



April Showers
bring
May
Flowers



Hello Starlight Ranch Residents
The new spring season is here and along with the great weather we get to enjoy here in the sunshine state is it always feels like a good time of year to get fresh flowers and plants started for the new season. There seems to be a great feeling of watching your efforts come to be and those that just don't have the chance to grow their own will most likely enjoy your effort as they grow. Take your time and go thru our community and look around. There are some homes that have really cool plants and as I talk with these folks there's almost always a great story to go with the things they grow. I do feel that we need to have happiness in our homes here at the Ranch even if you don't grow any plants. Having a community HOA gives us the opportunity to have unity as a community. The HOA has gone through many changes and one of our big goals as a new team is to give residents a pleasant experience at or meetings and activities. One of the issues that have been brought to me was people not having the chance to talk at our meetings and there is a reason for that, they are a business meeting and by rules we are supposed to stick with the meeting's agenda. That is why we have town hall meetings so that the homeowners have the chance to voice their opinions and concerns. With that said we do try to open the floor for a bit at end of our business meeting for issues not on agenda.

Thank you for your support

Curt

BILINGÜE - ESPAÑOL & INGLÉS

TOWN HALL MEETING

SATURDAY – APRIL 30TH – 11am
FRONT CLUBHOUSE



Interesado en traducir el mensaje del Presidente de la HOA al español. Póngase en contacto con Curt DeLong. Gracias



SATURDAY – APRIL 16TH
5:00pm - FRONT CLUBHOUSE
Be sure to add your name to the list at the front clubhouse if you plan on attending.



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Ellen Estep	4/13	
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Carmen Velazquez	4/14	
Joe Moreno	4/15	
Roberto Cotto	4/17	
Pam Echard	4/18	
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Gertrude Michaels	4/20	
Leila Acevedo	4/20	
Jo Ellen Hall	4/22	
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Miriam Rodriguez	4/27	
Katie Smit	4/27	
Shirley Henry	4/29	
Linda Olsen	4/29	
Connie Carter	4/30	
Pam Springer	4/30	
Debbie Smith	4/30	
Steve & Beverlee Swerdlen		4/12
Jerry & Betty Scott		4/30



DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE

A 6 hour defensive driving course will be offered on Saturday, June 25, 2022 from 9:00 am to 3:30 pm at the front clubhouse. A 30 minute light lunch will be served. The cost is \$30.00 per person, check or money order only made out to Florida Safety Council. No phone calls will be accepted. Payment is due when you sign up using the registration form available in both clubhouse bulletin boards. Payment and registration form must be delivered in person or mailed to: Vern Olsen, 2869 Buckskin Rd, Orlando, FL 32822-3896. The deadline is Wednesday, June 1, 2022. Please call Vern at (207) 461-4058 between 9 am – 5 pm for more information. We need at least 15 people to begin the class with a limit 20 persons for class. You will need to bring your own notebook/notepad and pen/pencil to class. Attendees finishing this course will receive a Certificate of Completion which can be sent to your auto insurance company for possible auto discounts. This certificate is good for three years from the date of completion.



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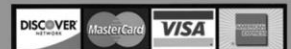
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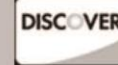
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JUST THE FACTS



TUESDAY IS
GARBAGE DAY



WEDNESDAY IS
RECYCLING DAY



FRIDAY IS
YARD WASTE DAY

"Have you tried ignoring him?"

"I'm just saying, with as many laws as are on the books, the chances I'd break one of them are actually pretty good."

SMILE.....

AT A PAROLE HEARING, the officer asked, "Tell me, why should you be released early?" The inmate responded, "It's because..." The officer replied, "Yes?" The inmate continued, "I think I have..." I "Go on," the officer said. "Can I please finish my sentence?" "Sure. Parole denied."





ICE CREAM SOCIAL

SATURDAY – APRIL 2ND

Ice cream will be served from **1:00 pm** until **1:30 pm**. The cleanup will start at 1:30 pm so the bingo can start by 2:00 pm. Please be mindful to show up before 1:30 pm if you would like ice cream.



APRIL BINGO DATES

MONDAY – OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

4TH, 11TH, 18TH & 25TH 6:45pm (MUST PURCHASE CARDS BY (6:30 pm)

TUESDAY

5TH – VENDOR SPONSORED – FREE TO STARLIGHT RESIDENTS ONLY

FRIDAY – OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

1ST, 8TH, 15TH 22ND & 29TH 10:00am (MUST PURCHASE CARDS BY 9:45 am)

SATURDAY

2nd 2:00pm – **FREE TO STARLIGHT RESIDENTS ONLY**



APRIL 20TH - ICE CREAM TRUCK
3:00pm FRONT CLUB HOUSE
FREE ICE CREAM



WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE HOA PRESIDENT FOR A MONTH?

Hello everyone, now before I get into my article, I want to make this statement first. I have no desire to be HOA president and I have high praise for anyone who volunteers to give up their time and energy to do that difficult and thankless job. Please don't hold me to the actual timeline of events, so please bear with me. About a year ago when Curt was HOA president, I was informed that the HOA board had become disillusioned with Curt and was removing him from the presidency. I thought he was doing a great job. He knows much about matters that are. James is appointed president by that board. He was doing a great job. Many of those board members resigned and were replaced. James is disrespected by one of the board members and decides to step down. Are you still with me? V.P. Denise is now promoted to HOA board president. She has given a lot to the HOA over the years and wanted to keep things on the straight and narrow. She questioned the validity of non-homeowners holding office and running activities. It is the home owners association but I have always felt it should also be residents, spouses etc. each paying a \$10.00 fee, as the saying goes, "there's power in numbers." My wife's name is right next to mine on Starlight's account summary. We are part owners, as well as many others here. Now back to Denise, She told me she filed paperwork with management and was bullied by board members, that word has come up again, she felt disrespected. She handed me a letter to read at the board meeting, stating she was resigning and left the meeting. The board had to fill three seats now including a new president. Now we have come full circle. The only person who wanted to be president was Curt. Prior to the meeting he told me he liked my articles and that the truth needs to be told, good or bad. Which is what I try to do? Curt is definitely qualified for the job, and I hope he and this new board get along or "Hasta-la vista baby", all over again. I would like to work with him on the many issues at Starlight Ranch. I am qualified to do that, and he knows that. I have always told my wife, no matter how bad things are, there is always somebody worse off. I currently have no symptoms, but I found out recently, I need a heart valve replacement. My wife and I have gotten over the initial shock and I am having all preliminary tests done and will have surgery soon. I will leave you with this joke. My mind thinks I'm 30 but my body thinks I'm an idiot!

Peace and Love

Barry M. Verenini



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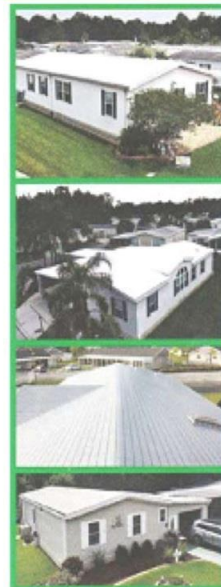
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Notes: ACH = Front Clubhouse MCH = Back Clubhouse					1 Bingo 10 AM Last Sale 9:45 AM ACH	2 Ice Cream Social Gift Card Bingo 1 PM ACH
3	4 Bingo 6:45 PM Last Sale - 6:30 PM ACH	5 Freedom Health Household Bingo 11 AM ACH Seniors in Motion 3 - 5 PM MCH	6 Rock Painting/ Cratfing 11 AM - 12 PM MCH	7	8 Bingo 10 AM Last Sale 9:45 Bobby G Music/Snacks 5 - 6 PM ACH	9 Movie/Pizza 5 PM ACH
10	11 Bingo 6:45 PM Last Sale - 6:30 PM ACH	12 Simple Health 50 Bags Produce 11 AM ACH	13 Stellarias Marketing 2-4 PM ACH HOA Board Mtg 6 PM ACH	14 Activity Suggestion Meeting 10 AM - 12 PM	15 Bingo 10 AM Last Sale 9:45 AM ACH	16 Easter Dinner 5 PM ACH Desserts Welcome
17 HAPPY  EASTER	18 Bingo 6:45 PM Last Sale - 6:30 PM ACH	19 Seniors in Motion 3 - 5 PM MCH	20 Rock Painting 11 AM - 12 PM MCH Ice Cream Truck Free 3 PM ACH	21 Festival/ Bazaar Beauty Day 2-4 PM ACH	22 Bingo 10 AM Last Sale 9:45 AM ACH	23
24	25 Bingo 6:45 PM Last Sale - 6:30 PM ACH	26 Freedom Health Birthday/Anniv Party 1 - 2 PM	27	28	29 Bingo 10 AM Last Sale 9:45 AM ACH	30 Bi-lingual All Welcome Town Hall 11 AM ACH

IMPORTANT TELEPHONE NUMBERS

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After hours/weekends	407-770-7015
Platinum Security	407-271-5747
Platinum Security 6pm-6am	407-561-4218
Orange Cty Animal Control	407-836-3111

Sheriff – Non-Emergency	407-836-4357
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