



# Terra Ceia Manor Newsletter

## JULY 2023

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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

Good morning TCM: nothing much to report -- the park is running smoothly. The roof repair has been done on the clubhouse. The pool has been fixed, and the floor in the clubhouse has been stripped and waxed. I hope everybody's enjoying their summer. Stay safe and we'll see all of you in the fall.

### TREASURER'S REPORT – MARGIE HOCHSTETTLER

We are going to see a big bump from our normal expenses over the next month or so. The HOA has approved the repairs of the drain/road on 2<sup>nd</sup> street (almost in front of Kim and Deb's house). This is a necessary repair. 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 not 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.

**SUMMER ACTIVITIES** --We will have Saturday morning coffee hour the first Saturday of May through Sept starting 8:30 for social time and meeting at 9:00. MC and host are needed for August and September. Please sign up at the Clubhouse.

People have asked for more activities – HOWEVER – people do not want to take the lead on those activities. In the past Gayle and Joyce took lead for Summer Activities. They are no longer with us. If you want Summer Activities, you just have to pick date, ask people to join you and do it. Sign-up lists can be created for you.

We will have a potluck luncheon on 4th of July and Labor Day. Lunches will start at 1:00 p.m. Sign-up sheets will be posted on the bulletin board closer to the date of the event. Volunteers will be needed to help with the events.



**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**2023-2024 TRAVEL CALENDAR –**

**July 29 to August 9**, Alaska trip is full for July 29-Aug 9. The ten of us from TCM are looking forward to having a great time. We will post pictures for your viewing pleasure via Facebook.

Plans are being made for Charleston, SC mid-March with Travel with Valerie

Travel with Valerie has not provided any new dates or plans at this time. I will keep you informed as trips are arranged.

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**SATURDAY, JULY 1: COFFEE HOUR** at 9:00 a.m. (Social time begins at 8:30 a.m.).

**SUNDAY, JULY 2:** Last day to sign up for July 4 potluck.

**TUESDAY, JULY 4: POTLUCK** at 1:00 p.m. When you sign up, please, note if you would like grilled hot dog or hamburger and how many. We are trying to reduce the amount of over-purchasing of meat. Remember to bring a dish to share as well as your table service. Some of us will be decorating our golf carts to celebrate our country's independence. Golf cart parade to start at 12:00 and end at the clubhouse in time for lunch. Don't you just love a parade.

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS: OHIO ANNUAL GATHERING** --Wednesday, August 16, 2023, 3:30 pm  
Tony's Restaurant; 10280 US 224, Findlay Ohio. Contact Mary Turner with questions at 419-236-9800 or mtrnc2003@yahoo.com



**INFORMATION & THANK YOUS**

**PARK DIRECTORY** – No updates for 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 late comers can be subs.

**THURSDAY POTLUCK** -- Join us every Thursday at 5 p.m. for a potluck dinner in the clubhouse. Bring a dish to share, table service and beverage.

**LOVE & PRAYERS**



Please keep the following residents in your prayers: Tom McCoy, Unit 423, Marge Schmidt, Unit 451 and Diane Kron, Unit 467

**Gloria Ferber (formerly of Unit 116)** – We received word that Gloria passed away recently. We pass on our condolences to her family and friends.

**Virginia Dishon, Unit 129** – We send our sympathy to Howard and his family and friends on the passing of Ginny on June 16.

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