

# Heartland LakeSharks Parrot Head Club

## ***The LakeShark Bytes Newsletter***

**March 2023**



### **GREAT NEWS LAKESHARKS**

Day passes will be available for Music on the Bay March 1st to the 5th in Tampa.

Here is the information from the MOTB organizers:

***If you can only make it for one of the other days, the following are the Day Passes that we will be offering ON SITE ONLY each day of the event. We will accept cash or credit cards during the Registration Tent's hours. Check with the FAQ's on our website for the times. [www.musiconthebay.org](http://www.musiconthebay.org)***

***Thursday 3/2 - \$50***

***Friday 3/3 - \$75***

***Saturday 3/4 - \$75***

***Sunday 3/5 - \$50***

***Full Event - \$140***

### **UPCOMING MIGRATIONS**

- Music on the Bay - 2023 will be held March 1st to 5th in Tampa. This is one of the top annual events in our area. Day passes will be available on site.
- Plans are under way for the Memorial Day weekend Parrot Head Palooza. Again, this event will take place at Captain Hiram's resort in Sebastian, FL. Extensive interior renovations are currently taking place at Captain Hiram's and we can't wait to see what they've done with the place. More information will follow as we get closer to the event.
- Axe Throwing anyone? As mentioned at the last Phlocking, A few LakeSharks recently partook in the ancient art of axe throwing. Yep right here in Sebring where you can bring your own favorite beverage as you learn to throw axes and then compete against fellow LakeSharks. What could go wrong? Watch for upcoming flyers!

Phins UP!

John and Amy

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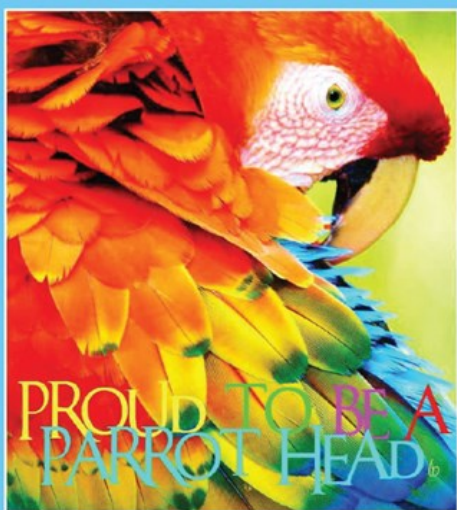
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## JOIN US WITH DON MIDDLEBROOK ON MARCH 26

Our friend Don Middlebrook will entertain us as we collect goodies for RCMA Easter Goodie Bags. We need chocolate bunnies or eggs, candy, Peeps, plastic grass, bubbles, small toys, puzzles, coloring books, colors, tooth brushes.

Location: Caddy Shack Bar and Grill located at 3122 Golfview Road in Sebring.

Time: 3 - 6pm

Public is welcome, so feel free to bring along your friends and neighbors!

## DON MIDDLEBROOK

- Don Middlebrook is a Florida Trop Rock, Americana, Country, Rock 'n Roll singer/songwriter from the frozen North. East Lansing, Michigan is ground zero. He travels a circuit from Michigan to Key West – Seattle to the East coast. Original Florida swamp rock, with authentic country sensibilities, give Don a heart of pure Trop Rock.
- Don revels in the back roads, small towns, and the seedy underbelly of the Florida Keys — although he is equally at home in the country clubs of southern California, baseball stadiums of the Mid-west, and Yacht Clubs of the east coast. Don is a sought-after entertainer. From corporate America to private house parties, he writes songs that celebrate the people, places, and uniqueness of this great country.





## FEBRUARY 26 PHLOCKING

A big thank you to Greg and Linda for taking charge of this one. Great to have Parrot Head friends to call on!

Linda Breslich reports that Heather Vidal was great! Thank you Heather!

LakeSharks and friends donated 320 pounds of non-perishable items for the Vets food drive. Thank you, Parrot Heads!

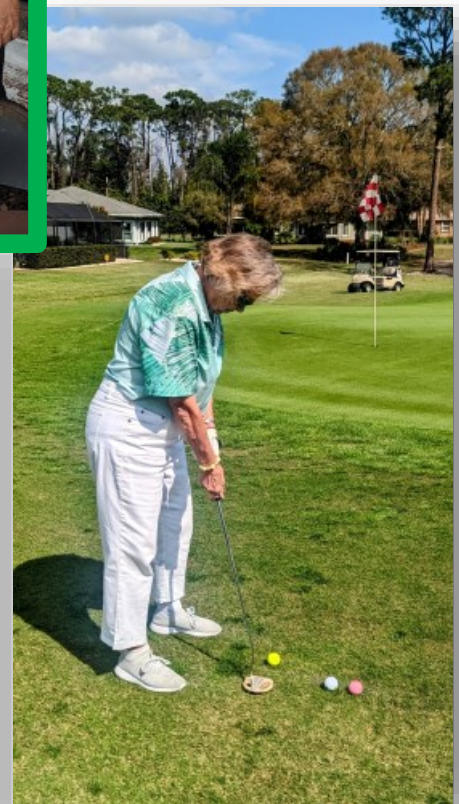
35 members and guests attended the Phlocking. Julie Wagner won the gift Basket made by Linda Ellison; Greg Breslich won a \$25 Caddy Shack gift certificate and Charlotte Danz won a \$10 Amazon gift card. Congratulations to all.





**LAKESHARKS IN THE FEBRUARY 25TH  
AMERICAN VETERANS POST 21 GOLF SCRAMBLE**

Thank you Linda Breslich for these great pictures!





## FEBRUARY 6TH HAPPY IMPROMPTU JAM SESSION

Twenty three LakeSharks turned out at the Feb 6th, 4:00pm happy hour at Azul Tequila in Sebring.

As we were leaving Azul Tequila, Greg and Linda invited the gang to their lake house for in impromptu Jam session with LakeShark Rich Rumsey and his pal Jay Engle, aka Panama Jay. Joining the duo was LakeShark Mike Reynolds. Great job everyone!

Thanks to all who put the events together.

Next Happy hour March 14 at 4 at Tabby's in Lake Placid.



## VETERANS FOOD DRIVE DELIVERY

Thank you Linda Breslich, Linda Sexsmith and Julie Wagner who delivered 320 pounds of nonperishable items to the Veterans Administration on February 28. AND a big thanks to everyone who donated items.



## LAKESHARKS 2022 CHRISTMAS BOAT PARADE FIRST PLACE AWARD

As briefly mentioned in the January newsletter, the LakeSharks entry took first place in the Leisure Lakes Christmas Boat Parade. Well, the traveling trophy along with a first place ribbon arrived in mid January.

We are already planning upgrades to this year's parade.



## WE NEED YOU

Have a suggestion? It's your club, give us your thoughts in an email or at a Phlocking. Also, we are asking all members to help out by contributing Phlocking or other event pictures; and/or submitting articles for future newsletters and the website. Together, we can only get better! Please email your pictures, articles or any questions and/or suggestions to John at [jhoward7411@gmail.com](mailto:jhoward7411@gmail.com); or at a Phlocking just chase him down.

## WANT TO BE A LAKESHARK?

Send us an email and we will get you all the information. [lakesharksparrotheads@gmail.com](mailto:lakesharksparrotheads@gmail.com)

## MUSIC ON THE BAY 2023

Save the Dates! MOTB 2023 will be held March 1st to 5th 2023!!

Although online registration is now closed, Day Passes will be available on site. See details on Page 1.





## WEBSITE OF THE MONTH



To access the latest edition of the Tradewinds Times, the official Parrot Heads In Paradise (PHiP) news letter, click on the above logo.

This newsletter issues four times per year and includes exciting information from clubs around the globe, links to interesting Parrot Head websites and of course PHiP financial information.

## BIRD BUSINESS

Would you like to know what's happening in "your club?" Have suggestions to share? Then come and join us at our next business meeting on March 14. Sebring Regional Airport conference room, 11 AM.

We always welcome any new ideas to help with our future Parrot Head Club planning.

Please email [jhoward7411@gmail.com](mailto:jhoward7411@gmail.com) with any questions or for more information.

## BASKETS AND SPECIALTY ITEMS NEEDED FOR FUTURE RAFFLES, DRAWINGS AND PRIZES

HELP - We have openings in 2023 for baskets, raffles and specialty items to be donated for our members only drawings. Maybe you received items for the holidays that aren't quite your style...donate here! The basket raffle proceeds are how we pay for our entertainment. Have something to donate? Please contact Amy at [jhoward7411@gmail.com](mailto:jhoward7411@gmail.com) to reserve your month or to donate items! Thanks, everyone.

## LAKESHARKS GOLF SHIRTS

We have a limited supply of Golf USA shirts embroidered with the club's name and available at Phlockings to club members while supplies last for \$25. Sizes S, M, L. (They run large.)



## LAKESHARKS T SHIRTS

So far, forty plus LakeSharks have added these great T's to their formal wear wardrobe! Thank you Linda and Milt Ellison for managing the distribution. If you missed out on the offering, we did order extra shirts that will be available for sale to members at upcoming Phlockings.



## BUFFETT SCHEDULE

Want to know where to go to see our favorite entertainer in concert? Just visit Jimmy's official website at :<https://www.jimmybuffett.com> or the Margaritaville website at: <https://www.margaritaville.com>

**2023****PARTY WITH A PURPOSE FIRST HALF DONATIONS**

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**HEARTLAND HORSES**

Need: \$\$ donations to sponsor a therapy horse. Their mission: To significantly improve the lives of individuals who are physically, emotionally, or developmentally challenged.

Collected \$1,020 to sponsor a horse or horses

**VETERANS FOOD DRIVE**

Need: Non perishable food items.

Collected 320 pounds of nonperishable items for the Veterans Food Drive

**EASTER GOODIE BAGS FOR CHILDREN AT RCMA AND ARC HOMES**

Need: Chocolate bunnies or eggs, candy, Peeps, plastic grass, bubbles, small toys, puzzles, coloring books, colors, tooth brushes.

**RCMA**

Need: Diapers size 4,5,6,7, Unscented wipes, Pull-up training pants for boys and girls size 4 & 5, Construction paper in assorted colors, balls, Puzzles, dot-a-dot markers, Underwear, socks, shoes for boys and girls size 3,4,5,7

**TOILETRIES FOR VET'S DITTY BAGS**

Need: Tooth paste, tooth brushes, dental floss, body soap, liquid hand soap, nail clippers, shampoo & conditioner, disposable razors, shaving cream, combs, hand sanitizer, lotion, mouthwash, body/baby powder.

**PEACE RIVER WOMEN'S SHELTER**

Need: Toiletries such as hair products, oral hygiene products, deodorant etc. Clothing, shoes, socks and underwear, diapers, games, books. Special need for laundry detergent& pet food.

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