President’s Letter

Judy Berube

Dear Polo Park,

Welcome home to those who have recently returned. It is so nice to see the streets full of golf carts, people walking dogs and just people walking for exercise.

We are back in full swing here. The Carport Sales will be on Saturday, November 2. Budget meetings are happening each month; come and you will understand how hard we are working to save money for the homeowners.

We’ll have a lovely turkey dinner on Thanksgiving Day. Please come and join your neighbors. If you would like to help with the dinner, call Shirley Hosner.

Sue Meier is Chairman of the Election Committee. There are four openings and you might like to run for one of these positions. Talk to Sue and she will help you with the process.

Most of February will be taken up with Winter Games; lots of fun for everyone. There are many choices of physical games, such as bocce or shuffleboard or golf, but there are also lots of card games, at least seven different ones.

Thank you to all our Veterans and their families for your service, God bless you all.

The months fly by in Polo Park! Take the time to stop and say “Hi!” to your neighbors. We have lost some friends this summer who will be sorely missed. Prayers for their families.

We have also gained many new residents over the last few months. Get to know them. I pray we will have a fun-filled year.

Thanks for all of your help. Judy
Polo Park Business

★ Polo Park Election Committee ★
New Deadline - November 20
Sue Meier; Chairperson
847-697-0779

Well, it is that time of year again. We are officially putting out a call to our community for persons, with caring, great ideas and a commitment to make our community a happy and healthy place to live, who would like to run for our Board of Directors.

The application is available in the office and the deadline is at noon on 11/20/19 in the Association office. This will allow us time to have all of the resumes printed, and give the candidates time to prepare for the question and answer session that will be held at the December Board Meeting.

Questions? Please feel free to contact me.

★ Golf Committee Meeting
Monday, November 4, 9:30 a.m., CCH

★ Buildings and Grounds Meeting
Monday, November 4, 11:00 a.m., CCH

★ Rules & Regulations Committee Meeting
Monday, November 4, 2019, 1:00 p.m., CCH

★ Monthly Board of Directors Meeting
Monday, November 11, 7:00 p.m. CCH
6:30 p.m. Speaker from Sunshine Village

★ BOD Meeting Minutes
The Minutes of the October Board of Directors Meeting are posted on the bulletin boards of both Clubhouses. If you would like a copy to take home, copies are available in the HOA office. You can also read the Minutes at the Polo Park website, poloparkhoa.com. Please take the time to read the Minutes and be sure to attend the Board of Directors Meeting on November 11, at 7:00 p.m. at Challenger Clubhouse. The November minutes will be posted in the clubhouses a week after the meeting.

★ Budget Meeting
Wednesday, November 20, 1:00 p.m. CCH

Treasurer Dawn Bissell needs to know of all projects to be done in 2020, so they can be put in the budget. Please attend this very important meeting if you are involved with a group or committee in Polo Park. This is the final budget meeting. Please bring all future expenses and your group’s wish list with you. All are welcome to attend!

★ 2020 Polo Park Resident Directory
Connie Tambling, 863-424-1136

The 2019 Polo Park Directory was delivered to Polo Park addresses this past spring. If you did not receive one, please contact the office. It’s now time to think about the 2020 directory.

There ARE mistakes in the current directory: People have moved, residents have passed, land lines have been dropped, cell phone numbers have changed, home states or phone numbers were not listed, activity chairs have changed, and misspellings and incorrect numbers were not caught before the directory went to press. A list of all changes and corrections that have been reported to me to date will be included with the flyer inserts in next month’s Polo Park Press. The printing deadline for the 2020 directory will be in December. If you know of any changes or additions that need to be made, please report them to the Polo Park office. The changes/additions will be written on a special form and left in a folder for me.

You now have the option of adding your email address to your entry in the 2020 directory. If you would like to do that, please convey that information to the office, as well.

Thank you, in advance, for your help in making the corrections.

★ Vacant Use of Property Forms
Vinny McCrave, 863-424-1532

If your property was vacant for an extended period over the last twelve months, you may be eligible for a refund for the period when your rubbish barrels were not emptied.

The application forms are available in the Boulevard Clubhouse.
Polo Park Business

Applications must be made between October 1 and December 31, 2019 for the previous year, October 1, 2018 through September 30, 2019.

★ Polo Park HOA Raffle
Monday, January 13, 2020 at HOA Meeting
Tickets, $20 each
Ken Dobosz

Ken and Luann will be having their annual HOA Raffle starting on November 1st. The drawing will be held at the first board meeting in 2020. Last year’s lucky winners were Paula Bowry and Bradley Ankrom. They had their HOA fees paid for the entire year! Tickets can be purchased at the pro shop, or you can stop by and pick up tickets at our house 244 Piedmont Park Ave. Tickets are $20 each. The maximum number of tickets to be sold is 264.

★ Residents’ Photos,
For New Neighbors (and old)
Linda Bailey, 863-420-0825

The Photo Albums in Challenger Clubhouse contain photos of residents arranged alphabetically and by street. These albums need constant updating. We have many new residents who have not had pictures taken and some residents who have never had their picture added to the albums.

I would like to undertake a project to correct that! I am willing to visit each home, by appointment, to take pictures of every new resident and anyone who does not have a photo in the albums.

Just give me a call and we can set up a photo session. Thanks, Linda.

★ New Neighbors
Linda Bailey, 863-420-0825

Please take time to introduce yourself to the following new neighbors:

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★ Chapel News
Carole Lien, 863-424-4380

During the month of November, there will be chapel on Sunday, November 3, and Sunday, November 17, at 8:30 a.m. In December, everyone is invited to go Christmas Caroling in Polo Park on Sunday, December 15, at 6:00 p.m., meeting at CCH. A special Christmas Eve Service will be held on Tuesday, December 24, at 6:00 p.m. at CCH. If anyone is planning a Memorial Service, please call Judy Berube 863-424-3501.

★ Polo Park Rules & Regs Reminders
Carol Robert

Covenants and Restrictions.
Property Maintenance #19:
(A). Each property shall be kept in a clean and orderly condition.

FALL CLEAN UP TIME
Houses and driveways cleaned or power washed Lawns mowed, weeds kept under control, rubbish, garbage and refuse shall be kept In containers until county pick up times and containers returned to your storage area As soon as possible after pick up.

(B). Fire hazardous materials MUST be kept in approved storage containers.

LET’S EVERYONE WORK TOGETHER TO KEEP OUR PARK SAFE AND BEAUTIFUL

THANK YOU.
Polo Park Events

★ Coffee, Donuts & Chat
Tuesdays, 7:15-8:30 a.m., CCH
Ria Treur, 863-399-8371

Come to the Challenger Clubhouse for breakfast on Tuesday mornings. We have donuts and bagels, coffee, tea, and hot chocolate. It’s a nice time to meet your friends and neighbors. We meet from 7:15 - 8:30 a.m.

★ Hot Dogs
Tuesdays, 11:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m., CCH
Marion Geake, 863-514-0806

Beginning November 5, The PPIPS Committee will be serving Hot Dogs and Soda Tuesdays, on the Patio behind the Challenger Clubhouse. Come for a quick, inexpensive lunch and social time! Free cookies when available. Mike Radloff is our cook, and you know he does a great job!

★ Dauber Diner
Tuesdays, 4:00–5:45 p.m., CCH
Barb Dundore, Kitchen Coordinator, 517-896-4126

Dauber Diner serves dinner and snacks on Tuesdays before Bingo from 4:00 to 5:45. Great food! Come on down to eat dinner with us. See you soon!

★ Bingo
Tuesdays, 6:00 p.m., CCH
Terry Crosby, 863-256-5424

BINGO has begun! Tickets will be sold between 4:30 and 5:45. Come join the fun at BINGO. We’ll look forward to seeing you.

★ Dime Bingo
Sundays, 7:00 p.m., CCH
Darlene Andreachi, 863-424-6431

Join your friends and neighbors for this quick and easy game. All you need to bring is 26 dimes and two quarters, and if Lady Luck is on your side, you may leave with heavier pockets!

★ Vaccinations
Friday November 8, 9:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m BCH

Flu shots, pneumonia shots, and shingles shots will be available at the Boulevard Club House on November 8, from 9am to Noon.

★ Carport Sales
Saturday, November 2, 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

For those who are not selling, but supporting this event by shopping in golf carts, please be respectful and cautious of the full size vehicles trying to find their way around our park. We hope you all have a fun and prosperous day!

★ Polo-Ettes Yard Sale
Saturday, November 2
Linda Bailey 863-420-0825

On November 2nd we will be having our annual yard sale for the Palm Krest Assisted Living home in Haines City. If you have anything to donate, it would be greatly appreciated. Items can be brought to Linda Bailey at 1809 Challenger Ave after Oct. 27.

★ Bake Sale During Carport Sales
Saturday, November 2, 8:00 a.m. , B Proceeds to Pool Furniture Fund
Brenda Reynolds, 863-420-6845

On November 2, beginning at 8:00 a.m., there will be a Bake Sale in Boulevard Clubhouse in conjunction with the Carport Sales. The receipts will go toward paying for the new furniture for the Challenger Pool.

We would greatly appreciate any donations of baked goods! If you can bake for the sale, please call me or just bring your items that morning. We would also appreciate volunteers to spend a few hours pricing and selling.

Drop by for some wonderful home-baked cookies, coffee breads, pies, cakes, and whatever else our wonderful Polo Park bakers make!
Polo Park Events

★ Hot Dogs During Carport Sales
Saturday, November 2, 9:30 a.m.–2:00 p.m., B
Geo-Thermal Fundraising
Buildings and Grounds Committee

The Buildings and Grounds Committee will be selling hot dogs, soda and water at the Boulevard Clubhouse as part of the Carport Sales on November 2.

All funds raised from the Hot Dog sales will go toward replacing the money borrowed for the Geo-Thermal unit at Challenger Clubhouse. Funds were borrowed from other Activities Funds and need to be paid back. With the Geo-Thermal unit, we no longer have to cover the pool in the winter. Come to the Hot Dog sale and help!

★ Flag Raising Veterans Day
Monday, November 11, 10:00 a.m.
Ken Clark, 863-419-7477

Plan to join us at the Veterans Memorial on Veterans Day Nov. 11th. The Celebration High School Jr. Air Force R.O.T.C. Unit will participate. The Veterans Committee will be selling chances to some great prizes after the ceremony, at the Craft Show, and after the Pearl Harbor Flag Raising. Winning tickets will be selected after the Pearl Harbor Flag Raising on Dec. 7th. Also, Refreshments will be served after the ceremony. The Polo Park Veterans Committee meets on the first Tuesday of the month in the BCH at 10am. If you would like more information you can contact Ken Clark at 863-419-7477. We would love to have you join us.

★ Polo-Ettes Pie Luncheon
Wednesday, November 13, 12:15 p.m., C
Linda Bailey, 863-420-0825

We will be having our annual Pie Social on Nov. 13th at the Challenger Club House at 12:15 p.m. All ladies are welcome to attend. This is our major fundraiser for the Palm Krest Assisted Living home in Haines City. There are sign up sheets in both clubhouses, sign up to bring either a pie of any kind or $10.00.

★ Poker Run
Sunday, November 17, 2:00 p.m.
Potluck Dinner, 5:00 p.m. CCH
$5 per person
Marletta Frantal, 863-420-3317
Emma Vallaire, 810-397-8183

Come to the clubhouse at 2:00 on Sunday afternoon, November 17. The forms are $5 each. Travel to five different houses, either by golf cart or auto, and draw a card at each house. You may also purchase a sixth card at the clubhouse for $1 extra.

Fifty percent of the proceeds is divided among the three top poker hands. There’s a booby prize for the lowest hand.

At 5:00 p.m., there will be a potluck to which you can bring your favorite dish to share with all. The prizes will be distributed at the dinner.

Please call Marletta ASAP if you would like to volunteer as one of the five stations. Your generosity will be greatly appreciated!

These poker runs have been a lot of fun and maybe you’ll be a lucky winner!

★ Polo Park Holiday Craft Fair
Saturday, November 23, 8:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m., C
Barb Dundore, 517-896-4126
Sheryl Batey, 810-814-6852
Connie Tambling, 863-424-1136

Polo Park will hold its 19th Annual Holiday Craft Show on Saturday, November 23, 2019, from 8:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. at Challenger Clubhouse. The craft show will feature over 35 vendors presenting hand-crafted items including jewelry, flower arrangements, Christmas decorations, original art work, candles, cards, ceramics, and much more. This is a great way to beat the holiday rush and start your Christmas shopping.

When you get hungry, we can help with that too! Breakfast will be served beginning at 7:30 and lunch service will begin at 10:30.

We will, again, have a wonderful baked goods table. We are looking for donations of cookies, pies, cakes, breads, etc. Will you volunteer to bake for us?
Raffle tickets will also be sold throughout the day with drawings every 30 minutes. Come join us for the fun, food and festivities at the Polo Park Craft Show.

★ Country Breakfast at Craft Fair  
Saturday, November 23, 7:30–9:00 a.m., CCH  
Tickets $5 at the Pro Shop or $5.50 at the door.  
Marletta Frantal, 863-420-3317

Menu: Sausage gravy and biscuits, scrambled eggs, orange juice, coffee. There will be ham and biscuits available for those who do not care for sausage gravy. Sponsored by the PPIPS Committee.

★ Lunch at Craft Fair  
Saturday, November 23, 10:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m., CCH  
Tickets $5 at the Pro Shop or $5.50 at the door.  
Linda Bailey, 863-420-0823

Menu: Hot Dogs, Macaroni Salad, Potato Chips, coffee and soda. Sponsored by the PPIPS Committee.

★ Thanksgiving Dinner  
Thursday, November 28, 1:00 p.m., CCH  
Doors open 12:30 p.m.  
180 tickets only - $10 each  
Delilah Lanning, 231-632-2554, ddlanning@charter.net  
Shirley Hosner, 863-420-2940, budshirly@aol.com

Seating will be limited to 180 people including the volunteer cooks and servers. The tickets will go on sale at the ProShop on Tuesday, November 5, at 9:00 a.m. (None will be sold before 9:00 a.m.) and will continue to be for sale at the ProShop until 180 tickets are sold.

Please, when you buy tickets for others, list every name. This will make it easier for us to seat friends and neighbors together without phone calls. Also, if you decide to sell your ticket, please do it through the committee….also in the interest of seating people with friends.

Menu: Turkey, dressing, sweet potatoes, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, cranberry sauce, rolls, pies.

We need lots of volunteers to set up the clubhouse, prepare the food, serve and clean up. Can you help? If so, call or e-mail Delilah or Shirley or sign up in the clubhouses; there are Wednesday jobs and Thursday jobs! Come on and help if you possibly can; you’ll give yourself a boost!

For table reservations, call Marion Geake at 863-514-0806. Better yet: email at geakeonthego@aol.com. Please see the second paragraph above to help us help you!

★ Community Disco Dance at Polo Park  
Friday, November 29, 7:00–10:00 p.m., CCH  
Nancy, 863-420-7934  
Laurie, 703-801-5961  
Rose, 863-424-9500

Start your search for Bell Bottoms, Platform shoes, Tie Dye shirts, Big Hoop earrings, and Leisure suits! Although dress up is optional, there will be very nice prizes awarded to the Disco King and Disco Queen (separately, not a couple) for the most unique 70’s attire. Music will not be limited to disco tunes. There will be music for everyone to enjoy (including a couple of surprises!). Tickets are limited and go on sale November 1. They are $12 and all proceeds will be going to Polo Park. So BYOB and snacks and come shake off some of that pumpkin pie!
Polo Park Future Events

★ Barnyard Bingo
Wednesday, December 4, 6:00, C
Donation: $10.00
Tickets available at Pro Shop Nov. 3
Terry Crosby, 863-256-5424

We’ll be having a Barnyard Bingo on Wednesday, December 4th.

Come play our special form of Bingo and have a lot of fun! We will begin the evening with a special dessert, coffee and tea. If you wish to have anything else to drink, please bring your own.

We’ll play 60 games of Barnyard Bingo and you may win enough meat for a delicious dinner! Also, we’ll have a 50/30/20 raffle and door prizes. Call Terry if you have any questions.

★ Flag Raising Pearl Harbor Day
Saturday, December 7, 10:00 a.m., BCH
Ken Clark, 863-419-7477

President Franklin D. Roosevelt called it a “Day of Infamy”. Join us for a flag raising at the Veterans’ Memorial as we remember this important event in our United States history.

★ Poker Run
Sunday, December 15, 2:00 p.m.
$5 per person
Marletta Frantal, 863-420-3317
Emma Vallaire, 810-397-8183

Please call Marletta ASAP if you would like to volunteer as one of the five stations. Your generosity will be greatly appreciated! Please note, there will not be a Potluck dinner after this Poker Run due to Christmas Caroling starting at 6:00 p.m.

★ Christmas Caroling
Sunday December 15, 6:00 p.m., CCH

Everyone is welcome to join in the Christmas Caroling in Polo Park on Sunday, December 15, at 6:00 p.m., leaving from the Challenger Clubhouse. Refreshments will be provided after caroling.

★ Hooray for Hollywood!
PPIPS Annual Dinner Dance
Saturday, January 11, 2020, 6:00 p.m.
Tickets in pro-shop on December 2, $17
Get your tickets before you leave for Christmas!
Marion Geake, 863-514-0806
Brenda Reynolds, 330-831-3317

For those of you who have been coming to our January dinner dances for several years, no explanation is needed! You just expect to have a wonderful time! Remember Evening in Paris, Dancing in the Park, The Love Boat, La Dolce Vita, Key West Flip Flop Party???

This year, the PPIPS Committee is sponsoring Hooray for Hollywood! Once again, we’ll have The Ladyz and the Boys, playing and singing all of our favorites. We’re having a party!

You will be attending a glamorous Hollywood party and you will be impressed by our clubhouse in all its glory. Our Decorating Committee has been making plans and will astound you!

You may dress however you wish! Dress as your favorite star, or choose a movie theme, or dress for a Saturday night date at the movies! It’s up to you.

Linda Bailey will be overseeing the Photo Booth again! How fun is that?

Our own Jenell Kilgo will be doing the cooking. She’s an amazing cook. Several members of PPIPS will be helping her. She’s pretty sure of her menu but it’s too early to give it away. We’ll have family-style salad and an excellent dessert and Jenell and her assistants will take care of your main course.

We’ll serve coffee and tea and you are free to bring whatever else you’d like to drink. We’ll have our usual exciting baskets to raffle and a 50/30/20.

Be sure to get your tickets early! Last year, we sold out early; this year the Dance is a week earlier. Don’t take a chance on missing this event! I don’t want to hear your laments!!!

For table reservations, contact Marion Geake, geakeontheego@aol.com, or 863-514-0806, before January 5. As usual at this yearly event, we’ll have name tags and seating will be pre-planned. Contact me with a list of your friends and I’ll take care of you!

Would love to see you all there for a great evening!!!
Clubs & Groups

★ Clubhouse Availability
Judy Berube, 863-424-3501

If you need to use one of the clubhouses for any activity or function, call Judy Berube, 863-424-3501 and leave a message or email her at djbup2u@aol.com. Also, if you would like your activity or event posted on the sign board at the front of the park, let Judy know and it will be taken care of.

Our bylaws provide for the use of the clubhouses for private parties. At the May 2017 meeting, the Board approved the fee of $100.00 for private parties to help with the costs of maintaining the clubhouses. Notice of a private party will be posted on the door of the clubhouse during a private function. Please......let’s have respect for our neighbors and their families who are having a private function. We’re sure you would want the same respect and consideration given to you.

If there is someone from outside of Polo Park who wants to speak to the community, they should also call Judy Berube to make arrangements.

Anyone is welcome to join any activity at any time!

★ Calling All Singers!

Choir Practice
Fridays, 10:30 a.m., CCH (note new time!)
Connie Tambling, 863-424-1136

The Chapel Choir has resumed practices in the Challenger Club House and is looking for both male and female voices. Normal practice times are Fridays at 10:30 AM.

The Chapel at Polo Park will have services on November 3 and 17, and December 1, 15 and 29, at 8:30 AM, as well as the annual Christmas Eve service on December 24 at 6:00 PM. All are invited to attend.

★ Polo’s Solo Go Go’s
Tuesday, November 5, 1:00 p.m., CCH
Dolores Childress, 863-427-7681
Alice McCauley, 863-280-8992

The Polo Solo Group consists of widows/singles who are interested in getting out of the house. We meet the first Tuesday of the month at 1:00 PM in the Challenger Club House to decide what we will do each Tuesday of that month. It could be a lunch or movie, or once a month a play on a Sunday. Sometimes, it’s a holiday meal at the clubhouse. We have recently lost some members, due to health problems and other reasons, so our group has gotten smaller. We need new members and possibly new ideas of fun things to do. Please call Dolores Childress at 427-7681 or Alice McCauley at 280-8992 for more information.

★ Welcome Committee
No meeting in November; next meeting Tuesday, December 31 at 9:30 a.m., BCH
Rita Mrowka, 716-366-0964

Please join our committee. We take turns visiting our new neighbors in the Park to welcome them, answer any questions they may have, and give them a gift and packet of information. We only have two events per year. In January, we host a cookie social inviting new neighbors, as well as all the residents of the Park. We have one fundraiser annually to raise funds for the gifts we give the new residents. It is a Strawberry Social in March.

If you are one of the many new residents and we have not yet visited you, please know that we are trying to get to everyone in a timely manner. If you think we may have missed you, however, please call me at the above number.

★ Coloring
Wednesdays, 2:00–4:00 p.m., CCH
Mary Ann Pearce, 856-816-1900

All are welcome to join us for a relaxing and fun afternoon. Bring your pencils, markers, crayons, and favorite coloring books and join us. We are looking forward to seeing you in the clubhouse at the kitchen end every Wednesday.

★ Ladies Bible Study
Thursdays, 1:00 p.m., 831 Polo Park Blvd.
Lee Kilbourn, 863-424-3600

We have a Bible Study for women every Thursday afternoon. Currently, we are meeting at the home of Margaret Wright, 831 Polo Park Boulevard.

Every third Thursday, we meet at 11:00 and carpool to Bob Evans for breakfast or lunch!
**Clubs & Groups**

**★ Polo Park Veterans Committee**  
*Tuesday, November 5, 10:00 a.m., BCH*  
If you live in Polo Park and would like to participate in our flag raising ceremonies or assisting with the care of the Veteran Memorial, we could sure use your help. The Polo Park Veterans Committee meets on the first Tuesday of the month in the Boulevard Clubhouse at 10:00 a.m.  
If you would like more information you can contact Ken Clark at 863-419-7477. We sure would love to have you join us.

**★ Mah Jongg**  
*Ginnie Thompson, 315-575-1242*  
Mah Jongg is played every Saturday at the Challenger Clubhouse at 9:00 a.m., and some Tuesdays at the Boulevard Clubhouse (if the space is available-check the calendar!). If you are interested in playing, please come observe, get a copy of the rules, and come back and play. It’s an awesome game!

**★ PPIPS**  
*Polo Park Improvement Projects*  
*Wednesday, November 6, 8:45 a.m., C*  
*Brenda Reynolds, 330-831-3317*  
The PPIPS Committee oversees many fundraising activities in Polo Park. We put on the hot dog luncheon every Tuesday, from November until the end of April. We provide Saturday morning breakfast every month, starting in November at the Craft show on November 23.

In January every year, we put on a terrific dinner dance. This year our theme will be Hooray For Hollywood and will be taking place on Saturday, January 11, 2020.

**Physical Fitness & Sports**

**★ Horseshoe Club**  
*Mondays, 10:00 a.m.*  
**Tournament: Friday, December 13, 2019**  
*Charles Pierson, 863-420-3252*  
Our Monday play of horseshoes will start up again on November 4. We will continue to play every Monday at 10:00 a.m. through the end of March. We will also be pitching in a traveling league with Florida Camp Inn, Lake Region, and Kissimmee RV Park on Wednesdays beginning January 8, 2020. Our tournaments this year are scheduled to be held December 13, January 17, 2020 and March 13, 2020. Our tournaments are sponsored by Citrus Ridge Health and a yummy lunch is available. More info will be provided in the December issue of the Polo Park Press.

**★ Beginners Line Dancing**  
*Thursdays, 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m., CCH*  
*Marianne Helmprecht, 631-672-1418*  
My name is Marianne Helmprecht and I teach beginner line dance classes. I will teach you the steps it takes to do a dance, and I go over the dances each week and you will see improvement in yourself each week. Line dancing is fun and great exercise, balance and it also helps your memory. I would love for you to join us each week and join in the fun. Any questions you can call me at 631-672-1418.

Bring a bottle of water, and wear shoes with a leather sole, or if you wear sneakers; get an old pair of socks and cut the tube of the socks of, then put the cut tubes over your sneakers.

**★ Challenger Pool Exercises/Body Sculpting**  
*Monday, Wednesday & Friday, 10:00 a.m., C*  
*Nancy Scott, 863-420-7934*  
Maintaining your flexibility, balance, and strength is extremely important as we get older. This class uses a combination of muscle strengthening exercises, agility, pilates and a little bit of aerobics. Beginners are encouraged to join us, and everyone works at their own pace. We have some extra water weights you may borrow, if needed. Come join us, we have so much fun! Just bring your smile and sense of humor!
**Physical Fitness & Sports**

★ **New Attitude Aerobics**  
*Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9:00 a.m., CCH*  
*Brenda Reynolds, 863-427-7900*

Our “New Attitude” Aerobics exercise class welcomes men and women to join us at the Challenger Club House on Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 9:00. We do about 25 minutes of cardio dance, 30 minutes of weight-bearing exercise and then hit the floor for tummy and legs.

Time to get up and start moving for flexibility and mobility. We have a lot of fun with lots of friends. Please join us! All are welcome!

★ **Walking Class**  
*Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday, 8:00 a.m., CCH*  
*Cheryl Kotch, 863-424-8706*

Everyone is welcome to join our morning walking classes. It’s an easy, comfortable and friendly way to get into shape and lose weight. Bring a bottle of water, and 2 lb. weights, if you have them.

★ **Sit and Be Fit Class**  
*Tuesdays & Thursdays, 10:30 a.m., CCH*  
*Jan Thraen, 863-604-6930*

We would like you to join us every Tuesday and every Thursday at 10:30 a.m. in Challenger Clubhouse for a half hour of doing easy exercises! If you have any questions, give Jan a call.

★ **Pickleball**  
*Monday thru Thursday at 4:00 p.m.*  
*Fridays at 9:00 a.m., At the tennis courts*  
*Gary Mrowka, 716-366-0964*

Please join us Monday through Thursday at 4 p.m and Friday at 9 a.m. If you have never played and would like to learn this fun way to exercise, we would love to teach you this game. The more players, the better, as we can divide up according to skill level. If you have any questions, please feel free to call anytime—716-366-0964.

★ **Thursday Golf**  
*Dick and Ria Treur, 407-288-4275*

Every Thursday, beginning October through the end of May, a group of golfers gets together to carpool to a nearby golf course. We play different 18-holes courses in Kissimmee, Orlando, Clermont and Lakeland, sometimes with lunch included.

We play our own ball; it doesn’t matter how good or not-so-good your game is, we have low and high handicap players.

Both men and women are welcome to join us. There is always a sign-up sheet in the Pro-Shop. You don’t have to commit to come every week, but come as often as you can.

For questions or more information please call Dick Treur at 407-288-4275 or Dave Hess at 407-569-6561 when Dick is away.

★ **Polo Park Golf Committee**  
*Monday, November 4, 9:30 a.m., CCH*  
*Ginnie Thompson, Golf Committee PR*

Welcome back Snowbirds. Hoping everyone had a healthy, happy summer and is ready for a fun filled golf season. Mark your Calendar for the First Golf Committee Meeting of the Season: Monday, November 4 at 9:30 in the Challenger Club House. All are welcome. Many memberships are due. Your timely payment is greatly appreciated! If you don’t own a golf cart, we now offer a punch card for golf carts.

Reminders:  
*Couples Golf* is weekly Friday afternoons at 3:00 (please arrive a minimum of 15 minutes earlier to all event times to allow time for teams to be setup). Couples rotate the responsibility of collecting money, making up teams and making reservations for dinner weekly. If you haven’t volunteered to do the Friday golf, please don’t hesitate; there is always someone to assist. After Friday golf, plan on dinner and cards at the clubhouse. Fridays are the best.

*Play Your Own Ball*, Sunday November 10 at 2:00 (plan on the 2nd Sunday monthly), where no matter what your skill level you can win money.

*Sunday Funday*, Golf Scramble, November 24 at 2:00 (plan on last Sunday monthly); more details to follow.

Don’t forget *Men’s Scrambles* Tuesdays and Saturdays at 8:30. Men also play every day, with the exception of Sundays at 8:00.

*Ladies Scrambles* are Tuesdays at 1:00, and Wednesdays and Fridays at 9:00.

Please note event times could change. If changes are required to be made due to availability, notifications will be posted on Nextdoor and Facebook.

Hope you come join the fun.
Volunteer Opportunities

There are many ways for you to volunteer in Polo Park! It is only because we have so many volunteers that we are able to keep our monthly fees so low. You probably have friends in other communities who easily pay ten times as much per month primarily because these communities have “paid employees” such as an Activities Director. We don’t need an Activities Director in Polo Park….we have each other!

If you are looking for a way to help, read all of the articles in this issue and you will find a place where you can be of service.

★ Income Tax Preparation Volunteers
Pat Munofo, 863-256-5789; must call prior to Dec. 15.

Federal tax returns will be completed again this year here at Polo Park. AARP is looking for anyone interested in volunteering to help provide this service. If you are interested please call Pat Munofo at 863-256-5789 before December 15, 2019.

★ Well of Hope Food Bank
Carol Lien, 863-424-4380

The Chapel continues to support the Well of Hope Food Bank with financial donations – NOT FOOD. The need has become great for families and with the addition of seniors also needing help. Anyone interested in helping us support this with financial donations, see Mira Haack or contribute in the box at the Chapel. Thank you.

★ Care Bears
Gloria Gabrielse, 616-723-3976

The Care Bears program sends cards to residents during an illness or after a death. If you know of an illness or want to report a death, please contact Gloria. Thank you.

★ Deliver Polo Park Press
Jan Thraen, 863-424-2450

Polo Park Press is in need of more able bodied volunteers to help deliver the newsletter to homes once per month. Please give Jan a call ASAP, if you’d like to volunteer. We’d really appreciate your help!

★ Helping Hands
William Lanzelotti, 863-420-9454

Helping Hands needs more volunteers since we have lost a few.

If you are in need of transportation to an appointment, please let me know as soon as possible. If we don’t know of an appointment until the day before, it’s sometimes difficult to find a driver.

Many thanks to all the good people of Polo Park who continually make it possible for those of us without transportation to survive and thrive.

★ Golf Course Rangers
Jim Godec, 270-559-9505(c); 863-256-5669(h)

We are looking for any residents interested in volunteering to be rangers on the Polo Park Golf Course during the winter months (October thru March). This would involve about 4 to 6 hours of work per week. We need help in both the mornings and afternoons.

Mornings might include helping organize groups on the tee as they are processed by the Pro Shop personnel and taking care of carts. (Just handing out keys and helping load clubs.) Then, as time is available, checking the course. Afternoons are mostly spent checking the course, assisting golfers and putting away the carts.

You will be surprised at how enjoyable it is to be a ranger! Give me a call if you want to be a ranger.

★ Toys for Tots
Bill Consiglio, 313-609-3511

Once again, Polo Park is collecting toys for the Marines and their Toys for Tots program. When there is a sale on toys, why not pick up some for the Toys for Tots Drive at Polo Park? Kids need toys and you will feel good!

Boxes will appear in each clubhouse by the middle of November and you can deposit your unwrapped gift then. Perhaps you, or your Polo Park group, would rather give cash to be used to buy bicycles and other large items. If so, please see or call Bill.
Volunteer Opportunities

★ Sunshine Village Christmas Tree
Judy Berube, 863-424-3501

I know that Christmas is a month or more away, but you might already be thinking about Christmas cards for your neighbors and friends in Polo Park. Don’t worry about it! We have a way to solve your dilemma.

We have our Sunshine Tree in the Challenger Club House. We clip a card on the tree for all to see and put a donation in the office mail slot for Sunshine Village. Then in January we take one check to the Village.

On November 11 at 6:30 p.m. at CCH, prior to the HOA meeting, we will have a speaker from Sunshine Village.

Sunshine Village is a non-profit organization in Davenport, where terminally-ill children can stay and have a chance to visit the parks. All expenses are paid to bring the children and their families to Orlando. Sunshine Village relies solely on donations. Everyone is invited to visit there to see the work that they do.

Please donate cash or make your checks payable to Polo Park Activities and we will forward one check from the Community. Thanks again for your support of this worthy charity.
Thank You, Polo Park

★ Polo Park Business Expo
Marcia Rockinson
Karen Grant

Karen and I would like to thank EVERYONE who helped make the Polo Park Business Expo such a huge success! We could not have done it without YOU! We would like to thank the following businesses for participating in the 1st Polo Park Business Expo. When you have a need, please consider patronizing them.

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Polo Park’s first Business Expo was a huge success!
**Word Find**  
*Lynda Poteracki*

**Happy Thanksgiving Dinner**

Each of these clues can be found within the grid horizontally, vertically, diagonally, backward or forward. Circle them all to solve the puzzle.

- CORNBREAD
- CRANBERRIES
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- FRIENDS
- GRAVY
- GREEN BEANS
- JELLO
- PIE
- POTATO
- ROLLS
- STUFFING
- SWEET POTATOES
- TURKEY
- WHIPCREAM

**“Simply Delish”**

Additional Recipes from Cathy and other Polo Park residents can be found in the 2018 Heartwarming Recipes Polo Park Cook Book, still available for $10 each.

**From the kitchen of: Cathy Ackerman**  
245 Jackson Park Ave

**Fruit Cocktail Cake**

1-1/2 cups flour  
1 cup white sugar  
1 teaspoon baking soda  
1 teaspoon vanilla  
1 egg  
1 16oz can of fruit cocktail  
1/2 to 3/4 cup chopped walnuts  
1 cup brown sugar

Mix together in a large bowl, flour, white sugar and baking soda. In a separate bowl mix together vanilla, egg and just the juice from the fruit cocktail, add to dry ingredients and mix. Add fruit cocktail to batter and mix. Grease a 9x9 baking pan. Pour batter into pan. In a small bowl, mix walnuts and brown sugar. Sprinkle over cake batter. Bake at 350 for 30-40 minutes.
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