



Holiday RV

A COVE PARK & MARINA

September 2024



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hello September



"September is the last month before the festive season, so let's get ready for the upcoming thrill."



Reoccurring events:

Taste Buds Produce Market

Every Other Tuesday 10am-1pm (L)



Taste Buds is a fresh produce delivery company. They collect fresh produce from local farmers/vendors and are set up here every other Tuesday morning until October market-style for you to stock up on your produce needs!

Holiday RV
28229 County Rd 33
Leesburg FL 34748

Departments:

Welcome Center/Registration
(Front Office): 352-787-5151
9am-5pm - M-F
Saturday-Sunday
Closed

Courtesy Center (gate):
352-815-0189

Lifestyle: 352-787-5775
Hours: 9am-4:00pm - M-F
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Veteran Spotlight

Russ Henderson

US Army

1967-1969

1970-1971



Russ is originally from South Carolina, however he enlisted in the Army in 1967 while living in Oceanside, CA. He went to Fort Ord in CA for Basic Training then to AIT (Advanced Infantry Training) in Alabama. From there he went to OCS (Officers Candidate School) but "didn't survive" so was shipped to Vietnam. He was transferred from his first unit to the 176th AHC (Assault Helicopter Company) in Chu Lai ICORP RVN (Republic of Vietnam). Russ was a Helicopter Door Gunner for six months before getting shot in the left leg and getting shrapnel in both knees. He was returned to the states, then requested to return to Vietnam but was denied due to not having enough time remaining to fulfill the deployment so he reenlisted.

Russ stated his brother was a lieutenant in the Army and was heading to Vietnam for his first tour. Russ decided to cut his 30 day leave short, scheduled between his enlistments, so he could return to Vietnam on the same flight as his brother - which is forbidden - but he did it anyway. Russ was caught but not reprimanded. His brother wasn't aware of Russ's plan but was aware that he was on the flight. Once back in Vietnam, Russ was transferred into the 229th AHC as a door gunner and was shot on his first flight. He lost his left eye from shrapnel and again got shrapnel in both knees. The Army retired him for disability but he "fought the retirement" and was able to reenlist. He was then sent to Panama but tried to switch orders in order to return to Vietnam, however he got caught and in 1971 retired permanently. Russ said he enjoyed, and had fun, at his duty as door gunner.

Russ returned to Oceanside, CA, did two years of college and met and married his wife Linda. He adopted her 2 daughters and they all moved to Charleston, SC. Russ worked for the Naval Weapons Station until he retired. Once the girls had grown they started traveling in a fifth wheel, moving all over the country, 48 of 50 states. They stayed in Michigan as Linda was originally from there and Russ was working at Walmart. He couldn't take the cold so transferred to Walmart in Leesburg and they landed at Holiday. Russ worked at Walmart until last year. Russ stated that about a year ago he felt something in his right knee, so he took a "paring knife" and a piece of shrapnel was removed. Russ recently lost his wife Linda unexpectedly after 49 1/2 years of marriage. He remains here at Holiday with his cat Squeaker.



THANK YOU

Let us welcome in September at Holiday RV with a shout out to our Ambassadors and residents/guests that have braved the heat to take part in the activities. Participating in the activities helps keep you connected with others and your mind/body active. There are a variety of activities/events that take place each month. Step outside of your comfort zone and join in or try something new. You may make new friends and find something that you really enjoy doing. Remember that we are always looking for new activities that would be enjoyed by everyone. Share your ideas.

As you may have noticed Holiday RV Village has a different name. We are now Holiday RV, A Cove Park & Marina. The new name will be transitioned over the coming months. No matter what the name is, Holiday is still a wonderful place to come stay or call home.

Remember we are still in hurricane season, please keep things picked up and be prepared in case you need to leave your home. Watch out for your neighbors. There are times that we all could use a kind word, help with a chore and support when we are struggling. Helping others not only makes a difference in their life but provides you with a sense of worth and fulfillment in return. Thank you for caring for others.

Shuffleboard canopies are being installed as this goes to press. Leisure Center flooring is also in the works. The building will be closed so the installers can work uninterrupted. Please allow them to do their job. There are just a few minor items at the Outdoor Pool for that project to receive the final CO instead of the temporary CO.

The resident car stickers will be distributed during the second half of the month. These stickers are just for residents. Please put them on your car immediately. As you are returning, stop in the office to check in. Please be prepared to update your information upon check in. If you have not provided a copy of your title, be prepared to do so now. Let the mail room know that you have returned so they may open your box.

Thank you for making HOLIDAY RV your home.



MAINTENANCE DEPARTMENT

Dave DeNell

Hours of operation:

Monday thru Friday 7:00am-3:15pm

Reminder to save energy. If you are the last person to leave a building, please turn out the lights.



MAIL ROOM

Julia Guest

Monday-Friday 9am-1pm

Saturday 9am-Noon

All mail and packages should include correct site number

Please pick up mail and packages on a daily basis. Space is limited in the Mail Room.

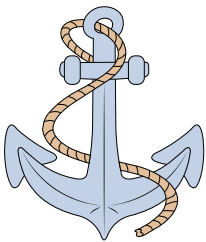


The Poolside Cafe

Monday-Friday 9am-2pm

Saturday-Sunday-Closed

*Payment: cash or credit card is accepted at time of purchase.



MARINA

Closed for the summer

Contact the Office to schedule Marina gas fills.

Please plan ahead.



NEW HOME SALES

There are new homes for Sale throughout Holiday RV.

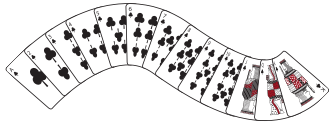
Starting at \$79,000. Save over \$40,000.00.

Call Jackie for more information 352-782-9897

Now listing preowned homes for sale.



Pinochle



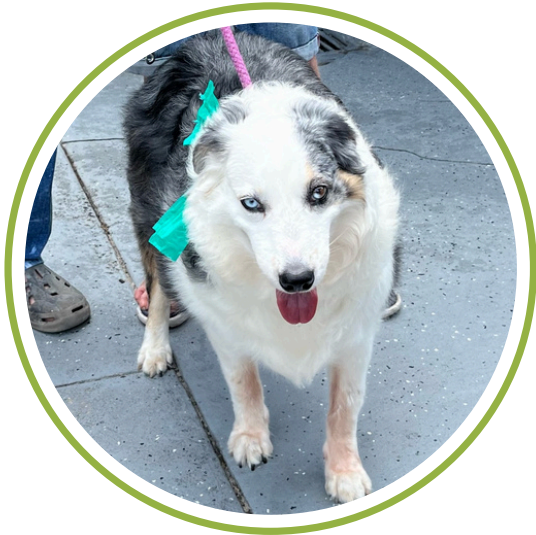
by Sandy Zaffer

Pinochle update: On July 18th, Irene Hart and Rose Wunderlich had the high game of 133 and Irene also had the high series with 556. On July 25th, Sandy Zaffer had the high game of 138 and the high series with a 587. On August 1st, Margaret Zimmerman had the high score of 111 and the high series of 448. On August 8th, Carol Slawnikowski had the high game of 97 and Sheila Ceder had the high series of 275. On August 15th, Rose Wunderlich and Margaret Zimmerman had the high game of 118 with Rose taking the high series with a 481.

Pinochle is played at 7:00 p.m. on Thursdays at the Leisure Center. The cost is \$1.25, with all monies collected paid out each night. Come and join us – we always have a good time and would love to have you join us.



Dog of the Month



Meet Libby

Libby is a 9 year old Australian Shepherd. She was born on 7/4/2015 and originally named Liberty. She had four litter of puppies as she lived with a breeder. Once she was retired, she was up for adoption. The grandson of Jerry and Marsha Thames knew the breeder and said he had just the right home for her.

Jerry and Marsha adopted her 2 years and 3 months ago and preferred the name Libby.

Libby is very friendly, never barks or growls and loves to be rubbed and petted. She loves cart rides, loves to eat and loves treats. Libby has no interest in toys at all, is afraid of cats and won't chase anything. She also doesn't like thunderstorms. Despite all her hair she stays cool or warm, due to the 2 coats of hair she has.

Libby loves her Mom. She follows her everywhere. Mom says she has to watch where she walks. Libby sleeps beside her every night on the floor.

Mom and Dad say Libby is the perfect dog!!

Clown Club



Our clothing drive for the 85 homeless families at Leesburg Elementary School was completed and we would like to express our sincere thanks to our HRVV community for your overwhelming support! Through your great generosity we collected 210 clothing items, \$50, and 1,280 school supply items. How awesome is that?!

Lil Flower

Red Hats



New chapter alert! The Red Hat Crimson Dolls is Holiday RV's newest Red Hat Chapter. Have you wondered about the Red Hat Society or wanted to join in on the fun but was unable to because they were full? Now is your chance! Join us for a Red Hat Information Meeting in the Activity Center September 17th at 3:30pm.





Dream Vacations

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Website: www.LibertyandTravelForAll.com

Email: jl Liberty@dreamvacations.com



February 21, 2025 Cruise (Group space)

Royal Caribbean Adventure of the Seas - 8 night Eastern Caribbean

Round trip Port Canaveral, Orlando, FL

Feb 21 Set sail at 4:00 pm

Feb 22 At Sea

Feb 23 Labadee, Haiti (most likely will change)

Feb 24 San Juan, Puerto Rico

Feb 25 St. Croix, U.S. Virgin Islands

Feb 26 Philipsburg, St. Maarten

Feb 27 At Sea

Feb 28 At Sea



Deposit of \$250 per person is due at the time of booking. Please contact me as soon as possible to secure your space. Final payment is due by November 13, 2024. All pricing is based on double occupancy. If you need single or triple/quad occupancy, let me know.

Inside cabin pricing from \$892.14 per person including taxes and port charges.

Oceanview cabin pricing from \$1,178.14 per person

Balcony cabin pricing from \$1,938.14

The above category pricing is guaranteed. Should the current rate be less than the group rate, the lower rate will be used. If a different category is booked, it will be at the current rate. If I need to add cabins at a later date, the pricing will be at the current rate. There are still a couple of balconies and oceanviews left at the group rate.

If you have an itinerary that you want to see, please let me know. If you want to make an individual booking for a different sail date and/or ship for 2024 or 2025, please let me know as soon as possible.

We are booking cruises, land vacations, and guided tours for 2024 and 2025, and some itineraries have also opened up for 2026. Whether you would like to make an individual booking or travel as a group, we can arrange that for you.

We will be back in the park mid-October. Please contact me at the above number(s) anytime. I hope everyone is having a super fantastic summer.

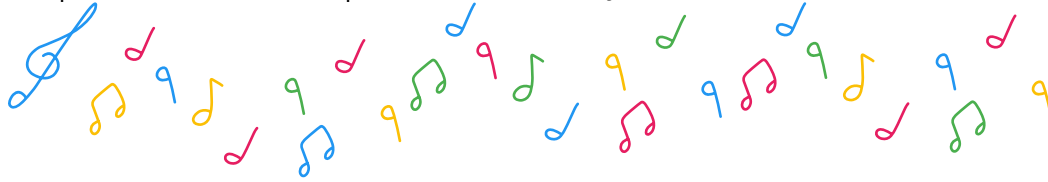
Give us a call, text, or email if you have any questions and would like to plan your next trip.





Musical Bingo

Join us for a fun night of Musical Bingo! We will have about 5-10 Bingo Sheets, meaning more than one person will have the same sheet. Songs will be played from a Spotify playlist, songs from the 50's, 60's, 70's and 80's. Once you have the song make sure to mark it, when you get Bingo, be the FIRST person to hop up and shout out to secure your winning. The game will take place Thursday September 12th at 3pm in the Activity Center. Free tickets are available in the Lifestyle Office.



Yappy Hour



Join us Monday September 16th for our monthly Yappy Hour. Meet us at the Gazebo at 11am with your furry friends to get a bag of treats and socialize your pups!

Medicare Q&A- Get Ready for Annual Enrollment!



Are you satisfied with your Medicare plan? Do you understand your plan and everything that comes with it? Deborah from VIP Care and Patricia from Life & Med will be in the Activity Center at 1pm Thursday September 19th to go over and answer any questions you have about Medicare so that you are prepared for the annual enrolment coming up in October. Sign-up to attend this free event in the Lifestyle Office.

Let's Go WILD Dance with A Taste of Love Band



Join us for a wild night with a Taste of Love Band. This is an animal print themed dance, dress in your wildest animal print also known as Jungle Chic. The dance will be at 7pm Friday September 20th, in the Activity Center. This is going to be a wildly fun night, one you won't want to miss. Tickets are available in the Lifestyle Office for \$10 each.

End of Summer Block Party & Potluck



Let's end summer with a Block Party! Food, Music and Games! We have partnered with the Monday Potluck ambassador and the Jam Session crew to end our summer with a celebration of our community. Come down to the Marina Monday September 23rd at 5pm to join the Block Party. It is a potluck, bring something to share, a plate, utensils and drinks.

Last of Summer Mini-Golf Competition & Ice Cream at the Cafe

Join us for a Mini-Golf Competition! We will be playing for fun with small prizes. Once you're done playing, head over to the Poolside Cafe for an ice cream provided by the Lifestyle Office while you wait for the others to finish their rounds. We will be playing Wednesday September 25th at 10am. No sign-ups necessary, just come and have fun!





OPEN TO EVERYONE

GET YOUR GLOW ON!

GLOW IN THE DARK BOCCE BALL

SATURDAY SEPT 7TH
SATURDAY SEPT 21ST
9PM BOCCE BALL COURTS

ALL SKILL LEVELS WELCOME, EVEN IF YOU'VE NEVER PLAYED BEFORE!

MUSICAL Bingo

THURSDAY, SEPT 12

Playing songs from the
50's, 60's, 70's & 80's!

Join us!

3pm

In the Activity Center

Free tickets in the Lifestyle Office

Join us for

Yappy Hour

Stop on by with your furry friend to get treats and socialize your pups!

September 16 At the Gazebo 11:00 AM

LADIES! YOU ARE INVITED TO OUR

NEW RED HAT CHAPTER

CRIMSON DOLLS

INFORMATION MEETING

17 SEPTEMBER

3:30PM LOCATED IN THE ACTIVITY CENTER

JOIN IN ON FUN, FOOD, FELLOWSHIP AND WEARING RED AND PURPLE!

understand your plan and everything that comes with it?

MEDICARE Q&A

Get Ready for Annual Enrollment!

19 SEPTEMBER START AT 1 PM

We care about you! A little about us: Life and Med owner Patricia Saint Louis is Lake County's Medicare & Marketplace Health Insurance expert. A registered nurse, who has worked in the medical field for over fifteen years, she now takes her passion and love for helping people into the insurance space.

Community Liaison, Deborah Smith with the Better Health Group/VipCare, is your #1 Resource for Primary Care. She partners with Medicare experts, to assist you with provider changes, clinic tours and first appointment scheduling. She is a Holistic Nutritionist and Wellness Coach, with over 15 years in the medical field, her passion is to guide you to the road toward better health.

vipcare

RSVP IN THE LIFESTYLE OFFICE

Activity Center

Come with Questions!

Let's Go WILD

Join us for a wild night

Friday | September 20, 2024 | 7pm

WITH A TASTE OF LOVE BAND

Located in the Activity Center

\$10 Tickets Available in the Lifestyle Office

DRESS CODE: JUNGLE CHIC

5:00pm at the Marina

FREE EVENT

END OF SUMMER BLOCK PARTY

BYOB

FOOD • MUSIC • GAMES

SEPTEMBER 23, 2024

It's a potluck, bring something to share!

No sign-ups, just come!

LAST OF SUMMER

MINI GOLF & ICE CREAM

AT THE CAFE

WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER

Meet us at the Mini-Golf Course

New Club Alert!

The Golden Mouskateers

Calling all Disney lovers! We will meet weekly to discuss what we love - Disney! If the group grows enough we will also plan events together such as Disney item swaps, trips to Disney and more!

Weekly on Fridays 2pm

In the Sports Center

*Starting Sept 6th!



From the Lifestyle Office

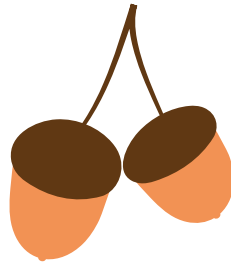
Reminders

JESSICA SMITH

It's time to say goodbye to summer along with our 100 Days of Summer Program for 2024. We had many fun events and activities throughout the summer. Thank you to everyone for helping and participating. Postponed events will be scheduled in the upcoming months. I tried to keep September low-key so we can all re-coup before our northern friends return. The season is packed with all kinds of events and activities, I am so excited to spend another fall season with you.

Color Wars has been rescheduled to October 19th. Color Wars was a very popular event last year where people are split into teams, each of a different color. You bring snacks and decorate a table with your color and then complete a series of games to compete against the other colors. A sign-up will be in the Ken Jones building soon for both helpers and players.

It's still hot out and it's still hurricane season. Stay hydrated and ready!



Articles for the October 2024 newsletter are due in the Lifestyles email inbox no later than 5pm, September 17, 2024. Articles must be submitted via email to holidayrvactivities@covecommunities.com

Goodbye Summer

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| Air Conditioner | Relaxation | Sandcastle | Ice Cream |
| Sunscreen | Humidity | Popsicle | Swimming |
| Flowers | Frisbee | Sandals | Tanning |
| Hiking | Picnic | Shorts | Travel |
| Beach | Birds | Grass | Camp |



September 2024



Monday

- 8:00am- Pickleball
- 9:00pm-Open Tennis
- 1:00pm-Super Samba- Cards (L)
- 1:00pm-Bunco (L)
- 5:00pm- Potluck (M)
- 6:00pm- Open Billiards
- 6:30pm-Shanghai Rummy (M)
- 7:00pm- Bridge (L)

Tuesday

- 8:00am-Pickleball
- 9:00pm-Open Tennis
- 2:00pm- Ladie's Craft & Bible Study (M)
- 2:00pm-Indoor Cornhole (A)
- 6:00pm-Open Billiards
- 6:00pm- Outdoor Cornhole
- 6:30pm- Volleyball
- 7:00pm- Euchre (L)



Wednesday

- 8:00am-Pickleball
- 9:00am-Open Tennis
- 10:00am- Mini Golf
- 1:00pm-Prog. Hand & Foot (M)
- 6:00pm- Open Billiards
- 7:00pm-Bingo (A)

First day of Fall:
Sunday, September
22nd



Thursday

- 8:00am-Pickleball
- 9:00pm-Open Tennis
- 1:00pm-Bridge (L)
- 6:00pm-Super Samba- cards (L)
- 6:00pm- Open Billiards
- 6:00pm- Outdoor Cornhole
- 7:00pm- Pony Canasta (KJ)
- 7:00pm-Pinochle (L)
- 7:00pm- Hand & Foot (KJ)

hello
SEPTEMBER

Sunday

- 8:30am-Morning Worship (A)
- 9:00pm-Open Tennis
- 2:00pm-Marbles & Sequence (L)
- 6:00pm-Super Samba (L)
- 6:00pm-Open Billiards
- 6:30pm-Cards-Kay (S)

Friday

- 8:00am-Pickleball
- 9:00pm-Open Tennis
- 9:00am- Quilt Club (M)
- 1:00pm- Choir Practice (A)
- 2:00pm- The Golden Mouskateers (S)
- 6:00pm- Open Billiards
- 6:00pm-Prog. Hand & Foot (KJ)
- 6:00pm- Cards (S)
- 7-9pm Euchre(L)

Saturday

- 8:00am- Pickleball
- 9:00pm-Open Tennis
- 1:00pm-Tennis
- 6:00pm-Super Samba (M)
- 6:00pm-Open Billiards



M- Marina
L- Leisure Center
IP- Indoor Pool
MO-Main Office

A-Activity Center
S- Sports Center
KJ- Ken Jones Center

Holiday RV

A COVE PARK & MARINA

September Special Activities Calendar

SUN

MON

TUE

WED

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FRI

SAT

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HAPPY LABOR DAY

THE OFFICE IS CLOSED FOR THE HOLIDAY

4:00pm-7:00pm-

Grandpa's Cooking (L)

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9:00am- Holiday
Lightening Game

10:00am-1:00pm- Taste
Buds Produce (L)

10



11



3:15pm- Polynesian Fire
Lau Dinner Show with
Senior Adventures (FBD)
4:00pm-7:00pm- Steak
Shack Bistro (L)

12



3:00pm- Musical Bingo (A)

13

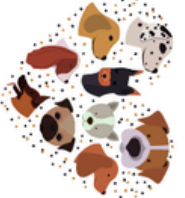
**Calling ALL
Ambassadors! Karaoke,
Church, Crafts, Sports!**

11:00am- Ambassador
Meeting (A)

14

8:45am- Tampa Bay
Woman's Expo with
Senior Adventures (FBD)

15



11:00am- Yappy Hour

16



3:30pm- New Red Hat
Chapter Information
Meeting (A)
4:00pm-7:00pm-
Rockabilly Pizza (GPL)

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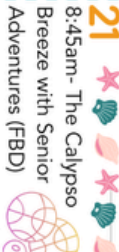
1:00pm- Medicare Q&A-
Get Ready for Annual
Enrollment! (A)
7:00pm- LRC (A)

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7:00pm- Let's Go WILD
Dance with A Taste of
Love Band (A)

21



8:45am- The Calypso
Breeze with Senior
Adventures (FBD)
4:00pm-7:00pm- Grandpa's
Cooking (L)
9:00pm- Glow in the Dark
Bocce Ball

22



Forest day of Fall

23



5:00pm- End of Summer
Block Party & Potluck (M)

24



10:00am-1:00pm- Taste
Buds Produce (L)

25



10:00am- Last of Summer
Mini-Golf Competition &
Ice Cream at the Cafe

26

7:45am- The Second to
Last Chance Ladies
League with Senior
Adventures (FBD)
9:00am- Holiday
Lightening Game

27



4:00pm-7:00pm- Taste of
Louisiana Food Truck (L)

28

10:00am- Chicago with
Senior Adventures (FBD)

M- Marina
L- Leisure Center

A-Activity Center
S- Sports Center

MO- Main Office
IP- Indoor Pool

KJ- Ken Jones Center

AP- Activity Center Parking Lot
FBS- Field by Softball

FBD- Field by Dog Park
GPL- Gate Parking Lot



Upcoming Event Highlights

September 6th- DJ David Serio- Themed Dance

September 17- New Red Hat Group 1st Meeting

September 20th- Taste of Love Band- Let's Go WILD

October 4th- Glow in the Dark Dance with DJ Casey Heathman

October 25th- Halloween Dance with Automatic Duo

October 31st- Boo the Night Away- A Resident DJ Dance

November 8th- Mark Houghton- Veteran's Day Dance

November 24th- DJ David- Theme to be announced

December 6th- A Ticket to Ride Beatles Show

December 14th- Toys for Tots Show

December 31st- NYE Dance with the RoundABOUTS Band