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TREASURER'S REPORT BY IRENE CHMURA

As our seasonal members return and our club activities start up, it is expected that the Tuesday morning coffee hour will resume. When it does, I will be working in the office from 7:00 to 9:00 am, every Tuesday morning. I will be there to take care of key cards, name badges, new member registration, and any other club questions you may have. These hours will increase as more members return. I can also be reached at 248-840-9159 or irenechmura@att.net. Also, in October, I will be working with the Finance Committee to create a proposed budget for 2022 that will be presented initially to the Board and then to the members at our scheduled Board and Member meetings in November. I look forward to seeing all our returning members.

A SALUTE TO OUR VETERANS BY NANCY FOURNIER



Our 3rd Annual Salute to Our Veterans will be on Thursday, November 11, 2021 with a special event luncheon. The program will be starting at 11:00 am. This event is open to all in our Edgewater community. Traditionally, this is an American holiday, but we certainly welcome and encourage all Military Veterans to participate. Lunch this year will be available from 5 Piggies BBQ Food Truck thanks to the efforts of Ray and Bonnie Shepherd. They will serve from 11 am until 2:30 pm for our Veterans Day Event. We will have runners available to get your order if you are unable to stand in line. Watch for further details on the menu and costs

involved. If you would like to be included in our Military Wall of Honor collage, please provide us with a small military photo if you did not provide us one previously (in 2019 or 2020). Include your name, branch and dates of service and bring it back with you or mail it to Nancy Fournier 6263 Parakeet Road – Englewood, Florida 34224. We will collect these until November 5th. We will be raffling a beautiful special Valor Military Quilt handmade and donated by Judi Gatter honoring all five branches of service. Raffle tickets will be available in mid-October during coffee hour. All proceeds from this raffle will go to the Disabled American Veterans. We are calling this raffle the Chairman's Raffle in Memory of Cheryl Miller who was co-chair of this event along with me and brought this event to the Edgewater Club in 2019. Watch here for further details.

NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT: DON MESSIER



I hope everyone has had a great summer connecting with family and friends. Now

that fall has arrived, it's that time of year where many of us will be returning to our happy place and enjoying all of the amenities that the Edgewater Club has to offer. I have had many members contact me, asking if the clubhouse will be open for all of our usual pre-Covid-19 activities; my response has been, YES, at this time, but also be aware that this pandemic is still around, and that may change depending on State and County guidelines. As we did in re-opening the clubhouse, it will be you, the membership who will determine any changes to be made to our operations. Cheryl and I have started packing and looking forward to our return home in mid-October and we are anxious to reconnect with everyone. Finally, let's all hope and pray that our Canadian members will be able to rejoin us this season. Please stay safe and healthy.

WREATH LAYING, SARASOTA NATIONAL CEMETERY BY BOB HAIST

Saturday, December 18th, 2021 is the date that more than 17,000 sponsored wreaths will be placed on the graves of veterans of the US Military Service by volunteers and their spouses, at the National Cemetery near Sarasota (Clark Road, Exit 205). Wreaths will be retired (removed) January 8th, 2022, again by volunteers. Plans for the 2021 memorial ceremony and volunteer participation are not yet final, the result of cautious preparations surrounding COVID guidelines, etc. As I receive updated information, I will share with both Lakeside and Edgewater clubs ASAP thereafter. The LBI-wide plan is that we will again carpool from Lakeside Club parking lot to the cemetery on both December 18th and January 8th. If you would like to participate and be added to our local email list, send email to BobHaist@aol.com, or phone 410-810-4043. Sponsors are needed for each wreath and can be placed to memorialize or honor a veteran or service member of your choice. More information about Wreaths Across America, the ceremony at Sarasota National Cemetery and how to sponsor wreaths can be found at <https://sarasotawreaths.com/>

LEMON BAY ISLES, POA**BY NANCY FOURNIER, PRES.**

Happy Fall Everyone! Here in Michigan the leaves are just starting to turn, and I am glad I am here to see the start of fall before I head back to Florida next week. During this time of uncertainty, some of you may delay coming to LBI, or may decide not to come south at all again this season. If you are coming late or have decided to not come this year, please be sure and make arrangements to have your yard maintained. Maintenance includes power washing, lawn cutting, weed control, and tree trimming. If you are looking for help, we have a list of reputable contractors available. Another reminder that if you are renting your property this year, please complete the Rental Form and return it to Nancy Fournier, Lemon Bay Isles President c/o Edgewater Club, 2840 Waxwing – Englewood, Florida 34224 or by email at nfournier3441@gmail.com. Please contact a Board Member for a copy or go to the Edgewater Club website under Member Information – Documents – Lemon Bay Isles and it is listed as Renters Information. Please remember that Hurricane season lasts until November 30th; be prepared, have a plan, be aware of the weather, listen to the warnings...most of all stay safe. Please look around your property to ensure that everything is safely secured. If your neighbors left things out try to secure those if possible. As you know, Charlotte County had a re-zoning hearing for Pastore Doyle Development on Monday, September 13th, 2021. The Zoning Board recommended approving, by a vote of 4 to 1, the request from Pastore and Doyle to change the zoning on the proposed Pilar's Cay – Residential Apartment Complex to medium density residential. Commissioner, Paul Bigness who voted against going forward had no support to even get a second to have further discussion of the matter. He, like the LBI Property Owners, was concerned about "more than 100% increase of density" - evacuation route and the additional traffic on Winchester and 776. There is still time to let the Commissioners know of your thoughts. Thank you to those who attended the meeting and for those who spoke out about our concerns on this project that will affect our LBI Community. If you would like to comment or voice concerns, you can do so until October 26th. Please email ALL THE COMMISSIONERS AT THIS EMAIL ADDRESS: assistant@charlottecountyfl.gov, COUNTY OF CHARLOTTE, Board of County Commissioners, 18500 Murdock Circle Suite 536, Port Charlotte, FL 33948; www.CharlotteCountyFL.gov

Wherever you are spending your fall, please stay healthy and safe until we are all together again!

HOLIDAY ESTATES III PROPERTY ASSOC. BY MIKE SWIONTEK

Howdy Neighbor, October is here, good news for all. The Season is changing; we won't know for sure what the change will be, but for certain it will change. Although the HOA board are not on site, we are still available should you have a need to contact us. The HOA Email is holidayestates3@gmail.com Remember that <https://edgewaterclubinc.com/index.html> has information about deed restrictions, bylaws, purchase application, renter verification letter, as well as tips and tricks for snowbirds and renters. There are also links to weather, special needs and Charlotte County disaster guide. We are still in hurricane season, so make sure everything is safely secured around your home, and take the necessary precautions. We look forward to seeing everyone in the neighborhood soon. Safe travels.

MEN'S CLUB BY BILL BUTLAND

Welcome back everyone. It is now time to start thinking about volunteering to help in all aspects of putting on Meals for our members. Our first Men's Club Meeting will be on Saturday, Oct 2nd, at 10:00 am, in the All-Purpose Room. We will be putting together crews for the October and November meals. Our first meal of the year will be a Barbeque Rib Dinner on Saturday Oct 23rd; menu will be Barbeque Ribs, Baked Beans, Coleslaw, Roll & Butter, Ice Cream Sandwich, and Complimentary Beverages. Cost will be \$13.00, and tickets will go on sale to members only on Tuesday, October 12th from 7:00 to 8:00 am; any remaining tickets will be sold to members and guests on Tuesday, Oct 19th, from 7:00 to 8:00 am. All male members, including renters in our parks, are automatically members of the Men's Club, no initiation, no dues, etc. All you need to do is attend the Men's Club meeting and volunteer. Hope to see you all on Oct 2nd.

SWIM CLASSES BY LEE CAVEY

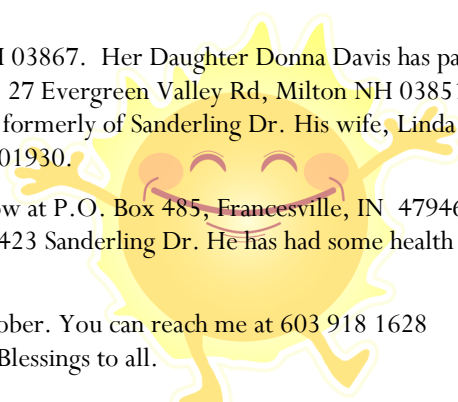
Well, October is here, and swim exercise will continue to be held Monday through Friday, 10:00 am to 11:00 am. See you all there.

SUNSHINE NEWS BY MARY BARNEY

Sympathy cards were sent to: Doris Lavoie, 54 Maple St Rochester NH 03867. Her Daughter Donna Davis has passed away, and I did send a card to her husband Carl on August 25th; Dave Fisher, 27 Evergreen Valley Rd, Milton NH 03851. His wife Claire passed away. They have a home on Sanderling Drive; Bill Riley, formerly of Sanderling Dr. His wife, Linda passed away. Cards can be sent to Bill Riley 154 Essex Ave. Gloucester, MA 01930.

Get well cards were sent to: John Feleki, formerly of Kiskadee, and now at P.O. Box 485, Francesville, IN 47946. John is not doing well, and cards would be greatly appreciated; Bob Everts, 1423 Sanderling Dr. He has had some health issues; Judi Libby, 2702 Tanager Lane, fell and broke her wrist.

Hope you have a wonderful fall season. I will be back in Florida in October. You can reach me at 603 918 1628 or marybarney84@gmail.com if you know of anyone needing a card. Blessings to all.

**CRIBBAGE** BY MARCELLA RALPH

I would like to inform all of my cribbage friends that I am resigning as chairperson for cribbage held at the clubhouse on Wednesday evenings. Due to the Pandemic and border restrictions, I am unable to set an exact date as to when I will be able to return to our home in Florida. Anyone wishing to take on this fun position, please get a key from the office for cupboard #16 in the multipurpose room, where you will find a black travel case filled with cards and cribbage boards. Thank you. Marcella 475-279-1850.

RUMMAGE SALE BY PAT COWAN & BONNIE SHEPHERD

Yes, the annual Rummage Sale will return on Saturday February 12th 2022. Setup will be on Friday the 11th. Be sure to save your donation items. This easy fund raiser is almost pure profit for our club. We have many new members this year, and we hope our seasoned workers will share their experiences so we can have even more participation.

FOOD TRUCKS**BY RAY & BONNIE SHEPHERD**

We are currently scheduling food trucks for mid-October through to the end of the year. We are striving to book Wednesdays from 11:00 am to 2:30 pm or 4:30 pm to 7:00 pm. Some trucks are not available on Wednesdays, so we will vary now and then. As we did last year, food truck schedules will be posted monthly in the clubhouse, with the menus posted at least one week beforehand. Also, announcements will be in Bill Butland's email and at Tuesday morning coffee. Many food trucks are cash only. We will post on the Food Truck Schedule and in our announcements, if credit cards are accepted. Danny's Food truck is scheduled for Wednesday, October 13th, 4:30 pm to 7:00 pm. He was here last season and members loved his authentic Mexican food. Curb Your Appetite is here October 20th, 11:00 am to 2:30 pm, and The Dawg Pound is here October 27th 11:00 am to 2:30 pm. We will provide more details as we get them. Your participation will keep the Food Trucks rolling in once a week!

DANCES**BY TRUDY SOUCY**

We are back! Our first dance since March 2020 will be a Halloween dance, held on Saturday, October 30th, 2021, 7:30-10:30 pm. We welcome the popular husband and wife team "Twice As Nice" to kick off this season. Pending ticket sales, prizes will be awarded to the top three costumes. Tickets will go on sale at Tuesday morning meetings on October 19th at 7:00 am and October 26th at 7:30 am. Tickets are \$7.00 per person and all sales are final. We are so excited to start the dances again after such a long pause. We have missed our dancing friends and are looking forward to seeing all of you on Saturday, October 30th. Time to dust off our dancing shoes and get moving! Yahoo!

FOOD PANTRY**BY JOHN & BECKY GRENIER**

Hello everyone! Thank you so very much for your continued support of The Jubilee Center throughout these hot summer months. The food bank continues to request Sports drinks of all kinds. Non-perishable food items such as Instant potatoes, instant rice cereal, canned fruit, and canned meat are always needed. A big Thank You! to KT for ensuring that the Edgewater Club continues to be a supporter of our Englewood community by bringing your donations to St. David's for the last five months. I don't know what we would do without her! See you all in a few weeks! KT, Becky and John.

TENNIS**BY JOHN ANNUNZIELLO**

Interpark tennis - We have many new residents in the park and some of you may not be aware that we have both ladies' and men's tennis groups who play against other parks. If you have tennis skills and would be interested, please contact John Annunziello at ja000128@gmail.com. We play weekly and take turns, where one week we play at their park, and they will come to our park the following week. There are all levels of skill play, and you would play against a team with similar abilities. Play starts the first week of January. Ruth Hybel heads up the ladies' group, so if interested, please contact her.

CRAFT CLASS**BY MAY ACKLES**

Fall is here and craft classes are going to start on October 4th, 2021 at 1:00 pm in the all-purpose room. All are welcome. Don't forget, we will be having our fall craft show on November 20th. There are four large tables and two small card tables left if anyone wants to sell their crafts (\$10.00/large, \$5.00/small tables). We will have lunch available from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm, so everyone can shop and eat. We also have a bake sale. Anyone can donate some baked goods; it will be appreciated. More to come on that also.

BROADWAY PALMS DINNER THEATRE

BY PAT CAMERON

BROADWAY

Only 16 people presently signed up for the SOUND OF MUSIC..If interested please let me know by October 10, 2021.

Price may vary from \$78 if we car pool. I hope this doesn't happen. Pat Cameron 417-230-1008

NEW MEMBERS!

Dee Schnell & Cheri Systema, 6347 Oriole Blvd., 708-431-5807 Dee, 941-882-2432 Cheri

Allan & Sue Care, 1379 Kiskadee Dr., 610-608-0098(Cell); Northern Address: Collegeville, PA 19426

Joe & Kay Hendrickson, 6288 Bob White Dr., 941-681-2360

James & Linda Kreitzer, 6209 Partridge Ave., 717-645-8614(J) 717-910-8954(L), Northern Address: Carlisle, PA 17015

Tish Toussaint, 6287 Oriole Blvd., 603-534-7548





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10	11	12 Coffee Hr. 7—9 a.m. Rib Dinner Ticket Sales 7-8a.m. \$13	13 Food Truck 4—7pm	14	15	16
17	18	19 Coffee Hr. 7—9 a.m. Rib Dinner Ticket Sales 7-8a.m. \$13	20 Food Truck 11— 2:30	21	22	23 Rib Dinner
24	25	26 Coffee Hr 7—9 a.m.	27 Food Truck 11-2:30	28	29	30 Halloween Dance 7—10:30 p.m.
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Weekly Activities Schedule



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
Pool Aerobics 10:00-11:00	Pool Aerobics 10:00-11:00	Pool Aerobics 10:00-11:00	Pool Aerobics 10:00-11:00	Pool Aerobics 10:00-11:00		
Bridge 12:30pm Mahjong 12:30pm Craft Class 1 p.m. Jam Session 3-5 pm Poker: 6:00pm Dealer's Choice	Early Bird Bingo Regular Bingo 6 pm	Dominoes 6:00pm Cribbage 6:15pm Euchre 6:15pm	Crazy Cards 2nd & 4th Thurs 1 pm Hand &Foot 6:00 Pinochle 6:30 Texas Hold'em	Mahjong 12:30 pm		

Bingo: Alita Marlo 421-2158

Bocce: Debbie Schultz &
Ron Schultz 608-220-6513
Bridge: Patty Minke 474-3860

Bunco: Pat Shireman 574-360-9768 &
Lee Cavey 473-2173

Coffee Hour: Linda Palaza 774-274-0275

Crafts: May Ackles 716-471-9977

Crazy Cards: Pat Cameron 474-4358

Cribbage:

Darts: Dusty Rhodes 401-207-2101

Dealer's Choice: Alita Marlo
421-2158

Dominoes:

Euchre: Pat Cameron 474-4358

Exercise: Ellen Day 203-257-2531

Hand&Foot:

Horseshoes: Alan Beard 603-455-2525

Ladies Tennis: Ruth Hybel 475-2417

Mah-jong: Cindi Martin 475-2399

Mens Tennis: J. Annunziello 830-0746

Mixed Doubles: L. Annunziello 830-0746

Pennies:

Pickle Ball: Fritz Dostie 207-752-4472

Pinochle: Tom Clarke 474-2861

Pool Aerobics: Lee Cavey 473-2173

Poker:

Shuffleboard: Jean Morton 307-9826

Texas Hold'em:

Yoga: Linda Hair-Sullivan 978-761-8336

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