



Terra Ceia Manor Newsletter

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NEWS FROM THE CO-OP BOARD
Next B.O.D. Workshop: **October 11, 9 a.m.**
Next B.O.D. Monthly Meeting: **Oct. 16, 9 a.m.**
Meetings are open to TCM shareholders only.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT – DON FURNACE

Well, here we are at the start of September. That means some folks will be returning back to TCM. For those of you that are traveling, have a safe trip. I would also like to thank Steward and Lenwood for covering for Rhonda. Rhonda enjoyed her summer off, and Stew did a fantastic job, so thank you Stew for all you did. We have a major project coming up, hopefully getting started soon. We have problems with the storm drain on 2nd Street, and we are getting three bids now to get the job done. Other than that, everything seems to be going well in the park. Still a lack of rain, but hopefully that will change shortly. Until we meet again stay safe and travel safe.

TREASURER'S REPORT – MARGIE HOCHSTETTLER

If you have any questions, please give me a call, and I will try to answer your question. Marjorie 941-448-0702.

NEWS FROM THE REC. BOARD
Next Meeting: **Monday November 13, 9 a.m.**
Meetings are open to all residents.



ACTIVITIES

The following activities have now ended for the season: Bid Euchre, Billiards, Bingo, Bowling, Co-Ed Poker, Craft Club, Euchre, Garden Club, Horseshoes, Karaoke Happy Hour, Ladies Golf, Mah Jongg, Men's Golf, Ping Pong, Poker, Shuffleboard, Social Hour, Sunday Night Movies, Wood Carvers

BIBLE STUDY -- We have been studying the character of God in Tony Evans book "God Himself". We meet every Monday at 10:00 in the library. Tony states "knowing and understanding the attributes of God will take you deeper in your spiritual walk than any other pursuit. It is in knowing God that you know all other things because He is the source of all things". Do you really think God will let you spend all eternity with Him in Heaven if you didn't want to get to know Him here on earth. For more information, call Anne McGaha at 941-729-2145.

BRIDGE – will be on Tuesdays at 1 p.m. If you enjoy Bridge (any skill level), please join us for a fun afternoon! Please talk to Harley Lewis for information (574-536-2698).

COFFEE HOUR –will be the first Saturday of every month during the summer.

WATER AEROBICS – is every Monday, Wednesday and Friday (weather permitting) at 8:30 and 10:30 a.m. If you have questions, please call Bernadette Reihl at 941-729-0696.

THURSDAY SOCIAL HOUR has been discontinued at least through the end of August.

2023-2024 TRAVEL CALENDAR –

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2: COFFEE HOUR at 9:00 a.m. (Social time begins at 8:30 a.m.).

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 4: POTLUCK LUNCHEON at 1:00 p.m. A Sign-up sheet is posted on the bulletin board. Volunteers are needed to help with this event.



INFORMATION & THANK YOUs

PARK DIRECTORY – No changes this month.

PLEASE NOTE -- The theme for March 2024 will be Hawaiian. The ladies' luncheon will be a luau, and the dance will be a Hawaiian party. Please have your Hawaiian or tropical apparel ready for a fun-filled March 2024!

COFFEE HOUR 2023-2024 -- I am working on the coffee hour schedule! It would be helpful to have the hosts set up for the season...someone signed up for every Saturday. There are 28 Saturdays that need to be filled, which should not be difficult to accomplish. If you have a special date you'd like to claim, just let me know. People are more than willing to lend a hand; so if you've never done this before, don't worry, because someone will help. Thanks, Karen Dierkens 419-460-1860 or email me (ksdierkens@gmail.com)

THE GRIEF OF LOSING A LOVED ONE -- Whether it's a close friend, spouse, partner, parent, child, or other relative, or a beloved pet, or a divorce, or change in lifestyle due to illness...few things are as painful as losing someone or something you love. After such a significant loss, life may never seem quite the same again. But in time, you can ease your sorrow, start to focus on one day at a time, and eventually come to terms with your loss.

- Take care of yourself (eat healthy foods, get lots of rest, take a walk, practice your faith)
- Don't judge your grieving process. We are all different and that's okay.
- Reach out for help, support, love and comfort from understanding friends or family.
- Use whatever makes you happy to get through the day (movies; playing games with friends; golf, shuffleboard, bocce ball, social hour; a class you've wanted to take).
- Don't force yourself but be aware that whatever you decide to do it won't take the pain away to participate in life again, but it will give you a reprieve, a chance to take a break from the heaviness of grief. Respectfully submitted by Karen Dierken

HORSESHOE CLUB NEWS -- In an effort to attract more players, we are changing the horseshoe time to Thursday at 9:30 a.m. for the next season. Men and women are both welcome, and we have lots of fun. If you are interested, please sign up on the horseshoe sheet already posted on the bulletin board. Play will start early next January. Please contact Jerry Houppert at 315-408-2711 with any questions.

BOCCE BALL is on hold until January 2024. If you are interested in playing starting January – April 2024, please gather your team members and provide the names to Margie no later than Dec 15, 2023. Once the teams have been assigned, no additional teams will be created. Any latecomers can be subs.

THURSDAY POTLUCK – has been discontinued at least through the end of August.

LOVE & PRAYERS



Please keep the following residents in your prayers: Mary and Larry Thompson, Unit 109; and Tom McCoy, Unit 423.

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