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WELCOME!

Please give a warm welcome to **Jeffrey C. Belle** as he officially joins our community as Pine Lakes/Lake fairways new General Manager. Prior to joining ELS and our Pine Lake family, Jeffrey was the GM for a 1300 single family lifestyle community in Fort Myers, Florida. He has been in property management for the last ten years managing homeowner and condominium associations throughout the Lee county/ Collier county area which includes the Ave Maria community in North Naples.

Jeffrey, originally from Bloomfield, Connecticut moved to Florida in 2007 with his wife Christine and three daughters Bryana, Destiny and Meiliah. He recently had a son named Joshua who is now seven years old.



Jeffrey is a die-hard Notre Dame Fighting Irish Fan and is currently completing his degree in Operations Management with Southern New Hampshire University.

We are excited to have Jeff become part of our family and look forward to working with him. Please give a warm welcome to when you see him around the community.

Please give a warm welcome to our new Operations Manager and Assistant GM for Lake Fairways/Pine Lakes to **Alicia Edlebeck**. Alicia has transferred from Windmill Manor, an ELS Community, to join our properties.

Alicia has been with ELS for over a year and has over 25 years of experience in property management, specifically manufactured housing communities.

Originally, a native of Wisconsin, Alicia moved to the Naples area and has worked with HOA properties in the area. Alicia has a degree in Property Management and Real Estate and holds a current CAM License.

We are excited to have Alicia become part of our family and look forward to working with her. Please give a warm welcome to her when you see her around the community.



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LIAISON MEETING MINUTES

January 9, 2020

Present:

Ron Hovet, President HOAII

Dick Loubier, President PLEHOA

Cindy Ahrens, PLEHOA

Bruce Wrede, HOAII

Ray Walton, Director HOAII

Jeffrey Belle, Pine Lakes Manager

Bob Konetzny, Secretary HOAII

GROUND & MAINTENANCE:

- Jeff will look into alternative methods of installation to replace the bridge lights, as there is constant breakage with the current method of installation.
- Jeff will speak with Joshua Tree to address the palm trees between the Pub and the first tee. Trimming is in their schedule for the upcoming week. Jeff will also look at the nearby walking path for shrub maintenance.
- The white fence on the 4th hole will be cleaned this week.
- Jeff has contacted the Woods and Wetlands Dept. to provide some guidance related to the preserve areas on holes 14 and 16 to insure we are within our rights to trim the brush down. Jeff will also check on whose responsibility it is to clean the storm drains under driveways.
- Jeff will look into putting a warning/stop sign at the junction of the path to Eagle Trace Ct. and the golf path leading to the bridge.

POOL:

- The wood on the far side of the pool needs repair or replacement. Jeff stated that the area in question will be addressed by removing and replacing the top wood with weather treated wood across the bulkhead, sanding down the side areas, and painting in a neutral color. In addition, Jeff will ask Maintenance what can be done about the cracks around the perimeter of the pool in 2020. Jeff will request funds for a major repair of the pool perimeter for 2021.
- A pool monitor was discussed. Jeff did not feel that we need one, suggesting that we discuss this topic at the HOA meetings and suggest we use common sense when enjoying the amenities at the pool. Dick Loubier will continue to monitor the pool during the weekend.

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

- Jeff will review the proposal to stipulate which ELS community pool to use when a respective pool is closed for maintenance. This will minimize any confusion on where to go, so to not to overload any one pool if more than one pool is closed at the same time.
- It is not logistically possible to build an enclosure around the toilet area in the men's rest room at the pool. To remain ADA compliant, the solution is to lock the door. If there is a person waiting, then they will have to wait.

CLUBHOUSE:

- The sound system is nearly completed. There is still an amplifier that is not functioning, which services the pool room and craft room. The contractor will be contacted to give recommendations on fixing the amplifier.
- There is a lack of lighting around the side of the clubhouse. Jeff stated that he would walk the area at night and evaluate what can be done to address this issue.
- Jeff mentioned that work is being scheduled for the 1st Quarter 2020 to see what is involved in replacing the movable walls. Ron stated that we have already addressed this with Julie and both HOA boards agreed that resurfacing Pine Lakes Blvd and 5 cul-de-sacs were more of a priority for 2020 Capital funds than replacing the walls. Both Boards acknowledged that the walls need to be replaced, but funds should not be taken from road resurfacing. Bob Konetzny said that he would send a copy of the letter sent to Julie stating our position.

MISCELLANEOUS:

- To avoid confusion, anyone expecting a contractor of any type must call the gate to inform them. Gate personnel will no longer say that calling for a specific contractor is not necessary. The same requirement applies to visitors.
- Jeff will send us a copy of the new lease for resold ELS homes.
- The phone book shows oxygen in the kitchen, pro shop and fitness room. Dick Loubier will ask the Men's Club to remove this from the new phone book.
- A concern was raised over under age drivers driving golf carts. The discussion revolved around that residents must be made aware that if there is an accident, the owners of the golf cart will most likely be sued and they can lose their homes as well as their life savings. The Prospectus states that children aged 16 and under are not allowed to drive golf carts.

- Jeff will supply a detailed explanation of each Pass Thru charge we incurred on our December invoice (Electricity, Sewer, Solid Waste, Trash, Real Estate Tax, and Water) stating specifically what is included in each and how these costs are allocated to the homeowners.
- The pool tables will need resurfacing within the next year. Jeff will contact the president of the pool league for detailed information.
- A concern was raised that an ELS Salesperson is telling prospective buyers that the P4 Prospectus is being used for new buyers. This is incorrect and Jeff will follow up with the Salesperson.
- Two lights at the Bocce courts are out. Jeff will follow up with Maintenance.
- The common ground area at the entrance of Frenchmans Ct. needs to be landscaped as well as the bushes near 21D. Jeff will follow up.
- Jeff will provide a brief biography for the Whispering Pines magazine.
- Jeff will attend the next Annual HOAII meeting on January 20th to introduce himself to the residents. Jeff will also attend various monthly HOA meetings as well.
- A replacement for Margaret has been hired. This person will assume the responsibility to monitor and approve ARC requests.
- Jeff stated that he will work with both HOA Boards and wants to be visible throughout the community.

Items requested in the 2020 Budget are:

Resurface 5 Cul-de-Sacs

Resurface Pine Lakes Blvd. From Rte. 41 to Circle Pine Rd.

Replace movable walls

Tiki Hut roof repair

Replace/repair all unreadable street signs and common area signs (exc. Golf course)

Surveillance cameras for the pool and front of Pub

Pool monitor during the period Dec. 1st – April 30th.

The meeting adjourned at 3:30pm


Bob Konetzny, Secretary HOAII

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY



PINE LAKES THEATER GROUP

THE PINE LAKES THEATRE GROUP proudly presents "The Ladies of Harmony" production on March 28 at 7:00 pm and March 29th at 3:00 pm. This is a hilarious comedy (not a musical) about six ladies who are preparing a meal following a neighbor's funeral. It takes place in the Church basement. This is a laugh-a-minute that you won't want to miss. Tickets go on sale February 29th at the weekly coffee at the Clubhouse. Tickets are \$10 per person. The stars of the show are Jan Talty, Marjorie Newton, Denise Bixby, Twyla Damon, Mary Tivnan and Martha Stevens. Fred Weber will have a brief cameo. Be sure to bring a tissue because you will have tears rolling down your cheeks! See you there!!



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- The Cast Members Are -
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Twyla Damon - Mary Tivnan - Martha Stevens
and Fred Weber

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Written By: Ron Hill
Directed By: Cheryl Church

HELP WANTED!!!

The Pine Lakes Theatre Group is looking for folks to help with the Spring Play, "The Ladies of Harmony". We need a props manager, a makeup manager, and a stage manager. Also, anyone interested in helping with the design and construction of the stage. Please contact Cheryl Church, Director, if you are interested.



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PINE LAKES ESTATES HOMEOWNERS MEETING MINUTES

January 8, 2020

The Board meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM on January 8, 2020, in the Living Room of the Clubhouse followed by the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silence. In addition to President Dick Loubier, Vice President Matt Heier, Treasurer Wendy Saniti, ARC Chair Bob Godek, and Secretary Cindy Ahrens, there were 33 homeowners present. New homeowners were introduced.

Secretary Ahrens reported that the minutes from the December 11, 2019 Board meeting had been posted in the January 2020 *Whispering Pines*, were posted on the official bulletin board, and were read at this meeting. Minutes of the Special Board Meetings December 20 and December 27, 2019 were posted on the bulletin board and were read at this meeting. Motion by Heier to accept all three minutes was approved.

TREASURER'S REPORT was read by Wendy Saniti and Reconciliation Detail is posted on the official bulletin board. Motion by Heier to accept was approved.

LIAISON REPORT: President Loubier reviewed highlights from the December 2019 Liaison meeting minutes which were published in the *Whispering Pines*. After the meeting the two HOAs met and voted to send notice to ELS that the re-paving of cul-de-sacs has priority over the replacement of Clubhouse folding walls.

ARC COMMITTEE: ARC Godek reported that he did not receive any requests, just one inquiry.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Nominating Committee Report: Lew Ackley reported that he has not received any additional candidates for the Board.

Revised Documents: Articles of Incorporation, Bylaws, Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions:

Mail packets to members will be delivered to the Court Captains Thursday afternoon 1/9/2020, then to Cul-de-sac captains to deliver to homeowners & return all undelivered to Cindy Ahrens to be mailed to alternate addresses on 1/4/2020.

NEW BUSINESS

Announcement of Document Revision Q&A: Scheduled for Monday, January 27, 2020, 7:00PM in Clubhouse Ballroom. Process will include time limits, request for respect for all participants, microphones available.

Annual Meeting Reminder: Loubier reminded all of the Annual Membership Meeting on Monday February 10, 2020, 7:00PM in Clubhouse Ballroom. Watch for mailing packet with all materials for the meeting including a proxy for voting if not able to attend the meeting. Attendees should plan to arrive early to sign up and receive ballot to vote.

ISSUES FROM MEMBERS:

Issues: Lights are out at Bocce & Horseshoe area (to Liaison); common area at entrance to Frenchmans needs updating (to Liaison); 21D still has overgrown bushes, needs trimming (to Liaison); mowing schedule was received from ELS management and was reviewed by Loubier (below); and Linda Dowd reviewed the recent WATCHDOG alert from FMO regarding pending legislation and encouraged members to send concerns about Senate 818.

Landscape Maintenance Schedule – Pine Lakes

January 6 & 7 (pushed back due to rain)

February 3 & 4 and 17 & 18

March 2 & 3 and 16 & 17

April 6 & 7 and 20 & 21

ADJOURNMENT: It was moved by Loubier to adjourn; meeting was adjourned at 7:43PM.

The **Annual Membership meeting** is scheduled for **Monday, February 10, 2020, 7:00PM**, Clubhouse Ballroom.

The next Board meeting is scheduled for **Monday, March 9, 2020, 7:00PM** in Living Room.

Cindy Ahrens, Secretary

Note from Secretary Cindy: *Special thanks to Estates cul-de-sac and court captains who distributed the Annual Meeting mailing envelopes. Of the 281 members we only paid postage for 37 envelopes – great postage savings for the HOA. THANKS AGAIN.*



FMO ALERT ALERT ALERT

By Linda Dowd, Estates FMO Representative

As most people know, a lot of things have been going on in our community, as well up in our state capital. I just want to go over some for those who might not be aware of.

Our management company (ELS) has been purchasing our Estate properties and turning them into lease properties. Up in Tallahassee our senators seem to be working for the big corporations. FMHA has filed two terrible anti-homeowners bills, Senate Bill #818, and Senate Bill #998. If you haven't seen or heard about them, please don't hesitate to let myself or Maura know, we will get you a copy. If you are an FMO member, you would have received by e-mail the "WATCHDOG" article. We need you to call or e-mail your Senator and let them know your feelings.

I will just touch on these two bills. SB #818 is an anti-homeowners bill that basically gives the park owner permission to ignore many of the promises and guarantees he made at time of your purchase that we are paying for. For example, permits adding an unlimited number of units to a park with no requirements to increase amenities! That would be a clubhouse, pool, exercise area, etc. So, guess what would happen to our pool area! It requires a new lease property buyer to make changes PRIOR to occupying the home. Resales may become impossible.

SB# 998, is another bill that will change how ELS handles eviction notices. Current law requires that eviction notices must be sent to owners by certified or registered

mail with return receipt requested. This bill would permit this notice to be placed in "snail mail", IF IT WAS EVER MAILED AT ALL!!!

These are just a few of the changes included in these two bills. We can no longer just sit around and think that our neighbors can do this.

We all need to be Pro-Active RIGHT NOW!!! You need to get involved!

Join FMO (Federation of Manufactured Home Owners), so you don't miss these articles warning us of their actions. Pay your dues to your HOA, so that your voice can be heard in TALLAHASSEE. Without action from you, our lifestyle could change.

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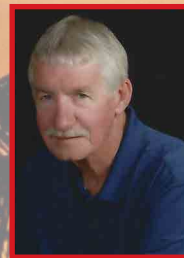


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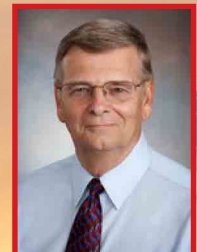
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ATTENTION PINE LAKES RESIDENTS:

A courtesy reminder to all Pine Lakes residents. Your 2020 phone book will be published April 2020.

Request you review your information in the front and back of the phone book to ensure it is correct. Should you request changes you have two (2) options:

1. You can go on line – Pine Lakes website – Announcements Page – click on the Phone Book (Use update Form Here)
2. Go to the ELS Concierge desk and make the change request with the receptionist and the form will be completed on your behalf

Pine Lakes groups, organizations listed in the Phone Book, please have your updates and changes submitted on time!!

CHANGES MUST BE RECEIVED BEFORE THE 1ST MARCH 2020
THANK YOU !!

Gary Walkling, Men's Club Phone Book Coordinator
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POOL PARTY NEWS

By Linda LeClaire Smith

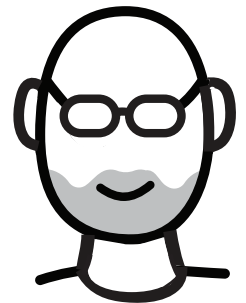
Remember to come to the pool for your lunch on Sundays. The grill is open from 12-2, serving hamburgers, cheeseburgers, hot dogs and brats. Ice cream, chips, soda and water are also available until 3:00. Watch for our other weekly specials, i.e. ice cream sundaes, chili dogs, pulled pork sandwiches, and grilled chicken. Our volunteers are ready to take your orders. You can also try your hand at a game of corn hole or water pong. *See you there!*



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SENIOR SOFTBALL

By Wendy Huether

Directions to Camelida Park in Punta Gorda, where Pines Lakes plays their softball games:

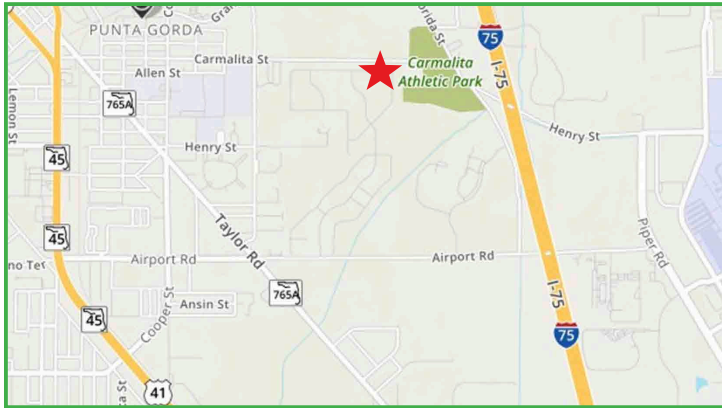
41 North to Punta Gorda; right onto Taylor Rd (765A North) across RR Tracks.

Go to 2nd traffic light, right turn onto Airport Rd

Just before overpass of I-75 take left onto Florida St 7/10 of a mile left on Camelida Rd, immediate left into ball park, there are 5 ball fields.

We started a bit rough losing to Herons Glenn but made a great second showing by winning over Del Tura Deablos. A very cool night and a late game due to construction at the park. Let's hope for continued success and come cheer our guys on. All games in February will be at 5:30pm.

Don't forget to save all your aluminum cans to benefit and support our ball team. Thanks!



B - I - N - G - O

By Dick Loubier

We had another big winner -- on 12/18/19 **DANIELLE ZAMOIDER** won \$250 on our progressive jackpot on the 52nd number. Congrats. We now have made a lot of changes to our games. We have gone from 28 games to 19 games. This makes it possible to finish earlier and pay out more on each game. Since this went into effect, have had 101 and 111 people at Bingo. WOW. So glad to see so many. Lots of new faces. Hope they will continue to keep coming back. We got rid of the progressive jackpot, and now it is only called a jackpot. This way somebody will always win every week. Our lowest payout now is \$50.00 as long as we have at least 60 people show up. We play every Wednesday, doors open at 5pm, stop selling at 6:15, and games start at 6:30. We usually finish around 8:30. *Hope to see you all there on Wednesday nights.*





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VETERANS ASSOCIATION

By Tim Mercurio

Hello everyone from The Veterans Association! Our next meeting will be Feb. 11th @ 7PM in the living room. All veterans of Pine Lakes are welcome to attend. New and exciting things are happening so come out to the meeting and see what we are planning for the year!

If you need a green light bulb for your lamp post to show you are a veteran or for an application for The Honor Flight, please contact Tim @ 513-300-7877. Any new veterans that may have just moved in, please try to attend this meeting.

Thank you.



OUR DEPLOYED MILITARY

By Lois Likinay

Lee Memorial Military Group sends out packages once a month to the deployed military men and women. Our Women's Club and the Pine Lakes Community has been helping them with this project for some time now. We gather food items such as tuna, mints, gum, individual wrapped candy, juice powder to mix with water, jerky, nuts and peanut butter. Personal items such as chap stick, sun screen, body wipes, socks and q-tips. If you cannot shop, you can also donate money. Each box is about 12 inches by 24 inches and cost \$18.75 to mail. Presently they are sending about 90 boxes.

If you have family or a friend that is deployed, a package can be sent to them. You just have to provide us with their address and we will give it to Lee Memorial to include on their list. If you would like to contribute to this project, there is a box in the Club House Lobby for the February boxes or you can take it to Lois Likinay at 49L, 567-1321 or Linda Dowd 3F, 599-8741. This month they are looking for Jelly Beans to be put in the boxes for Easter.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT
GOD BLESS OUR TROOPS!!!**



PINE LAKES CRUISE CLUB

By Dianna Baughman

AND THE WINNER IS - Caribbean Princess departing January 24, 2021 for 7 days from Ft. Lauderdale cruising to Bahamas, Jamaica, Grand Caymen and Cozumel. Interior \$799, Ocean View \$999, Balcony \$1,199 pp. Taxes \$165, insurance additional. Bus transportation from PL to docks arranged separately. Book by February 29, 2020 for a fantastic cruise promotion by Princess when booking balcony or above for free beverage package and pre-paid gratuities. Deposit is 20% of cruise cost with final payment October 1, 2020. Should you be unable to go, deposit is refundable before final payment. Any questions or additional info, please contact Concierge Cruises 239-772-1840 or Dianna Baughman 419-234-6754.



SYMPATHY

Stuart Paterson, the Pine Lakes Country Club webmaster, passed away on January 12, 2020 after a courageous battle with cancer, survived by his wife Kathryn and 2 children. Stu & Kathy enjoyed spending winters in the close-knit Pine Lakes community. Services to be held in Canada. [Full obituary can be read on the web www.ourpinelakes.com]



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ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE

By Bev Mercurio

Greetings from the Entertainment Committee. We hope all our northern friends are all settled in and enjoying our fabulous "winter" weather!

We will have a dance/show on April 18th to wrap up our winter season. Music will be provided by a great group who call themselves The Boogie Men. You won't be disappointed with their great sound! A rich blend of vocals and instruments including a great horn section! Jesse Howard will be your ticket contact.

We are planning some fun things for the summer too for all of us year-round residents. The fun doesn't stop when our northern friends head back. No details yet but sure to have some more information next month!

That's it for this month and as always, we thank you for your support!



PINE LAKES SHUFFLEBOARD – WINTER/SPRING SEASON 2020 BEGINS!

By Elaine Mandeville

The winter season opened the first week of January! A great group of 27 players, a mix of both new and experienced players came out to play the first 2 nights even with rain ending the second game early. Anyone can join as frequently, or infrequently, as they want, which is part of the reason shuffleboard is so popular at Pine Lakes. No set partners, you draw a new one each game. There are two winners on each court for each game. Come join the fun any Tuesday at 7PM and give it a try. It's quite simple to learn and everyone has a great time – win or lose!! We welcome all Pine Lakes residents. The

CARDS CRAFTS AND CHOCOLATE

by Gillian (Jill) Birch

Our cards and crafts classes continue to be very popular and new crafters are always welcome to sign up and join us. Last month we had fun making a variety of projects including Roses and Ribbon cards for all occasions (and finding an innovative new use for a saucepan lid rack!). We also made beautiful Pillow Boxes and matching cards, Nautical cards for our menfolk, and finally some vibrant Poppy Stepper cards, so something for everyone.

Get ready for February's projects. There are a few changes due to other events:

- **Wednesday Feb 5 Activities Room** - Valentine card and gift (Materials \$6)
- **Thursday Feb 13 Craft Room** - Flower pot note cards (Materials \$6)
- **Wednesday Feb 19 Activities Room** - Twist and Pop Aquarium cards (Materials \$6)
- **Thursday Feb 27 Flip-it cards** (Materials \$6)

All the equipment and prepared materials are provided – just sign up on the Clubhouse Activities notice board to order your kit. If you can't make it, please cross your name off, or let me know as soon as possible on Facebook Messenger.

I look forward to seeing you all then!



cost is a rousing 25 cents per person per night. And each winner gets 10 cents!! So far there are 6 people fighting for the top 3 places. It's still anyone's season. *Come and watch the fun!*

		01/07/20	01/14/20	TOTAL
LAST	FIRST	1	2	
Gaetani	Al	3	1	4
Califf	Randy	3		3
Gaetani	Irene	2	1	3
Scannell	Paul	2	1	3
Cornwell	Bob	2		2
Maldonado	Jeanine	1	1	2

PINE LAKES BOWLING LEAGUE

By Betty White

We are finished with our Fall Session and the winners are as follows:

1st Place: Gutter Gang - Rich Pacewic, Betty White, Charlie Wakefield, Mike Watson - 74 points

2nd Place: Strikes Happen - Wayne Arey, Bruce Wrede, Fran Stauffer, Irene Gaetani - 58 points

3rd Place: Lickity Splits - Adele Heft, Andrea Helms, Don Hudson, Tony Fettig - 54 points

Congrats to all the winners!

Now on to the Winter session. We have completed two weeks as of this date (1-16-2020) and the standings are as follows:

Top 3 teams:

Gutter Gang - Sandra Pickett, Betty White, Charlie Wakefield, Mike Watson

The Good Pins - Trish Bell, Jean Lang, Sharon Rondeau, Daryl Lang

Just For Fun - Fran Radford, Peg Ackley, Matt Heier, Ron Thoreson

High Averages:

Men: 190 Randy Califf

187 Daryl Lang

185 Wayne Arey

Women: 164 Terri Bush

160 Ann Rasler

149 Sharon Rondeau

Top Scores for the week:

Scratch Game

Men: 221 Wayne Arey

201 Mike Watson

184 Ron Thoreson

Women: 187 Linda Clavette

180 Terri Bush

177 Sharon Rondeau

Scratch Series

582 Mike Watson

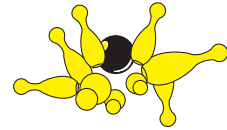
519 Randy Califf

512 Wayne Arey

502 Terri Bush

499 Linda Clavette

492 Ann Rasler



Best of luck to all for a great session.

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C.E.R.T REPORT

By Mike Gloss

CERT Leaders from North Fort Myers were invited to tour the Lee County 911 Emergency Call Center on Ortiz Ave. FYI, your 911 call goes to the Lee county Sheriff's Department. If EMS or the Fire department is needed the call is transferred to the Emergency Call Center for dispatch of needed assistance. Please be prepared to answer several questions for determination of proper departments to be dispatched.

Five new CERT volunteers started the five class Basic CERT training course on January 16th. The class is conducted by members of the North Fort Myers Fire Department.



BOCCE

By Betty White

We have completed our Fall playoffs with the results as follows:

1st: Linda Green and Tony Fettig

2nd: Peg Ackley and Bud Caputo

3rd: Carol Fettig and Larry Hyskey

Congratulations to all the winners for a hard-fought season!

We are now into the Winter Session. After a sign-up meeting on January 8th, the teams were decided and a pizza luncheon was provided. Regulation play began on January 15th, with 28 teams playing each Wednesday from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM on the Bocce Courts by the pool and tennis courts. Come up and cheer on your neighbors.

We have many new first-time players and thanks to all who helped with a learning session after the Bocce sign-up so that the new players could get a handle on the game before actual play.

Looking forward to a fun, competitive session!



THANK YOU FROM WAKE UP AMERICA

By Lew Ackley & Terry Roberts

On behalf of *Wake Up America* and the less fortunate who we serve, we wish to thank all who have participated as drivers, assistants, volunteers, and helpers in any capacity. We would also like to say a special thanks to those who have helped in any way to fund our one and only goal of feeding the hungry. Our support and volunteers come from Pine Lakes and Lake Fairways and those participating should know that our team efforts pay off in a big way.

We at *Wake Up America* wish to thank the Pine Lakes, Lake Fairways and Tara Woods communities for helping to support our cause by contributing to the annual Day of Caring drive, one third of which is donated to *Wake Up America*. Of the share we receive, every penny goes to support our only goal of delivering food to those in need.

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GOLDEN OLDIES GOLF GROUP

By Betty White

We continue to play golf every Friday morning alternating between Pine Lakes and Lake Fairways.

Our Friends from the North have arrived and we now have the availability of 10 Teams.

Each week after play, a sign-up sheet is passed around for us to sign up for next week's play.

Teams will be set up according to the list of people that signed up to play. Anyone who signed and finds that they are unable to play, please send an e-mail to Linda Green at lindamgreen47@hotmail.com

Here are some of the winners and scores:

1-3-2020 winners with a 27 were Gene Stevens, Sherman Riedlinger, Pat O'Connell

Birdie awards for that day were: Libby Richards, David Krohn, Martha Stevens, Sherman Riedlinger, Ruth Hovet.

1-10-2020 Winners for that week were Ruth Hovet, Maddie Greenberg, David Krohn, Sherman Riedlinger. Birdie Awards for the day were: Gene Stevens, Bill Beller. *Great golfing everyone!*



WACKOES

By Ron Zamoider

This week netted only 7 players, which isn't bad considering the Member-Member was this week on Tuesday and Thursday with many of our players not wanting to play 3 days in a row. The new handicap system drastically reduces everyone's handicap thus reduces the chance for 7 pointers. As you know, we pay extra at the end of the season for 7 pointers. I have decided to se the old handicap system for the remainder of the regular season. There were 6, 7 pointers. Eberhardt #2 & #13, Dieringer #7 & #13, and Higgins #3 & #12. Next week we should be back to normal and hope to have a good turnout. I will be moving the signup sheet to the Pro Shop. Please sign up for next week. This week, Cash in \$49 Paid Out \$35 Year end reserve \$14. Closest to the pin on #3 went to Steve Higgins 39-1/2".

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Wackoes Week 4 Results A/B

1/1/2020

Place	Team	Points	\$\$\$	Place	Team	Points
			10			
1	Konetzny Blind (Loubier)	62	+5	4	Gloss Allen	52
2	Dieringer Loubier	60	8	5	Streeter Minahan	48
3	Eberhardt Baumgartner	53	7	6	Tompkins VanHorn	44
			7			

Wackoes Week 5 Results A/B

1/15/2020

Place	Team	Points	\$\$\$	Place	Team	Points
			10 +			
1	Dieringer Blind (Kretz)	65	5	3	Eberhardt Stienke Kretz,	58
2	Caldarozzi Higgins	60	8	4	Terry Kretz, Chris	42
			8 + 5			

TEE TIME

Ladies 18 Hole Golf League

By Joann Cline

WEATHER ALERT! There will be a light gentle breeze accompanied by perfect temperatures and widely scattered sunshine. Please dress appropriately for these harsh weather conditions!

As touted in last month's issue of the Pines we had a very busy January on the golf course and wasn't it great to be out there with blue skies, sunshine, and soft ocean breezes!?!

The highlight of our early January play was the two-day President's Cup Tournament. Another fun and competitive tournament here at Pine Lakes, and the Ladies 18 Hole League would like to extend a special thank you to P.L.G.A. President, Debbie Hamilton, for all her hard work. **Congratulations!** to Bev MacNeal for winning the coveted President's Cup trophy for our Ladies 18 Hole division! Congrats also to Jean Marenda, Ray Rouillard, and Ed Clevenger for wins in their respective divisions.

On Wednesday the 15th, our Pine Lakes ladies hosted the January LEGA event. Unlike the last couple of years when the weather was a bit on the cool side, the participants were able to enjoy the camaraderie on the course without having to put up with too many layers of clothing and muscles that were too stiff to work properly. Our league members were joined by ladies from Burnt Store, Lake Fairways, Myerlee, Sabal Springs, Seven Lakes, Six Lakes and Whiskey Creek. The fun on the course was followed up with lunch and socializing in the clubhouse. Special thanks to Brian, the Pub manager, for serving what some golfers called "a super-fantastic lunch"! Thanks also to the guys who got the carts organized and ready for play. Our Director of Golf, Steve Allbritton, did a great job of calculating and posting scores, and announcing the winners. Thanks much, Steve, for all your help. Becky Monteleone and Linda Knotts are our LEGA chair people and we say a huge **THANK YOU** to them for an awesome job!

Book-ending the LEGA event was our league Member-Member Tournament played on January 13th and 17th. Format for play on Monday was two member teams playing combined total net on the front nine and one best ball on the back. Friday's game was a mixture of shambles, scrambles, and alternate tee shots. **APPLAUSE & THANKS** to Cyndi Parks and Donna Schneider for all their hard work in organizing this event, and, as always, thanks to Steve for his willingness to support our many league activities. With the deadline for this issue of the Pines coming in mid-January, we're still looking forward to the celebratory luncheon for this tournament. Our member participants will be gathering in the Pub on January 23rd to hash over the good shots and the bad shots, congratulate the winners, and hopefully continue the fun and laughter we shared on the course.

We're also looking forward to our final ladies winter shoot-out which will be played on the 25th of January, and the always entertaining Grand Shoot-Out on February 1st. Watch for the winners in the March Whispering Pines.

Ready, set, GO! It may not be March Madness, but February is the month for our own golf madness here at Pine Lakes. Sweet sixteen, elite eight, and final four all lead up to our Club Championship being played on February 28th and 29th.

Along with the match play taking place on the course, the Long Drive, Chipping and Putting contests are a lot of fun both for participants and spectators. Whether you compete, caddie, volunteer for a job, or spectate, please plan on taking part – it takes a community! Good luck to all the entrants!



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CONGRATULATIONS – CONGRATULATIONS – CONGRATULATIONS

MEMBER – MEMBER TOURNAMENT WINNERS

Flight 1

166 Judy Emmons & Darlene Topp
 166 Bev Bynum & Sandy Craig
 168 Gwen Booth & Lynda Adam
 169 Eileen Sims & Lori Skinner
 169 Cyndi Parks & Donna Schneider

Flight 2

164 Char Lopez & Denise Wright
 165 Jamine Kretz & Linda Wakefield
 172 Carolyn Copley & Joanne McCann
 179 Linda Knotts & Joann Cline
 184 Carol Listermann & Barb Willis

OVER-ALL TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONS Char Lopez & Denise Wright

CONGRATULATIONS PINE LAKES LEGA WINNERS

A Flight

1st Place Tie Bev MacNeal Net 63
 3rd Place Gwen Booth Net 64
 4th Place Tie Annette Maloney Net 65

B Flight

1st Place Bev Bynum Net 57
 5th Place Tie Sandy Craig Net 68

CONGRATULATIONS LEAGUE PLAY WINNERS

December 18th 3 Clubs & Putter 2 Best Ball Shamble

Team Score 82

Annette Maloney
 Linda Wakefield
 Char Lopez

Team Score 83

Sandy Craig
 Gina Eberhardt
 Joyce Reetz



Important dates in February:

1st Ladies' Grand Shoot-Out	14th Happy Heart Day!	24th Final Four
2nd Groundhog Day	15th Valentines Tournament	25th Long Drive Contest
7th Deadline Club Championship sign-up	19th & 20th Elite Eight	26th Chipping Contest
12th & 13th Sweet Sixteen	22nd Nat'l Margarita Day (a little salt & lime)	27th Putting Contest
		28th & 29th Club Championship

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NIFTY NINERS' NEWS

By Pat O'Connell

December golf was a chilly start to the first game of December, temperature about 55 degrees. We played a 2 Best Ball Shamble ending with a poker hand made up of the first 5 holes of play, handicaps included. The winners of the 2 Best Ball Shamble were the team of Shirley, Helen, Betty and Libby. The winners of the poker hand were Jean, Veronica, Donna and Jane. They got to split the extra dollar assessed from each player at the beginning of the game. And it did warm up some by the end of the game.

December 11 was a much warmer start. This was Low Net in Flight (LNIF) that included a putting contest for each hole. The LNIF game came in with 7 players in the money. Betty came in first place; Barb and Helen tied for second place; Jean and Libby tied for third place and Ruth and Brenda came in fourth place. It was such an exciting day chasing that little white ball through the grass, over the hills and onto the green and after a few shots, eventually convince the little white ball to actually enter the hole. If you think about it, the rest of us took our time getting there while enjoying the beautiful day, searching the longer grass areas and trolling the lakes for those loveable little white balls before dumping them in that TINY hole!

The results of the putting contest were totaled. Money was split between the lowest number of putts, Helen, the highest number of putts, Jane and Pat D and the foursome who all got the same number of putts, Barb, Brenda, Libby, Jacquie.

The last league day of 2019 for the Nifty Niners was a scramble and putting contest. The game started warmer than it ended and the winds picked up to either help or hinder the flight of golf balls. The results were first place Jean, Veronica, Barb and Pat O with a score of 33; second place was a tie held by Jacquie, Ruth and Jane on one team and Shirley, Helen and Libby on the other. The putting contest was won by Ruth and Libby with total putts each of 12 strokes, second place was Shirley, and Jane came in last with firm intentions of winning the putting contest in the future.

We will not be playing on Christmas Day or New Year's Day as we will be celebrating the holidays.

In January the President's Cup will be held on January 8 and 9 so there will not be any official league play but many Nifty Niners have signed up to play. Following the President's Cup, we will celebrate with all players and friends for dinner and awards. On the following Wednesday January 15 Pine Lakes will be hosting LEGA so we will be looking for another venue. So, by January 22, our next official league day we should be well rested or totally out of shape.

Check the Pro Shop calendar for all the other upcoming golf events including the Club Championship, Interclub play, Member-Member events and shoot outs. The Nifty Niners will also try to host another invite to guest golfers who would like to try league golf for a day.

Here's what happens when I'm not trying to write Nifty Niner news – I look for other items of interest.

Health nuts are going to feel stupid someday, lying in the hospital, dying of nothing.

We need to take a lesson from the weather, it pays no attention to criticism.



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MEN'S GOLF LEAGUE

By Dick Loubier



Hot, cold, hot, cold weather changes every day or week. Nice to see all the golfers have returned from up north. Just finished our Member-Member Golf Tournament January 16, results will be at the end of this article. Now for our Men's League results.

ON DEC 19TH WE PLAYED TEAM NET.

1.KEVIN LAWTON	
BILL KLAMER	100
ED CLEVINGER	
BLIND DRAW	
2.MIKE GLOSS	
RAY ROUILLARD	102
ROGERS HAMILTON	
BLIND DRAW	
3.JOHN DIERINGER	
DICK LOUBIER	106
LARRY HURLEY	
BLIND DRAW	
4.BOB KONETZNY	
JACK SULLIVAN	106
JIM STEINKE	
JOHN MCCANN	

ON DEC 26TH WE PLAYED A DEVIL BALL

1.CHUCK YEDINAK	
JOHN DIERINGER	85
DOUG CONNER	
JIM STEINKE	
2.BOB KONETZNY	
ED CLEVINGER	88
BILL KLAMER	
MIKE DEMKOWICZ	
3.WILLIAM BRUNS	
DICK LOUBIER	89
JACK SULLIVAN	
ROGERS HAMILTON	

ON JAN 2 2020 WE PLAYED INDIVIDUAL NET IN FLIGHT

FLT 1.	
1.MIKE GLOSS	56
2.KEN TOMPKINS	59

3.CHRIS TUPPER	60
4.DAVE WRIGHT	60
5.BOB KONETZNY	62
6.JOHN DIERINGER	64
FLT 2.	
1.DICK LOUBIER	54
2.CHARLIE SCHNEIDER	56
3.ROGER JUNG	57
4.JOE DEMKOWICZ	60
5.PETE MORAIS	60
6.TOM MINAHAN	61
7.JIM STEINKE	63
FLT 3.	
1.BILL KLAMER	51
2.RAY ROUILLARD	59
3.PETE WILLIAMS	61

That's it for our league play since the next two weeks we had President Cup and Member-Member play.

We had one shoot out on 1/4/20

A FLT

1.CHRIS TUPPER
2.ED CLEVINGER

B FLT

1.LARRY HURLEY
2.TOM VANHORN

One more shoot out on Feb 8th, and then our Grand Shoot Out in March.

And now for the results of our Member-Member Golf Tournament which was played on Jan 14th and Jan 16th. We had 60 players playing this year. Good turnout. On our first day, Tues, we played a shamle with both scores counting. We had 5 flights, a red tee players only flight, a red and white tees players flight and 3 white tees only flights. Our leaders after the first day were GARY HULL and CHARLIE SCHNEIDER with a score of 110. Followed by CHUCK YEDINAK and DON LACRIOX with a score of 112, and then JOHN DIERINGER and MIKE GLOSS with a score of 113. Real close the first day. On the second day, Thursday, we played alternate shot with one golfer teeing off on even holes and the other golfer teeing off on odd holes. Finishing first was JOHN DIERINGER and MIKE GLOSS with a score of 180, second was GARY HULL and CHARLIE SCHNEIDER with a score of 181, and third was CHUCK YEDINAK and DON LACROIX with a score of 182. Couldn't get much closer.

And now for the first three finishers in each flight.

FLT 1.

1.JOE CURLEY, JOHN TOPP	192
2.RAY ROUILLARD, JOHN MCCANN	200
3.ROGER HOFFMAN, FRED WILLIS	202

FLT 2.

1.BOB FILLION, RAY STREETER	190
2.JOHN MALONEY, CHUCK HARWOOD	213
3.PETE MORAIS, LARRY HURLE	213

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FLT 3.

1. JOHN DIERINGER, MIKE GLOSS	180
2. GARY HULL, CHARLIE SCHNEIDER	181
3. CHUCK YEDINAK, DON LACROIX	182

FLT 4.

1. JOE DEMKOWICZ, MIKE KIMBRO	185
2. BOB KONETZNY, DOUG CONNER	195
3. CHRIS TUPPER, RAY WALTON	198

FLT 5.

1. KEN TOMPKINS, TOM HARE	203
2. DAVE WRIGHT, MIKE DEMKOWICZ	205
3. BRIAN COONS, DENNIS CLINE	207

That's it for our Member-Member Tournament. My ten years of running the Tournament are up. Next year Tournament will be run by PHIL EBERHARDT and BILL BRUNS. I will be around to help them. I really enjoyed doing the Tournament but time for a change and new blood. Thank you both.

See you all next month.

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TENNIS ~ GO TEAM GO!

By Ron Garcia, Captain, White Division Racqueteers -- (PART 2 OF 2)

My previous part 1 article (in January *Whispering Pines*) described some of the various reasons why folks here at Pine Lakes started to take an interest in the game of tennis or some might say, "The game of love." This desire then evolved to joining a team that best suited the individual's skill level.

Passing by the tennis courts every so often I found out that they were readily available and it seemed that players at varying skill levels were having a blast. Of course, my curiosity got the best of me to the point of thinking to myself, "I'd like to take a swing at that game (pun intended)." After a while it didn't take long before the tennis bug bit me. I was definitely hooked not only because of the pure competitive fun, but some of the folks I met later on became great friends. Subsequently, I developed basic skills that enabled me to play alongside guys who were PL team members. Then the time finally came when I was graciously accepted to play on our Blue team.

To digress a bit, an explanation is necessary to distinguish between men's and women's team levels offered at PL.

MEN: North Fort Myers Men's Senior Tennis League – Consists of men age 50 and above who reside or play for various communities throughout North Fort Myers.

Blue Division: Targets novice or entry level players and can also include higher skilled individuals whose abilities have diminished primarily due to aging or physical limitations. Although competitive like any of the other divisions, the playing atmosphere is a bit more relaxed.

White Division: Encompasses intermediate players or those that have enhanced their skills from Blue Division match experiences. Players who have an aspiration to compete at this level would normally play more often socially or pick up tips from higher level people or actually take lessons.



Red Division: Slated for skillfully advanced players. It's still competitive fun, however, on more of a consistent basis, the ball is hit harder or placed more accurately more times than not. Practice is a must.

WOMEN: North Fort Myers Senior Women In Fun Tennis (SWIFT) Tennis League.

Currently, at the surrounding NFM communities, there is one SWIFT skill level of team play offered. That level includes experienced players that possess fundamental or higher-level tennis abilities. However, it can also absorb those ladies with basic knowledge and skills. For those individuals, who may want to seek other than SWIFT play, Lee County offers team opportunities from beginners to varying advanced levels.

And not to leave anyone out who feels that they really enjoy playing but team play is not their thing; you could always join in on the "Whoever" or "Whatever" fun. That's where you show up at the courts during posted days and times (check the tennis bulletin board located outside Court 2) for a fabulous time especially meeting welcoming tennis folks who learned to love the game as I'm sure you will as well. The type of play is similar to a round robin or drop in concept. All that's needed is your tennis racquet and a friendly smile.

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MEN'S CLUB

By Thomas Minahan, President

Well, we could not believe how fast The Bee Gees Show sold out. We tried every way to come up with a solution! We did, we are having a Matinee Show same date Feb 8th from 3PM to 5PM. Tickets are same price and same seating arrangement as the night show. As I do this newsletter, we have no idea if we sell many tickets but we want to give everyone a chance to see this Show.

And, we are not sure at this time how the Abba tickets will sell, we will address that once we see how it goes.

One important date I want everyone to mark is the Friday February 7th, the 7th Annual Home and Garden Show. Ron Thoreson has over 60 vendors for the show. He has done a fantastic job on getting MANY NEW VENDERS, so you have to come and get a new look for this show. Again, we need your participation at this show we need to have to show them the vendors the interest you have and other communities in our area with this kind of event.

Tickets go on sale Feb 8th at the Pancake Breakfast for the St. Patrick's Dinner Dance, again we are featuring The Marlinaires, this will be the last time they will be appearing as they are breaking up--Jack and his daughter and son have young children and they need to spend more time with them. They put on a fantastic show and great dance music our people stay up dancing right to the last minute. Again, you have a choice of corn beef and cabbage or Pot Roast. Tickets are only \$20.00 per person and Mel's Diner is catering this event. That show is Saturday, March 14th.

Two other dates you will want to mark on your calendar is the Men's Club is again sponsoring the Secure Shredding day, Wednesday, February 12 between 10AM till 12PM. Goodwill is not doing this anymore in this area, we are now going with Safe Guard Shredding Services. Most of the employees that worked for Goodwill now work for the new company. They even have a public viewing area at the facility if you want to see how they do this in a safe and secure process.

The golf cart inspection by Affordable Golf Carts will be held on March 5, 9AM-4PM, in the Clubhouse parking lot, sponsored by the Men's Club.

Bingo is doing great -- we are down to 19 games and every game pays \$50.00 and the Jackpots are huge! All monies are given out, some of the Jackpots are over \$200.00. Bingo starts at approximately 6:20PM, doors open at 5PM, food is always available at our kitchen until the intermission, kitchen is closed during bingo play. Every Wednesday evening, come out and win some big money.

Men's Club Members and a guest can buy tickets for our Capt JP River Cruise for March 22nd Cruise, that is after daylight savings time and a great view on the river, entertainment on board during the evening and with being a Sunday evening, parking will be much better. See Dick Loubier for tickets at \$60.00 per couple. Any non-member can join us by calling the Capt JP and tell them you want to join us although the price will be different.

Again, Thank You for supporting the Men's Club activities!



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	9	Kathie Needham Joanne Gluck Suzanne Hallinan Bruce McCullough Jane Michalak	10	Carolyn Rouillard	11	Al Gaetani Darlene Romanosky Wendy Schmidt	12	Milly Kocuper Tim McKenna	13	John Davis Jeanne McKenna Jeanette Pelillo	14	Jeanine Maldonado Vincent Sinagra Suzie Wahrer	15
Sharon Lee	16	George Hersey Peter Rabczewski Tim Sant	17	Joe Curley Michael Czorny Don Schorr Jack Stauffer	18	John Maloney	19	Donna Hart Edna Hooper	20	Joe Ciccone Jeffery Furnia Robert Hart William LaPorte Kenneth Morgan Joyce Schweikert	21	Ray Reetz Glenn Taylor	22
Judy Wooten Cy Wuebbels	23	Sandy Burke Stacey Dieken Charlene Lopez	24	Robert Demmink Dianne Murphy Alfred Solvang	25	Wendy Huether	26	John Kelly	27	Ron Caesar Bob Hayter Dennis Zahorouski	28		29

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If you have changes or have been missed, please contact Jane so she can update her files.*

February Anniversaries

						Bill & Sandy Smith '64	1											
2	Todd & Rhonda Baldwin '16 Gene & Martha Stevens '67	3	Leo & Gwen Booth	4	Dave & Marge Fischer '72	5	Cass & Vickie Klapac	6	7	Mark & Linda Baker '86	8							
9	James & Tracy Andrews '90	10	11	12	13	14	Timothy & Peggy Bowers '20 Ray & Terri Walton '87	15	16	Tom & Elaine Gibson '74	17	18	19	20	Jim & Karen Rastrelli '60	21	22	Martin & Claudette Webster '75
23	Ed & Helen Garofolo '63	24	25	26	27	Bob & Jean Gray '53 Chris & Sandy Tupper	28	Rod & Sharon Leifheit '76	29									

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<u>MONTH</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT/SHOW</u>	<u>SPONSOR/HOST</u>
FEBRUARY 2020	7	Home and Garden Show	Men's Club
	8	Bee Gees Tribute Show 3:00 & 7:00PM \$20	Men's Club & Entertainment Committee
	12	Shredder in Clubhouse parking lot 10-12noon	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	Carl Schlachter
MARCH 2020	5	Golf Cart Inspection Clubhouse parking lot 9-4	Men's Club
	6	Treasures Sale 8:30AM-1:30PM Clubhouse	Women's Club
	14	St. Patrick's Dance	Men's Club
	28&29	"Ladies of Harmony" play	PL Theatre
APRIL 2020	4	Men's Club Pot Luck Dance	Men's Club
	18	The Boogie Men (10-piece band)	Entertainment Committee



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October 2020	Wed, Sept. 16, 2020
November 2020	Fri, Oct. 16, 2020
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