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From the Desk of President George Loewenstein



This past month has been a very busy month for UCO. In order for us to present the 2009 budget, we needed to try to negotiate the cost of our Ambulance and Security contracts for next year. Because we must comply with the motion passed by the delegates dealing with the Sunshine Law, we are incurring additional costs for paper, for copying, and most of all, a lot of additional time for our executive secretary. These additional costs will be reflected in the next budget to be present to the delegates for their approval.

Further on the subject of compliance with the Sunshine Law, two additional points. First, all notices of committee meetings and agendas will be posted outside the UCO office and on the bulletin boards on both the Clubhouse and the Hastings Fitness Center 48 hours before the meeting. The 48 hours includes weekends. Additionally, *when possible*, they will be on Channel 63 (but without an agenda). Second, I have appointed a UCO officer to have oversight of all committees. The purpose is to help committee chairpersons fulfill the requirements imposed by the Sunshine Law. As an aside, our Channel 63 committee presently has two members, and now if they want to talk to each other they need to post their meeting at least 48 hours in advance and take minutes. We could use more volunteers who can take minutes at the various committee meetings.

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Delegate Meeting Fri., Oct. 3, 2008, 9:30 am Clubhouse Theater

You Are Invited...

At long last, the UCO Building at 2102 West Drive will shortly be completed and ready for occupancy. We are all looking forward to moving into this new facility.

We will have a Ribbon Cutting and Guided Tours of the building. Also, refreshments will be served. Everyone is invited. The date and time will be announced.

Mary Patrick Benton, Grand Opening Chair

Security Al McLaughlin



Last month we got cut a little short, so with your permission, I will finish that column first: "Please ask your driving friends to slow down when entering the automatic gate. The gate is not controlled by the guard. It is under the control of the computer, which must read and verify your transponder. The computer then sends a signal to the gate motor to open the gate. When the first car passes a certain line (underground wire) on the street, the gate gets a 'close gate' signal to prevent another car from following it into the Village. Only one car may pass the entry gate per transponder." This is why you **must** stop and wait until the gate arm comes down completely, then it can read your car and reopen for you to pass.

During the month of August, we had 13 gates broken (**all by owners**) because of people not waiting for the (transponder) gate to open for them. To show how this happens, we showed a small film in the lobby at the Delegate Meeting. Security films all cars entering and leaving the Village. This selected film shows five cars in six days that did not stop for the gate to close.

The cameras also film and record **all** vehicles that enter the Visitor gate. We review this for verbal abuse that is issued by some people when they have not been called into the system or when asked to show their ID to prove residency. This film produced proof that the guards have been courteous, even when called names by the guests.

Now for good news: We have been safe again from major problems. We live in troubled times and it is nice to know that we can walk our streets at night or early in the morning without fear. It is reassuring that your neighbor is aware that you are well and many would be ready to help if you needed it.

You choose to live in a condo community that has rules, so, please do your part and comply with the rules. □



*This picture (tag altered) shows the most common cause of gate breakage. The car followed Pat so closely that the gate could not come down. Cars must wait for the gate to be **down** so that the transponder can read and approve their entry. One car at a time, **only**.*



The outside of 2102 is finished.

Photo by Ken Davis

At the Delegate
Assembly
Betty Lapidus



September 1, 2008

This meeting was called to order by President George Loewenstein at 9:30 a.m.

Pledge of Allegiance: Led by Lt. Kronsperger of the Palm Beach County Sheriff’s Office; was recited by all present.

He reported that this was a good month here in CV and reminded us to be alert to our surroundings and to stay alert during this storm season.

Quorum — of 152 seated delegates. Our CAM Pat Blunck was also present.

Guests: Christine Saxon from Comcast addressed us regarding coming changes on February 17, 2009. She reported that for three years, there have been no changes in our local channels. As channels may be removed, adjustments will be made. Q&A. We will still need a box if we buy a new digital cable ready TV set. David Israel, Chair of our Cable Committee, reported that the committee is working on this and we will be kept informed.

Debra Silecchia, Regional Director of Medics, tried to clarify some points. She stated that they are not a taxi service — they are here to serve people who are in their own wheelchair and need to go to see their doctor, etc. Q&A. Details will be in the *UCO Reporter* and on Channel 63.

Minutes — of the Delegate Assembly of 8/1/08, Executive Board of 9/2/08, and Officers’ Meeting of 8/28/08 had been distributed and read by all Delegates. Motion to accept — passed with no opposition.

Treasurer’s Report: Dorothy Tetro reported on getting a new auditor. We need to see things with “a new eye” and a new perspective. She reported on Patricia Gordon, CPA, and her firm who had been our accountant in 1994-1997. There will be no change in the price for this service. There were no objections to this change — total approval.

Laundry Room: Utility costs have skyrocketed. Pat Blunck, our CAM, and Dorothy Tetro have checked out prices in our local area. In October 2008, we will increase our prices to \$1.25 for 45 min-

utes in the dryer; \$1.25 for the washer and \$2.00 for the large size washer.

Medics: Re wheelchair transport service, costs are getting very high. We will re-evaluate this service. Dorothy asked Medics for figures and how many people are being served. George added that the final choice will be made here in the Delegate Assembly. Q&A. Please attend the budget meeting on 9/17/08.

“Ike” Storm: Pres. Loewenstein reminded us to be alert and be prepared for the possible upcoming storm. Door signs are available; we have cooperation from CERT and the Medical Center. The broken lanyard on our American Flag will be repaired.

2102 West Drive: Pres. Loewenstein reported on the bump in the road to completion — Palm Beach County Building Department wants our ceiling to be fire rated. This will cost us an additional \$13,000 and more time, which may cause a delay in our opening date.

New Business — Motions: Re Sunshine Law — Randall Borchardt read the number three paragraph, seconded by George Franklin. In depth discussion, then we voted. There were three opposed. The motion was passed.

Roadway Agreement: This, many years ago, had put restrictions on use of the roads, such as it specifically prohibits non-health-related items being sold in the Pharmacy. Motion by George Franklin, seconded by Len Lipofsky, that we allow the new owner to amend the agreement allowing these items to be sold, i.e. ice cream and other food items. This is for the convenience of our residents. Q&A and discussion. Vote was taken, there were four opposed, the motion was carried. This will make a change in the zoning; all expenses will be taken care of by the new owner of the Medical Building.

Petition — brought in by Bettie L. Bleckman re the cancellation of the Tuesday night Karaoke. This will be taken up at the Operations Committee meeting. Frank Cornish took

the petition.

Committee Reports — Insurance: Dan Gladstone urged us to come to the Maintenance Committee meeting on 9/9/08 in Room C at 10 a.m. In the event of a hurricane, this will be rescheduled.

George Loewenstein announced that the UCO office will have a telephone recording with necessary information during Hurricane Ike. Q&A.

Transportation: Claudette LaBonte reported that there will be some changes in the bus schedules. There has been a significant savings on gas since we started to buy at the Chevron station on the corner of Community Drive and Military Trail. She also reported that Palm Tran will stop the Blue Link bus. Q&A re idling buses in front of our Clubhouse. Our CAM, Pat Blunck, said this will be addressed. Discussion followed.

Security: Al McLaughlin reported on the gate arms that have been broken, usually by tailgating. We have a film that proved the tailgating. Please do not give or lend your ID card to other people.

Safety: George Franklin reminded us to attend the Town Hall Meeting scheduled for December 15, 2008, in Classroom C. Agencies will discuss safety issues.

George Loewenstein reported that he asked the Health Center to provide lectures and speakers on a monthly basis. We begin November 13, 2008. This will take place in Classroom C and also in the Party Room. Dates will be listed.

Motion to Adjourn: Meeting was adjourned at 11:30 a.m. □

One Unit One
Vote Committee

By Jackie Karlan,
Chairperson

The One Unit One Vote Committee had several meetings. We are attempting to change the way we vote for our UCO officers. We think every unit owner should have a vote. This includes the absentee owners and those who can’t leave their home or wish to mail in their vote.

It will happen! We are working to achieve this goal. Our next meeting is Friday, September 19, 2008, 10:30 a.m. in the Clubhouse, meeting room B. Everybody is welcome! □

From Pres. Loewenstein

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I have met with Heather Black, R.N., of our medical center and asked her to set up a monthly lecture series on various medical topics presented by specialists in their field. This has now become a reality and elsewhere in this paper you will find a list of dates and topics. I hope that you will support these programs. We will also be giving out flu shots and yes, there will be another health fair.

Our new office building outside the Okeechobee gate was coming along on schedule until a Palm Beach County Building Inspector decided that all the interior ceilings must be fire rated. This determination was made only after the ceilings had been sheet-rocked and air conditioning ducts and electric wiring already attached. This now necessitated taking down the duct work, the wiring and the studs that were already attached to the ceiling, adding another layer of sheet rock and reinstalling everything that had to be taken down. The department reviewed our proposed plans and gave us a permit. They could have demanded the additional layer of sheet rock at that time and saved us the \$13,000 we have to pay extra. Hopefully, insurance will reimburse us for some of it.

We have been fortunate in West Palm Beach not to have had any hurricanes coming over us up to now. However, the season does not end until November 30th. So please be vigilant. Hopefully, every resident has a door hanger to put on their knob **after** a storm, indicating whether they are OK or need help. Our very able and well trained CERT team will respond to these signs if they indicate help is needed. Remember, if we ever experience winds of 45 mph or higher, everything will shut down. When this happens, you can get the latest information by calling the UCO office at 683-9189 and listen to the new recorded message. Be sure you have a land line phone, since cell phones may not work if the relay towers are damaged.

On behalf of the officers and myself, I would like to wish all our Jewish readers a L’Shana Tova (Happy New Year 5769) and a reminder to all that the UCO office will be closed on Tuesday Sept. 30 and Wednesday, Oct. 1 as well as Thursday October 9th. □

Are You on the List?

The following Associations were not represented at the September 5, 2008 Delegate Assembly:


ANDOVER A-B-D-E-G-H-I-J-L-M
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NORTHAMPTON A-E-F-G-H-J-L-M-O-Q
NORWICH C-D-E-F-H-I-J-K-M-O
OXFORD 300-400-700
PLYMOUTH 3
SALISBURY A-B-C-D-E-F-G
SHEFFIELD A-B-C-D-E-F-G-H-I-J-M-N-O-Q
SOMERSET C-G-I-K-L
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WALTHAM B-D-F-G-I
WINDSOR A-E-G-I-K-L-O-Q-R

An Apology

In last month’s issue of the *Reporter*, we noted that no one from Somerset J voted in the August 1st UCO election. This was reported in error and we apologize to their Delegate, Mary Calabrese, who in fact did vote.

Mary Patrick Benton, Secretary

From the Desk of Vice President Ken Davis



First of all, let me say “Thank You,” for having the confidence in me to elect me as one of the Vice Presidents of UCO.

Channel 63 is up and running and we (the committee) are making some revisions. If, for example, a trip is upcoming by one of the clubs in February 2009, and the start date given to us is September 2008, we will not start it until 60 days before the event. We will edit the information given, to publish the main content of the request, and the people wanting more information may contact the person listed on the screen.

This is being done for the purpose of reducing the time it takes to see all of the Channel 63 informational slides.

The crawl at the bottom of the screen will be used for emergency information, much like the severe weather crawl on your TV, and will be on intermittently and when needed.


Any questions will be gladly answered and my door is always open, haha, until we move into 2102, the entire office is open. □



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From the Desk of Vice President Jerry Karpf



To all Associations in Century Village: I would like to thank you for your votes that made me a new Vice President of UCO. Now that the election is behind us, I hope we can now put all the bad feelings behind us. It is my fondest wish that all the officers, new and old, will work together to form a cohesive team which I hope will bring many improvements and changes for the better to Century Village.

As everyone knows, from my past history as Chairman of the Maintenance Committee, I like to make changes that will improve conditions here in CV, and I will do everything that is in my power to achieve this goal.

The next problem I would like to talk about is the Sunshine Amendments that were passed on July 11, 2008. We were told that Rod Tennyson had approved these Amend-

ments. Now it has come to our attention that Rod Tennyson had never seen any of the Amendments that were passed on that date. We will address this issue at a future date.

Now we need your help to try to repeal a section of H.B. 995 that will cause many problems in the Village. Under Chapter 718, FS 718.112 (2)(d)1, there is a law which prohibits co-owners of a unit from serving on the board in an Association with more than ten units at the same time. As many of you know, most Associations have a difficult time getting unit owners to serve on their boards, and if this law stays in effect, many Associations will not have enough people to serve on their Board of Directors. In a worst case scenario, the office of Condominiums and Mobile Homes, Chapter 718 can appoint a receiver to run your Association,

which will increase everyone’s maintenance fees substantially. So, please, when you come to the UCO office, the Clubhouse, or Hastings, at the front desk, you will find a petition asking our legislators in Tallahassee to repeal this law as soon as possible.

Remember: Please sign this petition to repeal the above law.

The Quadrant that I am responsible for is as follows: Coventry, Easthampton, Norwich, Plymouth, Salisbury, Sheffield, Waltham.

Presidents and Board Members in these Associations can see me for any problems in their Associations.

All Presidents and Board Members in Century Village can see me on Maintenance problems and related information. □

Distribution of the September Reporter

As of August 29, the below four areas have **not** picked up the September issue.

	season	summer
Andover	330 —	247
Kent	238 —	178
Salisbury	216 —	162
Sheffield	422 —	316

There are 29 areas that are supposed to pick up the *UCO Reporter* for their Associations.

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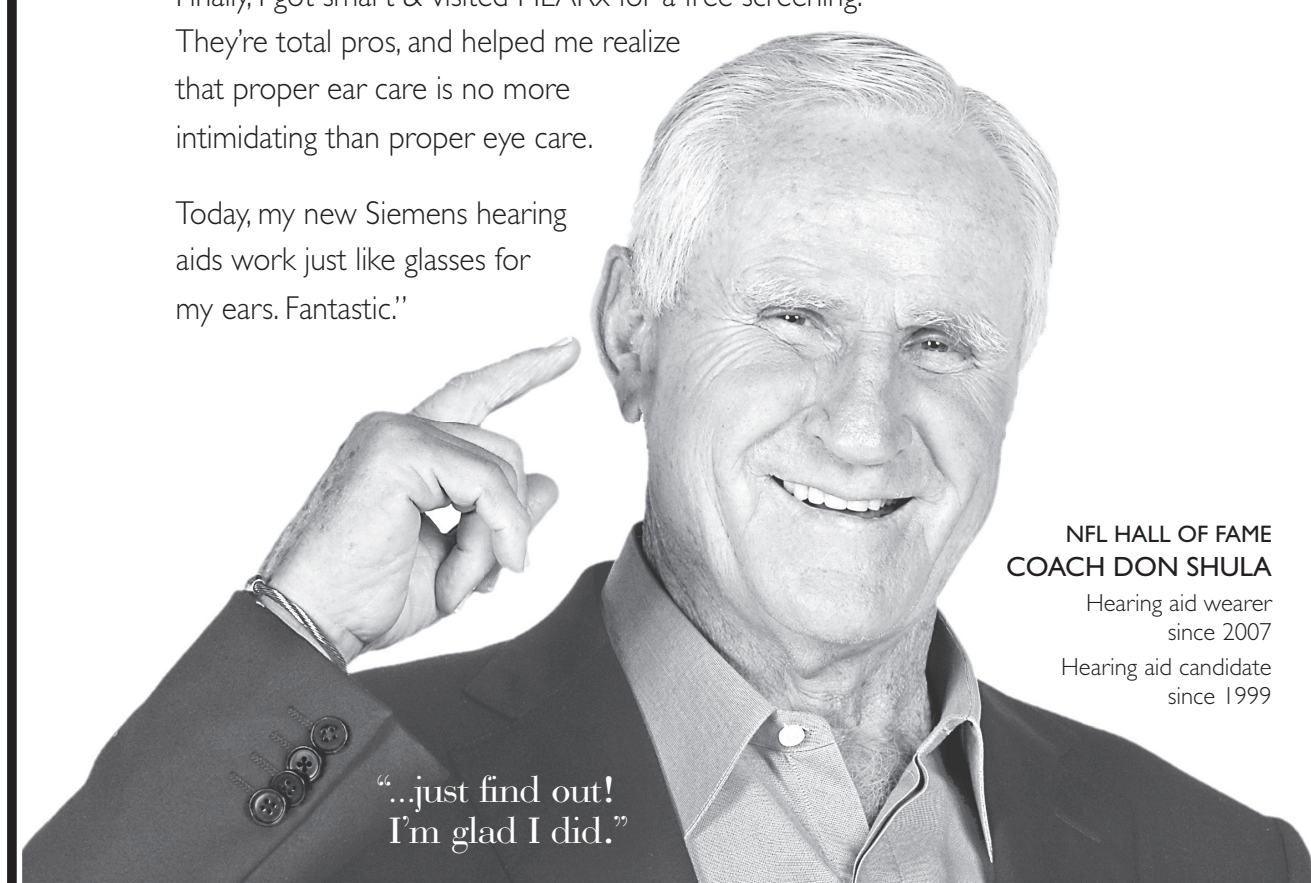
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Frankly Speaking
Vice President
Frank J. Cornish



I would like to bring up a subject that is on the minds of many of our villagers these days and that is karaoke.

Since many of you know the history, I won't bore you with the details, However, I cannot understand the position taken by the Operations Committee members, of which I am a part of. Although I was not present, at the time the vote was taken, on 8/26/08, on a motion made by Claudette LaBonte, and I quote:

"That karaoke be held once a week — on Friday evenings with alternate hosts. Seconded by Avis Blank."

This motion, according to the minutes of that meeting, reflect that some discussion took place, and was **unanimously** carried, and will be effective beginning September.

Many of the committee

members have either no interest or firsthand experience to what karaoke provides. For some, it serves the opportunity to sing; for others, the enjoyment of listening to the singers. Others, participating in Line and Ballroom dancing and last but not least, for some the **only** social contact they have, other than their care-givers. New friendships have been formed; old ones, solidified.

Each host has their "own" unique style...and their own following. To reduce this most inexpensive form of/Entertainment, to one night a week, by my peers, some of which profess to support the continuation of the past, to their friends, and yet voted "unanimously" in favor of the motion, is unconscionable!


I support karaoke being held twice weekly, and will do everything within my power, to

see the motion overturned. A petition was created, and received with the signatures of more than 200 residents, which in itself, is quite an accomplishment, not only due to the time of year, when most of our residents are elsewhere, but also the time frame these diligent villagers had to work with. Come out and support your neighbors and friends. As always, I can be reached during UCO hours. □

The Century Village Orchestra is looking for musicians to fill our string section (violin, viola, cello and bass). We also need French horn, percussion, bassoon players and an associate conductor. **Call Rickie at 683-0869** for more information.

As new Chairman of the Lift Committee, I am looking for volunteers to work on the committee with me.
Irving Small,
615-5236

Transportation
Claudette
LaBonte



The bus schedule changes have begun. First, the zigzag through Camden and Windsor has been proceeding quite well. There are new bus stop signs in the area and benches will follow. Also, repairs and painting to other benches have begun and will continue as scheduling allows.

Our scheduled August meeting was delayed to the last Monday of the month, as the Clubhouse closed due to the storm. The committee's suggestions have been compiled and faxed to Community Transit for their review. However, there was not enough time to get their response included in this issue. We are hoping to begin the new schedule by October 1, 2008.

If you are a bus rider, check our bulletin board in the Clubhouse Lobby. This issue contains the new bus schedule, but do not use it until you see our

notice, either in the buses, in the Lobby or on Channel 63.

Our new gas program is going well and once we have at least three months of history, we will be in a position to report the comparison with our prior supplier. We will work with our Treasurer, Dorothy Tetro, during the last quarter of 2008 for this information.

In addition, the Chevron station is making an offer to any CV customers. For every four fill ups with a minimum of 10 gallons, you will receive a free car wash. So get on the savings bandwagon with our Chevron gas station at the corner of Military and Community, show your CV ID, and get your car wash card punched. □

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Anita J. Cruz
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This is the time of year when my office is busy preparing next year's budget. For the past few months, I've been gathering ideas, information and prices for the 2008-09 budget, which runs from November 1, 2008 to October 31, 2009.

During a series of upcoming meetings with the UCO Operations Committee, I will present the budget on a line by line basis for the Committee's approval. Typically, these meetings are lengthy but quite informative and are now open to any and all residents who wish to attend. At the conclusion of our meetings, all changes, deletions and additions to the budget are made, and the final version of the budget will be approved by the UCO Operations Committee and presented to the UCO Delegates for final approval.

Some budget lines are rather easy to project forward for a year, such as amounts

paid under a contract which will not vary from month to month. Other line items, such as utilities, maintenance items and unexpected repairs, are more difficult to predict one year in the future, especially during times of rising prices. You can be assured that I give the budget process my full attention, with the goal of keeping expenditures as low as possible while still providing quality services to the residents of Century Village.

Our karaoke nights have been in a state of flux for many months now. In a series of meetings with residents and with the UCO Operations Committee, the dates and times of Karaoke events have been changed numerous times over the summer. However, the UCO Operations Committee and I have been working very closely together to arrive at a schedule that will please the attendees and still provide

a safe and comfortable environment. Please be patient with the changing locations, dates and times of these events while we work together to find a mutually agreeable solution for all.

My job often involves making decisions that prove to be very unpopular. I can assure you that I take my position very seriously, and when faced with a difficult decision, I am deliberate and thorough to investigate the problem(s) before attempting to reach a conclusion that will be fair to all involved. Unfortunately, when issues arise where there is a conflict of interest, one or more of the parties involved will not be pleased with the results. I face these types of situations routinely. Though there will be those who disagree, I can tell you that in any decision I make, I *always* have the best interest of the residents of Century Village at heart.

As the fall season approaches, we welcome the busy activities we will soon see in our Clubhouse and Theater. Our staff is ready to assist you with classes, shows, dances, movies and meetings, and we are so glad to welcome back our vacationing residents. Enjoy the season and be well. □

**Community
 Relations**
Ted Silverman



Plans for our Dessert Buffet honoring our Centenarians on October 24 are proceeding at a pace which should result in a successful celebration.

Riverside Bank has paid to print and mail the invitations and reply cards. These invitations were mailed the first weekend in September. I met with Kevin, the manager of our local Home Depot, and he is expecting to meet with committee members to select the floral decorations for our table. Home Depot will also supply the individual flowers for our Honorees.

Walmart Superstore at Military Trail and Belvedere Road has donated \$500 worth of gift cards.

Committee member Eileen Pearlman has informed us that she has contacted Representative Susan Bucher and that she will attend. Eileen is waiting

to hear from Senator David Aronberg and Commissioner Jeff Koons to see if they can attend. Congressman Robert Wexler has informed her that he will not be in town on October 24 and has made a considerate offer. If we will send his aide the names, addresses and birthdays of the people we are honoring, he will send congratulations to each Centenarian. Eileen has been in contact with Alexandra and is playing telephone tag with Marcy Gonzales of Channel 5 on the *Today Show*.

Leslie Darrigan is awaiting confirmation from Walgreens Pharmacies, CVS Pharmacies and Winn-Dixie relative to their contribution supporting our Dessert Buffet.

Hope that you all had a good summer, are healthy and that we avoid the threatening hurricanes. □

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Kudos

Thanks to the *UCO Reporter* for the touching article on Larry Kall.

Sandy Levine

Where Are Our Delegates?

I wish to draw your attention to a rather serious problem, which requires some decisive action to solve.

The June issue of the *UCO Reporter* informs us that at the May 2 Delegate Assembly meeting, **148 Associations failed to send a Delegate — 48% of 309 Associations!**

The *UCO Reporter* in the August issue reports the absence of 165 Associations at the July 11 meeting of the Assembly — 53% of the 309 Associations did not vote!

Even at the August 1 meeting that included elections, 95 Associations were not represented (*UCO Reporter*, September issue) — 31% of 309 Associations.

These results are rather disturbing and require some steps to bring about a change.

As a first step, may I suggest the following:

Each of UCO's four Vice Presidents is in charge of maintaining one of the Village's quadrants consisting of seven and, in one case, eight sections.

They should request that at each of the sectors within their quadrant, a person be named who would report to the V.P. and whose task it would be to ascertain that the Associations of their sector be represented in Delegate Assembly meetings.

Various plans to implement the “one unit — one vote” change in how we elect UCO officers and Executive Board members are discussed, some suggesting to do this by using the good offices of our 309 Associations. This would certainly require that all Associations participate in running our Village.

Kurt Weiss



Library Committee

By Dot Loewenstein

What Are Trade Novels?

To me this is a totally new term, and I had to ask for an explanation. Here it is:

Hardcover books are getting more and more expensive, and some publishers have begun using softcovers in a larger height than “normal” paperbacks. Paperbacks are produced in volume, while trade novels are not. Another way to identify them is to think of Oprah's Book Club when looking thru the Trade Novels — many of those appear in that category. We highly recommend that readers begin looking thru the Trade Novels in the future — there may be some very pleasant surprises waiting.

Paperbacks seem to proliferate by themselves, so it's OK to take two or three at a time. When those shelves are not full, we occasionally prop up some Trade Novels on the half shelf behind the paperbacks.

People are talking about our library — how nice it looks, how warm and welcoming it is. Jigsaw puzzle enthusiasts

appreciate the two tables reserved for their use, and many visitors eagerly add one or more pieces to the thousand piece puzzle when they stop in. Other residents look for 500 piece puzzles to borrow and work on at home.

Even though we thoroughly cleaned the library last month, the shelves are again overflowing with new books being donated daily. Remember: We do not expect you to return the same book. If you are heading North, please take with you whatever you are reading, and when you return, donate a different book. The turnover in inventory is what keeps our library so interesting.

Be sure to thank the many (more than 30) volunteers you notice clearing the tables and straightening out the shelves full of books. Most come in once a month, while others come in more often. Snowbirds, snowflakes, and even snow flurries are invited to contribute time. Please leave your name and phone number with Marge or Noreen across the hall in the Administrative Office, and they will contact me. □

At the Library

By Chuck Waugh

Okeechobee Library Bookmobile

The Okeechobee Boulevard Branch Library renovation is going according to schedule, and will reopen later this year. Until then, a bookmobile is in the parking lot of the library.

The OBB Bookmobile is an oasis of bestsellers, with a collection of new books, large print books, DVDs, and Books-on-CD. Library patrons can place holds on materials at the bookmobile, online, or by calling any branch in the Palm Beach County Library System (Wellington Branch 790-6070). Patrons seeking information assistance should call the Telephone Reference section at the Main Library at 233-2600.

The Okeechobee Boulevard Branch Library Bookmobile is located next to the Bank Atlantic. The hours are: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., and Friday and Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. All Village residents, including seasonal residents, are eligible for a free library card with proper I.D.

Check-out the Bookmobile at the Okeechobee Branch today! □

Canadians and Americans

This is a transcript of the **actual** radio conversation of a U.S. Naval ship with Canadian authorities off the coast of Newfoundland in October 1995. Radio conversation released by the Chief of Naval Operations on 10/10/95.

Canadians: Please divert your course 15 degrees to the South to avoid a collision.

Americans: Recommend you divert your course 15 to the North to avoid a collision.

Canadians: Negative — **you** will have to divert your course 15 degrees to the South to avoid a collision.

Americans: This is the Captain of a U.S. Naval ship, I say again divert your course.

Canadians: No — I say again, you divert **your** course.

Americans: **This is the aircraft carrier U.S.S. Lincoln, the second largest ship in the United States Atlantic fleet — we are accompanied by three destroyers — three cruisers and numerous support vessels. I demand that you change your course 15 degrees north, I say again, one five degrees north, or our counter measures will be undertaken to ensure the safety of our ship!!!**

Canadians: Stupid! You're talking to a lighthouse.

From the Internet

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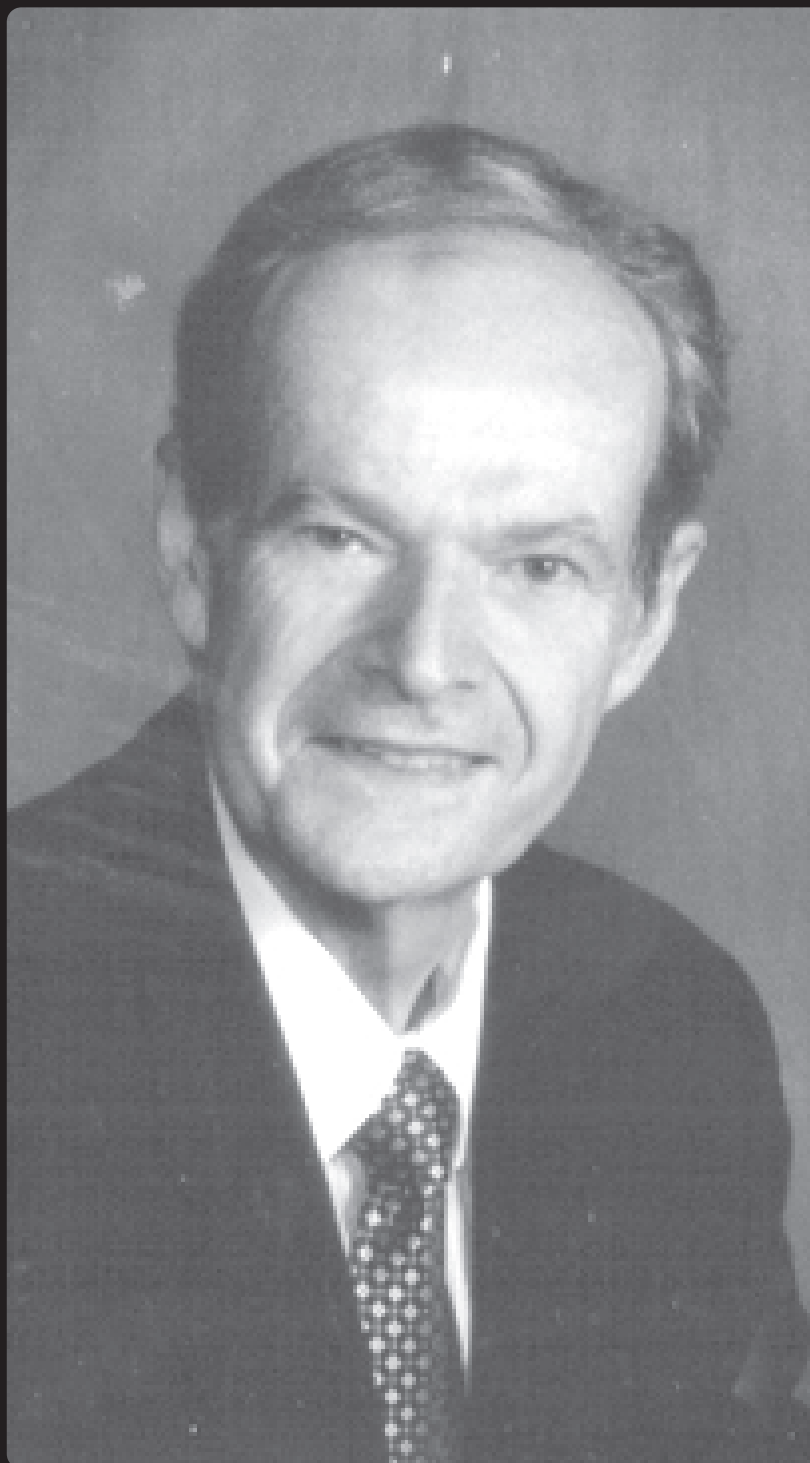
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Safety
George Franklin



This month, I am going to focus on two items, both of which I found could cause serious harm to some of us.

One night, as I was driving the perimeter roadway, I almost had an accident with a power mobility scooter. This individual was driving this scooter directly across the roadway. Yes, it did have a head light and taillights. These lights were extremely small and very dim. It was not until the scooter was fully across the street and I looked to my side that I was able to see the two red taillights, and yes they were very clear. The headlight was very small, and I felt the light produced was a very dim beam, to say the least.

I took the liberty to check with a mobility dealer and was told that under Florida State law, the mobility scooter has the same right as a bicycle or pedestrian. **However**, for night time use,

there must be adequate lighting or reflective tape used so that these scooters can be seen.

You must obey the traffic laws the same as if you were a pedestrian or a bicyclist. I would strongly recommend that if you own one of these scooters and you are not using them to get from your automobile to a building, be extremely careful crossing a street after dark. Be sure you have a strong enough headlamp and bright red taillights that can be seen from a distance. It would never hurt to have reflective tape installed on this unit either. You could save yourself from a very bad accident.

I would suggest that you try to plan your route in advance so that you do not have to cross any roadways if possible. If you need to cross roadways and ride at night, be sure the battery is fully charged and all your safety equipment is properly working

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Your Theater
Claudette
LaBonte



I know this article should feature information for October, but having just left a meeting where I learned CV-WPB ticket sales are going great, with some shows already sold out, I want to look ahead.

I have been telling you about the “sleeper of the month” and to take a chance on unknown performers, but that information was always after the fact. So, I am now going to look forward in my articles and my first effort really has me looking at myself.

I wonder what kind of sense of humor I have, since I find British comedy funny. Therefore, I suggest you take a chance on “The World of Jimmy Keys” in November. If it should happen that you do not think he is funny, you can always laugh at me who will

be laughing at him.

In the meantime, our October entertainment continues with the following:

- Sat., Oct. 1, 8:00 p.m., Mary Jane Cunningham
- Sun., Oct. 5, 8:00 p.m., Cavendish Revue
- Sat., Oct. 11, 7:00 p.m., Robert Pacheco
- Sat., Oct. 18, 8:00 p.m., Robin Solotar
- Sat., Oct. 25 8:00 pm., Manon Robert

Watch your tickets for the 7:00 p.m. shows.

Also, get ready for our Halloween Dance on October 25 at 7:00 p.m. featuring costumes and prizes, all to the music of the Al Matos Trio.

A call to you: It is recruiting time for the Usher Volunteer Corps. If you are new to the Village or simply want to

get involved, join us and make new friends. If nothing else, you will come in contact with most of our residents. If you are interested, please call me at 697-9321 or complete the application and leave it at the UCO Office or the Clubhouse Ticket Office. Applications are available at the UCO Office.

See you at the Theater. □

Post Office

Beginning October 1, the Post Office will provide a full-service mobile van three days a week from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. The van will be at the Clubhouse on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. The location is tentative, but the dates are definite.

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A corporate attorney sent the following out to the employees in his company.

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Do not sign the back of your credit cards. Instead, put **“Photo ID Required.”**

When you are writing checks to pay on your credit card accounts, **do not** put the complete account number on the “For” line. Instead, just put the last four numbers. The credit card company knows the rest of the number, and anyone who might be handling your check as it passes through all the check processing channels won’t have access to it.

Put your work phone number on your checks, instead of your home phone. If you have a post office box, use that instead of your home address. If you do not have a post office box, use your work address. Never have your Social Security number printed on your checks. You can add it if it is necessary. But if you have it printed, anyone can get it.

Place the contents of your wallet on a photocopy machine. Do both sides of each license, credit card, etc. You will know what you had in your wallet and all of the account numbers and phone numbers to call and cancel. Keep the photocopy in a safe place. I also carry a photocopy of my passport when I travel either here or abroad.

We’ve all heard horror stories about fraud that’s committed on us in stealing a name, address, Social Security number, credit cards.

But here’s some critical information to limit the damage in case your wallet is stolen.

- We have been told we should cancel our credit cards immediately. But the key is having the toll free numbers and your card numbers handy so you know whom to call. Keep those where you can find them.
- File a police report immediately in the jurisdiction where your credit cards, etc., were stolen. This proves to credit providers

Citizens Observer
Patrol

By Major Evelyn Leibowitz

Our patrols have been up and running all year. During the last eight months, our members have driven about 1800 hours with a much reduced membership. Many of our members are snowbirds and will be returning soon. Hopefully, they will come back to us in a healthy state and will be able to resume in our organization. Unfortunately, we lost some members due to death, illness or finding they could no longer drive. We would welcome new members wholeheartedly. We need you to drive three hours per week and attend one meeting on the second Thursday of the month from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m.

Our Village is relatively safe, thanks to the security team, the Rovers and the C.O.P.s who daily patrol our roads. The reports we get from the deputy

who monthly attends our meetings is that the area outside our Village is getting more and more dangerous. Criminals usually prey upon people they feel are weak. We recommend that our residents try to go shopping with another person.

As many of you probably know, two banks in our area have been robbed. Individuals have been accosted at the Walgreens on Haverhill and Okeechobee. I have personally been approached twice at the Hess station by a young, well-dressed and kempt young man asking for money, while I was pumping gas. When I told him I worked for the Sheriff, he quickly left and crossed the street to the BP station. I have reported this to both the station owner and the Sheriff’s Deputy.

Make sure when you get out to get gas that you lock your car doors. Some of these criminals work in pairs. One will approach you to ask you a ques-

tion. While you are distracted, his/her partner will open the door on the opposite side and take a purse or other valuables that you leave in plain sight.

My understanding from our Deputy is that those condos that have been burglarized have not been broken into. They have been entered by someone who has a key. Please be very certain of whom you give a key to. Before hiring aides or service people, make sure you know who you are dealing with. If possible, hire people through agencies that have their workers bonded.

It is not my intention to frighten you, but I feel it is my duty to share with you the information that is given to me and which I share with our C.O.P.s.

Lastly, as I drive around the Village, I notice many units have bike riders living there. I would love to start a bike group within our Village that would be part

of the C.O.P. If you bike ride anyway for exercise, you could perform an extra duty by becoming the eyes and ears of the Sheriff’s Department. You would be provided with a bike shirt and a C.O.P. shirt. You would be given a radio with which to communicate with our dispatchers and you would get credit for the hours you put in. If you ride an hour a day for three days or everyday or several hours a day you would be doing yourself justice by getting your exercise and helping your community at the same time. An added benefit is meeting some very nice dedicated people who are your neighbors. If you wish to get in touch with me to pursue this idea, please call 697-9413 or 685-6517. I look forward to hearing from you.

Wishing you all a Happy and Healthy New Year. No matter what your faith is, we all can use a Happy New Year and Good Health. □

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Insurance
Dan Gladstone



Florida’s “Pay Me Later” Assessments

In the event of major hurricane losses, Florida policyholders may be assessed from three different sources — Citizens, The CAT Fund and The Guaranty Fund. These assessments are independent of each other. Following is a brief description of the present assessment rules as we understand them.

Citizens Assessments

First — Citizens “non-homestead” clients are assessed up to 30% of their premium. This assessment would be collected mid-term.
Second — All Citizens policyholders (including non-homestead) are assessed up to 30% of their premium. This assessment would be collected at the time of new business or renewal.

Third — The third and fourth assessments are integrated. First, all Citizens policyholders are assessed again for up to 30% of their pre-

mium. This assessment would be collected at the time of new business or renewal.

Fourth — If the third assessment on Citizens policyholders doesn’t cover the deficit, a one year assessment of up to 30% may be levied against all non-Citizens policyholders. This applies to admitted and surplus lines property and casualty policies, including auto insurance but excluding workers compensation, medical malpractice, federal flood and crop insurance. On admitted policies, the assessment is levied against the carriers who may collect it from their policyholders. On surplus lines policies, agents collect the assessment from their policyholders. This assessment is collected at the time of new business or renewals.

Fifth — If the above one year assessments do not cover the deficit, an emergency assessment of up to 30% of the current premium may be levied against all policyholders

(except workers compensation, etc.) for as many years as necessary. This assessment would be collected at the time of new business or renewal.

Florida Hurricane Catastrophe Fund (The CAT Fund) Assessments

The CAT Fund provides state sponsored reinsurance at below market prices to Citizens and private insurers. It also may levy assessments.

It may levy assessments of up to 6% annually, subject to a 10% annual cap.

Presently it is levying a six year assessment of 1% that began on January 1, 2007.

The Florida Insurance Guaranty Association (The Guaranty Fund)

The Guaranty Fund handles the claims of insolvent property and casualty insurance companies. It is likely that some insolvencies would result from a severe hurricane.

Guaranty Fund assessments are approved by the Office of Insurance Regulation on an “as needed” basis. There is no statutory cap on the amount which can be assessed.

These assessments may be changed by the Florida Legislature at any time.

On September 9, 2008, the Maintenance and the Insurance Committees held a joint workshop on the new H.B.



Audience absorbed in the insurance changes.

601 which deals with the insurance changes to 718 condominium law. Room C at the clubhouse was packed with residents. With standing room only available, who wanted to know how to apply the new statute to their condominiums.

Many questions were asked especially about the relation-

ship of the Board of Directors to the unit owners.

The new law gives a very much needed “sharp teeth” to Associations in order to implement the new statute.

The effective date of the new law was July 1, 2008 with some changes that will take effect on January 2009 (for example, the assessment clause). □

See New Bus
Schedule on Page 44

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From the
Listening Post
Syd Kronish



What Price Glory?

Most of the news we read about and hear today is about politics or sex scandals or man’s inhumanity to man. So, I have prepared this piece which should put me in line to receive the famous fowl reward entitled “Pullet Surprise.”

First, let’s talk about the recently concluded Olympic Games in Beijing. The opening ceremonies were spectacular, with imaginative lighting displays, thousands drumming and teams marching. However, there was a slight “off-beat” problem. The opening song was lip-synched by a very pretty little girl, but the actual singer was not deemed cute enough by the Chinese officials to be seen by the world. The spectacular lighting show, which we all thought was live, was really animation.

The U.S. hero was Michael Phelps, who was acclaimed the greatest Olympian ever because of his eight gold medals in swimming, setting new records for each event. We enjoyed all the U.S. gold medal winners in other sporting events, too. Phelps and other victors gained more than gold pendants. They signed contracts for millions of dollars in endorsements for manufacturers of cereals, shoes, clothing, etc. It is obvious that gold gets gold — and it glitters!!!

“Sold American!!!” The oil rich country Abu Dhabi

bought 90% of the Chrysler building in New York city for 800 million dollars. Rumors have it that the rich potentates would like to purchase the Capitol Building in Washington, D.C. also.

Time magazine reported that in Ubirate, Brazil, one of the six people running for city commissioner used the name of Barack Obama. Officials laughed and sent the list to Michelle.

Marilyn Monroe, named sexiest actress of the 20th century, as well the cover girl of the ages, appears again on the front cover of *Vanity Fair* magazine. Her life had its ups and downs in the limelight, problems in childhood, also on the many sets in Hollywood, failures in marriages, and died from a drug overdose in 1962. She made millions at the box office, but died without a penny to her name. It is ironic that the last film that she made in 1960 was *The Misfits*.

From the big book of Jewish humor comes this quickie.

Four friends are seated at a table in a restaurant. For a long time no one says a word. Finally, one man growls “Oy.” The second says, “Oy vey.” The third asks, “Nu?” At this point, the fourth man gets up and shouts, “If you guys don’t stop talking politics, I’m leaving!!!”

With such a political ploy, I, too, am concluding with an emphatic “Oy vey!” □

Too Bad to be
False

A New Jersey student has been suspended for threatening his teacher with a peanut butter cookie. Before you laugh, nut allergies *are* real. Okay, you can laugh now: Peanut butter as a weapon of mass destruction in Soprano country?

A species of carp has been discovered to eat fungus on

human toes. Some salons use this fish to perform pedicures. One client is carping after a session with overactive carp and now she can’t wear flip-flops anymore.

A couple in England was charged with animal cruelty for leaving a pet to starve. The pet in question was a rat. Apparently some people have been brainwashed by the Michael Jackson song *Ben*.

A thief attempting to steal copper wire fell into trash bin at a landfill and was stuck for 12 hours. He was not only arrested for the thievery, but also for impersonating Baby Jessica.

Now you can buy a microwave oven for your car! Because that scalding hot cup of coffee from McDonald’s that falls in your lap just isn’t hot enough! □

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Is Alzheimer’s In Your Home?

Memory loss? Incontinence? Same questions asked over and over? Alzheimer’s support group meets every Thursday, 1:00 pm, in The Crafts’ Room (note change). No doctors! No sales!

Important Notice
from the IRS

By Leonard Lipofsky

The Internal Revenue Service has changed the date for filing for the impulse payments from December 31, 2008, to October 15, 2009.

This change will make sure that all persons who prepare their forms will get their checks by December 31, 2008.

According to the Internal Revenue Service, zip code 33417 had the most residents that have **not** filed. As we all know, Century Village is the largest development in the 33417 zip code and therefore would have the most people that have not filed.

I am asking all Presidents of the Associations in Century Village to check with your residents. If there is an elderly person living alone, a person with a caretaker living with them or the resident is incapacitated, ask them if they received the \$300 if single or the \$600 if married impulse payment. Help your neighbor; do not let them lose this money. They are entitled to it. Remember, this program is **free**.

We will be in the Card Room in the Main Clubhouse every Tuesday until October 14, 2008. All you have to bring is the SS2 form you received from Social Security last January. If you do not have this form or cannot find it, just let me know the amount of Social Security you receive each month.

I am giving my time at the request of the Internal Revenue Service. My service is **free**, and you do not have to pay for this service. **Let me help you receive the impulse payment.** For further information, call me at 471-9247. □

Did You Know
That...

...the state of Florida is bigger than the country of England?

...the publishers of *Spider-Man* comics created a “Spider-Woman” character after animators created a *Web Woman* cartoon, fearing that their popular character’s legality was in jeopardy?

...the human thumb has three bones?

...before the beginning of the 20th century, baby boys wore dresses for sanitary reasons before being “breeched” (allowed to wear pants halfway between long and short)? □

Davis Doodlings
Ken Davis
Channel 63 Chair



Have all of you fine residents come to realize the little piece of Paradise we live in? I know that we all feel the pinch in our pockets with the raises in our Maintenance Budgets and our Rec Lease Budget. However, it is still very inexpensive to live in Century Village with all of the amenities that are offered us.

I have a daughter that lives in the Acreage on a dirt road, with well water and a septic tank. The taxes alone on her Property, is as much as I pay for in my maintenance budget for the year.

She has no pool, no clubhouse with all it offers, bus service? Forget it.

I guess that what I am saying is, say Good Morning with a smile when you see someone. Enjoy what we have and be very glad that we live where we do. You must come to realize that the Officers in your Association are working for you. Likewise the Staff in UCO, and the staff on the *Reporter*, and more than 200 volunteers, throughout the Village, all at no compensation. So, **smile, smile, smile.** □

Investigations
David Frankel
Louise Gerson



Everyone in our Village **must be** investigated. All potential residents must go through a criminal check. Those who are not renters must be investigated for criminal and financial backgrounds. We are a Senior Community, which means we must be 55 or older.

Anyone who was **not** investigated **should not** be living here!!!

It is up to the Association Board Members to inquire if someone is in an apartment without being investigated.

Once the Association ap-

proves the person or persons, then a Certificate of Approval is issued. **Anyone without approval cannot live here.**

Yes, Associations, you can tell them to leave because they are living here illegally.

No one likes to be the “enforcer” of rules and regulations, **but** this is part of your “Volunteer” job as a Board Member/Officer. Your Association Bylaws are your rules and regulations and *must be followed!* No exceptions.

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Maintenance Jerry Karpf



As you all know, we did not hold a Maintenance Committee meeting during the month of August, but there are many things to write about, such as hurricanes, insurance, changes in the law about who is responsible for unit damage and repairs.

Remember Fay? We were very lucky that we only had a mild storm and didn't have a major flooding event to deal with, as some other parts of Florida.

As I start to write my article, Hurricane Gustav has missed hitting New Orleans and Hurricane Hanna has moved up the east coast. To top things off, there are another two hurricanes heading our way. But have no fear: Jerry is here to give you the information that will help to prepare you for the rest of the hurricane season.

I know that by the time you read this article, it will be around the end of September, but everyone should always be on guard, never become complacent, and should always be prepared for hurricanes. You may ask what is the first thing you must make sure of is that you have enough insurance to cover all your personal items such as furniture, televisions, clothes, etc., at today's replacement cost. Due to recent changes in the law, your insurance will also have to cover: rebuilding patios, replacement of windows, doors, walls, and everything else in your unit. Under the new laws, you also have to add to your insurance a minimum coverage of \$2,000 for assessments.

It may be a good idea to talk to your insurance company to make sure you have enough insurance coverage. I strongly recommend that the people who don't have any insurance, had better get it now. If you wait until a hurricane is in the so-called "box," as the insurance industry calls the threatened area. The insurance company won't give out any coverage.

Another major problem is uninsured unit owners who face the possibility of losing their unit, because if their unit is damaged by a hurricane and they can't afford to pay to have

it repaired and their Association has to rebuild that unit, the Association must recover the cost of restoring that apartment by placing a lien on the unit. This is not a joke, why take the chance? Get insurance as soon as we get out of the box.

The next thing you should do is make sure that you have enough medication to last for at least ten days in case the pharmacies are closed due to flooding or the loss of electricity. Sometimes, after a hurricane, water service can be interrupted, so the next thing you will need is water, at least

two gallons per day per person, and that is for drinking and washing only. To run your toilet, you will need about one or two gallons of water to flush. If you have a tub, seal the drain and then fill your tub. This should give you enough water to keep your toilet running for several days. If you don't have a tub, I would recommend that you get a couple of plastic five gallon containers that you can fill with water to flush your toilet. Believe me, you don't want to be in a position where you have no means to flush.

The next item could be very handy. If you have any water problems, you may want to get some wipes. The next thing that you will have to do is stock up on is canned food; keep a supply of canned foods that you like. Use your imagination, canned products have a long shelf life, I would also recommend that you put a date

on the cans when you purchased them. It'll give you an idea how long you have had them.

Another item you must have is a flashlight with plenty of long life batteries and some extra bulbs. It also is a good idea to put all your valuable papers like bank books, passports, insurance policies, etc. in a waterproof bag to keep them safe. If you will not be staying to ride out a storm, notify the President or a neighbor in your Association that you are leaving. If anyone is interested, I have located a company that will board up windows. Contact me for the name of this company.

During the next few months, I will try to have the representatives from the Division of Condominium and Mobile Homes come and give CV residents a lecture on how the changes to Chapter 718 will effect us. I will give ev-

eryone plenty of notice when this lecture will take place.

Our next meeting of the Maintenance Committee will be on October 14, 2008, in the Clubhouse, Room C, at 10:00 a.m. One thing everyone should remember is that UCO and the Maintenance Committee does not endorse or approve of any contractor or manufacturer and that this article cannot be used in any legal matter. □

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Ground Floor 1 BR/1 BATH

- BERKSHIRE-F** Great location, patio on garden, nice price **\$27,500**
- KENT-G** Tile floors, new appliances, next to pool, nice fresh paint **\$27,500**
- SHEFFIELD-K** New oak kitchen, tile and new bath **\$39,900**
- EASTHAMPTON-A** Clean and bright, across from gate **\$39,900**

Upper Floor 1 BR /1 BATH

- WINDSOR-M** Nicely furnished, tile, walk to pool **\$29,900**
- ANDOVER-B** Decorator turnkey rentable unit, great investment..... **\$37,500**
- NORWICH-C** Excellent condition, new berber, stainless appliances **\$24,900**
- SHEFFIELD-K** Oak kitchen, new air conditioning and flooring **\$29,900**

Ground Floor 1 BR /1½ BATH

- WELLINGTON-F** Ground floor, lakeside, oversized, great..... **\$45,900**
- WINDSOR-G** Turnkey furnished unit, absolute perfection **\$36,900**
- EASTHAMPTON-F** Corner, new AC, new stall shower, walk to gate **\$36,900**
- CANTERBURY-J** Corner, tile throughout, newer AC **\$44,500**

Upper Floor 1 BR /1½ BATH

- STRATFORD-O** Open floor plan, granite, tile, new everything **\$69,500**
- STRATFORD-N** Oversized beauty, new flooring, baths & new oven too **\$28,000**
- SOUTHAMPTON-C** Nice, furn, hurricane shutters, stall shower **\$39,900**
- SUSSEX-F** Corner, tile floors, on preserve, great buy!!! **\$39,900**
- SOUTHAMPTON-C** Wood lam thruout, new patio, furn..... **\$39,900**
- WELLINGTON-F** Exquisite view, tile, updated, great price..... **\$54,900**

Ground Floor 2 BR /1½ BATH

- DORCHESTER-H** Water views, new kitchen, nicely furnished **\$59,900**
- WALTHAM-G** Corner, new CA, walk to Clubhouse, great price **\$47,900**
- ANDOVER-L** Turnkey, rentable unit on water, great association **\$44,900**
- NORWICH-N** Doggie, updated garden, pat w/Frch drs (negotiable) **\$59,900**

Upper Floor 2 BR /1½ BATH

- PLYMOUTH-H** Oversized, corner, split BR w/ additional storage **\$74,900**
- OXFORD-100** Beauty, waterside, all tile, new central AC **\$72,500**
- NORWICH-J** Tastefully furnished, turnkey with tile, must see **\$49,900**
- OXFORD-300** Pet friendly, all redone beauty, open kit & more **\$74,500**
- SOUTHAMPTON-B** Corner, new kit & baths, granite, tile fls on golf course **\$99,000**
- NORTHAMPTON-F** Cnr & more on H₂O **\$59,900**
- NORWICH-N** Pet friendly, corner, tile & more, great price too! **\$69,900**

Luxury 2/2s

- DOVER-C** Ground, lakeside beauty, new kit, tile, new patio **\$99,900**
- SOMERSET-B** Lakeside beauty, entirely new, open fl plan, tile & new patio **\$107,500**
- WELLINGTON-L** Stunning, completely renovated, ready to move in **\$99,000**
- WELLINGTON-F** Cnr, tile, updated, lovely **\$99,900**
- WELLINGTON-H** Pristine, lovely vw **\$74,900**
- GREENBRIER** Tile, mirrors, new everything, shows like a model **\$159,900**
- OXFORD-500** Oversized, gr fl, tons of potential **\$54,900**
- WELLINGTON-F** Ground floor, gorgeous new kit, updated baths, tile, on lake **\$109,900**



RENTS!

- OXFORD-400** 1½ gr fl oversize across fr pool, must see fl pl **\$750**
- CAMDEN-I** 1½ cnr, gr fl tile, across fr pool **\$650**
- WINDSOR-G** 2/1½ 2nd fl cnr, furnished & clean **\$600**
- SOUTHAMPTON-C** 1½ beauty w/oversize patio, furnished, CAC **\$650**
- WELLINGTON-L** 2/2, stunning, comp renov, tile thruout **\$850**
- SOUTHAMPTON-C** wood fls, part furn, nu appls & patio, CAC **\$650**
- ANDOVER-K** 1/1 gr fl, waterview, tile, furnished **\$550/1,200**
- SHEFFIELD-J** 1/1½ cnr, gr fl, pretty seasonal **\$5,000**
- STRATFORD** 1/1½ stunning, tile, granite wtrvws, grt association **\$750**
- WINDSOR** 1/1 lovely retreat, tile, nice price **\$550**
- SHEFFIELD Q** 1/1 gr fl, patio on garden, walk to healthclub **\$550**

MANY MORE, SEASONAL TOO!

It Happened in 1940

January

- 08 — pop star Little Anthony born
- 31 — actress Jessica Walter (*Play Misty for Me*) born

February

- 02 — Frank Sinatra makes singing debut
- 08 — news anchor Ted Koppel (ABC's *Nightline*) born
- 23 — actor Peter Fonda (*Easy Rider*) born
- 28 — auto racer Mario Andretti born
- 29 — *Gone With the Wind* wins eight Oscars

March

- 09 — actor Raul Julia (*Kiss of the Spider Woman*) born
- 26 — Representative Nancy Pelosi (D-CA) born
- 31 — Representative Barney Frank (D-MA) born

April

- 14 — actor George Takei (*Star Trek*) born
- 16 — first televised baseball game
- 25 — actor Al Pacino (*The Godfather*) born

May

- 06 — Pulitzer awarded to John Steinbeck for *The Grapes of Wrath*
- 10 — Churchill assumes the post of Prime Minister

June

- 18 — Churchill's "finest hour" speech

July

- 07 — rock star Ringo Starr (The Beatles) born
- 13 — actor Patrick Stewart (*Star Trek: Next Generation*) born

August

- 03 — actor Martin Sheen (*The West Wing*) born
- 22 — actress Valerie Harper (*The Mary Tyler Moore Show*) born

September

- 14 — Congress passes peacetime draft law
- 18 — actor Frankie Avalon (*Beach Blanket Bingo*) born

October

- 09 — singer John Lennon (The Beatles) born
- 16 — Warsaw ghetto established
- 27 — singer Lee Greenwood (*God Bless the U.S.A.*) born

November

- 05 — FDR wins Presidency for the third time
- 27 — martial artist Bruce Lee (*Enter the Dragon*) born

December

- 21 — author F. Scott Fitzgerald (*The Great Gatsby*) dies
- 24 — NFL commissioner Paul Tagliabue born □

This & That
Dr. Marilyn
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David Letterman says, "When you get 'hate mail,' you know you're on the way to fame, unless you get the letter from someone just insane."

The epistle I received was from, I believe, "A lonely old lady, with time on her hands" — someone not too bright, and not understanding my "Hitch Hiking" poem where she assumed I endorsed hitch hiking

for CV seniors. Alas and alack, as I said before, "Get a life."

One man I know who would be too busy for fol-de-rol such as that is Irv Lazar, who quietly and intelligently takes over a volunteer job in UCO, helping to put the newspaper together.

It is my pleasure to meet with Irv when submitting my articles and knowing he would

read them over and correct them in a kindly fashion if necessary. I told him I wanted to thank him in this piece and he modestly said, "I wish you wouldn't." Since I'm known to be somewhat of a maverick, I say, "Thanks, Irv."

In September, I am leaving for New York on business, visiting my children and grandchildren. See you all in October.

Seeking

There are folks around I always snub.

It's hard for me to join a club.

In school I had my priorities

I cared not at all for sororities

I don't play canasta, mah

jong or bingo
Those people I've met don't speak my lingo.

I've tried gambling at the "Hard Rock Café"

I found it easy to throw money away

On to paintings and

sculpture, my hands red from clay

Nothing came out right, what more can I say?

So then I tried music

With an amateur band

For me and my talent

There was no demand.

I stand here before you

Acting like a poet

Don't turn me away

If and when I blow it. □



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By Phyllis Siegelman

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Remember, there are still four weeks to the end of the hurricane season. Stay alert, keep supplies in good order. If you are not staying in the Village, be sure your arrangements for evacuation have been completed.

At the October 20, 2008 meeting in the Clubhouse, Room C, we will have a speaker from Loxahatchee Groves. Pat Johnson is part of our Emergency Operations Area. Slides will be shown; door prizes will be given.

Please, let’s have a great turnout. Bring your friends and neighbors. It will be a fun meeting and a social hour will follow. Refreshments will be served. See you there.

For more information, call Phyllis Siegelman at 471-7750 or Joy Bales at 379-6529. □

October Classes
By Jennifer Mompremier

Autumn is around the corner and summertime is about to end. It’s the time of year when people will start coming back. The end of the year has arrived and we are jumping into the holiday season. The Clubhouse will be busy, busy, busy!

Classes that are still going on are Learning Music, Spanish, Reflexology, Water Aerobics, Canasta, Plastic Canvas, Ceramics, Calligraphy, Tai-chi and Paint Workshop. Classes that are starting up are Crocheted Handbags by Shakeer and Line and Country Western.

If you would like to suggest new ideas for classes, please write it down and give it to Jennifer. Any fun and exciting new ideas will be greatly appreciated. If anyone would be interested in being a coordinator or participant of party bridge please let Jennifer know.

Feel free to stop in the Clubhouse and sign up for classes with Jennifer at the class office. Office hours are Monday-Friday 9am-4:30pm. 561-640-3120 Ext. 1. □

OCTOBER CLASSES

<u>DATE</u>	<u>DAY</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>CLASS</u>	<u>FEE</u>	<u>ROOM</u>	<u>TEACHER</u>
9/29/08	MON	10AM	LEARNING MUSIC	\$20/4W	MUSIC B	SONJA
10/6/08	MON	1PM	CERAMICS & CLAY	\$33/6W	CERAMIC	GERT
10/13/08	MON	10AM	CALLIGRAPHY	\$60/6W	ART	BERNSTEIN
10/27/08	MON	10AM	LEARNING MUSIC	\$20/4W	MUSIC B	SONJA
10/7/08	TUE	1PM	SPANISH	\$20/4W	B	CELINA
10/7/08	TUE	9:30AM	CERAMICS	\$33/6W	CERAMIC	GERT
10/1/08	WED	8AM	WATER AEROBICS	\$20/4W	POOL	RYSZARD
10/8/08	WED	1PM	CROCHETED HANDBAGS	\$14/4W	CRAFT	SHAKEER
10/29/08	WED	11AM	REFLEXOLOGY	\$30/6W	B	DR. LAMPELL
10/2/08	THUR	10AM	TAI-CHI	\$4/CLASS	HASTINGS	ZIFFER
10/2/08	THUR	10AM	CANASTA	\$17/4W	CARD	PASSMAN
10/2/08	THUR	9:30AM	PAINT WORKSHOP	\$18/4W	ART	ADLER
10/2/08	THUR	1:30PM	PLASTIC CANVAS	\$12/4W	SEWING	DOT
10/16/08	THUR	10AM	LINE&COUNTRY WESTERN	\$14/6W	PARTY	SYLVIA
10/16/08	THUR	2PM	LAUGHTER YOGA	\$25/4W	B	PETTERSEN
10/17/08	FRI	2:30PM	SCOTTISH DANING	\$12/4W	PARTY	SVERDLOVE
10/10/08	FRI	9:30AM	CERAMICS	\$33/6W	CERAMIC	GERT

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UPPER FLOOR CORNER 1 BED 1.5 OR 2 BATH

Norwich G - Unfurn carpet/vinyl tile, remodeled	\$28,000
Norwich O - Furn., Rentable, near E. gate Great	\$33,000
Camden H - Unfurn. Lots of light. Carpet; Rentable	\$39,000
Dorchester D - Furn. Parquet fls., near pool	\$45,000
Golf's Edge E - Unfurn, ceramic tile & encl patio	\$38,000
Bedford E - Includes lift! Lots of light! Carpet	\$40,000
Norwich G - Unfurn. Remodeled; near Club	\$28,000
Camden I - Furn. carpet ,rentable bldg. near pool	\$33,000
Sussex A - Cer tile, New AC, lots of light, rentable	\$42,000
Kent H - Furnished, rentable building	\$64,900
Sussex B - Rentabl building, new AC & wtr heater	\$56,000
Golf's Edge E - Near club, furnished, Berber carpet, AC	\$53,000
Camden C - Water view, near pool and W. gate, pretty	\$39,000
Waltham C - Furn., newer refrigerator and counters	\$44,000
Norwich G - Beauty, fully furn. newer AC, near E. gate	\$35,000
Cambridge G - Furn., central A/C, near pool	\$49,900
Easthampton H - Furnished, carpet, garden view	\$50,000
116 Coventry E - Furn, nr E. gate and fitness center	\$69,900

GROUND FLOOR CORNER 1 BED 1.5 BATH

Norwich G - Part. furn, Pergo Floors, near east gate	\$35,900
Sheffield N - Furn.; cer tile/carpet, rentable	\$49,000
Plymouth V - Lots of Privacy, furn., CA	\$59,900
Oxford 200 - Absolutely amazing!! Ceramic tile, new kit.	\$39,000
Sheffield B - Unfurn. Waterview, very pretty	\$33,000
Andover F - Nice, Central	\$42,000
Coventry C - Ceramic tile, walk in shower	\$40,000
Sussex A - Furnished., ceramic tile, rentable building	\$34,995
Sheffield M - Sweet and cozy, neat Hastings fitness ctr.	\$49,900
Windsor M - Furnished, central AC, garden view	\$49,000
Cambridge G - Lots of upgrades!! cer tile, nr pool	\$36,000

GROUND FLOOR 1 BED 1.5 BATH

Andover A - Furn carpet/ceramic tile rentable, cen air	\$39,000
Golf's Edge - Furn., carpet/ceramic tile	\$35,000
Dover B - Wtrvw, beauty, near clubhouse	\$65,000
Camden E - Wtrvw, near pool, rentable, furnished	\$45,000
Camden J - Full of upgrades, turn key, new furniture	\$72,900
Windsor N - Beauty, Near pool and west gate	\$46,900
Camden H - Unfurnished, newer appliances	\$40,000
Easthampton C - Furnish, ceramic tile, newer appliances	\$55,000

UPPER FLOOR 1 BED 1.5 BATH

Northampton - Lift, Wtrvw, cer/cpt, furn	\$34,000
Chatham U - Heart of community.6 mos fr maint.	\$39,000
Camden J - Tile, gardenview near large pool, furn.	\$45,000
Salisbury D - Lift incl!! Walk to E gate. Furn	\$25,000
Hastings F - Furn, nr Hastings Fitness Center	\$25,000
Dover B - Unfurn, ceramic tile, wtrvw, beauty	\$55,000
Dover A - Unfurn. Ceramic tile, waterview, new AC	\$53,000
Waltham A - Furn. Cpt, Come enjoy	\$36,500
Greenbrier A - Unfurn., ABSOLUTELY GORGEOUS!!!	\$89,000
Stratford N - furn, nice location	\$33,000
Southampton A - Unfurn. Redone, golfview	\$49,900
Golf's Edge G - Beauty, carpet, ceramic tile	\$49,000
Dover C - CAC, elevator bldg, Near clubhouse	\$56,000
Easthampton G - Furn, Berber carpet, 2 ac units	\$49,000
Easthampton D - Lovely furn condo, near cast gate	\$50,000
Norwich H - Lots of upgrades, near E. gate	\$42,000
Chatham K - Newer appliances, near amenities, furnished	\$44,000
Wellington F - Water view, furnished, elevator in bldg.	\$73,000
Canterbury D - Furnished, Motivated, near pool	\$48,500
Southampton A - Hardwood floors, new appliances	\$75,000

GROUND FLOOR 1 BED 1 BATH

Windsor Q - Ceramic tile/gardenview	\$20,000
Windsor C - Furn., CT redone	\$49,000
Sheffield K - Furn, carpet, grt condition	\$65,000
Norwich B - furn, Berber cpt, ceramic tile	\$28,000
Bedford G - Furn, ceramic tile/cpt	\$33,000
Northampton S - Beautiful CT, upgrades galore	\$28,000
Camden J - Unfurn Near west gate, and pool	\$25,000
Easthampton G – Furnished, carpet, near East gate	\$19,900
Canterbury H - WOW! 50 in TV, Ceramic tile in kit/dining	\$30,000
Berkshire I - Drive right up, Very pretty, new appl.	\$26,500
Northampton Q - First floor, ceramic tile, 1 year old AC	\$27,000
Cambridge E - Ceramic 'tile, upgrades galore!!! New!!!	\$30,900
Berkshire F - Furnished great buy, just walk right in	\$28,000
Chatham S - Beautiful water view!!! Furnished	\$33,000
Norwich B - Furn., clean, near laundry	\$40,000
Chatham K - unfur., rent, very nice area, lake view	\$27,000
Camden H - Lovely furnished unit; must see!	\$40,000
Canterbury D - furnished, new carpet, gdnvw, mustsee	\$36,000

UPPER FLOOR 1 BED 1 BATH

Easthampton - furn/unfurn., carpet, new apps	\$27,000
Sussex M - Beauty! Furn. Lift included!!!	\$33,000
Waltham G - Furn., Ceramic Tile, Scr Patio Rentable	\$23,000
Canterbury H - Carpet, rentable, furn. Quiet area.	\$22,000
Norwich L - Carpet, Rentable, Part furn nr Hastings	\$20,000
Sheffield A - Waterview, pergo floors, wall units, new AC	\$35,000
Windsor D - Furn. Waterview, near east gate	\$37,000
Canterbury C - Rentable, cutie, furnished; garden view	\$35,000
Windsor D - Furn. Wtrvw, nr w gate	\$37,000
Berkshire G - Carpet, Ceramic Tile Rentable	\$27,000
Easthampton A - Lovely furnished upstairs unit, must see!	\$37,000
Berkshire G - Rent to own, Close to west gate	\$28,900

Kingswood C - Redone, rentable, pretty and furnished	\$39,000
Camden J - New ba utilities, New water heater	\$50,000
Kingswood C - Pretty, rentable, close to amenities	\$55,000
Coventry E - Central AC, new furniture, mirror walls	\$39,900
Canterbury F - Furn., New Shower & tile in bathroom, AC	\$39,950
Northampton L - Pt furn, Newer Appliances	\$35,000

UPPER FLOOR CORNER 2 BED 1.5 OR 2 BATH

Northampton O - Furn carpet/ceramic tile, rentable	\$46,000
Dorchester B - Carpet/ceramic tile, new AC, furn, turnkey	\$57,240
Sussex L - Carpet ceramic tile, furnished cen. Air	\$52,000
Kent M - Furn., Ceramic Tile, Central Air	\$79,000
Dover C - Part furn, waterview, CT	\$85,000
Sheffield O - Beauty!! Furn. Quiet area, near Hastings	\$75,000
Sheffield M - Furn, enclosed patio, Move right in!	\$49,000
Norwich H - Redone, Beauty, Rentable, furn. Best Offer	\$60,000
Cambridge H - Stunning Furn, new hurricane windows	\$69,900
Cambridge E - Carpet, outside cnr, furn. Carpet	\$43,000
Waltham I - New AC part furn. Lots of light! East gate	\$57,900
Easthampton F - New AC near east gate, Priced to sell!!!	\$48,000
Kingswood D - Beauty, well taken care of. Rentable	\$49,000
Waltham A - Furn, rntbl, carpet, near club, east gate	\$58,000
Hastings A - Unfurn, lift, carpet, Light and bright	\$58,000
Canterbury C - New water heater, central air, enclosed patio	\$59,000
Waltham A - Rentable, Near Amenities. Furnished	\$68,000
Sheffield M - Corner unit., mod app, close to Temple	\$45,000
Norwich L - Furn. Rentable, great location	\$70,000
Sheffield O - Ceramic tile, Pretty Garden View	\$75,000

GROUND FLOOR CORNER 2 BED 1.5/2 BATHS

Windsor K - Furn, carpet, near west gate	\$55,000
Plymouth K - Ceramic tile, beauty, upgrades galore!	\$179,500
Norwich J - Furn. Near east gate, Great Price!	\$49,000
Coventry E - Furn. CT, close to clubhouse	\$66,000
Camden F - Waterview, unfurn. Washer and dryer	\$75,000
Kent D - New everything! Tenant in place	\$95,000
Northampton J - Rentable building. Waterview, very pretty	\$89,900

UPPER FLOOR 2 BED 1.5/2 BATH

Wellington H - Unfurn, carpet great wtrvw, shutters	\$58,900
Waltham B - Rentable, furn, carpet, near E gate	\$49,000
Oxford 500 - Unfurn., Carpet:, Redone	\$50,000
Berkshire H - Part Furn, Ceramic tile/carpet, newer appt	\$49,000
Norwich B - Carpet, furn. Newer appliances.	\$44,000
Golf's Edge E - Furn. w/lift, carpet, near pool!	\$59,000
Norwich A - Furn. Near amenities, well taken care of	\$58,600
Easthampton C - New countertops, cabinets, dishwasher	\$67,000
Stratford B - Near e gate, ceramic tile, lots of light	\$65,000
Northampton J - Very nice, Furnished, Carpet, rentable	\$43,000
Bedford H - Part furn, Waterview, storm shuts, NICE	\$40,000
Wellington J - Beautiful Designer furnished. Granite tops	\$149,000
Kent F - Furn, near Kent Pool GREAT DEAL!	\$38,000
Sussex E - Unfurn. Rentable, ceramic tile	\$52,000
Oxford 100 - Furn. Waterview, Steps to pool	\$65,000
Sheffield G - New bathroom, furn., great design!'	\$65,000
Windsor G - Furn, gdnvw, ceramic tile	\$55,000
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Lenore Velcoff**



Another psycho-hunt by Dr. Alex Delaware, Jonathan Kellerman's hero in more than twenty novels, hits the best seller list. *Compulsion* is his latest crime story.

Delaware and Detective Milo Sturgess are like an old married couple — finishing each other's sentences, as they follow a circuitous path to solve this book's mysteries. Theirs is an unusual pairing that works well. However, I wonder when Alex joined the police department, as it seems that is his only source of income.

This is a story of several murders that, at first glance, have nothing in common save luxury automobiles. The first case involves a Bentley and a missing young woman. Then an elderly woman is murdered by someone driving another fancy car and when an internet search turns up a decade-old case of two women killed by a culprit in a stolen high-priced

vehicle, Delaware and Sturgess start to track the killer's idiosyncrasies.

One feels that the obsession with luxury autos seems to have been created to form the initial hint of linked crimes. Nevertheless, the plot weaves in transvestite hookers, druggies, the moneyed and the average Joe, as Alex and Milo begin a methodical search for the killer in Los Angeles, New York City and sites in between. As in all Kellerman novels, the killer is weird but the regular characters are likable and predictable. The investigation is based on assumptions and suppositions, not hard evidence, yet Kellerman brings us to a satisfactory, if predictable, conclusion.

Though Kellerman's skills at setting scenes and character descriptions are worth the cost of the book, only true fans who love abnormal psychology will "ooh and aah" over this newest novel. □

Life Explained

On the first day, God created the dog and said:

"Sit all day by the door of your house and bark at anyone who comes in or walks past. For this, I will give you a life span of twenty years."

The dog said: "That's a long time to be barking. How about only ten years and I'll give you back the other ten?"

So God agreed.

On the second day, God created the monkey and said:

"Entertain people, do tricks, and make them laugh. For this, I'll give you a twenty-year life span."

The monkey said: "Monkey tricks for twenty years? That's a pretty long time to perform. How about I give you back ten like the Dog did?"

And God agreed.

On the third day, God created the cow and said:

"You must go into the field with the farmer all day long and suffer under the sun, have calves and give milk to support the farmer's family. For this, I will give you a life span of sixty years."

The cow said: "That's kind of a tough life you want me to

live for sixty years. How about twenty and I'll give back the other forty?"

And God agreed again.

On the fourth day, God created man and said, "Eat, sleep, play, marry and enjoy your life. For this, I'll give you twenty years."

But man said: "Only twenty years? Could you possibly give me my twenty, the forty the cow gave back, the ten the monkey gave back and the ten the dog gave back? That makes eighty."

"Okay," said God, "You asked for it."

So that is why for our first twenty years we eat, sleep, play and enjoy ourselves. For the next forty years we slave in the sun to support our family. For the next ten years we do monkey tricks to entertain the grandchildren. And for the last ten years we sit on the front porch and bark at everyone.

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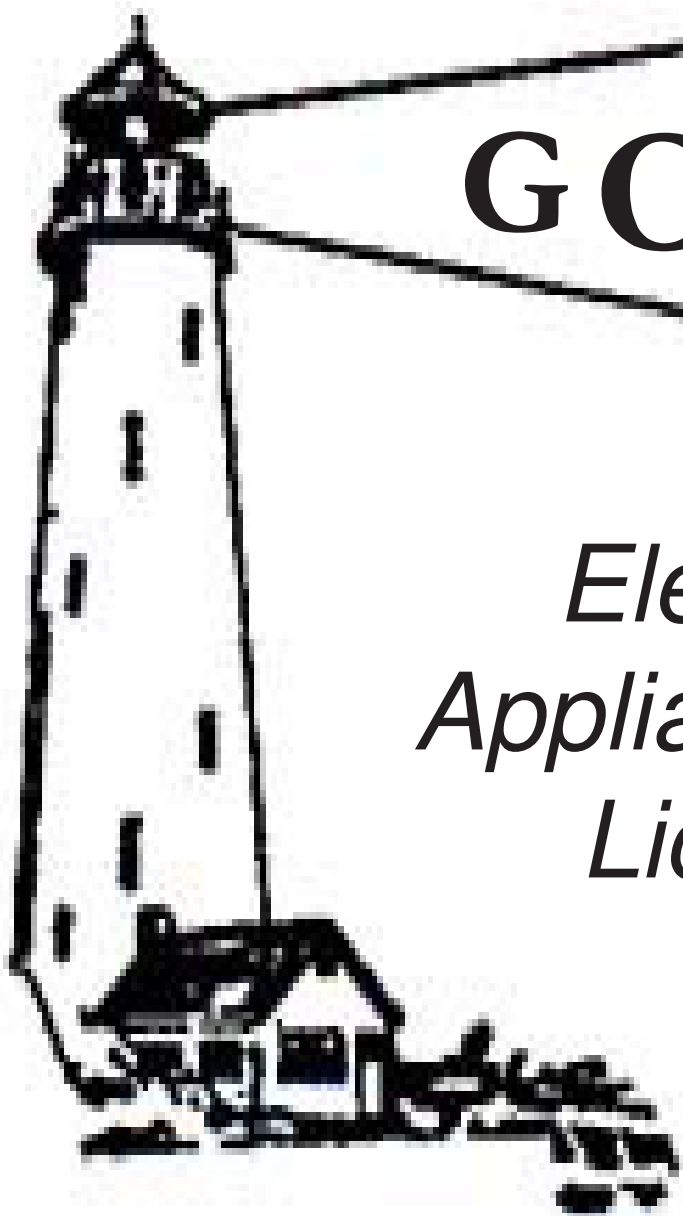
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Recipes
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The month of October brings back many fond memories.

I remember the brilliant changing colors of the New England foliage, walking through piles of fallen leaves, the smell of burning leaves, picking apples at the nearby orchard, selecting pumpkins that were “the pick of the crop”: Halloween trick or treaters, and last, but not least, October’s bright blue weather.

Fallen leaves were placed in the garden as winter mulch. A perfectly formed pumpkin with attached stem adorned each step leading to my front door and my daughter carved the best pumpkin of the lot for her traditional Halloween pumpkin.

During the month, the family enjoyed delicious Pumpkin Soup. You will enjoy it too!

Pumpkin Soup

- 1/4 cup chopped green pepper
- 2 tablespoons chopped onion
- 1 teaspoon parsley flakes or minced fresh parsley
- 1/8 teaspoon thyme leaves
- 1 bay leaf
- 2 tablespoons butter or margarine
- 1 can (8-1/4 ounces) tomatoes, diced
- 2 cups mashed cooked pumpkin or squash
- 2 cups water
- 2 chicken bouillon cubes
- 1 tablespoon all-purpose flour
- 2 cups milk
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/8 teaspoon pepper

Sauté green pepper, onion, parsley, thyme and bay leaf

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until tender (do not brown). Add tomatoes, pumpkins, water and bouillon; bring to a boil. Reduce heat; simmer 30 minutes, stirring occasionally. In a small bowl, combine flour and milk; blend well. Stir into soup; add salt and pepper. Cook over medium heat, stirring frequently until mixture boils. Yield: 6-8 servings. □

Beautification
Sandy Cohen



Once again, we are doing additional plantings around the perimeter road. This month, we are focusing on the Stratford area. We will be planting Cocoplums by the walkways.

We have installed solar lights at the benches near Dover and we will do the same at the benches near the Clubhouse entrance. We are also planting some flowering shrubs by these benches to attract birds.

Thanks to all the residents for your positive input on the committee’s progress. □

Wish I Said That

By John Saponaro

“No one is less tolerant than those demanding tolerance. Despite the differences of culture and creed, they all seem to share the notion that there is only one way of looking at things — their way.”

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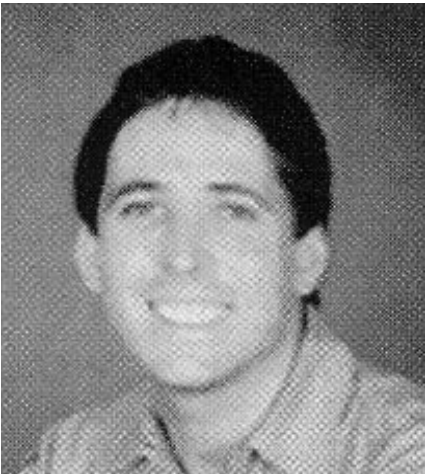
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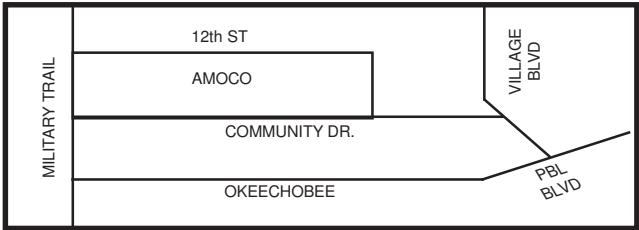
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The second ship, New Orleans (LPD 18), was launched in November 2004, delivered in December 2006 and commissioned in March 2007. It was commissioned in March 2007. The third, Mesa Verde (LPD 19), was launched in January 2005 and commissioned in December 2007.

The keel for the fourth, USS Green Bay (LPD 20), was laid in August 2003, launched in August 2006, and will commission in 2008.

The keel for USS New York (LPD 21) was laid in September 2004. It was launched in December 2007 and will be commissioned in 2009. Con-

struction of USS New York included 24 tons of steel salvaged from the wreckage of the World Trade Center, as a memorial to those who lost their lives in New York on 11 September 2001.

Other contracted vessels are the San Diego (LPD 22), Anchorage (LPD 23), Arlington (LPD 24) and Somerset (LPD 25). The last ship is scheduled for delivery by 2012. The ships are to replace the functions of the LPD 4, LSD 36, LKA 113 and LST 1179 classes of amphibious ships.

In December 1996, the U.S. Navy awarded a contract to an industrial alliance led by Northrop Grumman Ship Systems (formerly Litton Avondale), with General Dynamics Bath Iron Works, Raytheon Electronic Systems and Intergraph Corporation, to design and construct the first of an

anticipated 12 ships under the Navy’s LPD 17 program. It was planned that Avondale would build eight and Bath Iron Works four ships.

However, in June 2002, the U.S. Navy signed an MoU (Memorandum of Understanding) with Northrop Grumman and Bath Iron Works, making Northrop Grumman responsible for the construction of all San Antonio Class vessels, while Bath is the builder of four Arleigh Burke destroyers, previously assigned to Northrop Grumman.

Design

The ship is constructed from steel and designed to minimize radar cross-section. Enhanced survivability features include improved fragmentation and nuclear blast protection and shock-hardened structure. Automation and integration of systems has en-

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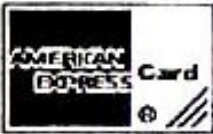
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Without a crystal ball or a magic wand or even a Ouija board, we have gotten a “sneak peek” into the schedule of the U.S. Postal Service stamp program for 2009.

The Postal Service did not reveal a detailed description of **all** the '09 releases, but I was provided with a number of names of people, places, and programs coming up next year.

The first stamp of 2009 will be a tribute to the Chinese Lunar New Year. This is the second in the series of twelve stamps originally completed in 2004. But a great demand for another lunar set resulted in a revival in 2006. The '08 stamp hailed the “Year of the Rat.” The '09 stamp portrays the “Year of the Ox.”

Many non-Asian countries now issue lunar New Year stamps and souvenir sheets. The first USPS Lunar stamp was released in 1992 and marked the forthcoming “Year of the Rooster.”

It is interesting to note, that while we were presenting this column, the 2008 Olympic Games were being held in Beijing, China.

In February, we will see a great commemoration to President Abraham Lincoln, on the bicentennial of his birth. There will be four stamps in a set showing different views of Lincoln at various periods in his life. It is expected that the entire year of '09 will see programs honoring the “Great Emancipator.”

Lincoln will be remembered forever, not only for his accomplishments in the pur-

suit of freedom, but his great speeches during his short reign in office.

During the Civil War, the 16th President of our country spoke these memorable words: “This nation under God shall have a new birth of freedom — and that government of the people, by the people, for the people shall not perish from the earth.”

Another new stamp for '09 will honor Gary Cooper in the *Legends of Hollywood* series. Cooper was one of filmdom’s most popular leading men during a career which spanned five decades. He received five Oscar nominations for Best Actor, winning twice.

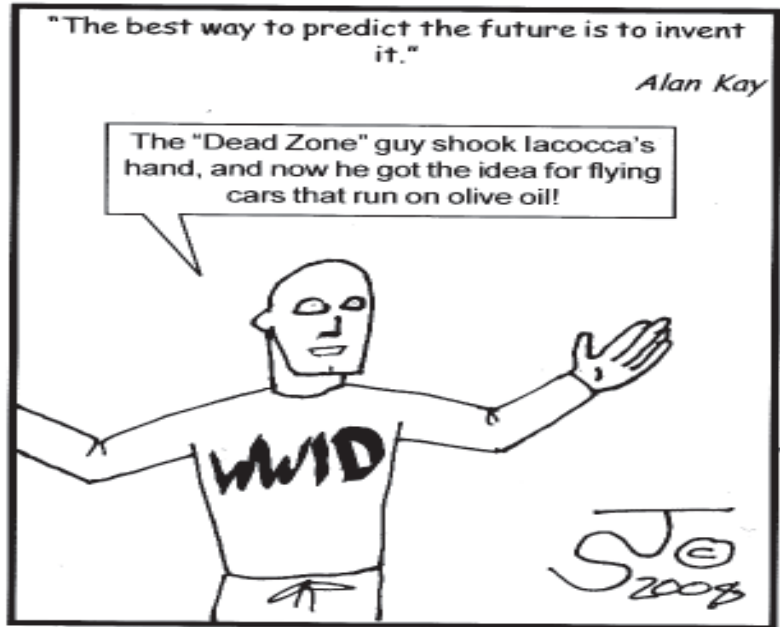
Some of his great performances included *Beau Geste* in 1939, *Meet John Doe* in 1941 *Sergeant York* (the same year) and *Pride of the Yankees* in 1942. “Coop,” as he was called by his peers, appeared in over 100 films, was born in 1901 and died in 1961.

Also on next year’s schedule is a stamp dedicated to Edgar Allan Poe, known worldwide for his poems and stories. Among his top works are *The Raven*, *The Fall of the House of Usher* and *Murder in the Rue Morgue*. Experts have declared that he was the man who invented detective stories.

The last two states to enter the Union — Alaska and Hawaii — in 1959, will be honored on the 50th anniversary of this occasion.

There is still more information on 2008 stamps that will be reported to you as soon as it becomes available. □

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UPPER FLOOR 1/1

NORTHAMPTON S	carpet, ceramic tile, upgraded, lift	495
WALTHAM G	furnished, ceramic tile, screened patio	650
SALISBURY G	furnished, carpet, tile	625
CHATHAM K	furnished, carpet	500
NORTHAMPTON R	furn, ceramic tile, beautiful condo	550
CANTERBURY C	furnished carpet, very nice	550
CANTERBURY H	furnished, carpet, nice!!!	550
CHATHAM P	furnished, ceramic tile, very clean & pretty	525
WALTHAM G	furnished or unfurnished, ceramic tile, nr CH	525
WALTHAM F	furnished, near East Gate, carpet	550
SUSSEX A	unfurnished, redone, cul-de-sac, cpt, tile in kit	600
CANTERBURY H	unfurn, new carpet, newer AC, painted	550
BERKSHIRE G	furnished, near West Gate, rent to own	575

GROUND FLOOR 1/1

ANDOVER E	furnished, carpet/ceramic tile	600
CHATHAM N	furnished, carpet/linoleum	525
BERKSHIRE D	furnished, carpet, waterview	600
WINDSOR Q	furn/unfurn, ceramic tile/carpet	450
CANTERBURY B	unfurnished, carpet, gardenview	500
WINDSOR Q	furn, berber carpet, new kitchen, 3 ceil fans	625
BEDFORD G	furnished, carpet & ceramic tile	575
WALTHAM F	unfurn, carpet, linoleum, nr East Gate	450
HASTINGS B	furnished, gardenview, pergo floors	575
NORWICH L	furnished, carpet, near Fit Center & E-Gate	475
CAMDEN H	furnished, new AC, newer fridge	550
SUSSEX B	furnished, tile floors, window unit TNC	550
KINGSWOOD D	unfurn, ceramic tile, carpet, new app	600
CAMDEN J	unfurnished, ceramic tile, carpet, newer AC	625
WALTHAM F	furnished, new bath, wood floors	600
CANTERBURY F	furn, new bathroom, wood floor	600
CAMDEN B	sweet w/lakeview, newer appliances	625
WALTHAM G	cute as a pie! ceramic tile, furnished	500
BERKSHIRE I	great condo carpet, partially furnished	550
SALISBURY F	furn, nr clubhouse and new kit, new carpet	600
SHEFFIELD F	near Hastings Fitness Center	625
SHEFFIELD D	furnished, nr the Fitness Center, gardenview	600

UPPER FLOOR 1/1.5

SOUTHAMPTON A	furnished, golfview, appliances	650
CAMDEN B	furnished and redone	475
CHATHAM U	unfurnished, ceramic/tile, gardenview	495
SOUTHAMPTON B	furnished, carpet, near pool, golfview	650
WINDSOR L	unfurn, new bathrooms and kitchen, redone	625
PLYMOUTH R	completely redone! move right into	800
NORWICH C	furnished, gardenview, carpet	575
SALISBURY F	ceramic tile, new appls, furn	525
NORWICH H	upgrades galore! CT, furn	550
CANTERBURY K	unfurn, pergo fls, CT, new appls	625
SOUTHAMPTON A	golfview, part furn, ceramic tile	600
DORCHESTER C	furn/unfurn cul-de-sac near pool, gdnvw	550
NORWICH F	near Hastings Fit Ctr, furn/unfurn	600
WALTHAM C	furn, near E-Gate, CH, carpet, very sweet	650
CANTERBURY B	ceramic tile, furn, close to pool	700
EASTHAMPTON C	beautiful condo, cpt and CT, unfurn	850
SOUTHAMPTON A	furn, hardwood floors, new kit	650

GROUND FLOOR 1/1.5

NORTHAMPTON N	unfurn, carpet, waterview	550
HASTINGS D	furnished, ceramic tile, carpet	575
CANTERBURY F	furn, lower set back, near pool	550
SHEFFIELD N	carpet, furn, near Fitness Center	600
CAMDEN H	unfurn, carpet, CT, new appls	575
WALTHAM B	furn, carpet, new roof, rentable	600

UPPER FLOOR 2/1.5 OR 2 BATH

WINDSOR G	partly furn, ceramic tile, gardenview	600
WELLINGTON L	furn, carpet, central air	850
KENT F	furnished, near Kent Pool, Great Deal	600
GOLF'S EDGE E	furn, carpet, near pool w/lift	750
COVENTRY A	furn, wood, cpt, nice patio	800
NORWICH H	furnished, nice	650
COVENTRY A	very pretty, furn, carpet lite & brite	700
NORTHAMPTON J	furnished, waterview	600
STRATFORD K	furn, large patio, central air	700
CAMBRIDGE A	furnished, great location	850
ANDOVER G	newly furnished, pretty, walk right in	900
CANTERBURY G	furn, CT, linoleum, keeps cool, add appls	700
EASTHAMPTON C	unfurn, new counters, DW, disposal	650

GROUND FLOOR 2/1.5 OR 2 BATH

SOMERSET K	unfurnished ceramic tile, waterview, CA	750
NORWICH H	unfurnished carpet/tile	800
CHATHAM R	carpet, tile, shows great	775
STRATFORD J	furnished only, ceramic tile	950
DORCHESTER E	close to pool, fully furnished	700

GROUND FLOOR 1/1.5 CNR

PLYMOUTH V	furnished, lots of privacy, central air	750
ANDOVER A	beauty! ceramic tile, furnished	700
SHEFFIELD F	new appls, repainted tile fls, countertops, great!	600

UPPER CORNER 2/1.5 OR 2 BATH

WINDSOR J	furn, ceramic tile, garden, beauty	750
CAMBRIDGE D	furnished, carpet, dishwasher	750
NORWICH I	furn, carpet, near Clubhouse & Fitness	650
GOLF'S EDGE E	w/lift, carpet, furn, near pool	800
SOUTHAMPTON B	furn, nr pool, cpt, elev building	700
BEDFORD C	mirrored walls in LR, queen beds, scr patio	750
WALTHAM A	furn, cook island, central AC	700
NORWICH L	PT furn, CT redone completely	800
NORWICH H	furn, carpet, tile, near E-Gate	850
COVENTRY A	furn, pergo, carpet, ceiling fans	800
SHEFFIELD O	beautiful! extra clean cul-de-sac	750
COVENTRY E	furnished inside corner	750
CHATHAM K	newly redone	775
WALTHAM D	gardenview, new AC, fresh painted	850
WINDSOR C	furn/unfurn, waterview, nr W-Gate	700
NORWICH C	totally redone kit, nr E-Gate, furn	700

UPPER CORNER 1/1.5

NORWICH I	furn/unfurn, cats welcome	500
NORWICH C	carpet, furn, gardenview	575
NORTHAMPTON A	furn, AC, CT, gardenview	600
CAMDEN I	carpet, furn, near pool	575
NORTHAMPTON N	furn, cul-de-sac, cpt, CA	660
CANTERBURY C	furn, 1st mo free w/12 mo lease	575
SALISBURY F	furn, nr E-Gate, Clubhouse, clean	525
SUSSEX B	cnr unit, furn, beauty!	650
NORTHAMPTON B	furnished and waterview	650

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1ST FLOOR CORNER 1/1.5 BATH

WALTHAM C	3 mo @1,375/4 mo @	1,250
SHEFFIELD F	cpt, furn	1,200

2ND FLOOR 1 BED 1/1.5 BATH

SALISBURY F		900
NORWICH C		1,000
NORTHAMPTON R		975

2ND FLOOR 2 BED 1.5 BATH

CAMBRIDGE A		1,200
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2ND FLOOR CORNER 2 BED/1.5 BATH

WINDSOR J	furn, ceramic tile, beauty! queen bed	1,150
DORCHESTER C	furnished, carpet, gardenview	1,250
NORWICH H		1,200
SOUTHAMPTON B	carpet w/lift	1,200
COVENTRY A	cpt, wd flrs, furn	1,200
COVENTRY E		1,100
WALTHAM A		1,100

2ND FLOOR CORNER 1 BED 1.5 BATH

NORWICH I		900
NORWICH O	carpet	1,200
SUSSEX B		1,200
WINDSOR I		1,200

2ND FLOOR 1 BED/1 BATH

SALISBURY G	carpet and ceramic tile	1,200
WINDSOR Q		1,100

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SALISBURY G		1,125
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Kent D – Seasonal rental bldg.	\$38,900
Kent H – Newer appliances, a/c 5 yrs old, close to pool.	\$39,900

2 Beds/ 1.5 Baths

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Canterbury G – Seasonal rentable bldg.	\$63,900
Coventry F – Pet friendly bldg. Rare Find!!!	\$47,900
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Dorchester D – Next to the pool, bright and will take offers.	\$47,900
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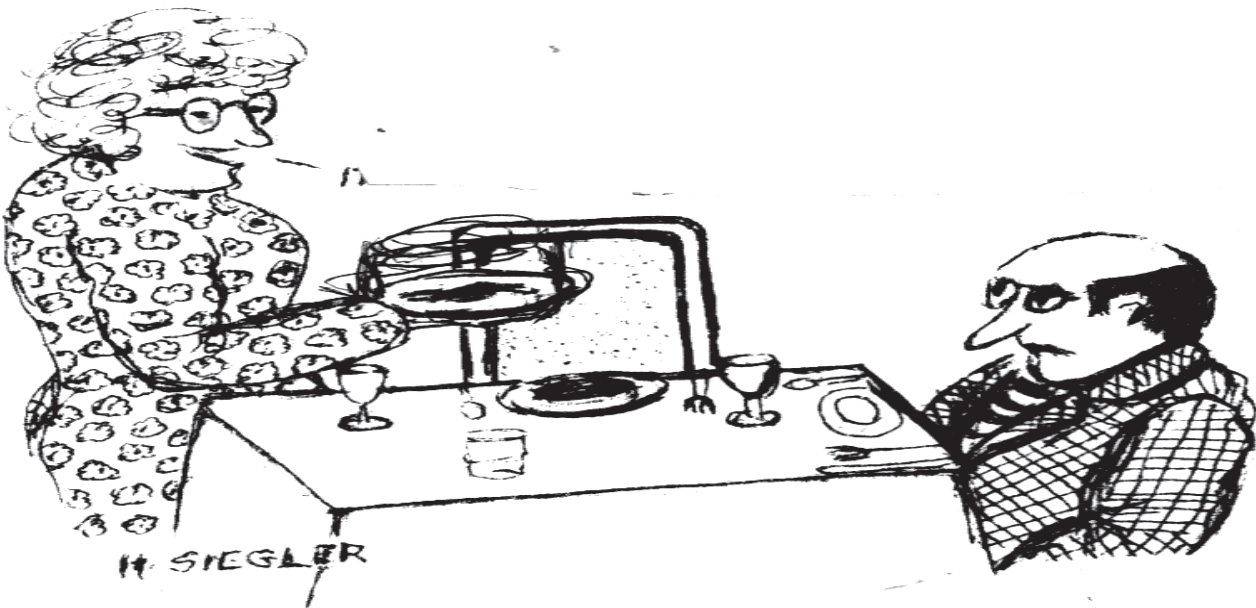
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When things go wrong as
they sometimes will
When the road you're
trudging seems all uphill
When the funds are low and
the debts are high
And you want to smile but
you have to sigh.
When care is pressing you
down a bit
Rest if you must, but don't
you quit!
Life is queer with its twists
and turns
And everyone of us
sometime learns
That many a fellow turned
about
When he might have had
stuck it out
Don't give up thought the
pace is slow
You may succeed with one
more blow
Success is failure turned
inside out
The silver tint to the cloud of
doubt
And you never can tell how
close you are
It may be near when it seems
so far.
So stick to the fight when
you're hardest hit
It's when things seem worst
that you mustn't quit.

From the Internet

Safety

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(lights). Please be careful.
The next item I would like
to discuss is also something
that happened to me personally
and again could cause injury
to an individual. I was doing
my cardio walk the other
morning when all of a sudden
a neighbor opened his front
door right into me. The door
struck me in the foot and head.
Wow! What a hit I took. I
limped back to my unit and
had to use an ice pack for over
two hours on my right foot.
Now, I understand that these
doors installed years ago were
to code of the time. Because of
hurricanes, doors **had** to open
outward, not inward. I under-
stand this is no longer code.
Point I am making, folks,
when you are opening your
door, if someone is walking by
your unit, please think about this
before heading out. Open your
door slowly so as not to catch
anyone by surprise. Trust me,
you can get hurt. Take that extra
moment to be sure you have a
clear path for opening your door.
Some residents are very frail and
this could really cause a serious
injury. I would suggest to resi-
dents to try to stay as close to
the railings as possible; that way,
you stand less of a chance of
being struck by a door. □



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abled a significant reduction in crew, projected to be 361.

The ship provides three vehicle decks of 25,402 ft² and two cargo holds with 25,548 ft³ for bulk cargo and ammunition magazines in addition to 1,234 m³ for cargo fuel. Accommodation is provided for two LCAC (Landing Craft Air Cushioned), 700 troops and 14 of the new Advanced Amphibious Assault Vehicles (AAAV) vehicles. Each LCAC is capable of carrying 60 t of cargo and vehicles, including the M1A2 Abrams tank, at speeds of up to 40 kt.

The ship's Advanced Enclosed Mast / Sensor (AEM/S) system consists of two large eight-sided structures, which house the radar and communications antennae with a hybrid frequency-selective surface. As well as reducing the ship's radar cross section, the AEM/S system also protects the equipment from exposure to the elements.

Aircraft

At the stern of the ship the landing deck is able to accommodate two Sikorsky CH-53E Sea Stallion helicopters, six Bell AH-1W Super Cobra helicopters, four Boeing CH-46 Sea Knight helicopters or two Boeing Bell MV-22 Osprey tilt-rotor aircraft. The hangar deck provides aviation maintenance facilities and is sufficiently large to accommodate one Sea Stallion, two Sea Knight, three Super Cobra helicopters or one MV-22 Osprey tilt-rotor aircraft. The hangar doors are constructed by Indal Technologies. Each blast-resistant door weighs 18,000kg and has three horizontal folding panels. USS San Antonio began flight operations testing with the V-22 Osprey tilt-rotor and CH-46 Sea Knight helicopter in June 2006.

Weapon Systems

Two Mark 31 Mod 0 launchers are capable of launching the fire-and-forget Raytheon Rolling Airframe Missile (RAM). The RAM (RIM 116) surface-to-air missile has dual-mode radio frequency/infra-red guidance and is designed to engage anti-ship missiles. It has a range of 8 km. Space and weight provision has been made for the future fitting of a vertical launcher for the Evolved Seasparrow Missile (ESSM) if required.

The ship is equipped with two Mk 46 Mod 1 30 mm guns for close-in surface self-defense. The Mk 46 is a dual-axis stabilized chain gun with a fir-

ing rate of up to 250 rounds/min. The fire director includes a thermal imager, low-light TV camera and laser rangefinder, with a closed-loop tracking system. The gun can be operated locally at the gun turret or remotely in the combat information centre. Additional armament includes two Mark 26 Mod 18 50-calibre machine guns.

SSDS (Ship Self Defence System)

San Antonio is one of the classes of vessels planned to receive the SSDS (Ship Self Defense System) Mk 2 being developed by Raytheon for the US Navy. SSDS will be an integration of all the ship's self-defense systems and will include multi-function radar, Advanced Integrated Electronic Warfare System and Infrared Search and Track system (IRST). LPD 22, the sixth of the class, is scheduled to be the first ship to receive the complete system, which will be retrofitted to the rest of the class. SSDS is also to be fitted to the US Navy projected new carriers (CVN 76) and destroyers (DD-X). The ship is equipped with a fibre-optic Shipboard Wide Area Network (SWAN) from Raytheon, which connects ship systems, sensors and combat systems to the ship's command consoles. In February 2004, Harris Corporation was awarded a contract to provide high-frequency (HF) radio broadband communications systems for the San Antonio Class.

Countermeasures

The ship is equipped with the AN/SLQ-25A Nixie towed decoy system, from Sensytech Inc of Newington, Virginia, and the Mk 53 Nulka decoy launching system, developed by the Australian Defence Science and Technology Organisation in Canberra and Lockheed Martin Sippican in Massachusetts. Nulka is a hovering rocket system, which seduces incoming missiles away from the ship.

The Raytheon AN/SLQ-32A (V) 2 ESM (Electronic Support Measures) system is a detection and jamming system which provides surveillance, warning and electronic countermeasures against missile attack. LPD 22 and later vessels will be fitted with the Advanced Integrated Electronic Warfare System (AIEWS).

Sensors

The ship's radars include: ITT AN/SPS-48E three-dimensional air search radar operating at C/D band, Lockheed

Martin AN/APQ-9B surface surveillance and tracking radar operating at I band, Raytheon AN/SPS-64(V)9 navigation radar operating at I band and two Northrop Grumman Norden Systems AN/SPS-73 surface search radar operating at I-band.

Propulsion

The ship is powered by four Colt-Pielstick 2.5 STC diesel engines developing 10,400 hp each. The main reduction

gears from Philadelphia Gear Corp turn two shafts with Bird Johnson controllable pitch propellers. A new high-power "low-drag" propeller hub design provides improved propeller efficiency. The ship's electrical power is provided by five 2,500kW Caterpillar Ship Service Diesel Generators (SSDG), with self-cleaning strainers and filters and electric pumps. Seven 200 t York air-conditioning units are fit-

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Things to Do Now

- Review your insurance policy.
- Register with the Emergency Management program if you must depend on electricity for your life support in any manner. Example: oxygen, refrigeration for insulin, etc.
- If you want to install shutters, speak with your Association President. Storm panels are recommended. (Note: Century Village is not an evacuation area. Our buildings and our area are considered very safe in a hurricane.)
- If you are leaving for the hurricane season, remove or secure all items on your patio. Take them inside. Remember, it is not the wind that destroys, but the objects the wind throws around that causes destruction.
- Select a safe room in your apartment, away from windows and doors and all flying debris. Example: Use your bathroom if it has no windows, or a hallway.
- Check stair lights and emergency lights on building.

Things to Do One or Two Days Before the Storm

- Remove all patio furniture. Install your shutters.
- Remove recyclable containers to your laundry room and secure your Dumpsters. Tie down lids.
- Fill your car's gasoline tank.
- Turn your refrigerator and freezer to its coldest settings and freeze water in plastic jugs. They will keep food colder longer, if electricity goes off, and when thawed out, can be used for drinking.
- Wear your Medic Alert tag.
- Clean your bathtub and then fill with water for sanitary purposes. This is not for drinking.
- Place all your valuables, such as treasured pictures, personal papers, insurance papers, etc., in waterproof containers or plastic garbage bags. Store them on the top shelf of the closet. Also wills, contracts, deeds and bonds, passports, Social Security cards, bank accounts, immunization cards, birth certificates, etc.
- Secure checkbook, cash, ATM card. Do not leave valuables in a home safe during the hurricane.

Kit Check List

- Water — the most important! One gallon per person, per day. Portable cooler.
- Packaged foods — canned meats, fruits, vegetables, juices, milk, soup, sugar, salt, pepper, peanut butter, jelly, crackers, granola bars, cookies, hard candy, sweetened cereals, instant coffee, tea bags.
- Manual can opener (not one operated by electricity).
- Toiletries — toilet paper, soap, feminine supplies, denture needs, extra eye-glasses.
- First aid kit — bandages, gauze pads, tape, scissors, tweezers, needles, anti-septic, safety pins, sunscreen, aspirin.
- Battery operated radio and extra batteries, for flashlights, etc. and charge rechargeable batteries.
- Eating utensils — paper cups, plates, plastic knives and forks.
- Extra medicine — prescriptions.
- Flashlights. Matches. Candles.
- Plastic trash bags — to store many of the items in this section.
- Change of clothing. Gloves. Mosquito repellent.

During the Hurricane

- Stay in your safe room or hallway.
- Close and stay away from all windows.
- If electricity goes off, use only flashlights during the storm.
- Keep on your person at all times keys to home and car, driver's license, cash.
- Bring into the safe room a pillow or mattress in case you need to cover yourself from flying debris. Also, bring in as many items from the hurricane list as you can — especially drinking water.
- If no electricity, use your battery-operated radio and tune in to FM 100.7 Y-100; 107.9 WIRK; 102.3 WHLG; AM 1290 WBZT; 1450 WSTV. Don't listen to rumors. Get the truth from the radio.

After the Hurricane

- Stay tuned to the radio for instructions.
- Don't use the telephone, unless you have a life-threatening emergency.
- Don't drink tap water unless you are told it is OK. Boil the water for five minutes before using.
- Do not refreeze thawed out food. If electricity is out, try store foods in freezer compartment.
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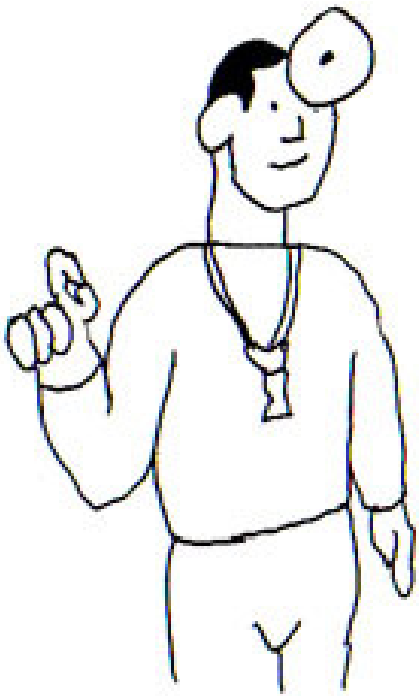
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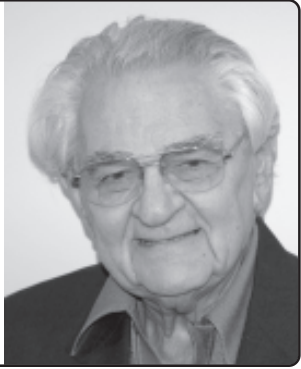
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**The Aftermath — the
“After-Math”**

I read with interest and somewhat less enthusiasm the then outgoing UCO President's "Farewell Address" (*UCO Reporter*, August issue, page one).

He indeed was elected in March 2008 by a 75% majority. Let me say this though: U.S. Presidents get elected sometimes in what could be called a landslide, but this does not mean that they can tinker with or ignore the Constitution.

The same holds true where UCO is concerned, whose President is bound to act in accordance with its bylaws.

I will not get into a debate about the Sunshine Law. The Delegate Assembly has spoken with a remarkable majority vote — once again — objecting to attempts to curtail its true intent and meaning.

I object to calling the opposition an "anti-faction." In any democracy, there is always a party in power and there is that group of concerned citizens who truly believe that the administration's ways are wrong and they, "the opposition," have the right, indeed the obligation, to challenge them.

Let me now address "the second coming of George."

In the August 1, 2008 elections, George Loewenstein got 104 votes, David Israel 90 and Phyllis Richland 51, for a total of 245 votes cast. After the tumultuous recent events of a mishandled meeting of the Delegate Assembly by one of the Vice Presidents, and the subsequent resignation of him and the President, it was surprising that the winner and the major runner-up were only divided by 14 votes.

Taking into account the total number of votes cast — 245 — the winner ended up with less than 43%, while the combined opposition gathered 57%. This does not change the results, with George being UCO President again, but it should make him less authoritarian, more strict in following UCO's bylaws and more open to suggestions by the opposition (and not the "anti-fac-

tion") which has the well-being and progress of Century Village at heart, just as he.

Still: 43% is not 75% — a loss of 32% in four months.

Let me say a few words about Phyllis Richland. Heaven knows I did not always agree with her, but I always considered her well-meaning and devoted to this community in many a way, a true asset we cannot afford to lose.

Of the two newly elected Vice Presidents, I do not know Jerry Karpf, except from his outstanding efforts in mainte-

nance. I wish him the best of luck and much success in his new position. Ken Davis was always one of the mainstays of UCO in many different ways. After a pause, he is back, and I am certain he will be an outstanding Vice President. Good to have you back!

Let me end this column by suggesting to the members of the administration and the opposition to stop bickering, to forget what occurred in the recent — and not to regret — past and cooperate for the good of the Village. □

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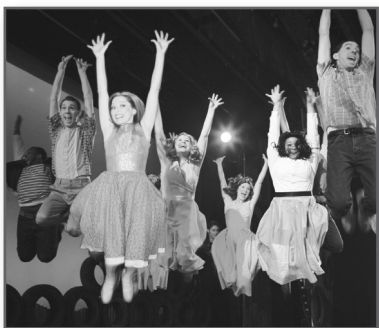


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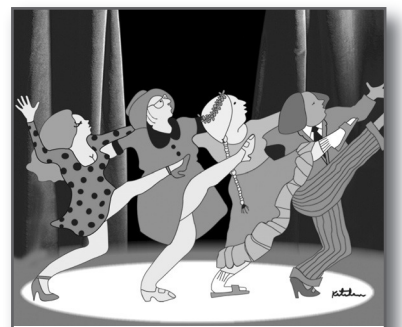
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If you are over 60 years of age and have concerns about growing older and are not sure where to turn for answers then 2-1-1 Elder HelpLine is your starting point for local information and referral on community programs and services.

2-1-1 Elder HelpLine connects seniors to such services as meals on wheels, transportation, health care, caregiver resources, in home services, legal services, insurance help, educational and volunteer opportunities, support groups and so much more. There are over 4,000 programs and services they have information on and all this information can be accessed by dialing three digits, 2-1-1.

2-1-1 Elder HelpLine is toll free, confidential, anonymous and non-judgmental. Its goal is to make sure that you only have one number to dial in order to get valuable information that can help you. This information is available for seniors,

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you were diligent, and this is a first step toward an investigation (if there ever is one).

But here’s what is perhaps most important of all:

- Call the three national credit reporting organizations immediately to place a fraud alert on your name and Social Security number. I have never heard of doing that until advised by a bank that called to tell me an application for credit was made over the Internet in my name. The alert means any company that checks your credit knows your information was stolen, and they have to contact you by phone to authorize new credit.
- Here are the numbers you always need to contact about your wallet, etc., if it has been stolen:
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- Experian (formerly TRW): 1-888-397-3742
- Trans Union: 1-800-680-7289
- Social Security Administration (fraud line): 1-800-269-0271

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caregivers, spouses, children, neighbors, friends, family members, physicians, social workers and anyone who has questions about services for seniors.

2-1-1 Elder HelpLine is also available if you just need someone to talk to.

211 Palm Beach/Treasure Coast, which operates the 2-1-1 Elder HelpLine, is in its fourth decade of service of providing a team of specially trained paid and volunteer staff to assist callers with information and referral services, crisis counseling and suicide intervention, 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

Anyone in Palm Beach County and the Treasure Coast can call 2-1-1 for a phone number to a community program or to talk over a problem.

Each call is different and every call is responded to by an empathetic, caring specialist.

Our website is www.211palmbeach.org or www.211treasurecoast.org and our out-of-area phone number is (561) 383-1111.

There are two additional programs at 211 Palm Beach/Treasure Coast that are extremely important for seniors to be aware of:

Sunshine — a free daily telephone reassurance program that is designed to check by telephone on the well-being of seniors, the homebound, or disabled. Sunshine service is provided seven days a week between the hours of 7:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. Sunshine clients can pick the days and times they would like to be called, as

well has how many times a day they would like to receive a phone call. The phone calls are a daily social call but also can serve as a reminder to take medications, eat lunch or even monitor blood pressure and blood sugar levels. Anyone interested in receiving a Sunshine call should call 2-1-1 or (561) 383-1117 to start the Sunshine service. Volunteers are also needed to make the Sunshine calls from our Lantana based office, anyone interested in volunteering is asked to call 2-1-1 for more information on this valuable service.

Elder Crisis Outreach — is devoted to providing supportive crisis counseling, comprehensive needs assessment, linkage to community services

and advocacy with family or service providers. This service is provided free of charge for up to three months.

The whole goal of the programs and services of 211 Palm Beach/Treasure Coast is to make sure that no seniors fall through the cracks so that when an elder picks up the phone and dials 2-1-1, they are either connected to agencies that can help them solve their problems or referred to an in house program like Sunshine or Elder Crisis Outreach that reduces isolation and advocates on behalf of the senior.

All seniors in Palm Beach County and the Treasure Coast should be aware of the only number to dial, anytime, day or night for information on available programs and services, 2-1-1. □

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this initiative, share
your thoughts, and
demand action. Only
by pulling together can
we restore Florida’s
promise and provide
Florida’s citizens with
tools and opportunities
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stages of life.



Florida’s People
Florida’s Promise

Will Florida’s safety net be there for you?

In today’s uncertain times, Florida’s most vulnerable families are teetering on the edge of disaster. Revenue losses and a slowing economy are leaving The Sunshine State’s most vulnerable citizens in the dark. Our children, the elderly, and those with special needs were hit hard by budget cuts in 2008 – and deeper cuts could be coming in 2009.

Could you find yourself needing help?

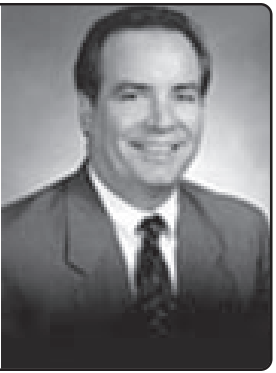
There ARE alternatives to simply slashing what remains of our families’ safety net. But to protect Florida’s quality of life, business climate and those most vulnerable, Florida’s leaders must consider new ideas.

Now, a broad coalition of respected groups – representing children, elders, taxpayers, and others – is demanding that Florida’s elected officials find fresh, wise, and cost-effective solutions.

- What:** Town Hall Meeting – Florida’s People – Florida’s Promise
- When:** 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Thursday, September 18, 2008
- Where:** Raymond F. Kravis Center (Cohen Pavillion)
701 Okeechobee Boulevard
West Palm Beach, FL 33401

For more information, please go to www.floridaspeople.org

From the Desk of Commissioner Jeff Koons



A Sparkling Example of Teamwork

In 1998, Palm Beach County adopted a long-range initiative to clean up the Lake Worth Lagoon (LWL). As we mark the 10-year anniversary of the Lake Worth Lagoon Management Plan, I would like to acknowledge the outstanding progress being made toward restoring and managing this 20-mile-long urban estuary, which provides habitat for native plants, fish and wildlife, as well as recreational and economic benefits to our residents and visitors.

My sincere thanks to the dedicated staff at the Department of Environmental Resources Management (ERM) and to our many partners over the years, which include the Florida Department of Environmental Protection, South Florida Water Management District, Florida Inland Navigation District, West Palm Beach Fishing Club, Port of Palm Beach, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission and the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Affairs.

At our July 22, 2008 Board of County Commissioners meeting, Rep. Mary Brandenburg presented a check in the amount of \$500,000 in state funding, one of many appropriations local lawmakers have lobbied for to help protect this beautiful waterway. To date, a total of \$54.3 million has been committed for 43 restoration and enhancement projects. Of that, \$17 million in grants and \$37.4 million in matching local dollars has been awarded.

Some of the more notable restoration projects include environmental and recreational enhancements on Peanut Island and creation of the Snook Islands Natural Area. Created from spoil material that was removed from Peanut Island, the Snook Islands project has resulted in more than 100 acres of new habitat. The site features a new boardwalk system, a fishing pier and floating docks.

ERM is working with the City of West Palm Beach to cre-

ate a similar natural area known as South Cove along the downtown waterfront. This project will involve filling in a deep dredge hole that's been collecting muck for more than 75 years. We will fill in the pit, raise the elevation to promote the growth of sea grasses, deposit rock for oyster reefs, and create some new mangrove islands.

At nearby Ibis Isle (Town of Palm Beach), a deep muck deposit is being capped to encourage sea grass growth over an eight-acre area. A little further south at John's Island, 5,000 tons of limestone rubble

will create a new oyster reef.

Along the shoreline and on various natural and man-made islands within the lagoon, harmful exotic trees and shrubs have been removed and replaced with mangroves and other native vegetation. There are also new artificial reefs, breakwaters, and restored wetlands and tidal ponds.

But not all the LWL improvements actually take place within the waterway. Watershed improvements such as stormwater treatment and septic tank retrofits and sediment removal projects — many in partnership with local municipalities — are playing key roles in cleansing freshwater before it enters the lagoon.

Palm Beach County Engineering is managing such a project in the Glen Ridge/Cloud Lake area. It reduces sediment runoff from the Stub Canal into the C-51 Canal, which discharges di-

rectly into the LWL. A recently completed dredging project between the county, the South Florida Water Management District and the City of West Palm Beach near the city's municipal golf course has significantly improved water quality in that section of the C-51. We expect this effort to result in an increase in sea grasses and the fish that feed on them.

I'm very excited about how well the restoration of the Lake Worth Lagoon is going, but it's far from finished. Please tell your state and federal legislators that we need their continued support. As always, I welcome your comments and suggestions. Please feel free to contact me or my staff at 355-2206. □



Celebrate with a Dance

Anyone attending a special celebration and bringing food, birthday cakes, etc. to the dance must obtain permission from Jennifer at the ticket office. The area for any setup will be limited to the three rear tables on the right side of the entrance room. No electrical outlets may be used. Make your reservations early!

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CV BUS SCHEDULE EFFECTIVE OCT. 1, 2008

Internal Bus Route #1																
Clubhouse	8:00	9:00	10:00	11:00	12:00	1:00	2:00	3:00	4:00	5:00	6:00	7:00	8:00	9:00	10:00	
Dover	8:02	9:02	10:02	11:02	D r i v e r s L u n c h	1:02	2:02	3:02	4:02	5:02	6:02	7:02	8:02	9:02	10:02	
Somerset	8:03	9:03	10:03	11:03		1:03	2:03	3:03	4:03	5:03	6:03	7:03	8:03	9:03	10:03	
Berkshire	8:04	9:04	10:04	11:04		1:04	2:04	3:04	4:04	5:04	6:04	7:04	8:04	9:04	10:04	
Camden	8:07	9:07	10:07	11:07		1:07	2:07	3:07	4:07	5:07	6:07	7:07	8:07	9:07	10:07	
Windsor	8:09	9:09	10:09	11:09		1:09	2:09	3:09	4:09	5:09	6:09	7:09	8:09	9:09	10:09	
Humana-Wachovia Bank	8:11	9:11	10:11	11:11		1:11	2:11	3:11	4:11	5:11	Except Saturday and Sunday					
Wellington L & M	8:12	9:12	10:12	11:12		1:12	2:12	3:12	4:12	5:12	6:12	7:12	8:12	9:12	10:12	
Wellington Circle	8:13	9:13	10:13	11:13		1:13	2:13	3:13	4:13	5:13	6:13	7:13	8:13	9:13	10:13	
Andover	8:16	9:16	10:16	11:16		1:16	2:16	3:16	4:16	5:16	6:16	7:16	8:16	9:16	10:16	
Kingswood	8:21	9:21	10:21	11:21		1:21	2:21	3:21	4:21	5:21	6:21	7:21	8:21	9:21	10:21	
Hastings Fitness Center	8:25	9:25	10:25	11:25		1:25	2:25	3:25	4:25							
Medical Building	8:28	9:28	10:28	11:28		1:28	2:28	3:28	4:28	5:28						
Clubhouse	8:30	9:30	10:30	11:30		1:30	2:30	3:30	4:30	5:30	6:30	7:30	8:30	9:30	10:30	
Publix	8:35	9:35	10:35	11:35		1:35	2:35	3:35	4:35	Drivers' Dinner	6:35	7:35	8:35			
Clubhouse	8:45	9:45	10:45	11:45		1:45	2:45	3:45	4:45		6:45	7:45	8:45			

Internal Bus Route #2																
Clubhouse	8:00	9:00	10:00	11:00	12:00	1:00	2:00	3:00	4:00	5:00	6:00	7:00	8:00	9:00	10:00	
Plymouth	8:02	9:02	10:02	11:02	D r i v e r s L u n c h	1:02	2:02	3:02	4:02	5:02	6:02	7:02	8:02	9:02	10:02	
Sheffield E	8:04	9:04	10:04	11:04		1:04	2:04	3:04	4:04	5:04	6:04	7:04	8:04	9:04	10:04	
Chatham	8:06	9:06	10:06	11:06		1:06	2:06	3:06	4:06	5:06	6:06	7:06	8:06	9:06	10:06	
Kent	8:08	9:08	10:08	11:08		1:08	2:08	3:08	4:08	5:08	6:08	7:08	8:08	9:08	10:08	
Northampton	8:11	9:11	10:11	11:11		1:11	2:11	3:11	4:11	5:11	6:11	7:11	8:11	9:11	10:11	
Sussex	8:13	9:13	10:13	11:13		1:13	2:13	3:13	4:13	5:13	6:13	7:13	8:13	9:13	10:13	
Canterbury	8:15	9:15	10:15	11:15		1:15	2:15	3:15	4:15	5:15	6:15	7:15	8:15	9:15	10:15	
Cambridge	8:16	9:16	10:16	11:16		1:16	2:16	3:16	4:16	5:16	6:16	7:16	8:16	9:16	10:16	
Dorchester	8:18	9:18	10:18	11:18		1:18	2:18	3:18	4:18	5:18	6:18	7:18	8:18	9:18	10:18	
Oxford	8:21	9:21	10:21	11:21		1:21	2:21	3:21	4:21	5:21	6:21	7:21	8:21	9:21	10:21	
Stratford	8:22	9:22	10:22	11:22		1:22	2:22	3:22	4:22	5:22	6:22	7:22	8:22	9:22	10:22	
Sheffield	8:23	9:23	10:23	11:23		1:23	2:23	3:23	4:23	5:23	6:23	7:23	8:23	9:23	10:23	
Hastings Fitness Center	8:25	9:25	10:25	11:25		1:25	2:25	3:25	4:25	5:25	6:25	7:25	8:25	9:25	10:25	
Coventry	8:27	9:27	10:27	11:27		1:27	2:27	3:27	4:27	5:27	6:27	7:27	8:27	9:27	10:27	
Medical Building	8:29	9:29	10:29	11:29		1:29	2:29	3:29	4:29	5:29						
Clubhouse	8:30	9:30	10:30	11:30		1:30	2:30	3:30	4:30	5:30	6:30	7:30	8:30	9:30	10:30	
Publix	8:35	9:35	10:35	11:35		1:35	2:35	3:35	4:35	Drivers' Dinner						
Clubhouse	8:45	9:45	10:45	11:45		1:45	2:45	3:45	4:45							

Please Note: On Sundays Only the #2 Bus will do a loop around the perimeter drive after going through Coventry.

Internal Bus Route #3																
Clubhouse	8:00	9:00	10:00	11:00	12:00	1:00	2:00	3:00	4:00	5:00	6:00	7:00	8:00	9:00	10:00	
Bedford B	8:02	9:02	10:02	11:02	D r i v e r s L u n c h	1:02	2:02	3:02	4:02	5:02	6:02	7:02	8:02	9:02	10:02	
Greenbrier	8:03	9:03	10:03	11:03		1:03	2:03	3:03	4:03	5:03	6:03	7:03	8:03	9:03	10:03	
Southampton	8:05	9:05	10:05	11:05		1:05	2:05	3:05	4:05	5:05	6:05	7:05	8:05	9:05	10:05	
Bedford C	8:08	9:08	10:08	11:08		1:08	2:08	3:08	4:08	5:08	6:08	7:08	8:08	9:08	10:08	
Golf's Edge	8:10	9:10	10:10	11:10		1:10	2:10	3:10	4:10	5:10	6:10	7:10	8:10	9:10	10:10	
Coventry	8:12	9:12	10:12	11:12		1:12	2:12	3:12	4:12	5:12	6:12	7:12	8:12	9:12	10:12	
Norwich	8:14	9:14	10:14	11:14		1:14	2:14	3:14	4:14	5:14	6:14	7:14	8:14	9:14	10:14	
Salisbury	8:17	9:17	10:17	11:17		1:17	2:17	3:17	4:17	5:17	6:17	7:17	8:17	9:17	10:17	
Waltham	8:18	9:18	10:18	11:18		1:18	2:18	3:18	4:18	5:18	6:18	7:18	8:18	9:18	10:18	
Easthampton	8:20	9:20	10:20	11:20		1:20	2:20	3:20	4:20	5:20	6:20	7:20	8:20	9:20	10:20	
Hastings Fitness Center	8:25	9:25	10:25	11:25		1:25	2:25	3:25	4:25							
Medical Building	8:28	9:28	10:28	11:28		1:28	2:28	3:28	4:28	5:28						
Clubhouse	8:30	9:30	10:30	11:30		1:30	2:30	3:30	4:30	5:30	6:30	7:30	8:30	9:30	10:30	
Publix	8:35	9:35	10:35	11:35		1:35	2:35	3:35	4:35	Drivers' Dinner						
Clubhouse	8:45	9:45	10:45	11:45		1:45	2:45	3:45	4:45							

Please Note: BY REQUEST ONLY - All Buses will go around the perimeter drive at 11:45 am prior to the bus drivers taking their lunch breaks.

Shuttle Bus Route																					
Perimeter Drive																					
Clubhouse							9:00	10:00	11:00	12:00		12:45									
Morse Home Drop off					Tuesday & Thursday					D r i v e r s L u n c h		1:04									
Post Office Drop off					Tuesday & Thursday									3:04							
Salon 27							9:04	10:04	11:04			1:06	2:06	3:06	4:06						
Library							9:07	10:07	11:07			1:07	2:07	3:07	4:07						
Humana							9:10	10:10	11:10			1:10	2:10	3:10	4:10						
Walmart Supermarket							9:16	10:16	11:16			1:16	2:16	3:16	4:16						
Century Plaza							9:22	10:22	11:22			1:22	2:22	3:22	4:22						
Emporium Shoppes							9:26	10:26	11:26			1:26	2:26	3:26	4:26						
Baby Supermarket							9:29	10:29	11:29			1:29	2:29	3:29	4:29						
Morse Home Pickup					Tuesday & Thursday									3:30							
Post Office Pickup					Tuesday & Thursday									3:33							
Perimeter Drive						On Request						On Request									
Clubhouse							9:45	10:45	11:45			1:45	2:45	3:45	4:45						

Please be at your bus stop 10 minutes before your pickup time.

Please be Prepared to Show the Bus Driver Your Century Village ID When Boarding ALL External Buses

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Mail Bus Route																
Clubhouse		9:00	10:00	11:00	12:00	1:00	2:00	3:00	4:00	5:00	** 5 PM MALL BUS RUNS ON SATURDAY ONLY **	The Holiday bus will run on New Year's Day, July 4th, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day.				
Jewish Comm. Center		9:05	10:05		D r i v e r s L u n c h											
Pine Trail Square								4:07	5:07							
K-Mart		9:13	10:13	11:10		1:10	2:10	3:10	4:10	5:10						
Church		9:20	10:20	11:17		1:17	2:17	3:17	4:17	5:17						
Palm Beach Mall		9:24	10:24	11:24		1:24	2:24	3:24	4:24	5:24						
Village Commons		9:29	10:29	11:29		1:29	2:29	3:29	4:29	5:29						
Jewish Comm. Center		9:40	10:40	11:40												
Clubhouse		9:45	10:45	11:45		1:45	2:45	3:45	4:45	5:45						

Express Bus Route		
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