

#### WHAT'S HAPPENING IN APRIL?

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| Thu | Apr | 1  | April Fools Day              | Wed | May | 5  | MC HOA Meeting           |
|-----|-----|----|------------------------------|-----|-----|----|--------------------------|
| Sun | Apr | 4  | Happy Easter                 | Fri | May | 7  | Bulk Trash Day           |
| Wed | Apr | 7  | MC HOA Meeting               | Sun | May | 9  | Happy Mother's Day       |
| Fri | Apr | 9  | Bulk Trash Day               | Mon | May | 10 | HR HOA Meeting           |
| Mon | Apr | 12 | HR HOA Meeting               | Tue | May | 11 | HR Residents Council Mtg |
| Tue | Apr | 13 | HR Residents Council Meeting | Mon | May | 17 | Tax Day                  |
| Fri | Apr | 23 | Bulk Trash Day               | Fri | May | 21 | Bulk Trash Day           |
|     |     |    |                              | Mon | May | 31 | Happy Memorial Day       |

Note: Dates are subject to change - please check your emails.







Want to have some fun and meet new residents? Come out every Sunday at 1:00pm to play some **Bocce Ball.** (by the shuffleboard courts at Founder's Hall)

Come out to Founder's Hall parking lot on, **Thursday**, **May 5, 2021 ~ 10am to 3pm** to donate at the **HR One Blood Drive!** Please call the office at 863-471-1115 for an appointment.





**Bocce Ball** - supplies are in the shed

Shuffleboard Courts - supplies are in the shed

Horseshoe Pits - supplies are in the shed

**Tennis Courts -** bring your own water - no water coolers will be provided for your safety

**Pickle ball Courts -** bring your own water - no water coolers will be provided for your safety

**Basketball Hoop** - we do have 2 basketballs that you can sign out if you don't have one

**Corn Hole** - we have 2 portable games call the office to sign out **Oversize Connect Four lawn game** - we have 2 games call the office to sign out



Pure Vermont Maple syrup for sale. Contact Kathy Fenoff, 863-314-6306.

Have a large shower chair. Paid \$100 will sell for \$35. Call Ada 863-449-7392

- \* 7" wet tile saw still in box. New \$92. Asking \$50
- \* Central machinery bench grinder w/flex shaft. New \$52. Asking \$25.
- \* Golf bag and left handed clubs for sale. Synchron II Fairway Series. Asking \$100. Carol DiRocco 570-939-0067

The family of Chuck Naida would like to thank everyone for the many cards of sympathy, and the beautiful words. Chuck enjoyed living here in Highlands Ridge and all the friends he made here.

He will be missed by his family and by Ada. Thank you again.



I would like to thank everyone in this great community who offered their condolences in the death of my sister, JoAnn. Whether by phone, sending flowers, all the thoughtful cards or just a heartfelt hug, it was deeply appreciated. This is a very loving and amazing community.

Cheryl Thompson

#### Chaplain's Chat

By: Bill Commons, Volunteer Chaplain

# TEN THINGS I LEARNED FROM COVID ILLNESS

- 1. Coming home for rehab after 17 days of hospitalization with Covid/pneumonia is better than not coming home:
- 2. The angels in Advent Hospital who cared for me so faithfully in their hazmat suits are amazing medical caregvers;
- 3. We are so blest to have exceptional doctors, nurses and other medical professionals attending to our needs in times of health crisis;
- 4. Nights and days alone and struggling to breathe drew me even closer to the God who captured my heart and life with Calvary love years ago;
- 5. Hospital food makes a guy really homesick;
- 6. When my wife suffers at home alone over Christmas, with nasty symptoms despite a lighter Covid case, the caring and bringing of food by HR neighbors touches our hearts deeply;
- 7. HR really does look like paradise after two-and-a-half weeks staring at hospital room walls;
- 8. Seeing my Sharon again after so many days just seeing masks and green plastic gowns, she seemed so much more gorgeous than I remembered;
- 9. Recovery after serious Covid is measured not in weeks but in months, especially in improved breathing;
- 10. When so many succumb to Covid and do not recover, those of us able to be home and getting better realize how blest we are and even more eager to reach out and bless others!

"(God's) grace is sufficient for you, for (His) power is made perfect in weakness....for when I am weak, then I am strong." I Corinthians 12:9-10

#### **Pickleball News**

By: Suzanne Safford, President

Hello everyone here in Highlands Ridge paradise.

When you read this the ladies Pickle Pals will have started up again. On Tuesdays the Pickle Pals will be playing from 10 until 12 with the men only playing earlier from 8 to 10. This is always a fun time for us ladies, wearing our same outfits and enjoying the camaraderie. Included in this month's gazette are a few photos of some of our newest players. Joe and Jill Thiel, Terry and Warda Whitaker and Alicia Alonzo. With the time change several of our members have been enjoying some friendly games later in the evening.

Let's continue to have fun recreation on our fairly new Pickleball courts.







Sunshine is the

best medicine.

### **Highlands Ridge Residents Council**

By: Susan Ingram, President

Happy Early Easter. We hope all of you are enjoying our little piece of paradise as we slowly return to normalcy.

Our goal for the Residents Council is to promote positivity in our community. Please consider attending our monthly meetings held on the second Tuesday of the month. Our next meeting will be <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>April 13 at 10:15</u> in the Founder's Hall Gazebo. The dues we collect go directly back into the community. Requests/ideas are always welcome.

We recently had two members resign after several years on the Board of Directors. We would like to thank Jim Abercrombie and Glynda Sarno for their years of service. We'd also like to thank Jim Haas for his years of service as our president.

We have one or two RC members representing each village.

Marina Cove: Jill Thiel

Pixie Koenig

Arbor Green: Rhoda Thiel Hidden Creek: Jenny Bilyeau Carter Creek: Bob Master

Susan Ingram

Villas: Cheryl Thompson

Scottish Links: Jim Haas
Oak Run: Kim Kuster
North Course: Linda Sosley

Please feel to talk to your neighborhood representative if you have questions.

Happy walking, golfing, swimming, biking, pickle balling, playing tennis, playing cards, playing shuffleboard, bocce ball, horseshoes and socializing. Have fun enjoying our many amenities.



#### **Animal News**

Submitted by: Denise Beauparlant, Resident



Spring is upon us in Florida, and along with a heavy dose of pollen and the orange blossoms, we are beginning to see new life emerge. The bears should begin to make their presence known, so it may be wise to take your bird feeder in at night. Snakes are more active as the mating season begins, as are alligators, so it is a good idea to keep your garage door closed. Small mammals are building dens and nests to have their young. I'm sure you are all seeing the baby squirrels scurrying about, they seem to have such joy in what they do! Raccoons are reproducing now and they are den dwellers, either finding a hollow opening in a tree, or an abandoned den made by another animal. One fallacy is that if you see a raccoon during daylight hours, it is sick or rabid. Actually, mother raccoons will forage for food for their babies as needed, including during the day.

Please do not trap any wild animals in the spring as you are sentencing their young to death. If you do find a baby animal, raccoon, squirrel or otherwise leave it for a few hours to see if mother returns. If this doesn't happen place the baby in a box with a soda bottle filled with very warm water. The most important thing is to keep these babies warm. Then call a licensed wildlife rehabilitator. Locally here in Highlands County we have Little Critters Rescue at 863-235-0418 or one of her licensed assistants, Carol Willey at 863-303-1286. They are prepared with the proper equipment and formula to hand raise these babies. As they get bigger and stronger they go to critter college at the rescue, where they are taught by older animals how to survive. Once mature enough, they can be returned to the wild.

We most always remember, that each member of the wildlife community plays an essential part in our ecosystem. As we have built our homes within their habitat, we often find people in conflict with them. However, by trapping or destroying these important members of our environment, we could be having a negative effect on our own survival. Please give animals the respect and space they deserve. Spring can be a beautiful time of year to quietly observe the beauty around us. Sandhill cranes share our neighborhood with their young in tow, give them the right of way. Baby rabbits may be in your bushes or lawn, don't let domestic animals frighten them, give them a chance to grow up. Slow down, smell the blossoms, hear the sounds, spring is a rebirth of so much in the world, take time to enjoy it!



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**The Ridge Report**By: Birdy Whitehouse, *Property Manager* ~ <u>birdy@highlandsridge.com</u>



Happy Easter

Hello everyone and welcome all new residents! I know you will love living here!!

**Founder's Hall Pool:** The pool, spa and pool deck area will be closed April 12th through April 14th. This area will be closed to have the pool pavers pressure washed, re-sanded and sealed. Please do not come around this area during this time. The golfside villas pool will be open. Thank you for your patience during this period of maintenance.

**Sealcoating Roads:** The Hidden Creek village project has been postponed till management finds a new company to do the work. The contracted vendor gave notice a couple of weeks ago that he is retiring his company. Management is working hard to find a company to do the job. We will keep you updated!

**Founder's Hall Memorial Path:** You can still purchase a brick for \$125.00. Please email frontdesk@highlandsridge.com for the form.

**Founder's Hall:** is now accepting reservations. A reservation form must be completed before you can use the hall. The guidelines that residents must adhere to are the following:

- All residents must wear masks and the masks must be worn properly. (tightly fitted and covering the nose & mouth)
- All items used must be disinfected after the event/activity.
- 56 residents will be allowed at this time. A sample diagram of the hall will be supplied when the reservation is signed.
- Please call the office at 863-471-1115 to make your reservation.
- Note: Only 56 chairs will be available. The hall is monitored by cameras.

Summer Forms 2021: Please complete this form before you head back up north. This form is located in the distribution center. You may also email frontdesk@highlandsrigde.com and request the form to be emailed to you.

**Golf Cart Safety:** Remember, you are responsible for your guests, please make sure they abide by the speed limit and stop at all stop signs. Golf carts are supposed to be driven with care and the driver should have a driver license.

**Distribution Center:** The center has the most common forms used at Highlands Ridge. All these forms can be found on the website www.highlandsridge.com. Click on "Resident info," then look under "Commonly Requested Forms."

Marina Cove Residents: Please remind your vendors that they can't start work till 8:00 am. It is a rule in our rules and regulations of Marina Cove.

#### **Friendly reminders:**

- 1. Stop at all stop signs.
- 2. Speed limit is 20 mph.
- 3. Pets must be on a leash at all times and under control.
- 4. No signage other than a "for sale or for lease." (this includes political signs)
- 5. MUST have prior approval before performing any type of work on the exterior of your home!
- 6. ALL golf cart drivers must be at least 16 yrs. of age to drive a golf cart within the community.
- 7. Do not drive through anyone else's yard except for your own with your golf cart or vehicle!

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|     | Kathy     | Howitt      | 为  |          |             |
| 02  | Cathy     | Lukovich    | 4  |          |             |
|     | Veronica  | Panzica     |    |          |             |
|     | Patricia  | Peddle      |    |          |             |
|     | Delores   | Spence      |    |          |             |
|     | Paul      | Scruton     |    |          |             |
|     | Debra     | Timmerman   | 17 | Jennifer | Engebretsen |
|     | Patricia  | Wilson      | 18 | Jerry    | Donna       |
|     | Jackie    | Kleman      | 19 | Betty    | Heary       |
| 05  | Duell     | Wise        | 19 | David    | Lock        |
| 05  | Floyd     | Ray         | 19 | Ed       | Lynch       |
|     | Rodney    | Cooper      | 19 | Karen    | Carlson     |
| 06  | Joe       | Fix         | 20 | Dot      | Howell      |
| 06  | Dwight    | Woodward    | 20 | Robert   | Jaekel      |
| 07  | Lee Ann   | Lazarony    | 20 | Tammy    | Naleid      |
| 07  | Richard   | Olenick     | 20 | Berry    | Wiley       |
| 07  | Sandor    | Vida        | 20 | Jesse    | Taggart     |
| 08  | Judith    | Morris      | 20 | Lori     | Price       |
| 08  | Rod       | Riffe       | 21 | Joseph   | Higgins     |
| 08  | Barb      | Tallman     | 21 | Sherry   | Scharbert   |
| 09  | Sylvia    | Blackmore   | 21 | Ed       | Stouder     |
| 09  | John      | Bragg       | 21 | Sheila   | MacNaughton |
| 09  | Greg      | Taylor      | 22 | Mary Ann | Wick        |
| 09  | Marla     | Winters     | 23 | Mike     | Beaudoin    |
| 10  | Nancy     | Adams       | 23 | Karen    | Clugston    |
| 10  | Pat       | Henry       | 23 | Richard  | Peterson    |
| 10  | Bill      | Jacobs      | 23 | Cynthia  | Moore       |
| 11  | Dennis    | Deuster     | 24 | Willie   | Grotjohan   |
| 11  | Nancy     | Deuster     | 24 | Selena   | Demchak     |
| 11  | Kathy     | Fenoff      | 25 | Doug     | Ebeling     |
| 12  | Carol     | Baaske      | 25 | Betty    | Partridge   |
| 12  | Kim       | Kuster      | 25 | •        | Raasch      |
| 13  | Mary Ann  | Heestand    | 25 | Kim      | Briggs      |
| 14  | Mary Jane | Bowers      | 26 | Dick     | Jett        |
| 14  | Curtis    | Garland     |    | Randy    | Odell       |
| 14  | Larry     | Ferrigan    | 28 | Randy    | Colglazier  |
|     | Bill      | Murphy      |    | Nancy    | Niehoff     |
| 14  | Martina   | Kopel       | 29 | Mitzi    | Norris      |
|     | Loretta   | Heidank     |    | Deborah  | Morgan      |
|     | Robert    | Morgan      | 30 |          | Vekasy      |
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# Anniversary celebration

| 01 | Bill & Sue           | Purdy      |
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| 01 | Robert & Terry       | Sundberg   |
| 02 | Ralph & Judy         | Mete       |
| 03 | Dale & Sara          | Brown      |
| 03 | Berry & Linda        | Wiley      |
| 04 | Wayne & Lorraine     | Jones      |
| 04 | Tom & Gwen           | Mischke    |
| 04 | Phillip & Ginny      | Sloan      |
| 04 | Floyd & Nina         | Ray        |
| 05 | Dick & Penny         | Jett       |
| 07 | John & Susan         | Ingram     |
| 07 | Cecil & Terry        | Rose       |
| 10 | Bill & Jean          | Knowles    |
| 10 | Duell & Marsha       | Wise       |
| 10 | Jim & Barbara        | Jordan     |
| 11 | Bill & Loretta       | Heidank    |
| 11 | Keith & Pam          | Laughlin   |
| 11 | Gale & Judith        | Morris     |
| 13 | Tom & Glenys         | Weatherell |
| 14 | Richard & Sharon     | Shelley    |
| 16 | Richard & Mary       | Peterson   |
| 18 | Mike & Lynn          | Schaefer   |
| 18 | Neil & Mary          | Walker     |
| 21 | Kent & Louise        | Henrich    |
| 22 | Virgil & Betty       | Partridge  |
| 23 | Richard & Ruth Nizza | Swearingen |
| 24 | William & Ingrid     | Mitchell   |
| 25 | David & Sharon       | DeSchane   |
| 25 | Bill & Jan           | Tucker     |
| 27 | Ron & Mary Ann       | Beyer      |
| 27 | Tom & Kim            | Kuster     |
| 28 | Gary & Nancy         | Owens      |
| 30 | Robert & Diann       | Jaekel     |



**Marina Cove HOA**By: Susan Butrymowicz, *President* 



The Marina Cove HOA Board of Directors held their Election of Officers on Wednesday March 17<sup>th</sup> at the Founder's Hall Pool Gazebo. This election is normally held following the Marina Cove Home Owner's Association Pot Luck Dinner and Annual Meeting. Due to the current environment with the Covid 19, it was decided to forego these activities this year to protect the residents and look forward to this event returning next year.

There was no opposition to any of the Board's current Officers. Therefore, all current Officers were retained by unanimous decision of all Board Members. Below are your officers and their respective contact information. Please reach out to anyone on the Board should you have any issues, concerns questions or comments.

We are still looking for a Secretary if you or someone you know would be interested. Please reach out to one of us with the information. Also, if you have not yet paid your HOA Dues, please get your \$15.00 to Bruce Mann in the envelope that was provided. We are counting on your support.

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|--------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|
| Norm Downing, Vice Pres. | 239-272-9202 | hndowning158@yahooo.com  |
| Bruce Mann, Treasurer    | 860-302-1941 | busmanns@comcast.net     |
| Bill Commons, Director   | 717-770-0582 | haguefish@gmail.com      |
| Roger Quay, Director     | 315-778-8970 | rogerquay@gmail.com      |
| Kathy Fenoff, Director   | 603-723-3476 | corvette@myfairpoint.net |
| Steve Safford, Director  | 802-752-9978 | ssafford29@comcast.net   |

# Villages of Highlands Ridge Homeowners Association News

By: Linda Hathorn, Secretary

The Highlands Ridge Homeowners Association held their Annual Meeting at 3 Gen's Grill on Sunday, March 7. Invited speakers were; Joe Pace (J&P Properties), Brad Millsap (Sebring Land Sales), Bonnie Devantoy (3 Gen's Grill Proprietor), Glen Guillemette (Paradise Pride).

Joe Pace, indicated there were two possible buyers for the North and South Course. Also, they will be working on bunkers on both courses this coming summer.

Brad Millsap updated the audience regarding the house model and plans for a new floor plan for the Villas. Also, the Website **Highlandsridgenewhomes.com** is up and running with information about what is available.

Bonnie Devantoy, thanks everyone for their support and indicated they are working on new menu items for the summer.

Glen Guillemette talked about touring the South Course with the architect, Steve Smyers, who originally designed the South Course. He also thanked his committee members, Nancy Guillemette, Cheryl Racicot, Larry Ferrigan, and Marilyn Videbeck.

There were 3 positions on the Board to be filled and the three candidates elected were Nancy Guillemette, Dan Ostapowicz, and Jerry Hurless. The Officers of the 2021 Board are as follows:

| Nancy Owens, President            | nowens2010@gmail.com               | (863)873-7532 |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------|
| Nancy Guillemette, Vice President | nancyg4022@gmail.com               | (603)345-2111 |
| Linda Hathorn, Secretary          | <u>lfhathorn@gmail.com</u>         | (863)991-2683 |
| John Ingram, Treasurer            | jwikma69@gmail.com                 | (231)620-9087 |
| Jerry Hurless                     | jerryhurlessconstruction@yahoo.com | (269)207-6307 |
| Jerry Bennett, Home Maintenance   | jbennett3740@gmail.com             | (863)372-0191 |
| Dan Ostapowicz, Age Restriction   | ostos@comcast.net                  | (616)460-1027 |
|                                   |                                    |               |

#### **LGA 9-Hole News**

By: Mary Ann Beyer, Co-President Cheryl Shine, Co-President



I can't believe it is April already and we are planning for our Farewell Tournament on April 5th & 7th and Luncheon on April 8<sup>th</sup> at 3 Gen's Grill. We will also have a Business meeting and election of new officers for the next golf season at that time. Hard to believe we are almost done with our winter season. We are happy that some of the ladies who stay here for the Summer continue to keep golfing and having monthly get togethers. We wish safe travels for those heading North and we look forward to your return in the Fall.

The 9 & 18 Mixer "Holy Guacamole!! Taco Bout A Party" drew in 48 lady golfers on February 24<sup>th</sup> at the North Course. Who can resist a Party! It was a beautiful day in Paradise. Thank you to our Tournaments and Events Committee members for a fun event and a beautiful luncheon at 3 Gen's Grill. Thank you also to 3 Gen's for the yummy food and great service. The winners were:

1<sup>st</sup> Place (68) – Mary Ann Fisher, Cheryl Shine, Cathy Miner and Joellyn Hufford

2<sup>nd</sup> Place (70) – Pat Olesek, Marian Nielson, Cynthia Wucher and Mary Ann Wick

3<sup>rd</sup> Place (70) – Georgia Trissell, MaryAnn Beyer, Sue Shellhammer and Linda Hathorn.

4th Place (71) - Rose Epling, Deb Ouiellette, Sue Schinderle, Doris Morenzoni

5<sup>th</sup> Place (71) – Arlene Taylor, Kim Egerer, Nancy Guilemette, Judy Hoogterp/Bennett

The St. Patrick's Day Golf Tournament was held on Sunday, March 14th on the South Course. A Brunch of Bacon & Egg Croissant and fresh fruit were enjoyed by all prior to hitting the course. Everyone looked so nice in their green attire, Paul Scruton was even impersonating a leprechaun! Hot off the press, the winners were:

1st Place – Brenda & Paul Scruton, Sherry & Sonny Baltzell

2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Donna & Tom Blesch, Jo & Sam Cline

3rd Place – Annie Ulery, Dick Weaver, Elaine & Vern Hall

4<sup>th</sup> Place – Kathy Nowicke, Rhoda Thiel, Martha Killoran & John Owens

We have a few opportunities left for you to volunteer for the next season – Events Committee and a Photographer. We are also looking for someone who is computer literate to become the Web Master when Glynda retires. Please consider volunteering so that this group can continue on for a long time. We also plan to introduce our "Associate Membership" for Non-Golfing Ladies.

Have a wonderful Summer!







#### **Congratulations** to the **Couples Shoutout Winners**

held Sunday afternoon,

South Course, March 21st.

Flight 1: 1st - Bob & Karen Landry, 2nd - Glenn & Nancy Guillemette, 3rd - Dirk & Ann Meyer Flight 2: 1st - Mike & Sondra Wade, 2nd - Curt & Ann Dillman, 3rd - Jerry Hurless & Willie Faye Myers Flight 3: 1st - Kim & Jo Lathwell, 2nd - Bruce & Deb Martens, 3rd - John Marshall & Donna Landers

To all who played, officiated or just watched, thank you!

Submitted by Lynn Hufford



**LGA NEWS**By: Cindy Becker, *Vice-President* HRLGA18@gmail.com



March has brought us beautiful Florida weather and the promise of springtime! This is what living here in Paradise is all about – and what a gift it is!

On February 24<sup>th</sup>, the LGA 9 Hole Ladies hosted the 9/18 Mixer. To quote the theme, "Holy Guacamole! Taco 'bout a party!" It was great to play golf together and enjoy the beautifully decorated luncheon at 3 Gens. Thank you 9 Holers for a wonderful time!

March 8<sup>th</sup> brought us the second Choose-Up of the season, with the "B" players picking the teams. We had 56 players participate, including some of our 9 Hole friends. Nancy Owens and Willie Faye Myers did a fine job organizing us and the competition was tight! Here are the results:

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Jane Anne Dunham, Ann Meyer, Vernie Baker, Doris Morenzoni 2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Sue Schinderle, Karen Landry, Marian Nielson, Linda Sosely

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Marilyn Cooper, Pam Wick, Jo Lathwell, Elaine Hall

4<sup>th</sup> Place: Nancy Jarrett, Karen Swan, Nancy Guillemette, Lucille Ferrigan

5<sup>th</sup> Place: Evelyn Seely, Becky Hobbs, Joan Bender, JoAnn Wise 6<sup>th</sup> Place: Cindy Becker, Marianne Fischer, Deb Martens, Rhoda Thiel 7<sup>th</sup> Place: Joan White, Lou Henrich, Deb Morgan, Donna Landers

The Spirit Stick was graciously accepted by Linda Hathorn, Sharon Borrell, Cynthia Wucher and Marilyn Videbeck.

DUES ARE DUE! March is the time to renew your LGA membership for next year. Please bring your \$20 check, made out to HRLGA, to the North Course and put it in the envelope.

The Farewell Scramble will take place on Wednesday, April 14<sup>th</sup>. We'll be playing at the **North Course with an 8:00 a.m. shotgun start**. Lunch and our final meeting of the year will take place at **3 Gens right after golf**. Please sign up at the North Course Proshop in "the Book". Cost is \$18.

And last but not least... we are reaching the end of our 20-21 season. It was a most unusual year, dealing with Covid and all it entailed. We missed our Canadian Friends being here with us and being "together" with each other. And yet, we had the advantage of being able to play 2 excellent golf courses and be outside with our friends. We are truly more fortunate than so many in the world. Hopefully, we've learned to care <u>about</u> each other and <u>for</u> each other even more than ever before.

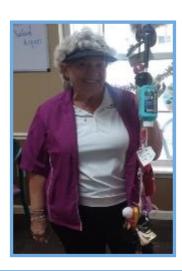
We wish safe travels to the Snowbirds as they head north and we look forward to being together next season. Happy Easter!



**Picture to the left -** The Choose Up Winners are: Doris Morenzoni, Jane Anne Dunham, Vernie Baker. (Not Pictured - Anne Meyer)

**Picture to the right** - Cynthia Wucher graciously accepts the Spirit Stick for her team.







MGA News By: Phil Hunter, Secretary



Congratulations to JOHN FLAHERTY and JIM BROWN for their recent holes-in-one! John's took place on hole #16 North on Feb. 25th. MGA members playing with him were RON FLOTOW and DICK MORENZONI. Jim's took place on March 15th on hole #15 South and was playing with MGA members DAVE JARRETT, IRA SMITH AND JOHN OWENS. Both John and Jim will receive \$50 from the MGA since they were playing with other MGA members.

We would like to acknowledge and thank IAN LANDRY for all the extra work and time he puts in for us to set up all of our events with score cards, flights, tee assignments, pairings, posting scores and preparing white money. We honestly don't know what we would do without him. THANK YOU, IAN!

We hope the Ryder Cup Challenge that took place on March 25th and 27th was a great success. It took the place of the MGA Member/Guest that was canceled due to Covid. We had to make the decision to cancel early due to the months of planning, financing, travel arrangements, etc. that were required to make it happen. We're optimistic we'll have it next year!

Here are the results of the MEMBER/MEMBER that took place on Feb. 16th and 18th:

1st flight: 130 Landry/Guillemette 133 Hunter/M. Ouillette 135 Hufford/Winters

143 Owens/Healy 144 Cooper/Hobbs

2nd flight: 135 John and Dennis Ouillette 138 Jerome/McDonnall

138 Wade/Moore 139 Taylor/Barney

3rd flight: 137 Quay/Blesch 139 Gregory/Huffman 144 Murphy/Martens 146 Muler/Lynch

And here are the results of the 3rd PLAY WITH A PRO from March 9th:

1st flight: 65 Jerome/Hufford 67 Gray/McDonnall 67 Hunter/D.Ouillette 67 Landry/Freeman

2nd flight: 60 Hurless/O'Laughlin 62 Ferrigan/Marshall 63 Bennett/Wade 65 John/Mike Ouillette

3rd flight: 55 Quay/Blesch 65 Murphy/Martens 65 Becker/Beastrom 65 D. Jones/K. Smith

Our next events include:

GOING AWAY SCRAMBLE Tues., April 6th, 8:00 Shotgun on the SOUTH COURSE

(LUNCH AND REFRESHMENTS AND MGA MEETING)

FINAL PLAY WITH A PRO Tues., April 13th, 8:00 Shotgun on the NORTH COURSE



**Divorce Open 2021** 

**Date: November 18, 19, 20** 

**MORE INFO TO COME** 





# IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

Administration Phone: 863-471-1115 Fax: 863-471-3398

The Tavern 863-453-7600

3 Gen's Grill 863-201-7135

Golf Courses North: 863-453-9991 South: 863-471-2299

Highlands County Sheriffs Dept. EMERGENCY 91 Non-emergency 863-402-7200

Highlands County Recycling 863-655-6400

**Animal Control 863-402-6730** 

Duke Energy 800-228-8485 Outages 800-700-8744 Service

City of Sebring Utilities Department 863-471-5112 /

> Century Link I-800-788-3600

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Gator Sunbathing:
Thank you to Linda
Hathorn for the gator
picture. She took this
picture on the north course
pond between
hole #3 & hole #6.

Thank you to Erma Morgan for the pictures to the right and below. Hawk is pictured to the right. A squirrel eating an orange pictured below. Both pictures were taken on the south course in May of 2020.





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