



The Breeze



March Board meetings a short synopsis

March 3rd – Annual Meeting

Great meeting at 9am on March 3rd.!!! Our Board does try their best to keep us informed, led by President George Manton. New process of vote counting went well. Pie charts provided by George and Treasurer Jim Crews were well received. Re-elected board members, Jim Crews & Jane Duffy and newly elected, Brad Dresser, were installed for the next 3-year terms. Paul Rodriguez was thanked and recognized for his past work on the board. As the vote for amending the by-laws need a 2/3 majority of all residents, it did not pass. Two rules, 1 concerning skirting of homes and 1 regarding vermin control were passed- these votes were posted after the meeting.

March 6

All nine board members present. February financial statement are posted. Some extra maintenance items – Front sign, cleaned and posts painted – Pavilion, roof cleaned and fan and light installed -Rental units being skirted/screened – Well pump at pool replaced All legal and financial professionals were retained, board reminded that legal counsel must be approved by a board officer

March 20

Treasurer signed off on taxes prepared by Vernon & Vernon, requested & received depreciation schedule—Two new golf carts purchased from Reserve Account

Maintenance checked pool heater, was set at 87 degrees but with the cold nights it can't keep up

Paving scheduled April 24-25th, areas involved, Units # 94-149, 202-217,113-122

Manton asked that all ad hoc committee's tasks be completed before last meeting in May

Letters were sent to owner of 274-275. With no visible improvement in either property, motion was made and approved to proceed with daily fining of \$100 a day until standards have been met or 10 day maximum has occurred





Duffy, Dail, Manton and Crews

2018-2019 Board Responsibilities

Crews **Treasurer**, accounting oversight, office supervision, head of rental unit oversight and development group (with Dail & King)

Dail Head of maintenance (with King & Mosher), support new units entering the park, rental unit oversight and development

Dresser Home improvement approval, security, home inspections

Duffy Phone book liaison, ad hoc and special projects, web site enhancements, external organizations liaison



Dresser, Leggett, King

Jerney **Secretary**, Record keeping, archive maintenance, meeting notifications

King Head of new units entering the park (with Dail), support maintenance, rental unit oversight and development, approves trailer/RV/boat parking in picnic area

Leggett **Vice-President**, Rec Club liaison, ad hoc and special projects, certificate transfer review



Moshers, Jerme

Manton President, (Assistant Treasurer), corporate governance and management, ex-officio liaison to all committees, bank reconciliation, ISS

Moshers Home improvement approval, security, home inspections, certificate transfer review, summer liaison (including support maintenance during the summer months)



ALL FAITHS FOOD BANK NEEDS YOU

(That Time is Here Again)

As you clear out that pantry for the year, remember “ALL FAITH’S FOOD BANK” and their summer needs. Should you have any unopened cans or food you are unable to use, you can help! The food box is located in the Rec Hall and will be delivered to the AFFB Center on April 19th. Questions? Call Don or Shirley Langlois – 922-9547



ROY INGHAM

Roy Ingham, Unit #230 has written a play that will be presented for your enjoyment on Wednesday, April 4th, at 7PM in the Recreation Hall. At 93 years of age he continues to create – no letting age keep him back! He’s a retired professor from FSU in Tallahassee; his subject – Adult Education. Roy moved to Southwinds to be near his daughter and granddaughter who live nearby. Writing is just one of Mr. Ingham’s passions and talents. He is a beautiful potter, making functional art, including pots and teapots, and also does clay sculptures. He’s a competitive swimmer. Come, Wednesday evening, and enjoy an evening with several of our talented residents who will be bringing Roy’s words to life. Get the chance to talk to our own long- time resident and Southwinds’ author



Southwinds Premiere Showing OVERDOSING ON INTELLECT

A Playing — with Ideas Format

You are cordially invited to attend a performance of overdosing on intellect, on Wednesday April 4 2018, 7:00 pm, in Recreation center. Admission—Free

The Format has two parts .

Part 1 is a theatrical reading in which the idea (s) are presented and their good and bad features discussed.

Part 2 provides members of the audience with an opportunity to discuss the idea (s) presented in Part 1; to ask questions, and comment on the merits of this format.

The “unthinkable thought “put forth in this playing with ideas, **Overdosing on Intellect**, emerges from the Creative evolution by the French philosopher, Henry Bergson. the question is: will human species become extinct as a result of human actions sooner than it would if extinction were brought about by non—human action, such as the collision with a large asteroid? and if human behavior were to become as influenced by the human qualities of humility, compassion, love, intuition, humor and faith, as it now is by the intellect, would the chances of the self—directed extinction human sapiens be reduced, or even eliminated?

readers

Jim Crews	(Noah Finn)
Janet Crews	(Sophie)
Keith Damschroder	(Elliott Weiss)
Diane Miller	(voice)
Janet Duffy	(Neanderthal Woman)
Jack Davidson	(Facilitator)

Author Roy Ingham Unit 230



THANK YOU, JOHN & CHARLOTTE LOCKETT AND THEIR LEPRECHAUNS!!!

What a fantastic St. Patrick’s Day here at Southwinds. The annual St. Patrick’s Parade started off our day. Then, at 1 pm a fabulous get together in our park (hosted by John Lockett & the help of his

leprechauns). Hot dogs, chips and beer & music! John tells me he has wanted to do this for years and was so happy to provide for all of his Southwinds family. He also sang a beautiful rendition of Danny Boy. On this day we were all Irish. John, we thank you. Leprechauns, we thank you for making John's dream come to fruition.

DINING

OHIO Dinner

Olive Garden, 4900 S. Tamiami Tr.
Tuesday, April 10 @ 5:30 PM
SUS in the Rec Hall
Questions – Herb & Mimi Manton#146

NORTHEAST Luncheon

Thursday, April 12, 2018
12 Noon
Connors Steak & Seafood
Westfield Mall
Everyone Always Welcome
SUS in Rec. Hall
Info: Sharon Rose 860-608-0086

PA/WV/MD Luncheon

Connor's Steak & Seafood
Thursday, April 5th, 11:30am
Westfield Mall, N
3501 S. Tamiami Trail
SUS in Rec Hall

MICHIGAN LUNCHEON

April 11 @ 12:00pm
"Gecko's Grill & Pub"
(Stickney & 41)
Last of the season
Guests invited, hope to see you there
SUS in Rec Hall
Questions? Don & Shirley922-9547



SOUTHWINDS LIBRARY

Volunteers are needed to take care of the Library while the winter Librarians are away between mid-April and early November. This should require only an hour or two each week. If several people volunteer, they can cover for each other when one of them is traveling. Please bring in any materials you wish to return or donate before April 13th. The Library cannot accept any new donations after that date. Linda McGraw 941-921-4082 Lorraine Milburn 506-647-8037



Elinor Wells and Host John Lockett



BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC – APRIL 3RD- 9AM



GREAT JOB – PINK GROUP!

Another great group of volunteers provided our residents with a beautiful picnic on a picture-perfect day. So much food and drink, a raffle, and gifts from residents & well-wishers in the community

On that note I'd like to make a few editorial comments. I am so impressed with the activism here at Southwinds. I have been here for 24 years and each year gets better than the year before. Why? Our fantastic volunteers! Did you see all of the volunteers who were recognized at our annual meeting? Were you one of them? We all lead such busy lives that we sometimes forget that it's important to give of our time and talents, but not the many residents of Southwinds. Our park is run by volunteers and they do a fabulous job, starting with our board of directors, our Rec Club board, all of the leaders of our many activities (which just keep growing) and, then, all of you who help in every way. You are the reason Southwinds is such a beautiful place to live. Thank you.

Happy Birthday!



***Happy Birthday to Theda
Connell who will be 91 on April 29th***



Herb & Mimi Manton	63 years on April 2nd
Mike & Norma Joyce	65 years on April 4 th
Woody & Johnna Dail	50 years on April 6
Donald & Janet Waldron	65 years on April 12 th
Buell & Mamie Smith	60 years on April 12 th
Larry & Yvonne Teevens	57 years on April 15 th
Howard & Mary Johnston	62 years on April 28 th



Our condolences go out to the friends and families of Harold Davies, Margaret Pence, Dick Swift, and former resident Priscilla Sprague who passed away during the month of March.

Thank you to all my Southwinds friends who offered condolences on the passing of my sister, Marilyn MacNeil. Your kind words, cards, memorial contributions and support were very much appreciated.
Sharon Currie

NO CALENDAR UNTIL THE NEW SEASON

Coffee hour	Homeowners	Saturday, April 7 th , 9am
Board Meeting		Tuesday April 3 rd , 9am
Blood Pressure Clinic		Tuesday, April 3 rd , 9am
Overdosing on Intellect		Wednesday, April 4 th , 7 pm
PA/WV/MD/ Luncheon		Thursday, April 5 th , 11:30am
Ohio Dinner		Tuesday, April 10 th , 5:30 pm
Michigan Luncheon		Wednesday, April 11, 12noon
Northeast Luncheon		Thursday, April 12 th , 12noon
Board Meeting		Tuesday, April 17 th , 9am
Coffee hour	Rec Club,	Saturday, April 21st, 9am