

January 2024

What's Up Holiday Park



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Men's Club Picnic - November 18th



Christmas Tree Lighting & Dance - November 26th



Sleigh Bell Ball - December 9th



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FROM THE DESK OF THE DISTRICT MANAGER

Welcome back to Holiday Park!

I hope everyone had a great Holiday Season and is enjoying this beautiful weather! If you have any questions or concerns, please stop by the office or call/text/email will work too. If you have any suggestions for improving our beautiful park, please let me know.



Here are a few friendly reminders:

If you are an owner or a renter, please make sure we have your current information on file. All records must be updated upon arrival and kept current.

Please abide by the speed limit, I have continually received numerous complaints.

If you are in any common areas please wear your name tags, owners, renters, or guest. No bare feet allowed in any public buildings.

Please do not publish your gate code or your neighbors on social media, this is a security issue. We want to keep our neighbors and friends safe.

Our office is open daily 10:00 am – 2:00 pm. If there is something urgent during off hours feel free to contact me directly.

Thank you for your assistance, support, and cooperation.

HAPPY NEW YEAR, MUCH HEALTH AND HAPPINESS FOR 2024!!!

Carmella Coons, District Manager

HPARC LOGO ITEMS FOR SALE

For more information or to purchase, contact **Linda Gibson** at 315-532-2741



Koozie Cooler Bag \$20



2-Tone Tote Bag \$15

HOLIDAY PARK ACTIVITIES AND RECREATION COUNCIL (ARC)

As we enter 2024, HPARC Council would like to thank everyone who helped make 2023 a successful year despite all the obstacles we were dealing with. We may not have made money, but I know we put smiles on our resident's faces and that was our primary goal in 2023. Not only the people who helped with set ups etc. but we would also like to thank all those who attended our events. Without you we would not be celebrating a good year. We hope that you all enjoyed the dances and entertainment that we have provided and hope you have even more fun this coming year as we have some new events never done before in Holiday Park. If you see a council member while you are out and about, please thank them. Most do not know the amount of pre-planning and preparation that goes into some of the events. They continue to donate their time and talents to make sure we can provide the best possible time while you are here in Holiday Park.

Hoping everyone has a safe and Happy New Year!

Kathy Bachman, HPARC President

DID YOU KNOW.....



- HPARC Membership cards are available every Monday from 8am-10am in PH 2 card room through the end of January. Exception is Monday January 1st.
- HPARC Membership meetings are the 3rd Tuesday of every month at 7pm in the PH 1 main hall.
- HPARC Event tickets are available on Monday for current ARC members and Tuesdays for renters and guests. No more than 4 tickets may be purchased by one person and must have HPARC membership card for each.
- If you plan to use the exercise room stop at the office to sign a new waiver and have your code reset.
- If you use the compounds and haven't already done so, stop at the office to swap out your key.

ARCHITECTURAL CONTROL COMMITTEE (ACC)

Happy Holidays to all the Holiday Park Residents from the ACC Committee. Just a quick note if you are putting in a new home. It's very important that you familiarize yourself with the ACC rules and also pick up a new home packet from the office. In the packet is a questionnaire, this will help you cover all the steps to get your home. When you and a BUILDER REPRESENTATIVE come to an ACC meeting as required, please bring the questionnaire with you. Also, on your plans with survey, it needs to have the landscaping details on it. This will enable us to go thru the process much easier and allow us all to understand the home layout. Also, there has been a few changes in the ACC Rules and Regulations. These rules can be found on the park website or you can get a copy from the office. Please review these rules before you start any project that requires a permit. If you have any questions or concerns feel free to contact me or any member of the Committee.

Bob Bachman, Trustee Chairperson ACC

LAWNS

HAPPY NEW YEAR! Wishing all of our residents, guests and families, a healthy, happy, and prosperous New Year !! We have survived another hurricane season without any issues, may we as a community continue to rebuild our park and our lives in this new year. The goal is to move forward, thank you for the continued support the community has shown in rebuilding our park and our lives. Thank you !!

US Lawns will be in the park every two weeks, as we have seen sometimes they have an unexpected availability and will be here on a different day, this should not happen often, please have patience. If you choose to be responsible for your own lawn, please advise the lawn crew.

Deb Perla, Trustee Lawns



HOLIDAY PARK SAFETY

Kathy Bachman, president of HPARC, has scheduled a safety presentation by the North Port Police Department on 2/1/2024 at 6:30 pm in the PH 1 hall.

It is very important that the office is aware of who is staying in the park. Please register your guests and renters and let the office know when you leave for the season and upon your return. Please notify Carmella Coons of any people living around you that you don't recognize. Please wear your name badges when you are out and about in the community.

The police department continues to advise us to not hesitate to call 911 for any suspicious activity and to avoid confrontation with suspicious persons. You can also use the North Port nonemergency number at 941-429-7300.

Please contact me if you have any general safety concerns or suggestions to keep our park safe. Thank you.

Sharon O'Reilly, Trustee Safety

AARP TAXES

Taxes start every Monday, Feb. 5 through April 8, 8:30 am-12 noon. Same as last year, drop off on Monday pick up the next Monday. The sign-up book will be on the desk in front of the window in the PH 1 lobby, starting Jan. 29. Also pick up intake sheets and fill out before dropping off taxes. Thank You **Don LaMaster**, any questions call 941-876-4622.

FOOD BANK

The Holiday Park food bank is located in the PH 2 hall, next to the Library. If anyone needs my help I am only a phone call away. I am home most of the time and I would be pleased to help anyone in need.

Mariann Underdown 941-429-4846



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HELPING HANDS

Helping Hands is a Holiday Park organization that provides medical equipment and some home care assistance. Medical equipment includes walkers, shower chairs, canes, wheelchairs etc. available to our residents to meet their needs.

For Medical Equipment call:

John Kahnoski	616-581-9141
George Clinch	716-359-6220
Lynnwood Martin	519-999-1349
Roger Olds	734-559-4588
Frank Reiser	941-740-4003
Tim Seelow	207-320-1654
John Trepasso	585-872-5342



For Homecare call:

Nancy Crosby	941-592-7434 (cell)
	941-426-5943 (home)

Thanks to all our volunteers who make this service available to our residents.

Carol Clinch, Helping Hands Chairperson 716-481-5516

ATTENTION VETERANS

We are looking for Veterans, NEW to Holiday Park and the Veteran's Photo Board in the main lobby. It is very simple:

- Come in to have your picture taken on the following Mondays; January 8, 15, 22, & 29, between 9:00 am and 12 noon.
- Where? In the Trustee room, PH 1 main hall.
- Dress appropriately! UNIFORMS, IF they still fit are GREAT!
- We are inviting ALL veterans to sign up. If you served in the military of your home country, you are eligible to be placed on the VETERAN'S MEMORIAL BOARD.



Questions? Call *John Rabideau*, 941-423-0580.

Thank you!

MEN'S CLUB INFORMATION

Picnic Ticket Sales

Men's Club Picnic tickets will be sold in the PH 2 card room from 8-10 am on Mondays and Tuesdays. The dates for the January 20th picnic sales are January 8, 9, 15, and 16. They will also be sold at the regular meeting on January 11th. Men's Club memberships may be purchased at this time also; membership is required for men buying picnic tickets. Please show your membership cards to the persons selling tickets. As always, single ladies can buy tickets without a membership card. This change makes picnic and Men's Club membership sales at the same time. Ticket sales will end at 6:00 pm on January 16.

2024 Picnics & Parking

We will be returning to the PH 1 picnic area in back of the shuffleboard courts. If you come by golf cart, please park all the way back behind the trees where people have their tables and chairs set up. If you have set your table and chairs near the shuffleboard court, please park alongside the courts. DO NOT drive golf carts on the pavers in the sidewalks between the parking lot, the shuffleboard court, and the kitchen. Golf cart parking is also available in the designated spaces of the parking lots in front of and on the side of the club house. The change in parking for the picnics is to give the workers room to get from the charcoal cooker to the serving tables and to the beverage area. Please do not park in spaces obviously designated for cars. The entry ways will be the same as always—on both sides of the big tree. PLEASE DO NOT ENTER area marked with caution tape. Please abide by the NO PARKING lines. Sometimes golf carts, scooters, bikes, and cars are parked on these painted lines which mean NO PARKING in this space. This is important so that there is always access for emergency vehicles if they are needed. It's important to remember that all residential lots of Holiday Park are private property and require permission from the owners if you want to walk across or park on their property.

Ken Judd, Ticket Sales 941-426-7287

Men's Club Valentine's Day Brunch

Tickets will go on sale at January 11th regular meeting. Tickets will also be sold January 15, 16, 22, 29, and February 5th. Tickets are \$10 each. The Brunch is set for 10:00 am, coffee will be served at 9:45 am. Please remember to bring your own table service. Seating will not be reserved; please follow directions to seating. This event is for Men's Club members and one guest only. Please show your membership card when buying tickets.

Men's Club Shed & Boutique

The shed and boutique are open every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 9 am until noon. Donations will be accepted between 9 am and 11:30 am on those days only. Please DO NOT drop off any donations when we are closed.

JUST US GIRLS

HAPPY NEW YEAR! Welcome back ladies if you are just returning to the park. Our first regular meeting this year will be on Thurs. January 25th in the main hall. Sign-up for the Celtic Show at North Port High School will begin @ 9:00 a.m. This will be an evening performance @ 7pm. on March 5th. Cost will be \$30 (check only--No Canadian). Transportation will be provided. You may also check for seating at the Off-Broadway performance on Jan. 31st or the Lemon Bay performance on Feb. 11th. If there have been cancellations, you may still be able to get a seat.

After the meeting on Jan. 25th, we have a new program called "Fashion Flip". Each member can bring 2 or 3 items to exchange for something "new". These items can be clothing, jewelry, purses, scarves, etc. Anything to do with fashion. There will be no money involved. If you bring 2 items--you can take 2 different items. Who knows what you might find!

You will need to check in at PH 2 no later than 9:30 a.m. on Jan. 31st for the Off-Broadway trip. Bus will leave at 10:00 a.m. Bring \$1 bills for raffle & BINGO. Bus will return between 4:00-4:30 p.m.

On Sunday, February 25th we will have "Divas On Parade" fashion show. If you are interested in being a model, please contact Lois Langtry for instructions. We have done this event in the past and it was a lot of fun!

Hope to see you at our January meeting.

Wiz LaMaster, Secretary

TREES FOR TUSCOLA

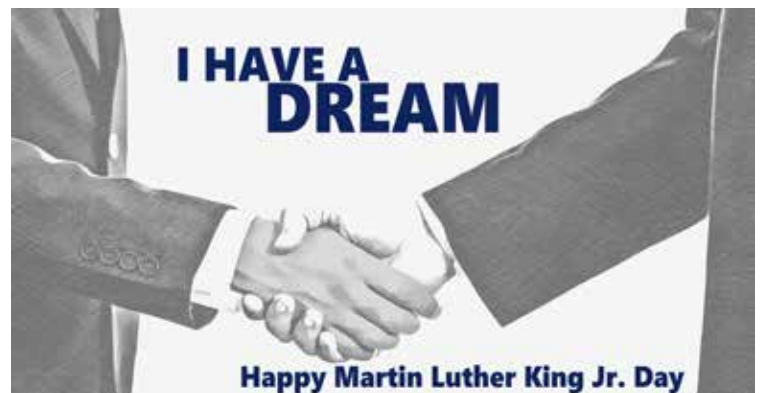
Now that Christmas is over and all those bills for gifts and the taxes are behind you (hopefully), could you think about making a donation to the Trees for Tuscola account? ANY amount is helpful. We want to plant more trees in the spring when the rains begin so our Waterboy (Don LaMaster) doesn't have to drag hoses so far for watering. Make checks out to Holiday Park Trees for Tuscola (our bookkeeper needs them this way for ease in accounting). Call me at 942-436-7287 or stop by 6448 Keena Court with them. You can see that the ones we planted a few months ago are showing growth signs. With much appreciation,
Lois Langtry

MEMORIAL BRICKS

Many special memories and people in this park's history are forever captured in the Memorial Brick Garden on the pathway leading up to the Gazebo on Tuscola. For more information call Gary Chapman at 231-349-6740 or email him at pappychappy14@gmail.com. Order forms can be obtained from the Holiday Park office.

IMPORTANT FLORIDA LAW CHANGE

Under the new Florida law that went into effect on October 1st, 2023, golf cart drivers under the age of 18 must be at least 15 with a learner's permit or 16 with a driver's license. Anyone who is 18 or older needs a valid government issued ID. This change in the law is due to the number of children injured and killed while driving golf carts. Please keep your grandchildren safe and do not allow them to drive your golf cart.



HP ACTIVITIES & RECREATION EVENTS FOR 2023-2024 SEASON

Remember, when attending any “IN PARK” function, your “NAME BADGE” is REQUIRED!!



Dances

Wow, 2023 is gone, we'll start off 2024 in our newly renovated Main Hall with a GRAND OPENING on January 13th. The final arrangements are currently being made. We'll have a dance from 7-10 pm featuring a very popular duo, **Dick & Kammy**. Tickets will be available on January 8th and 9th in the PH 2 card room from 8-10 am. On January 27th, a special entertainer from New York will be with us for a dance from 7-10 pm in the PH 1 main hall. Tickets for this event will be sold on January 22nd and 23rd, 8-10 am in the PH 2 card room for \$7 per person.

Please remember that the first day of sales is for homeowners with HPARC cards (you must have the HPARC cards with you), the second day is for renters and guests. Also, please remember that **HP names badges are required for all events**, including ticket sales. Thanks for your support. **George Clinch**, HPARC 1st VP

Triple F – Friends, Fun & Festivities

Happy New Year to everyone from Triple F and all the wonderful volunteers.

Fun was had by all who attended the 'Tree Lighting Dance'. As we rocked around the Christmas tree, Santa and Mrs. Claus were busy doing photo ops with all the good little boys and girls, and maybe some naughty rascals (but we'll never tell). The rain held off just until the end - thank goodness it wasn't snow!!

A quick heads-up on our upcoming events:

Bust out your beads and masks and get ready for the 'Mardi Gras Dance' on February 3, 2024. Our own park residents, Jeff and Gigi, will provide the music from 7-10 pm in PH 1 hall.

The chips are hot and ready for the 'Casino' afternoon on March 3 from 2-5 pm in the PH 1 hall. A lite lunch will be served.

Watch the electronic sign, fliers posted around the park, and Chatter Facebook page for more information to come,

Please contact Lynn Leonard, 269-999-6892 for more information.

“Friendly, Fun Frase”...*If you can lie down at night knowing in your heart that you made someone's day just a little bit better, you know you had a good day.*

Art in the Park

Art in the Park Class

Thursday, January 4th 6:00-8:00PM

Phase 2, Card Room

COST IS \$5.00 AT THE DOOR

Please TEXT 616-389-4225 to register.



Congratulations to the winners of the Holiday Rock Hunt Christmas Gift Cards Dec. 20th during Art in the Park's ROCK'N Around the Christmas Tree party. We gave away \$200 just in time for Christmas shopping. Our next rock hunt will be focused on New Year, Valentine and St. Patrick's Day. Join Art in the Park Rocks Facebook group for further details or contact Mark.

Mark & Sharon Rauguth 616-389-4225

Beautification - Adopt a Pot/Planter

The park is looking lovely, and this is due to the hard work of the volunteers and maintenance staff we have. A huge hug and thank you go out to these individuals. We continue to water, fertilize, and plant flowers in the planters as needed. You can call us the "Garden Angels" and we have muscle behind this program too and these are the "Hercules". It takes a group effort to make things happen at this park and we hope that more will join us. The next meeting will be on Wednesday, January 3, 2024, at 10 am PH 2. We hope that we will be seeing the snowbirds at this meeting. We will celebrate on Wednesday, February 4, 2024, at 10 a.m. in PH 2 with brunch and Mimosas. Hope you can join us!

Sunnie Lamppa 218-391-5095

New England Days

Save The Date ! New England Day will be held on Sunday March 24 , 2024 in the PH 1 main hall . More info to follow.

HP OLYMPICS FEBRUARY 9th THROUGH
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FEBRUARY 23rd, 2024

Hoping you all had a wonderful Christmas. Now is the time to seriously be thinking HOLIDAY PARK OLYMPICS! Playing, baking, cheering, dancing, whatever you choose. **Sign up dates are as follows: Wed., Jan. 3rd, Fri., Jan 5th, Wed., Jan 10th and Wed., Jan. 17th., 10-noon PH 1 main hall. The fee will be \$20** For this fee you will receive an Olympic T-shirt, chili, cupcakes, 3-FREE music events (for your listening and/or dancing pleasure, whichever you wish), all activities, and an unlimited amount of fun. The February newsletter will have the full schedule of events, times, places, etc. Looking forward to seeing you all out and enjoying the HP Olympics, participating, volunteering, or cheering on your favorite Olympian.

Wishing you all a Happy, Healthy and Wonderful 2024.

Mary Margaret Bryant, Chairperson and All The Olympic Committee

HP Olympics Cupcake Baking Contest

Ladies & Gentlemen (if you love to bake), dig out your best cupcake recipe for the HP Olympics! Sign-up in January. The judging & results will be announced at Opening Ceremonies Friday, Feb. 9, 2024. Please sign-up to enter. Thanks, **Barbara Ruggiero**, 941-426-2700



HAPPY NEW YEAR!

EDITOR'S CORNER

I hope that everyone had a wonderful Christmas and I want to wish everyone a Happy New Year! Many events and activities are happening every month in the park, so please check your newsletter each month for dates and times.

Newsletter articles, calendar events and daily activity additions, deletions or changes need to be emailed to holidayparknewsletter@gmail.com. The DEADLINE is no later than the **18th** of the month *preceding* the month you want the information published. The Holiday Park newsletter can be viewed online at www.holidayparknp.com.

Current Residents/New Homeowners: If you would like your Birthday and/or Anniversary dates included in the newsletter, or you have additions, corrections, or removals, please email me at holidayparknewsletter@gmail.com or call me at 207-313-8111. Thank you, **Nancy Seelow**

RESOURCE DIRECTORY

- ER 2 You, Mobile Urgent Care 941-275-2968 at your home 7 days a week, 9 am – 8 pm
- Elder Helpline 1-800-413-5337 (toll free)
- Meals on Wheels 941-474-8802
- Lift Assistance (Fire Department) 941-316-1201 for assistance getting up after a fall.
- FISH (Friends in Service Here) 941-474-8802 Call for free ride to doctor appointments, grocery store etc. if you have no other means of transportation. Rides to Venice and Port Charlotte but shopping must be in North Port. Call answering service the day before between 9 am and 3 pm. For more information go to www.fishofnorthport.org.
- Shorepoint Health Nurse Connect 941-637-2497 for around-the-clock health information and physician referrals.
- SCAT on Demand 941-300-1553 Curb to curb service for \$1.25. Service hours are 5am to 10pm Monday thru Saturday and 6am to 9pm on Sundays.
- SCAT Plus 1-844-879-7340
- Center Place Health 941-529-0200 provides adult health care and emergency dental services for those without insurance or under insured.
- North Port Social Services 941-429-3700 financial assistance with rent, utility etc. For more information [CityofNorthPort.com/Social Services](http://CityofNorthPort.com/Social%20Services)
- CVS Pharmacy will deliver to your home \$10 initial setup fee. No delivery fees after that.
- Publix & Walmart will deliver groceries. Fees range \$1-\$10 depending on distance. Groceries must be ordered online



DAILY/WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

**Please see the “Daily Activities” schedule for a list of all the activities and their times.



Bingo is played every Wednesday night through the end of April 2024. Come and see what’s new, I hope to see you all there. The more that play, the more it pays! You must buy your cards by 6:15 pm, and **please no bills larger than \$10**. Here’s the cost for each pack; 3pk-\$2, 6pk-\$4, 9pk-\$5, 12pk-\$6, 15pk-\$7, 18pk-\$8. You can purchase a Hot Ball ticket for \$1 and the special coverall sheets are \$1 for two. Don’t forget **name badges/guest tags are required to play**. *Nancy Seelow*, HPARC Bingo

Bocce

ATTENTION new & seasoned residents: We are looking for people to come & play Bocce. Due to Ian, there have been many changes. We lost our shade covers so we will be playing in the sun. We have also lost a number of helpers due to Ian. We need players to help “groom” the courts every morning (drag & water). The Club needs players both beginners & returnees. Come over to the courts any morning at 8:30 (subject to change with the weather). No experience needed. We all started at one time! We are a friendly group, who love the game, & would like to share with others! Stop by and see what it is all about. *Slotteo Ruggiero* 607-592-2329

Ceramics

Hopefully, here we are again...time for ceramics. As with everything else, the ceramic building needs a few things fixed. We meet every Friday from 1-4 pm in the building behind PH 2 pool. Looking forward to seeing everyone and hopefully some new faces too. We do have a lot of fun. No experience is necessary. Come and show your creative side. We offer basic supplies if you are interested in giving it a try. Any questions please call *Rosanne* @941 423-8274.

Darts

Darts has resumed on Thursday evenings, we started November 2nd. We play every Thursday evening starting at 6:30 in the computer room. Everyone is welcome, come and join us! *Betty Bouliane* 519-324-7994

Mah Jongg

Welcome back all you Mah Jongg players and those who would like to learn. We will start playing Thursday, Jan. 4th at 1:00 pm in the PH2 card room. *Linda Braun* (734)417-7143 and *Rhonda Colthorp* (734)883-3713 are your co-chairs. Call if you have any questions. See you soon!

Social Guitar

Social Guitar will start up after the holidays on January 9th and will occur through April 9th, 2024 on Tuesday evenings in the PH2 card room from 6:30-8:30 pm. Social Guitar provides a great opportunity to start or enhance your guitar playing skills. For those who do not want to play the guitar, come join in and sing along! Any questions, contact *John Sermersheim* at 812-630-0182.

Tennis

A big thank-you to Mary Paula MacEachern for organizing the monthly fun tournaments! Kudos as well to Norbert and the two Bills for the tasty BBQ goodies.

The November Turkey Trot tourney was a huge success, bolstered by record member attendance. For December, the Grinch tournament created more opportunity for members to mingle, socialize and exercise. After a short Christmas break, all men's and ladies' leagues are back in full swing for January. *Jim Shatford*

Water Aerobics

Classes are Tuesdays & Thursdays, 10:00 to 11:00 am at the PH 2 pool (if closed) then we’ll be at the PH 1 pool. Bring water weights if you have them. Temperature must reach 60 degrees to instruct class. Come join us for a great workout, fun, and laughter. *Carolyn Olds*

Zoomba

Classes are Wednesdays & Fridays at 8:00 am and are held in the PH 1 hall. Join us for an hour of dancing, fun, laughter, and friendship. *Carolyn Olds*



DANCE



TREE LIGHTING



PICNIC



JANUARY



January

See Daily Activities

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
	<p>Happy New Year! 1</p> <p><i>New Year's Day</i></p>	<p>2</p>	<p>Beautiful PH 2 HP Olympi PH 1 Main Hal Music in <i>Harmon</i> PH 1 Picnic A</p>
<p>7</p>	<p>8</p> <p>HPARC Dance & Dinner Tickets & Membership Sales PH 2 Card Rm 8-10 am Men's Club Picnic Ticket and Membership Sales PH 2 Card Rm 8-10 am Veteran's Pictures PH 1 Trustee rm 9 am - noon</p>	<p>9</p> <p>HPARC Dance & Dinner Tickets PH 2 Card Rm 8-10 am</p> <p>Men's Club Picnic Ticket and Membership Sales PH 2 Card Rm 8-10 am</p>	<p>HP Olympi PH 1 Main Hal</p>
<p>14</p>	<p>15</p> <p>HPARC Membership Sales PH 2 Card Rm 8-10 am Men's Club Picnic & Valentine's Brunch Tickets and Membership Sales PH 2 Card Rm 8-10 am Veteran's Pictures PH 1 Trustee rm 9 am - noon <i>Martin Luther King Jr.'s Birthday</i></p>	<p>16</p> <p>Men's Club Picnic & Valentine's Brunch Tickets and Membership Sales PH 2 Card Rm 8-10 am</p> <p>HPARC Membership mtg PH 1 7 pm</p>	<p>HP Olympi PH 1 Main Hal</p> <p>Music in <i>Under the</i> PH 1 Picnic A</p>
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WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>3</p> <p>tion mtg. 10 am cs Sign-ups l 10 am - noon the Park <i>ny Lane</i> Area 3-5 pm</p>	<p>4</p> <p>Men's Club Steering mtg. PH 2 9am</p> <p>Art in the Park PH 2 Card Rm 6-8 pm By Reservation Only</p>	<p>5</p> <p>ACC mtg PH 1 9 am</p> <p>HP Olympics Sign-ups PH 1 Main Hall 10 am - noon</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Epiphany</p>
<p>10</p> <p>cs Sign-ups l 10 am - noon</p>	<p>11</p> <p>Men's Club Regular mtg PH 1 10 am</p> <p>Trustee mtg PH 1 7 pm</p>	<p>12</p>	<p>13</p> <p><i>Grand Opening</i> PH 1 Main Hall 1-3 PM</p> <p>HPARC "<i>Grand Opening</i>" Dance <i>Music by Dick & Kammy</i> PH1 Main Hall 7-10 pm</p>
<p>17</p> <p>cs Sign-ups l 10 am - noon</p> <p>the Park <i>Influence</i> Area 3-5 pm</p>	<p>18</p> <p>DEADLINE for Newsletter Articles</p> <p>HPARC Dinner PH 1 5 pm</p>	<p>19</p> <p>ACC mtg PH 1 9 am</p>	<p>20</p> <p>Men's Club Picnic PH 1 12 pm</p>
<p>24</p>	<p>25</p> <p>Just Us Girls mtg PH 1 9 am sign-ups / 9:30 am mtg</p> <p><i>Music by Cary/Fletchers</i> PH 1 Main Hall 6-8 pm</p>	<p>26</p>	<p>27</p> <p>HPARC Dance Music by a guest entertainer PH1 Main Hall 7-10 pm</p>
<p>31</p> <p>ls Bus Trip way Palms PH 2 at 10 am</p>			

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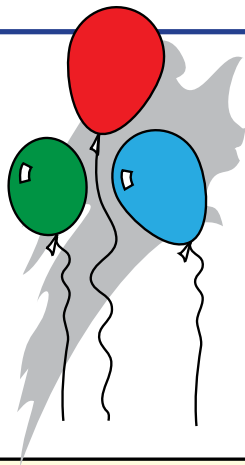
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JANUARY 2024

BIRTHDAYS

NAME	DAY
Capper, Jack	2
Carlston, Sue	27
Christiana, Patricia	1
Brown, Midge	26
Burns, Mike	2
De Ville, Pam	14
Dwyer, Tish	11
Good, Greg	17
Gortz, Dick	2
Green, John	6
Hendrickson, Barbara	19
Hertz, Richard	11
Hooper, Crystal	13
Hopkins, Merlin	15
Keach, Bill	8
Keller, Arlene	23
Lapham, Jim	29
Leclair, Blanche	4
Llewellyn, Nancy	
Strittmatter, Rosalie	23

BIRTHDAYS

NAME	DAY
Lykins, Bob	18
Mac Kenzie, Donna	19
Mcgraw, Jim	20
Mckerracher, Randy	9
Moher, Barbara	2
Moore, Robert	21
Mousseau, Larry	28
Mousseau, Vivian	20
Netolicky, John	18
Nichols, Judy	13
Olds, Penny	26
Ostricki, Peter	9
Pickard, Marthe	3
Reitano, Vic	17
Roberts, Helen	22
Storemski, Lori	26
Swanson, Arlene	10
Touchette, Paula	31
Wood, Michael	3
Young, Tom	24

ANNIVERSARIES

NAME	DATE	YEAR
Birch, Carole & Bill	9	1986
Brewer, Mariette & Bob	23	1964
Burley, Pam & Craig	24	1970
Ianero, Maria & Romano	29	1966
Mckeen, Sandra & Gary	23	1965
Moher, Barbara & Bill	21	1967
Sheeler, Lorraine & Don	2	1960
Stratford, Dawn & Theodore	24	1996
Underdown, Mariann & Dick	6	1968



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DAILY ACTIVITIES

MONDAY

6:45 AM	Early Risers Exercise (Sept – May)	PH 1
8:00 AM	Pool Walking (year-round)	PH 2
8 – 9:30 AM	Open Tennis	PH 2
8:30 AM	Bocce (Oct – Apr)	PH 2
9:00 AM	Pickleball (Oct – Apr)	PH 2
	Horseshoes (Oct – Apr)	PH 2
10:00 AM	Shuffleboard (Oct – Apr)	PH 1
12:15 PM	35 Card Games (year-round)	PH 2
3 – 4 PM	Table Tennis (year-round)	PH 1
4 – 5:30 PM	Line Dancing	PH 1
6:15 PM	Hand & Foot (year-round)	PH 2

TUESDAY

6:45 AM	Early Risers Exercise (Sept – May)	PH 1
7:30 AM	Ladies Golf League (Nov – April) At The Cove in Englewood	
8:00 AM	Pool Walking (year-round)	PH 2
8:30 AM	Bocce (Oct – Apr)	PH 2
9:00 AM	Pickleball (Oct – Apr)	PH 2
	Horseshoes (Oct – Apr)	PH 2
10:00 AM	Water Aerobics (Dec - Apr)	PH 2
12 – 4 PM	Mixed Bridge (year-round)	PH 2
1:00 PM	Shuffleboard (Oct – Apr)	PH 1
6:30-8:30 PM	Social Guitar Playing (Jan - Apr)	PH 2

WEDNESDAY

6:45 AM	Early Risers Exercise (Sept – May)	PH 1
8:00 AM	Pool Walking (year-round)	PH 2
	Zoomba (Dec – Apr)	PH 1
8 - 8:30 AM	Kayaking (Oct – May)	PH 2
8 – 9:30 AM	Open Tennis	PH 2
8:30 AM	Bocce (Oct – Apr)	PH 2
9:00 AM	Pickleball (Oct – Apr)	PH 2
	Horseshoes (Oct – Apr)	PH 2
10:00 AM	Shuffleboard (Oct – Apr)	PH 1
3 – 4 PM	Table Tennis (year-round)	PH 1
6:30 PM	BINGO (Nov – Apr)	PH 1
	(Must be present and purchase cards by 6:15)	

THURSDAY

6:45 AM	Early Risers Exercise (Sept – May)	PH 1
8:00 AM	Pool Walking (year-round)	PH 2
9:00 AM	Bocce (Oct – Apr)	PH 2
9:00 AM	Pickleball (Oct – Apr)	PH 2
	Horseshoes (Oct – Apr)	PH 2
10:00 AM	Water Aerobics (Dec - Apr)	PH 2
11:30 AM	Bowling (Men & Women) Treasure Lanes in Port Charlotte	
1 – 4 PM	Open Shuffleboard (Oct – Apr)	PH 1
	Mah Jongg (Jan - Apr)	PH 2
1 – 3 PM	Cribbage (Dec – Apr) (Computer Room)	PH 2
1:00 PM	Hooks and Needles (year-round)	PH 2
6:15 PM	Duplicate Bridge (mid Nov – mid March)	PH 2
6:30 PM	Darts (Nov – Apr)	PH 2

FRIDAY

6:45 AM	Early Risers Exercise (Sept – May)	PH 1
8:00 AM	Pool Walking (year-round)	PH 2
	Zoomba (Dec – Apr)	PH 1
8 – 9:30 AM	Open Tennis	PH 2
8:30 AM	Bocce (Oct – Apr)	PH 2
9:00 AM	Summer Water Aerobics (May – Oct)	PH 2
	Pickleball (Oct – Apr)	PH 2
	Horseshoes (Oct – Apr)	PH 2
10:00 AM	Shuffleboard (Oct – Apr)	PH 1
12 – 4 PM	Mixed Bridge (year-round)	PH 2
1:00 PM	Billiards – Fun/Free (year-round)	PH 2
1-4 PM	Ceramics -Ceramics Bldg. (Nov – May)	PH 2
3 – 4 PM	Table Tennis (year-round)	PH 1
6:15 PM	Hand & Foot (year-round)	PH 2

SATURDAY

8:30 AM	Bocce (Oct – Apr)	PH 2
9:00 AM	Pickleball	PH 2
10:00 AM	Bean Bag Baseball (year-round)	PH 1
6:00 PM	Pennies from Heaven (year-round)	PH 2

SUNDAY

6:30 PM	Euchre (Dec – April)	PH 2
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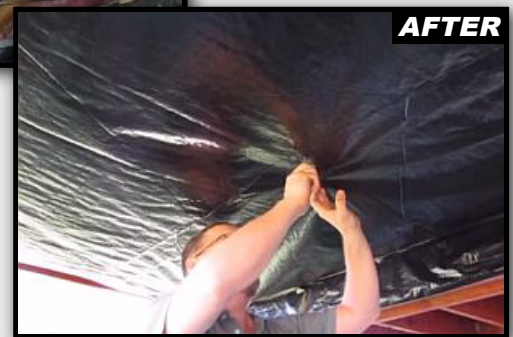
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