

Painting The Way

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

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July Meeting - "Circle of Friends"

Our July speaker was Paige DeGryse, Director of the Ivey League Academy and the non-profit "Circle of Friends". Paige is the former Director of Lighthouse Learning Center and spoke to us about the inclusion of handicapped children in after school programs.



Paige and Sandy Magyar

The "Circle of Friends" looks for services in the community for after school programs for special needs kids. Once the program is setup, they will be looking for volunteers to help with tutoring, reading and just doing activities with the kids. Training will be provided and Paige will let us know when the program is ready to start.

August 10 Meeting

Our next meeting is Wednesday, August 10 at 3pm in the clubhouse. Sheriff Gail Russell is the guest speaker and will present a PowerPoint presentation on "Internet Crime."

Happy Hour from 5 - 7pm will follow the meeting. Dinner starts at 6pm with a Southern Style Buffet Dinner featuring buttermilk fried chicken, meatloaf, country fried steak – to name a few goodies. \$10.95++

Bread Needed for New Residents

The Hospitality Committee needs a new supply of bread to include in our Welcome Baskets for new residents. If you are a baker, please call Mary Mackey at 284-0476.

With so many new residents moving into our community, please keep your eyes open for new residents. Report them to Mary, Geneva Taylor or Cary Hanley.

Final Call for Membership Renewals

If you have not renewed your membership, dues are \$15.00 and your check can be left at the home of Judy Williamson at 3583 Long Cove Cove Court.

Check Out Our Own Website!!!

Member Joanie Braatz has been hard at work designing and uploading our new website. Although not complete, you can check it out at: www.MPWC.org. We will let you know when new material has been added to the site.

Meet our Scholarship Winners

Thresa Oliverio introduced the three recipients of our Gisela Ferrell Memorial Scholarships. Many thanks to Thresa and her committee for the many hours they spent in selecting our scholarship winners.



Stephanie, Alison, Thresa, Jessie

Stephanie Cudnik has a grade point average of 4.51 and is ranked 5th out of 222 in her class. She plans to attend the University of Florida and major in Psychology to prepare to attend law school. She received the Florida Academic Scholar Scholarship. Stephanie's teachers describe her as being an analytic thinker who is eager to apply her knowledge to new situations.

Alisen Boley is ranked 42nd in Clay High School's class of 222 and has a grade point average of 3.6. She plans to attend the University of North Florida and major in zoology. She is a recipient of a Florida Bright Futures Scholarship. Alisen lettered in track all three years.

Jessie Woods has a 4.0 grade point average and ranks 6th in her class. She plans to attend the St. Johns River Community College and upon graduation attend the University of North Florida. Jessie's career choice is education. She has received many scholarships including a softball scholarship to SJRCC.

President's Message

Summer is moving right along and it will soon be time to welcome our snowbirds home and kick off our fall fund-raising agenda. Sharon Sprott and Dorothy Wood are our chairmen and will soon be back with us to share their ideas.

I wish to highlight the following member efforts in this message:

- The dedication of those who routinely offer to help others in Magnolia Point travel to Doctor appointments, deal with illness and in general care and share their resources with others.
- The outstanding response of members who offered to work with special needs children after school.

I remind myself everyday how fortunate I am to be a part of such a great family.

Other significant happenings:

- Ad sales are in progress. Please remember to support Jackie McCann, Helen Weygand and Susan Mitchell with this worthwhile fund-raiser and to patronize our sponsors.
- Joanie Braatz is working on the first MPWC website along with Susan Mitchell and Cary Hanley. We'll tell you more at the meeting.

Our meeting this month will feature will feature Chief Russell who will give a presentation on preventing internet crime.

See you at the meeting!

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August Book Club

The next Book Club meeting will be held on August 24th at 11am at the home of Debbie Brown - 3508 Olympic Drive. The book featured is *The Confession of Max Tivoli* by Andrew Sean Greer, was also a *Today* Book Club book. Remember, Bring your lunch . . . drinks and dessert will be provided. *See ya there!!*

Everyone is welcome to join the group. If you have any questions, call Donna Medara at 529-7524.

Welcome New Members

Mary Kendall Hattie Reddinger

Good Advice for Cell Phone Users!

ICE stands for In Case of Emergency. Add an entry in the Contacts list in your cell phone under ICE, with the name and phone number of the person that the emergency services should call on your behalf, you can save them a lot of time and have your loved ones contacted quickly. It only takes a few moments of your time to do. Paramedics know what ICE means and they look for it immediately. **ICE your cell phone NOW! Please pass this one along!**

*** *Classified Ads* ***

MEN'S GOLF CLUBS - Tommy Armour 845s irons; Calloway Big Bertha Driver 10 degrees and Big Bertha #7. Maroon leather bag. \$250.00 Call Lora - 529-1286

LADIES GOLF CLUBS - Arnold Palmer Charger, complete set. Green Plaid bag. \$100.00 Call Member Lora - 529-1286

LEXINGTON COUCH FOR SALE: Semi-circular shape, dark colors, \$350. Call Member Shelli West at 284-4135

ROOM FOR RENT: A very nice 70+ lady has a room to rent in a home on US 17 by the Kitchen Cabinet shop (about 5 miles from Magnolia Point). If you know of a single person who needs a comfortable place to live, please contact Judy Williamson at 284-9680

LADY FAIRWAY GOLF SHOES - New in Box, Size 8-1/2Wide, retail \$75, sell for \$30. Call Susan at 529-7215

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