

Rainberry Bay BEACON

JANUARY 2019

A Newsletter to Share News and Information

Villa Residents Two Board Vacancies

By Esther Mendelson

The mid-term elections are past us. Now we need to direct our attention to the upcoming Rainberry Bay elections to be held in March 2019. There will be two vacancies on the Villa board and it is vital that we have candidates seeking to fill those seats. There are numerous issues being addressed by our current Board that impact villas as well as the community at large. We are witnessing a large turnover in units and we are fortunate to have new owners who have identified things about Rainberry that have interested and excited them to buy in.

As a member of the Nominating (Search) committee, I am reaching out to Villa residents to step forward and become candidates. Over the years our residents have been committed to serve and participate in keeping our community thriving, attractive and successful. They have made it possible to provide the services that make our lives more comfortable, programs and activities that meet our diverse interests, grounds that are maintained and are attractive, and an environment that makes us feel safe. I believe our new residents have current and challenging ideas that will help Rainberry Bay continue to be one of the most desirable places to live in the Delray Beach area. I am urging you to consider becoming a candidate.

If you have any questions or want more information about the Board itself, please feel free to call me (Esther Mendelson) or our committee chairperson, Debra Peters, at (5-ONE-6) 516-987-8618.

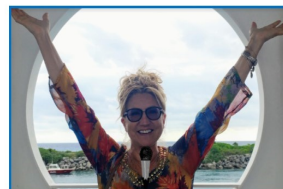


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BOARD WORKSHOP/MEETING 7:00 PM
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RESIDENTS' CONCERNS 6:30 PM
BOARD MEETING 7:00 PM
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THANKS FROM SHIRLEY GELFAND: It seems I am always rehabilitating. Well, here I am again recovering from surgery but not without the support of my Rainberry family. Your many beautiful cards, flowers, gifts and visits truly helped the healing. Hopefully, it will not be long before I will be tap dancing again.

THANK YOU TO: the Rainberry residents who dropped off their hazardous waste at our 12/01/18 collection. And a special thank you to our Green Committee volunteers who worked the collection and transported the items to the SWA center for proper disposal. We're trying to do our part to make a difference and to help save the environment. Our next hazardous waste collection is Saturday, February 2, 2019 from 9 to 11 AM.

WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST NEIGHBORS: If you have questions, please call the office or come to a Board Meeting. We look forward to meeting you and hope you will join us at any community events.

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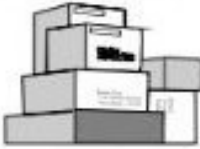

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FAQs: Miscellaneous

By Lois Wiesler

Q: My realtor told me the HOA cares for everything in Rainberry Bay, is this true?

A: The HOA is not responsible for everything. For example: we do not fix or replace gutters, put up or take down shutters, nor fix or replace extended roofs. Rainberry Bay is not responsible for caring for fruit trees (coconuts are the exception, trimmed twice a year). Fruit trees should never be planted, but if they are on your property they belong to you and are your responsibility. If you or the previous owner planted a garden, that too belongs to you. The landscapers do not maintain them.

If you want to verify who cares for any particular item, call a board member - Homes or Villas, whichever is applicable – to get the details.

Q: Is it true I am allowed to put solar panels on my home/villa?

A: Both the Homes and Villas boards have guidelines for solar panels. Please check with the appropriate board to find out which rules apply.

Q: I notice we received coupons recently. Will we still receive the quarterly letters?

A: No, these take the place of the quarterly letters. If your payment is not received by the 30th of the month it is due, you will receive a letter advising you what is owed, including the late fee. If you misplace your coupon booklet, the office will provide a paper statement for you to use. Remember, the office will stop taking payments on the 20th of the month the maintenance is due. Your payment must be mailed or paid online after the 20th.

Q: What happens if someone moves in who is younger than 55 or has small children (under 18)?

A: Rainberry Bay is a 55+ community. As such, there needs to be one person 55 or older **permanently** in residence. **No resident** may be under 18 years old. Rainberry Bay will take steps to remove any underage occupants if there is no permanent occupant over 55 or if anyone who lives here is under 18.

“We have a whole new year ahead of us. And wouldn't it be wonderful if we could all be a little more gentle with each other, a little more loving, and have a little more empathy, and maybe, next year at this time we'd like each other a little more.

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Meet Your Neighbor—Susan Jones

By Phyllis Berke

Friendly, inquisitive, adventurous only partly describes Susan whose intellect led her to become a star in the competitive field of medical school management. After Susan retired from business, without knowing anyone who lived here, she moved into Rainberry Bay. She finds pleasure in meeting new friends and trying new things and sees life as an adventure. She chose Rainberry because she likes our many social activities. She has already become involved in learning bridge and canasta and is interested in joining the Monday painting class and maybe we'll see her at the weekly tennis clinics. Susan also attends our current events meetings on Thursday mornings, CERT meetings at the firehouse and she is a member of the Block Captains committee who will be welcoming new residents. Grab her quickly before she runs out of time to volunteer any further. As a new retiree, Susan is joyful about the variety of tempting activities and is eager to engage in new pursuits. But beware of her zest for life when she intentionally takes the opposite stance in a discussion just for fun to keep it lively!

As the oldest of four children, Susan's parents prepared her to take on future leadership positions. They encouraged her to believe in herself, that she could do anything she set her mind to within reason. She was especially proud that her ability was recognized in a university environment where men were usually chosen for high level positions. She loves to travel, eat new foods and meet new people. She cherishes her friendships with people she knows from as far back as her school days in Long Island.

Susan retired from a career as Director of Administration and Finance at different universities beginning with Yale University Medical School, Department of Psychiatry. At the same time she attended the Barney School, University of Hartford, part-time where she attained an MBA degree. She enjoyed living near Yale's University Theater in New Haven. When her



mother in Long Island would tell Susan about a new play on Broadway, Susan would say, "I already saw it!" because Broadway shows often used New Haven for their tryouts.

When Susan realized that there were no foreseeable promotions for her at Yale, she moved on to another position at the Medical College of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia where she stayed for nine years. During this time she volunteered with the Junior League in Philadelphia. The Junior League teaches people how to be volunteers in the communities where they live. Susan told me, "The duties of my administrative jobs allowed me to give back to the community what I learned in business."

For example, with the local Junior League chapter in Philadelphia, Susan chaired a committee to raise funds by developing a Designer Showcase House. As the treasurer for this project, Susan arranged for the lease of a house and property. She contracted with interior designers who would decorate different rooms with free-standing or built-in furniture, lighting, decorative accessories and kitchen and bath equipment and floor tiles or carpets, etc. Each interior designer had to compete to decorate a specific room in the house. If you've never been to a showcase house, it's worth the experience and the entry fee is a charitable contribution. Susan kept track of the money coming in and going out. In addition to this event,

along with another committee, the Junior League would award money to such community organizations as pre-schools, food kitchens or libraries. Susan sought out the Junior League in every city where she lived.

For fun, Susan tried many different sports and activities. She sang in high school and college and with holiday choruses. She sings in the shower and in her car. Maybe Susan would like to join our Theater Arts Group. She learned to fence, had a weekly radio talk show interviewing people and best of all, she loved sculling. Sculling is rowing a long skinny boat in unison with others on a river. She joined a class on how to scull at a junior college in Philadelphia. The class took place at 6 a.m. twice a week. Some sculls seated one, others held two or more rowers in single file. When she would arrive at the dock, she had to remove her shoes and sit down in the boat that had built-in shoes to put her feet in. Susan said, "When rowing you had to synchronize your movements with the person in front of you." When the scull was properly synchronized the boat moved gracefully and swiftly through the water.

She chose Delray Beach as her new home because of the variety of social activities and the beach. She also has a friend who lives nearby who encouraged her to look at Rainberry Bay. Susan was impressed with the different styles of houses and landscaping and because she thought it was beautiful. She loves warm weather, but always visits her mother and sisters and brother and their families in Long Island for holidays despite the northern temperatures.

Susan, you are a fantastic addition to our community. Welcome.



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Free Movies

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DATE	MOVIE-OPERA-BALLET
Jan. 4	L'Orfeo by Monteverde Written in 1607, this Greek myth of Orpheus is the oldest, most regularly performed opera.
Jan. 6	Operation Finale Director Chris Weitz's historical thriller is based on the story of how a group of Israeli secret agents arrested notorious SS officer Adolf Eichmann - the man who masterminded the "Final Solution" - in Argentina. After tracking Eichmann down to Buenos Aires, Malkin and his men captured him and brought him to Israel for a historic 8-month trial.
Jan. 18	I Am a Dancer Documentary about Rudolph Nureyev featuring excerpts from several classical ballets.
Jan. 20	Mission Impossible: Fallout The best intentions often come back to haunt you. Ethan Hunt (Tom Cruise) and his IMF team (Alec Baldwin, Simon Pegg, Ving Rhames) along with some familiar allies (Rebecca Ferguson, Michelle Monaghan) in a race against time after a mission gone wrong.



The 18th Century Club?

By Michael and Sandra Cantwell

Not yet. And maybe never. But it's evident we are more comfortable with the culture of the 18th and 19th centuries than that of the 20th or 21st, at least to anyone who's attended any of the Rainberry Bay Classic Opera/Ballet movies. And maybe that's why you haven't.

In any event, if Rainberry has a club that looks ahead, why not one that looks back? It's worth thinking about, no? We're not saying we need to buy wigs and affect English accents, but what's wrong with a little touch of Verdi in the afternoon? *"And so ends our catechism."*

For our January schedule, we go all the way back to the early 17th Century (1607 to be precise), when Claudio Monteverdi's *L'Orfeo* was first performed at the annual Carnival in Mantua. Monteverdi's setting of the Greek myth of Orpheus is the oldest regularly performed opera. Attempting to recreate the music of classical Greece, *L'Orfeo* bridges 16th century choral polyphony and the "modern" style that featured solo vocal music. Come see and hear how opera began.

The other January performance – *I Am a Dancer* – is a documentary about Rudolph Nureyev, one of the 20th Century's greatest male dancers. It features excerpts from several classical ballets as well as Glenn Tetley's modern (and astonishing) *Field Figures*. As one reviewer noted, it is "an extraordinary document for anyone who appreciates Nureyev in his prime and an era of great dancing that is lost forever."

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Book Discussion Group

By Mariane Kulick

The Book Discussion Group is going strong. There was a big turnout to talk about the book ***Little Fires Everywhere*** by Caroline Ng. Judy Slivak led a very active discussion.

Our next Book Discussion Group will be on Thursday, January 3, 2019 at 1:30pm. Kim Rudolph will be the facilitator.

The book will be ***The Handmaid's Tale***, by Margaret Atwood, a well-known and highly-regarded Canadian writer. The novel, originally published in 1985, is set in near-future New England, showing life through the eyes of Offred, a *Handmaid* in the town of Gilead.

Our library has a very limited number of copies of the book. If there are any questions, please call Joyce Vogel at 561-276-8951.

Feb 7	Educated	Tara Westover
Mar 7	Set a Watchman & To Kill a Mockingbird	Harper Lee
Apr 4	A Gentleman in Moscow	Amor Towles

Great Free Stuff

By Andrea Baron



Back row: Phyllis Ziner, Seena Herniter, Harriet Resnick, Gayle Gallinat, Eileen Block, Jolie Trabin, Bob Schwarz, Karen Aprill, Andy Baron

Front row: Linda Rubinstein, Rose Hersch, Esther Mendelson

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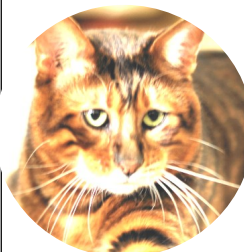
The newest titles are in locked cases which are only open during library hours and must be signed out, like the DVDs. New books can be borrowed for 2 weeks, and DVDs for 3 days. (We ask that you borrow only one DVD from the current month's list at a time, since they are in heavy demand!) You can stop by and borrow the books on the open shelves at any time. There are return boxes outside the clubhouse and in the library room.

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Stop by and check out the library and meet our great volunteers. We think it's a terrific resource for the community and hope you do too.

Arlo the Cat Haiku

By Mariane Kulick



Taffy and orange,
Pale tiger stripes on soft fur,
Spend a moment here.

Wide green eyes glow,
Tail up, back arched, he pounces,
Captures my left foot.

Arlo watches tennis,
His head shifts back and forth,
Can't catch the yellow ball.

Watch RIC for possible changes



Classes at Brainberry U

By Joyce Poses

JANUARY SCHEDULE

May Your New Year be filled with Health, Happiness and New Adventures.

NEW NIA EVENT! DANCING FUN FOR EVERYONE.

The first Rainberry Bay Nia Jam will be held on Sunday, January 13, in the Clubhouse Auditorium from 10:30a-12p. Join us for some Movement, Music and Magic as guest Nia teacher, David Merritt, teaches his "Dancing in the Street," an originally choreographed routine with your favorite Motown hits.

All fitness levels are welcome. Only \$5.00 for Rainberry residents. RSVP to **HELEN SOHNE** @ niadelray@gmail.com or 561-376-9789.

CRAFTS PROGRAM

PAPER CRAFTS with Madeline is the 2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month at 10:15 am. (\$4.00 per class). Come and join us. We make beautiful note cards, journals, memory necklaces, etc. We have a great time besides making fabulous cards. Just bring your sense of humor.

POLYMER CLAY WORKSHOP 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month at 10:15am. Call Joyce for more information at 276-7504.

Join us at **BEAD AND BITCH** which meets every Monday evening at 7:00pm in the crafts room. Work on your own projects or learn with instructor Pam for \$5.00. Bring your own beads, or buy Pam's kits and have a great time. Bitching is on your own and free.

PAINTING WORKSHOP continues every Monday at 11am. Even if you have never held a brush before, Marty can teach you. Call Marty Bronstein 561-272-7227 for info. No charge.

FREE CLASSES

FRENCH CLASSES will again be given by **DONNA AND GILLES GOUIN**, beginning Wednesday January 23 at 10:15 in the MCR. Please RSVP to: dongouin1@gmail.com.

Join the **BOOK CLUB** on Thursday, Jan. 3 at 1:30pm in the MCR for an interesting discussion of Margaret Atwood's, **The Handmaid's Tale**.

NEW CANASTA CLASSES continue on Mondays from 2 to 4pm in the MCR. No fee, no registration. Call **PHYLLIS BERKE** at 865-5948 for more information.

CURRENT EVENTS, every Thursday morning at 10:30am in the MCR. Stay up to date on what is happening in the world.

The **CHESS GROUP** meets Tuesdays, 1-3pm, in the crafts room. Play and learn to win by developing strategies. Bring your set or we will supply a set. For more information call **JACK FISHBONE** at 617-803-5772.

EXERCISE PROGRAM

Are you curious about **NIA**? Join us on Tuesday, 1/8/19 from 9:30-10a in the Mens Card Room for an Introduction to Nia. All are welcome to stay for the whole class. The regular class schedule for January is every Tuesday (except New Year's Day) and Friday from 10-11am for Nia and Gentle Nia on Friday from 11:15-12n Bring a drink, towel or mat and wear comfortable clothing. Call Helen Sohne for more information, 561-376-9789

NEW Yoga CLASS on Mondays and Saturdays at 10am. All levels welcome \$10.00 per class.

EZY FITNESS DVD GROUP meets 9-10am on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Exercise to the beat. No charge.

See you in class, Joyce

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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Social Club

By Barry Shore & Sue Ragovin

The annual Meeting of the Social Club will be held Monday, March 4, 2019 at 7:00 pm in the Theater.

The following positions will be available:

- ◆ Chairman of Outside Events
- ◆ Secretary
- ◆ Treasurer
- ◆ Publicity

Anyone interested in running for one of these positions, please call Barry Shore at 561-330-9781. There will be no nominations from the floor.

Again, we wish you a Happy and Healthy New Year. Looking forward to seeing you at some of the events we are planning for 2019.

**“Don’t be afraid of
CHANGE
You may lose something good
but you may gain
SOMETHING BETTER”**



Women's Club Luncheon

By Ruth Razzetti

The Women's Club will hold its PAID-UP MEMBERSHIP LUNCHEON on Thursday, January 10 at 12 noon at the theater.

The cost for paid-up members is \$5.00 and \$15 for guests. Tickets will be on sale December 20, 27, and January 3 in the theater from 4 to 5 PM. At that time, a Membership committee member will be there to collect \$10.00 dues. Separate checks, one for luncheon and one for dues, please.



Lunch will be from Howard's and will consist of a chicken salad sandwich and a tuna salad sandwich, along with a pasta salad and a fresh fruit salad, dessert and coffee.

Our guest speaker is **DR. JOYCE SALTZMAN**, who will give one of her hilariously funny lectures on *“Laughter is the Best Medicine.”*

It will be appreciated if those attending the luncheon will bring some non-perishable food for those in need. Food will be collected and distributed by the Jacobson Family Food Pantry.

For information, please call Carol Shore at 561-330-2371.



Bridge Club News

By Joel Speiser & Bob Sherburne

“I'd like learn to play bridge, but it seems too hard.”

Did you ever hear that? Or (OMG!) say it yourself? Worry no more, because your Rainberry Bay Bridge Club has just the answer! See the information here on both classes. Playing bridge, above all, is fun!—and we make it easy for you to join in!

Our annual gala—the biggest event of our year—will be held this year at Benvenuto's on February 8th, with a sumptuous luncheon followed by terrific entertainment—guests are welcome! Call Bob Sherburne (561-414-5184) for more information on the gala or any club activities.

We mourn the passing of our dear friend, **DORIS SABLE**. She will be greatly missed.

Beginner Bridge Class:

The class will cover the fundamentals of contract bridge: bidding, play of the hand and scoring. Bob Sherburne will teach the class in the Clubhouse Auditorium from 1 PM to 4 PM on Saturday January 5, 12, 19, and 26; February 2 and 9. The cost is \$ 5.00 for materials. Register with Bob Sherburne by Dec. 27, 2018.

Intermediate Bridge:

Class will be from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM on January 10, 17, 24, 31 and February 14 and 21. The class will focus on bidding, especially conventions, and best practices in playing the hand.

There will be **SUPERVISED PLAY** games with cash prizes following the class. They will begin at 2:00 PM. Participants may come for the class only, the Supervised Play only, or for both the lesson and Supervised Play. The cost of the class and/or Supervised Play is \$ 3.00 per session for members, \$4.00 per session for nonmembers.

Please register for the class and/or Supervised Play by December 27, 2018.

Register for either class or Supervised Play by calling Bob at 561-414-5184 or emailing him, at bobsdelray@aol.com.

Men's Club

By Irving Schulman

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21st Century Club

By Michael Klein, President

WELCOME BACK SNOWBIRDS AND SNOWFLAKES. We had our first show of the year featuring the **Ed Band** show, an extravaganza headed by a Rainberry Bay resident, at our theater on Friday night December 14th. A great time was had by all attendees.

We end 2018 with a DJ Dance party in the Theater. Bring your party fun and join us to bring in the New Year. \$5 entry fee pays your annual dues

Our next show in the theater will be held on Saturday night January 26th. We will be featuring **The Long Run**, an Eagles tribute band that will knock your socks off.

On February 16th we present the unbelievable **Roll The Stones**, a Rolling Stones tribute 9-piece band. It will be fabulous.

We continue with **Green River**, a Creedence Clearwater Revival tribute band. They ruled the airwaves back in the day.

Onward we march to March 9th when we present **The Wildfire Band**, a local favorite in South Florida and requested by many of you.

March 23rd its time for **Doors Alive**, a wonderful Doors tribute band. Wait until you see Jim Morrison's double.

And we end our unbelievable season on April 6th with a local favorite, **The Flyers**, a high intensity local band that has wowed Rainberry Bay for the last two years and will into the future.

I want to personally thank **STEVE AND SANDI BODNER, STEPHANIE AND GARY BRAUNSTEIN, SUSAN DRESNER, MARCIA FIELDS, BARBARA GOLDBERG, MICHAEL PINES** and **CAROL UNGER**, for all of their help in a special project for the 21st Century Club.

It makes all of us feel really good when we see Rainberry having fun and dancing the night away. Join us!!!

You can buy tickets at the door, but for great seats come to the theater Monday and Thursdays from 4-5 or call Marcia at (561) 927-8550 for information. If you can't make it to us, we will come to you.

BRING FOOD, DRINK, AND YOUR APPETITE FOR A ROCKIN' GOOD TIME. REMEMBER, YOU CAN EVEN WEAR SHORTS.

Tennis Club Gala Dinner Dance

By Nusha Moscovitz

Turn in your tennis shorts for "glitz and glamour"! On Tuesday, March 5th, RB Tennis Club offers the community a chance to get together in a fun and festive atmosphere. The gala evening at Benvenuto has been a tradition in this community for many years. The cocktail hour under the stars, all you can eat hors d'oeuvres, and the dinner selections with wine and music makes this the "feel good" event of the year.

We asked some of our past participants to give us their opinions of this exciting evening. Here are some of their answers:

What is your impression of the venue? "Marvelous" said Lou Schiller, a non-resident and first-time participant. Lou and her husband are looking forward to joining us again. "The cocktails outside are the main event," said Harold Becker, a long time member.

What is your impression of the atmosphere? "Electrifying, all inclusive, a wonderful community event" said Christy Cherry our Tennis Director. "Cheery, happy and lots of dancing" said Mel Gelman, a Tennis Club member.

As you can see this is an event that should not be missed. Please watch for more detailed information in the February Beacon as well as on the RIC and TIC and do consider joining us!

Theatre Arts

By Glenn and Sara Todd



Les Dames

To all residents of Rainberry Bay and any of your guests you would like to invite: on Tuesday, January 29, 2019 in our clubhouse, Theatre Arts will be presenting LES DAMES. This is a group of lovely ladies who sing various types of songs, including

some which are humorous and clever. Some of these ladies are from our community and have performed in many of our Theatre Arts shows. They have also performed in Palm Beach County. They will have you singing and tapping your feet to the music.

Whether or not you attended our last open meeting on Oct. 23rd, you definitely don't want to miss this next one. Be there by 7:30 pm so you don't miss a thing. There is NO CHARGE for members of Theatre Arts and only \$5 for guests.

Mark your calendars now for January 29, 2019 at 7:30 pm. Refreshments including wine and cheese will be served.

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The Long Run Is Coming

By Stephanie Braunstein

It's almost here! The first major 21st Century Club show of the 2019 season will be held at the Theater on January 26, at 8 pm.

“The Long Run” Eagles Tribute group

will bring their outstanding act to Rainberry Bay for only \$20 per person! Come hear them and dance to these classic rock tunes—and soar like an Eagle at Rainberry!

Tickets are available Mondays and Thursdays from 4 to 5 pm in the Theater, or call Marcia Fields for **ticket delivery directly to your home**—561-927-8550.

Yiddish Heritage Club

By Gloria Goldman

Our post-Hannukah program was wonderful. **RUBY SOSNOWICZ** entertained us with his piano playing and everyone had a great time joining in with the songs.

We had potato latkes served on special Hannukah plates donated by **ELEANOR FEIGENBAUM**. The post-Hannukah celebration was a happy event in our new meeting room (MCR) at the new time, 1:30 pm.

Thanks to our hostess **SARA TODD** (who searched all over to find latkes), **MAXINE JAFFE** for her muffins, **PHYLLIS FISHBONE**, our greeter and **DEBBIE SILVERSTEIN**, our Jewish events reporter.

We will celebrate the New Year at our January 11 meeting with a comedy program by Molly Goldberg so mark your calendar. Hope to see you all next year. Remember all our programs are in English. All welcome.



Drama Club

by Conrad Berke

Now, you can act onstage
without memorizing lines

The Drama Club returns to live script reading comedy and dramatic productions. The Rainberry Bay Drama club will perform play readings in the clubhouse and then on stage in the theater.

If you want to appear in a smash hit Neil Simon comedy, this is your chance. There are parts for men and women. If you have ever been on stage or want to be this is your chance for exciting fun.

Directors, actors, set design, stagehands, we can use everyone who wants to be in the theater.

Call Conrad Berke at 561-865-5948 for information about attending Tuesday at 2:00 pm in the Clubhouse.

A New Year— a New Look for Bocce

By Diane Maxey



Landscaping enhances
the bocce area

The Rainberry Bocce Courts are sporting a new look for 2019. The concrete sidewalks around the courts not only improve the appearance but address some safety issues for players and spectators. Thanks to the Board for making this improvement possible. Also, the Bocce Club recently invested in some beautiful landscaping additions. Thanks to **IRV SCHULMAN** for overseeing this project. The “before” and “after” photos here don’t do it justice. Come by the courts and experience the New Bocce.

In addition to a new look, we have welcomed quite a few new members this month as more residents are trying out this Rainberry amenity. Many are finding it to be a great way to exercise as well as socialize. If you haven’t played, try something new in 2019. Friendly coaches will take the time to explain the simple rules and strategies of the game. Membership dues (\$10 a year) are being collected for 2019.

We look forward to beginning league play in January with the Palm Beach County Bocce League. The schedule will be posted on the Bocce bulletin board and we hope you will come and cheer on the teams. Check in board for other social activities as well.

Regular play

Mornings – 9 am – Wednesday, Saturday, Sunday

Evenings – 6:00 pm – Monday and Thursday

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Bicycle Club

By Monique Goudreau

On December 8, 2018, the Bicycle Club met to start organizing, shaping and revitalizing the club where actual biking will become the focus. Two very active new residents were welcomed into the club. Bike outings were discussed. Initially, shorter outings are planned to give residents a chance to gradually get back into the groove.



An information session on “How to buy the best bike for you” is being organized for January. Stay tuned for information on the date/time for this activity. Bike outings can happen on short notice. Sign-up to be included in the email blasts on bike outings and other related activities.

By Wednesday, December 12, we will already have biked to near-by communities to discover our close-by surroundings. On Saturday, December 15; we either pedal the road or the sidewalk to Wakodahatchee to visit the wonderful bird sanctuary there.

Additional future outing possibilities were discussed such as regular Sunday bike rides, bike & coffee rides; fast, medium, slow speed rides; inside and outside the community rides (the latter of which could be on sidewalks; travel destinations (Tri-Rail ride to West Palm Beach and back, sightseeing, visiting the Flagler Museum, etc.). We will explore any interest in the annual Gran Fondo bike ride, a Bimini-Bahamas excursion, a train ride to Ft Lauderdale/ Miami, and a geocaching event.



ROSE WEISMAN (the past chair and now co-chair) will help organize primarily 1-day, bus trips further afield for biking (Bimini) or for non-biking excursions depending where interest lies.

Help develop a fun and exciting, all-levels biking program, from very casual cycling and sightseeing to distance riding. Come to the next meeting on Jan. 12th at 9:00am.

Contact: Biking Co-Chair, **MONIQUE GOUDREAU** @lakesideottawa@xplornet.com, 561-265-5924; or Travel Co-Chair, **ROSE WEISMAN** @georgyw1@aol.com, 561-274-6645 for any information.

Bicycle Club dues are \$7.00 per calendar year.

Pickleball News!

By Steve Bodner

NEW OPEN PLAY TIMES

Tuesday 9 am

Thursday 7 pm

SUNDAY FUNDAY 4 pm



Human beings are inherently competitive. Most of us take part in games to improve our self image. We love the sense of importance and relevance that winning gives us. That is why, when people win, that feeling of achievement and self-importance overshadows the fact that it is just a game. Let's face it ...winning feels great!!

However, real champions know that victory or success is only temporary. The real competition is not between you and another person, but it is with you and your former self. Such people compete to improve themselves. They are not bothered by the result. They know that it is just a game, and all that matters is improving yourself.

We play pickleball every Tuesday morning at 9am and Sunday afternoon at 4pm. Also Thursday evening at 7pm, with lessons at 5:30. **BEGINNERS WELCOME.**



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Tennis Club

By Dave Kulick, President

Our four women's teams and three men's teams are about to begin the quest to bring another title to Rainberry Bay and hope springs eternal as we enter winter. The women play on Mondays and the men on Thursdays, and given the number of teams, someone will always be on our home courts so come on down and root us on.

We had our elections at our December meeting and the club members voted to elect **DAVE KULICK**, President, **PENNIE CERINO**, 1st VP, **ANNE BARRON**, as 2nd VP, **PAT PEPPARD**, Treasurer, and **ANN LAFORTUNE**, Secretary. Since Dave is president of Council of Clubs, **NUSHA MOSKOWITZ** will represent the Tennis Club at the monthly meeting.

On page 16, you'll find Nusha's article on our annual outing to Benvenuto, our headline social event of the season. It's an excellent chance to show off your finery and have fun at the same time.

Our annual Community Barbeque is December 26th and is open to all Rainberry residents and guests. Please come and join us. We have Jai-alai scheduled for January 17 so you can bet on your favorite tennis player. We also have Bingo on February 19. We have several other events planned throughout the season so keep watching.

Tennis is a very healthy activity and all new residents can get one free private lesson from our pro. We're unlikely to end up playing at the US Open or even the Delray Beach Open (which is coming up in February) but it's fun and heart friendly.

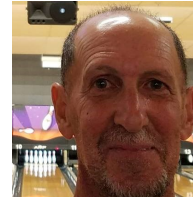
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Block Captains

By Anne-Marie Blondin

Hello all residents and wishing you a Happy New Year!

PHYLLIS LOURINE, who has been our New Resident Welcomer for many years, will be giving up this post after many years of dedicated service to the RB community. A very big thank you to Phyllis, who throughout the years, has provided guidance and great ideas about what information to discuss with new residents and to include in the packet.

Phyllis will still continue to be a Block Captain and help with our annual collection so you will see her around in the neighborhood!

Thank you to **SUSAN JONES** who will be taking on the role of New Resident Welcomer starting in January.

A hearty welcome to new RB resident, **NANCY EFFRAIN**, who has joined our Block Captains.

Annual Collection for Delray Beach Fire and Police: The RB Annual Collection is underway. Please be patient if you have not had a visit by a Block Captain as we have a large territory to cover. We welcome all new volunteers to help with the collection. You do not need to be a Block Captain.

If you prefer to make your donation sooner, you may put your

donation in the RB Block Captain mailbox, next to the Library.

Thank you to all Block Captains for your time and volunteering with the Block Captain Committee in 2018.

Looking forward to 2019 and seeing you at our next meetings on:

Jan 7
Feb 4
Mar 4
Apr 1

Wishing everyone a healthy and prosperous 2019!

Knit Wits

By Joan Powell



Many thanks to **BARBARA GOLDBERG, CARMEL DAVENPORT, and SUSAN DRESNER** for the beautiful hats and afghans that you created and donated this month. The Rainberry Bay Knit Wits appreciate all of the items. Needles, yarn, and directions are available in the library for anyone who would like to become part of this great group.

MADELINE HINCKEN just received the following note from a grateful recipient of our hats and afghans at Boca Regional Hospital.

"What a wonderful surprise when I walked into my office this morning!! The hats are beautiful. We have a display case and patients are free to browse and treat themselves to lovely hats. It lifts their spirits and makes them feel the love. Thank you for thinking of our patients. Mary"



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2019 Directory

By Karen Wells

We are so pleased that we will be getting the 2019 Resident's Directory printed next week. Many people participated in getting this printed and as up-to-date as possible. The forms you filled out helped immensely, even though a lot of people did not turn them in. Every resident or owner is listed in the Directory. Those who chose to opt out did not list their phone numbers and those who did not submit a form confirming the correct information are listed with an asterisk next to their name.



Help was plentiful from the persons of **HEIDI ULBRICH** and **ALEX MASSEY** in the front office who collected and entered the forms, from **KAREN CLOUSER** and **ANNE-MARIE BLONDIN**, who made many phone calls to retrieve missing forms, and finally from **JEAN ELLEN KING**, who proofread the copy against the forms.

We would all like to find out if you have a better way for information to be gathered from our homeowners. It took an inordinate amount of time to gather these forms and delayed publication of this sorely needed document.

Hopefully, next time it won't take so long and that we can all enjoy the New Years to come.

Green Committee

by Char Lane, co-chair

Walgreens works with a DEA-authorized vendor to collect and safely dispose of medications. Their focus is the fight against drug abuse. Dispose unwanted, unused or expired medications at a participating Walgreens. The locations nearest to Rainberry Bay are:

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- Vitamins
- Samples
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- Ointments
- Lotions
- Liquid medication in plastic or leak-proof containers

NOT ACCEPTED BY OPERATION PILL DROP

- Needles (Sharps)
- Thermometers
- Bloody or infectious waste
- Medication from businesses or clinics
- Medication in glass containers
- Hydrogen peroxide
- Aerosol cans
- Inhalers

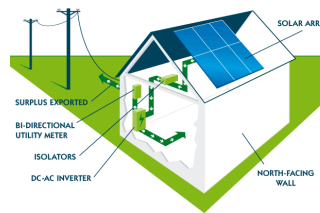
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DRUG TAKE-BACK DAY is a twice-yearly event (October and April) is sponsored by the DEA and local law enforcement to help get drugs off the street. Information will be provided as we approach their next date.



These are three great options to safely dispose of medications.

Learn More About Solar Panels



Please join the Green Committee for a presentation / discussion about solar panels that will include Rainberry residents who have installed panels. They will provide information on the overall process and their experiences, along with other tips.

This event will be on January 30, 2019 at 7 PM in the clubhouse auditorium. We hope to see you there!



Green Committee

If you drink wine, **please save the corks**. If you use any other products with corks, **please save those corks, too**. The GC will be collecting them this fall for recycling. Drop them in the collection box in the club house library.

Recork ([see Recork.org](http://Recork.org)) reprocesses corks and is the largest recycler of cork in the US.

Thanks for Recycling

Thank you to everyone who brought their plastic bags to our America Recycles Day "I want to be recycled" collection box. Every small thing we do helps to protect the environment. The level of plastic pollution in the oceans, lakes and other waterways is horrific and the negative impact on aquatic creatures is tragic.

Publix has conveniently placed bins as you enter the store for plastic bags, paper bags and egg cartons. It's easy to drop your items in these bins as you enter the store and is something you can do to help the environment on an ongoing basis.

The Green Committee will have another plastic bag collection for Earth Day next April.

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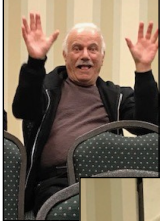
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By Deb Peters

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By Lois Wiesler

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YELLOWED FINGERNAILS: Are your fingernails stained or discolored? To restore them put one cup of warm water in a bowl and drop in a denture tablet. Soak for 5 minutes, then wash your hands. Repeat daily until the discoloration is gone.

NARROW VASES & BOTTLES: Denture tablets are great for cleaning out containers with narrow openings. Just fill the vase or bottle with warm



water and add 1-2 denture tablets, depending on the size of the item. Wait an hour or two then rinse well.

Enamel Cookware or Baked on messes: Can't remove the food residue or stains? Fill the pot or pan with warm water and add 1-2 denture tablets. When the fizzing stops, wash the pot or pan in warm soapy water. For baked on messes fill the dish with warm water and add one denture tablet. Let the dish soak for an hour, then wash normally. Use a scrub brush or the scrubby side of a sponge to power through the loosened mess.

Mugs With Coffee Or Tea Stains: Fill a stained mug with warm water and add one denture tablet. Wait until the fizzing stops, then wash the mug with soapy water. This also works on kettles, carafes, and thermoses too!

Shower Heads: If your shower head isn't flowing as well as it used to put a few cups of warm water into a plastic ziplock bag and add 1-2 denture tablets. Put the bag over the shower head until its submerged, then use a rubber band to tie the bag in place. Let it soak for a couple of hours, remove the bag and scrub the shower head with sponge or brush to scrub away the loosened gunk, and it should be good as new!

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