets will be sold and distributed to Canadians by members of the organizing committee directly to your homes.

All Canadians are welcome to attend.

For further information, please contact Mary and Tim Norwood at (519) 375-4787 or Irene and Daryl Rutt (905) 933-5014.

Submitted by Betty Rumley



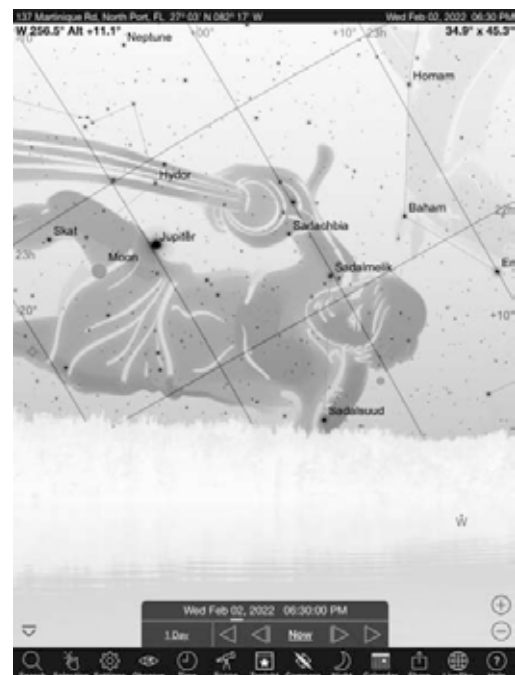
The Current Sky with the Telescope Guy

Hello again!

This month we bid the last planet (Jupiter) we can visually see in the evening sky goodbye, as it later re-emerges in the dawn sky during March. On February 2nd, look to the West-Southwest a short time after sunset (Figure 1, snapshot at 630 pm). At this time, the new waxing crescent moon, just a day after being “New”, will be about 4 degrees to the lower left of Jupiter. That will pretty much be the show for the evening sky, with the Full Moon, the “Snow Moon”, rising the evening of Feb 16th.

For the morning, we have an easy find of planets Venus, Mars and Mercury. On February 5th, the three will form a right angle triangle, seen 30 minutes or so before dawn (Figure 2, Snapshot at 645 am). As before, Mercury is difficult to see in the dawn or dusk, but try it with your eyes and binoculars if you have them.

Next month marks a special anniversary - March of 1967. It was a turning point for me, as I started to focus on Astronomy observing, and telescopes. It is a rather interesting story, culminating in a cloud of choking teargas in August 1968. I will share it with you next month!



Submitted by Dean Schantzen

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Down

1. "The Brady Bunch" actress Davis
2. Brit's lockup
3. Shine's partner
4. Vein's counterpart
5. Mo. town
6. Jackman of film
7. Prefix meaning "personal"
8. Open fireplace
9. Emily Dickinson's hometown
10. Feathered scarf
11. Break off
12. Golf prop
13. Rds.
18. "I don't want to hear ___ out of you!"
22. Buck's mate
24. Atomic physicist Niels
26. Redding of soul
27. Judge's order for a flight risk
28. Court activity
29. Actors Sharif and Epps
30. Equalize
31. Attorney's charge
32. Bale binder
33. Frame
34. Figure of speech
38. Normandy town
40. Slangy denial
41. "Blazing Saddles" actress
44. Bow-maker's source of raw material, historically
46. Comparatively recent
49. Rooibos or oolong
50. More hackneyed
51. Money of Portugal, once
55. Canceled, as a NASA mission
56. Government agt.
58. Iranian monetary unit
59. Maritime grp.
60. "I ___ red door and I want it painted black" (Stones lyrics)
61. FireWire alternative
62. Suffix with com-, dis- or re-
63. Singer Zadora
64. Type measures
66. LP successors

Across

1. Indian tourist mecca
5. ___ Tzu (small dog)
9. Is a party to
14. Hair-removal brand name
15. Short form of arrogance
16. Famed French impressionist
17. Yearning for the past
19. Land of the dead
20. Censor's sound
21. Vast multitude
23. Southern soldier
25. Ontario's capital
30. Hurricane's center
33. 104 in old Rome
35. Cry of relief
36. Inner legbone
37. Lime drinks
39. Prepare for more printing
42. Mosel tributary
43. ___ Moore stew
45. Indian bread
47. They, in France
48. Rotating casino implement
52. Give authority to
53. Meteorologic org.
54. Contamination
57. Tan shades
61. Word before crust or class
65. Top Gun star
67. River past Notre Dame
68. "Goodness gracious!"
69. Carp relative
70. Having a ho-hum attitude
71. Paul and Howard
72. Kafka character

(solution on page 34)

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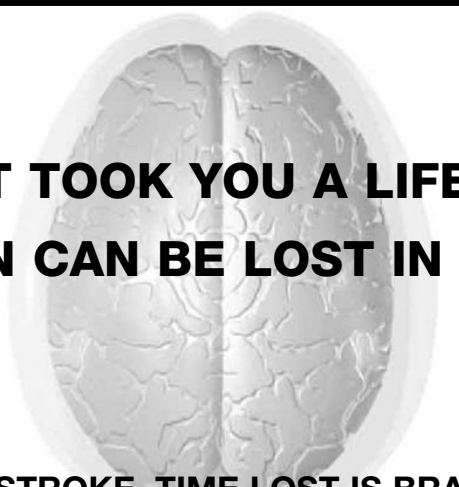
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