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## WOMEN'S CLUB QUARTERAUCTION - NOV. 16

### WHAT IS A QUARTER AUCTION AND HOW DOES IT WORK?

- A quarter auction is designed as a fund raiser for charity. In our case, the monies will contribute to the amount we donate to multiple charities at the end of the season.
- Each participant can purchase a numbered paddle for \$3 or 2 for \$5. A corresponding number is put into a container for the drawings.
- Make sure you have brought rolls of quarters or purchase rolls of quarters prior to the beginning of the event.
- Vendors will be set up around the room to display their products and you may purchase items cash and carry. They rely on these purchases to supplement the donations they have made.
- Food and soft drinks will be available for purchase throughout the evening.
- Seats are available first come, first served. Each table will have a container in the middle of the table for your quarter bids.
- When the auction begins, the MCs will explain the rules to ensure everyone is clear as to how the auction is run.
- Someone will offer an item for bid and ask that those interested in bidding should put quarters (number requested 1, 2, or 3 for each paddle) in the container and raise the paddles. After all monies are collected, a number is drawn. If the paddle is held up as a bid then the person with the paddle wins the product. If that number has not been raised then another number is drawn until a winner occurs. The number of quarters requested is based on the value of the product. The higher the cost, the more quarters requested. All numbers are returned to the container so it is possible to win multiple times. Remember if you have multiple paddles you must put in multiples of the requested quarters to bid. You may choose to only raise one paddle but if the other paddle's number is drawn you will not be eligible to win with that number.
- This event has become very popular around the area. Products auctioned will be a variety that will appeal to everyone at some time, both male and female.
- If successful, this event will be repeated at a later date. Please support your Women's Club. Thank you.
- Any questions, please call Bev Mercurio at 513-746-8181.

# Happy Halloween



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**LIAISON MEETING MINUTES**

September 12, 2019

Present:

- Ron Hovet, President HOAll
- Dick Loubier, President PLEHOA
- Maura Alexander, Director HOAll, Acting Secretary
- Bob Godek, Architural Review PLEHOA
- Julie Flake, Pine Lakes Manager
- Margaret Pfhul, Lake Fairways Manager

**Grounds and Maintenance**

- Work has been completed on the hole behind 33N and Julie will look at it with Steve.
- The seawall on Hole #10 is completed; concrete repair and tee repair need to be completed. No date has been set for the sodding of #10 Tee box. Davey will do the work.
- The company "Solitude" has been hired to check the algae growth in the lakes. Chemicals have been added but can only be repeated every two weeks. "Solitude" checks every 30 days, and comes when needed.
- Julie will talk with Joshua Tree concerning residents' complaints about mowers going too fast and leaving grass dug up by mowers' tires. Julie will also discuss the trimming of shrubs along the walking paths.

**Pool**

- Pool bathroom: Julie is waiting for the contractor's schedule.

**Clubhouse**

- Another similar machine has been ordered to replace the missing machine in the exercise room. It will be a "3 stack" machine.

**Discussions**

- Estate properties bought by ELS, when sold, will follow the Rules and Regulations already in place for leased land properties.
- ELS has purchased 11 Estate properties and has sold none of the homes. ELS does not want to be in the rental business so eventually will sell the homes.
- No P4 prospectuses have been used on any properties in Pine Lakes.

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**WHISPERING PINES**  
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**Nov., 2019 Thurs., Oct. 17, 2019**

**PLEHOA Minutes can be found on the Pine Lakes web site.**

- Pine Lakes is a “market community” and lot leases are not assumable. New owners are taken to “market rent” at the time of lease signing.
- The late rent payment fee will be the same; \$75.
- Some residents have concerns about Encore RV Park and it being annexed to Pine Lakes. Julie said the RV section of ELS is a separate division with their own property managers, etc. and there are no plans to make it a part of Pine Lakes. Julie said she would contact Corporate and ask for a letter stating this fact.

**Open/Ongoing**

- Repair/ replacement of street and speed limit signs.
- Mailboxes and tube repair: homeowners should report broken mailboxes to management; homeowners can request unsightly mailboxes to be painted.

**Items Requested in 2019 Budget**

Renovate the pool bathrooms: Julie is waiting for the contractor’s schedule.  
 Seawall replacement near Hole #10: seawall is completed; some repairs still need to be done.

**Items Requested in 2020 Budget**

Tiki Hut roof repair.  
 Resurface Pine Lakes Blvd. from Rte. 41 to Circle Pine Blvd.  
 Resurface 5 cul-de-sacs, #s to be determined.  
 Replace/repair all unreadable street signs and common area signs, (ex. Golf course).  
 Surveillance cameras for the pool and front of Pub.  
 Replace movable walls.  
 Pool Monitor during the period Dec. 1, 2019 thru April 30, 2020.  
 Redo ballroom floor.

*Respectfully submitted, Maura Alexander,  
 Acting Secretary*

**FMO**

By Linda Dowd, PLEHOA Representative

**A**s I sit writing this article, I’m breathing a sigh of relief. We just missed a bullet, but remember we have a way to go in hurricane season.

I wanted to respond to my partners article last month. I think Maura really said it all! It was thorough and very concise. If you haven’t read it, I urge you to take the time to do so now. I so agree that every homeowner needs to pay their HOA dues. Estate owners must pay theirs’ every six months.

You should join FMO (Federation of Manufactured Home Owners of Florida). If you want your voice heard in Tallahassee, we must show strength in our numbers. The louder our voice, the more we expect to be heard. You will also receive the FMO magazine which is very informative, with articles like “Capital Beat” and a legal section where you submit questions.

Just a reminder, we still have our membership drive until October 15, 2019. You can receive \$5.00 for every new member you get to join. I cannot stress enough that we must do everything available to us to protect ourselves from this large corporation.

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**NOTE OF CLUBHOUSE ACTIVITIES:**

The ELS Annual Customer Service Training is scheduled in the Pine Lakes Clubhouse from Tuesday, 10/22 – Thursday, 10/24. Therefore, all activities between the hours of 8AM to 5PM are cancelled for those three days, including BINGO.

## PINE LAKES THEATRE

By Jackie Harrigan

Sunday, October 27TH AT 5:30PM is our opening of the season for Theatre Group. It will be a Potluck. Come join us to hear about our shows this year.

Sunday, December 8th is our Christmas Show at 3PM; auditions will be the week of Nov. 4th, time and place will be advised at a later date. It again will be readers theatre.

Saturday, March 28th and Sunday, March 29th will be the play.

We are looking for new people to join us. Any questions, please call Jackie Harrigan.

**Pine Lakes Theater**  
**Our Annual FALL Meeting**  
 Sunday, October 27, 2019  
 5:30pm  
 Activities Room  
 Pot Luck - BYOB  
 Water, Soft Drinks Provided

## LINE DANCING

By Linda LeClaire Smith

Line dancing classes for new beginners, advanced beginners, and intermediate dancers, will begin November 5. Please join us for various levels of line dancing on Tuesdays in the clubhouse. If you are new to line dancing, come at 10:30 a.m. to learn some of the basic steps, and some beginner dances. Between 11 and 12, we will continue with beginner dances. Between 12 and 1, we will dance at an intermediate level.

We dance to various types of music including pop, country, oldies, etc. Many of the steps used in line dancing are also used in ballroom dancing, so if you are interested in learning ballroom steps, line dancing is a good place to start. An 18-month study, published in the journal "Frontiers in Human Neuroscience," found that choreographed dance routines boosted endurance, flexibility training, and balance, as well as improving brain structure.



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## PINE LAKES SUMMER BOWLING

By Betty White

The Summer League is in the books. Where did the time go??? We completed 14 weeks of bowling and the awards were presented. The winning teams are as follows:

1st Place Team: Split Happens:	Jack Defer, Paul Clarcq, Don Sweet, Dave Bisone
2nd Place Team: Dusty Brains:	Trish Bell, Karen Hyskey, Frank Michalak, Ed Smith
3rd Place Team: Left Overs:	Linda Patterson, Adele Heft, Dennis Studdard, Sally Uffens

***Congratulations to the three top teams. Great Bowling!***

### Our high average rollers are as follows:

Men:	200 Randy Califf	189 Wayne Arey	188 Jim Troicke
Women:	153 Jill Hudson	146 Louise Ratliff	144 Sharon Rondeau

### Here are the Different Category Prize Winners:

	<u>Men</u>	<u>Women</u>
High Scratch Game:	250 Wayne Arey	213 Irene Gaetani
High Scratch Series:	665 Randy Califf	538 Louise Ratliff
High Handicap Game:	277 Bill Hawkins	261 Joann Owens
High Handicap Series:	690 Ed Smith	672 Linda Wakefield

***Honorable Mention and a trophy given to Donna Provost for making a 7-10 Split. Great going, Donna and well-deserved recognition!!!!***

Also, a prize was given for the most improved bowler. It had been Rich Pacewic up until the last week when he was bested by his wife Pat Pacewic who took home the prize. ***Congratulations, great going, Pat!***

After the awards, most of us chose to bowl three games of Nine Pin no tap sponsored by Bowland. The winners of the cash prizes are as follows:

Men:	Wayne Arey
Women:	Nancy Beaupre

Congratulations to all the winners and thanks to all for a great season.

The Fall Session will be starting up on October 7th to December 30th.

The Winter Session follows right along after and begins on January 6th until March 23rd.

There will be a pre-bowling meeting on September 30th, 1 PM at Bowland/ Cape Coral Lanes, 42 Mid Cape Terrace (Off Santa Barbara), Cape Coral (239-772-1661) to discuss the upcoming seasons. Anyone wishing to join the group may attend and or call Larry Hyskey at 239-567-0807. We always welcome new bowlers to join our group. We do have a lot of fun.

## BOWLERS WANTED

The Pine Lakes Mixed Bowling League held a pre-bowling meeting on Mon., Sept. 30th at 1 pm at Coral Lanes/ Bowland followed by an optional 9 pin no-tap bowling for \$13.00 with prize money.

### We bowl at:

Coral Lanes/Bowland  
42 Mid Cape Terr. (off Santa Barbara Blvd.)  
Cape Coral (239-772-1661)

The first half runs for 12 weeks from Oct. 7th to Dec. 30th and the second half runs from Jan. 6th to March 23rd with a banquet on March 30th. We bowl on Mondays at 2 pm (practice starts at 1:45). The cost per week is \$12.00. We are a non-sanctioned handicap league so it doesn't matter what your average is.

Please contact Larry Hyskey at 239-567-0807 to sign up. We welcome new bowlers. Come join in on the fun and meet new people.



## ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE

By Bev Mecurio

**G**reetings from the Entertainment Committee! I think we all will welcome some nice "fall" like weather soon, hopefully a little cooler anyway. While we don't get the change in the colors of our leaves, one thing you can count on, is the color of the license plates changing as we welcome all of our northern friends back to Pine Lakes!

Save the date of Dec. 7th. We will host our Christmas Sock Hop, featuring the great oldies tribute group The Del Prados. I am sure most of you are familiar with them as they play all around our area. They play classic rock & roll from the 50's, 60's, & the 70's. They have performed in southwest Florida for 17 years now. They bring you the best of the doo wop era. So, come on out and join us and relive those wonderful old memories we all have! Tickets for this event will be \$12 and all seats are reserved. Jesse Howard will be your contact for tickets.

You will also want to save the date of Feb. 8th. We, along with The Men's Club, will bring you a fantastic show and my personal favorite group, A Tribute to The Bee Gees!! That will be a super fun night and we expect tickets to sell out fast so don't be left out! Tickets for this show will be \$20 and all seats are reserved.

That's all I have for now. We appreciate you supporting our events.

The Pine Lakes Entertainment Committee Presents  
**A CHRISTMAS SOCK HOP!**  
Featuring **The Del Prados**

**Saturday, Dec 7, 2019**  
Pine Lakes Ballroom  
Doors Open at 6:30pm Show at 7pm  
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## BOCCE

By Betty White

**W**e made it through the hot and humid month of September and look forward to the Fall Session of Bocce which begins on October 9th. There will be a meeting held on October 2nd in the Activities Room in the back of the ballroom of the clubhouse. Come join us for coffee and donuts for a brief informational meeting and the team selections. The team names are drawn at that time and you will know who your partner is that day. You may sign up at this meeting if you have not already done so. If you are not able to be there and you have signed up, the team and sub lists will be e-mailed to all of the players shortly after the meeting. If you are not able to attend the meeting and wish to sign up, you can call Irene Gaetani at 508-561-8108.

**NOTE: IF YOU ARE SIGNED UP, CHOSEN FOR A TEAM AND WILL NOT BE HERE THE FIRST WEEK OF PLAY, PLEASE REMEMBER TO INFORM YOUR TEAM MATE AND GET A SUB FOR THAT DATE.**

Come join in the fun, Bocce is not a strenuous game, but is a lot of fun and we have every level of competition. Hope to see you at the meeting. and look forward to a great season.



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## BEAUTIFICATION TEAM

By Bonnie Stropes

Welcome back to all of our Fall neighbors and friends, and to those of you who will be arriving later in the season.

As a lot of you know, Mike and I have sold our home here in Pine Lakes and will be moving soon. I am very sad to announce that I was unable to find someone to assume responsibility for the Beautification Committee. The Pine Lakes Men's Club will be hosting ringing in the new year and the new decade in style and more information will be forthcoming.

The other Beautification events, that have been on the calendar will be removed immediately, but if any individual or group would like to facilitate any one of them, please contact Dari immediately. If I can be of any help, please don't hesitate to reach out 952-358-1347.

I am under the impression that the Beautification Committee has come and gone over the years. The scope of projects, improvements, and events have changed due to the vision of the leaders and volunteers who have been actively involved. I believe it is a worthwhile, satisfying, and beneficial cause to all who volunteer and those who enjoy the results.

Thanks again to the great gals and guys that have worked so hard this past 20 months, and to all of the generous residents and groups who donated funds that made our events and Lobby project possible.



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Pine Lakes resident Donald Kusk died on July 17, 2019. He is survived by his wife Judy—they were fulltime PL residents since 2011.



Bob Philbrook passed away September 17 in Fort Myers. Bob and his wife Connie lived on Frenchmans Court for 8 years.

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## C.E.R.T

By Mike Gloss

John Weakley, Angie Teresky, Pat O'Connell and Becky Gloss attended the CERT Coast Guard Auxiliary's First Responder Program and received their certificates. Thank you and congratulations! Mike Gloss attended the CERT State Convention in Naples, FL, September 12-14. Last day of hurricane season is November 30th--stay prepared.

*Mike Gloss, CERT Leader, 330-524-1292 -- Volunteers Welcome*



## CALLING ALL PICKLEBALL PLAYERS

By Rick Saniti

From up here in Minnesota, I heard it was a long hot summer once again at our beloved Pine Lakes and that the opportunity for playing some Pickleball didn't happen very often. Well, I believe that summer is over, (for sure in Minnesota), and it's time to start filling the Pickleball courts with players. All returning "picklers" as well as all you year rounders, should check for Pickleball action every day at 8 o'clock AM. I know I can't wait to see everyone again and start playing. See you all on the courts very soon!



## PINE LAKES SENIOR SOFTBALL

By David Gluck

A team meeting will be held on November 30th, 2019 at the Clubhouse Library at 7:00 PM. Please attend if you plan to play in the 2020 season, bring a new player, women welcome to join the team.

First practice is November 30th, Saturday, 9 AM to 11 AM at "Judd Park". First game on Monday, January 6 at 5:30 PM at Carmelita Park in Punta Gorda.

Questions: call or see me, David Gluck, 239-834-8424, Lot 27-I.



## A DAY OF CARING

Our annual kickoff is Saturday, October 5, 2019 at the Men's Club Pancake Breakfast. Please join us!

As the holiday season approaches, it's time to focus on helping those families in Lee County less fortunate. A letter explaining our program has been inserted into your October calendar with the WHISPERING PINES along with an envelope for making your donation. No amount is too small and all donations collected go to our LOCAS charities...The Fort Myers Rescue, Hispanic Services of Catholic Charities and Wake Up America. If you haven't received a letter, please contact one of the committee members listed below.

Tara Woods is having a QUARTER AUCTION for the benefit of A Day of Caring on October 24, 2019 from 5-8:00PM. All 3 communities are invited. This is a fun kick-off where the proceeds will be added to your regular generous contributions. For reservations contact Chris Olson via text or phone at 715-851-4681.

Last year the three member communities in "A Day of Caring" raised over \$14,700. Won't you please help us reach that goal...or more...this year! Thank you for your continued support.

### "A Day of Caring" Committee:

Gail Barry, Barbara Brown, Judy DeLonge, Jan Farlow, and Sue O'Donnell



# PINE LAKES BOOK CLUB

By Danielle Zamoider

Hello Readers:

Following is the list for 2019-2020. Please notice there are presenter holes. In my notes, I wrote down the selections but no corresponding presenter. If you would like to present either of these two selections, or one you would prefer, please let me know and I will update the list. Also, I believe April is still open.



## 2019 - 2020 Selections

<u>DATE</u>	<u>BOOK</u>	<u>AUTHOR</u>	<u>PRESENTER</u>
October 29	EDUCATED: A MEMOIR	Tara Westover	John Weakley
November 26	BEFORE WE WERE YOURS	Lisa Wingate	Claire Link
January 28	LEISUREVILLE: ADVENTURES IN A WORLD WITHOUT CHILDREN	Andrew D. Blechman	Danielle Zamoider
February 25	THE LILAC GIRLS	Martha Hall Kelly	Joan Carney
March 31	IN THE PRESENCE OF HORSES	Barbara Dimmick	
April 28	TBA		

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**PINE LAKES SHUFFLEBOARD –  
FALL SEASON OPENER OCTOBER 8, 2019 at 7:00 PM!**

By Elaine Mandeville

As we drive around Pine Lakes, we are seeing the migration begin! Our northern friends are beginning to arrive. New faces are seen walking, playing various sports, swimming (or noodling), and eating at The Pub! Welcome back to all of you. We're very happy to see you. We're looking forward to welcoming back all our northern friends, and seeing all our year-round friends who have been hiding out in the A/C all summer.

On Tuesday October 8th we will have our first games of the season. Everyone is welcome to play any or all of the games. It only costs a donation of \$.25 (yes 25 cents) to play each week. We play two games and you can win \$.10 (yes 10 cents) for each of the two games if you win! It won't pay your rent, but it's very exciting to pick up those dimes if you win a game. You can come one week or all 10, or any portion of the season. Whatever works for you.

So - COME ONE – COME ALL - join the fun! We start right at 7 PM so come a few minutes early to help set up. You will be given a partner, so you don't need to come as part of a couple. We play two games which usually end around 8:30 PM. It's very easy to learn and new players will be teamed up with those who know the game.

Our new season will commence on Tuesday, October 8th and continue through December 10th, in plenty of time for folks to get back to the frozen north for the holidays. Hosted once again by Irene and Al Gaetani. Last year we found that many folks chipped in by coming a few minutes early to help them get the equipment out and some stayed to put it all away. Our community is always filled with willing hands and it is appreciated!

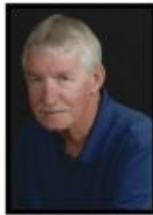
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ON 2<sup>ND</sup> OCTOBER 2019



*Dick Loubier*  
Bingo Manager



## GOLDEN OLDIES GOLF GROUP

By Betty White

The Golden Oldies Golf Group is now finishing with the Summer Session. We persevered through the summer heat and had a great time.

### Here are the winners from the week of 9-13-19:

**First Place:** Jim Conrad, Helen Machado, and Terry Fenech

**Second Place:** Dick White, Helen Novella, Tim Mercurio and Jim Rastrelli

**Third Place:** Jay Miller, Linda Green, Ron Hovet and Jean Marena

Our Summer Session culminated with a pizza party after the games at the Pub on September 27th.

We will continue playing each week on Fridays, however the first week of October our tee times will change to 9:00 AM. We will be limited to 8 teams of four players. Anyone wishing to sign up may do so in either pro shop,

Pine Lakes or Lake Fairways on Saturday, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday in order to play that week. The teams are then organized to equal out the levels of play. We play nine holes of scramble (best ball). We welcome all levels of golfers. The teams vary each week, so you get to play with different players. It is a great way to meet you neighbors.

If you are interested, please make sure you sign up or contact Jim Conrad at 920-254-3473.

Thanks to all the participants and we look forward to a great Fall/Winter Season.



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## TEE TIME

Ladies 18 Hole Golf League  
By Joann Cline

**FLORIDA, where summer lasts 6 months....twice a year! Let the Season begin!  
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As reported in the September issue of the Pines, because of the rain, heat and humidity, the Ladies League took a lot of time off from golf during the summer months. However, several real 'diehards' bravely ventured out to play. League days were usually a scramble and "nine and dine", and our ladies did take some time to play with the gals at Lake Fairways and then reciprocated and had the Fairways ladies join them here. A good opportunity to make new friends and spend time with old acquaintances.

Despite the not so friendly weather, the ladies also managed to play our Summer Fun Shoot-Outs, with the final Grand Shoot-Out played on September 14th. The weather was warm and so was the applause from the crowd of spectators when 13 golfers took to the tee to start the contest. With two golfers being eliminated on holes number one, two, and three and one on each following hole, the final three would finish in the money. Bev MacNeal took third place when she went out on hole number 8, leaving Carol Listermann and Debra Russo to fight it out on the ninth. When the final putts were made and the dust settled Debra came out on top with Carol as runner-up.

**Congratulations – Debra, Carol and Bev** – and thank you to all the participants and spectators. A **special THANK YOU** to Judy Emmons and Donna Schneider for organizing the Summer Shoot-Outs and to Ray Streeter for officiating and Roger Jung for helping out.

With mid-September as the deadline for October's Whispering Pines we're still waiting for some 'Fall' weather along with the return of many of our snowbird friends. The ladies played low net in flight on the 11th of September with winners listed below. Our calendar shows that Darlene Topp, our game chairman, has scheduled different games for the remainder of September and all through the rest of the season. We're looking forward to that and to our regular season shoot-outs and tournaments. Watch for all the winners in the upcoming issues of Whispering Pines.

\*\*\*\*\* CONGRATULATIONS LADIES LEAGUE WINNERS \*\*\*\*\*

### September 14th Summer Grand Shoot-Out:

1st Place Debra Russo                      2nd Place Carol Listermann                      3rd Place Bev MacNeal

### September 11th Low Net in Flight (9 holes)

#### Flight 1

1st Linda Wakefield                      net 28  
2nd Nadine LaCroix                      29  
3rd Carolyn Copley                      31 tie  
3rd Sandy Tupper                      31

#### Flight 2

1st Angie Teresky                      net 25  
2nd Sandy Craig                      27  
3rd Donna Schneider                      30 tie  
3rd Denise Wright                      30

## OCTOBER – Breast Cancer Awareness Month

### Important Dates in October:

- 1st Nat'l Homemade Cookies Day
- 5th World Teacher's Day *(if you can read this, thank a teacher)*
- 12th Ladies Shoot-Out
- 14th Begin Sign-Up for Sadie Hawkins
- 22nd LEGA at Lake Fairways
- 26th Halloween Tournament
- 26th Deadline for Sadie sign-up
- 30th Sadie Hawkins Tournament
- 31st Sadie Hawkins



# MEN'S GOLF LEAGUE

By Dick Loubier

Still nice and hot, but still playing golf. Starting to see a few guys from up north are arriving. They all look happy to be back. We had our summer grand shoot out. Results will be coming a little later in this article. I guess the next big tournament will be the Sadie Hawkins tournament -- lots of fun. Nice two-day tournament with a nice banquet. The tees are starting to look good. Hopefully they will be ready by Oct 1st. 10 tee box should be ready by the time you read this article. Now on to our results.

## ON AUG 15, WE PLAYED

### 1 BB OF 4

- |   |    |
|---|----|
| 1. MIKE GLOSS<br>FRED DISSMEYER<br>MARVIN IMES<br>LARRY OBRIEN      | 80 |
| 2. BOB FILLION<br>RAY BURROWS<br>ALAN HOLT<br>FRED STEWART          | 82 |
| 3. GREGG MULLENS<br>RAY ROUILLARD<br>DAVE MALMBERG<br>MIKE WILLIAMS | 82 |
| 4. RANDY CALIFF<br>AL KEEFER<br>JOHN VONDERVELLEN<br>MIKE DEMKOWICZ | 88 |

## ON AUG 22 WE PLAYED

### 2 BB OF 4

- |  |     |
|--|-----|
| 1. PHIL EBERHARDT<br>BILL FLECKENSTEIN<br>DUDLEY BYNUM<br>BLIND DRAW | 112 |
| 2. CHRIS TUPPER<br>FRED DISSMEYER<br>RAY BURROWS<br>DAVE MALMBERG    | 112 |
| 3. JERRY JAROMIN<br>JOE DEMKOWICZ<br>BILL LAPORTE<br>LARRY OBRIEN    | 114 |
| 4. RON MCMANUS<br>JOHN WESTFERE<br>RAY WALTON<br>ALAN HOLT           | 117 |
| 5. MIKE GLOSS<br>RAY ROUILLARD<br>BOB BENNETT<br>RON FARR            | 118 |

## ON AUG 29 WE PLAYED A

### SCRAMBLE

- |  |    |
|--|----|
| 1. CHRIS TUPPER<br>BILL FLECKENSTEIN<br>JOHN VONDERVELLON<br>RON PESSA | 78 |
| 2. MIKE GLOSS<br>DAVID FAGAN<br>LARRY OBRIEN<br>DAVE MALMBERG          | 82 |
| 3. KEVIN LAWTON<br>JACK DUNMEAD<br>RAY WALTON<br>DAN BUCHMAN           | 83 |
| 4. DAVE WRIGHT<br>JOHN WESTFERE<br>BILL LAPORTE<br>BILL DUNCAN         | 83 |
| 5. GREGG MULLENS<br>FRED DISSMEYER<br>DOUG CONNER<br>JOHN GAVIN        | 83 |

## ON SEP 5 WE PLAYED 1 BB OF 4

- |   |    |
|---|----|
| 1. DAVE WRIGHT<br>CHARLIE SCHNEIDER<br>RAY ROUILLARD<br>BILL LAPORTE  | 93 |
| 2. CHRIS TUPPER<br>JOE DEMKOWICZ<br>RANDY CALIFF<br>RICHARD THIBODEAU | 98 |

## ON SEP 12 WE PLAYED A

### SCRAMBLE

- |   |    |
|---|----|
| 1. CHRIS TUPPER<br>JOHN MCDONALD<br>JACK BORGES<br>DAVE MALMBERG        | 79 |
| 2. GREGG MULLENS<br>JOHN WESTFERE<br>JOHN VONDERVELLEN<br>PETE WILLIAMS | 79 |
| 3. ROGER JUNG<br>ALLAN KEEFER<br>DAVID FAGAN<br>ALAN HOLT               | 80 |
| 4. DAVE WRIGHT<br>BILL MCCARTHY<br>RAY BURROWS<br>BILL DUNCAN           | 81 |



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## IT'S SEPTEMBER ALREADY?????

By Barb Willis & Linda Wakefield

And now the results of our summer grand shoot out. It was played on Sept 7 on a Sat. at 8 am. Had a great turn out to watch the shoot-out. It is really nice to see match play with 1 golfer being eliminated on each hole until there were two golfers on the 2nd hole. Mike Gloss and Chris Tupper tied the hole with pars, it is a par four. Then they had a pitch off behind the green down a hill. They both hit their pitch shots to about 2 feet from the hole. Wow what great shots, but Mike was a little closer to the hole and was the winner. It was a lot of fun.

1. Mike Gloss • 2. Chris Tupper

Way to go guys, our next shoot outs start on the first Sat. in Oct, called the winter shoot outs, some guys will be hitting from the blue tees and some guys from the white tees. And then the grand shoot out in March of 2020.

Congrats to Randy, who also runs our Friday Swingers. Not what it sounds like--a group of golfers anywhere from 20 to 28. Go to different golf courses every week, lots of fun and Randy does a great job.

I guess that is all for now. Will include our first results of winter shoot-out in November WHISPERING PINES.

**A**ND ANOTHER YEAR OF SPECIAL TOURNAMENTS HAS BEGUN. WE PLAYED OUR LABOR DAY GAME AUGUST 31st.

We played just a shamble/ scramble, but used Stableford scoring.. a bit confusing?? Yes.. But we all finished and had a wonderful lunch put out by Brian and his workers at the pub..again..

The winners are: 1st, Mike gloss, Doug Conner, Rick Tayman, Veronica Klimko. 2nd, Brenda & Dick Loubier, Pat & John Dieringer. 3rd, Debra Russo, Kevin Mellady, Angie Teresky, Mel Gautieri. 4th, Donna & Charlie Schneider, Linda & David Knotts. 5th, Debbie Bruns, Joe Demkowicz, Bob Fillion, Sandy Craig. 6th, Sandy & Chris Tupper, Barb & Fred Willis.

Thanks again to all who played, the Pub, and Steve for all your help. Already thinking about our next "date"—Halloween!!!

### Hole in 1ers

August 15, 2019

**Randy Califf**

Hole #14



*Winners & Officials for the Summer Shoot-Out: (l to r) Roger Jung, Carol Listermann, Ray Streeter, Bev MacNeal & Debra Russo. [Photo by Joann Cline]*

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## MEN'S CLUB

By Thomas Minahan

Well here it is the beginning of the start of the season that is full of activities for all to enjoy. This month we see the start of everyone coming back to enjoy our Florida homes and be with all our friends and neighbors.

To start, the Men's Club has plenty to do for your enjoyment the months of October and November. On Wednesday, October 2 starts with BINGO for the new season. As usual the doors open at 5:00pm and at 6:30 we start calling the games. Food will be available as in the past so come early have a bite to eat, enjoy the night and hopefully win some money.

Our meeting on October 10 at 6:00pm we will have food as usual and our 50/50 drawing and also, we will be giving away a \$50 and \$25 drawing, no purchase is necessary. Also, at this meeting we will have sign-ups for the Miami and Chargers football game on Sunday, December 22. And this year first come serve, and wives are invited to attend at the same price of \$50/person which includes bus transportation and a tailgate party. We have great seats and will all be together. We will leave about 8:30am and return that evening at 8:30pm .

In the past, we have sponsored a Flu Clinic with Walgreens in the Ballroom--we will not have it this year. The attendance was way down last year--many were getting flu shots at Publix because they gave out \$10.00 gift cards and also, many residents got flu shots from their Doctor.

We will have open seats on the Board so if you would consider running please give it some thought as at the November meeting, we will have elections.

Bill Strueve and Donna have been selling tickets for the Halloween Dance. Check the Bulletin Board for their number. We have great entertainment that evening with Tim Goodman and Roseanne--they have played here in the past and many residents asked to get them back, so come out, dress up and have some real fun. Set ups will be provided and prizes for the best costumes will be given.

On Saturday, October 5, the Men's Club pancake breakfast will be starting. Tickets for the November 23 show featuring Michael D'Amore and a five-piece band will be sold. What great entertainment we will be have to start the season. Tom and Trudy Minahan will be selling tickets for that show.

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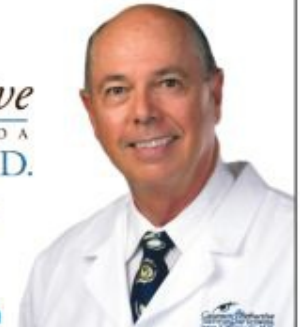
  
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## WOMEN'S CLUB

By Pat Dieringer, Pine Lakes Women's Club President

Well we have begun another event packed season at Pine Lakes. This year we are again be involved with several events to directly benefit our residents: Thanksgiving dinner, Health Fair, Christmas Bake Sale, and reintroduction of Pine Lakes license plates for sale: \$5. These plates will be available at coffee socials, Women's Club meetings, and by contacting Phyllis Fulwider at 720-415-4263 or Pat Dieringer 574-850-0665.

Our first major event of the season will occur on Sat., Nov. 16 with the introduction of a Quarter Auction (please see article, *front cover* on "What is a Quarter Auction?"). We hope everyone will come out to see what this event is all about. It will be an exciting new addition to our offerings. You will be able to reserve your paddle numbers ahead of time at the cost of \$3.00. More details will follow including food availability and times of events. Please save the date.

Soon after this event we will once again offer Thanksgiving dinner to residents at cost/tip. Details to follow. Then we will once again conduct a Christmas treats Bake Sale chaired by Bridget Heier. Please check Pine Lakes website for details.

We welcome all new female residents to our club which usually meets the first Thursday of the month at 7:00. Please check calendars for any changes.

We hope everyone had a safe, healthy, and relaxing summer and are ready to participate and support the Women's Club events.

## WOMEN'S CLUB SECRETARY'S REPORT

Sept. 5, 2019

- The Secretary's report from March meeting was read by Pat Dieringer as well as the Treasurer's report.
- Pine Lakes license plates are now on sale for \$5. Phyllis Fulwider and Pat Dieringer both have them available for sale at Coffee socials, meetings, and at home.
- Military box collections continue by Linda Dowd and Lois Lichinay.
- Blankets will be collected by Suzanne Warner beginning in November.
- Clothes for abused women may be delivered to Lois Lichinay upon her return. Pat Dieringer will collect them until then.

- Three new members were welcomed: Tracy Andrews, Demaris Brower, and Kathy Wiegand.
- Bev Mercurio reported that someone has been saying we are not collecting furniture which is not correct. Currently the mini mobile and the other shed are full of Christmas items, however, we have a garage for furniture storage. Anyone with donations should contact her about pickup.
- Volunteers were accepted for the Christmas sale that will occur in November after the first coffee social of the month. Everyone is encouraged to attend since we have a large inventory of a variety of Christmas decorations, indoor and outdoor.
- Martha Stevens reported that half the tables for the Craft Fair in January have already been reserved. Volunteers are needed to help with the fair. Tables are one price for all: \$18 for regular table and additional cost for more space.
- Members were encouraged to check the Pine Lakes Ladies Group page on Facebook for important information. If not yet accepted for the group please contact Jesse Howard.
- Dick Loubier will continue to be our inspector for all Women's Club events but this year the check for security deposit will need to be given to him ahead of time.
- Discussion was held concerning our annual spaghetti dinner. Most members shared that they would like something else be considered. Several suggestions were given: Western Night, Soup Night, and Chili Cook Off. Since we did not have a quorum a vote could not be taken but it appeared that most members in attendance agreed that we should try to conduct a Quarter Auction open to all Pine Lakes residents. Bev Mercurio will chair with assistance from Pat Dieringer, Phyllis Fulwider, and Judy DeLonge. An official vote will be taken at the October meeting but in the meantime solicitation of donations and vendors will begin. The chairs will meet to develop procedures. (See front page on Quarter Auctions for further details).
- Pat Dieringer, Suzanne Warner, and Judy DeLonge will make arrangements with Mel's Diner to facilitate our annual Thanksgiving dinner. Details to follow.
- Next meeting with have a speaker: Dr. Terry Tucker of Tucker Vision Center, a participant in the Health Fair.
- 50/50 drawings and door prizes were awarded.

Respectfully submitted, Pat Dieringer



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By Tim Mercurio

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20	21 Richard Pietkeen Joyce Reetz Leslie Tait Rick Tayman	22 Jodi Malott John Martin Dave Rotthoff Angelika Teresky	23 Georgette Bothner Roger Jung Annette Maloney Paulete Shaw	24 Geraldine Allen Martha Watson	25 Gil Easton Tom Williams	26 Tom Fulwider
27 Joan Murphy	28 Janice Beamer Priscilla Mosher Kathryn O'Reilly Gene Stevens Sandy Van Horn	29 Patricia Schorr Bob Shaw Ed Stawski Terri Walton	30 Sue Buckhout Bonnie Caldarozzi Sue Hunt Carl Simeone	31 Nancy Eagan JoAnn Nilsson Gail Platt Martin Webster		

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## October Anniversaries

		1 Bob & Ruth Shaw '55 Alfred Solvans/ Mary Boffa '94	2 Gerald & Karen Ano '77	3	4 Laverne & Joan Engel '58	5 Jack & Fran Stauffer '68
6	7	8	9 Mike & Raylene Blankenship	10 Joe & Betty Lumiello '59	11 Dick & Michelle Scaletti	12 Charlie & Linda Wakefield '91
13 Clemith & Sheila Duffett	14	15 Robert & Susan Bleachler '16 Robert & Joice Rottman '55	16 Rogers & Debbie Hamilton '76	17 Fred & Carol Matthews '59	18	19 Buddy & Barbara Caputo '57 Gene & Linda Knisley
20 Joe & Mary Belfi '01 Jim Keto/ Joy Joan '13	21	22 Sue & Karen Hunt '17 Mike & Bonnie Stropes '88	23 Jim & Barb Vandehei '10	24 Lew & Peg Ackley '82	25 Neil & Cindy Ahrens '75	26
27	28	29 Roger & Karen Flippini '78	30	31 Sal & Cheryl Carrera '70 Joe & Kathie Garbino Jay & Laura Nicoson		

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<u>MONTH</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT/SHOW</u>	<u>SPONSOR/HOST</u>
<b>OCTOBER 2019</b>	26	Halloween Dance 6:30PM \$20	Men's Club
	22-24	ELS Training – NO CLUBHOUSE ACTIVITIES	
<b>NOVEMBER 2019</b>	2	Christmas Treasures Sale 9-11:00AM	Women's Club
	11	Veteran's Day Memorial 11:00AM	Veteran's Association
	16	Quarter Auction 5:30-9:00PM	Women's Club
	21	Michael D'Amore Show 7:00PM \$20	Men's Club
	28	Thanksgiving Dinner 1:00PM	Women's Club
<b>DECEMBER 2019</b>	2	Showcase (tickets will be sold)	Men's Club
	7	Christmas Cookie Sale	Women's Club
	7	Pearl Harbor Memorial Service	Veteran's Association
	7	Christmas Sock Hop - Del Prados 6:30PM \$12	Entertainment Committee
	8	Christmas Show	PL Theatre
	21	USO Dance & Musical Show/A Family Affair \$10	Veteran's Association
	31	New Year's Eve 7:00PM-midnight	Men's Club
<b>JANUARY 2020</b>	7	Health Fair 9:00AM	Women's Club
	11	Sundrops Show 7:00PM \$20	Men's Club
	17	Craft Show 8:30AM-1:00PM	Women's Club
	25	Johnny Rogers Show Band 7:00PM \$20	Men's Club
	30	Fashion on a Dime (at WC meeting)	Women's Club
	31	"New" Night (NEngland, NY, NJ)	
<b>FEBRUARY 2020</b>	8	Bee Gees Tribute Show 7:00PM \$20	Men's Club & Entertainment Committee
	14	Home and Garden Show	Men's Club
	20	Fashion Show 11:30AM-2:00PM	Women's Club
	22	ABBA FAB 7:00PM \$20	Men's Club
	29	Ohio Night	Ken Sandvoss
<b>MARCH 2020</b>	6	Treasures Sale 8:30AM-1:30PM	Women's Club
	14	St. Patrick's Dance	Men's Club
	28 & 29	"Ladies of Harmony" Play	PL Theatre
<b>APRIL 2020</b>	4	Men's Club Pot Luck Dance	Men's Club
	25	Event to be announced	Entertainment Committee
<b>MAY 2020</b>			

