

### **APRIL 2025 HARBOR HIGHLIGHTS**



### LGHVAA MESSAGE by Tom Zimmer,

#### Activities President

April is another very busy month. We have an Activities Member Meeting April 7th at 7pm. Watercolor classes resume on Fridays at 1pm, and the Spring Fling is on the 12th at 7pm.

Please refer to your Harbor Highlights calendar for the activities this month. Some of our friends and neighbors head north and we hope they have a safe trip home. We hope everyone has a Blessed and Happy Easter!





#### **TO ALL OUR SNOWBIRDS**

HAVE A SAFE TRIP HOME AND ENJOY YOUR SUMMER



# Lake Griffin Harbor Village

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As April arrives, we welcome the warmth of the sun, the blooming flowers, and the joy of outdoor adventures. It's a time to celebrate the beauty of nature and embrace the changing season. Here are some tips for the month. Tax Day: Don't let your taxes stress you out! Find a tax preparer and make sure to get them done by the 15th . Spring Cleaning: It's time to freshen up your surroundings and bid farewell to the winter blues. Make sure to declutter your home and carports, pressure wash & clean out

gutters and freshen up your flowerbeds. Outdoor Fun: With the arrival of warmer weather, it's the perfect time to indulge in outdoor activities. From hiking and biking trails to picnic spots and gardening. Stay updated with the latest events happening in our area. From local festivals and farmers markets. Mark your calendars and get ready for a month filled with fun and enriching experiences in Leesburg and our community.

Remember to only have plastic at the pool area and do not bring any glass into that area. The ashtrays around the clubhouse are not for trash and can create a fire hazard. Please place your trash in the trash cans located around the facilities. When you have your dogs outside, you must always be in control of them and have them on a leash. Last, we live in Florida and we love the nature around us, but everyone needs to pay close attention around the ponds and lake because we do have alligators and we are sharing the habitat with each other. Especially make any of your visitors aware. The last thing we need is someone being injured or a pet taken because they got too close to the pond or lake. Alligators have a quick burst of speed and can overtake you in a moments notice.

We recently put mulch down at the entrance and around the clubhouse. We also had a new pump installed in the lift station closest to the office. We remind everyone to please not flush anything down your toilet, besides toilet paper, even if it says flushable. I have on more than one occasion seen the pumps out of the lift stations and there are all kinds of debris causing the pumps to quit working. We would appreciate everyone's help on this matter.

"April is a reminder that something better is always around the corner."

Anonymous

### Todd

Todd Green, Community Manager tgreen@covecommunities.com



### **Sunshine Report**



### LGHV BOOK CLUB by Donna Kittleman

Our April meeting will be at **2:00pm on Monday, April 7th**. The book we've selected for the April meeting is Frozen Camelot by Kenneth Diamond.



sympathy cards, or donations to charity contact:

7110 Harbor View Dr

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For get well cards, Our May meeting will be at 2:00pm on Monday, May 12th. The book that we've selected for the May meeting is The Hidden Life of Cecily Larson by Ellen Baker.

Our June meeting will be at **2:00pm on Monday, June 9th**. The book Nan Rosenthal - Lot 84 that we've selected for the June meeting is Other Birds by Sarah Addison Allen.

#### **GET WELL CARDS**

**Tina Harshbarger** Debbie Anderson **Dave Mills** Peggy Patterson Lee Waybright **Glenn Woodington Cyndy Morgan Joyce Woodington** Joe Cheeseman Joe Chipley Tina Harshbarger **Bob Wingert** 

BEREAVEMENT **Peg Heidl for Steven** Family of Kim Falanga

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YOGA PLUS STRETCHING by Kathy Palmer

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Days/times: Mondays and Thursdays - 3:15 - 4:00 pm

### **FAST TRACK by Beth Sullivan**



Fast Track is a board game, similar to Sorry/ Aggravation. We play every 2nd & 4th Tuesday, 12:30-2:30 pm at the clubhouse. Come down and join us - we'll teach you if you don't already know how to play.

We always have a great time and everyone is always welcome!!

HI! How about joining us for coffee and donuts on Saturday mornings at 8:30 am. Great way to get to know your neighbors. \$2 will buy you a cup of coffee, tea or hot chocolate and a donut.

There is a 50/50 raffle and a review of the activities for the upcoming week.

Also, looking for volunteers to do the coffee and donuts for a month. Sign-up sheet is at the clubhouse.

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### LGHAA Welcome Committee

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### Activities Association Membership Card

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Beth & Tim Sullivan Lot 272 7326 Harbor View Dr 614-395-9962 bawolfe55@gmail.com

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### HUMP DAY CAMEL RACES

### Camel Races are Wednesday April 16th, 3-5 pm

at the clubhouse. Five(5) races, \$2 per race, payout for each of the first four (4) races is \$30. The fifth race will be a trifecta with payout for first, second and third.

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**!!



LINE DANCING by Joyce Woodington

Line dancing class meets every Thursday from 10:30-11:30 am. All are welcome to join our class, from beginners and up. If you would like to teach a particular dance, please let me know.

### MARCH YARD OF THE MONTH





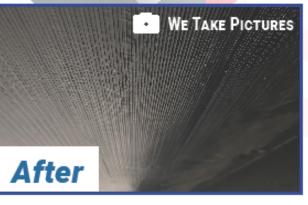
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# Spring Fling Dance Saturday April 12<sup>th</sup> 7-10 pm Music by DJ - Dr Dance

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### LADIES THURSDAY MORNING BILLIARDS

Ladies, on Thursday Mornings we meet in the clubhouse billiards room to enjoy a game of billiards, 8 Ball or 9 Ball. We are currently in discussion about changing the start time from 9:30 am to 10:00 am. Please feel free to contact me with your choice for a start time.

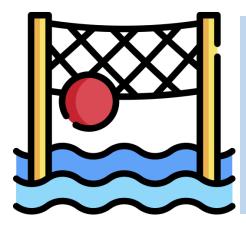
If you haven't played in a while, the rules are basically the same from your childhood with a few minor changes. C'mon down, we have cues available for you to use.

We have Monthly Tournaments; April 17, 2025, is our next one. Please sign up beforehand so we can be prepared to play at 9:30 am. The sign-up sheet is posted on the Women's Board in the billiards room 2 weeks before the upcoming tournament.



Congratulations to the March Top Finishers in 8 Ball Tournament:

1st Place-Kay Bahr, 2nd Place-Cindy Poirier, 3rd Place-Carol Bligh.



JOIN THE FUN AND PLAY WATER VOLLEYBALL (Weather Permitting) THURSDAYS @ 4:30 pm SUNDAYS @ 1:30 pm

### Meet & Greet by Tim & Beth Sullivan:

Our next Meet & Greet gathering will be held on Friday, May 23, from 6-7 pm at the clubhouse.

More details will follow in the May Harbor Highlights.

### Our newest neighbors are:

Kent & Leslee Warner	7208 Harbor View Dr.,	Lot #55
John & Carol Marcotte	7133 Harbor View Dr.,	Lot #42
Robert & Bette Buchheit	7113 Harbor View Dr.,	Lot #80
Nora "Stevie" Tong	33124 Dockside Ln.,	Lot #169
Tony & Jennifer Barbour	7005 Harbor View Dr.,	Lot #3





### Welcome to LGHV!! We look forward to having you be a part of our community!!

### **BINGO by Henry Barrett**



Hello to all my Bingo players! Happy Easter month and Happy Spring! Thank you for all your support for the Leesburg Food Bank with your donations of

food, cash, and other items. It is much needed and appreciated by the community. Donations can be left in the baskets in the clubhouse or call me and I will come pick them up.

For anyone new to the park that would like to join us, we play every Tuesday at 6:30 pm and we would love for you to join us! If you are interested in playing 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!

I would like to thank my Bingo volunteers tremendously for their work and support and all my Bingo players that show up each week 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.

<u>American Mah Jongg</u> is a Chinese strategy game played with tiles and a yearly card. It is great for working your brain. Come join us in the clubhouse card room on Wednesdays at 1:00 pm. Experienced and new players are welcome. We play according to the American Rules of Mah Jongg and use the current National Mah Jongg card. Anyone interested in learning how to play is encouraged to join us.

**Asian Mah Jongg** is played on Thursdays & Sundays at 1:30 pm. It is an easier game to play than American Mah Jongg.



New players are always welcome.



### **BOCCE BALL TOURNAMENT**

We have scheduled a fun Bocce Ball Tournament on Saturday April 5 at 9:15ish. Depending on the number of you who will be here and want to play, we will have teams of 4 (hopefully) or perhaps teams of 3 players.

We draw randomly for teams, but you stay with the same 4 people for the round robin draw. Likely, we will each play 3 games with the winner crowned for bragging rights! There is no fee, but I do need to know if you will be here to play so I can make the draw ahead of time.

Let me know if you will play by April 2. After play, we will have a little get-together, awards and a light lunch. <u>kathypalmer50@gmail.com</u>

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20 Rose Rookey ************************************	21	22 Autumn O'Shea	23 Ron Blanchard Charles Ball Suzanne Deschenes ***********************************	24	25 Edward Pobudinski	26 Alan McCoy
27 Sandra Sterman *************** Daniel & Lorna Albert	28 Marilyn DeMarree ************** Ron & Kathleen Ray	29 Michael Price	30 Marie Ustica Sam Nikbakht			

### LGHV Activities Membership – Beth Sullivan:

If you haven't already acquired your 2025 membership, please complete a membership form (available at the clubhouse or at our house), and submit it along with your check (made payable to LGHAA) or cash (\$7.00 each) and bring it to our house, 7326 Harbor View Dr., Lot #272. We'll prepare your new membership card and be sure it's delivered to you. Remember you need to have a current membership to participate in any of the activities here at LGHV. Any questions, please let me know.

#### MARGARITAVILLE!! – Tim & Beth Sullivan

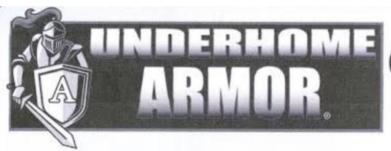
Our next Margaritaville will be held on Saturday, April 5th from 4:30 - 6:30 pm, here at our place located at 7326 Harbor View Dr., Lot #272. As always, this is open to all of LGHV!!

We will be having a "Walking Taco Bar" (Tim & I will provide the meat), water, pop and of course jugs of our favorite "lemon-lime flavored refreshment". For those of you not familiar, a "Walking Taco" consists of an individual size bag of either taco chips or Freetos. You'll crush the chips right in the bag and then add the extras that you like and eat your taco right out of the bag! A signup sheet is available at the clubhouse for those that can help out with the "Taco Bar" extras, such as individual bags of either Fritos or Doritos, guacamole, lettuce, etc.

Otherwise, we ask that you bring a dish to share, your own chairs, plus any other beverage you would like to drink. The "Shot-ski" will also make its usual appearance. Please come join us for a couple hours of visiting, eating, and sharing refreshments. AND **as a special treat, our very own** Jerry Dillon will once again entertain us with his amazing singing voice!!

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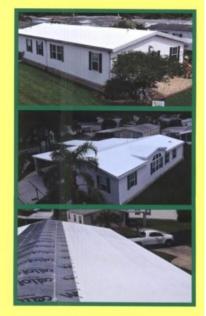
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### WEEKLY ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

	MONI	DAY	Т	HURSDAY	′ – CONT'D
	9:00am	EXERCISE		1:00pm	CROCHETING/KNITTING
	10:00am	WATER AEROBICS		1:30pm	ASIAN MAH JONGG
	3:15pm	YOGA & STRETCHING		3:15pm	YOGA & STRETCHING
	6:00pm	TEXAS HOLD'EM	4:15 set up	4:30pm	WATER VOLLEYBALL
	6:00pm	HAND & FOOT		6:00pm	BOCCE BALL
	6:00pm	BILLIARDS — MEN		6:00pm	TEXAS HOLD'EM
TUESDAY		FRIDAY			
	9:00am	LADIES HORSESHOES		9:00am	EXERCISE
2 <sup>ND</sup> & 4 <sup>TH</sup> Day	12:30pm	FAST TRACK		10:00am	WATER AEROBICS
	6:30pm	BINGO		6:00pm	BILLIARDS — MEN
WEDNESDAY		SATURDAY			
	9:00am	EXERCISE		8:30am	COFFEE & DONUTS
	10:00am	WATER AEROBICS		9:15am	BOCCE BALL
	10:30pm	FABRIC FANATICS		6:30pm	BUNCO
	1:00pm	AMERICAN MAH JONGG		SUN	DAY
	1:00pm	MENS HORSESHOES			
	6:00pm	BILLIARDS — MEN	1:15 set up	1:30pm	WATER VOLLEYBALL
	6:30pm	CANASTA		1:30pm	ASIAN MAH JONGG
	7:00pm	DARTS	1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Day	4:00pm	EUCHRE
THURSDAY			6:00pm	POKER	
	9:30am	BILLARDS WOMEN			
	10:30am	LINE DANCING			
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