

# Listening Post

November  
2000

Welcome Back to Paradise!! What a wonderful feeling it is to see our second family again. Things are a little different here at Gulf to Gay this year. Our recreation will be curtailed for a few months but let's all look ahead to better times. We will try to have a few outdoor activities.

Director's (Board) meeting - Mon. Nov. 13 - 9:30 A.M. Will be held in back room of office - with speakers to outside. Bring a chair.

Welcome Back Party at Tiki - Wed. Nov. 15 - 4 P.M. to ?  
Hamburgers, hot dogs, potato salad, chips, etc.  
Bring your own cocktail or beverage.  
Also, bring a chair. Free!!!

Thanksgiving Day - Thurs. Nov. 23 - Noon.

Muriel has arranged with Howard's Restaurant to serve us a delicious turkey dinner. We will be placed together in the back room. If you don't have other plans, sign up with Muriel, Jay or Leda. Look on bulletin board for price and further details.

Christmas Dinner Dance at Boca Royale Country Club

Wed. Dec. 13 - 6:30 cocktails

7:30 Dinner

Menu: Prime rib (8 oz.) or  
Chicken breast

Music: "Snowbirds" Dancing 8-11 P.M.

\$25.00 per person. Make your reservation with your street captain.

Aura - Betty Schwarz

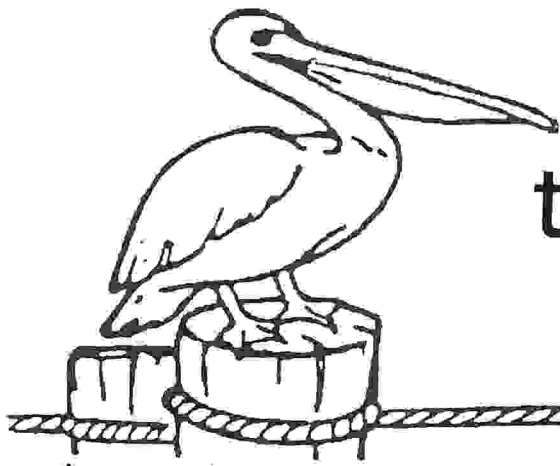
Bayo - Ali Golkowski

Cielo - Marie Miller

Dije - Marge DevRockers

Estada - Ruth Spiller

Cielo Ct.  
Goefo - Muriel Lyon



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December 2000

Dec. 11 (Mon.) 9:30 A.M. Board of Directors Meeting  
Time to pass our budget for 2001.

Dec. 13 (Wed.) 6:30 - 11:00 P.M.

Christmas Dinner Dance at the Local Royale Country Club.  
Music by the Snowbirds. Get your reservation in  
early. Great way to start the season's activities.

Dec. 24 (Sun.)

Christmas Eve Activities

Luminary lighting 6:00 P.M.

If weather permits, we may plan an outdoor  
activity. Watch the bulletin board for details.

Don't forget to save your plastic jugs for the luminaries.  
Candles are available from George Fullaker.

The Recreation Council thanks Bob Rogger and Dick Jett  
for planning, cooking and serving our Welcome Back Party.  
The food was enjoyed by 95 residents. The committee  
consisted of Alice Lakart, Muriel Lyon, George and Jay  
Fullaker.

We thank the men who helped to clean up Beach Road  
on Nov. 20. Full to Bay is responsible for cleaning the  
road between Circle K and Mac Donald's.

A list of day trips with Silver Wings in Englewood has  
been placed in Cielo St. laundry room and mailbox  
area. If interested, please sign up. If any questions,  
see Jay.

See attached letter about progress of hall.

## Rec Hall Update

Dec. 4, 2000

### Status - Still working on Phase 2 permit

I reported to our directors and about 40 attendees on Nov. 13 that we expected our permit in a few days. Since that time 2 rejections have caused further delay. One of them relates to structural calculations that were already resolved and the other relates to fire safety, plumbing and electrical installation details. Our architect, Tim Krebs, is responding to each item and we can only say that we feel close to receiving this elusive permit.

### Looking Back

Our intended schedule was to have our hall to a usable condition by now even though floor coverings, painting, kitchen and other interior finishing remained incomplete. We have lost 4 months of construction time because of action taken by the county. This is what happened:

We requested a change to the original permit in late July to replace all outside walls. When the county investigated on-site they issued a Stop Work order (Aug. 15) and later informed me via letter that we are in violation of FEMA regulations as regards "substantial improvement" in a flood zone. Our options were stated as (1) elevate the building 4 ft. or (2) remove it. I appealed the finding to the Construction Board of Appeals (Oct.2) and was denied the request to continue construction as planned. A new building official's involvement produced a workable 3rd option, namely flood proof the building to a height of 5 ft. This is what we are in the process of resolving with a new permit, that now includes lesser problems that keep coming our way. Floodproofing was never a planned item and will create a cost adder. We don't yet know how much. Whatever it is will be more acceptable than either of the other options.

Please recognize the fact that our 2-step approach to remodel the hall, ie; roofover followed by other changes, preserves the original foot print, even though the entire building is replaced. I was asked during our appeal hearing "why we didn't tear it down and start over"? My answer was that we would then have to meet set back requirements that would take 20 ft. on the west and 10 ft. on both north and south sides. The new foot-print would have been at least 40 percent smaller than the present.

### Looking Ahead

I feel that in spite of the aggravation of delayed construction, we will at least have the benefit of time together to resolve some of our interior features jointly. Color schemes, storage facilities, furnishings and accessories all need attention. I am working on a scale model of the hall to help with this planning and we will be looking for your help and opinions. Maybe another beer and pizza party..... if we only had a place!!!

Your suggestions, comments and questions are always welcome..

Don Pease

Chris and I take this opportunity to wish all of you a very joyous holiday season.....

Many thanks to Muriel Lyon for planning the dinner on Thanksgiving Day. Thirty-eight people enjoyed the delicious food at Howard's Restaurant. Muriel and Martha Cross also baked homemade pumpkin pies which were served at Muriel's home later that day. Ladies, we appreciate your thoughtfulness.

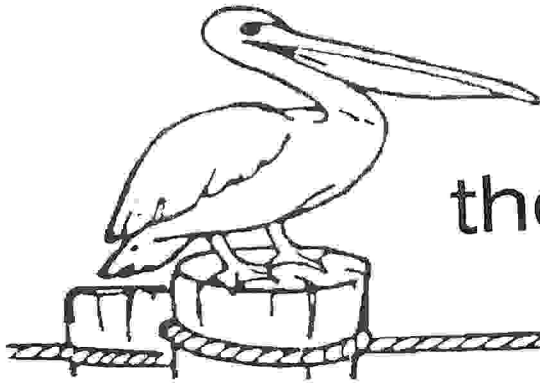
We are looking into making similar plans for a Christmas Day dinner. We will post the details on the bulletin board.



### South Manasota Key Association, Inc.

SMKA dues are payable now. \$10.00 per year. Present members, please renew. New residents, you are encouraged to join. Forms are in the office or contact Don Pease.

We wish you a Blessed Christmas  
and a Happy New Year.



# the **Listening Post**

February 2001

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS** meeting  
will be held on Monday, February 12th at  
9:30 a.m.

## **SWEETHEART DINNER**

Monday, February 19th 11:30 A.M.

The annual Sweetheart Dinner will be  
held at the Englewood Elks.  
Food will be served promptly at 12 noon.

### **Honored Guests:**

- 60 Years - Maurice & Rita Teehan
  
- 55 Years - Dude & Martha Cross  
George & Dolores Hommel
  
- 50 Years - Paul & Jean McCarthy  
Art & Rinda Anderson  
Jack & Ruth Spiller  
Ed & Ann Ledoux  
Rudy & Michelle Wolny

If you are having a 50th, 55th or 60th  
wedding anniversary in 2001, please  
notify George Gallaher immediately.

### Menu:

Roast Eye of Round or Baked Flounder  
Oven roasted potatoes  
Baby Carrots  
Salad, rolls & butter  
Dessert  
Champagne (compliments of McCarthys)

Tickets will be sold at the office on  
Monday, February 5th and Tuesday,  
February 6th from 10 A.M. until noon.  
Price: \$8.00

Members of this "Prestigious 50 or  
more Club" who have previously been  
honored include:

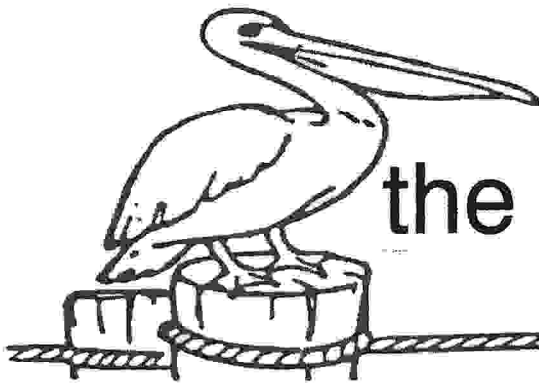
Virginia & Ray DeMoss  
Millie & Norm Durst  
Dolly & Joel Parisi  
Irene & Carl Brown  
Fran & Jack Smith  
Fay & Les Downing  
Estelle & Bill Meeks  
Katey & Hank Mastie  
Rita & Bob Boulanger  
Norma & Jean Croteau  
Audrey & Andy Grant  
Mary & Ralph Henry  
Marge & Peg DesRochers  
Marge & Don Stevenson  
Mickie & Bob Wagner  
Joey & George Gallaher  
Marge & Bob King

### New Telephone Number:

Joan & Gerry Wright  
507 Estada St.  
941 - 475 - 5072

### **Hallelujah!!**

The permit for renovation of the hall has  
been granted and the work has begun. A  
celebration was held on the tiki on  
Thurs., Jan. 18th. Thanks, Don & Chris



# the Listening Post

MARCH 2001

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**Board of Directors Annual Meeting** will be held on Monday, March 12 at 9:30 a.m. Don't forget your ballot for new directors.

**Sweetheart Dinner**, sponsored by the Recreation Council, was enjoyed by 104 residents. The beautiful table decorations were done by Etta Crosby. Carol Meerhaeghe gave the prayer. Bob King introduced the honored guests and made a toast with the champagne furnished by Paul and Jean McCarthy. Many thanks to all those who helped to make this a festive occasion.

**St. Patrick's Day Dinner** will be Sat., March 17th at 4 p.m. and will be held at the Englewood Garden Club on Beach Road. It will be a cornbeef and cabbage dinner catered by Delaney's Meat Cottage and will be served at 5:00 p.m. Music will be by Buddy Beaudt and Woodie's Statler from 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Ticket sales will be March 1 (Thursday) at 10:00 a.m. until noon and will be \$10 per person and please note there will only be a one day sale of tickets. We are limited to 80 people so get your tickets early --- and only Gulf To Bay residents, please. If there are unsold tickets then guest or friends can purchase at a later date.

Music, beer and soda will be furnished by the Recreation Council.

**Blood Drive** - Thurs., March 1 at 9 a.m. - 11 a.m. The sign up list is in the office or see Marie Miller. There is a shortage of blood -- donate if you can.

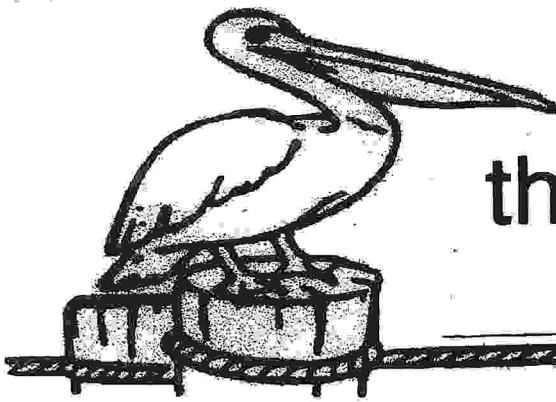
**Adopt a Road Program** will take part in the Charlotte County Second Annual Great American Cleanup on Sat., Mar. 31 at 8:00 a.m. (Rain date is Sun., April 1). Free T shirt, bottled water and a "goodie bag" for each participant. Contact Dennis Flynn or Freeman Crosby if you are available.

The Recreation Council has voted to discontinue the practice of giving a \$20.00 gift to those who are ill in hospitals while in residence at Gulf to Bay. They feel it has not been fair to have excluded those who were seriously ill in hospitals up north. In the future, they will only send cards.

There will be no election for the Recreation Council this year. Since we were unable to have our normal functions, the present members will serve another year.

We want to **thank everyone** for their thoughtfulness and kindness after our recent mishaps.

Fred & Joyce Klemm



# the Listening Post

April 2001

## SPRING IS IN THE AIR

It is time again to spring ahead one hour. Daylight savings time starts Sunday, April 1, 2001. Set your clocks ahead one hour on Saturday night before you go to bed.

## APRIL FLING

Thursday, April 5th 3:00 P.M. - 6 P.M.

\*Festive hour 3:00 P.M.

\*Fish, hamburgers, hot dogs

(plus dishes to pass) 4:00 P.M.

\*Music 3:00 P.M.

\*Tickets (\$4.00) plus a dish to pass.

\*Ticket sales on Thursday, March 29th and Friday, March 30th from 10 A.M. to noon. Be prepared to sign up for a dish to pass.

\*Please bring your outdoor table and chairs to the bayside.

This affair is our grand finale for the season. There will not be a dinner on Easter Sunday.

Thank you to all the fishermen who caught and filleted the fish for this event.

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

will be held on Monday, April 9th at 9:30 A.M.

## BOARD TALK:

The GTB Directors Annual Meeting took place on Monday, March 12th. The following were elected to a three year term:

Mike Bucciero, Alice Lahart, & Jim Schurman.

The new officers are as follows:

President - Don Stevenson

Vice President - Jack Martin

Secretary - Mickie Wagner

Asst. Secretary - Pat Schwing

Treasurer - Jim Schurman

Asst. Treasurer - Jane Wiley

Our thanks to Rene Dube for putting up the flag at the Bay and Warren Church for taking it down. Nice patriotic job, fellows!!

Norma Croteau sent the following note:

"I want to thank so many people for their prayers and good wishes. The prayers do help. We have been kept up to date on the happenings by the cards and E-Mails. GTB is truly a second family. Thank you all. We want everyone to know how much it has meant to Jean and I to receive so many messages."

Norma

## THE THIRD ANNUAL GTB GOLF

TOURNAMENT will be held on Friday, March 30th. Prizes will be awarded and beverages and pizza will be served following the tournament at the Flynns Patio. Sorry we can't print the winners. Good luck to all!

## SHUFFLEBOARD

The GTB shuffle team had a fantastic year. We got a trophy for 3rd place when the season ended. Then the top 4 teams played for the Walker Cup Trophy and we took that home. The All Star Tournament was last - 4 top players from all teams (14 teams) competed. The results were Ruth and Jack Spiller, 2nd place and Allie Golkowski and Bob Boulanger 3rd place.

I want to personally thank every player on the team this year for a great season and a lot of fun. They are: Rita & Bob Boulanger, Carl Brown, Jean Croteau, Dude Cross, Wes Golkowski, Terri Phaneuf, Marge & Bob King an Ruth & Jack Spiller.

Thanks again,  
Allie

## ST. PATRICK'S DAY DINNER & DANCE

was held at the Englewood Beach & Garden Club. 73 attended. Everyone enjoyed the delicious dinner catered by Delaney's Meat Cottage and the good music and entertainment by Buddy Beaudt and Woodie Statler.

Our thanks to Dude Cross and his committee (Martha Cross, Marie Miller, George & Joey Gallaher, Carol Meerhaeghe, Muriel Lyon) who coordinated this party.

**Thanks** to Fred and Joyce Klemm for serving coffee and donuts on March 22. It was so nice to get together in the "morning breeze." We had a big turn out. Thanks again.

The Recreation Council **thanks** Joanne Gould for typing the newsletter and Joey Gallaher for gathering the news.

**Congratulations** to Kathy Magill & Jim Neff on their recent marriage. We wish you many years of happiness.

## WARNING!!

We are heading into our summer stormy weather season with hurricanes reaching their peak about September. Before you leave for the summer, stow away all loose objects that can be picked up by the winds and hurled about (flower pots, trash cans, chairs, tables, ladders, etc.) Also, it has been suggested that you drop your shutters on your windows.

It is a good idea to leave a key with the office and information about how to contact you, if necessary.

Remember the **Adopt a Road Program** will be Sat., March 31 at 8:00 A.M. (Rain date is Sun., April 1) Contact Freeman Crosby or Dennis Flynn if you are available.

Our **thanks** to Fran and Warren Church for their Strawberry Shortcake outing. Everyone was delighted with the delicious dessert of homegrown strawberries, homemade shortcakes and whipped cream. What a wonderful treat! Thanks to everyone who helped Fran and Warren prepare and serve the strawberry shortcake on this special day.

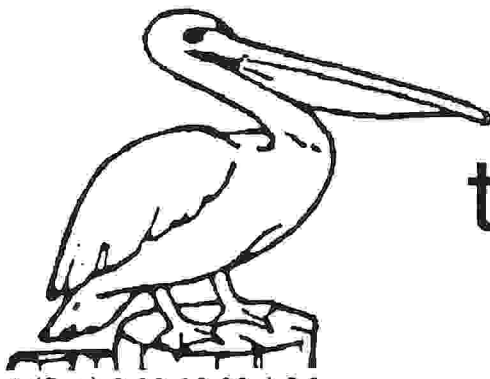
## E-MAIL ADDRESSES:

Many people have asked for addresses to be published. Freeman Crosby and Joanne Gould compiled this list of residents and renters. To the best of their knowledge each person has been contacted and given their consent to have their name placed in the newsletter & the fall directory.

If there are any omissions or errors, please notify them with the necessary corrections. It is our hope these e-mail addresses will be added to the fall directory.

Please find the addresses on the following page.





# the Listening Post

DECEMBER  
2001

Dec. 1 (Sat.) 8:00-10:00 A.M.

Pancake Breakfast. Come and enjoy and support this committee. (\$3.00 (\$2.80 plus .20 tax).

Dec. 3 (Mon.) 9:00 A.M.

We will be decorating our clubhouse and park for Christmas. Please volunteer to help.

Dec. 5 (Wed.) 7:00 P.M.

"Country Christmas" Musical by Eric Vaughn. (organ & guitar). Sponsored by Freeman and Etta Crosby. Cake and coffee will be served. See you there.

Dec. 10 (Mon.) 9:30 A.M.

Board of Directors Meeting. Time to pass our Budget for 2002

Dec. 12. (Wed.) 6:30-11:00 P.M.

Christmas Dinner Dance at the Hills Country Club.

Music by the Snowbirds. Late reservations – see Joey. Great way to start the season activities.

Dec. 24 (Mon.) 6:00-7:00 P.M.

Christmas Eve Activities

Luminary lighting 6:00 p.m.

Finger food supper 7:00p.m.

Please bring a dish of food that can be eaten with fingers. Christmas Carol Sing-A-Long with Peg DesRochers and son Tom

Don't forget to save your plastic jugs for the luminaries. Candles will be available from George Gallaher.

Looking ahead

Jan. 9 – Grand Opening

Dec. 25 (Tues.) 1:00 P.M.

Christmas Dinner Menu:

Ham, au gratin potatoes, candied yams, Broccoli salad, cheesecake

Committee: George & Joey Gallaher, Chairman

Bob & Rtia Boulanger

Wes & Allie Golkowski

Bob & Ruth O'Connor

Blaine & Shirley VanHooser

Tickets will be on sale Tues. Dec. 11 & Wed. Dec. 12. 10 A.M.-Noon. \$7.50 (\$7.00 plus .50 tax.)

Dec. 31 (Mon.) 8:00 P.M.

New Year's Eve Party – Bring your own beverages, snacks, noise makers, etc. Coffee & ice will be furnished. Enjoy music from our new sound system. Share your CD's and tapes with us. For more information, call Dude Cross.

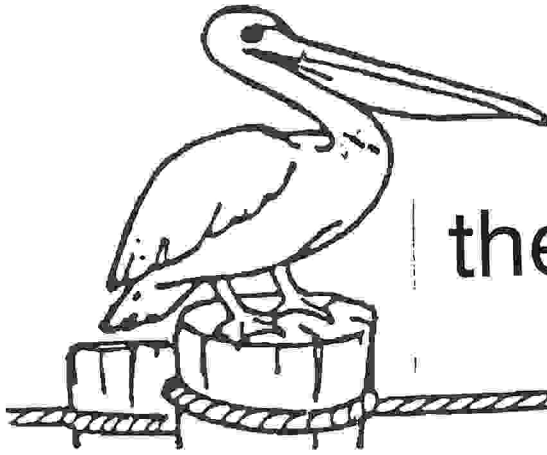
Many thanks to the Thanksgiving Dinner

Committee: George & Joey Gallaher, Bob Nopper-chef, Dude & Martha Cross, Joan & Gerry Wright, Muriel Lyon, Blaine & Shirley Van Hooser. What a blessing to be together in our elegant new clubhouse!!

We thank Don Pease and his volunteers for their continuous work in getting the hall and kitchen finished in time for our Thanksgiving dinner.

We appreciate the volunteers who helped in moving, repacking, washing dishes & utensils, arranging library, mailroom (remove fixtures, loading dumpster, chipping tile, painting, etc.). There has been so many involved. The new clubhouse is beautiful. Let's all enjoy it!!

South Manasota Key Association – Dues are payable now. \$10.00 per year. Present members, please renew. New residents, you are encouraged to join. Contact Carla Schurman.



# the Listening Post

JANUARY 2002

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Dec. 31 (Mon.) 9 P.M.-1 A.M.

New Year's Eve Party – Bring your own beverages, snacks, noise makers, etc. Coffee and ice will be furnished. Enjoy music from our new sound system. Share your CD's and tapes with us. Peg and Marge DesRochers are in charge. Freeman Crosby will operate the music.

Jan. 2 (Wed.) 9 A.M.

Painting classes begin and continue every Wed. at 9:00.

Jan. 3 (Thurs.) 9:00 A.M.

Untrimming the trees and putting away our Christmas decorations.

Jan. 9 (Wed.) 7-11 P.M.

Grand Opening of Clubhouse sponsored by Gulf to Bay Recreation Council. Live music and entertainment by the Memories. (Dave and Kim). Beer and appetizers provided. B.Y.O.B.

Jan. 12 (Sat.) 8-10 A.M.

Pancake Breakfast (\$3.00) Come and enjoy!

Jan. 14 (Mon.) 9:30 A.M.

Board of Directors Meeting

Feb. 3 (Sun.)

Super Bowl Sunday changed to this date. Details of party will be in February issue of Listening Post.

Exercise Classes

M-W-F – 9 A.M. – 9:30 A.M. Will be held on Tiki or in clubhouse if weather is bad.

Many thanks to Etta and Freeman

Crosby for the delightful musical program on Dec. 5. It was a fun night of enjoyable organ music and delicious refreshments.

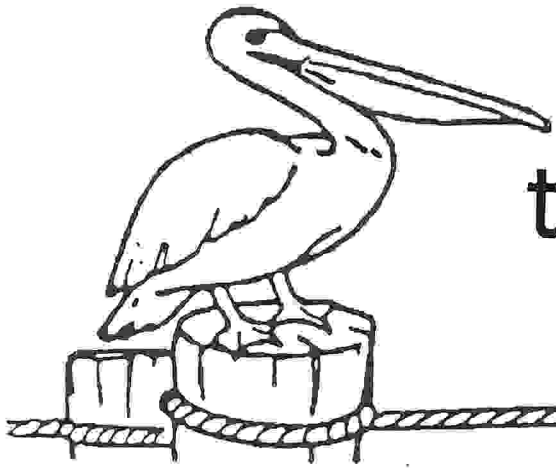
We thank Bob King, Paul Schurman, Don Pease, Wes Golkowski, and Jack Kintz for building a new stage in the clubhouse. It is beautifully carpeted.

Need a New Roof:

Advanced Mobile Home Systems  
AMS III, Inc.  
200 Base Avenue East  
Venice, FL 34285  
1-800-330-7277 or 941-488-7277

New Calendar in foyer to restrooms.

If interested in using hall, library or lounge for an activity, see George Gallaher.



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FEBRUARY  
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Jan. 31 (Thurs.) 7-10 P.M.

Burt and Sharon have engaged Jimmy Jaye for an evening of music and dancing. Beer will be provided. Come and enjoy.

Feb. 3 (Sun.) 4 P.M. Super Bowl Party

Tickets available from Bob King. \$5.00. (\$4.67 + .33 tax). Also football pools are available.

Feb 9 (Sat) - 8-10 A.M.

Pancake Breakfast. All are welcome.

Feb. 11 (Mon.) 9:30 A.M.

Board of Directors Meeting

Feb. 14 - (Thurs.) 1 P.M.

Sweetheart Dinner. Tickets will be on sale Thurs. Jan. 31 and Fri. Feb. 1 from 10 A.M. until noon. Price: \$7.50 (\$7.01 + .49 tax)

## Honored Guests:

60<sup>th</sup> - Carl & Irene Brown

55<sup>th</sup> - Bob & Rita Boulanger  
Ralph & Mary Henry  
Andy & Audrey Grant

If you are having a 50<sup>th</sup>, 55<sup>th</sup> or 60<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary in 2002, please notify George Gallaher.

Members of this "Prestigious 50 or more Club" who have previously been honored include:

Virginia and Ray DeMoss  
Dolly and Joel Parisi  
Rita and Maurice Teehan  
Fran and Jack Smith  
Fay and Les Downing  
Estelle and Bill Meeks  
Katie and Hank Mastie  
Dolores and George Hommel  
Martha and Dude Cross  
Marge and Peg DesRochers  
Marge and Don Stevenson  
Mickie and Bob Wagner  
Joey and George Gallaher  
Marge and Bob King  
Jean and Paul McCarthy  
Rinda and Art Anderson  
Ann and Ed Ledoux  
Ruth and Jack Spiller

Feb. 21 (Thurs.) - 9:30 A.M.

South Manasota Key Association meeting. Speaker - Officer Gordon Barer - topic is "Identity Theft." Officer Ken Watson will speak on "Personal Security."

Library - Please do not put magazines in our Clubhouse library. They may be put in the two laundry rooms.

Feb. 28 (Thurs.) 5-7 P.M.

Steak Fry Dinner. Art Ritenburgh  
Menu: New York Strip Steak, baked  
potato, tossed salad, rolls and desert  
Tickets will be on sale Mon. Feb. 4 & Tues.  
Feb. 5. 10 until noon. \$9.00  
(8.41 + .59 tax) Watch bulletin board for  
any more details.

The Recreation Council thanks Bob  
Nopper for all his hard work in the past  
years on our council. He has been a "right  
hand" for George and other members. His  
dinners and parties were "flawless." We  
hope he will still help us in some of our  
future activities. Thanks again, Bob.

Our thanks to the men who painted the  
Bayo St. laundry building. – Jack Martin,  
Jack Spiller, Bob King and Allie  
Golkowski. It is quite an improvement to  
our park.

Landscaping

The Landscaping Committee welcomes  
volunteers. We are keeping all landscaped  
areas weeded, watered and deadheaded –  
major work now completed. Small  
projects present themselves occasionally.  
Meet in front of the Clubhouse on 1<sup>st</sup> and  
3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday at 10 A.M. Garden gloves  
help. No experience required.  
Joan Wright 475-5072,  
Lorraine Dube, Mary Butler

Keys – There is no need to use your key  
during the hours of 9 A.M. – 9 P.M.  
Someone is accidently relocking the Cielo

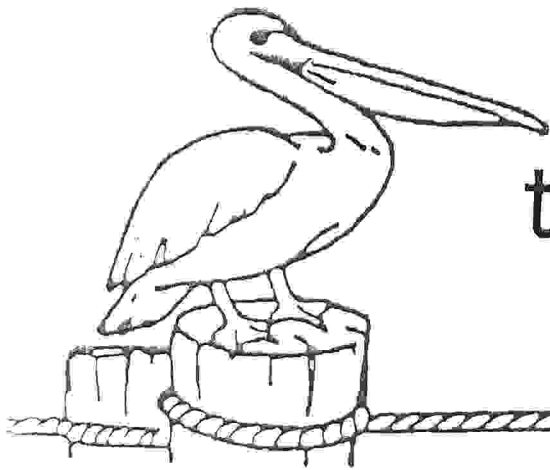
St. door after it has been opened for the  
day.

Directors Notice

- (1) It has come to the attention of your  
board that some people are  
depositing garbage with the  
recycleable items. The Refuse  
Company can cancel our pick-up  
service if this continues.
- (2) For the SAFETY of everyone, the  
Speed Limit in our park is 10 Miles  
Per Hour. If you observe anyone  
violating this, please caution them  
to slow down.
- (3) Visiting children are not permitted  
to ride bicycles, to roller blade or to  
use skate boards on the park  
streets. Operation of golf carts is  
limited to adults only.
- (4) Children under 14 years of age are  
not permitted in the Clubhouse, on  
the shuffleboard courts, docks and  
fishing piers unless accompanied  
by an adult.
- (5) Members will be held responsible  
for damages caused by their guests  
and/or children to private or park  
property.

March 2– Pancake Breakfast

March 9 Carnival – Save your small items  
for flea market. Do not bring to clubhouse  
till notified. Ladies – think about craft  
items and something for bake sale. Details  
in March issue.



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MARCH 2002

Feb. 28 (Thurs.) 7 - 10 P.M.

Steak Fry - 120 tickets have been sold.

Committee: Art & Karen Ritenburgh, Jim & Carla Schurman, Bob Kasarcik, Dick Jett, George & Joey Gallaher, Scott & Mary Steeves, Renie Bucciero, Gerry & Joan Wright and Carol Meerhaeghe.

Menu: N. Y. Steak, Baked potato, tossed salad, roll, dessert, beer & coffee. Desserts were made by Jim & Carla. The china plates were donated by Charlie & Mabel Atwell. Many thanks!!

Music after 7 P.M. by jim Bishop.  
Bring your silverware only.

March 2 (Sat.) 8 -10 A.M.

Pancake breakfast. Come & enjoy.

March 5 (Tues.) (9:00 A.M. (Hall))

Coffee & donuts. Hosts are Joyce & Fred Klemm, Bonnie & Tom Parrish. All are welcome

March 9 (Sat.)

Carnival - see attached flyer.

March 11 (Mon.) 9:30 A. M.

Board of Directors Meeting.

March 14 (Thurs.) \$56.00

Day trip to Boadway Palms in Fort Myers. "Unsinkable Molly Brown". If interested contact Joey Gallaher as soon as possible.

Our thanks to the February Committee for the Sweetheart Dinner: Joey & George Gallaher, Carol & Art Meerhaeghe, Joyce &

Fred Klemm, Terry Phaneuf, Jean Croteau, Bonnie & Tom Parrish. They served a delicious pot roast dinner to 106 including 12 honored guests. Our greeters were Ed & Ann Ledoux

The Recreation Council thanks Laura Hagg for her many donations of napkins, tablecloths, plates, candles and holiday decorations. They really help our budget. Thanks, Laura.

The Board of Directors thanks Jerry Brown, Dick Penn and Larry Bland for doing the vinyl trim on the office building. We also thank all the men & women who painted the building. What a nice improvement.

March 16 (Sat.) 10 A.M. - Noon

Recreation Council election in library. You need to vote to see who gets a one year or two year term.

March 17 (Sun.) 1 P.M.

St. Patrick's Day dinner. Committee: Paul & Jean McCarthy, Ed & Ann Ledoux, Blaine & Shirley Van Hooser, Paul & Giwi Schurman, Laura Hagg and Muriel Lyon. Greeters will be Dick & Flo Leeper and Moe & Rita Teehan.

Menu: Nectar of Leperchaun, (non alcoholic) corned beef & cabbage, carrots, potatoes, onions, rutabaga, Irish soda bread and tropical orange puff, plus Irish beer, coffee and punch.

Schedule: 12:30 - 3:30 P.M. Music for dinner & dancing by the "Starlight" trio.

1:00 P.M. Dinner served - 2:00 P.M. Sing- a- long. Join in singing favorite Irish tunes.

3:30 P.M. Band closes with all singing "God Bless America". Lots of prizes, 50/50, meals on wheels. Bring your place settings.

Tickets on sale Wed. March 6 & Thurs, March 7 -- 10A.M. - Noon in hall. \$8.00 +

March 27 (Wed.) Noon

Shuffleboard luncheon. Gulf to Bay will host this annual league banquet. Allie Golkowski is in charge.

March 31 (Sun.) 3-6 P.M

Easter Celebration by the Bay. Hamburgers, hot dogs, beer & soda provided. Bring a dish to pass. There will be an Easter Bonnet contest complete with prizes. Make a bonnet - join the parade. \$4.50 (\$4.20 +.30 tax).

Tickets will be on sale 10:00 A.M. to noon on Monday Mar. 18 & Tues. Mar. 19. When you buy a ticket, also sign up for a "dish to pass"

This will be our last fling of the year, combing Easter with our farewell party. Please come and join the fun!

# **CARNIVAL - 2002**

## **SATURDAY - MARCH 9th**

**This is our BIG money - making project - get involved**

**10:00 A.M. - DOORS OPEN!** (NO EARLY BIRD SALES)

**11:30 A.M. - LUNCH**

**RAFFLES** - Many raffles - Drawings at 3:00 P.M.

3:00 P.M. **50/50 Club Drawing** - ( put your dollar in the box with your house number on it.) You don't have to be present for the 50/50 drawing.

3:00 P.M. Raffle Drawing: You **MUST** be present for raffle drawing of tickets.

**POKER - GAMES** - Play & Win! Become a "millionaire"!

**HORSE RACING** (2 P.M.) Bet on your favorite Horse! Bring your quarters.

**CRAFT TABLE** - Items needed from all you clever people! (Etta Crosby)  
Bring your creations Thursday & Friday mornings.

**HOMEMADE FOOD TABLE** - We love to buy all those goodies!  
Bring to the hall by 9:00 A.M. Saturday

**FLEA MARKET** - no clothing, PLEASE! Bring items to front (Bayo St.) Rec Hall on Thurs. March 7th, Friday March 8th (9:00 A M - noon)  
Clean & Usable Items! (Bob King)

**LUNCHEON -DELICIOUS** - Prepared by Committee - Joey, Terry, Dick & committee.

**CASH DONATIONS** - Accepted - A chance for everyone to participate!

**COME EARLY - STAY LATE** - Something for everyone

**SEE YOU THERE!**

SOUTH MANASOTA KEY ASSOCIATION , MEETING: FEBRUARY 21, 2002

Gordon Baer, of the Crime Prevention Division, Charlotte County Sheriff's Office was the Guest Speaker. His Subject: "How to Avoid Identity Theft", was very informative.

He passed out an excellent pamphlet on "HOW TO AVOID IDENTITY THEFT"

Gulf to Bay Inc. is offering the following to assist in AVOIDING IDENTITY THEFT.

1. Copies of the pamphlet "HOW TO AVOID IDENTITY THEFT" are available in the Recreation Hall. You are welcome to take one copy.
2. Officer Baer suggested that we should have a copy of the Personal Identification, that we all carry. (License numbers, Credit Card numbers and the 800 number to call in the event our identification is lost or stolen.)

**GULF TO BAY - WILL MAKE AVAILABLE , THE OPPORTUNITY FOR YOU TO OBTAIN ONE COPY (FRONT AND BACK) OF THE PERSONAL ID, THAT YOU CARRY. (this information will be immediately given to you, for a permanent record for you to keep in a secure location A COPY OF THIS INFORMATION "WILL NOT" BE COPIED FOR GULF TO BAY)!!**

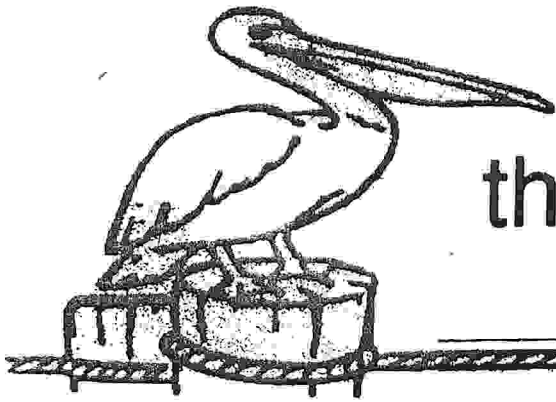
PLEASE DO NOT ASK FOR COPIES OF OTHER RECORDS!

**THIS SERVICE WILL BE AVAILABLE AT GULF TO BAY'S OFFICE ON:**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>HOURS</b>
<b>MARCH 4</b>	<b>1:00 TO 2:00 PM</b>
<b>MARCH 5</b>	<b>1:00 TO 2:00 PM</b>

GULF TO BAY PARK, IS PLEASED TO OFFER THIS SERVICE. WE HOPE FOR YOUR PROTECTION, THAT YOU TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS OFFER.





# the Listening Post

NOVEMBER 2002

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Nov. 11 (Mon.) 9:30 A. M.  
Board of Directors Meeting

Nov. 16 (Sat.) 4:30 P. M. FREE  
Welcome Back Party at Tiki  
Hot dogs, veggies, dip, chips (5 P.M.)  
Bring your beverages and chair.

Nov. 28 (Thurs.) 4 P.M.  
Thanksgiving Dinner  
Traditional turkey dinner with  
trimmings.  
Tickets will be on sale  
Wed, Nove, 13 & Thurs. Nov. 14  
10:00 A. M. - Noon \$7.50 (incl. Tax)  
Committee: Dude & Martha Cross,  
Chairman

Kathy & Jim Neff, chefs  
Peg & Marge DesRochers  
Fred & Joyce Klemm  
Laura Hagg, Muriel Lyon  
Ladeema Carruthers

Dec. 11 (Wed.) 6:30 - 10:30 P.M.  
Christmas Dinner -Dance at the Hills  
Country Club. Music by the Snowbirds  
Make your reservations with your street  
captain (\$20.00 p.p.)

Aura - Betty Schwarz  
Bayo - Allie Golkowski  
Cielo - Ann Ledoux  
Dije - Marge DesRochers  
Estada - Ruth Spiller  
Golfo>Cielo Ct. Muriel Lyon

Kitchen Band Will be starting after the  
holidays Bev Sternbergh will be our  
Director. Start to make your instrument and  
plan to join in.

Many thanks to the crew that re-coated our  
streets. They did a great job. It was hot and  
time consuming.

Watch blackboard for start date of Pinochle,  
Bridge, Painting, etc. Bingo has started.

## Monthly Activity Leaders.

Nov. Dude Cross  
Dec. George Gallaher  
Jan. Rec Council (carnival)  
Bob King (Super Bowl Party)  
Feb. Joan Wright  
Mar. Ed Ledoux  
Apr. Rec Council

## Looking Ahead

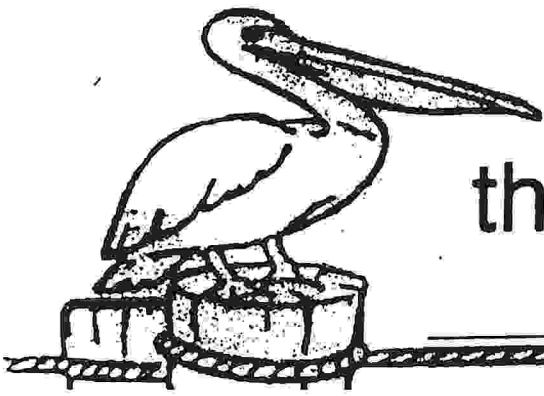
Thur. Dec. 5 - Christmas decorating in Hall  
& Park.

Sat. Dec. 7 - Pancake Breakfast

## Directory Corrections

Dewey, Peter & Annmarie      306 Cielo  
100 Prospect St.  
St. Ignace, MI 49781  
Leeper, Dick & Flo              5 Golfo  
15000 Cherry Lane  
North Huntingdon PA 15642  
Pollock, Bob & Alice  
FL 941-460-0920  
Wagner, Bob & Mickie  
FL 941-473-1821

Don't forget to pick up your new Verizon  
telephone book in the mail room.



# the Listening Post

December 2002

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Dec. 4 (Wed.) 9:00 A. M.

South Manasota Key Association Meeting in our Clubhouse. Matt Horton will be the speaker.

Dec. 5 (Thur.) 9:00 A. M.

We will be decorating our Clubhouse and Park for Christmas. Please volunteer to help.

Dec. 7 (Sat.) 8-10 A. M.

Pancake breakfast. Come and enjoy and support this committee.

Dec. 9 (Mon.) 9:30 A. M.

Board of Directors Meeting. Time to pass our Budget for 2003.

Dec. 11 (Wed.) 6:30 - 10:30 P.M.

Christmas Dinner -Dance at the Hills Country Club. Music by the Snowbirds. Late reservations - see Joey or Dude. Great way to start the season activities.

Dec. 24 (Tues.) 6-7:00 P. M.

Christmas Eve Activities

Luminary lighting - 6:00 P. M.

Finger Food Supper - 7:00 P. M.

Please bring a dish of food that can be eaten with fingers. Christmas Carol Sing-A-Long.

Dec. 25 (Wed.) 1:00 P. M.

Christmas Dinner Menu:

Ham, scalloped potatoes, candied yams, green beans almondine, oriental salad, pineapple upside down cake.

Committee: George & Joey Gallaher,  
Chairman

Bev & Bob Sternbergh

Terry Phaneuf - Jean Croteau

Muriel Lyon - Ladeema Carruthers and sisters

Tickets will be on sale Tue, Dec. 10 and Wed. Dec. 11 10:00 A. M. - noon (\$750 (\$701 +.49 tax)

Dec. 31 (Tues.) - 9:00 P. M.

New Year's Party. Music by Jim Bishop. Watch bulletin boards for details.

Don't forget to save your plastic jugs for the luminaries. Candles will be available from George Gallaher.

If you will be having a 50th Anniversary in 2003, please notify George Gallaher or Joan Wright.

South Manasota Key Association- Dues are payable now. \$10.00 per year. Present members, Please renew. New residents, you are encouraged to join. Contact Carla Schurman.

## Looking Ahead

Jan. 4 - Pancake breakfast

Jan. 11 - Carnival

Jan. 18 - Spaghetti Dinner & Dance

Jan. 26 - Super Bowl Party

Kitchen Band will be starting on Thursday Jan. 2, 10:00 A. M. And every Thursday thereafter. See you there.

Line Dancing has begun. Join the fun every Tuesday at 1:00 P. M.

## Directory Corrections

Fred & Joyce Klemm 941-475-5893 (FL)

Jack & Rose Martin 860-536-6230 (CT)

941-475-3992 (FL)

Art & Rinda Anderson 941-460-1953 (FL)

## **PLEASE HELP**

**If you use the Waste Management re-cycle bins, the following set of rules are to be followed:**

- 1. If you have large cardboard boxes DO NOT TAKE THEM TO THE RE-CYCLE BINS. PLACING THEM OUTSIDE THE RE-CYCLE BINS IS NOT ALLOWED!!** Don't put them in the re-cycle bins, as space is limited!! Break them down as small as possible, and place them with your trash for pick-up in front of your location.
- 2. Place your items to be recycled in the appropriate bins.**
- 3. If you have large plastic containers (1/2, 1 gallon etc) please step on them to break them down flat, so as not to take up excessive space in the re-cycle bins.**
- 4. STYROFOAM (USED FOR PACKAGING) IN NOT TO BE PLACE IN OR AT THE RECYCLE BINS!! WASTE MANAGEMENT WILL NOT ACCEPT STYROFOAM.** (Someone has to take Styrofoam left at the recycle bins and set it aside to be picked up in front of their house) **PLACE YOUR STYROFOAM IN FRONT OF YOUR HOUSE!**
- 5. TRASH IS NOT TO BE PLACED IN THE RECYCLE BINS!!**
- 6. IF THE RECYCLE BINS ARE "FULL" DO NOT PLACE YOUR ITEMS ON TOP OF AN OVERFLOWING BIN !! WASTE MANAGEMENT WILL NOT PICK UP ITEMS OFF THE GROUND! ( TAKE THE ITEMS BACK TO YOUR HOME AND RETURN THEM AT A LATER DATE)**

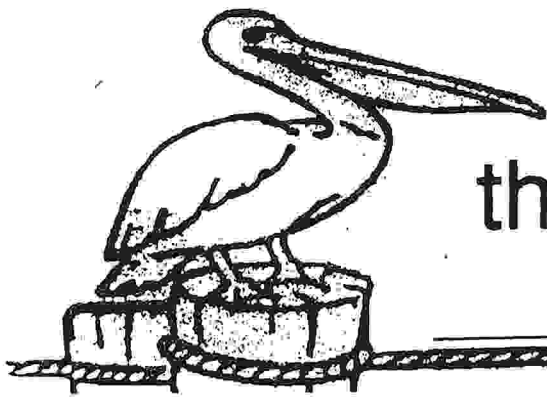
**YOUR DISREGARD OF THESE RULES-----MEANS THAT SOMEONE HAS TO "CLEAN UP AFTER YOU" !!**

**GULF TO BAY WANTS TO COOPERATE WITH WASTE MANAGEMENT, SO THAT THEY CAN CONTINUE TO SERVICE US IN AN EFFICIENT MANNER. YOUR COOPERATION TO THESE RULES IS REQUESTED.**

**WE ALL ARE VERY PROUD OF OUR PARK---PLEASE DO YOUR PART TO KEEP IT CLEAN AND NEAT.**

**IF YOU VIOLATE THESE RULES---THINK ABOUT IT -- AS YOU WALK BACK TO YOUR HOUSE---HOW PROUD YOU MUST BE TO LET SOMEONE ELSE CLEAN UP AFTER YOU!!**

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION!!**



# the Listening Post

JANUARY 2003

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Dec. 31 (Tues.) 9:00 P.M. - 1 A.M.

New Year's Eve Party - Music by Jim Bishop. B.Y.O.B. - Hot Hors d'oeuvres (10 P. M.) And snacks provided by Rec Council. Sign up in Hall so we know how much food to buy.

Jan. 2 (Thur.) 10:00 A.M.

Kitchen band will begin. Bring your instrument and voice. - lots of fun.

Jan. 3 (Fri.) 9:00 A.M.

Untrimming the trees and putting away our Christmas decorations.

Jan. 4 (Sat.) 8-10 A.M.

Pancake breakfast (\$3.00) Come & enjoy!

Jan. 8 (Wed.) 8:30 - 11:30 A.M.

Painting classes will begin.

Jan. 11 (Sat.) 8 A.M. - 3:00 P.M.

Carnival - see attached flyer.

Jan. 13 (Mon.) 9:30 A.M.

Board of Directors meeting

Jan. 18 (Sat.) - 7-10 P.M.

Dance to the music of Kim and Dave ("Memories") B.Y.O.B. and snacks.

Jan. 22 (Wed.) 6:00 P.M.

Italian Night. Menu: antipasto salad, pasta a la Paulo (Baked spaghetti), garlic bread, Italian creme puffs.

Committee: Paul & Jean McCarthy  
Fred & Joyce Klemm  
Jack & Rose Martin  
Bob & Bev Sternbergh

Tickets will be on sale Wed. Jan 8 &  
Thurs. Jan. 9 -10 A.M. to noon  
\$6.50 (incl. Tax).

Jan. 23 (Thurs.) 1:00 P.M.

South Manasota Key Assn. Meeting.

Jan. 26 (Sun.) 3 P.M.

Super Bowl Party. Food served at 5:00 P.M. Beer and soda. Watch bulletin boards for details.

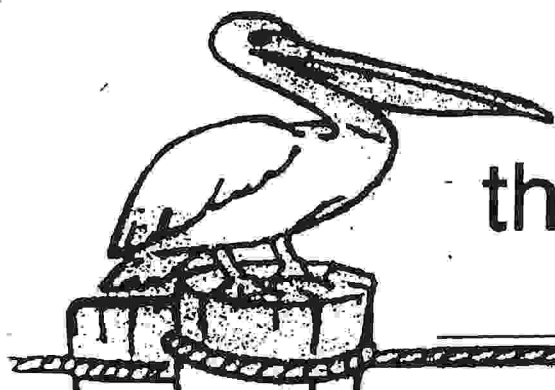
Exercise Classes

M-W-F 9:00 A.M. - 9:30 A.M. To be held at Tiki orin clubhouse if weather is bad.

New calendar in foyer to restrooms. If interested in using hall, library or lounge for an activity, see George Gallaher. Do not write on this calendar.

Euchre - if interested, please sign up in hall. It would be played Thursday nights.

The shed at the docks has been cleaned up. Please keep it that way if used.



# the Listening Post

**FEBRUARY 2003**

Feb. 8 (Sat.) 8:00 - 10:00 A. M.

Pancake Breakfast. Come and enjoy! \$3.00 .

Feb. 8 (Sat.) 7:00 -10:00 P.M.

Dance . The "Memories" (Kim & Dave) will be back. We had a good time in Jan. Come & enjoy the good music -- songs from the 40's to the present. No charge - free beer. BYOB & snacks.

Feb. 10 (Mon.) 9:30 A. M.

Board of Directors Meeting.

Feb. 15 (Sat.) 1:00 P. M.

Sweetheart Dinner. Tickets will be on sale Wed. Jan.29 and Thurs. Jan. 30 from 10:00 A. M. Until noon. Price \$7.50 (\$7.01 + .49 tax) Chairperson - Joan Wright.

Honored Guests:

60th - Jack & Fran Smith

55th - Peg & marge DesRochers  
Don & Marge Stevenson  
Bob & Mickie Wagner

50th - Dean & JoAnne Gould \* in absentia  
Freeman & Etta Crosby  
Dick & Flo Leeper

If we missed anyone having a 50th, 55th, or 60th wedding anniversary in 2003, please notify Joan Wright immediately.

Members of this "Prestigious 50 or more Club" who have previously been honored include:

Virginia and Raymond DeMoss  
Dolly and Joe Parisi  
Rita and Maurice Teehan  
Fay and Les Downing  
Estelle and Bill Meeks

Katie and Hank Mastie  
Dolores and George Hommel  
Martha and Dude Cross  
Mary and Ed Butler  
Rita and Bob Boulanger  
Mary and Ralph Henry  
Audrey and Andy Grant  
Ethel and Ed Malkin  
Marge and Peg DesRochers  
Marge and Don Stevenson  
Mickie and Bob Wagner  
Joey and George Gallaher  
Marge and Bob King  
Jean and Paul McCarthy  
Rinda and Art Anderson  
Anne & Ed Ledoux  
Ruth and Jack Spiller

## \*Card Shower

Please bring a 50th Anniversary Card for Joanne and Dean Gould who will be celebrating their 50th on March 23. We plan to box these cards and send together after our dinner. We are sorry they couldn't celebrate with us.

Feb. 20 (Thurs)

Red hat society Tea. Ladies, start looking for a red hat and a purple dress (or out-fit) No agenda, no rules, just fun. Prize for the most creative hat and wildest outfit. Please bring 2 dozen of your favorite cookies - take home 1 dozen assorted. R.S.V.P. to Hostesses Carol Meerhaeghe 473-2956 and Letty Richards 473-8120.

Feb. 27 (Thurs.) 5-7 P.M.

Steak Fry dinner - Art Ritenburgh, Chairman  
Menu: New York Strip Steak, baked potato, tossed salad, rolls and dessert. Tickets will be on sale Wed. Feb. 12 and Thur. Feb. 13 from 10:00 A. M. Until noon. Price \$ 10:00  
Watch bulletin board for further details.

It has come to our attention that some people are depositing garbage with the recycleable items. The Refuse Company can cancel our pick up service if this continues. No egg cartons or plastic bags in the recycle bins. This is trash!

Library - users .....Please note the green stickers now in the library. We are getting inundated with books and need a system to "cull" the old ones. Alice Lahart (who should be the librarian) has suggested color coding. 2003 will be green, 2004 will be orange and so forth. This way when the book has been in the library for 3 years, we will know it can be removed. So please be sure to place a sticker on any A"new" to our library books. Your cooperation will be very appreciated ...otherwise...books that have not been in the library very long may be removed as soon, we will need to remove some due to lack of space. Etta Crosby

Crafts I would like to take this opportunity to thank my helpers who worked so diligently on items for the "Carnival". With special thanks to Laura Hagg and Jean McCarthy. They worked on items a;; summer long and up until the event. Also a special thank you to Rose Martin for all the items she produced. She also got the quilt underway with help from Rita Boulanger, Anne Ledoux and Terry Phaneuf. Also thank you to my "sales help", Nancy Jenney, Mickie Wagner, Laura, Jean and Rose. Thanks to everyone who has helped in the past many years that I have headed up the crafts. This is my last year. ..let's get some new blood in here with new ideas. Thanks Joey and George for all your hard work. Etta Crosby.

#### Oriental Salad (Christmas Dinner)

Nappa or Savoy Cabbage- chopped mixed with 6 green onions -- chopped  
Brown under broiler until toasted: (or brown in skillet w/oil)  
2 crumbled pkgs Ramen Noodles (discard flavor pkgs) 2/3 cups slivered almonds

DRESSING: 3/4 cup sugar

1/2 tsp soy sauce  
1/2 cup oil  
1/2 cup rice wine vinegar

Add ramen noodles just prior to serving to keep crispy.

Our thanks to all the Volunteers that have helped to make the following improvements to our park.

1. New bulletin board at the office
2. Laundry rooms complete
3. Mail box room
4. Resurface the streets
5. Landscaping

Special thanks to Maurice Teehan for recycling aluminum cans for so many years and Rita Teehan for assisting in the rental of units. As always, thanks to the Rec Council and their leaders, George & Joey Gallaher for all the special events.

VOLUNTEERISM IS ALIVE AND WELL  
IN GULF TO BAY - Don Stevenson - Board of Directors

The Rec Council thanks the Board of directors for the purchase of the commercial refrigerator in the kitchen. It has made things much easier for working at dinners, parties, etc. We really appreciate this addition to our new kitchen.

The Rec Council thanks Laura Hagg for the many paper and plastic tablecloths, plates napkins and cups for special holidays, They helped to defray the costs at these affairs. \* Thanks Laura. We appreciate your thoughtfulness.\* She has also made the aprons and table markers.

The Rec council Nominating Committee is looking for candidates for their March 8 election. Anyone wishing to serve on the Rec Council may contact one of the following: Carol Meerhaeghe, JoAnn Bland, Muriel Lyon or Etta Crosby.

The Landscaping Committee welcomes volunteers. Meet in front of the Clubhouse on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday at 10 A. M. Joan Wright 475-5072

If you would be interested in a cruise in Jan. Or Feb., 2004, please sign in club house. I need to know if I should make any arrangements. Also, sign up if you would like a trip to Biloxi in Feb. Or March this year (Approx. \$200.00 includes airfare, 2 nights hotel, 2 buffets, etc.) No arrangements will be made until some interest is shown. Joey

Looking Ahead

Mon. March 3 - Fish Fry

Sat. Mar. 15- St. Patrick's Day Dinner-1P M  
Dance 7 P.M.

Thurs. March 27 - Kitchen Band Concert

Directory Listing

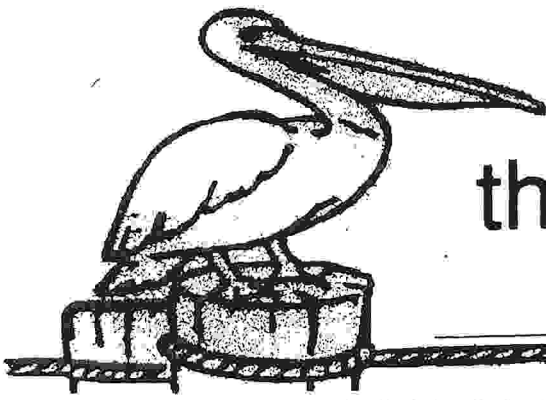
Don & Marge Stevenson - (941) 475-6215



*February 8*  
2003

7:00 PM  
TO  
10:00 PM

MEMORIES  
Kim & Dave



# the Listening Post

JANUARY 2004

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Dec. 31 (Wed.) 9:00 P. M. - 1 A. M.  
New Year's Eve party. Music by Jim Bishop. B.Y.O.B. Beer, soda & ice furnished. Ham and turkey sandwiches and snacks provide by Rec Council. Sign up in Hall so we know how much food to buy. No CHARGE !!

Jan. 3 (Sat.) 8-10 A.M.  
Pancake breakfast. (\$3.00) Come and enjoy! Please bring small bills - will help the cashier.

Jan. 6 (Tue.) 1:00 P.M.  
Line dancing will begin. Join in the fun.

Jan. 7 (Wed.) 8:30 - 11:30 A.M.  
Painting classes have started. If interested, bring your brushes and paints and join the group.

Jan. 8 (Thurs.) 10:00 A. M.  
Kitchen band will begin. Bring your instrument and voice.

Jan. 10 (Sat.) 7-10:00 P. M.  
Dance to the music of Kim and Dave ("Memories") B.Y.O. B. And snacks. Beer will be furnished.

Jan. 12 (Mon.) 9:30 A. M.  
Board of Directors Meeting

Jan. 17 (Sat.) 6:00 P.M.  
Italian Night. Menu: Antipasto salad, baked pasta, garlic bread, dessert  
Committee:

Paul & Jean McCarthy  
Ed & Ann Ledoux  
Fred & Joyce Klemm  
Jack & Rose Martin  
Bev & Bob Sternbergh

Tickets will be on sale Wed. Jan. 7 & Thurs. Jan. 8 - 10:00 A.M. to noon. \$7.50 (incl. Tax)

Jan. 22 (Thur.) 1:00 P. M.  
South Manasota Key Association meeting. Dues are now payable. \$10.00 per year. Present members, please renew. New residents, you are encouraged to join. Pick up a membership form from the Gulf to Bay office or contact Carla Schurman. SMKA is working with Charlotte County and Englewood Fire Department to place an emergency facility at middle beach to reduce response time Please support this cause.

Jan. 24 (Sat.)  
Carnival. Watch for a future flyer with all the details.

Feb. 1 (Sun.) 3:00 P. M.  
Super Bowl Party. Pizza served at 5 P. M. Beer, soda and snacks. Watch bulletin boards for details. \$5.00 per person.

New calendar in foyer to restrooms. If interested in using hall, library or lounge for an activity see George Gallaher. Do not write on this calendar.

If you are having a 50th, 55th or 60th anniversary in 2004, notify George Gallaher.

The Recreation Council needs volunteers to help clean up after dinners and parties.

## Looking Ahead

Feb. 1 - Super Bowl Party  
Feb. 7 - Pancake Breakfast  
Feb. 14 - Sweetheart Dinner  
Feb. 28 - Dance ("Memories")



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RECYCLE BINS RULES

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**NO GARBAGE OR TRASH !!**

**NO PLASTIC BAGS OR STYROFOAM**  
**(packing etc.) (egg cartons)**  
**NO PIZZA BOXES**  
**PLACE ITEMS IN APPROPRIATE BINS**

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**WASH AND RINSE - CANS AND BOTTLES**

**CRUSH GALLON AND 1/2 GALLON PLASTIC CONTAINERS (step on them)**

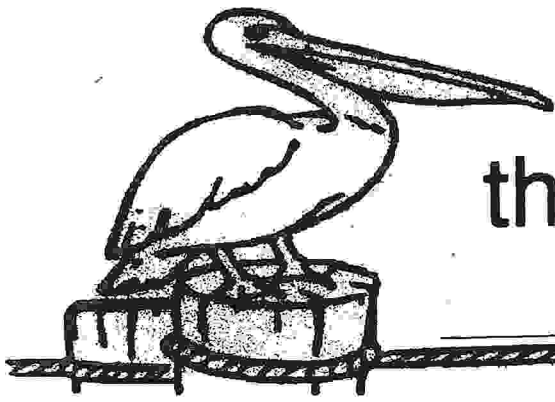
**DON'T OVERFILL BINS (if bins are full take items and put them in your trash can)**  
**NOTHING IS TO BE PLACED "ON TOP OF - OR OUTSIDE BINS"**

**(fill bins only to top, so that lids can be properly closed)**

**FLATTEN CARDBOARD BOXES (secure with STRING or DUCK tape)**

**IF YOU VIOLATE THE RULES ---SOMEONE WILL HAVE TO CLEAN-UP AFTER YOU!! WASTE MANAGEMENT WILL NOT CLEAN-UP, IF ITEMS FALL ON THE GROUND, AS THEY DO WHEN BINS ARE OVERFILLED!**

**PLEASE HELP BY FOLLOWING - THESE FEW SIMPLE RULES !!**



# the Listening Post

NOVEMBER 2004

Nov. 8 (Mon.) 9:30 A. M.  
Board of Directors Meeting..

Nov..9 (Tue.) 5:00 P. M. FREE  
Welcome Back party at Club House  
Pizza, soda, beer  
Sign up sheet in hall.

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Thanksgiving dinner Traditional turkey  
dinner with trimmings.

Tickets will be on sale Tue. Nov. 9 and  
Wed. Nov.10 , 10:00 A. M. - noon  
\$8.00 (incl. Tax)

Committee:  
Dude & Martha Cross  
Shirley & Blaine VanHooser  
Joyce & Fred Klemm  
Muriel Lyon  
Ladeema Carruthers  
Betty Flynn  
Laura Hagg

Nov. 30 (Mon.) 9:00A.M.  
We will be decorating our Clubhouse and  
Park for Christmas. Please volunteer to help.

\* Watch the blackboard for start date of  
Bingo, Pinochle, Bridge, etc.

\*Attention: Crafters in Gulf to Bay.  
It is time to start making your crafts for the  
Carnival an Jan. 22 Any questions, contact  
Jean McCarthy.

## Recreation Council

Pres.. George Gallaher  
V. Pres. Bob King  
Sec. Joey Gallaher  
Treas. Terry Pheneuf.

## Members - at -Large

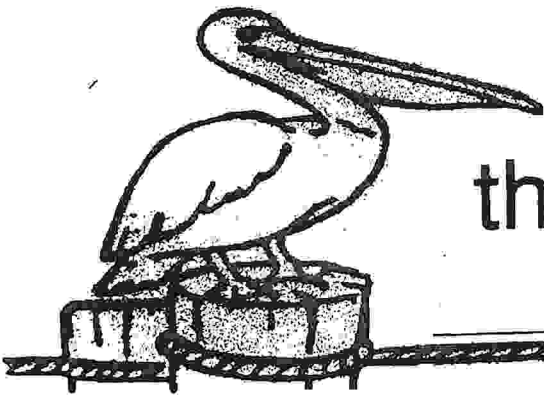
Laura Hagg  
Ed Ledoux  
Paul McCarthy  
Mary Steeves

## Monthly Activitiy Leaders

Nov. Dude Cross  
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& Ed Ledoux  
Rec council (Carnival)  
Feb. Bob King (Super Bowl Party)  
Rec Council(Sweetheart Dinner)  
Mar. Paul & Ed (St. Patricks Day)  
Apr. Rec Council

## Board of Directors

Pres. Dennis Flynn  
V. P. Larry Bland  
Sec. Boyd Gunnison  
Tres. Jim Schurman  
Jean Croteau  
Dude Cross  
Dick Penn



# the Listening Post

JANUARY 2005

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Dec. 31 (Fri.) 9:00 P. M - 1:00 A. M.

New Year's Eve party - BYOB - Refreshments will be served.

Jan. 3 (Mon.) 9:00 A. M.

We will take down the Christmas decorations in the hall and park. Please help.

Jan. 4 (Tue.)

Line dancing will begin. Join the fun. Any questions see Letty Richards.

Jan. 8 (Sat.) 8:00 - 10:00 A. M.

Pancake Breakfast. (\$3.00) Come and enjoy.

Jan. 10 (Mon.) 9:30 A.M.

Board of Directors meeting.

Jan. 15 (Sat.) 7-10:00 P. M.

Dance to the music of Kim and Dave.  
("Memories) BYOB and snacks.

Jan. 22 (Sat.) 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Carnival. Watch for a future flyer with all the details.

Jan. 26 (Wed.) 6:00 P. M.

Italian Dinner

Committee:

Ed and Ann Ledoux

Paul & Jean McCarthy

Fred & Joyce Klemm

Jack & Rose Martin

Paul Schurman - Ladeema Carruthers

Tickets will be on sale Jan. 21, 10A. M. - Noon  
and Thur. Jan. 13 - 1 to 3 P.M. (\$8.00 incl.

Tax)

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Crafters at Gulf to Bay: Are you making something unique for the craft table at the Carnival? We need your help. Any questions see Laura Hagg.

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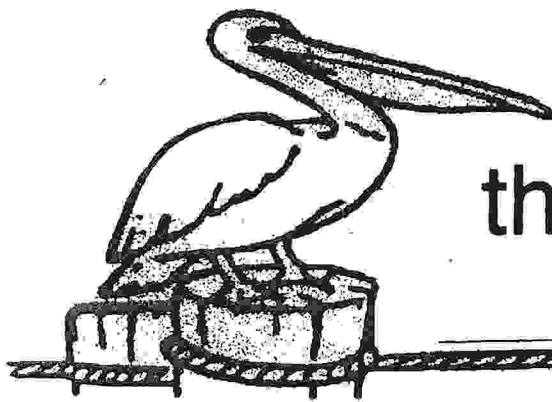
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# the Listening Post

NOVEMBER 2005

Nov. 14 (Mon.) 9:30 A. M.  
Board of Directors Meeting.

Nov. 16 (Wed.) 1:30 P. M.  
South Manasota Key Association Meeting.  
Time to pay your 2006 dues. \$10.00.

Nov. 24 (Thur.) 2-00 P. M.  
Thanksgiving dinner - traditional Turkey  
dinner with trimmings.  
Tickets will be on sale Thur. Nov. 10 and  
Fri. Nov. 11 10:00 A.M. - noon \$8.00 (incl.  
Tax)

#### Committee

George & Joey Gallaher  
Dude & Martha Cross  
Fred & Joyce Klemm  
Ladeema Carruthers  
Betty Flynn  
Laura Hagg  
Muriel Lyon

Dec. 1 (Thur.) 9:00 A. M.  
We will be decorating the Clubhouse and  
Park for Christmas. Please volunteer to help.

Dec. 15 (Wed.) 5:30 - 9:30 P.M.  
Christmas Dinner -Dance at the Gulf to Bay  
clubhouse. Music by EZ Street. Make your  
reservations with your street captains  
(\$25.00 p.p.)  
Aura - Betty Schwarz  
Bayo - Fran Church  
Cielo - Ann Ledoux (see Joey)  
Dije - Marge DesRocher  
Estada - Lorraine Dube  
Golfo & Cielo Ct. - Muriel Lyon

Watch the blackboard for start date for  
Bingo, Pinochle, Bridge, etc.

There is an opening on the Rec Council due  
to the departure of Paul Mc Carthy. If  
interested, see any member of the Rec  
Council.

We thank Paul for his dedicated service on  
our Council. He was one of our cooks. We  
will miss him and Jean who was our craft  
lady and librarian. Sorry to see them go.

If you are interested in keeping our library in  
order, notify Joey..

#### Recreation Council

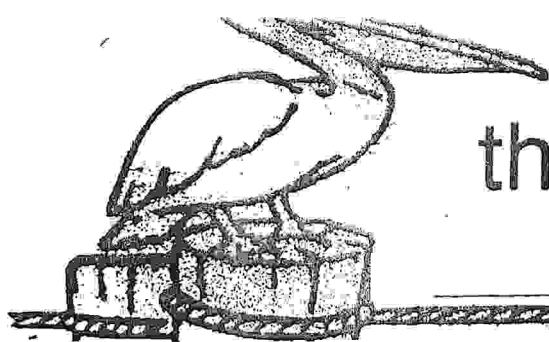
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V. Pres. - Larry Bland  
Sec. - Bob King  
Treas. - Jim Schurman

Jean Croteau, Dick Penn



# the Listening Post

JANUARY 2006

Dec. 31 (Sat.) 8:30 P. M - 12:30 A.M.

New Year's Eve party. Appetizers will be served. B. Y. O. B. & soda. Ice will be furnished. Music by Jim Bishop. Sign up sheet in hall.

Jan. 4 (Wed.) 9:00 A. M.

Will be taking down the Christmas decorations. Please volunteer to help.

Jan. 7 (Sat.) 8-10 A.M.

Pancake Breakfast - Come and enjoy and support this committee.. \$3.00 incl. Tax

Jan. 9 (Mon.) 9.30 A. M.

Board of Directors Meeting

Jan. 11 (Wed.) 10:00 A. M.

Harlan Domber.

Jan. 12 (Thur.) 1:30 P.M.

South Manasota Key Association Meeting, Wayne Sallade will be the speaker. He is the Charlotte County Emergency Management Director. Come and hear what plans are in effect if a hurricane hits our area.

Jan. 14 (Sat.) 7-10 P.M.

Dance (Lee & Cher). B.Y.O.B. & snacks.

Jan. 21 (Sat)

Carnival. Please set aside things for the flea market. We will accept small household items - no large furniture. If you wish to donate any large items, you will be responsible to get them there the day of the sale. Keep your donations until week of sale. We have no storage space. A news bulletin about the carnival activities will come out at a later date.

Jan. 25 (Wed.) 5:00 P. M.

Spaghetti dinner. Menu: Spaghetti with meat sauce, salad, roll, dessert.

Committee: Jean Croteau, Chairman

Nancy & Russ Treible

tickets on sale Thur. Jan. 12 & Fri. Jan. 13

10:00 A.M. - noon. \$5.00 (incl. Tax)

Movie every Thur. 7 P. M. Watch board to see what is showing..

Locked Doors - The doors at top of ramp on Bayo St. and library are to be kept locked at all times unless we are having a special function that requires them to be open.

Please use the two main entrances on Bayo and Cielo Streets. They are open 8 A. M. to 9 P. M. If you unlock a door, you must use your key to lock it. They do not lock automatically.

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Norma Bishop and Dude Cross have been appointed to fill the vacancies on the Rec Council.

At the Christmas dinner, one hundred dollars (\$100 00) was collected for meals on wheels.

It was a great time to remember the needy.

Thanks!!

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