



Terra Ceia Manor Newsletter

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NEWS FROM THE CO-OP BOARD
Next B.O.D. Workshop: Wednesday, November 15, 9 a.m.
Next B.O.D. Monthly Meeting: Mon., November 20, 9 a.m.
Meetings are open to TCM shareholders only.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT – DOUG GEEN: I'm sure by now that many of our friends and neighbors have begun to arrive at Terra Ceia. Our numerous Park activities will be swinging into action, and we look forward to the social interaction that these events provide. I trust (and hope) that our homes open up without incident and that Irma is well behind us. I look forward to seeing everyone soon, and I will be arriving in time for the Boards November Board meeting (see above for date and time). Safe travels to all.



NEWS FROM THE REC. BOARD
Next Meeting: Monday, November 13, 9 a.m.
Meetings are open to all residents.

ACTIVITIES

The following activities have been discontinued for the season: Bowling, Horseshoes, Mah Jongg, and Shuffleboard

- BIBLE STUDY** – will continue to meet at 1:00 p.m. on Mondays. For details contact Anne MaGaha (941-729-2145).
- BID EUCHRE** – meets at 6:15 p.m. on Thursday, and play begins at 6:30. For more information, call Nancy Dixon at 941-729-6629.
- BINGO** – will begin the season on Monday, November 6. Doors open at 5:30 p.m., and games start at 6:30 p.m.. Please call Rose Dander (941-722-5051) for details. We are hoping to have a better turn-out this year. Please support this activity.
- BRIDGE** – will begin on Wednesday, November 1 at 6:30 p.m. Please arrive in time to pay your \$1 and get your table/partner schedule. We are handling Bridge in a little different manner this year. We will have a different host each month, who will be responsible for making sure we have available participants. If you are new to the park, we would love to have you join us. Don't be intimidated, we are a very accepting group of all different skill levels. The host for the month of November is Calla Gonzalez (765-490-0892). Please contact her if you are interested in participating or watching.
- BUSY BRUSHES ART GROUP** - will begin meeting on Monday, November 6 in the card room. All are welcome. If you are a beginner, we will supply you with paints and paper to get started. The group meets from 1 to 3 p.m. Please join us. Contact Judi Renkenberger (941-721-4690).
- CRAFT CLUB** - will meet on Fridays from 9 to 11 a.m. in the card room beginning November 3. Come with crafty ideas and project suggestions! Call Jo Thielen at 941- 776-7566 if you have questions.
- DULCIMER GROUP** – meets from 1 to 3 p.m. on Friday. Questions? Call George Deebel (260-242-2400).
- EUCHRE** – meets at 6:15 p.m. on Tuesday. For details, please call Elaine Kalbarczyk (517-688-4835).

GAME NIGHT - will be every Friday at 6:30 p.m. beginning on November 3. Bring your favorite table game and enjoy ice cream with your friends and neighbors. Contact Beverly Scandrol (941-729-8139).

GARDEN CLUB - meets on Tuesday mornings at 9 a.m. at the clubhouse. Please join us! For questions, call Jo Thielen at 941-776-7566 or Judi Renkenberger at 941-721-4690. (See INFORMATION & THANK YOUS for appreciation for the care of our gardens during past summer.)

HAND & FOOT - is played on Thursday at 1 p.m. For additional information please contact Jan Davis at Unit 114 or 941-417-2731.

LADIES' GOLF - Ladies' golf will again be at Terra Ceia Bay Golf course on Fridays around 12:30 (beginning November 3). We usually leave Terra Ceia Manor a little after Noon! Jo Thielen (941-776-7566) is handling things right now and is posting golf signup sheets in the Clubhouse. Anyone new to our Park is welcome to join us. Just sign up on the sheet in the Clubhouse and indicate if you need a ride or can drive. Lynn Searles

MEN'S GOLF - begins at 9:30 a.m. on Friday at Terra Ceia. Please arrive by 9:00. Please call Dave Renkenberger (941-721-4690) or Jerry Thielen (941-776-7566) if you have questions or need a ride. Look for a signup sheet in the Clubhouse.

PINOCHLE – meets at 1:00 p.m. on Wednesdays. Please contact Sandy Thomas (941-721-9741) for details.

POKER – begins at 6:30 p.m. on Thursdays. For details, contact Ron Thomas at 941-721-9741.

SATURDAY MORNING COFFEE HOUR – is every Saturday. We meet at 8:30 a.m. for a social time and donuts and coffee are served at 9 a.m. The donuts and coffee are 50 cents each; just bring your cup! Please consider hosting a coffee hour. There is a signup sheet in the Clubhouse and instructions in the kitchen. If you are new to the Park, you might consider co-hosting with someone who has experience. It is a great time to meet your neighbors and friends and find out what is happening in the Park!

WATER AEROBICS – is every Monday, Wednesday and Friday (weather permitting) at 10:00 a.m.



UPCOMING EVENTS

2017-2018 TRAVEL CALENDAR - Larry and Mary Thompson can be reached at their cell phone number 937-418-1151. *All dates and itineraries are subject to change without notice.*

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 2017 – King Fisher Christmas Lights, Punta Gorda. Come join us and be part of the local holiday tradition of holiday decorations and lights along the canal. Boats, beautiful homes, docks and the sea walls are all decorated for the season. Dinner is included at the ever popular Captain's Table Restaurant with a choice of delicious entrees.

JANUARY 9-19, 2018 – Royal Princess Cruise. Don't miss this cruise to the beautiful Caribbean. (Princess Cay, St. Thomas, St. Kitts/Nevis, St. Lucia, Barbados, Antigua/Barbuda) Look for the detailed flier on our travel board.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 30, 2018 – Florida Aquarium, Tampa. Come and explore the great water outdoors ... indoors at the Florida Aquarium. Enjoy dive shows, close up animal encounters and over 30,000 aquatic animals and plants – from sharks to playful otters. A lunch with choice of entrée is at the historic Columbia Restaurant in Ybor City.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 2018 – Cirque Show. This is a show that is not to be missed! It is a story of all stories, the sight of mysteries and where dreams and fantasy sleep side by side. The magic and acrobatics of these Cirque performers are beyond amazing! There are a maximum of 55 seats for this trip. Deposit early for your seat!

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21, 2018 – Tarpon Springs – Calypso Queen, St. Pete. Join us for a scenic luncheon cruise from Clearwater to Tarpon Springs. A snack of muffins, fruits and coffee or juice is awaiting your arrival and a tropical buffet lunch is included on board. After docking at the historic sponge docks, enjoy some shopping at the charming mix of storefronts and admission to the Tarpon Springs Aquarium.

SUNDAY THRU THURSDAY – Charleston, South Carolina (Tentative dates March 25-29). Watch for detailed flier with specific itinerary.

***Cruise with us to AUSTRALIA and NEW ZEALAND in the fall of 2018 ***

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9 – The first **LADIES LUNCHEON** of the season will be held at the Golden Corral on Cortez Road. The cost will be \$9.95 per person and will begin at 1 p.m. A signup sheet will soon be posted in the Clubhouse. If you have questions, please contact Rose Dander at 941-722-5051.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 13 – The November **REC BOARD MEETING** will begin at 9 a.m. We encourage everyone to attend. This Board is in charge of upcoming events and activities in our Park.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15 – The November **WORKSHOP FOR THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS** will begin at 9 a.m. This Workshop sets the agenda for the upcoming Board Meeting. If you have anything you would like to appear on the agenda, please attend this meeting. All TCM Shareholders are welcome and urged to attend.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19 - MBSG AUCTION : The annual Make-It, Bake-It, Sew-It, Grow-It Auction will be held at the clubhouse. The doors will open at 12 noon for your donations to be dropped off. A cookies and punch reception will be held from 1:00 till 2:00 p.m., at which time you may view the items that will be up for auction and place bids on items in the silent auction. The actual auction will start at 2 p.m. If you have nothing to donate, we do accept monetary donations as well. Come to the auction and spend the day with friends and bidding on something special you may see at the auction. There will be a signup sheet in the Clubhouse for donations of cookies for the reception. We appreciate all of your donations each year and hope you will help us to make this another successful year. For more information or if you would like to volunteer, please contact Joyce Everly at 941-723-9712 or Calla Gonzalez at 765-490-0892.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20 – The November **BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING** will begin a 9 a.m. Only TCM Shareholders may attend.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

Lasagna Dinner . The date has been set for our annual Lasagna Dinner. It will be on Saturday, December 2. More details will be in the December Newsletter.

Trim the Hall and Christmas Tree from 2 to 4 p.m. Punch and cookies provided. Make this tree special with personal ornaments from past memories. Everyone is invited to bring something to put on the tree that means something special to them. If you would like it back, please put your name on it. And remember....glass breaks and is difficult to pack away. Come and have a fun time with friends.

Craft Fair 2018 will be held on February 17 from 8:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Set up will be on February 16 from 6 to 7:30 p.m. If you are interested in having a craft at the show please call Rose Dander (941-722-5051) or Lynda Jackson (937-935-9510).

INFORMATION & THANK YOUs

PARK DIRECTORY: The following changes have been made during the summer: Unit 119, Ray Alsip, 513-284-1614; Unit 226, Nancy White, 321-720-3733; Unit 233, James & Nancy Cessna, 419-346-6360; Unit 237, Mary Tarrant, 620-331-6127; Unit 340, Michelle Ash, 814-571-7457; Unit 475, Ann Ferrell, 941-479-7701.

THANK YOU: We want to thank the following persons for caring for the gardens this summer: Teresa & Jim Chase, Fran Ingallinera, Trudy Lahay, Pat Smith, Nancy Dixon, Anne & Mac Mcgaha, & Jim Slough. We appreciate your efforts, Judi Renkenberger and Jo Thielen.



LOVE & PRAYERS

Please remember the following residents in your prayers: John Reihl, Unit 130; Marcy Gilbert, Unit 429; Joyce Frank, Unit 433.

MERLE MEAD, UNIT 113 – is having problems with swelling in her legs.

RUBY CAUDILL, UNIT 131- Ruby lost her battle with liver cancer on October 12. We extend our sincere sympathy to Mary and Larry Thompson and to Beulah Logel (Unit 323) and their families.

DOROTHY HANKET, UNIT 317 – has been the hospital twice during the past month. She is recuperating at home.

STEVE AMATO, UNIT 466 – has been in and out of the hospital recently with internal bleeding. He is at home recuperating.

**NEWS FROM RHONDA RITTER AT THE
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Welcome back Snowbirds! I am happy to be back to work. I am here in the office M-F 8 to 12, and I will be happy to help you. Thank you for all the prayers for my recovery. My hip is doing well.

SOLICITORS: Can take advantage of you. If someone comes to your door trying to sell you a service, *ask them to leave immediately*. Promptly report the incident to the park manager giving a description of the vehicle and the direction it leaves.

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE: Two days before the end of the month. Contact me at 765-490-0892 or diverdiego@comcast.net

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