



ARBOR TRACE



TOWER POINTE
AT ARBOR TRACE

The Arbor Trace Revue

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Hodge's Kickoff Party!

The Top of the Pointe was filled with excitement as we all got a chance to go over the upcoming class schedule for the winter semester, with Hodges University Lifelong Learning Program, starting January 31st

Christine Wheeler, Director of the Center for Lifelong Learning at Hodges University

in the Gathering Place. Christine Wheeler, Director of the Lifelong Learning Program introduced several administrators from the University and several of our instructors. Courses will be held in the Gathering Place, and all Arbor Trace residents are invited to participate in these classes. Many diverse topics will be covered, including: *Machu Picchu and the Galapagos*, *Bellissima: Three Great Cities of Italy*, *Vivaldi's Four Seasons: A Celebration of Spring*, and *The Structures of Auguste Rodin*, to name a few. All of our residents are also entitled to enroll in any classes offered at any of the other sites, or at the University, on Immokalee Road. Simply fill out the Registration instructions in the University booklet to ensure a seat at any of the off-site locations.



Christine was also excited to announce Arbor Trace resident Ray Fick will be facilitating the Great Decisions class, which will begin on February 14th at 2:30 pm in the Gathering Place. If you would like to participate in this debate-style class, please sign up at the Clubhouse, as space is limited. Each participant is asked to commit to the class each Tuesday from February 14th-April 3rd. Once you have signed up, you will receive a class book, delivered to your residence. At the conclusion of the event, we had many raffle winners, who won many prizes ranging from books, Hodges collegiate mugs, bags and t-shirts. Here's to another successful semester!

-Sandy Steinbach

February 2012

Super Bowl Bash



Super Bowl Sunday is right around the corner! Make plans now to come to the bash in the Gathering Place on Sunday, February 6th, starting at 5 pm.

Reservations are required, and the cost is \$5 per person (this does not include gambling costs). Please pay cash or check (made out to Pat Burneson) to Pat Burneson's folder in the mail room at the Tower, or to Sandy at the Clubhouse by Thursday, February 2nd. Your spot is reserved when Pat receives your money. Seating is limited to the first seventy-five who respond. Beer, wine, soda and stadium fare will be served starting at 5 pm, with the kick off to the game shortly after 6 pm.

The Support Group Turns 1!

Hats off to Mary Coulson for faithfully leading this support group for a year now! Meeting every Tuesday afternoon at 1 pm in the Clubhouse, this group has helped many residents over the past year! Those caring for loved ones and those grieving for a lost spouse now have a safe place to lean on others and converse about their situations. Mary has a background in social work and has been able to put it to good use here, and we thank you for sharing your talents with us Mary!
-Sandy Steinbach

Friendly Reminder: Another way to stay up to date on the Colonnade menu, activities, and other pertinent information etc...tune into **channel 195** on your television set.



Director's Notes



In the month of January we held the annual meetings of both condominium associations. On Wednesday, January 18th, Arbor Trace elected both Marjorie Joder and Ray Fick to two year terms. I use the term "elected"; however, since there were only two candidates for two seats there was no need to hold a formal election. Also, Stuart Johns was appointed as a Director on the Arbor Trace Board to serve the remaining year left on Bill Mount's term. Sadly, Bill passed away this past December. We also want to thank Don Boulbee for his leadership and service to Arbor Trace as president of the association for the past two years.

Tower Pointe held its annual meeting on Thursday, January 26th and George Barrier and Earle Gates were "elected" to two year terms since no one else filed to run for the Board. After five long years of service on the Tower Pointe Board, Bob Schwindt has decided not to seek another term. Please join me in thanking Bob for his dedicated service to the Tower Pointe community, not only as a Director, but also as a valuable member of the Tower Pointe Finance committee. Regarding the vote on creating additional parking and the relocation of the tennis court and putting green, this resolution did pass. We will be meeting with contractors in the next few weeks to finalize our plans and begin the permitting process with the County. We anticipate breaking ground on this project in early March.

In addition to the upcoming construction projects at Tower Pointe, Arbor Trace is in the midst of a major renovation of the interior common areas in their two mid-rise buildings. The lobbies, hallways and activity rooms on all five floors of these buildings will receive new drop ceilings, new paint, new carpet and new furnishings. This renovation will certainly enhance the overall appearance of these buildings and hopefully translate into more prospects looking to purchase units in these buildings in the not too distant future.

In closing, I would like to remind all residents about a very valuable service we offer to our residents at no charge. The "File of Life" could help save your life in a crisis situation. Whenever paramedics respond to a 911 call in your residence, the first thing they look for is this red "File of Life" folder, which should be kept on your refrigerator. This file contains your medical history including what medications you take, what allergies you might have and most importantly, the name and telephone number of your physician. This medical information helps the paramedics in knowing how to treat you on the scene and helps the hospital prepare for your arrival. The few minutes you take to write down this vital information could literally save your life. Please contact Sandy Steinbach if you do not currently have a completed "File of Life" packet in your residence or if your medical information has changed since you first completed your file.

Yours truly,
Dan Edenfield
 Executive Director

**In Loving Memory**

**Millard Carnrick
 Ford Slater**

**Just a
 Reminder...**

- The Clubhouse office is open Monday-Friday from 8:30am - 5:00pm.
- The Colonnade Room is open for dinner Monday-Saturday from 5:30-7:30pm, for lunch every Thursday from 12:00-1:00pm, and Sunday brunch from 11:30am - 1:30pm.
- For dinner pick-up & delivery call **591-4851** between **2:30-4:30pm**. Orders called in after 4:30pm will result in a delay of service.
- Lunch is offered for pick up Monday-Saturday. Menus are available at the front desk. Orders must be called in to the kitchen by **10:30am**.

Important Numbers

Community TV Channel
 195
Clubhouse Reception
 598-2929
Tower Pointe Concierge
 598-9229
Sales Office
 598-3490

Colonnade Room Etiquette

- It is required for all gentlemen, including guests, to wear a sport coat in the Colonnade Dining Room. No shorts are permitted for dinner or brunch.
- Reservations **MUST** be made for **ALL** Dining Room seatings. To make your reservation call 598-2929.
- **HOLIDAYS & COCKTAIL PARTIES**: Reservations must be finalized 2 days prior to event to ensure accommodations. Failure to make a reservation will result in delayed service or possible non-admittance.

*Daily standing reservations do not apply for parties or holidays.



February Calendar Notes

Wednesday, February 1st: For those with tickets to the Sugden Theatre, please plan to depart from the Clubhouse at 7:15 pm as we go to see “Moonlight & Magnolias.”

Friday, February 3rd: Sign up at the Clubhouse if you would like to go to Mystery Lunch today. We will depart at 11:30 am.

Sunday, February 5th: It’s Super Bowl Sunday, and there’s a bash at the Gathering Place starting at 5 pm. Reservations are required, and the cost is \$5 per person (this does not include gambling cost). Please pay cash or check (made out to Pat Burneson) to either Pat Burneson’s folder in the mail room at the Tower, or to Sandy at the Clubhouse by Thursday, February 2nd. Watch the game with your peers and enjoy stadium fare, wine, beer, and soda.

Thursday, February 9th: Sign up for Signature Lunch today at the Clubhouse! Starting at noon, we will enjoy a lovely lunch buffet, with music by Glenn Williams.

Friday, February 10th: This afternoon, Deb Misener-Jones will be putting on a performance in the Clubhouse Lobby. We will enjoy her talents as a guitarist, singer and yodeler and will be captivated by the many styles of music she plays on the Alpine bells. For those going to the Phil this evening, please be ready to depart at 6:20 pm.

Sunday, February 12th: This afternoon we will heading to Cambier Park to enjoy an afternoon concert in the Park with the Naples Concert Band, which will be featuring Bill Zumbun and his trombone, who has faithfully been a member of the band for 30 years. Please sign up at the Clubhouse if you would like to go. Bring your own lawn chair or we have several that can be used as well. We will depart at 1 pm.

Tuesday, February 14th: The Great Decisions class begins today! For those that signed up, this debate-style class starts at 2:30 pm in the Gathering Place at the Tower. Enjoy the Valentine’s Management Cocktail Party this evening, starting at 5:30 pm in the Colonnade Room. Put on your dancing shoes as we enjoy the evening together. Please make reservations at the Clubhouse.

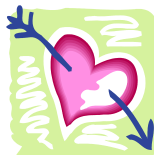
Friday, February 17th: How does shopping and lunch sound? Sign up at the Clubhouse if you would like to go to Punta Gorda with us today as we enjoy Fisherman’s Village today. We will leave at 10:45 am.

Tuesday, February 21st: It’s Fat Tuesday today, so bring your appetite to the Colonnade starting at 5:30 pm for our Mardi Gras Party. Wear your purple, green, and gold! Please make reservations at the Clubhouse.

Thursday, February 23rd: Diana Steinhouse has been busy making her applique jackets, and today we are having a special lunch buffet and Showcase featuring her beautiful jackets, starting at noon. Please sign up at the Clubhouse if you would like to come.

Sunday, February 26th: Today we are off to enjoy “Faust” with Opera Naples. We will depart at 2:15 pm. Several tickets are still available; see Sandy if interested.

Monday, February 27th : We will take a trip down the road to the new Trader Joe’s Store today to shop till we drop. We will leave at 1 pm; please make sure to sign up at the Clubhouse if you would like to go.





**Welcome New Tower Pointe
Residents Cal & Jean Stark!
TP 602**

From the Land of the Heather & Thistle They Come

Callum & Jean Stark come to us from their Spanish Wells home, where they retired in 1992, after Callum's distinguished career in anesthesiology on two continents. Scots born and bred--in central Scotland--they share a love of the heather, the thistle, and the music which subtly echoes in their delightful accent. A graduate of St. Andrew's University, Callum found the science of pain management a provocative discipline in med school, and went on to become a renowned anesthesiologist in major hospitals in both Scotland and England. The numerous techniques he pioneered became the basis for a signature work--Practical Points in Anesthesiology--now used in medical schools in Europe. His innovative contributions to anesthesia management became standard and formed the basis of ambulatory surgery. Jean became a forester and then joined the Colonial Nurses Assn. during her posting in Cyprus, she met the dashing Robertson clansman in local hospital, and became engaged after a whirlwind "on-leave courtship."

After the war, Callum continued to hone his craft in English hospitals as he and Jean began their family: Cowan, now a G.P. in New Hampshire; Donald, a busy architect designing contemporary high-rises; Peter, a college caterer and breeder of rescue dogs; and Fiona, a physiotherapist in Florida. In the 60s, Callum's medical prestige had become noticed across the pond. Mt. Sinai Hospital in New York City offered a position to him--once he received his N.Y. state license. In 1967, Callum and Jean moved the family to the states, where he continued his remarkable career leading to the presidency of the Mt. Sinai attending staff and faculty, professor and chair of the Anesthesiology Dept. Leaving Gotham in 1983, he "eased his way" into retirement as principal anesthesiologist at Crouse Irving Hospital in Syracuse.

An abiding interest throughout their life together was love of country and ken. Callum was elected president of the Manhattan chapter of the St. Andrew's Society, an international cultural organization devoted to promoting Scottish history, culture, and achievement in the 1980s. The couple found kindred spirits upon arrival in Naples, and became active in Scottish religious affairs in their church, 1st Presbyterian Church of Bonita Springs. Jean is 1st president of the church choir, as well as duties in ministry and the thrift shop. Florida was NOT the couple's first choice, but they opted for the lovely facilities of Spanish Wells. Age and medical needs persuaded them to look for extended care facilities, and brought them to Tower Pointe. Callum has become a regular at the Men's Monday Coffee where he listens to all the balderdash with a wry smile. Aye, welcome bonny "lad 'n lassie!"

-Sandy Steinbach



Frank Rosenthal

Military Museum

We took a trip to the New Museum of Military Memorabilia at the Naples Airport on Friday, January 13th. The museum is held in a room

within the passenger terminal consisting of artifacts from WWII. Helmets, uniforms, medals, pistols, rifles and machine guns from the army and navy were on display at the sight. One uniform particularly intrigued us; it was an army uniform which had a patch sewn inside the shirt used as a pocket. The patch had Chinese lettering, which translated into "We are Americans fighting the Japanese. A ransom of gold will be paid for our safe return." Our veterans that went along on the trip, enlightened us and were able to share experiences. The airport was chosen for the museum sight because it was a training facility for what was then the army air corps, a branch of the army, before the Air Force split off and became a separate branch of the Armed Forces. Donations for the museum came from veterans and their families.

-Maryellen Weiland



Florence Rosenthal, and
Bill & Helen Zumbrun



**Great Decisions Class Starting in
February**

This popular forum encourages discussion and debate on current global challenges. Founded by The Foreign Policy Association (FPA) in 1954, the program is offered by academic and foreign affairs institutions throughout the country. Eight topics chosen and researched by the FPA are covered in six weekly sessions. Topics for 2012 include: Middle Eastern Realignment, Promoting Democracy, Mexico, Cybersecurity, Exit from Afghanistan and Iraq, State of our Oceans, Indonesia and Energy Geopolitics. This is a group discussion format, not a lecture series. As such, participants will have the best experience by reading the brief text assigned each week and being prepared to share their thoughts with the group. The goal is to promote thoughtful discourse, to bring people together to express their opinions and to learn from others. Resident Ray Fick will be the group facilitator. Please sign up at the Clubhouse if you would like to participate. Please be able to attend all classes if you sign up. They will run on Tuesday afternoons at 2:30 pm in the Gathering Place February 14th through April 3rd.

-Sandy Steinbach

Our Sarasota Favorite

January 6 brought us the delightful pianist, raconteur Arnie Ross to the lovely Tower Top of the Pointe Club in late afternoon. After wine and cheese, Arnie proceeded to tell amusing and informative anecdotes about the composers as he proceeded to play the tunes.

For example, Irving Berlin's *Blue Skies* sounds sad or happy depending on the key used. Berlin, who could not read music, had a lever on his piano that changed keys after he played by ear.

We learned that Brook Bowman wrote *East of the Sun and West of the Moon* which was a great hit and the only song he ever wrote! Richard Rogers' *Bewitched* is really a series of progressive chords.

Victor Young's *Someone to Watch Over Me* was really touching.

Duke Ellington turned New Orleans jazz into big band jazz and jumped, for the first time ever, 11 notes in the opening of *Sophisticated Lady*. Arnie played *Satin Doll* and *A Train* too.

Movie song writer, par excellence, Henry Mancini was represented by *Days of Wine and Roses*.

Arnie's favorite, and mine too, is Cole Porter. He wrote such beautiful music and such clever lyrics as well. A medley of his music included *It's Delightful*, *Every Time I Cry A Little*, *Just One of Those Things*, *Night and Day* and the fabulous *Begin the Beguine*.

As if this were not enough, he did a medley of Bernstein's "West Side Story" music, then Jerome Kern's *Smoke Gets in your Eyes* and Youman's *Tea for Two* then the amazing *Ain't Misbehaving* by Fats Waller who, we were told had classical training and this song has symphony overtones!

The last song was Gershwin's *Rhapsody in Blue* melody mingled with his *Man I Love*.

Next time we have this type of presentation, I want to ask the performer to tell us who wrote the music and who wrote the lyrics. I know Bernstein wrote the music. Some of them wrote both music and lyrics. Rogers didn't because he worked with both Hart and then Hammerstein. I love this kind of trivia and hope you do, too.

Maybe Arnie will add this to his next performance here.

- Merle Bauser



The Ballad Boys are at it Again!

It isn't often that the word *serendipity* works its magical meaning into one of the REVUE's article, but the unexpected meeting in the Arbor Trace/Tower Pointe community of

two individuals for whom music has been such lifelong passion best describes their kindred spirit and the abiding desire to share their considerable talents with their neighbors. The latest melodic outpouring of their versatile collaboration was enjoyed by a SRO audience on January 20th as a warm afternoon sun and the TWO OLD FRIENDS George Lukas and John Francis Dill bathed the attentive crowd in memories of ballads and instrumentals from the present and those days gone by. George deftly opened the show with a soulful rendition of *Manha de Carnaval*, the theme from the fabled movie *Black Orpheus*, whose refrain initiated the world into the sound of bossa nova. Then John took the microphone with songs of particular sentiment to him: Sr. Thomas More's paean to young love (*Believe Me if All Young Charms*) played at his grandfather's 1902 wedding reception. His multilingual interpretation of *Wein Allein* (Vienna My City of Dreams) brought the house down and there was no stopping our talented duo. We drifted along on evergreens from the Golden Age of musical theater, Romberg operettas, Parisian love themes, and were only reminded that the dinner hour approached as the sun finally set on a magnificent presentation of a pre-Valentine's Day gift to all the sweethearts in the exuberant audience. In his final turn at the keyboard, George gave us a audial "peek" at some future concerts with a compositional theme:

The Moonlight Group. We can't wait for the Ballad Boys to fill our sunsets with music again!

-Sandy Steinbach

Folk Music at it's Best!

Suzanne and Jim delighted us with a wonderful performance in the Lobby on Tuesday, January 17th. They brought Americana Roots Music to our appreciative listeners. With their award winning vocals and five string banjo, guitars, flute, courtship dulcimer, a smattering of spoons and home spun humor were all woven together into an unforgettable good time. This traveling duo resides in their home on wheels, and travel all over the country, performing for a wide variety of audiences, sharing their love for the roots of American music. We are lucky indeed that they chose to stop here in Naples at Arbor Trace!

-Sandy Steinbach



Just a reminder:

On Thursday, March 1, we are taking a day trip to the St. Petersburg Dali Museum. We will depart Arbor Trace at 7:45 am and will return approximately 7:00 pm. There is a \$75.00 fee for this trip, which does not include your lunch. Please sign up in the clubhouse if you would like to go.



Book Club News

The Feb 20th book club meeting will feature a review by Merle Bauser of "And Thereby Hangs a Tale" by best selling author Jeffrey Archer. It is a collection of 15 spellbinding stories from around the world. Merle will choose a few to review and probably make us want to read them all. The club has purchased copies from our activities budget. Let chairman Lee Gates know if you want to borrow a copy.

-Pat Burneson

It doesn't matter in what order the letters in a word are, the only important thing is that the first and last letter be in the right place. The rest can be a total mess and you can still read it without a problem. This is because the human mind does not read every letter by itself, but the word as a whole. Amzanig huh? Yeah and I always tghuhot spelling was important!

-Your Library Lion
The Library Committee



Peter's Movie Review

I have decided to take a hiatus for the month of February. I'm a busy guy between walking dogs and volunteering. However, I will continue to review movies and have a report ready for the March newsletter. In the mean time, happy watching!

-Peter Burwell

Welcome Dale Carnes!



You may have seen a few new faces around the community. One of these faces belongs to the new Director of Maintenance, Dale Carnes. Dale will be responsible for both Arbor Trace & Tower Pointe maintenance departments.

Outside of the maintenance arena Dale enjoys spending time with his family which includes, his wife, his daughter (who just graduated from college), his two Jack Russells, and their cat named "Rupie." And if that's not enough, his 98 year old mother-in-law also lives with him & his family. God bless you Dale!

For a little peace & quiet, Dale loves to go fishing. He primarily fishes off shore and when he's lucky enough to catch something, he enjoys cooking it up for dinner.

Dale, you can bring me fish for lunch anytime.

-Jennifer Pagels



Ginny & John Dill, Evelyn Clark, & Bob James ring in the new year on the dance floor.

Happy New Year!



Jean Bubb and daughter Lori are all glam-ed up to welcome 2012.



May Edwards & Helen Zumbrun sit pretty in their festive hats while sipping champagne.



Everyone enjoys the buffet, including lobster tails



Gene Federico Duo

The Wild Barley Patio Cooks - At It Again!

(another in the Charming Children-All Grown Up Series)

Almost two years ago, Christopher Carrick (son of Millard & Barbara) and his partner, Arthur Knight came to visit family at Tower Pointe and stayed long enough to provide residents with an absorbing overview of their culinary adventures in their new Andalusian restaurant. Back by popular demand--first and foremost, Chris' parents!--the adventurous *culinaires espanoles* delighted an SRO crowd on January 9th with excellent footage of their expertise on major TV networks since their last visit. These video "vignettes" under the arresting title: Kitchen Disasters gave hope and direction to many part- and full-time family cooks in the audience, victims of unpredictable culinary contretemps on the hearth, in the dining room, or at the picnic table. As Chris averred, "There is NO catastrophe so chaotic that common sense cannot rectify!" Three words: correction, re-direction, and re-creation can turn a burnt dessert, a rubbery pasta, or a saline sauce into an at least edible if not downright unique dish "to set before the king--and queen." The Mediterranean maestros also filled us in with the continuing saga of their ambitious Spanish venue--*La Casa Casa Cebadillas*--as they experiment with ethnic menus, food preparation week-ends, "We're not yet in the category of El Bulli (legendary creative restaurant now closed) said Arthur, "but there are always challenges for the inquisitive chef." The Q & A portion of the program almost became a "free-for-all," with so many residents wanting answers to their own kitchen disasters. Thank you, Chris and Arthur for coming back for a command performance!

-Sandy Steinbach

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