

MONDAY MORNING MEETING 1/2/2017

Meeting called to order by Activity Director Rick Smale

Welcome to all returning and new residents. We have new residents from Illinois, Canada and Missouri.

Hospital Report - Delores Simpson Please keep all these people and their families in your prayers.

- *Merle Thompson has been moved to Windsor Rehab in Edinburg. No visitors, but he would appreciate cards.
- *Dorothy Lawton hopes to be here in Feb or March. Infection in Hip replacement needs to heal.
- *Bonnie Lynch and Pam Brown have had knee replacements and are recovering well.
- *Myra Martin suffered a stroke, but is improving.
- *Sherry and Gary Collins are returning home since learning their son has cancer.

Prayer - Pastor Robinson

Main Office Announcements - Al Septrion

- *We have 508 Residents on 302 Lots.
- *Please be sure to check in at the main office to receive your welcome pack and vehicle stickers.
- *Please be sure your pets are kept on a leash and you pick up after them.

Special Speakers - Thomas from Viva Tours introduced their available trips. Some to Mexico by air.

Park Resident Announcements (Please note: If you are making an announcement please give a written copy to Pat Horak. I want the Minutes to be accurate.)

Pat Horak -

*All activity group pictures will be taken in the next two weeks. Please contact me if you have a particular meeting you would like included in the pictorial directory;

*Mermaids Tuesday 4 PM

Linda Gillick - Singles Meet by post office Jan 4th at 4 PM to go to Mr. Gattis.

*I have been given two tickets to resell for the Oak Ridge Boys Concert 1/15 (Sunday) at Lanno Grande. See me at lot 814.

Jana Fleming - Red Hats meet after MMM today and next week. Welcome to new members and regular members please attend.

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*Saturday at 11 AM there will be a Tupperware . Please sign up as seating is limited. Free Lunch is included.

*First Olympics Cheerleaders practice Thursday Jan 5 @ 9 AM in Arts & Crafts room. Please return shirts & PomPoms if you still have them.

Stu Kunselman - Golden Age Olympics begin January 16, 2017. The first weeks events are:

1/14 and 1/15 McAllen Marathon

1/16 Shuffle Board Singles

1/17 Petanque and Billiards 8 Ball for Men

1/18 Petanque and Sudoku

1/19 Billiards 8 Ball for Women and Darts

1/20 Shuffleboard Singles and Darts

1/21 Bean Bag Toss

****YOU MUST REGISTER ONE WEEK IN ADVANCE.** Instructions for registering on line and the venues where registrations can be delivered are in the GAO flyer. It will be each individual's responsibility to be sure they are registered.

* Pat Horak and Jana Fleming will be printing photos for the GAO Bulletin Board. If you are participating in an event and can take your camera and get pictures please e-mail them to Pat or Jana.

Pat Horak: grammapat.36@gmail.com

Jana Fleming jana.fleming417@gmail.com

Allen Holdsworth - Magic Classes will begin Thursday 1/5 in Card Room 1. Beginning next week classes will be held Wed and Thurs. The program will be the same on each day as it is best if the groups are small.

Donna Scheibel- Peter Piper Pizza Tuesday 1/10 @ 11:30. Corner of 495 and 10th street. Please sign up. See Donna for a free drink cup!

Trish - Outpost open from 10 to 2 weekdays. Lunch, and much more for sale.

*Don't forget Wednesday Breakfast

* Saturday pancake breakfast with Steve will begin this Saturday.

*Tickets for events will be on sale from 10 to 12 on Monday, Wednesday & Friday only. Buy from the window under the awning.

Tony Chos - Singing Cadets 7 PM Sunday. Get your tickets at the Outpost or from Tony.

*Bean Bag Toss begins Wednesday @ 1 PM in the main hall. We need practice for the GAO!

Duane Betker - Tickets for the Woodshop's Spaghetti Supper on Feb.3 are on sale

*We need volunteers for this event to cook, serve and clean-up. Give Duane your name and phone number. Thanks!

*Woodshop Monitor meeting 1/15 in the woodshop.

Jenny Faasen - The Kitchen Band performs at nursing homes. If you know of someone who is in a home please contact Jenny and she will make arrangements for the Band to make a performance date.

Cindy Probst - I would like to know if there is interest in having a birding group. Please get and fill out a form. If there is enough interest we will get started taking day trips for Bird Watching.

Donna Williams - A Beth Moore Bible Study on the Book of Esther is held every Thursdays at 6 PM. There is no homework, but if you would like your own book please see me for ordering.

*Information about internet service: We have found T-Mobile has the best package. They offer a Hot Spot at a reasonable cost. If you would like more information please contact me.

And Finally - Marilyn - Coming bus trips are: Dog races in Harligen Wednesday

*1/8 Sunday - Riverside Club

*1/31 King Ranch. If you are interested in going please sign up. There is a conflict with Maggie Mae's performance here at the park. We may reschedule.

*GERMANFEST: 1/28 Be ready for the Board of Education. Bring a bottle of wine, beer or Juice. Get your tickets at the Outpost.

ACTIVITY OFFICE ANNOUNCEMENTS

Entertainment: Get tickets at the Ourpost.

*Carpenters 1/5 7 PM \$10

*Goldwing Express 1/10 \$7

*Sock Hop with Jeff Gordon 1/13 7 PM \$8

Massage Therapist Jason would like to keep working at our park, but needs people to sign up. Please contact Joe Horak if you are interested in learning more. 50 Minute Massage \$30

SkyMed wine & Cheese Tuesday 1/3 @ 3 PM in the main hall

Pictorial Directory last days for photo sittings Jan. 10, 11, 12. See Beth Stagdon to make an appointment.

Book Club Tuesdays @ 3:30 PM in card room B.

Hearts (card game) Starts 1/6 @ 1 PM in Al Barnes Bldg. Bring a quarter.

Square Dancing is cancelled for Jan. 7th

Line Dancing begins Wed. 1/11 @ 10 AM in A/C Room. **Beginners Line Dancing** on Tuesday@ 10 AM in A/C Room

Drill Team practice Friday's @ 9 AM in Main Hall.

Blood Pressure If you would like to keep track of your blood pressure, Marge Johnson takes readings after every MMM.

Free Coffee Really is not free. Please contribute to the cost of this service so the Activity Fund does not have to foot the Bill.

Entertainment Please do not take advantage of the Main Hall Doors being open during entertainment performances others pay for. If you come into the hall, please pay.

50/50 lot 444 (I hope that is right).