

# LAZY DAYS VILLAGE



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#### BE SURE TO ATTEND THE ROLDI GENERAL MEETING ON MARCH 3rd AT 7:00 p.m.

#### FROM YOUR ROLDI PRESIDENT

Hello Lazy Days,

What a month it has been! February was packed with activities, Laughter, and community spirit.

We've been busier than ever, and we couldn't have done it without all of you.

One of the biggest highlights was our TRASH AND TREASURE event. It took a dedicated team of volunteers and participants to make it such a success, and we are so grateful for everyone who contributed their time and efforts. Your hard work truly made a difference. Beyond that, we had plenty of other exciting activities that brought us together and kept the energy high.

As we head into March, we look forward to keeping the momentum going with even more great events. Don't forget these up-and-coming events.

- March 1st Community Picnic at noon, no tickets needed
- 3rd ROLDI Meeting NH 7:00 pm
- 5th Lee County Sheriff, Women's Self Defense class 6:00p NH. Reservation required.
- 7th Strawberry Social two sittings, 1:00 and 2:00p. Tickets required from Jan at the office.
- 15th Men's Over 80 lunch. Meet at SH at 10:30a.
- 15th New Village Singers Concert 7:00p NH
- 16th The BIG SHOW. Tickets available from Janet Shipley
- 20th LDPOA Board Mtg, 9:30a NH
- 21st LDPOA Special Meeting 11:00a NH

These are just some of the Special events. Check your calendars and the sign boards for the monthly and weekly events.

For everyone leaving in March, I hope that you will be taking fond memories home with you, and safe travel. We look forward to your return next year for activities that make your children just shake their heads.

#### FROM YOUR LDPOA PRESIDENT

Recently we have seen a couple more new homes arrive in the Village. We look forward to, maybe, a few more as we see lots being cleared. Homes have also been sold which gives us hope the market is improving and home values will be on the rise.

A lot of non-compliance letters have been sent out and we hope that you don't take offense. We are trying to equally and fairly enforce our rules and regulations. Please make yourselves familiar with the rules and turn in a 'Request for Alterations' Form before making any changes to your home, yard, carport, shed or patio. We are a deed restricted community where conformance is expected and required to maintain a certain level of appearances.

The LDPOA Member's Special Meeting to vote on the Bylaw changes in March will be here soon. Multiple presentations explaining the changes will begin soon. Watch for emails and check the Lazy Days Web Portal for a schedule to receive all the information so you can vote with informed knowledge. A copy of the Bylaws proposed changes will also be posted on the portal.

Don't hesitate to reach out to me at any time. My contact information is 239-291-8357 and my email is lloydcshipley@gmail.com.

#### Lloyd Shipley, LDPOA President



Gene Kelly, President ROLDI



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#### FROM YOUR PARK MANAGER

Hello Lazy Day Family

Well here comes March and the first wave of snowbirds will be packing up and saying farewell for another season. Time sure flies when you are having fun!

While we had a chilly start to the year, the last few weeks have been hot ... although I am writing this in the middle of February so I hope we do not go back into the freezer before this newsletter comes out.

At the January Annual Members Meeting there was a vote to hold a special membership meeting for another vote on proposed bylaw changes. The meeting will be on the 21st of March. This has kept me busy with the required mailings and just to make sure I am not bored sitting in the office, I have registered almost 300 vehicles and given out oodles of tickets for the Newby Strawberry Social.

Sales have picked up finally with several sales coming in, and even more important, several actual closing this year. Welcome to our new residents. If you have not seen it in an email blast, you can list your rental or property sale at the office now and I will get it on the web site.

The Veteran's Memorial has now been enhanced with a lovely hedge feature behind the flags. It makes the site even more reverent, and I sincerely hope you can all enjoy it.

Yes, the speed bumps are here and guess what...we think they are working! Many have commented that they are doing their job although there are a few who seem to find them a challenge and try to get up to 50mph between the bumps! Please observe the speed limit, it is there for the safety of the community.

Please remember to let me know when you leave for the season...I am not being nosey ...it is important to make sure you get mail to the correct address and to be able to let emergency service know who is in residence if we have a bad storm.

#### Jan Provence CAM CMCA Community Manager



#### <u>DAYLIGHT</u> <u>SAVINGS TIME</u>

MANAGER

Don't forget to "Spring Forward." The time change takes effect at 2:00 a.m. on March 9th.

#### **MARCH DANCES**



Mar 8th – Dance Fever with entertainment by ResocoustiC

**Mar 22nd** – Neon Moon with entertainment by Paul Mesich

Tickets are available from **Barb Joseph at 636 Vista Drive, 705 715-5996.** 

March is the last month for planned dances with entertainers. Thank you for your support!!

**Barb Joseph** 

#### ANNNUAL PARK PICNIC



Hoping your calendars are marked for the park picnic to be held Saturday, **March 1st** at noon. Bring your chairs down to the North

Hall and enjoy the games and other fun stuff. Gene Kelly has a crew set to grill up the food; our talented park bakers will have some delicious desserts to enjoy; your name could be called for a door prize; and, best of all, spend some wonderful time with friends! Hope to see you all there!

**Lana Grosinsky** 810-252-2125

#### **MEN'S OVER 80'S LUNCHEON**

The Men's Over 80's Luncheon will be Saturday, **March 15th.** We would like to invite all the gentlemen over 80 for a free lunch. Guests are welcome with a \$12 donation.

Gathering will be at the South Hall at 10:30 a.m. to make sure everyone has a ride. When everyone has checked in, we will proceed to the restaurant for lunch.

Sign up sheets will be in both halls. Please invite your 80's neighbor for a fun time.

Any questions...John Jefferson 239-203-7440



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#### **EASTER DINNER**

Once again, ROLDI will be providing Easter dinner for the residents of Lazy Days Village. On **Sunday, April 20th**,



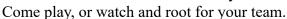
ham, turkey, potatoes and gravy will be offered along with coffee, tea and punch. Place settings will also be provided; just bring a generous dish to pass. Desserts should be brought to the North Hall by 2:00 p.m. in order to cut and plate them prior to the **3:00 p.m.** dinner serving.

<u>Please be sure to sign up</u> so we will know how much food to prepare. If you are able to help in any way, *please* contact me; it will be very much appreciated. Thanks.

Judy Young 239-652-0411.

#### **CHAIR VOLLEY BALL**

We meet every **Friday morning** at 10:00 a.m. in the South Hall. We use a beach ball so it's fun and easy.





Please place your aluminum cans in a bag beneath your mailbox Wednesday evenings or early Thursday mornings. Thank you for your support in this endeavor.

#### <u>NEW VILLAGE SINGERS</u>

Our **Spring Concert** will be held on Saturday evening **March 15th at 7:00 p.m.** in the North Hall. Come and enjoy an evening of fun and even some



sing-alongs. There will be refreshments following the concert. No tickets are required, but we do appreciate a free-will offering which enables us to continue acquiring new music for Karaoke and future concerts.

Judy Young, Coordinator

#### STRAWBERRY SOCIAL



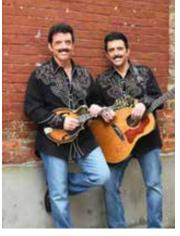
The Strawberry Social will be held on **Friday, March 7th.** There will be two sittings: 1:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m. at the North Hall. Be sure to sign up and get your tickets from Jan at the office.

#### **WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS**



#### <u>"THE BIG SHOW"</u>

Spittin' Image, is an Identical Twin Duo who have entertained audiences across the country for over 50 years. Their longevity is a testament to their success and to the magnetism that draws their audiences to their show, performing over 425 shows each year. Blain and Brian love to sing and play their instruments as much



as they love to entertain an audience. They intertwine wonderful harmonies with excellent musicianship, and mix it all with comedy, audience participation, and a high energy show.

Spittin' Image are two of the most versatile, fun-loving, enthusiastic performers you will ever see. With extensive and outstanding musical skills and a terrific variety of fine-tuned comedy routines, Spittin' Image will surprise and delight the audience. With their "Twin Telepathy" they think and perform as one. Their vocal blend and harmony comes across as only siblings can produce.

If you haven't purchased your tickets yet, be sure to get them before we are sold out. Call **Janet Shipley for tickets. 781-710-2008.** The suggested donation is \$15 and worth every penny. Come hear the wonderful music and comedy of Spittin' Image on Sunday, March 16th at 3:00pm. The doors will open at 2:30 for social time with light refreshments, wine, beer and punch. Don't miss it!



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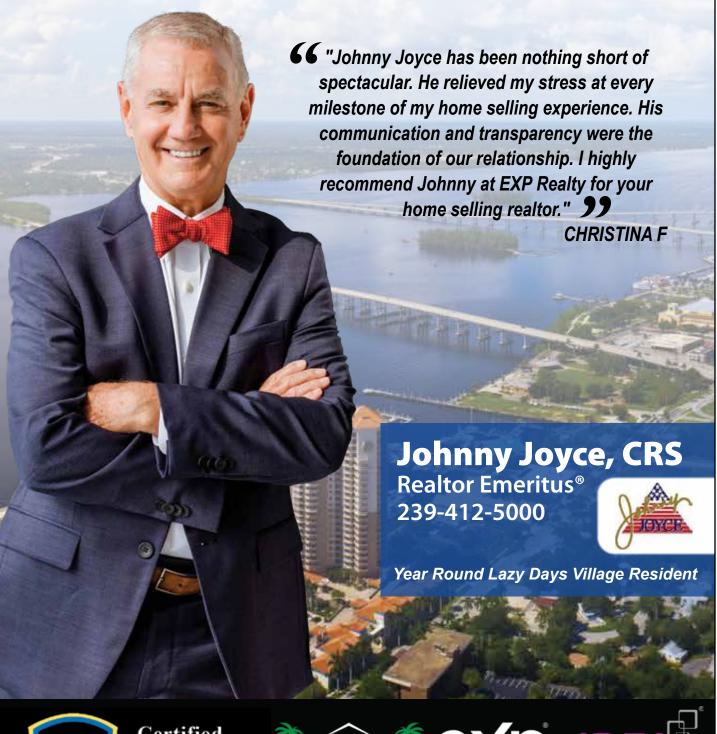


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#### NEW DATE AND TIME FOR BIBLE STUDY

The Thursday morning gathering of Christ Followers has ended. As our attendance has diminished this winter, another Lazy Days Bible study has flourished. The ministry of



Pastor Carl Kaspic's Bible study, A Deeper Walk with Jesus, has outgrown his home and will now meet on Monday evenings at 7:00 in the North Hall (except on the first Monday of each month ROLDI meeting, through April). God's timing is always perfect and it is time to transition to a new Bible study for Lazy Days.

#### MEMORY PHOTO BOARD

In honor of those residents who are no longer with us, a Memory Photo Board is now hanging in the North Hall. I have been able to get most obituary information and pictures on line with the exception of a few who are also listed at the bottom of the board. The Memory Photo Board is 2024 and after. If anyone has information on a deceased resident, feel free to contact me.

**Brenda Hauge 239-371-9769** 

**Evening & Weekend** 

Appointments Available

#### TIME TO SAY GOODBYE

Our condolences to the families of Larry Binkley of 649 Future Drive who passed away on January 25th and Phil Tessier of 561 Winning Way who also passed away in late January.







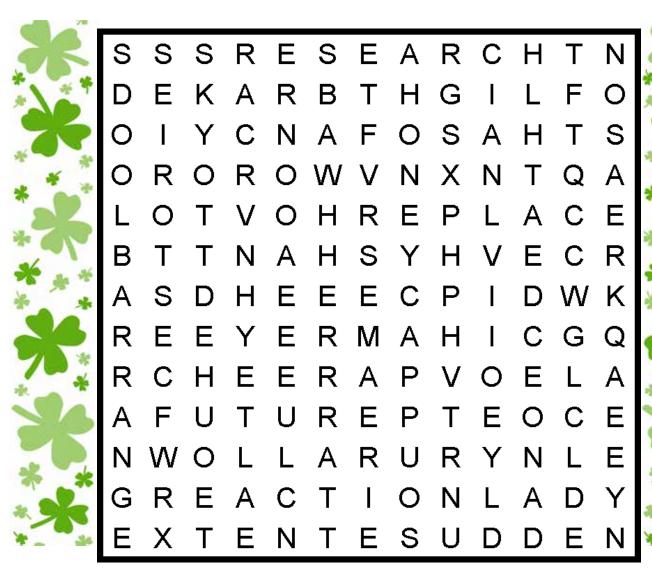


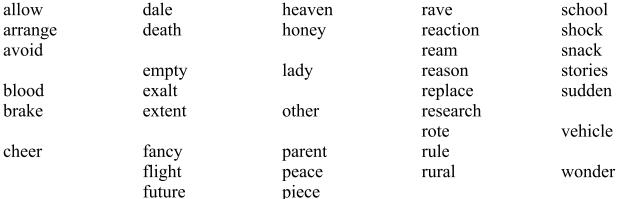
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## March Crossword

#### **ACROSS**

- 1. Scottish landowner
- 6. Odor
- 11. Master of Ceremonies
- 12. Long and tiresome
- 15. Gland that produces melatonin
- 16. Noncommissioned officer
- 17. East southeast
- 18. Food-related
- 20. Golf ball support
- 21. Backside
- 23. Military
- 24. Fraud
- 25. Diva's solo
- 26. Applications
- 27. Dregs
- 28. Jump
- 29. Anagram of "Eat"
- 30. Destitute
- 31. Book of scriptures
- 34. A rustling sound
- 36. Guff
- 37. Frosts, as a cake
- 41. Expresses relief
- 42. Assistant
- 43. Naked
- 44. Teller of untruths
- 45. Skin disease
- 46. Smile
- 47. Paintings
- 48. Spartan
- 51. Stomach muscles, for short
- 52. Menacing
- 54. Roam
- 56. Tales
- 57. Ancient Roman magistrate
- 58. Rips
- 59. Genders



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#### 1. Relaxation

- 2. Inability to remember 16. Style of train
- 3. Frozen water
- 4. Anagram of "Dear"
- 5. Sandwich shop
- 6. Water vapors
- 7. Joyous
- 8. Jittery
- 9. Falsehood
- 10. Despised
- 13. Apprehensive
- 14. Flower stalk

#### **DOWN**

- 15. Flower feature
- 19. Artist's stand
- 22. More content
- 24. Searching
- 26. Mormon state
- 27. Fifth sign of the zodiac
- 30. No
- 32. South southwest
- 33. Basin for washing
- anal area
- 34. Apparition

- 35. More of the same
- 38. Able to be healed
- 39. Comestibles
- 40. Feeling 42. Entry
- 42. Entry
- 44. Young woman
- 45. Daisylike bloom
- 48. Largest continent
- 49. Ticks off
- 50. An abandoned calf or lamb
- 53. Anger
- 55. Angel
- 55. Combine





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	574-612-2200	John Jefferson					
	Gene Kelly	519-330-7522		920-573-8164	630-788-5014	734-735-1191	
	contact	Garry McDonald	To be Determined	LuAnn Ruby	Karen Littlejohn	LouAnn Upton	
	volunteer	L D Suffle League	<u>Poker</u>	Line Dancing	Hand & Foot Cards	Chair Volleyball	
	or to	Fun Shuffle &					
	tables or chairs;		617-875-1811	705-715-5996		674 Coral Ln.	
	rental of halls,	239-599-4679	Buzz Dunham	Barb Joseph	989-878-0361	Barb Karner	
	activity;	Madeline Poirier	Men's Dartball	<u>Ladies Breakfast</u>	Bill VanDriessche	Bocce Ball	
	a new	Quilting & Crafts			<u>Euchre</u>		
	To request		239-203-7440	705-715-5996		682-717-4844	
		Sign up to host	John Jefferson	Barb Joseph	705-715-5996	Carl Kaspick	
	239-652-0411	<u>Potlucks</u>	Men's Breakfast	<u>Ladies Exercise</u>	Barb Joseph	Bible Study	
13	Judy Young				Dances		
	Sundays at 4:00p	317-272-0420	765-210-8224	920-960-6498		443-293-2841	
	Rehearsals on	Randall Ball	Clarence McDougle	Jerry Sabel	Various Hosts	Marion Nester	
	New Village Singers	Pool/Billards	Mah Jongg	<u>Karaoke</u>	Coffee & Donuts	Bingo & Pokeno	
	-	Contact coordinator for details.		As Coordinators return, activities will resume.		Activities are open to all residents of Lazy Days.	Activities a
		oard when courts are free.	lards, Bocce Ball, Shuffleb	Also available any time: Ping Pong, Pickle Ball, Bean Bag Toss, Horseshoes, Billards, Bocce Ball, Shuffleboard when courts are free	Ping Pong, Pickle Ball, Bear	Also available any time:	
	Breakfast 1st&3rd			12:00p Shuffleboard		9:30a Fun Shuffle	
	9:00a Ladies's	9:00a Pickleball	1:00p Bocce	9:00a Pickleball	1:00p Bocce	9:00a Pickleball	
		Outside	Outside	Outside	Outside	Outside	
	Breakfast Club		7:00p Bingo		7:00p Men's Dartball	6:30p Pokeno	
	7:45a Men's	10:00a Chair Volleyball	6:30p Early Bingo	South Hall	1:00p Hand & Foot		
	Out of Village	South Hall	2nd ea. Month		10:00a Quilting/Crafts	8:00a Coffee & Donuts	
		2nd & 4th	Ladies Lunch Noon	6:30p Euchre	South Hall	South Hall	
	Socials - varies	6:00p Jam session	9:30a Fun Shuffle	2:00p Pool/Billards	OctApril		4:00p
	5:00p Fire Pit	6:00p Karaoke 1st&3rd	South Hall		1st & 3rd	7:00p Bible study	Singers
	as announced	5:30p \$5 Meal Deal		10:00a Line Dancing	5:00p Potluck	1:00p Mah Jongg	New Village
	7:00p Dances	8:45a Chair yoga	1:00p Mah Jongg	8:45a Ladies Fitness		8:45a Ladies' Exercise	
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# ANNUAL EVENTS - volunteers are needed for each event to make them possible.

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Easter Sunday, Memorial Day, July 4th and Labor Day. New Village Singers Concerts, Golf Cart Parades, Over 80s Ladies Luncheon, Over 80s Mens Luncheon. Dinners and Picnics are free to residents and \$5 for each guest: Veterans Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, Trash and Treasure - Money made from T&T helps to pay for all our activities, insurance, royality fees and free dinners. Dates vary per year for: Annual Picnic, Craft Show,

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New Village			PAINTINGF CLASS		STRAWBERRY SOCIAL	
Singers Rehearsal	ROLDI GENERAL		2:00p SH	FIRE PIT	1:00 & 2:00p	DISCO FEVER
4:00p NH	MEETING	POT LUCK	Self-Defense Class	RISING SMOKE	Kenny & Friends	ResaconostiC
	7:00p NH	5:00p NH	6:00p NH	5:00P	6:00 - 8:00p	7:00p NH
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Daylight Savings 2:00a				LADIES LUNCH		MENS OVER 80 LUNCH
New Village			PAINTINGF CLASS	TIME & PLACE TO	KARAOKE	Meet at SH 10:30a
Singers Rehearsal	BIBLE STUDY		2:00p SH	<b>BE DETERMINED</b>	\$5 Meal @ 5:30	<b>NEW VILLAGE SINGERS</b>
4:00p NH	7:00P NH				6:00-9:00p NH	CONCERT - 7:00p NH
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2:30p Refreshments	7:00P NH	POT LUCK	FIRE PIT - HUNGRY	FRAUD CLASS	Kenny & Friends	Paul Mesich
SHOW 3:00p NH	St. Patrick's Day	5:00p NH	PONY 5:00P	2:00p NH	6:00 - 8:00p NH	7:00p NH
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	11:00a NH		2:00p SH	FIRE PIT	KARAOKE	
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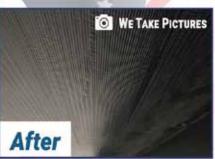
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