

ROUND TABLE NEWS

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It's that time again:
Fall back! Remember to
move your clocks back one
hour tonight or Sunday
morning.

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CONDOLENCES to **Sandi Rundell** and family, following the passing of her dad, **Harvey, L. Neu, Jr.**, on Saturday, October 15, 2016. He had 96 years on this earth, and he touched many lives. Services were held in Howe, Indiana, where family and friends celebrated the life of a very special father, grandfather and great-grandfather. Cards may be sent to **Sandi's** KGC address. -- **Rae Burmaster, Healthline**

NOTE from the OFFICE: Please remember to check in at the office when you return to King's Gate Club. This is the season for mailings, and we wouldn't want to you miss out on any important news. -- **Michele Rachal**

KGC LOGO ATTIRE can be ordered at the Saturday social meeting in the Great Hall, today, November 5th.
-- **Julia Buckelew, 940-395-2111**

MONDAY QUILT GROUP meets on Mondays from 9 AM-12:00, and for those who wish to continue working on their projects, we continue after lunch from 1:00 until about 3:30, if needed. Any quilters are invited to join us. This Monday, we will break about 10 AM from our individual projects and discuss PLANS for the activities of this season. Most of us have something on which we want to work individually, and much of our time is spent this way. We share ideas and offer help to each other as needed, while we are working. If interested, we hope you will join us. Call me if you have any questions. **Emily Keele, 484-8198**

MOVEMENT for HEALTH begins Monday, November 7th at 11:15 (for men and women). This is a gentle, senior exercise program designed to move your muscles, joints and improve flexibility and balance. The class meets two times a week (Mondays and Wednesdays), for 45 minutes at 11:15. Half of the exercises are done from a chair and the other half standing. You can do all or some of the exercises, depending on your limitations. We have fun, too! Hope to see you there. -- **Gigi Conway**

LADIES' BILLIARDS meeting on Monday, November 7th at 7 PM, to discuss several issues. Sign-up sheet for regulars and subs is still in the Great Hall. Hopefully, league play will start in mid-November. -- **Inez**

LINE DANCING will begin on Tuesday, November 8th for advanced and Thursday, November 10th for beginners. Both classes begin at 9 AM. Looking for new dancers. No experience necessary. -- **June McMains**

TUESDAY QUILT GROUP will start our new season on Tuesday, November 1st at 9 AM, in the Arts and Craft Room. We will discuss our first project, Stained Glass Quilts. The project will be geared from Beginner to Intermediate, so if you are new to quilting, it will be quite within your ability. I have enjoyed working on the examples and think that you will too. Looking forward to the season ahead. Counting the "sleeps" now, before heading south! To quote Marion the Librarian, "So many books/quilts, so little time!" -- **Julie Walker**

MOVIE for Wednesday, November 9th, will be **I SAW THE LIGHT**. This movie is rated R. This is the story of the legendary country western singer, Hank Williams (Tom Hiddleston), who in his brief life created one of the greatest bodies of work in American music. The film chronicles his meteoric rise to fame and its ultimately tragic effect on his health and personal life. Also starring Elizabeth Olsen, Cherry Jones, Bradley Whitford, Maddie Hasson and Wrenn Schmidt. If the clubhouse is closed because of the election, the movie will be shown the following Wednesday. Movie at 7:30. -- **Arlene Hyde**

GREAT LAKES BREAKFAST: Our first get together this season. Please join the folks from Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Canada for breakfast at Perkins Restaurant, 41 & Center Road, Venice, on Wednesday, November 9th, at 8:30 AM. Sign up at back of Great Hall, and wear your name tag.
-- **Loretta, 488-0664** or **Dot, 480-1544**

JETTY PICNIC at the North Jetty on Thursday, November 10th. Social hour from 4 to 5 PM. Dinner at 5 PM. Everyone is welcome to enjoy the fun, relaxation and the sunset at the jetty. Bring your favorite dish for ten people. Remember to bring snacks and favorite refreshment for social hour, and your place settings.

-- **Chairperson, Claire Becker**

KGC DANCE: Tickets, for the November 12th dance, will be sold at 8 AM, prior to the social meetings today, Saturday November 5th and November 12th. Admission is \$5/person and is open to all Club and Park members and their guests. Social: 6-7 PM; bring your own snacks and beverage. Dance: 7-10 PM. Music by: GATOR CREEK BAND. ***If paying by check, make it out to: **KGC Round Table. Cash is also accepted.** Questions: Contact **Paul Miller, 920-948-8864; Cherie Miller, 920-948-9055; Sherry Oexman, 502-386-3737;** or **Barb Knuth, 941-488-5547.**

OHIO LUNCHEON: Welcome back to everyone who's an Ohioan or wants to be. We are having our Ohio Luncheon on Monday, November 14th, at Le Petit Jardin (1500 EAST Venice Ave). Arrive at 11:30 and eat around noon. Please sign up in the back by Saturday, November 12th, and wear your name tag to lunch.

-- **Posie, 740-815-6425**

SOLOS' GATHERING ON THE PATIO: Thursday, November 17th, from 4:30 PM to 6:30 PM. BYOB and an appetizer or dish to be shared. Sign-up sheet is in the back of the Great Hall.

-- **Barb Hoople, 414-232-9696 or Sue Green, 302-521-1406**

BEACH PARTY: **Tom and Martha Hicks** would like to invite you to their 80th Birthday Party on Saturday, November 26th in the KGC Great Hall. This will be very casual Pizza beach party. Happy hour will be 5 PM to 6PM; BYOB and appetizers if you wish. At 6 PM, we will serve assorted, hot pizza. At 6:30 PM, we will be playing the "Name That Tune Game", with **Jeff Norman** at the Lowery Organ. At 7 PM: "Beach Blanket Bingo" elimination, with **Dick Lyford** calling the numbers. At 7:30 PM: "KGC Informational Trivia", with **Tom Hicks.** At 8 PM: "Castle Treasure Hunt", with a surprise ending. Music supplied by **Jeff Norman,** at the Lowery Organ. Please RSVP for pizza count. -- **Tom Hicks, 941-486-0920**

Gobble...Gobble and Ho...Ho...Ho!! Yes, it's hard to believe but Thanksgiving and Christmas are quickly descending upon us. So, I hope there are some members who would be kind enough to be the chair(s) for either of these dinner events this year. Please let me know soon... time is quickly ticking by. ???

-- **Sherry Oexman... 941-786-1254**

CHAIRPERSONS FOUND: The AARP Driver Safety Program has a new KGC Coordinator, **Patricia Osetek.** Information on February's class will be out in January.

The Fair Bakery also has a new Chairperson, **Judy Ducette.** She will be looking for helpers at Fair for time. If you're interested, call **Judy** at **488-8079.**

Thanks to both **Pat** and **Judy** for agreeing to do these important jobs. -- **Jessica Prentice**

ATTENTION: KGC members, please let the "kitchen team" know when any kitchen food or supplies, and coffee supplies, used in the kitchen for an event or for Saturday coffee social, are getting low. Some items take 4-5 days to receive, so please let us know as soon as possible so we can place reorders for the items. ??? **Sandy McGill** (high season) and **Sherry Oexman** (low season). Thanks!!!

ENTERTAINMENT Season Ticket Holders: If for some reason you no longer need your tickets, please let me know. I can get you a refund as I have a wait list of people wanting tickets. That would fair to others and helps me keep our records straight. Thanks for your help, **Judy Blow**

REMINDER: Vehicles (including golf carts) shall not park or drive on unit lawns or grassy areas, except storage areas or at the Clubhouse, when no paved parking is available without the permission of the Board of Directors.

FRONT GATE: We have noticed that since the RFID reader and new loops were installed, that the front gates do not close behind you if another resident is waiting. The RFID reader is picking up their tag before the gate has time to close behind you. We are working on some solutions to this problem; hopefully we can get a plan in place soon that will accommodate all the new technology. -- **Michele Rachal, KGC Manager**

HALLOWEEN WINNERS - Congratulations to these Halloween Costume winners:

Best "White" Character Theme: **Tom and Carole Weber** (The Bakers!)

Best "White" Costume: **Gigi Conway** (Bo-Peep!)

Best Couple Award: **Charlie Fote** and **Cheryl Idle** (Devil & Pregnant Nun!)

"Whacky" Award: The Snow People and The Frozen North (Canadian Creators!)

Judges' Award: **Lloyd and Nancy MacLeod** (Comfort Pet People!)

The judges, **Posey Gallaher** and **Bob Cook**, graciously complained about how hard it was to be a judge and commented over and over about how many wonderful costumes there were. Thanks to all of you for your creative "get-ups"....it was awesome and was wonderful under the black lights. Interesting and active club members!

Congratulations to the Table Hostesses and Host: **Carolyn Morgan, Sue Green** and **Barb Hoople, Mary Jane Shelby, Elaine Dufort** and **Barb Knuth, Sharon Goodman, Sherry Oexman, Debby Hatch** and **Linda Varty, Judy Blow, Rose Moore** and **Barb Williams, Sue LeBell & Libbi McIntosh** (who also decorated table 12) and **Posey Gallager & Bob Cook**. You all did a great job and your decorations were beautiful. There were 3 prizes awarded for decorations: 1st, **Sherry Oexman**, 2nd, **Carolyn Morgan**, 3rd, **Sharon Goodman**. How fun! (Thanks to **Ron** and **Sue Peltier** for judging, also a hard job.)

I counted over 70 people who worked on the Halloween party and would be sorry to miss mentioning any one of them, however, I need to say, you volunteers made the job of planning this party so much easier, and I really do appreciate all you did. That's what makes this club such a fun place to live. From the decorators, sandwich makers, cake bakers, cleanups, prize donators, trivia maker, game planners to the lighting/music crew, I thank you all. Special note: **Carolyn Morgan** sewed the pennants and designed the hanging ghosts that looked fabulous. Let's not forget our unsung hardworking treasurer, **Barb Knuth**, who kindly keeps me in bounds! Thank you all so much, **Sara Robbins**

BULK DUMPSTER: The dumpster located in the 5 acres is for your bulk items that cannot be easily placed in the compactor. Appliances should just be put on the side of the dumpster and a different truck will pick those up. Any questions, call the office.

KGC Duplicate Bridge Results: Monday, October 31, 2016:

-- Ben Quirion

First:	Lorraine & Ben
Second:	Judy & Jean
Second:	Helen & Irene
Third:	Sandy & Gloria

Anyone who would like to try Duplicate Bridge, call **Lorraine, 484-3134**.

KGC Contract Bridge Results: Wednesday, November 2, 2016:

-- Ben Quirion

First:	Ben Quirion
Second:	Lorraine Quirion
Third:	Anne Fisher

For contract Bridge on Wednesdays at 1 PM, sign up in back of Hall, or call **Lorraine at 484-3134**.

Bowling Results: November 1, 2016

-- Jim Rundell

Ladies High HDCP	Series	Ladies High HDCP	Game
Sandy Vella	675	Ellen Schleicher	249
Diana Floyd	613	Lorraine Quirion	234

Men's High HDCP	Series	Men's High HDCP	Game
Dick Schleicher	728 (647 actual)	Dick Schleicher	259
Ben Quirion	677	Ben Quirion	240

CELEBRATING LIFE: My apologies to King's Gaters with very early November birthdays. Another brain drain occurred, as their birthdays should have been published in last week's Round Table News. I wish them all a belated, Happy Birthday! -- sl

CELEBRATING LIFE – Wish a Happy Birthday to these King's Gaters with birthdays in the first half of November:

November 4 Agnes Flanagan
November 4 Greg Andis
November 4 Larry Howard
November 5 Nancy Cherego
November 5 Marie Michaud
November 5 Rose Moore
November 6 Connie Garrison
November 6 Richard Nolin
November 9 Walt Smith
November 9 Kathy Snowman
November 11 Roland Carey
November 11 Christian Dumas
November 11 Vic Griseto
November 12 Leo Doucette
November 12 Carolyn Morgan
November 12 Mike Phillips
November 14 Ethel Hazeldine

TRAVEL - 2016/2017:

PLEASE NOTE: IF YOU WANT TO MAKE ANY RESERVATIONS OR GET ON A WAIT LIST FOR THE NEXT FEW WEEKS, PLEASE CONTACT BEV PURKEY: e-mail bjpurkey@gmail.com or call 941-412-1228. Don and Mary Lou will NOT BE AVAILABLE....THANK YOU!

Broadway Palm Dinner Theatre: The following shows are booked. THERE IS ONLY ONE BUS FOR EACH SHOW, SO BOOK EARLY!

NOVEMBER 11, 2016: All Around Tours has a trip to the Everglades Airboat (Ochopee); includes lunch at the Oyster House Restaurant, Wooten's everglades airboat tour, admission to animal sanctuary and free time to shop at Smallwood Store. \$82. Sign up at travel desk; 10 or more, they will pick up at the club.

NOVEMBER 24TH - THANKSGIVING: WHITE CHRISTMAS; leave at 4 PM; \$80. Two army buddies, turned showbiz partners, follow two singing sisters to a Vermont Inn. When they discover their former commanding officer is in jeopardy of losing his inn, they put on a show to help save the business. You will enjoy "Happy Holidays", "Blue Skies" and "White Christmas".

PLEASE NOTE: Phantom is sold out for JANUARY 8th. WAIT LIST ONLY.

March 5, 2017: Anything Goes... WAIT LIST ONLY.

ALL OTHER SHOWS ARE LISTED ON CABLE NEWS or on the Travel page, on www.kgc.cc. They are filling up fast, so book soon. SIGN UP AT THE TRAVEL DESK.

NEWS FLASH....The 25th Annual Silver Foxes show will be, March 30, 2017 at 7 PM. I have reserved excellent seats for this SHOW. DETAILS ON TRAVEL PAGE....TICKETS ARE \$29.

January Cruise - January 29, 2017-- February 5, 2017....we return just in time for Super Bowl party. Seven nights, Eastern Caribbean aboard the brand new MS/Koningsdam. Check the cabins that have been reserved and consider joining us. Any special requests are needed at this time - birthdays, anniversaries, table arrangements....please give Mary Lou a call at 941-484-6807.

Kinky Boots: Saturday, April 29, 2017 matinee show...30 have signed up. Need payments in full or deposit to hold your ticket. I have to pay for the tickets that I have reserved. No buses for this show - car pool only.

TRAVEL COMMITTEE: Don and Mary Lou Richmond, 941-484-6807 or dritchmond@comcast.net

TRAVEL PARTNERS: Jim and Bev Purkey, 941-412-1228 or bjpurkey@gmail.com

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