



The CURRENT

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President's Report

Greetings to all our Lazy River residents far and near. The summer season is passing quickly and people will be returning to their winter homes. As for us who live here full-time, we are keeping ourselves busy with such things as pickleball, cards, and planned social events. It is important that we maintain a quality lifestyle for those that remain all summer.



You have already been introduced to our new manager Guy Perreault, through an email that was sent out after he was hired. We also had a meet and greet with donuts and coffee at the clubhouse, which was well received by the residents. He has taken charge of the day-to-day operation, and continually demonstrates leadership skills and knowledge of the job.

Our former bookkeeper Cheryl Adams resigned to pursue other interests, and her

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Manager's Report

I have just completed my first full month here at Lazy River Village and I would like to take this time to give you my impressions.



- It appears that most residents take great pride in their homes.
- The attitude of the residents I have met so far is excellent.
- Pride in community – The Memorial Day celebration and cook out after showed me that you have pride in this community and want it to be the best.
- Maintenance of amenities is excellent. Pool, clubhouse, etc.

I am fortunate to be here, and I am looking forward to meeting and seeing everyone during the summer or when you get back from your summer break. Having said how nice it is here, there are a few projects that we will be working on during the summer. Here are a few:

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Send articles and correspondence to editorlazyriver@gmail.com by the 12th of every month.

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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
Boat Club	Dave Carley
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
Dance Club	Babs Findlay
Dominoes	Marilyn Griffin
Fitness-Stretching	Marion Myers
Golf Men's 18 hole	Frankie Mangio
Golf-9 hole Men's & Women's	Bob Jones
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
Red Hat Society	Carolyn Arwood
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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In Season: October thru May: 8:00am to 3:00pm
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LAZY RIVER ACTIVITIES TEAM

Team Leaders:

Cheri Case: Chair and Treasurer

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Bingo Coord	Joan Rose	423-6065
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Public Relations Coord		
Sunshine Coord Cheri C ase	734-755-9558	

President's Report *(continued from page 1)*

last day was June 15th. I'm pleased to announce that we have hired Millie Hubbard as our new part-time bookkeeper. Millie has an excellent resume and stood out among many applicants, and we are excited to have her as a member of our staff.

On Memorial Day we held a formal ceremony on Veterans Island, as we honored those military men and women who made the ultimate sacrifice. Following the service, a luncheon was held in the clubhouse, organized by Ray Thompson, with the cooking being done by JJ Massey. A good time of fellowship was had by all, and it will probably become an annual event.

The first phase of the Hotwire infrastructure installation has been completed, and it has been challenging to say the least, though I'm certain it will be worth it in the end. I apologize to the few residents who lost their internet and TV for a period of time due to their Frontier cable drop being cut. Unfortunately, the cable was not identifiable, and Frontier would not allow Hotwire to do the repairs, which caused a longer delay.

Hotwire has obtained our resident database and at some point they will be contacting each resident to make an appointment for installation and instruction of their equipment, scheduled at the resident's convenience. Frontier has yet to give us clear and concise instructions as to how to handle the return of their equipment. As soon as we receive directions, you will be informed immediately. Remember, Frontier is contractually obligated until October 17, but Hotwire will be ready to go long before that, so I expect a smooth transition.

The rainy season has started, and of course we are always vigilant of major weather events, taking the necessary precautions to protect life and property. They are predicting a busy season, but as of this writing we have had only one named storm, Alex, which did not pose a threat. The lakes are filling up, everything is green, and Lazy River is looking beautiful.

I welcome all of the new residents that have purchased this year, and I urge you get involved in your community. It is the best way to meet new people and to make new friends. Lazy River is a great place to live and recreate, and I encourage

you to take advantage of all the amenities when you are here.

We have many tasks scheduled for the summer as we continually strive to maintain and improve the condition of our village. We work hard, not only to make it a great place to live, but also to protect your investment. Residents, please remind your caretaker to continually spray for weeds in the rocks and around the house, since they grow quickly during the summer, and can become an eye sore. We want Lazy River to remain pristine throughout the year.

If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact the office, and I'm sure they will be happy to help you in any way they can.

Respectfully, Rich Donelson

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- Dogs – who has one, are they registered and vaccinated, are they ESA's (Emotional Support Animal) and if so, do we have the proper paperwork in your file.
- Storage Area – Ensuring that all vehicles and stored items are registered properly.
- Kayak Storage – Painting of the storage space numbers.
- Gate Codes – It appears that some of you have been compromised and your gate codes are being used by other people. We are giving out new codes to those residents.
- Vehicle Registration – All vehicles must be registered with a plate.

Another item that we are working on is drainage issues. I am just getting up to speed on this so I do not have much that I can tell you at this time except I am in contact with the engineering company and they will be coming out very soon.

We will need your help to get the information for some of these projects, your cooperation is appreciated.

Guy Perreault, Community Association Manager

Realtor's Report

In 1962, a new animated sitcom appeared on National TV, and aired on prime time until 1963. Then was syndicated and aired on Saturday mornings, which proved much more successful. Of course, you are familiar with or perhaps, like me, it may have been your childhood favorite show. The Jetsons. It was also the first show broadcast in color by ABC. The show takes place in 2062, 100 years from the original debut, in a fictitious space community named Orbit City.



Here we are in 2022, exactly half way in between 1962 and 2062, in a Community in North Port Florida, and it seems we are starting to live like we are on the set of The Jetsons. Granted, we are not buzzing around in small aircraft, we are doing some other things that were portrayed in 2062. There is a new term affecting the real estate industry. It's called a Smart Home. Defined online as "a home equipped with lighting, heating, and electronic devices that can be controlled remotely by phone or computer." The definition alone has a futurist ring to it.

Security systems, smoke detection systems, thermostat control, entertainment controls, lighting controls are all examples of components that make a Smart Home. Other examples are found in modern appliances, doorbells, robots.

Being able to control the temperature remotely allows for added energy efficiency as well as comfort. Turning on your fireplace from your phone, speaking out loud asking for a light to be turned on or off, or asking to change the channel on a specific TV or to play music, allows users to have convenience. Isn't that what technology and automation is all about?

A Smart Washer and Dryer is a prime example of how technology can help save energy and natural resources. The washer doesn't fill until it is loaded. Based on the weight of the load, the washer determines that amount of water needed vs. just filling all the way. The Smart Dryer communicates with the washer and then determines the amount of time it needs to run.

Technology has always been evolving as far as housing goes. At Walt Disney World in Orlando, one of my favorite exhibits is the Carousel of Progress, where you sit and watch a circular display that takes you through the 20th Century, in particular, "new technology" as it relates to how we live in our houses. In the Jetsons, they had a maid that was a robot with human attributes. I'm sure we will see something like that sometime between now and 2062. But robot technology in our homes is here. There are vacuums that are robots, even lawn mowers. I even have a robot that cleans my pool.

Smart Homes have financial benefits as well as convenience benefits. Certain insurance companies offer a discount for certain components that may be in a home, such as a leak detector, that if a water leak is determined it will notify you. There are some leak detection systems that even have the capability to shut off the water. Consider the damage an undetected water leak creates. It adds up to tens of thousands of dollars, that an insurance company would possibly pay out on a claim. Since this technology reduces the risk, the company can offer a discount on the premium.

Smart Home technology is convenient for "snowbirds" as they are able to control many aspects of their home from afar, whether on a smart phone, tablet or computer.

Whether your home is smart or not, one smart move is to talk to a Bishop West Real Estate agent when it comes selling or buying. Stop into the sales center and say "hello." You can always reach me directly at 941-800-2692 or by email at peter@bishopwestre.com

*Submitted by Peter West-
Bishop West Real Estate*

Beautification Committee
Nothing to report

July 2022 - Weekly Schedule of Activities

Day	Time	Activity	Location	Contact	Phone
Mon	9.00AM to 4.00PM	Quilting (& Thursday)	Sunrise/Sunset	Jackie Gross	404-578-5060
	9:30AM to 10:30AM	Water Exercises	Pool	Lisa Gunnels	248-807-3363
	3:00PM to 4.30PM	Cribbage	Myakka Room	Jim Schwandt	262-227-4900
	5:00PM to 8:00PM	Men's Texas Holdem	Myakka Room	John Jacobs	518-365-3846
Tue	9:30AM to 12:00PM	Water Color Painting	Sunrise & Sunset	Shirley Coleman	941-979-6668
	12:00PM to 4:00PM	Bridge	Myakka Room	Lyn Tindall	815-751-2935
	5:00PM to 8:00PM	Men's Texas Holdem	Myakka Room	John Jacobs	518-365-3846
Wed	9:30AM to 10:30AM	Water Exercises	Pool	Lisa Gunnels	248-807-3363
	1:00PM to 4:00PM	Art Class	Myakka Room	Kip Greener	941-426-7454
	6:30PM to 9:30PM	Pepper	Myakka Room	Richard Ciarlo	508-579-1973
Thu	10:00AM to 11:30AM	Bible Study	Myakka Room	Nancy Penoyar	941-451-4939
	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
	6:30PM to 9:00PM	Joker & Pegs (Joker)	Myakka Room	Debbie Rohlin	814-688-5746
Fri	9:30AM to 10:30AM	Water Exercises	Pool	Lisa Gunnels	248-807-3363
	12:00PM to 1:00PM	Quilting	Sunrise & Sunset	Betty Morse	941-423-0352
	1:00PM TO 4:00PM	Knitting/Crocheting	Myakka Room	Marion Myers	941-426-6260
	5:00PM to 7:00PM	Pvt Get-together	Bocce Screen Room	Linda Mc Gee	716-640-1705
	6:30PM to 9:00PM	Dominoes	Hall	Debbie Rohlin	814-688-5746
	7:00PM to 9:00PM	Pinochle	Myakka Room	Kip Greener	941-426-7454

Sat	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
	10:45AM to 1:15PM	Ladies Poker	Sunise/Sunset	Rosanne Clark	941-504-6596
Sun					

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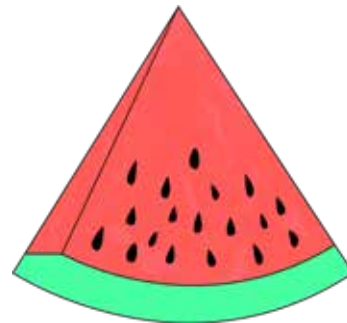
July 2022 - Special Events

Day	Time	Activity	Location	Contact	Phone
Thu 7th	4.00pm to 9.00pm	Island Point Happy Hour	Hall	Ray Thompson	785-410-2284

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August 2022 - Weekly Schedule of Activities

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	3:00PM to 4.30PM	Cribbage	Myakka Room	Jim Schwandt	262-227-4900
	5:00PM to 8:00PM	Men's Texas Holdem	Myakka Room	John Jacobs	518-365-3846
Tue	9:30AM to 12:00PM	Water Color Painting	Sunrise & Sunset	Shirley Coleman	941-979-6668
	12:00PM to 4:00PM	Bridge	Myakka Room	Lyn Tindall	815-751-2935
	5:00PM to 8:00PM	Men's Texas Holdem	Myakka Room	John Jacobs	518-365-3846
Wed	9:30AM to 10:30AM	Water Exercises	Pool	Lisa Gunnels	248-807-3363
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August 2022 - Special Events					
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Thu 4th	4.00pm to 9.00pm	Island Point Happy Hour	Hall	Ray Thompson	785-410-2284
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Activities Team

A MEMORIAL DAY EVENT

The recognition of Memorial Day is a beautiful tradition to all of those who help serve our country and I would like to say thank you to all of the people who came to watch and listen and remember!



Following our celebration was a picnic which was held in the clubhouse due to the extreme heat. We had just under 100 people attend. It was wonderful to see so many people out and visit with each other. I want to give a special thanks to the Boosters who donated \$300 towards the food and to the many people who just handed in donations. It was wonderful to see everyone that participated. And a big thank you goes out to all the people who helped in the kitchen and cleaned tables and took care of putting everything away. I was so proud of everything.

Sincerely, the A-Team

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Sunshine Report

Nothing to report





JULY 2022 BIRTHDAYS

01 . . . George Biggerstaff	10 . . . Victoria Carpenter	23 . . . Gloria Mitchell
01 . . . Brenda Dilley	11 . . . Don Gardner	23 . . . Dona Poff
02 . . . Sunny Grover	12 . . . Robert Desilets	24 . . . Judith Austin
02 . . . Lynette Tindall	12 . . . Wanda Hartung	24 . . . Bobbie Jinnette
03 . . . Joanne Mucilli	12 . . . Bob Rumley	24 . . . Sandy Moore
03 . . . Lori Smith	13 . . . Sharon Oakes	24 . . . Christine Wagner
04 . . . Joe Jinnette	14 . . . Shirley Coleman	25 . . . Paul Beaudoin
04 . . . Jim Reimer	14 . . . Robert Jones	25 . . . Thomas Carter
04 . . . Angeline Rocco	14 . . . Jeffrey Umbarger	25 . . . Marilyn Mills
05 . . . Gwen Fulbright	14 . . . Kaye Umbarger	26 . . . Paul Tesauro
05 . . . Tom Lynch	14 . . . Tom Weaver	26 . . . Michael Welling
05 . . . Virginia Quinn	15 . . . Lou Duke	27 . . . Stan Riddle
05 . . . Joanna Van Gorder	16 . . . Diane Ogden	27 . . . Kathleen Wolcott
08 . . . Danielle Edlund	18 . . . James Davis	28 . . . Jana Mead
08 . . . Mario Garcia	19 . . . Julie Bunch	28 . . . Wendy Richardson
09 . . . Norman Eddy	19 . . . Paul Myers	28 . . . Kaye Wilcox
09 . . . Linda Kowalchyk	20 . . . Maureen Welling	29 . . . Myrna Miller
09 . . . Valerie Minotti	21 . . . Ann Donovan	30 . . . Curtis Zody
10 . . . Ruth Birmann	22 . . . Carl Redenbo	31 . . . Linda Lindsay

AUGUST 2022 BIRTHDAYS

01 . . . Chuck Gross	12 . . . Teri Pederson	22 . . . Fred Buttery
01 . . . Nancy Howard	12 . . . Rich Shelley	23 . . . Greg Ouellette
01 . . . Toby Rohlin	13 . . . Jeff Pederson	24 . . . Lauren Conrow
01 . . . Larry Weise	13 . . . Jim Sinatra	24 . . . Theresa Jones
02 . . . Larry Krome	14 . . . Joyce Mullins	24 . . . Betty McClenathan
06 . . . Carolyn Arwood	14 . . . Jennifer Schmitt	25 . . . Karen Chamberland
06 . . . Romy Crawford	16 . . . Edward Kosinski	25 . . . Mary Duvall
07 . . . Elaine Wells	16 . . . William Puetz	25 . . . Thomas Holcomb
08 . . . William Bechard	17 . . . Joyce Donato	25 . . . Edward Kowalchyk
09 . . . Richard Case	17 . . . William Gemp	25 . . . John Larson
09 . . . Jeannine Dube	17 . . . Paul Gunnels	25 . . . Susan Wood
09 . . . Carole Foley	17 . . . Raymond Zbikowski	26 . . . Sharyn Sponenberg
09 . . . Sharon McGee	18 . . . Mark Howard	28 . . . Robin Bosma
11 . . . Linda Deisler	19 . . . Dean Bonifas	29 . . . Pat Krome
11 . . . Richard Donelson	19 . . . Carol Gabalis	29 . . . Mark York
12 . . . Gary Clark	20 . . . Ron Dilley	31 . . . Brenda White
12 . . . June Dalrymple	21 . . . Sharon Biggerstaff	31 . . . Jerome Zwara
12 . . . Marilyn Griffin	22 . . . William Behr	

Submitted by Joyce Cote



JULY 2022 ANNIVERSARIES

Years Married

- 1 Terence and Caryn Malaghan . . .
- 2 John and Sue Siebenaler Over 50
- 3 Bruce and Cheryl Gustavson Over 50
- 3 Joseph and Magdalen Pietro
- 5 Ray and Rita Thibeault Over 50
- 9 David and Joanna Van Gorder . . . Over 50
- 10 . . . William and Vivian Puetz
- 10 . . . Bob and Betty Rumley Over 50
- 12 . . . William and Diane Gempp
- 13 . . . Jim and Chris Woods
- 18 . . . Hugh and Carolyn Brooks Over 60
- 19 . . . Gary and Beverley Cooney
- 23 . . . Leroy and Hazel Mabery Over 50
- 25 . . . Bill and Kathy Shaffer
- 28 . . . Jerry and Mary Dishinger Over 60
- 29 . . . Tom and Debbie VanMassenhove

AUGUST 2022 ANNIVERSARIES

Years Married

- 3 Ron and Madeleine Ducham . . . Over 50
- 4 Ed and Carol Birch
- 5 Howard and Anna Stark *50*
- 6 Ray and JoAnn Demars Over 60
- 6 Robert and Margaret Sibley . . . Over 60
- 7 James and Charolet Goff Over 50
- 7 Thomas and Beth Peterson
- 8 Ken and Christine Kareta Over 50
- 9 Ken and Joyce Mullins Over 60
- 10 . . . Jim and Heike Canaday
- 10 . . . David and Sandra Ellis
- 11 . . . Jack and Ruth Ann Davis Over 60
- 13 . . . Jerry and Joyce Cote Over 50
- 15 . . . Mike and Carole Byrne Over 50
- 15 . . . Dean and Fran Kirk Over 50
- 15 . . . Robert and Robin Uhl
- 16 . . . Timothy and Jana Mead
- 20 . . . Ted and Marty Cobb
- 20 . . . Allan and Deborah Stellmach . . .
- 21 . . . Daniel and Cynthia Bultman . . . Over 50
- 21 . . . Michael and Susan Charles
- 22 . . . Jim and Bonnie Mullen
- 23 . . . Jim and Peggy Lyons Over 60
- 24 . . . Bruce and Sandy Moore Over 50
- 26 . . . Robert and Victoria Carpenter . . *50*
- 26 . . . Jim and Barb Schwandt Over 60
- 28 . . . Bob and Sue Bennett Over 50
- 28 . . . Mark and Nancy Howard
- 29 . . . Len and Susie Anderson Over 50
- 30 . . . Mike and Karen Hammond

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.

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October Bus Trip

Just a reminder for those of you who are considering going on the bus trip in October, we still have a few openings. Please contact Mary Berg or myself, Jan Boeck, by email or phone. Since I will be in the park most of the summer my phone number is 262-989-9826.



Our first gathering was very successful with 24 people; everyone really enjoyed it. I hope whoever is in the park will consider coming!

Submitted by Jan Boeck

Needed Urgently

JAN CAMPBELL TRIBUTE BAND



Any piano players interested in joining the Jan Campbell Tribute Band? This band plays easy listening cocktail lounge type music.

Bev Cooney was forced to resign for health reasons. Please contact me at 989-295-5602 or tvnm@charter.net.

Submitted by Tom VanMassenhove

Memorial Day Service



What a wonderful day this was. It was very well attended. Over 100 people at the service.

Lots of “thank you’s” are necessary as it takes a lot of people to make an event great. So here goes.

Thank you to the 3 young Marines, for their posting of the colors, they were really great.

Thank you to Rich Donelson for his Welcoming and contribution.

Thank you to Frankie Mangio for his very appropriate music.,

Thank you to Carol Klotz for telling us about the origin of the poppies and also reading out the well known poem – “In Flanders Fields”.

A big thank you to the Nite Riders for handing out the poppies, programs and cup cakes.

Thank you also to the Sarasota Fire Department who attended. We were able to thank them for all they do for us.

Finally, a huge thank you to Ray Thompson and his crew for providing lunch for everyone. It was a great idea and a very good turn out.

An order was placed for 15 bricks. By the time that you read this, they will have been installed. I also received an order for another 5 more. If anyone wants to get a brick installed for Veterans Day please get in touch with me as soon as possible. It takes time for the process to work.

Submitted by Bob Stanko



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To Be Advised Next Issue



A change in title took place on 05/02/2022

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156 Bermuda Way

Richard: (419) 799-9205;

Jo Ann (419) 799-1332

Email: jwitsaman@gmail.com

Home State: OH

Previous Owner: Barbara CrothersCrothers

A change in title took place on 05/03/2022

GARCIA, Mario & AUSTIN, Judith

201 Martinique Road

Mario: (219) 561-1224;

Judith – (941) 445-1900

Email: Mario: garcia780@comcast.net;

Judith – judi1@me.com

Home State: IN

Previous Owner: Joe & Dawn Malerba

A change in title took place on 04/28/2022

REILLY, Robert & Laura

135 Rarotonga Rd.

Robert: (973) 897-1687;

Laura (201) 841-1687

Email: Robert: bjreilly@aol.com;

Laura; czllaura@aol.com

Home State: DE

Previous Owner: James HUTCHINSON

A change in title took place on 04/29/2022

STANKO, Ronald & Sherri

138 Lazy River Road

Ronald: (330) 883-2846;

Sherri (330) 219-1795

Email: driver9678@aol.com

Home State: OH

Previous Owner: MILLER

A change in title took place on 04/06/2022

JONES, Carl

135 Island Point Rd.

(479) 502-7214

Email: carlandpatjones@outlook.com

Home State: AK

Previous Owner: Ronald and Addie Reed

A change in title took place on 05/05/2022

SMITH, Samuel & Carol

206 Tortola Way

Samuel: (989) 620-7928;

Carol – (989) 620-1938

Email: Samuel: samuelsmith4311@gmail.com;

Carol – bannistercarol@aol.com

Home State: MI

Previous Owner: Keith & Valerie Lazor

A change in title took place on 05/19/2022

JONES, CARL

138 Island Point Rd.

(479) 502-7214

(941) 462-4914

Email: carlandpatjones@outlook.com

Home State : FL

Previous Owner: Tom Lynch

A change in ownership took place on 05/20/2022

FLOWERS, Barry & Lynette

225 Martinique Road

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Email: barrylynette@gmail.com

Home State : MI

Previous Owner: Dean & Susan Wilhelm

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Our spiritual freedom comes with the new birth. We are born again by personal faith in the Lordship of Jesus the Christ and what his death, resurrection and ascension back to the Father has provided. And on July 4th we celebrate the freedom we gained from British domination. In both of these freedoms, there is always an enemy (John 10:10, "the thief comes only to steal, and to kill, and destroy: I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly.")

America sought freedom from the British in order to worship God as each one believed was according to the Bible, not a government of laws. Because of this our founding fathers did not use religion to determine who could become a citizen. This freedom was and is still part of our Constitution.

With so many different people groups arriving in America, with our freedom of religion, problems can come when those religious views are hostile to Christianity. While our communities were basically in agreement with Christianity, those who did not live by that standard, needed to do so under cover of darkness. Now our communities are no longer abiding by biblical standards, believing that there is a God above and the Bible is the Holy Word of God. With all of these conflicting beliefs, the "enemy of our soul" finds many areas in which to work. This is the first part of John 10:10. While our laws are suppose to limit personal freedom for the sake of the whole, it is the nature of humanity without God's provisions through the Holy Spirit, to resist all that restrain our personal freedom. No matter how many laws we make, it will never change a heart that is contrary to God.

People are trying to understand why there is so much violence and hate, Scripture tells us why. We have left God out of everything. Instead of respect for people, we are showing that ideas are more important and we all have ideas and opinions. Each one believes their opinions are right.

In the same way our spiritual freedom is under attack. Without the ability to know God fully by our intellectual understanding (because of our fallen

nature), we place our trust in what we do believe. Our personal beliefs will determine how we live our life as well as how we relate to one another. As we continue to grow in faith, and the grace of God, our behavior can change accordingly. The second part of John 10:10 comes into play here, the "abundant life."

If, as Christians, we all were facing persecution for our faith in the Christ, could we not come together and worship God together as a family? Is not the definition of a Christian our belief that the Jesus in the Bible is the same Jesus we are placing our faith for eternal life in, even though individually we have some differences in our interpretation of the whole Bible? We have a choice, either to fight for our faith, or surrender to the powers to be, our moral enemies.

The Thursday Bible Study is now also a time of prayer. Do you have a prayer need? Come pray or let your prayer needs be known and I will pray. Prayer can be silent or out loud. Class begins at 10 in the Myakka Room of the clubhouse.

Submitted by Nancy Penoyar : 941 451 4939

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SPORTS



Bocce Ball

Nothing to report this month

Golf – Couples League

Nothing to report this month



Bowling (Gutter Gossip)



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Golf-Men's 18-Hole League

Nothing to report this month



Cornhole

Let the games begin!!!



Women's and Men's 9 Hole Golf

Nothing to report this month



It has been said that the Cornhole Game originated in my hometown on the west side of Cincinnati. Cincinnati Magazine had an article about it in 1960. It gained more popularity in the early 2000's. It got its name from the bags that are filled with corn and the object of getting it in the hole. Westsider's never knew there was some other meaning of the name to others...

The American Cornhole Association was founded by Mike Whitton from Cincinnati to standardize the rules of the game. Matt and I were big horseshoe players when the Cornhole boards showed up at our campground. Honestly, we didn't like the game at first. However, due to his popularity everyone was playing it and eventually horseshoes went by the wayside. We both have a fondness for the game now.

Consider throwing a game with us on Tuesday afternoons at 1:00 beginning in the Fall. We are looking forward to trying out our two new palm tree boards and breaking in the new bags.

Respectfully Submitted by Lori Smith

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Rechargeable Hearing Aids

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We heard the hype from the manufacturers but the response from our clients has been better than we hoped for about these rechargeable hearing aids.

Our clients were impressed with the clarity of speech and the lack of distracting background noise. They did like having the convenience of putting the hearing aids in the charger case and not having to fiddle with small batteries. Yet each client was more impressed with the sound quality.

We currently have four models available for demonstration, from different manufacturers. We carry a variety of brands to ensure the sound quality is what you want to hear. We had a few clients who tried two brands before they knew exactly which hearing aid gave them more confidence in conversations.

We always want the hype from manufacturers to be accurate, but we think they are underselling this new technology. Not only is there better speech clarity but the ease of not having to fiddle with tiny batteries is such a bonus.

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SPORTS

Pickleball



When I returned to RI in April, I, of course, started playing at the local Pickleball courts. One of the advanced players announced that his goal this summer was to teach me a two-handed backhand. My first thought was; why should I do a two-handed backhand shot? I was happy with my one-handed shot. So I decided to do some research and I thought I would share with you what I have found.

A two-handed backhand has several advantages in pickleball – including additional power, control and stability on the paddle. The dominant hand should be placed on the bottom of the paddle (simply to guide the paddle) with your non-dominant hand doing most of the work. People with “tennis elbow” report this helps take the strain off their dominant arm. Good swing fundamentals, such as getting your paddle back early, weight transfer from your back foot to your front foot, contact in front of the body, a low-to-high swing path, follow through over your shoulder and good hip and shoulder rotation are essential.

One disadvantage of the two-handed backhand is that it limits your reach with your paddle. You can reach a bit farther when you hold your paddle in only one hand. So a bit more speed and agility are needed to perform a two -handed shot.

Fitting your hands comfortably on the handle can be an issue. Some players have purchased paddles with longer handles. There are pros and cons to these types of paddles.

Either backhand is fine as long as you are enjoying your time playing Pickleball. Have a great summer.

Submitted by Bob Stokes and Diane Gempp

Shuffleboard

Nothing to report this month



SPORTS

Table Tennis

Nothing to report this month



Tennis Between The Lines

Nothing to report this month



Resident Security Detail

Nothing to report this month



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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

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CLUB NEWS



Bingo

Nothing to report this month



Cribbage

Nothing to Report

Boat Club



Nothing to report this month

Dance Club



Nothing to report this month

Canine Fitness Club



The Canine Fitness Club is committed to fostering a “Good Neighbor” relationship with our non-pet owner neighbors. We are attempting to develop a set of acceptable behaviors when pets and pet owners interact with residents and bicyclers passing by.

Having a dog in your life is a privilege. Dog ownership at LRV is a right and a privilege. It is troubling that there may be a rift between some dog owners and some non-pet owners. The CFC believes that developing this “Good Neighbor” responsibility for our pets and towards our neighbors, we will be able to mend this rift and show Lazy River Village residents some of the ways we are trying to find ways that we can live in harmony.

The Canine Fitness Club meets every 1st Monday of the month starting in November until April in the Clubhouse at 10 a.m. Everyone is welcome to come to the meetings to discuss and discover ways we can all get along in this beautiful village.

We also meet on the same 1st Monday at Sunset Park for drinks and shared snacks at 6 p.m. We want all our dogs to socialize with each other and our non-pet owners to encourage a spirit of togetherness and fun. We have purchased an additional picnic table for our members and guests (all of you who wish to come and join in the fun). We are always looking for any residents who love animals to become honorary Aunts and Uncles to our friendly and loving pets.

Respectfully submitted by Rusty Shelley



Lazy River Boosters

Nothing to report this month

Line Dancing

Nothing to report this month



Newcomer’s Club



We continue to have more home sales and new residents moving in Lazy River Village.

We welcome you. You can join the LRV Newcomers, Residents and Renters Facebook page.

Hopefully everyone is having a safe and fun Summer and the Hurricanes stay clear of the Village. It has been a very wet Spring here in Ohio!

Looking forward to seeing everyone in Fall.

Thank you Ray and Karen Thompson for continuing the Happy Hours.

Submitted by Lori Smith

CLUB NEWS



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



Woodworking Club (Come See What We Saw)

Nothing to report this month

COMING EVENTS

LRV Ladies Holiday Celebration



Save the Date: Tuesday, December 6, 2022

Where: Heron Creek Golf & Country Club

Time: 1:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

("Getting to Gnome You" starts at 11:30 a.m.)

Lunch served at noon: Choice of Pecan Crusted Chicken Salad or Coconut Shrimp

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Submitted by Doreen Werner



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Bloodmobile News



Canceled until November when snowbirds are back.

They are short of help??

Submitted by Ginnie Wood

THIS AND THAT

Nite Riders



Summer schedule for the “dog days” of summer. We ride our 3-wheel bikes every day: summer, fall, winter and spring.

The Nite Riders started in the Spring of 2017. The total number of members is now 19.

We welcome all residents and renters to come and ride with us. We meet by the bocce courts and the screen room every day, weather permitting. Starting on May first, we will begin our riding at 7.30pm; the ride is 3 miles long, which covers the whole park, except for “no name” street. Any rider who wants to exit, can say goodbye and ride home at anytime they wish. We ride with your health in mind.

We ride for the enjoyment, exercise, the beauty of all nature around us, the sunsets, the rainbows, and enjoy being with friends. Sometimes we sing as we

ride. We have our own song that was written by Jim and Carol McMahon – our Lazy River Song writers.

Our song is simple and true:
Nobody could be nicer.....Than a Lazy River Rider
Ride with us and smile.....Yeah... the Nite Rider
Bikers

We sing two verses, as we smile and wave to all the residents we see in our park. We never exceed our speed limit of 15 miles per hour in our park. Please obey the 15 mph rule., especially around blind curves. Thank you.

Our club T-shirts are available anytime you want to join. I have different sizes. The cost is \$12.00 per shirt. Please call me at 617-678-9569

Submitted by Carmelle Awad

THIS AND THAT

LRV Communications Committee Report

The recently formed Communications Committee is pleased to announce their collaboration on a summary of how we communicate in Lazy River. They have identified 14 methods of how we communicate within the Lazy River Village. We hope this will help residents become familiar with the various ways we communicate. We are receptive to ideas for other means of communication.

Committee members consist of:

Peggy Duke as chair, Lisa Beaudry as secretary, Angie Anderson, Carol Klotz, Janice Boeck and Board liaisons of Theresa Jones and Cheri Case.

Please feel free to contact any of them with your suggestions or questions.

Submitted by Peggy Duke

HOW DO WE COMMUNICATE IN LAZY RIVER? LET US COUNT THE WAYS !

FORMAL

1. The Current magazine - monthly (Sept-April), combined (May/June and July/Aug) hard copy at office and clubhouse and digital version on LRV web site (deadline for articles to editor is the 12th of the month prior to publication)
2. Manager's emails/ updates (sign up with office to receive via email)
 - a- Hello Friday News- weekly news blast (deadline is Wed 10 am)
 - b- Tuesday happenings activities (deadline is Monday noon)
 - c- Manager's meeting (TBA by manager)
3. TV HOA channel 1970 shows upcoming events, list events via office (subject to change with new Hot Wire contract)
4. Lazy River Village website - <https://lazyrivervillage.org> (give email to office to get access)

5. Board of Directors meetings in clubhouse October – April workshop 1st Wed of month at 9.00am after Koffee Klatch (KK), Board meeting on 2nd Wednesday of month also at 9.00 am after KK, annual meeting and Board elections in February (date TBD)
 - a- Communications from your LRV Board (email)
6. Lazy River directory lists shareholders names, phone numbers and emails along with rules and regulations and other important phone numbers. (hard copy available at office. Digital copy on LRV website)
7. LRV outdoor activities bulletin board (future location TBD)
8. Suggestion boxes for your ideas to Board (located in clubhouse entrances)
9. Bulletin boards in back entry hallway to clubhouse (organized by clubs, Village business and activities, upcoming meetings and agendas and residents postings, ie sales, rentals)

Dated 5/1/22

INFORMAL

10. Koffee Klatch aka KK in clubhouse October-April every Wed at 8 am -announcements, tickets for sale, meet your neighbors, coffee and donuts \$2 donation.
11. Rock mail announcements (paper notice placed under "rock" by your entry, sign up with office to receive)
12. Sandwich board signs at front lake entrance (announces upcoming events/ activities for week)
13. Facebook pages:
Lazy River Family <https://www.facebook.com/groups/561582970993155> (news posted by residents)

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THIS AND THAT

LRV Communications Committee

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Lazy River Sales <https://www.facebook.com/groups/3049152241794091> (items posted for sale by residents) LRV newcomers, residents and renters <https://www.facebook.com/groups/473839597388484> (info for residents less than 3 years)

The Lazy River Village boat club <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1489173824648637> (must be member of boat club)

LRV Meeting Place Group <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1353412598187834> (share ideas, shareholder only)

- 14 All the various activities and informal groups in the Village like the pool in the afternoon (also known as noodling), street meetings and neighborly gatherings!

NOTE: Please let the communications committee chair, Peggy Duke, know of any additions or corrections to this list

Submitted by Peggy Duke

Information For All Residents

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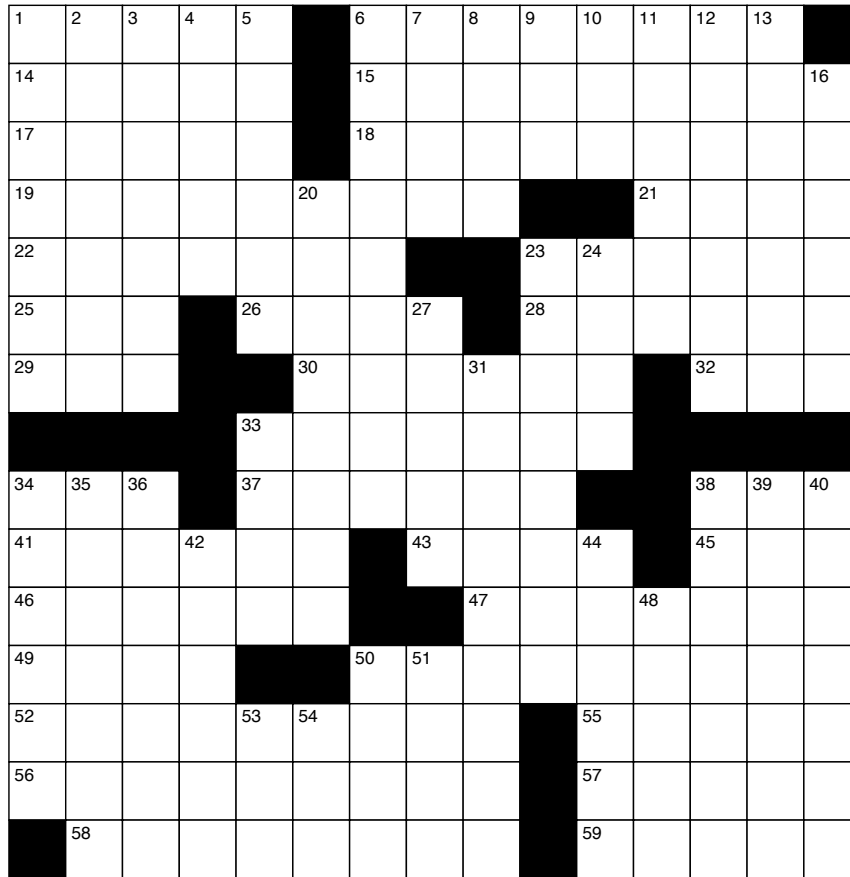
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Down

1. Potato dumplings
2. Attack verbally
3. Pizza slices, e.g.
4. Kick locale
5. Hawaii and Alaska
6. Coming-out party honoree
7. Crack shots
8. Went like the wind
9. "Don't ___"
10. Fly-___ (airshow features)
11. "Ain't that ___"
12. Marks of shame
13. Most uncanny
16. Fixed up
20. Soldier, say
23. Telephone elements
24. Fit to _____
27. Less decorated
31. Crude ship?
33. "In your dreams!"
34. Wrap in bandages
35. Religion founded in the Punjab
36. Actress Bening of "American Beauty"
38. Saliva
39. Batter's goal
40. Principal dishes
42. It prevents pellagra
44. Peace, in Israel
48. Submit taxes over the Net
50. Dressing gown
51. Bruins' home
53. Letters at sea
54. Crow's call

Across

1. Shiny finish
6. Organized info
14. Night, to Mozart
15. Community of organisms
17. Tiber river port
18. ___ Hathaway
19. Songstress
21. Opposite of "fer," country-style
22. Give approval
23. Overacted
25. Crude shelter
26. Thick slice
28. Relaxed
29. The I in TGIF
30. "... ___-horse open sleigh"
32. Part of SOP (abbr.)
33. Mounted on, as a horse
34. Federal retirement org.
37. Becomes resolved
38. Compass point betw. S and SSE
41. ___-the-Pooh
43. GPS suggestions (abbr.)
45. Wok, for one
46. Cuts like ___
47. Nonbeliever
49. "Take ___ Train" (Duke Ellington hit)
50. Chases
52. "The Birds" director
55. Flexible
56. Worthy
57. Half-pipe move
58. Dudes' duds
59. Gathers

(solution on page 31)

The Current Sky with the Telescope Guy July/August 2022

Hello again!

For the next couple of months, those of you that are night owls, vampires or just plain night people, the planets of Mars, Jupiter, and Saturn are easy objects to spot in the early morning hours after 1.00am going forward. The parade starts with Saturn, then Jupiter and finally Mars poking above the eastern horizon and moving west as the months go by. This will set us up for some fine viewing in the fall evenings later this year. Through the months, the moon is most interesting to view optically either with a waxing or waning crescent, where earth shine provides some illumination on the area of the moon not in direct sunlight. This, along with the crater shadows along the terminator (line marking the boundary between darkness and light) make good observing.

Now, I think it's time to graduate to other objects in the sky and what we can see with a telescope. These objects are much easier to view with a telescope mount that tracks the sky relative to the earth's rotation. Many of these objects, consisting of galaxies, nebula, and various types of star clusters were first catalogued by Charles Messier, in the late 1700s. These are designated by "M" before their numerical designator, and most also have a common unique name like, Ring Nebula M57 (one of my favorites), Dumbbell, Beehive, Black Swan, Crab, etc. Like I noted above, more sophisticated telescope mounts are really needed to view these 110 objects, and we will have that equipment in spades this fall.

In the old days, a large book of star charts was used along with large mechanical wheels on the telescope mount axes depicting angle and time in order to find these objects. Today, computer assisted mount systems and drives can slew from one to another of these objects with ease, if set up accurately to begin with. Since the stars and objects move relative to each other over time, a snapshot in time has historically been set every fifty years or so (Epoch 1900, 1950, 2000, etc.) in order to help the celestial navigation. I will bring back a large set of these laminated charts in the fall. Computers have

made it so easy to find the aforementioned objects, but the old school guys still use these charts as well, akin to GPS and old-fashioned road maps.

In closing, I look forward to being back here in the fall and starting an observing group if there is interest. The sky is literally the limit to what we can do!

Till next time, Clear Skies and Good Health!

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Senior Citizens Day History

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Rated: Medium

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7	5							9
			3			6		1
	6		7		1		8	
		9	1	2	5			
				6				
6						1		
4	9							
		3			4	5	2	

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9	4	8	3	5	2	6	7	1
3	6	2	7	9	1	4	8	5
8	3	9	1	2	5	7	6	4
5	1	4	8	6	7	3	9	2
6	2	7	4	3	9	1	5	8
4	9	5	2	7	6	8	1	3
1	7	3	9	8	4	5	2	6
2	8	6	5	1	3	9	4	7



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