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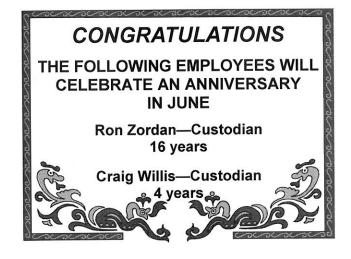
PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I would like to thank everyone for their patience and understanding while renovations were done to the Clubhouse. Through the efforts of the Central Social Committee and the Federation, working together a lot has been accomplished. Knowing that tastes differ, we understand that not everyone will like the finished product, but hopefully the majority will. I have already heard negative remarks about some of the materials used in this process, but I think it would be wise to hold your opinions unless and until you know the wording of the contract.

Respectfully,











Bob Ipri President



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Use Of Sea Towers Facilities

The facilities of Sea Towers are for the exclusive use of the residents. Guests and visitors must be approved for entry by the host through security at the time of the visit. THEY ARE NOT ALLOWED TO USE THE FACILITIES IN THE ABSENCE OF THE OWNER UNLESS THEY ARE RESIDING IN THE OWNERS UNIT. The Rules and Regulations are in compliance with the Amended Fair Housing Act since this property has been designated as residence for older persons as provided within the Amended Fair Housing Act. Children are subject to rules and regulations as provided and the unit owners are responsible for all actions, damages, etc. of any guest or visitor when those individuals are utilizing the facilities of the Sea Towers complex.

SEA TOWERS DOES NOT SPONSOR ANY EXERCISE PROGRAM

The volunteer in charge of leading the exercise class/ activity is without safety skills, life safety training, Red Cross water safety training, exercise certification, and liability insurance.

There is no life saving equipment on property. All persons involved in any class or activity do so at their own risk and waive any claim for injury, loss or otherwise, based on negligence, action or inaction of the Federation of Sea Towers.

Anyone involved in any exercise class/activity does so understanding the above referenced risks and assumes those risks.

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PLEASE be sure your name, phone number, building and unit number are on the cover page for all incoming faxes.

The Sea Towers fax number is (727) 397-8910.



REMEMBER, THE SPEED LIMIT ON SEA TOWERS PROPERTY IS 15 MILES PER HOUR!

Residents and Vendors

Residents should not approach or discuss matters with the landscapers, painters or any other vendors working on the property. Any issue a resident might have should be presented to your building's governor. The governor can resolve your issue at a workshop or with the administrative office. Your cooperation is appreciated!

FEDERATION OFFICE HOURS

Mondays
Tuesdays
Wednesdays
Thursdays
Fridays
7:30 am to 4 pm

Saturdays closed Sundays closed

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

Police, Fire or Ambulance......dial 911
Sea Towers Administrative Office.....(727) 397-1164
Sea Towers Security Gate House......(727) 393-6811
Sea Towers Recreation Office.......(727) 392-5017
Duke Energy (electric).......(727) 443-2641
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Sea Towers

MANAGER'S CORNER



The start of July brings with it, Independence Day, a day for all Americans to celebrate. You have to love a nation that celebrates its independence every July 4th, not with a parade of guns, tanks, and soldiers who file by the White House in a show of strength and muscle, but with family picnics where kids throw Frisbees, the potato salad gets iffy, and the flies die from happiness. You may think you have overeaten, but it is patriotism.

THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED FRIDAY, JULY 4TH

BICYCLES AND PEDESTRIANS

Whether you are driving, pedaling or walking through the complex please be aware of your surroundings. Make sure your guests or visitors pay attention as well.

Follow the rules of the road

Obey all traffic signs

Obey our speed limit of 15 mph

When walking stay on the sidewalks when available (bicycles are not allowed on sidewalks or on the lagoon walkway)

Do not drive through carports just to save a few seconds. This is a very dangerous activity as anyone at any time could step out from between or behind a parked vehicle.

STORAGE IN COMMON AREAS

Everything on the outside/exterior of your condominium unit is "common area". As stated in your association documents, individual unit owners cannot take common areas for their own use, such as storing personal belongings, installing extra lighting, removing screen doors, painting the exterior walls or exterior door surfaces, planting plants or placing potted plants outside of the individual unit in breezeways or stairwells, etc... These areas belong to the association and must remain as originally built or designed. All nine of the Sea Towers associations have the following statements in their Governing Documents:

Maintenance – The responsibility for maintenance of the condominium property shall be as follows:

By the Apartment Owner – (2) Not to paint, decorate, or otherwise change, the appearance, or any portion of the appearance, of the exterior of the apartment building.

In addition all nine associations Rules and Regulations say - (3) Common areas of the building, such as the hallways, stairs, stairwells, elevators, landscaped and grassed areas, shall be used only for the purposes intended. No articles belonging to the apartment occupants shall be kept in such areas, temporarily or otherwise.

Quote of the month:

Let every nation know, whether it wishes us well or ill, we shall pay any price, bear any burden, meet any hard-ship, support any friend, oppose any foe, to assure the survival and success of liberty.

John F. Kennedy

Until next month,

Arthur Penny, CMCA, AMS Your Community Manager



The Federation of Sea Towers Owners' Associations At Independence Cove

4570 Cove Circle, St. Petersburg, Florida 33708

Flood Declaration Page Information

If you have a Mortgage or a Line of Credit, your bank will require,

ANNUALLY, a flood declaration page. Your building's flood insurance expires on the dates shown below. You may obtain a flood declaration page from the office:

<u>Building</u>	Expiration Date
Jefferson House	10/15/2014
Hamilton House	4/13/2015
Columbia Towers	10/15/2014
Lexington Towers	10/4/2014
Continental Towers	11/6/2014
Concord Towers	10/15/2014
Heritage House	10/21/2014
Washington Towers	11/23/2014
Colonial Court	10/23/2014

If your mortgage holder requires additional flood insurance information all buildings may contact:

Mitchell Insurance Services, Inc.

Attn: Robert Mitchell, III Office: 727-360-8190 Cell: 727-804-1514

Fax: 727-360-6086

For mortgage holders in need of the **Master Policy** for their Association, please contact:

Stahl & Associates
110 Carillon Parkway

St. Petersburg, FL 33716 Attn: Maureen Rogan

Phone: 727-391-9791 Fax: 727-393-5623

E-Mail: maureen.rogan@stahlinsurance.com

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Jefferson House (31)	Linda Arseneau	Chairman	398-5075	103
4700 Cove Circle North	Harvey Hoffmann	V-Chair/Treas.	391-4930	201
1 Elevator	Marge Sansone	Secretary	314-280-3243	301
Hamilton House (63)	Paul Desmond	Chairman	391-2762	410
4650 Cove Circle North	Bob Ipri	V-Chair/Sec.	392-0588	111
1 Elevator	Gerry Tedesco	Treasurer	330-0622	508
Columbia Towers (109)	Michele Elliott	Chairman	346-5292	709
4725 Cove Circle North	Bruce Tillotson	V-Chair/Sec.	258-7614	609
2 Elevators	Buz Murphy	Treasurer	727-258-8661	901
Lexington Towers (109)	Ken Kennedy	Chairman	393-0645	801
4750 Cove Circle North	Carol Graves	V-Chair/Sec	398-5334	905
2 Elevators	Bob Maggs	Treasurer	519-5285	901
Continental Towers (107)	Bill Dennis	Chairman	479-5555	703
4775 Cove Circle North	Nick Porter	Vice Chairman	393-7100	809
2 Elevators	Dominick Venezia	Sec./Treas.	395-9447	907
Concord Towers (107)	Charles Czerwinski	Chairman	289-9256	406
4525 Cove Circle North	Dennis Jager	V-Chair/Sec.	810-728-1890	107
2 Elevators	Marlo Kravec	Treasurer	391-3627	109
Heritage House (107)	Beth Ballauer	Chairman	397-4346	706
4575 Cove Circle North	Steve Zentmeyer	Vice-Chair/Sec.	717-802-0262	609
2 Elevators	Juan Saenz	Treasurer	616-433-7091	208
Washington Towers (107) 4550 Cove Circle North 2 Elevators	Ed Hansen	Chairman	392-8790	208
	Terry Miller	V-Chair/Treas.	847-867-8904	1208
	Carol Beyus	Secretary	954-3547	401
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4780 Cove Circle North	Cindy Hazlett	V-Chair/Treas.	599-8275	306
1 Elevator	Mary Lou Murphy	Secretary	397-3577	304

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Revised 6/13/2014



Sea Towers Social News

By: Cathylee Kjellstrand-Granucci, M.A.



CLUBHOUSE NEWS

The parking area outside the clubhouse has been completed and looks awesome. Jeff Greer and Mike Fleming did an outstanding job in finishing up the painting of the lines and bumpers, it really makes the area look polished.





The Ice Machine in the clubhouse has been moved out of the kitchen and is located in the storage room next to the kitchen. This will help to keep the kitchen cooler. Please turn off the lights and close the door when finished getting ice. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.





By the time this Chatterbox is distributed the Auditorium flooring should be completed and the kitchen started. Thank you to the following volunteers in getting the auditorium and kitchen ready for renovations: Tina Czerwinski, Dee Gilbride, Cindy Hazlett, Marie Ipri, and Sharyn Janz.



Bob Ipri and Bob Beyus having fun during Ice Cream Social.



Tina Czerwinski, Dee Gilbride and Marie Ipri giving the scoop to Carol Beyus and Sharyn Janz!



Zac Cline, Fabian Cox and Bob Ipri



Fran & George Keidel





Jolynn Weinfurtner and Zac Cline

Ed & Rose Radtke

We are implementing an initiative to find out what events and activities residents really like now and would like to happen in the future. Outside my office is the Social Director's mailbox, which I would like you to use as a suggestion box. There are forms to fill out and put in the box. Please stop by and put in as many suggestions as you can and all will be considered. I very much appreciate you taking the time to do this.

Thank you to all that helped out at our events during the month of May, to include but not limited to Sharyn Janz, Tina Czerwinski, Dee Gilbride, and Marie Ipri. Your help and contribution to our events make them the success they are.

Thank you!

We need to send out a very special <u>thank</u> <u>you</u> to the sponsors that contributed to our events this month.

The sponsor for May's Coffee & Donuts
was Zac Cline from Disaster One; and
May's Ice Cream Social sponsors were Scott O'Berry from
Edward Jones and Donna Ceasare from Arden Courts. Thank
you so much!

Words to live by.....

"Finish each day and be done with it. You have done what you could. Some blunders and absurdities no doubt crept in; forget them as soon as you can. Tomorrow is a new day. You shall begin it serenely and with too high a spirit to be encumbered with your old nonsense."

~ Ralph Waldo Emerson

God Bless our military, veterans, their families, and Sea Towers!



Blood Donor Honor Roll

Sea Towers Tuesday, May 27

CAROL HARSCH PETER JANZ SHARYN JANZ JOHN KILLIAN KALIB SCOTT

SUMMER EVENTS AND REMINDERS

Wednesday, July 9th at 9:00 am in the Auditorium we have the regularly scheduled Open Council Meeting. All throughout the summer we will continue to have these

summer we will continue to have these meetings on the second Wednesday of the month. By attending these meetings you will be able to stay well informed about your Sea Towers Community. Refreshments will be served.



Wednesday, July 16th at 10:00 am on the Clubhouse Patio we



will have **Coffee and Donuts**, and throughout the summer every third Wednesday of the month. Donuts from Sunshine Bakery will be served, as well as fresh Decaf and Regular Coffee. Please come out to the patio and enjoy a nice day with fellow Sea Tower residents. No Charge.

Wednesday, July 23rd at 1:00 pm in the Clubhouse Auditorium

and continuing throughout the summer on every fourth Wednesday of the month we have scheduled **Ice Cream Socials**. Come and mingle with other Sea Towers residents and enjoy a good selection of Ice Creams. No Charge.



Friday, July 25th 11:30 pm-1:00 PM in the Clubhouse Auditori-



um Homemade PIZZA BY THE SLICE only \$3.00 (Pepperoni or Cheese); comes with a beverage. Limited amount of pizzas (8 slices per pizza) will be made, serving until we run out! So get your slice right away!

UPCOMING TRIP

Sea Towers Group Cruise February 7th—February 14th 2015. Sailing out of Tampa on Royal Caribbean Vision of the Seas to Rotan, Honduras, Belize City, Costa Maya and Cozumel. See Advertisement in this Chatterbox for additional information. Please contact Advantage Cruises & Tours for more information.



What's Happening!

Blood Pressure Testing the second and fourth Tuesday of the month at **11:00 am** in the Clubhouse Ladies Card Room. No Charge.

Bridge every Tuesday at 6:30 pm in the Clubhouse Card Rooms. No charge.

Darts every Monday at 6:45 pm in the Clubhouse Men's Card Room. No charge.

Game Night every Monday at 6:30 pm in the Clubhouse outside the Ladies Card Room. No charge.

Hand and Foot every Tuesday at 6:30 pm in the Clubhouse Auditorium. No charge.

Hand and Foot For Beginners every Monday at 1:00 pm in the Clubhouse Ladies Card Room. No charge.

Hearing Check every fourth Tuesday of the month at 11 am in the Clubhouse Card Room. No Charge

Mahjongg every Wednesday at 1:30 pm in the Clubhouse Ladies Card Room. No charge.

Men's / Women's Poker every Thursday at 6:30 pm in the Clubhouse Card Rooms. No charge.

Mexican Train Dominoes every Friday at 6:30 pm in the Clubhouse Ladies Card Room. No charge.

Pinochle every Tuesday at 1:30 pm and Thursday at 12:30 pm in the Clubhouse Ladies Card Room. No charge.

Shuffleboard every Tuesday at 1:00 pm & 6:45 pm at the Shuffleboard Courts behind Heritage House. No charge.

Texas Hold 'em every Tuesday and Sunday at 7 pm in the Clubhouse Auditorium. No charge.

Water Aerobics Monday thru Friday from 9 am in the Clubhouse Pool. No charge.

Thursday, August 7th Lunch in the Clubhouse!
Cathylee's Baked Honey Glazed BBQ Whole
Chicken Wings (5); comes with Italian potato
salad, fruit slice, cookie, beverage & popcorn.
ONLY \$4.00

Thursday, August 7th Serving starts at 11:30 am until we run out!

Need to SIGN UP with your Social Director to ensure we don't run out.

Coffee And Donuts On The Patio

Wednesday, July 16th 10:00 am

"I told the waitress I wanted some coffee. She asked if I wanted leaded or unleaded, so I had to leave the restaurant, because I quit drinking gasoline years ago." ~Jarod Kintz

Ice Cream Social

Wednesday, July 23rd, 1:00 pm

Clubhouse Auditorium



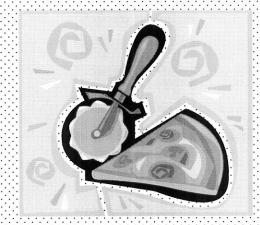
No Charge!

"Forget art. Put your trust in ice cream." ~Charles Baxter

Friday, July 25th, 11:30 am-1:00 pm

Clubhouse Auditorium

PIZZA BY THE SLICE



Homemade Pepperoni or Plain Cheese Pan Pizza only \$3.00 Per Slice. Includes a can of soda.

FLORIDA BLOOD SERVICES AT SEA TOWERS



oneblood Tuesday, July 29th 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm

The Florida Blood Services will be here for a Blood Drive. WITH YOUR BLOOD DONATION YOU WILL RECEIVE A BEACH TOWEL AND GIFT CERTIFICATE TO OUTBACK

The Blood Mobile will be located at the Clubhouse parking lot.

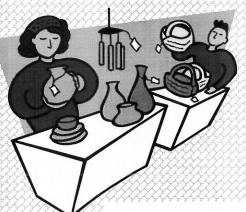
We need at least 10 to participate please sign up at the Social Directors office TODAY.



Do to popular demand
Central Social
will be Sponsoring
A Holiday Festival
CRAFT FAIR

Start putting your ideas together to SHOW & SELL your beautiful ARTS & CRAFTS









Saturday, November 15, 2014

UPDATED THE DATE TO THE 15th OF NOVEMBER!!!

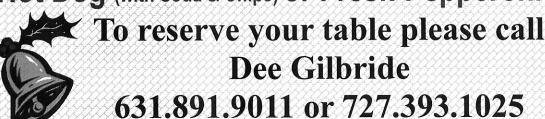
TIME: 12:00 PM- 3:00 PM

Clubhouse Auditorium
Share The Wealth; CHINESE AUCTION



LUNCH AVAILABLE \$3.00 ea

Hot Dog (with Soda & Chips) or Fresh Pepperoni PIZZA!





Must reserve early to get your table. HURRY limited tables available!

In-House Maintenance Work Orders CALL: (727) 397-1164



The following is a list of services that the Federation maintenance personnel provide for our residents. Our fees are \$20.00 (minimum) labor for the first ½ hour and \$15.00 (minimum) labor for every ½ hour thereafter plus the price for parts.

- 1. Install bathroom sinks
- 2. Install kitchen sinks
- 3. Install bathroom faucets
- 4. Install kitchen faucets
- 5. Install new/replacement faucet handles **Owner supplied**
- 6. Install grab bars Owner supplied
- 7. Bathroom ceramic towel & soap holder replacement
- 8. Install shower heads **Owner supplied**
- 9. Install ceiling fans (Plug in type only)
- 10. Install closet shelves Owner supplied
- 11. Install blinds Owner supplied
- 12. Trim interior doors
- 13. Electrical wall outlet cover replacement **Owner supplied**
- 14. Install smoke alarms (Battery operated only)
- 15. Install ice maker kits Owner supplied
- 16. Install new mailbox locks
- 17. Install A/C condensate lines with T For Clean out line
- 18. Repair leaking faucets
- 19. Repair leaking sinks
- 20. Repair leaking toilets, if parts available (No toilet or wax ring replacements)
- 21. Replace hard to reach light bulbs
- 22. Replace angle stops on toilets and under sinks
- 23. Replace doorbell buttons
- 24. Change door knobs and locks **Owner supplied**
- 25. Change cartridge in shower / tub / faucet
- 26. Change filters in water systems <u>Owner supplied</u> (non-pressurized systems only, <u>no</u> reverse osmosis systems)
- 27. Change filters in air handler **Owner supplied**
- 28. Cut and change panels in ceiling lighting **Owner supplied**
- 29. Assemble bookcases / computer desks
- 30. Transport suitcases & boxes to and from vehicles (Mon. to Fri. with prior notice)
- 31. Pick up and discard old interior doors and sliding glass doors

ALL WORK ORDERS MUST BE SCHEDULED THROUGH THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE

MAINTENANCE PERSONNEL ARE NOT ALLOWED TO TAKE WORK ORDERS DIRECTLY!

Call the administration office for more details. (727) 397-1164

THE FEES LISTED ABOVE ARE FOR ONE MAINTENANCE PERSON, ADDITIONAL PERSONNEL WILL BE AN ADDITIONAL COST

<u>DUE TO LIABILITY ISSUES SOMEONE MUST BE HOME AND REMAIN WITH OUR MAINTENANCE PERSONNEL WHILE THE WORK</u> IS PERFORMED - IN-HOUSE WORK ORDERS ARE SCHEDULED ON A FIRST COME - FIRST CALL BASIS

Lexington Towers

June 15th was Fathers' Day and I just wish that all Dads, Uncles and Grandfathers celebrated in a joyous way. I wanted to let you know it was founded in Spokane, WA at the YMCA in 1910 and was created to compliment Mothers' Day.

I can't believe July is here already. I silently watched the Horoscope Crab nip Leo in the butt to get him into his month. His time starts the 22nd of this month and he was having trouble accepting that it's almost here. He is feeling the impact of the Golden Years, they're whizzing by.

This month we celebrate Independence Day, the 4th of July. In 1776, USA declared its independence from Britain. Have a great Holiday and remember the boys and girls who fight for our freedom.

Well our neighbors, the Radke's are on the road again. They have gone to Michigan to visit with their family for the month of June. I wish them happy and safe times while they are there.

Our neighbors on the sixth floor are a quiet, charming couple you may not have met yet.. Lois is a graduate of Boston State College in Elementary Education. Lois taught in Hawaii (at the grammar school Obama went to) then went to Japan. She worked as a teacher in Japan for the Department of Defense for the US Gov't. While there met her husband and had a daughter. After 5 years returned to Massachusetts. As a single mother and raised her daughter alone. She met Terry, a confirmed bachelor, who was originally from Guyana (W. Indies) who attended the University of London (undergrad degree in Physics), transferred to University of Toronto where he earned a Master's in Business. He worked for the Canadian Gov't. Before retiring and moved to the USA where he became a citizen. No longer a confirmed bachelor they have been married for 20 years. Terri retains citizenship for Britain, Canada and the USA. It was a joy talking with them and learning their history.

Giggle Time: Steve says Doc, "I want to be castrated." "What on earth for?" It's something I've been thinking about for a long time. If you don't do it, I'll go to another doctor."

"Ok but it's against my better judgment." Steve has his operation. The next day he walks down the hospital corridor very slowly, legs apart, with his drip stand. Heading toward him is another patient walking exactly the same way. "Hi there says Steve, "It looks as if you've just had the same operation as me. "Yeah". Says the patient, "I finally decided I"d like to be Circumcised."

Steve's eyes widen in horror "OH NO"! That's the word.

Well that's it for this month – enjoy any company you receive and try to stay cool.

Carol Graves cgraves27@tampabay.rr.com

Jefferson House The Oldest and The Best

By now all the northerners are up north enjoying their other homes and families. It seems like everyone arrived safely. We all wish them a great summer.

Hopefully, the weather will cooperate for the Fourth of July and everyone will enjoy celebrating our country's special day. Always remember to be safe around fireworks, let the ones that know about them entertain you. Our beaches always put on a great display, some you can even see from home and don't have to go anywhere.

This is officially Hurricane season and make sure you are prepared ahead of time. Our weather channel has put on several shows to keep us informed on what we need to know. Here's hoping that we will have a quiet Hurricane season.

Sometimes Associations reserve the beach house. There is a calendar on the wall with information about the time and date of these reservations. In the summer there is hardly anyone using it so you can go, use the grills and tables on a first come, first serve basis. Sharing with all residents is the watch word and often you can use a grill that someone has finished with but still has hot coals. Of course, the pool and all other facilities are always open to everyone.

Linda and Tom Arseneau's grandson Tommy celebrated his 7th Birthday with a great party that his parents had at the beach house with his friends and relatives. They all had a great time.

Joe and Cathy Wos' grandson Christopher celebrated his 9th Birthday recently up north. They live near Chicago and we usually go there to be with him but will probably go later in the summer before he starts school in the fall.

Linda Arseneau is doing her usual outstanding job of keeping up with the repairs around our building all through the summer, and we thank her for that.

We have a few new residents at Jefferson that we would like to welcome and hope they enjoy living here even if it's for only part of the year. I know they will find everyone friendly around here.

Remember to "Chat with the Cat" Cathy Wos

Please see your Social Director for Sea Towers Stationery

- Sea Towers writing pads (50 sheets)...\$1.50
- Sea Towers envelopes (pack of 10)......\$1.00

Washington Towers

Celebrations in July: Independence Day is July 4th Major League Baseball All-Star Game is in Minneapolis on July 15th

Happy Birthday this month to Al Exon, Bob Leichtfuss, Joan Leichtfuss, Kay Cunningham, Alan Harrington, Terry Roe & Darlene Jorgensen

The Board of Governors contracted to have our 2nd floor deck resurfaced at their May meeting.

Also, Ed Hansen our Washington Chairman announced his 2nd retirement at the end of this year. Many thanks to him for his years of service, first from December 2004 to December 2010, and again from early 2013 through this year. Serving on the Board of Governors is often a thankless job, but we in the Washington Towers have been very fortunate to have many neighbors do an outstanding job over the years. A big thank you to all of them. If you can give time to help "manage" our building, please seriously consider volunteering to serve.

Kathy & Gerry Arnold's son Matthew graduated with honors from Roosevelt University and Gerry was there for the celebration. Also, daughter Corrin (who got married last October) and her husband Ron moved into their new home in Port Washington, WI.

A little lighthearted humor: An elderly gentlemen had serious hearing problems for a number of years. He went to the audiologist & was able to be fitted for a set of hearing aids that allowed him to hear 100%. The elderly gentlemen went back in a month & the audiologist said, "Your hearing is perfect. Your family must be really pleased that you can hear again." To which the gentlemen said, "Oh, I haven't told my family yet. I just sit around & listen to the conversations. I've changed my will 3 times."

Reminder to send me an email or give me a call with any news you'd like included in our Washington Towers column.

Marian Jannusch

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Continental Towers The Star of the Circle

Hi everyone! Continental Towers is quiet with not much going on. I apologize for not getting a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board for my suggested "live alone" get together. I will be proceeding with posting a sign-up sheet.

Our luncheon for May was at the Spinners restaurant on the top of the Hotel at St. Pete Beach. It was delightful. The floor revolves around giving you a complete view of St. Pete Beach. Thanks to Lucille Cambardella for planning this for us.

Marge Rowland planned the June luncheon held at Sweet Sage. The July luncheon is to be announced. Watch the bulletin board for details.

The spotlight this month is Betty Blair in unit #601. At the luncheon in May, I was fascinated by her story of being a WAVE in WWII. I'd like to share it with you.

Betty joined the WAVE's in 1943. She was sent to Hunter College in New York City for basic training (not a bad place for basic training). From there she went to Norman, Oklahoma where she was taught airplane mechanics. Most girls were nurses or secretaries. Betty was special. She never went overseas but spent the remainder of the war taking care of planes at Navy airplane training centers in the U.S. She would even warm up the planes before the cadets came to the field.

When the war was over did she go back home? Not our Betty. She joined the Army as a civilian employee and was sent to Japan, Guam, etc. She continued her work as a medical supply clerk. She met and married her husband upon returning to the USA. After she and her husband retired from the military, they moved to Florida in 1956. The moved to Continental Towers in April 2001.

I will be away until the 23rd of July; I hope to go to Ocean City, MA, Virginia, New York, Connecticut and Maine. I will tell you all about my trip when I return.

Have a wonderful July and enjoy the fireworks at Madeira Beach they are spectacular.

Till next month,

Marge Rolfs (#209) 727-345-3271



In Memoriam

Maj. William Perkins Continental #802

Columbia Towers "The Gem of Sea Towers"

Happy July.

Named after Julius Caesar, this month features our Independence Day celebration (fly those flags people), and Bastile Day. It is also National Ice Cream month. The birthstone is Ruby. I'm not sure what Fran Keidel has in store for a 4th of July party for the Columbians but watch the bulletin board.

Ronnie and I are still in Philly. It's hot here also. My spies tell me that it's very quiet around Sea Towers. Apparently, most residents are elsewhere. I hear that Ed Holden is planning his annual visit to New York this month to fish and party with his sons.

Also, Allan Redmond will travel on Alaskan Airlines to Seattle next month. He'll help his son in law celebrate his 70th birthday and to visit with his 2 year old great granddaughter. As a WW II vet he'll get some extra fussing from the stews.

At the Columbia meeting June we were led by Michele Elliott in person. She was accompanied by Buz and Bruce on the telephone. Aren't we lucky to have resourceful governors? Michele left shortly after to join husband Ed in England. Our governors are only a phone call away.

As mentioned, most people are away and news is scarce. I'm not even going to fill space with a joke.

Let me know any news.

As always, I appreciate your news for the column.

Joe Egan JoeEgan705@gmail.com 610-532-6165

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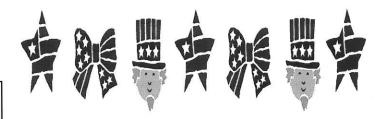
July has arrived and along with it hot weather, cool swimming pools, warm Gulf water and really hot sands. Beside all of these things, vacation time has arrived for many. Beth and Chris Ballauer are visiting the British Isles and will be at Wimbledon during the fortnight of the championships. Pat and Adam Robertson have been to the Gulf Coast, Pacific Coast, North Coast and the Atlantic Coast. It is somewhat like a yo-yo. I hope jet lag never plays a big part.

Beside everyone's travels, Heritage has a big birthday coming up for one of its residents. Bob Fredrick will be 90 years young this month, congratulations, Bob. We all wish you many many more.

Bob may be one of the few WWII veterans still around to celebrate our National Holiday, July 4th. This day revolves around the flag of the USA. Did you know that there have been six (6) different names for our flag? The "Grand Union" date 1775, "Betsy Ross Flag" May 1776, "13 Star Flag" June 14, 1777, "15 Star Flag" 1795, "Civil War 35 Star Flag" and finally as we know it, "Old Glory". What a great run these flags have had.

Whatever you choose to do during the Holiday, or anything else during the rest of July, we all hope you have happy and safe outings. Take care, smile and say hello to your neighbors.

Until next time, Pat Robertson



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COLONIAL COURT

We're looking spiffy here at Colonial Court with flags and banners flying, thanks to Eleanor & Jack McCarrie. June was a quiet month, but we're wishing all a sparkling and safe Fourth of July.

Cindy Hazlett 599-8275

PLEASE SHOWER BEFORE ENTERING THE POOLS

In these days when everyone is concerned with using sunscreen to prevent sun damage while at the pools, it is necessary to remember to ALWAYS shower before entering the pool when suntan lotion is used. Not only will this help prevent the unsightly ring that forms around the pools, but it will also help prevent clogging of the pool filters and skimmers. Sun tan lotion will eventually clog the filters that routine backwashing does not remove, and necessitate replacement of filters, thereby creating an expense that is above and beyond our pool maintenance agreement.

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The View from Hamilton House

Welcome to The Hamilton House Cave

...or how Susan persuades Jeff to cook dinner

Not much to write about as the quiet of summer settles in. Well there's always something to write about. Take my wife, for instance. Please. OK, that's an old joke. Remember who made it famous? And do you remember last month's joke at Susan's expense? Well I paid for that.

After close to 25 years on a vegetarian diet, the last 10-12 as a vegan and high raw, plant-based diet, Susan's wild adventures have now taken her into the world of the PALEO DIET. Yes, as in Paleolithic, Cave Men and Women; a diet fashioned after what they ate – animals and plants – veggies and fruit, and nuts and berries.

That means no grains or processed foods. Ads for this PALEO diet have fun little headlines, like "Hunt, Don't Gather". We're eating buffalo! So, after inviting guests for dinner recently, Sue hunted down a buffalo (I think she brought him down with a two-handed backhand swing of her tennis rack) and then turned the dinner prep over to me. Here's what the menu looked like. It read:

"Tonight's menu will be non-dairy, grain and gluten-free, and feature buffalo meatballs in a seasoned marinara sauce over strips of zucchini and summer squash, served with a small spring mix salad and PALEO style garlic bread sticks. Dressing is Sue's Secret organic blended potion. (Buffalo meatballs optional)

Dessert will be Fresh Blueberry Crumble - PALEO style with an optional splash or glass of Courvoisier. The Cave's Beer Selection: Killian Irish Red (OK, a token grain beverage) and The Cave's Wine Selection, Amber Mist Blackberry Merlot."

Of course, it was a hit. Speaking of hit. How did Susan persuade me to cook?



Jeff Belyea

Classified Ads

Classified ads are to be submitted by Sea Towers' residents only. Ads are free and must not be more than 20 words in length.

All ads must be <u>submitted in writing</u> to the Secretary, Laurie Lorenz, <u>no later than the 20th of the month</u> for inclusion in the next month's Chatterbox.

You may email your ad to: stowers4@tampabay.rr.com or fax to: (727) 397-8910 attention Laurie. Thank you!

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- **Likelihood of being the victim of a scam.** Unlicensed persons often disappear after taking your money, leaving you with very few options to help you get your money back or your work completed. Scams in the construction industry, especially home improvement, sadly are, widespread. Con artists pose as contractors and often target vulnerable people and take advantage of homeowners.
- Limited resources for broken contracts. When you have a dispute with a licensed contractor, you
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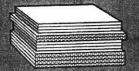
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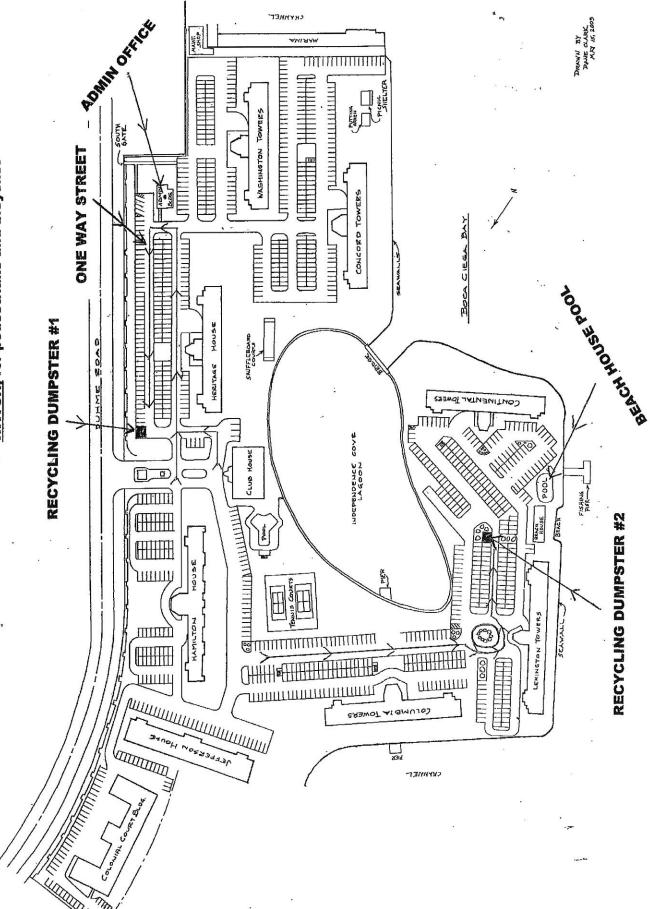
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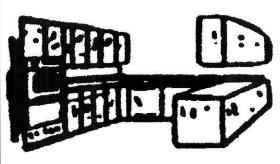
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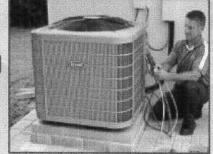


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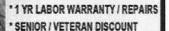
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J & R Premier Plumbing, Inc.

Lic #: CFC1426862

727-395-9415

WHILE SUPPLY LAST...30-gallon Lo-Boy Water Heaters (made by Bradford White in the USA) \$495.00 (plus required County permit fee)

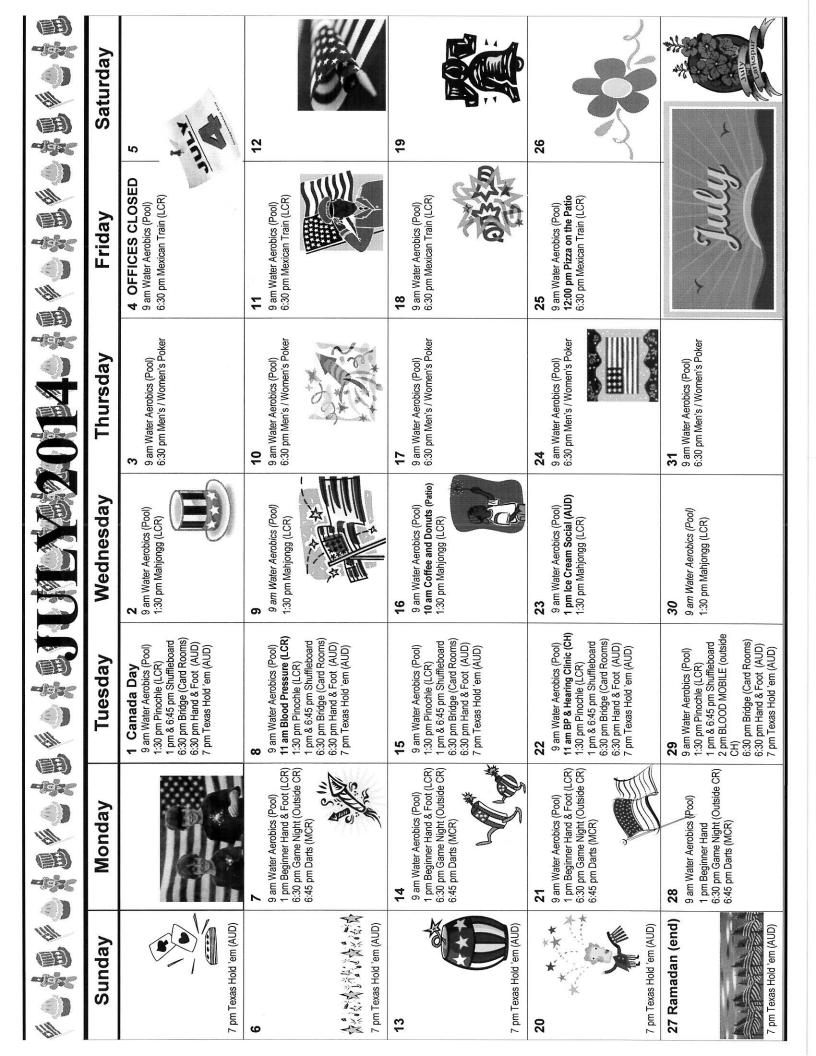
Moen Chateau Single-Lever Faucet w/ Spray Chrome \$180.00 installed

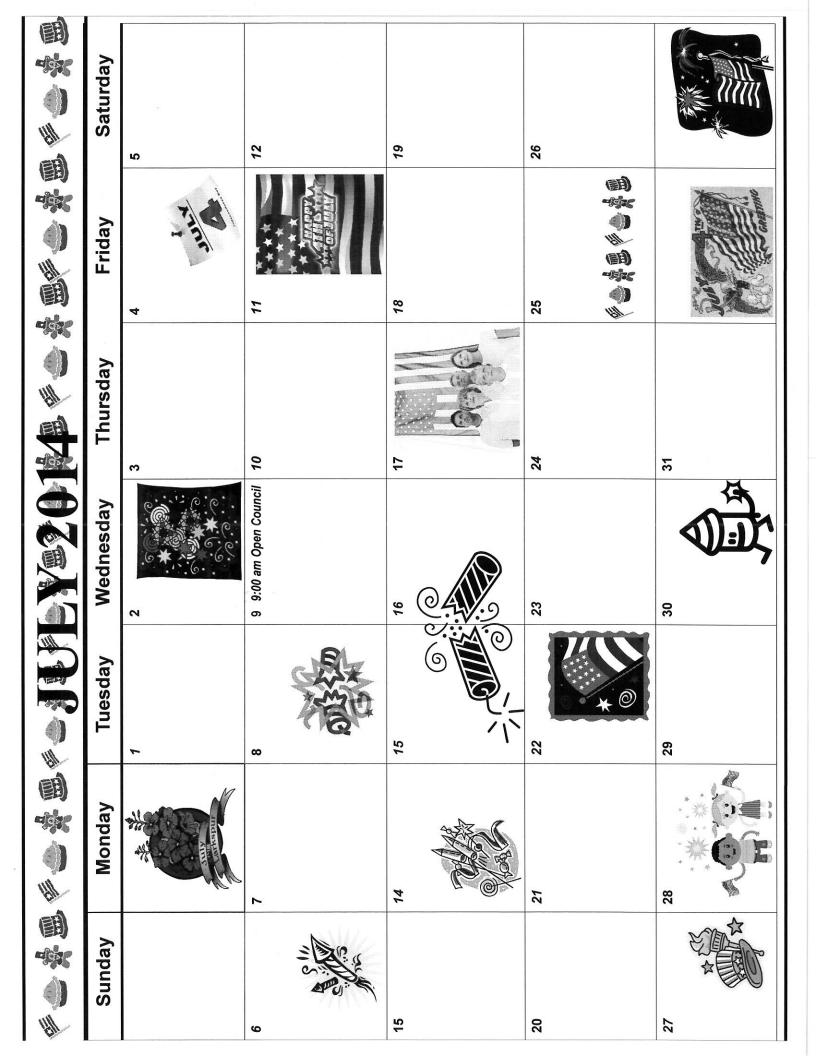
Replace shut-off valves under kitchen sink (2 lavatories & 2 toilets) with 1/4 turn valves... \$160.00 installed

White 12" RGH Gerber Avalanche Comfort Height Elongated Toilet... \$360.00 installed

Serving Sea Towers 24 hr/7 days a week

Never a service charge or Over Time charge 100% customer satisfaction guaranteed





PINELLAS COUNTY EVACUATION ASSISTANCE/SPECIAL NEEDS REGISTRATION Registration for: ☐Special Needs Shelter ☐Transport Assistance ☐Both Once this registration form is processed, your local Fire Department will contact you.

LAST:	FIRST:	Date of F	Birth:/ _/ □Male □Female	
STREET ADDRESS:			APT# LOT#:	
CITY:	ZIP:		_ PHONE:	
I REQUIRE TRANSPORTATION AS	SSISTANCE: □YES □NO LIVING	SITUATION: ALONE RELATIV	/E □OTHER	
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SPECIAL NEED (CHECK ALL THATE Kidney Disease Dialysis Center. Days a Week: Insulin Dependent Oral Medication (pills) High Blood Pressure Heart Disease Stroke No problems Needs assistance Speech Impaired Cancer: Year On Chemotherapy now On Radiation now Emergency Contacts	AT APPLY) Questions? Call Health D Asthma Emphysema COPD Breathing Treatment Oxygen:LPM Ventilator Cannot breathe on your own Mental Health Impaired Schizophrenia Obsessive Compulsive Violent Behavior Other: Memory Impaired Sight Impaired Wears Glasses Blind Service Dog Hearing Impaired Hard of Hearing Deaf	Department – 538-7277 ext. 7916 Walker/Cane Wheelchair user Able to stand with help Unable to stand Bedridden only Geri Chair Incontinence Occasionally Wear adult diapers Feeding Tube Unable to swallow** 24 hour feedings** For medications only Syringe feedings or unable to swallow needs to go to a hospital or nursing home Allergies:	Electrical Dependent, Why? CPAP/BiPAP Electric Wheelchair/Scooter Nebulizer (breathing treatment) Oxygen Concentrator Feeding Tube Other: Other Special Needs: MANDATORY SpNS Dialysis, Oxygen, Breathing Treatment, Feeding Tube (syringe feedings or for medications only) Bring all supplies to SpNS	
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			PHONE:	
Prearranged: Hospital:	Nursing Home: _		Other:	
NAME:	R	RELATIONSHIP:	PHONE:	
Doctor's name:		PHONE:		
Form completed by (PRINT NEATLY): Relationship: Phone #: By signing this form I give my authorization for the medical information contained herein to be released to the county health department, emergency management, local fire districts and receiving facilities for the purpose of evaluating my needs and providing emergency transportation and sheltering. Records relating to registration of disabled citizens are exempt for the provisions of F.S. 119.07(1), Public Records Law. The information contained here will be kept confidential. Signature Date				
Official use only			Date	
Transport to: General Shelter Special Needs Shelter Other Register for Special Needs Shelter Only				
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