

VOICE OF THE VILLAS
November 19, 2018

TO ALL OUR VILLA NEIGHBORS AND FAMILIES

HOLIDAY HAPPENINGS from ALICE KIENITZ

Lots of info and best wishes to all who are going north for the holidays--we'll miss you, but not the cold! Thanksgiving dinner will be served at 1:30 on Thursday. If anyone else would like to come, please let me know by Wednesday so we can set your place. Turkey and Salmon with all the trimmings will be served. 989-642-2316

We have a few open seats for the Christmas Light Cruise if anyone has friends who would like to go. I need to know by Thursday, or I will cancel the unused seats for a credit. Sign up sheet is down and you need to call me 989-642-2316. We will leave the pool area at 3:00 on December 2.

Some time the 2nd week of December, we will be going to Mission Valley to see the Christmas light display (free) and would be glad to take anyone with us who would like to go. We normally leave about 4:30 so we can park close. Often we stop for a snack after. They have very good paths to walk there, and you can see very well. Let us know if you are interested. 989-642-2316

Villa wide Christmas dinner outing is set for Applebee's on December 16 at 5:00. If the weather is nice, we will have the whole patio, if not, we will have an inside section. You will be able to order off the menu, so no money in advance is needed. This would be a good time to do the UGLY SOCK EXCHANGE - find a pair of ugly Christmas socks (clean) and put a \$10 gift in one sock, tie them together with the info whether it is for a man or woman and bring it with you. Gift must fit in sock and let's play nice! If you prefer to refrain, that's fine, it will be play as we go! Sign up sheet will be by pool next week. Watch for it and sign up--it's always a lot of fun.

We will be hosting a Christmas open house on December 21 from 5:00 until the sprinklers come on! Bring a snack and your drink and join the fun! Alice & Lyle

We will also be hosting Christmas dinner of Turkey and Ham with all the trimmings. All are welcome, so start making plans and let us know. Alice & Lyle

After the New Year, when the weather gets cold, we are planning a trip to the Big Bend Manatee Viewing area. This will be a last minute trip, because it depends on the weather. I will try to get 2 days notice out and we will stop some place else along the way and also stop for a meal to make it a nice day trip. Keep this in mind. Alice and Lyle

Social committee is also working on a date for the Snowbird Reunion Potluck in January. Date being decided, but looking at January 21. More later.

Valentine's Party will be held at Howard's Restaurant, Englewood on February 13 at 5:00. Again, we will be ordering off the menu. Start thinking about this. We will put a sign-up sheet at the pool when it gets closer.

Have an idea, let us know! Have had requests for another trip to see the Lippizans and also the Big Cat Habitat. Another trip to Anna Maria Island for the flea market and touring? Is there interest?

ONGOING ACTIVITIES

- Monday to Friday, 10:00 am Pool Aerobics
- Tuesday, 9:30 am Shuffleboard (Sign up sheet at Pool)
- Wednesday, 4:00 pm, Ladies Gathering at Gazebo