



*THE BRINY BUGLE ~ Week of Jan 31 – Feb 7*



# THE BRINY BUGLE



<b>FRIDAY 1/31</b>		
Trash Pickup	Early Morning	
BBC-8 Programming	8:00 a.m.	BBC-8
Pilates	8:30 a.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Aerobics	9:15 a.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Water Aerobics by Tape	9:15 a.m.	Pool
Knitting	10:00 a.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Water Aerobics with Stan	10:30 a.m.	Pool
Advanced Stained-Glass Class	12:30 p.m.	Hobby Club
Mah Jongg	12:30 p.m.	West Clubroom
Duplicate Bridge	6:15 p.m.	Community Center
Dominos	7:00 p.m.	West Clubroom
<b>SATURDAY 2/1</b>		
BBC-8 Programming	8:00 a.m.	BBC-8
<b>Memorial for Jack Taylor</b>	11:00 a.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Ping Pong Tournament	6:15 p.m.	Community Center
<b>SUNDAY 2/2</b>		
BBC-8 Programming	8:00 a.m.	BBC-8
Church Services	10:30 a.m.	Auditorium
Chiseler's Clean Up	11:30 a.m.	Chiseler's Club
Mah Jongg	2:30 p.m.	West Clubroom
Hand & Foot	7:00 p.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
<b>MONDAY 2/3</b>		
Trash Pickup	Early Morning	
Paper & Aluminum Pickup	Early Morning	
Shuffleboard Tournament (N/W Singles)	7:00 a.m.	Shuffleboard Courts
BBC-8 Programming	8:00 a.m.	BBC-8
Chiseler's Meeting	8:30 a.m.	Chiseler's Club
Pilates	8:30 a.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Aerobics	9:15 a.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Water Aerobics by Tape	9:15 a.m.	Pool
Intermediate Bridge Class	9:30 a.m.	Card Room
Genealogy Meeting	10:00 a.m.	Community Center
Knitting	10:00 a.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Water Aerobics with Stan	10:30 a.m.	Pool
Open Sewing	1:00 p.m.	Hobby Club
Painting with Energy (Watercolor)	1:00 p.m.	Art Building

Qi Gong	3:00 p.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
<b>BINGO</b> (Doors open at 6 p.m.)	7:00 p.m. (sharp!)	Auditorium
Duplicate Bridge	6:15 p.m.	Community Center
Bible Discussion	6:30 p.m.	West Clubroom
<b>TUESDAY 2/4</b>		
Lawn Debris Pickup	Early Morning	
BBC-8 Programming	8:00 a.m.	BBC-8
Shuffleboard Meeting	8:30 a.m.	West Clubroom
Landscaping & Beautification Meeting	8:30 a.m.	Card Room
Zumba	9:00 a.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Drawing & Watercolor	9:00 a.m.	Art Building
Beginner Stained-Glass Class	9:30 a.m.	Hobby Club
Pressed Flower & Greeting Card Class	9:30 a.m.	Hobby Club
<b>ORIENTATION to Briny</b>	11:00 a.m.	Community Center
Bridge	12:30 p.m.	Community Center
Shuffleboard Fun Days	12:30 p.m.	Shuffleboard Courts
Mah Jongg	12:30 p.m.	West Clubroom
<b>Art Club Social &amp; Meeting</b>	6:00 p.m.	Art Building
Penny Games	7:00 p.m.	West Clubroom
<b>WEDNESDAY 2/5</b>		
BBC-8 Programming	8:00 a.m.	BBC-8
Pilates	8:30 a.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Aerobics	9:15 a.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Water Aerobics by Tape	9:15 a.m.	Pool
Parking Committee Meeting	10:00 a.m.	Community Center
Water Aerobics with Stan	10:30 a.m.	Pool
Linus Quilt Project Sewing	1:30 p.m.	Hobby Club
Happy Hour at the OCH	5:00 p.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Euchre	6:30 p.m.	Card Room
Shuffleboard (Couples League)	7:00 p.m.	Shuffleboard Courts
Board Games/Rummikub	7:00 p.m.	West Clubroom
<b>THURSDAY 2/6</b>		
Lawn Debris Pickup	Early Morning	
BBC-8 Programming	8:00 a.m.	BBC-8
Blood Pressure Clinic	8:30 a.m.	Hobby Club
Garden Work Day in Butterfly Garden	8:30 a.m.	Butterfly Garden
Zumba	9:00 a.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Zumba Gold	10:15 a.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Color Books Class	1:00 p.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Qi Gong	3:00 p.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Mah Jongg	6:30 p.m.	Community Center

Open Games	7:00 p.m.	West Clubroom
<b>FRIDAY 2/7</b>		
Trash Pickup	Early Morning	
BBC-8 Programming	8:00 a.m.	
Pilates	8:30 a.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Aerobics	9:15 a.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Water Aerobics by Tape	9:15 a.m.	Pool
Knitting	10:00 a.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Water Aerobics with Stan	10:30 a.m.	Pool
Advanced Stained-Glass Class	12:30 p.m.	Hobby Club
Mah Jongg	12:30 p.m.	West Clubroom
<b>Briny Bazaar and Flea Market Auction</b>	5:00 p.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Duplicate Bridge	6:15 p.m.	Community Center
Dominos	7:00 p.m.	West Clubroom

**Contributions to the weekly Bugle are due by Noon on Tuesdays.  
Please email to: [brinybugle@gmail.com](mailto:brinybugle@gmail.com) or drop off at office.**

**FROM THE DESK OF BRINY PRESIDENT**

We have sent the ballot out for one last read-through from legal. Hopefully we have done our work well and we can get it out early. Always a good thing! Regardless it will be sent out by the 6<sup>th</sup>. The two weeks following others and myself will be available to review the ballot individually or in small groups. It is so important that everyone votes- any outcome that is representative of shareholders is a good one. Abstentions do not inform us. Attend district meetings too as they will offer questions and answers that you might not have thought of.

Let's continue to have fun, to learn and experience all that life offers us regardless of age. The clubs, I know so many of them, are active and would appreciate you as a member. You do not necessarily need to attend meetings, although you are certainly welcome, but your membership helps them continue to thrive. Any volunteer effort beyond that is icing on the cake. Want to join? Pick up the membership forms in the office or call and ask them to place another one in your mailbox. We have a very cool and special offering this week. Roger Young has joined Don and Jane Lewis in lowering the flag at the Ocean Club House for the evening by playing taps. Very special indeed.

As February looms, I am so thankful that almost every day brings great weather and an opportunity to "hang" with friends and neighbors. Check the Bugle- so many things happening...and a very special man will be remembered and honored this Saturday. See you around.

Respectfully,  
*Susan Brannen, President*

## **FROM THE DESK OF DONNA**

Daily I say, "Briny is amazing"! All of you know that this is indeed a fact. On any one day, just look at the calendar of events, there are as many as 10 different happenings going on. Community Association Management is not for everyone, it is very challenging. There are projects, committees, complaints, opinions, Florida Statutes, Community by-laws and amendments, budgets, staff, insurance and best of all people. In my world, this is a fun and challenging job. I love it and the ups and downs, twists and turns of each day make not two days alike. But again it is a people job.

Briny is amazing! My daily sunshine each Briny day is witnessing Brinyites helping each other and working to make the community better. Checking on neighbors, delivering meals, books and just stopping by for neighborly conversations. Playing, lots of playing and volunteering. Everyone dancing, or tapping feet to the sounds of music, playing bingo and praising God on Sundays. Helping each other get to events. This is why Briny is amazing, perhaps the last community of its kind. We can only hope that Brinyites remember this in their pursuit to making things perfect.

I met with a few members of the parking committee last week. I also met with the Chief of Police of Ocean Ridge and the new Briny Breezes Town Manager. In both meetings the discussion was about parking, parking enforcement and rules. One thing I have learned without a doubt is that Ocean Ridge will not or cannot enforce Briny Breezes Rules. The parking committee had concerns on what our policies are in the office, and who is enforcing the parking rules. We do our best, but I am not out looking for parking violations. Though when one is reported, it is dealt with. I think the majority of this community follows rules and wants to do the right thing to keep Briny Breezes amazing. Just remember to use your designated space to park, not your neighbors. Don't forget to pick up guest parking passes. *Thank you, Briny for all you do and for the goodness you bring each day. You are the Amazing that makes up Briny Breezes.*

## **NEWS FROM BRINY BREEZES OFFICE**

### **Electrical Issues in your home**

Please call the office or do a work order if you notice any flashing of your lights, electrical surges or power outages in your home. We will be having all of our Meter stands (the stand that holds your electrical meters) checked by an electrician in the near future. But if you notice your stand between homes is heavily corroded, leaning or just plain in bad condition, please notify the office.

### **Get your Parking Passes and Car Decals**

Please come into the office with your current registration and get your new 2020 parking decal (to replace any old decals you have on your vehicle). **The deadline to replace your decal is this week, January 31, 2020.** Ocean Ridge Police will begin issuing tickets.

**Please note:** ***Ocean Ridge Police Dept. Non-Emergency Phone is (561) 732-8331***

Now that so many of you are back home in Briny, we ask that you please take the time and come to the office to update your information such as your correct northern mailing address,

phone numbers and email. We have a consent form for you to fill out and sign. This is very important as we are updating the Resident Directory and getting all paperwork for the Annual Meeting ready to send out. We appreciate your cooperation!

Also, as we are trying to automate the Bugle as much as we can, we ask that you allow us to email the Bugle to you instead of printing it, it saves trees and money.

### **JACK TAYLOR MEMORIAL SERVICE**

The family of Jack Taylor has planned a Memorial Service that will be held at the Ocean Clubhouse on Saturday, February 1<sup>st</sup> at 11:00 a.m. All are invited to attend.

### **ORIENTATION to BRINY**

Calling all recently approved shareholders (within the last 12-18 months) and newly approved residents (family resident guests, renters)- it is time for Orientation. You must attend one class as per the agreements you signed, so let's not miss one. We hope and expect to see you.

*Here is the schedule:*

**Tuesday February 4th at 10:00 am**

**Saturday February 22nd at 10:00 am**

**Wednesday March 4th at 1 pm**

**Saturday March 28th at 10:00 am**

**Thursday April 2nd at 1 pm**

**Saturday April 18th at 10:00 am**

All sessions are held in the Community Center. Questions please contact Susan Brannen [sjbrannen28@gmail.com](mailto:sjbrannen28@gmail.com) or drop a note in my mailbox, G3. Come with your questions- one of us should be able to answer.

### **NEWS FROM THE TOWN**

#### **Public Flood Risk Open House**

#### ***Palm Beach County Residents Are Invited to Attend***

**Tuesday, February 4 4 p.m. – 7 p.m. & Wednesday, February 5, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.**

Mary V. McDonald-Wilson Center, 1505 N. Australian Avenue, West Palm Beach, Florida 33401

Members of the public can drop in to review new preliminary coastal floodplain maps and learn about flood risks in their communities. All Palm Beach County residents are invited to attend an upcoming Public Flood Risk Open House to learn about their flood risk, view the newly updated preliminary coastal flood insurance rate maps (FIRMs) and find out how the information may impact their property. At the Flood Risk Open House events, a variety of specialists will be available to answer questions about flood insurance, engineering, and more. All Palm Beach County residents (home and business owners, renters, realtors) are encouraged to attend whichever Flood Risk Information Open House is more convenient. No formal presentation will be given. Attendees do not need an appointment but can bring their elevation certificates, if possible.

**The Briny Bazaar and Flea Market AUCTION**  
**Friday, Feb. 7, 5:00 pm-8:00 pm**  
**The Ocean Clubhouse**

Last year, the Bazaar Committee re-introduced the Briny Auction which was part of the original Briny Bazaar 60 years ago. It was such a hit that with the expert help of our manager, Donna Coates, we are doing it again. Attic 'treasures', mystery items, dinners, boat rides, golf lessons, etc. are included! We encourage anyone who would like to contribute a special item or a personal specialty (dinner, lesson, craft etc.), to contact Eileen Duffy at 561-450-5688.

**The Briny BAZAAR and FLEA MARKET**  
**Saturday, Feb. 8th, 2020 9:00am-2:00pm**  
**The Auditorium**

One of our community's Big Events, the **Briny Breezes Bazaar**. Our Bazaar raises money for charities as well as for our own community. Last year we took in approximately \$28,000 dollars. It is an event that brings the town together with so many volunteers - a lot of hard work and a lot of fun! It is a spectacular thing to see!

As always, we are looking for volunteers and if you are interested in helping out, please contact: Linda Sudds L15 Cordova - 613-853-0139, email; [Lj.sudds@gmail.com](mailto:Lj.sudds@gmail.com) or Eileen Duffy CD12 - 631-921-6575, email; [loveduff2000@yahoo.com](mailto:loveduff2000@yahoo.com). You can also let your team leader know from last year. Thanks in advance and hope to see you there!

**BAZAAR BAUBLES**

We are in need of your Briny Baubles! It's that time again if you have not already done so, please check your jewelry drawer and set aside ALL your unwanted costume jewelry and take them to Briny for the "Briny Baubles" 2020 Bazaar. Drop them off as well as scarfs, hair items and unused cosmetics to L-201.

**BRINY BAZAAR BAKE SALE**

Here we go again already! Please help to make the Briny Bake Sale successful again this year. We are hoping all our good bakers will think of their favorite recipe, buy the ingredients now and be ready to bake that week. Drop off goods at the auditorium kitchen door the day of the Bazaar 8 am – 9 am Thanks! Caryn Dennison 315-625-7191

**BRINY COOKBOOK**

Deadline for the Cookbook is 3/31. The Cookbook recipes are very slowly coming in. We need to publish a book. Please send in your contribution by March 31<sup>st</sup>. Please take the time to participate in this wonderful Community project. It will be fun to see all your great recipes! Put together 3 or more of your successful recipes and submit them for this new edition. Drop recipes in Mailbox # V-210 or email to [kennedy.1005@yahoo.com](mailto:kennedy.1005@yahoo.com)

## **BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC**

Blood Pressure Clinic is on **Thursdays at 8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.** The Blood Pressure Clinic began this week and will continue through March. Walk in to the **Hobby Club** at your convenience with no appointment necessary. You will be given the opportunity to visit with other Brinyites if everyone comes at once. We appreciate the dedication of volunteers who have provided this service to the community for many years. We also would welcome additional volunteers who could assist with this weekly activity. If you are able to participate, donating one hour of your time on Thursday mornings this season, please contact Annette Boyles, J12, (304)481-9333. As is the Briny way, many hands make light work so with more volunteers, we would be allowed some flexibility with scheduling. Thank you!

## **BBC-8 NEWS**

Monday February 3rd - Anchor Paul Sullivan – with guest Andrea Olsen – Qi Gong

Tuesday February 4th - Anchor Beth Fowler - TBA

Wednesday February 5th - Anchor Jan Hoffman - TBA

Thursday February 6th - Anchors Paul Ruopp & Michael Coppola – Who'll win the Academy Awards this Year Part 1

Friday February 7<sup>th</sup> – Anchors Paul Ruopp & Michael Coppola – Who'll win the Academy Awards this Year Part 2

Don't forget that during the live show at 8:00 a.m. you now may call in and ask questions of the guest and make comments. The BBC8 phone number is: 561-272-2868

## **BRINY BIBLE DISCUSSION**

Every Monday Evening, 6:30 PM in West Clubroom

This week's subject: Crucified, Dead, and Buried - WHY?

Join the discussion. This year we are discussing Basic Christian Doctrine which unites us regardless of denominational differences. Open to Briny residents, guest and visitors.

Ken Gross N-203 708-646-6361

## **CHURCH NEWS**

This past Sunday we sure were made aware of what the tongue can do in our lives. Mike Bing spoke to us on "Taming the Troublemaker" As we all know, our tongue can be very vicious or very kind. We can choose. It can break hearts or give love. With Jesus Christ in our lives, we will always choose love and kindness. Remember these things. Always say these words; "please" "thank you" "I'm sorry" "I love you" "I am praying for you" and talk about what the Lord has done in your life. You will feel the grace of God in your heart.

The music was so beautiful. The choir sang the wonderful old hymn, "Holy, Holy, Holy" with Bob Ward sharing his wonderful talent doing the solo work. Bob is the son-in-law of Evelyn Brandt who lived here in Briny for many years. She was a good friend to many of us. Jim Carter sang the old hymn "The Old Rugged Cross" It was so lovely. Thank you both Jim and Bob.



If you would like to give flowers in memory or in honor of a loved one or friend, please call Betty Foland at 315-676-7413. This Sunday Ray Brower will bring us God's message and serve us in a communion service. The service is interdenominational service and a wonderful way to Praise God each Sunday at 10:30 a.m. in the auditorium. You all will be welcome. ~ Betty Foland 315-676-7413

### **GENEALOGY CLASS**

Have you taken a DNA test? Several Brinyites shared interesting stories related to recent DNA tests at an earlier meeting. Do you have an interesting story to share? Contact Judy Winkowski 603-812-5826 or Lois Carter 607-742-0301. We meet in the Community Center at 10 AM on Mondays. At our next meeting, our photo detective will give a short presentation on researching old photographs.

### ***RAVE REVIEWS FOR MICHAEL D'AMORE at the Good Music Show!***

Just after the Show, I received a TEXT from a long time BRINYITE: "This was the best show ever. He was great". For the next few days, the talk in Briny sang Michael's praises. Joanne Long reported a first: NO ONE LEFT. The Donation Basket took in \$556.00. Thank you Briny. We are planning a special event for February. Stay tuned.

### **SAVE the DATE - FRIDAY FEB 14th**

#### **"DO SOMETHING FOR BRINY"**

Please grab a neighbor and meet us for 1-2 hours of light work & friendly socializing. Clean up, Painting and Pruning our Ocean Park. Questions? Contact: Ken Gross, N203, 708-646-6361

### **LANDSCAPE COMMITTEE**

The Landscape Committee would like to remind any Briny Residents who are "remodeling" their gardens to save any pots and plants that are being removed and Gabe, our landscape team leader, will collect them to be repurposed at other locations that need those plants on corporate property. Please call the front office and let them know your location and Gabe will stop by to collect them.

Those of us who **volunteer to collect cardboard and aluminum cans** on Monday Mornings at 8:00 am would like to remind Briny Residents and Renters that it would be a great help if the cardboard boxes were broken down flat to save space in the containers in which we place the paper and cardboard for recycling. Please place only aluminum cans in a separate bag. We would prefer that paper, newspapers and other single thickness cardboard be in a separate bag. By collecting these items, the corporation and therefore you (yes, even you renters), save a substantial amount of money and are good citizens of our planet. Just a reminder, plastic containers and glass bottles should be placed in the Blue Bins that are at various locations around the park. Thank you for your continued help! The Collection Crew *PS: If you would like to join us, please be at the North end of Quonset Hut #3 at 7:45 am each Monday!*

## LIBRARY NEWS

### New Books:

In memory of Tom Byrne from Ann Kimlicka: **Citizen 865: The Hunt for Hitler's Hidden Soldiers in America** by Debbie Cenziper. The gripping story of a team of Nazi hunters at the U.S. Department of Justice as they raced against time to expose members of a brutal SS killing force who disappeared in America after World War Two.

In memory of Mary Lou Meunier from Fran & Gary Mullen: **The Dutch House** by Ann Pachett. A richly moving story that explores the indelible bond between two siblings, the house of their childhood, and a past that will not let them go.

**Such a Fun Age** by Kiley Reid. A page-turning and big-hearted story about race and privilege, set around a young black babysitter, her well-intentioned employer, and a surprising connection that threatens to undo them both.

### New Movie:

**Hustlers**. Inspired by a true story; follows a young stripper struggling to make ends meet ... until she meets Ramona (Jennifer Lopez), the club's savvy top earner, who shows her the way toward making big bucks.

Please... we ask that you be considerate & borrow movies (especially new ones) for a short time & return them promptly for others' enjoyment.

**Bookmobile Fridays 1:30-2:30 - parked by pool: January 31, Feb. 14, 28**



**MONDAYS in the Auditorium**  
**Doors open at 6 p.m. Game starts 7 p.m. sharp!**

**BINGO NEWS:** *Just another manic Monday....* Sales were up and players were playing. Charlene Murray was the caller and was terrific. Cash prizes were: 8 regular games paid **\$15.00** each, 3 Special games paid **\$40.00**, our 50/50 was a whopping **\$72.00**, 3 quarter games **\$18.00** each. Now hold on to your seats everyone.... **JACKPOT \$150.00!**

Side note: *Thank you, Susan Brennan, President of the Board and Leigh McMorrow District 3 Director, for coming in to answer a question in the nick of time. (WE APPRECIATE YOU).*  
..... That is what community is all about.

Ok everyone... **BINGO! EVERY MONDAY IN THE AUDITOURAM DOORS OPEN AT 6PM** game starts at **7 sharp!** See you there! **BINGO, BINGO**, Barbara Klink, Pres & Cindy Holbrook, Vice Pres.

## **BRINY BREEZES FLAG**

Last summer we ordered Briny Sailfish flags on a blue driftwood background for use around the fountain. Several people saw the design and requested we order extra as they wanted to purchase for use locally or at their Northern Home. These 3x5' flags are Heavy Duty, Double-sided prints with side grommets. We have a limited supply for sale. Our actual Cost \$ 63.00 each (this is not a fundraiser). Contact Ken Gross at N-203 if interested.

## **BRINY BREEZES MEMORIAL FUND aka THE CHIMES**

Recent donations to our chimes have been made in memory of:

Frank Coppola donated by Paul & Betsy Sullivan

Denny Baker donated by Paul & Betsy Sullivan

To donate to our fund simply write a check made out to the "Briny Breezes Memorial Fund". On the memo line write the name or names of the people you wanted remembered. A card will be sent to family of the departed and notice will appear in the bugle. Thank you for your support of the chimes. ~~ Nancy Aceto, Trustee

## **FOUNTAIN MEMORIALS**

Memorial gifts will be used to complete the Legacy Fountain and the surrounding landscape area. Recent memorial gifts have been used to install lighting of the fountain sculpture as well as illumination of the wall behind the Memorial Bench. Gifts of any amount should be made to: Briny Landscape Club, noting in who's name the memorial is given.

## **FOUNTAIN PAVERS**

Legacy Brick Order Forms are available in the office. Individual pavers in either 4x8 or 8x8 can still be installed. Imprinted pavers can be inscribed with whimsical saying or commemorating special occasions such as births weddings or anniversaries. Additionally, we accept donation in any amount as memorial gifts to Brinyites who have passed away. Your continued support of this project allows funding for the ongoing enhancements of our entrance and town center.

## **ART LEAGUE**

The Art League Social and Meeting is on **February 4<sup>th</sup>**

The Social is at 6 p.m. and Meeting is at 6:30 p.m.

It is VERY IMPORTANT to attend this meeting!

The applications for the Art Show (3/21-3/22) will be distributed. Be sure to join us!



## **ART CLASSES ~ FEBRUARY 2020**

*CREATIVITY ABOUND ALL AROUND! JOIN IN THE FUN!!*

Drawing and Watercolor – Jill Kohut –Tuesday Mornings 9 a.m. to Noon starting 2/4

Block Print Making - Jill Kohut – Wednesday Mornings 9 a.m. to Noon starting 2/12

Complete details and sign up is located in the mail room; stop by and take a look!

Initial class offering is four weeks (\$50 to instructor) Questions: call Jill (443) 880-8063

Painting with Energy – Intermediate & Advanced Watercolor – Annabelle Fuhr – Monday Afternoons – Art Studio 1 to 4 starting 2/3 and 2/10  
Additional details and sign-up sheets in the mail room; Contact Annabelle (561) 777-6319  
Class offering is two weeks (\$30 to instructor)  
Beginner’s Watercolor / Mixed Media / Acrylic Prisma Watercolor Classes continue in February, check with instructors

## SCORES

### DUPLICATE BRIDGE RESULTS 1/27

#### *North/South*

1st – Cynthia & Herb Nye  
Jane Holden & Joanne Long

#### *East/West*

1<sup>st</sup> – Dave & Mary Annis  
Barbara & John LeGrow

### FRIDAY NIGHT BRIDGE 1/24

1 – Terry Hutchins  
2 – Joanne Long  
3 – Dave Annis

### TUESDAY BRIDGE 1/28

1 – Jo Aldred  
2 – Concetta Williams  
3 – Mary Johnson

### EUCHRE 1/8

1 – Larry Adams  
2 – Roger Grove  
3 – Mary Johnson

## CLUB UPDATES



### **BILLIARDS CLUB**

Next month’s tourney is scheduled for **February 22<sup>nd</sup>**

### **BEACH CLUB “Soup-er Chef Cook-Off 2020”**

**March 11<sup>th</sup> 5:00 – 7:30 p.m.** at the Ocean Clubhouse

**SIGN UP NOW for the Cook-off on 3/11.** We need chefs to cook a Crock Pot of soup for the competition Contact Joe Carroll 609-532-1391. Please sign-up in mailroom by Feb. 5<sup>th</sup>. Tickets go on sale Wed., Feb. 5<sup>th</sup> at Happy Hour at the OCH (\$5.00 per person) There are only 85 tickets so get yours early! No one will be admitted without a ticket. There is no regular Happy Hour on March 11<sup>th</sup>. Thank you!

## FRIDAY AT THE FOUNTAIN POP-UP

Mark your calendar: **February 21<sup>st</sup>** Happy Hour 5 p.m. to \_\_\_? BYOB and something to share at your table. All are welcome! Every hour in Briny is a HAPPY HOUR! President, Joe Carroll 609-532-1391

## BOATING & FISHING

Valentine's Day is right around the corner! If you still need to buy something for that special person, the Boating and Fishing will be selling Shirts, Hats, and Visors on Wednesday **February 12<sup>th</sup>** from 10:00am -12:00 In the Auditorium

The next Boating & Fishing meeting will be Tuesday, **February 11<sup>th</sup>** in the Auditorium  
At the last meeting, Dan Statt was elected as the new president of Boating & Fishing. He will do a great job! Congratulations!

Tom Roop, our past president had this position for many years and stated he will still be involved and active in our club in the future. We all want to thank him for his dedicated work. We also want to thank Robert Grove who is our 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President for assisting while Tom was recuperating.

Just a reminder that if you need a Palm Beach Post Subscription, please call Karen Roop at 561-330-6407 or Jerry at the Palm Beach Post at 561-577-8731

## CURTAIN RAISERS

Our working meeting at **11 a.m. on Tuesday February 4<sup>th</sup>** will be back in the Auditorium where we will learn to use the microphones and headsets. We will also debug feedback challenges from the past and explore enhancements so you can hear yourself speak while speaking and singing on stage.

## CABARET CLUB

All club presidents should have received our request for participation letter. If I have left anyone out and you would like to join us this year, please contact me. New ideas welcomed. Nancy Greenblatt [nanseegee@gmail.com](mailto:nanseegee@gmail.com)



Save the dates:

- Feb 15 - Valentine Dance music by the Renee Davison trio. 7-10:30 p.m.
- March 14 - St. Patrick Day Dance with Ray and the Raylettes. 7-10:30 p.m.
- March 28 - Annual Beach Party and club fundraiser 11:30 a.m.-4:40 p.m.
- April – TBA; Jazz on the Beach (more info to come)

All activities take place in the Ocean Club House. Cabaret club meetings are at 10:00 am on the day of the dances. Please come to the meetings to help with dance decorating and sharing of new ideas. We welcome new volunteers. Watch the Bugle and BBC8 Scroll or our go to our Website for more information.

## **GARDEN CLUB**

The Garden Club this season has gone back to its roots of having two meetings a month per the 1985 By-Laws. We have a working session in the Butterfly Garden on the first Thursday of the month and our business meeting held on the third Thursday at 8:30 a.m. in the West Clubroom. In addition, a trip to the Morikami Japanese Gardens in Delray Beach is being planned. The gardens cover 16 acres and reflect different periods of Japanese garden design, a must see for everyone. The date will be posted as soon as it is finalized. All are welcome to join the Garden Club. We may not be master gardeners, but we share a love of nature, beauty and getting our hands dirty! Our next working session is on Feb 6<sup>th</sup>, starting by 9 a.m. Contact: Dory Hambacher, President, M209 (312) 498-4660

## **HOBBY CLUB**

Hobby Calendar of Events:

**Feb 6<sup>th</sup> thru 8<sup>th</sup>** – Briny Bazaar

**February 14<sup>th</sup>** -- Hobby Club Meeting 8:30 a.m.

**February 29<sup>th</sup>** – Hobby Club Show & Sale 9 a.m.

**March 6<sup>th</sup>** -- Hobby Club Meeting 8:30 a.m.

**March 18<sup>th</sup>** – Hobby Appreciation Luncheon 12 Noon

**Open Sewing Mondays- 1:00- 4:00** *Have you not sewn since Junior High? Would you like to learn how to use the sewing machines (but did not want to ask?) Do you have a small repair to make? A seam to be sewn? A small project you would like to attempt? Monday afternoon is an opportunity to do a variety of projects that you have been putting off – and help is provided if needed. Stop in!*

**Linus Project Wednesdays - 1:30-4:00** *Can you pin? Iron? Sew a straight line? Then you might want to help making a small blanket for children in need. No experience necessary, just nice people getting together who have a purpose. Last season, almost 50 blankets were made and donated to the Linus Project.*

## **Shell Classes**

You are only limited by your imagination! To get on the Shell Class email list to get details before each class contact Rich Hall at [alaskacaver@gmail.com](mailto:alaskacaver@gmail.com).

*Here is the rest of our POTENTIAL schedule for the 2020 season including instructor and project:*

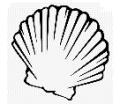
Feb 20 – Rich – shell critters (cute or ugly)

Feb 29 – Hobby Club Show – sell, buy, display, or demonstrate shells

Mar 5 – Rich and Elisabeth – shell necklaces

Mar 7 – Anyone want to organize a trip to the Shell Show at Sanibel Island?

Mar 19 – Elisabeth & Rich – shell stencils on T-shirts



## SHUFFLEBOARD NEWS

Club meetings are held on the first Tuesday of the month.

The Ice Cream Social will be held on **Sunday February 16th** at the Ocean Club House from 2-4 p.m.

Fun Days held on January 21st saw 36 players having fun learning rules and practicing their shots. Wednesday nights couples league was cancelled due to rain. On Thursday and Friday January 23 & 24, 36 players from the South East Coast District entered the mixed doubles tournament which was sponsored by Kendrick Pest Management held on our Briny courts. Nine players were Briny members. Winning first place in the main division was Rich Curtis & Paula Termont. Third place in the main were Charlene Murray & Ron Vaughn. Winning first place in the consolation division were David Warnock and Line Lemay.

## HISTORICAL PRESERVATION COMMITTEE

We would like to thank all of you for your donations to the club. They are very welcome. Joan Nicholls continues to do the history of Briny and the funds are so welcome! Again, many thanks! ~ Betty Foland 315-676-7413

*Please enjoy this article submitted by Dorothy McNeice:*

### BRINY BREEZES HISTORICAL PRESERVATION COMMITTEE HISTORY - PAST AND PRESENT

#### Installing Traffic Light - Published Palm Beach Post

In the early 70's, Briny was trying to get the state to install a traffic light on the corner of A1A and Cordova Avenue.

"We were having some problems with people getting across A1A to pick up their mail in the office or go to the drugstore" Hugh David recalls. "Some of our folks don't move too fast, and the cars coming down the road do. There were some close calls."

So, at the town's insistence, the Florida Department of Transportation sent a representative to Briny Breezes to assess the need for a signal. But to David's dismay, the official came in July.

"The man came when our population was at its lowest," David said. "He counted the number of people who crossed the road and said he didn't think there was enough traffic to warrant a traffic light."

But the Mayor kept complaining and got the man to come back -- this time in February, at the height of the season and this time Hugh was ready for him.

"The day before he came, we put fliers in everyone's mailbox telling people to be sure to cross the road as many times as possible the next day." He said "You know, the man never caught on that he was seeing many of the same people going back and forth and back and forth across the road."

After counting for only a couple of hours, the state official saw things the town's way. Briny Breezes got it's traffic light.

