

Larson's Latitudes

The Villages Parrot Heads Newsletter

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August 2024 "Year of the Pirate" Edited by Marty Guillouma



President's Corner

"Mark the Shark" Woodland



July was a hot month, but that didn't stop our Parrotheads from doing what we do best – "Partying with a Purpose" !! We had 3 great Phlockings, great entertainment, and Belle Glade CC had 282 members attend. Wow – that is fantastic during the summer.

Our summer blood drive on July 6 & 7 collected 287 pints of blood which will help save the lives of up to 867 people. Thank you for giving of yourselves and helping others. Our next blood drive is scheduled for September 11th and 12th and we all know the importance of 9/11. I hope you will continue to donate and please tell your phriends, phamily and neighbors to join you.

A phun time was had by everyone to attended the Tampa Bay Rays Margaritaville Night baseball game on July 13th. Before the game, the Trop Rock Junkies entertained the crowd as we all wore our new free straw hats!! It was also phun meeting members from other Florida Parrot Head clubs. Everyone made it back to the bus after lunch at Fergie's Bar, waiting for the elevator, and the \$19 Bud Light stadium beers. Thank you Ellen McLees and Sheila Hughes for another great trip.

On July 23, our phundraiser for Wildwood Middle High School was a huge success. Our club presented the school Principal with a check for \$3000. Thanks so much to Jan Donegan and her committee for their hard work. We will continue to collect school supplies at our Cane Garden Phlocking in August, so please let's keep helping local kids. . And THANK YOU to Mary, Al, and all the staff at Cody's for what they do for us!!

In August, your Board of Coco-Nutz will travel to Jacksonville, FL for our annual Leadership Conference with other Florida Parrothead Club Leaders. We attend this each year to share knowledge, ideas, and information about how we can improve our clubs and retain our memberships. We do this for you, our members, so we can continue each day to "leave this world a little better than we found it".

And don't forget our Pool Party with Cathy Kerns entertaining on Sunday, August 25th at Seabreeze RC pool. Tickets are only \$10 and available online. It should be loads of phun because Sandi Shomilak is the party Chair!!

That's all for now Parrotheads, so Keep your Phins Up __^__



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Honor Board of Current & Past Presidents



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2004-2005



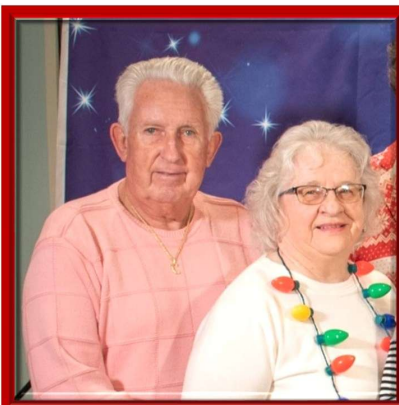
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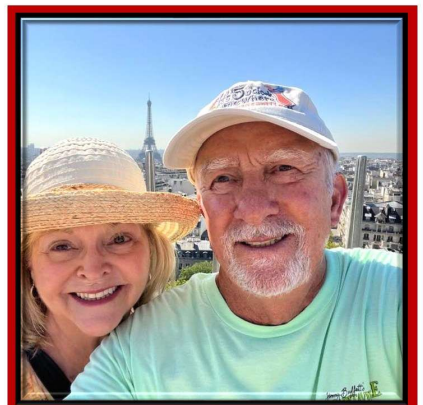
Jan Brooks
2007, 2009



Paul Kinder
2010 - Jun 2011



Charlie Howlett
Jul 2011 - Jun 2013



Bob Alosi 2008,
Jul 2013 - June 2014



Lee Caron
Jul 2014-Jun 2019



Mark Woodland
Jul 2019 - present

Compiled by Jean Howlett & Alan Shimp (5/20/24)

HEY PARROTHEADS, WHAT TIME IS IT?

Want to be a
"GUEST TOASTER"
 at a
 Phlocking??

Email Mark-the-Shark
 & let him know:
markthesharkdj@gmail.com



"GUEST TOASTERS"
 Wanted



Bill Harris

July 3 @ Cane Garden CC



Bonnie Manard

July 10 @ Havana CC



Larry Roeder

Lifetime Member, Treasurer
July 21 @ Belle Glade CC

Frank Shomlak, May 19

Geri Carapazza, Jun 5



Mr. Al Townsend, Jun 12

Bob Alosj, Jun 16

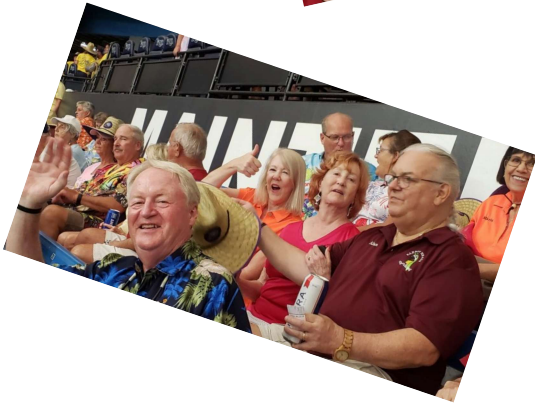


July Wrap-Ups

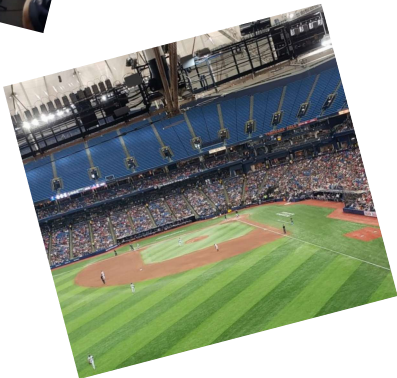
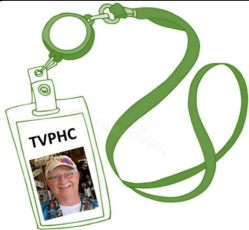
Travel **July 13 - Mararitaville Night**

Ellen Dill, Chair - 978-833-1418
Ellen McLees, CoChair - 732-814 5741

Sheila & Ellen, thanks for a GREAT!



WEAR YOUR LANYARDS TO ALL EVENTS!



Charity **Jul 23 4-6pm**

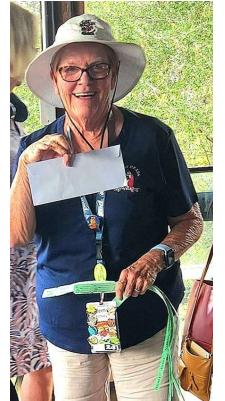
Chair- Jan Donegan
jandonegan@gmail.com

Sponsored by Diane Smallwood
(Keller Williams Cornerwood)

Help Us Help Kids
Fundraiser at Cody's
for Wildwood Middle & High Schools.



Thanks Jan. What a success!!!



Golf **July 28 @ Bonita Pass**

Summer Golf Scrambles

Lil Roe, Chair
317-431-7030



CONGRATULATIONS!
Bob Williams,
Linda Adornetto
Jeff King

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August Phlockings

August Events

Parrotheads gather at phlockings to hear about upcoming activities/ events while enjoying good food, drink, and great live music.

Wednesday, Aug 7th Cane Garden CC
3:30pm - 6:00pm



Jersey Frank will provide the entertainment for our 1st Phlocking this month.



A Central Florida Entertainer, specializing in the Golden hits of the 50's - today.

★ **Collecting School Supplies** ★

Wednesday, Aug 14th Havana CC
1:00pm - 3:30pm

Hollywood & The Tropix will provide the entertainment for our 2nd Phlocking this month.



With Hollywood and the Tropix, it's always Happy Hour. Dance, Sing-A-Long or just tap your feet.



Sunday, Aug 18st Belle Glade CC
3:30pm - 6:00pm **"Phins-Up Shop" - Open**

Just Mike & Gary will provide the entertainment for our 3rd Phlocking this month.

Rock & Roll and Dance Music from the 50's to today!



★ **Food Drive to support Wildwood Food Pantry** ★
See page 8 for list of items needed.

Travel

Aug 8

Travel Committee Meeting

Sheila Hughes, 513-324-3150

TODAY ONLY: MEETING AT PIMLICO RC

530 Belvedere Blvd,

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Travel

Aug 21

Ellen McLees, Chair - 732-814-5741
Theresa Ellis, Co-Chair - 317-250-3508



Lido Beach/Armands Circle

\$38/pp - on-line sales only
No refunds



Bus leaves Walmart on 466 at 8:30am sharp
Reboard bus at 5:00pm sharp
Lots of storage under the bus for chairs, coolers, etc.

Driver will make a 1:30pm trip and 3:00pm trip between the Lido Beach and Armands Circle

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Club

Aug 25

Seabreeze RC Pool Party

3:30pm - 7:00pm

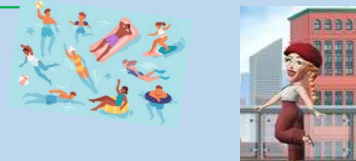
Sandi Shomilak, Chair
631-988-0478
Stephanie Carauana, Co-Chair
732-747-2202

****Bring cash, a \$5 or a \$10 gift card from any supermarket to help the food banks.**

Music by Kathy Kerns

Games, prizes, more

\$10/pp - on-line sales only
No Refunds



"This is a BYOB everything"
Limited to 125 club members.

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Club

Aug 29-31 - Charlotte Harbor PHC : 17th BD Party, Punta Gorda

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Golf

Aug 25 @ Sandhill

Summer Golf Scrambles

Lil Roe, Chair
317-431-7030

Call Lil to get on the "wait list".

SOLD OUT


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September & Future Events

Blood Drive

Sep 11 & 12 - Blood Drive Skip Todd
 skip0358@gmail.com
 @ Fire Station 44
 It is the ultimate act of giving your best life.
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Travel

Oct 10 Travel Committee Meeting
 Sheila Hughes, 513-324-3150
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Travel

Sep 12 Travel Committee Meeting
 Sheila Hughes, 513-324-3150
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Other Event

Oct 22-27 - PHIP MOTM in Alabama
 Website: MOTM.ROCKS for all the up to
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Other Event


Oct 29-Nov 3 Trop Rock'N Duval Key West
 FB www.facebook.com/groups/TheVillagesParrotHeadClub
 Website www.beachfrontentertainment.com
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Club

Sep 16 New Member Orientation
 Judy Tuner, 352-308-7645
 10:00 am Bonifay CC (on the patio)
 1033 Pinellas Pl, TV 32163

- How our club was founded
- How it all started
- Our Club's structure
- Our charities and fundraisers
- Our Volunteer Point system and benefits of volunteering

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Blood Drive

Nov 10 & 11 Blood Drive
 Skip Todd
 skip0358@gmail.com
 @ Fire Station 44
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Club

Oct 24 Halloween Party
 ★ **SAVE THE DATE**
 Rohan RC, Jay Rubin Band
 Flyer Soon



Charity/Golf

Sep 19 Chair: Bob Slaninski
 ras333@verizon.net, 631-786-3923

2nd Annual Rob Ainsley Memorial Golf Tournament

SOLD OUT
 Wait List Only

THE LONGEST DAY
 Alzheimer's Association

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Club

Dec 19 Christmas Party
 ★ **SAVE THE DATE**
 La Hacienda RC, Trop Rock Junkies
 Flyer Soon



Club

Dec 31 New Year's Eve Party
 ★ **SAVE THE DATE**
 Sea Breeze RC, Hollywood Knights
 Flyer Soon



Club

Jan 25, 2025 Gasparilla Pirate Fest
 \$129/pp, on-line sale now
 WorkmenTravel.com
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Club

Sep 26-29 Daytona Beach Bash
 Mark-the-Shark
 markthesharkdj@gmail.com
 Judy Koch
 parteeepar11@gmail.com

\$40/pp Wrist Bands for sale now
 Pay at the Phlockings cash/check only or on-line using credit
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Club

Feb 15-22, 2025 Judy & Larry Turner
 352-308-7645

'Lets Go Cruisin'!!
 Another fantastic Parrot Head Cruise is planned for
 2025 on The Norwegian Epic.
 Contact Judy & Larry, or stop by their
 table at a Phlockings.

SOLD OUT - Wait List Only!

★ **Jan 20th - Bon Voyage Meet and Greet** Flyer page 28

WebMaster News Travel News



Alan Shrimp
Webmaster News
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 540-226-9390

July has been a busy yet exciting month of Webmaster related events. In a nutshell, there has been a lot of planning for upcoming Parrot head events, both local and with other clubs. The events are too numerous to articulate but there's usually something for everyone!! Please see Larson's Latitude Newsletter at <https://www.villagesparrotheads.com/newsletters> or the Website Homepage at <https://www.villagesparrotheads.com/> for more details. If you're interested in volunteering for any of our phun events, contact the event chair and they will let you know their volunteer needs.

For our event chairs, we have updated the required budget and wrap-up forms making them easier to complete as "online fillable pdf forms". We have events that are local to the club such as fundraisers and parties, and events that involve the travel committee. Chairing an event is a great way to volunteer, earn points, and meet people! If interested, let us know and we'll tell you how!

Being midyear, we also undertook a concerted effort to get emails reinstated for about 20 members whose email bounced, were unsubscribed, or accidentally marked as SPAM. If you're not getting your emails and think you should be or would like to sign up for them again, let the Webmaster know to get you back in the phlock!

Lastly, we're making preparations for September and supporting the anticipated surge of membership renewals for 2025. Bonnie Menard has been busy in leading the rollout of lanyard QR barcodes and the development of new capabilities. That's a lot of QR barcode stickers with 1360 members, please give **Bonnie and her husband, Jeff**, a big "Phin's Up!" when you see them for a job well done.

Travel Meeting



Sheila Hughes
Travel Trustee
smhughes756@gmail.com
 513-324 3150

Next Travel Meeting

Aug 8, Thursday

★ **TODAY ONLY: MEET AT PIMLICO RC** ★
 530 Belvedere Blvd,

The Travel Committee meets **the 2nd Thursday** every month. Get involved, you'll be glad you did.

Aug 21

Ellen McLees, Chair, 732-814-5741
Theresa Ellis, CoChair 317-250-3508

Lido Beach/Armonds Circle

Known for white sand, calm waters, and relaxing atmosphere with elegant shopping and dining.

\$38.00 pp

8:30 am Bus leaves Walmart Rt466

5:00 pm Bus returns

2024 Travel Committee Activities

- ✓ Jan 29 **Kennedy Space Center Day Trip**
- Feb 16 Sheila Hughes elected as Travel Trustee
Travel Survey distributed @ 4 phlockings
- Mar 18 Presented survey results/plans to ExComm
- Apr Planned Jun/Jul trips for ExComm approval
- May
- ✓ Jun 18 **Johns Pass/Calypto Cruise Bus Trip**
- ✓ Jul 13 **Tampa Bay Rays BB Game Bus Trip**
- Aug 21 **Lido Beach/Armonds Circle Bus Trip**
Ellen McLees/Theresa Ellis
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- Sep No trip in September
- Oct
- Nov
- Dec
- Jan 25/25 **Gasparilla Pirate Fest (Parade of Pirates)**
This is a partnership with Workmen's Travel.
Tickets now on sale at WorkmenTravel.com.
\$129.00pp Flyer page 27.



Charity News

2025 Giving Survey

The Charity survey will be handed out at the 3 phlockings in September. The results of this survey will determine our Charity distributions for next year.

Stay Tuned!

Charity Fundraisers

2024 CHARITY DONATIONS

- ✓ Jan Sons of the American Legion #347
- ✓ Feb Villages Rotary Club Chili Cook-Off
- \$\$ Project Support Our Soldiers (SOS)
- ✓ Mar Friends of SOZO KIDS Underwear Drive
- \$\$ Wildwood Soup Kitchen
- ✓ Apr 6 Annual Poker Run
- \$\$ It Takes a Village
- \$\$ May Local Humane Society (SPCA) (Lake Panasoffke)
- ✓ May 21 Operation Shoebox @ **Cody's** (Securenet)
- \$\$ Jun 23 Angel Wigs of Hope Fundraiser
- \$\$ Jul Special Olympics
- \$\$ Jul 23 Help Us Help Kids @ **Cody's** (Wildwood MS/HS)
- Aug
- \$\$ Sep 19 Rob Ainsley Golf Tournament for Alzheimer
- 2025 Giving Survey at September 3 phlockings
- Oct 22 Patriot Service Dogs for Vets @ **Cody's** (J. Maiz)
- Nov PH Christmas Tree Decorated
- Dec
- \$\$ Shepherd's Lighthouse
- \$\$ Combat Veterans To Careers (CVC)
- \$\$ Veterans Helping Veterans

(\$\$) Indicates the charities that have or will be presented with a donation check. ✓ Indicates charities have received a donation.

The Charity Committee will continue to donate to decorate the Holiday Parrot Head Tree and to bid on the tree. This will support Special Olympics.



Charity Trustee, Marsha Herring

mherr424@comcast.net

412-260 7475

2024 Monthly Charity Food Drives

Drop off Items at these Phlockings:

HAVANA	BELLE GLADE	CANE GARDEN
✓ Jan Fruitland	✓ Feb Lady Lake	✓ Mar Panasoffkee
✓ Apr Wildwood	✓ May Fruitland	✓ Jun Lady Lake
✓ Jul Panasoffkee	Aug Wildwood	Sep Fruitland
Oct Lady Lake	Nov Panasoffkee	Dec Wildwood

★ August 18: Monthly Charity Collection ★ (Belle Glade Phlocking)

Items requested by Wildwood Food Pantry:

- * **Canned fruit and beans**
- * **Spaghetti sauce**
- * **Peanut butter & jelly (smaller jars)**
- * **Size 3 or 4 diapers**
- * **Toilet paper**
- * **Paper towels**



Thanks everyone for giving.



WEAR YOUR LANYARDS
TO ALL EVENTS!



Volunteer News

VOLUNTEER PARROT POINTS

(created 7/22/24)

Earning Parrot Points

Some of you might ask, What are volunteer Parrot Points and what are they used for? Members can earn Parrot Points from volunteering at our club's various events. For example: taking attendance at Phlockings, selling 50/50 tickets, donating blood, volunteering at the blood drive, helping at parties, and/or volunteering at any of our 3 big events per year (chili cook off, poker run, golf tournament).

Accumulating Parrot Points

Points are accumulated on a "rolling" 12 month period, i.e., from February to January or July to June. The rolling system works when points for a new month are posted and the points for the prior year period are dropped. For example: July points for the current year are posted, the July points for the previous year will drop off. The only way your accumulated Parrot Point totals will change is when a new month is tallied and posted

Posting Monthly Parrot Points

The total of all Members' Parrot Points are posted each month on our website: villagesparrotheads.com, Quick Links, Check Earned Points. Monthly, event chairs submit the earned Parrot Points to me to track, tally, and post for the member's review. Check your points each month and let me know if you think any Parrot Points are missing.

Thanking you, our Members

Parrot Points are given to those members rewarding the volunteer work they have done for our club. And this is one of the ways we thank you for volunteering. Parrot Points are then recognized to purchase advance ticket sales, advance priority event seating, receive an invitation to the annual Volunteer Appreciation event (specific yearly total must be accumulated), and to receive a Volunteer Appreciation Pin in recognition for your Volunteer efforts. And, you do not lose Parrot Points if you use them to purchase advance ticket sales or priority seating.

Jaci Burdash
Volunteer Coordinator



Volunteer Trustee: Jaci Burdash

ilb2500@gmail.com

312 209-9090

Jaci tracks and records the monthly Parrot Points reported to her from our Monthly Phlocking Chairs, our Club Special Event Chairs, and our Out of Club Contacts.

HELP WANTED

(receive Parrot Points)

Email the below contacts if you are interested in volunteering at phlockings or special club events.

SEP 19 2nd Annual Golf Tournament

Terry Wallace

golftw@aol.com; 630-453-8952

The committee thanks all the club members who have volunteered.

Dec 19 2024 Christmas Party

Jean Calamarino

rjc63@yahoo.com; 989-313-1700

VOLUNTEER HELP NEEDED

Attendance # Needed

Cane Garden	8/7	1
	9/4	1
	12/4	1
Havanna	8/14	2
	9/10	1
	10/9	1
	12/11	3
Belle Glade	12/15	2

50/50 # Needed

Cane Garden	12/4	2
Havanna	10/9	2
	12/11	2
Belle Glade	12/15	2

Jaci's Flyer page 16.
(created 7/6/24)

Attendance:

Jaci Burdash
ilb2500@gmail.com

50/50:

Deb Warren
Warrendeborah7@gmail.com

Members Table:

Johnny Ward
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New Members Table:

Judy Turner
jturner2833@yahoo.com

Phins-Up Shop:

Jim Dieleman
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Security:

David Walls
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For Volunteer Positions outside the Club
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New Members Trivia & Drink

Membership **Johnny Ward**

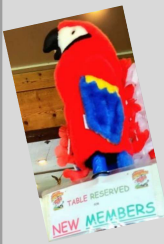
johnnyward300@yahoo.com

609-226-9175



July New Members

Birriel	Ann
Birriel	Richard
Brandman	David
Brumley	Clay
Brumley	Sherry
Emmons	Dori
Ferguson	Karen
Gilpin	Bette
Gilpin	Charles
Harris	Bill
Hazlewood	Anne
Hilton	Lori
Hilton	Scott
Hyde	Bill
Mikula	Jack
Mikula	Jill
Mycoskie	Sherma
Noble	Nancy
Poulton	Tracy
Samaras	Fran
Smith	Sher
Strong	John
Strong	Terri
Vitaz	Thomas
Vitaz	Trish
Walker	James
Walker	Nancy
Wozniak	Marisha
Zaucha	Charles



Trivia of the Month

Q1: The front cover of the *Before the Beach* collection features a photograph of Buffett sitting on the hood of an old Packard. What does the license plate read?

- a) Going South
- b) Flying Lady
- c) Highway Lady
- d) Mrs. Bojangles

Q2: Who owned the Packard?



Barb Hopper

Answer on page 29

Drink of the Month

Gypsy & Ren Titus

gypsygewells@gmail.com

352-430-2083



Do you have a favorite drink?? Gypsy & Ren would like to consider it for The Drink of the Month. If chosen, you will receive credit for sharing your delightful and elegant creation in a future newsletter. Send your drink to gypsy-gewells@gmail.com.

Paris Delight French Raspberry Martini



1.5 Shot of Grey Goose Vodka
2 Shots Pineapple Juice
1/2 Shot Chambord
Shake with ice, strain in to Martini glass
Garnish with Fresh Raspberries to taste (optional)

August-Where's Jimmy? He's hiding in the 1st 10 pages of this newsletter. Answer in August.

✓ Answer for July- page 4, "National Parrothead Day", middle of the pictures. It was the cardboard face of Jimmy at the Bluefin gathering.

July Smiles



Volunteer Opportunities Outside our Club

To be an approved charity, it must be a “not-for-profit” organization and registered with the State of Florida. Also, the contact or assistance must be willing to track the volunteer’s hours worked each month and report them back to our Volunteer Trustee.

Receive Parrot Points

Email the charity contact below if you are interested and tell them you are a Parrothead.

Wildwood Soup Kitchen: A church based not-for-profit organization that feeds the hungry in Wildwood Florida, complete the application, and include that you are a Parrothead.

Contact: Barbara McManus: 352-299-6494.

Email: barb.mcmanus@yahoo.com

Website: wildwoodsoupkitchen.org

The Villages Regional Hospital:

Contact: Gloria Counselman: 352-751-8176

Email: tvrhypo@centflhealth.org

Cornerstone Hospice:

Email Heidi Gamet: hgaumet@cshospice.org.

Operation Homebound: A Meals on Wheels program for The Villages and surrounding areas.

Call: 352-689-1023, Email OHB@northlakepc.org

Best Buddies International: The charity is dedicated to ending the social, physical, and economic isolation for people with disabilities, i.e. Downs syndrome, autism, cerebral palsy and traumatic brain injury.

Call: 407-898-0787

Email: centralflorida@bestbuddies.org

Shepard’s Lighthouse: The charity helps homeless women, and mothers with children, get back on their feet by providing temporary shelter and training. The charity also has open positions on their Board of Directors.

Contact: Kathie Niesem: 847-641-3287

Email: katcarl@prodigy.net

The Villages Parrot Head Coco-Nutz



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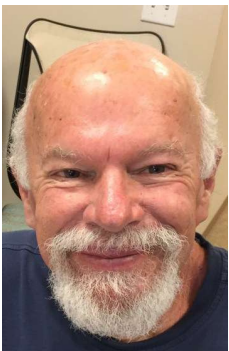
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Appointed Positions



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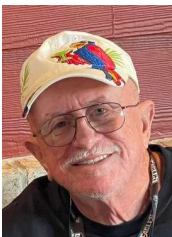
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New Member Coordinator
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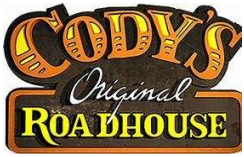
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Our 2024 Corporate Sponsors

Please support our Sponsors. Last updated 7/30/24



Cody's has been a Corporate Sponsor for over 10 years. Without their support, we could not hold the Charity Fund Raisers our Club is known for. Cody's Original Roadhouse is a fun, casual, family friendly Roadhouse that serves "Just plain Good Food". You won't go home hungry or broke.



The Cane Garden Country Club is our newest venue. They have a great reputation for food and friendly service. Their location reflects the changing demographics of our Club's membership.



Havana Country Club hosts our Lunch Phlocking each month. Havana is proud to offer one of the best dining experiences in The Villages. They specialize in fine steaks, fresh seafood and pasta.



Belle Glade Country Club hosts our 3rd Phlocking each month. They invite you to come and promise to serve up what it takes to make you happy.

Safe Harbor Financial &
Insurance Services LLC

www.jmaizsafeharborllc.com
352-205-6911

Jack Maiz is a Club Member and the owner of Safe Harbor Financial & Insurance Services LLC. He specializes in Medicare Planning for Veterans on Tricare and Eligible Seniors, age 65 and over. He also specializes in Fixed Guaranteed Annuities. You can visit his website at www.jmaizsafeharborllc.com or call him at (352) 205-6911.



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Diane Smallwood is a Realtor with the Keller Williams Cornerstone Agency capable and she is ready to help you buy or sell a home. She is also one of the Club's favorite entertainers Caribbean Chillers. Diane can be reached at (352) 787-4325, email at DianeSmallwood@kw.com, or website is www.dianesmallwoodrealty.com.



Street Rod has been a Club sponsor for several years. They support our annual Golf Outing, food drives and our annual Poker Run. They sell one of America's highest quality golf carts. They would like to show you what the Street Rod experience is like. Come take a test drive as driving is believing. Call (352) 751-3953 to see the drive difference between your cart and a StreetRod.



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The First Responders of Station 44 host our Blood Drives. We always appreciate the space and their support.



HELP WANTED

THE VILLAGES PARROTHEADS

Created 7/6/24
By Jaci Burdash

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

TAKING ATTENDANCE AND SELLING 50/50

More volunteers are needed for the following:

★ ATTENDANCE ★

Cane Garden - 8/7 (1 person); 9/4 (1 person); and 12/4 (1 person)

Havana - 8/14 (2 people); 9/10 (1 person); 10/9 (1 person); and 12/11 (3 people)

Belle Glade - 12/15 (2 people)

★ 50/50 ★

Cane Garden - 12/4 (2 people)

Havana- 10/9 and 12/11 (both 2 people)

Belle Glade - 12/15 (2 people)

If you are interested in taking attendance, please reply to this email.

If you want to sell 50/50, please respond to
Deb Warren at warrendeborah7@gmail.com.

JACI BURDASH
jl2500@gmail.com
VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR

Travel

AUGUST 21, Wednesday
LIDO BEACH/ARMANDS CIRCLE
\$38.00/pp



<p>Lido Beach & St. Armands Circle</p> <p>Lido Beach</p>		<p>BUS TRIP</p> <p>August 21, 2024</p> <p>\$38.00 PP</p> <p>No Belongs OR GLASS ON THE BUS</p> <p>St. Armands Circle</p>
<p>Sugar White Sandy Beach</p> <p>Alcohol friendly - No glass Permitted</p> <p>Beach Pool - \$2.00 for Seniors - All visitors must have an account to gain access to the pool. Call 941-263-6732 in advance for assistance.</p> <p>Restrooms & Outdoor Showers</p> <p>Shaded picnic tables</p> <p>Concessions</p> <p>Umbrella & Chairs Rental available Cash Only -941-444-7495</p>	<p>The bus will make two trips to the beach area so you can divide your time between the beach and shopping/eating areas.</p> <p>The bus will make a 1:30 pm trip and a 3 pm trip between the two areas.</p> <p>The bus driver will help load your beach equipment to storage under the bus.</p>	<p>Historical District - Self guided walking tour with 33 statues</p> <p>Boutiques</p> <p>Lots of dining choices</p> <p>Snack Shops</p> <p>Bus will store our chairs, umbrellas, coolers, etc. and take us to St. Armands Circle in mid-afternoon (1/2 mile away)</p>
<p>Chair: Ellen McLees 732-814-5741</p> <p>Assistant Chair: Theresa Ellis 317-250-3508</p> <p>Tickets are non-refundable but are transferable to another Parrot Head. If anyone else will be using your ticket, please provide their name and phone number to the chair</p>	<p>Bus will leave from Walmart on 466. Garden Center PROMPTLY at 8:30AM.</p> <p>REBOARD THE BUS BY 5:00 PM SHARP And will arrive back in The Villages at approximately. 7:30 pm</p>	

Club

AUGUST 25, Sunday POOL PARTY,
3:30pm - 7:00pm
\$10.00/pp on-line sales only

****Bring cash, a \$5 or a \$10 gift card from any supermarket to help the food banks.**



The flyer features a blue background with white wavy lines representing water. At the top, there are colorful musical notes and a string of pink, yellow, and blue pennants. A red inflatable swan is on the left, and a beach ball is on the right. The text is centered and reads: **POOL PARTY**, **SeaBreeze Pool**, **August 25, 2024, 3:30pm-7:00pm**, **Tickets: \$10 per person, purchase online**, **No food provided. NO REFUNDS**, **BYOB, snack & chairs - NO glass in pool area**, **Entertainment provided by Cathy Kerns**, **Games, prizes and more!!!**, **Chair: Sandi Shomilak 631-988-0478**, and **Assistant Chair: Stephanie Caruana 732-747-2202**. At the bottom, there are illustrations of flip-flops, a 'WINGS KNOCKED OUT' logo, and a lounge chair.

POOL PARTY

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Golf Event

August 25, Sunday



Lil Roe, Chair
317-431-7030
Kathy Wooldridge, Co-chair
317-628-8988

SOLD OUT



2024 PARROT HEAD SUMMER GOLF SCRAMBLES

STOPPED DUE TO WEATHER

✓ May 26 - VOLUSIA

~~✓ Jun 23 - BACALL~~

✓ Jul 28 - BONITA PASS

Aug 25 - SANDHILL

WEATHER STOPPED the
JUNE SCRAMBLE.
\$\$ rolled into Jul and Aug

Call Lil at 317-431-7030 to be put on the waitlist.

\$5.00 per person per scramble - NO REFUNDS

This is a Parrothead only event

2024 GOLF SCRAMBLE WINNERS



May 26 – Volusia
John Fasanella,
Lesa Fitch,
Gary Biggs (absent).

Jun 23 – Bacall
**WEATHER STOPPED-JUN
SCRAMBLE - no winners.
\$\$ rolled into Jul and Aug
scrambles.**



Jul 28 – Bonita Pass
Bob Williams
Linda Adornetto
Jeff King

Aug 25 – Sandhill

Other
Event

CHARLOTTE HARBOR, 17th PHC BIRTHDAY PARTY, Punta Gorda

AUGUST 30-31, Friday & Saturday



Charlotte Harbor Parrot Head Club invites you to its

17th Year Birthday Party

BENEFITTING

VALERIE'S HOUSE OF CHARLOTTE COUNTY

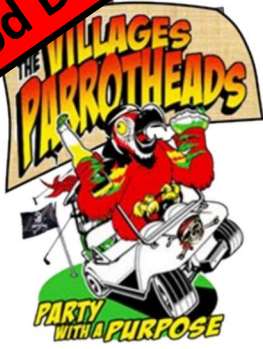
FRIDAY AUGUST 30th
SATURDAY AUGUST 31st
Harborside Garden
Four Points by Sheraton
Punta Gorda

**Friday Night: Gypsies in Paradise:
Lefty Lucy, Sunny Jim, Klee Lyles,
Jax, and Aloha Steve**

Saturday Night: Caribbean Chillers

Tickets \$125 (only 175 sold)
Includes catered dinner at Saturday night Pirate Ball.
Ticket purchase, hotel discounts, sponsor opportunities,
schedule, and more information will be at chphc.com

Blood Drive



To register:

- ◆ Email Skip at skip0358@gmail.com
- ◆ Sign up at any Phlocking at Skip's table
- ◆ Walk-ins are ALWAYS welcome

Blood Drive

SEPTEMBER 11 & 12, Wed & Thu

*Fire Station 44, 3035 Morris Ave
The Villages FL 32163*



2024 Blood Drive Dates

- ✓ January 6 & 7
- ✓ March 9 & 10
- ✓ May 10 & 11
- ✓ July 6 & 7

September 11 & 12

November 10 & 11



1 for working, 2 for giving blood, 4 for giving red blood
Receive Parrot Point:
1 for working, 2 for giving blood, 4 for giving red blood

Contact Skip Todd at skip0358@gmail.com to register



Each blood donation is enough to save 3 lives!

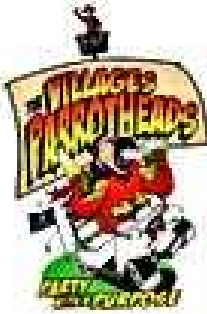
Club

SEPTEMBER 16 Monday

NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION

10:00am at Bonifay CC (on the patio)

EVERYONE IS WELCOLM TO ATTEND



*Parrot Head New
Member Orientation*



September 16th, 10am

Bonifay Country Club (on the patio)

1033 Pinellas Pl, The Villages, FL 32163



Learn



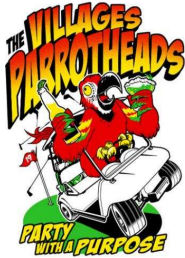
- How our club was founded**
- What is a Parrothead & How did it start**
- Our volunteer point system
and benefits of volunteering**
- Parrotheads around the world**
- Our charities and fundraisers**
- Our club get togethers**
- Our club structure**
- What you can do with our club**
- And much, much more**



September 19, Thursday

Charity
Golf

SOLD OUT
WAIT LIST ONLY



The Villages Parrot Heads

2nd Annual Rob Ainsley Memorial Golf Tournament

18 Holes
\$95 pp
2 pm Start

9 Holes
\$65 pp
3 pm Start

THE LONGEST DAY
ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION

Thursday, September 19, 2024
Belle Glade Country Club

Hole in One Prizes - Cork Pull - Music - Live Auction - Raffles - 50/50!

Registration will be at all Phlockings or by mail. Completed registration forms and checks made out to "The Villages Parrot Heads" can be mailed to: Bob Slaninka, 1990 Kay Terr, The Villages, FL 32162

For More Information Please Contact: Chair - Bob Slaninka
ras333@verizon.net or (631)786-3923

Asst. Chair: Dave Walls
dmwalls2001@verizon.net
(904) 505-1156

Asst. Chair: Terry Wallace
golfjtw@aol.com
(630) 453-8952

Asst. Chair: Bruce Newstat
bnewstat@comcast.net
(609) 377-7531

Club

September 26-29, Thu - Sun



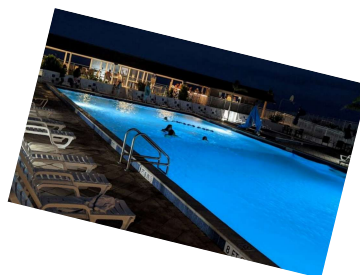
Daytona Beach Bash

Mark-the-Shark
markthesharkdj@gmail.com
Judy Koch
partepar11@gmail.com

Where: Best Western Aku Tiki Inn in Daytona Beach

2225 S Atlantic Ave, Daytona Beach, FL 32118

(386) 252-9631



Room Rates: \$119 - \$169/night.

Call 386-252-9631 for room reservations. These rates will not apply if you book through the Best Western 800 number or book online.

Free Happy Hour Drinks from 4pm to 5pm every day.

Sunday the 29th, a Funday has been reserved.

Music has been booked:

Thursday	6pm-9pm -	Jeff & the Camaros
Friday	1pm-4pm -	Bill Cockrell & John Beck
Friday	6pm-9pm -	Rusty Ole Phlockers (formally the Cottee River Band)
Saturday	1pm-4pm -	Sunny Jim with Lefty Lucy & Nick
Saturday	6pm-9pm -	The Trop Rock Junkies



Other
Event

Tuesday, October 22nd – Sunday, October 27th 2024

PHiP's Annual Meeting of the Minds 2024



MOTM 2024

MOTM is the annual PHiP Parrot Head convention held the end of October and the beginning of November. While previously hosted in New Orleans and Key West, the new home of MOTM is Gulf Shores, Alabama and is always subject to change. It is open to any member of a PHiP sanctioned Parrot Head Club covering several days and nights of friendship, fun, food and great music, with a few optional meetings and seminars thrown in the mix.

There is so much information about bands, events, schedules, registration, that I am leaving it to you to look up the info, as it is updated almost every day. I will be reminding everyone at our phlockings, etc.

Website: MOTM.ROCKS for all the up to date information

Other
Event

OCTOBER 30 - NOVEMBER 3
TROP ROCK'N DUVAL in KEY WEST

FB www.facebook.com/groups/560193912002210
Website www.beachfrontentertainment.com

Trop Rock'N DUVAL



Venues, music, fun
MORE EVERYTHING
MORE Key West &
MORE Trop Rock'N Du-
val

October 30 - November 3, 2024

A Festival of music born in Key West

Club



January 25/2025

***Gasparilla Pirate Fest
(Parade of Pirates)
Saturday Jan 25, 2025***



The Villages Parrot Heads will be joining a Workman Travel day trip on Jan 25th on an adventure to attend the Gasparilla Pirate Fest in Tampa. Enjoy a day at the event with reserved seating for the parade, over 100 vendors for food and drinks, and live music!!

Tickets include designated “First Mate Seats” at beginning of parade. Wear comfortable shoes, dress for the weather, bring sunscreen and a hat, and don’t forget your pirate gear!



Itinerary:

9:30 am- Depart Lake Sumter Landing (1045 Old Mill Run)

9:50 am- Depart Brownwood behind the Brownwood Hotel and The Center for Advanced Healthcare

11:45 am- Arrive in Tampa. Time to get food, drinks and find seats before the parade begins.

Parade begins at 2:00 pm and is expected to end by 6:00 pm.

Please meet at the bus 45 minutes after parade ends.



\$129/each includes transportation, bleacher seat, bus driver tip and a water bottle. Host gratuity not included.

Tickets available at
<https://workmantravel.com/the-villages-day-trips/gasparilla-pirate-fest-parade-of-pirates-saturday-january-2024>

(352) 776-2500

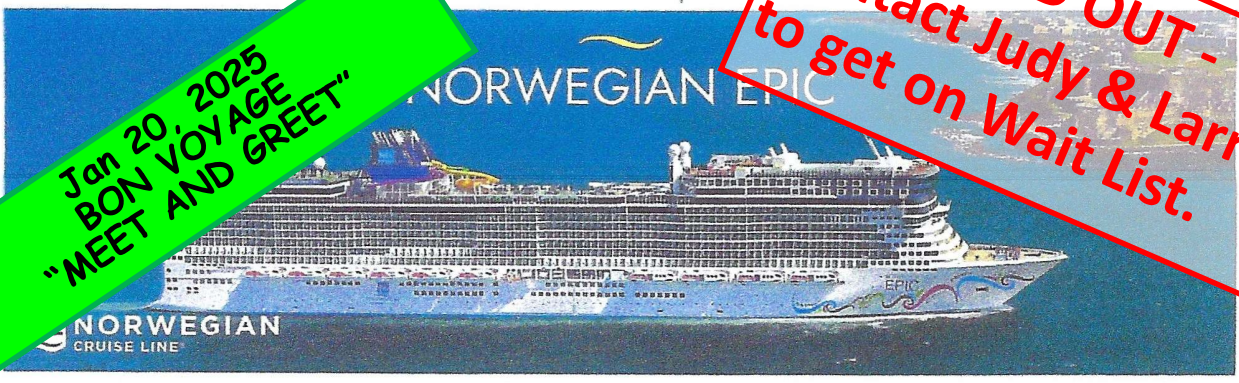


Club

Feb 15-22/2025

**SOLD OUT -
Contact Judy & Larry
to get on Wait List.**

**Jan 20, 2025
BON VOYAGE
"MEET AND GREET"**

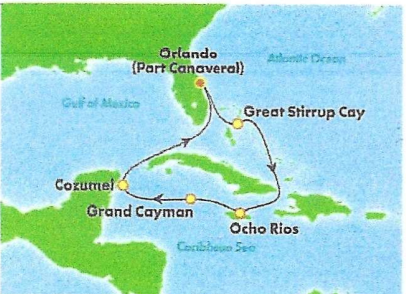


THE VILLAGES PARROT HEAD CLUB 2025 SOUTHERN MIGRATION

Norwegian Epic® is sure to dazzle with her contemporary design, world-class performances and endless onboard activities. Cruisers of all ages can enjoy everything from an Aqua Park to a towering Climbing Wall. Take a break from all the action at Mandara Spa® and enjoy the Thermal Suite – designed for ultimate relaxation. Speaking of grown-ups, Posh Beach Club and Spice H2O are adult-only venues that provide for an oasis during the day and a party at night. Multiple dining destinations ensure a happy palette at mealtime, while drinks can be enjoyed at unique bars like Ice Bar, Shaker's Martini & Champagne Bar and Maltings Beer & Whiskey Bar. No matter what type of cruise you desire or what group you're with, prepare for an Epic vacation.

\$100 OBC PER CABIN, DRINK PACKAGE (not including gratuities), 2 SPECIALTY DINING MEALS PER CABIN, \$50 SHORE EXCURSION CREDIT PER CABIN, 150 MINUTE WIFI PER PERSON

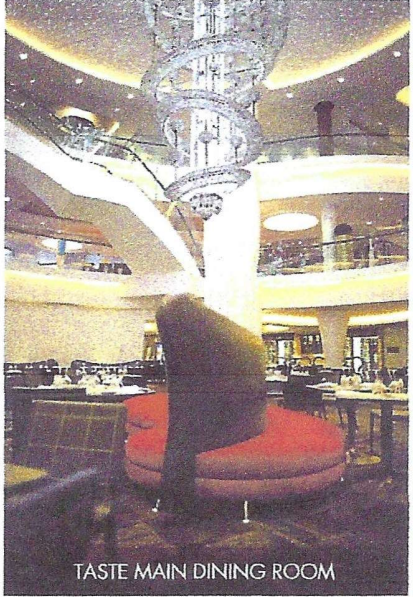
**7-DAY WESTERN CARIBBEAN FROM ORLANDO (PORT CANAVERAL)
FEB 15, 2025 to FEB 22, 2025**



DAY	PORT	ARRIVE	DEPART *
Sat	Orlando (Port Canaveral), Florida	-	5:30 PM
Sun	Great Stirrup Cay, Bahamas	8:00 AM	5:00 PM
Mon	Relaxing day at sea	-	-
Tue	Ocho Rios, Jamaica	8:00 AM	5:00 PM
Wed	George Town, Grand Cayman	8:00 AM	4:00 PM
Thu	Cozumel, Mexico	10:30 AM	6:30 PM
Fri	Relaxing day at sea	-	-
Sat	Orlando (Port Canaveral), Florida	7:00 AM	-



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352-308-7646**

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2024 Complete Calendar of Events

(last updated 7/30/24)



**WEAR YOUR LANYARDS
TO ALL EVENTS!**

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Trivia Answer:
Q1 b) Flying Lady
Q2 Jerry Jeff Walker