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## A Message from the President . . .

Dear Friends and Neighbors,

Hello to you all, I hope this message finds everyone well and staying safe. I think that our short spring season has moved to summer.

I am glad to see some of our residents have refreshed the mulch and cleaned their flower beds up. This is our community, and we should all take pride in what we can control.

I was doing some checking on our vaccine progress in Polk County. The numbers as of today are as follows: Population is 668,600 residents and of that total the number of people receiving their first vaccine dose is 32%, and people having second shot or fully vaccinated is only 20.45%. These numbers were shocking to me. I thought we would be further than that by now, especially with the open vaccine times now becoming available. I hope all who are eligible are planning on getting their vaccine. Once the numbers come down and more people become vaccinated the CDC should revisit the guidelines they have in place; and once that happens, we could ALL resume our lives as normal. I look forward to resuming our activities and seeing more people.

The board will be looking for volunteers for the Statutory Committee. The committee consists of 5 members with one alternate as needed. Please see any board member if you are interested in this committee. The Data Research book used for rent comparisons will be available mid to the end of May. Soon after that the Committee needs to meet under CDC Guidelines.

Please feel free to contact me or any board member with any questions or concerns. And remember, remain safe! Again, thank you for your support and confidence. See you out and about.

Respectfully,  
Jerry Sibila



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Just a reminder, any information for the Gator Tales needs to be submitted to me by the **20<sup>th</sup>** of each month. There is a red box outside my door, you can drop your stuff, or you can send it to the email below. If you need a flyer done, I need the information by the **15<sup>th</sup>** so I can do it and get it approved and back to me by the **20<sup>th</sup>**. If you have any questions about the Gator Tales, please contact Shelly Shaffer at 910-624-8925 or ([shelly.shaffer81@yahoo.com](mailto:shelly.shaffer81@yahoo.com)). We are always looking for new ideas and way to improve our community paper.

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## Vera Krause

With sadness, Susan Krause announces the passing of her mother, Vera Krause, on Sunday, April 11. Vera was 84 years old. Vera was a long-time resident of Lake Hammock Village, having lived at 120 Silver Crest since 2003. Sadly, 2020 was a very difficult year for my mother, who suffered with her rheumatoid arthritis and then a sudden onset of severe dementia. After being isolated at home for most of the year, she moved to the Palm Garden nursing home in Winter Haven in September, and so was not able to be active in the park nor socialize for a long time. A funeral mass was held in Haines City on April 20 and we will have additional services with family in CT at a later date. Her obituary can be found at [www.oakridgefuneralcare.com](http://www.oakridgefuneralcare.com)

Submitted by: Susan Krause

Carol Gould has KZ and Sharon Bowden's new address if you would like it to send a get well card to KZ.

## Editorial:

"Please be advised that this Gator Tales is edited and authored by volunteers who try very hard to be accurate in every article. We are not professionals and don't always get everything right. We did make a correction in last month's paper but have decided , moving forward, that this will not be an ongoing article. We do not wish to draw attention to issues or mistakes that happen. If we publish something inaccurate you can let us know and we'll try harder to improve next time. Thank you for your support as we are only trying to be the best we can with our paper."

The Editor's



## MAY BIRTHDAYS

1 <sup>st</sup>	Richard Gould
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Hacy Wright
6 <sup>th</sup>	Joan Mitchell
7 <sup>th</sup>	Peter Morlock
8 <sup>th</sup>	Carmine Gioiosa
11 <sup>th</sup>	Dicla Godfrey
12 <sup>th</sup>	Pete Howerton
13 <sup>th</sup>	Teresa Cross
14 <sup>th</sup>	Debra Kemp
15 <sup>th</sup>	Marsha Morlock
16 <sup>th</sup>	Glen Loy
17 <sup>th</sup>	Viola Munford
19 <sup>th</sup>	Leon Martin
20 <sup>th</sup>	Gary Waybill
21 <sup>st</sup>	Sonja McLeod
23 <sup>rd</sup>	Teresa Bellrose
	Robert Cartwright
	Jerry Growden
24 <sup>th</sup>	Perry Wolfe
29 <sup>th</sup>	Bill Larmon
30 <sup>th</sup>	Bill Lyon



## MAY ANNIVERSARIES

4 <sup>th</sup>	Chuck & Terry Hofer
6 <sup>th</sup>	Paul & Georgette Chadwick
	Don & Sandy Nolan
12 <sup>th</sup>	Andy & Nancy Belski
16 <sup>th</sup>	Jerry & Terri Cruz
19 <sup>th</sup>	Antonio Mats & Audrey Pomeroy
20 <sup>th</sup>	John & Debbie Stamp
24 <sup>th</sup>	Fred & Pam Roberts
27 <sup>th</sup>	Leon & Linda Martin

**(If any of the above information is incorrect, please let us know, Dona Rawson, Shelly Shaffer, Joyce Middleton.)**





#### Potluck and Karaoke Party

Clark and I would like to thank all those that came to the Potluck and Karaoke party in March. There were about 35 to 40 people there and lots of good food. It was great to see everyone out and enjoying themselves. We had lots of fun and it was good to fellowship with old friends and meet some new residents. I am sorry I cannot post the pictures I took, I am having problems downloading them. Again, we appreciate everyone that came out and supported the event and we look forward to planning some other stuff in the future.

Clark & Joice Smith



Lee Rhoades – Hospital – Home

Greg Hintsala – Hospital - Home



Fred Blicker - passed

Wanda Stanley – Mother Passed

**Please call if you know of a resident that has been ill or hospitalized so that Carol can send Get Well cards.**

**Carol Gould  
Sunshine Committee  
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## 8 Things You May Not Know About Memorial Day

From its Civil War origins to its modern-day traditions, find out more about America's most solemn holiday.

**BARBARA MARANZANI**



Members of the 3rd U.S. Infantry Regiment place American flags at the graves of U.S. soldiers buried in Section 60 at Arlington National Cemetery in preparation for Memorial Day May 24, 2012.

(Credit: Win McNamee/Getty Images)

### Memorial Day and its traditions may have ancient roots.

While the first commemorative [Memorial Day](#) events were not held in the United States until the late 19th century, the practice of honoring those who have fallen in battle dates back thousands of years. The ancient Greeks and Romans held annual days of remembrance for loved ones (including soldiers) each year, festooning their graves with flowers and holding public festivals and feasts in their honor. In Athens, public funerals for fallen soldiers were held after each battle, with the remains of the dead on display for public mourning before a funeral procession took them to their internment in the Kerameikos, one of the city's most prestigious cemeteries. One of the first known public tributes to war dead was in 431 B.C., when the Athenian general and statesman Pericles delivered a funeral oration praising the sacrifice and valor of those killed in the Peloponnesian War—a speech that some have compared in tone to Abraham Lincoln's [Gettysburg Address](#).

### One of the earliest commemorations was organized by recently freed slaves.

As the Civil War neared its end, thousands of Union soldiers, held as prisoners of war, were herded into a series of hastily assembled camps in Charleston, South Carolina. Conditions at one camp, a former racetrack near the city's Citadel, were so bad that more than 250 prisoners died from disease or exposure and were buried in a mass grave behind the track's grandstand.

Three weeks after the Confederate surrender, an unusual procession entered the former camp: On May 1, 1865, more than 1,000 recently freed slaves, accompanied by regiments of the U.S. Colored Troops (including the Massachusetts 54th Infantry) and a handful of white Charlestonians, gathered in the camp to consecrate a new, proper burial site for the Union dead. The group sang hymns, gave readings and distributed flowers around the cemetery, which they dedicated to the "Martyrs of the Racecourse."

**READ MORE:** [One of the Earliest Memorial Day Ceremonies Was Held by Freed Slaves](#)

### The holiday's "founder" had a long and distinguished career.

In May 1868, General John A. Logan, the commander-in-chief of the Union veterans' group known as the Grand Army of the Republic, issued a decree that May 30 should become a nationwide day of commemoration for the more than 620,000 soldiers killed in the recently ended Civil War. On Decoration Day, as Logan dubbed it, Americans should lay flowers and decorate the graves of the war dead "whose bodies now lie in almost every city, village and hamlet churchyard in the land."

According to legend, Logan chose May 30 because it was a rare day that did not fall on the anniversary of a Civil War battle, though some historians believe the date was selected to ensure that flowers across the country would be in full bloom.

After the war Logan, who had served as a U.S. congressman before resigning to rejoin the army, returned to his political career, eventually serving in both the House and Senate and was the unsuccessful Republican candidate for vice president in 1884. When he died two years later, Logan's body lay in state in the rotunda of the United States Capitol, making him one of just 33 people to have received the honor. Today, Washington, D.C.'s Logan Circle and several townships across the country are named in honor of this champion of veterans and those killed in battle.

**Logan probably adapted the idea from earlier events in the South.**

Even before the war ended, women's groups across much of the South were gathering informally to decorate the graves of Confederate dead. In April 1886, the Ladies Memorial Association of Columbus, Georgia resolved to commemorate the fallen once a year—a decision that seems to have influenced John Logan to follow suit, according to his own wife. However, southern commemorations were rarely held on one standard day, with observations differing by state and spread out across much of the spring and early summer. It is a tradition that continues today: Nine southern states officially recognize a Confederate Memorial Day, with events held on Confederate President Jefferson Davis' birthday, the day on which General Thomas "Stonewall" Jackson was killed, or to commemorate other symbolic events.

**It did not become a federal holiday until 1971.**

Americans embraced the notion of "Decoration Day" immediately. That first year, more than 27 states held some sort of ceremony, with more than 5,000 people in attendance at a ceremony at Arlington National Cemetery. By 1890, every former state of the Union had adopted it as an official holiday. But for more than 50 years, the holiday was used to commemorate those killed just in the Civil War, not in any other American conflict. It wasn't until America's entry into World War I that the tradition was expanded to include those killed in all wars, and Memorial Day was not officially recognized nationwide until the 1970s, with America deeply embroiled in the Vietnam War.

**It was a long road from Decoration Day to an official Memorial Day.**

Although the term Memorial Day was used beginning in the 1880s, the holiday was officially known as Decoration Day for more than a century, when it was changed by federal law. Four years later, the Uniform Monday Holiday Act of 1968 finally went into effect, moving Memorial Day from its traditional observance on May 30 (regardless of the day of the week), to a set day—the last Monday in May. The move has not been without controversy, though. Veterans' groups, concerned that more Americans associate the holiday with first long weekend of the summer and not its intended purpose to honor the nation's war dead, continue to lobby for a return to the May 30 observances. For more than 20 years, their cause was championed by Hawaiian Senator—and decorated World War II veteran—Daniel Inouye, who until his 2012 death reintroduced legislation in support of the change at the start of every Congressional term.

**More than 20 towns claim to be the holiday's "birthplace"—but only one has federal recognition.**

For almost as long as there has been a holiday, there's been a rivalry about who celebrated it first. Boalsburg, Pennsylvania, bases its claim on an 1864 gathering of women to mourn those recently killed at Gettysburg. In Carbondale, Illinois, they are certain that they were first, thanks to an 1866 parade led, in part, by John Logan who two years later would lead the charge for an official holiday. There are even two dueling Columbus challengers (one in Mississippi, the other in Georgia) who have battled it out for Memorial Day supremacy for decades. Only one town, however, has received the official seal of approval from the U.S. government. In 1966, 100 years after the town of Waterloo, New York, shuttered its businesses and took to the streets for the first of many continuous, community-wide celebrations, President Lyndon Johnson signed legislation, recently passed by the U.S. Congress, declaring the tiny upstate village the "official" birthplace of Memorial Day.

**Wearing a red poppy on Memorial Day began with a World War I poem.**

In the spring of 1915, bright red flowers began poking through the battle-ravaged land across northern France and Flanders (northern Belgium). Canadian Lieutenant Colonel [John McCrae](#), who served as a brigade surgeon for an Allied artillery unit, spotted a cluster of the poppies shortly after serving as a brigade surgeon during the bloody [Second Battle of Ypres](#). The sight of the bright red flowers against the dreary backdrop of war inspired McCrae to pen the poem, "In Flanders Field," in which he gives voice to the soldiers who had been killed in battle and lay buried beneath the poppy-covered grounds. Later that year, a Georgia teacher and volunteer war worker named Moina Michael read the poem in *Ladies' Home Journal* and wrote her own poem, "We Shall Keep the Faith" to begin a campaign to make the poppy a symbol of tribute to all who died in war. The poppy remains a symbol of remembrance to this day.

**Memorial Day traditions have evolved over the years.**

Despite the increasing celebration of the holiday as a summer rite of passage, there are some formal rituals still on the books: The American flag should be hung at half-staff until noon on Memorial Day, then raised to the top of the staff. And since 2000, when the U.S. Congress passed legislation, all Americans are encouraged to pause for a National Moment of Remembrance at 3 p.m. local time. The federal government has also used the holiday to honor non-veterans—the Lincoln Memorial was dedicated on Memorial Day 1922.



Perry (PT) and Cheryl (Cherry) Wolfe  
154 Glen Este Ct  
Residents since May 2018

Perry and Cheryl were married January 21, 1967 in Lexington, OH.

The other member of the household is Beaux, a shih tzu/maltase dog. Perry and Cheryl will be "Snowbirds", Cheryl still loves their home in Ohio and the fall color changes. Their plan is to return to FL each year before Christmas.

They own 46 acres and raise cattle in Ohio. Perry and Cheryl have three daughters, two are teachers and one is a Physician. They also have six adult grandchildren, four, of which are located in the south. One grandson and granddaughter live in Florida. They also have one grandson and one granddaughter who live in Charleston, SC and two grandchildren that still live in Ohio.

They have spent ten winters in Florida. They relocated to LHV from Lake Ashton where they owned three different homes. Cheryl and Perry met Chuck and Marileigh Osborne and instantly made a connection and now are good friends. Marileigh spoke about Lake Hammock Village and encouraged them to visit. They did visit and found their next home. Living in LHV brings them closer to their grandson who resides in Davenport.

Perry enlisted in the Air Force after graduating high school. He was in avionics, working on C-130 Hercules. After four years Perry was discharged and then attended Ohio University. He worked for Diamond Electronics as manufacturing sales agent for 31 years, where he travelled providing technical products. He then owned his own business for 21 years. Providing "Intelligent Highway Technology". This equipment provides information on congestion, weather, and incident control along the roadways.

Cheryl attended Mid East Ohio Technology, where she obtained her nursing degree. She enjoyed one on one care and her patients became like family.

Perry roots for the Cleveland Browns, Cleveland Indians, and The Ohio State Buckeyes. Cheryl has no interest in the sporting events. Perry's hobbies include hunting and fishing but has not been able to participate in hobbies for some time. Cheryl enjoys reading, riding her bike with Beaux, cooking, word search and scrabble. They both love to travel, and their last trip was to Israel. When they returned home they learned of Covid outbreak. They have cruised several rivers in Europe and have taken approximately ten cruises. Locally they like to take long weekend trips to Sarasota.







Sally Phillips  
35 Sargent St  
Resident since 2004

Sally was born in Stamford, CT, but moved to FL the summer she turned 9. Their doctor advised her family to move to AZ or FL because both she and her mother had asthma and bronchitis. They first tried AZ although she did not get better, they then tried FL after a year here, both her asthma and bronchitis cleared.

Her family always had pleasure boats on Long Island Sound. When the family settled in Hollywood, FL her father bought a 40 ft sports fishing boat and captained it for a living. That is where she grew up loving the water.

Sally attended Broward Jr. College and obtained her Secretarial Science degree. After college she took a job at FL Atlantic University in the Financial Aid office. This is when she married Joe Midzalkowski a former high school classmate. Joe enrolled in electronics. Sally was handling "Peace Corp" literature seeing an ad "Peace Corp goes to Paradise". She and Joe were intrigued and applied. After training they wound up spending 3 & ½ years as "TESLA" teachers on an outer island in Micronesia in the Pacific. This is the only "Atoll" in the world with 3 lagoons. They were able to gain a grant to build a two room-school for the island.

Sally and Joe adopted one of their students "Nerry" and returned to FL for Joe to finish his teaching degree. Sally then had their daughter Sarah. They then returned to the Marshall Islands for 2 years, where Joe taught high school and Sally had their daughter Amy. Sarah learned the Marshall language and enjoyed playing with the children.

On returning to the United States, they settled in Haines City where there was a teaching position for Joe. Sally stayed home raising Nerry and 2 preschoolers. Joe and Sally divorced after 15 years.

Sally then finished her teaching degree at the University of South Florida. She then taught 2<sup>nd</sup> grade at Dundee Elem. School.

She married once again to Joe Phillips. He was an over the road, truck driver. Later she knew that this relationship just was not a fit and they divorced.

She sold her house in Haines City and moved to Lake Hammock Village. She retired 2 years later. Sally enjoys living here in this environment as a single woman retiree, because of its supportive and friendly safe community.

Sally enjoyed the variety of activities to participate in LHV. She hopes we will be able to resume activities soon. Sally loves attending the morning pool aerobics, the hot tub, and social outings. She has remained active in the Haines City Episcopal Church, TOPS, and the local Wednesday book club, which has been in existence for over 70 years.

Her plans include spending more time with her family which includes "Sassy" her cat and companion.



Sally is showing mementos from the Marshall Islands.



# Hurricane Planning Update: May 2020

*by*

The HOA Emergency Preparedness Team

Last month we outlined the history of our planning efforts over the past several years. The goals of the **Emergency Preparedness Team** are to **help each other, keep our residents safe, and try to assist everyone to be better prepared in times of hurricane threats**. As we know, 'Hurricane Season' will be here soon as it begins around June 1<sup>st</sup> and runs until about November 30<sup>th</sup>.

We have been fortunate over the past two years that no hurricanes have come our way. We have had a few close calls, but thankfully those resulted only in some high winds and rain. We would like to think that we were prepared but we can always do better. Preparation is an individual matter. Over the past couple of years, the Team has tried to assist residents in any way we can.

Since last month we have been in contact with **Jerri Kaplan of the Polk County Emergency Planning Office**. She has agreed to assist us in obtaining **2021 Shelter Maps** and other information for residents. She has also advised us that her office has approved public education programs. This is great news. In 2019 we had a presentation by Jerri at the Clubhouse. The plan to do this in 2020 was derailed by the COVID 19 crisis. We will be discussing this further with the HOA and looking for their input and guidance. We will have more information in next month's article.

For 2021, the Team has divided LHV into eight zones as seen in the map below. The plan is to have contact people / volunteers in each zone. After discussing this with the HOA, the Team will once again ask for volunteers, and will have a list in next month's issue.

Each Zone will have a coordinator. We hope to have others in each zone available to help with a few things if needed.

The zone coordinator would be the contact person for anyone in the zone who has questions, needs information, or needs help in any way.

So, rest assured that the Team is busy planning and preparing, and we recommend that you begin this process too. We will have more information for you next month. In the meantime, if you have any questions or wish to volunteer, please contact **Dave Graham at (603) 915-1368 or [davemg1@outlook.com](mailto:davemg1@outlook.com)**.

# HOA Emergency Preparedness Team

## 2021 LHV Zone Map



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ZONE 5

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ZONE 3

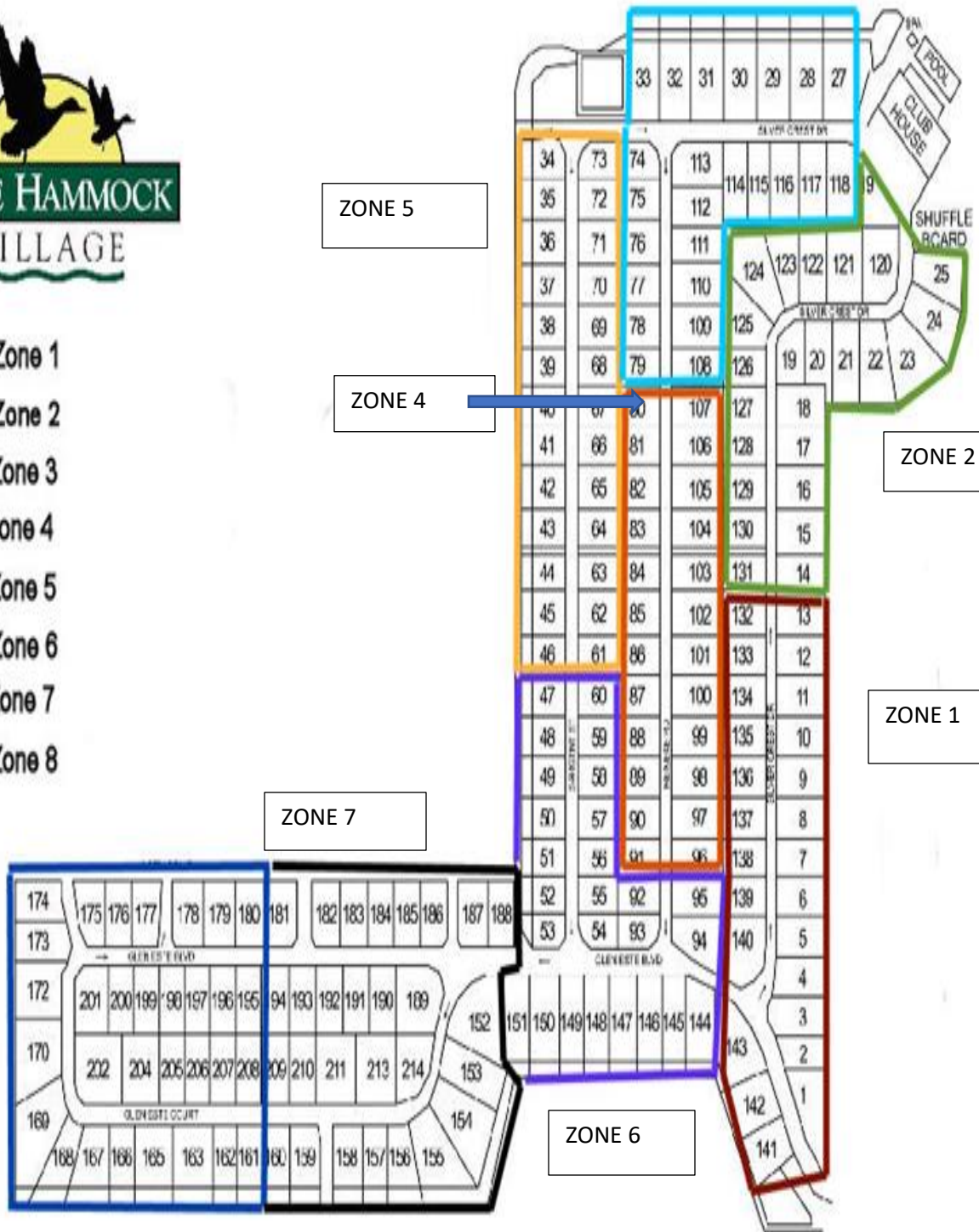
ZONE 2

ZONE 1

ZONE 7

ZONE 8

ZONE 6



# FUN FACTS: MAY

**Birthstone:** Emerald

**Flower:** Lily of the Valley

**Zodiac signs:** Taurus and Gemini

## History:

The month of May was named for the Greek goddess Maia. She was the goddess of fertility. The Romans had a similar goddess named Bona Dea. They held the festival for Bona Dea during the month of May. The Romans called the month Maius. The name changed over the years. It was first called May in the 1400s near the end of the Middle Ages.

## Did you know...?

**Cheerios** is first introduced.  
(May 1, 1941)



The first modern sighting of the **Loch Ness Monster** is reported.  
(May 2, 1933)



**"Gone With the Wind"** wins the Pulitzer Prize for fiction.  
(May 3, 1937)

Construction begins on the **Panama Canal**.  
(May 4, 1904)

**Cinco De Mayo:** Mexican forces defeat the French.  
(May 5, 1862)

The **Eiffel Tower** is officially opened.  
(May 6, 1889)



**Germany** officially surrenders in WWII.  
(May 7, 1945)

**Coca-Cola** is invented.  
(May 8, 1886)



**Joan of Arc** defeats the English troops at Orleans.  
(May 9, 1429)

**"Rock Around the Clock"** is released by Bill Haley and his Comets.  
(May 10, 1954)



**Israel** joins the United Nations.  
(May 11, 1949)

The Soviet Union lifts its **Blockade of Berlin**.  
(May 12, 1949)

The First **Formula One Grand Prix** race is held.  
(May 13, 1950)



The last episode of **"Seinfeld"** airs on NBC.  
(May 14, 1998)

**The first McDonald's** is opened.  
(May 15, 1940)

# FUN FACTS: MAY

The five-cent piece, or “**Nickel**”, is introduced.  
(May 16, 1866)

The **New York Stock Exchange** is formed.  
(May 17, 1792)

**Mount St. Helens** volcano erupts in Washington.  
(May 18, 1980)

**Star Wars Episode I: The Phantom Menace** is released.  
(May 19, 1999)



A patent for blue jeans with copper rivets is issued to **Levi Strauss**.  
(May 20, 1873)

**Charles Lindbergh** the first solo nonstop flight across the Atlantic Ocean.  
(May 21, 1927)

The **Wright Brothers** patent their aircraft.  
(May 22, 1908)

The first talking cartoon of **Mickey Mouse** is released.  
(May 23, 1929)



The first telegram is sent by **Samuel F.B. Morse**.  
(May 24, 1844)



**Babe Ruth** hits his 714<sup>th</sup> home run.  
(May 25, 1935)

The U.S. and the Soviet Union sign the **Anti-Ballistic Missile Treaty**.  
(May 26, 1972)

The **Chrysler Building** opens to the public.  
(May 27, 1930)



The **Golden Gate Bridge** in San Francisco opens.  
(May 28, 1937)

**Wisconsin** is admitted as the 30<sup>th</sup> state.  
(May 29, 1848)

The first **Indianapolis 500** race is held.  
(May 30, 1911)



John Harvey Kellogg patents Corn Flakes.  
(May 31, 1884)



## Notable Birthdays:

May 3, 1934: Franki Vallie  
May 5, 1942: Tammy Wynette  
May 10, 1899: Fred Astaire  
May 17, 1936: Dennis Hopper  
May 19, 1945: Pete Townshend  
May 20, 1908: Jimmy Stewart  
May 22, 1859: Sir Arthur Conan Doyle





# Memorial Day

## WORD SEARCH

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appointment.

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MEMORAL DAY						
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