Indianwood Arrow

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ARROW FEATHERS

(To help guide the flight)

Chaplain Ed Skiba

October 2026

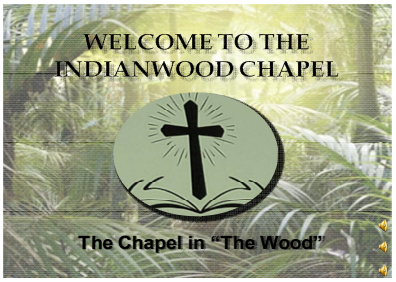
Welcome back to all of our northern friends. You can bring a little "cool" with you if you'd like. Seems like the humidity has been more prevalent this year… or … my tolerance is greatly reduced. I'm finding my tolerance for a lot of things being greatly reduced lately. The older I get the smarter my parents become. Things are beginning to appear to me the way they appeared to my folks. Life styles, music, general intelligence, a self centeredness in people, little regard for a neighbors well being. What's happening to us?

It may just be me but much of this seems to stem from our lack of personal (face to face) interaction. It's so easy to communicate electronically that we lose touch with our neighbor's real intentions and attitude because of that lack of contact. I'm not trying to get "touchy feely" just trying to figure out why we have become so angry. Aggression seems to be rampant…e.g. road rage, there is very little courtesy left on the road. "It's a race and I'm going to win!" is the attitude. If some of us "more mature" drivers slow down and do the speed limit we get run over. Wait a second or two too long as the light turns green and see what happens.

Get in line at Wal-Mart and have a little difficulty finding your wallet or credit card and see how the folks behind you react. I'm sure there must be some life-threatening emergency they need to attend to judging by their attitude. Same in restaurants, at gas pumps, ATMs…etc. It's a totally different world than the one I grew up in. Where did we go wrong, or is this what is meant by "progress?"

We are here in our little community to wind down, relax, breathe after a life of just trying to make a living and plan for a peaceful retirement. Most of us have that as a common goal. Maybe it's time to just enjoy each other's company and revel in the fact that we have made it this far. Let's be neighbors again in the old sense, caring and concerned for each other's well being.

(Chaplain Ed is a retired Naval Officer, Navy diver, and a retired chaplain with Treasure Coast Hospice. He is the Pastor of The Indianwood Chapel, Chaplain for the Stuart Police Dept. and former IHOA Board Member.)



Indianwood Chapel meets every Sunday in Shaw Hall at 10:30am for coffee and at 11 am for a Bible-centered worship service. Everyone is welcome. Please keep our community in your prayers. Pray for the peace of Jerusalem and Ukraine.

COMMUNITY CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES



The Resident Aid Committee cares for Indianwood residents by providing food, essentials, and gift cards to Indianwood residents who are experiencing need. They also visit people who could use a kind word and some company, and they send out sympathy and get-well cards. The Committee needs your input in order to be as effective as possible. Contact Chicky Hanson (603) 767-5501 or email davenchicky@comcast.net to let her know if you or your neighbor is in need or if you would like to donate to the work.

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The Book Club meets the first Thursday of each month. At the November 5th meeting we will be discussing "Lessons in Chemistry: a Novel" by Bonnie Garmus. Char Riggs will have the books from the library after October 1st – call her at 772-341-4560 or email her at misspepin@hotmail.com to pick up your book in time for the November 5th discussion. Future discussions will include "Joe Nuthin's Guide to Life" and "The Frozen River."

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES



- Indianwood Chapel Service: Sundays at 11:00 a.m. in Shaw Hall
- Funday Monday Bingo: Monday evenings at 7pm in Shaw Hall
- Wednesday Night Bingo: Wednesday evenings at 7pm in Shaw Hall
- **Chair Yoga***: Tuesdays and Fridays: 10 a.m. in Shaw Hall (Level 1 starts at 10:00 and Level 2 starts around 10:20-ish)
- **Strength Training*:** Monday-Wednesday-Friday 8:30 a.m. in Shaw Hall
- **Power Walking*:** Monday-Wednesday-Friday 9:00 a.m. in Shaw Hall. Bring water and comfy sneakers

*** NOTE: Chair Yoga, Strength Training, and Power Walking classes are suspended until the TV in Shaw Hall is repaired.**

Check the attached Calendar for scheduled cancellations and check NextDoor for last minute cancellations.

IHOA Activities



FUNDAY MONDAY BINGO NIGHT runs every Monday night in Shaw Hall at 7:00pm (and is usually over by 9:15 p.m.). Come join us!! Snacks and treats are provided by generous volunteers. Thank you!
All residents are welcome! *If you're unsure how to play the various games, we'll be happy to explain it. Reminder: Florida law prohibits alcohol at our Bingo sessions.*

PRICES: Regular Bingo Books: $5.00 each; Special Jackpot Sheets: $1.00 each; Speed Round Sheets: $1.00 each; Instant Bingo Pull-Tab Tickets: $.25 each; U-Pick'em Sheets: $2.00 each. Pickle Jar chances are $1.00 per Regular Bingo Book.

The IHOA, by law, does not make a profit on regular Bingo sessions. We pay out every Monday evening what is put in by the participants; the more participants at any given Bingo session, the bigger the payouts that night.



COMMUNITY RESIDENT PHONEBOOK. The IHOA is working on this project, but **in order to publish your information in the Directory you must complete a Consent for Public Release Form and submit it to the IHOA .** We know this is inconvenient, but times have changed and there are consent issues that must be looked to in the State of Florida.

So, the IHOA now has two different Release Forms: one to publish your name(s), address, and phone number in a printed **Indianwood Resident Phonebook** and one to publish your **birthday/ anniversary information** in The Arrow. While it would be less confusing to be able to combine these two forms, our attorney advises that these should remain separate concerns. **The Release Form for the Phonebook is on Page 14** of this newsletter and is also available in the racks next to the IHOA Office in Shaw Hall (to the left of the Stage). Please complete this form and drop it through the mail slot of the IHOA Office door in Shaw Hall.



IHOA MEMBERSHIP: If you would like to become a new member of the IHOA, blank membership application forms are available in the racks next to the IHOA Office (to the left of the stage in Shaw Hall) or by reaching out to Renee Talabac at hoaindianwood@outlook.com. Dues are $40.00 annually. Your completed form and $40 check can be dropped through the mail slot in the door anytime. The membership year runs from November to November – if you join in September or October, we will extend your membership through to the next November. Thank you to all our members – you keep the work going!

IHOA Activities continued:

October 16th: 4pm to whenever: Potluck by the Pool! Sponsored by the IHOA and DJ'd by our own G-Lime, we'll be getting together at the big pool for an evening of … well.. togetherness! We're emerging from the long, hot summer, welcoming our new residents and our returning snowbirds! Bring a dish to share and your own beverages!

November 14th-15th: Indianwood Yard Sale. Legacy has approved these dates for the semi-annual yard sale, and the IHOA is once again soliciting donations of the stuff you are done with but don't want to bother setting up a table for! Contact Gene or Wanda Christadore to drop off your items at their house, and if you need help with a pick-up, let a Board member know. (email: hoaindianwood@outlook.com.) The IHOA sale table will be set up at 14641 SW Divot Dr.

Get ready for Mardi Gras 2027!

January 30, 2027:

The First Annual Mardi Gras Ball!

⇒ Formal Evening Dress code: Evening Gowns and Tuxedos, Mardi Gras Beads.
(Tiaras optional but encouraged!)
$10 for IHOA members
$15.00 for non-members



February 6, 2027:

Annual Golf Cart Parade

Join the Indianwood Mardi Gras Crewe for the parade. Decorate your cart and dress the part!

Details coming soon!

IHOA's Halloween Celebration!

Saturday, October 31st

Free Dinner served

at 5:30pm &

Dancing starts

at 7pm



Music by

G-Lime

Saturday, October 31st 7pm in Shaw Hall (dinner at 5:30pm)	**Dance Tickets: $8.00 for IHOA members $10 for non-members (no karaoke this month)**	**Silent Auction, Door Prize, Costume Contest! (no Table Contests this month)**

DINNER will be served at 5:30 pm – dinner is **free** to residents (only) but, AS ALWAYS, you must have an advance ticket so we have a head count. Thank you to **Legacy** for providing the food! (*Note: if you don't intend to come, please don't take a free ticket - the seating is limited.*)

Advance tickets for both the dinner (free) and the dance ($$) will be available starting the week of October 19th, with specific dates and times announced on our IHOA website, on Nextdoor, and via email!

2026-2027 Season Happenings of note!

brought to you by the Indianwood Homeowners Association (IHOA)

Harvest Karaoke & Dance

November 28, 2026 7pm Shaw Hall
Low-key, no-frills evening.
$3.00 for IHOA members;
$6.00 for non-members
Door Prize, Table Decorating Contest, Raffle Baskets

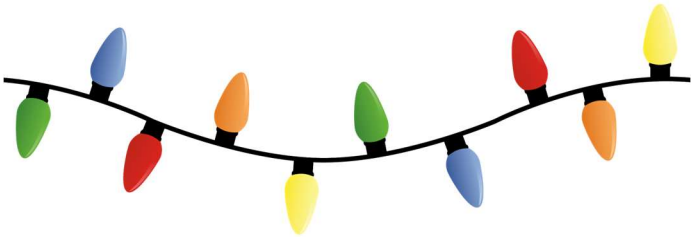


Holidaze Dance

December 12, 2026 7pm Shaw Hall
Warming up for the Holidays with a casual, no-frills evening!
$3.00 for IHOA members
$6.00 for non-members
Door Prize, Table Decorating Contest, Raffle Baskets

(no karaoke this month)





Holiday Decorating Contest!

Let's light up Indianwood for the holidays with our outdoor displays!

Judging will take place on December 10th

Prizes will be announced and awarded on December 12th at the Holidaze Dance

Prize categories: *To be announced soon!*

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COMMUNITY OF INDIANWOOD ACTIVITIES

Events Schedule

Get ready for our thrilling line
upcoming events! Be sure to r
your calendars and participat
rango of gatherings suitable f
everyone!



Sun Oct 11

Sundae Sunday

2:00PM - 3:00PM

Shaw Hall



Sat Oct 24

Halloween Dance - Big T

7:00PM - 10:00PM

Shaw Hall, BYOB



Sun Nov 1

Neil Zirconia the Ultimate Neil Diamond Tribute Show

2:00PM - 5:00PM Shaw Hall

Shaw Hall, BYOB

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For more details and updates about these events, please visit Next Door or Indianwood Cia Activities on Facebook.

BIRTHDAYS

9	Betty Tirillo
13	Bruce French, Jr.
15	Steve Carlson

ANNIVERSARIES

16th	Tony and Bonnie Massaro
20th	Attilio and Betty Tirillo

Is your special day missing? Complete and submit the **Information Release Consent Form on page 15** so that we can include you in future issues of The Arrow! Blank Release Forms can also be found in the racks outside the IHOA Office in Shaw Hall (next to the stage). Drop your completed Release Form into the mail slot in the IHOA office door in Shaw Hall. Direct any questions to Board Member-at-Large, Caryn Schneider, CarynAnne2@outlook.com.



ADVERTISING IN *THE ARROW*: Advertising rates range from $10.00 for a one-line entry in a "Local Businesses" list up to $60.00 for a half-page ad. There is a discount for multiple months. Contact **John Coll**, Member-at-Large on the IHOA Board of Directors, to set up your ad and payment. (609) 577-6958 or email jc3ref28@gmail.com.

Deadline for the November issue of The Arrow is October 20th. Please send submission requests to hoaindianwood@outlook.com

Shout-out from Legacy Management to the donors at last month's Blood Drive: thank you very much!

Brenda Deblackmere
Joseph Mullady
Ronald Stull
Deborah Thiel
Douglas Marshall
Wanda Christadore



COMMUNITY REMINDERS FOR ALL RESIDENTS

SAFETY

All vehicles, golf carts and motorized bikes must observe all stop signs and the posted speed limit of 15 MPH. Always exercise caution when walking around the community in the dark. Wear clothing that is reflective or light colored. Don't assume that you can be seen. Carry a flashlight. Be smart and be safe!

EXTERNAL IMPROVEMENTS ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW

Any alteration to the outside of your home or lot must be approved by Legacy Management prior to commencement of work. Contact the Management Office at (772) 3597-3792 for applications and approvals.

OVERNIGHT PARKING ON INDIANWOOD STREETS

Overnight parking on Indianwood streets is prohibited and is subject to action by Legacy MHC Management. This includes trailers.

RESTRICTIONS ON FEEDING WILDLIFE IN FLORIDA

Florida Administrative Code 68A-4.001 prohibits the feeding of pelicans, sandhill cranes, and non-human primates, and prohibits placing food in a manner that attracts black bears, coyotes, foxes, and raccoons. **Florida Administrative Code 68A-25.001** prohibits feeding alligators and crocodiles, and **Florida Administrative Code 68A-16.002** prohibits feeding bald eagles. **NOTE THAT FEEDING ALLIGATORS CARRIES THE THREAT OF ARREST AND THE IMPOSITION OF MONETARY FINES** due to the inherent danger of alligators that no longer fear humans. The Florida Fish & Wildlife Conservation Commission hosts a hotline to report illegal feeding: 1-888-404-3922.

YELLOWSTONE LANDSCAPING

Yellowstone Landscaping will be on the property every other week. They are not responsible for pulling weeds. If you maintain your own yard, please post a red flag where visible, indicating this to Yellowstone, and they will bypass your property.

INDIANTOWN INFORMATION

Trash Pick-up:	Tuesday and Friday
Recycling:	Tuesday
Yard Waste:	Wednesday

- **If a holiday falls on a Monday, all trash days are moved forward one day.**
- Very large bulk items need to be scheduled for pick-up. Please call WASTE MANAGEMENT at the number below for an appointment.

Waste Management Customer Service	(800) 824-8472 - or – (772) 546-7700

NON-EMERGENCY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

PHONE NUMBERS	772-220-7190 – **Monday thru Friday only** 772-220-7170 –**anytime**

Shaw Hall Usage Guidelines

Any group or individual using Shaw Hall must follow the guidelines below:

- Use large rolling garbage cans for all garbage.
- No tape, nails, or tacks are to be used to hang anything on the walls.
- Tables and chairs may be moved but must be returned to the original positions as shown on the schematic drawing on the wall by the front door.
- The bar in Shaw Hall is the property of Legacy LLC and any usage of the bar must be approved in advance in writing by the community manager in the Legacy office.
- After the event:
    - Empty any trash in the small garbage cans into the large rolling garbage cans; tie up the black bags and remove them from the large cans; replace the black liners (found on top of the lobby vending machine); replace the red lids.
    - Remove all decorations and tablecloths.
    - Wipe down tables (cleaning supplies in the closet leading to the bathrooms).
    - Sweep the floor and Swiffer any large spills (supplies in the closet leading to the bathrooms).
    - Round tables to be returned to original positions with 6 chairs around each.
    - Long tables to be returned to original positions.
    - Turn off lights, fans, and A/C upon departure.

To schedule Shaw Hall *or any other space in the rec center, contact the* ***Legacy Management Office*** *for availability and scheduling (this includes using the kitchen). Email Mary at Mmolina@Legacymhc.com or call (772) 597-3792 to reserve the space.*



Take a ride around the park and see if you can find this home!



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INDIANWOOD HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

CONSENT FOR PUBLIC RELEASE OF INFORMATION

This is a consent/opt-out for public release of information about the resident indicated below (hereinafter refered to as Consentor).

This information will only be used for the following purpose:

INDIANWOOD COMMUNITY PHONE BOOK

Please complete and return it at your earliest convenience by dropping it in the mail slot of the IHOA office door (to the left of the stage in Shaw Hall)

CONSENTOR'S NAME:

CONSENTOR'S EMAIL ADDRESS*:

**In case we have a question regarding your form*

I hereby do or do not give my consent to the Indianwood Homeowner's Association, Inc. (IHOA) to release the following specific information.
Check the boxes and list the information below.

☐ **NAME(S)**

☐ **ADDRESS**

☐ **PHONE(S)**

☐ **OPT OUT (DO NOT WANT MY INFORMATION PUBLISHED)**

Printed Name of Consentor

Signature of Consentor *Date Signed*

FOR INDIANWOOD HOA OFFICE USE ONLY . . . Do not write below here . . .

RECEIVED BY_____ **DATE:**_____

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☐ **NAME(S)**

☐ **BIRTHDAY(S)**

☐ **ANNIVERSARY**

☐ **MAY WE INDICATED MILESTONES (ex. 70th birthday or 65th anniversary)?**

☐ **OPT OUT**
I DO NOT WANT MY INFORMATION PUBLISHED IN THE ARROW

The aforementioned information may be used only for the following purpose:

"THE ARROW" (INDIANWOOD COMMUNITY MONTHLY NEWSLETTER)

Printed Name of Consentor

Signature of Consentor *Date Signed*

FOR INDIANWOOD HOA OFFICE USE ONLY . . . Do not write below here . . .

RECEIVED BY_____ **DATE:**_____

Indianwood October 2026 Activities Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Indianwood Book Club 10am Shaw Hall	**2**	**3**
4 Chapel Service 11am Shaw Hall	**5** FUNDAY MONDAY BINGO 7pm Shaw Hall	**6**	**7** Wednesday Night Bingo 7pm Shaw Hall	**8**	**9**	**10**
11 Chapel Service 11am Shaw Hall Sundae Sunday 2pm Shaw Hall	**12** FUNDAY MONDAY BINGO 7pm Shaw Hall	**13**	**14** Wednesday Night Bingo 7pm Shaw Hall	**15**	**16** Potluck by the Pool. 4pm to whenever at the Big Pool	**17**
18 Chapel Service 11am Shaw Hall	**19** FUNDAY MONDAY BINGO 7pm Shaw Hall	**20** IHOA Board of Directors Meeting 4pm Shaw Hall (*note: change from the usual date*)	**21** Wednesday Night Bingo 7pm Shaw Hall	**22**	**23**	**24** CIA's Halloween Dance 7pm Shaw Hall
25 Chapel Service 11am Shaw Hall	**26** FUNDAY MONDAY BINGO 7pm Shaw Hall	**27**	**28** Wednesday Night Bingo 7pm Shaw Hall	**29**	**30**	**31** IHOA's Halloween Celebration: 5:30pm dinner & 7pm dance, Shaw Hall

Calendar Reminder: Sunday, November 1st is the Neil Diamond Tribute Show – mark your calendars now!

MARTIN COUNTY COUNCIL ON AGING

Senior Dining Centers and Meals on Wheels Information

HELPING SENIORS STAY HEALTHY AND CONNECTED

Senior Dining Centers are an ideal option for active seniors who need assistance in maintaining adequate nutrition. The Centers offer an opportunity to meet and socialize with others while enjoying a hot, noontime meal. No fees are charged for the lunches, but donations are accepted. Our Senior Dining Centers are open during lunchtime hours Monday through Friday.

Please call the Center nearest to you at least two days in advance to make your reservation to ensure that we have an accurate count of the lunches that are needed. We ask that first timers arrive 10 minutes early to complete basic paperwork for our records.

MENU: **https://coamartin.org/senior-dining-centers/**

Indiantown Meal Site

Location: Bob Souza Center

Dining Center Hours: 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., M-F

15655 SW Osceola St.
Indiantown, FL 34956
772-223-7826

Be sure to call beforehand to let them know you are coming and to confirm the location.

The October 2026 menu is posted online at this hyperlink Senior Dining Centers in Stuart, FL or type the following into your browser: https://coamartin.org/senior-dining-centers/ , or you may call the phone number above.

For Meals on Wheels: follow this hyperlink: Meals on Wheels in Stuart, FL or type the following into your browser: https://coamartin.org/meals-wheels/ , or call the phone number above.