In the Knoll Your Community Newsletter

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| Brian Leary 02/05 |
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| Sirgia Sanchez02/06 |
| Byron Gist 02/07 |
| Neal Justice 02/07 |
| Charlotte Buckland 02/08 |
| William Hamilton, Jr 02/09 |
| Barbara Fahs 02/13 |
| Kathleen Laingren02/16 |
| Linda Steenhoek02/16 |
| Cynthia "Cyndi" Hollingsworth 02/17 |
| Verilyn Montgomery 02/17 |
| John Cavicchi 02/18 |
| Kathleen "Kathy" Blair 02/20 |
| Charles Kremin, 02/22 |
| Marcia Lopez 02/25 |
| Laura Lee 02/26 |
| Sharon Lynch02/26 |
| Randy Beneker02/28 |
| Cynthia "Cindy" Crosby 02/28 |



2/11/1995 Bryant & Kay Pierce

WHY CELEBRATE VALENTINES DAY?

- ▼ It's a day to honor how love conquers everything in the world.
- Showing your love for someone will make them feel great and show them you care about their needs.
- You'll feel positive about yourself when you make it clear you are truly appreciative of others.
- ▼ It will be easy to get your personal priorities in order: you'll have a better idea why you are in love and what makes other people in your life so important to you.





GOOD THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS CORNER

- ▼ Ed & Sandy VanEtten "not feeling well"
- ♥ Barry Baer "health issues"
- ▼ Mary Anne Nelson
- ♥ Chris Kuyatt
- ♥ Cay Palaez
- ▼ Anette Fox back Issues

REMINDER!!

Rent increase for 2021 goes into effect February 1st \$ 569.00

UPCOMING EVENTS

- ✓ Strawberry Festival will be in March this year.
- ✓ Florida State Fair will be in April this year.

GREAT NEWS JUST IN.... We are working

with Hillsborough County Emergency
Management Services to have MOBILE
VACCINATION for Covid-19 visit Windward
Knoll. No date has been set at this time. As
soon as I get that information, I will
communicate it to all residents. Requirements
are 65+ and you will be required to sign a
consent form.

VALENTINE'S DAY THOUGHTS ABOUT LOVE

"Love is a promise, love is a souvenir, once given never forgotten, never let it disappear."

~John Lennon ~Paul McCartney

"Love is all you need."





WHY IS THE "R" IN FEBRUARY SILENT?

Have you ever wondered why February has that silent first "r"?

Well, February, like the names of most months, has Latin roots. It

decended from Februarius, a month in the ancient Roman calender. The name actually comes from the festival of februum, a purification ritual celebrated during the month. I wonder if some thought it was derived in Boston, such as Cah (Car), Gahbidge (Garbage) Haavad (Harvad) Yahd (Yard). When playing wheel of fortune a Bostonian would never ask for the letter "R" it would just throw them off.



GROUNDHOG DAY, FEBRUARY 2ND, is the day the
Groundhog – **Punxsutawney**

Phil – comes out of his burrow on Gobbler's Knob after a long winter sleep to look for his shadow. If he sees it, he regards it as an omen of six more weeks of bad weather and returns to

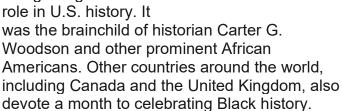
BLACK

HISTORY

MONTH

his hole. If the day is cloudy and shadow-less, he takes it as a sign of spring and stays above ground.

BLACK HISTORY MONTH is an annual celebration of achievements by African Americans and a time for recognizing their central role in U.S. history. It



The 2021 theme for Black History Month – "Black Family: Representation, Identity and Diversity" – explores the African diaspora, and the spread of Black families across the United States.



Random Acts of Kindness Week is February 17th – 23rd. It's a week dedicated to kindness and taking an extra, conscious step to brighten somebody's day. The intention is to encourage more harmony and kindness between people by offering thoughtful gestures of kindness, no matter how big or small!

THOUGHTS ABOUT KINDNESS



"If you haven't any charity in your heart, you have the worst kind of heart trouble."

~Bob Hope

- ▼ "What this world needs is a new kind of army: the army of the kind."
 ~ Cleveland Amory
- ▼ Kindness is in our power, even when fondness is not." ~Samuel Johnson
- ▼ "Carry out a random act of kindness, with no expectation of reward, safe in the knowledge that one day someone might do the same for you."

 ∼ Princess Diana
- "Human kindness has never weakened the stamina or softened the fiber of a free people. A nation does not have to be cruel to be tough." ~Franklin D. Roosevelt

PRESIDENT'S DAY is a federal holiday



originally created to honor George
Washington. It was originally known as Washington's Birthday, but as tine passed, it became a day to celebrate all past

president's and in the mid-1980's, advertisers and stores coined the term "Presidents' Day. The holiday is celebrated on **the third Monday of February.**

COFFEE FOR **FIRST RESPONDERS**

Please help yourselves to a cup of coffee on us! We appreciate all you do for us and our community

Set up in the Clubhouse to show our appreciation to Hillsborough

County's Sheriffs Department and the Hillsborough County Fire and Rescue Department for all they do for Windward Knolls Residents.

If you see any of them, remind them to stop at the Clubhouse and have a coffee on us!



On January 21 at Karaoke, we had special entertainment by the Wee-Haw group plus joke telling and singers serenading our audience of 30. Our next Karaoke



The first-place winner of Wii bowling was Kathy Blair with a 167 and the secondplace winner was Fred Tomasello Jr. Next Wii bowling will be Monday,





The Windward Knoll Social Club **Presents** Sounds of Yesterday Featuring Doug Lilano and Jordanna Clark Saturday January 30th, 2021 7:00 pm until 10:00 pm, at the Clubhouse Table seating bring your own snacks and drinks. \$2.00 per person

Sign up in the Clubhouse or call Gladys Macmillan 813-986-6652

Coffee and Donut Social provided by Social Club for residents and RVer's February 13, 2021, at 9 am

LET'S HAVE SOME FUN

will be on February 1 at 7 pm.



The Spaghetti Dinner will be Different this year due to Covid-19 The Spaghetti Dinner will be held on February 6, 2021 at 5:30

There will be take out available or you can stay and dine with us. The cost will be \$7.00. We are offering Spaghetti, Meatballs, or Sausage, Salad, Bread and Desert.

Auction to follow bring a wrapped item to be auctioned off. Lots of Fun Come Join In!!



| February 2021 | | | | | | | |
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| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat | |
| Good Morning, Happy First Day Of February | 1 10:00 am Social Meeting | 6:30 pm Bingo | 7:00 pm Cards | 7:00 pm Karaoke | 5 10:00 am Shuffle Board 1:30 pm Mexican Train | 6 10:00 am Horse Collar 5:30pm Spaghetti Dinner | |
| Happy Valentines | 15 10:00 am Social Meeting | 9 6:30 pm Bingo 16 6:30 pm Bingo | 7:00 pm Cards 17 7:00 pm Cards | 11 18 7:00 pm Karaoke | 12 10:00 am Shuffle Board 1:30 pm Mexican Train 19 10:00 am Shuffle Board 1:30 pm Mexican Train | 9:00 am Coffee-Donuts 10:00 am Horse Collar 20 10:00 am Horse Collar 7:00 pm HOA Meeting | |
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| | | | IS ALWAYS RIGHT TO DO WHAT IS RIGHT. | | | | |