

The Brandywine Bugle

September 2018

Submit notices for the Bugle to:

ccastellano@precedentmgt.com

no later than the 20th of each month

LABOR DAY BAKED POTATO PARTY

Monday, September 3rd at 5:30 pm

Cost \$12 Potato with assorted fillings, salad, and dessert will be provided. A 50/50 will be held.
Rosemary King 288-7533

BRANDYWINE CARD CRAFTERS

SEPTEMBER MEETING CANCELED

Please look for the October Bugle for the next meeting. All tools and supplies will be provided, and no experience is necessary! Please RSVP to lynnmoll@comcast.net if you would like to join us.

Lynn Moll 432-9912 Chanda Hensen 703-7644

ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE

Monday, September 10th at 10:00am

In Brandywine Hall. We welcome especially those who are interested in helping us develop events throughout the year. New residents are especially invited. Any questions call.

Rosemary King 288-7833

BOOK CLUB

Tuesday, September 11th at 10:00 am

Calling all Readers! Come to the Book Club meeting in the Tennis Clubhouse and join the discussions of what makes a book fun to read. You may also just sit back and listen. New members and guests are always welcome.

Jean Zender 267-0951

BUILDINGS & GROUNDS

No September Meeting

Bonnie Baril 919-356-4372

BILLIARDS

Wednesday, September 12th & 26th at 7pm

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, 789-5407

FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

Friday, September 14th at 11:00am

Held in the Brandywine Hall.

Bill Doolin 815-342-4791



FUN NIGHT

Friday, September 14th & 28th at 6:30 pm

New social events around the pool and walkway! Come out and help us have fun! This informal gathering will take place starting at 6:30pm. We'll use the old kitchen for all glass containers. BYOB with plastic glasses and snacks. Themes are socializing, Karaoke (with a professional system) and cornhole games. If you care to, bring your dominoes, card or dice – anything to enjoy while experiencing the free entertainment. Call with any questions!

Patty Haller at 502-553-6321

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

Tuesday, September 18th at 11:30am

All Brandywine unit owners are welcome and encouraged to attend. Meeting held in the Brandywine Hall. The Board Meeting agenda will be posted at the Brandywine Hall the weekend prior to the meeting.

LUNCH BUNCH

Friday, September 21st at 12:30pm

The September Lunch Bunch will be at Deep Lagoon Seafood Restaurant on Friday the 21st at 12:30. The restaurant is located at 14040 McGregor.... at the intersection of A&W Bulb Rd. and McGregor Blvd. in the Marina. Please call Merrily Francis by **September 17** to make your reservations. Everyone is welcome to come.

Merrily Francis 482-5679

DOCUMENTS & POLICIES MEETING

No September Meeting

Bob Schlossmann 847-452-6618

LOOKING AHEAD

October 1st –Activities 10am

October 3rd & 17th – Bingo

October 6th –Women's Association

October 19th –Lunch Bunch

October 20th –New Comers Coffee

October 27th –Halloween Party

October 29th –Brandywine Hall Event

PLANNING AHEAD:

November 6-10th – 3 seats are now available for the tour which now includes 11 shows. Contact Barb & Keb Bell ASAP (239)481-7091.



December 5-7th – St. Augustine Nights of Lights. Flyer is posted on the Brandywine Hall board. The cost - per person double is \$235, single is \$348.50. We have 35 pre-registered. The Tours4You bus will provide transportation from Brandywine and return. Payment will be collected on Thursday, Nov. 1 in Brandywine Hall with checks paid to Brandywine Activities Committee (BAC) for the full amount. Lists for the bus tour and hotel rooms will be completed at that time. Questions call Rosemary King at 288-7533.

Friday, March 8th – Looking forward to spring, Activities has booked the Sun Coast Tour (day trip) with Tours4You on Friday, March 8th. A flyer is posted on the Brandywine Hall with details of this trip that costs only \$89 per person. The bus will begin and end here at Brandywine. No pre-registration will be accepted until January 2019.

NEW RESIDENTS

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

- Robert & Sandra Garman,
1298 Medinah Drive
- William & Judy Clegg,
1214 Hazeltine Drive
- William & Donalyn McKee,
1252 S Brandywine Circle
- Joyce Froney,
1380 S Brandywine Circle #2
- Stuart & Angie Wilson,
1340 S Brandywine Circle #4

IN MEMORIAM

We lost cherished residents this summer:

Barbara McCollum 6/3
Beverly Nelson 7/20

FROM THE NEST

Did you ever hear of Car Fit? Well, we had the Sheriff's Office come to Brandywine a number of years ago for this free program. It's held outdoors, in your car, and the officers go over certain points all should be aware of, plus a check of changes you might want to make. It covers seating and devices and just about anything in prevention of accidents. Materials will be available, passed to each participant, and when done, it definitely lets you know how well your vehicle "fits" you. Their list of resources they give you is handy and something you'll want to keep as reference later on. Soooo - when it's announced here, please don't shy away from a golden opportunity to ensure you're doing the right thing and protecting yourself and others. Go ahead, say it, I probably need it more than most!!!

Thank you, Audrey

HELP WANTED AT THE BCA LIBRARY

The Brandywine Condominium Association Library needs volunteers. Our goal is to have a volunteer in the library each day of the week. Scheduling is flexible, and hours of activity are

decided by the individual volunteers. If you are interested and available to join the group of residents currently maintaining our library, please contact Nancy O'Keeffe at 466-0476.

POOL LOUNGE CHAIR REMINDER

Please keep pool lounge chair backs down after use to avoid damage and extend the life of our beautiful pool furniture.

SHERIFF NON-EMERGENCY CONTACT NUMBER

If you are experiencing or noticing any suspicious or unusual behavior or need to contact the authorities in a non-emergency situation, please call 239-477-1000.

ASSOCIATION OFFICE HOLIDAY HOURS

The Association Office will be closed:
Monday, September 3rd – Labor Day

TRASH AND RECYCLING HOLIDAY PICK-UP HOURS

In observance of Labor Day please note a change in trash/ recycling.

NO trash pick-up Monday, September 3rd,
trash valet service will resume on
Wednesday, September 5th

NO Recycling Tuesday, September 4th
Recycling will be picked up Wednesday,
September 5th

HURRICANE PREPARATION

Please remember to remove all potted plants, furniture, statues or decorations from the exterior of your unit if you are planning to leave this summer. These items become dangerous projectiles during high wind storms.

CAUTION NATIVE WILDLIFE

The beautiful Florida habitat can also bring potential encounters with wildlife. With the location of Brandywine and the warm wet weather that is here, please be cautious of snakes, alligators and other wildlife creatures in the Brandywine community. For more wildlife information please visit www.myfwc.com

As a reminder:

ALL trash must go inside the dumpster.

Contractors/handyman are **NOT** authorized to leave construction debris at the dumpster area, unless otherwise approved by management and the Board of Directors.

BULK TRASH AND DUMPSTER

Bulk items must be placed to the **RIGHT** of the dumpster not blocking the gate or doors. All Bulk dumping must also include a scheduled pickup with Advanced Disposal by the individual placing the items. If you have a large or bulk item for trash disposal that is brought up to the dumpster area, please contact **Advanced Disposal (239)334-1224** to schedule a bulk pick up. The dumpster/ trash compactor cannot handle sizable items

including but not limited to appliances, carpet (must be cut in 6ft lengths), and large furniture.

Homeowners **MUST** arrange for this to be part of the bulk pick up with Advanced Disposal, there is no charge for this service.

Please note: TVs CAN be thrown into the dumpster.

NO HOUSEHOLD CHEMICAL WASTE:

All chemical waste (i.e. florescent lightbulbs, paint, batteries, cleaning compounds, gasoline) must be taken to a **Lee County Drop Off Facility. 6441 TOPAZ COURT FT. MYERS, FL 33912 533-8000** Please dispose of all your chemical waste at the Drop Off Facility and do not leave it by the dumpster for the office to dispose of.

There is NO CHARGE to residents for dropping off household chemical waste.

HOWEVER, if our maintenance must drop off waste there **IS** a charge by the county, and this will add to yearly budget cost.

REGULAR TRASH COLLECTION

Place trash at curb (not in front of mailbox) by 9am on Monday, Wednesday, and Fridays. - Do Not put trash out the night before. - Please use plastic bags heavy enough to hold the weight of the trash. - No carboard or moving boxes.

REGULAR RECYCLE COLLECTION

Please use the blue bins for recycles. Pick up is Tuesday only. - Blue bin must be at the curb by 9:00am Tuesday morning. Do NOT put out the Bin the night before. - Do NOT place bin near the mailbox. - Corrugated carboard boxes should be flattened and tied. Place beside bin. Plastic bags cannot be recycled, please bring to Publix and dispose in their plastic bag refuse.

ITEMS TO BE RECYCLED: Glass, Green, clear and brown bottles/ jars **PLASTIC:** Plastic bottles & containers with #1-7 on the bottom **METAL:** Aluminum cans, pie pans, clean foil, tin, steel and empty aerosol cans **PAPER:** Phone & paperback books, junk mail, magazines, catalogs, newspapers and inserts, office paper, file folders & paper bags.

CLASSIFIED-----

FOR SALE: White wicker dresser with glass top 70" long x 30" high x 20" deep, excellent condition \$125.00 **Ken:330-277-1207**

FOR SALE: "Hurricane Ready" portable Butane Single Burner gas stove (Never Opened) and 4 cans of fuel. \$55.00 **Call:239-482-0553**

FOR SALE: Hide A Bed Lt Brown, like new \$90; Fax machine \$10; Twin Beds; Patio table & 4 chairs metal & glass top \$75; Redwood Bench \$40 **H. Pelletier :239-482-2509 call between 3-5:30pm**

FOR SALE: It's time to down size my inventory. I have 6 guitars and a ukulele and zero storage space. Call or make an appointment to come look. Prices are negotiable. 1. Electric guitar by Schechter \$150; 2. Two cutaway acoustic guitars by Esteban with cases \$225; 3. Classical guitar by Vantage \$150; 4. Acoustic guitar by Washburn \$200; 5. Acoustic guitar by Esteban \$75; 6. Ukulele by Glarry \$35 **Dan:443-739-0440**

FOR SALE: Men's golf clubs & bag, plus other clubs & bags (best offer), outdoor canopy swing, Men's Schwinn bicycle, Oreck Vacuum cleaner. Make an offer **239-275-4819**

FOR SALE: Garage freezer, one owner, no dents or scratches clean throughout. \$50.00 **Tom:239-482-8194/ 239-220-1602**

