

The Brandywine Bugle

March 2024

Please submit notices for the Bugle to:

sholcomb@precedentmgt.com

no later than the 20th of each month

ASSOCIATION INFORMATION

AED MACHINE LOCATION
Brandywine Hall Breezeway

ASSOCIATION OFFICE HOURS
Monday-Friday 8am-4pm

To contact the Association office, please call:
(239) 481-2326

B&G COMMITTEE MEETING
Monday, March 11th 1:30pm BWH
Subject to change, will be in person and virtual. Chris DeMeyer
239-218-1208 or Dave Tanner 239-398-4406.

FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING
Monday, March 18th 6:30pm BWH
Subject to change, will be in person and virtual. Karen Christianson
586-909-4804

COMMUNICATIONS MEETING
TBD
Subject to change, will be in person and virtual.
Brandywine.pbuchanan@gmail.com

BOD MEETING
Thursday, March 28th, 6:30pm BWH
Subject to change, will be in person and virtual. All owners are
encouraged to attend. Shannon Goessling 770-262-6938

DOCUMENTS & POLICIES MEETING
Monday, March 25th, 6:30pm BWH
Subject to change, will be in person and virtual. All owners are
encouraged to attend.

COMMUNITY GARAGE SALE NOTE

Thanks to everyone who participated in the Community Garage Sale. We had 26 homes participate, we had perfect weather and a great turnout of shoppers! It was a great day of shopping, catching up with friends, and meeting new neighbors! Thank you to everyone for making it a huge success!

2nd ANNUAL BOCCE TOURNAMENT

The "2nd Annual Brandywine Bocce Tournament", took place on Saturday, February 10th, and what a great day it was! Clear skies and good weather brought out many spectators who witnessed some very competitive games. The new **Brandywine Bocce Champion for 2024 is the team of Rosa Ayala and Leonard Blazek. Runners up were the team of Jo-Ann and Jim Scott.** The Bocce Club wishes to thank all our participants and volunteers for their efforts. Special thanks to Jim Scott our tournament chairman who ran an efficient event keeping track of all of us. Remember, we play on Mondays and Thursdays at 9:30 am. Come out and have some fun! ***"If you can roll a ball, you can play bocce!"***

POOLSIDE PIZZA PARTY

Sunday, March 3, from 3 to 5 pm

Pizza, salad, & ice cream for dessert. \$5 bucks.
Donna Johnson 386-804-0481

TRIVIA ROUND UP

Next Session – Monday, March 4th

February's game was won by **Last Chance** once again, scoring 69 out of a possible 76 points. **The Stooges** were in second with 68. Third place were the **Braniacs** with 64. Congratulations to all!

BWH doors open at 6:30 pm, play starts promptly at 7:00, no late entries, \$5.00 per person pay at door. Six people per team max. Bring your team (think up a clever name), or we can help place you on a team. BYOB and snacks for your table. Come on out and have some fun!!!

BINGO

Wednesday, March 6th & 20th 7 pm

Bingo on Feb. 7 – We had 94 bingo players in attendance. We paid out \$1,375. Nancy O'Keefe won \$250 on the extra game Large Round Robin. Joshua Wheeler won \$250 on the letter X and Bob O'Keefe won the Cover All Jackpot for \$250.

Bingo on Feb. 21 - We had 78 bingo players and we paid out \$1,220. Each regular game paid \$50. Terry Weber won the Large Round Robin game and took home \$150. Jan Raucci won the Letter X and took home \$250. The jackpot game was for \$250 and was split between Jackie Jarr-Camps and Jake Jacobo, they each won \$125. The next Bingo night will be March 6. See you all then! Janice Petraglia

SINGLES CLUB

Thursday, March 7th 6 pm in Library

February was a fun month for the Singles Club!

We went to Koreshan Park for their annual "Ghost Walk". I did have a possible sighting of two ghosts but apparently, I was the only one so no witnesses. There was a second outing and it was a Candlelight Concert featuring Vivaldi's

Four Seasons. It was rather spectacular with candles completely lighting the stage. One of our members hosted a Super Bowl party and another member hosted a Mardi Gras party. Come and see what we are planning for March. Visitors are not required to bring any new ideas but if you have some come and share them with us! If you are single, living alone, or are a caregiver whose partner is unable to get out please join us.

Contact Sue Gabel at 915-978-8148 or Nancy Becker at 405-760-5440 with any questions.

MUSIC & DANCING

Friday, March 8, 2024, from 6-9 pm

Music and Dancing in the driveway of 1243 N. Brandywine Cir, all are invited! BYOB, a chair, and a snack if you would like. Contact Wilma Randall with any questions 716-474-2062

MEN'S CLUB

Saturday, March 9th, 2024, at 9:00 am

The Men's Club breakfast will be held at the Myerlee Country Club on Saturday, March 9th at 9:00 am. Signups are in Brandywine Hall and in the library. You can also contact Dave Tanner at 239-398-4406 or John Caccavale at 347-232-5986. The cost is \$15 dollars, and the food is very good. As of now our speaker is TBD.

Barbecue Saturday March 9th Sponsored by:

BRANDYWINE BOCCE & SOCIAL CLUB

It's time for a Barbecue! A hot dog and hamburger barbecue will take place on Saturday **March 9th** from 4:00 to 6:00 pm at Brandywine Hall, with seating in BWH or on breezeway. All residents and guests are invited to attend. **Sign up is in Brandywine Hall on Monday March 4th** between 1:00 and 3:00 pm. Hamburgers are \$8.00 each, cheeseburgers are optional at no extra charge. Hot Dogs are \$5.00 each or two for \$8. Chili for chilidogs, NY Pushcart Style Onions in Sauce and Condiments provided. BYOB.

BOOK CLUB

Tuesday, February 13th at 10 am.

Come to the tennis house to share your reading experiences. Nancy O'Keeffe 466-0476.

Library Book Donations: We would love to receive book donations for our library. Call Phyllis at 239-810-4008 or email her at cip11@aol.com to tell her what you have to offer so she can OK the donation. We do not take cookbooks, DIY books, religious, sports, or old books because we do not have the room. Do not leave books without approval.

CRAFT CORNER

Wednesday, March 14th, at 9:30 am

Greeting card making

Wednesday, March 28th, at 9:30 am

Jewelry making

All materials are provided. We do ask for a \$2.00 donation to cover the cost of supplies. All are welcome. Hope to see you there. If you have questions, call Chanda at 239-703-7644.

HOTWIRE COMMUNITY TRAINING

Community training is scheduled for Friday, **March 15th** between 1-3 pm. The following topics will be discussed: How to use your Fision TV+ remote; Menus & Guide; Replay TV; Voice controls and Search; How to use OnePass & Cloud DVR; Downloading Apps; Tips and Tricks; and Troubleshooting tips. Please RSVP to brandywine@hotwirecommunication.com - **Max number of attendees is 40.**

ST. PATRICK'S DAY DINNER AND DANCE

We will hold our Annual St. Patrick's Day Dinner and Dance on **Saturday, March 16th** in Brandywine Hall from 5:30 – 9:00 pm. Dinner will include Corned Beef Sliders, Shepard's Pie, Sauerkraut, Cole Slaw, and various condiments. Dessert will be ice cream with Crème de Menthe and cookies. Just a touch of green! Musical entertainment will be provided by Jerry B. "The Music Man". **Sign-up** is in Brandywine Hall **Friday, March 8** from 1-3pm. \$20 per person. Please join us! Mary Marszalek Chairman.

BEAUTIFUL: THE CAROLE KING MUSICAL AT THE BROADWAY PALM MATINEE WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20, 2024, AT 11:30 AM

Please join us for a spectacular afternoon to enjoy the Tony and Grammy Award-winning musical **Beautiful**, on Wednesday, March 20th.

The matinee begins with lunch at 11:30 am, followed by the show at 1pm. Tickets are \$70 per person. There **are** a limited number of seats still available. For questions or information call or text Naomi Moyer 561-789-7523, or Janaan Schlagel 515-401-2346.

SPRING FASHION LUNCHEON

Friday, March 22, 2024, 11:00 AM ARRIVAL

Cost \$25 per person – choose your own table partners and bring a friend! Doors open @ 11:00am, Lunch is served at 11:45, followed by Brandywine ladies modeling the fashions.

Sign-up is Monday, March 11, between 10-12pm and **Monday, March 18, 2024**, between 1-3 pm (B). Fashions are provided by Anthony's Ladies Boutique. A Chinese auction & Silent auction will take place before lunch. Both auctions contain many lovely items to bid on, so bring your money to enter your bids. Bring a canned good to donate to Harry Chapin. Just a note to ponder – last year we filled up at the 1st sign-up!

LOOKING AHEAD

ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Saturday, April 6th

Details will be announced soon.

On Friday, April 12th from 6:30-9:30 pm Brandywine Bocce Club presents "**Sock Hop 2024**". Dress the part and join us on a trip down memory lane. Listen and dance to hits from the Rock 'N Roll era and contemporary music too performed by the fabulous **Frank Torino**. \$15 per person, BYOB and snack for your table. Attendance in 50's attire is encouraged, but not mandatory. **Sign-up from 1-3pm in Brandywine Hall on Monday, April 8th.**

CLASSIFIEDS

For Sale 7' Pool Table. Like new, slate top totally redone, accessories kit, cues, wall rack, and more! \$600, or best offer. Text 239-565-1303.

Singer Sewing Machine Table \$35, Ladies Golf Set & Bag L.H. \$20, Men's 7 speed bike \$70, Skilsaw 7 1/4" \$15, Scroll Saw \$10. 814-833-4856
Please leave a message.

NEW RESIDENTS

1214 N. Brandywine Cir. – Bonnie Henke

BRANDYWINE COMMUNITY PAGE (BCP)

The BCP is well into development. Be sure to look at channel 99 on your TV guide to access the Bugle & Calendar. Details of most regular activities & who to contact for more information are listed there. Please inform if any info is not correct or if changes need to be made.

Pete Lee 651-206-6773 or
Donna Johnson 386-804-0481

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