



Community-wide



November 15 & 16
(Friday and Saturday)
8:00 am – 2:00 pm

Winter months and Holidays are ahead! Now is a great time to clean out closets, garages, cabinets, etc. Make some extra cash by selling unwanted items – or spend time browsing for unique finds!

No need to sign up, just put your stuff out at the convenience of your own home!



Christmas Social
Sunday, December 8, 2019
2:00 – 4:00 pm
at the Clubhouse

Come out and welcome in the holidays! All residents from the community are invited. Light refreshments will be provided, then we'll light the Christmas tree and sing Christmas carols.

We look forward to seeing our neighbors, welcoming new residents, and enjoying all the festivities during this beautiful season.

GARDENS OF GULF COVE POA, INC.

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Office Hours:

9:00 am – 4:00 pm

Pool Hours:

November / December
8:30 am - 5:00 pm

GARDENS OF GULF COVE POA, INC

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March 2019 – March 2020

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C.A.M. Corner 2020 Budget Time!

The budget process is under way and the Board of Directors will be adopting an operations Budget for 2020 at a Board of Directors meeting to be held Thursday, November 14th at 5:30 pm at the Clubhouse.

All owners are encouraged to attend and participate in the governance of your community. See you there!

Judy Hollister, Community Assoc Manager

Garden's Activity and Community Improvement Club Events 2019-2020

Community Yard Sale – Fri., Nov 15 & Sat., Nov 16 from 8:00 – 2:00 pm

Christmas Social – Sun., December 8 from 2:00 – 4:00 pm at the Clubhouse. Light refreshments provided!

Potluck – Sat., January 18, 2020 Doors open at 5:30 pm at the Clubhouse. The fee for this event is a dish that will serve six people and two non-perishable items that will be donated to a food bank.

February Dance – Sat., February 22, 2020 No meal will be provided at this event, we will provide coffee, water and dessert only.

Blood Drive – Sat., March 7, 2020 in the Rec Center parking lot. Flyers are posted in the Clubhouse and Rec Center bulletin boards. Make an appointment online at www.OneBloodDonor.org and use sponsor code #39386. 1-888-9-DONATE

Pizza Party – Sat., March 21, 2020 at the Clubhouse.

Look for additional information in this newsletter and in the upcoming January newsletter. Please direct any questions regarding events to Lucille Breen at 941-697-3809 or by email at BreenB1@centurylink.net



Wednesday afternoons:

1st & 2nd Wednesdays each month
2:00 pm at the Clubhouse
November 6 and 13
December 4 and 11

Thursday nights:

Last 2 (or 3) Thursdays each month
6:30 pm at the Clubhouse
November 21
No Bingo Thanksgiving Day 11/28
December 19
No Bingo day after Christmas 12/26

**Lively entertainment ...
Snack time / Intermission ...
extended Play on Thursday
nights!**



2 cards for \$5.00 - 5 game set
Gardens residents and their guests only!!

Garden's Activity and Community Improvement Club Meetings 2019-2020

The Activity and Community Improvement Club meets the first Thursday of every month beginning in December at 10:00 am at the Clubhouse. Everyone is welcome to attend!

- December 5, 2019
- January 2, 2020
- February 6, 2020
- March 5, 2020
- April 2, 2020

Compliance Corner Important Reminders!

Please do not touch the Radio in the Rec Center. Neighbors are complaining about loud music late at night and early in the morning. The radio is on a timer and it is set to come on and shut off at specific times. Please do not touch it. If this problem continues, we will have to remove the radio.

All exterior surfaces should be free of unsightly mold & mildew. Make a good perimeter inspection of your property including all sides of your home, garage and storage shed. If you have fencing, you are responsible to keep both sides of it clean and in good shape.

Keep the sidewalks in front of your home clear. Grass grown over and weeds in the cracks are serious tripping hazards for our residents that use the sidewalks regularly. Trim bushes & low branches so they are not hitting pedestrians. Do not place anything on the sidewalk that will block the use of the sidewalk for any amount of time, such as vehicles, RVs, boats, toys, trash containers, yard waste.

Parking is not permitted in the front yard. Parking is permitted on the outer side of your driveway and only if it is an approved prepared surface such as gravel, pavers, crushed stone or shells, and must be kept free of vegetation (grass/weeds).

Trailers and RV's are not permitted to be parked in the driveway. They can be kept on the side of the home behind the front facing wall, or in the rear yard.

- **Thank you** for your cooperation and support in helping to keep the Gardens of Gulf Cove looking beautiful all year long.

Friends Out and About Monthly Luncheons

Please remember ... there are no planned outings during the Holiday months of November & December 2019. Luncheons will resume in January 2020 on the last Wednesday of each month at 1:00 pm. If you plan to attend any of our upcoming luncheons in the new year, please call Lucille Breen 941-697-3809.

- **January 29 – A & B Restaurant**
264 N Indiana Ave, Englewood
- **February 26 – Old World Restaurant**
14415 Tamiami Trail, North Port
- **March 25 – Carrabba's Italian Grill**
1811 Tamiami Trail, Port Charlotte
- **April 29 – Longhorn Steak House**
1381 Tamiami Trail, Port Charlotte

Everyone is invited!



A Make & Taste & Buy ... Bake Sale \$\$

Fun for the whole family...

Get your holiday jingle on! Come on out, socialize and stock up on some real tasty homemade treats made by people who love to bake for the holidays ... and refreshments will be served!



DATE: Saturday, December 21st
TIME: 12:00 noon – 3:00 pm
PLACE: Gardens of Gulf Cove Clubhouse
6464 Coniston St
*Presented by Rachel Johnson
and her baking elves!*
Come for the Merry treats and Smiles!

Do You Like to Bake?

I am looking for "Help" with making goodies for our Holiday Bake Sale to be held in December at the Clubhouse.

Give me a call or text me at 509-389-3581
Rachel Johnson, The Make & Taste Gal

Rachel Johnson
509-389-3581



Board Meetings

Check the Association Business Bulletin Board located in the Club House for official notices and meetings. All property owners are encouraged to participate in the governance of your community.

Judy Hollister CAM
Community Association Manager

Gardens of Gulf Cove Website

Please refer to our website <http://www.thegardensofgulfcove.com> for information you may need such as documents, newsletters, minutes, pool hours, office hours, announcements, activities calendar and contact information.



Aquasize

The ever popular Aquasize class meets every Monday, Wednesday & Friday at 11:00 am at the Recreation Center (heated) pool.



Billiards

Players meet on Mondays at 1:00 pm in the Recreation Center.



Bowling

Join a fun group for bowling on Tuesdays at 2:30 pm at Treasure Lanes (1059 Tamiami Trail) Port Charlotte. \$13.00 for three games. If you're interested, contact Ray Forshee 201-289-2216.

Line Dancing



Is starting up on December 6 so get out your dancing shoes and join us every Friday at 11:00 am at the Clubhouse for some great fun! Mark your calendars! No line dancing January 10. For more information, call Sharon Brooks 618-841-6067 or Joan Schmidt 845-332-5179.

Shuffleboard



Shuffleboard is back Monday & Fridays starting at 9:00 am at the Recreation Center. Contact Bob Whitney at 201-956-0593.



Tennis

Come on out for open play at 8:00 am on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays – enjoy the freshened courts!



Gardens of Gulf Cove

MSBU / MSTU Advisory Board Updates

Your Gardens of Gulf Cove MSBU Advisory Board has a vacancy. Meetings are held only 4 times a year. This board provides recommendations to the county regarding: road & drainage maintenance, storm water drainage, sidewalks & maintenance, beautification and landscaping projects, as well as reviewing budgets and actual financial expenditures.

The next MSBU Advisory Board meeting is January 15, 2020 @ 10 am, West County Annex, 6868 San Casa Drive., Englewood. **ALL** Gardens of Gulf Cove residents are invited to attend.

The MSBU Advisory Board is seeking citizen input regarding the flashing speed sign. Would you recommend a second location, possibly at the end of Coliseum Blvd. near the school? Placement of a second post would allow the rotation of the sign itself and be more effective. Please contact Kimberly Lewis-Tison or a Gardens of Gulf Cove MSBU Advisory Board member with your input.

The MSBU Advisory Board has recommended that the palm trees that were removed in the median on Coliseum Blvd be replaced during the rainy season.

Also, if any citizen would like to review the same financial reports given to the Advisory Board you may contact Kimberly Lewis-Tison by email Kimberly.Lewis-Tison@charlottecountyfl.gov or 941-575.3613.

WWW.CHARLOTTECOUNTYFL.GOV/MSBU-MSTU is a great source of information regarding your MSBU such as the latest agenda, approved minutes and other pertinent information.

Join the Gardens of Gulf Cove Facebook page for Official news and Alerts!



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
27	28	29	30	31	1	2
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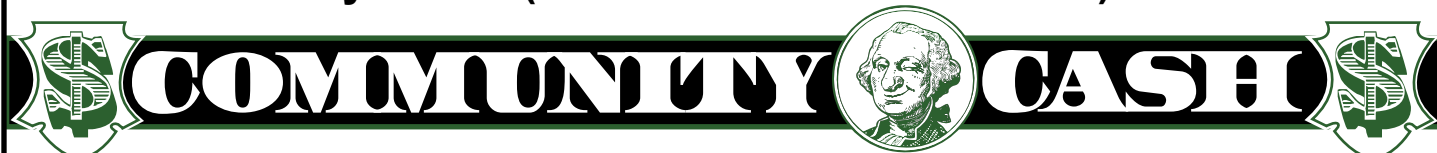


**Happy
Thanksgiving!**



**From
Community Media**

Community Media (Your Newsletter Publisher) Presents:



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- 1** Patronize the advertisers in this month's newsletter
- 2** Ask the business for your Community Cash ticket **OR** a copy of your receipt & clip this ad
- 3** Mail it back to us at:
Community Media
220 Bahama Street
Venice, FL 34285
- 4** Every month we draw new tickets for **CASH PRIZES** and mail winners a check!



In Cash Prizes Available Monthly

More Chances to Win:

Recommend a business you currently use that should advertise in this newsletter. When you continue to use them you increase your chances for Community Cash!

Submit to info@4communitymedia.com or 941-375-3699

Remember, the only way to win is to patronize the advertisers in this newsletter. They are the reason your newsletter is free, so show your support!



- Limit one ticket per advertiser's service per quarter (3 month period)
- Customer must have paid for advertiser's service to play
- Contest void where prohibited by law
- Checks will be mailed within 60 days of drawing date

Every Month is a New Chance to Win!

1 drawing for \$100

10 drawings for \$10

Winner

Vendor

Stella Baker	\$100	Professional Plumbing Designs
John Bonnar	\$10	Ricks Appliance Repair
Dee Newland	\$10	Boss Electric Corp
Kevin Osborne	\$10	Suncoast Auto & Tire
Den Holloran	\$10	Buggin Out Termite & Pest
Kerren Sanders	\$10	Jones & Sons Plumbing, Inc.
Robert Sabatelli	\$10	Hellers Mobile Home Washing
Ernie Simon	\$10	Largo Automotive Repair, Inc.
Lillian Rosado	\$10	Modern AC & Appliance Service
James Flanary	\$10	Royal Enterprise
Barbara Christy	\$10	Mr Fix It

Drawing Date - 10/11/19