



## News From Our President Joe Catanese

*"The changing landscape in March with blooming flowers and vibrant colors represents a time of transformation and rejuvenation".*

Shoba S Gupta

Greetings as we enter the merry month of March. We leave the month of February with wonderful memories of the Nat King Cole show and with sincere gratitude to Dwight and Maryanne Tibbetts. Thank you Alice Archambeault for another successful Crafts Fair.

George Harris has spent many days organizing the Flee Market. Green will be the color of the day March 17 as we celebrate St. Patrick's Day with another outstanding Cake Walk to be held at 6:30 pm in the auditorium. ( March 19 is St, Joseph's Day)

Thank you Darlene Halsey for your diligence in keeping the white activities board at the Center up to date.

Kudos to all our wonderful volunteers who faithfully lead weekly activities to help us keep active and happy. They devote their time to ensure that we have enjoyable activities for all residents of Tropical Haven. You are sincerely appreciated for stepping up for our community. We also extend our gratitude and appreciation to Jeri Schultheiss, our Newsletter Editor, and Diana Tuggle, our



Facebook Content Manager, for their outstanding contributions to our HOA.

*"May this new month of March fill your life with the new colors of passion, purpose, and endless possibilities. Embrace this time as an opportunity to blossom and flourish in your own unique way."*

Shoba S Gupta

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## Property Manager's Corner Ingrid Rivera

And just like that, it's already March! There are plenty of reasons to be excited this month. Whether you're looking forward to getting your hands dirty, planting spring flowers or tackling some spring cleaning before summer arrives, this month is sure to keep you busy.

Here are some helpful reminders to add to your to-do list:

●**Annual Mobile Home Registration Renewal:** Each home in the community must have a current annual license. Residents must comply with all applicable state and local laws, ordinances, and regulations regarding their home and necessary buildings. If your annual registration is not up to date, please contact the Florida Department of Motor Vehicles at (321) 264-6935 to renew it. Once you receive your updated registration, provide a copy to the Business Office for your resident file.

●**Oversized Waste Disposal:** If you have over sized waste or items that cannot be picked up during the regular garbage schedule, you can contact Waste Management at (321) 723-4455 to arrange for pickup.

●**Lot Inspections & Community Cleanup:** We are conducting lot inspections, and to help maintain our community from March 24 to March 31, 2025, during this time, two dumpsters will be available for residents:

- Location 1:** Maintenance shop near Sleepy Hollow and Dover Rd.
- Location 2:** Storage area off Burtonwood Rd

**\*\*Important:** These dumpsters are for **Lot clean up and Exterior household items only**. No food or landscape waste is allowed.

**Not furniture, not construction waste or scrap metal. ACH Direct Payment Form, for your convenience is now available at our Business Office**

### ●**Exciting News!**

We are working on developing a new communication network to better serve our residents! This will include a private TV channel, a website, and an app to keep you informed and connected. Be on the lookout for more updates as we roll out these new features!

Additionally, some community members have expressed interest in volunteering to help neighbors in need. If you'd like to get involved, an announcement will be made during this Sunday's service with more details on how to participate.

Lastly, please join us in welcoming our new maintenance team member, Mr. Eduardo Guillen! We're excited to have him on board.

Here's to a great month ahead!

You Are Invited To:

# American Senior Benefits Medicare Workshop and Lunch

March **18th** 2025

**11:30am - 1:00pm**

Stop By the Office to Sign Up

# *Tropical Haven*

## NON-DENOMINATIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE

Join us on Sundays in the Auditorium  
Watch us on Facebook on Tropical Haven Morning Worship  
<https://www.facebook.com/Tropical.Haven.Morning.Worship>

Sunday School-8:30AM  
Church Service-10:00AM

For more information contact:

\*Joe Krake 740-250-3754 \*Don Clovis 321-917-9301 \*Jean Drum 585-704-0324



\*\*\*Mr. Kent is offering  
tax preparation in the library.  
He will be available on  
Mondays and Fridays from 11 to 2  
until April 15th.

**A**s we change the clocks in March maybe  
you should make some time for a new  
hobby.

Shuffleboard would be a good place to start.  
We have several new members and there is  
room for more! Shuffleboard is for everyone  
in our Tropical Haven park.

Join and play when you like or come play with  
others on fundays. Fees are only \$6 for the  
year. Contact Sue Gilbert (treasurer)  
513-594-2258 for more details.

Thank you, Bill Beechum

## Tropical Haven **KARAOKE NIGHT**

MARCH 14TH & 28TH

**AUDITORIUM**

6:00-9:00PM



*Come join the  
Fun!*



# Social singles

The Mansion  
Thursday 3/6 at 1:00  
1218 E New Haven

Shells  
Thursday 3/20 at 1:00  
1490 W New Haven  
SEE YOU THERE!



# PANCAKE Breakfast

March 15th  
8-10 AM



Ticket Sales on Porch on March 10th & 11th  
9- 11am

Auditorium

# Cake Walk

March 17th -St. Patricks Day

Wear Green  
Hear Green Music  
Time 6:30PM

Place - Auditorium

Bring a green dessert for 4 - 6 people

Let's have some green fun!



Monday March 10th.

AUDITORIUM  
11:00am-2:00pm

Tickets sales will be  
Wednesday March 5th from 10-11am  
on the porch.

The luncheon will be Arby's Fish Sandwiches  
\$5.00

# JUST DANCE!!

March 7th, and 21st.  
6:30 pm.  
Auditorium

*\*This is it for the season \**



# SQUARE DANCE

Square Dance  
EVERY Sunday night in March  
6:00 to 7:30 pm or so.

We start every session from the beginning, so  
don't worry about being new.

Pairs, singles, and spectators welcome.

It's easy to learn and good exercise.

**Come join the fun!**

# OUT & ABOUT

**March 10 at 2 PM**

If you want to see a flashback movie,

**Moonstruck** is playing at the  
Premier Oaks Theatre on Hibiscus  
with Cher and Nicolas Cage.

Admission is \$5,  
(not sure if that's free popcorn day)  
If you're hungry after the movie,  
Ben & Jerry's is right next-door.

**Meet at the theater!**

## MORE OUT & ABOUT COMING SOON!!

On **April 15**, arrangements are being made to go  
on a **Catamaran ride in Cocoa Beach**.  
This is a river cruise, dolphin watch.

There are two times for sailing, 1 PM and 3:30  
PM.

Approximate cost is between \$30 and \$35. Res-  
ervations must be made in advance, including full  
payment, maximum capacity in each sailing is 32.  
Currently checking on cancellation policy and will  
advise.

Limited parking is available so carpooling is high-  
ly recommended. Details to follow in the April  
newsletter.

There are lots of restaurants in the area for lunch/  
dinner before or after your sailing, plan ahead for  
a full day of adventure with our neighbors and  
friends before they head north for the summer.

**Anyone who is interested, please contact Don-  
na Delaney, (704) 778-2159.**



## MOVIE BUFFS

Join us on the 2nd and 4th **THURSDAYS AT 6:30 !**

IN THE AUDITORIUM AFTER POTLUCKS !

\*Plus Optional 1st & 3rd Thursdays in the Library for VINTAGE MOVIES

ENJOY POPCORN + BIG SCREEN + OUR GREAT SOUND SYSTEM !

BYO Drinks and More Comfortable Chairs if you like -  
(must have floor cushions or towel if metal legs) !

## SHOWING THIS MONTH

THUR, MARCH 6 - (VINTAGE IN LIBRARY) - THE GREAT IMPOSTOR - TRUE STORY (1961 W. TONY CURTIS )

THUR, MARCH 13 - (IN AUDITORIUM) - THE FULL MONTY - IRISHMEN ! ( 1997 ) COMEDY/DRAMA

THUR, MARCH 20 - (VINTAGE IN LIBRARY) - WAR HORSE - (2011 - S SPIELBERG )

THUR , MARCH 27 - (IN AUDITORIUM) - CONCLAVE (2024) - (RALPH FIENNES, S.TUCCI, I.ROSSELLINI, J.LITHGOW)

THUR, APRIL 3 - (VINTAGE IN LIBRARY) - THE GODS MUST BE CRAZY - (COMEDY 1980 )

**SUGGESTIONS WELCOME FOR WHAT YOU WANT TO SEE! CONTACT LINDA 585-313-1790**

THANK YOU!



Ron & Carole Packard would like to thank all the generous people who donated items for our Chinese Auction this year.

Also a BIG Thank You to all who volunteered in so many ways. You made it all happen!

You "Buckeyes" who attended are also appreciated, hope to see you next year!

*Thank you!*

Dwight and Marianne Tibbetts want to thank everyone involved in their recent production of

"An Unforgettable Evening"  
the Life and Music of Nat King Cole.

We raised \$5,160 dollars  
(at this point in time of this writing) for the American Lung Association.

Nat King Cole died of Lung cancer  
at the young age of 45.

God bless you all for your time and talents given to this wonderful event. Tropical Haven is loaded with wonderful people who care and willing to share their talents for a great cause.

Sincerely  
Dwight and Marianne Tibbetts



# MARCH BIRTHDAYS



|                     |    |
|---------------------|----|
| Tracye Altman       | 4  |
| Barb Rogalavich     | 6  |
| Patty Heredia       | 10 |
| Donna King          | 15 |
| Jack Talot          | 23 |
| Nick Demos          | 24 |
| Patsy Bobo          | 26 |
| Joan Wieczorek      | 26 |
| Margaret Farrington | 26 |
| Kathryn Flanagan    | 27 |
| Helen Fisher        | 28 |
| Lowell Maloney      | 31 |

## Birthday and Anniversary Submissions

For your birthday or anniversary to appear in the Newsletter, you must email the information one month prior for inclusion. March dates need to be submitted by February 5th to: [tropicalhavennews@gmail.com](mailto:tropicalhavennews@gmail.com)

## Happy Anniversary



|                       |    |
|-----------------------|----|
| Clarice & John Rocho  | 3  |
| Judy & Jack Talbot    | 23 |
| Gene & Helen Fisher   | 23 |
| Rose & Tony Gramaglia | 31 |

**MARCH**

**ANNIVERSARIES**



# CONTACTS

## BOARD MEMBERS

|                |                  |              |                         |
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## FREQUENTLY USED NUMBERS

### COMMUNITY

|                                  |                |
|----------------------------------|----------------|
| Manager's Office – Ingrid Rivera | 321- 550- 0700 |
| Manager's Office – Fax           | 321- 674- 5793 |

### SERVICES

|                                |                |
|--------------------------------|----------------|
| Animal Control                 | 321- 633- 2024 |
| AT& T                          | 888- 757- 6500 |
| Spectrum                       | 855- 222- 0102 |
| Florida City Gas               | 877- 737- 2477 |
| Florida Today                  | 877- 424- 0156 |
| Florida Power & Light (FPL)    | 321- 723- 7795 |
| Waste Management               | 321- 723- 4455 |
| Water Department               | 321- 608- 7000 |
| Water Department – After Hours | 321- 255- 4622 |

### BREVARD COUNTY GOVERNMENT COMPLEX

|                                   |                |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|
| Driver's License / Motor Vehicles | 321- 264- 6935 |
| Melbourne City Hall               | 321- 608- 7000 |
| Non-Emergency Police              | 321- 608- 6731 |

### PARK ISSUES AFTER HOURS (Evenings & Weekends)

|                |                |
|----------------|----------------|
| Airport Police | 321- 288- 0147 |
|----------------|----------------|

### IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY – DIAL 911



◇ Deadline for Articles/Events is the 25th of each month.

◇ View our Newsletter on Facebook or Online at:

<http://www.tropicalhavennews.com/newsletter>



<https://www.youtube.com/@TROPICALHAVEN-pr4nv/videos>

◇ HOAA Financial Reports are available at:

<http://www.tropicalhavennews.com/Financials>



# Regularly Scheduled Activities

|           |  |   |              |
|-----------|--|---|--------------|
| MONDAY    | Exercise                               | 8:30-9:00 am  | Auditorium   |
|           | Aerobics                               | 9:00-10:00 am   | Auditorium   |
|           | Bone Builders                          | 10:00-11:00 am  | Auditorium   |
|           | Bunco                                  | 6:00-8:30 pm  | Library      |
|           | Ladies Shuffleboard                    | 6:00 pm   | TH Courts    |
| TUESDAY   | Corn Hole                              | 9:30 am   | Pavilion     |
|           | Line Dancing                           | 9:30-10:30 am   | Auditorium   |
|           | Line Dance and Lessons                 | 10:30-11:30 am  | Auditorium   |
|           | Shuffleboard                           | 1:00 pm   | TH Courts    |
|           | Gotcha                                 | 6:00 pm   | Library      |
| WEDNESDAY | Exercise                               | 8:30-9:00 am  | Auditorium   |
|           | Bible Study                            | 9:30-10:30 am   | Library      |
|           | Aerobics                               | 9:00-10:00 am   | Auditorium   |
|           | Bone Builders                          | 10:00-11:00 am  | Auditorium   |
|           | Game Day                               | 1:00 – 3:00 pm  | Library      |
|           | Euchre                                 | 6:00-8:00 pm  | Library      |
| THURSDAY  | Bible Study                            | 9:00  | Kitchen Cafe |
|           | Line Dancing                           | 9:30-10:30  | Auditorium   |
|           | Sewing Group                           | 9:30 am – 2:30 pm   | Library      |
|           | Line Dance and Lessons                 | 10:30-11:30 am  | Auditorium   |
|           | Game Night (Every Other Thursday)      | (1st & 3rd Thursdays) 6:30 – 8:30 pm                        | Auditorium   |
|           | Movie Night (Every Other Thursday)     | (2nd & 4th Thursdays) 6:30                                  | Auditorium   |
| FRIDAY    | Yoga                                   | 10:30-11:30 am  | Auditorium   |
|           | Shuffleboard                           | 1:00 pm   | TH Courts    |
|           | Cribbage                               | 6:00-8:00 pm  | Library      |
|           | Karaoke (Every Other Friday)           | 6:00 pm   | Auditorium   |
|           | Just Dance (Every Other Friday)        | 6:30-9:30 pm  | Auditorium   |
| SAT.      | Game Day                               | 1:00 – 3:30 pm  | Library      |
|           | Bingo                                  | (Doors Open and Ticket Sales at 6 pm) 7:00 pm (Games Begin) | Auditorium   |
| SUNDAY    | Sunday School                          | 8:30 am   | Auditorium   |
|           | Church Fellowship                      | 9:30 am   | Auditorium   |
|           | Non-Denominational Worship Service     | 10:00 am  | Auditorium   |
|           | Tropical Hayride Country Music & Games | 1:00-3:00 pm  | Auditorium   |
|           | Square Dance (Every Sunday in March)   | 6:00-7:00 pm  | Auditorium   |

# MARCH ACTIVITIES

|          |           |                                       |             |                                  |
|----------|-----------|---------------------------------------|-------------|----------------------------------|
| March 1  | Saturday  | Flea Market                           | 8:00-12:00  | Auditorium                       |
| March 5  | Wednesday | Penny Bingo Tickets                   | 10:00-11:00 | Porch                            |
| March 6  | Thursday  | Sewing (B.C.Kits)                     | 9:30-2:00   | Library                          |
|          | Thursday  | Singles Lunch                         | 1:00        | Mansion                          |
| March 7  | Friday    | Just Dance                            | 6:30-9:30   | Auditorium                       |
| March 9  | Sunday    | Ice Cream Social                      | 3:00        | Auditorium                       |
| March 10 | Monday    | Pancake Breakfast Tix                 | 9:00-11:00  | Porch                            |
|          | Monday    | Penny Bingo                           | 11:00-12:00 | Auditorium                       |
|          | Monday    | H.O.A. Meeting                        | 6:30        | Auditorium                       |
| March 11 | Tuesday   | Pancake Breakfast Tix                 | 9:00-11:00  | Porch                            |
| March 12 | Wednesday | Out & <u>About</u>                    | 2:00        | Premiere Theater<br>"Moonstruck" |
| March 14 | Friday    | Karaoke                               | 6:00-9:00   | Auditorium                       |
|          | Saturday  | Pancake Breakfast                     | 8:00-10:00  | Auditorium                       |
| March 17 | Monday    | <u>St. Patrick's Day</u><br>Cake Walk | 6:30-8:00   | Auditorium                       |
| March 20 | Thursday  | Singles Lunch                         | 1:00        | Shells                           |
| March 21 | Friday    | Just Dance<br>(last of season)        | 6:30-9:30   | Auditorium                       |
| March 28 | Friday    | Karaoke                               | 6:00-9:00   | Auditorium                       |





# NEWS & INFORMATION

## NEWSLETTER EDITOR/CONTENT MANAGER

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\*\*\*Email (Preferred) or Text Articles & Events Before the 25th of the Month\*\*\*

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|              |  |
|--------------|--|
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### How to Submit Newsletter Articles/Events

- Submit your articles/events to the HOAA email address: [tropicalhavennews@gmail.com](mailto:tropicalhavennews@gmail.com)  
Please verify you have used the correct email address.

#### ALL ARTICLES ARE TO BE TYPED—NO EXCEPTIONS.

- Please include your name and contact information so I can confirm receipt of your information and be able to contact you with any questions.
- It will be helpful if you put "HOAA Newsletter" in the subject line of your email. Diana Tuggle uses the same email for Facebook posts; please put Facebook in the subject line for those requests.
- Articles/events must be submitted by the 25th of each month. Please submit it as early as possible – don't wait if you have your info ready. If not received by the deadline, it will not be published in the newsletter. Content corrections can be made until the 29th of the month.

### How to Publicize Your Events on the Activities Page & Porch Whiteboard

- For all Activities, please contact TerryLynn Archer with your activity information. She will ensure we do not have our public spaces double-booked or overlapping activities. You can call TerryLynn at 207-478-6884
- You can contact Darlene Halsey during the Season from November through April with Whiteboard listings.