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Our Next Meeting is Sunday, January 24th.

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Newsletter

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## NOVEMBER 2020 News from our President...Bonnie Eichholtz



## Hi Everyone,

Well, I think I speak for everyone when I say that we are very happy to see the end of 2020. Hopefully, things will get a lot better. I want to wish all of you a Happy and Healthy 2021.

Don't forget to send your display pictures and or videos to Jonathan for our January 24<sup>th</sup> meeting. He will be conducting a presentation of all submitted display pictures. You can send them to him by Flash Drive, Thumb Drive or email him at <a href="mailto:jstout@pdmiami.com">jstout@pdmiami.com</a>. We did this at last year's January meeting and it was enjoyed by all. Having no open houses this year, it really gives us the opportunity to see all the hard work and talents of our fellow members.

Looking forward to seeing you in a few weeks!!

**Bonnie Eichholtz** 

#### THE VILLAGE PRESS January 2021 TREASURER' S REPORT by Bob Obenland





#### Beginning Balance \$2,170.88

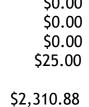
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Deposits	
Advertising	\$0.00
Membership	\$80.00
Picnic	\$0.00
NCC Sales	\$0.00
Inventory Sales	\$0.00
Ronald McDonald	
display	\$0.00
Shirt Sales	\$0.00
other	\$0.00
Pin Sales	\$0.00
Donations	\$0.00
<u>Raffle</u>	<u>\$85.00</u>
Total deposits	\$165.00



**Ending Balance** 

<u>Expenses</u>	
Bell South	\$0.00
Copies	\$0.00
Donations	\$0.00
meeting	\$25.00
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
Shirts	\$0.00
Stamps	\$0.00
Total expenses	\$25.00



\$50.00

\$2,360.88



It's that time again to pay dues so you can pay at the January meeting or send it to:

**Bob Obenalnd** 7747 ViaGrande Boynton Beach, FL 33437

Dues are \$15 for a single member and \$25 for a family. If you joined in Sept, Oct, Nov, or Dec of 2020 your 2021 dues are paid.

I hope to see you at the January meeting.

Bob



#### General Meeting Highlights from December 13, 2020

#### by Kathy Tavernia

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Board Members Present: Bonnie Eichholtz, Nancy Fernon, Bob Obenland, Norm Barrett, Gisela Suarez, Jonathan Stout, Mary Spicer, Kathy Tavernia.

Bonnie Eichholtz called the meeting to order at 2:40 pm and welcomed all to our 1<sup>st</sup> December meeting.

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 Gisela Suarez and seconded by George Fells. The motion carried.

Treasurer's Report: Bob Obenland read the Report. A motion to accept the report was made by Joe LaMonica and seconded by Norm Barrett. The motion carried.

Membership/Facebook: Jessica Spicer was absent and Bob stated that the paid membership is at 55 members.

Newsletter: Another great Newsletter from Gisela Suarez. Keep sending any tidbits and/or recipes.

Prizes and Raffles: Gene Armeno was absent so Joe McPhillips will help in his place with the usual raffles and prizes.

Swap & Sell: There are no tables left for this meeting. There is one table reserved for January and 3 open for February or April. Tables must be reserved via email only. Please email Kathy Tavernia at <a href="mailto:Ktavernia@aol.com">Ktavernia@aol.com</a>



Web: Jonathan Stout said he will add the Newsletter to the web site.

Hospitality: Thanks to all who brought goodies to our meeting. It was so nice to see the various special recipes and they were delicious. Mary Spicer has passed the January list to Gisela for the Newsletter.

Program Director: Jessica has prepared a cute Clothesline Make and Take for our meeting. There will also be a Ronald McDonald ornament as a gift for our members and a kit if they wish.

Audit: Mary Spicer, Dottie Winzell and Bob Obenland will decide dates in 2021.

Elections: The Board has not received any nominations for the following positions: President, Vice Presidents, Treasurer, Secretary, so the positions will be retained by the current officers.

Chet Rosenbaum has graciously provided the musical entertainment. Thanks!

Toys 4 Tots. Bonnie has dropped off 58 toys to the Marines at Buy Buy Baby in Coral Springs. Thank you everyone.

Adjourned at 4:28 pm. Motion was made by Norm Barrett and seconded by Mary Spicer. Motion carried.



#### **DOOR PRIZE**

<ol> <li>Village Tall Stone Wa</li> </ol>	alls
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- 2. Village Slate Stone Path, Curved
- 3. Village Peppermint Fountain
- 4. CIC Ready for the Road
- 5. DV Dickens Nativity
- 6. NP Gotta Getta Gun
- 7. SV Grand Ole OpryCarolers
- 8. NE Knife Grinde
- 9. Village A Jolly Happy Soul
- 10. Village Snowy Evergreens, small
- 11. Noel Ornament
- 12. D56 Key Chain

**Mary Spicer** 

Gisela Suarez

Carrie Erdman

Jordyn Aronowitz

**Bob Schankweiler** 

**Bob Obenland** 

Chet Rosenbaum

**Bill Shields** 

Jaidyn Aronowitz

Maureen Schankweiler

George Fells

**Bob Obenland** 

#### **Raffle Prizes**

- 1. DV J.D. Nichols Toy Shop
- 2. Village Two Rivers Bridge
- 3. Village Winter Trimmings
- 4. Woodland Creek Bridgewater (2)
- 5. Village Lighted Bare Branch Tree

Jordyn Aronowitz

**Mary Spicer** 

**Bob Obenland** 

Kathy Tavernia

Carrie Erdman

#### **Mystery House**

White Horse Bakery

Jaidyn Aronowitz

### **Special Raffle**

SV Krispy Crème Doughnut Shop

Chet Rosenbaum

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

January 4th: Board Meeting @ Bonnie's House, 7:30 pm.

January 24<sup>th</sup>: General Meeting with Members' videos and photos of their displays. Can't wait to see them!

February 1st: Board Meeting

February 28<sup>th</sup>: General Meeting.

March 2<sup>nd</sup>: Board Meeting.

March 28<sup>th</sup>: Picnic at Tree Tops Park at the Sabal Palm pavilion in Tree Tops Park will be reserved when reservations are accepted at the Park. If not open, members voted by a show of hands to hold the picnic at the hall.

April 5th: Board Meeting

April 25th: General Meeting

The Club Connection would like to publish pictures of club members Holiday displays. The deadline is February 1<sup>st</sup>. Send yours directly to Judy Severance at <a href="mailto:jseverance@aol.com">jseverance@aol.com</a>. Please include the name of your club, The Village Landlords. Thanks.



Some of our members generously agreed to provide the snacks for the General Meeting on 1/24/2021 but the list has been misplaced. If you remember signing up, please bring some snacks. Thanks.

Bonnie, Gisela and Mary Spicer will be bringing snacks as well.

## **Activities for the January Meeting**

1. Since we were not able to conduct our annual Open Houss during the Christmas Season to share our ideas and displays with our fellow members, we plan to show pictures and videos submitted by our members of their displays during the upcoming meeting. To share your videos or pictures, send your display information by flash drive, thumb drive or email to <a href="mailto:jstout@pdmiami.com">jstout@pdmiami.com</a>. Please help us make it possible. Thanks.

#### **FACTS ABOUT DEPARTMENT 56**

- 1. Department 56 was founded by Edward R. Bazinet, who worked in the early 1970s as a manager,
- 2. Headquarters were *established* in Eden Prairie, Minnesota.
- 3. There are 70 *Department 56 clubs* nationwide with active and engaging members of all ages and from all walks of life.
- 4. The brand began with the "Original Snow Village" collection of six houses in 1976.

## Swap and Sell, Marketplace Tables

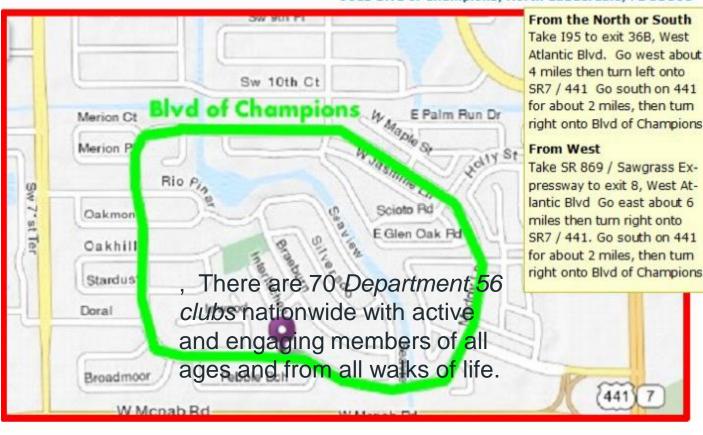
There will be one table in our January meeting. Two are still for grabs. If you would like to reserve a table\*, please Email Kathy Tavernia at <a href="mailto:ktavernia@aol.com">ktavernia@aol.com</a> by Friday, January 22.

\*Paid members may reserve a table twice a calendar year.

# Directions to our next meeting at 2:15 PM on January 24<sup>th.</sup>

Map to the NEW site for the Village Landlords Meeting Location

New Meeting Location: Champion's Hall 6601 Blvd of Champions, North Lauderdale, FL 33068





#### **VILLAGE LANDLORDS** MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

#### DATE: /\_/202\_

NAME:

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 Robert Obenland and mail it to 7747 ViaGrande, Boynton Beach, FL, 33427.

ADDRESS:			village Landiores
CITY:			
STATE:		ZIP:	The Landerdale, St.
HOME PHONE #:			
E-MAIL:			
What year did you start o	collecting?		
Would you be interested	in hosting a Christn	nas House Tour in December or Janua	ry?
Yes No	Possibly	Need more information	
What activities would yo	u be interested in s	eeing at the meetings?	
Display Techniques	Guest Speakers	Social EventsWorkshops Other	
If you marked other, spe	ecify:		
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



HAPPY NEW YEAR