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WELCOME BACK

New England has a rugged, rocky, beautiful Atlantic coast line, historical cities, lovely fall leaf colors and much more but

Pennsylvania has history, beautiful countrysides and mountain areas, lots of places to visit and to see but

New York has the Big Apple, the lower mountains, many national spots to visit and sights to see but

Ohio has some great farming areas, Lake Erie, Ohio State football and much much more but

Minnesota, Michigan, Wisconsin, the midwest of the nation, with the home of automobiles, dairy products, thousands of lakes and streams, but

One can find lauditory things to say about each and every state in the union but

There just is no place like Gulf-To-Bay in Florida during the winter months, with its reputation as the friendliest place to be. May we all have another fabulous season right here with our friends!

PARK ADMINISTRATION

Warren and Jean remind us that first rental payment is due on November 1st. Please plan accordingly. Also, please note the following messages:

ATTENTION: - Starting this year the park dump truck will only be used for dumping brush. Any refrigerators, stoves, hot water heaters, beds, wood cabinets, etc. will be picked up by Englewood Disposal. Phone -493-4100 - and Englewood Disposal will make an appointment to pick up your items. Leaves and small clippings should be bagged and put out at regular pick up times.

Attention: - Gulf-to-Bay Park was cited this summer by the Florida Department of Health and Rehabilitive Services for leaving a motor home in the park that was not located on a registered site. No motor homes or travel trailers in the park unless on a registered site. Please get permission from the office to park a trailer for loading and unloading.

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If I had my life to live over, it would cost a heck of a lot more.

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CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

As has been the custom for the past few years, the Listening Post will offer the opportunity to send greetings to all of the park residents. If you care to participate, please fill out a slip of paper not larger than 2½ x 4½ inches and with all printing and messages in black and white. (Colors simply will not reproduce with the system now in use.) The cost for the above size greeting is \$2.00. The next size will be 4½ x 4½ at a cost of \$4.00. Please turn in your slips and the money to one of the newshounds or to the editor (Art) not later than ~~November~~ 10, 1989. Please design all cards with a horizontal rather than a vertical style. *December*

MISC. STUFF

You will be glad to know that the men's rest room in the laundry building near the office is being remodeled. Secondly, some of the roads are being resurfaced which brings up a problem. A smooth surface invites speed and that just is the problem. There are signs on each of the streets listing a speed limit of 10 M.P.H. but if you will observe almost any corner of the park, motorists are certainly exceeding this limit. Lets not have any accidents! SLOW DOWN!

ALUMINUM CANS

You might be surprised to learn that so far in this year we have recycled aluminum cans in the amount of \$248.58 which certainly is "not bad". A word of thanks to Bob and Ruth Arnholt for carrying on this past summer while Marguerite and Art were up north.

Bob and Ruth are collecting newspaper in the same spirit of recycling, and Charley Letsch is collecting sales receipts from Publix purchases for the benefit of Lemon Bay H.S. An appropriate number of these with value recorded will result in a free Apple Computer for the school. Enough will supply the whole school with computers - a mighty fine possibility for the park and the school.

AND SOME PARK ACTIVITIES

SWING YOUR PARTNERS!

Please mark your calendar for some fun evenings - Square Dancing. This activity will begin with the first dance scheduled on December 9th. The following are all of the scheduled dances for the season.

December 9	February 10	
January 13	March 24	
April 14		You'all come!!

GULF-TO-BAY MOBILE HOME OWNERS, INC.

Most of you will have received your membership cards from the State Association. If not, please see one of the Board of Directors.

All M.H.O. park residents are reminded that the first meeting of the year is scheduled for Monday, December 4th, this according to the by-laws of the organization. The meeting will be held in the Rec. hall at 9:00 a.m.

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If you are going to kick, kick toward a goal!

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NEWS HOUNDS

Each year, we have news volunteers who collect the news on each street. And of this issue, the following are listed as official "News Hounds".

Aura St. - Betty Baker	Golfo St. - Etta Crosby
Bayo St. - Ruth Arnholt (ProTem)	Cielo Court-Audrey Grant
Cielo St.- Ruth Hicks	Estada St.- Helen Bleck
Dije St. - Allison Brown	

For the first issue of the Listening Post, the news will concentrate on the park newcomers to the exclusion of individual family news. May we all welcome the newcomers and make them feel at home as rapidly as possible. WELCOME!

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Saturday, Nov. 18th - 8 to 11 a.m. \$2.50

Bring your own table service. All you can eat pancakes, plus your choice of Sausages or Eggs, and All the coffee you can drink.

Last season the series of pancake breakfasts earned \$957.35 for the coffers of the Recreation Council. Continued support will be appreciated and just think of all the fluffy calories!

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If you want to live longer, give up all the things that make you want to live longer.

MIKE TURK

Mike Turk, a long-time resident of the park, passed away Tuesday evening, October 31st at the Venice Hospital where he had been a patient for a few days. Mike will be remembered for his technical knowledge and his skill in the field of radio and other electronic communication. We shall miss his cheerful presense and greetings to passersby. Funeral services were held in Battle Creek, Michigan, and at the request of Florence, (Mrs. Turk) there will be no observance here in the park.

