



Heartland LakeSharks Parrot Head Club

The LakeShark Bytes Newsletter

September 2021

GREAT MEMBERS ONLY PHLOCING WITH GREAT MEMBERS

A big thank you to all the members who attended the August Members Only Phlocking. As promised, Pinky the Flamingo Float made her second voyage - this time with the only incident being that the pontoon tug captain briefly ran aground before even getting off the beach. To quote Eric Stone - "If you ain't been aground, you ain't been around!"

Then the rain came! Dave Propts our on site meteorologist tried to warn us that it was coming. Did we listen? - well kind of, but a little too late. Hey for a bunch of retirees, we really moved fast. Managed to save Roger's "\$100,000" guitar. Really Roger?

Speaking of Roger. What a great gentleman. When the activities moved indoors, Roger wasted no time setting up in the "West Wing." Where else can you be entertained by a musical legend up close and personal? We even discovered that Roger and Jimmy really switched names back in the day - so technically we were entertained by Jimmy. If you get a chance, listen to Roger's song Fool for a Blond and you will see how perfectly it fits in the movie Texas Chainsaw Massacre - a little disturbing but yet fun. Thank you Roger!

Outstanding donations - thanks everyone. You donated 1,412 pounds of food for the Heartland Food Bank and 184 pounds of school supplies for Highlands County Schools. Food goods were delivered Wednesday the 25th and school supplies on Thursday the 26th. See pictures starting on page 3.

Don't forget all the upcoming migrations:

September 4-5 - Labor Day weekend Parrot Head Palooza

November 3-7 - Meeting of the Minds

December 3 - Sebring Christmas Parade

December 5th - Members Only Christmas party

December 11 - Lake Placid Christmas Parade

March 12-19-2022 - Bring Back the Magic cruise

Phins Up!
John

Cover picture - Pinky and the Flamingo Sisters on Lake Charlotte

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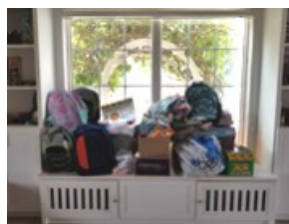
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AUGUST DONATIONS



Food Bank Items
Ready to Deliver



School Supplies
Staged for Delivery



Heartland Food Bank
Delivery

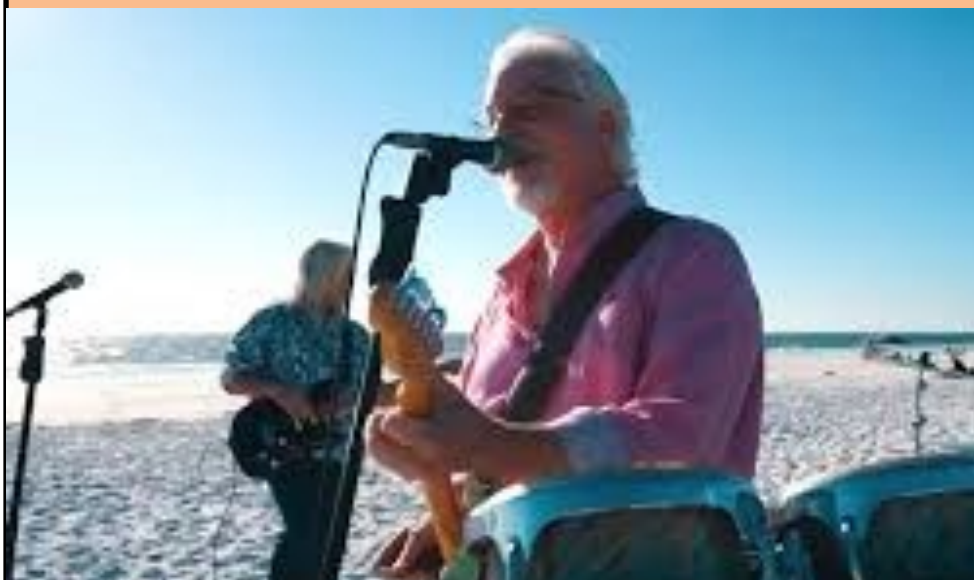
THE CABANA DOGS TO PERFORM AT THE SEPTEMBER 26TH PHLOCKING

Our September Phlocking will feature The Cabana Dogs and “not coincidentally” we will be collecting for Pawsitive Effects. Come join us at the Caddyshack Bar and Grill from 3 to 6 pm, 3122 Golfview Road, across from Harder Hall in Sebring. Items needed include pet food (made in the USA), any supplies and especially cat litter. Public welcome!

Pawsitive Effects is a non profit organization focused on finding permanent loving homes, promote the importance of spay and neuter programs, proper animal care, pet retention, share local pet resources and they help 11 non profit pet rescues and shelters.

THE CABANA DOGS

The Cabana Dogs are a high energy, modern Beach Rock Band with big harmonies and great guitar licks. A high energy party band, The Cabana Dogs present to the audience a coastal mix of music that reflects a custom blend of Kenny Chesney meets James Brown, The Rolling Stones and Jimmy Buffett rolled up with a touch of Santana. This band is a fun, entertaining entity. Catering to an upbeat, party atmosphere, for people who crave escaping the cold and hustle and bustle, the Cabana Dogs play music that reflects their exodus to the warm sunshine



AUGUST 22ND MEMBERS ONLY PHLOCKING



PHUN WITH ROGER

We had so much fun with Roger Bartlett That we just had to include a special page dedicated to him.
Thank you Roger!



Roger and the Girls
with a shout out to the LakeSharks

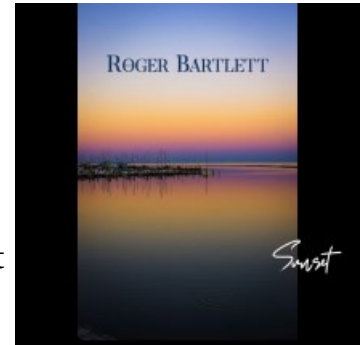


Monday Morning Departure
See you next time Roger!

CD RELEASE ANNOUNCEMENT FROM ROGER

CDs are here!

The CDs came in on Friday, the posters a couple of days earlier. I'll be getting them out to all who contributed just as quickly as I can. I want to sincerely thank those of you who supported me in the production of my new album, Sunset. Because of you I was able to hire excellent musicians to play on the record, get the tracks mastered at Abbey Road studios in London, and ensure I had all the tools to make this the best album I've ever done. I'm so proud of every aspect of this record and you all played a pivotal role. THANK YOU SO MUCH!!!! The record should be up on iTunes, Spotify, etc. shortly. I'll let you know when it's available. If you want to buy a CD, email me at rogg123@aol.com. They're \$15 plus postage.



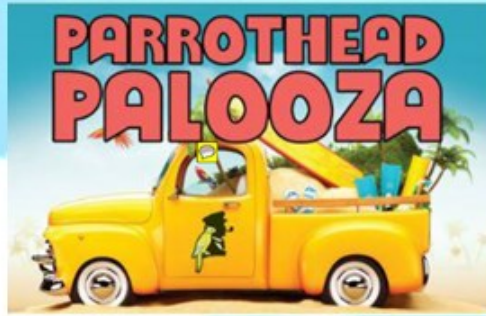
ROGER BARTLETT AT MOTM

For those attending Meeting of the Minds, be sure to stop by and say hello to Roger. Here is his planned schedule.

Wed. Nov. 4th 5:00 pm - Margaritaville

Thu. Nov. 5th - Tiki Man Songwriter Showcase - location and time to follow.

Fri. Nov. 6th 2:00 pm - The Casa Resort stage.



**LakeSharks "Migration" Labor Day weekend 2021
September 4th & 5th**

Capt. Hiram's Resort

**1580 US Highway 1, Sebastian, FL 32958
772-388-8588 ref: "PHLOCK" for special
rates (Pet friendly) Questions?**

Amy at ahoward7411@gmail.com

**Sunday is the Parrot Head Palooza party starting
at approximately 2:00 pm. Entertainment will be the
"Caribbean Chillers".**

**On Saturday we typically do a walking pub crawl along
the waterfront. Saturday night is always a great
live band. Sunday before the band gets going
we have pool time.**

**Capt. Hiram's has an adventure center where you can get a bike, go
paddle boarding, canoeing even a river boat cruise! Plenty of
restaurants and bars to stumble into.**



PARROT HEAD CRUISE 2022 — “BRING BACK THE MAGIC”

Join the 304 Parrot Heads already signed up for the “Bring Back the Magic” cruise presented by the Atlanta Parrot Head Club. We know it seems like a long way off, but slots are filling up quickly with less than 20 cabins remaining at the special price as of August 1st. At this point, 4 LakeSharks plan to sail. We hope many more will join us. For more information, click on the logo or go to:
<http://www.parrotheadcruise.com>.

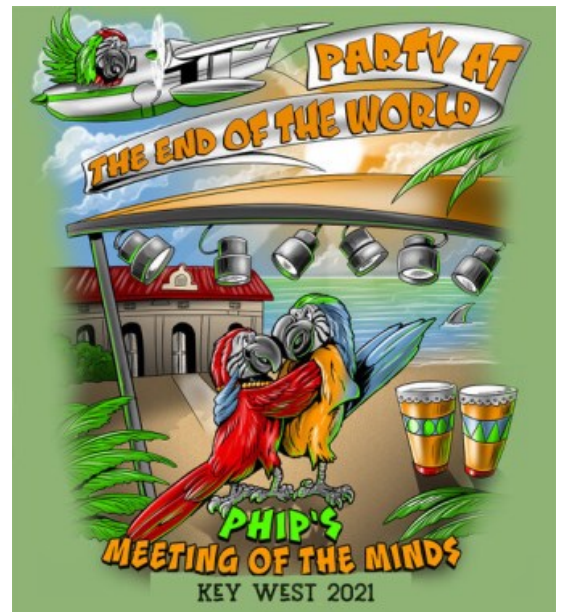


MEETING OF THE MINDS REGISTRATION IS STILL OPEN

Meeting of the Minds 2021, “Party at the End of the World” runs from November 3rd thru November 7th in Key West. As in past years, the home base will be the Casa Marina Resort. Registration for the event is \$97.77 per person and is limited to Parrot Head club members. Although the Casa has sold out, you can get on the Casa waiting list by emailing Michele Watson at MOTMLodging@GMail.com and you can reserve at the Reach while waiting on the Casa list. Also be aware that you do not have to stay at the Casa to attend all the events. For more details and to register, go to www.phip.com, click on the Meeting of the Minds tab then down to the PHiP Meeting of the Minds Facebook tab and/or the Registration tab. We will include more information in upcoming newsletters and on our Facebook page and website as we receive it.

As of this newsletter, we have 16 LakeSharks registered and would like to have as many more as possible join us for this Parrot Head event of the year.

If you have any questions, just shoot us an email at lakesharksparrotheads@gmail.com.



HEARTLAND FOOD BANK

“Let No One Go Hungry”

We toured the food bank and were very impressed with their organizational skills and set-up. It is run very much like a grocery store. Directors from 42 food pantries in Highlands County come in to shop for items to stock their pantries. Volunteers check expiration dates and food quality before stocking the shelves. They even have refrigerated items such as milk, breads, fresh vegetables and dog & cat food too. Also available are non food items such as toothpaste and shampoo. We even saw walking canes and back supports. They assess the needs of each of the pantries that come for supplies to ensure that items in short supply are going to pantries that have immediate needs for those items. They have volunteer opportunities and provide training.

BRING BACK THE MAGIC UPDATE FROM THE ATLANTA PARROT HEAD CLUB

We are very excited about our extraordinary onboard entertainment lineup: **Peter Mayer, Brendan Mayer, Scott Kirby, Jim Asbell, Barefoot Reggie Starrett, Tall Paul** and **Kristie Bobal!**

Before we sail, the Atlanta PHC, along with Barefoot Children of Ft. Lauderdale and the Parrot Heads for the Palm Beaches, are hosting a Parrothead Cruise Bon Voyage party in Miami the night before we embark. The party is free and everyone is welcome to attend. The party will feature some of the above names performing along with **John Friday** and **Isabella Stefania**. See the website for details about the Bon Voyage Party too.

The Parrothead Cruise is a Party with a Purpose: Parrothead Cruise 2022 Supports the Atlanta Parrot Head Club's Fight Against Breast Cancer. To date, the Parrothead Cruises have raised in excess of \$320,000 for our charities.

We hope you join us! Fins up.

NAME THAT SONG CONTEST WINNER

In July's newsletter, we announced a Name That Song Contest based on a video from the A1A Beach Bash. Sandy and Joel Youngblood were the first to correctly answer with “Margaritaville.” They will receive a \$25 Amazon gift card for their astute listening skills and quick response.

[CLICK HERE FOR THE VIDEO](#)

LAKESHARKS T SHIRTS

Twenty LakeShark members picked up their t-shirts at the August 22nd Phlocking. 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.



MARGARITAVILLE BIKE RAFFLE

The LakeSharks Parrot Head club will soon be raffling off a brand new women's Margaritaville bike. This beautiful bike comes equipped with a parrot horn, pineapple drink holder and an alloy water bottle holder. We will be sending a special flyer with all the details.

Thank you Michelle Gillum and Steve Gill for your generous donation.



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

HELP - We have openings in 2022 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 ahoward7411@gmail.com to reserve your month or to donate items! Thanks, everyone.

PHUN WEBSITE OF THE MONTH AUGUST 22ND PHLOCKING SHORT VIDEO CLIP

The music is really fitting.
Click on picture to view.



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; or at a Phlocking just chase him down.

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. We plan to meet at 5:30 pm on Tuesday, September 14th, at the Mid Florida Community Center, Stuart Ave., Lake Placid. We always welcome any new ideas to help with our future Parrot Head Club planning. Board members who are unable to attend should contact John at: jhoward7411@gmail.com.



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>

WANT TO BECOME A LAKESHARK?

Send us an email and we will get you all the information.
lakesharksparrotheads@gmail.com

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 \$30. Sizes S, M, L. (They run large.)



2021 Party with a Purpose First Half Donations

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	JAN "Heartland Horses"
						2	Need: \$\$ donations to sponsor a therapy ride.
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	Their mission: To significantly improve the lives of individuals who are physically, emotionally, or developmentally challenged. Moved the collection date to March due to Phlocking cancellation.
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	
31							
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	FEB "Veterans Food Drive"
	1	2	3	4	5	6	Need: Non perishable food items.
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	
28							Collected 1,050 pounds of non-perishable items!
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	MAR "Easter Goodie Bags for children at RCMA."
	1	2	3	4	5	6	Need: Chocolate bunnies or eggs, candy, Peeps,
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	plastic grass, bubbles, small toys, puzzles,
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	coloring books, colors, tooth brushes.
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	Collected goodies for 96 Easter bags and baskets for RCMA
28	29	30	31				and ARC. Along with \$1,205 and a saddle with tack for Heartland Horses.
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	APR "RCMA"
				1	2	3	Need: Diapers size 4,5,6,7, Unscented wipes,
4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Pull-up training pants for boys and girls size 4 &
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	5, Construction paper in assorted colors, balls,
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	Puzzles, dot-a-dot markers, Underwear, socks,
25	26	27	28	29	30		shoes for boys and girls size 3,4,5,7
							Collected 200 pounds of diapers, pull-ups, wipes, clothing, toys and supplies.
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	MAY "Toiletries for Vet's Ditty Bags"
						1	Need: Tooth paste, tooth brushes, dental floss,
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	body soap, liquid hand soap, nail clippers, shampoo &
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	conditioner, disposable razors, shaving cream, combs,
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	hand sanitizer, lotion, mouthwash, body/baby powder,
23	24	25	26	27	28	29	small packages of treats, Kleenex, pens/notepads.
30	31						Collected 200 pounds plus cash donations for the Vet's ditty bag project.
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	JUN "Peace River Women's Shelter"
		1	2	3	4	5	Need: Toiletries such as hair products, oral
6	7	8	9	10	11	12	hygiene products, deodorant etc. Clothing,
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	shoes, socks and underwear, diapers, games,
20	21	22	23	24	25	26	books. Special need for laundry detergent!
27	28	29	30				Collected 803 pounds of clothing, toiletries and other needed items for Peace River Women's Shelter.

Note: = Phlocking Date

2021 Party with a Purpose Second Half Donations

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	JUL "Heartland Food Bank"
				1	2	3	Need: Non perishable food items. (Peanut butter & jelly always needed) Heartland Food Bank supplies "42" food banks (We will collect these items at the August Phlocking)
4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	
25	26	27	28	29	30	31	

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	AUG "School Supplies"
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Need: Folders, filler paper, pens, pencils, glue, crayons, Kleenex, back-packs, notebooks, any school items. Items delivered to Highlands County School Board Student Activities to be used by the entire county's school system via social workers as needed. Collected 1,412 lbs. of food for the Heartland Food Bank and 184 lbs. of school Supplies for Highlands Schools.
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	
22	23	24	25	26	27	28	
29	30	31					

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	SEP "Items for Pawsative Effects in LP"
			1	2	3	4	Need: Quality dog & cat food (Made in the USA), cat litter, leashes, collars, pet shampoo, flea/tick prevention, beds, blankets, toys, treats, pet crates.
5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	
26	27	28	29	30			

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	OCT "Toiletries for Vet's Ditty Bags"
					1	2	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, small packages of treats, Kleenex, pens/notepads.
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	

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Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	NOV "Toy Drive"
	1	2	3	4	5	6	Need: Wrapped toys for child you sponsor. \$\$ to purchase toys for RCMA children and Advent bags. Unwrapped toys for siblings of RCMA kids over 4 yrs old.
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	
28	29	30					

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	DEC "Heartland Food Bank"
			1	2	3	4	Need: Non perishable food items. (Peanut butter & jelly always needed) Heartland Food Bank supplies "42" food banks
5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	
26	27	28	29	30	31		

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