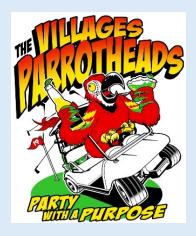
Coco-Nutz Telegraph

November 2023 Edition

Edited by Stephen Larson



President's Corner

October was a phun month. In addition to our three phlockings with awesome entertainment, we marched in the Heritage Day parade at Spanish Springs Town Square. I think we were definitely the best appearing group. Thanks Mr Al for putting this together.

Our spooktacular Halloween party was a huge success, especially with the Trop Rock Junkies playing our phavorites and keeping the dance floor phull all night long. Congrats to costume award winners and all of you for your great costumes, and special thank you to Denise Woodland and committee for putting this all together. The centerpieces were a big hit. Can't wait till next year.

We had our phirst ever "Tuesday on the Island" party at Cane Garden Country club and the place was packed. Thanks so much to Robert France who had the place rocking all afternoon. We will see more of Cane Garden in the future.

November brings us a Sold-Out Disney Springs bus trip and a Sold-Out night golf. We will also have three phlockings with great music. Remember – bring chairs to the phlockings and get there early. Many seasonal residents are back in the Villages and phlockings fill up quickly. Please leave your chairs in your vehicle unless needed though.

Tickets go on sale for our Christmas and Holiday extravaganza this month. Read on in this newsletter for more details.

Like the energizer bunny, we just keep going and going so read the newsletter, read your emails, and watch our facebook page for all the phun. C U soon Parrot Heads. Keep your Phins Up $_{\ }$!!

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Wednesday, November 1st Phlocking

We will get the month of November started at the Palmer Country Club on Wednesday, Nov. 1st. The party starts at 3:30 and goes until 6 PM. We will welcome newcomers Joe G & Arty.



Wednesday, November 8th Phlocking

Nov. 8th is our lunch
Phlocking at the Havana
Country Club. It's a great
way to spend an afternoon.
Just Mike and Gary will be
providing the entertainment
and they are always phun to
listen to.



Sunday, November 19th Phlocking

Our last Phlocking before Turkey Day will be at the Belle Glade Country Club from 3:30 to 6:00. The Phins UP Shop is open for business. The music will be provided by Mike & Terrie. It will be a great party.



The Landsharks Are Back!

There are still a few seats left for the Landshark concert at the Savanah Center on **November 3rd.** There is a concert at 4 PM and a second one at 7PM which is the one most of us will be attending. There will be conga lines, flying beach balls, dancing, and singing along with all of our Jimmy Buffett favorite songs. It is always a blast and you don't want to miss out. The tickets are on sale at the Village's Box Office. We suspect that there will be lots of Parrot Heads showing up early for a parking lot preparty.



Disney Springs

On November 14th a bus will depart Walmart on 466 at 11 AM and take you to Disney Springs to spend the day. You should arrive back in the Villages by 9 PM. Cost is \$30 per person and there is no set itinerary. See the flyer on page 17.





Night Golf

Due to circumstances beyond our control, this event has been cancelled. We've been notified by the Villages that the Saddlebrook Course will be closed for maintenance on the date we had it reserved for night golf. To those of you who signed up and paid, you will be refunded back onto your credit card. another Night Golf will be scheduled as soon as we are able to. Thanks for understanding.



Sanford Bus Trip

On December 7th, a bus will depart the Walmart Garden Center lot on 466 promptly at 2 PM. If you arrive late, you will miss the bus! You will arrive in downtown Sanford by 3:30 at the Hollerbach's World Famous German Restaurant which has been voted as Florida's Best. You can have a late lunch or early dinner or just walk Sanford by Sanford by Sanford Sanford Sanford Best. You can have a late lunch or early dinner or just walk Sanford's Historic Downtown





Toys For Tots

On Monday, November 20th from 4 until 6 PM Jack and Chris Maiz are hosting the annual Toys for Tots drive at their home located at 1516 Rosedale Way in the Village of Duval. Please bring New Unwrapped Toys for ages 1-15 and then plan to spend some time listening to some Christmas music, having some wine and enjoying the company of fellow members.

Christmas Parade

This year's Christmas Parade will be held on November 29th at Spanish Springs at 3 PM. Our Parade Master: Mr. Al (alphie1013@me.com) will organize and lead the Parade. You will be able to sign up at any phlocking in November. While Santa suits are prohibited, Santa hats are encouraged. We are only allowed 8 carts. While the "limit" is 20 walkers, we normally have 50 to 100 and no one has complained yet. If you can't walk the 1 mile, please park yourself on the

At 6:30 the bus will you to the Central Florida Zoo and Botanical Garden for the Asian Lantern Festival tour which is a 3/4 mile walking path around the Zoo.



The bus will leave Sanford at 8:30 PM and be back to the Villages at 9:30. The Chair person is Sheila Hughes (513) 324 3150. Assistant is Ellen McLees (732) 814 5741.



You're Invited to a Back Yard Party!



"Come join us for an afternoon of Jimmy Buffett music featuring Dave McKenney from the band Hungry Hard Luck Heroes. Dave has been performing live for over 15 years, and back In 2021 formed Hungry Hard Luck

Heroes as a way to pay

tribute to the early years of Jimmy's career. A long time fan of Jimmy's and an admitted Parrot Head, Dave celebrates the music that started it all for Jimmy, bringing many of the classics we all know and love to his performance. And even a few you may have forgotten you loved! So mark your calendars and plan to join us for a special afternoon paying tribute to the legacy of Jimmy Buffett!"

Thank you, Charla Casino charlab@casinofamily.net

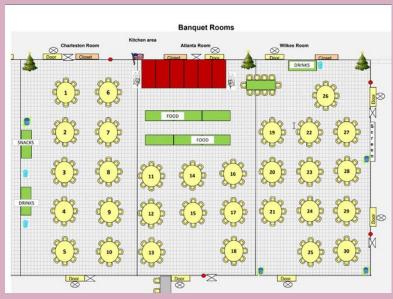
Event Information

December 9th @ 2pm - 5pm; 1960 Keel Ct. (South End) Please bring a food dish to share. We will have a table for the food. Bring you chairs. We will provide the following: Cold Bottled Water, Paper plates, Utensils, Napkins You will need to bring your own personal drinks.

Please park on one side of the road. We will have "No Parking signs" as well. The road cannot be blocked for any reason as emergency vehicles and residents need to use the roads too. **This event is for members of the Villages** parrot head club only. Since there is limited space, please do not invite anyone outside the club. Parking will also be limited, Car Pooling is highly recommended.

Holiday/Christmas Party

The date for this year's Holiday Party is December 20th and we've secured the Savanah Center. The cost will be \$40 per person, Cody's will cater the dinner and the music will be provided by the Missing Links. This will be a great Parrot Head party to end 2023. Tickets will go on sale on November 1st an noon. 5 points will be needed for the early seat purchases. Members without 5 points may purchase tickets on November 3rd at noon. The Chairperson is Mary Wallace mary33w@aol.com.



There are 10 seats (the picture only shows 8 seats) and 30 tables available.





Panama City Beach Rendezvous 2024

Rendezvous 2024 Registration is open! 2024 will be the biggest and best yet. There will be some familiar faces, some local faces, and some Rendezvous virgins in the music lineup.

The Rendezvous preparty is on Wednesday, April 17th & 18th and the beach concert starts on Friday and goes until late Saturday night (April 21). You can bring your own coolers and beach chairs and park yourself under one of the Club's tents and listen to one of the world's best TropRock concerts. Renee Adams, straight from Radio Margaritaville and one of our members, will be the emcee --how about THAT!

There are 99 members signed up to attend this year. Most people stay at the condos directly across the street from Sharky's at the Origins at Seahaven https://originatseahaven.com. If you want to attend, don't put this one off. It will sell out early. All the great events do.

More information at panamacityphc.org/rendezvous





Anniversary Party

In 2024 our Club will be 20 years old. That's a great reason to celebrate with a great big party which we will have on March 1st, 2024 at the La Hacienda Recreation Center. Mark your calendars and watch the Newsletter and Mark's emails for details as we get closer to the date. It will be a party to remember.



Travel Committee

The next meeting will be from 1 to 3 PM at the Churchill Downs Recreation Center (2375 Churchill Downs), on Thursday, November 9th. You need to be a Village resident to attend. We need you to help plan our great trips for the rest of 2023 and then start work on trips for 2024. You will also earn some Parrot Points for just attending the meeting. The reason we have the largest Parrot Head Club in the Universe is because we do things: Cruises, event day trips, all inclusive resorts, weekend getaways, beach outings, etc. This is the Committee where Phun Travel is created. We need people to get involved.





October Food Drive

The October Food Drive at the Havana Country Club collected \$311 which went to the Lady Lake Food Pantry

November Food Drive

We collected \$374 at the Halloween Party which will be added to what we collect at the Belle Glade Phlocking and be sent to the Lake Pan Food Pantry.

2024 Giving Plan

Based on the response received from the member survey, the Charity Committee presented a proposed Giving Plan for next year to the Coco-Nutz which was approved.

Cash Donations

Project Support Our Soldiers

Shepherd's Lighthouse

Combat Veterans to Careers

Humane Society

It Takes a Village

Veterans Helping Veterans

Wildwood Soup Kitchen

Special Olympics

Angel Wigs of Hope

Cody Fundraisers

Operation Shoebox

Wildwood Middle/High School

Service Dogs for Vets

Clothing Drive in February

Combat Veterans to Careers

Food Pantries

Lady Lake

Fruitland Park

Wildwood

Lake Pan

Golf Outing

Alzheimer's Association, The Longest Day

All charities are 501(c)3 and are local

Food Pantry Distribution

2023 has been a great year for the Club. We have available funds for additional charitable donations and we decided to send an extra \$1,000 check to the Lady Lake, Fruitland Park, Wildwood, and Lake Pan Food Pantries to help them during the holiday season.

Wildwood Soup Kitchen Donation

In October the Club donated \$1,000 to the Wildwood Soup Kitchen. The Wildwood Soup Kitchen serves 200-300 people per day (except Sunday). Those who are hungry and receive meals may be homeless, the working or nonworking poor or just lonely people. The ages vary from children to adult seniors. The Wildwood Soup Kitchen also delivers meals to those who are homebound. Every person who comes to us for assistance is welcomed, without regard to race, sex, age, color, religion, national origin, handicap, or income. If you would like to volunteer to help, contact Barbara McManus, (352) 299-6494.



Last Blood Drive of 2023

November 10 and 11th is the last blood drive of this year. It's also the holiday season and a time for giving. There is no better gift than the gift of life. One donation can save the lives of 3 people. Contact Skip skip0358@gmail.com and sign up. You will be glad you did.



New Members

Marianne Anderson **Carol Lipus** Patricia Bell **Robert Lipus** Stephan Bell John McNall Sherrie McNall Judith Bohac-Bergere Patty Callini Jeffrey Morrris **Dennis Carroll** Barbara Narracci Carolyn Carter **Amy Newstat Stacy Connors Aaron Noel** John Crowley Velvet Noel Terri Crowley Laurie Onkels Linda Davies **Ronnie Onkels** Wayne Davies **Patty Parsons** Vic DiMattia Barbara Proctor Anna Fisher Jodi Reitman John Fisher Mark Renaud Bill Gannon Mary Jo Renaud Jim Giacopelli Myra Ruggiero Valerie Giacopelli Steve Ruggiero Dave Giard Phillip Smith Susan Smith Kathy Giard **Holly Grant** Susie Smith Pamela Graves **Duane Spears** Kathleen Hargrove **Nancy Spears** Tom Stiener Andrea Holloway Thomas Stoeber John Holloway Jeff Iverson Jeffrey Strohman Vickie Iverson Patricia Strohman Lori Kramer **Ellen Tierney** Stacey Kramer Leigh Van Ostrand Mike Krenzer Gene Vogel John LaBanca Josie Vogel Maureen LaBanca Debbie Wallace Jerry Leach **Todd Wallace** Kathy Leach Glenn Wargolet



Marcie Wargolet

Anita Lester

Renew for 2024

It's hard to believe but 2023 is nearly over !!
That means it's time to renew you membership for 2024 !!
You can now renew your membership in the largest Parrot
Heads Club in the world for 2024 !! And we kept the renewal
price the same at \$25 each !!

So after September 1st, go to our website at: <u>www.villagesparrotheads.com</u> and click on purchase memberships. This will take you to our event list and look for 2024 membership renewal.

Remember - each membership will appear as a ticket, so don't be fooled by that. This is what we use to populate our database. If you have any questions, you can ask us at any phlocking.

Just enter all your info and PLEASE - be careful with your email address. Whatever you enter will be used to send emails, so if you put it in incorrect, you wont receive any emails in 2024 and we want you to be totally informed.

Also - you do not have to use your proper name, example: if your name is Robert or William, and you go by Bob or Bill, please use Bob or Bill. We are easy that way !! (I know you have to enter all your info, but this is how we keep everything as up to date as possible.)

So make sure you renew so you won't miss out on all the phun as it continues into 2024. Mark the Shark Woodland

Sunshine Committee

If you know of a member who has an illness, injury or surgery or someone who is suffering the loss of a spouse or child, please notify Patty Petretti, Chairperson of the Club's Sunshine Committee at patamus1747@gmail.com



Member Advocate

Jack Maiz is the Club's Member Advocate. Jack is available to any member who has an issue with the Board, the Club or another member. His job is to find a resolution while insuring member confidentiality.





Elections 2023

The elections for 2023 are over. No one stepped forward to run against the incumbents. Therefore, Lisa MacLeod will remain as our Vice President, Kati Purdy as our Secretary, Stephen Larson as Media Trustee, Judy Koch as Travel Trustee and Jaci Budash as Volunteer Coordinator. There will be a voice vote at the December Phlockings to confirm each position.

Help Wanted

We are a club run by people who volunteer. To remain the best club in the Villages and the largest Parrot Head Club on the Earth, we need people to step up and help. Listed below are the positions available:

Attendance: Volunteers are needed for Phlockings at Palmer, Havana and Belle Glade. Contact Jaci Burdash at jlb2500@gmail.com to volunteer.

50/50: Volunteers needed at all Phlockings. Contact Debra Warren at warrendeborah7@gmail.com if you can help selling 50/50 tickets.

Membership Table: Volunteers needed to staff the Membership Table at 1 Phlocking each month. Contact Johnny Ward at johnnyward300@yahoo.com.

Assistant Newsletter Editor: If you can write creatively and have Microsoft Publisher, you can help put this award winning newsletter out each month. Please contact Steve Larson at sklarson01@gmail.com

Trip Managers: Each day trip the Club makes requires someone to make sure the people who purchased tickets get on the bus before we leave and back on the bus before we come back home. In return, you get to sit in the front of the bus and make a bunch of new friends. Go to a Travel Committee meeting (see page 4) and get involved. One of the side benefits, if you want to go somewhere, you can pick the spot, and be the leaders. You will be glad you did!

Rotary Club Chili Cookoff

Each year the Rotary Club hosts a Chili Cookoff at Lake Sumter Landing. Each year our Club wins the People Choice Award for the most money raised for charity. We plan to win again in 2024 with a lot of volunteer help from you. Mark your calendars for February 4th, 2024 for the Rotary Club Chili Cook Off and Craft Beer Fair.

Dale Ross is the Club's Chili Chef with Ken McCreary helping out and Gary Steinback coordinating the volunteer effort. Following are the volunteer positions:

- Chili Servers (filling cups w/chili and handing them out)
- Donating Baked Goods (cookies and brownies in small bags)
- Selling Baked Goods
- Selling Water to the crowd
- Barkers to bring people to the booth
- Set Up and Tear Down

You will be able to sign up at the December and January Phlockings with Gary Steinbeck and pick the shift you are available to work. You get 1 Parrot Point for every two hours of volunteering.

Barb's Trivia Question:

Where was Jimmy's "First Look" taken? (hint: from his song First Look in "Floridays").

- A) Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
- B) Paris, France
- C) Papee, Tahiti
- D) Havana, Cuba

Answer on Page 15





From Our Web Master

October has been a busy month with events maintained on the webpage. There were the 3 phlockings, a Heritage Day Parade, Halloween Party, Tuesday on the Island Party, as well as Meeting of the Minds. November promises to be as exciting with 3 phlockings, 2-day Blood



Drive, Disney Springs Bus Trip, Parrot Head Night Golf, Toys for Tots drive, and a Christmas Parade. To help members with upcoming events, we have included links to Mark's emails in the event flyers, which often provide more detailed information. Pictures taken at events are posted to Facebook, check them out!

Much of the webmaster focus in October has also been on membership renewals, correcting misspelled names and such, and ensuring Parrot Heads continue to receive emails from Mark regarding upcoming events. Those who unsubscribe to emails can be re-subscribed if they wish, just let us know. Where it gets tricky is the manner by which the system handles emails that Bounce, and emails marked as Spam. Members whose emails bounce are placed in a Bounced category and receive no further mailings until the email address is corrected. We're approaching those on a case by case basis, and all have been corrected for 2024 membership. Members whose emails are marked as Spam are placed in a Spam category and receive no further mailings. If the member wishes to receive emails, please remove prior emails from spam after which we will contact the service provider. There are roughly thirteen 2024 members in this latter category. If you find yourself in one of these situations or need any help renewing membership, please let us know – we'll be happy to assist and ensure a smooth transition to the new year.

and memorabilia for nearly a decade. For our newer members, it's a history of our Club's growth. For the members who have been with the Club for a longer time, it's a stroll down memory lane with many of our friends who are no longer with us. Her books are available at some of our phlockings and special occasions. If you're interested in looking at our Club's past, contact Jean at 352 571 4689 or email her at a1944jean@gmail.com

Gypsy and Ren's Drink of the Month

We are turned the corner and are headed right into the middle of the holidays. Ren and Gypsy have found a drink that fits this time of year:



Salted Caramel Delight

- 1 Part Salted Caramel Coffee Liqueur
- 2 Parts Caramel Vodka
- 1 Part Half & Half

Combine in cocktail shaker with ice and stir then strain into a glass, garnish with caramel syrup and enjoy while you prepare Thanksgiving Dinner.



Corporate Sponsor Club Discounts

Three of our Corporate Sponsors are now giving discounts to Club members. Lake Sumter Dryer Vent
Cleaning LLC is giving a 10% discount, FertiGator is giving members \$25 off and our newest sponsor, Pedego Electric Bikes is giving a 10% discount on all Pedego accessories when you show them your Parrot Head lanyard.

Club Historian

Did you know that we have a Club Historian? We do! Her name is Jean Howlett and she has been collecting Parrot Head articles, pictures











Volunteer Positions Outside the Club

Approved Clubs: Parrot Points are given to members who volunteer at approved charities. To be an "approved charity" the organization must be a not-for-profit registered with the State of Florida and be willing to track the hours worked each month and report them back to our club. Following are the charities that are approved at this time:

Wildwood Soup Kitchen: If you're interested in helping feed people, go to <u>wildwoodsoupkitchen.org</u> and fill out an application and put on the form that you are a Parrot Head for more information contact: Barbara McManus: (352) 299 6494 and/or Email: <u>barb.mcmanus@yahoo.com</u>

The Villages Regional Hospital: Contact Gloria Counselman (352) 751-8176 or email her at tvrhvpo@centflhealth.org

Cornerstone Hospice: If you are interested email Heidi Gamet at hgaumet@cshospice.org.

Operation Homebound: This is the Meals on Wheels program for The Villages and surrounding areas. For more information, please call 352-689-1023, or email OHB@northlakepc.org.

Best Buddies International: This charity is dedicated to ending the social, physical and economic isolation of people with disabilities, such as Downs syndrome, autism, cerebral palsy and traumatic brain injury. If interested email centralflorida@bestbuddies.org or call (407) 898 0787

Shepard's Lighthouse: This charity helps homeless women, mothers and their children get back on their feet by providing temporary shelter and training. They have 4 positions on their Board of Directors open. If you can spare a couple of hours a month, you will find this a rewarding way to help people in need. Contact Kathie Niesem (847-641 3287) or email at katcarl@prodigy.net for more information.

The Poetry of Jimmy Buffett

When this world starts a-reelin'
From that pressure drop feelin'
We're just treading water each day
There's a way to feel better
Be well set to weather
The storms 'til the sun shines again
When your compass is spinnin'
And you're lost on the way
Like a leaf in the wind, friend
Hear me when I say

Bubbles up

They will point you towards home
No matter how deep or how far you roam
They will show you the surface, the plot and the purpose
So, when the journey gets long
Just know that you are loved
There is light up above
And the joy is always enough
Bubbles up

To my friends who are jolly When melancholy knocks Sometimes they let her in To sit and share stories Of flops and of glories It ain't half as bad as the bends Sometimes living's a struggle Multiplied double But they love it too much For the party to end

Let's pop a cork to the rough and the right To the bright blazing days And the sweet starry nights

Bubbles up

They will point us towards home
No matter how deep or how far we roam
They will show you the surface
The plot and the purpose
So, when the journey gets long
Just know that you are loved (you are loved)
There's light up above (up above)
And joy, there's always enough
Bubbles up
Bubbles up

Member Interview



Our Parrot Head Profile this month features Gary Steinbach. Gary and his wife Elaine live in the far north in Piedmont Village. They moved there in June 2021 and love the quiet location with all the mature trees and friendly neighbors. They are also close to family in Belleview which is the main reason for choosing that location.

In addition to their Parrot Head activities, they host a monthly neighborhood driveway party and play cards weekly at the Rec center. Gary is a member of their village CPR response team. They hit the Savannah Center once or twice a month to hear the bands and stop at the Sharon a few times a year for major legends and plays. Gary

recently purchased an R/C sailboat to race with the local club in Spanish Springs. Elaine and Gary raced a 20 foot sailboat for 35 years, then retired from active racing when it became too much to handle physically.

The Steinbachs are originally from N.E. Ohio outside Canton. Gary is a retired Canton Fire Captain. His 37 year career as a firefighter, paramedic, and Captain, included Company Officer, Battalion Safety Officer, and Department Operations Officer. He was a state certified instructor teaching Fire Science, Emergency Medicine, and Emergency Vehicle Operations. He also owned and operated a swimming pool maintenance and repair company to occupy his spare time for over 25 years. He also spent 50 years in various positions with the Boy Scouts and was Finance Chair for their church. They have two daughters and one son, four grandchildren and one great-grandchild, living in Indiana, Ohio, and Boston.

Gary and Elaine attended a Land Sharks concert in 2021 and happened to be seated next to our club secretary. They talked throughout the concert and that's when they decided to join the club!

Due to his background, community service is in his genes. Gary volunteers his time and efforts to the Club wherever they might be useful. He gives blood every drive and is in discussion with Skip to improve the paperwork information flow. Gary worked on the poker run this year and volunteers his truck whenever he can. He also stores tables for the Belle Glade phlocking. He felt honored to be asked to co-chair the Chili Cook-off this coming February and looks forward to working with Dale and Ken on this project.

The Parrot Head motto, "Party with a Purpose," speaks to Gary on every level. He is retired and loving life, feels continued relevance to the community after an amazing career, and is the envy of all his northern family and friends. Gary says he's danced with his wife more in the last two years than in all the past 35!

For new members, Gary's advice is to take Jimmy's words to heart. "Getting old isn't for sissies." Enjoy your-selves and cut loose. After all, your parents aren't around to critique your actions! He says the Parrot Heads are helping him make this the best chapter of his life.



Trop Rock Events & Resources Musicians TropRock Radio

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Caribbeanchillers.com

Don Middlebrook

Www.donmiddlebrook.net

Highway 1 Band

Www.highway1band.com

Landshark Band

Www.landsharkband.com

Mac McAnally

www.macmcanally.com

Robert France

Www.rfrance.us

Sunny Jim Music

Www.sunnyjim.com

Trop Rock Junkies

Troprockjunkies.com

Jimmy Buffett

Home Page

Www.jimmybuffett.com

Margaritaville

www.margaritaville.com

Jimmy Buffett Lyrics

azlyrics.com/j/jimmybuffett.html

Pirate Head Radio

Www.pirateheadradio.com

Shore Life Radio

Www.shoreliferadio.com

Oyster Radio

Oysterradio.com

Radio Trop Rock

Www.radiotroprock.com

TropRock Festivals

Trop Rock Music Association Calendar of Events

Troprock. Org/events/

Panama City Beach 2024 Rendezvous panamacityphc.org/rendezvous

Parrot Head Clubs

On September 14th—17th the **Tampa Bay Parrot Heads** Club will celebrate their 29th birthday. The weekend party is at the Holiday Inn Express in Clearwater. Details and tickets are at www.finsup.com.

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Cody's has been a Corporate Sponsor for over 10 years. Without their support, we could not hold the Charity Fund Raisers our Club is known for. Cody's Original Roadhouse is a fun, casual, family friendly Roadhouse that serves "Just plain Good Food". You won't go home hungry or broke......You'll just go home happy!



The Palmer Legends Country Club has been making space available for Club Phlockings for over a decade. Their goal is to create a memorable experience for their guests. They believe "the taste of the roast is determined by the handshake of the host."



Havana Country Club hosts our Lunch Phlocking each month. Havana is proud to offer one of the best dining experiences in the Villages. They specialize in fine steaks, fresh seafood and pasta.



When we decided to hold a Sunday Phlockings each month, Belle Glade invited us to use their space and we gladly accepted. They invite you to come in they promise to serve up what it takes to make you happy.



StreetRod has been a Club sponsor for several years. They support our annual Golf Outing, food drives and our annual Poker run. They sell one of America's highest quality golf carts. They would like to show you what the StreeRod experience is with a test drive driving is believing. Call (352) 751-3953 to get a test drive and see the difference between your cart and a Streetrod



Jack Maiz is a Club Member and the owner of Safe Harbor Financial & Insurance Services LLC. He specializes in Medicare Planning for Veterans on Tricare and Eligible Seniors, age 65 and over. He also specializes in Fixed Guaranteed Annuities. You can visit his website at at www.jmaizsafeharborllc.com or call him at (352) 205-6911



Owned by Club member Scott Larson, the Lake-Sumter Dryer Vent Cleaning LLC does just what the name says. Each year there are over 15,000 house fires caused by lint filled dryer vents. This local business can make sure your house isn't one of them. Call for an appointment at (352) 787 5202 or visit

Trivia answer is A. Rio, Brazil

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Founded in 2007, they are locally owned and managed and serve thousands of residents not only in The Villages but surrounding active adult communities. FertiGator provides a full range of services including lawn, shrub, and pest maintenance services. They offer a \$25 discount to all Parrot Heads.



Diane Smallwood is a Realtor with the Keller Williams Cornerstone Agency capable and ready to help you buy or sell a home. She is also one of the Club's favorite entertainers in Retro Express and Caribbean Chillers. Diane can be reached at (352) 787-4325 or emailed at DianeSmallwood@kw.com. Her website is www.dianesmallwoodrealty.com



Pedego Electric Bikes—Trailwinds Village is proud to be a Corporate Sponsor of the Villages Parrot Head Club. Owners Jeff and Sharon are villages and long-time Parrot Heads. They are passionate about bringing Pedego's FUN colorful e-bike line-up to the recreational lifestyle of The Villages and look forward to many opportunities to partner with like-minded Parrot Heads to create FUN and serve our community. You are invited to stop by the store (off 466A—between Lowes and Publix) - most likely Buffett will be playing, Introduce yourself and take a bike for a spin. It's guaranteed to put a smile on your face.



The First Responders of Station 44 host our Blood Drives. We appreciate the space and the support.

DISNEY SPRINGS BUS TRIP



Begin your Holiday Shopping and enjoy a meal in one of the many restaurants.

There is no set itinerary.

Each person is on their own
for the duration of the day at
Disney. You will receive a list
of suggested restaurants on
the bus.

Date: November 14, 2023

Price: \$30.00 per person

Time: Bus departs from Walmart 466 - near the Garden Section Promptly at

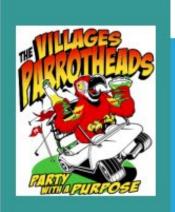
11 am.

The bus will depart Disney Springs at 7:30 pm and should return back to Walmart at approximately 9:00 pm

No Glass on the bus - Tervis Tumbler type glasses are okay.

Tickets go on sale on September 1, 2023. Visit www.villagesparrotheads.com to purchase your seat. Under "Quick Links" go to "Purchase Event Tickets"



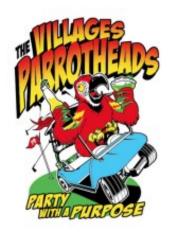


Chair: Bonnie Linklater 248-842-3546

bjlinklater@yahoo.com

Assistant Chair: Linda Group 219-928-3083

NO REFUNDS. In the event you can not attend after you purchase your ticket, be sure to contact the Chair



Parrothead Night Golf

Thursday, Nov 16th, 2023

Saddlebrook Golf Course

Golf starts at DUSK (approx. 6:15pm)

Parking Lot Party - BYOB & SNACKS - 5:00pm

Don't forget your bug spray and flashlight!!

\$15.00 per person

NO REFUNDS

(Price includes glow balls and glow necklaces)

Online ticket sales begin Oct 1st.

This will be an 8-person team, shotgun start, alternating shot, scramble event.

Putting Contest between holes 7 & 8

Chair – Brenda Fryc 218-591-9567

Asst. Chair – Fran Appelbaum 952-200-9097



HOLLERBACH'S

GERMAN RESTAURANT

Date: December 7, 2023

BUS TRIP

Price: \$50.00 (includes admission to the Lantern

Festival and the bus)- No Refunds

Departure #1: Bus leaves from Walmart 466 Garden area **Promptly** at **2** PM. So if you arrive at 2:15 the bus will be gone. Arrive in Sanford approximately 3:30.At that time you can go to Hollerbach's or shop and eat on your own.

Departure #2 Bus leaves downtown Sanford at 6:30 PM at the same point that you were dropped off at to attend The Asian Lantern Festival at the Central Florida Zoo & Botanical Gardens for the 7:00 PM Lantern Tour

Return: Bus Leaves the Zoo' at 8:30 PM and arrives at Walmart 466 @ approx.9:30 PM

No glass on the bus. Tervis Tumbler type glasses are okay

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Chair: Sheila Hughes (513) 324-3150 -Asst. Chair: Ellen McLees (732) 814-5741 Arrive at Hollerbach's for an early dinner and drinks (on your own) with plenty of time afterward for visiting the Market and Shopping in Sanford's Historic downtown area.

4th Annual Asian Lantern
Festival features over 30
larger-than-life
sculptures, lit from
within, by LED lights.
Hand made frames,
covered with fabric,
create beautiful
illuminated plants,
animals, butterflies and
more.

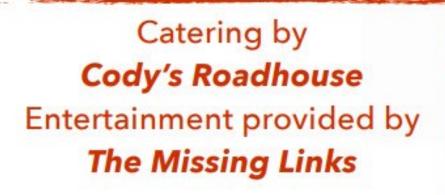
FYI: The festival is a walking journey on a 3/4 mile path around the Zoo. Manual wheelchairs are available for rental on a first come basis at the admissions window.



Happy Holidays

2023 HOLIDAY PARTY December 20, 2023 Savannah Center

5 PM - 9 PM



Tickets: \$40.00 Per Person - Non Refundable
Tickets go on sale on November 1, 2023.

Chair: Mary Wallace 630-453-3607

Assistant Chair: Gloria Veurink 727-542-8125

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