



Holiday RV

A COVE PARK & MARINA

November 2025

November

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Thanksgiving Dinner

Gathering together as a community and family of friends is heartwarming. This year's Thanksgiving Dinner is on November 27 at 12:30pm in the Activity Center. The details are still being worked out at the time of printing the newsletter, so watch for flyers and ticket sales at the Lifestyle Office or information available online. We hope that you will be able to join us for this special day of giving thanks and gratitude for all that we have. Happy Thanksgiving!





Welcome back Holiday Residents! It's hard to believe that we are in November and quickly approaching the end of 2025. We can be thankful for returning friends, the cooler temperatures and only one more month of Hurricane Season. I hope you take time to participate in the activities and events, strive to learn something new, and make new friendships. There are so many options to select from, keep trying something new. Please remember to THANK the many ambassadors that give of their time and talents to support the activities at Holiday.

After 21 years of working at Holiday, it's time to retire and enjoy time with my grandchildren. They grow up so fast, and I don't want to miss the opportunity to share in the magical moments of their lives. I'd like to thank you for your friendship, support and kindness while I have been a part of Holiday's Family. To my work family you are the best! Life is all about spending time with Family wherever you find it. Melinda Refenes will be stepping into the role as Holiday's Community Manager. She understands what a rare gem Holiday is and will work hard to support Holiday's way of life. Please congratulate her on her new role and join me in wishing her the very best. Your support is important, and I know that you will stand with her as she navigates the duties of Community Manager. During the season, Melinda will be supported by the Assistant GM from our sister property, Point Sebago, while it is closed for the winter. Shay Yates has roots in Florida and her work experience at Point Sebago, which has similar amenities, makes her a good fit for Holiday.

I'm going to turn the rest of this article over to Melinda.....no time like the present to step into your new role. YOU GOT THIS!

I am both humbled and excited stepping into the Community Manager position, these are pretty big shoes to fill. We will miss Donna's wisdom and guidance, and she will be missed by everyone. As I transition into the role of manager, I ask for your patience as we venture together into a new "season" for Holiday.

We are excited to see what this season has in store for all of us. For those that haven't returned to your winter homes, may you have safe travels, and we will see you soon.

Melinda Refenes
Community Manager



Department Managers' Corner

MAINTENANCE DEPARTMENT

Dave DeNell

Hours of operation: Monday thru Friday 7:00am-3:15pm, includes work orders and repairs done during these business hours.

Recycle:

- Break BOXES down, put on backside of dumpsters for pickup.
- PLASTIC goes in the bins on the backside of dumpsters for pickup.
- Rolling Dumpsters (parked by Comfort Stations) are for HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE ONLY
- YARD clean-up material put in a container or bag for pick-up.
- METAL items can be taken to the metal only dumpster in the maintenance area.
- NONMETAL items go into the other dumpster in maintenance area.

Lake County Landfill accepts paint, tire, electronics and more (HRV does not accept these items). Call 352-343-3776 for hours and more information. Great resource minutes from HRV Park.

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.

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



Winter Season Hours are pending.

Open for fuel only:

Tuesday: 8-8:30am

Thursday: 8-8:30am

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

THE POOLSIDE CAFE



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

Closed Sunday & Wednesday, Saturday

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

NEW & PREOWNED HOME SALES



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- 9-Noon

Sunday Closed

Courtesy Center (gate):
352-815-0189

Lifestyle: 352-787-5775
Hours: 9am-4:00pm - M-F
email: holidayrvactivities@
covecommunities.com

The Poolside Café
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Veteran Spotlight

by Diane Muzeroll

Billy Haynes

US Army 1968 - 1971

Billy was born in Indiana, moved to Leesburg, FL when he was six years old then entered the U.S. Army after school. He went to Fort Benning, GA for his Basic training, Sand Hill as it was called, then off to Fort Sill, OK for two months for Heavy Equipment Mechanic Training, ie; Tanks, then to Fort Polk, LA for two months for Wheeled Vehicle Mechanic Training. Once his schooling was finished Billy was stationed in Wurzburg, Germany. While there, Billy got orders for Vietnam. His commanding officer discussed with him whether Billy wanted to go or not, Billy told him if it's possible I'd rather not, so he was ordered to remain in Germany. Billy enjoyed his tour in Germany; said he had some good times. Before his discharge was due, he again received orders to deploy to Vietnam however with only 90 days remaining he wasn't deployed. He finished his Germany tour then was sent to Fort Dix, NJ to begin the discharge process. Billy was officially discharged from the U.S. Army in November 1971 as an E4.

Billy returned to Leesburg, FL and went to work for Jack Green Tile for a couple of years, then he worked for Firestone for a couple of years before moving to Georgia. In Georgia he began working in construction then started his own company. He had his own business for 42 years building commercial properties. Billy was in need of a wallpaper person when he met Brenda. She had her own business. They worked together when needed for several years before getting together. They have now been married for 18 years. Billy retired from construction, and he and Brenda started a seasonal Carnival Food Business for 8 months a year. They did this for 13 years. About 9 years ago they came to Holiday in their RV, two years in a row, for their fair break. They liked Holiday so much that they decided to buy a place.

Billy has one son, 53, and Brenda has two sons.

Billy is now fully retired; he and Brenda are full time residents here at Holiday and enjoy many of the activities here in the park.

November Events

November Main Events

- 11/1/25 2pm Resident Funds Meeting (A)
- 11/1/25 3pm Ambassador Meeting (A)
- 11/07/25 7pm Veteran's Dance with Billy D (A)
- 11/11/25 Veteran's Day Honors & Potluck
- 11/12/25 DIY Crafts! Dried Flowers Cards or Glass
- 11/13/25 Hot Wheels! (A) 6pm check in / 7pm Race Time!
- 11/17-20/25 What if Series
- 11/18/25 10-4pm Donate Blood/The Big Red Bus
- 11/19/25 3pm Donna's Retirement Open House (A)
- 11/21/25 7-10pm Fall Dance! with Automanic Duo (A)
- 11/22/25 8-1pm Craft Bazaar Show (A)
- 11/27/25 1pm Thanksgiving Dinner (A)
- 11/29/25 7pm Denny and the Jets (A)

HOLIDAY RV COMMUNITY

TOYS FOR TOTS DRIVE

Sponsored by
HOLIDAY CLOWNS
HOLIDAY THEATER GROUP
HOLIDAY YACHT CLUB

Holiday RV
COVE PARK & MARINA

It's that time of year again!

We are collecting for:

- Toys for Tots
- Leesburg Food Bank
- Leesburg Humane Society

Collection ends December 13 at the Christmas Golfcart Parade

December 8th 6pm
December 13th noon Parade / 7pm Dance

Toys for Tots Show PROGRAM & POTLUCK	CHRISTMAS GOLFCART PARADE Christmas Sing Along & Dance
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Activity Center
Drop off Boxes, Tickets, Signups, and more information at the Lifestyle Office

Thank you!

HOLIDAY RV PARK
Join Us for the Annual
CHRISTMAS CRAFT BAZAAR
AT ACTIVITY CENTER
8AM - 1PM
NOVEMBER 22, 2025

Get into the holiday spirit and find the perfect gifts for everyone on your list at our Christmas Craft Fair!

WHAT YOU'LL ENJOY:

- Resident Artists
- Handmade Crafts
- Helping Hands Raffle
- Coffee & Donuts

ADMISSION IS FREE, AND EVERYONE IS WELCOME!

For detailed information:
Signup for a table by Nov 17th in the Lifestyle Office

BILLY D WILLIAMS
LIVE MUSIC
COUNTRY
NOVEMBER 7, 2025
7-10PM
\$10PP

Quilts of Valor Ceremony \$50/50
Veterans Day Dance 7pm at the Activity Center

Tickets are available for purchase at the Lifestyle Office

VETERAN'S DAY HONORS
11TH NOVEMBER 2025
at the Activity Center
PROGRAM & POTLUCK
6-9PM

Signup & tickets in the Lifestyle Office

Thank you to all who serve!



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Facebook page for all your
community updates!



Join us in
Honoring our Veterans
November 11, 6-9pm
Program & Potluck

Residents' Fund

The Residents' Fund will hold their first meeting on Wednesday, November 5, 2025 at 2:00pm. The meeting will be held at the Activity Center and all Holiday residents are welcome to attend.

This year we have some new Trustees and Alternates. Central 1 elected Jack Brooks as Trustee and Laura Brooks as their Alternate. Central 2 elected Diane Muzerell as their Alternate. West 3 elected Nancy Lundgren as their Trustee and William Dunster as their Alternate. Welcome to all the newly elected volunteers.

The Residents' Fund will host two fundraiser dances this year. The first dance will be held on Saturday, January 17, 2026 at the Activity Center. The second fundraiser dance will be held on Saturday, March 21, 2026 at the Activity Center. More details to follow on each of these dances.

Archery



Starting Wednesday November 5, the Archery area will be open for beginners and novice archers. The targets are set for compound bows only for target practice.

The area is in west 3 on the Outer Parkway West road. The gate will be open to walk back to the targets. If you don't have a bow and would like to learn, come on out! There is gear and instructors available! See you on the range!

Holiday Softball

The Holiday Softball season starts on Tuesday, November 4, 2025. All three of the Sun & Fun Holiday teams are playing games out of the park that day.

The Sun & Fun League plays on Tuesdays and Fridays. The Division 2 team will be managed by Kevin Coble this year.

The Division 3 team will be managed by Tony Derrico and the Division 5 team will be managed by Jim Montcalm again this year.

Dave Duval will be coaching the Ladies team again this year. The Ladies play on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

Butch Tanner will be coaching the Holiday 70's team that plays once a week on Thursdays.

Our softball field is in great shape. The Holiday summer team did a great job taking care of the field, led by Jack Barnes. Jack has spent many hours improving the field. He was assisted by Ritchie Brown, Tim Sturgeon and several others. We have ordered new baseball clay/sand to mix in with the older clay that has not been improved since 2022. The Holiday Softball field will continue to be one of the best fields in the area.

Billiards

The pool room is open everyday. Two tables are available for play, along with cue sticks and balls. Please leave the room with the tables covered and lights off. Just a reminder, no one under the age of 18 is allowed in the pool room. Smoking is not allowed in the room.

Safe travels to Holiday RV.

Vince Feik



Non-Denominational Church Service at the Marina

By Tony & Vanessa Derrico

Welcome Home! So glad to see friends and neighbors coming back to their winter home and fall weather making an appearance.

Please join us as we live-stream services for Discovery Church each Sunday at 10:00 a.m. in the Marina.

We have been attending Discovery Church, in Orlando, for over 20 years, and we just love our church. Instead of making the hour drive on Sunday mornings, we have decided to share our church remotely with others at Holiday RV. Come and join this casual, but powerful, church service, with Contemporary Christian music and see why we love this bible-based church that has been so impactful on us.

We are currently in a series sharing Jesus' stories and how they impact us today.

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

In January we will start a Women's bible study – Look for details in the December newsletter.

Helping Hands

Another season is starting up and we are starting to welcome back our ladies to the group. We would love to see new face join us every week, to help us in our mission to bring joy to the kids at Camp Boggy Creek. The camp is a seriously fun camp started by Paul Newman for seriously ill kids. They get to attend camp free of charge and be kids for a week without worrying about their illness. We make quilts, teddy bears, and afghans to send to the camp. Each camper that attends gets to take an afghan and teddy bear home after camp. You don't need to know how to sew, if you can tie a knot, we have a job for you (even you guys that fish). We are also in need of sewers to sew quilts and do sew teddy bears, if interested let us know. It can be done at your house or during the time we meet. We also have a machine available if you don't have one and need one to help.

We will be starting up November 11, 2025, at the Ken Jones Center (post office) from 1-3PM. We can always use gently worn sheets, ribbons for the teddy bears, fabric, craft supplies of any kind and yarn. We will be going over to the camp for workdays on Thursdays more info to follow. The Spring Bear Stuffing this year is February 26, 2026. This is a chance to help stuff bears and take a tour of the camp. Lunch is provided by the camp, and it is delicious.

As always, we want to thank all the residents of Holiday who donate to us each year. The kids greatly appreciate it too.

Darlene Snell

Helping Hands Ambassador



Toys for Tots

It's that time of year again to collect Toys for Tots! The drop off box is available in the front office. Their official deadline is December 5, however we will continue to collect through the following week. We have a Toys for Tots show on December 8 at 6pm and our Christmas Golfcart Parade on December 13 at noon (see page 9 for details), and then a Singalong later that evening at 7pm!



Save the Date: Christmas Golf Cart Parade Dec 13th

The Annual Christmas Golf Cart Parade will be Saturday, December 13, 2025, at 1:30 PM.

The Annual Christmas Golf Cart Parade will be Saturday, December 13, 2025 at 1:30 PM. This event is sponsored by the Residents' Fund and hosted by the Holiday Yacht Club. This year's theme is "Santa's Workshop". Everyone can participate! You can decorate a golf cart, boat, bicycle and win prizes or vote and view the parade participants. This event will be accepting donations for the annual Toys for Tots drive and non-perishable food and pet supplies for our local food banks and shelters.

More details about the parade line-up/route and the After Party will be included in the December newsletter. In the meantime, if you are packing to head south before the parade, remember to look around your home for items that can be used to decorate your parade entry.



Holiday Yacht Club

The first membership meeting of the season for Holiday Yacht Club is Tuesday, November 18 at 4 PM in the Activity Center. MEMBERS, please remember to sign up to attend as we are having pizza to kick off our boating season! You can find the signup sheet on the HYC Bulletin Board located in the Ken Jones Center.

We have lots of great events planned for this season. Come and be part of the fun! Please bring your own drink to the meeting. Food, plates, napkins and utensils will be provided.

Interested in becoming a member? If you pay rent at HRV and have a boat (pontoon, power, canoe, kayak) located here you are welcome to join this fun group. Annual membership dues are \$10 per person. Check out our bulletin board for more information about the club. Or call Commodore Carol at 937-271-2161.

Fitness with Carol

Three different exercise classes offered this season at Holiday RV. These classes are for all levels of fitness and will help you establish a great fitness routine while you are here. All classes take place in the Activity Center.

Monday 9:30 - 11am: Strength & Stretching

o This class is 90 minutes to allow time for a complete work out with weights and/or bands and at least 30 minutes of stretching. The fee is \$2 per class.

o Exercise bands and weights are provided. Please bring an exercise mat and towel for the stretching portion of class. You may also do the stretching in a chair.

Wednesday 9:30 -10:30am: Zumba

o This aerobics dance class will have you sweating and laughing! Absolutely no fitness or dance experience is required! Class fee is \$1.

Wednesday 10:30 -11:30am: Cardio Drumming

o This workout can be done standing or sitting! Join us as we "bang" our "drums" with lots of great music and instructors. Equipment for class is provided. Class fee is \$1.

The What If Series

This is a series of classes that are designed to ask those questions on how to protect and be prepared for the what if's in your life. Whether you're single, a couple, or married, this is an opportunity to be able to have that tough discussion on what to do and what do you want during 'what if' something happens. Each class gives you the resources and tools you need to make informed decision you need now. Sign up in the Lifestyle Office. This is a FREE event.

11/17/25 Monday Crime Awareness: Learn about how to protect yourself from scammers and home and personal protection.

11/18/25 Tuesday. Be Prepared. Living Wills/Trusts: Whether you're single, a couple or married, what are your wishes when you pass? No one likes to discuss the end, however being brave enough to discuss what your wishes are now - helps your loved ones know what to do and what you want. Be prepared. A professional representative will be available to learn and ask question.

11/19/25 Wednesday. Know the Signs: Stroke & Heart Attack: Let's be aware by learning the signs and calling for help to save lives. Plus learn how to Eat Healthy on a Budget with Debbie Smith; let's be proactive in our own health.

11/20/25 Thursday. Understanding the Changes of Medicare with Carol Woolridge. Be honest, who's going to read through the big Medicare book that came in the mail? Carol is a professional agent that can break down the details to an easy-to-understand points that can help you make the informed decisions on your coverage.

11/21/25 Friday. Grief Care: Grief is a very personal thing, and everyone deals with it differently. Having the right resources, insight and strength to help yourself or someone else is valuable life session. Please join us as Lisa Zak from Vitas will be here to help us through this final What if Series.

Home of the
MONTH!

Congratulations
Wanda & Donald Jarvis!

Our Home of the Month goes to Donald and Wanda Jarvis! This beautiful home in East section is well maintained and very inviting!

I wasn't able to catch up with them at the time of printing the newsletter. Be sure to watch for their story on Facebook!



Daily ACTIVITIES:

Monday

9am - Walking the Water (OP)
9:30 Strength, Stretching & Toning with Carol (A) (off on the 3rd)
10am Disc Golf
1pm Holiday Stitchers (KJ)
1pm Super Samba- Cards (M)
1pm Bunco (L)
5pm Potluck (M)
5:30pm Dealers Choice (S)
2:30pm Cornhole
6:30pm Shanghai Rummy (M)
7pm Dominoes (KJ)
7pm Sassy Stompers (A)

Tuesday

7:30-9am Coffee & Donuts (M)
10am Beginner Pickleball
10:30am Pickleball Round Robin
9am Sassy Stompers (A)
9am Walking the Water (OP)
10:30am Chair Yoga (A)
1pm Woodcarving (M)
2pm Indoor Cornhole (A)
2:30pm Cornhole
6pm Game Night (KJ)
6:30 pm Karaoke Fun (A)
7pm- Euchre (L)

Wednesday

9am Walking the Water (OP)
9am Archery
9:30am Zumba (A) (Off on the 5th)
10am Mini-Golf
10:30am Cardio Drumming (A) (Off on the 5th)
1pm Prog Hand & Foot (M)
2:30pm Cornhole
6:30pm Cribbage (L)
7pm Bingo (A)
7pm Theater Group (M)
7pm Double Deck Euchre (L)

Thursday

7:30-9am Coffee & Donuts (M)
9am Walking the Water (OP)
10am Disc Golf
10:30am Chair Yoga Plus (A)
1pm Bridge (L)
1pm Super Samba (M)
2pm Cornhole Tournament
5:30pm Dealers Choice (S)
7pm Pinochle (L)

November SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

SUN	MON	TUE	WED
 2  1pm LRC (M)	3	4	5 2pm RFC Meeting (A) 3pm Ambassador Meeting (A)
9	10 Shaw's Ooh Wee 4-7pm	11 ***HAPPY*** <i>Veterans</i> ***DAY*** 6-9pm (A) Veteran's Day Honors Program & Potluck	12 3pm Dried Flower Craft, Card & Glass (M)
16  1pm LRC (M)	17 What if Series: 1pm (A) Crime Awareness & Self-Protection	18 2pm (M) Be Prepared Living Wills, Trust & Info 10-4pm Donate Blood. Big Red Bus	19 2pm(A) Know the Signs of Stroke & Heart Attack 3-5pm Donna's Retirement Open House (A) Steak Shack 4-7pm
23 30  1pm LRC (M)	24	25	26
M- Marina L- Leisure Center	A-Activity Center S- Sports Center	MO-Main Office IP- Indoor Pool	

Friday

8am Quilters (M)
9am Walking the Water (OP)
9:30am Circle Dance (A)
1pm Choir (A)
1pm Clown Club (M) (1st & 3rd Fridays)
2:30pm Cornhole
6pm Quilters (M)
6pm Prog. Hand & Foot (KJ)

Saturday

8am Walking the Water (OP)
9am Coffee & Donuts (A) Starting 11/8/25
10am Cornhole Lessons (1st & 3rd Saturdays!)
6pm - Super Samba (M)
7pm Double Deck Euchre (L)

EVENTS 2025

THU	FRI	SAT
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6 A) Stickfire Pizza 3-7pm 7pm LRC (A)	7  7pm Veteran's Dance Billy D Williams Black Country (A)	8  8pm Glow in the Dark Bocce
13 Eric's Steak 4-7pm  7pm Hot Wheels! (A) check in @ 6pm, race at 7pm!	14	15
20 2pm(A) Medicare w/Carol Understand Updates Thirsty Thursday 2-5pm DJ Warzy Stickfire Pizza 3-7pm 7pm LRC (A)	21 2pm (L) Grief Care 7pm Fall Dance Automanic Duo (A)	22 8-1pm Craft Bazaar (A)
27 Thanksgiving Dinner Noon (A)	28	29 7pm Dance Denny & The Jets (A)

KJ- Ken Jones Center
AP-Activity Center Parking Lot

FBS- Field by Softball
GPL- Gate Parking Lot



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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Sunday

9am Holiday Mission Church (A)
10am Discovery Church (M)
2pm Marbles & Sequence (L)
6pm Super Samba (M)
6:30pm Cards With K (S)
7pm Double Deck Euchre (L)



*All times & dates are
subject to change!





Chair Yoga

Welcome to chair yoga on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10:30 am. Chair yoga is a low impact stretching... movement exercise class that can be done by older individuals seated either in a chair or on an exercise ball. Chair yoga routines include various poses to enhance flexibility, strength and muscle tone as well as incorporating controlled breathing. This practice may also help with tightening joints, aid in some pain relief, may induce better sleep as well as an improved sense of mental and physical well-being. Working towards improving balance and flexibility is important and beneficial for all 55 plus individuals.

At Holiday chair yoga class, we welcome all physical levels of fitness, from those that are just looking to enjoy another wonderful class to those recovering from surgery or injury to those of us with limited mobility issues. These routines are another way to stay active, interactive and great way to improve overall quality of life. Hope to see you all at the next chair yoga class.

Dawnmarie T.

Get your boots ready!

The time is near that we all return to our homes for the winter, I am looking forward to returning and reconnecting with friends. I'm especially excited for another year of line dancing. They will be the same days and times as last season. starting November 3, Monday 7pm and Tuesdays 9am and 10:30am.

I have some new dances that will challenge both you all and myself, as well as easy beginner. The first few weeks will be review. See you soon.
Tina Mary Augustine



CIRCLE DANCE LESSONS

Welcome to the New Season! Just wanted to remind everyone we will be resuming Circle Dance Lesson on Friday, November 7th 9:30-10:30 a.m. in the Activity Center for \$1/dancer. Mark your calendar. We will start out reviewing the dances we learned last Season and build on them.

Experience and/or Partner are not required. Grab a friend, comfy shoes/clothing and some water. If you can walk, you can Circle Dance. It is line dancing without walls! Fun and variations are encouraged.

Safe travels & hope to see you on the dance floor ready for FUN!!

Ruth & Ozzie Osborn



Save the Date!
New England Reunion
Ice Cream Social!
Jan 14, 2026
1-3pm (Activity Center)
Details in December newsletter!

Save the Date Dec 1
Onspot Dermatology
7:30-3:30pm
Call for an appt.
941-444-0011



New York Reunion Meeting Nov 14, 2025

Please hold the date for Saturday, February 21, 2026 from 1 to 3 pm in the Marina for our New York Reunion!

In the meantime, we would love for you to join us on Friday, November 14, 2025 from 12:30 to 2 pm in the Sports Center to discuss your ideas for food, games, and future reunions. All suggestions and help are greatly appreciated!!

Any questions can be sent to pmk5ishy@gmail.com. or call 315-720-5160.

Pam & Doug Kay

HOLD THE DATE: 2/28/2026



The Midwest Reunion will be on February 28, 2026, at the Marina. This social gathering is for anyone from Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, Missouri, Wisconsin, or who does not have a specific state reunion. Further details will be issued later.

Double Deck

Double Deck Euchre will be conducted in November on every Saturday, Sunday, and Wednesday at 7 p.m. in the Leisure Center.

Interested people can learn the game especially if they know how to play regular Euchre. Lots of us like it.

Harold Brown W 12

Pinochle Update:

by Sandy Zaffer

Pinochle update: On August 21st Carol Slawnikowski and Jerry Lenhausen had the high game of 138 and we had a three-way tie between Jo Fitzgerald, Jerry Lenhausen and Sandy Zaffer for the high series of 450.

On August 28th, Jo Fitzgerald had the high game of 120 and Carol Slawnikowski had the high series with 470.

On September 4th Rena Schmidt and Sandy Zaffer had the high game of 128 and Rena also had the high series with 433.

On September 11th Irene Hart had the high series with 468 and Linda Collins and Rena Schmidt had the high game of 127.

On September 18th, Irene Hart had the high game of 134 and the high series with 604.

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.

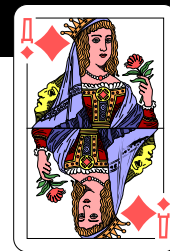
Machine Embroidery Club

Our Machine Embroidery Club meetings are Wednesday at 9am in the Marina. The group discusses techniques that may be used for machine embroidery. We problem solve some new techniques and help members with questions. So whether you are new to machine embroidery or just curious to see the process, please join us on Wednesday morning! Our group enjoys traveling to Quilt and Embroider Shops in our vicinity. Of course we find new restaurants for our lunch on those days

New members are encouraged to join our group.

Safe travels coming to Holiday!

Kathie Feik



Holiday Stitchers

Hello everyone. I hope your summer has been good to you. I wanted to remind everyone that we have our meetings in the Cafe at the Ken Jones Center. We are there on Mondays from 1-3pm. Season starts on November 3, 2025. I will not be joining you until the first of December. Bring your projects and enjoy seeing what others are doing.

For those who would like to learn to cross stitch, crochet, knit, etc, join us as well. We are always open to new friends and helping to pass on our craft. Can't wait to get back to Holiday! See you soon!! Bev Koons



Holiday Quilt Club

The marina has been confirmed for Holiday Quilt Club's Friday's morning meetings and Friday evenings sit & sew starting Oct. 3rd, (8-1pm and 6pm).

More about our club we are beginner to advanced quilters some of the things we do is teach classes, share ideas, go to shop hops, have sleepovers, host an annual club luncheon, have an annual park quilt show & biannual bus trip are just a few.

Some of the classes planned for the season are: Name Tag Badge class, Beginner Paper piecing, rope bowl, zipper bag, Mondo bag, sweatshirt Jacket, make up bag, three-yard quilt, shoe bag, Irish chain, Machine cleaning & care & Block of the month project.

We are looking forward to a fun and full season. Come check us out.

Cheryl Rathburn, Secretary



Holiday Clown Club



The Clowns have started to meet again, and our next meeting is Friday, November 7, 2025. You are welcome to join us and see what we're up to for this season!

Everyone, please note that we will be collecting food for the Leesburg Food Bank, and pet food and supplies for the Leesburg Humane Society at the Christmas Golf Cart Parade on Saturday, December 13, 2025. We'll be looking forward to seeing you!!

Lil Flower

Flamingo Flocking

Do you know someone who could use a little flocking?

Our flamingos would love to decorate someone's yard in the dark of night and help celebrate that special someone! Just fill out the pink form from the Ken Jones Center, place \$10.00 in an envelope, address it to Anne Carlson at 166W, and mail it in the internal mailbox. PLEASE ALLOW 3 DAYS NOTICE.

All monies collected will be given to local charities. You will give a smile to the person receiving the flocking, the Clown setting up the flocking and the charity receiving your donation! The Holiday Clown Club appreciates you!!!



Cornhole Update

Welcome back snowbirds. If you follow the parks Facebook page you will have noticed that cornhole has been played all summer. Cornhole is for all ages, skill level, and both genders.

As more of our seasonal residents return, cornhole participants will also grow. There will be lessons on the 1st and 3rd Saturday at 10:00 AM and many of our more experienced players are more than happy to arrange one on one teaching.

According to the lifestyle office, cornhole is one of the top activities in the park as it is offered every day. Our schedule is as follows: Sign up starts at 2:00, Play starts at 2:30 sharp every day.

Tournament day is Thursdays; the play is more structured as the winners and runners up will earn a sign to post in their lots for the week.

We do have plans on providing shade for the bleachers as well as Cove helping pay for shade for players.

Whether you are an avid player, beginner, or simply wish to watch, all are welcome.
Kent Tompkins

Pickleball is Back!



For pickleball it will be just like last year. Beginner lessons on Tuesdays at 10 am. Sign up for Round Robin (RR) starts at 10:30am. Tuesday's RR start right after lessons.

RR on Thursdays at 11 am for our beginners after enough snowbirds arrive.

We hope to have a lot of great competitions at the advanced level and beginner level.

Joe Wooldridge



Shuffleboard will be returning November

The shuffleboard courts and area is ready for play! Setup and practice at 12:30pm, with play starting at 1pm:

Tuesday Draw Partners

Friday Partners

Saturday Build-A-House

Sunday Pin Shuffle

Lessons - Saturday morning 9:30-11am

New players are always welcome!

Regular open play Monday, Wednesday, & Thursday. Equipment is available in the Sports Center.

Fitness with Carol

Carol is back! Fitness with Carol will be back on track starting with:

- Strength, Stretching & Toning Class - Monday October 20 9:30am at the Activity Center, class fee \$2. This 90-minute class is a full-body workout with hand weights and/or resistance bands, plus 30 minutes of stretching.
- Zuma -Wednesday, October 23 at 9:30am at the Activity Center. Great music, fun moves, lots of fun with friends! \$1
- Cardo Drumming - October 23 at 10:30am also in the Activity Center. Join us for a great workout banging on the drums to your favorite music. \$1

HRV SMOKELESS CAMPFIRE GROUP

We are pleased to announce our next Smokeless Campfire on Saturday, November 22nd 7:00-9:00 p.m. at the outdoor stage, behind the Activity Center & next to Outdoor Pool buildings. (If inclement weather, we may move into Activity Center.)

We are excited to have the Jam Session Crew join us with their outstanding talents. If you play an instrument, please bring it with you to join in with the fun.

Bring your friends, your beverages & your chairs. We do not provide snacks or beverages, but you are welcome to bring your own. There is lots of parking for golf carts, a lighted concrete dance area & some picnic tables.

Hope to see you across the Campfire!

Ozzie & Ruth Osborn

Karaoke Club

Welcome... we're excited to start the winter season of Karaoke Club at Holiday RV! Karaoke started in the 70's and has grown to a huge global phenomenon. People of all ages and abilities are enjoying the entertaining practice of singing along to all genres of prerecorded music with on-screen lyrics available. Some of the benefit of karaoke is better breathing control, mental agility encouraged, posture improvements for better sound projection, a great confidence builder and a fun way to interact with others enjoying one of our many Holiday RV activities.

We are ready to turn up the beat and get the party started with numerous Country, Rock, R&B, and so much more music available. So come one, come all, to embrace the joy of singing.... or even just come to listen to a evening of free entertainment... while we attempt exploring the vastly diverse, fun musical world of karaoke club at the Activity Center Tuesday nights 6 to 9 pm. Dawnmarie T.

HAPPY HOLIDAY KAYAKERS



Well, we are off and paddling. Our November paddles include our first Full Moon paddle of the Season on Wednesday, November 5th. We plan to launch from the Marina kayak launch site by 7:00 pm. Watch for the flyer on the Yacht Club Board with details & requirement. If you can join us, please be there by 6:45 p.m. for safety check & to sign Park forms.

For the rest of the month, our paddles will leave the Park Parking lot at 9:00 am SHARP. These include:

11/12 KP Hole(Rainbow River) - Lunch at Swampy's

11/19 Lake Jem Boat Launch – Lunch at Mary's Kitchen

11/26 Palatkaha Boat Launch – Lunch at Oakwood (Clermont)

All crafts must have a life jacket, paddle & whistle. We strongly encourage dressing in layers, sunscreen, water & snacks in reusable containers. A dry change of clothes is also a good idea to keep in transport vehicle. We do request emergency contact information for anyone paddling with us, just in case.

If you are not using a kayak & might be interested in loaning &/or selling, please give us your details. We would like to remind everyone they can join the Holiday Yacht Club, if you own a kayak, which is another great group of people in our HRV community.

For more information or questions:

Ozzie & Ruth Visit E142 or Text (518) 669-3337
ozzieruth@gmail.com



Stay Where You Play - -

And make one of these beautiful homes YOURS today!

- **NEW W231** – Your last chance to own brand-new at Holiday RV! This is the *final* new home available, and it's priced at an unbelievable \$51,990 – complete with a stunning view! With new homes coming in the future at prices over \$120K, this is a rare opportunity to lock in incredible value before it's gone. Don't miss out — start living the dream!
- **Pre-Owned C105** – Step into style and comfort with this beautifully renovated gem! Featuring a raised Florida Room, genuine hardwood floors throughout, and two spacious bedrooms, this home offers charm and functionality in every corner. Priced at just \$28,000, it's an unbeatable value!
- **Pre-Owned C210** – You'll fall in love with this cozy, centrally located home! It's got vaulted ceilings, a newer shingle roof and A/C (both from 2020), plus all the essentials including dishwasher and laundry! Kick back or host friends in the roomy lanai, which adds about 250 extra square feet of living space. And with a motivated seller, it's priced to sell fast at just \$15,000!
- **Pre-Owned C267** – This beautifully maintained TURNKEY home is ready for you to move in and start living the good life! Nestled in a prime central location, it features a brand-new mini-split A/C for year-round comfort—and yes, the GOLF CART is included! All of this for just \$24,995 – grab it before it's gone!
- **Pre-Owned W301** – Fall in love with this charming TURNKEY home, perfectly equipped for comfort and convenience! Enjoy the ease of in-home laundry, relax in the spacious lanai, and cruise the community in your very own INCLUDED golf cart. All of this for just \$18,900—an unbeatable value!
- **Pre-Owned W359** – Just Listed! This absolutely stunning TURNKEY home is a rare find and ready for you to move in! Featuring a raised Florida Room for extra living space, elegant granite countertops, and a nearly-new central A/C unit still under warranty for comfort and style on par with standard. And yes—the golf cart is INCLUDED! All of this for just \$55,000 – a true gem!
- **Pre-Owned W191** – This classic TURNKEY home features a raised FL room, two dedicated bedrooms (rare here at Holiday) and lifetime metal roof installed @ 5 years ago – PLUS – golf cart included! As if it couldn't get any better -- Bass-Tracker boat ALSO INCLUDED IN SALE!!! Perfectly set-up for beautiful days in the park and out on the water – all this for \$55,000!

Fall Back to Fun -- And don't miss your chance on these deals!



You've probably seen that all the new homes at Holiday RV have **sold** — but don't worry, your dream home is still within reach!

Come by the office and let's chat about building your custom home. We already have two on the way, and I'd love to help you find the perfect lot and plan a home that fits *you*.

This is a fun and rare chance to build your ideal home right here at Holiday RV — don't miss out!

Meetings

Resident Fund Committee Meeting

The Resident Fund Committee (RFC) meets the first Wednesday of every month at 2pm. All residents are welcome to the meeting held at the Activity Center.

Ambassador Meeting

The Ambassador Meeting is November 5th, 3pm at the Activity Center. We will be discussing the Winter season activities and upcoming Holiday schedules, volunteers for events and working together. As well as fund raisers, 50/50s and other ways to raise monies for your charity or group.

Retirement Open House!

Please join us to celebrate Holiday RV Park Community Manager Donna Passeti Retirement Open House November 19th 3-5pm in the Activity Center.

Manager Meeting Q&A

3rd Thursday of the month 11:30 am and 5pm. Please join us on November 20th to welcome in Melinda Refenes as the Holiday RV Park new Community Manager. Donna and Melinda will go over the parks concerns and updates and open it up for Q&A for the community.

Notes!



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352-753-5404 www.senioradventures.net

Book your Holiday Season Adventure Now!

There are many heartwarming holiday trips available, packed with shows, dinners, arts and shopping! Make your reservations NOW so you don't miss out!

New brochures are located in the Ken Jones building and the Lifestyle Office to take and see all the Senior Adventure trips! You can also look online for more details and new trips that have been added.

As always, simply call to make reservations! Don't wait as some trips sell out quickly!

Your trip begins right here, as most are scheduled to pick up from Holiday RV Park!

Call today! 352-753-5404 for reservations!

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From the Lifestyle Office

PATRICIA K WHEATON



Hello!

Reminders

Articles for the December 2025 newsletter are due in the Lifestyles email inbox no later than 5pm, November 15, 2025. Articles must be submitted via email to holidayrvactivities@covecommunities.com

November, a Season & Time for Thankfulness!

November for me has always been cooler temperatures, warm comfort food, family gatherings, football, (go Lions!) and of course deer hunting season! Although it is cooler, (I'll take 80-degree temperatures over our Florida's sizzling summer 90s and above for 150 days straight! Whew!) we still have our Holiday RV family gatherings, potlucks and tons of things to do here!

I'm grateful for so much here. A community that comes together to help others. Who celebrates activities, faith, and simple gatherings. We are blessed here every day, and I think in part it's because we stay so active that we are healthier and happier.

We are all at that age when taking care of ourselves and being prepared for the 'what ifs' is a smart thing to do. Most of us have done a really good job of that; others haven't taken the time to think about those things. So, I've pulled some resources together and created the What If Series. You'll find it on the calendar and in this newsletter, I hope you find it helpful.

Thanksgiving dinner we will gather once again and celebrate the season of being thankful. I'm thankful and grateful to be working here for season 2! I'm grateful to having my assistance Kelly back to help me! I'm grateful for all the Ambassadors who run so many different activities here! And I'm thankful for all who come to Holiday and call it home.

I hope this season of gratitude fills your home and your hearts with all that you love.

Happy Thanksgiving Everyone!

Pat



Holiday RV Highlights



Photo of the Month! Congratulations to Wendy Montroy

We continue to add programs through the month!

Watch for flyers at our Lifestyle Office and/or like and follow us on Facebook: Holiday RV Park for updates and changes!

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



Wendy Montroy posted this beautiful picture of an owl. Thank you to all who entered! Send your photos for next month's Photo of the Month!

