



RAINBERRY BAY BEACON

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SHARING COMMUNITY NEWS

From the Editor:

SAYING GOODBYE TO SEASON 2018-2019...



THIS YEAR HAS BROUGHT SO MANY CHANGES. Rainberry Residents and visitors had a plethora of events in which to participate.

We began the season with a new amenity in Pickleball Park, four lighted courts with a very active group of players. We even had two ribbon cuttings, the first for two courts and the next, due to popularity, when we added two more permanent courts. Pool 5 was lighted and open for nighttime swimming and pool parties. Our tennis teams did incredibly well in Senior League Play, taking home a Women's Team medal and hosting a Davis Cup tournament. Bowling produced a Triple Play Star in **JACK MITRANI** for Thursday league play and a Tuesday league for several Rainberry bowlers as well. The Bocce courts, with lots of community help, became more beautiful, safe and permanent. The teams were strong in intramural play and the camaraderie keeps growing. The Bike Club went back to its roots and restarted an active biking program. It was terrific to see so many new bikes on our roads.

The Men's Club continues to bring many people together with its variety of programs: BBQ's, banquets and bingos while the Women's Club has been successful in helping the needy through its fashion shows, luncheons and card parties. The Yiddish Heritage Club saw record attendance at several incredibly exciting programs. Table Tennis is enjoying new life, with new leaders. We have really active Book Review groups, both winter and summer. Classes are plentiful with French, beautiful paintings, jewelry, clay work and arts and crafts coming out of the A&C room; Nia, yoga and exercise in the Clubhouse and lively current event discussions on Thursdays. The card rooms are filled with avid Canasta, Poker and Mahjong games, as well as dominoes (Mexican Train) on Friday nights. We were offered some incredible Opera and Ballet performances, as well as popular free movies in our Theater.

The Green Committee presented many interesting programs to help us help our environment. The Bridge Club increased membership and welcomed new neighbors into their Monday night games. The Bridge classes for beginners and intermediate players, taught by Bob Sherburne, added new faces to their tables. The Drama Club re-formed and began readings of plays and Theater Arts did popular monthly programs. Sadly, the Social Club had to go on hiatus this season and cancel its shows, while the 21st Century Club had us dancing to rock and roll every month, both in the Theater and around the pool.

We welcomed many new residents and published a new Directory. And the Beacon has experienced a facelift under new management. The Board of Directors is hard at work with our Management team to make your life at Rainberry better, from upgrading our old systems (both mechanical and procedural) to brightening our egress and entrance. We are lovingly archiving our history and preserving our past while moving into our next decade. Forty years and going strong.

Enjoy your summer wherever you spend it and return next season revitalized and ready to partake of all the fun we have planned.

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WITHIN OUR RAINBERRY BAY FAMILY . . .



- ◇ It is with inexpressible sorrow, but infinite appreciation and gratitude for her life, that the Kulick family passes on the news that **MARIANE KULICK** slipped away peacefully in her sleep on May 15. An utterly remarkable and irreplaceable woman, she spent her life trying to make this world a better place. She overcame tragedy and a multitude of physical ailments, always pushing on, blessed by her “happy gene.” She was indomitable, although as we sadly learned, not indestructible. She was mother to Robin, David, Seth, and Andy, mother-in-law to Gwynne and Nancy, and grandmother to Zamira, Lizzie, and Charlie. A Rainberry memorial is planned for mid-June.
- ◇ Former resident **EVELYN PACE** passed away amidst her family in California. Our condolences go to long-time resident, husband **OSCAR PACE**, and the family.
- ◇ Condolences to **LAUREL LASKY**, former Villas resident, **ED SAVODNICK**, passed away last week at age 94. Ed was a veteran of both WWII and the Korean War and will be buried in the VA cemetery in Boynton Beach. No date as yet. Laurel is living at Brookdale Senior Living in Boynton and would love to hear from her friends, 561-877-4471, email: laurellasky@gmail.com.



- ♥ EVELYN BANDEL
- ♥ JOYCE POSES
- ♥ DINAH SCHINDLER
- ♥ PHYLLIS GORDON BERKE
- ♥ MORT LEWIS



- ★ To both Great-great Aunt, **KAREN WELLS** and Great Aunt **STACEY SCHWARTZ** on the birth of new nephew, Odin Lambdin.
- ★ To Andrew Elfman, grandson of **ROZ & RICH ELFMAN** for winning the MIT Science Fair \$10,000 scholarship.
- ★ To **ROZ & RICH ELFMAN** on their granddaughter, Jennifer’s engagement to John Lewis. A March 14, 2020, wedding is planned.



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- ♥ From **JANET EISENMAN**: Thank you to the We Care volunteers for making it a pleasure and a gift to the community to borrow things for our grandchildren. Their efforts are greatly appreciated!
- ♥ From **EVELYN & MANNY BANDEL**: We wish to thank everyone for your gracious concern and many cards and phone calls, encouraging Evelyn’s recovery. Evelyn is home finally after being away 38 days in the hospital and Rehab.
- ♥ From **NUSHA MOSCOWITZ**: To all my friends who sent their best wishes for a speedy recovery, thank you from the bottom of my heart. Without your love and positive vibes, I would have never recovered as fast as I did. See you on the courts!
- ♥ From **MORT & HARRIET LEWIS**: Harriet and I would like to thank everyone who called, prayed, sent cards, gifts and visited me when I had knee replacement surgery. Your caring and support were greatly appreciated. Thank you again for your kindness.

2019 DIRECTORY CORRECTION(S):

Please note the following corrections in your copy of the Resident’s Directory

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 (This was incorrect as published in the May issue).

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FROM THE MASTER BOARD...

Alan Milner

As the board liaison for the Safety and Security Committee, I would like to pass along some reminders about rules that are frequently being ignored or broken by members and guests.

1. Except during authorized community events, there is absolutely no parking on either side of Rainberry Circle. This includes contractors as well as residents and their guests.
2. You are only allowed to park on the even-numbered sides of the street and you are not allowed to park within six feet of a mailbox or within 10 feet of a fire hydrant.
3. People who violate the parking rules will receive citations. We will also plaster your windshield with a sticker and we are considering booting repeat offenders.
4. We have a firm rule against "open houses" at Rainberry Bay. If you are selling your home, you may not allow your realtor to schedule an open house. People coming to Rainberry Bay with the intention of attending an open house will not be admitted.
5. The dumpsters and recycling containers in the Villas are for Villas owners and renters ONLY. Contractors and Homes residents are not permitted to dump refuse into the Villas containers. Violators will be cited and may be fined for this behavior.
6. The roving security guards are the eyes and ears of this community but they are not here to be abused by angry residents. If you verbally attack any of our security guards, the police will be called and you will be charged with assault. Going forward, the Delray Beach police department will be called whenever an altercation occurs between residents, or between residents and the security guards.
7. Night swimming is only allowed at Pool 5 which is now equipped and certified for night swimming. Residents and guests are not allowed to swim in any of the other pools after dusk.



FROM THE HOMES BOARD

Karen Clouser

I am writing this section before the May 15th meeting. This may be unnecessary information if we get 2/3 of the residents to vote affirmatively. If you did not vote regarding the 2 changes that we want to make to our Homes Documents we need your help more now than ever! We have until August 14th to receive your ballot so that we match the simple majority (50%+1) that Masters' already has in effect. Lack of interest is going to cause our lovely Rainberry to go down the tubes as the expression goes! Please mail it in ASAP. For more information, please see your May Beacon.

Hurricane season is upon us. There are many new residents in Rainberry that may not know all that it takes to make us safe. First we need someone to chair the Hurricane Preparedness Committee! Please, we need someone to step forward.

One of the biggest misnomers is that Management will close your shutters and take in your outdoor furniture. They are very busy with all the pool furniture, gates, Bocce and Tennis courts, securing them for your safety. It is your responsibility to take care of your loose items. During a bad storm your outdoor furniture, flower pots, decorations, gas grills, etc. can become flying missiles.

What can you do? If you are already gone, have your house sitter take care of it or have them hire someone to do the work if they are unable. Please begin this now because these people have many homes and villas under their charge. If you are here all year, again make arrangements to get this done.

What else needs to be done? Use the buddy system with your

neighbors. Check on each other when the storm is over. Charge your cell phone and get a car charger for your phone, get a battery powered radio and fan. Get your batteries, extra water, and canned food now. Take empty milk cartons or jugs, ice cream containers and anything else that you can freeze water in and do so. Why? If we do not have power, you can keep a cooler on the counter with the most important items you need to keep cold from your refrigerator. The least amount of times you open the refrigerator the longer it will stay cold. Have enough medication on hand for a week. Please make sure that your neighbors who are here full time have your contact number and get theirs. Have someone to board up broken windows until your insurance company can get here to estimate the damage. Do you have your insurance policy number and the Insurance Company's phone number? Remember you may not be able to get back here quickly depending on the storm damage. Also, phone service (mobile or landline) may have limited service.

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(UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)

**BOARD WRKSH/MTG
7:00 PM**

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12, 2019
WEDNESDAY, JULY 10, 2019**

**RESIDENTS' CONCERNS
6:30 PM**

**BOARD MEETING
7:00 PM**

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26, 2019
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MOVIES FOR JUNE & JULY

SUNDAY, JUNE 2

7:30 PM

THE UPSIDE *Kevin Hart, Bryan Cranston, N. Kidman*

Comedic look at the relationship between a wealthy man with quadriplegia and an unemployed man with a criminal record who's hired to help him.

SUNDAY, JUNE 16

7:30 PM

THE WIFE *Glenn Close, Jonathan Pryce*

A wife questions her life choices as she travels to Stockholm to see her husband receive the Nobel Prize for Literature.

SUNDAY, JULY 7

7:30 PM

COLETTE *Keira Knightly, Fiona Shaw, Dominic West*

Colette pens a semi-autobiographical novel about a witty and brazen country girl named Claudine, sparking a bestseller and a cultural sensation. After its success, Colette and husband, Willy, become the talk of Paris and their adventures inspire additional Claudine novels.

SUNDAY, JULY 21

7:30 PM

CAN YOU EVER FORGIVE ME? *Melissa McCarthy*

Based on the confessional memoir of the same name by Lee Israel, and the story follows her attempts to revitalize her failing writing career by forging letters from deceased authors and playwrights.



Scene in *Henry V* with Kenneth Branagh on the right.

Rainberry Bay Classics

“FRODO LIVES. SO DOES SHAKESPEARE” Michael and Sandra Cantwell

In June, we continue the Shakespeare theme with another opera as well as a filmed version of one of the plays.

After Verdi's *Otello* and *Falstaff*, Benjamin Britten's setting of *A Midsummer Night's Dream* is generally considered one of the most successful operatic adaptations of Shakespeare. With a brilliant cast and under Sir Peter Hall's staging, this one's a real delight.

Kenneth Branagh's film of *Henry V* is on anyone's short list (and at the top of ours) for the greatest adaptation of Shakespeare ever committed to celluloid. Our initial reaction some thirty years ago upon hearing that an unknown (to us at least) 28-year-old thought that there was anything left to say about *Henry V* after Sir Laurence Olivier's classic movie, a film that had lifted England's spirits during the dark days of World War II, was “who is this punk?”

What we didn't know was that Branagh had already starred in *Hamlet* at the age of 21 (directed by Derek Jacobi, the prior generation's leading *Hamlet*) and that his cast for *Henry V* included some of England's greatest actors, including Jacobi, Paul Schofield, and Dame Judi Dench. No one has ever brought Shakespeare to life like the now-59-year-old, now-knighted Sir Ken. We still call him “Ken” and so can you – just don't miss this movie.

OPERA BALLETT FOR JUNE & JULY

FRIDAY, JUNE 14

1:00 PM

A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM *Benjamin Britten*

Libretto by William Shakespeare

FRIDAY, JUNE 28

1:00 PM

HENRY V *Kenneth Branagh*

Adaptation for cinema

FRIDAY, JULY 12

1:00 PM

COSI FAN TUTTE *Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart*

Libretto by Lorenzo da Ponte

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MEET YOUR NEIGHBORS: . . . PAUL VANCE

Phyllis Gordon Berke

We have a celebrated songwriter living right here in Rainberry Bay. Paul Vance has twenty-nine gold records hanging on his living room wall, including 'Catch A Falling Star' and 'Itsy Bitsy Teenie Weenie Yellow Polka Dot Bikini'. Like many talented, creative artists Paul has more than one claim to fame. He was the best stickball player in his Brooklyn neighborhood. In their local stickball competitions, Paul won money which he happily spent hanging out at the Copa Cabana night club in Manhattan.

Paul loved music and began composing songs when he was a teenager. At the Copa, Paul sang the lyrics of *Catch A Falling Star* to a friend who was involved in the music publishing business. Paul composed both the words and the music for his songs, but he doesn't play any instrument. He figured out how he could sing his songs while instructing a piano player to play the appropriate chords. A friend introduced Paul to Lee Pockriss, a composer and musician, who began collaborating with him on their first hit, *Catch A Falling Star* and they subsequently wrote many songs together. His friend observed that, "You couldn't even speak good English, so how can you write these songs?" Paul has unfathomed depth.

They brought *Catch A Falling Star* to the attention of a music publisher who shared it with Perry Como who then premiered it on his television show. At the age of eighteen, Paul was awarded his first gold record for Perry Como's recording of this fabulous song which still brings him royalties. The success of this song was the most thrilling experience of his life and established him as a songwriter. *Itsy Bitsy Teenie Weenie Yellow Polka Dot Bikini* actually sold millions more records but *Catch A Falling Star* remains his favorite.

Through his friendship with Louis Prima, Paul met his wife Margie. She was very impressed that he wrote *Catch A Falling Star*. She asked him if he really wrote it. In his home he has a stunning painting of Margie who was a beautiful



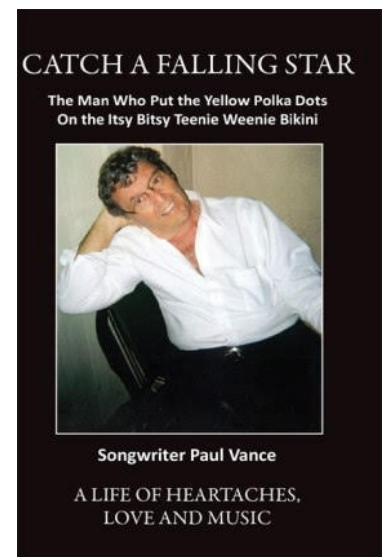
woman. They had four children, two boys and two girls, during their long marriage. On one occasion when Margie returned from a trip to Paris, she brought home a bikini bathing suit for their fourteen-year-old daughter, Paula, to wear. Paula didn't want to wear it at first even though Margie explained that bikinis were all the rage in Paris. But then she did put it on. When she came out of the cabana on the beach, the young boys on the beach teased her about being nude. Before jumping into the water, to put a brave face on it, she put on an act doing a little sexy dance for them. On the way home in the car, Paul wrote the whole song.

Paul was very proud to have written songs for lead singers like Perry Como, Johnny Mathis, Andy Williams and Nat King Cole and daughter, Natalie. He was also proud of writing the words and music and the book for a Broadway show entitled *Alive And Kicking*. He and David Merrick, a famous Broadway producer, had just begun showcasing his play to Broadway angels when David Merrick had a heart attack and died. Investors in Broadway plays are called angels. When David Merrick suddenly died, the angels didn't respond positively to Paul's show. For many years Paul shelved the play. Recently he updated the play and changed the title to *Here We Go Again*. It's about two aging strippers in their fifties who are down on their luck but have found a way to revive their act in Las Vegas. The music and songs are marvelous and the story is funny with many sub-plots and love affairs and with some gamblers and gangsters in

the mix. This play is sure to be a winner when Paul presents his updated version to modern playgoers. To me, the play was reminiscent of something Cole Porter would write.

Paul, now a widower, moved here less than a year ago. He heard that Rainberry Bay was a nice place for senior citizens to live. Nowadays, Paul lives alone with his beloved two dogs and a house cat named Romeo. In his villa, he has many mementos of his past life. Paul didn't make a big deal of all the gold records. In fact he said he found the banquets connected with these awards quite boring. His secretary, Eileen Miller, who lives in West Boca is working with him on his latest endeavor. Sadly, he retired from writing songs a while back when ballads were no longer in style.

Paul characterized his life as full of music, heartache and love. In person, Paul is a lively conversationalist with many happy memories of the past. His latest interest is to have his play produced. *Here We Go Again*, is motivating him to keep current and lively in today's world. His philosophy of life is a quote from another composer's song, *There Was A Boy*, "The greatest thing you'll ever learn is just to love and be loved in return."



NOTE FROM PHYLLIS GORDON BERKE
Please tell me of other neighbors with different past experiences about whom I may write. Email me: leglac@msn.com

ORCHID BEAUTIFICATION PROJECT

Sandy Wasserman



Wonderful news – Our goal of beautifying our community and enhancing the property values of our homes by filling our trees with beautiful blooming orchids is in full swing thanks to the generous contributions and cooperation of our friends and neighbors here in Rainberry Bay.

Already, we have been able to mount hundreds of orchid plants both on trees in public places (the Club House and gate entrance) and on the trees of private homes. As additional funding and requests from home owners are received, we will continue to provide and mount orchids on a weekly basis.

On behalf of this project, we have been able to contract with a local orchid nursery for healthy mature plants at wholesale prices far below what you would expect to pay at retail. This project is not-for-profit. We are providing all of our time, effort, and expertise as our gift to Rainberry Bay with the hope that this endeavor will add to the many programs that are now in process to make our community the Paradise in which we all want to live.

About our orchids: The variety of orchids we have selected to mount are **PHALEANOPSIS**, the most popular and hardy variety found here in Florida. These orchids (Phals) are actually **epiphytes**, or air-plants, and in the wild and here in our community, they cling and get all of their nourishment from the bark of the trees on which they are mounted.

Phalaenopsis are one of the longest blooming orchids producing flowers that last from 2 to 6 months before dropping. Typically, they bloom once a year, although they have been known to bloom 2 to 3 times a year once they have reached a full mature size, and can live indefinitely.

If you would like to have orchids mounted to your trees, beautifying and adding value to your property, call Sandy Wasserman (954-397-3165) and add your home to our list. Your cost is only \$5.00 per orchid, and of that amount, \$2.00 will be credited toward purchasing and mounting additional orchid plants on public trees here in our community.

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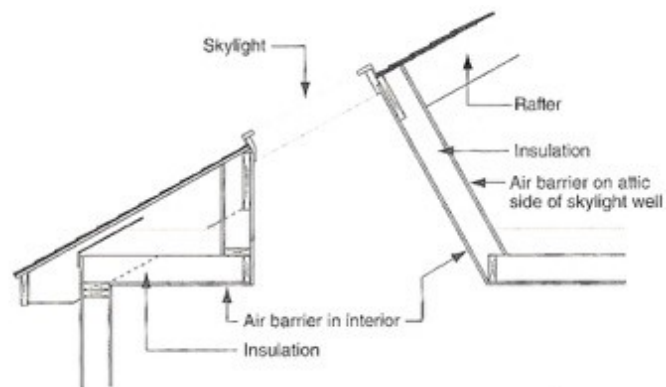
ROOF\$, ROOF\$ AND MORE ROOF\$

Jim Walsh, Rainberry Bay Villa Roofing Chair

As the Rainberry Bay Villa Association tries to keep up with needed re-roofing and roofing repairs, it has become clear that many owners have been misinformed and/or have never read and understood our documents concerning an owner's responsibility in this matter. Over the last 40 years many additions have been installed at our Villas: additional rooms, flat roofs, gutters, the closing in of open areas, skylights and sun-tubes, just to name a few. The cost of maintaining additions and bringing them up to Miami/Dade Code which applies to Broward, Palm and Miami-Dade counties, falls up on the owner of that unit. Surprise!

We get numerous calls to "fix my leaking sun room." These are mostly the sandwiched Styrofoam flat roofs that are jammed up against the villa's fascia or just below it. Over time they begin to leak, rotting the fascia and possibly undermining the integrity of the main roof. These leaks are not the responsibility of the HOA. Repairs to the rotting fascia can only be completed after the flat roof addition is removed— at owner's expense. Note: We have heard from owners that it is becoming extremely difficult to find reputable service people willing to work on or repair these flat roofs.

Additionally, insurance companies are changing how they evaluate roofs and every part of the roofing system, including additions attached to the main roof, skylights and sun tubes. These must be replaced as well whenever a new roof is installed. Again, this replacement is at the owner's expense.



Florida has a FBC 25% rule for roofing, Florida Building Code § 708.11 which states: Not more than 25 percent of the total roof area or roof section of any existing building or structure shall be repaired, replaced or recovered in any 12 month period unless the entire roofing system or roof section conforms to requirements of this code.

Our roofing company, Gulfstream Roofing, adheres to this policy as does the Rainberry Bay Villa Association. This policy and pricing are non-negotiable. Thus, owners with additions to their villas will have a financial responsibility when a new roof is installed. Stay tuned for more information on this important topic.



SAFETY & SECURITY

Jack Fishbone

The Safety and Security Committee meets on a regular basis with the management of our Security firm. Here are some of the issues that have come up:

- ◆ Residents are reminded that on-street parking is NOT allowed from midnight to 8 am.
- ◆ Arguing with the Security Guard at three in the morning will probably result in a call to the Delray Beach Police Department. Our security team is not here to be abused by residents.
- ◆ There have been a number of petty thefts recently although none of the thefts have been from residential units. If you see something, please say something.
- ◆ The Bocce Club now has its own trash receptacles and will no longer be using Villas trash receptacles.

- ◆ If you are selling your home, you are reminded that Open Houses are not permitted at Rainberry Bay. Any Open House signs will be removed by management.
- ◆ Homes Residents are reminded that they cannot dispose of trash in the Villas dumpsters. We are currently investigating one such incident.
- ◆ Homes residents are reminded that garage doors are supposed to be closed by 10 pm. This is a security issue for you. Please do not leave your garage doors open at night. Violators will be called.

FYI: The security guards can view live feeds from all of our security cameras on their phones. If you have any questions, call Jack or email him at jackfishbone1@yahoo.com

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LIBRARY NEWS:

Jolie Trabin & Joan Powell

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JULY BOOKS

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IN THE LIBRARY: UNSUNG WOMEN

Andrea Baron

In addition to our own Rainberry Library, you can always go further afield for your reading needs. Delray Beach is lucky to have two nearby independent bookstores that are great sources of a variety of books. Murder on the Beach Bookstore, recently moved to 100 W. Atlantic Ave, in the Delray Public Library building, focuses on mystery, suspense, and crime books, as well as a great selection of local Florida authors. They have regular author readings every week, and two mystery book clubs for fans.

The Book Cellar Bookstore is located in Lake Worth. It's a general interest bookstore, which has bestselling books, fiction, history, sci fi, etc. They also have a lovely children's book section, with picture books, chapter books, and gifts for kids. In addition, they have a coffee shop, so you can recover from your shopping with a latte.

I recently heard of a London bookshop that has an intriguing specialty: it only carries books by women – women of the mid-20th century whose work has been overlooked. Persephone Books has been in business for 20 years and must be a fascinating place.

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April 22, 2019

Ms. Joan Powell
2491 NW 9th ST
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Dear Ms. Powell:

The Broward Health Medical Center Auxiliary wants to thank you for your generous gift of 1 and afghans from the "Knit Wits" of Rainberry Bay Library. They will be greatly appreciated our Cancer Center and Emergency Room.

Sincerely, *Shirley Bracey*

Shirley Bracey
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For June and July.

EXERCISE CLASSES

- EEZY FITNESS DVD** group meets from 8:45am-9:45am on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. There is a new DVD player which shows the programs in color. Exercise to the beat. **NO FEE.**
- TAP CLASS:** **SHIRLEY** is back to get that body moving again and teach you new routines as well as review the old ones. Dust off those tap shoes and plan to start exercising your brain and body on Tuesdays at 11:15am. Everyone is welcome to a wonderful hour of healthy fun. If you need to sit and dance, that's okay too and, as always, **NO FEE!** Call Shirley at 561-809-6684 to let her know you will be coming.
- NIA CLASSES.** Nia classes in the Men's Card Room will continue on Tuesdays and Fridays from 10-11am, Gentle Nia is on Fridays from 11:15-12:00 noon. Join us for Movement, Music and Magic as we dance our way to holistic health. Call or email **HELEN SOHNE** with questions at niadelray@gmail.com or 561-376-9789,

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July classes will be on the following dates only: Tuesday July 2, Tuesday July 16, Friday July 19, Tuesday July 23 and Tuesday July 26.

Nia classes and moves can be adapted to most fitness levels. Chairs are available for those who need them for all or any portion of the class. We look forward to meeting and dancing with you!

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ARTS & CRAFTS PROGRAM

- SHIRLEY GELFAND'S FLOWER CLASS** continues on Thursdays at 10:00am in the Craft Room. Call Shirley at 561-809-6684. The class is free other than a \$3.00 materials fee.
- 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. Call Joyce for more info. You will be amazed at what you will make.
- PAPER CRAFTS WITH MADELINE** is the 2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month at 10:15am (\$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.
- PAINTING WORKSHOP** continues every Monday at 11am. Even if you have never held a brush before, Marty can teach you. Call Marty Bronstein 272-7227 for info. **NO CHARGE.**

FREE CLASSES

- 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.
- CANASTA PLAY** continue Mondays from 2 to 4pm in the MCR. No fee, no registration. Call **PHYLLIS BERKE** at 561-865-5948 for more information. Phyllis is finished with instruction for the season.
- CURRENT EVENTS**, every Thursday morning at 10:30am in the MCR. Stay up to date on what is happening in the world.

See you in class, Joyce



Under the tutelage of Shirley Gelfand, Margaret, Joyce, Diane, and Barbara tap the morning away in the clubhouse auditorium.

JUNE 2019

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Char Lane

We had a really good Earth Day and made great progress on the wreaths and octopus that we'll display in the clubhouse to share with the community upon completion. **HEATHER**, **KAREN APRILL'S** daughter, provided a lot of information and demonstrated her crafts. **DAVID KULICK** ran related earth videos on the theater big screen. Lots of people won native plants (from Vinnie's yard), stainless steel straws and reusable produce bags. Thank you to everyone for donating items for Tri-County Animal Rescue and to **MICHELE** and **JIM** for filling their SUV and taking it to Tri-County.

VINNIE & I want to thank **KAREN, MICHELE, DEB, ROBERTA, SUSAN, DAVID** and **HEATHER** for their tireless working - including set up and clean up. Thanks to **MADGE** - before she headed north to confront a bear in her NY driveway on Earth Day. Thanks to everyone who put in some serious gluing efforts.

We want to thank the Rainbery residents who stopped in at our Earth Day event – and everyone for drinking wine and leaving lots of corks in the library bowl. We appreciate all of the lids and caps that were saved and left, many of which will be part of our octopus. We recycled the many plastic bags left in the box in the club house lobby.

- Plastic bags, paper bags and Styrofoam egg cartons can be recycled in receptacles outside Publix stores.
- Old / expired medicines, pills, lotions and ointments can be disposed at the Walgreens (NW corner Military and Woolbright), or the DRB Police Station

Come to our meetings the first Wednesday of the month (2nd Wednesday in January) September through April. Our next shredding event will be Saturday, February 15, 2020. More information is on the website.

GO GREEN → RETHINK – REDUCE - REUSE - RECYCLE



Vinnie, Gloria, Karen, Bob and Michelle at Earth Day celebration.



Helen with bottle-cap octopus poster.



Making shopping bags out of t-shirts.



Native plants from Vinnie's garden.



Susan brings donation for Tri-Care Animal Rescue.



Gayle and Roberta gluing corks on wreaths.



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BLOCK CAPTAINS

Ann-Marie Blondin

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Club, Committee Heads:

Update your flyers! Many of your club and committee flyers are included in the New Resident Welcome Packet. Now is the time to review them and update with 2019/2020 information!

If you do not have one for your activity, you can create one. If you need to see a copy of your current flyer, please contact me. When you make changes, please send the revised flyer to me electronically (Word) via email. This will allow for quick updates in the future.

Thank you and have a happy Summer!

GREEN COMMITTEE COLLECTIONS

We are putting a small rolling cart in the club house snack room for collecting corks, pill bottles (*with lids for Tri County Animal rescue*), eyeglasses and mascara wands (*for Wands for Wildlife refuges to clean animals*). Old mascara wands are used to remove fly eggs and larva from the fur of wild animals and work great because the bristles are close together.

Thank you for all of the bottle caps & lids. As our Earth Day projects are done, we are no longer collecting caps and lids.

Rainberry Trash and Recycling Rules

- Some people are putting out trash and recycling days ahead of schedule, creating eyesores for multiple days.
- Collections of garbage and recycling materials are from 6 am to 6 pm on Tuesdays.
- Garbage collections and bulk item pickups are from 6 am to 6 pm on Fridays.
- Materials **should not be put out for collection before 4 pm on the day preceding a scheduled collection** & should be put out by 6 am on a scheduled collection day.
- Emptied bins need to be brought inside by 11 pm on the day of collection. If discarding furniture or other usable items, consider contacting a local charity to pick up your items.

HURRICANE PREPAREDNESS: IT TAKES A COMMUNITY!

Helen Sohne

TIME TO TAKE STOCK

While it's only the beginning of Hurricane Season, it's never too early to take stock and stock up.

- ◇ This is a great time to look at the expiration dates on your canned and packaged food and to see if you need water or batteries.
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- ◇ Gather your important documents together and make copies as well as protect in Ziplock™ bags. Review your emergency plan and decide if you would be able to ride out a storm, with or without electricity at home.
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Lois Wiesler

WD-40 actually stands for Water Displacement, 40th Formula. But despite its name, this product is capable of far more than just displacing water!

According to the product website, it also lubricates parts, penetrates rust, protects surfaces, and removes dirt, grease, and grime. Someone uses it for arthritis.

- **REMOVE TOMATO STAINS:** Keep a can of WD-40 handy in your laundry room, where you can use it to help remove tomato-based stains on your clothing. Just spray some onto the stain, wait a few minutes and then wash as usual.

- **CLEAN CARPETS:** You can use WD-40 in conjunction with your favorite carpet cleaner to help remove stubborn carpet stains (It works especially well on car mats!) Just spray it onto the stain first, then follow up with your carpet cleaner product as usual. The WD-40



Genuine ad from 1964 when WD-40 released.

-Facebook 5/9/19

seed. If your bird feeder is supported by some kind of post, you can use WD-40 to keep those little rascals at bay! Just spray it onto the pole or post, which will make it too slippery for squirrels to climb.

helps to get between the stain and the carpet, making it easier for the carpet cleaner to wash everything away. Just a small spray will do the trick!

- **PROTECT BIRD FEEDERS:** Squirrels are notorious for co-opting bird feeders and selfishly stealing the bird

- **REMOVE OIL SPOTS:** Use WD-40 to remove unsightly oil spots and splatters from your driveway. Spray it liberally onto the spot, wait a few minutes, then blot with a dry cloth to absorb the oil. Repeat as necessary until the stain disappears.

- **PEST-PROOF YOUR TRASH.** If cats, raccoons, or other local animals are rooting around in your trash, WD-40 can help keep them at bay! Spray it over the outside of your outdoor trash cans to make the surface slippery. The slick surface will keep most animals from climbing into your garbage.

- **CLEAN GARDENING EQUIPMENT:** A spritz of WD-40 can help remove sap, grime, and other gunk from your gardening tools. You can also spray some onto the underside of your lawn mower to prevent grass clippings from building up there and clogging up your mower.

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All our clubs are asking their members to contribute food for the families who need this assistance.



21ST CENTURY CLUB

Mike Klein

Our last show of the "season" was a roaring success with The Flyers rockin' the crowd as we all expected they would. We, at the 21st Century Club would like to thank everyone who attended our shows this season, as your support made all the work worthwhile.

And we are not finished. Friday May 24th (Memorial Day weekend) we will present ShaBoom, an oldies singing group. Guaranteed to have you singing along and dancing to hits from the 50's, 60's and 70's.

And don't forget our July 4th pool party at pool 5. From 6-9:30 pm, dance to the sounds of Dr. D. J. and enjoy a catered BBQ with hot dogs, chicken, hamburgers, and all the fixin's. There will be no tickets sold at the gate, so get to the theater on Monday and Thursdays from 4-5 to purchase your tickets. If you have a problem getting to the theater, you can always call Marcia at (561) 927-8550 for other arrangements.

Again, we thank you for your support and look forward to next season to bring you more great music from Motown to The Flyers and everything in between.

THEATRE ARTS

Glenn Todd

For those of you who do not subscribe to Raindrops I am going to repeat what I wrote.

Saturday night, March 16, the Theatre Arts Club presented **SUSAN WINTER** in the Rainberry Bay Theater. For those of you who did not attend, you missed a dynamic performance by one classy lady. She performed for a full house of people who did not want the performance to end. She sang many songs from various composers and included tidbits of information about each of them.

During a brief intermission, while Susan changed her costume, we were entertained by our versatile musical director, **DON EDWARDS**, who accompanied Susan on the piano. Don has been the Musical Director of Theatre Arts for many years. I can see why Don and Susan teamed up together to perform. As they were leaving the theater, people raved about this performance.

The Theatre Arts Board of Directors have been discussing our yearly show which we hope to hold in March, 2020. For those of you who would like to be part of Theatre Arts, please feel free to contact Sara Todd at 561 276-4228.

Have a happy, healthy summer and we'll see you in the Fall.

BRIDGE CLUB

JOEL SPEISER

It's been a great season for us. Beginning and Intermediate classes, taught by Club Manager Bob Sherburne, met with terrific approval and resulted in an influx of welcome new members. Our monthly Sunday parties, with great lunches followed by duplicate bridge, were terrific fun, and our annual gala celebration, held this year at Benvenuto's, with all the details perfectly orchestrated by Pam Ross, was a resounding success.

But, it's that time of year again. Traffic is a little more manageable, restaurants aren't quite as crowded, the pace of life has slowed just a little. The snowbirds have departed for parts up north, never to be seen again until the weather up there turns nasty and they migrate back to sunny South Florida. We'll miss our friends and welcome them back next season.

In the meantime, of course, your Rainberry Bay Bridge Club will take a season-long vacation; the ranks of duplicate bridge players have dwindled, as they do every year. The club will be on hiatus through October; watch this space for news of Club activities beginning in the fall.

I leave you with a snippet from Eddie Kantar, one of the great bridge teachers of all time, from his hilarious book, *Classic Kantar*, about the trials and tribulations of trying to teach beginners' classes. He tells of a time when he was teaching to lead low from an honor. "I can't do that," said a student. "My women's club won't let me!" Oh well.

Enjoy your summer!

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A fantastic "season" has come to a close. Looking back on 2018-2019, our club has grown by leaps and bounds. We not only enjoyed playing bocce five times a week, with two glorious evenings under lights, but we also enjoyed club outings which included our annual breakfast, a pizza party and attending shows. We also voluntarily assisted and supported the Men's Club functions as well and had great fun while doing it.

Intramural Competition – For the second year, intramural teams started play in May to promote some friendly competition. Even if you aren't playing in these games, come and watch on Wednesday evenings as they will be a lot of fun.

The Bocce Club is not just about playing bocce. It is a great place to make wonderful friends.



Behatted Bocce ladies dolled up for the 2019 Kentucky Derby.



May birthdays celebration.



Rose and Anita collecting for Lucky Bucks at pizza party.

Continued from page 13: IN THE LIBRARY

One of the new books in our library also showcases a woman whose work you may have overlooked: Hedy Lamarr. You have heard of her? The Austrian immigrant escaped from wartime Europe and was well-known as a film actress, but many are unaware that she was also an inventor of a very valuable electronic process that was used in military defense against the Nazis, and is considered the technical basis for digital communications like cell phones, fax machines, and other wireless operations. received little recognition for her scientific work during her lifetime, but was recently recognized as a visionary and one of the most important

inventors of the 20th century. Her fascinating story is told in the new book, *The Only Woman in the Room* by Marie Benedict.

The contributions of women in wartime is also the theme of *The Wartime Sisters: A Novel* by Lynda Cohen Loigman. It tells the story of two sisters who work in a WWII armory and unravels the story of their family relationships and wartime experiences.

Look for these, and more, in the library this month. (The snowbirds are gone, so you'll find easier access to our new books and DVDs.)

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SPORTS PAGE

PICKLEBALL

Steve Bodner



There is no known cure!

The US Pickleball Championships were held recently in Naples, Florida. The event was held with over 2,100 players and over 10,000 fans. The best players in the world came from 15 countries and 48 states. It was held in an East Naples community park that has 58 pickleball courts, with 54 of them configured for use in tournament play, plus the Zing Zang Championship Court.

Pickleball hasn't just brought thousands of visitors to Naples, it has brought the community closer together with more than 600 volunteers helping this year's tournament. The sport and the championship has also improved the quality of life in the community, offering a new way to socialize and stay fit for life. It is a wonderfully social game. It's an athletic game and it is something that is a life-long game. You have generations playing against each other.

CBS filmed the finals, which will be aired on May 24 at 7pm. If you tune in, look for Ann Leigh Waters who is from Delray Beach and is only 12 years old. She played in the 19-49 year old division for women's doubles and also mixed doubles.

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TABLE TENNIS CLUB

Bev Cohen

Fun and Games

Q: What's the connection between The New York Times Crossword Puzzle and table tennis?

A: Will Shortz, the editor of the Times Crossword Puzzle since 1993, is passionate about puzzles but equally passionate about table tennis (ping pong). He began playing as a child in his parents' basement and is now ranked among the top 25% of players over 60.

Along with his puzzle duties, Shortz is also the owner of the Westchester Table Tennis Center in Plainview, NY. He said in a recent interview, "When I'm walking into a club and I hear the sound of ping pong balls, that is one of my favorite sounds in the world." He insists that there is a strong intellectual challenge to the game because you must constantly analyze your own strengths and weaknesses as a player and those of each opponent you face.

Join those of us at RB who love this game for the fun and exercise it provides as well as the warm friendships we have developed through the club. We are ALWAYS ready to greet new players and beginners. You're welcome to play or watch or bring along your daily crossword puzzle!

The club meets in the auditorium of our clubhouse on Monday and Wednesday from 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm and Friday from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm. Please remember to wear your sneakers.

2019 Triple Play Winner Thursday Bowling League



I NEED YOUR HELP

LINDA TABIL

I am writing to ask you to join me because I have been appointed the Chairperson of the Community Marketing Committee.

As a member of this Committee you will be getting in on the ground floor to help organize it. Do not confuse it with the Future Planning Committee. We want to explore ways to market all the things we have here to attract new residents.

We need people who enjoy living here and would like to see people from other areas join us. We have so many amenities, up-to-date communication systems, 901 homes, lots of green space, and wonderful people. We will be working to get the word out that we have lots of hands-on amenities to offer here.

I am soliciting several members for this brand new Committee. People who are interested can contact me at 860.841.7884 or by email: lindatabil@aol.com

We have so many talented people living here. Is there someone who would like to design a logo for Rainberry Bay? At the present time, we do not have one and this would be helpful in our marketing campaign. What is a "rain berry" anyway?



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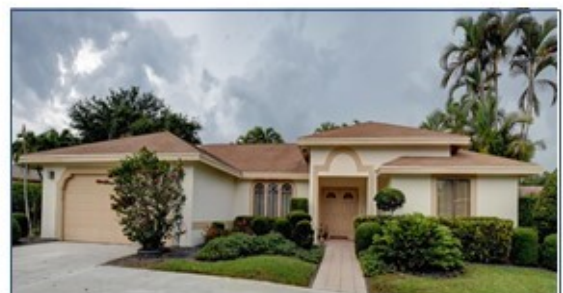
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