

SEPTEMBER 2016

Parrot Talk

PRESIDENT'S CORNER



CORPORATE SPONSORS

Support our Corporate Sponsors who donate at least \$600 to our Club:

- 1- Parady Life & Annuity
- 2-Bill Bryan Chrysler/Jeep/Kia
- 3- Cody's Roadhouse-LSL&Brownwood
- 4 Rescare Homecare in Pinellas Plaza (Rescare has bought out Arcadia)
www.rescare.com
- 5- Villages Ear
- 6- Fresh Market
- 7- BB&T Bank

BLOOD DRIVE

Sunday, 9/11 See pg #2 for details

HOSPICE GOLF

Thursday 9/15 See Pg#2 for details

5 O'CLOCK SOMEWHERE

Monday 9/26 See Pg#2 for details

PARADES

Tues 10/4 Italian See Pg #2 for details

Tues 10/18 German "

HOSPITAL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Hospital expansion created a need for more volunteers

Please Note: All departments especially need volunteers Saturdays and Sundays

Contact Bob O'Neal at 352-350-4932

Wow, it's September already and we are looking ahead to the fall months. We ended August with another great pool party by Dom and Corrine and all the volunteers, and music by Bill Cockrell.

The last quarter of the year will be a busy time for you the members not only doing fun things, but raising money for the people in need. Coming up this month, let's not forget the Blood Drive on September 11th; please come out and support this drive if you can, as it is an important cause in remembrance of the 9/11 tragedy 15 years ago.

The big event this month is the Hospice Golf Tournament on September 15th at Mallory Hills CC. This is the only charity event that benefits one charity, Villagers for Hospice. With the support of Bill Bryan and Parady this may be the best ever. Come out and support this by getting teams together or by yourself, and we will match you up.

After this we have another 5 O'clock Somewhere at Cody's Sumter Landing September 26th to break in their new outdoor patio with food and music provided by Cody's, who was our first corporate sponsor and continues to support this club.

Then we end the month with a fun party that we have never done before called "Pot to Trot", a potluck dinner and dance with a fun band called Ronnie Tsunami and the Wave Riders. With a name like that it has be fun and for \$5 per person you can't go wrong.

See you all at Palmer and welcome back our seasonal residents.

Lee

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Club Website: <http://www.thevillagesparrotheads.com/>

Club Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/TheVillagesParrotHeadClub/>

PHlockers Magazine Website: <http://phlockersmagazine.com/magazine>

DOLPHIN/DUNEDIN EXCURSION

Saturday October 8th 9AM-8PM

2.5 hour dolphin excursion + stroll around Dunedin

NOTE: The boat is not handicap accessible

Drinks on board +BYOB (no glass)

Bus leaves from Walmart parking lot on 466 @9:00AM

Sign ups \$55 per person @Palmer Phlocking

Debbie Sobota Chair (609)471-4104

Victoria Privott CoChair

See flyer <http://villagesparrotheads.com/flyers.htm> for more information

ORMOND BEACH GOLF OUTING

October 17-19 Golf Package @LPGA International
Hotel & Golf Package rate \$375 per couple (pay hotel)

Hotel reservations:@Hampton Inn @155 Interchange Blvd,
Ormond Beach Call and ask for Rick Kirschner
(386-677-9999) **Tell him you are with The Villages Parrot
Head Group. Hotel information at website <http://hamptoninn3.hilton.com/en/hotels/florida/hampton-inn-daytona-ormond-beach-DABOBHX/index.html>

Signups at all PHlockings thru September
Entry fee \$10 cash to cover prize money or a check payable
to "The Villages Parrot Heads"

Errol McKinney, Chair @352-391-1748

Bob Rozell, CoChair @814-671-3043

See flyer <http://villagesparrotheads.com/flyers.htm>

CAPONE'S CHRISTMAS SHOW

Friday December 16 4:00PM-12:00AM

Bus will leave from Walmart on 466 @4:00PM

Tix@\$55 PP on sale @ the 9/7 Palmer Phlocking

Includes bus, dinner, drinks, show +partial tips

Skip & JoAnn Todd Co-Chairs

352-561-4923 or 352-446-9494

<http://villagesparrotheads.com/flyers.htm>

ZERO K

October 21 & 22 Run-Walk-Crawl by PHINS Jax &
Beaches A1A

- Friday 10/21 @6PM Dinner & Music @Taverna Yamas

- Saturday 10/22 12-3PM Mellow Mushroom w/
George Aspinall 3:30-7:30PM Taverna Yamas w/The
Conch Fritters *Silent Auction & Raffle

For Info & Registration go to www.phinsjax.org

MEETING OF THE MINDS 2016

25TH ANNIVERSARY

NOVEMBER 2-6, 2016

For help finding a place to stay, contact Suzy
Rodnon @1-305-295-6366 or 1-800-881-7321. Her
website is <http://www.keywestkey.com/>

If you have questions, please contact Sue Kermis
@352-753-7709 skermis1@yahoo.com

Sue Kermis will hold a Meet & Greet October 26th
for all those members who are going to MOTM.
An email will be sent to those members with the
details. If you are registered with another club,
please let Sue know and you will be invited to the
Meet and Greet party and receive information

FUTURE EVENTS

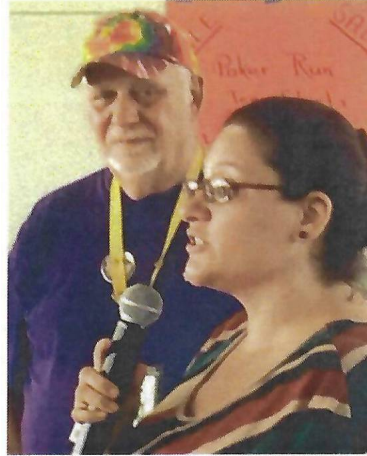
- 1- Cody's LSL Fundraiser 10/25 for Operation Shoebox
- 2- Night Golf 11/22 @ Saddlebrook Golf Course
- 3- Biloxi/Beau Rivage Bus Trip 11/27-11/30/16
- 4- Christmas Party 12/1/16 @ LaHacienda Rec Ctr
- 5-Bus Trip to Gaylord Palms 12/5/16
- 6-New Years Eve Party @LaHacienda Rec Ctr
- 7- Valentine's Dance 2/11/2017@LaHacienda Rec Ctr
- 8- Tampa Bay Downs (tentative date) 2/25/2017
- 9-Poker Run 3/18/17 (rain date 3/19/17)
- 10-All-Inclusive Trip in Cancun 4/23-29/2017
- 11- Cruise on Celebrity Silhouette 1/7-1/14/2018

CHARITY NEWS

THE REFUGE AT JUMPER CREEK

Amber Jackson, shown with Steve Larson, accepted a check for \$5000.00 from our Club at the Palmer Phlocking August 3rd.

The Refuge at Jumper Creek, Inc. assists people to develop healthy realistic goals while equipping them with the skill sets necessary to make positive and life-changing choices so that they are able to be productive members of society.



HOSPICE GOLF SPONSORS

To date, we have two major sponsors who have donated to the September 15th golf tournament to benefit Hospice:

- 1) Parady Life & Annuity: \$3000.00
- 2) Bill Bryan Chrysler/Jeep: \$5000.00

This is a testament to the Club's support of our local Hospice House.

If you know someone or some business who would like to become a sponsor, have them contact:

Steve Larson (352)633-2934 or
Danny Roe (317)508-6465

HELPING HANDS

Thanks to the Parrot Heads who contributed over 1300 hours to build a new home in Wildwood. The next new build will begin in October.

Contact Suzanne Barry @630-251-2940 or barry.suzanne.john@msn.com for details and to sign up.

There are still many opportunities to help this great cause AND earn Parrot Head points.

Bargains and Blessings, the Helping Hands thrift store in Wildwood, could use some "muscle" when their truck arrives with donations, and truck drivers are also needed to pick up and deliver merchandise. Volunteers can work as many or few hours as they wish. There are many opportunities for the ladies as well.

Contact Susie Newland @352-445-1179 or email saturnsusie@yahoo.com for more details and to sign up



FOOD PANTRY ITEMS ALWAYS NEEDED

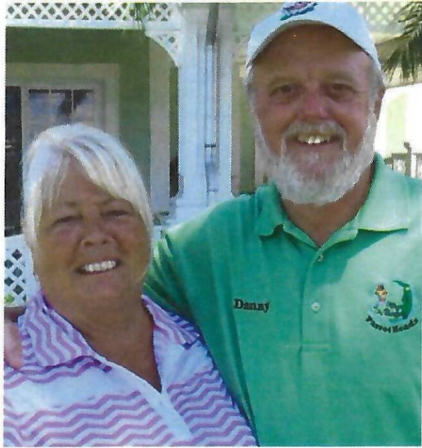
Please remember to bring food to the PHlockings. The food pantry shelves are always in need.

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, dog food, cat food

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Danny Roe and his wife Lil moved from the West side of Indianapolis Indiana to the Village of Fernandina in August 2012 and joined the Parrot Heads in October of the same year.

1. Danny and Lil, how did you first become acquainted with the Parrot Heads? We went golfing with Kevin and Elba McLaughlin who first introduced us to The Parrotheads. We attended a Phlocking with them and joined the club on the spot.

2. Please name 2 of your favorite things about The Parrot Heads. We are very taken with the tremendous fund raising and charitable giving The Parrot Heads Club spearheads. We especially like the fact that the funds raised stay in local charitable groups serving the people that live here. Their motto "party with a purpose" really rings true serving our local communities.

4. Before you became a Villager, what kind of work were you involved in? Lil worked as a Fleet Manager for AT&T for 30 years, and I worked as an Operator for Duke Energy. We were also involved in charitable work back home in Indianapolis through the local fraternal order of The Eagles. Lil was the past Madam President of their Auxiliary.

5. What sort of volunteer work do you do now? We took over the Parrothead Hospice/Macdougall Golf Tournament in 2014. Larry Ridgley and Jan Stallheber had it before us and helped mentor us to make a smooth transition of leadership in 2014. Past President, Dave MacDougall founded the event before becoming ill and passing away, so the tournament is named after him. The tournament honors his memory as well as the help he received during his illness from the local Hospice chapter. Last year we had a record number of 192 players with about 300 people participating in total. We raised \$22,000 last year which broke all previous records. This year we hope to meet or exceed that amount. This golf tournament may be one of Hospice's biggest fund raisers. The date for this years tournament is September 15th. People can sign up at Phlockings and the cost is \$80/per person. Parady Financial has most generously offered to underwrite the lunch expense for players, and Bill Bryan Chrysler/KIA/JEEP Dealership is also most graciously providing a \$5,000 sponsorship gift for the event.

6. What are your 2 favorite things about The Villages? The friendly people are one of our favorite things about our life here. There are no strangers in The Villages. We also like the golf cart accessibility to everything from grocery shopping to doctors appointments. It's all great fun.

7. Are you involved in other volunteer activities as members of The Parrot Heads? I chair and Lil co-chairs the summer golf scrambles which are held once a month for 5 months, from May to September. We usually have about 55 players total at each scramble.

Thank you Danny and Lil for your time today.

If you have questions for Danny or Lil ,
please contact them at 317-508-6565 or you can email them at: dannyroe@prodigy.net



MEMBERSHIP NEWS

WE WELCOMED THE FOLLOWING 25 NEW MEMBERS IN AUGUST

John & Kathi Becker
Barb Beil
Tom Brown
Pat Burnette
Julie Burns
John & Lori Collum
Ross Iriam

Casey Jernigan
John Krivitz
Susan Merz
Jo-Ann Palazzdo
Charlie & Nancy Riviello
Shirley Schwartz
Bill & Susie Thesier

Sue Toler
Paula Van Dusen
David Wilkinson
Marie Wolfe
Rob & Denise Wright
Tracy Zito



AUGUST GOLF SCRAMBLE

Sunday August 28 at Yankee Clipper:

1st Place @-5: Jim Axon, David Heath, Barbara Benware-White, Gerry Benware (shown at left)

2nd Place: Dave Walls, Jo Russell, Loraine Blank, Paul Mackin, Sr

3rd Place: Dean Melton, Mary Melton, Debbie Love, William Love

Closest to the pin: Shown at right)

Hole #2: Barb Ciesla

Hole #5: Tasha White



CLIQUE CORNER

Note--the cliques are not official Club functions, just groups of people getting together to enjoy like interests outside the club.

The Chic Clique Ladies, come join your fellow Parrot Head PHemales for "ladies night out" every 3rd Tuesday of the month. Email Gypsy Ginchereau at gypsygewells@gmail.com to be added to the list

- **Get Acquainted** For new members and unattached members interested in making new friends and getting together to jointly attend Parrot Head parties, events or trips; meet every month, 3:00PM at Palmer CC, way around in back, prior to the Parrot Head PHlocking. Show up or email Jaci Burdash jlb2500@gmail.com.

Ladies Shopping Trips Periodic day trips to interesting off-site destinations; contact Debbie Sobota at debbie_sobota@comcast.net

Gathering of Friends-- Meets for a few drinks at various establishments; want to join in? Contact Skip Todd at skip0358@gmail.com

The Sumter Landing Bin Bunch, Almost every night, for the 5 to 6 happy hour, at the bar shack across from City Fire; just stop by, at Will Stone's Bin and join in.

3 For The Road and Flipside fans who enjoy the music of these two bands & want to find out their schedules should contact Amy Dunigan at amydunigan1@gmail.com

If you have a clique you want to share, contact Ren Titus, the Parrot Heads Volunteer Coordinator, at rtitus@thevillages.net



EXCOMM NEWS

EXCOMM ELECTION

The next election will be in December for January 1,2017 to December 31,2017 offices.

The nomination period will be September 1st-October 31st for the following board positions:

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

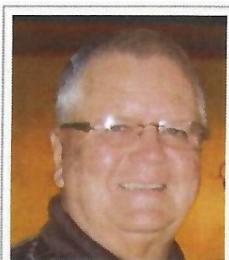
Any member in good standing may be nominated for office. *If nominating someone, please make sure that person is willing to run for office.*

Nominees need to submit a brief biography with their past experience and qualifications

OFFICE	PHONE # E-Mail	TERM EXPIRES
PRESIDENT Lee Caron	352-259-1722 Chryparts@aol.com	6/30/2017
VICE PRESIDENT Will Stone	352-461-3871 will1005sue@aim.com	12/31/2016
TREASURER Gerald Brown	352-561-4007 brown238@CenturyLink.net	6/30/2017
SECRETARY Lori Hollister	352-430-0500 lkhollystar@aol.com	12/31/2016
MEMBERSHIP Julie Harris	352-205-8713 halldrama1@outlook.com	6/30/2017
VOLUNTEER TRUSTEE Ren Titus	352-751-1282 Rtitus@thevillages.net	12/31/2016
COMMUNITY RELATIONS TRUSTEE Steve Larson	352-633-2934 sklarson01@gmail.com	6/30/2017
EVENTS TRUSTEE Skip Todd	352-561-4923 skip0358@gmail.com	12/31/2016
MEDIA TRUSTEE Bob O'Neal	352-751-0035 boneal1939@gmail.com Editor of the Newsletter	6/30/2017

ELECTION CHAIR

Paul Kinder is the Election Chair. Nominations are to be submitted to Paul @ 352-259-3832 or by email paulfkinder@gmail.com



MEMBER ADVOCATE

Any member who has an issue with another member or with the Club should contact Paul Kinder (shown at left) @ (352) 259-3832 or paulfkinder722@gmail.com