

Painting The Way

"To offer a nonprofit, educational and service-oriented organization to its members"

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October Speaker

Dr. Robert W. Burk III, surgeon at the Ponte Vedra Plastic Surgery Center, was our guest speaker last month. He gave an interesting presentation on surgical and non-surgical procedures available. The slide show demonstrated the results of each along with the recovery time. Lucky Alice Kerrigan won a beautiful basket filled with skin care products. Each member present also received a gift bag that included a certificate for a free microdermabrasion treatment.



Alice, Marsha, Dr. Burk

Join your friends and neighbors for this special event at Magnolia Point. If you have any questions, contact Sue Dake at 284-2767 or the block captain listed on your order form.

Holiday Food Baskets

The MPWC is again joining the Elks in preparing food baskets for both Thanksgiving and Christmas for the needy families in our community.

The project begins with the collection of food and monetary donations. Food items needed are as follows: nuts, canned green beans, corn, yams and cranberry sauce, cookies, Jello, hot chocolate mix, macaroni/cheese and candy

Donated items can be dropped off at one of the following:

Mela Abate's - 3744 Constancia Drive
Sandy Riddle's - 3585 Kingston Heath Court

Any money donated will be used for Harvey's gift certificates for the purchase of a turkey or ham. Please make all checks out to the Elks.

For more information, contact Nancy Nettuno - 529-7577.

Meeting - Wednesday, November 9

Our next meeting is Nov. 9 at 3pm. We will be joined by Neil Roberts from PRP Wines, who will teach us all about wines from throughout the world – the proper glasses to use and how to select that right wine for each occasion.

It's a surprise – bring a birthday card for member Ida Gladstone's 90th birthday to be celebrated at the meeting. Drop it in the basket by the door.

Following the meeting, the club will offer Happy Hour from 5 - 7pm and a buffet at 6pm.

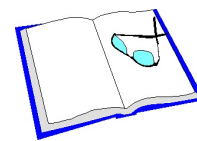
Luminary Sales Begin

Order forms for luminary kits have been distributed to each resident by block captains. Dates to remember are:

- Nov. 19- Deadline to order Luminary Kits
- Dec. 3- Workshop to assemble kits (at Sue Dake's home, 3583 Shinnecock Ln)
- Dec. 3- Date to Pick Up Luminary Kits between 10am and 2pm at Sue Dake's home
- Dec 10- Luminary Night at 6:00pm. Holiday Concert performed by Clay High Choir at 7pm in front of 19th Hole at the Club.

Next Book Club - December 7th

Because of the holidays, the November and December Book Club meetings will be combined. We will meet on Wednesday, December 7th at 11am at the home of Sharon Sprott. She has graciously offered to prepare soup for lunch, so you will not have to bring one.



We will be discussing *The Vanishing Acts* and/or *My Sisters Keeper* both by Jodi Picoult.

Don't forget the change of date – see you on the 7th at Sharon's home at 3550 Shinnecock. Happy Thanksgiving!!

President's Message

As I drive through the community, I can tell which are Magnolia Point Women's Club member homes – thanks to our class on wreath making! They are just beautiful!!

Thanksgiving and Christmas are just around the corner and so is the spirit of giving. Thanks to all who donated the much needed items to the Food Pantry recently. Geri Isgan and others gathered and delivered 680 lbs of food.

Once again, we will work together with the Elks Club to prepare and deliver food baskets to the needy in our community. The team includes Sandy Clark, Sandy Riddle, Dee Pratt, Mary Lee Thompson, Mela Abate, Marsha Zupan, Anne Murphy, Jeanne Boyer, Marlene Jacobs, Linda Hearin, Judy Williamson, Joann Johnson and Rose Huckaby. Collection boxes for food will be located at 3744 Constancia and 3585 Kingston Heath Court. We need bags of nuts, cookies, canned green beans and yams, macaroni and cheese, cranberry sauce, hot chocolate mix, Jello, and candy.

Our Luminary project is right on schedule. Take the time to thank Sue Dake, Mary-Margaret Wyzkoski and Helen Weygand for leading this committee. This project continues to be a major fund raiser for our group.

A suggestion by Alene Ross to donate Christmas trees for Charles E. Bennett students to decorate for the Holiday Parade of Trees in Spring Park has been approved by the Board and handled by Barbara Szymanski. Thanks Alene!

Don't miss our November meeting – our guest speaker will educate us on choosing just the right wine! ~Nancy

Welcome New Members

Add the following new information to your directory:

Betty Holmes (Gordon) 284-5411
3570 Crescent Point Ct bettyholmes@bellsouth.net
(B) Oct 12 - (A) Oct 6

Judy Burka (Ron) 529-9630
1557 Stonebriar Rd RonBurka@yahoo.com
(B) Nov 2 - (A) May 14

Denise Beauchamp (Bill) 284-3566
3643 Spyglass Ct d.beauchamp@comcast.net
(B) Dec 13 - (A) Aug 4

Brenda Toner (Brian) 284-1551
1658 Pebble Beach bktoner@comcast.net
(B) Jul 5 - (A) Aug 25

Wanted: Science Fair Judges

The Charles E. Bennett Elementary School needs volunteers to judge their science Fair projects. No experience needed! You may go either Nov. 15 or 16, anytime between 8:30am and 4pm and it will take about an hour. You don't need a science background -- and bring your husband or a friend! Contact Barbara Szymanski at Barbaraski@comcast.net.

Wellness Luncheon

A luncheon with speaker, Doug Forbes, Licensed Massage Therapist, is scheduled for Monday, November 14 at 12 noon at the Mediterranea Restaurant, 3877 Baymeadows Road. Reservations are a must – cost is \$20.00 per person, which includes lunch.

Doug's topic will be "Wellness and Natural Healing." Come hear what Doug has to say – he has so much interesting information to share with us! For details, call Judy Williamson at 284-9680. We will arrange carpools and you are welcome to bring a friend!

Holiday Tea & Home Tour Canceled

Due to a lack of interest, our Holiday Tea and Home Tour has been canceled.

*** Classified Ads ***

PET SERVICES: Pet Sitting - \$8/hour; Walk Dogs - \$8/hour, Pet Taxi - Call for Prices. Call Karen 529-8730

FOR SALE: Ladies Cocktail & Evening Wear (sizes 6 and 8). **Mary Kay items** priced below wholesale. Call Nancy at 529-7577

3D CARPET & TILE CLEANING - Get ready for the holidays with professional carpet, tile and upholstery cleaning; tile sealing & pet odor removal. Current MPWC advertiser. Call 813-6251

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