



Heartland LakeSharks Parrot Head Club

The LakeShark Bytes Newsletter

July 2021

PHUN MIGRATIONS AND PHLOCKING

Definitely an exciting month for LakeSharks! Our first event was the migration to the Parrot Head Palooza in Sebastian. Yes this was on May 29-30, but we are counting it as June to allow time to recover and collect pictures and stories. Next was the migration to the 25th Annual A1A Beach Bash June 17-20 in St Augustine. And last, but not least, the final event - another great Phlocking on June 27th at the Caddy Shack Bar and Grill in Sebring. Great times with great Parrot Heads! It sure is great to see so many smiling faces! A big thank you to all who continue to attend our migrations, Phlockings and make donations.

Phins Up!

John

THE SECOND HALF AND BEYOND

What? Half the year is over? Well to start the second half, as in the past, the LakeSharks' staff will be taking July off. Paid vacations-another benefit of being on the "staff." looking ahead, as our friend Karl Haselmire would say, "The second half will be epic". Or at least, we will have lots of fun .

The August 22nd members only Phlocking will be held at John and Amy's place on Sparta Road and will include such sophisticated events as the Parrot Head Olympics and Ride the Pink Flamingo. Entertaining will be our good friend Roger Bartlett along with Robin Swenson. Music will be from 5-8pm with the Parrot Head Olympics and Ride the Pink Flamingo beginning a little earlier at 3:30.

September will begin with the Labor Day Parrot Head Palooza the 4th and 5th followed by the event of the year "Meeting of the Minds" November 3rd through the 7th, and our Members only Christmas party and Christmas parades the first part of December.

And don't forget the "Bring Back the Magic Cruise sailing March 12, 2022.

Details on these great events begin in this edition of the LakeShark Bytes newsletter and continue in more detail in the August 1st edition.

Cover picture from Karl Haselmire is the view from the Haselmire's balcony at the A1A Beach Bash.

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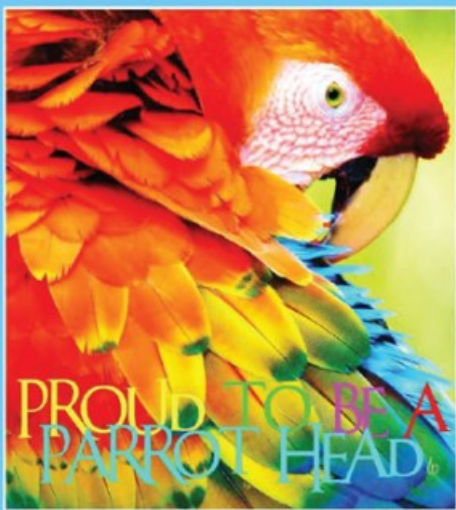
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MEMORIAL DAY THE PALOOZA

A total of eighteen LakeSharks and friends began checking in on Friday May 28th to enjoy poolside get togethers, dining and music throughout the weekend. The band “The Landsharks” performed on Sunday afternoon from 2 until 6 pm. A little later, most of our group took a break for margaritas and snacks at our poolside patios. Those who joined us on 2019 and 2020 5’Oclock cruises will recall this band and the great times we had.

Our own Karl Haselmire won the Hulu Hoop contest at the cost of temporarily giving up his prized Mustang hat. See the “Great Hat Rescue” story on page 8. We had so much fun that several of us have already booked rooms for the Labor Day Palooza. Thanks everyone for attending. Hope to see everyone again at the September event.



BEACHES A1A PARROT HEAD CLUB 25TH ANNAVERSARY BEACH BASH

Nine LakeShark members along with lots of our friends from other clubs and migrations attended this sold out event. Our home for three days was the Guy Harvey Resort in St Augustine which included a full service restaurant and bar, a poolside stage for daily events and banquet room for nightly parties. This was definitely a Party with a Purpose raising \$25,000 for the Alzheimer's Association. Great job Beaches A1A. See you next year.



June 27th PHLOCKING

The Party

A great time was had by the thirty-eight LakeSharks and friends who attended the Phlocking. Kenny Rose joined us again with his unique style of song and fun involving everyone in the room. If you were there, you became part of the action. Kenny set the atmosphere by handing out his list of songs and announcing that he knew how to perform half of them. He continued throughout the afternoon with nonstop songs, stories and his own brand of stand up comedy.

Members only drawing winners were Stacey Propst with a \$25 Amazon card and Julie Wagner with a \$10 Amazon card. Winner of \$105 in the 50/50 drawing was Michael Hameed.

A big thank you to everyone able to attend and donate as well as those who could not attend but dropped off items. A special thank you to members who worked on setup/tear-down, transportation of donated items, t-shirt sales, managing 50/50 raffle ticket sales and greeting people at the door. You are great!

The Purpose

Congratulation LakeSharks - you did it again! You donated 803 lbs. of goods for Peace River Women's Shelter. Thank you!



803 lbs. of goods loaded and ready for delivery to Peace River Women's Shelter!



WE'VE GOT YOUR SHIRTS RIGHT HERE!

T-SHIRTS

Club t-shirts are now available for club members to order. These t-shirts will have our club logo printed on the back and club name on the front. There will be two styles available: t-shirts in white, yellow & grey and ladies tank tops in white. An order form was emailed to club members on June 15th requesting orders be entered by July 30th so that shirts will be available to distribute at the August 22nd Phlocking. S, M, L and XL are \$20; XXL and 3XL are \$23. If you missed the email, Just [Click Here](#) to go to the order page or visit the LakeSharks website at <http://www.heartlandlakesharksphc.com/>.

Thanks to t-shirt committee members, Linda Breslich, Linda Sexsmith, Milt Ellison, Barbara Nickels and Amy Howard for putting this project together. And thanks to members Steve and Gini Shevick owners of Lake Placid Embroidery & More for supplying the shirts and getting the artwork prepared for printing.



Front of Shirt



Back of Shirt

GOLF SHIRTS

In addition to the t-shirts mentioned above, 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.)



WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

We are proud to welcome new members Dorothea Seideman, Lorri Lopez and Joe Schwab.



Dorothea Seideman and Lorri Lopez

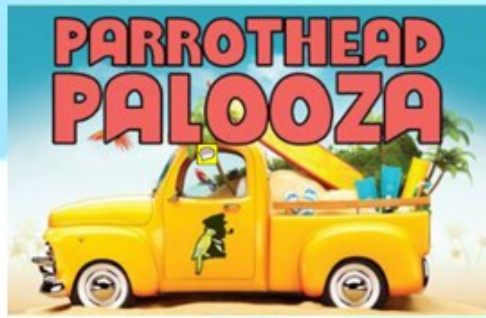


Joe Schwab

WANT TO BECOME A LAKESHARK?

Send us an email and we will get you all the information.

lakesharksparrotheads@gmail.com



**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 300 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 will fill up quickly with only 20 cabins remaining at the special price as of July 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>.

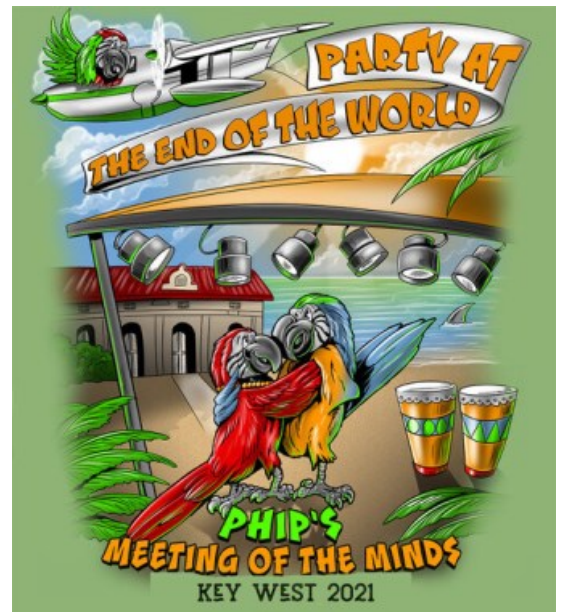


MEETING OF THE MINDS REGISTRATION IS STILL OPEN

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.



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

HELP - We have openings in 2021 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.

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

There will not be a business meeting in July due to vacation and travel schedules.



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>

PHUN WEBSITE OF THE MONTH NAME THAT SONG FOR \$25.

So - while enjoying an adult beverage at the Beaches A1A Beach Bash and listening to a type of music that could only be described as "Trop Rock Reggae Blues", a couple of our members came up with what seemed to be a good idea at the time.

Here's it how works - the first club member who emails us with the correct name of the Jimmy Buffet song referenced in this video will win a \$25 Amazon gift card. Don't worry, that the audio in the first half of the video is bad, just listen all the way through. The winner will be based on the date & time that we receive the email with the correct answer at: lakesharksparrotheads@gmail.com. The winner will be announced at the August 22 members only Phlocking.

We are not responsible for anything that might go wrong with this contest, (including emails lost in space) but can only say we tried our best.

[CLICK HERE FOR THE VIDEO](#)

THE GREAT HAT RESCUE

(How Karl got his hat back)

In the Palooza recap on page 2, we mentioned that Karl won the Hulu Hoop contest but lost his hat in the process. If you look closely at the picture in the center of page 2 you will see where it wound up. Yep, on the head of a party-goer who pulled off a "bump and run" move.

Later in the evening, a group of us located the hat being modeled by yet another young lady. So after some tough negotiations and in trade for a



"Parrot Blinky" the hat was recovered and returned to it's rightful owner during the A1A Beach Bash.

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" Need: Non perishable food items. (Peanut butter & jelly always needed) Heartland Food Bank supplies "42" food banks |
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| Su | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa | AUG "School Supplies" 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. |
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| Su | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa | SEP "Items for PAWsitive Effects in LP" Need: Quality dog & cat food (Made in the USA), cat litter, leashes, collars, pet shampoo, flea/tick prevention, beds, blankets, toys, treats, pet crates. |
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| Su | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa | OCT "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, small packages of treats, Kleenex, pens/notepads. |
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| Su | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa | NOV "Toy Drive" 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. |
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