

#### HADDY SAINT DATRICK'S MONTH

IT'S A MONTH THAT HAS SOME WACKY OBSERVANCES!!

HERE'S A FEW OF THEM:

National Pig Day National Save a Spider Day

National Old Stuff Day National Day of Unplugging

National Get Over It Day National Awkward Moments Day

National Goof Off Day National Folding Laundry Day

International Talk Like William Shatner Day

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Be sure to read the Voices all the way thru as there is some new and important additions!!

### VILLAGE ACTIVITIES

ARTIST ALCOVE

WEDS & FRI 10AM TO 12PM

BINGO

MONDAYS 1:00 PM

**BUNCO** 

1<sup>ST</sup> TUESDAY OF MONTH 1:00 PM \$2.00

COFFEE SOCIAL

EVERY WEDS 8:30 AM

CRIBBAGE

MONDAYS = 6:30 PM

HAND & FOOT

SUN = 1:30 PM WEDS = 10:15 AM

LINE DANCE

MONDAYS = 9:00 AM

<u>POTLUCK</u>

3RD THURS OF MONTH 4:00 PM HAPPY HOUR 5:00 PM DINNER

TAI CHI

TUES/THURS 10:00 to 11:00 AM

WOMEN'S CLUB

2<sup>ND</sup> THURSDAY OF MONTH 1:00 PM

<u>POKER</u>

WEDS/FRI 2:00 PM

SHUFFLE BOARD

TUESDAYS = 1:00 PM

<u>YOGA</u>

FRIDAYS = 10:00 AM SUNDAYS = 8:00 AM

**PICKLEBALL** 

MON/TUES/THURS/SAT 9:00 AM

## **MARCH 2024**

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					Yoga 10:00a Pickleball for Beginners 10a to 12p Poker 2:00p	Pickleball 9:00a
Yoga 8:00a Breakfast in a BAG!! 10a to 11a Hand/Foot 1:30p	Line Dance 9:00a Pickleball 9:00a Bingo 1:00p Cribbage 6:30p	5 Pickleball 9:00a TAI CHI 10:00a BUNCO 1:00p Shuffleboard 1:00p	6 Work Crew 7:30a Coffee 8:30a Hand/Foot 10:15a Poker 2:00p	7 Pickleball 9:00a TAI CHI 10:00a Women's Club 1:00p	8 Yoga 10:00a  Poker 2:00p	9 Pickleball 9:00a
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# MARCH POTLUCK

### Thursday, March 21st



# Happy hour starts at 4:00 pm and Potluck Dinner starts at 5:00 pm

### **EVERYONE IS WELCOME**

Theme is St. Patrick's Day, so dig out your Irish green duds and cook up some good Irish grub!

Some suggestions:

Irish soda bread, beef stew, colcannon mash, shepherd's pie, corned beef and cabbage, Irish sausages, bacon fried cabbage, beer cheese dip.

Remind your fellow swimmers, neighbors, newcomers and come enjoy the evening! If you know any Irish limericks, let Helen or Dayle know and be ready to recite those for us!

As usual, bring your table setting and what you would like to drink. There is no need to bring serving utensils for your shared dish.

If you have any questions, please contact

Dayle at 970-685-8289

or

Helen at 253-389-5987

Mark the POTLUCK on your calendar

### BREAKFAST IN A BAG!!

SUNDAY, MARCH 3RD

10:00 TO 11:00 AM

#### VILLAGES RECREATION CENTER LOUNGE 1

Please join us at the Villages' BREAKFAST IN A BAG POTLUCK.

We will provide omelet fixings, coffee and tea

Please let us know if you will be attending by signing up in Lounge 1 at the Rec Center.

Please bring something to share

for example:

a toaster, bread, butter and jelly

bagels and cream cheese

sweet rolls

fruit

hot sauce

juice

or just about anything else



January 29th		February 5th	
1st Michael Tonn	9	1 <sup>st</sup> Ron Kycek	0
2 <sup>nd</sup> Joyce Greenlee	10	2 <sup>nd</sup> Joyce Greenlee	19
Booby Gillian Moore	lian Moore 46 3 <sup>rd</sup> Mary Shaw		42
		Booby Diane Hubbell	133

<u>February 12th</u>		<u>February 19th</u>	
1st Joyce Greenlee	17	1 <sup>st</sup> Renee Kycek	11
2 <sup>nd</sup> Cathy Merritt	38	2 <sup>nd</sup> Joycee Greenlee 2	29
Booby Ken Benz	88	3 <sup>rd</sup> Cathy Merritt	34
		Booby Kris Wheeler 7	73

Come join these sociable people for lots of fun. They are ALWAYS looking for new players. The neat thing is you don't have to have a ton of experience!!

## **WOMEN'S CLUB INFO**

Dear Women of the GV Villages,

It's time to welcome Spring back and celebrate with a wine and cheese party!!

Bring a bottle of wine to share and a glass. We'll dance a little jig for you too!

I've included some pictures of the past meetings and hope you're ready to join in the fun and fellowship.

As always guests are encouraged.

Please join us on Thursday, March 11th at 1:00 pm in Lounge 1 for our next Villages Women's Club meeting.

Sincerely, Jodi Gaski

Remember to spread the word and bring a friend!







For more information please contact: jodigaski@gmail.com or call me at 312-504-6559

Hope to see you there!!











### JUST A QUICK NOTE

If you want a really, really fun time, you need to come down and play BINGO! Yep, that's right! On Mondays, at 1:00 pm in Lounge 1, they've been playing some hot games of BINGO.

This last Monday, (the 26<sup>th</sup>), 14 players showed up and had 6 great games. 5 of the games paid out \$22.00 and the 6<sup>th</sup> game - Blackout - paid out \$80.00!

These are fun, not very complicated games where the more people who come and play, the bigger the pots are. **ALL** monies paid in for the cards are awarded out to the winners.

So, take the time, come on down and be prepared to enjoy a couple of hours of fun, fun, fun!

All you need to bring is whatever you'd like to drink, yourself and your sense of humor!

Hope to see you there!!!!!

# Calling for recommendations for the VILLAGER of the YEAR for 2023

Please notify the office (520-625-9851) by March 12<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

Information needed is who you would recommend and why.

Villager of the 2023 Year will be announced at the March 20<sup>th</sup> Board Meeting

Thank you!!
The Nominating Committee



# The Tuesday 3:00 to 4:00 Meditation Class has moved!!

Please join us at the Joyner Library for this rewarding, reflective and fun experience!

Everyone is welcome.

**Scott & Corrine** 

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

The Wednesday Work Crew is always looking for willing volunteers to come help in keeping the areas around the Rec Center (and sometimes in the common areas) spruced up! They meet at the Rec Center at 7:30 am on Weds mornings, work for about 1 (sometimes 2) hour then enjoy some hot coffee and tasty goodies.

Give Ken Benz a call at 520-399-0757 for more information.

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Joyce Greenlee has "turned the page" and is starting a new book! DAWN NELSON will take over keeping the Library shelves full and tidy!

#### **LET'S BE PREPARED!!**

The community is looking for someone to oversee the 2025 elections. The position requires someone who is computer competent and willing to learn the Election Buddy program. You will be working in depth with Election Buddy customer support to solve problems.

The election process begins by appointing a nominating committee in October or November and working with a team to conduct the entire election process which runs through mid-February.

If you are interested in this position, please contact the office at 520-625-9851

# VILLAGES OF GREEN VALLEY CONTACT INFO

Artist Alcove

Debra Denison debdenison50@gmail.com To reserve Lounge

Office 520-625-9851

Bunco

Cathy Merritt 503-245-5914

Shuffleboard

Wendy Sen 520-543-9617 or email: wendy\_sen@hotmail.com

Cribbage

Ken Benz 520-399-0757

Snake/Pest Removal

Green Valley Fire 520-629-9200

Hand/Foot

Joyce Greenlee 520-349-2262

Table Tennis

Volunteer needed

Library

Dawn Nelson 952-239-4982

Tai Chi

Kathy Brethour 402-419-0241

Line Dance

Lynn Van Atta 520-625-9851

Landscape Crew

Ken Benz 520-399 0757

Pickleball

Rex Stucker 913-367-5157 or email: clstucker@gmail.com

Women's Club

Jodi Gaski, President jodigaski@gmail.com

Poker

Jack Bourquin 603-548-5695

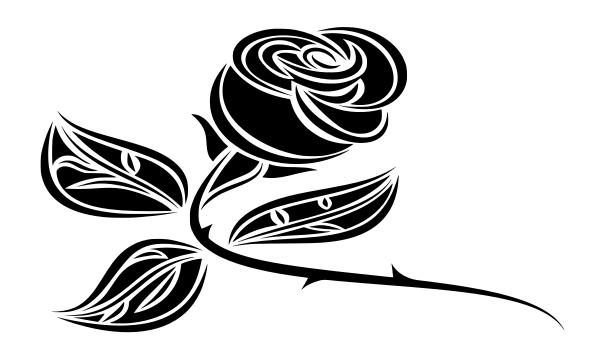
Yoga

Wendy Sen 520-543-9617 or email: wendy\_sen@hotmail.com

Potluck-Monthly

Dayle Davidson 970-685-8289 Helen at 253-389-5987

## IN REMEMBRANCE



## ERV KOEPP JO KISSINGER

IF YOU KNOW OF ANYONE WHO HAS LIVED IN THE VILLAGES AND HAVE PASSED ON, PLEASE LET US KNOW SO WE CAN HONOR THEM HERE.

# PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE AT YGYAZHOA@GMAIL.COM

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