



Holiday RV

A COVE PARK & MARINA

June 2025

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And the Winner is... Home of the **MONTH!**

June's Home of the Month goes to W72 Michelle and Gary Elliott! This delightful home rated the highest of this month's committee who randomly chose homes and rated them for the following requirements met: Overall neatness, well- kept garden or landscaping, inviting entry way, most improved overall, unique remodel, whimsical item, or best patio or screen area!

Congratulations to Michelle and Gary!



As we end May, we need to look forward and hope that June brings rain. The rainfall for May was disappointing and our trees, grass and plants need water to stay healthy. With June quickly approaching, we also need to be aware that the Hurricane Season is now upon us. It officially starts June 1 and ends on November 30, with most of the activity occurring between mid-August and mid-October. NOAA is forecasting an above-average 2025 Atlantic hurricane season. This means they predict a range of 13-19 named storms, with 6-10 becoming hurricanes, and 3-5 of those becoming major hurricanes (Category 3 or higher). This does not mean that Holiday RV will be dealing with a Hurricane like Milton again, but we must stay diligent and be prepared. Pick up and put away all those items that will become projectiles. Make an evacuation plan, locate the closest shelter, gather important personal documents, medications and keep your cell phones charged with necessary phone numbers saved in your contacts. Take time to educate yourself before you are faced with having to act at a moment's notice. Reminder Holiday RV Village does not have any buildings that are designated storm shelters. Preparation is key!

It sure feels like it is getting hotter earlier than usual this summer. If this trend continues that means August temperatures are going to be off the charts. Be sure to stay hydrated if you are outside working. Please also keep an eye out for others that may be dealing with dehydration. Call for help immediately.

Over the last few months, I asked residents to look at their home and take care of general repairs, including washing the home's exterior and cleaning up around your site. Reviewing sites will resume this summer. If you were asked to address something and have not yet done so, take this opportunity to get it done. Second notices come with a much shorter correction period and if they are not addressed within that period, they are to be directed to the attorneys. Your neighbors do not want to see your unkempt house/site. Walk around your site and take a serious look at what you see. Do you have green siding, missing paint, or needed repairs to your home or shed? Are there weeds knee high in your lawn or flower beds? Are you storing "treasures" aka junk outside your home/shed? Do you have a vehicle without a current registration or a broken-down golf cart with flat tires parked on your site? How about a cargo trailer or two RVs parked on your site? These are just some things that you should be looking at. If you answered yes to any of these questions, you have things to address. Please do your part! Take pride in your home and the community. It raises the value of all the homes at Holiday.

HRV Projects Update – behind the scenes there is much going on to move the various projects forward. Once everything is in place they will be able to start the work, and we will see results. The vinyl fencing is getting closer to the start date. Bids have been requested, and we have one more to be received. Then the job may be awarded to a contractor. Planning meetings are taking place for the WWTP Project. A contractor is also pulling together a plan for the indoor pool enclosure and the Café updates. Maintenance will be refurbishing the rolling dumpster which will include replacement of rusted steel, paint, and wheels as needed. These are not the only projects that are in the works. More to come. I will cover additional projects as they progress.

Lifestyle Office, Pat's working on events and is trying to bring something for everyone to enjoy. Be sure to look at your newsletter or download Campers App to stay updated on what is happening so you do not miss out. Remember she sometimes needs to adjust schedules due to unforeseen circumstances. We apologize for this and will work to keep it to a minimum.

Department Managers' Corner

MAINTENANCE DEPARTMENT

Dave DeNell

Hours of operation: Monday thru Friday 7:00am-3:15pm

Reminders:

- Maintenance will no longer accept Waste Oil.
- No non-employee is allowed in the Maintenance Department area.
- Please put yard clean-up material in a container or bag for pick-up.
- Do not rake and leave yard clean-up in a pile for pick-up.
- Dumpsters are for household garbage only.

Dogs are NOT allowed on the golf course or softball field. It is becoming a nuisance and hazard for people playing on the field where dogs have pooped, and their owners did not pick up.

Annual Consumer Confidence Report (CCR)

Drinking Water Quality report is available in the front office or online.



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.



MARINA

Summer Hours: closed, open for fuel only:

Tuesday: 8-8:30am

Thursday: 8-8:30am

Call the Front Desk 352-787-5151 for assistance.



THE POOLSIDE CAFE ^{NEW} *Summer Hours!*

Summer Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday- 8:30am-2pm

Saturday- 8am-11am

Closed Sunday & Wednesday

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



NEW & PREOWNED HOME SALES

There are new homes for Sale throughout Holiday RV.

Starting at \$59,900! Save thousands!

Now listing preowned homes for sale.

Contact Kathryn Andrews at 352-204-8941 for more information.

Holiday RV
28229 County Rd 33
Leesburg FL 34748

Departments:

Welcome Center/Registration
(Front Office): 352-787-5151

Mon-Fri- 9am-5pm

Saturday- Closed

Sunday Closed

Courtesy Center (gate):
352-815-0189

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June Events

June Main Events

- 6/4/25 2-5pm Jimmy Buffett Poolside Tunes with Tropical Steel Drums.
★ Bonus 2-4pm Holiday Cafe Poolside Special: Lobster Rolls or BLT wraps!
- 6/6/25 National Donut Day! Stop into the Lifestyle Office for a FREE donut 9-10am!
- 6/7/25 7pm Live Music with Dennie and the Jets DANCE (A) \$10 at Lifestyle Office
- 6/9/25 3pm Paint & Sip (M)
- 6/10/25 2pm Indoor Games Afternoon (A)
- 6/11/25 2-3pm Hillbilly Ice cream & Steak Shack 4-7pm
- 6/13/25 7pm Friday Night at the Movies (A)
- 6/14/25 10am Flag, Fish & Father's Day event! (M)
- 6/14/25 8pm Glow in the Dark Bocce
- 6/17/25 9am Team Holiday Event at the Softball field!
- 6/20/25 7pm Friday Night at the Movies(A)



Jimmy Buffett Poolside tunes with Tropical Steel Drums! FREE



Our Summer Dance will be June 7th, 7pm at the Activity Center!



Movie to be announced, follow us on Facebook for updates!



Follow us on
Holiday RV Park
Facebook page for all your
community updates!



The Big Red Bus will be here June 2, 10-4pm

Veteran Spotlight

by Diane Muzeroll

MEMORIAL DAY MAY 26, 2025

One of our park residents, Jean Hoffman, offered to share her family's story.

Her Dad grew up in an Italian neighborhood in Chicago. He was one of 6 brothers, 4 were in WWII as was his brother-in-law. She isn't sure just exactly which branch of the service they served in however she believes it was the army.

Jean's dad served in the militia, "because he had a heart murmur". One of her uncles lost his leg above the knee. Jean said "it was a real kick for us kids to have Uncle Lon roll up his pants and show us his wooden leg". In those days he did have a knee joint so he had a strange gate.

Jean remembers Memorial Day to always be celebrated for all servicemen in town.



Holiday Summer Softball

Well, it's been a bit of a rocky start for the Holiday summer softball team, we struggled a bit at first getting enough players here and healthy. Now things are starting to turn around and we had our first victory a team against the visiting Spanish Village team.

One of the things that sets us apart from the other teams in the league is that we have 4 wonderful ladies on our squad. these ladies have worked very hard at becoming better players and practice every day to improve their game been a important part of the team and have helped us to become much better.

I want to thank all of the fans for showing up at the games to cheer us on, it really helps!

I have been working on some issues with our ball field to make improvements so when the snowbirds return they will have a much better field to play on. Just a reminder, we will take the entire month of July off so that players may enjoy some summertime fun and avoid the scorching temperatures.

thanks,
Jack Barnes Summer Softball Ambassador



Holiday Lighting Schedule

All games start at 9am. Come support our team! Go Holiday Lighting!

June Schedule

All Games start at 9am

June 5	Plantation at Holiday
June 10	Holiday at Legacy
June 12	Clermont at Holiday
June 17	Spanish Village at Holiday
June 19	Holiday at Clermont
June 24	Pembroke at Holiday
June 26	BYE

July is OFF





Non-Denominational Church Service at the Marina

by Tony & Vanessa Derrico

We have been attending Discovery Church, in Orlando, for over 20 years, and we just love our church. Instead of making the hour drive each Sunday morning, we have decided to share our church remotely with others at Holiday RV. We are now live-streaming church service at the Marina each Sunday at 10 a.m. Come and join this casual, but powerful, church service, and see why we love this bible-based church that has been so impactful on us.

For all of 2025, Discovery Church will be in a series sharing stories of Jesus's life and how those teachings can be applied to our life today.

To learn more about Discovery Church, please visit DiscoveryChurch.org or join us at 10 a.m. Sunday at the Marina.



Ladies Lunch

Ladies Lunch is open to any Lady here in the community. We will be going out on June 18th to Clermont Fish House. If you don't eat fish, they do serve none fish items also. The sign up sheet will be in the Ken Jones on Monday June 9th. There is only room for 20. We will meet at the Activity Center parking lot about 11:00am. I will stay there until 11:30 or all have checked in.

Come on out for a good time and enjoy the conversation.



Photo Credit Denise Perry

June Special Events

Monday

9am - Walking the Water (OP)
1pm - Super Samba- Cards (M)
1pm Bunco (L)
5pm - Potluck (M)
6:30pm - Shanghai Rummy (L)

Tuesday

9am - Walking the Water (OP)
2pm - Indoor Cornhole (A)
6pm- Karaoke Fun (A)
7pm- Euchre (L)

Wednesday

9am - Walking the Water (OP)
10am -- Mini-Golf
1pm - Prog Hand & Foot (M)
7pm - Bingo (A)

Thursday

9am - Walking the Water (OP)
1pm - Bridge (L)
7pm - Pinochle (L)

Friday

9am - Walking the Water (OP)
1pm- Choir (A)
6pm - Prog. Hand & Foot (KJ)

Saturday

6pm - Super Samba (M)

Sunday

9am - Holiday Mission Church (A)
10am - Discovery Church (M)
2pm - Marbles & Sequence (L)
6pm - Super Samba (M)
6:30pm - Cards With K (S)

SUN	MON	TUE	WED
1 2pm LRC (M) Say Something Nice Day 	2  10-4pm Donate Blood. Big Red Bus	3 Bicycle Day	4 2-4pm Holiday Cafe Specials!  2-5pm Jimmy Buffett Poolside Tunes with Tropical Steel Drums
8	9 3pm Paint & Sip! (M) 	10 2pm Indoor Game Day (A)!	11 3pm Ambassador Meeting (A) Warzy Poolside Music 2-3pm Hillbilly Ice cream & 4-7pm Steak Shack food truck
15 2pm LRC (M)	16	17 9am Team Holiday Event at the Softball field!	18 <i>Ladies Luncheon</i> 11am (A)
22	23	24  4-7pm Eric's Steak food truck	25
29 2pm LRC (M)	30		

M- Marina
L- Leisure Center

A-Activity Center
S- Sports Center

MO-Main Office
IP- Indoor Pool

KJ- Ken Jones Center

The Fitness Center (L)

The fitness Center is one of our best kept secrets of Holiday RV Park amenities!

It holds a great selection of workout equipment to fit any level of exercise you desire.



*All times & dates are subject to change!

& Activities Calendar 2025

Tear out &
**SAVE THE
CALENDAR!**

AMENITIES AVAILABLE

Open and Available:

- Weight Room
- Pickleball courts
- Tennis courts
- Volleyball court
- Horseshoes
- Cornhole
- Bocce Ball
- The library:
 - Books, Games, videos, CDs, DVDs,
 - Computers, Puzzles
- Indoor pool
- Outdoor pool
- Billard room

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THU	FRI	SAT
5  7pm LRC (A)	6  National Doughnut Day 9am Donuts on Us at Lifestyle Office	7  7pm Live Music Dennie and the Jets! DANCE! (A)
12 am	13  7pm Movie Night (A)	14 10AM Flag, Fish & Father's Day event! (M) 8pm Glow in the Dark Bocce
19  7pm LRC (A)	20  7pm Movie Night (A)	21 National Selfie Day  
26	27 National Rose Wine Day	28

AP-Activity Center Parking Lot
FBS- Field by Softball
GPL- Gate Parking Lot




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Holiday Clown Club

The Holiday Clown Club ended the season at the Bike Fest and HearthStone Nursing Home. We met some wonderful people and had a lot of fun mingling and clowning with them!

Now that summer is here, we will be resting up for our fall season. Summer flocking will still take place, so fill out your forms and get your orders in to Paula Witt at C196 to surprise all your family and friends!

Lil Flower



Pinochle Update:

by Sandy Zaffer

Pinochle update: On April 3rd, Jim Fitzgibbons and Karen Barnes had the high game of 118 and Jim also had the high series with 550.

On April 10th, Louie King had the high game of 183 and Janet Coble had the high series with 569.

On April 17th, Jim Fitzgibbons had the high game of 126 and the high series with 509.

On April 24th, Sheila Ceder had the high series with 449 and Jo Fitzgerald & Irene Hart had the high game of 111.

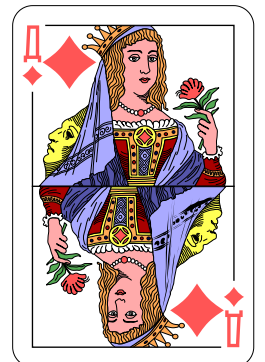
On May 1st, Jo Fitzgerald had the high series with 680 and Jo and Margaret Zimmerman had the high game of 131.

On May 8th Irene Hart had the high game of 125 and Debbie George had the high series with 492.

On May 15th Janet Coble had the high game of 112 and the high score of 577.

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.



Kathryn Andrews Holiday RV Sales Associate

DID YOU KNOW?

The continuing saga of Holiday RV 😊

We were really moving & shaking in the 70's & 80's!

In the mid-70's, a boat club was organized — but they only went on Sunday trips so the office manager Phyllis could participate at that time!

Themes like crazy hat trips were common 😊

Holiday started to increase the number of boat docks! A few guys played poker — but there weren't any organized games yet.

There was a surrey for rent here! If you're not familiar with that term — it's a light four-wheeled carriage with two seats facing forward. It had fringe on the top and could be pulled with a bicycle! It was originally parked near the bocce ball courts but then it was moved over by the gazebo (yes, the one near the tennis courts).

Having a big pancake breakfast in front of the mail room was a frequent event — sometimes using a large tarp for cover in case of inclement weather!

In the early 80's, our main activity center, shuffleboard courts, tennis courts and adult indoor pool were built. At that time — there was a "bubble tent" kept up with air pressure over the adult "indoor" pool.

"Bubble" over adult pool kept up by air pressure



The tennis courts weren't lighted initially. When the lights were eventually installed, they required a \$1.25 payment to use the lighted tennis courts for a portion of time. If the time expired before the game was over, players had to wait for the lights to cool before they could buy more time to play!

It was at that time also that the West water & sewer lines were put in and sites were prepared — an orange grove had to be removed to complete those sites. This brought our community up to 935 sites.

In the mid-80's, a 230-page cookbook of favorite recipes was compiled by the residents of Holiday! It was in that cookbook that our adopted marketing phrase was coined — "Away from it all - in the midst of everything!"

The softball field was prepared in 1986, and the Leisure Center was built in 1987. In the late 80's, the interior roads of Holiday RV were paved. In 1989, our address changed from 4519 South State Road 33 to 28229 County Road 33.

In 1990, the picnic pavilion was built in the marina area. And this was when the bubble over the adult indoor pool collapsed and had to be replaced! Back then they said the new roof would hold several TONS of snow!!

We'll continue our story into the 90's and beyond in our next newsletter!

Again, give me a call if you'd like to discuss buying or selling within Holiday RV. And don't forget that if you refer someone to live here, both you and they can get \$1000! (following the guidelines of our Win-Win Referral Program).

I'm in the office 9-5 Monday through Friday and by appointment on the weekends. I can be reached at 352-204-8941

Warm wishes as always! Kathryn Andrews

Holiday Mission Church

Holiday Mission Church is an established nondenominational church that has been a part of the Holiday RV Park community from the beginning.

Their members are residents who love having Holiday Mission Church within the park for Sunday worship and are a valuable part of the community.

Holiday Mission hold regular Bible studies for men and women's groups as well as have an active choir. Their members and staff are available to pray during trying times.

They hold special events aside from worship for Holiday's, Singspiration, movies, and potlucks. They also hold annual memorial services for those who have passed within the community.

All are welcome to join a worship held at the Activity Center at 9am Sunday morning. If you would like to join the choir, their Gospel Music Group practices on Friday afternoon at 1pm in the Activity Center.

Flamingo Flocking

The Holiday clown club is continuing flamingo flocking. In the dark of night the clowns will put a flock of flamingos on the lawn of your choice to celebrate a birthday or any other occasion. A **THREE DAY NOTICE IS NEEDED**. Put \$10.00 cash in an envelope along with the pink form, found in post office, and send to Jean Hoffman W 55.

Flocking supports, the women's shelter, human society and Leesburg Elementary School. Flocking makes all happy, the person receiving the birds, the person giving the gift, the clown and of course our benevolent causes who receive 100% of the donations.



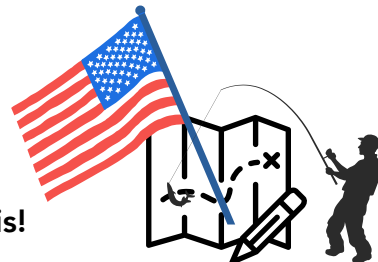
Father's Day Fun on Saturday June 14th

Attention all Fathers & Grandfathers, that includes the Stepdads and Step Grandfathers!

Stop on down to the Marina on Saturday June 14th at 10am for some crazy fun.

Flag, Fish & Father's Day Event
will sure be an event you don't want to miss!

It's the ultimate Scavenger Fish for a Flag in Lake Harris!



Don't have a boat? No worries! We'll draw for teams; the team that fishes out the most flags win the prize!

Sign up at the Lifestyle Office!
Weather permitting.

Meetings

Manager Q&A

Holiday RV Park General Manager Donna Passetti will not be holding Q&A meetings through the summer, unless an issue has become urgent to discuss.

Look for Q&A meetings to resume in October.

Ambassador Meeting

The Ambassador Meeting is on June 11th at 3 pm (the second Wednesday this time only!) We will be discussing summer activities. Suggestions are always welcomed at these meetings. We encourage all ambassadors to attend, if you miss it, please check in with Pat in the Lifestyle Office for important information possibly missed.

Notes!



Senior Adventures, Inc.

352-753-5404 www.senioradventures.net

Thursday July 17, 2025

OUTTA CONTROL MAGIC COMEDY DINNER SHOW!!! \$83 per person

EXPECT TO BE IMPRESSED!

This is interactive, entertaining, and hilariously funny dinner show starting at 6pm. A one-of-a-kind entertainment experience with non-stop audience participation.

The crowds don't just watch the show; they become a part of it!

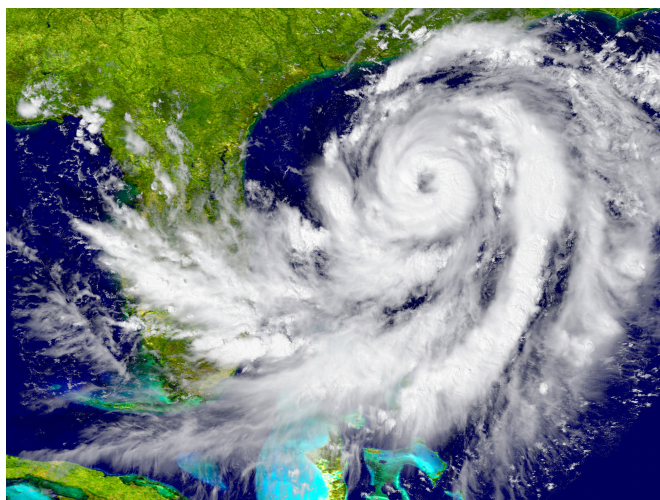
Includes unlimited hand-tossed pizza, salad, beer, wine, soda, and dessert, waiter gratuity and high energy comedy magic show.

Pick up from Holiday at 4:30pm and return 8:30pm.

Non-Refundable

Call 352-753-5404 for reservations!

"The best group to travel with!! We have traveled many thousands of miles with them since 2015...the VERY Best!!" Kathy Kines



Hurricane Season. Are You Prepared?

June starts hurricane season and taking time to be sure you are ready is important.

Living in central Florida means we don't get direct hits like our coastal areas; however, we do get hurricanes and tornados as the storms cross the state like last year with Milton.

Whether you are a long time resident or new here at Holiday, it's still best to follow these simple guidelines to be prepared.

DURING THE HURRICANE WATCH

1. Plug-in/charge all battery-operated devices.
2. Turn refrigerator and freezer to coldest settings. Open only when necessary.
3. Withdraw cash for one week of expenses.
4. Place valuables in a safety deposit box.
5. Restock emergency kit with flashlight, batteries, cash and first aid supplies.
6. Fill your car's gas tank and refill propane tanks.
7. Stock up on drinking water.
8. Refill prescription drugs and obtain special medications.
9. Outline emergency plans with your family.
10. Arrange for the safety of your pets. Ensure your pets have current vaccinations and you have their paperwork.
11. Gather things you will need if you go to a shelter. Ensure your hurricane survival kit is packed and ready to go at a moment's notice.
12. Stay tuned to radio and TV stations for weather reports.

DURING THE HURRICANE WARNING

Protect windows by lowering awnings or installing window protection. Bring in outdoor furniture and clear yard of loose objects. Lower your television antenna, be careful not to touch power lines. Plan to evacuate, if ordered.

Let's be prepared and be safe. Check your neighbors and help them be ready too.

From the Lifestyle Office

PATRICIA K WHEATON

Reminders

Articles for the July 2025 newsletter are due in the Lifestyles email inbox no later than 5pm, June 15, 2025. Articles must be submitted via email to

holidayrvactivities@covecommunities.com

Hello!

Welcome to June!

Adjusting to the summer Holiday RV Park smaller crowd, I'm learning it's a slower pace, but we all want something to do! So, I packed June with fun and eventful things to do!

We are starting off with poolside music with Tropical Steel drums, because we are in the heat of the tropics, aren't we?!

A summer dance on the 7th with live music by Dennie and the Jets!

Paint and sip fun at the Marina on the 9th.

Friday Nights at the Movies continue at the Activity Center, and they have been a lot of fun!

Check and save the newsletter calendar in the center of this newsletter for all the scheduled events and surprises to add to the month!

Not as fast paced, but we still gather to be full of fun, community and great times to be enjoyed by all!

Found this quote by Alice Waters, "This is the power of gathering: it inspires us - delightfully, to be more hopeful, more joyful, more thoughtful: In a word more alive."


And so, we continue to gather as a community to enrich our lives here at Holiday.

Pat



Holiday Highlights



We're still adding exciting new shows & activities for June & July! Watch for flyers at our Lifestyle Office and/or like and follow us  on Facebook: Holiday RV Park for updates!

*Pat Wheaton & Kelly Frank
Your Holiday RV Lifestyle Team!*