May 2025

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All events are held in the Clubhouse except Jim's Dining Out

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- May 6 IIAM
 Pool Exercises
- May 9 11:30AM
 Lunch and Learn
- May 10 6PM
 The Do-Wop Sock
 Hop Dinner w/ Steve
 Greer entertaining
- May 13 10AM
 OCLS Book Mobile
- May 14 4-6PM
 Wine Down
 Wednesday
- May 20 I I AM
 Pool Exercises

Looking Ahead

- June 10 10AM
 OCLS Book Mobile
- Picnic in the
 Clubhouse, followed
 by Quarter Bingo 2-

"The month of May is the gateway to summer."

The Men of Hyde Park Village invite you to attend

The Doo-Wop Sock Hop at the So



Serving Traditional Diner Comfort Food

Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Green Beans, Rolls, & Dessert



Doo-Wop music by Steve Greer (Orlando's Elvis) for your dancing and listening pleasure

Wear your best 50's & 60's clothes!

All decorating, cooking, serving & clean-up provided by the men of Hyde Park

Tickets: HOA members \$15.00 Non-HOA Residents & Guests \$20.00

Tickets on sale April 21st thru May 4th from your ticket sellers listed below, or before Bingo from 4:00—5:00pm on April 25th and May 2nd. <u>ABSOLUTELY</u> no tickets sold after 5pm on May 4th.

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Marc Boese 407-782-7802

Debbie Hurley 717-468-8787

Movie Matinee Monday is taking a summer break! Hope to see you in the Fall.

A Message from Your Hyde Park HOA

What a wonderful month April was! Great weather brought all the flowers out so beautifully. I love walking or riding around the park admiring everyone's gardens, we certainly have our share of great green thumbs (self not included). I hope you spent some time outside, either walking around or at the newly redone pool.



I understand those who sold at the community yard sales prospered well and those who shopped got some great deals. A win-win situation.

As the snowbirds head north and the temperatures begin soaring some of our regular activities will be put on hold, hours changed or shortened. Please save your issue of the newsletter so you can keep track of the changes. Also, check the bulletin boards by the mailboxes, in the clubhouse, by the library or inside the pool area for updates and reminders. Of course, for the latest information and reminders follow our Facebook page, *Hyde Park Village, A Cove Community*.

Our inaugural pool exercise class, a joint venture with Unified Rehabilitation on Tuesday April 22, was a great success. They will be back twice a month on Tuesday mornings for those interested.

This coming month brings us our first ever men's prepared, served and cleaned up dinner. Make sure you get your tickets to this Doo Wop Sock Hop at the Hyde Park Diner complete with music of the fifties and sixties by Stevie Greer. Dig out your old bobby socks and poodle skirts for a rockin' good time.

Marc Boese (Text 407-782-7802)

Email us at: Hydeparkhoa3@gmail.com

Pool Exercise Classes

The Hyde Park HOA and Unified Rehabilitation have joined together to bring us Pool Exercise Class on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month. As Marc stated in his Message above, the inaugural class was held on April 22, attended by 12 ladies (where were the men?) and a lot of fun and work was enjoyed by all! We listened to some great music as we focused on improving our flexibility and balance, led by physical therapist Kelly! To help defray the cost of these classes, we will have a suggested donation of \$2.00 per class, per person. Our next class will be on May 6, at 11:00am. The pool itself will be closed from 11:00-12:00 for this, but the chairs & loungers are available anytime. We hope to see you there!

Chair Exercise Class - meets in the Clubhouse every Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 9:00 am. Remember, this class is open to both ladies and gents!

Bingo - Weekly Bingo at Hyde Park Village! Doors open at 5:00pm, last cards sold at 6:10pm, Bingo starts at 6:20. Come join us for a fun evening!

Jim's Dining Out - will be going to Sonny's BBQ in Ocoee on Wednesday, May 21st at 11:30. *Please sign up in the clubhouse or call* Andie Cheney at 407-754-5689.

Bible Study - Bible Study at Don Stanton's on Tuesdays 9am -10am. If interested, call 352-216-3226.

Shuffleboard—The "Shuffleboard Group" on Tuesdays & Thursdays continues to play at 10AM for the month of May. Don't know the game? Come out and learn! We may have a few less players as the "snowbirds" head north, so new players are always welcome. Hope you'll join us as we "shuffle".





Remember, sign –up sheets are now located in the Clubhouse, adjacent to the storage closet. Please sign-up for the Lunch and Learn there. If you have signed up and can't come, please let Edith know!

Friday, May 9th, at 11:30am— Garvin Addison, an Insurance Broker for Medicare Advantage Plans, will be our speaker for this Friday Lunch and Learn. As a Broker, Mr. Addison has access to all plans. This will be a good opportunity for our residents to gain valuable information for Open Enrollment this fall.



Follow our Facebook page for pictures of events and for updated info during the month!

Facebook.com/Hyde Park Village A Cove Community

You can also find information on NextDoor

Contact the Hyde Park HOA by emailing hydeparkhoa3@gmail.com

And don't forget, Hyde Park HOA has its own mailing address:

14249 W. Colonial Drive, Winter Garden FL 34787

And a non-USPS mailbox in the Library for HOA correspondence.

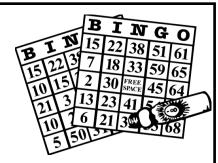
In order to maintain the appropriate content and size of the newsletter, Hyde Park HOA reserves the right to reject certain submissions or postpone their publication to a later date. Hyde Park HOA also reserves the right to edit, change or omit certain content, including photographs and graphics, as deemed appropriate by the newsletter team. Please also keep in mind that articles that are overly self-promoting, or sound like an advertisement, will not be accepted.

Wine Down Wednesday

Wine Down Wednesday will be May 14th, with Hors D'oeuvres and Small Bites to accompany your BYOB wines and other beverages. We ask for a donation of \$2.00 per person for this event.

We hope you join us on Wednesday, May 14th from 4:00pm to 6:00pm for snacks and chats!

Weekly Hyde Park Bingo continues thru the month of May!



MAY YARD OF THE MONTH



Congratulations RaeAnn and Kevin Hall for being recognized as our May Yard of the month!

If you haven't seen their yard lately, check it out, they have totally transformed their yard, added lots of native plants and enjoy tending to their thriving vegetable garden. RaeAnn is big on recycling plants and loves collecting new ones from cuttings and reviving the clearance items from local garden depts.

The Halls will receive an Ace Hardware gift card from Hyde Park Village.

Congratulations!

Submitted by Cheri Bennett

Hyde Park HOA Member Meetings—

January 6, February 3 **(6:00pm)**, April 7, October 6, November 3, December 1, January 5, 2026 (election, if necessary) All residents are welcome!

Hyde Park HOA Board Meetings—

January 21, March 25, September 23, October 21, November 18, December 16

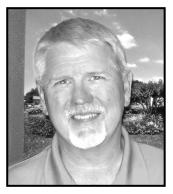
Designated Smoking Area



As suggested by some residents, the smoking area has been moved and is now located adjacent to the Billiards Room.

May is a month that blossoms with significance, as it brings together three special occasions that honor the vital roles played by mothers, law enforcement officers, and those who have sacrificed their lives for our freedom. Each of these days carries its own weight of emotion, appreciation, and remembrance, creating a tapestry of gratitude that resonates throughout the month.

Mother's Day, celebrated on the second Sunday of May, is a heartfelt occasion dedicated to honoring the women who nurture and shape our lives. Mothers often serve as the backbone of families, providing love, support, and guidance. This day is an opportunity to express gratitude for the countless sacrifices they make and the unconditional love they offer. Whether through heartfelt messages, gifts, or simply spending quality time together, we celebrate the unique bond shared with mothers and mother figures. On May 15th, we observe National Police Officer Day, a day dedicated to recognizing the bravery and dedication of law enforcement officers. These individuals put their lives on the line every day to protect our communities, uphold the law, and ensure our safety. This day serves as a reminder of the challenges they face and the sacrifices they make. Communities can show their appreciation through various means—by attending local events or simply expressing gratitude when encountering officers in the field. It is a day to honor their commitment to justice and the safety of others.



Todd Green Community Manager 14253 W. Colonial Drive Winter Garden, FL 34787 Phone: (407) 656-9712 tgreen@covecommunities.com

Memorial Day, observed on the last Monday of May, is a solemn occasion that invites us to remember and honor the men and women who have made the ultimate sacrifice in service to our country. It is a day of reflection, where we pay tribute to the heroes who fought for our freedom and the values we hold dear. Many choose to visit cemeteries and memorials, participate in parades, or engage in moments of silence to honor those who have fallen. It's a time to recognize the sacrifices made by military personnel and to support their families.

Notice – Please do not place your pet's waste in the trash cans by the mailboxes. These are meant for residents to dispose of junk mail. We have noticed that there are several homes using their carport as storage and according to the prospectus that is not allowed. Please take a look at your carports and declutter; this includes any vehicles not being used. Thank you for your cooperation.

Reminders:

- 1. Golf carts and vehicles are REQUIRED to obey the speed limit and STOP at all stop signs in the community.
- 2. Remember, you must have office approval to do anything to the outside of your home or change anything on your lot.
- 3. Remember, fire pits and portable sheds are not permitted at the homes.
- 4. Make sure you always have control of your pets and have them on a leash when in the community and never leave them on a leash attached to the outside of the home.
- 5. The doors on some of the amenities at the clubhouse have new locks, which require a code. The code to enter is 1990.

"A mother understands what a child does not say."

JEWISH PROVERB

Clubhouse Reservation Procedures

The Hyde Park HOA is now responsible for the reservation of the clubhouse, kitchen and picnic area.

As of April 1st, all existing reservations that were made with Hyde Park Village/Cove will be cleared from the calendar and those people will be given the first opportunity to reserve dates for the balance of this year. Any other residents may then put in their requests. Only reservations made by the Hyde Park HOA will be honored.

Some of the contractual items that have been changed are that the reservation fee will now be \$200 payable to the Hyde Park HOA to be deposited into a special escrow account at Regions Bank until after the event. This \$200 fee includes a non-refundable booking fee of \$25 to cover the cost of incidentals. The balance (\$175) is a refundable amount if the criteria of the contract is kept. Any cleanup, repairs or other costs resulting from the resident's event will be charged to the deposit.

Copies of the contract will be available from any board member. The Chairperson for this committee is Elizabeth Spence but any board member can assist you.

Remember, the Hyde Park Village office (Todd, Ann & Cindy) will not be able to assist you with reservations.

Marc Boese, HOA President Elizabeth Spence, Clubhouse Reservation Chair

MAY PET OF THE MONTH



Our May Pet of the month is JoJo. He is eleven years old and still looks and acts like a puppy, according to his owners, Lorraine and Tomas. They adopted him at a rescue in Marion County, where he had been transferred from a kill shelter in Georgia. JoJo is a terrier mix, he likes people, and he especially loves his daily walks around the park and visiting the ducks in our ponds.

Submitted by Cheri Bennett

Services Provided by Residents

- ◆ Dog Grooming Services by Connie. Call 407-988-4683 to schedule on Tuesday's or Thursday's. HP resident discount.
- Spa Treatments by Jackie—Facials, Massage, and more. Text 321-318-2525 for an appt.
- Yard work, clean gutters, soft wash vinyl siding and roofs. Call Widy 407-844-4953
- ◆ Light carpentry—call Don Hall 407-676-6938
- ◆ 24/7 Sewing and Alterations, Leonella Garcia 646-382-1129
- Darlene Bottomly-Salon on Maguire, 1575
 Maguire Rd., Ocoee, in-home hair care on Tues. &
 Wed. available, and Avon 407-247-5316
- Art Rager-Pressure cleaning homes, vinyl window replacement 407-656-4005
- Heart Park Ministries —
 heartparkministries@gmail.com or call 407-821 0751 to learn more.
- Notary Services—by Sandi Luss Call 352-425-1563
- Need a companion? Assistance, errands, medication and etc. I provide senior care for Hyde Park residents. I also cat sit in Hyde Park! Call Nicole at 352-222-9003.



Orange County Library System Book Bike Mobile

The Winter Garden Branch of the Orange County Library will be here on May 13th from 10:00am to 10:45am. Hopefully the weather will cooperate and Ethan and Gabby will be able to ride the Book BikeMobile for their monthly visit here. You can email Ethan at ewatford@ocls.org if you would like to request a certain title, special edition (large print, book on tape) or even if you would like them to bring some suggestions of a specific genre. Your HOA will have your morning coffee and snacks for you to enjoy while you check out the books, chat with Ethan and Gabby, and visit with your Hyde Park neighbors.

And don't forget to stop in to our Hyde Park Library to see new arrivals! Maybe the book you were looking for is back in place and will be calling out to you to "read me."







Get to Know Your Neighbors-

Larry and Joanna Coovert

God placed magnificent mountains decorated with pinnacle trees where Larry and his siblings Cindy, Conard, and Mary Lou could fulfill anticipation generated by Dad towing a rented camper (later purchased), as a frequent family surprise outing...What joy as the wind drew the kids sitting in the back of the pickup truck towards their treasured destinations, Watoga State Park on the Green Briar River and Jenny Wiley State Park, WV, that unfolded delights like hiking and fishing. Larry and his siblings originated from their nest of Huntington to relocate to Barboursville, WV.



Joanna selected the birth site of Gainesville, Fl, and she was later introduced into a central Florida childhood. Her love affair with the ocean began with vacations to Ormond's Beach and Anna Maria Island, with God's enticement of the natural beauty of turquoise ocean waves, and gleaming sand speckled with lovely gifts of seashells. Joanna, Kathleen, Debra, and Laura embodied the young sibling group of beach bunnies. She laughed as she described their pet dog Poochie attaining desired attention by dragging her body over many a game board the girls were delightedly absorbed in during their childhood.

At Marshall Univ. Larry took fire science classes and was involved with the fire dept. rescue of the Marshall football team plane crash. Larry later drove truck for 46 years and was awarded many safe driving awards during his career. He drove 3 ½ million miles accident free. The Ryder Truck Championship first place awards were skillfully earned by Larry for two years, with resort packages at Captiva Island and Saratoga won for his family. Larry also saved lives while driving, as he competently rescued survivors from horrific car accidents. His competent volunteer fireman service of nine years culminated in his promotion to deputy chief in Barboursville.

Joanna became a certified LPN and earned a few awards through exemplary nursing service. Management of A World of Orchids gift shop for five years brought Joanna the ultimate gift of meeting her husband Larry, as they celebrate 33 years of marriage now. With a large cockatoo perched upon Joanna's shoulder, the bird proudly helped her lead tours at A World of Orchids Conservatory. The height of Joanna's career history included 13 years of certified leadership as Honorary Duck Master at the Hotel Peabody, Orlando, by leading five mallards. She also assumed a variety of other responsibilities like hotel and duck quality assurance, reservations, and making recordings for eight Orlando hotels. Loews Hotels also reaped benefits from Joanna's quality assurance management for five years.

Larry and Joanna share the blessing of five children and four grandchildren between the two of them. Joanna also has an extensive pet history of six unique personality dogs; presently including two rescue Pomeranians and rescue dog Lovey, who fiercely loves humans and just as fiercely hates ducks.

Larry and Joanna share enthusiasm for saltwater fishing, ownership of a boat, gardening, with emphasis on orchids, and camping with emphasis on campfires. Joanna as a caregiver, especially to hospice patient mom Sarah, also taught Presbyterian Vacation Bible School and Sunday School. She presently volunteers at the Dream Center Care Giver Group. "Easygoing" Larry is valued as a very good son-in-law by Sarah. What a joy these people who care give our neighbor Sarah are!

Submitted by Marie Madsen