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HARBOR HIGHLIGHTS

September 2024

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LGHVAA MESSAGE by Tom Zimmer

It's hard to believe summer is coming to an end and many of our friends and neighbors will be returning soon. Activity events will start to ramp up in October and stay busy for many months to come.

Please pick up your Harbor Highlights and read the articles and follow the calendar to stay up to date on events. Thanks and see you around the community.

HOA MESSAGE by Charles Ball

It will not be long before the snowbirds will be back and activities will pick up, and HOA will be having more educational opportunities for the community. On November 7th at 2:00 pm we will have a speaker from the Global Alzheimer's Platform Foundation come and give a talk. This should be very interesting, and I hope we can have a good turnout for this event. I will have a sign-up sheet in the clubhouse to get an idea how many we will have at this event.

Soon the weather will start cooling down, so let's turn our attention to our properties. Well maintained lawns and weeded gardens are essential to presenting an inviting community to any prospective buyers. Let's all do our part to keep LGHV a beautiful place to live.

By now you have made it through the Primary Election.and may have decided that you are not registered with the right party or maybe you are new to Florida. Now is the time to make sure you are set for the November Presidential Election.

If you have any issues, you can visit the Supervisor of Elections on 441 across from Advent Hospital in Tavares.. You can call the election office at 352-343-9734 or go to <u>lakevotes.gov</u>. If you need any help, don't hesitate to reach out to either Lucy West or Nan Rosenthal.



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MANAGER MESSAGE

It is hard to believe we are already in September. Where has the year gone! Continue to stay prepared because September is still an active month for hurricanes and storms. So, do not let your guard down. School is back in session, so be mindful of the little ones when you are out and about in the morning and afternoon.

Labor Day is usually considered the unofficial end of summer, so remember all the contributions and achievements of the great American workers as you celebrate with friends and family at cookouts or barbecues. Keep a lookout for activities here in the community as well as in the local area. A lot of places will host festivals this time of year.

Look at the area around your homes to ensure the gutters are clean, trees are trimmed, yards are watered, and homes are pressure washed. We hope everyone has a safe and fun September and maybe we will start to see a change in temperatures for the better.

Some Helpful Tips to Remember:

1. If you are going to have someone living in your home, they must fill out an application at the clubhouse.

2. We are currently working on improving the bocce ball courts and cleaning out the ditch line by the nature preserve. Adding lights to some of the side streets will be coming later this year.

3. We are still in the planning and permitting phase of the docks. This is a lengthy process because we must go through so many governmental agencies.

4. We did get a new roof for the clubhouse.

5. Make sure you have your pets on leashes when you are out in the community.

"Opportunity is missed by most people because it is dressed in overalls and looks like work." Thomas Edison



Sunshine Report



For get well cards, sympathy cards, or donations to charity contact:

Nan Rosenthal - Lot 84 7110 Harbor View Dr 856-261-1562 roseynan@aol.com

GET WELL CARDS

Dolores McGinnity Duane Warner Vickie Gooch Leslie Leraan Diane Johnson **Benny Scogna Glenn Woodington Ron Whitcomb** Tina Harshbarger **Dave Alexander** Teri Bogle **Rich Saxby** Dena Kemp **Nancy Hughes** Lynda Clark Jackie Wittenmyer Lori Lyons Lee Waybright





Saturday September 14th at

11:00 am

Bring a Breakfast or Lunch Dish for everyone to share. There will be a sign-up sheet posted in the clubhouse on Tuesday September 5th.

See you there

Fall Fun Shuffleboard

Just a reminder that the fun starts <u>October 21st at 10:00 am</u> and <u>October 22nd at 1:00 pm</u>

Please sign up for the date and time you would like to play at the clubhouse

We will have sign-up sheets on the counter in the clubhouse starting the 1st of October. These sessions will be for 4 weeks.

These are just for fun games; and if you've never played, come and watch or join in. All new residents are welcome.

Questions, please call Mike Alred 715-222-9024

BEREAVEMENT

Mike McGinnity - donation in memory of mother Dolores to Cornerstone Hospice Foundation

Cindy Clark - donation in memory of husband Darwyn to Wounded Warrior Project

Pauline Fauteux – donation in memory of husband Rene to Leesburg Food Bank

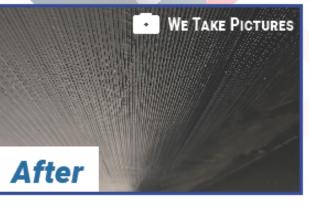
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WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

Home Owners Assn. Charles Ball, Pres. 352-406-4443

Activities Association Membership Card Joyce Fancsalszki Lot 313 7343 Harbor View Dr 847-204-5985

Meet & Greet Committee Beth & Tim Sullivan Lot 272 7326 Harbor View Dr 614-395-9962

Meet Greet Gathering by Beth & Tim Sullivan

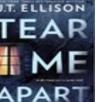
Our HOA here at LGHV will now be welcoming new residents to our community, but Tim & Beth will be hosting the quarterly "Meet & Greet" gatherings. Our next event won't be until November 22nd and there will be additional information in the November newsletter.

Our newest neighbors (since the June newsletter anyway!) are:

Rich & Loree Saxby, Lot #265 Richard & Linda Anderson, Lot #136 (will be here in October) Thomas & Kimberly LaFlamme, Lot #50 Sanford & Vicki Gray, Lot #72 Kim Cardone, Lot #282 Bobby & Lori Lyons, Lot #298 Kevin Bailey, Lot #60 (moving from Lot #43) Gary Brown, Lot #319 Jerry & Nancy Dillon, Lot #13 (moving from Lot #8) David & Marie Dodson, Lot #8 Bobby & Tamara Irvin, Lot #241 (will be here in October) Paul & Jan Chaney, Lot #294

Welcome to you all! You're just going to love life here at LGHV!!

LGHV BOOK CLUB by Donna Kittleman



Our **September** book club meeting will be at 2:00 pm on Monday, September 16th. The book for our September meeting will be <u>Tear Me Apart</u> by J. T. Ellison.

Be thinking about good books we can pick for future meetings.

THINNER WINNERS by Joyce Woodington



After much consideration, I have decided to discontinue Thinner Winners.

In the past several months, there have been few people attending. I want to thank all of you who participated and supported me in this endeavor.

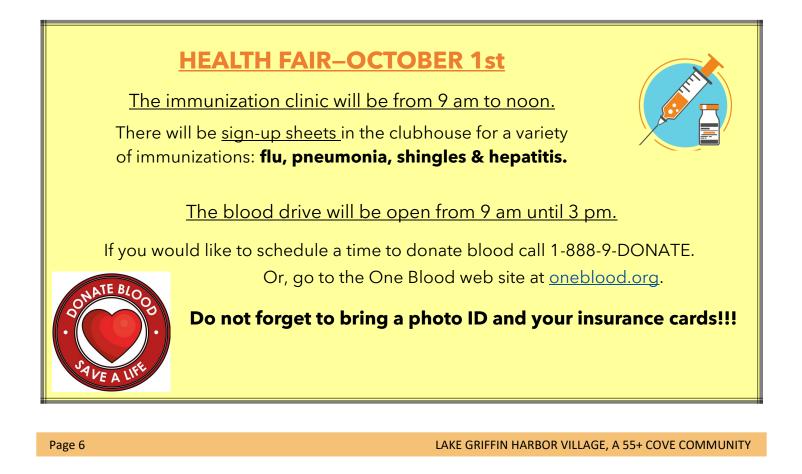
BOWLING LEAGUE by Peggy Ball

It's time for some Fall activities to get started and bowling is one of them. For any new residents our bowling league is comprised of two 12 - week seasons. You can choose to bowl in either or both seasons.



Our Fall organizational meeting is scheduled for September 20th at 2:00pm in the clubhouse. Bowling will start October 4th and end on December 20th. If you are interested in joining us but need a team, let Chuck or Peg Ball know or just come to the meeting. Haven't bowled in a while? We are still doing Fun Bowling on Fridays at 2:00pm at Lakeside Lanes in Tavares until September 13th. Come join us for a FUN afternoon.

Questions? Call or text Chuck or Peg Ball at 352-406-4443 or 607-590-7777.



CERAMICS

All right folks, summer is coming to an end so let's get back into the swing of things! Come on down and join us on Monday afternoon at 3:00 pm for ceramics. If it's been a while since you've tried it, come see all the changes that have happened. We have plenty of paint and brushes for your use.

Come for a fun afternoon. Questions: call Lucy at 443-528-6578





October 26th beginning at 8 AM is our LGHV CRAFT FESTIVAL/VENDOR SHOW/ YARD SALES. We'll set up on Friday evening at 5 PM in the clubhouse for the CRAFT FESTIVAL & VENDOR SHOW. There aren't any restrictions for the wares to be sold. Crafts, homemade items, baked goods, company, manufactured items are all encouraged. Please let me know as soon as you decide to be part of our CRAFT FESTIVAL/VENDOR SHOW/YARD SALES.

There is a \$10 Activities Association fee for clubhouse space. Please include your name, if you need an electrical outlet and if you have your own table on the envelope. You can drop it in my red mailbox.

I'd be happy to answer any questions you have. This will be fun!

Debby 352-617-4671 Lot #226, 33237 Seashell



MEAL BRIGADE

Is actually something new, but not really, because it's been around for a while.

But now it has a name - "MEAL BRIGADE".

No one knows when for health reasons meal preparation isn't possible. We've all been there one time or another. Now at LGHV we have an organized "MEAL BRIGADE". Should you or your family member need a daily meal prepared and delivered, please reach out to me. LGHV isn't short of people who readily step up to help one another out.

The Brigade, without hesitation, has stepped up a few times in the past weeks to help out. Please don't hesitate to ask for help.

Debby Anderson 352-617-4671 dka09181959@gmail.com



HUMP DAY CAMEL RACES - SEPTEMBER 25th

Camel Races will be held on Wednesday, September 25th, 3-5 pm at the clubhouse. Six (6) races, \$2 per race, payout for each of the first five (5) races is \$30. The sixth race will be a trifecta with payout based on the number of players.

Feel free to bring snacks and beverages. Lots of fun as you cheer your "camel" on to the finish line!

Bring your dollar bills and your enthusiasm and join the fun.

Races start at 3:00 pm and last about two hours.

BYOB and Snacks!!



MAH JONGG By Joyce Fancsalszki

American Mah Jongg is played on Wednesdays from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm in the cardroom. This is played according to the American Rules of Mah Jongg and uses an official card. Please come join us as we continue to play throughout the summer.



If you are interested in learning Mah Jongg, contact:

Joyce Fancsalszki, Lot #313 or Kathy Palmer, Lot #14.



WOMEN'S BILLIARDS by Joyce Fancsalszki

Ladies, come join us on Thursday mornings at 9:30 am for a fun time playing billiards. If you've never played before or haven't played in a long time, now is the time to give it a try. All skill levels are welcome. Come on down and join the fun!

If you have any questions, please contact me at Lot #313, 7343 Harbor View Drive or call 847-204-5985.



MEN'S BILLIARDS by Dave Mills



Men's billiards practice every Monday, Wednesday and Friday evening from 6:00 pm until 8:00 pm in the pool room. Don't have a pool stick? Don't worry there are plenty to go around.

Asian Mah Jongg is played on Thursdays & Sundays from 2:00 to 4:00 pm in the cardroom.

SEPTEMBER EVENT CALENDAR								
DAY	TIME	EVENT		DAY	TIME	EVENT		
MONDAY				FRIDAY				
				Sept 6th 7:00 PM		KARAOKE		
Sept 16 th	2:00 PM	BOOK CLUB						
				Sept 20 th	2:00 PM	Fall Bowling Mtg		
				Sept 20th	7:00 PM	KARAOKE		
TUESDAY				SATURDAY				
				Sept 7 th	5:00 PM	Appetizer & Dessert		
						PotLuck		
				Sept 14 th	11:00 AM	Breakfast Brunch		
WEDNESDAY				SUNDAY				
Sept 25 th	3:00 pm	CAMEL RACES						
566725	5.00 pm							
THURSDAY								
Sept 19 th	5:30 pm	CRAFT CLASS -						
• •	•	Mosaic Mushrooms						

RULES AND REGULATIONS

Please refresh yourselves with the park's rules/regulations. If you have any questions, or need a copy, feel free to stop in or email a request to the office: lakegriffinharborvillage@covecommunities.com



WEEKLY ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

MONTHLY EVENTS ARE LISTED ON A SEPARATE CALENDAR



MONDAY			THURSDAY – CONT'D			
	9:00am	EXERCISE		1:00pm	CROCHETING/KNITTING	
	10:00am	WATER AEROBICS		1:30pm	ASIAN MAH JONGG	
	3:00pm	CERAMICS	4:15 set up	4:30pm	WATER VOLLEYBALL	
	6:00pm	TEXAS HOLD'EM		6:00pm	TEXAS HOLD'EM	
	6:00pm	HAND & FOOT				
	6:00pm	BILLIARDS — MEN				
TUESDAY			FRIDAY			
2 ND & 4 TH Day	12:30pm	FAST TRACK		9:00am	EXERCISE	
	6:30pm	BINGO		10:00am	WATER AEROBICS	
				6:00pm	BILLIARDS — MEN	
WEDNESDAY			SATURDAY			
	9:00am	EXERCISE		8:30am	COFFEE & DONUTS	
	10:00am	WATER AEROBICS		9:15am	BOCCE BALL/ CORNHOLE	
	10:30pm	FABRIC FANATICS		6:30pm	BUNCO	
	1:00pm	AMERICAN MAH JONGG	SUNDAY			
	6:30pm	CANASTA	1:15 set up	1:30pm	WATER VOLLEYBALL	
	7:00pm	DARTS		1:30pm	ASIAN MAH JONGG	
	6:00pm	BILLIARDS — MEN	1 st & 3 rd Day	4:00pm	EUCHRE	
THURSDAY				6:00pm	POKER	
	9:30am	BILLARDS WOMEN				
	10:30am	LINE DANCING				
	(Thurs cont'd next column)					



APPETIZER AND DESSERT POT LUCK SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7th @ 5:00 pm.

Everyone is invited to join in for a fun evening of good food and great fellowship. Bring your favorite dish to pass.

PLEASE SIGN UP AT THE CLUBHOUSE AND TELL US WHAT YOU ARE BRINGING.



July Yard Of The Month

Congratulations To Carol & Cindy Lot 225





AUGUST YARD OF THE MONTH

Congratulations To David & Nicki Lot 6

FAST TRACK by Beth Sullivan

Looking for ladies or men to play Fast Track with us. We play every 2nd & 4th Tuesday, 12:30-2:30 pm.

Fast Track is a board game and is similar to Sorry/Aggravation.

Beginners welcome – we'll teach you how to play. There's always a lot of talking and laughing. Come join us!

HORSESHOES by Peggy Ball

<u>Ladies</u>

Horseshoes for just ladies will be played on Tuesday mornings at 9:00 am but will wait until October to start due to the excessive heat we are having. We would love to see you come give it a try. Remember, we all started at the beginning too and it's just for fun.

<u>Mixed</u>

Mixed horseshoes will start practice in October on Mondays at 1:00 pm. Watch LGHAA on facebook or the October newsletter for exact start date. If anyone wants to practice, there are shoes in the shed that is built into the fence. Feel free to use them anytime.



Cruise/Land Tour, July 5, 2025, 11 Nights!

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BINGO by Henry Barrett



Hello to all my Bingo players! We play every Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. We would love for you to join us!

To all our new park residents, if you are interested in playing Bingo and want to try it out, come on down and I will give you a free 15-game packet. The first one is on us! Ask for Henry and I will set you up. We want you to see how much fun it is!

Thank you for all your support of the Leesburg Food Bank with your donations of food, cash, and other items. It is greatly needed and appreciated by the community.

I would like to thank my Bingo volunteers tremendously for without them there would be no Bingo. If you are interested in volunteering, please call or text me at (619) 733-8906 or email me at mail-man1013@gmail.com or come see me at Bingo.

LINE DANCING by Joyce Woodington

Come and join us for line dancing at 10:30 am on Thursdays. It is a lot of fun and great exercise.



I will be posting on LGHAA facebook page on Wednesdays if there is a change or cancellation.

THIRD THURSDAY CRAFT CLASS

SEPTEMBER 19th at 5:30ish

I want to thank the four wonderful guest instructors who stepped up over the summer. These ladies didn't hesitate to come up with an idea and organize a class. Beth Sullivan, Hila Verdin, Alice Woerner, Tina Harshbarger - a heartfelt thank you for the summer off.



Now, for my first class back I want to try something we haven't done before (of course). I would like to make a set of <u>MOSAIC</u> <u>MUSHROOMS</u> for the yard. The design, color, details all will be up to you. The glass tiles were purchased precut in every shape and color. Glass shards with glass nippers just in case you want to cut your own. Each mushroom will be close to 5" tall, perfect size for your garden, flower bed, lanai.

This is a \$15.00 class for a set of the Mosaic Mushrooms, all materials furnished.

Back to basics, please drop off \$ in envelope with your name on it to my red mailbox at 226 Seashell. Questions just ask.



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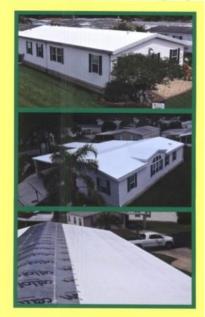
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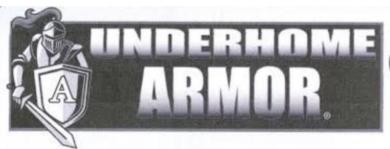








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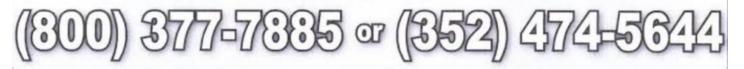
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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY		
1 Ernest & Jacqueline Wittenmyer	2 Teri Bogle	3 Gentry & Sue Dykes	4 Keith Lancaster Rachel Bogart Jerry & Nancy Dillon	5 Sandra Sanchez Jacqueline Wittenmyer	6 Garry Bromfield William Vantine David & Judy Alexander Cynthia & Carol Poirer Bligh	7 Pauline Fauteux Mark Lewis Anthony & Pamela Espey Ray & Diana Rogers		
8 Joseph Rubino Donna Petrosky Leon & Bonnie Eiermann	9 10 Yvonne Suzan Achenbach Chastain Kenneth Eeale Tammy & Ron George		11 John Cormier Suzanne Pavlock Joanne Power	12 Carol Colin Pat Dronsfield Corrine Coulter	13 James (Brad) Davidson Tammy Ambrose	14 Louise Tepley		
15 Leslie Listro	16 Loree Saxby Patrick & Linda Leahy	17	18 Debby Anderson	19 Fred Kittleman James Fischer	20 Ron Hoblit	Robert 21 Marcincin Kathleen Ray Liz Hessler David & Nicki Thibault Mark & Donna Petrosky		
22 Peggy Dennis	23 Mary Beierle Kirby Berg Donna Allen John McLaughlin Tim & Beth Sullivan	24 Loretta Kings Kathy Whitcomb	25 Stephen & Gail Hatta	26 Lori Carter Catherine Nolette George & Catherine Nolette	27 Ronald Carter	28 Jay & Eileen Gallagher		
29 Alice Wendt Don Craythorn & Nan Rosenthal	30 Michael McLaren		55°	APPY BIRTHD				