

ROUND TABLE NEWS

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Counterfeiters: workers
who install kitchen counters.

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BUILDING UPDATE: On Thursday afternoon, all Sarasota County parties have signed off on the permit, and it has been approved. Mike Blem (our contractor) will pick it up, and he will start work Monday. -- **Charles**

OWNERS: PLEASE pick up your Profile Sheet in the office this week, January 13th to 17th. All others will be mailed on Monday, January 20th. This will update the office files and the 2014 KGC Directory. If you turn in your profile sheet, **signed**, you will receive one free phone Directory in March. Additional copies may be purchased for \$3 each.

RENTERS: Please see me in the office if you wish to be included in the 2014 KGC Directory. You will be able to purchase a copy in March for \$3.00. -- **Michele Rachal**

MANY THANKS for your cards, visits, food and concern, during my surgery and recovery from my knee replacement. It takes a caring community to support those in need. -- **Rex Ingerick**

QUILT RAFFLE: To support the Quilt Group's, Quilts of Valor project, a quilt and a wall hanging will be raffled beginning now through our KGC Fair in March. Tickets will be sold each Saturday, \$2.00 each or 2 for \$5.00. Thank you again for participating in this project. -- **Emily Keele and Julie Walker**

Fair Committee 2014: There will be a meeting of the Fair Committee Chairpersons immediately following this morning's social. It will be held in the Activities' Room. ??? Call **Keith Hazeldine, 256 Camelot. Please note our new phone number: (941) 445-9041.**

SQUARE DANCE PARTY: Tonight: Saturday, January 11, 2014. Singles and couples can all participate. There will be a square dance demonstration by members of a local club. Attendees can learn some basic square dance calls. **Red Bates** will be the caller. Doors open at 6:30 PM. Tickets on sale (\$3 each), today, January 11th. Bring a snack to share and BYOB. We will provide punch to drink. -- **Neil & Lois Crane**

REGATTA: Hopefully the cold weather has taken a break for the January regatta, on Sunday, 1:30 PM at the pool. All are welcome. Refreshments and good old fashion fun to be had by all, to bring in the 2014 season. -- **Commodore, Jerry Becker**

QUILT GROUPS: This is our 8th year for KGC quilt groups. We meet Mondays, 9 AM - noon, in the Activities' Room. Anyone who is a quilter or if interested is invited to join us. Last year we began making Quilts of Valor (QOV), as well as continuing our individual projects. Thanks to contributions from you, the Round Table, plus supplies being provided by our individual quilters, we have completed 60 QOV. Your contributions provide the batting (insides) and the backing for each QOV. This will be an on-going project for us. So that you can see the quilts that are made, occasionally, on Saturdays before the AM meeting, we will show the next group of QOV that have been finished and presented. This takes the place of our yearly "show". THANK YOU again for your support for our efforts to honor our veterans! -- **Emily Keele and Julie Walker**

'TIS THE SEASON! Many activities are starting and everyone needs to be reminded. Most activities are on the monthly calendar or in the newsletter. If you would like to have your event posted on CABLE NEWS & CHANNEL 195 please e-mail to cablenews@kgc.cc -- **Sharon Goodman & Don Richmond**

2014 ENTERTAINMENT: There are still SEASON tickets (\$30 each) available for the three shows in 2014. Single tickets are available for the first show, Jimmy Travis, on January 15th. They are \$12 each. -- **Entertainment Committee, Tom/Martha Hicks, Ron/Mary Carpenter, Jim/Judy Blow**

TIME CHANGE - PRAYER SHAWL GROUP will meet at 11 AM, January 16th, in the Activities' Room. We will be discussing some future plans. Also, if you would like to learn to knit or crochet or brush up on some old talent, we have excellent teachers. Come join us. -- **Rose Jones**

OHIO GROUP LUNCHEON is scheduled for Casey Key Fish House on Thursday, January 16th, at 12:30 PM. Please sign up by January 13th. -- **Bob and Betty Winchester**

NY-NJ LUNCHEON will be held on Thursday, January 16th at 1 PM, at Left Coast's new location, Albee Farm Rd. and US 41 Bypass (formerly Crossroads). Please sign up in the clubhouse and maybe bring another New York or New Jerseyite. Any questions, call **Eleanor, 485-9714**.

SOLOS will meet for dinner at Mama Leones on Thursday, January 23rd, at 5 PM. All singles in the club are welcome. Please sign up in the clubhouse. ??? Call **Jeanne, 485-3121**.

NEW ENGLAND BREAKFAST: We will have our first New England breakfast at Calusa Lakes Golf Club, on Friday January 24th at 8:30 AM. Calusa is at 1995 Calusa Lakes Blvd., in Nokomis. We invite all New England owners, renters and guests to join us. Please sign up at the clubhouse, and wear name tags. Price is \$8.50, including tax and tip. Questions: call **Adeline @ 484-3025** or **Claire @ 484-8761**.

GREAT LAKES BREAKFAST: Tuesday, January 28th, 9 AM, at Ophelias Pasta House, in Nokomis. Let's get together to celebrate the New Year. Anyone from Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota or Canada is welcome to join us. Please wear name tags. **Loretta (488-0664)** or **Dot (480-1544)**

SUPER BOWL "48" PARTY: Another year has rolled by, and **Gene** and **I** will again be hosting the Party for Super Bowl "48" here in the Clubhouse, on Sunday, February 2nd. Tickets will be on sale Saturday mornings, January 11th through February 1st. Come and join your friends, and enjoy the game on our "big screen". Snacks will be provided at 5:15 PM, as well as the subs and potato salad at 5:45 PM ----Kickoff is approximately, 6:28 PM. Please note, there is a slight change in times from previous years. Tickets are still \$7 per person, including our usual Klondike bars at halftime. "Pool" squares will be available for sale. "BYOB". Even if your team doesn't make it to the Super Bowl, come anyway, get in the spirit and cheer for someone else's team. Any questions, call **Gene and Mickey, at 488-8281**.

STAINED GLASS: A beginner's class will start Tuesday, February 4th at 1 PM in the Activities' Room. A class fee, of approximately \$30, will cover the materials provided. Sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board, at the rear of the clubhouse. Please sign up by Saturday, January 25th. ?? Call **Jessica Prentice, 488-5267**.

AARP Driving Course: Mark Your Calendars - AARP now has a totally new 6 hour class called "Smart Driver Course", which will be offered Thursday, February 27th and & Friday, February 28th. Class will begin at 9 AM each morning, in the Activities' Room, and will run for 3 hours. Fee is \$15 for AARP members and \$20 for non-members. The sign-up sheet will be posted at the end of January. ??? Call **Jessica Prentice at 488-5267**.

NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY: Ninety-six residents and guests danced the night away and rang in 2014, in great style. The music was fantastic, as were the many hors d'oeuvres shared by the attendees. A special thank you goes to the 30 volunteers, who helped with the decorations and clean-up afterwards. Best wishes to everyone for a Happy, Healthy and Safe 2014,**Tom and Kathleen Olsen** and **Jim and Julie Walker, Co-Chairs**

SHUFFLEBOARD: Monday, January 6, 2014 -- **Ralph Garver**

Position	Team	Won	Lost	Tie	Position	Team	Won	Lost	Tie
1	1	13	5		5	5	8	10	
2	4	10	8		6	2	5	13	
3	3	9.5	8.5		7	0			
4	6	8.5	9.5		8	0			

N – S		E - W	
First:	Lorraine – Ben	First:	Jeanne - Alex
Second: Tie	Pauline - Wilburt	Second:	Irene - Hank
Third: Tie	Thyra - Elaine		

Bowling Results: January 7, 2014

-- Jim Rundell

Ladies HDCP	Series	Ladies HDCP	Game
Arlene Herbert	673	Arlene Herbert	244
Marcia Nolin	542	Sandi Rundell	237
Sandi Rundell	639	Diana Floyd	233

Men's HDCP	Series	Men's HDCP	Game
Bill Gilbert	703	Jim Rundell	250
Ben Quirion	687	Ben Quirion	245
Dick Nolin	643	Bill Gilbert	242

TENNIS: The first match of the year for mixed doubles was against The Inlets. We won one and lost three. Our next mixed doubles match will be AWAY, against Bay Indies, January 17th. The men's team's first match, on January 7th, was cancelled due to cold weather. Their next match will be HERE Friday, January 14th, at 10 AM, against Bird Bay. Starting in February, all subsequent matches will be on our calendar. Plan to come out and support your tennis teams! -- **Don Keele**

GUIDE DOGS: At the RT business meeting on January 4th, we resigned from the RT Charity Committee for Southeastern Guide Dogs fundraising activities. KGC has sponsored naming ten puppies, for ten KGC streets, for the past ten years. We have fulfilled our commitment. Residents that are committed to offering their funds to SEGDOG in the future, may do so by using the donor envelopes located on the Memorial board or online at their website www.guidedogs.org. One puppy remains in the count of ten - KGC-Camelot, nicknamed "Camie". KGC-Queen birthed a litter of eight puppies in October, and they are now ready to go out to their raisers. To this date, I do not know who "Camie's" raiser will be. Our ninth puppy is KGC-King Arthur or "Artie". He passed all of the requirements to be a Guide but had one training problem that additional training could not correct. He was "career changed" and is now a companion dog for a 12 year old Autistic child. KGC-Queen has left the breeding program after two litters and has been returned to her raiser to become a "Dog". Our continued commitment is to "Camie", and we will keep you advised of her progress in training to become a Guide Dog. Thank you to our wonderful residents for their support, these past ten years, with \$21,500 donations to Southeastern Guide Dogs.

-- Jackie and Nip Barker

ORCHIDS to Nip and Jackie Barker for all their work with Southeastern Guide Dogs, over the past ten years! Their tireless efforts to promote this worthy charity, have given tremendous rewards back to KGC. It is wonderful to know that our club's donations have helped to improve the lives of others.

GREETING CARDS: What do you do with all your cards? Please deposit them in the box, in the media room, in the clubhouse. They will be taken to Village on the Isle, for recycling and then sold in their gift shop. Please have your cards in plastic bags when depositing them. Questions? Call **Jeanne Winget, 485-3121**.

WELCOME: The "season" is getting busy, and we would like to welcome as owners:

Gerald and Rebecca Hall, from Fort Gratiot, MI, who purchased 199 Squire Court.

Patrick and Lillian Mohr, from Lafayette, NY, who purchased 133 Camelot. (He is the son of **Betty Mohr**).

We have new renters: at 133 Camelot, is **David Martin** from Wolcottville, IN; and at 4 Castle Drive, are **Sheldon and Donna Giles**, from Canada, who are here until 4/4/14.

WELCOME - CONTINUED:

There are many return renters:

177 Duchess Avenue - **Bud and Brenda Rose**, from Canada, are here until 3/31/14.

145 Duchess Avenue - **Fred and Alice Murphy**, from Crossville, TN are here until 2/21/14.

175 Duchess Avenue - **Dick and Sally Engelgau**, from Port Huron, MI, are here until 3/31/14.

226 Duchess Avenue - **Darryl and Judi Leather**, from Stanwood, MI, are here until 3/31/14.

286 Avenue of Queens - **Ray and Sally Chown**, from MI, are here until 3/31/14.

110 King Arthur Drive - **Judy Riggs**, from Reedsville, OH, is here until 4/28/14.

14 Castle Drive - **Dick and Carol Young**, of Hampstead, NH, are here until 4/31/14.

30 Castle Drive - **Homer and Jean Zeigler**, of Willow Street, PA, are here until 5/2/14.

We hope you are enjoying being here. Even though the weather has been a little cool, it is better than most of the country. Enjoy!! -- **Martha Hicks for the Welcome Committee, 486-0920**

TRAVEL:

Sunday, February 9th, South Pacific, evening show, Broadway Palm Dinner Theatre, \$69. Loading 3:45 PM. **Wait List Only.**

Sunday, March 9th, Les Miserables, Broadway Palm. \$68.

Thursday, March 20th, Silver Foxes, Venice Theatre, \$22. **RESERVE YOUR SEAT NOW!**

ALL AROUND TOURS/TRAVEL PARTNER:

February 17th and 18th - Join us for a great getaway to Ft. Lauderdale. **Information in TRAVEL BOOKS.**

March 2nd, Sunday - Mitzi Gaynor show at Ruth Eckerd in Clearwater, \$75.00 per person.

March 10th to 13th - Biloxi. Stay at Beau Rivage.

April 7th to 13th - Branson, MO Adventures. Good shows and then a visit to Graceland.

Travel Coordinators: Don and Mary Lou Richmond, 941-484-6807 or drichmond@comcast.net

Travel Partners: John and Sandy Eade, 941-484-4440

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