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## From the Office

### Cantina Clubhouse

The circle drive at Cantina Clubhouse is for drop off only. Cars and golf carts are causing congestion. Also, the bicycle rack is at the kitchen entrance to the clubhouse. Please use it.

### Pick Up After Your Animals

**Again!!!** Residents must pick up after their animals. We are seeing more and more where people are not cleaning up after their animals. Remember to take a bag with you when walking your dog.

### Barking Dogs

We have received several complaints about dogs barking at all hours of the day and night. Please keep your animals under control.

### Village Front Entrance

It has been brought to our attention that some residents are using the front entrance to the park for hitting golf balls. We had a problem with this in the past with balls hitting houses and breaking windows. Please do not use these areas for practicing golf of any kind.

### Newsletter Submissions

News articles, stories, photos and other items for *The Villager* are always welcome. Deadline is 5:00pm the 18th of each month.

Please send them by email to:  
lkscott709@gmail.com

NOTE: If you do not get an acknowledgement of receipt of your email within 72 hours, please call 301-275-2049.

## Letter from the President

Dear Neighbors,

My name is Norman Scott and I was elected to be the President of the Arcadia Village Home Owners Association for the upcoming years. I want to introduce myself to the neighborhood and tell you a little about myself. My family and I have been residents of the neighborhood for the past nine months and we lived and worked for the US Air Force in the Washington D.C./Maryland area for 26 years. I am a native of Rhode Island and my wife Linda is a native of California. I am a retired Air Force Master Sergeant with more than 22 years active service, also a Vietnam Vet. After retiring from active duty I went back to work for the Air Force as a Civilian employee in Financial Management and retired in 2013 after 28 years of service. I am extremely honored and humbled to be elected as the president of the association. I want to see the neighborhood thrive, heal, and be an example of how a vibrant neighborhood should be while striving to be progressive and a best practice. I hope to stay true to the history and character that has made Arcadia Village a wonderful place to live.

I first want to thank and commend the prior board for their service. Being a member of the board is a voluntary position and it often comes with criticism, thankless hours, undue stress and very little gratitude.

In moving forward, it is this board's intention to be a more transparent organization, but also to set a best practice on how to conduct the members' business. I encourage any and all of members or potential future members to contact me or any member of the board with questions or suggestions. There is a vast knowledge and experience in our neighborhood as many residents have served on the HOA board or a committee of some sort. We encourage your feedback and ideas to improve the neighborhood and continue the friendly atmosphere that has defined Arcadia Village in the past. Once again, thank you for the opportunity to serve the neighborhood and I look forward to meeting and getting to know as many of you as I can.

Sincerely,  
Norm Scott, 709 International, 301-542-5435

## HOA NEWS

On December 12, 2017, the HOA Annual Meeting of Members and Election was held. The board was very happy with the great attendance of members. Thank you to all who came. New directors elected were Lynda Emery, Dave Hendricks, Bruce Leis, and Norm Scott who will be serving with Pam Wood, Deb Allen, Jay Cramer, Tom Homan, and Greg Owen. The board invites all members to attend monthly agenda and board of directors meetings. We welcome your input.

## HOA MEETINGS

HOA Board of Directors and Agenda meetings will be held in the Cantina Clubhouse on the first Tuesday of the month, January through April and October through December. There are no meetings May through September. The Agenda meetings will be held at 6:30 pm, prior to the Board meetings. During the agenda meetings, members in good standing may present their concerns in writing. These concerns are then discussed and it is determined what further action should take place.

Dates for all meetings are posted in each clubhouse and in the Villager. The purpose of these meetings is for committee reports, approval of bills, and general HOA business. We look forward to seeing you there!

## 2018 HOA OFFICERS

The 2018 HOA Board of Directors held an organizational meeting after the Annual Meeting and Election on December 12, 2017. The purpose of this meeting is to elect officers and plan for the following year.

Officers for the upcoming year are:

Norman Scott, President  
David Hendricks, 1st Vice President  
Tom Homan, 2nd Vice President  
Greg Owen, Treasurer  
Deb Allen, Secretary

Jay Cramer, Director  
Lynda Emery, Director  
Bruce Leis, Director  
Pam Wood, Director

Our new board members will be attending a meeting in January, organized by the FMO. This meeting, a requirement of Florida statute 723, addresses information regarding the state laws governing communities like Arcadia Village and their HOAs. The five board members who attended last year found it very helpful.

## HOA BY-LAWS

In 2015, the Arcadia Village Homeowners Association By-Laws were updated in accordance with Florida statute 723. All new members receive a copy when they join the HOA. Current members in good standing who don't have the up-dated version may pick one up from Janette Brockway, 137 Siesta for a fee of \$1.00. She will also be attending all HOA meetings to distribute them. Thank you Janette.

## NEW HOA AGENDA MEETING TIME

Starting January 2, 2018, the Agenda meetings will be held at 6:30 pm on the first Tuesday of the month in the Cantina Clubhouse. The Agenda meetings and Board of Directors meetings will be combined on the same day in hopes of making it more convenient for residents to attend. As per the HOA By-Laws members in good standing should bring your concerns in writing to be presented at the Agenda meetings.

**HOA AGENDA MEETING - JANUARY 2, 2018  
6:30 pm, CANTINA CLUBHOUSE**

Items to be considered for inclusion in the agenda shall be presented in writing at this meeting. All "Members in Good Standing" may participate in the agenda meeting discussion.

**HOA BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING  
JANUARY 2, 2018 7:00 pm, CANTINA CLUBHOUSE**

## ENTERTAINMENT

### 2018 Entertainment Schedule

Desoto High School Choir -TBD  
January 18 (Thursday) – Red Hot Blue Collar  
February 17 (Saturday) – Arcadia Community  
Concert Band  
February 22 (Thursday) – Remember When  
March 8 (Thursday) – Cahal Dunne

## RED HOT & BLUE COLLAR SHOW

### Entertainment Committee Is Proud To Present

The **RED HOT & BLUE COLLAR SHOW** on Thursday  
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February 17 Mamma Mia!

April 14 My Fair Lady

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## Thank You To Decorating Volunteers


Jerry Seavey and Joan Sigafoos would like to send a HUGE thank you to all of the VOLUNTEERS that came out to decorate the Cantina Clubhouse on December 4th. We were able to assemble and decorate five (5) Christmas trees, put up the manger scene in the foyer, put out table decorations, set up the village scene along the window sills, decorate and hang wreaths on the walls and decorate the stage. A LOT OF WORK! But many hands made it possible to complete all of this in ONE HOUR. A BIG THANK YOU to *Terry and Patti Harrison* who volunteered to take charge of the Decoration Committee next year.

Jerry Seavey, 806 El Adobe, 863-558-2726  
Joan Sigafoos, 651 El Presidente, 609-675-1344

**REMINDER: DATE TO UNDECORATE THE CLUB HOUSE IS JANUARY 3, 2018 AT 9:00AM. SEE YOU ALL THERE!!**

## THE SPEED LIMIT IS 15 MPH!!!

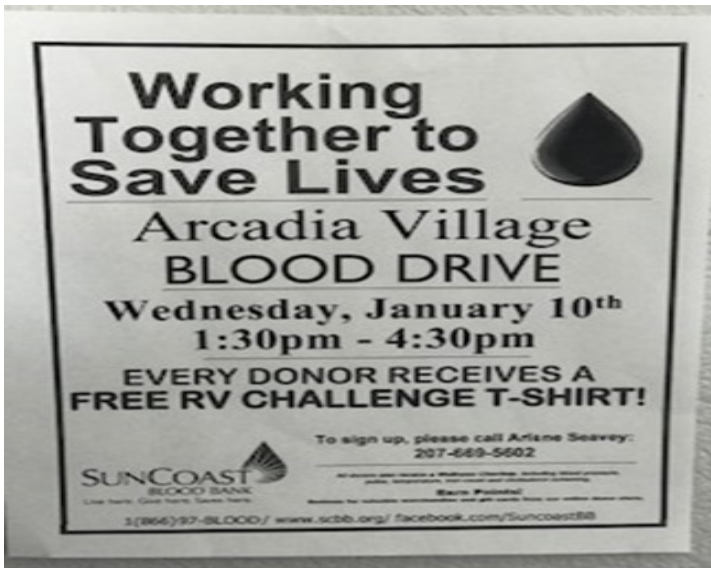
Recently a resident and his dog were struck by a car speeding on Siesta Blvd. The car who struck them was being driven by a resident who now knows better. The dog may not make it. Luckily the resident got off with minor injuries. We do not have sidewalks. Residents, dogs, bicyclists, golf carts are on our streets. Pay attention and STOP at stop signs!! Don't wait until you hurt or kill someone. Drive the proper speed every time.



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## Thank you from Trinity Methodist Church Food Pantry

Thanks to everyone for your donation of can goods and non-perishable foods that are left at the Cantina clubhouse.

Especially the bingo players. All the donations are greatly appreciated, every little bit helps.

Thank You and God Bless

Nancy Keys, TUMC Food pantry coordinator

## Thank You From Elsie Platt

A big Thank You to whoever left the bag of goodies at my door. They are very much appreciated.

Elsie Platt, 442 Barcelona, 863-494-7644

## Thank You From Mazie Livingston

My sincere thanks to the Village Carolers. Their music, goodies and exquisite hand work were such a blessing. God Bless You for your thoughtfulness. YOU ARE THE BEST!

Mazie Livingston, 775 Barcelona, 863-494-4196

## Thank You Christmas Bazaar Vendors

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## JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

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01/02 Charlene Michaud  
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Kyle Coultis

01/03 Nora Melton  
Gail Renaud

01/04 Robert Beauregard  
Susan Heisler  
Bonnie Cousins  
Janet Carrick  
Tom Bowser  
Jeanette Nicolazzo

01/06 Mary Lee Uveges  
Don Rasmussen  
Kathleen Imler  
Thelma VanAken

01/07 Joyce Chase  
Sara Kuhn  
Lynn Weingart

01/08 Joyce Giguere

01/10 Robert Novean  
Linda Patenaude

01/13 Richard Dunn  
Roberta Dunn

01/14 Deanna Fulton  
Jen Lambert  
Ginette Potvin

01/16 Bill Arnott  
Sue Mullins  
Michel Henrie  
Elsie Platt

01/17 Max Fitzpatrick  
Judy Milowski  
Bruce Leis

01/18 David Hilty

01/19 Nicoletta Boots  
Bettie Kerns

01/20 Jeffrey Harper  
Frank Bacon

01/21 Denise Beaulieu  
April Henley

01/22 Ken Baldwin  
Fran Locke  
Dan Dehaven

01/23 Alfred Uveges  
Roger Thomas  
Ben Lambert

01/24 Jo Benzie  
Ken Curl  
Phyllis Davis  
Judy Fox

01/25 Alice Bryden  
Diane Whittier  
Debbi Enderby

01/26 Joe Valin  
Carmen Gaboury  
Candy Meyers

01/27 Janie Martin  
Gerry Vanderwyst

01/28 Charles Herman  
Sally Orbaker

01/29 Joseph Kozlik

01/30 Nadine Coder  
Kevin Callanan

01/31 Gerald Seavey  
Don Medsker



## Veterans Park Committee

If your flag was damaged during the storm or if it is just time to replace it, drop it off at lot 806 for proper retirement. I plan to have the Boy Scouts perform a retirement ceremony early in 2018.

Jerry Seavey, 806 El Adobe, 863-558-2726

## Ice Cream Social

Sunday, January 7, 2018 @ 2:00 pm in the Cantina Clubhouse kitchen area. Ice cream, toppings, cookies and coffee. \$1.00 per person. Sign up sheet is in the Cantina Clubhouse. Come and meet new friends. Any questions call us.

Bill or Norma Foye, 693 El Presidente, 863-494-6708.

## Need FMO Representative

Looking for someone to be the park representative for the Federation of Mobile Home Owners (FMO).

For more information please contact:

Pam Wood, 52 Casa Grande, 248-912-8010

## A Special "Thank You" to the Departing HOA Board

The new HOA Board wants to express a Special "Thank You" to Roy Michaud, former President; Don Rasmussen, former Vice-President; Linda Gromen, former Treasurer; and Don Marlow, Director. Their years of service on the Board have been from one to several; their years serving on various committees, immeasurable; and the hours spent completing their duties, incomprehensible. We have been very fortunate to have such leaders serving our community, volunteering their time to maintain and improve this Association. Fortunately, these people remain in our community and have made themselves available to us, giving us guidance when and where we need it. When you see these people out and about be sure to express a "thank you" to them as this community would not be as prosperous as it is now without them. Again, THANK YOU!

Norm, David, Tom, Deb, Jay, Pam, Lynda, Bruce, Greg  
The Board

## A Letter from the HOA President

It is my pleasure to serve as the 2018 Arcadia Village Homeowners Association President. Many thanks go out to the 2017 Board Members and Committees. The new Board Members and I, along with the Committees, are excited and eager to face the challenges of the upcoming year. Our goal is to approach all challenges with a positive attitude and to invite your thoughts and opinions into each of the Board Meetings.

I strongly encourage everyone to participate in the care and management of our neighborhood. Also, I ask that everyone take a look around and to "police" their own areas. We all should have a copy and be familiar with the Covenants and By-Laws that have conveyed with the purchase of our properties. If you do not have a copy of the Covenants there will be a one-time offer to purchase a copy for only \$1.00.

Let's all join together and work hard to keep Arcadia Village a desirable and sought after neighborhood.

If you have any suggestions, or comments, please bring them in writing to the monthly board meeting.

Norm Scott, 709 International, 301-542-5435  
President, HOA

## Now for the HOA Dues

Okay all of you HOA members, it is now time to think about paying your 2018 HOA dues. I will start collecting the dues at the HOA meeting on January 2nd and NOT UNTIL THEN. After that I will be collecting the dues from JANUARY UNTIL THE END OF APRIL PER OUR BYLAWS. They remain at \$5.00 a year per home. You can pay me at any of the HOA meetings, if you see me when I walk, at my carry-in-dinners, or you can drop your payment off at my house. Just put the money in an old envelope with your name and lot number and place it in the BASKET AT MY BACK DOOR, or now I have a stand marked for dues that has a slot to put the envelope in which is more secure than the basket. Either way I will get a receipt to you when I walk.

Ellen Davis, 111 Siesta, 863-494-0273





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# New Residents/Directory Changes

## New Residents

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Birthdate</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>Anniv.</u>
Glenn Frazier Doris	544 Barcelona	10/07/1944 05/11/1950	SC	
Roger Kerns Bettie	516 Cantina	11/09 01/19	IN	
Gary Larson Carolyn Voss	415 Barcelona	12/31 04/17	MN	

## Directory Changes

Barry and Linda Gromen, lot 672, phone number 863-491-1133 is no longer in service. Please use 513-919-9526 or 513 941-1191 to contract them. Please update your directory.

Nadine Barnes, Lot 535, has a new phone number. Please update your directory to read 716-481-2382.

Dick Bailey has moved from 116 Buena Vista Drive to 29 Casa Grande Drive.

## Condolences

Phyllis Lyness, 462 International  
Norman, Fries, 570 I Conquistador  
Ron Chad, 646 El Presidente

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## South of the Bridge Neighborhood Gathering

Plan Ahead for the South of the Bridge Neighborhood Gathering

Mark your calendar for February 28th 2018  
Time 5:00 pm  
Siesta Clubhouse

More Details in the February 2018 newsletter

Thank you  
Diane and John MacBride, 87 Siesta Blvd

## Recycling

Thank you all for helping make this endeavor a great success. If you have any aluminum that is left from the hurricane please let me know and I can pick it up or you can put it on the trailer in the overflow lot, my house lot #137 is on the post where the trailer sits. I have been informed by recycling that I will no longer be able to receive Microwave Ovens. Also, I cannot take aluminum foil pans, cat food cans or soup cans. I would be glad to pick up any refrigerators, stoves, washers, dryers, dish washers and aluminum cans. If you have any of these things that you need me to pick up please feel free to call me. Remember we have our regular recycling pick-up on the last Wednesday of each month.

Thank You,  
Al Brockway, 137 Siesta, 863-494-7735

## Christmas Lights Winners

The Arcadia Village residents gave your entertainment committee a difficult time deciding this year's Christmas decoration winners. Our Village is the best spot around for decorations. Remember, if you won in the last two years, you are not eligible this season. Thanks to the following business for their generous donations for our Christmas decoration winners. Please, winner or not, let these people know that we appreciate that they are willing to donate (believe us - they notice); **Magnolia Street Seafood & Grill, Beef O'Bradys, Chili's, Walmart, and Pizza Hut.**

Here are your 2017 winners:

Lot #52 Jerry & Pam Wood

Lot #128 Jim & Nancy Triggs

Lot #126 James Wonderly & Sharon Walby

Lot #410 Tony & Sharon Verhagen

Lot #567 Robert & Carol Beauregard

Lot #635 Ray & Lynne Stewart

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# 'Twas the Month AFTER CHRISTMAS

'Twas the month after Christmas and all through the house  
Nothing would fit me, not even a blouse.

The cookies I'd nibbled, the eggnog I'd taste.  
All the holiday parties had gone to my waist.

When I got on the scales there arose such a number!  
When I walked to the store (less a walk than a lumber).

I'd remember the marvelous meals I'd prepared;  
The gravies and sauces and beef nicely rared,

The wine and the rum balls, the bread and the cheese  
And the way I'd never said, "No thank you, please."

As I dressed myself in my husband's old shirt  
And prepared once again to do battle with dirt---

I said to myself, as I only can  
"You can't spend a winter disguised as a man!"

So--away with the last of the sour cream dip,  
Get rid of the fruit cake, every cracker and chip.

Every last bit of food that I like must be banished  
Till all the additional ounces have vanished.

I won't have a cookie--not even a lick.  
I'll want only to chew on a long celery stick.

I won't have hot biscuits, or corn bread, or pie.  
I'll munch on a carrot and quietly cry.

I'm hungry, I'm lonesome, and life is a bore---  
But isn't that what January is for?

Unable to giggle, no longer a riot.  
Happy New Year to all and to all a good diet!

Author Unknown

## Movie Nite January 8th

Cantina Clubhouse 2nd Monday of the month. Enjoy a recently released feature on the big screen with added subtitles. \$1.00 soda and popcorn available.

## Fun Position Open

Every year the park has a birthday party for those residents who will turn 90. I have had the great pleasure of overseeing this party but would like to give it up to someone else. If interested please let me know.

*It's a fun day and the residents appreciate it.*

Pam Wood, 52 Casa Grande, 248-912-8010

## Karaoke Night—Come One, Come All

Karaoke

with D. J.

Johnny B. Good

Join us for a fun night of singing and dancing

@ the Siesta

7-9

January 8th, January 22nd

\$2.00 cover

50/50 Drawing

Bring your own beverage and a smile

## Arcadia Village Veterans Park

Norm Scott has assumed the chairmanship position on the Arcadia Village Veterans Park Committee. Both Jerry Seavey and I welcome Norm onboard and we will remain on the AVVP Committee and help Norm carry out the functions of the committee tasks. Please contact Norm, Jerry or myself regarding any Veterans Park activities.

Mitch Dollmeyer, 543 Barcelona, 863-444-1450

## Thank You Arcadia Village Residents

Thanks to you, our generous Arcadia Village neighbors, we were able to gift Sergio and eight workers with \$621.00 each. As you can see by their smiles they were thrilled.



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## Golf News

### Arcadia Village Commission Golf Tournament

March 4, 2018. Save this date.

The tournament will be in flights, therefore, a handicap must be used. To do this, you can get one by joining any of our many leagues or you can turn 3 scorecards in to either Sharon Lindsay or Denny Keys. You will then be given 80% for your handicap. If you have no handicap you will play scratch.

If your handicap is taken from a league, the handicap will be taken from the Wednesday league first, then for women the Monday league, for men the Tuesday league next, and finally the Saturday League.

More information will be in the February Newsletter.

Sharon Lindsay, Denny Keys- Golf Commissioners

### Arcadia Village Golf Tournament March 3 & 4, 2018

The annual Golf Commission Tournament will include a get together to share results and hand out prize money at the Cantina Clubhouse. Please bring a hors d'oeuvre to pass in the container it is to be served out of, and the utensils to serve it. Hors d'oeuvres will be put on tables and the serving will start at 5:30. The results will be announced as soon as they are ready. We will provide service, plates, and napkins. Please bring your own drinks.

The golf tournament will be over the 18 holes and will be in flights. It is open to all golf course members. The handicap will be taken from the Wednesday league, the Monday league for women, the Tuesday league for men, then the Saturday league.

If no handicap is available, you need to turn in 3 score cards to Denny Keys or Sharon Lindsay, we will use 80% of your average score. These need to be turned in along with an entrance fee of \$5.00 per person, must be paid no later than February 20, 2018.

If we have not received your money by then your name will be removed from the list of players. There will be flights for both men and women. There will be no tee times and you can play at your convenience.

Members can play all 18 holes at one time on Saturday, March 3rd or Sunday, March 4th. If you belong to the Saturday league your card for that course can be used for your tournament score on that course. You may also split it in to 2 times, playing one course on Saturday and one on Sunday. You must play both courses.

Your card must be turned in, or put in the box, no later than 4:00 p.m. on March 4, 2018.

You must play with another member. Sign-up sheets are in Cantina Clubhouse only.

Holes will be for closest to the pin on # 8 and #15 for women and #3 and #17 for men, and for either sex on hole # 18.

Sharon Lindsay & Denny Keys-Golf Commissioners

## 2018 AM/CAN Golf Tournament

COME COMPETE FOR YOUR COUNTRY

Held Sun., Jan. 14<sup>th</sup> (with a rain date Jan. 21<sup>st</sup>) Cost  
\$7.00 per person.

Non playing spouses may join us for dinner – cost  
\$5.00.

**2 Shot Gun Starts – 10:00 am or 2:00 pm**

Dinner served at Cantina Clubhouse at 4:00 pm -  
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Please sign playing for US or Canada and the time  
you want to play.

Sign up sheet at Cantina Clubhouse.

**Bring payment to Cindy Fields Lot 612 or Peg  
Gardner Lot 682 by Jan. 7th**

(Golf News Continued on page 16)

## GOLF COURSE NEWS

Our new 9 holes of golf will open January 1, 2018. It will officially be open at 9:00 am with a brief ceremony on the 10<sup>th</sup> tee. Two foursomes consisting of Ron Freeman and seven Golf Course Commissioners will be the first to use the course. The course will then be available for open play for all members.

The course is laid out very nice. It has a very attractive layout with two holes that are over 225 yards. It includes what I call a "ladies gold." Ladies over 75 will be able to play this attractive hole.

In the last newsletter we stated that carts only would be allowed. We have changed that to allow walkers but because of the length of a couple of holes, please let faster players play through.

Walkers, joggers, or just taking a ride is allowed. Some rules have been put in place to protect both golfers and walkers. Walkers and golfers will need to cooperate.

On holes 10, 16, 17 and 18, golfers will wait for walkers to clear the hole and walkers will wait for golfers to hit. We don't want any accidents. Golf balls are very hard and can do damage.

Dogs MUST be on a leash at all times. Please keep your dogs off the playing portion of the golf course.

Your 2018 membership tags can be purchased from any Golf Commissioner. The dues this year are \$400.00 per household of two persons. Registered guests can play for free. You will not be allowed to play unless you have a 2018 green tag.

Commissioners are:

- Tom Adams, 583 El Conquistador, 419-564-4156
- Dick Strohmeyer, 529 Cantina, 863-243-9639
- Gary Wilkerson, 452 Barcelona, 863-494-5403
- Peg Garner, 682 El Presidente, 518-312-6769
- Mike Yeager, 538 Barcelona, 941-875-5073
- Jeff Small, 93 Siesta, 863-494-1596
- Harold Fox, 528 Cantina, 270-282-1198

Sharon Lindsey, 56 Casa Grande, 863-494-7083

Dennis Keyes, 45 Casa Grande, 810-252-6422

This is a draft of our temporary score card.

### ARCADIA VILLAGE WEST GOLF COURSE

HOLE	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	OUT
WHITE	163	120	77	232	129	80	224	125	107	1257
GOLD				98/168			180			1049
RED	90	81	77	168	83	80	156	125	107	887
PAR	3	3	3	4/3	3	3	4/3	3	3	29/27
HCP	3	5	9	1	4	8	2	6	7	

Don't forget! Annual golf membership meeting, January 11, 2018 at 4:00 pm in the Cantina Clubhouse.

Mike Yeager, 538 Barcelona, 941-875-5073  
Golf Course Commissioners

## It's Not Too Late To Sign Up

### 18 HOLE POINTS GOLF LEAGUE

\*All paid members of the Arcadia Village Golf Course are eligible to play for \$10.

\*You must play 3 rounds in order to establish points needed for fourth round.

\*Threesomes will be assigned each week and you will have 5 days to complete your game and hand in the card for your team points.

\*We will use Jan/Feb/Mar of 2018 as a trial and error year to see how everyone likes it and begin fresh in the fall.

\*You accumulate points as follows:

4 points for BIRDIE

2 points for PAR

1 point for BOGEY

You may pick up after a bogey to speed up play. Sign up sheet is located in the Cantina Clubhouse Golf Bulletin Board.

Please pay Cindy Fields, 612 Sorrento Cir., 863-244-2002, cfields@sympatico.ca  
Thank you very much.

### Hole In One

Jeff Harper Hole # 5 11/18/2018  
Larry Behnfeldt Hole # 2 11/22/2017  
Tom Bowser Hole # 2 11/19/2017  
Charla Castelli Hole #4 12/04/2017

Sharon Lindsay, 56 Casa Grande

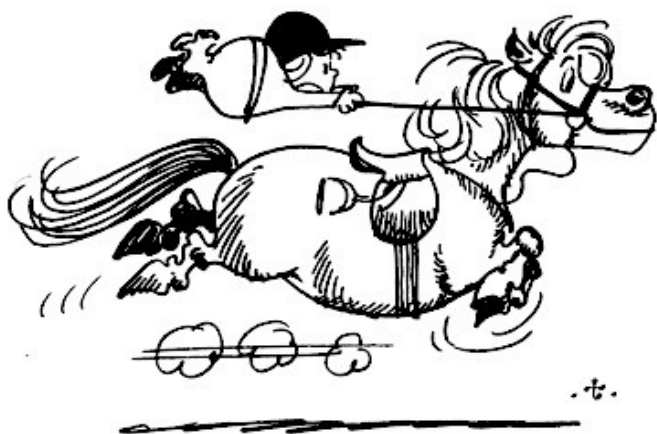
### Horse Races

Cantina Clubhouse  
January 20, 2018  
7:00 p.m.

This is an evening of fun with your friends and neighbors. Bring your favorite beverage and or snacks and come and cheer on your favorite horse. The races have 6 horses in each race and move by the number that is thrown on the three dice. Odds are figured and announced during each race. The winner is paid out at the end of each race according to the odds given. Horse money will start being sold at 6:30 pm. The first of 10 races will be started at 7:00 pm. 50/50 will be available.

Our part of the 50/50 will go to Marla and Gary Wilkerson for the Golf Tournament associated with The Appreciation Day event for cancer in March.

Sharon Lindsay --AVFAC, 56 Casa Grande, 863-494-7083

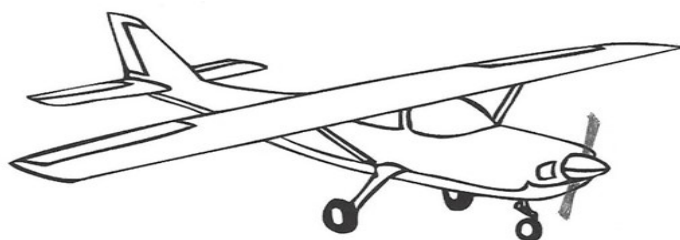


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## January Anniversaries

<b>DATE</b>	<b>NAME</b>
1/1	Bob & Kathy Lakey
1/6	Harold & Judy Fox
1/7	Larry & Harriet Scharmer
1/12	James & Debra Lynch
1/12	Ronald & Carolyn Robins
1/14	Jim & Marie Gallagher
1/16	Lee & Mary Bitler
1/21	Jay & Linda Cramer
1/26	John & Pat Ward

*Happy Anniversary*

If you have a January anniversary and are not listed here, please let me know so I can add you to my list of those who were blissfully wed on this month. This way you will be on the list for next year.



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## 90'S Birthday

Don't forget February 4, 2018 at the Cantina Clubhouse from 1-4 pm. We are celebrating those residents who will turn 90 in 2018. It's a great way to acknowledge our special seniors. All are welcome. Pam Wood, 52 Casa Grande, 248-912-8010

## Jewelry Party

To be held at the Cantina Clubhouse on January 22, 2018. Flyers will be posted in the clubhouses.

## Please Continue Collecting These Items!

Thank you all! If you have any questions on any of this please call or see me. Please use the basket for box tops located by my back door.

1. **Box tops:** You find these on all kinds of cereal boxes, cake boxes and many other items. I know here in the park that there are people that already save these for people, which is fine, however, if you have not been donating them, please consider donating to me.

2. **Clean plastic grocery bags:** These I take to the "Center for the Needy," so I need a lot of them. I really appreciate all of the bags that you drop off.

I ask that you do not tie the bags to my door or rail. Please make sure to secure the bags by tying up the bag so nothing blows out and stack them back between my utility room and the corn stalk plant.

Ellen Davis, 111 Siesta, 863-494-0273

## CHINESE AUCTION

Thanks to all who have already donated to the Chinese Auction. If you are not familiar in how it works I will have an article in next months newsletter. In the meantime, you can take the treasures you no longer have use for and take them to the ticket room at the Cantina Clubhouse and donate them to the Chinese Auction. The Chinese Auction is going to be held on March 3, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. If anyone has anything they personally make or do, like painting, jewelry or any other hobby and want to donate be sure you let one of the committee members know, the committee is; Chairman Janette Brockway, 863-494-7735, Sylvia Conkey, 863-263-4697, Wendy Carter, 863-494-0739, Mary Ann Gilmore, 863-990-0231, Brenda Dickey, 207-299-6152, Tracy Nantel, 207-284-321.

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Janette Brockway, Chairman, 863-263-4697

## Carry-In Dinners

A reminder that I will start up our carry-in-dinners on January 25, 2018 which is still the 4th Thursday of every month.

Ellen Davis, 111 Siesta, 863-494-0273

## Traveling Ladies

Welcome back to a New Year. We have had a nice group of ladies attending our luncheons every month. It is a good time to see and visit with friends. If you are new to the community, it is a good time to meet your neighbors and make new friendships.

The Traveling Ladies will be having lunch on **Wednesday, January 17, 2018** at:

**Millers Ale House  
3800 Kenny Drive  
Sarasota, FL 34232**

Please remember to sign up by: **Sunday, January 14th**, at the Cantina Clubhouse so we get an accurate count for our reservation.

Our reservation is for 12 noon. Please allow enough driving time. If you don't have a ride, check with those that have signed up to drive, to see if they have a space for you. You are responsible for your own ride, please plan your arrangements ahead of time. If you are driving and have room in your car, stop by the Cantina Clubhouse Parking Lot (tennis court side), and see if anyone is waiting there needing a ride. Otherwise see you at the restaurant. If you are new or have any questions, you may contact me at:

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## Bus Trip to Seminole Brighton Casino

Join us for some Casino Fun  
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Reservation and payment to Patty McKinley no later than Saturday, February 10  
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## Save Can Tabs

Please save your can tabs for Ronald McDonald house. They can be dropped off at lot 410 . This spring we dropped off 30# or about 48,000 tabs. McDonald's was so appreciative. Let's surpass that this year. Thanks to all who contributed. Tabs can be left on the porch if we are not home.

Sharon R. Verhagen 410 Barcelona, 708-997-7743

## Red Hats

Ladies of Arcadia Village who would like to join the Arcadia Village Vamps are more than welcome to join the ones who already belong. We are looking for new members everyday. We meet once a month on the second Tuesday, sometimes we have potlucks at the clubhouse and then we also travel. This month for our meeting we traveled to Jacaranda's in Avon Park, it was decorated for Christmas and very beautiful if you have not gone this is a must to put on your bucket list. If interested in joining the cost is \$5.00 for the year. Please call Pat Fisher.

Pat Fisher, 158 Buena Vista, 586-871-1115

## Wanted

Wanted, someone to take over St. Patrick's Day Dinner. We have done it for the last few years and now it is time to move on. If interested please call 863-494-7735. We regret not being able to do it in 2018 but are sure someone will step up and take over.

Al & Janette Brockway, 137 Siesta, 863-494-7735

## Thanks and Gratitude

We just moved in a few weeks ago at 544 Barcelona. We would like to extend our Thanks and gratitude to Ms. Mary Ann Gilmore and the Welcoming committee here at Arcadia Village. We have been quite taken by how friendly everyone here is. I am sure we have made a right decision moving here. We are excited to get to know more of the wonderful people here. Thank you again and wish you all a Very Happy New Year.

Sincerely,

Glenn and Doris Frazier, 544 Barcelona

## New and Used Cards

It appears that a lot of the residents did not get the message

that I am no longer excepting USED CARDS. However, I will except New cards with the envelopes. I take them to the Habitat Restore for them to sell.

Ellen Davis, 111 Siesta, 863-494-0273

## Thank You

We would like to thank everyone for their generous donations of cookies and the help in packaging, Christmas caroling and monetary gifts.

Especially would like to thank Angie Mazzella for all her time and material crocheting the special gift for all and a thank you to the four ladies who did the caroling and the delivery of the cookies...

Thank you kindly!

Linda Englund

Kim Herman

## Farewell MJ Wysocki

After many years of delivering the newsletter MJ Wysocki has retired. Thank you MJ for a job well done all these years. Replacing MJ, Kathy Savard has stepped up to the plate. Thank you Kathy!

Also, thank you to all my delivery people. On the south side of the bridge, Pam Wood, Kathy Savard, Ellen Davis and on the north side of the bridge, Phil Radcliffe, Sylvia Conkey, Eunice Brazil, Ellen Davis. Thank you all for volunteering to deliver newsletters each month.

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## Arcadia Village Chorus

### THANK YOU CHORUS MEMBERS!!!

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Thank you for the help in putting the tables and chairs back. This is a BIG help to us.

I want to thank Pat Feaster, our pianist. Without her we would be lost for notes!!! Thanks to Pat Homan on the trumpet; thanks to the 3 wise men, Clyde Feaster, Fred Sigafos and Doug Brown. Thanks to Mike and Sharon Lindsey, who do our sound and assist in any way they can; thanks to Mary Ann Gilmore and the "Cookie Monsters." They do such a wonderful job getting our cookies ready; to Jeanette Brockway for advertising on the sandwich boards; and last but not least, a special thanks to Vicky Klopfenstein for making the head covers for the wise men.

We will not be having a Spring show this year, but will see you back in the Fall.

We want to wish you all A Very Blessed Christmas and A Healthy Happy New Year.

Sylvia Ashley, Director



## Golf Cart Wash

It's that time of year even though a little later than usual. We are having our annual "GOLF CART WASH" for STROLLING 4 A CURE at lot 65. There are always plenty of dirty carts to be cleaned and what better

cause to support than helping those in our own community with financial aid. Those with no insurance or under insured cancer related expense. Please help us support DeSoto County! There is a minimum fee of \$20, but we will except more! Hope to see you roll on in from 8 am to 4 pm. Pick up delivery available. Vicky Klopfenstein. 65 Casa Grande, 863-494-0205, ladygreenaero@aol.com

## Pictorial News

Almost all residents have picked up their latest pictorials so I know how many we have to sell that are extras. If you did not have your picture taken or would like to have a book for up north also, please go to the office or see me at lot 65 for a pictorial. The cost is \$10 and will be donated to "Strolling 4 A Cure."

Thanks for you support.

Vicky Klopfenstein, 65 Casa Grande, 863-494-0205, [ladygreenaero@aol.com](mailto:ladygreenaero@aol.com)

## Experimenting with Watercolor

Starting in February, Joan Cranor will offer 4 Thursday mornings of experimentation that will help the artist loosen up and paint fresh watercolors. We will develop washes, layer to show distance and discuss color theory. You will use different tools, rulers, scrapers, spray bottles, salt, make halo effects and use masking in different ways. This course is for all ability levels and promotes the fun side of painting. More details to follow. Sign up in the Cantina Clubhouse in January. Each class will be \$6 or 4 classes for \$20. Questions? Call

Joan Cranor, 577 El Conquistador, 410-310-8382

## Thank You From The Beaumans

Thank you to all the ladies who brought us cookies, placemats & Christmas decorations. Wishing our friends here in Arcadia Village a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Bob & Ann Beauman



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# Fall/Winter Weekly Schedules

## For Arcadia Village Residents and Their Guests

### Sunday

1:00 Pay Me \*\*

### Monday

Ladies Golf League (AVC)

8:00am Pickleball open play\*\*

8:00am Tennis

8:30am Horseshoes

9:00am Aerobic Exercise (walking) \*

1:00pm Mahjong/Games\*

1:00pm Intermediate Line Dance\*

1:00pm Hand and Foot \*\*

1:30pm Pokeno \*\*

6:15pm Euchre \*\*

### Tuesday

Men's 3 Club League (AVC)

8:00 am Pickleball Open Play \*\*

8:00 am Tennis \*\*

8:30 am Horseshoes \*\*

9:00 am Shuffleboard \*\*

9:00 am Aerobic Exercise (walking) \*

11:00am Water Exercise \*

1:00 pm Mahjong/Games \*

1:00 pm Nickle Bingo \*\*

1:30 pm Dominos \*\*

7:00 pm Ladies Pool \*\*

### Wednesday

Couples Golf League

Mixed Golf League (AVC)

7:00 am Koffee Klatch \*\*

8:00 am Pickleball Open Play \*\*

8:00 am Tennis \*\*

8:30 am Horseshoes

9:00 am Line Dancing \*

9:00am Beginner Line Dancing\*\*

12:00pm Men's Lunch

1:00 pm Mahjong/Games \*\*

3:00pm Writers group \*\*

6:30 pm Advanced Line Dancers Practice\*

6:30 pm Texas Hold'em \*

7:00 pm Men's Pool \*\*

7:00 pm Mexican Train Dominos \*

### Thursday

7:00 am Men's Coffee \*

8:00 am Pickleball Open Play \*\*

8:00 am Woodcarvers\*\*

8:00 am Tennis \*\*

8:30 am Horseshoes

9:00 am Aerobic Exercise (walking) \*

11:00am Water Exercise \*

1:00 pm Mahjong/Games \*

1:00 pm Bunco \*\*

6:00 pm Vegas 7 \*\*

6:30 pm Texas Hold'em \*

7:00 pm Hand and Foot \*

7:00 pm Men's Pool \*\*

7:00 pm Bridge \*

### Friday

8:00 am Pickleball Open Play \*\*

8:00 am Tennis \*\*

8:30 am Horseshoes

9:00 am Quilters \*\*

9:00 am Shuffleboard \*\*

9:00 am Aerobic Exercise (walking) \*

10:00am Ladies Fun Golf League\*\*

12:00pm Beginner/Improver Line Dance\*\*

1:00 pm Mahjong/Games \*

1:00 pm Pay Me \*\*

6:15 pm Bingo \*\*

6:30 pm Poker \*

### Saturday

Doubles Golf League (AVC)

8:00 am Tennis \*\*

7:00 pm Couples Pool \*\*

**Siesta Clubhouse\* Cantina Clubhouse \*\***

**AVC—Village Golf Course**

**Check the Bulletin Boards for scheduling  
Changes and new activities**

Please send information or any omissions,  
errors, or to book the clubhouses for an event to Cindy  
Brooks, 592 El Conquistador, 863-494-2847 or email  
cndybrks@gmail.com

**Update to date calendar at:  
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If your committee &/or group is having a function and need the heat/AC control adjusted, contact the office the morning of the event. If it is to be held on the weekend, please contact the office on Friday.

December 2017

# January 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>31</b> New Years Eve Party 8:00pm	<b>1</b> New 9 Hole Golf Course Opens Ceremony 9:00am Hole 10	<b>2</b> 1:00pm Bingo** 6:00pm Vegas 7** 7:00 pm HOA Board of Directors Mtg**	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> 1:00pm Bunco** 6:00pm Vegas 7**	<b>5</b> No Bingo Tonight	<b>6</b> 10:00am Bingo Bash
<b>7</b> 2:00 pm Ice Cream Social**	<b>8</b> 7:00 pm Monday Night Movie** 7:00pm Karaoke*	<b>9</b> 1:00pm Bingo** 6:00pm Vegas 7**	<b>10</b> 1:30-4:30pm Blood Drive	<b>11</b> 1:00pm Bunco** 6:00pm Vegas 7**	<b>12</b> 6:15 pm Bingo**	<b>13</b>
<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> 1:00pm Bingo** 6:00pm Vegas 7**	<b>17</b> Traveling Ladies	<b>18</b> 1:00pm Bunco** 6:00pm Vegas 7**  7:00pm Red Hot & Blue Show**	<b>19</b> 6:15 pm Bingo**	<b>20</b> 6:30pm Horse Races**
<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> Jewelry Party 7:00pm Karaoke*	<b>23</b> 1:00pm Bingo** 6:00pm Vegas 7**	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> 1:00pm Bunco** 6:00pm Vegas 7**	<b>26</b> 6:15 pm Bingo**	<b>27</b>
<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b> 1:00pm Bingo** 6:00pm Vegas 7**	<b>31</b>	<b>1</b> 1:00pm Bunco** 6:00pm Vegas 7**	<b>2</b> 6:15 pm Bingo**	<b>3</b>

\*SIESTA CLUBHOUSE \*\*CANTINA CLUBHOUSE

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