The Grand Valley Grapevine

Official Monthly Newsletter of Grand Valley G.V.H.A. 8146 Mill Springs, New Port Richey, FL 34653 *January 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. They can be emailed to snowbirds if you let me know when you leave and when you are to return. If you prefer a mailed copy, just provide self addressed and stamped envelopes for the months you will be away.



DANCE WITH "AT LARGE"

Come help us celebrate Grand Valley's first dance of 2019 !! Start the new year doing something different and fun !! No need to be a couch potato on a chilly winter night ! Come to the clubhouse on January 12th starts at 7. Bring your friends !! AT LARGE BAND will be here to rock your socks !! Come on !! Dance those few extra holiday pounds off ! Meet and chat with new people, have a few laughs ! Door prizes and lucky draw will be picked the first half of the night !! \$ 8 per person . Tickets sold in office and also last minute at the door !! Bring your drink of choice !! C U THERE !!

FROM MANAGEMENT

We hope you had a wonderful Christmas with your families and friends. Our offices will be closed New Years Day reopening 1/2/19. We wish you a Happy and Healthy New Year. The computers in the library are for your use and for your visitors. Password is RESI-DENT.

GENERAL MEETING

Welcome to the new Grand Valley Homeowners Association Board of Directors. Please try to attend the 1st meeting of 2019 on January 7th at 7pm.

MEMBERSHIP DUES

Membership dues are due NOW. 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.

DANCE WITH "AT LARGE" 1/12/19 7PM TICKETS \$8 FROM THE OFFICE

BRING YOUR OWN BEVERAGE AND AN APPETIZER TO SHARE

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QUILT RAFFLE Quilt Raffle

The Grand Valley Quilters are pleased to announce that they are raffling off three beautiful handmade quilts! The raffle will run until December 31st. Raffle tickets are available at the office. Raffle tickets are also available from Nancy Crofoot. You are welcome to call Nancy and she will come to your home with raffle tickets. Nancy can be reached at 203-460-4314. This raffle is open to Grand Valley residents, their families and friends. Please show your support to the quilters for all their hard work! The office and Nancy have pictures of each quilt and you can see them in person at an event or meeting.

The large quilt with the three different size borders measures $5'5'' \ge 5'10''$. Raffle tickets for this quilt are 10.00/ea.

The quilt with the 6" blocks, some embroidered, with the white border measures 59" X 45". Raffle tickets for this quilt are \$5.00/ea.

The quilt with the 12 flag blocks with the red border measures 59 "X 52". Raffle tickets for this quilt are \$5.00/ea.

Again, please show your support to our quilters and invite your family and friends to do so too. Thank you very much!







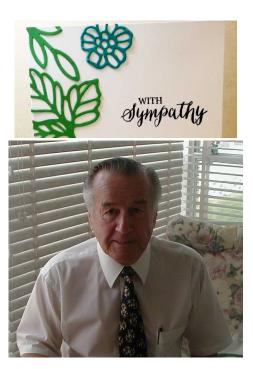


January Bingo will be the 8th and the 22nd. Bring your friends and neighbors. Hope to see you all then. Peggy Madison



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.





Cards were sent to Diane Vachon Bernie Betz and George Mulvey. If you know someone who is ill please let me know. Connie 727/741-5853.

For those of you who knew him, Chuck Neville, formerly of Mill Springs, passed away.

After two years of serving as the Welcome Committee for Grand Valley, we are "passing the hat" to Mark & Pauline Nelson as of January 1, 2019. We have really enjoyed meeting our new residents and are confident that Mark & Pauline will feel the same way.

Jim & June Craig



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**

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.**



1/4	Alice Lizotte
1/4	Dick Shaw
1/7	Betty MacDonald
1/12	Larry Kolmonen
1/13	Barbara Gardner
1/13	Ed Murphy
1/15	Bill Rettie
1/16	Bob Shingler
1/18	Lynn Cornog
1/19	Bette Farmerie
1/19	Karen Huff
1/20	Bob Gainer
1/23	Brian Doyle
1/24	Mike LaPlante
1/25	Charles Keefe
1/26	Sue Schlichting
1/27	Marilyn Stasciezko
1/28	Tom Ingalls
1/29	Cheryl Brown
1/30	Ethel Murphy

- 1/30 Ethel Murphy
- 1/31Rose Crofoot
- 1/31 Adella Machotka

LADIES LUNCH

Ladies Lunch will be held Tuesday January 8th at 1pm at Olive Garden on US 19. Come join us for fun, food and fellowship. Call me if you need a ride. Connie Cote 727/741-5853

RED HATS

You are invited! Any ladies interested in joining or rejoining the "Grand Valley Girls" .please come for cake and ? This meeting will be held on Sunday January 20th at 1pm, at my home, 8146 Mill Springs. Bring your ideas. Please let me know if you will be coming, 727/741-5853.



- 1/13/84Rod & Linda Warren
- 1/16/81 Dick & Cate Shaw
- 1/24/81 Tony & Loretta Ferrara
- 1/31 Chuck & Suzie Evens

PLEASE WELCOME



Joe & Irene Robinson, 8128 Bull Run Joe 727/457-0924 Irene 727/457-9432



Paul LaPadula & Michael McHenry 7316 Gettysburg Dr. 602/ 304-1270



Rick & Colleen Peck 8014 Cedar Creek Dr 518/334-1496 518/407-9823

COUNTED NIGHTS AND DAYS

By Roger Robicheau

Each year does cast a piece of time One human step for us to climb, Twelve months of counted nights & days Completes us through a yearly phase. One thing's for sure while we do live We'll never know what life will give. Anticipation's just a view For what may happen, could come true. So many times we're filled with thought Some last a lifetime, some do not. We live through choices made within How we should strive to stave off sin. Pray often for what's good to be And let your love spread openly. God clearly wants for us to know His way leads to eternal glow Do greet first day with hope held nigh And keep your heart your watchful eye.



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.





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.

GRAND VALLEY FACEBOOK PAGE Did you know we have a **FACEBOOK page? You** <u>must</u> ask to be a member. You <u>must</u> be a resident of Grand Valley, <u>no family</u> <u>members or friends</u>. Just check it out, ask to be a member and Voila! All news pertinent only to Grand Valley residents are at your fingertips. See you there.



BUNCO

THERE WILL BE NO BUNCO IN JANUARY. SEE YOU IN FEBRUARY. Easy to learn and tons of laughs. If you can roll three dice and do basic math you'll have fun. Please come. Watch next month's newsletter for more.

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.



SUNDAY BRUNCH

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.

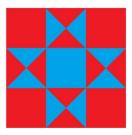




Everyone is welcome. Come to Sunday Brunch on January 6th, 10 am at the



pavilion. Bring a breakfast item to share. Visit with your friends and neighbors. Stay as long as you want. Hope to see you there.



QUILTING

Great work from our "Quilting La-

dies". 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.

HONOR FLIGHT AT HOME

Recognizing our local Veterans who are unable to travel. Please take note of the next page. Anyone who would to register to attend, I have forms in my office. Connie Cote



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.



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TO PRESENT



WHAT:

HONOR FLIGHT at HOME

MISSION #12

WHO: To recognize our local Veterans who are unable to travel on a regular Honor Flight to Washington, DC. to see the Memorials dedicated in their honor.

WHEN: Saturday, January 12th, 2019.

Check-in begins at 9:30am. Program runs 10:30am-11:30am Public Welcome Home from 11:30am until all Veterans depart (Wear your Red, White & Blue and wave your flag & posters proudly as Veterans exit the event!)

- WHERE: Spartan Manor 6121 Massachusetts Ave, New Port Richey, FL 34653
- WHY: Because we love Our Veterans and our West Pasco Community!

For more information, contact:

Jody Armstrong at jodya@mydacil.org or (727) 539-7550 x238 or (727) 385-3818. Georgeann Johnston at: <u>noworries@tampabay.rr.com</u> or text 727-420-6802



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.

EUCHRE SCORES

10/25/2018 1st Place Joan Meagher 2nd Place Mark Nelson

11/08/2018
1st. Place Jo Ann Nadeau
2nd Place Rose Crofoot

11/15/2018 1st Place Rich LeLievre 2nd Place Ed Nadeau

11/29/2018
1st Place Mark Nelson
2nd Place Rose Crofoot

12/06/2018 1st Place Mark Nelson 2nd Place Angelo Petrone

12/13 2018 1st Place Angelo Petrone 2nd Place Ed Nadeau

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





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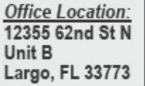


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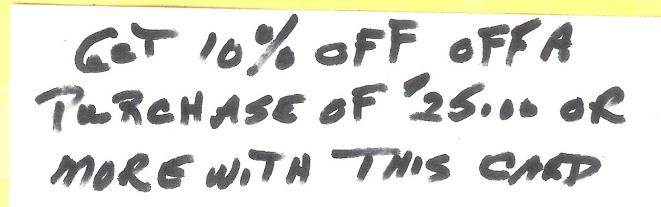


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Lance B. - They gave us a fair price, then followed up with good work. It was raining the morning they were scheduled to work, but showed up shortly after the rain quit. The put as many people as possible on the project so they could still get my new 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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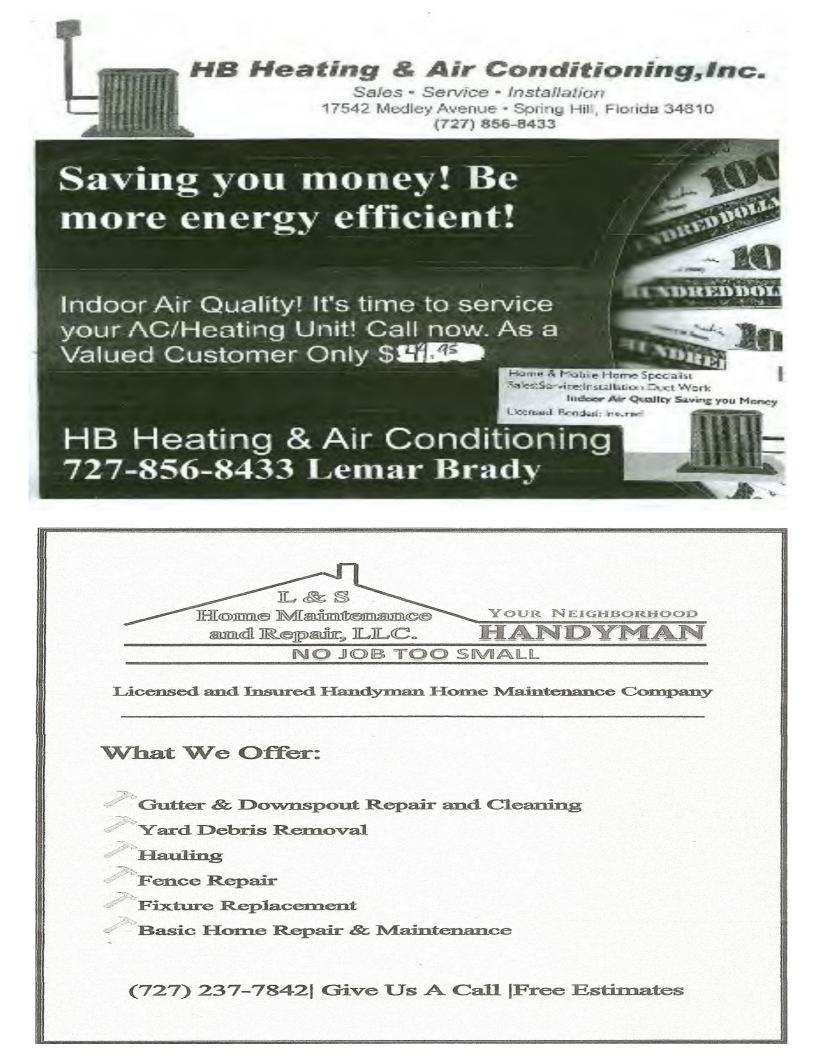
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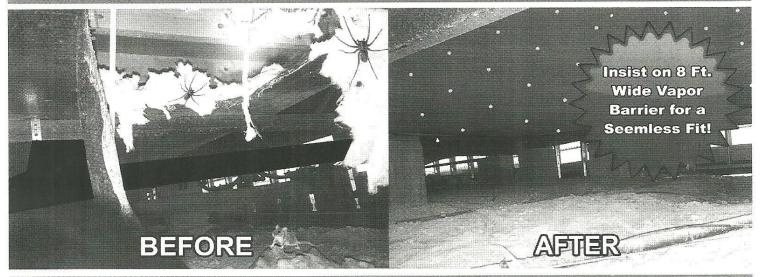
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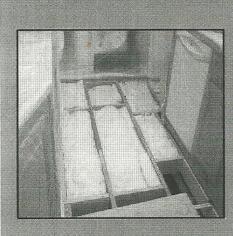
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