# The Brandywine Bugle

Submit notices for the Bugle to: ccastellano@precedentmgt.com no later than the 20th of each month

### ASSOCIATION INFORMATION

### **AED MACHINE LOCATION**

Women's Pool Restroom

### **ASSOCIATION OFFICE HOURS**

Monday-Friday 8am-12pm & 1pm-4pm To contact the Association office, please call: (239)481-2326 or email ccastellano@precedentmgt.com or fcourtney@precedentmgt.com RD support: <a href="mailto:christinec@precedentmgt.com">christinec@precedentmgt.com</a>

### **B&G COMMITTEE MEETING** Tuesday, March 8th at 11:00am

Subject to change, will be in person and virtual. Karen Miller 239-481-3790

### **COMMUNICATION COMMITTEE**

Thursday, March 10th at 10:00am Subject to change, will be in person and

virtual. Susan Deyo brandywine.susandeyo@gmail.com

# FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING Friday, March 11th at 11:00am

Subject to change, will be in person and Connie Myers 239-219-6480 virtual.

# **BOD MEETING**

Thursday, March 17th at 11:00am

Subject to change, will be in person and virtual. All owners encouraged to attend.

### **MONEY MATTERS**

A new year is upon us, and it is time to review your Brandywine account. With a change in the 2022 maintenance fees (\$681.36 for Brandywine units, \$431.79 for the Hazeltine units and, \$584.46 for all others) many forget to update the banking amount which results in an underpayment. I urge everyone to check their balance on the Precedent website which he done by going www.precedentmgt.com and logging into your account. If you need assistance in doing this, please call the office. If you want a quick update, the office will be happy to check your account balance for you. Constance Myers, Board Treasurer and Finance Chair

#### **OPEN TENNIS FOR RESIDENTS**

Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays, at 8:00am Offers all resident tennis players an opportunity to play, have fun, and get healthy exercise. If you have "rust" from not being in the game of late, we will provide the remedy. Do not hesitate to just show up but if you do have questions, Terry Trip at 239-314-6467.

# **PICKLEBALL Every Monday-Friday 8-9am**

Did you know that Pickleball is the fastest growing sport in the U.S.? Come join us at the courts M-F from 8-9. It is a great way to meet people and a fun way to exercise. Beginners and experienced players are welcome. Rackets are available if you do not have one. See you on the

### YOGA & LOW IMPACT AEROBICS IN THE CLUBHOUSE

Aerobics: meeting on Mondays and Thursdays at 9am in the Brandywine Hall. Using social distancing and routine CDs: Richard Simmons and Leslie Sansone.

Yoga: meeting on Mondays at 3pm in the Brandywine Hall. A second day will be scheduled later. Using CD: Susan Winter Ward for the Young at Heart. It is recommended to bring your own yoga mat. Please call Elizabeth 239-275-5384 if interested in Phelps participating.

# **BIBLE STUDY** Every Tuesday at 3:00pm

If you are interested in learning more of the Word of God, please consider joining us in the library for an in-depth study of the Bible. This is not a denominational study but rather a detailed look into what the Bible has to say to those who call themselves "Christians" from the pages of scripture itself. 66 Books by 40 different men over a period of 2000 years and yet with a single message system written for our learning. Contact Dave & Nadine Green (941)915-8275 or Dave & Cheryl Tanner (239)272-0283

# **SENIOR FITNESS** Wednesdays at 11am

Bring: Water, Towel, optional hand weights. Wear: Comfortable Clothing, Supportive Shoes (No flip flops). MOVE IT OR LOOSE IT!!! Certified Fitness instructor Donna Johnson 386-804-0481



# MAHJONGG Wednesdays at 1-3pm

Welcome back-Mahjongg ladies!! We will be meeting on WEDNESDAYS 1-3pm play time. Wear your mask if you choose, bring your card and the fun begins. Meeting room is the Brandywine Hall. Please contact Kay Wyatt if you have any questions. 239-322-4208.

# **SENIOR YOGA** Fridays at 3pm

Bring Yoga Mat and water (option to use chair). Improve strength, flexibility, and range of motion. Certified instructor.

Donna Johnson 386-804-0481

#### **BOCCE**

Mondays & Thursdays, at 9:30am Brandywine's Bocce Ball Club thanks everyone for their support. Please check for more information and photos on the blog at https://brandywinebocce.sport.blog/ Come out to play bocce with the Club members and others. Everyone is welcome!

### **BINGO**

# Wednesday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> at 7pm

Bingo is back with paper bingo cards. Bring your own dauber or purchase one for \$2. February's Big Winners: 2/02/22; Letter X: Dennis Luoma \$100. Cover All: Paul Henson \$170, each regular bingo paid \$50. 2/16/22; Letter X: MJ Peters \$80. Cover All: Eenie Cation \$170. It is asked of Bingo players to please bring in the exact amount for their cards- it makes the job of the money takers so much easier., we had a turnout of 65 people.

### **BLOOD DRIVE**

### Thursday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> from 10am-3pm

The Red Bus is coming to Brandywine on March 3rd from 10 am to 3 pm. To schedule your individual appointment call 1-888-936-6283 and tell them Brandywine/March 3 location. Appointments are encouraged.

# $\begin{array}{c} SINGLES'\ CLUB \\ Thursday,\ March\ 3^{rd}\ at\ 6:00pm \end{array}$

February, we started with a nice and filling brunch/lunch in Bonita Springs at Mel's. We later headed to North Naples to the Holocaust Museum. We had time to look on our own before viewing a short film. We then went on a docentled tour, which gave us a good, overall understanding of the atrocities which occurred not only in Germany, but elsewhere. The goal of the museum is to educate and to "inspire action today against bigotry, hatred, and violence." It was a powerful reminder how much of this behavior still exists. We went back to Bonita Springs and finished the day at The Best of Everything, a great place for gifts, jewelry, etc. Our meeting will take place poolside, weather permitting. If not, we will meet at 1246 Hazeltine Dr., where you will need to be BYO chair and refreshment. Please bring your new ideas researched prior to our meeting. Also, bring a calendar/planner to avoid scheduling conflicts. Thank you for your cooperation and input. Dianne Truslow

# WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION

### Saturday, March 5<sup>th</sup> at 9:00am

Women's Assoc Will be meeting in the Brandywine Hall. Call Karen Miller 239-481-3790 if you have any questions.

# **ACTIVITIES MEETING Monday, March 7<sup>th</sup> at 11am**

We welcomed 19 community members to the February 7, 7:00 pm meeting. There was a call for an evening meeting with the rationale that many residents work and could not make the daytime schedule. We appreciate those that made the effort to join in the planning and the discussion. Please continue to join in the efforts that were discussed and move forward as plans for Brandywine events need residents to volunteer to host, serve, and create the next steps to keep Activities vital to our community spirit.

# BOOK CLUB Tuesday, March 8<sup>th</sup> at 10am

Come to the tennis clubhouse to share your reading experiences. Fully vaccinated readers may forego a mask, all others should continue to mask for their own safety. We will attempt to socially distance in the space as attendance allows.

Nancy O'Keeffe 466-0476

# GREETING CARD MAKING Wednesday, March 9<sup>th</sup> at 10am

Card Making will be held in the craft room. All materials are available so just come and create or copy sample greeting cards. Make as many as time allows. If you have questions, contact Chanda at 239-703-7644. Hope to see you there

### **CHAIR VOLLEYBALL**

### Wednesday, March 9th & 23rd at 7pm

Join us in the Brandywine Hall and bring a neighbor! If you have any questions, please call Trip Weaver at 813-240-6460 or Nancy Weaver at 813-380-1500.

# THIRSTY THURSDAY Thursday, March 10<sup>th</sup> 4:30pm

Thirsty Thursday is coming back at the Pool area and Clubhouse. Dudleys BBQ Food Truck will be making its first appearance at Brandywine. They are noted for BBQ. No need to cook dinner. Several dining options: poolside, inside the clubhouse or takeout.

# MEN'S CLUB Saturday, March 12<sup>th</sup> at 9:15am

This is an open invitation to all Brandywine Men to enjoy good fellowship and a hearty breakfast at the MyerLee Country Club. If you have never attended a breakfast, now is the time to meet your neighbors. Please call Paul Thompson for reservations, (508) 345-1032/ptflyers@msn.com.



### ST. PATRICKS DAY PARTY Saturday, March 12<sup>th</sup> 5:30pm-9pm

Get out your green clothes and green beer and come party. Entertainment by DJ Tom. (Man from Sock Hop dance) 10.00 person BYOB and an hors d'oeuvre to pass for your table. Sign up Monday March 7th. Questions call Karen Miller 239 481 3790

# **NEWCOMERS COFFEE** Saturday, March 19th at 10:00am

Newcomers Committee invites all Newcomers and Brandywine Residents to the rescheduled Coffee Hour on March 19, in Brandywine Hall at 10:00. Please join us for coffee, conversation and information about all the activities we have available that make Brandywine special. This is also providing an opportunity to meet new friends and neighbors. Hope to see you there! Mary Marszalek..203-376-6607

# BOCCE BARBECUE SATURDAY Saturday, March 26<sup>th</sup> at 4:00pm

A hot dog and hamburger barbecue will take place on Saturday March 26th from 4:00PM to 6:00PM on the enclosed pool deck, BWH breezeway and bocce court shade tree area. All residents and guests are invited to attend. The sign up is in Brandywine Hall on Monday March 21st between 1:00 and 3:00 pm. Hamburgers are \$7.00 each, cheeseburgers are optional at no extra charge. Hot Dogs are \$4.00 each or two for \$6. Condiments will be provided. BYOB

# TRIVIA NIGHT Wednesday, March 30th at 7pm

After a brief respite in December, Brandywine Bocce Club Trivia Night resumed on 1/31 with nine teams toeing the line for the challenge. First place was taken by team "Last Chance" with 75 points. Team "Brainiacs" was in second place with 72 points, a mere three points behind. Closing fast in third place was team "Wise Guys" at 70 points. Interestingly, a mere 5 points separate the top three teams making it a very competitive game. Congratulations to all! Trivia is fun, see you at the next session on Wednesday March 30th. See what Betsy and her sister Emily have in store for you and your guests! BWH doors open at 6:30 play starts at 7:00pm, no late entries. \$5.00 per person, pay at door, BYOB or snacks for your table. Six person teams, we can help place you on a team if needed. Come out and have some fun!

### OOKING AHEAD:



# **SPRING FASHION SHOW** Friday, April 1st at 11:00am

Join us in the Brandywine Hall for this year's Spring Fashion Show! Tickets cost \$20, arrive at 11am to mingle and purchase Chinese Auctions tickets. Lunch will be served at Noon with the Fashion Show directly after. Come dressed in your spring attire! Sign up is Monday, March 21<sup>st</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> from 1-3pm in the Brandywine Hall. Questions? Call Kay Wyatt 322-4208.

# **SPRING FLING** Monday, April 4th at 6:30pm

Brandywine Bocce Club presents our Spring Fling Dance! Motown-Disco-Pop-70's, 80's &90's-Country-Rock & Roll-Blues & Today's Hits, performed by Jimmy O & Rhonda Lee. Be prepared for a very entertaining evening on Monday April 4th in Brandywine Hall. Doors open at 5:30 PM, Live Entertainment from 6:30 to 9:30, BYOB and snacks for your table. Sign up in BWH on Monday March 28th from 1:00 PM to 3:00; cost is \$15 per person.

### THIRSTY THURSDAY/ FOOD TRUCK SCHEDULE 2022

No reason to cook. Please put the following dates on your schedule:

April 14 Double Dee's Munchies Currie's Barbecue May 12 June 9 Munchies Smokehouse

July 14 **Hungry Pony** 

### **NEW RESIDENTS**

Let's welcome these lucky people joining us in "paradise".

-Roy & Joyce Stuckwisch, 1215 S. Brandywine Cir.

-Peter & Lorene Lee,

1304 Medinah Dr.

-Abbe Shuman & Robert Zatyrka, & Lorraine Zatyrka,

1234 Arcola Dr.

-Chris Shaw & Lizz Santos, 1207 S. Brandywine Cir.

#### IN MEMORIAM

We lost cherished Brandywine residents: Duane Killkelly

### DRYER VENT CLEANING

Lint Out is coming to Brandywine Mar 25. They will clean out you dryer vents inside and then go on the roof and clean them out up there. Cost will be 65.00. This year they want each resident to call them to make arrangements. MAKE SURE TO SAY YOU ARE FROM BRANDYWINE to get the discount. Lint Out 239 332 5468



### **LIBRARY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

Volunteers wanted for the Brandywine Library. Each volunteer is required to work at least 2 hours per week to log in books, keep the library well organized and clean, etc. Training will be provided. Please send an email to Phyllis Cipolloni at <a href="mailto:cip11@aol.com">cip11@aol.com</a> (11 = the number). Leave your full name, address, and phone number so I can reach you. Can't wait to meet people who love this library like I do and want to keep it looking great.

# EASY WAYS TO GIVE BACK TO THE COMMUNITY

New and Expired coupons can be placed in the plastic pouch located on the bulletin board found in the back of Brandywine Hall. It helps greatly if you would take the time to clip the coupons before bringing them to the hall. When the pouch is full, we will take them to Health Park where the Red Cross picks them up to be distributed to our armed forces. It's a small way we can say thank you to the people who are serving our country proudly.

We also save drink pull tabs for the Ronald McDonald House. The tabs can be dropped off in the puzzle room at your convenience. The MacDonald House is a home away from home for families whose children are very ill in the hospital and need to be near them during their stay.

### **GOLF CARTS**

Golf carts are not allowed to be parked blocking the front entrance of any unit. Any operator of a golf cart must be a licensed driver or over the age of 18. Any minor operating a golf cart must be accompanied by an adult. The operation of a golf cart must be done in a safe and prudent manner. The unit owner and/ or the golf cart operator shall be responsible for personal, or property damage incurred as a result of a careless or negligent act committed by the golf cart operator. Golf carts are to use parking spaces like cars not on the grass. There are NO special accommodations for Golf cart parking.

### FRIENDLY REMINDER

All homeowners have an obligation to follow the Brandywine Condominium Association, Inc. Documents including but not limited to the Rules and Regulations. Homeowners who are not in compliance will receive a violation notice. To avoid a violation notice, make sure to stay informed. Please keep in mind the Association Documents also include information for homeowners regarding covenants compliance. All rules regulations are available on the website, www.precedentmgt.com or you may request a copy from the Association office.

### WILDLIFE REMINDER

Florida is full of wonderful wildlife but also potentially dangerous and harmful to the property. Please be cautious of all wildlife. For your safety, as well as theirs, do not feed, harass, or touch any wild animals; including but not limited to birds, squirrels, rabbits, etc. Feeding these animals causes pest control issues and welcomes unwanted larger animals such as bobcats and coyotes.

# NOTARY PUBLIC AVAILABLE TO BRANDYWINE RESIDENTS

Notaries are authorized by law to perform six basic duties: Administer oaths or affirmations, take acknowledgements, solemnize marriages, Attest to photocopies, verify vehicle identification numbers (VINS), Certify the contents of a safe-deposit box.

Colleen Seeger is a Brandywine resident and would like to offer her notary services at no fee to Brandywine residents. You may contact her at (651)278-4631 or email: colleenseeger@yahoo.com

#### CLASSIFIED-----

**FOR SALE**: Picture (Framed) 24x30 Special Edition Yachts of the America's Cup. "The Big Racing Cutters" \$60.00

Men's golf clubs & bag. Very nice selection & condition \$100.00. Ladies golf clubs & bag L.H. nice condition \$60.00.

Char-broil gill. Nice condition \$75.00

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