September 2024





Bunco & Wine at The Clubhouse 2nd Thurs Sept 12 7:00 – 8:30 pm BYOB & \$5 for prizes Info - Teresa Noa 973 980-7337



FOOD TRUCKS RETURN !!! SUN SEPT 8TH 5 – 7:00 P.M.

Killik's Kitchen – Hawaiian inspired Tacos & Egg Rolls

The Coolest Truck on Earth - Ice Cream, Shaved Ice & Coffees
See The Lakes Facebook events for complete menus.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Join the Social Planning Committee at the Clubhouse Thursday Sept 26th 7 – 8 p.m.

HALLOWEEN PARTY -SUNDAY OCT 27th 5-7 pm

Fun food, crafts & games in the Clubhouse for all our families

Annual Holiday Lights Trolley – Sunday Dec 15th 6-8 pm

Clubhouse will be decorated for the holiday & Hot Chocolate & Snacks will be available.

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Call/Text Shirley Brown 941 724-1895



Water, Water, Everywhere!!

We had more than 15" of rain overnight on Aug 4th which caused extensive flooding, mostly cars and in garages.

Assessments are being made to prevent future flooding.

A big thank you to **Nicole at Sunstate** for the emails and to residents for Facebook posts that kept us updated and informed during the flood.

Tennis Courts, Rec Center Pool are now open, but the Clubhouse pool needs to be resurfaced.

The Clubhouse did not lose power and was open for people to charge phones, fix a meal, or just get out of the heat.



FPL Update – We are on separate power lines and while the clubhouse and condo had power, some residents were out for days, especially in the back that has above ground power lines through the trees and had flooded transformers.

Thank you, David Kis, for working tirelessly to restore power then and to reduce future outages:

- -Cleared growth from all lines and remove trees as needed.
- -Add another pole in the trees to increase stability
- -Raise concrete bases on 9 transformers to 24"
- -Proposal to run 2 lines under ground before next season.

If you lose electricity in your home, the Clubhouse may still have power and a/c.

Dear Fellow Residents.

I have reserved the Clubhouse and secured the SRQ Trolley for our upcoming Halloween and Holiday parties. I'm looking for some parents and teens who want to earn some volunteer hours to help with planning, hosting and gams. Just an hour or two to help make them fun for all of us. <u>Join me for a social planning time at the Clubhouse Thursday Gept 26th at 7 p.m.</u> or text me at 941 724-1895 if you can help

I'll be travelling this month so there will be no Sunday Supper Club, Ladies Coffee or Happy Hour.

Shirley Brown, Social Chair