

SEPTEMBER 2014

Parrot Talk

PRESIDENT'S CORNER



CALL FOR EXCOMM NOMINATIONS

September & October for terms beginning January 1, 2015

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BLOOD DRIVE

Fire Station 44 September 11

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DAVID MACDOUGALL CHARITY GOLF

"For Hospice's Sake"
September 17th

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FUNDRAISER FOR HAVEN HOUSE

Cody's Brownwood Sept. 23rd

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FALL BUS TRIPS

Day Trips: St Pete Beach, Cedar Key, Ybor City

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CRUISE 2015

Book now for next April

See flyer Page #7 for details

YTB TRAVEL AGENCY

Book through our own travel agency.

60% of the commissions are returned to the Club

www.ytbtravel.com/villagesphc

What a month in August!

From a 5 O'clock somewhere at City Fire in Brownwood, to an awesome pool party at Seabreeze, to being back at Hemingway at Havana with over 300 members at the Phlocking.

Now on to September and another full schedule to have fun. We will have another Pool Party this month at the Waterfront Inn in Lake Sumter Landing. Then a Blood Drive at Fire Station #44 (Pinellas and Morse Blvd) on 9/11 which we all know is so important.

But the BIG EVENT of the month is the Dave Macdougall charity golf tournament for Hospice. Lets fill all the tees and make this another great success.

There is a RUMOR of a "singles club". **We are not having a club within the club**, but X-COMM is looking at ways to reach out to the unaccompanied members in the club through guidelines that are consistent with the by-laws. This is a process which in order to get it right we will need some time and input from the members.

We need to remember **we are all Parrot Heads** and all the members are important.

Thanks
Lee Caron

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PHLOCKINGS

- 1) Wednesday September 3
@Palmer CC@4:00PM
- 2) Tuesday September 16
@Havana CC @4:00PM
- 3) **Thursday September 18**
@Mallory Hill CC @4:00PM

****Note : Havana CC back on
schedule as of August***

*******Mallory Phlocking moved
due to Madougall Golf the 17th***

***Wear your Parrot Head shirts
and name tags***

Food Pantry items on Pg#4

5 O'CLOCK SOMEWHERE

Wednesday September 10th
@Waterfront Inn Pool Party
@3:00PM-6:00PM

EXCOMM MEETING

Monday Sept. 22nd @Arcadia Home
Care & Staffing (Pinellas Plaza) @2472
Burnsed Blvd @9:00-11:00AM
All Members welcome to attend

SUMMER GOLF SCRAMBLES

The final Scramble of the season is at Bogart the
28th of September beginning at Noon.
Golf will be followed by a social and winners' prizes
at Mallory Hill Country Club
Signups through Mallory Phlocking
Cost is \$5 per person.

Carol O'Neal, Co-Chair @352-751-0035

DAVID MACDOUGALL MEMORIAL CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT

Benefits Hospice in the Villages

This year's theme: For Hospice's Sake

Wednesday September 17th @Evans Prairie CC
2:00PM Shotgun start Scramble format-144players

Starting at Noon, (you may want to come early for
lunch) there will activities on the porch, including a
putting contest, games, sale of Mulligans and 50/50
tickets.

Signups at Palmer and Havana Phlockings (sign up
as 1,2,3 or 4 players)

Cost \$75PP includes golf, dinner and prizes

****Dinner-only tickets for non-players are \$15PP**

Larry Ridgley & Jan Stahlheber, co-chairs
@259-7450

See flier <http://www.thevillagesparrotheads.com>

FALL HARVEST/HALLOWEEN DANCE

Wednesday October 29th @Paradise Recreation Ctr
Tickets @\$10PP on sale starting at Palmer
Pizza & Dessert (BYOB)
Prizes for best costumes (costume not mandatory)
Music by C-Squared Duo (Clark Barrios)

Gypsy Ginchereau, Chair @352-430-2083

See flier <http://www.thevillagesparrotheads.com>

PHLOCKING OPERATION TIMES

Phlocking Sign-Ins: 30 mins prior to start time, for 2 hours
Membership Table: 30 mins prior to start time, for 2 hours
Phins Up Shop: Published start time for 2 hours

HIMALAYAN PUTTING CONTEST

Monday November 10th @3:00PM @Palmer
signups at September & October Phlockings

Carol O'Neal, Chair @352-751-0035

NIGHT GOLF

Tuesday November 25th @dusk @Saddlebrook
Signups at September & October Phlockings

Carol O'Neal, Chair @352-751-0035

CHRISTMAS PARTY

Saturday December 6th @Paradise Recreation Ctr
5:00PM-10:00PM (Dinner at 5:30PM)

Tickets @\$30PP on sale in October

Dinner catered by Athens NY Restaurant

Jim Asbell & The Tropaholics

Glenny Kinder, Chair @259-3832

Joyce VandeMaele Co-Chair @751-0754

NEW YEARS EVE PARTY

Wednesday December 31st @Paradise Rec Ctr
8:30PM-12:30AM

Music by Dunning Shaw

Tickets on Sale in November

Shalda Nelson, Chair @352-259-2869

Joette West, Co-Chair @352-259-9314



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OUT OF TOWN EVENTS

FALL BUS DAY TRIPS

Saturday Sept 20th St Pete Beach

\$20PP **5 seats left on sale at Palmer

Debbie Sobota, Chair @633-2599

Paul Kinder, Co-Chair @259-3832

Saturday Oct. 18th Cedar Key Seafood Fest.

\$20PP **Sold out: waiting list

Chairs: Dian Harvey @630-8942

Debbie Sobota @609-471-4104

Saturday Nov. 15 Ybor City Pub Crawl

\$20PP ** on sale at Havana Phlocking in Sept.

Chairs: JoAnn Todd@561-4923

Jennifer Costello@895-1838

**See fliers: <http://www.thevillagesparrotheads.com>

SAVANNAH/CHARLESTON BUS TRIP

Cancelled due to low number of signups

Victoria Privott, Chair @ (757)869-8975

FALL GOLF OUTING

Ormond Beach/Daytona Hampton Inn @I95 Exit 268

October 12th-14th: 2 day Golf Outing

Signup at Aug. Phlockings includes \$10 for prizes

****Only 5 spots left as of publication****

Contact the Hampton Inn @386-677-9999 to reserve a room. Cost for 2 persons: \$345 (pay hotel) includes hotel and golf. Be sure to tell the hotel (Tony) that you are with The Villages Parrot Head Group.

Errol McKinney (352)391-1748

Curt Leggett (352)399-6662

SANIBEL ISLAND

Monday October 20-Monday October 27, 2014

For reservations contact Steven Snyder at Sanibel Arms West (800)950-1138

www.sanibelarmswest.com

Flyer <http://www.thevillagesparrotheads.com>

Jan Brooks for information @ (352)751-1763

MEETING OF THE MINDS KEY WEST

"Havana Daydreamin"

Annual National PHIP Convention

October 29-November 2, 2014. Register by going to the PHIP website:

<http://www.phip.com/motm.asp>

The registration cost is \$90 PP. The convention is held at the Casa Marina Resort. Rooms may be booked at:

www.casamarinaresort.com

Other hotels may be found through

<http://www.fla-keys.com/propsearch/accomloc.cfm>

Convention Schedule: http://www.phip.com/MOTM_Schedule.asp

You have to check out this lineup of outstanding Trop Rock Musicians from Wednesday through Sunday.

Not to be missed is the Margaritaville Street Fest Friday October 31st from 1:00-5:30PM at the corner of Duval and Fleming Streets featuring Jim Morris and the Big Bamboo Band AND Howard Livingston and the Mile Marker 24 Band.

BILOXI MISSISSIPPI BUS TRIP

Sunday Dec 7-Wednesday Dec 10

On sale starting in September at Palmer Phlocking

Cost: \$229 per person (Dbl); \$344 Single

Beau Rivage Hotel+\$25 Slot Play+\$24 Bkfst Buffets

See Flyer <http://www.thevillagesparrotheads.com>

Victoria Privott, Chair @ (757) 869-8975

GASPARILLA PIRATE FEST

Saturday January 31, 2015 in Tampa

Signups in September @Palmer

or call Skip Todd@ (352)561-4923

Cost (\$60PP) includes bus & grandstand seating

Dinner at Spaghetti Warehouse is extra

gasparillapiratefest.com



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CHARITY ACTIVITIES

911 REMEMBRANCE BLOOD DRIVE

"One Blood" will have the Big Red Buses at Fire Station 44 (Morse Blvd & Pinellas Place, South of 466A) Thursday September 11th from 9:00AM-4:00PM. Contact Tony Banner @407-473-4360

FUNDRAISER AT CODY'S

Tuesday September 23rd @4:00PM the Charity Committee will be sponsoring a fundraiser at the new Cody's in Brownwood to benefit the Haven House of Lake & Sumter Counties, a local organization which provides shelter for battered women and children who are victims of domestic and sexual violence.

We can show our support by attending this fundraiser and "Partying with a purpose."

The only "up front" cost is a \$5 wristband.

Members may make additional donations to the HavenHouse at this fundraiser.

Cody's will provide music, food, happy hour drinks, a raffle and an auction.

A statement from Steve Larson, Community Relations Trustee

There seems to be some confusion about the fundraisers hosted by Cody's and I would like to give everyone an overview of these events. The Executive Committee, based on a recommendation of the Charity Committee, selects the individual charities and the number of fundraisers to be held. Volunteers sell the wristbands, 50/50 tickets and raffle tickets and we keep all of the funds collected. We solicit advertising merchandise to be raffled from local distributors who support our fundraisers. Cody's provides the food and their outside bar area at no charge to the Club. In the most recent fundraiser we generated \$1245 which was given to Veterans Helping Veterans at the end of the event.

The benefits Cody's receives is the Club goodwill and the knowledge that they are helping a local charity. They are the only restaurant that we have found that has the space to accommodate our event and is willing to give us free food to make the fundraiser a success.

ADOPT-A-MANATEE

The EXCOMM has approved an annual donation of \$105 to the Save The Manatee Club under the Adopt-A-Manatee program and adoption of three manatees: **Rosie** (Homosassa Springs) **Nick** (Blue Spring State Park) and **Ginger** (Tampa Bay) who have been made honorary members of The Villages Parrot Heads Club and will be featured on the Club website with a link to www.savethemanatee.org. We will receive T-shirts which will be raffled off with the proceeds going to the Save The Manatee Club. Please note that Jimmy Buffett is Co-Founder and Co-Chair of the Save The Manatee Club.

CHRISTIAN FOOD PANTRY ITEMS ALWAYS NEEDED

Potato dishes, beef stew, canned meat, chili beans, crackers, dry pasta, french-fried onion rings, canned gravy, macaroni & cheese, dry soup

mixes, pancake mix, syrup, canned milk, stuffing mix, tuna helper, diced tomatoes, tomato sauce, carrots, canned chicken & dumplings, canned chili,

cooking oil, pork & Beans, flour, canned fruit, hamburger helper, muffin mix, peanut butter, rice, spaghetti sauce, sugar, paper towels, toilet paper, Kleenex,

LAKE PARADISE CLEANUP

The last Thursday of each month, Virginia and George van Santen (750-6269), plus Bob and Cathy Snyder lead a cleanup of the area around Lake Paradise. Volunteers are asked to wear covered shoes and gloves and meet next to the Dog Park across the bridge from Spanish Springs at 9:00AM for the one hour task.



Membership News

WE WELCOMED 60 NEW MEMBERS IN AUGUST

Let's all make them feel welcome!!

Sandie Aurilio
John & Nery Benson
Dennis & Jacky Bergey
Frank & Linda Blews
Barry Brooks
Sandra Brown
Larry & Shari Burkhart
John & Susan Chaves
Suellen Clementino
Paul Favreau
Mary Ann Garbeck
Sam Giuliano

Isabel Gray
Barb Hansen
Michael Henry
Sharon Herbold
Craig & Lydia Hoedel
Jerry Holbrook
Holly Hollingsworth
Robert & Barbara Liannielli
Phil Leduc
Paul & Rose Lipowocz
Carol Maddox

Charlie & Nancy Manganiello
Peter McFarland
Bill & Peg Mikesell
Keith Morcroft
Cindy Moser
Bill & Karen O'Connell
Beverly Parrish
Rick & Debbie Pavlinski
DeLyn Perrault
Michael & Ellen Race
Arlene Recchia

Judy Rose
Kathy Schaffer
Jan Smith
Joann Snyder
Cindy Sutorka
Lucy Tillman
John Toale
Sandi Uram
Ray Valukonis
Alex Weaver
Tom & Janet Wilson

ATTENTION MEMBERS

PLEASE contact our Membership Chair Julie Harris at the Membership table or email her at halldrama1@outlook.com if your address, phone number or email address changes. this is vital to keep our records up to date and assure that you receive our club communications.

Also, please note that if you need a new badge because the original was lost or you want a different first name shown than the one on your application, there is a \$5 cost for a new badge.

MEMBER EXPECTATIONS

Members of The Villages Parrot Heads Club are encouraged to adopt the laid back tropical lifestyle immortalized by our founder and spiritual leader Jimmy Buffett. We recognize that our Club's strength comes from a positive member experience and the fellowship we share. As Parrot Heads we expect our members and each of us individually to do the following:

- 1) **Be welcoming.** Introduce yourself to new members and members you don't know. Wear your name tag.
- 2) **Attend events:** We urge members to attend as many of our events as possible and get involved
- 3) **Be positive:** Always assume that your fellow Parrot Heads have the best intentions
- 4) **Have fun:** We have chosen to leave our old homes, move here and become Parrot Heads. We should try to live up to our mission statement: "Party With A Purpose". Grow older but don't grow up!



SUMMER GOLF SCRAMBLE

Sunday August 3rd the 4th of 5 summer scrambles was held at Bacall Executive Course followed by awards and social at Mallory Country Club.

1st Place: Ken Ekkert, Mary Wimberly, Tonia & Mike Echeita (at Left)

2nd Place: Cathy Spino, Jim Axon, Tom McHugh, Ron Nicholson

3rd Place: Carl & Barb Soncini and Chuck & Dianne Carter

The final scramble of the season will be at Bogart September 28th



EXCOMM NEWS

OFFICE	PHONE # E-Mail	TERM EXPIRES
PRESIDENT	352-259-1722 Lee Caron Chryparts@aol.com	6/30/2015
VICE PRESIDENT	352-205-8846 Will Stone will1005sue@aim.com	12/31/2014
TREASURER	352-633-1447 Larry Roeder ldr1947@yahoo.com	6/30/2015
SECRETARY	352-430-0500 Lori Hollister Lkhollystar@aol.com	12/31/2014
MEMBERSHIP	352-205-8713 Julie Harris halldrama1@outlook.com	6/30/2015
VOLUNTEER TRUSTEE	352-751-1282 Ren Titus Rtitus@thevillages.net	12/31/2014
COMMUNITY RELATIONS TRUSTEE	352-633-2934 Steve Larson sklarson01@gmail.com	6/30/2015
EVENTS TRUSTEE	352-561-4923 Skip Todd skip0358@gmail.com	12/31/2014
MEDIA TRUSTEE	352-751-0035 Bob O'Neal boneal1939@gmail.com Editor of the Newsletter	6/30/2015

Call for Nominations

The terms of the following EXCOMM positions expire December 31, 2014. Nomination of candidates for these offices will be accepted from September 1st through midnight October 31st, 2014. The candidates will be presented to the members at the November Phlockings, and elections will be held at the December Phlockings for the terms beginning January 1, 2015.

The offices are:

- 1) Vice President
- 2) Secretary
- 3) Volunteer trustee
- 4) Events Trustee

Job descriptions for each EXCOMM position may be found on the Club website at <http://www.thevillagesparrotheads.com> in the SOP's and By-Laws under the "By-Laws and Code of Conduct" tab.

Nominations of members in good standing will be accepted by Paul Kinder, Chair of the Election Committee. Candidates who have not previously run or held an EXCOMM office must submit a biography about their qualifications to run for office to Paul Kinder. Paul may be reached at (352) 259-3832 or paulfkinder@aol.com.

****If you wish to place someone's name in nomination, please get that person's agreement first.****

FACEBOOK

The club now has a facebook page administered by Jack Casto, our webmaster. To find the page, hit the search icon and type "The Villages Parrot Heads". Or go to www.facebook.com/thevillagesparrotheads

JIMMY BUFFETT'S NEW MARGARITAVILLE TV WEBSITE

There is a new website <http://www.margaritaville.tv/> where you can stream live concerts and view other JB videos

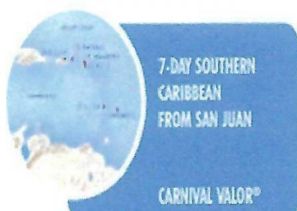
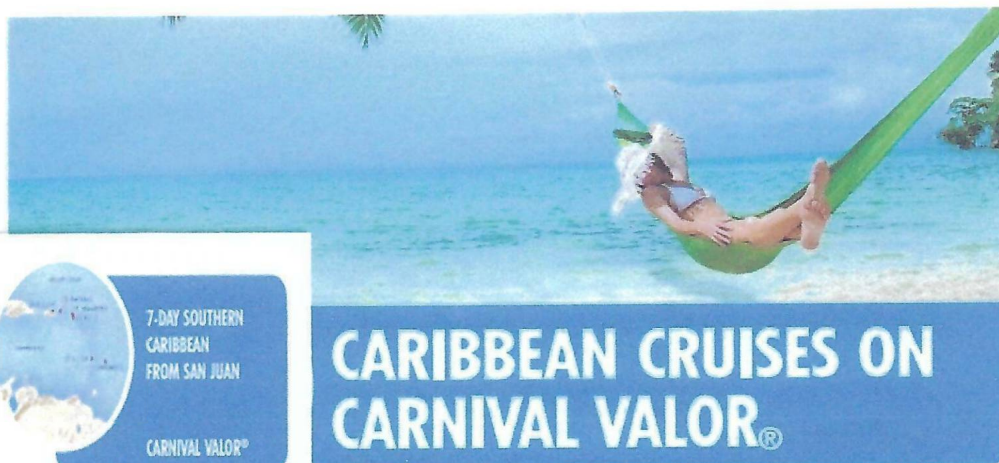
MEMBER ADVOCATE



Any member who has an issue with the Club or another member may seek resolution by contacting our Member Advocate, Paul Kinder (shown at left) at 259-3832 or paulfkinder722@aol.com. Paul will work with the parties or the EXCOMM to resolve the issue.



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Day	Port	Arrive	Depart
Sun	San Juan, Puerto Rico		10:00pm
Mon	St. Thomas, USVI	7:00am	5:00pm
Tue	"Fun Day" at Sea		
Wed	Barbados	8:00am	5:00pm
Thu	St. Lucia, WI	8:00am	5:00pm
Fri	St. Kitts, WI	8:00am	6:00pm
Sat	St. Maarten, NA	7:00am	5:00pm
Sun	San Juan, Puerto Rico	7:00am	

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April 26, 2015 – May 3, 2015

Interior	Ocean View	Balcony
From \$518	From \$608	From \$829

Includes \$50 on board credit per cabin & shared Cocktail Party

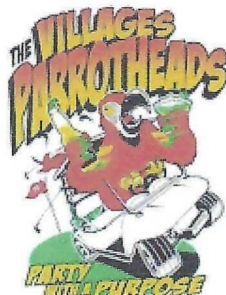
Prices are per person & include taxes & fees.

Gratuities are an additional \$161 per cabin.

Vacation protection is available and highly recommended

Airfare is additional.

Cancellations are subject to Carnival policies



For additional information or to book your cruise,
Contact us at the following –

Barbara Hopper – (352) 750-8082

Victoria Privott – (757) 869 – 8975

Jennifer Costello (352) 895-1838