



# LAZY DAYS VILLAGE



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## FROM YOUR ROLDI PRESIDENT

We hope you are all looking forward to our next season, welcoming back our new and older residents. It will be here before we know it.

Mark your calendars for the up-coming dates so the aren't forgotten:

ROLDI MEETING: October 7th at 7:00p

POT LUCK: October 15th at 5:00p

DANCE: (Joe Joseph DJ) October 26th at 7:00p

HALLOWEEN GOLF CART PARADE: Oct 31st

All at the North Hall.

Be sure to watch the big boards for any changes or additions. There may be a few surprises.

We will be announcing the openings on the ROLDI Board for the New Year. There are forms in each hall for you to submit your information. Please try for one of these offices; it's a great Board to on which to serve.

Most of us have been a little negligent on stop signs and speed lately, but with more walkers and cars, please pay close attention. We all want a happy and safe community.

If you have any questions or anything, please feel free to call me at 574-596-6424 and leave a message.

Nancy Chandler, President, ROLDI

## WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

We have a new owner of the vacant lot at **593 Daisy Drive**. Not sure when the new home will be on the lot, but when it is please welcome **Phillip Helmbold**.

welcome!

## TIME TO SAY GOODBYE

John Klinger of 754 Pleasant View, passed away on September 3, 2024. Please lift up Ruth and family in your prayers during this difficult time.



## FROM YOUR LDPOA PRESIDENT



Hi Folks,

Summer is about over and hope the extremely hot days are too. We have many things going on in the Park today and in the near future. As your President, I am happy to announce that the future of our Park looks strong. New fence will be installed around the pool, hopefully, by the first of the month.

We at this time are asking for quotes on Pavement Cracks, as the roads are in need of repair due to the extensive rainfall this year. We are in the process of collecting quotes for Phase 2 of the sewer project and hope to have answers for you at the November Shareholders Meeting.

Beautification will be hopefully finished by this month. We want to keep our Park a beautiful place to live.

We are still pressing forward to the Residents who have not done their repairs, to please do so.

We are looking forward to seeing our Northern Friends and the Activities to start up again.

Jim Gooch, President LDPOA



On **October 26th** at 7:00 p.m. we'll welcome our own Joe Joseph providing the music for our annual **Halloween Dance**. Costumes are encouraged and they are lots of fun. There will be prizes and games! No Tickets required but we encourage a donation at the door.



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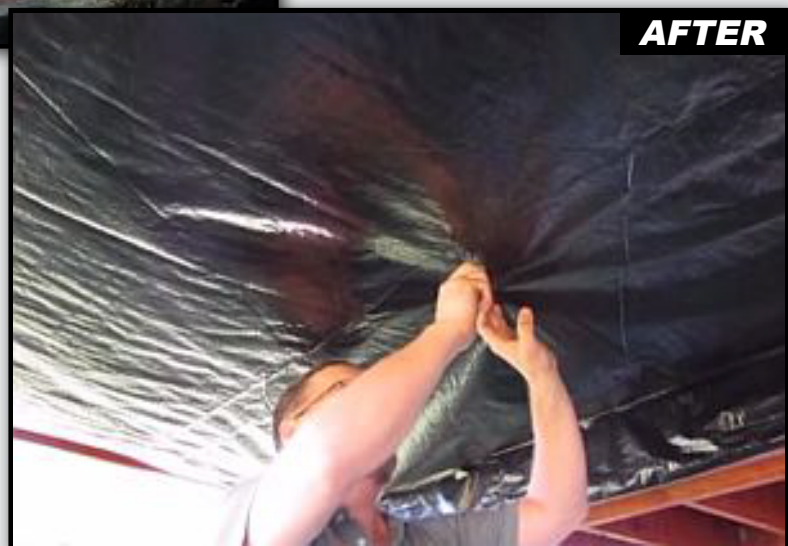
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## FROM YOUR PARK MANAGER

Hello Lazy Days family!

Well, I am back from my wonderful vacation and getting ready for a new season at Lazy Days.



We are expecting some of you to come home this month but the majority will be drifting back between Thanksgiving and the New Year. I pray for safe travels for you all.

The board is gearing up for the first monthly meeting scheduled for Oct 17th... This will be a busy meeting for them and there will be lots for them to review and process. Being on the board of a community is a great service and I sincerely hope you appreciate your volunteer leaders. Your leadership team has been updated each month and I have met regularly with President Jim, and Treasurer Cheryl, all summer.

We are expecting the pool to have new fencing installed by month end and some amazing new landscaping around the community too. Things should be looking wonderful for your return.

The budget committee has done a great job and the board will be reviewing the 2025 proposed budget in October, ready for the shareholder vote in November. In that regard, do you want coupons? Very few people seem to use the coupon with their check. I can set up the accounting system to send you a monthly email statement if you would prefer this as a reminder to pay your monthly HOA fees. If you pay by ACH automatically you do not need to change anything. If you prefer an email reminder to a coupon book, please let me know by November 15th and I will make the change to your account. This will mean we do not waste money printing and mailing coupons that are not required. Also, be aware that the coupons will be mailed in December to the address that is active in the system, so if you do not check in when you return, they will be mailed to the north address on file; or if you went north but did not advise the office then they will be sent to the community address.

Stay safe and be blessed.

Jan Provence, CAM



## FROM YOUR EDITOR

The holidays are approaching and it's a very busy time of the year for everyone. In an effort to get our newsletters printed in a timely manner we are requesting that you be aware of the following schedules:



### **December 2024 Issue:**

Deadline for submissions will be **November 12th**

### **January 2025 Issue:**

Dead line for submissions will be **December 10th**



## CRAFT SHOW & SALE 2024

**Calling all Crafters and Artists and anyone who has handmade products.**

It's not too early to be thinking about the sale **December 7, 2024**. There is a flier printed in this newsletter (and also in the rack at the South Hall) giving details and who to contact if you want to reserve a table. Note that Lazy Days residents save half on the cost of tables.

## CHAIR VOLLEYBALL

We meet every **Friday morning at 10:00a in the South Hall beginning November 1st**. We use a beach ball so it's fun and easy. Come play or watch and root for your team.





## UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

### Fall Dances:

- ~ **Halloween:** (as noted in this newsletter)
- ~ **Veteran's Salute:** November 8th featuring Tammy Truitt; still \$7 donation. Tickets available from Barb Joseph at Monday Coffee, ROLDI Meeting. No donation from Vets.
- ~ **Thanksgiving:** November 23rd featuring Paul Mesich.
- ~ **Christmas:** December 14th featuring a new full band ResolutionN.
- ~ **New Year's Eve:** December 31st featuring Pearl & CJ. MORE DETAILS SOON!



ALL DANCES ARE FROM 7:00 TO 10:00 p.m. with the exception of New Year's Eve.

### Monday Coffee/Meet and Greet:

Beginning November 8th at 8:00 a.m. at the South Hall. Come and enjoy complimentary coffee, tea and donuts while catching up with old friends and meeting new neighbors!

### Ladies Breakfast:

Every other Saturday beginning on November 2nd. Mark them on your handy dandy calendar that comes with this newsletter.



### MEET AND GREET

Monday mornings at 8:00 a.m., beginning **November 4th**, we meet at the South Hall for coffee, tea, snacks and lively conversation. If you would like to help with this activity, contact **Barb**

**Joseph at (705-715-5996).**



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It is time once again to start thinking of our Trash and Treasure fundraiser. We will have a meeting in November with all Lazy Days residents that would like to participate. Many hands will make for light work. The **week of 1/26/25-2/1/25** will be the dates for set up and sale. Mark your calendars now!

Start thinking now about how you might be able to help. We were able to get a second container for storage which will help us out tremendously. I am hoping to use one container for furniture and the other one for the smaller items. Keep in mind as you start to toss your goods away, "could Trash & Treasure use this?" Find a corner in your home to gather these things up. Without your donations we wouldn't have a sale.

Lloyd will be looking for volunteers to help with the pick-ups starting in mid-November through January. If you have a pickup truck, that would be even better! If you think you can help in this area, please send him a text. 239-291-8357.

There are so many more areas where help will be needed. I will announce in the next newsletter the date for the organizational meeting in November. Plan on coming with your thoughts and ideas and where you'd be interested in helping. If you have questions, don't hesitate to call me. (781-710-2008). We can't wait to see you all soon.

Jan Shipley & Barb Joseph



## BROADWAY PALM COMING IN 2025



Hello to my Lazy Days neighbors and friends. This is Cathy Sims and I will be trying to fill the shoes of Anne Gillette this year as your Broadway Palm representative. For our new neighbors who may not

know, the Broadway Palm Shows are matinees with the doors opening at 11:30 am. The theatre is about 20 minutes away (depending on traffic) located at 1380 Colonial Blvd., Ft. Myers, Florida. Find a neighbor and carpool if you want. The cost this year is \$75.00 per person which includes a lunch buffet, tax, tip, and the show, of course.

The Buddy Holly Story is set for Wednesday January 15, 2025. More than 50 years after “the music died,” the story of this true rock and roll icon comes to life in this musical journey through Buddy’s impressive rise to fame. I will need your money by December 20, 2024. Cash or check payable to Broadway Palm.

Crazy For You is set for Wednesday February 26, 2025. This Tony Award-winning musical comedy includes Gershwin’s hits “I Got Rhythm,” “Embraceable You,” “Someone to Watch Over Me” and more. I will need your money by January 31, 2025. Cash or check payable to Broadway Palm.

To reserve your tickets, text or call me at 740-503-7189. If you call and I should not answer, leave a message and I will call you back. Either way, I will confirm your request. I will need your name, your phone number, your house number in Lazy Days and the number of tickets you are requesting. I will be back in Lazy Days mid-November to accept your payments. I am looking forward to these enjoyable afternoons with you at Broadway Palm!

Cathy Sims



If you have books you want to donate, they should be no older than 2015. Many of the older books have been removed and some will be placed for sale at our next Trash & Treasure.

I have found books misfiled on the shelves and would appreciate if you have books to be returned, please place them in the box provided. Thanks.

Judy Young, Librarian

## SPECIAL DINNERS 2024-25

I just want to give you a heads up that I will not be “Chief Cook and Bottle-washer” for the Thanksgiving, Christmas or Easter Dinners. I have been doing this for a long time and would like to just be a helper and advise the next person who can take over for me. (I will continue to do the summer pot lucks.)

Thanks to all those who helped me in years past, and hope you will all continue to work with your new leader.

Judy Young

## NEW VILLAGE SINGERS

There will be a meeting on **Sunday, October 27th at 4:00 p.m.** in the North Hall to set rehearsal dates for the Christmas Program. If you like to sing, you’ll love our group. You do not have to read music. If you want more information, give me a call at **239-652-0411**.

Judy Young, Coordinator

**Reminder:** You can nominate officers for the **ROLDI Board of Directors** and they can be presented to any board member personally, or from the floor at the November or December ROLDI General Meeting. **Applications can be found in both halls.** Openings on the board for **the 2025-2026, two-year term** are:

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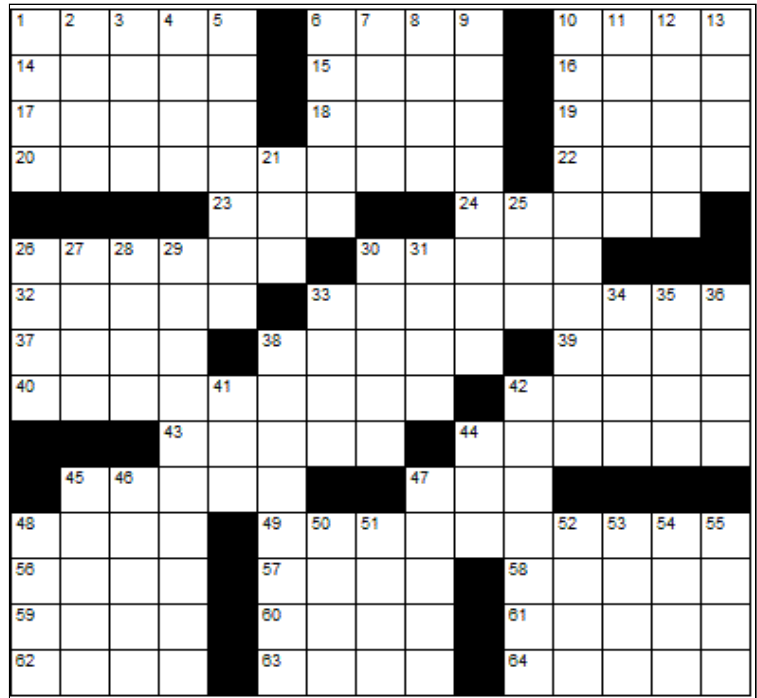
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# October Crossword

## ACROSS

1. Ridicules
6. Snakes
10. You bake with it
14. Perpendicular to the keel
15. Ice sheet
16. Split
17. Move furtively
18. Not yours
19. Mid-month days
20. Steel factory
22. Lady's escort
23. Small songbird
24. Blockhead
26. Fridge attachment
30. Disdain
32. Mistake
33. Farm enclosures
37. A set of garments
38. Asian aquatic plant
39. Onion relative
40. Out of action
42. Lacquer ingredient



## DOWN

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|--------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 1. A body of matter      | 21. Drollness                      | 41. Once around the track    |
| 2. Death notice          | 25. Arid                           | 42. Morally correct          |
| 3. Formally surrender    | 26. Clutter                        | 44. Supersonic transp        |
| 4. Cabbagelike vegetable | 27. African sheep                  | 45. Economic down tir        |
| 5. Metal refinery        | 28. Electrical distribution system | 46. Associated with the moon |
| 6. Underway              | 29. Remarkable                     | 47. Not before               |
| 7. Aspersion             | 30. Satisfies                      | 48. Bleats                   |
| 8. Pig meat              | 31. Gunk                           | 50. Sharpen                  |
| 9. Legislative sittings  | 33. Osseous tissue                 | 51. Infinitesimal amou       |
| 10. In the beginning     | 34. Bobbin                         | 52. Nil                      |
| 11. Not audio            | 35. Greek district                 | 53. Stops                    |
| 12. Occurrence           | 36. Slaloms                        | 54. Only                     |
| 13. Bird home            | 38. Referee's assistant            | 55. Fortune teller           |





# October Word Search



ability  
 above  
 accent  
 antiseptic  
  
 below  
 bookstore  
 bread  
 brown

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 dirt  
 disposition  
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6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
		Pot Luck 5:00p NH		LDPOA Board 9:30a NH		
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
						Halloween Dance Joe Joseph DJ 7:00p NH
27	28	29	30	31		
Intro Meeting New Village Singers 4:00p NH	ROLDI Board Meeting 11:00a NH			Halloween Golf Cart Parade Fire Pit follows		





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