## The Grand Valley Grapevine

Official Monthly Newsletter of Grand Valley G.V.H.A. 8146 Mill Springs, New Port Richey, FL 34653 *February 2019* Editor: Connie Cote 727/741-5853 Email: conniec16@tampabay.rr.com Brenda Brady, Park Manager 727-243-5336 Emergency Number



#### FROM THE EDITOR

All items must be given to Connie by the

**20th of the month**. If your submission is not received by the 20th it will not be in the next issue. I will not be calling everyone for a reminder. ALL NEWSLETTERS WILL BE HAND DELIVERED TO YOUR HOME. PLEASE PROVIDE CLIP OR BASKET AT YOUR RAILING TO AVOID NEWSLETTERS ETC FROM "FLEEING" IN THE WIND.

#### FROM THE PRESIDENT

I want to take this opportunity to introduce you to the 2019 GVHA Board of Directors.

President: Angelo Petrone

Vice President - Judy Ingalls

Secretary - Connie Cote

Treasurer - Bruce Hazen

Directors -Peggy Madison

Director -Phil Reed

Director –Julie Villani

This Board's top priority is to represent our homeowners best interests. Please contact me if you any concerns that relate to the GVHA. All other matters should be directed to the office.

#### FROM MANAGEMENT

We want all our residents to be aware that there have been several sightings of coyotes in Grand Valley. Please do not feed birds, cats, etc. as coyotes are looking for food. Aside from the fact that feeding "free" animals is against Grand Valley rules, coyotes are a danger to small pets. Do not tether your pets outdoors. Coyotes will dine on small dogs or cats. Please pick up after your pets wherever and whenever they leave a "present". This includes the Reserve and along common areas too.



#### **GENERAL MEETING**

The next General Meeting will be Monday February 4th at 7pm. Find out about the happenings in the park. Your input counts! Please plan to attend. We hope to see you all there.





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# VALENTINE STEAK DINNER DANCE 2/16 5PM \$15 PP

Menu includes Sirloin Steak, Baked Potato, Salad, Green Beans & Dessert

Bring Your Own Beverage & Table Setting Music by "TRUE PASSION"

**Tickets from Office** 

TICKET DEADLINE 2/8 NO EXCEPTIONS

## Quilt Raffle

The Grand Valley Quilters are pleased to announce the winners of the three beautiful quilts made by "our quilters".

The large quilt with the three different size borders measures 5'5" X 5'10" was won by Jim & June Craig.

The quilt with the 6" blocks, some embroidered, with the white border measures 59" X 45" was won by Ray & Peggy Madison.

The quilt with the 12 flag blocks with the red border measures 59 "X 52 was won by Ron Spencer and Joann Marshall.

Congratulations to all.:

#### **MEMBERSHIP DUES**

#### <u>Membership dues are due NOW.</u> You will not have a vote after 1/31/19 without being a "member in good standing".

Please pay your dues to Connie in the office. If you have current membership cards, please bring them with you for Connie to punch them. Dues are still \$6 per person.

The "Grand Valley Girls" are getting back together. Since I still have my "Queen Mom" status, I will again be leading the group. If interested in joining, meeting once a month, please call me at 727/741-5853. Connie Cote



MY BRAVE VALENTINE By Roger Robicheau

Love makes such a part of what you are More precious are you than that Renoir You're the Valentine beyond each dream The glow of your heart's a true sunbeam Your loving care reaches from afar When I awake you're my morning star These words that I use to want to say' What you mean to me each night, each day As you serve our country with heartfelt pride I pray that God will stay near your side Your loyalty brings a smile to me And I know your love shines constantly To those who march with you, they are grand I send each some love from their homeland There's one more thing that I have to write To keep in your heart both day and night Please know that my love is so very true My Brave Valentine, Oh Yes! That's You!

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#### LADIES!

## Yes, you too can join for a year of FUN!

The Red Hat Society is an international society dedicated to reshaping the way women are viewed in today's culture. Our regalla (purple with red hats or red with purple hats on your birthday) makes us unique, and causes others to take notice of us and brings opportunities for some to ask questions and potentially join in. Grand Valley has it's own, "Grand Valley Girls" and would like to continue to do so. Join before March 31 and you are automatically entered to win a 2 night stay at the Gaylord Opryland Hotel in August. If you are already a paid member, have no fear, you're already entered. As "Queen Mom" I welcome all of our ladies. Some of our events will include movies, lunches, plays, teas and more. Feel free to complete the form on the left or contact me to join. Connie Cote

727/741-5853



#### WANTED!

Someone to operate the computer, someone to key in the games. The computer does the work and the calling of

numbers. Join us February 12th and 26th for some fun, games and friendship. Please call me at 743-7087. Peggy Madison



LINE DANCING

Thursdays, 1:15pm for steps, class is 1:30 to 2:30. Cost is \$3.00 per person. For further information please call Deb Alach at 727-808-0807. Come join the fun of line dancing.

#### **2018 CHRISTMAS DINNER**

On December 22, Grand Valley celebrated their Christmas Dinner with the largest group yet. 131 residents and guest attended. Thanks to Sallie Goodrow, we had servers so the Social Committee could enjoy our meal with fellow guests. Our meal was deliciously prepared by Central Park Restaurant. So many THANK YOUS need to go out to all who donated gifts, made desserts, helped with set up - break down, clean up and to our sister park Orangewood Lakes, for allowing us to borrow six tables. As this is the season of giving, there were many cheers as names were drawn for gifts. Hoping all had a merry time. Thank you for coming and hope to see you all at the events planned throughout 2019. Your "Hosts" Bruce & Nancy Hazen



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Cards were sent to Diane Vachon Charlie Phillips, Eric Parker, Cate Shaw, Frank McDaniels and George Mulvey,. If you know someone who is ill please let me know. Connie 727/741-5853.

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Don't miss out on the fun. Roll on over to the clubhouse, there's no time to spare. We're having a Wii Bowling Tournament--and we want you there! Get your bowling arm ready, it's time to come and play! Now don't forget to bring your beverage and snacks. Be ready to cheer and laugh....So strike or spare <u>Wii</u> don't care, just a night for our neighbors to share! The 4th Monday of every month. **Bette MacDonald, 860/604-0032** 

#### **DIRECTORY CHANGE**

Add Sharon Baranowski 8153 Stony Bridge 727/807-6011

#### **CARDS MAKING & CRAFTS**

This group meets every Wednesday from 1 to 3pm in the clubhouse. All crafters are welcome, from beginners to more advanced. If you have always thought you would like to give card making a try, but don't know where to begin, or having been doing this on your own for years, we would love for you to come and join us. If you have any question about what we do, call Carol McKenna at 973-479-2673.



2/1	Paula Conley
2/1	Ginny Hinckley
2/1	Anneliese Kresse
2/8	Joe Robinson
2/9	Tom Butler
2/9	Patricia Kelly
2/11	Kathy Meehan
2/13	Tony Ferrara
2/16	Loretta Ferrara
2/18	Robert Wilhelm
2/20	Brent Bottorff
2/20	Greg Cornell
2/21	Rose Parker
2/23	Dorothy Krueger
2/24	Pauline Nelson
2/25	Randy Chafin
2/26	Pon Vachon

- 2/26 Ron Vachon
- 2/28 Roger Huff
- 2/29 Dennis Hayward

#### LADIES LUNCH

Ladies Lunch will be held Tuesday February 12th at 1pm at The Oaks located at the SW shopping center at Little Rd. and SR 52. Please see the sign up sheet in the clubhouse. Come join us for fun, food and fellowship. Call me if you need a ride. Connie Cote 727/741-5853



2/9/	Joe & Irene Robinson
2/15/64	Les & Nice Baker
2/16/94	Lee & Kathleen Taylor
2/21/09	Don & Sue Fisher



#### THE BIRTH OF A CANDY BAR

One PAYDAY, MR. GOODBAR wanted a BIT O'HONEY, so he took Miss HERSHEY behind the POWERHOUSE on the corner of CLARK and FIFTH AVE. He began to feel her MOUNDS with his BUTTERFINGERS. That was pure ALMOND JOY. It made her TOOT-SIE ROLL and he let out a SNICKER as she screamed "O HENRY," while squeezing his PETER PAUL. Miss HERSHEY said: "you are even better than the THREE MUSKATEERS". Soon she was a bit CHUNKY and nine months later had a BABY RUTH.



We kicked off the New Year with a great dance on the 12<sup>th</sup> of January.

#### **SHUFFLEBOARD**

Come and join your

neighbors for a fun game of shuffleboard. We meet each and every Friday at 9:30 am and Sunday at 7 pm. Equipment is provided and we'll "show you the ropes". if you haven't played in the past.



## SEND YOUR OLD CELL PHONE TO A SOLDIER!

If you've got an old cell phone sitting in a drawer, send it to Cell Phones For Soldiers!. This nonprofit organization recycles phones in order to fund programs that provide free communication tools to active duty military members and transitioning veterans. Mail phones and chargers to Cell Phones For Soldiers, 5665 N. Commerce Ct. Alpharetta, GA 30004 or get a prepaid shipping label at CellphonesForSoldiers.com.

#### SOCIAL COMMITTEE

The Christmas Dinner was a great success. Thank you to Nancy and Bruce Hazen for putting this event together. Food was delicious and many went home with a Christmas present.

We kicked off the New Year with a great dance on the 12<sup>th</sup> of January. Nancy Crofoot really knows how to throw a party!!!!

Next up is our Valentines Dinner Dance. This will be held Saturday, February 16, 2019. Dinner will be served at 5pm with music and dancing to start at 7pm. We will be serving steak, baked potato, salad, green beans, and rolls. If you would like to, please bring a dessert to share.

Music will be provided by "True Passion". Cost for the dinner and dance is \$15.00 per person. Please bring your own place setting and drinks.

#### Tickets are available in the office **DEADLINE IS** Wednesday February 13, 2019. NO EXCEP-TIONS.

Just a Few Upcoming Events

Saturday March  $23^{rd}$  – Chili Cook-Off and Music by TJ Brinson

Saturday March  $30^{\text{th}}$  – Grand Valley Community Yard Sale

Saturday April 6<sup>th</sup> – Good Bye Pot Luck Dinner

We have lots of things going on and more information as we get closer. The Social Committee will be meeting on the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of every month at 7 pm in the Clubhouse. Please feel free to come and join us. Always looking for new ideas for our community, Come and join us!!!!!

#### PLEASE WELCOME

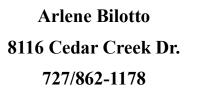




#### **BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION**

#### & USED BATTERIES

Please continue to give them to **Gene Brooks** to support Jacob's school. Thanks to all who have supported Jacob in this endeavor.



Bob & Joan Shingler 7406 Gettysburg Dr. 203/9037656

Celebrating Bob Gainer's 90th birthday. Way to go Bob!

#### Nick & Regina Vilmanis

#### 8103 Bull Run Dr.

352/777-1990

#### 727/286-0205

#### **EUCHRE**

No report of winners as of date of printing.

If anyone is interested in playing Euchre come by on Thursday night and check it out. Free lessons. 7pm





Please don't forget to save your soda tops, beer tops, or any flip top from cans, even cat food cans. Each and every top matters. Just give them to Al Krueger at 8045 Monitor Dr or drop them off in the office. Play poker every Wednesday night. There is a buy in for only \$5. Come play! Everyone is welcome. All games will be played straight and wild cards. We meet every Wednesday at 6:00 pm till 9:00 pm. So all you poker players, come and join us and have a good time.





#### **BUNCO**

Join us for a few hours of laughs and friendship.. Easy to learn and tons of laughs. If you can roll three dice and do basic math you'll have fun. We meet the 2nd Monday of each month. Please come. Hope to see you on February 11th.

#### WATER AEROBICS

Judy Ingalls has started teaching water aerobics on Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings at 9:30 am. Bring your warm robe for getting out of the water. Remember the air is cool, but the water is warm. This is open to both men and women. She looks forward to seeing you there.



#### THURSDAY MUSIC

Don't forget! Thursday Music at the home of Frank and Ollie Parnell, 8141 Bull Run each and every Thursday at 12:30pm. Everyone is welcome.





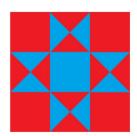
#### **SUNDAY BRUNCH**

Everyone is welcome. Come to Sunday Brunch on February 3rd, 10 am at the pavilion. Bring a breakfast item to share. Visit with your friends and neighbors. Stay as long as you want. Hope to see you there.



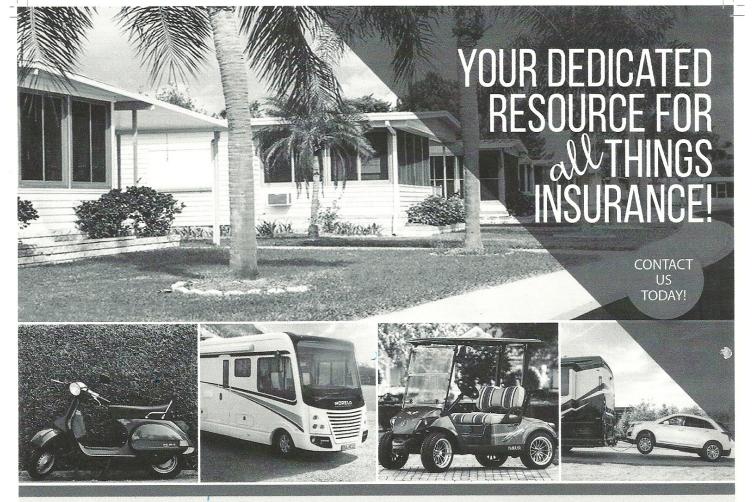
#### **POOL GATHERING**

Come one, come all! Join us for "A Gathering" at the pool and pavilion Tuesdays at 2pm. Bring your favorite beverage and a snack to share. Enjoy the pool or just sit around and visit with friends.



#### QUILTING

Great work from our "Quilting Ladies". Many thanks to Judy Ingalls, our wonderful and patient teacher, Newcomers always welcome. Come join us on Tuesday mornings at 9:30 in the clubhouse.



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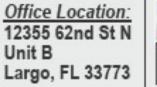


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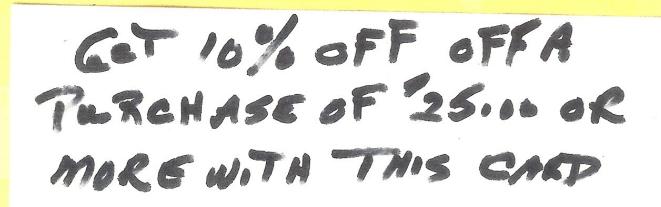
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**Lance B.** - They gave us a fair price, then followed up with good work. It was raining the morning they were scheduled to work, but showed up shortly after the rain quit. The put as many people as possible on the project so they could still get my new roof on by the end of the day. My satellite dish got accidentally damaged during their work, but I called them and Joe came right out and paid me on the spot for the cost of the replacement dish. Excellent work, even better customer service!! I would definitely recommend Community Roofing for everyones

roofing needs!!

**Faye S.** - SATISFIED? That's an understatement! After being a contractor my entire life, this company rates at the top of professionalism!!! Additionally, my roof was completely intact after hurricane Irma passed after hurricane Irma passed Highly recommended!! Faye S. Harbor Cove, North Port, FL **Norman R.** - Had 4 roofing companies give me estimates for a roofover. Joe from Community Roofing came along, explained what he would do and answered all my questions, when he left all my worries were answered and he left me a neat estimate that had everything clearly outlined and no surprises.

Joe was great but would his crew deliver what he had promised. Feb. 21 2018 his 3 man roofing crew showed up on time and I could not be happier with the work they did, in no time things were getting done the 3 men all knew what they had to do and work was done as promised. When job was done I was asked if I wanted to go up and look at their work, it was better than expected. After they came off the roof they went around and picked up every last piece of left over materials leaving place spotless. I will recommend Community Roofing to my friends. Thank you to Joe and his crew. Norman

**Bonnie W.** - I had 3 other estimates for my mobile home roof before I was lucky enough to have Joe come to my home. He was so professional & knowledgeable in explaining exactly what would be done in my roof replacement. The real bonus was he could save me a lot of \$\$ over the other quotes I had! The crew came today to do my roof & did a superior job! The quality of work is top notch. The men were all hard workers & friendly professionals. I would highly recommend this company to everyone!!

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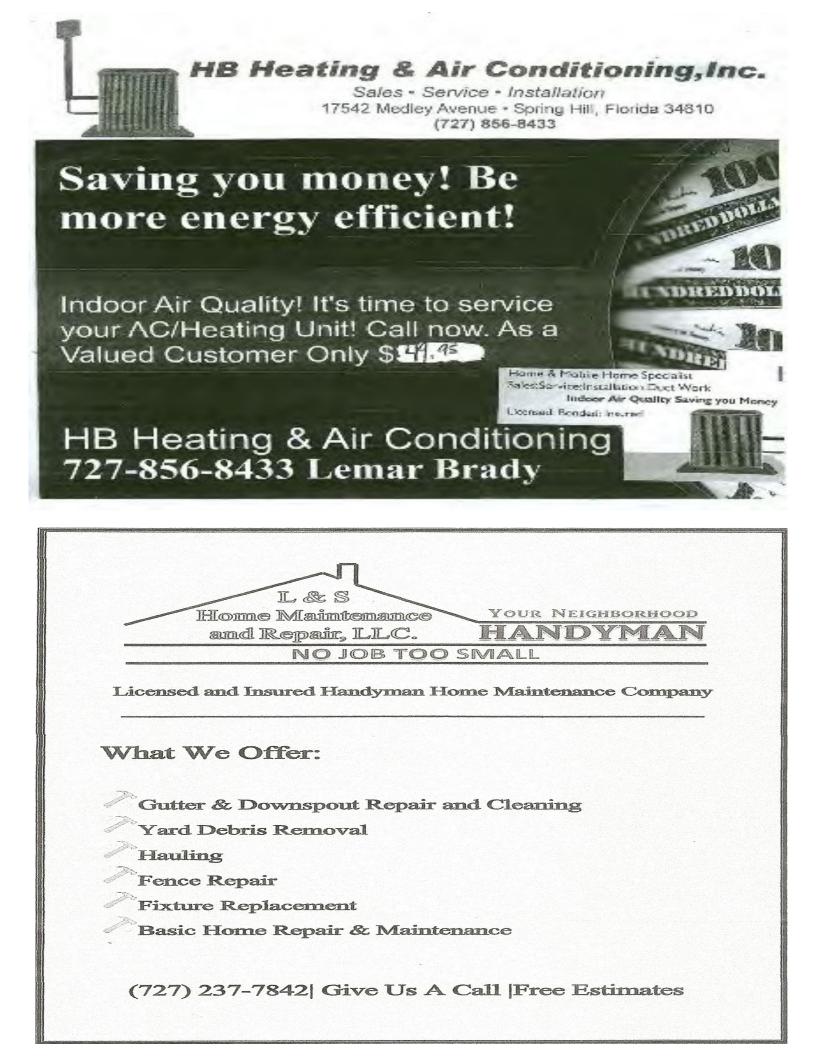
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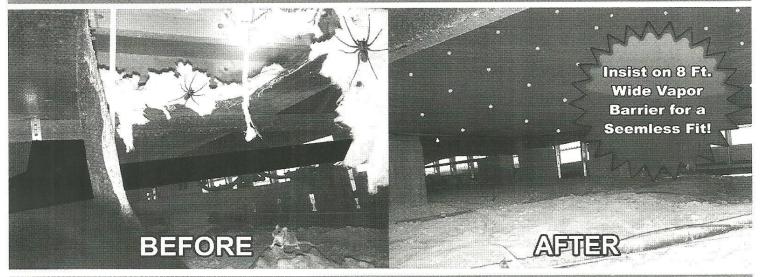
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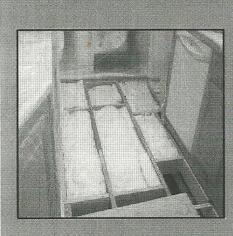
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