

# The Springboard

## Springwood II's Monthly Newsletter

January 2024 Edition



### COMMUNITY INFO:

**Trash Pick-Up:** Tues. & Fri.  
**Recycle Pick-Up:** Wednesday

#### **Important Telephone Numbers:**

**Spectrum** 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 streetlight issues.

#### **City of Pinellas Park**

##### **Waste Management:**

Trash: 727-369-0690

##### **Clubhouse Office Info & Hours:**

Tuesday & Thursday 8 a.m. to Noon  
Telephone & Fax: 727-545-0166  
10440 Azalea Park Drive

### MANAGEMENT COMPANY INFO:

#### **Ameri-Tech Property Management**

**Office Hours:** 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

24701 U.S. 19N, Suite 102

Clearwater, Florida 33763

Office: 727-726-8000

Fax: 727-723-1101

Property Manager: Jenny Kidd Ext. 247

#### **Springwood II Website:**

To view our documents and other forms, visit our community website:

<http://springwoodvillas2.org/>

### SUBMIT SPRINGBOARD ARTICLES TO:

**Art D'Elia at:**

[artdelia924@gmail.com](mailto:artdelia924@gmail.com)

Or -

Submit typed or legible hand-written articles to my home address mailbox:  
10657 Rosewood Court

Southwest Florida Water Management District

### **Stage 1 Water Restrictions:**

The Southwest Florida Water Management District has issued a modified Stage 1 water shortage for Pinellas County beginning December 1, 2023. Pinellas County Utilities will move to one day per week watering for all water customers. Please see the new watering restrictions/schedule below:

### **WATERING SCHEDULE:**

The authorized irrigation schedule using Reclaimed, Potable, Well, Lake or Pond sources for all Pinellas County Utilities customers is as follows:

#### **South of State Road 580:**

- Addresses ending in even numbers: (0, 2, 4, 6, 8) **Tuesdays.**
- Addresses ending in odd numbers: (1, 3, 5, 7, 9) **Thursdays.**

**Watering is NOT permitted between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.**

### **BASIC RULES:**

#### ***Wasteful and Unnecessary use of Water is Prohibited.***

This Includes:

- Leaving a hose on unattended.
- Hand-Watering a lawn on a restricted day or more than once on a scheduled day.
- Hosing down a driveway, solid surface, or structure when another method could be used.
- Not fixing an irrigation or plumbing issue, like broken sprinkler heads or outdoor faucet after receiving a verbal warning.

### **VIOLATIONS:**

While under the modified Phase 1 Water Shortage Order, PCU will issue warning that do not carry a fine for the first offence. A second offence will receive a citation that carries a \$193.00 fine.

### **Annual Membership Meeting:**

Tuesday, January 2, 2024, at 7:00 p.m.

Arrive early for registration.

# Cookin with Kenn

## Chicken and Vegetable

### Wild Rice Chowder:

#### INGREDIENTS:

- 2 bacon slices chopped
- 1 large thinly sliced carrot
- 2 stalks celery thinly sliced
- 1 medium yellow onion chopped
- 2 tsp. dried sage
- 3 garlic cloves minced
- 4 cups chicken broth
- 2 cups milk
- 1-8 oz. packet cooked wild rice
- 1 cup corn
- ½ cup chopped roasted red peppers
- 2 cups shredded rotisserie chicken

#### DIRECTIONS:

Heat 2 Tbsp. olive oil in a pot or Dutch oven. Add bacon and cook, stirring frequently, until crisp, about 7 minutes.

Remove bacon with a slotted spoon; leave drippings in the pot. Add carrot, celery, onion, and sage to pot; cook until vegetables begin to soften, 5 minutes. Add garlic; cook 1 minute.

Add ¼ cup all-purpose flour and cook, stirring constantly, 1 minute.

Stir in broth, milk, wild rice, corn and roasted red peppers; bring to a simmer, stirring frequently.

Reduce heat to low. Cover and simmer, stirring occasionally, 10 minutes.

Add chicken and cook, uncovered, until chicken is just heated through, 5 minutes.

Season with salt and pepper, and top with reserved bacon.

*Submitted by Kenn Burkhead*

## Free Notary Service Available:

Exclusive to Springwood II residents only.

This free notary service is provided by two Springwood II residents. By Appointment.

Ega Ashcraft 727-544-1760

Donna Goldie 727-546-5015

*Note: Do not sign documents to be notarized until you are in the presence of the Notary.*

## January TGIF:

This month's TGIF will be held on Friday, January 12th at 5:30 p.m. Please bring a dish, hors d'oeuvres, or dessert to share.

Cocktails at 5:30, dinner at approximately 6:00.

*Submitted by Juanita Blair*

## Thank You:

I would like to everyone for putting up the Christmas decorations in December. I would also a special thank you to Kelly Bagley for making lunch for the volunteers and to Jerry & Martha Passamonte for putting up the outside decorations.

*Submitted by Juanita Blair*

## Volunteers Needed:

I need volunteers to help me take down the clubhouse Christmas decorations on Saturday, January 6th, at 10:00 a.m. Thank You!

*Submitted by Juanita Blair*

## Joke Corner:

- I called the incontinence hotline recently. They asked if I could hold.
- Now that I've gotten older everything's finally starting to click for me . . . My knees, my back my neck.
- Knock-Knock, Who's there? Yule. Yule who? Yule be sorry if you don't open this door!
- Knock-Knock, Who' there? Snow. Snow who? Snow way I'm telling you.

*Submitted by Peggy Evans*



## Our Best Ever Nativity:

A huge thank you to Dave Strenkoski for building the nativity and to Jennifer Hanks for setting up the placement of figures.

## January Birthdays:

Mike Taylor 1/4                      Sandy Norton 1/22  
Pravina Bhatt 1/5                    Louanne Prentki 1/22  
Noemi Maldonado Pasols 1/6  
Michael Zilora 1/7                    Faith Haines 1/24  
Jon Gerry 1/10                        Cheryl Peer 1/24  
Christine Mason 1/13                Bridgette Foster 1/25  
Phillip Ahlborn 1/14                 Marta Merle 1/28  
Jenn Hunter-Oden 1/15               Lilly Peteff 1/30  
Malinda White 1/16                 Glenda Dixon 1/30  
Kelly Ann Aguirre 1/18              Marilyn Brunnelle 1/31  
Elnora Owens 1/20

## January Anniversaries:

Marge and Joe Sioch 1/5  
Louise and Mike Taylor 1/9  
Eleanor and Marshall Gordon 1/16  
Michelle Long and Dale Anderson 1/19  
Susan and Tom Wier 1/20

## Food Pantry Dates:

Monday, January 1st – Perishables  
Monday, January 15th – Non-Perishables  
Monday, January 29th – Perishables  
**Numbers will be available at 12:00 in the library.**  
*Food will be distributed once all food items are on tables. You will be called in according to the number you received when you arrived.*

## In Memoriam:

Ralph Payne - Vito Cialdella  
*Rest in Peace!*

## Springwood II Toy Drive:

Our Toy drive along with the Pinellas Park Fire Department, was a huge success this year. We had four boxes of toys, 10 tricycles and well over \$200.00 in cash to give to area children in need. I would like to thank the many residents that made this happen. I would also like to thank Peggy Evans for helping me coordinate this year's drive.

*Submitted by Mary Young*

## Cookin with Kenn

### Blueberry Banana Bread:

#### INGREDIENTS:

- ½ cup unsalted butter
- ½ cup sugar
- ½ cup brown sugar
- 2 large eggs
- 3 large, crushed bananas
- 2 tsp vanilla
- Juice of 1 medium lemon
- Zest of 1 medium lemon
- 1 ½ cups all-purpose flour
- ½ tsp salt
- 1 tsp baking soda
- 1 cup blueberries

#### INSTRUCTIONS:

In a small saucepan over medium heat, melt butter. Stir continuously until butter has turned an amber color and has a nutty aroma, about 10 minutes. Remove from heat. Let harden to the consistency of soft butter by placing the browned butter in the refrigerator for about 1 hour and stirring every 15 minutes. Preheat oven to 350. Use butter or cooking spray to grease the inside of a 9x5 loaf pan. Using an electric mixer with paddle attachment, beat butter, sugar, and brown sugar until lightened, about 2 minutes. Beat in eggs, one at a time, scraping down sides as needed. On low speed, mix in crushed bananas, vanilla extract, lemon juice, and lemon zest, until well combined. In a small bowl, stir together flour, salt, and baking soda. Gradually mix into banana mixture. Fold in blueberries. Bake for 50-60 minutes or until knife inserted into center of bread comes out with just crumbs.

*Submitted by Kenn Burkhead*



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## JANUARY CLUBHOUSE ACTIVITIES

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<b>1</b> STRETCH BAND EXERCISES 10:30 A.M. FOOD PANTRY 1:00 P.M. AQUA FIT 1:00 P.M. GAME NIGHT 6:00 P.M. 'til	<b>2</b> AQUATICS 1:00 P.M.  ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING 7:00 P.M.	<b>3</b> AQUATICS 1:00 P.M.  BINGO 6:00 P.M.	<b>4</b> STRETCH BAND EXERCISES 10:30 A.M. CHAIR VOLLEYBALL 2:00-4:00 P.M. POOL PARTY 6:00 P.M. 'til	<b>5</b> AQUATICS 1:00 P.M.  LINE DANCING <i>with Josie</i> 12:30-2:30 P.M. POKER 6:00 P.M.	<b>6</b> CHAIR VOLLEYBALL 2:00-4:00 P.M.
<b>7</b>	<b>8</b> STRETCH BAND EXERCISES 10:30 A.M. AQUA FIT 1:00 P.M. BIBLE STUDY 1:00-3:00 P.M. GAME NIGHT 6:00 P.M. 'til	<b>9</b> AQUATICS 1:00 P.M.	<b>10</b> AQUATICS 1:00 P.M.  BINGO 6:00 P.M.	<b>11</b> STRETCH BAND EXERCISES 10:30 A.M. CHAIR VOLLEYBALL 2:00-4:00 P.M. POOL PARTY 6:00 P.M. 'til	<b>12</b> AQUATICS 1:00 P.M.  TGIF 5:30 P.M.  POKER 6:00 P.M.	<b>13</b> CHAIR VOLLEYBALL 2:00-4:00 P.M.
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<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> STRETCH BAND EXERCISES 10:30 A.M. AQUA FIT 1:00 P.M. BIBLE STUDY 1:00-3:00 P.M. BOD MEETING 7:00 P.M.	<b>23</b> AQUATICS 1:00 P.M.	<b>24</b> AQUATICS 1:00 P.M.  BINGO 6:00 P.M.	<b>25</b> STRETCH BAND EXERCISES 10:30 A.M. CHAIR VOLLEYBALL 2:00-4:00 P.M. POOL PARTY 6:00 P.M. 'til	<b>26</b> AQUATICS 1:00 P.M.  POKER 6:00 P.M.	<b>27</b> CHAIR VOLLEYBALL 2:00-4:00 P.M.
<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> STRETCH BAND EXERCISES 10:30 A.M. FOOD PANTRY 1:00 P.M. AQUA FIT 1:00 P.M. GAME NIGHT 6:00 P.M. 'til	<b>30</b> AQUATICS 1:00 P.M.	<b>31</b> AQUATICS 1:00 P.M.  BINGO 6:00 P.M.	STRETCH BAND EXERCISES 10:30 A.M. CHAIR VOLLEYBALL 2:00-4:00 P.M. POOL PARTY 6:00 P.M. til	AQUATICS 1:00 P.M.  POKER 6:00 P.M.	CHAIR VOLLEYBALL 2:00-4:00 P.M.