

CRV HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION

January 2019 NEWSLETTER

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The President's Message

Wishing everyone a happy, healthy, and prosperous New Year in 2019. May all your New Year's resolutions and wishes be fulfilled.

The HOA Christmas Party Pot Luck was a huge event. Marilyn Chisholm, representative for the Pregnancy & Family Center, was on hand to receive the Holiday Charity Raffle check and all the gifts residents brought for the Center. She was overwhelmed with the generosity of our CRV HOA and members. Thank you, Joan Helms and your group of volunteers. Speaking of participation, thank you to everyone who helped decorate the hall so beautifully, and to each and every one of the one hundred twenty who attended. These functions would not be the success that they have become without your support. The food entrees and desserts were outstanding and plentiful. The arrival of Santa Claus (Mike Gyrion) was delightful and enjoyed by all. Santa Claus also made an appearance at the evening golf cart parade. The parade was another huge success, with eighteen beautifully decorated golf carts. Thank you to Trudy Wood for chairing the parade and to all who participated.

Your Board of Directors for 2019 will officially take office on January 1. The new officers will be Leo Lumpiesz as President, Mike Pinter as Vice President, Rick Decker as Secretary, Rhonda Distel as Treasurer, and Ivan Decker, Director. We are looking forward to representing you and scheduling our social events during the new year.

Just a reminder, your 2019 HOA membership is due by January 31, 2019. New membership forms are available at the Clubhouse.

And some advance notice for everyone, Super Bowl LIII (53) will be on Sunday, February 3, 2019. You can join with fellow residents and view it at the Clubhouse. Kickoff is at 6:30 pm, doors open at 5:00 pm. Several televisions will be added, hot dogs served at half time, and entertainment boards will be available. Bring your favorite beverage and a snack to share.

In closing, please continue to clean up after your pets, don't exceed the 15 MPH speed limit, stop at stop signs with your vehicles, golf carts and bicycles, put your lot numbers on your checks, and most of important of all, keep smiling, stay happy, and have a great New Year.

Leo Lumpiesz 1-231-620-7762

CRV New Year's Eve

A **New Year's Eve Party** will be held at our Clubhouse on **December 31, 2018 at 6:00 pm**. Music will be provided by the duo "*City meets Country*" for your listening and dancing pleasure. The party will include meat entrees, coleslaw, potato salad, buns/rolls and condiments. Please bring a favorite appetizer, snack, or dessert to share, along with your own special beverage. Noise makers, hats, and extras will be provided. Tickets are \$10 each, and are available from Leo Lumpiesz and Rick Decker. The doors will open at 6:00 pm with an early count-down at 9:00 pm. This is a safe way to celebrate without venturing onto the main roads. Come join your CRV family and welcome in the New Year!

New HOA Board of Directors Positions for 2019

President - Leo Lumpiesz	(231-620-7762)
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Director - Ivan Decker	(269-370-1506)
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Happy New Year 2019

Congratulations & Best Wishes!

January Birthdays

02	Bonnie Wright	14	David Geary
03	Ken Nehring	14	Ross Ward
04	Ann Trimp	17	Larry Clark
05	Helen White	17	Toni Imbasciani
10	Linda Jaszczalt	22	Cindy Folcik
11	Sharon Garrison	22	Sue Reed
		23	Geraldine Caul

January Anniversaries

24	Carol Cate	04	Howard & Mary Hoover
24	Bob VanDuzer	07	Phil & Donna Beveridge
26	Dale Peterson	16	Ken & Bernice Nehring
27	Gloria Apfel	18	Sam & Bonnie Wright
27	Len Burton	26	Bud & Linda Shott
27	Tony Calma		

Shuffleboard

Nov 27	Don Law & Dick Plante
Dec 04	Don Law & Ken Nehring
Dec 11	Don Law & Ken Gigante
Dec 18	Don Law & Ken Gigante

No, that is not a misprint. Don and the Kens have been very lucky lately. Are there any challengers out there for them?

Un-deck the Hall!

The Christmas decorations this year are as lovely as ever, but what goes up must come down, and that applies to them as well. Please come and assist with removing the decorations on **Saturday, January 5 at 10:00 am**. Many hands make light work, so please come lend a hand if you are able.

In Memoriam

Former resident Anna Talamo, 84, passed away at Cypress Cove Nursing Home on December 21, 2018 after a long illness. Ann and her husband Lou were longtime residents on Joan Rollins Ave. Lou passed in 2015. Her daughter, LuAnn lives in our Village with her husband Gino. We send our sympathy to LuAnn and Gino and her family and friends.

January HOA Meeting Changed

Our HOA usually meets on the first Tuesday of the month, but since that date falls on New Year's Day, the meeting will be held on the following Tuesday, January 8, 2019. Hope to see you there.

Reminder... Have you renewed your HOA Membership yet? It is due by the end of January.

Bingo Jackpot Winners

Nov 28	Carol Dulaney
Dec 05	Carol Cate
Dec 12	Jennie Asher
Dec 19	Cassie Liu

Bone Builders Returns

For those new to our Village, this name may sound a bit strange. However the Bone Builders Program, originally developed by Tufts University, is an effective combination of weight bearing, balance and stretching exercises, which can help the body to increase bone density and reverse the effects of osteoporosis.

The person who started the group in CRV moved away last year. Eileen Norod and Joan Helms have agreed to take it over. Beginning January 4, 2019, Bone Builders will meet twice a week at the Clubhouse on Tuesday and Friday at 10:00 am. Come try it out. Wear comfortable clothing, and bring a towel and a bottle of water. It's important to keep hydrated.

Water Exercise

Water Exercise will remain on the calendar on Monday & Wednesday at 10:00 am, but will only meet when the weather is warm enough. For more information, contact Eileen Norod, 352-228-4389.

New CRV Residents

The only new residents I am aware of in the past month are **William and Angela Kuhn** (Bill & Angie). They have purchased 1748 SE Joan Rollins Avenue and will be seasonal residents.

Pot Luck Christmas Party

As mentioned in the President's message, the Pot Luck Christmas Party was a huge success with about 120 in attendance and a wonderful selection of food. Santa Claus was on hand and led us in the pledge of allegiance and blessed the meal. He circulated among the tables, greeting residents and bringing Christmas cheer to all.

The charity recipient of \$250 from our HOA's Holiday Raffle was the Pregnancy & Family Life Center. Marilyn Chisholm, a CRV resident who volunteers for the center, was on hand to receive the check. She also thanked residents for all the gifts they generously brought, including diapers, wipes, and clothing.

Shirley Decker was the happy winner of the Raffle drawing. And Mary Friedrich was the lucky winner of the share/share (50/50) drawing.

Join us for next month's Pot Luck on January 17. If you have any questions, please contact Joan Helms, 352-794-6220.

February Raffle

The next Raffle will be held in February of 2019. The charity chosen for this raffle is CASA (Citrus Abuse Shelter Association). See next month's newsletter for more information.

January Ladies Luncheon

The January Ladies Luncheon will be held on **Thursday, January 24 at noon** at the **Riviera Mexican Cantina** in Crystal River. Your hostesses are Susie Lunney, 352-794-4115, and Suzanne Dost 727-255-9255.

The theme of this luncheon is a **Tacky Party**. Come dressed in your tackiest outfit. We will also do a tacky gift exchange. Bring the tackiest gift you can find and bring it along. Newspaper makes great wrapping paper. Some ideas...old soap, pens out of ink, candle stubs...in other words, things that no one would want.

A sign-up sheet will be posted on the bulletin board along with a sample menu. If you need more information, or a ride to the location, please contact a hostess, or the Ladies Luncheon coordinator, Shirley Decker at 352-601-0307. Come join us.

Family Resource Center

Do you remember many years ago how wonderful it was to wake up on Christmas morning and find lots of presents under the Christmas? This year over 2250 Citrus County children had that wonderful morning, thanks to many folks like you! You helped to make that happen again this year.

A Certificate of Appreciation is posted in the Clubhouse from the Family Resource Center. Director Ginger West and all the volunteers are sending A BIG THANK YOU to the residents of Crystal River Village for your support all year, and especially for the children at Christmas.

We personally thank all of you for the love you have given to the folks in Citrus County who really need our help.

Gratefully, Mary & Lee Stiles

Decorated Golf Cart Parade

I would like to thank each and every one who brought your beautifully decorated golf carts and participated in the parade on Saturday the 15th of December. It was so nice to see some of our new residents among us.

I also wish to thank Santa Claus. I feel he kind of got us in the spirit.

Thank you everyone and a Merry Christmas and Happy New year.
Trudy Wood

Painting Class

Are you interested in learning to paint, or just hone your skills? I will be starting a painting class for our residents on January 3, 2019, from 1-3:00 pm at our Clubhouse. We will be using acrylic paints and there is no fee for the class.

I hope you will join us. Please contact me, if you have any questions.



Howard Hoover, (352)794-3265

Quote for the month

The ultimate measure of a man is not where he stands in moments of comfort and convenience, but where he stands at times of challenge and controversy.

~Martin Luther King, Jr.
Strength to Love, 1963

Crystal River Village - January 2019 - Calendar of Events

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 7:30 am -Men's Breakfast Ladies included 10 am – Bone Builders 10 am - Shuffleboard 12:30 pm - Dominoes	2 10 am - Bible Study 10 am - Water Exercise 12:30 pm - Mah-jongg 1 pm - Bridge 7 pm - Bingo 7 pm - Men's Pool	3 8 am - ALUM CANS AT CURB 10 am - Painting Grp 1 pm – Painting Class 6:30 pm - Poker	4 9 am – Giving Doll 9:30 am - CRV Golf 10 am – Bone Builders 1 pm - Cards & Games	5 10 am – <i>Undecorate Clubhouse</i>
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