

The Brandywine Bugle

October 2017

Submit notices for the Bugle to:
ccastellano@precedentmgt.com
no later than the 20th of each month

BINGO

Wednesday, October 4th & 18th at 7:30 pm
Brandywine will begin bingo, as usual, on the first & third Wednesdays of October. Even though this has been a traumatic time for SW Florida we at Brandywine are fortunate to have a community that was spared severe damage. Bingo is what we do and what we want is normalcy and the pursuit of the activities that we all enjoy. Hope to see you there!

WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION

Saturday, October 7th at 9am. New members are always welcome to meet other ladies and hear about numerous opportunities and happenings in the community. Lots of things to discuss for all the upcoming events.
Karen Miller 481-3790

HALLOWEEN PARTY

Saturday, October 28th at 5:30 pm
It's time to get those costumes out and dust them off (or come casual). We will have live entertainment from Johnny and Patti. \$16.00 per person. BYOB. Everyone welcome to bring your friends. Sign up on Monday, October 23rd from 1-3pm in the Brandywine Hall.
Karen Miller 481-3790

LUNCH BUNCH

Friday, October 20th at 12:00 pm
Due to Hurricane Irma, the Lunch Bunch for September was canceled. Our Lunch Bunch for October 20th will be at Cantina Laredo Mexican Restaurant, located on Big Pine Way across from Outback. Please call Merrily Francis by October 17th for reservations. This will be our last Lunch Bunch till next May.
Merrily Francis 482-5679

ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE

Monday, October 2nd at 10am in the Brandywine room. Everyone interested in helping & supporting us with the events we hold in season & year-long please come.
Rosemary King 288-7533

BOOK CLUB

Tuesday, October 10th at 10:00 am in the Tennis Building. Whatever the weather the Book Club will meet Tuesday the 10th. Come and share your ideas on the books you have been reading or your hurricane experience. As always, new member and guests are invited.
Jean Zender 267-0951

MEN'S CLUB BREAKFAST AT MYERLEE COUNTRY CLUB

Saturday, October 21st at 9:00am
Hosted by the Men's Club, this is an open invitation to all Brandywine men to enjoy good fellowship and a hearty breakfast. Cost is \$10. Reservations will need to be made by Wednesday, October 18th.

Call: Ed Zender 267-0951

BUSINESS REFERRAL LIST

Men's Club

This is a listing of suggested reference received from Brandywine residents of handymen services, contractors and others that have done good work for the residents in the past. This was updated 8/7/17. To locate: mybrandywine.org (Home Page); under LATEST NEWS (on the far right); Scroll down to "Business References".

Call: Ed Zender 267-0951

FROM THE NEST

Don't quote me, but perhaps we're out of the woods with severe hurricanes for the rest of the season. For those who heeded and prepared, those who stayed or returned shortly after Irma, I applaud you. It makes me proud to have you as my neighbor, my friend or a person I can bid good day to. With your tenacity and strength, this community came through with flying colors. We all pitched in, though we face a sizeable cleanup, we nonetheless, are looking ahead to better times. If there's another event, hopefully I'll read and heed my own article telling all to get bags of sand! In place of it, I piled pillows and towels at the Florida room door while the wind force punched water under the door. Goodbye ruined pillows, and more wash of towels, but a lesson well learned for me.

Audrey Murphy 489-2806



BILLIARDS

October 11th & 25th Wednesday evenings from 7:00pm-8:30pm. The variety of talent makes it a fun social event – BYOB and snacks if you want. Kathy and Mike Donlan are coordinating this activity. email: michaeldonlan@cs.com
Kathy & Mike 433-5217, 789-540

GARDEN CLUB

Monday, October 16th at 12:00 pm

Welcome back to the Garden Club's first meeting for the season. This is our annual pot luck luncheon. This date may have to be changed as I do not know the extent of the damage done by Hurricane Irma. If it has to be changed or relocated, you will receive a call from our calling committee.

Mary Meyerhans 919-4713

GARDEN ANT-ics

Irma blew through the Memorial Gardens, knocking over a trellis (which can be righted), decimating the Hong Kong Orchid tree (unsure of its fate), and downing the two sentinel Geiger trees – the statue was unharmed. The “driftwood” sculptures will be dug in and planting of air plants, succulents and cacti on them will begin, mounted with attention to surviving hurricane winds!! Mulching is planned for Fall – thank you Ed & Jean Zender for your donation toward the cost. The gracious women in Ceramics continue to faithfully create plant name markers for the garden. Current volunteers and anyone interested in helping with the garden (NO experience needed) are invited to please come to a meeting in the Library on Monday, October 9th at 7pm. And it is not true – gardeners do not spend ALL day in their beds!

GREAT COURSES

Every Thursday at 3:00 pm on the “Big Screen” in the East Brandywine Room.

October 5 – Chamber Music of Mozart

The Hunt (hunting horn-like character)

Math of Games & Puzzles

Expert Backgammon

Frog parking only-All others will be toad!

October 12 – Chamber Music of Mozart

The Hunt (hunting horn-like character) Pt 2

Math of Games & Puzzles

Games you can't lose & sneaky puzzles!

What happens if you get scared half to death twice?

October 19 – Chamber Music of Mozart

The Flute Quartet in D Major

Math of Games & Puzzles

Solving “Impossible” Puzzles

Ban pre-shredded cheese-Make America Grate Again

October 26 – Chamber Music of Mozart

Vienna

Math of Games & Puzzles

Mastering Rubik's Cube

If attacked by a mob of Clowns, Go for the Juggler!

IN MEMORIAM

We lost two cherished residents in September:

Bill Peter on September 15th

Claire Porter on September 24th

NEW RESIDENTS

Let's welcome these lucky people joining us in “paradise”.

Gaye Ginter,

1207 Hazeltine Drive

Constance Kirk,

1325 N. Brandywine Circle

William Coughlin,

1304 S. Brandywine Circle #3

LOOKING AHEAD

Wednesday, November 29:

Broadway Palm Matinee

The Activity Committee is organizing a Wednesday Matinee to Broadway Palm to see their version of the Christmas Story. Folks can come individually or plan to be with friends. Transportation is on your own, but we will all be seated together. Last year of 50 residents came and had an enjoyable time. Cost pp for the show and meal is \$56.00 and this includes taxes and gratuities. The date for the outing is November 29th. If you would like to attend or have questions, please call.

Call: Dorothy Aneiro 454-0077

November 23rd – Thanksgiving Dinner!

More information to follow in the November edition of the Bugle.

Mary Meyerhans 482-0001

EVENTS IN THE WORKS:

Winter Holiday Bake Sale – Profits will go to the maintenance of both the Remembrance Garden and the garden on North Brandywine. Date and more information to come.

January 2018 – Winter Gala

WEBSITE INFO

The Original Brandywine Condo Association Website, The September Bugle included an article entitled “Brandywine Website” and the information was about the Management Company's website at www.precedentmgt.com

Some unit owners thought that website replaced the longstanding, award winning, Association's website www.mybrandywine.org that I maintain as a volunteer.

Both websites are in effect and both have some similar information, but both have some different information. When new information is added to www.mybrandywine.org, I send an email to those on my list to inform them of that happening. If you do not receive such emails, please send me an email to that effect and you will be added. You can view this website at any time without receiving an email, except BOD minutes requires a password.

Roger Hervey, Webmaster
rdhervey@gmail.com

Board Elections

Board of Director Elections are Coming Up, please be on the lookout for the Intent to Run form to put your name in for a Board Position. Homeowners are encouraged to volunteer.

After Hours Emergency Number

If you have an afterhours association office emergency, please call: (727)573-9300

Speed Limit

Please note the posted community speed limit of 25mph. This is for the safety of the entire community. We also ask you to mind your speed while entering or leaving the community and passing the Gate House.

Association Office Email

For all email correspondence with the Brandywine Association office please use: ccastellano@precedentmgt.com

CLASSIFIED-----

FOR SALE: Go-Go "Pride" mobile scooter, like new – barely used. \$600.00.

330-383-1779

FOR SALE: Wood dining table & 4 chairs, 40"x60" expands to 74" with leaf. \$175.00.

239-482-0028

FOR SALE: Two 52-inch white ceiling fans. \$30.00 for both.

Dan: **443-739-0440**

FOR SALE: Complete set of golf clubs with like new bag. \$75.00.

239-415-9064

FOR SALE: Golf Balls, clean no cuts. Titlest Solo, Wilson Staff, Taylor Made and others.

239-482-2509 after 4pm

FOR SALE: 5 CU FT Electric Freezer, hardly used.

508-932-0645

