

MEADOWS OF CRYSTAL LAKE *Action* NEWS

THE NEWSLETTER OF THE TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY

FEBRUARY

2008

FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

I hope all is well with you and your families. We had an excellent turnout at our Annual Members meeting with over 67% of our members casting ballots. The Election Committee, led by Chair Lillian Krall, did an excellent job signing in members and keeping the process running smoothly. We had seven candidates running for four Directors positions. Only four could be elected but I believe all the candidates are winners and thank them for their offer to serve our community.

Many residents donate books to our library and that is greatly appreciated. Some of the books however are in poor condition and can not be used. If you do donate books please donate books that are in decent condition. We don't mean perfect just decent condition. Some of the books donated have been missing pages, very dirty and not fit for the library.

There is an idea that came up a couple of years ago that hasn't been in the news recently that I think is important for everyone, especially seniors. The ICE program. If you never heard of it, it stands for IN CASE of EMERGENCY. Most of us have cell phones. If you have loved ones or friends programmed in your cell phone, program ICE in front of their name. If something happens to you emergency personnel (police, paramedics) will look into your phone for the ICE to notify someone close

of your problem. I have done it to my phone for my home number and also my wife & son's cell phones. Think about it.

We have so many great volunteers here in the Meadows that donate their time that there isn't room to mention them all, but I will mention some each month. Lillian Krall chairs the Election Committee, Review Committee & the Finance Committee. She's very active with Line Dancing on Wednesday nights. She, also, is always there when something needs to be done like stuffing envelopes for mailings updating the Blue Book and many other projects. Donna Hughes is our welcome wagon with Margaret Jantschi. She leads the workout program every weekday morning with Rochelle Stenn. Donna also is our Library Coordinator putting in many hours taking care of our Library. Both of these fine ladies put in a lot of time and I'm sure all residents appreciate it. I sure do!

New one day watering restrictions are now in place, due to the two year drought. We now can only water one day per week on Thursdays. Both phase one & two are on an alternate basis either between Midnight and 8AM or from 4PM to midnight.

Thanks,

Rich Collura

GET WELL WISHES

to Toby Theismann, Mary Olives and to our other residents who are ill at this time.

No matter how difficult things might get during your recovery, remember one thing...we are always thinking about you, so you are not recovering alone. Please, get well very soon.

CLASSIFIED

Lost & Found

Lot #27 Terence Clarke, Lost small black case with hearing aid.. If found please bring it into the office

4 SALE

CAR, 2002 MAZDA 626

ALL POWER, LEATHER. ALLOY WHEELS,
NEW TIRES, BRAKES 47,000 MILES \$6500

CALL JERRY 954-725-6533



GOLF CLUBS & BAG . WILSON , GOOD
CONDITION, WOODS, 1,3,4 IRONS 3-9, PW,
SW & PUTTER

CALL jERRY 954-421-4329

CONDOLENCES

TO THE FAMILIES OF
CHARLES TROVATO
HAROLD FREEDMAN

LINE DANCING

Come join us for an hour of fun and exercise on Wednesday nights at 7:30PM, except 1st Wed,(Workshop Meeting) . Beginners plus.

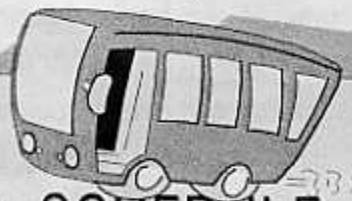


Call Joan Marino 954-698-9322
or Lillian Krall 954-5740890

We need players for our duplicate
bridge game on Thursday nights at
7:00PM

Call Lillian Krall 954-574-0890
or Birgit Viehe 954-428-7228

Bridge Club



BUS SCHEDULE

MON- - FRI SUPERMARKET 9:30AM
FEB 6 POMPANO CITI CENTRE
FEB 13 TOWN CENTER
FEB 20 CORAL SQUARE MALL
FEB 27 FLEA MARKET



BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Richard Collura	President
Peter Castro	Vice-Pres.
Shirley Pickard	Secretary
Rob Weaver	Treasurer
Jerry Novickas	Director
Jimmy Giasullo	Director
Eleanor Morrissey	Director
Jerry Iovino	Newsletter Editor

ANNIVERSARIES

Mr Mrs.	Robert	Field	3-Feb
Mr. & Mrs	Orlando	Rotella	12-Feb
Mr. & Mrs	Carl	Stade	16-Feb
Mr. & Mrs	Freeman	Healy	17-Feb
Mr. & Mrs	Irving	Kurtzer	21-Feb
Mr. & Mrs	Anthony	Aufiero	22-Feb
Mr. & Mrs	Robert	Smith	25-Feb
Mr. & Mrs	Gary	Treichler	3-Mar



BIRTHDAYS

Abe	Friedfertig	1-Feb
Sally	Zimmerman	1-Feb
Orlando	Rotella	1-Feb
Dana	Courtney	1-Feb
Beatrice	Billig	1-Feb
Irving	Kurtzer	2-Feb
Melvin	Doesken	2-Feb
Costante	Crovatto	3-Feb
Haven	Pagans	3-Feb
Barbara	Poirier	3-Feb
Gayle	Jahn	3-Feb
Mary	Aives	6-Feb
Michael	Amico	8-Feb
Esta	Gardberg	8-Feb
Fred	Zidell	11-Feb
Donald	Courtney	11-Feb
Charles	Marshal	13-Feb
Robert	Weatherly	13-Feb
Rosemary	Schofield	13-Feb
Diane	Kaufman	13-Feb
Freeman	Healy	14-Feb
Jane	Kennedy	14-Feb
Gordon	Smith	15-Feb
Jim	Sileno	15-Feb
Marshall	Salvatore	15-Feb
Vivian	DiDonato	15-Feb
Janice	Schrul	15-Feb
Richard	Collura	18-Feb
Sylvia	Ruggiero	20-Feb
Geraldine	Collura	20-Feb
Edwin	Ellis	21-Feb
Robert	Franklin	21-Feb
Orva	Giese	22-Feb
Edward	Paul	22-Feb
Benjamin	Kollen	24-Feb
Christine	Maranto	24-Feb
Angela	Campbell	26-Feb
Joseph	Machlica	26-Feb
Donald	Parton	26-Feb
Denis	Morrissey	28-Feb
Lois	Ulm	26-Feb
Angelo	Cicelli	1-Mar
Bruce	Laden	3-Mar
Denise	Voyik	4-Mar
William	Simpson	5-Mar
Frances	Lyons	5-Mar

KENNEDY SPACE CENTER

MARCH 13-14 2008



2 DAY/1 NIGHT PACKAGE INCLUDES:
ROUNDRIP MOTOR TRANSPORTATION
STOPPING ENROUTE AS NEEDED
LUNCH IN LAKE BUENA VISTA
MID-AFTERNOON CHECK-IN AT LOCAL
HOTEL
DINNER & SHOW AT ARABIAN NIGHTS
RETURN TO HOTEL FOR OVERNIGHT
STAY
BREAKFAST BUFFET
ARRIVE AT CENTER FOR FULL DAY
LUNCH
DEPART CENTER AT APPROXIMATELY
4:30PM
STOP FOR DINNER IN PALM BEACH
RETURN TO CLUBHOUSE
\$206 PER PERSON DOUBLE OCCUPANCY
\$45 SINGLE SUPPLEMENT
CALL JOAN MARINO 954-698-9322
JANACE PAPPAS 954-427-2783

VALENTINES DAY

February is said to be the month for lovers
 But, what about all the others
 The moms and dads, the siblings and friends
 The list goes on to no evident end
 Love is a very personal thing
 And it doesn't necessarily bear a ring
 Give your love freely each and every day
 In the long run you'll find it really does pay
 Try to find something to love in each person you meet
 Whether their beautiful face or even their very large feet
 Happy Valentines Day to one and all
 Enjoy your life and have a ball

Carmen Friedman

**ATTENTION MEADOWS OF
CRYSTAL LAKE HOMEOWNERS**

IGUANA PEST CONTROL, INC. WILL BE SERVICING YOUR COMMUNITY FOR
INTERIOR PEST CONTROL ON 02.13.08 AND 02.14.08

**** THE EXTERIOR SERVICE WILL BE PERFORMED ON 02.15.08**

ALL HOUSES AND WORK SCHEDULE AS FOLLOWS:

WEDNESDAY 02.13.08

LOT # 1 TO 99 WILL BE SERVICED BETWEEN 7.30 AND 12 NOON.

LOT # 100 TO 195 WILL BE SERVICED BETWEEN 1PM AND 5PM

THURSDAY 02.14.08

LOT # 196 TO 293 WILL BE SERVICED BETWEEN 7.30 AND 12 NOON.

LOT # 294 TO 389 WILL BE SERVICED BETWEEN 1PM AND 5PM.

ALL PRE ARRANGED INTERIOR SERVICES WILL BE THE SAME

PLEASE BE AWARE THAT FRIDAY 02.15.08 WHEN THE EXTERIOR SERVICE IS
BEING PERFORMED, IT IS IMPORTANT THAT ALL RESIDENTS DO NOT WALK
ON GRASS AND LIMIT OUTDOOR ACTIVITY, AS PESTICIDE APPLICATION
WILL BE IN PROGRESS. ALL OUTDOOR ACTIVITY CAN RESUME AFTER 5PM
ON FRIDAY 02.15.08

IGUANA PEST CONTROL, INC. - OFFICE # 954-783-3624

TELEPHONE NUMBERS NEEDED

LOT 226.....ADELSON, GREG

LOT 65.....FITCHETT, MILDRED

LOT 373.....REIS, HORACIO

LOT 75.....SCHNEIDER, STEVEN

ANNIVERSARY DATES NEEDED

LOT 345..... ADESSI, ALFREDO

LOT 50.....CAMPBELL, CLAUDIA

LOT 241.....NASTARI, ERNEST

LOT 321.....DI NARDO, ANTHONY

LOT 261.....SHERB, DAVID

LOT 305.....SANDI, JULIO

LOT 373.....REIS, HORACIO

LOT 126.....GORDON, O'BRIAN

PLEASE SUBMIT INFO TO OFFICE



Last year, all you heard was "one away."
Now all you hear is "I needed I needed
every game that's played."

As Jack keeps saying "Same winners all
the time.

I just don't understand it, the numbers he
call are rarely ever mine.

But win or lose on Tuesday night, we'll
pack the hall

While we wait for the right number to
come off that little white ball.

Carmen Friedman



TRAVEL CLUB

Feb. 3rd to Feb. 10th, 2008 - Cruise on Caribbean Princess to Eastern Caribbean. Inside \$722.52; outside \$802.52 double occupancy. Includes port charges, insurance and transportation. Joan Marino / Janice Pappas.

Shows at Stage Door Theatre:

Sun. Feb. 17th, 2008 "Baby" - Sold Out. Bill Kermit / Peggy Stade

Sun. April 27, 2008 - "Starting Here, Starting Now" Sold Out, taking stand-bys. Bill Kermit / Peggy Stade

Monday, February 25th. After the Travel Club meeting there will be another GREAT GIVEAWAY. Members will bring items (in good condition) that they no longer want or need between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. From 1 p.m. until 2 p.m. members may look over the items available BUT NO TOUCHING THE ITEMS. After the meeting members will be called by number (tickets will be given out) and they may take one item that they want.

Sunday, March 9, 2008 - 12 noon "WHAT'S UP AT THE MEADOWS" Party. Pizza, soft drinks, coffee & cake. ENTERTAINMENT, Bingo (run by the Bingo Committee), chance to win a cash prize. Learn to play Bocce, try a chance to win a prize at the putting green, hear about our bowling league, etc. \$5 pp - HOWEVER MEMBERS WHO BRING A NON MEMBER RESIDENT LIVING AT THE MEADOWS 3 YEARS OR LESS GO FREE AND THEIR RESIDENT GUEST WILL ALSO GO FREE. Sign up NOW and pay \$5, the \$5 will be refunded if you bring a guest as described above.

Thursday & Friday, March 13 & 14 - 2 day, 1 night trip to The Kennedy Space Center. See Bulletin Board Flyer for full information. \$206 pp double occupancy, single occupancy \$45 additional. Joan Marino / Janice Pappas.

Friday, April 4, 2008 - Brooks Restaurant - Lunch & Operatic singing show
12 noon. \$36 pp. Lillian Krall / Joan Pappas.

DUES FOR 2008 ARE NOW DUE @ \$2.50 PER PERSON. MUST BE A RESIDENT OF THE MEADOWS OF CRYSTAL LAKE. PLEASE PAY YOUR DUES NOW.

Travel Club meetings held on the second and fourth Monday of each month at 2:00 P.M. in the Meadows Clubhouse.

First we all thank the outgoing Board of Directors for their fine work in spite of the loss of many members through unfortunate demise, illness or moving from The Meadows of Crystal Lake.

Many homeowners associations, condos and other senior organizations are faced with diminishing membership and attendance at their various clubs. It is the aim of our current Board of Directors to not only keep our Club functioning but to increase membership, get new residents active in The Meadows Travel Club and have many activities throughout the year.

Please read the Schedule of Events contained in this issue of The Action News, updated schedules will be posted on the bulletin board in the clubhouse. We are planning to have unexpected, interesting programs and other ideas at our meetings, be sure to attend, and let us know how we are doing. We are always open to suggestions regarding functions, and activities that can be added to our schedule to make OUR CLUB stay active, interesting and enjoyable. We plan to work closely with all of the other groups such as the Entertainment Committee, Bingo, Bocce, Bowling, Line Dancing (Wednesdays), Dancing With the Stars (Fridays), Boomers & Beyond, (Cont.) and other fine groups that make our Meadows such a great place to live

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Bill Kermit, Pres. and all members of THE TRAVEL CLUB BOARD of DIRECTORS.

DANCING WITH THE STARS...AT THE MEADOWS!

YES! We are looking for stars who live in the Meadows and who can teach Merengue, Salsa, Swing and Mambo. We have the students -- Do you have the time?

At 8:00 PM on Friday nights, at the Clubhouse, residents will be able to practice dancing. We would love to have one or more coaches willing to teach us how to master these upbeat

dances. Our own, Hector Villanueva, will be teaching us the Salsa.

Potential Teachers and Students

Please come to the Clubhouse at 8:00 PM on Fridays, Any cancellation of a Friday night "Dancing with the Stars...at the Meadows" will be posted in the Clubhouse.



The Meadows of Crystal Lake

**Salutes America and Our Presidents
With A Parade Around the Lake**

**Saturday February 15th 2008
At 11am**



**The Boomers & Beyond
Will be providing a
Free
All American Lunch**



**Want to Watch?
Set up your chairs on any front lawn around the lake drive**

**Want to March?
Dress up as a President, Decorate your Bicycle
Or carry an American flag to wave**

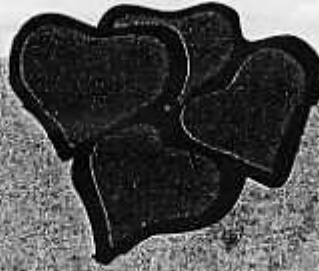
**Openings Still available for the
"Meadows Marching Kazoo Band"
Practice at the Parking Lot
At 10:40 am Parade morning**

**The Float Decorating Committee
will be meeting Friday night Feb 15
at the clubhouse
to decorate the Floats and Golf Carts**



LOOK AT THE ROAD FOLLOWING PARADE

VALENTINE'S DAY DANCE



**Back by popular demand
ANN MARIE & BILLY LEE**

**\$12 - PP Setups supplied
Coffee & Dessert**

SURPRISE RAFFLE

**RESERVE YOUR TABLE
ASAP**

February 9th · 8:00 PM · CLUBHOUSE



February 2008

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