

# The Springboard

## Springwood II's Monthly Newsletter

October 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:

#### **Jenny Kidd, LCAM**

##### **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 / Ext. 247

Fax: 727-723-1101

##### **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 in my garage door mailbox at: 10657 Rosewood Court

### **President's Message . . .**

We have a busy end of the year schedule coming up:

#### **Here's what's happening on . . .**

**November 19, 2024 at 7:00 p.m.:**

- **2025 Budget Meeting**
- **Annual Membership Meeting**
- **Organizational Meeting**

The Annual Membership Meeting is being held on the third Tuesday in November to avoid conflicting with the Thanksgiving holiday.

There are three (3) director positions open. If you have a desire to be on the 2025 Board you must have your name submitted to Ameri-Tech no later than October 14, 2024, stating your intent to be on the board, along with a bio stating your qualifications.

If there are more candidates than positions open, there will be a **"Meet the Candidates"** on October 15, 2024, at 2 p.m., in the clubhouse main hall.

I encourage you to attend so you can best decide who you feel would be the **"best of the best"** to be part of the 2025 Board of Directors.

I urge you to vote on qualifications and not make it personal. These people will be working with the current remaining board members managing our roughly 1.5-million-dollar budget.

Ballots, if necessary, will be mailed out on October 18, 2024, if necessary, the vote will take place on November 19, 2024 during the Annual Membership Meeting.

### **Other Business:**

#### **Community Directional Sign:**

The Board received 2 quotes for replacing the street sign by the front lake and have approved the quote from Signarama. We are currently waiting for the new sign to be built and installed.

#### **Clubhouse Entrance Doors:**

The board is looking into quotes to replace the lobby doors so they can be controlled by an automatic Handicap button.

#### **Emergency Ingress and Egress:**

We are reaching out to the Pinellas School Department to have a written agreement and process to utilize their property as an emergency entrance/exit should the front entrance get blocked.

**2025 Budget:** We are currently working on the 2025 budget.

## TGIF:

Date: Friday, October 11th

Time: 5:30 p.m. 'til . . .

Dress up in your favorite costume. Prizes will be awarded. Don't forget to bring some cash for the 50/50 drawing.

Please bring a dish, hors d'oeuvres, or dessert to share.

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

Bring your own beverage.

*Submitted by Juanita Blair*

## New Residents:

Leslie Logel and David Ward

5387 Ferndale Place

Steven VanSickle and Steve Swickheimer

5470 Palm Crest Court

Mark and Andrea Nivens

5389 Springwood Blvd.

## Italian Night:

Date: **Saturday Nov. 2nd at 5:00 p.m.**

Place: Clubhouse Main Hall

Tickets: Only **\$8.00** per person

Menu for the evening will be:

Spaghetti and Meatballs

Garlic Bread, Italian Bread, Salad, Desserts, and Iced tea. BYOB

Music with our Italian Cuisine will be provided.

This will also be the kickoff for the TOY DRIVE!!!

Bring a toy if you would like. All proceeds from 50/50 will go toward the purchase of toys through the Pinellas Park Fire Dept!!

Looking forward to seeing you all!

### To reserve your dinner tickets, contact:

Betty Simon 727-541-7204

Mary Young 727-214-8690

Juanita Blair 727-296-8697

Donna Goldie 727-546-5015



## October Coffee Social – Hosted by Lilly

Saturday, October 5th

9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

## October Ladies'

# "Out & About"

Place: **Portillo's**  
2302 Tyrone Blvd.  
St. Petersburg  
727-390-6625

When: **Tuesday, October 8th**

Time: 12:00 Noon

## RSVP

Betty Simon at 727-541-7204

Or

Peggy Evans at 209-331-9245

*No Later Than Sunday, October 6th,  
so we can make proper seating arrangements.*

You can visit their website at

[www.portillos.com](http://www.portillos.com)

***We Hope to See You There  
for a Wonderful Lunch!***

## Bunco:

The Activities Committee invites you to come play Bunco at the clubhouse library the fourth Thursday of each month.

Bunco is a fun dice game that you can play with no prior experience. The cost is \$3.00 per person and cash prizes are awarded at the end of each game. Games start at 6:30.

Hope to see you there!!!

*Submitted by Jody Fournier*

## Attention Residents:

Save the date. December 14 will be the Christmas Party. Stay tuned for further details. HoHoHo!

*Submitted by Mary Young*

## October Birthdays:

Michelle Long 10/4     Joe Sioch 10/13  
Ernie Vales 10/4     Cathy Palio 10/14  
Dale Young 10/6     Sandra Thomas 10/14  
Jody Fournier 10/7     Tom Wier 10/14  
Maria Navarro 10/7     Marshall Gordon 10/17  
Ken Knapp 10/8     Ken Zagerski 10/17  
Phyllis Johnson 10/8     Jill Robison 10/18  
Carol Pagels 10/8     Chuck Viers 10/18  
Jane Gresens 10/9     Tracy Cunningham 10/19  
Scott Laneville 10/9     Ed Trahin 10/22  
Kevin Williams 10/11     Edward Brown 10/28  
Kathlyn Kraus 10/12     Ronald Hutchins 10/17

## October Anniversaries:

Mary and Dale Young 10/9  
Irene and Walter Potok 10/13  
Penny and Mike Abulencia 10/26

## 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.*

## Food Pantry:

Monday, October 14th

Monday, October 28th

*Numbers will be available at 12:00 in the library.*  
At approximately 1:00 p.m. you will be called  
into the main hall according to the number you  
received when you arrived.

## *Ray Blair Service:*

Friday, October 18, 2024 – 2:00 p.m.  
at Bay Pines Cemetery.

## *Celebration of Life:*

Saturday, October 19, 2024 – 2:00 p.m.  
in the clubhouse main hall.

*If you knew Ray and loved his smile, come and  
say goodbye!*

## Honey Roasted Beets

### INGREDIENTS:

- 3 large beets
- 1 tablespoon olive oil
- 1 pinch salt
- 2 tablespoon honey

### DIRECTIONS:

Preheat the oven to 375 degrees.  
Line a baking sheet with parchment paper.  
Cut the stems and leaves from beets and wash well.  
With skin on, cut beets into chunks. Toss beets in  
olive oil and sprinkle with salt.  
Spread beets in an even layer on the prepared  
baking sheet.  
Roast in the preheated oven for 30 min.  
Remove from the oven and drizzle with Honey.  
Using a wooden spoon, stir beets to coat completely  
with honey, then spread them back out on the pan.  
Continue roasting until tender, about 15 minutes.  
Allow to cool.

*Submitted by Kenn Burkhead*

## German Potato Soup

Makes 8 servings.

### INGREDIENTS:

- 1 onion, chopped.
- 1 leek trimmed and diced.
- 2 carrots, diced.
- 1 cup chopped cabbage.
- ¼ cup fresh chopped parsley
- 4 cups of beef broth
- 1 lb. potatoes, diced.
- 1 bay leaf
- 1-2 tsp. black pepper
- 1 tsp. salt
- ½ tsp. caraway seeds
- ¼ tsp. nutmeg
- ½ lb. bacon, cooked and crumbled
- ½ cup sour cream

### DIRECTIONS:

Combine all ingredients except bacon and sour  
cream.  
Using a slow cooker, cover and cook on low 8 to 10  
hours or 4 to 5 hours on high.  
Remove bay leaf. Use a slotted spoon to remove  
potatoes. Mash potatoes and mix with sour cream.  
Return to slow cooker. Stir in. Add bacon and mix  
thoroughly.

*Submitted by Kenn Burkhead*

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## OCTOBER CLUBHOUSE ACTIVITIES

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		<b>1</b> AQUATICS 11:00 A.M.	<b>2</b> AQUATICS 11:00 A.M.	<b>3</b> STRETCH BAND EXERCISES 10:30 A.M. CHAIR VOLLEYBALL 2:00-4:00 P.M.	<b>4</b> AQUATICS 11:00 A.M. LINE DANCING <i>with Josie</i> 12:30-2:30 P.M.	<b>5</b> COFFEE SOCIAL 9:00 - 11:00 A.M.  CHAIR VOLLEYBALL 2:00-4:00 P.M.
<b>6</b>	<b>7</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>8</b> AQUATICS 11:00 A.M.  LADIES OUT & ABOUT LUNCHEON <i>See Page 2 for Details!</i>	<b>9</b> AQUATICS 11:00 A.M.	<b>10</b> STRETCH BAND EXERCISES 10:30 A.M. CHAIR VOLLEYBALL 2:00-4:00 P.M.	<b>11</b> AQUATICS 11:00 A.M.  TGIF 5:30 P.M.	<b>12</b> CHAIR VOLLEYBALL 2:00-4:00 P.M.
<b>13</b>	<b>14</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>15</b> AQUATICS 11:00 A.M.	<b>16</b> AQUATICS 11:00 A.M.	<b>17</b> STRETCH BAND EXERCISES 10:30 A.M. CHAIR VOLLEYBALL 2:00-4:00 P.M. KARAOKE 6:00-9:00 P.M.	<b>18</b> AQUATICS 11:00 A.M.  LINE DANCING <i>with Josie</i> 12:30-2:30 P.M.	<b>19</b> CHAIR VOLLEYBALL 2:00-4:00 P.M.
<b>20</b>	<b>21</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>22</b> AQUATICS 11:00 A.M.  BOD MEETING 7:00 p.m.	<b>23</b> AQUATICS 11:00 A.M.	<b>24</b> STRETCH BAND EXERCISES 10:30 A.M. CHAIR VOLLEYBALL 2:00-4:00 P.M. BUNCO 6:00 P.M.	<b>25</b> AQUATICS 11:00 A.M.	<b>26</b> CHAIR VOLLEYBALL 2:00-4:00 P.M.
<b>27</b>	<b>28</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>29</b> AQUATICS 11:00 A.M.	<b>30</b> AQUATICS 11:00 A.M.	<b>31</b> STRETCH BAND EXERCISES 10:30 A.M. CHAIR VOLLEYBALL 2:00-4:00 P.M.		