The Springboard

Springwood II's Monthly Newsletter

December 2018 Edition



COMMUNITY INFO:

Trash Collection: Tues. & Fri. *Put out by 6:00 a.m. the morning of collection.*

If putting out the night before, please put plastic garbage bags in a regular garbage container to avoid animal, bird and rodent issues.

Recycle Collection: Wed. Only

Recyclable Items:

Aluminum Cans Glass (all colors)
Plastic Food Containers Newspaper
Assorted Paper Steel Cans
Corrugated Boxes Cereal Boxes

Milk Containers

Important Telephone Numbers:
Spectrum New #: 855-222-0102

To report cable issues or to order upgraded services.

If necessary, reference Springwood II Account Number: 0034865037-01

Duke Energy 800-228-8485 Follow prompts to report power outages or street light issues.

City of Pinellas Park Waste Management:

Trash: 727-369-0690

Management Company:

Ameri-Tech Property Management 727-726-8000

24701 U.S. 19N, Suite 102 Clearwater, Florida 33763 Property Manager: Jenny Kidd

Springwood II Website:

To view our documents and other forms, visit our community website: http://springwoodvillas2.org/

Board of Directors Meeting cancelled for this month.

President's Message:

Here comes the fence!

We witnessed a wonderful show of community involvement as 120 owners voted on the issue of installing white vinyl fencing. A yes-vote was expressed by 110 of those owners. Next steps include completing property surveys as required by the City of Pinellas Park, clearing the overgrown shrubbery and plants along the proposed fence lines and establishing the installation dates. Our neighbors on 56th Street have been very cooperative and as soon as we have the installation date, we will advise our neighbors. They will then complete the clearing of the areas abutting their property.

The new white vinyl fencing will be installed behind Palm Crest; along Hyacinth and behind Rosewood.

If your unit backs along these areas and you have garden ornaments please remove for the installation and if you have plants or bushes, please trim back for the installation. Florida Groundskeepers have been contracted to clear these areas, but you have an opportunity to trim plants that you care about. The villa painting project continues to move forward, and the villa painting committee has been working diligently to gain cooperation and consensus on color selections. We hope to see some freshly painted villas in February.

Just a reminder to all that our community swimming pool is open for swimming from dawn to dusk, only. Please respect our rules and for your own safety do not swim after dusk or before dawn. The holiday season is in full swing. My thanks to each volunteer who ensure our holiday social events are magical! While I will enjoy a white Christmas up in Canada, I wish everyone a warm, happy Christmas and a peace filled New Year.

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Ladies' Holiday

"Out & About"

Place: Olive Garden

Location: 6700 Highway 19

Pinellas Park 727-525-4339

Date: Tuesday, Dec. 18, 2018

Time: 12:30 p.m.

No Gift Exchange This Year

\$5.00 Towards Multiple \$25.00 Drawings

RSVP

Contact Linda Gove at 727-803-6687

or

Pat Circle at 727-545-3803 No Later Than Sunday, December 16, 2018

"Hope to see your there"

Let Linda or Pat know if you need a ride

Bingo Day Change:

Beginning in January, Bingo will be moving to Mondays instead of Wednesdays until further notice. First Bingo will be on Monday, January 7, 2019.

Same time as always.

Submitted by Betty Simon

AARP Safety Driving Course:

Residents,

I am pleased to announce the next AARP Driving Safety Course will be on January 10, 2019 starting at 9am. The course lasts 6 hours and will take place at the Clubhouse Main Hall. There will be a half-hour (30 minute) break for lunch. All attendees will be required to provide their own lunch.

Seating is limited. If you are interested, please sign up early.

The cost of the course is \$15.00 for AARP members and \$20.00 for non-members. All participants will need to bring their current AARP card to receive the discount. Payment in the form of personal check or money order is preferred.

All participants will need to bring a valid driver's license.

A sign-up sheet will be posted on the bulletin board in the Community Club house. Please add you name & phone number to the sign-up sheet no later than Monday January 7, 2019.

If you have any questions, please call Clare Forma at 546-7358.

Flag Theft:

I just wanted to let you all know that I am very disappointed and upset that on Veteran's Day several flags that were on display to honor the veterans were stolen from resident's lawns.

This was a very shameful thing to do and it is disrespectful to the residents and to all those individuals who are being honored for their service.

Submitted by Clare Forma

Camper Violation Notice:

Over the holiday weekend a camper was found to be parked overnight on the community property. As the board does not know who parked the camper, they would like to remind the entire community that campers may NOT be parked on the community for more than four hours. This camper also hooked up to the electric at the clubhouse. This is not allowed at any time. The Board thanks owners, residence and guests for cooperation in respecting our community's rules and bylaws.

Submitted by Jenny Kidd, LCAM Ameri-Tech Community Management

President's Message Continued . . .

I look forward to being back in residence in early January. If you have any needs or concerns requiring attention, during my absence, please contact Jenny Kidd at Ameritech.

In closing I offer some interesting quotes about fences.....

- "Whenever you remove any fence, always pause long enough to ask why it was put there in the first place." Gilbert K. Chesterton
- "Good fences make good neighbors" Robert Frost
- "Most folks are like a barb-wire fence.
 They have their good points"
 Texas Bix Bender
- "The wide world is all about you, you can fence yourselves in, but you cannot forever fence it out."

J R R Tolkien

- 5. "Fences are made for those who cannot fly."
 - Elbert Hubbard
- 6. "Build a little fence of trust today; Fill the space with loving deeds, and therein stay."

Mary Butts

Happy Holidays!

Donna

2019 Dial Directory:

The Springwood II resident list will be submitted to our Dial Directory publisher in December however, publication and distribution of the Dial Directories will be early 2019.

It is up to you, the resident, to contact Kelly Bagley at mkb924@juno.com or 727-388-5886 if you're not in the current Dial Directory or a phone number and/or spelling of name is incorrect or missing.

Submitted by Kelly Bagley



A Special Holiday Gathering

This is a FREE event for Springwood II Residents Only

Come celebrate with us on Saturday, December 22 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

At the Clubhouse

Enjoy Finger Foods, Punch, Caroling and Game Playing

"for a Holiday Gathering to be remembered"

Gift Exchange:

Bring A Gift, Get A Gift - \$10 Limit

(Please be as close as possible to the \$10 Limit)

The gift must be new and not a re-gifting item.

Gift can be over \$10, but not less than \$10.

Note: It is not necessary to bring a gift to participate in this event.

RSVP

 Betty Simon
 727-541-7204

 Del Bowyer
 727-365-2188

 Mary Spielman
 727-545-0315

No Later Than December 18th!

Reservations are necessary to help us coordinate this event.



December Coffee Social:

There will be a December Coffee Social on the first Saturday in December.

If you would like, you may bring something to share with your fellow residents.

December TGIF:

This month's TGIF will be hosted by Phyllis Johnson and Clare Forma on Friday, December 7, 2018.

Starts at approximately 5:00 p.m. 'til . . . The TGIF event is a good time, enjoyed by all. B.Y.O.B. and a dish or dessert to share.

December Anniversaries:

Linda and Art D'Elia 12/10 Carol and Jim Smith 12/16 Carol and Bob Brandl 12/18 Enid and Mark Kaplan 12/24

December Birthdays:

Timothy Watson 12/3 Louise Clausen 12/4 Ray Smith 12/5 Antoinette Begley 12/10 Kathy Rollins 12/11 Winky Gove 12/13 Bill Boyle 12/13 David Gates 12/13 Connie Mowrey 12/16 Patricia Strong 12/18 Vito Cialdella 12/20 Helen Ellicott 12/22 Jeanine Green 12/23 Carol Fisher 12/24 Rene Hammond 12/25 Jane Holt 12/25 Karen Green 12/31

Clubhouse Entry:

Any resident wishing to acquire a Clubhouse entry device(s) should contact any director until Donna returns in January.

Immediately notify any director if you lose an entry device to have it deactivated

Modification Requests:

Until Donna returns in January, please contact any director about *landscaping* and *construction modification requests*.

If you are ever unsure if a modification request is required, contact any director for clarification.

Free Notary Service Available:

Exclusive to Springwood II residents only.
This free notary service is provided by two Springwood II residents.

Donna Goldie 727-546-5015 Ega Ashcraft 727-544-1760

Thank You:

I want to thank all my bingo friends on behalf of my granddaughter, Lorelei. For all the wonderful contributions that you made towards gift cards and beautiful balloons.

Lorelei will put your gift cards to good use. I really appreciate all my friends for being so generous and praying for Lorelei during her recent brain surgery.

Lorelei also appreciates all your friendship.

Thank you all so very much. Donna Goldie

Shuffleboard Update:

Last year Springwood 1 invited Springwood 2 to play shuffleboard and we had about a dozen people who participated. This year we would like to add more Springwood II residents to this list. We play on Friday afternoons from 1 to 3 pm at Springwood 1. There are several levels of playing. We will teach those who never played shuffleboard before. At this time, we can't play at Springwood II because our courts are not usable. And we need five courts to shuffle on.

Submitted by Del Bowyer

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