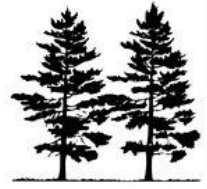


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The President's Message

Labor Day brings the summer to a close, at least for the snow birds. The snow birds will have the beauty of autumn with magnificent color changes. However; for us, as residents of the Sun Shine State, it is only midpoint of hurricane season. So, please continue to be vigilant of the weather forecast. If high winds are in the forecast, please secure your lawn ornaments, potted plants and furniture. This can prevent injury or damage and eliminate the objects from becoming projectiles. Safety is the responsibility of each one of us.

The summer months and departure of our winter residents has an impact on attendance at scheduled functions. Attendance is low at bingo, pot luck, Saturday breakfast, brown bag Sunday, and general HOA meetings. These functions have been scheduled for residents and friends to get together and socialize. It is also our opportunity to leave the house or lanai and visit with friends and neighbors that you may not see on a daily basis. These events are open to all residents and their guests. Your support is requested and appreciated, thank you.

Unfortunately, we recently had two residents fall, needing assistance. Please make sure if you are walking your dog or just taking a walk have a cell phone, whistle, air horn or any device to draw attention in case of an emergency. While in your home, please leave a key with at least two neighbors so that locked entry can be gained to offer assistance, if needed.

A special thank you to Bobby Jewett for being in the right place at the right time to offer assistance to Faye Cartner, who fell while walking her dog. The incident was in the evening and Faye's calls for help were faint. Fortunately, Bobby was passing by and heard her call, notifying 911 and family members.

Also, a thank you to all who came to the aid of Louise Hosie, who fell inside her secured home. Several calls and a search came up with a key to gain entry. Faye Cartner had hip replacement surgery and is recovering at Seven Rivers. Louise Hosie was treated at Seven Rivers and released. Again thank you all.

Management continues to monitor the landscaping company, ensuring timely and proper mowing. They are also prompting the welders to expedite the repair on the front gate. Their efforts and concern are appreciated. -- Leo Lumpiesz 231.620.7762

From the Editor

First of all, let me start off, by thanking all of you for complimenting me on my first newsletter last month. Your comments meant so much to me, I was a little apprehensive about taking on the job as your newsletter editor, but after the first one, it's kind of fun.

I was asked by Delnora to mention to all of us that her job would be so much easier if we would remember to put our Lot # on our checks for our monthly rent. When she has to look up each Lot #, it's very time consuming. Think Lot # when making your check out each month!

We have Labor Day and Veterans Day approaching on the calendar year, in honor of our Veterans and all holidays, if you display the American flag, please make sure it isn't ripped or faded. You can dispose of your old flag by taking it to one of the many veteran facilities and/or to your local post office. Display your flag with great pride and honor.

Faye Cartner, as you know, fell and broke her hip and had surgery, she asked me to mention that she thanks everyone for the cards, gifts, calls, visits and prayers. You're more than welcome, Faye; just hurry and get well so you can come home! See you here next month!.....Cindy

Congratulations & Best Wishes



Birthdays

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| 04 Art Norton | 21 Doug Newkirk |
| 05 Bent Hansen | 22 Robert Benedict |
| 05 Chet Zinkiewicz | 23 Brenda King |
| 07 Lois DeKalb | 29 Mie Norton |
| 09 Beverly Ellis | 29 Greg Waldorff |
| 13 Hank Matteson | 30 Thomas Douglas |
| 15 Jan Rymar | 30 Robert Frank |
| 16 Ken Gigante | 30 Barbi Nichols |
| 17 Thomas Pyktel | 30 Al Solenberger |
| 18 Linda Dix | |

Anniversaries



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| 03 Chuck & Jane Mooney |
| 09 Bob & Cathy Boccuti |
| 11 Carl & Lynn Preston |
| 12 Jerry & Joan Helms |
| 12 Alan & Sylvia Solenberger |
| 22 Lenny & Angie Burton |
| 26 Frank & Jan Rymar |

Please let me know if your special day was not listed. -Cindy

Ladies Luncheon Report

This month's luncheon was held at Mr. King's restaurant here in Crystal River. Our hostesses were Faye Phillips and Gerry Caul. We had a good turnout with 27 ladies. The door prizes were amazing. Thank you for the good time!

Next month our hostesses will be Shirley Decker and Rose Peckham. There is a sign-up sheet posted inside the clubhouse. If you sign up and can't make it, let one of your hostesses know. The luncheon will be held at "Applebee's", September 26th at 12 noon. Some show up about 11:30 for an early cocktail, yikes! Hope to see you again for this fun get-together!

B-I-N-G-O

Chairpersons:

Barbi Nichols	794-6539
Richard "Woody" Wood	563-2612



B-I-N-G-O Jackpot Winners

July 24.....	Tanny Andring	\$104.00
July 31	Carol Cate	\$113.00
Aug.7.....	Lorraine Fricke	\$126.00
Aug 14.....	Dottie Matteson	\$30.00
Aug 14.....	William Craig	\$30.00
Aug 21.....	Dottie Matteson	\$38.00
Aug 21.....	Annie Collie	\$38.00





Breakfast News

Our Breakfast Chairperson works hard to create a Saturday menu for all of us in Crystal River Village to share with our friends and neighbors once a month. As part of our volunteer kitchen crew, we would love to have you join us. It's a great way to start the weekend!

Menu for Sept. 14

Coffee and Orange Juice
 Fruit Cups
 Eggs Scrambled with Sausage and
 Cheese
 Pancakes

Donation: \$5.00

"Two by Two" play mentioned

There was a nice article about the play Two by Two, starring our own Gary Ammerman in August 20th edition of the *Citrus County Chronicle*. The writer, Ruth Evans, gave rave kudos to the actors and set designers. To quote her, she said, "Two by Two was a delightful, insightful portrayal of comedy and conflict. It was a gift each player gave to an appreciative audience of Art Center fans." Congratulations, Gary, for a job well done!

Shuffleboard Winners

July 23	Rained Out
July 30	Not enough players
Aug 6	Bud Shott & Thelma Bachert
Aug 13	Mal Hood & Art Norton
Aug 20	Thelma Bachert & Mal Hood

Breakfast Crew



We thank you for your support!

Brown Bag Lunch

Have you wondered what a Sunday Brown Bag Lunch is about? Well here it is - just a fun day, weather permitting, to bring anything you want to eat. It can be simple, from a sandwich to grilling a hamburger, hot dog or steak. Some people choose to bring a snack or a side dish to share. Bring your own utensils, plate and a beverage. Those of you who would like to jump in the pool first, usually show up around 1:00 and we eat between 3:00 and 4:00. It seems like the same people show up and we'd like to see more of you come and enjoy the fun!

Pot Luck Speaker

On August 15th at our monthly Pot Luck Get-together we had guest speaker Dr. Carlene Wilson, from Jamaica, who has a practice here in Crystal River. She was great, and answered many questions from prescription drugs to preventative medicine. We enjoyed her honesty and expertise so much, that we would like her to come back and speak again when the snowbirds are here. Thank you from all of us here in CRV.



ODE TO “SOMEONE ELSE”



The HOA was saddened to learn of the death of one of our most precious and valuable members, SOMEONE ELSE!

SOMEONE ELSE’S passing creates a vacancy that will be difficult to fill.

He/she was with us for years, and for every one of those years, SOMEONE ELSE did far more than a normal person’s share of the work.

Whenever leadership was mentioned, we looked to this wonderful person for inspiration as well as results.

“SOMEONE ELSE” got it done.”

When there was a job to do, a need to fulfill, or a place of leadership, one name was always mentioned, “SOMEONE ELSE.”

SOMEONE ELSE was always among the largest givers of time, talent, and resources in the HOA. Whenever there was a need, everyone assumed that SOMEONE ELSE would fill the void.

Now that SOMEONE ELSE is gone, I wonder, what are we going to do? No longer can we say, “LET SOMEONE ELSE DO IT.” If it is going to be done, one of us will have to do it.

So let us not leave it up to “SOMEONE ELSE”.
Volunteer some time and energy to your HOA.

By - Anonymous

Sent to your HOA newsletter editor by a fellow HOA member!

Let Us Tell Your Story

Over the past two years, the CRV Veterans History Project Committee has offered our Armed Service Veterans the opportunity to tell the story of their service careers. Presentations have been made at our CRV Memorial Day and Veterans Day ceremonies. To date, we have had veterans from WWII, the Korean War, and Viet Nam share their deeply moving and inspirational experiences. Extended family members were grateful to hear of events that might not previously have been shared; and to receive copies of photos and the presentation.

Our next presentation will be **Monday, November 11**, at our CRV HOA Veterans Day ceremony. We'd like to present your story, and encourage any service veteran to contact the Committee for assistance in writing and presenting your experiences.

Please contact **KAY.HRABEC@GMAIL.COM**, or call at: **352-586-3907**

FYI

One of the directors on the HOA Board, Joan Helms, has changed her email address to: jhelms28@centurylink.net She asks that you take note of this and change the address in your contact list.

In Memoriam

On August 4th, Kellee Clark passed away. She and her husband, Lew, have lived at 1000 SE Lillian for about 8 years. Our condolences go out to her husband, family and friends. Rest in Peace, Kellee.

Old Saying

“He who thinks too little usually talks too much.”

NEWSLETTER DEADLINES: Inputs due by the 23rd of the month to Cindy Folcik: 850-565-0036, 1707 Joan Rollins Ave- <u>clfolcik@hotmail.com</u> HOA WEBSITE: www.crystalrivervillagehoa.com

August HOA Meeting Summary

Collection of cans for the HOA is always the 1st Thurs of the month. Get your tickets for the Gas Card drawing to take place on Sept 2nd – call or see Leo. Angel Tree for Christmas, 2013 – see our website for details and thanks for your support.

Need help for the Halloween party. Please call Cindy Folcik (850-565-0036) if you have ideas or would like to volunteer to help. Her meeting details are listed in this newsletter.



Catch Any?

Always nice to see our residents enjoying the facilities in CRV. Spotted are Rick and Shirley Decker, enjoying time with their grandchildren while fishing on our lake. It looked like they were having fun!

Bible Study News

Bible Study is starting up on **Sept. 11th** at 10 AM. This is a non-denominational study group. The new subject will be the book of Matthew. The group meets inside the clubhouse, in front of the fireplace. Sounds like a good way to talk with your friends and neighbors about our Lord. Amen!









CRV Halloween Party

It's getting that time of year again to start planning the annual **Halloween Party**. As of this printing, we aren't sure of the date, yet. I am the chairperson for the party this year and I am asking for help in the planning. I will be having a meeting at my house, 1707 Joan Rollins Ave., at **11:00am** on **Sept. 6th**. A small brunch with refreshments will be offered. If you would like to volunteer, please call me, Cindy Folcik, 850.565.0036, to RSVP. Thank you!

IMPORTANT

If you are interested in running for a position on the **HOA Board**, you must give your letter of intent to Bill Bryan, Lorraine Fricke, Ann Hodge or Demas Brubacher, by **October 1st**. It's always good to have new people, with fresh ideas, for your CRV Board.

Crystal River Village SEPTEMBER 2013 Calendar of Events

<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>	<u>Saturday</u>	
<p><u>01</u> BROWN BAG SUNDAY</p> 	<p><u>02 LABOR DAY</u> 9am - Bone Builders 9:30 – CRV Golf 10:30 –Line Dance 6PM – Women’s Pool 6:30 - Poker</p>	<p><u>03</u> 8AM – Men’s Breakfast (women Welcome) 10AM–Shuffleboard 1PM – Dominos 7 – HOA Meeting</p>	<p><u>04</u> 1PM – Bridge 7PM – B-I-N-G-O 7PM – Men’s Pool</p>	<p><u>05</u> Aluminum cans at the curb! 10AM – Blood Press 10AM – Painting Grp 1PM – Mah-jongg 7PM – Men’s pool</p>	<p><u>06</u> 9am - Bone Builders 9:30 – CRV Golf 1PM – Cards & Games 6:30PM - Poker</p>	<p><u>07</u> 10:30am Horseshoes</p> 	
<p><u>08</u> GRANDPARENTS DAY</p> 	<p><u>09</u> 9am - Bone Builders 9:30 – CRV Golf 10:30 –Line Dance 6PM – Women’s Pool 6:30 - Poker</p>	<p><u>10</u> 8AM – Men’s Breakfast (women Welcome) 10 – Shuffleboard 1PM – Dominos</p>	<p><u>11</u> 10AM – Bible Study 1PM – Bridge 7PM – B-I-N-G-O 7PM – Men’s Pool</p>	<p><u>12</u> 10AM – Blood Press 10AM – Painting Grp 1PM – Mah-jongg 7PM – Men’s pool</p>	<p><u>13</u> 9am - Bone Builders 9:30 – CRV Golf 1PM – Cards & Games 6:30PM - Poker</p>	<p><u>14</u> 8-10AM Sat Morn Breakfast 10:30am Horseshoes</p> 	
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<p><u>22</u> Check on a neighbor who lives alone and say hello!!</p>	<p><u>23</u> 9am - Bone Builders 9:30 – CRV Golf 10:30 –Line Dance 6PM – Women’s Pool 6:30 - Poker</p>	<p><u>24</u> 8AM – Men’s Breakfast (ladies welcome) 10 – Shuffleboard 1PM – Dominos</p>	<p><u>25</u> 10AM – Bible Study 1PM – Bridge 7PM – B-I-N-G-O 7PM – Men’s Pool</p>	<p><u>26</u> 10AM – Blood Press 10AM – Painting Grp 12 Noon.. Ladies Luncheon 1PM – Mah-jongg 7PM – Men’s pool</p>	<p><u>27</u> 9am - Bone Builders 9:30 – CRV Golf 1PM – Cards & Games 6:30PM - Poker</p>	<p><u>28</u> 10:30am Horseshoes</p> 	
<p><u>29</u> Take the day off</p> 	<p><u>30</u> 9am - Bone Builders 9:30 – CRV Golf 10:30 –Line Dance 6PM – Women’s Pool 6:30 - Poker</p>		<p>MY, WE ARE BUSY HERE IN CRV!</p>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>©2013 CRV Homeowners Assn. No portion may be copied or reprinted without approval of Assn. Board of Directors</p> </div>			