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MANAGER’S REPORT

The main projects that are continuing through the summer are the Storm Sewer Project and the Clubhouse Renovation Project. The process of having an engineer firm review the storm sewer replacement operation continues. For the immediate present, we have closed 1st Avenue due to the fact that it continues to sink. While it is an inconvenience for some of our residents, it is for everyone’s safety that this is being done.

I am overseeing the Clubhouse Renovation as the General Supervisor in conjunction with the committee members. As you are all well aware, anytime we undertake a project we run into some unexpected situations. While we feel we will be able to resolve these situations, it takes time to be sure we are doing the project correctly.

All of the Palm Trees in the park have been trimmed. Our new lawn service is working out well.

Enjoy your summer!

John Trimpe L.C.A.M
Association Manager

**THERE WILL BE NO
MINUTES FOR JULY – NO
MEETINGS WERE HELD IN
JUNE.**

Report on Clubhouse Renovation Project

On May 29, 2013 at the Special Members’ Meeting, the budget for the clubhouse renovation was approved. Additionally, the wall colors and floor color were selected according to the vote. The wall colors will be light yellow on the top with a light gray on the bottom. The colors will be separated by a chair rail.

The floor color is a gray/green which will match our current chairs in the clubhouse.

Thus far, the ceiling tiles have been removed. We are working on the concern of how to be able to support the new and heavier ceiling tiles. The ceiling tiles have been ordered and should arrive soon. The flooring has been ordered as well and will not be delivered until after the end of August. These things take time.

In the meantime, we are working on the plans for the wall section between the two rooms as well as the design of posts that will be replaced. This project will continue through the summer and into the fall.

Clubhouse Renovation Committee

REMINDER

All remaining residents should keep their windows and doors locked when leaving for errands. It’s easy to leave a window open when in a hurry.

Stop by the office and pick up your Hurricane Preparedness Booklet. It has all the information you need to help you when a storm arrives; including a list of hurricane/storm rated motels.

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May 23

1 st	Emily Woodward	51
2 nd	June Wadsworth	47
	Bob Welton	47

May 30

1 st	Barb Erwin	55
2 nd	Natalie Young	49
3 rd	Emily Woodward	43

June 13

1 st	Carolyn Welton	53
2 nd	Bob Welton	49
3 rd	Barb Erwin	48

June 20

1 st	Bob Welton	87
	Joan Ronco	87
	Jane Dellina	87

CONDOLENCES to George and Marianne Satterley. Marianne's father, Ed Doane, passed away in June; he was 101 ½ years old. Cards and prayers would be appreciated.

CONDOLENCES Jean Masonovich, as a result of a motor vehicle accident Jean's granddaughter Brittany Masonovich passed away in June. Cards and prayers would be appreciated.

GET WELL WISHES to Dotty Bone, Dotty fell and broke her leg in June. She was in rehab and is now at home. Cards and prayers would be appreciated.

THANK YOU

Thank you so very much for all of the cards and prayers that we received. We certainly appreciate the warm and loving thoughts during this time.

Marianne and George Satterley

THANK YOU

Thanks so very much for all the help we have received the last few weeks. For the fellows who took care of wounds after Jerry trimmed his fingers and also to the guys that cleaned up the mess he left, there's a special thank you. So very many residents and former residents offered so much help in so many ways that it was easy for Natalie to be ready to return to Michigan as soon as Jerry was released from care. Your prayers, cards and calls were much appreciated. Now it's just learn new ways to use that hand effectively.

See you in the fall!

Jerry and Natalie Young

RECREATION NEWS

Sixty-one summer residents attended our Memorial Day Picnic. We enjoyed the main course of German Cuisine, hosted by our exquisite chef Pat Erwin and his notable crew, Barb, Dick P, Mick L. and the rest of his volunteers. We had a very relaxing holiday in the clubhouse.

As Fourth of July approaches plans are being made to celebrate the 4th and observe the fireworks from Sunset Park.

Thanks to some of our new neighbors the flea market items have been coming in fast and furious. Durk, Sonny, Jack and Mike have been busy stocking furniture in the container. We have been hard at work filling the flea market room (**a.k.a. man cave**) with many of the small items.

Your Recreation Board

**FISHERMAN'S KORNER
ON THE DOCK**

Harry Hendershot, a friend of Ginny Walsh, has spent a few days on the dock. He has caught some catfish, a couple of nice black drums and a huge stingray.

IN THE GULF

Capt. Glen has found time to go out on a couple of overnight trips to his favorite haunts offshore. He and his crew including Mike Wright and Bob Goff among other have been catching snappers, (both mangrove and reds), now that red snapper season is open. They have released some gag groupers due to the closed season. Season will open for gags as of the 1st of July. They also have had success with black tip sharks and African pompano.

Capt. Jack, Mick L. and Pat E. had a nice day on the gulf catching grunts, perch, porgies and red grouper.

Due to the summer season we are not fishing as much as we would like. However, the golf balls are still flying around the golf course, just thought you guys would like to know.

We would like to hear from some of you up north, let us know what the fishing is like. Give us a call.

If you have a nice catch give us a call or email.

Capt. Jack

Jack and Jan hosted an impromptu fish fry for many of the fishermen and our neighbors. Approximately 40 people attended and had a variety of delicious fish, many of the great side dishes, and of course the onion rings.

COVER STORY – FISH

A family get-together fishing trip, Beth Myers-Lile and her daughter Lauren Clark, daughter and granddaughter of Barb and Phil Myers had a celebratory sendoff for Lauren who will be interning for the 2013 summer at the U.S. Embassy, U.S. Dept. of State, Madrid, Spain. Majoring in Pre-Law, International Relations, Spanish, and Lauren will also complete her junior year in Madrid.

By the way Lauren caught that big flounder.

“Off With Their Heads”

Contributed by Barb and Pat Erwin

One sticker,
two stickers

three stickers galore.

Lookout stickers,
we are going to war.

Someday we are going
to have stickers no more.

Unless, of course,
someone need you
for a sticker soup.

That would make you
a part of a very elite group.
We know that won't happen
so be prepared.

Cause off with your head,
and soon you'll be dead.

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JULY Birthdays

- 1 Bill Eaton #79
- 4 Martha Hofmann #70
- 6 Phil Hughes #25
Frank Spivey #81
- 8 Lois Pommerenk #153
- 9 Barb Erwin #84
- 14 Mary Sandwick #59
Everett Dunn #97
Eli Marposon #121
- 15 Eileen Roberts #40
- 18 Bill Hoffman #125
Patrick Keigher #86
- 20 Jerry Layman #36
Durk (Maintenance man)
- 21 Jim Murray #66
- 22 Emily Woodward #93
Bruce Rundquist #92
- 26 Joyce Keigher #86
- 30 Ann Brown #87
Mike Dellina #81

AUGUST Birthdays

- 1 Bill Spence #49
Nancy Gersh #101
- 6 Joan Ronco #74
Patricia Mooney #73
- 11 Debby Sanborn #32
- 14 Bill McRobert #142
- 18 Harriet Albert #15
- 22 Lee Prough #134
- 26 Grace Atwell #65
- 28 Barb Helt #27
- 30 Joyce Skorka #3

JULY Anniversaries

- 3 Charles and Philippa Keener #30A
- 19 Ron and Cathy Forbes #123

AUGUST Anniversaries

- 5 Don and Imelda Kring #114
- 7 John and Elizabeth Bradley #109
Maury and Pat Pettengill #58
- 20 Dick and Linda Bolender #12
- 24 Jim and Joyce Skorka #3
- 27 Bill and Doris Hoffman #127

Early SEPTEMBER

Birthdays

- 2 Richard Carling #148
- 4 Ron Forbes #123
Dick Meyers #18
- 5 Gini Sabo #14
Cynthia Murray #66
- 6 Clyde Butcher #37
- 8 Ann Morris #91
- 9 Dorothy Hittenmiller #131
- 10 Verba Prough #77
Gordon Meyer #145
- 12 Gaylene Pepe #125