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March 22nd

Celebrate!

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News from our President...Bonnie Eichholtz



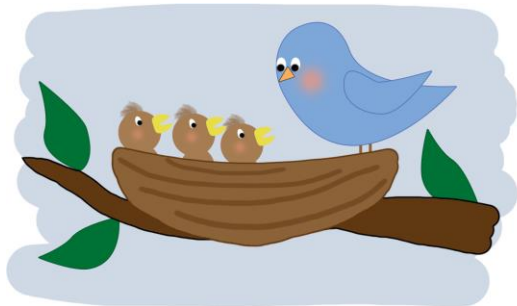
Hi Everyone,

March 22nd is approaching. It's our Picnic month!!! Are you ready for another fun day of delicious food , games, prizes, music, song and dance and even a 50/50 raffle??? For any of you who would like to attend and have not signed up, you can reach me at 954-821-6065 (cell), 954-972-5045 (home) or by e-mailing me at bonnie56@bellsouth.net. You may pay at the picnic or send a check for the \$10 fee to Bonnie Eichholtz at 6708 Oakmont, North Lauderdale, 33068. Come one, come all, and bring a guest!! Being with fellow members is always a great way to spend the day!! The fun starts at noon. Tree Tops Park, here we come!!

Jessica Spicer has agreed to be our new Programs Director. Thank you, Jessica!! While Jessica has great ideas, I'm sure she would appreciate any suggestions you may have.

See you at the picnic!!

Bonnie Eichholtz



TREASURER'S REPORT by Bob Obenland



	Actual
Bank Balance Date	2020
Treasurer's Report	Feb
Beginning Balance	\$2,780.62
Deposits	
Advertising	\$0.00
Membership	\$95.00
Picnic	\$252.00
NCC Sales	\$0.00
Inventory Sales	\$40.00
Ronald McDonald display	\$0.00
Shirt Sales	\$0.00
other	\$0.00
Pin Sales	\$0.00
Donations	\$0.00
Raffle	\$104.00
total deposits	\$491.00
Expenses	
Bell South	\$0.00
Copies	\$0.00
Donations	\$0.00
meeting	\$0.00
NCC dues	\$0.00
Other	\$0.00
Ronald McDonald display	\$0.00
Picnic	\$0.00
Storage	\$0.00
WEBSITE	\$0.00
PO Box	\$0.00
raffle prizes	\$0.00
Refreshments	\$0.00
Pins	\$0.00
Shirt Sales	\$0.00



It's that time again to pay dues so you can pay at the March picnic or send it to our PO box:

Village Landlords
PO Box 670093
Coral Springs, FL 33067

Dues are \$15 for a single member and \$25 for a family. If you joined in September, October, November or December of 2019, your 2020 dues are paid.

I hope to see you at the picnic!

Bob





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You may pay at the picnic!!! Only \$10 per person. Friends and family members are invited. Bring a guest.

Come one, come all!!! Being with fellow members is always a great way to spend the day!! The fun starts at noon. Tree Tops Park, 3900 SW 100th Ave, Davie, FL. Park entrance is \$1.50 per person.

Here we come!!





Board Members present: Bonnie Eichholtz, Nancy Fernon, Bob Obenland, Gene Armeno, Norm Barrett, Gisela Suarez, Jonathan Stout, Jessica Spicer, Mary Spicer, Kathy Tavernia. Bonnie Eichholtz called the meeting to order at 2:42 pm and welcomed all members.

Secretary's Report: Kathy Tavernia asked if everyone received the Newsletter. As there were no other questions, a motion to waive the reading and accept the report was made by George Fells and seconded by Gisela Suarez. The motion carried.

Treasurer's Report: Bob Obenland read the Report. A motion to accept the report was made by Bill Shields, seconded by Norm Barrett. The motion carried.

Membership/Facebook: Jessica Spicer stated that the paid membership is 50 members.

Newsletter: Another great Newsletter from Gisela Suarez who is looking for articles. Keep sending any tidbits.

Prizes and Raffles: Gene Armeno said there will be our regular raffles. See list of prizes below. The North Pole houses that were in the display are now back in inventory.

Swap & Sell: There has been a change regarding reserving tables starting with our next Club calendar year, which starts in September, 2020. There will be 2 tables open for each of the designated meetings of September, October, January, February and April. A member will be able to reserve a table only 2 times per Club calendar year. (Current reservations will be honored.) Tables must be reserved via email only. Please email Kathy Tavernia to reserve your table. Ktavernia@aol.com



by Kathy Tavernia

Web: Jonathan Stout said some Newsletter information will be updated.

Hospitality: Frank Cavanaugh and Ken Moore had a great Mardi Gras theme complete with a King Cake w/hidden baby. Our picnic is next month and Bonnie has the lists to indicate the goodies you will be bringing.

Program Director: The club members present voted for Jessica Spicer as our Program Director. Congratulations! We need program ideas, so if you have an idea, let us know. A motion to accept the designation was made by Norm Barrett and seconded by Gisela Suarez. The motion carried.

Upcoming Events:

March 2nd: Board Meeting at Nancy and Jerry's at 7:30 pm.

March 22nd: Picnic at Tree Tops Park at the Sabal Palm pavilion in Tree Tops Park. Diane and Chet will perform again.

April 6th: Board Meeting at Kathy's house at 7:30 pm.

April 26th: General Meeting.

June 21-28, 2020: Department 56 No. FL Villagers Gathering and Train Show Gathering in Jacksonville at the Hyatt Downtown. Department 56 will participate. More information can be found on the NCC website.

A motion to adjourn was made at 4:21 pm. by Jessica Spicer and seconded by Peggy Mead. The motion carried.



by Kathy Tavernia

General Meeting, Raffles and Prizes, February 23, 2020

Door Prizes

1. Santa Workshop Bridge
2. Uncle Sam 2003
3. NCC Welcome Sign
4. Snowy Evergreens, small (6)
5. CIC How Tall Is It?
6. DV A Gentleman and a Lady
7. NE Under the Mistletoe
8. NP Rescue Ready
9. SV Country Harvest
10. SV Christmas Trimming



- George Fells
- Frank Cavanaugh
- Bill Shields
- Gene Armeno
- Bonnie Eichholtz
- George Fells
- Betty Hargrave
- Peggy Layton
- Dan Layton
- Gisela Suae

Raffle Prizes

1. NP Tassy's Mittens & Hassels's Woolies
2. SV Melinda's Poinsettias & Mistletoe
3. Cincinnati Red Pickup
4. SV Eat More Chicken Cows
5. NP Kringle Street Town Center
6. HV The Flying Scot Train

- Gisela Suarez
- Peggy Mead
- Dan Layton
- George Fells
- Betty Hargrave
- George Fells

Mystery House

DV Oliver Twist Brownlow House

Dottie Winzell

Special Raffle

CIC The Monte Carlo Casino

Betty Hargrave

Membership Dues: Family - \$25, Single - \$15.

Meetings are the 4th Sunday of the month, except

March and November (no meetings in the Summer).

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VILLAGE LANDLORDS MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

DATE: __/__/2020

Membership year is from January 1st–December 31. All information is confidential and used for club purposes only. Please fill out application and return along with the membership fee of \$15.00 per person or \$25.00 per family. Make checks payable to The Village Landlords, P. O. Box 670093 Coral Springs, FL 33067.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____

STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

HOME PHONE #: _____

E-MAIL: _____

What year did you start collecting? _____

Would you be interested in hosting a Christmas House Tour in December or January?

Yes No Possibly Need more information

What activities would you be interested in seeing at the meetings?

Display Techniques Guest Speakers Social Events Workshops

Other

Comments : _____



What do you collect?

- Dickens' Village
- Christmas in the City
- New England Village
- Snow Village
- North Pole
- Alpine Village
- Snowbabies
- Snowbunnies
- Winter Silhouette
- Little Town of Bethlehem
- Seasons Bay

Other: _____

