

**STRAWBERRY RIDGE VILLAGE**

**TOPPINGS**

**OCTOBER 2024**

## **C.E.R.T. Supper**

### **Fund Raiser**

**\$10.00 Ticket**  
(no tickets sold at the door)

Oct. 5th @ Clubhouse

**Serving starts @ 5:00 pm**

#### **Greek Salad (you pick your toppings)**

Garlic Toast

Drink

Dessert



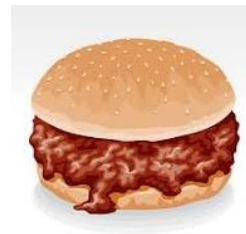
**OR**

#### **Large Sloppy Joe**

Chips

Drink

Dessert



**50/50 too!**

**Mary 813.654.7955**

**Rose 813.918.0126**

**StrawBerry Ridge Village 3402 Activities Lane, Valrico FL 33594**

**(813) 689-9423**

**www.strawberryridgefla.com**



**STRAWBERRY RIDGE VILLAGE  
RESOURCE FAIR  
Saturday, October 12<sup>th</sup>  
10:00 am – 1:00 pm**



**Healthcare agencies along with housing contractors and financial advisors will be available to answer many of your questions**

**At the Clubhouse**

**More information will be made available in the coming days**

**\*\*sponsored by the HOA\*\***

**CERAMIC SALE OCT 12th**

Hey folks, its Ceramic Sale month!! We've been working so hard this year with some surprises in store. A large variety of great gifts for friends and family. Tell your friends, family and neighbors! Start your Christmas shopping early!

**Mark your calendar for Oct 12th 10-2.** We will have a raffle this year. Come support us and buy some tickets! This raffle is for our kiln fund. One of our kilns is 45 yrs old, the other 28 yrs old. They have both been rebuilt last October and were told they couldn't be rebuilt again. We could never afford to buy even one new kiln let alone two! Kilns cost around \$7500 each. Management will not budge on paying for repairs let alone a new kiln. Come help make our sale the best ever!! Support one of your amenities!! We'd really appreciate it!! Cash, checks and Credit Cards are accepted. See you there!

Penny



*Mark the Date*



**SBR VILLAGE COMMUNITY YARD SALE**

**SATURDAY NOVEMBER 9TH**

**8 am - 2 pm**

**Household Goods, Furniture, Bikes, Tools, Clothing, Linens, Plants  
and so much more**

**SRV Woodshop  
Pancake Breakfast  
October 19th  
8-11:30am**

**Purchase tickets at the SRV Office by**

**October 11th**

**\$9.00**



**2 Pancakes , Sausage, Scrambled Eggs,  
Coffee and Orange Juice, Fruit Cocktail**

**50/50 Raffle at 10:30**

**1 ticket \$1.00**

**6 Tickets for \$5.00**

**Gift Basket (Ladies Aux.)  
Address Sign (WoodShop)**

# Halloween Dance

**“Nightmare Before Christmas”**



**Friday, October 25<sup>th</sup>**

**Featuring the Fifth Gear Band**

**7-10 pm at the Clubhouse**

**Members: \$11.00**

**Mixers provided**



**BROWNIE & ICE CREAM SOCIAL**

**October 26th**

**2PM— 4PM in the Activity Center**

**\$3.00**

**Sponsored by the SBR Village Singers**

## News from Strawberry Ridge Village Office



Matthew Clark  
Community Manager

Dear Residents,

Welcome back to some of you and hopefully by the time this is being read, the mild weather has returned so we can enjoy our "summer". At least maybe the rainy season has ended. This is a great time to get all the yards in the community up to standard. If you need some assistance, reach out to your neighbors or the office for a recommendation with someone who can help.

If anyone would like to receive updates on the happenings from the office, I began to provide a weekly email. If you did not receive the email, please contact the office to update your information. I hope that this additional communication will help all of us understand the challenges and successes that my team tackles each week. Please tell your neighbors and friends that this communication is available if they would like.

It has been a while; however, we will soon be bringing a NEW home into the community. You will see a brand new 3-bedroom 2 bath home being set up at 602 Choo Choo Lane. I hope it is a success because I would love to bring in more new homes into the community.

Lastly, I would like to remind all the RV'ers that ALL rigs need to enter and exit the community through the front gates on SR 60. The other gates are just not wide enough and can cause damage to our gates.

I hope you have a great month of October!

Matthew



Jennifer Singh  
Bookkeeper

Hello October!

I know we all have had a hectic month. Some things to remember: Always be respectful and considerate of others. "Love your neighbor" is an expression that refers to treating your fellow human beings with kindness and respect. While this may apply to actual neighbors, it also extends to your friends, family, colleagues and members of your community. We all need to make an effort to spread kindness by assisting our neighbors, using kind words and avoiding negativity. With that all being said, I hope you all have a wonderful month of blessings!!! I am always here to help if anyone ever needs me!

**THE EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBER HAS CHANGED ! 332-200-4671**

**This is for after 5pm.** We have office staff here on Saturday 9am - 5pm and Sunday Noon - 5pm.

Maintenance is here Sunday 9am - 3pm & we will have coverage on Saturday soon.

## Strawberry Ridge HOA News, Nuggets and Notes

The nicer weather is coming. Fall is not as dramatic as it is in the Northern States, but we are always willing to accept cooler days and nights. For those of you snowbirds who have returned, welcome back. We hope that you enjoyed your time away visiting family and friends, or just going back to your summer homes.

- HOA and Agenda meetings are back. If you have any questions or concerns that you would like to bring up come to the meetings. The Membership Meeting is the first Saturday of the month and the Agenda meeting is the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of the month.
- Wednesday Bingo was a little slow for the past month, but we hope with the snowbirds coming back the numbers will start to increase again. Thanks to all the volunteers who help us every Bingo night, we couldn't do it without you. If you haven't thought about coming to Bingo, we have a lot of fun so come and join us.
- We have not had any Lunch and Learns this month as we are preparing for the Resource Fair on October 12.
- Karaoke as always did not disappoint. It's always a great night. Thanks Mark.
- The Ice Cream Float Social was another great opportunity to cool down and meet your neighbors.
- PUB NIGHT – what can we say, a great time again. Wish we could do this every month. Thanks, Louie, for another great night of music. The food was great, dancing was fun, and it was another success.
- Trivia is such a popular monthly event. The number of teams is increasing and so is the competition. There's still one outstanding team that always comes through.
- Join the HOA. Membership is \$6 a year or \$15 for 3 years. Forms are available at the Activity Center or contact the Chair of the committee, Jodi Hamel, at 813-728-0110. If you are already a member you will be contacted to remind you of your renewal.

Our Facebook page is Strawberry Ridge HOA, you must answer a couple of questions to join. Please remember that this page is not for posting about selling items or your complaints, it is for information and event dates only. And for your fun photos of clubs and events join Picture Perfect Fun at the Ridge.

DATE	EVENT	LOCATION	TIME	DESCRIPTION
Oct 5	HOA General Membership Meeting	Clubhouse	9:00am	9.00am for coffee and donuts and the meeting starts promptly at 9.30am. Come and listen to what has been happening in the community.
Oct 9	Bingo	Clubhouse	5:30pm-9pm	Card sales from 5:30pm to 6:30pm, early bird at 6:45pm. Regular bingo starts at 7pm
Oct 12	Resource Fair	Clubhouse	10:00am-1pm	Come and meet our vendors. Doctors, insurance, medical, finance, home repairs, village services and many more.
Oct 18	Trivia	Activity Center	7pm-9pm	Monthly fun competition that keeps your brain active.
Oct 21	HOA Agenda Meeting	Activity Center	6:30pm	Join the HOA board as we prepare for the October membership meeting
Oct 23	Bingo	Clubhouse	5:30pm-9pm	Card sales from 5:30pm to 6:30pm, early bird at 6:45pm. Regular bingo starts at 7pm
Oct 25	Halloween Dance	Clubhouse	7:00pm-10pm	This year's theme is the Nightmare Before Christmas. Music is provided by the 5 <sup>th</sup> Gear Band. Mixers provided. Tickets are \$11 for members. Ticket sale dates will be posted on Facebook. <b><u>NOTE THIS IS ON A FRIDAY THIS YEAR</u></b>
Oct 26	Karaoke	Activity Center	6:30pm-9pm	FREE – Karaoke come and sing along. <b><u>NOTE DAY CHANGE TO SATURDAY JUST FOR THIS MONTH</u></b>

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If you want us to post something please email me, Liz Fields, President. [pressrhoaf@gmail.com](mailto:pressrhoaf@gmail.com).

Matthew and Park Maintenance continue to work on everyday issues and repairs. Thank you to them all for their continued hard work. If you have any issues, remember that there is a member of the Board handling this. Your board member contact for such issues is:

**Mazie McMahon** who can be reached by email at [mam.dirsrhoaf@gmail.com](mailto:mam.dirsrhoaf@gmail.com) or by phone at 813-373-0319.

Until next month - Your HOA Board Members

### **BENEVOLENT FUND**

Jeannie O'Dell, (205) 688-6525, Lisa Beckmeyer, (813) 610-9696 or Willie Clark (931) 212-5940.

The Strawberry Ridge Benevolent Fund Inc. (Fund) has been in operation for a number of years and was recently incorporated as a 501(c)(3) organization to provide food and household supplies in Strawberry Ridge Village. There are families in our community who struggle to pay for the necessary expenses of food, transportation, medical costs, and utilities. The Fund provides monthly food bank distributions as well as arranging for limited household maintenance, such as pressure washing and gutter cleaning. The Fund is operated by the monetary and food donations of the residents and welcomes any donations (monetary donations are tax deductible). If you know of anyone or are yourself in need of food, please contact one of the individuals listed above.

### **RESIDENT DIRECTORY**

Linda Young 603-719-8203 [svresidentdirectory@gmail.com](mailto:svresidentdirectory@gmail.com)

It is time to check that all of your information is correct in the Resident Directory. If the information is incorrect or you are NOT in the directory, please let me know.

## HOA EVENTS COMMITTEE SURVEY

Your thoughts are important to us. After completion, please tear this page out of the Toppings and deposit it in the designated boxes located in the Activity Center and Clubhouse through the month of October.

Where do you enjoy having activities?

Clubhouse     Activity Center     Both

Do you prefer activities that provide live music?

Yes     No

Do you enjoy dances?

Yes     No

How many dances have you attended in the last year?

1 or 2     3 or 4     All of them

Rate your (3) favorite dances with 1 as your favorite.

New Year's Eve Dance     Valentine's Dance  
 St Patrick's Day Dance     Cinco de Mayo Dance  
 Freedom Celebration Dance     No Holiday Dance  
 Halloween Dance

Who is your favorite band?

Fifth Gear     FOGG Band  
 Jesse Derringer     they have all been good     I don't have a favorite  
 my suggestion for a band is \_\_\_\_\_

I would equally like a good DJ in lieu of a band.

Sure     Absolutely not

I like having a backdrop for pics at dances.

Yes     No, not necessary

I have a picture from every dance I attended in front of the backdrop.

Yes     No

I enjoy the table decorations at the dances.

Yes, they definitely add to my enjoyment of the evening  
 Yes, but I like them simple, just in the table center, not taking up room for snacks & drinks  
 No, not really necessary  
 I think there should be more decorations in the room overall

I enjoy events and would also like to help with the cleanup afterwards.

Yes, sign me up Name \_\_\_\_\_ Contact info \_\_\_\_\_  
 No, sorry not interested in helping, I just like to attend

Would you prefer activities that provided more "talking" time with other residents?

Yes     No

Did you attend the Hillsborough Jazz Band performance?

Yes     No, I don't like jazz

Would you prefer to pay more for a ticket with snacks provided or lower price & bring your own snacks?

Pay more money     Bring my own

Would you like more small events like the ice cream socials?

Yes     No



Would you bring a dessert and attend a "Sunday Dessert" afternoon"

- Yes, I would bring a dessert
- Yes, I would come but NOT bring a dessert
- No, not interested in dessert
- No, too many residents deal with diabetes

Would you attend a small Wine & Cheese event?

- Yes     No, not interested in this event
- Yes, but the ticket cost would be a factor

I would attend an Easter, Thanksgiving, or Christmas dinner even if it was NOT free.

- Yes     No
- I think it should be free to all residents even though Cove will not contribute to the cost of the food this year

I think the Mother's Day and Father's Day luncheons are nice but not necessary.

- True, I would remove them from the calendar since Father's Day was poorly attended and most mothers are treated extra special on Mother's Day by someone (or could be)
  - False, they provide a service and I would be willing to cook and volunteer
- Name \_\_\_\_\_ Contact info \_\_\_\_\_

I would enjoy more food related events with a higher ticket cost.

- Yes     No

I would enjoy more "action" activities like the Reindeer Games.

- Yes, I enjoy moving & participating     No, I prefer activities where I just sit

I enjoy when there is a Bake Sale because

- I always buy something
- I like to bake and it provides an opportunity to do so
- I don't think they are a good idea because a large percentage of residents struggle with diabetes

Would you enjoy activities that provided an environment to get to know more people?

- Yes, I enjoy being forced to talk to people I don't know, so they become people I DO know
- No, I only enjoy going to activities and hanging with the people I know

I stay informed about HOA activities by reading

- Facebook reminders
- Facebook only
- the Poster at the Clubhouse
- the Poster at the Activity Center
- flyers on the bulletin board outside the Activity Center
- flyers on the bulletin board outside the Clubhouse
- the Toppings
- I never know what's going on
- I would better know what's going on if \_\_\_\_\_

I think a good event for our community would be \_\_\_\_\_

**THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR INPUT!**

*We want to have our community thrive and residents to enjoy living and sharing life with each other in Strawberry Ridge Village.*

*We greatly appreciate the time you took to read, complete and return this form.*

## LENDING CLOSET

### **Before you purchase any necessary Durable Medical Equipment:**

Check with the Strawberry Ridge Village Lending Closet, located at the Clubhouse, which provides medical equipment to our residents upon request. Call us and one of our volunteers will be happy to assist you by providing many of your needs on an available basis. This service is at no cost to our residents, is a great cost-saving measure, and the loan of the equipment has no time limit. You may keep the equipment if it is necessary.

We have wheelchairs, transfer chairs, crutches, canes, walkers, bed rails, potty chairs, and shower chairs. These items are available for all our residents to borrow. Donations of the mentioned items are also accepted. There are limits on the type of supplies we can accept. We cannot accept respiratory items, diapers, walking boots, medications, stability belts or other disposable items. All that we ask is that when returning borrowed items or donating items please ensure that all items have been cleaned and are fully operational. The volunteer staff does not have the ability to clean or repair any items. Presently, the Lending Closet is in short supply of Rollator Walkers. Any donation of or return of one no longer needed would be appreciated.

If you have any questions or need any of these items, please contact one of the people listed below. If you are donating items, please call any of the numbers so we may secure them for future use.

Sharon Hurley (518) 423-9510

Patty Jackson (276) 525-2855

Mary Kendall (508) 221-5153

Peg Thomas (727) 494-5426

## C.E.R.T.

**Mary Phillips 813-654-7955 or [maphillips1@verizon.net](mailto:maphillips1@verizon.net)**

On October 5<sup>th</sup>, C.E.R.T. will be having a fundraiser at the ClubHouse. We will be having a C.E.R.T. Supper and you will have a choice of either a Greek Salad, garlic toast, drink and dessert OR a Large Sloppy Joe, chips, drink and dessert. The cost is \$10.00 per person and can be purchased through any of the C.E.R.T. Members or from Tina in the sales office. We will also be selling 50/50 tickets. Sorry but no tickets will be sold at the door.

The hurricane season is still with us and with the recent heavy rain and thunder we have had, it could have easily turned into a hurricane. So, we will have the Hillsborough County Emergency evacuation forms available and call Rose Panella at 813-662-9862 and she will gladly provide you with one. Once you have completed it, return it to her and she will fax it to the county. If you completed one last year, you still need to complete a new one. All this information is kept confidential and last year's forms have been destroyed.

With the last power outage, we had some people who needed electricity for such as neutralizer, cardiac monitor, apnea monitor, CPAP/BP AP, ventilator, concentrator or oxygen. If you have any of these problems, we have help for you. We have contacted TECO and there is a special for you to complete. It is a **MEDICAL WATCH FORM.**

Again, contact Rose Panella and she will give you this form. Once you have completed it, it is up to you to send it in to TECO. In the event of another outage, TECO will do its best to make sure your home has electricity.

Want to learn more about C.E.R.T. or better yet join us, our next meeting will be on October 10<sup>th</sup>. at the Activity Center at 6:30. Hope to see more people join us.



### **THE YARNERS**

Audrianna Reimert 813-297-3950 theyarnersclub@gmail.com

Hello fellow yarners come down to the clubhouse Mondays between 6pm-8pm. And crochet and knit together. And I have a few ideas in the works for the group.

People who would love to learn to knit or crochet come on down as well.

### **NICKEL BINGO**

Jean Jenkins 813-571-7991

We have lots of fun playing Nickle Bingo. Each card is \$.05 per card for 14 games and \$.10 per card played for two speed ball games. Come and join us on Fridays at 1:00 pm at the Clubhouse.

### **HAND AND FOOT (CANASTA CARD GAME)**

Jean Jenkins 813-571-7991

You should come and join us every Wednesday at 11:00am for this fun card game. We supply the cards and can teach you the game too. We play cards in the large room in the Activity Center

### **POKENO**

Jean Jenkins 813-571-7991 Lynn Forziati 631-942-9784

This game is similar to Poker/Bingo games and is a simple game played with nickels. You can possibly win two of the five pots every round on your game board. Bring your nickels, a deck of playing cards and join us every Thursday at 5:00 pm in the Clubhouse.

### **MAHJONGG**

Cheryl Harmon 717-304-3319

Anyone wanting to play -- or learn to play -- Mahjongg is invited to join this group that plays at the Activity Center twice a week. Once in the evening -- Tuesday at 7:00 PM and Thursday afternoon at 12:45 PM. It's an engaging activity but we still manage to both concentrate and laugh. There are some excellent players (who are more than willing to teach any newbies) and then some that are not as skilled at the game (still learning & getting assistance) but we all manage to have a great time. Come check us out.

Most wins this month went to Debbie Hash (19), Sandy Pagano (18) and Lorean Zionkofski (17). Go girls!!! -- always neck and neck to be the lead -- but who's keeping track? LOL!!!!

If anyone is interested in learning, playing or has questions, please feel free to call or --- just stop in while we're playing! We'd love to introduce you to the game.

### **GAME CLUB**

Diane Miller 919-418-3865

Game Night is on Wednesday @ 7pm in the main room of the Activity Center. It is open to all residents. We play a variety of games from Uno, Triominos, Golf (card game), Yahtzee, and we are open to suggestions for more!

## All in Stitches

Several new residents have expressed interest in the Strawberry Ridge quilting group. While we have been meeting informally all summer we will resume our regular meetings on Tuesday September 3rd at the Clubhouse at 1:00 PM. In the past we have donated quilts for children to Hospice, to the Strawberry Ridge Benevolent fund, the Woodshop pancake breakfast/ auction. Several of our ladies are very active making dresses and shirts for Dress A Girl which are taken to such places as Africa, and Caribbean countries. We have worked on block of the month and one project in which we all used the same background fabric, Christmas fabric of our choice, and exchanged finished signed blocks.

It doesn't matter if you are an experienced quilter, or finally having time to enjoy a new hobby we would love to have you join us.

Please call Pat Dunlap 813-245-5102 (leave name and number) or Paula Somers 813-541-4902 for more information.

### **VILLAGE CRAFT CLUB**

Gina Derby 609-287-7255

Flo Aruza 914-475-9737

October 4 @ 6pm in the Activities Center

Come join us for a night of fun and good company. Let's get creative together!!

### TRAVEL CLUB

**Sandra Allen 813-653-0555**

Hope everyone had a wonderful and safe Labor Day week. We will have our October Travel Club Meeting on Friday, October 4th at 6:00 pm, in the Main Room. Come hear about all the amazing Day Trips and Extended Trips we are offering. If you have any questions, call Sandra Allen 813-653-0555

#### **DAY TRIPS**

Dueling Pianos	Sat. Sep 07, 2024	10am – 4:00pm
CHER Tribute	Sun. Jan 26, 2025	9:45am - 4:45pm
DIAMOND's Valentine	Fri. Feb 14, 2025	3:00pm – 11:00pm
MJ The MUSICAL	Fri. Feb. 28, 2025	6:30pm – 11:30pm
BEE GEE's Tribute	Sun. Mar 02, 2025	9:45am- 4:45pm

#### **EXTENDED TRIPS**

Canadian Rockies-Rail	09/15/24 – 09/21/24
Christmas at Biltmore	12/09/24 – 12/13/24
Panama Canal	03/13/25 – 03/27/25
Northern Legends	06/22/25 – 07/06/25
Swiss Alps -Rail	08/05/25 – 08/13/25
New England/Canada	09/18/25 – 09/29/25

### FOLLIES Show

Mary Phillips 813-654-7955

Rose Panella 813-662-9862

Second Tuesday each month in the Clubhouse 10 am—12 pm

Do you sing, dance, play an instrument, tell jokes, lip-sync, or just want to have fun? This year we want to have a big **Variety Show**. Then this is the group to join. We will meet on October 8th at the Clubhouse to start organizing the show and pick a date for the show. We will have a couple of meetings to organize a show.

**HOPE TO SEE YOU JOIN US!**

## Strawberry Ridge Village Ping Pong Club News

Jack Beedon (585)766-0028

Strawberry Ridge Village Ping Pong Club News

By Jack Beedon

(585)-766-0028

The ping pong club at Strawberry Ridge Village meets on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 9:00 am to 10:30 am. We also meet on Tuesday and Wednesday nights from 5:30 pm to 6:45 pm. The picture for the month of October is our newest member, Kristi Klett. Kristi works during the day as a nurse in Tampa, so the evening hours work for her. She is a lot of fun and loves the game of ping pong. So, if the evening hours on Tuesday's and Wednesday's work for you come and join us. We can assure you that there are positive health factors in the great and fun game of ping pong!!



### OCTOBER FITNESS CLASS SCHEDULE

**Motion is Lotion for your body!**

**Attend the free fitness classes to improve your health.**

**\*TUESDAY AND THURSDAYS**

**8:30-9:30 Tai Chi Warm-ups and Qi Gong**

**This class will keep you flexible and stretch muscles, ligaments and tendons while you learn to breathe with discipline. It will help with COPD, and asthma. The second half of class is modified stretches with a chair.**

**9:30-10:00 Free Weight Training 101**

**Choose the weight you want to use and learn to lift properly to target the desired area you want to keep muscle. Discuss protein choices to make muscle. Beat Sarcopenia before it makes you weaker!**

**10:00-10:30 Yopalates**

**Combination of yoga and pilates. Targets the entire body!**

**Bring a mat because there are only 4 at the fitness studio.**

**10:30-11:15 SILVER SNEAKERS TOO!**

**This is a chair class This is the perfect class for beginners or seniors that have trouble standing. Wheelchairs are welcome also! We use balls and bands for the range of motion exercises. We have brief periods standing behind a chair for balance exercises for people that can. If standing is not possible then modified movements seated will be demonstrated. Get out and meet your neighbors that are busy trying to keep their quality of life at the free classes.**

**Questions? Call Dale Marie Kersch at 305 849-5962**

### **CRIBBAGE**

George 412-609-4106

Come join our NEW activity....CRIBBAGE. It is played every Saturday @ 1:00 pm in the main room of the Activity Center. If you have any questions, please contact George.

### **WATERCOLOR PAINTING**

Peggy Miller 813-327-7369 or 813-618-8230

We meet every Thursday @ 1:30pm in the Clubhouse.

Everyone who paints or would like to learn to paint is welcome. We will share our knowledge with you.

### **PENNY BINGO**

Mary Phillips 813-654- 7955

Every Monday @ Clubhouse from 1PM - 3PM (come early to set up & pay)

We are a FUN group of village residents. We play from 1 pm to 3 pm.

We have lots of laughs just for a penny a card! We also play some specials so bring a couple of dollars (change is good) extra besides your pennies. Please come and join a great group of your friends and neighbors for a fun afternoon.

### **BOOK CLUB**

Karen Myers 813-431-2748

The Strawberry Ridge Book Club meets on the second Monday of each month at 1:30 PM in the Activity Center. Our book selection "Grandma Gatewood's Walk" was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone with a comment that it was the best of our selections of the past several months. Discussion about the Appalachian Trail and Grandma's adventure continued for quite some time around the table (which was actually several tables pushed together). Our group is growing every month, and it is a delight to hear everyone's opinion and sharing their thoughts. This group always provides quite an entertaining afternoon.

Our chosen book for next month is entitled "None of This Is True" written by Lisa Jewel. We encourage anyone who enjoys reading and would like a lovely afternoon to come join us next month!

### **RED HAT MAMMAS**

Barbara Duckworth 850-371-2616 Beverly Pletsch 708-490-6307

Guten Tag (Good Day in German) Oktoberfest is upon us and Halloween is not far behind. This month we will be going to Cheddars Scratch Kitchen located at 10140 Bloomingdale near Target. We will meet at the activity center at 11 before we carpool to the restaurant. There are a few different meal plans that will fit any budget. Something new we're doing this month is giving shout outs to birthdays that are celebrated. This month is our very first birthday starting with Sharon H ☺! Hope you have a good one!

Just a quick note: \$2.00 membership and \$1 monthly dues can be paid for next year by the end of December, grand total of \$14.00. The money we collect goes to the seasonal parties we host like Star Spangled Red Hats and our Christmas party which the club provides the entrees and drinks .

Also, I'm missing birthdays, month and day only, so we can acknowledge our birthday girls.

So, hoist your pilsner and raise your fork with schnitzel and enjoy!

# Congratulations!



# WELCOME

Donna Reinhard  
223 Tahoe Circle

Ken & Darlene McKay  
3506 Engineer Drive

Melodie Little  
411 Boxcar Way

Greg Hatcher  
Edna Joyner  
103 Sky Ridge Dr

Steve & Doris Grossnickle  
504 SBR Blvd

Elsa & Papin Diaz  
408 Coastline Way

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|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| 1 – Billie Abreu      | 24-- Diana Lemon          |
| 2- Tim Mosher         | 24 – Darcey Proulx        |
| 3 – Raymond Devlin    | 24 – Kim Kinney           |
| 4 – Susan Frye        | 25 – Patricia Webb        |
| 6 – John Wallace      | 26 – Nancy Brigden        |
| 8 – Ron Ellenburg     | 27 – Mirella Robinson     |
| 8 – Gloria Gonzalez   | 28 - Joe Sanelli          |
| 9 – Dennis Leasure    | 28 – Kim Peacock          |
| 10 – James Gentry     | 28 – Delores Hanauer      |
| 11 – Laurie Bayne     | 28 – Lendra Thompson      |
| 11 – Rafael Brens     | 28 – Ann Knepple          |
| 12 – Glenn Martin     | 28 – Darlene McKay        |
| 13 - Joyce Gill       | 28 – Kenneth McKay        |
| 13 – Michael Gutzler  | 29 – Annmarie<br>Spellman |
| 14 – Michael Vaughn   | 30 - Carolyn Fields       |
| 16 – Nancy Arias      | 30 – Theodore<br>McNeeley |
| 17 - Stephanie Florio | 30 - Amparo Pagan         |
| 17 – Ronald Gamber    | 31 - Vada Lucas           |
| 18 – Jay Holland      |                           |
| 19 – Maria Padua      |                           |
| 20 – Betty Barnett    |                           |
| 21 – Judy Swain       |                           |
| 22 – Melanie Jones    |                           |
| 22 – Greg Anderson    |                           |
| 22 – Joanna Rens      |                           |
| 23 - Sharon Hurley    |                           |

## Happy Anniversary

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| 10-03-2003 | Warren & Peg Swaverly          |
| 10-06-1985 | Peter & Pat Coopriker          |
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# **COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES**

Clubs listed on this form meet every week.

## **CLUBHOUSE**

<u><b>MONDAY</b></u>	<u><b>TUESDAY</b></u>	<u><b>WEDNESDAY</b></u>	<u><b>THURSDAY</b></u>	<u><b>FRIDAY</b></u>	<u><b>SATURDAY</b></u>
<p><b>9:00 AM</b> PING PONG</p> <p><b>1 PM</b> PENNY BINGO</p> <p><b>6PM</b> YARNERS</p>	<p><b>9 AM</b> OPEN PICKLE BALL</p> <p><b>10 AM</b> FOLLIES</p> <p><b>1:00 PM</b> ALL IN STITCHES</p> <p><u><b>5:30PM</b></u> PING PONG</p>	<p><b>9:00 AM</b> PING PONG</p> <p><b>5:30PM</b> PING PONG</p> <p><b>5:30PM</b> BINGO (2ND &amp; 4TH WED)</p> <p><b>7:00 PM</b> PICKLE BALL</p>	<p><b>9 AM</b> OPEN PICKLE BALL</p> <p><b>1:30 PM</b> WATER COLOR PAINTING</p> <p><b>5:00 PM</b> POKENO</p>	<p><b>9:00 AM</b> PING PONG</p> <p><b>1 PM</b> NICKEL BINGO</p> <p><b>3:30 PM</b> SINGERS</p>	<p><b>9 AM</b> OPEN PICKLE BALL</p>

## **ACTIVITY CENTER**

<u><b>SUNDAY</b></u>	<u><b>TUESDAY</b></u>	<u><b>WEDNESDAY</b></u>	<u><b>THURSDAY</b></u>	<u><b>FRIDAY</b></u>	<u><b>SATURDAY</b></u>
<p><b>10AM</b> COMMUNITY FELLOWSHIP</p>	<p><b>12:30 PM</b> BILLIARDS</p> <p><b>1:30PM</b> SHUFFLEBOARD</p> <p><b>6PM</b> CERAMICS</p> <p><b>6PM</b> MEN'S POKER</p> <p><b>7PM</b> MAH JONGG</p>	<p><b>10AM</b> WATER AEROBICS</p> <p><b>11:00 AM</b> HAND &amp; FOOT</p> <p><b>1:00 PM</b> BIBLE STUDY</p> <p><b>1:30 PM</b> SHUFFLEBOARD</p> <p><b>7:00 PM</b> GAME NIGHT</p>	<p><b>12:30</b> BILLIARDS</p> <p><b>1:00 PM:</b> CERAMICS</p> <p><b>1:00PM</b> MAH JONGG</p> <p><b>1:30 PM</b> SHUFFLE BOARD</p> <p><b>6:30 PM</b> GIN RUMMY</p>	<p><b>10:00AM</b> WATER AEROBICS</p> <p><b>1:30 PM</b> SHUFFLE- BOARD</p>	<p><b>9AM</b> CERAMICS</p> <p><b>12:30 PM</b> BILLIARDS</p> <p><b>1:00 PM</b> CRIBBAGE</p> <p><b>5:00 PM</b> VARIETY OF GAMES</p>
<p><u><b>MONDAY</b></u></p> <p><b>10:00AM</b> WATER AEROBICS</p> <p><b>1:30 PM</b> SHUFFLE- BOARD</p> <p><b>6:00 PM</b> MIXED POKER</p>					

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\*\*ALL articles or changes need to be sent no later than the 15th of the month\*\*

Thank you! Tina McDonald



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Sun

Mon

Tue

Wed

Thu

Fri

Sat

		1	2	3 Woodshop Mtg 6pm AC	4 Travel Club 6pm AC	5 HOA Mtg 9am CH CERT Dinner 5pm CH
6	7	8	9 Bingo 5:30pm CH	10 CERT Mtg 6:30 AC	11	12 <sup>HOA</sup> Health Fair CH 10am-1pm Ceramics Sale 10am - 2pm AC RSVD
13	14 Book Club 1:30pm AC Crafts 6pm AC	15	16	17	18 Trivia 7pm AC	19 Pancake Break- fast 8am - 11:30am WS
20	21 HOA Agenda Mtg 6:30 AC	22 Red Hats Mtg 11:00 AC	23 Bingo 5:30pm CH	24 Gun Club 6pm WS	25 Halloween Dance CH 7pm - 10pm	26 Ice Cream & Brownie Social 2pm - 4pm AC Karaoke 6:30pm AC
27	28	29	30	31		

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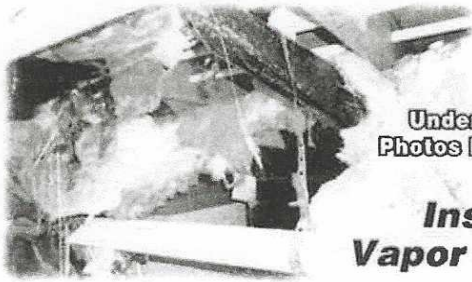


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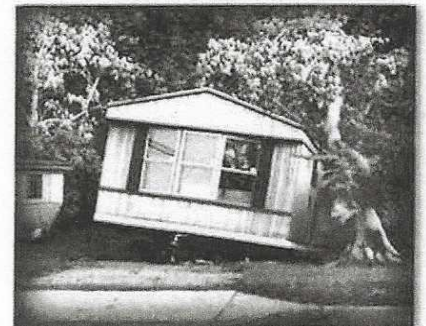


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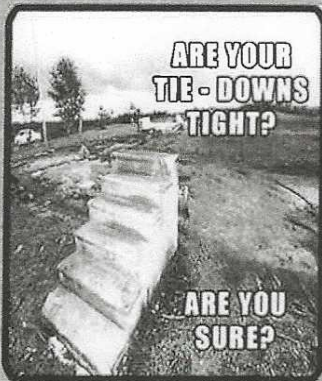
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