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The Mission of the Foxwood Village Association, Inc. is to: represent its Membership when addressing their needs/concerns with Management/Owner & working towards an amicable resolution; provide a welcoming & nurturing environment; maintain open communication between the Board & Membership, & the Board, Management & Owner.

Meet Our Treasurer Jean Reynolds...



I was born in Scotland and prior to the age of 10, emigrated with my parents & sister to Pittsburgh in the mid-50s. After about a year, my family moved to the Greenwich Village area of NYC where I grew up and went to school. I married, raised 2 daughters and have been widowed since 1995. I am a grandmother to an adult granddaughter and grandson and great grandmother to 2 boys, all who live in New York.

After 25 + years, I retired as the Community-Development Director/Director of Administration of a Community based Not for Profit serving a low-income population with services. Volunteering included: a member of the local Police Precinct, member of the City Community Planning Board and various school Parent Associations.

I moved part-time to Foxwood Village in 2015 and full time in 2017. Through many trials and tribulations, the most difficult punch came from losing my younger daughter to cancer at the age 32 and leaving her children without their mother. →

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Fellow Residents,

As the calendar turns to April, we prepare to say goodbye to our snowbirds. We wish you safe travels back to your other homes and look forward to your return in the fall; the community is always a little quieter without you.

I want to take this opportunity to recognize the volunteers who make the Foxwood Village machine run so effectively. Whether you serve on a committee, organize events, assist with meals, help with set up and tear down, or teach a class, you are the backbone of this community. Much of what we enjoy would not be possible without your time and dedication. It takes a special person to give their time to make our community such a great place to live, and I want you to know that your hard work behind the scenes is deeply appreciated.

For those who would like to get involved, please reach out to any board member or current volunteer. We would be happy to help you find the right opportunity to contribute.

Let's have a great month and enjoy the weather before it gets too hot!

Thank you,
Scott Patterson

FVA Meetings

Board Meeting
Apr. 6

Membership Meeting
Apr. 8

I joined the FVA Board of Directors in 2016 and am currently the Board's Treasurer and newsletter advertising person.

Scan for Event
Fliers
(Refresh Web Page)



Coming Up.....

- FVA Breakfast – 4/4
 - Easter Brunch Potluck – 4/5
 - FVA General Meeting – 4/8
 - Empath Health – 4/8
 - Tiki Firepit Food Party – 4/16
 - Trivia Night – 4/19
 - Home Ins Lunch/Learn – 4/22
 - April Birthday Bash – 4/23
 - Set Up Flea Mkt – 4/24
 - Flea Market – 4/24 – 4/25
 - Produce Giveaway – 4/25
- Note:** As new events are added, see the calendar in the Conference Room.

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BINGO BUZZ

Submitted by Debbie Crist

BINGO

3	23	34	50	69
5	24	33	60	68
8	29	FREE	49	64
14	17	37	52	66
12	18	38	53	67

We'd like to thank the following **Bingo Buddies** that helped in the month of March:

- **Snack Bar** - Sunny Bickhart, Dave Bickhart, Ken Keegler
- **Callers** - Ann Therrien, Scott Carter, Jeff Serben
- **Card Sellers** - Carol Barski, Jean Reynolds, Debbie Crist, Joan Johnson
- **Call Backs** - Debbie Crist, Joan Johnson
- **Table Clean Up** - Debbie Crist, Pat Keegler, Joan Johnson, Donna Huen, Tricia Hysell, Diane Rex
- **Equipment Set Up/Tear Down** - Ann Therrien
- **Trash Removal** - Jessie Champlin, TC Huen, Bill Hysell, Jeff Serben, Dennis Rex
- **Number Game** - Saranell Braniger
- **Player Prizes** - Saranell Braniger

As the saying goes "Many hands make light work". Thank you to Jeff Serben for stepping up and volunteering to be one of our new Callers!

Thank You to the Coordinator - **Fran Gentry** (863-853-9391)

It's That Time Again.....

Submitted by Kenny Weberman

Our new residents may not be aware of the efforts of Veteran, Kenny Weberman to provide items for long-term care Veterans at the Tampa VA facility. The Foxwood community has come together over the years and donated many items. It's that time again. Below is a brief message from Kenny:



Foxwood residents,
 It has been many months since I mentioned anything about the toiletry donation box in the park office for the long-term care Veterans at the V.A. Hospital. If you are able, please bring toiletry items to the donation box in the office each month. These items are not supplied by the long-term care facility.
 The Veterans need:
 Body Wash, Shampoo, Deodorant, Hand Soap, Shaving Cream, Disposable Razors. Toothpaste and Toothbrushes, Large & Extra-Large Tee Shirts and Underwear, and even Disposables.
 Thank you for your generosity.
 Kenny

Don't forget.....

Join the Foxwood Village Association (FVA) for only \$20 and enjoy some free events, the annual Community Phone Book, the opportunity to vote and more. Contact Scott Patterson.



Spotlight on:

TC Huen

Our Chinese New Year Host

At the age of 18 months, my family and I emigrated from Hong Kong to New York City. I graduated from Brooklyn Technical High School where I met my future wife, Donna. After majoring in computer science at Columbia University, I worked as a programmer at a financial institution in midtown and eventually as an IT manager at a Wall Street firm. By this time, Donna and I were married and living near Princeton NJ with 2 children, a 9yr old son and 5yr old daughter. I was miserable. I had to wake up at 5:30am every morning and commute 1 hr. 45 min. into downtown Manhattan. The days were long and grueling. I barely saw my kids. I was lucky if I got home before 9pm. I was burnt out. After one especially stressful day, I said to Donna "I wish I could quit" and she replied, "why don't you?" And I did. Fortunately, Donna was a pharmacist and worked only 5 minutes from home. I became "Mr. Mom" and enrolled our kids in every activity they wanted and some they didn't. One activity our whole family enjoyed was Taekwondo. It was quite expensive, so I ended up working as an instructor to offset the cost. Additionally, I became a fitness instructor at the local YMCA. When the kids got older and demanded less of my time, I pursued my true passion - tennis. This too was an expensive sport, so I became a certified tennis professional at the Princeton Racquet Club. As luck would have it, a former intern of mine from my corporate days was now the athletic director at an NCAA Division III college. His tennis coach had just quit. In short, I became the winningest head men's and women's tennis coach at St Joseph's College in Brooklyn. In 2023, after Donna retired from selling pharmaceutical drugs and I from teaching tennis, we sold our home in NJ and moved to Foxwood Village. What I always cherish most is the time we get to spend with our children. Regrets, I have none

Note: Please let Kathleen Patterson know of any additions or deletions. Thanks for your help.



Harry & Brenda Wholf..... 4/7
 Ken & Brenda Starrett..... 4/24
 Dan & Faye Winchell..... 4/28



Joy Keene..... 4/1
 Barbara Wholf..... 4/1
 Dina White..... 4/3
 Vera McBride..... 4/3
 Carlos Aguilera..... 4/5
 Pat Dalton..... 4/7
 Sharon Hopkins..... 4/7
 Janeen Mason..... 4/9
 Julie Thornton..... 4/11
 Tommy Martin..... 4/12
 Judith Barone..... 4/12
 Tim Casey..... 4/14
 Carmen Narayanan... 4/14
 Barry Edie..... 4/16
 Diane Casey..... 4/18
 Harry Wholf..... 4/19
 Karen Oudham..... 4/20
 LeeAnn Steffens..... 4/20
 Emily Keene..... 4/20
 Sherry Bynum..... 4/23
 Margo Fuentes..... 4/23
 Patricia Hinman..... 4/24
 Candace Kamp..... 4/25
 Kissie Garrison..... 4/26
 Darryl Thornton..... 4/26



New Residents: January - March 2026

- Peggy and Edward Kozora
- Ivette DeJesus
- Yoel Hernandez and Dania Hernandez
- Lita Noel
- Clarence and Caroline Nobles
- Sherry Kent
- Elizabeth Bolden
- William Kitchens
- James Campbell and Pamela McClure Campbell



APRIL 4 / 8AM-9:30AM

BREAKFAST MENU

- Scrambled Eggs
- Sausage Links/Patties
- Biscuits & Gravy
- Pancakes
- Orange juice,
- Coffee, Water

\$6.00

Hosted by: Scott and Kathleen Patterson

UPCOMING EVENTS

Trivia Night

Sunday, April 19

FOXWOOD VILLAGE CLUBHOUSE
DOORS OPEN 5:00 PM
GAME STARTS: 5:30 PM
CONCESSIONS: 5:00PM-7:00 PM

BBQ Sandwiches, chips, snacks, assorted sodas, bottled water, desserts

FOXWOOD VILLAGE RESIDENTS FREE
GUESTS - \$5.00 AT THE DOOR


FOXWOOD LADIES BREAKFAST



Wednesday
April 8
9:30 AM

End Zone
US Hwy 98 No.

Host: Jean Reynolds
Sign up in Conference Rm.



Sudden illness can happen at any time. Empath's Health My Life My Choice Advanced Care planning presentation helps families create, communicate and honor important medical care wishes. Making your wishes known ensures that you receive the kind of healthcare you want.

Presentation
Wednesday April 8th, 2026
Time: 11:00AM – 12:00PM

Sign up sheet in the Club House.

EmpathHealth.org/Advanced-Care-Planning



Friday
April 17 11:30 AM

FOXWOOD LADIES LUNCHEON

The Back Porch
115 CR 557A
Lake Alfred

Host: Saranell Braniger
Sign up in the Conference Rm.

LUNCH AND LEARN TO SAVE MONEY ON HOME INSURANCE



WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22ND 11AM
Sandwiches provided!

Learn information on types of policies offered, companies writing manufactured home insurance in your community, discounts that save you money on your premium and hurricane readiness.

NEIGHBORS ALLIANCE
 KENG BHODIPRASIT 860-335-9775
 CONNOR FLORES 727-253-1419

Come Join us at **Foxwood Village's EASTER BRUNCH POTLUCK**
Hosted by the Special Events Committee

Sunday April 5th
12:30 Social - 1pm.. Brunch

Delicious Ham
Serving: Turkey, Stuffing, Gravy, Cranberry Sauce, Coffee, water, or lemonade.

Please bring a favorite side dish to share.

Residents FREE • Guests \$10

Register on Portal or call Fran 863-853-9391
Deadline March 29th

April Tiki Party

At the Tiki Hut
 (Will move inside Clubhouse if weather not permitting)
April 16 at 6PM

Menu:
 Hawaiian Sliders
 Fruit Skewers
 Chips

Drinks:
 Water
 Assorted sodas

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Fresh Produce Giveaway!

Saturday April 25, 2026
10:00 AM
Foxwood Clubhouse/Flea Market

APRIL Birthday BASH

THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 2026
6:00 PM

FOXWOOD VILLAGE CLUBHOUSE
 All Foxwood Village Residents Welcome

CAKE AND ICE CREAM SERVED

HOSTED BY: SOCIAL COMMITTEE



flea MARKET

SEMI-ANNUAL

FOXWOOD VILLAGE CLUBHOUSE
APRIL 25TH 8:00AM - 1:00PM
4700 FOXWOOD BLVD
LAKELAND, FL 33810

EARLY BIRD SHOPPING! (FOXWOOD RESIDENTS ONLY)
FRIDAY, APRIL 24TH
TABLE SETUP 2:00PM-4:00PM
EARLY BIRD SHOPPING 4:00PM-6:00PM



RESERVE YOUR TABLE SPACE TODAY!! CONTACT WENDY CHAMPLIN: (239) 273-0332



Scan to go to online Calendar for any updates

**** Watch for more events – Pop Ups on the Club house bulletin board and the online calendar.**

Foxwood Village Resident Service Providers

Bonded Notary Public	Beverly Wandersee	863-604-9921
Bonded Notary Public	Marvin Dalton	863-450-2063
Lawn Care	Steve Silverberg	863-500-2672
Lawn Care	Jerry Knuth	863-393-8818 (Text please.)
Gutter Cleaning	Tony Mugnai	813-724-0713
Power Washing	Jeff Serban	203-592-0777
Professional House Painting and Power Washing	Jeffrey Hall	863-816-3336
Remodeling/Carpentry	Lewis Milam	863-500-2548
Airport Local Transport	Steve B.	863-859-0180
Handyman	Chad Nixon	772-485-5831
Health/Wellness Supplements	Linda or Mark Kelly	863-514-5307
Advanced Nutritionals	Tricia Hysell	315-725-1681

Advertisers - Businesses that Support Foxwood Village

HOME IMPROVEMENT & MAINTENANCE

Affordable Blinds Corp.	863-667-1695
Florida Anchor & Barrier	863-512-2800
Floor & Sub Flooring	800-681-3772
Paradise Roofing	863-213-4028
Merritt Roofing & Construction	863-967-5711
Robinson Handyman Service	863-944-6908
Tom King Painting	863-606-0792
Underhome Armor	863-244-7407
Freedom Vapor Barrier	800-506-4222
Freedom Roofing	800-972-4198
Leland Power Wash	863-899-6665
GPMS Lawn Care	863-808-2077
Bug Man Pest Control	863-968-0292
Guardian Vapor Barrier	863-969-6768
Robert Carter Maintenance	863-859-3142
Coppertop Constr & Roofing	863-537-1330

OTHER ADVERTISERS

Wood World Furniture	863-816-9663
Lake Gibson Village	863-815-6195
Family Care Pharmacy	863-272-6391

PLUMBING & AIR CONDITIONING

Rick Moore Plumbing	863-688-1226
Price Busters AC	863-450-3127
Snowbird Heating/Cooling	863-551-3411
Paradise Plumbing	863-213-4028
McKinney AC & Heating	863-859-2837

AUTO REPAIR

Barefoot Auto Service	863-216-2254
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GOLF CARTS

Performance Golf Carts	863-875-5600
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MOBILE HOME SALES

Village Mobile Living	863-209-2623
Sun Living Mobile Home Sales	863-450-2063
Newby Realty	863-859-0277

INSURANCE & HEALTH PLAN AGENTS

Tyler Insurance Agency	863-687-4095
Health Markets/David Norris	863-940-3582
Core Solutions/Jeff Craig	863-225-2875

For information on advertising in the Village Voice, contact Jean Reynolds at
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