

ROUND TABLE NEWS

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Happy Mother's Day!

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HEALTHLINE: **Rae Burmaster, 183 Princess Ave.**, was taken to the hospital last Saturday, and on Monday, had her gall bladder removed. She was discharged Tuesday. Her husband, **Art**, is taking good care of her, although recovery is slow. As of Thursday, **Rae** was back in the hospital. Prayers and cards are welcomed.

THE KGC LIBRARY CATALOG is now available on the KGC website. Select "New: KGC Library Catalog". The catalog is available in four formats: by author, by title, by category, and a lists of large print books. Click on the format you would like to view. Special thanks to **Charlie** and **Wren** for their help.

-- **Linda Lauzun, 212 Princess**

PURPLE MARTIN UPDATE: As of May 6th, there are 18 active nests (active being occupied by eggs or young birds) and also five additional nests that have been made but are empty. These could be late arrivals or abandoned nests. Totals for the 18 actives are 57 eggs waiting to hatch and 17 young birds. Very good numbers especially compared to last year. -- **Joy Funk**

ART GROUP: Next meeting is May 11th, 1-3 PM. Theme will be "Watercolor Magic"! Be bold, and give it a try. ??? **Sara, 574-457-6067**

TGIFT! Don't forget, ladies: Bring your favorite beverage at about 3 PM on Thursday afternoons and sit a spell. We talk, laugh, make funny faces and say things like "gracious!", "laud", "you don't mean it!" Much fun. All ladies are welcome. -- **Sara**

SUMMER EVENTS: Hello King's Gate members.... It's hard to believe, but Memorial Day is just around the corner. I have been asking for weeks but have not been able to get anyone to chair our event. I hope there is someone out there who would be willing to step up and chair the event so we can celebrate Memorial Day together. Please contact me, and let me know. -- **Sherry Oexman** ??? Call **941-786-1254**.

SUMMER MOVIES will resume on June 1 starting at 7:30 PM. -- **Patricia Murphy**

KGC-Michigan get-together at Zehnder's, in Frankenmuth, will take place on July 12th, from 12:30 to 2 PM. The management has promised round tables this year, which should make it easier to move around and visit. Individual checks and gratuity is at the discretion of the individuals. You may notify **Sandy Vella, 269 Camelot** or call her, at **941-882-4630**, or **Shirley DePasquale, at 586-773-1923**. We welcome King's Gaters from any state or Canada. We had a great turnout last year and hope to see all your happy faces again this year.

TRAVEL: As soon as Broadway Palm Dinner sends me shows and dates, they will be posted. It looks like it will be nice season. We have requested dinner on Thanksgiving, and we will leave at 4 PM. The show is White Christmas, and it will get you in the holiday spirit. I will keep you posted as soon as they send the confirmations. I hope you will consider being with us for Thanksgiving.

Van Wezel steps into 'Kinky Boots' in Broadway, dance and classical season. I am looking at the matinee show on Saturday, April 29, 2017. We would car pool and the price of the ticket would be \$78, providing I would have 10 or more reservations. I need to know as soon as possible if you are at least interested. I have had good response, so if you are interested please let me know as soon as possible. Van Wezel sells out fast. Let me know your thoughts as soon as possible.

Travel, continued:

Have a great summer. If we can help you with any travel plans, give us a call. Either **Don** or **Mary Lou Richmond** will be available at **941-484-6807** or email **dritchmond@comcast.net**, or **Jim** and **Bev Purkey** at **941-412-1228** or email **bjpurkey@gmail.com**.

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