

Connections



Club Life

It's almost Mother's Day! Be sure to make reservations early, and show your mom how much she means to you with dinner at the Club!

In addition to the club happenings, another great source of information is the lifestyle blog on the Village of Citrus Hills website. You can find it at: thevillagesofcitrushills.com. Just click on the blue "BLOG" icon located at the bottom of the home page. You'll find interesting information such as fun day trips, updates on new model homes, great places to eat in Citrus County, as well as tips on where to shop, eat and be entertained in Tampa, Orlando and beyond. You can even sign up on the blog page to receive an email notification when a new blog article is posted.

CLUB NEWSLETTER APRIL 2016

We hope everyone has downloaded our FREE mobile app to their phones and tablets! If not, please search for Citrus Hills in the app store, and get all the Club's information in the palm of your hand! If you've ventured into other social media outlets, be sure to follow Citrus Hills as well! We're on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Pinterest, YouTube and Foursquare. Just search for CitrusHillsFL to find us!

Please notify us at marketing@citrushills.com if you change your email address, and please be sure to include your old address to be deleted as well. Our goal is to maintain quality communication with our members and keep everyone up-to-date and well-informed with everything happening throughout the Club.



CLUB NEWS

By Anthony Lambert, General Manager

Now that the weather is staying sunny and warm, many of you have been taking your furry family members to the Rockwood Dog Park!



The park offers a great place to mingle and meet new friends while watching your beloved dogs run around and enjoy the grounds and play with other dogs. The park is fantastic for dogs to exercise off their leash and socialize with other dogs. Please remember to abide by the rules of the dog park and always practice proper dog park etiquette. Keep your dog leashed until you're inside the park's fenced area, and be sure you take your dog to the correct separate area; one side for dogs up to 35 lbs, and the other for larger dogs. Abiding by the park's rules will ensure that everyone has a pleasant

and enjoyable experience.

April 1st is the beginning of our second quarter. That means your Dining Credit of \$26.50 has been replenished on your account and is ready for you to use. We encourage you to take this opportunity to join us for an enjoyable meal. This Dining Credit is a gift to you from the Club. You may spend it at any of the three dining facilities: the Grille, Tiki Bar or Skyview Restaurant. The Dining Credit is for dine-in only, and may be used to purchase food or beverages. As a reminder, you must spend the Dining Credit in the quarter it is issued, as it does not carry over and it is not transferable. We want to expose all of our members to these exceptional restaurants and give every member an opportunity to experience and enjoy our Club Dining facilities. I hope everyone will take advantage of the dining credit and come to see us soon.



Members Enjoying the Club!

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March 2016 Trivia Challenge Winners: Spare Parts



Congratulations to Chuck Gatz, Dave and Judy Greer, Rob and Barbara Kirshner, Chip and Doreen Marengo, Chuck and Carol Kircoaf for winning first place with 100 points!

2nd place: **Cheers**

3rd place: **In The Hunt**

Join us for our next Trivia Night on April 19th!

COOKING WITH *Chef Duane*

Sautéed Shrimp Pasta

On busy nights, nothing beats an easy to make, yet elegant, comfort food meal. Cooked in one pot, this dinner is ready in 20 minutes. You'll want to serve it with bread to dip into that incredible sauce!

Ingredients:

6 oz. Spaghetti	1 tablespoon Butter
2 tablespoons Olive Oil	1/4 teaspoon Cayenne Pepper
4 cloves Garlic, minced	1/2 tablespoon Lemon Juice
8 oz. Jumbo Shrimp, peeled, deveined, tail-on	2 cups Baby Spinach
1 cup Pasta Water	1/2 tablespoon chopped Italian flat-leaf Parsley
1/4 cup Heavy Whipping Cream	Salt to taste
2 tablespoons White Wine (optional)	Lemon wedges

Preparation:

Cook the spaghetti according to package instructions until al dente. Drain and save one cup of the pasta water. Set aside. In a large sauté pan over medium heat, heat the olive oil. Add the garlic and sauté until it begins to soften. Add the shrimp and sauté for 1 minute. Then add the pasta water, cream, white wine and simmer until the shrimp is cooked through and the flavors have combined. Add the butter, salt, cayenne pepper and lemon juice. As soon as the shrimp is cooked through, add the spinach; stir to combine well. Toss in the spaghetti; stir to mix well with the cream sauce. Top with the parsley and serve the pasta immediately with some lemon wedges. Serves 2



BUILD ON YOUR HOMESITE

By Greg Souris, Vice President Sales & Marketing

GREAT NEWS... Our Live Citrus Hills website is now three dimensional (3D)!

We are constantly improving our website to create a place where members can send their family and friends to look at our new models.

We've added 3D Virtual Tour videos of our models, which is the "Next Best Thing to Being There!" There will be a link on LiveCitrusHills.com, under the "Our Homes" tab at the top. Click the 3D Virtual Tour link for each model. It will provide a 3D image of the floor plan showing you the layout of each home furnished and decorated. It is truly amazing to see, and



incredibly easy to move from room to room and to capture every angle and gorgeous view of these beautiful model homes.

The best part is, all you have to do is send your family and friends the website to view our models and learn more about living in the "Best Kept Secret in Florida!" Come by our Model Center at the corner of 60 E. Atlantic St. and N. Essex Ave., and pick up a few of our informational and complimentary postcards to send out to your loved ones. "Seeing is Believing!" For more information, call Greg Souris at 800-380-4662.



'Doo Wop' Sock Hop!



Friday, April 22nd

Doors Open: 6:30pm

Music & Dancing: 7 - 10pm



Hampton Room

\$35 Members (plus tax)

\$40 Guests (plus tax)

Join us at our hoppin' shindig with Central Florida's premier '50s Rock 'n' Roll band Rocky and the Rollers!

NEW THIS YEAR: Contests for best dressed man, woman and couple! Professional photographer! ♦ Cheese & Crackers/Veggie & Dip/Fruit Stations ♦ One FREE DRINK voucher per person for house beer/wine or soda! ♦ Bring your baby to the Grille and receive 10% off any entrée!*

For tickets, call

746-7633

*Must show event ticket stub as proof of purchase for 10% off discount. Offer redeemable day of event only. Does not include alcohol, tax or gratuity. Not valid with any other discount or promotion. Drink voucher given at welcome/registration table night of event. No ticket refunds or exchanges.

EXCITING EVENTS & ENTERTAINMENT

By Emily Will, Event Coordinator

By now, you have probably heard about our upcoming "Suitcase Party." If you haven't, don't worry... here are all the juicy details:

Unlike any event we've ever hosted before, Citrus Hills' Vacationers Club is offering an evening packed with live music, dancing, delicious fare – and the best part – a chance to win a five-day dream vacation for two! The winners will be announced at the end of the night, so bring a packed suitcase because the winners will be whisked away via limousine for a trip they won't soon forget.

For Citrus Hills' inaugural party, the Vacationers Club has chosen the entertainment capital of the world – Las Vegas – for this year's prize destination. Two lucky members will stay at the luxurious Aria Resort & Casino, with deluxe king rooms overlooking the fabulous Las Vegas strip. They'll also receive tickets to Cirque du Soleil, a Grand Canyon helicopter tour, entrance passes to the Voodoo Rooftop Lounge at the Rio, over \$500 in food vouchers, and so much more!

And let's talk about the night's entertainment: What better artist

for a Las Vegas-themed party than a Neil Diamond tribute by Vegas native Bobby Palermo, who has been entertaining audiences for over 30 years. He's won several national recognition awards for his original music as well as the Eye of Tampa Bay Channel 13 Entertainer of the Year award two years in a row! He'll have you up on your feet, dancing and singing along to all of your favorites!



In addition, local favorite Charlie De will be accompanying Bobby, and will perform "oldies but goodies" while you dine on a delicious buffet dinner courtesy of the Grille. The tantalizing menu features champagne chicken, carved prime rib, fresh vegetables, spring rice, a tossed salad, and – the best part – chocolate overload cake with whipped cream!

The party will take place in our beautiful Hampton Room on Thursday, May 12th. Cocktail attire is preferred, so be sure to dress to impress! And don't forget to pack your suitcase. Who knows, with this intimate-sized venue, chances are good that you could be the lucky winner!

Shabbat Dinner Club

\$23 Members

\$28 Guests

(plus tax)

No Refunds or Exchanges.

Plated Menu: Your choice of Bourbon Salmon or Beef Brisket, Vegetable Soup, Green Beans, Oven Roasted Potatoes, Challah, Key Lime Pie topped with Whipped Cream, Coffee and Tea

Friday, April 15th

Garden Room at the Grille

5:30pm Cash Bar

6:15pm Dinner

Join the Shabbat Dinner Club for dinner at Citrus Hills Golf & Country Club. It's a great opportunity to join your fellow neighbors and build personal relationships within our community!

Please call the Activity Center for reservations

746-7633

General admission only; tables of 6. Tickets sales will cease 5 days prior to event.

Doc Talk: Physician Insights A series of FREE informational seminars devoted to your better health!

SEVEN RIVERS REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER Doc Talk seminar series sponsored by: Seven Rivers Regional Medical Center

Topic: Heartburn Prevention

Wednesday, April 13th

Activity Center - 5pm

Positively improve your heartburn and GERD. If you are living with a digestive disorder, it's time to do something about it. Learn about prevention and treatment for heartburn, GERD and Barrett's esophagus. Let us help you find relief.

Guest Speakers: S. R. Chandrupatla, MD and Siddarth Mathur, MD

Call the Activity Center to RSVP for this FREE event! 746-7633

Veteran's Affairs "How To Successfully Deal With The VA"

Thursday, April 28th
1pm • Activity Center

Richard K. Hurley of Cory & Hurley Law Group will focus on the importance of patience and finding a good advocate and support team to help you negotiate through the "mine fields" of the VA.



Cory & Hurley Law Group, P.L., is dedicated to representing members of the military and veterans in military personnel issues and claims with the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA). The firm represents service members and veterans from around the country and overseas.

Call the Activity Center to RSVP for this FREE event! 746-7633

COFFEE & CANVAS

Wednesday, April 20th

10:30am-4pm • Activity Center

Join professionally trained muralist, painter, illustrator, and teacher with 27 years of experience, Vanessa Fuller-Brown, as she instructs in replicating Georgia O'Keeffe's abstract painting, "Blue Flowers."

Tickets include: fresh-brewed hot coffee, one vertical canvas, paint, and all the materials you need to create your very own masterpiece. Opportunity to bring your own lunch for 30-minute break.

Seating is limited to 12 people per event; call the Activity Center to book your spot now! 746-7633



Citrus Hills Vacationers Club Presents:

EARLY BIRD DINNER THEATER

Saturday, May 7th

Premiering: "Love, Lies and the Doctor's Dilemma"

What happens when ordinary people tell little white lies? How about mistaken identities, unmitigated calamity and ensuing hilarity?

Join us for a fun and unique outing! Featuring professional actors, a delicious dinner buffet, and Gatsby's, the new, beautiful, full-service lobby bar.

\$79 Per Person/
Inclusive

Includes transportation, cash bar, lunch, and live performance!

An exciting entertainment and dining experience you won't soon forget!

Please contact The Travel Authority 628-0668 or the Activity Center 746-7633 for more information.

Coming in May

- Spring Wreath Workshop May 4th
- Doc Talk May 5th
- "Yesterday & Today" Beatles Tribute May 6th
- Early Bird Dinner Theater Day Trip May 7th
- Mind Shift Workshop May 7th
- Healthy Aging Workshop May 11th
- Suitcase Party May 12th
- TB Rays vs. Oakland A's May 15th
- Trivia Challenge May 17th
- Coffee & Canvas May 18th
- Shabbat Dinner May 20th
- Vacationers Club Meeting May 23rd
- LBDC Wine Tasting May 24th
- FL Friendly Landscaping May 25th
- Summer Splash May 29th

Call today!
Seating is limited.
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Wednesday, May 4th ~ 1pm
Activity Center Auditorium

\$42 Members (plus tax)

\$47 Guests (plus tax)

Bring in the spirit of spring by creating a decorative floral wreath! Perfect for a Mother's Day present, or for your own spring decorating.

Spring Wreath WORKSHOP

Ticket purchase includes: professional instruction, all materials for one 14" spring wreath and fresh brewed hot coffee (15 persons maximum).

SAVE THE DATE

Mother's Day Dinner

May 8th

Celebrate Mom at Skyview with a very special dinner! Call to make your reservations today.

746-6727



SKYVIEW
Restaurant

SENSATIONAL SKYVIEW

By Linda Demonica & Marcy Paddock, Restaurant Managers

Celebrate spring in style with us at Skyview! Our Bar and Specialty Drink menus have just what you're looking for. Sip on your favorite cocktail, and share some light bites while you enjoy the beautiful sunset from the veranda. It's just another day in paradise!

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for coming out to our events and for celebrating your special occasions with us. Our Cocktails and Classics on Wednesday nights have continued to be a popular evening for dinner and socializing. Our Bistro menu has been updated with a focus on both small bites as well as main course meals, not to mention the music that has you tapping your toes and dancing in your seats. Thursday nights we have a 2-4-1 Happy Hour on all our house wines, well liquors and draft beers. It's a great deal to socialize with friends or colleagues before you sit down to an amazing meal. Chef Joe highlights special menu items each week in the "Chef's Features" available every Thursday, Friday and Saturday night. Be sure to ask about them when you join us for dinner!

It is our pleasure to offer our popular

specialty nights: Steak Nights, with delicious, melt in your mouth steaks on April 5th and 19th; our elegant Sunday Brunches on April 10th and April 24; and the fabulous Prime Rib Feature every Saturday night, offering tender, juicy, king or queen cut prime rib at an excellent value.

We are very excited about this month's themed dinner nights! Chef Joe has planned a Titanic Wine & Dinner Event for April 12th, a wonderful evening featuring a five-course meal, perfectly paired with a variety of wines. This event

has limited seating available, so call to get your tickets early! On April 26th, we will be hosting a Country Cooking Dinner with all the good ole Southern favorites: Prepare your taste buds for items like chicken and waffles, shrimp and grits, and fried green tomatoes. Dig in!

If you're a social member and haven't been to Skyview in a while, you are missing out. From casual items to fine dining, local ingredients, great themed dinner events, and a delicious culinary experience, Skyview has it all! Let us do the cooking. All you have to do is the booking!



COMING IN MAY

Cinco de Mayo Buffet May 5th

Mother's Day Dinner May 8th

Catch of the Keys May 10th

Mixed Grill May 24th

Memorial Day Barbecue May 30th

Pre-Dinner Wine Tasting May 31st



TITANIC WINE & DINNER

TUESDAY, APRIL 12TH
5:30-6PM ARRIVAL / 6PM DINNER BEGINS PROMPTLY

JOIN US FOR AN OPULENT EVENING PRESENTING
A FIVE-COURSE MEAL AND WINE PAIRING.

<u>First Course</u> Oysters Rockefeller	<u>Fourth Course</u> Sirloin of Beef Bordelaise
<u>Second Course</u> Cream of Barley Soup	<u>Fifth Course</u> Waldorf Bread Pudding
<u>Third Course</u> Poached Salmon	\$59 plus tax/gratuity

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Country Cooking Dinner

TUESDAY, APRIL 26TH • 5-8PM

Appetizers

Fried Green Tomatoes - \$8

Lobster Mac 'N Cheese - \$12

CHOICE OF SOUP OR SALAD:

Kale Caesar or Creamy Corn Chowder

Entrées

Chicken and Waffles - \$22

Pecan Crusted Trout - \$25

Potlicker Shrimp and Grits - \$26

Down Home Ribs - \$20

Dessert

Key lime Pie or Country Apple Crisp - \$7

Cocktails AND Classics

EVERY WEDNESDAY
MUSIC AND DRINK SPECIALS

5-8PM

APRIL MUSIC LINEUP

April 6 Charlie De
April 13 Jack Dempsey
April 20 Charlie De
April 27 Jack Dempsey

Enjoy elegant piano
or lounge music and
featuring our Bistro Menu

\$3 OFF
Select Wines
by the Glass

\$5
House Specialty
Cocktails

746-6727

FREE Glass of House Wine or Draft Beer!

STEAK NIGHT

TUESDAY, APRIL 5TH & 19TH

5-8pm

Choice of:

6 oz. Filet Mignon, 8 oz. Salmon Steak,

10 oz. New York Strip, 10 oz. Rib Eye

Dessert: Chef's Choice

\$26.95
+ tax & gratuity

All Entrées served
with fresh Salad,
Starch and
Vegetables.

Regular Dinner Menu not available.

Lobster Night

Thursday, April 14th

5-8pm

First Course:

New England
Clam Chowder

Entrée:

1½ + lbs Live Maine
Lobster per person,
steamed and cracked in
half. Served with Red
Bliss Potatoes, Corn
on the Cob and drawn
butter.

Dessert:

Banana Bread
Pudding

Traditional Lobster
Bibs Provided!

Market Price + tax/gratuity

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SKYVIEW SUNDAY BRUNCH

Sunday, April 10th & 24th

11am - 2pm

Featuring all your
Sunday Brunch favorites!!

\$23.95

+tax & gratuity

Includes: Complimentary
glass of Champagne

SUNSET HAPPY HOUR

at Skyview

Sunset Happy Hour 3, 2, 1 pricing:

\$3 Well Drinks, \$2 House Wines,
and \$1 House Draft.

Every Thursday and Friday
4pm - 6pm

Except Thursday, May 5th. Bar menu available.

TASTY TIKI TIME BRUNCH

April 10th, 17th & 24th
11am - 1:30pm

<p>Quiche of the Day \$6.95</p> <p>Assorted Bread Plate \$5.95</p> <p>Crudité and Cheese Platter \$8.95</p>	<p>Berry Cheese Blintz \$7.95</p> <p>Eggs and Biscuits \$7.95</p> <p>LIVE MUSIC! April 10th: Bill Rea April 17th: Fran Donohoe April 24th: TBD</p>
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Great drink specials and a small-plated brunch menu to help kick your week off right.



HAPPY HOUR DRINKS

at the Grille · Tuesday, April 19th



Enjoy Happy Hour Drink pricing with the purchase of an entrée!

the 746-6855

Offer valid 4/19/2016 only. GRILLE

GRILLE & TIKI TASTY TIDBITS

This April, our upcoming events will get you excited for spring and put a skip in your step! We have a month full of delicious dining events, new menus and outstanding entertainment to keep the excitement going all season! Join us every Monday night at the Tiki Bar, featuring live music, a great new Tiki menu, a specialty cocktail menu, and now, our weekly Feature menu is available! Come out on April 28th and be transported to a tropical paradise for Caribbean Night! Bickley Rivera provides entertainment from 5-8pm, and there's a Caribbean island buffet from 4-7pm. The delicious cuisine includes: jerk chicken, grilled swordfish with guava barbecue sauce and mango salsa, a chef-made dessert, and many more tasty choices. We are continuing our Tasty Tiki Time Brunch on April 10th, 17th, & 24th, from 11am-3pm, with live music, lighter fare menu options and drink specials. It's a wonderful way to start off a relaxing Sunday. Keep in mind, that tables in the Tiki Bar are first come, first served, so grab a table early for all of these

"not to miss" events. As for the Grille, we host great live entertainment on Friday and Saturday nights as well! This month, mark your calendars for Jack Dempsey, April 9th, Marti Carroll, April 16th, and another fun-filled night with Petrina on April 23rd. Keeping with tradition, we have our member favorite nights: Prime Rib Wednesdays, our variety of Seafood Fridays, and Surf & Turf Saturdays. They are always a big hit! Make your reservations now for each of these mouthwatering events. If you haven't come in to see us in a while, be sure to stop in and try some of the great new menu items and our new, healthy, gluten-free options. Be sure to check your daily eblasts for these and other specials that we are stirring up at the Tiki Bar and Grille!

Spring is such a beautiful season! Be sure to celebrate it with us at the Tiki Bar or in the newly renovated Grille. Our food and outstanding staff provide you with a relaxed and stress-free dining experience that will keep you coming back for more!



Save the Date for these Delicious Events in May!

Cinco de Mayo Fiesta Night	May 5th
Kentucky Derby Party (Tiki Bar)	May 7th
Mother's Day Buffet	May 8th
\$5 Glass of Wine with Entrée	May 17th
Latin Buffet (Tiki Bar)	May 19th
Salad Night	May 24th
Memorial Day Buffet	May 30th



Member Favorites

<p>Breakfast Buffet April 3rd May 1st</p> <p>Karaoke With Debbie G. April 5th May 3rd</p> <p>Prime Rib Dinner for 2 April 6th, 13th, 20th & 27th May 4th, 11th, 18th & 25th</p>	<p>Free Bottle of Wine with 2 Dinner Entrées April 10th & 24th May 15th & 29th</p> <p>Fiesta Fajita Night April 14th & 26th</p> <p>Pasta Night April 21st May 10th & 26th</p>
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Live entertainment every Friday and Saturday night. (Check the website or call for details.)

the 746-6855
GRILLE

Caribbean Night

at the

Tiki Bar

\$16.95
+ tax/gratuity

Live music with
Bickley Rivera,
Island Girl!

Thursday, April 28th
Live Music: 5-8pm
Food Served: 4-7pm

BUFFET

House Salad
Jerk Chicken
Grilled Swordfish, Guava
BBQ Sauce, Mango Salsa
Yellow Rice with Peas
Zucchini & Yellow Squash
Chef's Choice of Dessert



Please call for reservations.

746-6855 at the grille

11am-3pm

Daily LUNCH SPECIALS

Taco Tuesday

\$7.25 Vegetable, Chicken, or Pork Taco
\$8.25 Shrimp or Fish Taco

Build-A-Burger Wednesday

\$8.25 to create your own Burger
and choice of toppings
(3 or more toppings add .75 each)

Pick 2 Thursday

Choose 2 for \$7.95 - Cup of Soup,
Small Salad or 1/2 Sandwich

All lunch specials include
a non-alcoholic drink.

the **GRILLE** 746-6855

SEAFOOD NIGHTS

All-You-Can-Eat Catfish
April 1st, 15th & 29th

Surf & Turf
April 2nd, 9th, 16th
23rd & 30th

Shrimp Night
April 3rd & 17th

Captain's Platter
April 8th & 22nd

Don't miss
any of these

Great Entertainers!

INSIDE THE GRILLE
6:30-10:30PM

TIKI BAR
MONDAYS
5-8PM

Lonny Sarao
April 4th

The Bob Hope Band
April 11th

The 45s
April 18th

Buzzy J & the Verbs
April 25th

Johnny Lobo
April 1st

Alan O'Neal
April 2nd

Tom Leonard
April 8th

Jack Dempsey
April 9th

Joe Beddia
April 15th

Marti Carroll
April 16th

John Erdmann
April 22nd

Petrina
April 23rd

Sal Gio
April 29th

Jojo's Good Time Express
April 30th

MEN'S & WOMEN'S DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT

April 15th, 16th & 17th

- 4 Divisions of Play
- Consolation Round (everyone will play at least 2 matches)

No fee to enter!
Winners' names added to Championship Plaques at Skyview!

249-1115

SKYVIEW
TENNIS CENTER

Registration Deadline:
April 11th at 12pm

All Golf & Social Members Invited!

11am
Tuesday,
April 12th

FREE BEGINNER TENNIS CLINIC

New to tennis? Come learn the basic skills and rules of the game.

Tennis shoes required.
Racquets available to borrow.

249-1115

SKYVIEW
TENNIS CENTER

CaféVita SPECIAL!

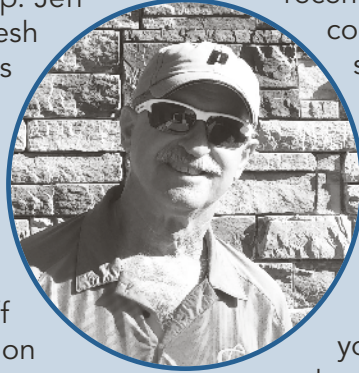
Buy one Medium Regular Coffee, Decaf, or Coffee of the Day at Regular Price and Get One FREE!

Must present coupon to redeem this offer. Valid at CaféVita only. Offer valid April 1 - April 30, 2016.

TENNIS TALK

By Bruce Payne, Director of Tennis

April has arrived, and the chatter at the tennis center is all about fashion. The new tennis apparel program, headed by Jeff McDonald, is off to a great start. It's been a while since we've seen this many shoppers browsing through the selection of clothes in the tennis shop. Jeff has managed to stock fresh items with new pieces coming in every day. If you haven't been in to check it out lately, then you don't know what you're missing. And all Citrus Hills members get a 10% discount off suggested retail prices on apparel.



We are just a few weeks away from the 2016 Skyview Men's and Women's Doubles Championship Tournament. There are four divisions of competition which will begin on Friday, April 15th. Matches will resume on Saturday, with most main draw finals scheduled for mid-day Sunday. A consolation bracket is offered so all entries will play at least two matches. This is one of the biggest weekends of the year, and we

hope you and your favorite partner will join us for this great event. The deadline to enter is Monday, April 11th at noon. Sorry, no late entries this year as the draw will be posted by closing time on Wednesday, April 13th.

Our ongoing commitment to improving court conditions and playability surely shows. We have recently worked on our courts and tuned up our subsurface watering system. The moisture content is nearly perfect every day despite ambient weather conditions. The courts look fantastic, and many of you have commented about how great the courts are playing. This is why we live here!

Our next renovation project at Skyview is to replace the court lines. It is a labor-intensive process which will require a few days of court closures. We'll wait until things slow down a bit and then we will work to complete the project as fast as possible. Our goal, as always, is to maintain tennis courts that are second to none.

JOIN US IN WELCOMING OUR NEW NEIGHBORS!

David & Linda Boerger
Holland, PA

Eugene Long
Hernando, FL

John & Patricia Ritsko
Scotch Plains, NJ

James & Barbara Borchert
Miramar Beach, FL

Monica & Keith Nielsen
Beverly Hills, FL

Betty Sanger
Hernando, FL

Fred Close
Woodbridge, VA

Roland & Linda Parker
Eldersburg, MD

Turi Family
Hernando, FL

William & Annette DeRoker
Bloomingdale, NJ

Rick & Georgia Randall
Gainesville, VA

Howard VanSchoyck
Bonita Springs, FL

Douglas & Nicole Hatzenbuhler
Bridgewater, NJ

Randall Rayl & Carolyn Rash
The Villages, FL

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Hernando, FL



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SALES & MARKETING

By Tom Daddario, Vice President Sales & Marketing

Spring has sprung, and with our incredible weather, there's no better place to be than right here at the Villages of Citrus Hills! One constant comment we hear from our visitors is how our community is so remarkably well-kept. The landscaping, the plantings, the signage and lighting ... the attention to detail is incredible. For that reason, I want to recognize and say "Thank you" to Bob Schlick and his hardworking staff who make Citrus Hills such a beautiful place to call home.



That attention to detail has also resulted in record sales activity for the first quarter. We believe the level of sales growth will continue throughout 2016. The fact that prices for existing homes have increased while interest rates continue to remain low, has added fuel to the burning desires of consumers to make their dreams come true. For value, location and lifestyle, there is simply no

better community than ours!

Our top-producing New Home Counselor for February was Susan Mastrangelo. She demonstrated an exemplary dedication and determination which resulted in three sales for the month. Congratulations on another great month Susan!

The winter show season ended in early March. Citrus Hills participated in six shows along the Eastern Seaboard, as well as Chicago, with near-record crowds in attendance. These shows always provide interesting insights into the real estate markets and what is on consumers' minds. Our show in late February was in Greenwich, Connecticut, and we heard many stories of how the Constitution State is a nightmare for many retirees. According to the Tax Foundation, as quoted in a recent report by Kiplinger, real estate taxes in Connecticut are the fourth-highest in the nation, adding to the burden of already highly taxed retirement income. When compared to Florida, and the availability of the Homestead Exemption, the money

savings are dramatic. Plus, our weather is an additional bonus! More proof that our residents made a great decision in choosing Florida and the Villages of Citrus Hills.

And, of course, the arrival of spring means the departure of the snowbirds. For those of you leaving the nest, I wish you safe travels and a happy and healthy summer!

Are you interested in becoming a SPONSOR for our 2016-2017 Show Season?

Your company will receive exposure via promotional and marketing activities to the nearly 8,000 members of the Villages of Citrus Hills as well as approximately 800 non-resident members from surrounding communities.

For more information on this opportunity, contact Emily Geistfeld at 352-746-7633

SKYVIEW GOLF

By Herb Hurley, PGA Head Professional

April is usually the month when we begin to say goodbye to our friends from the North who come down and enjoy the Florida winters. I want to wish all of our members who travel north for the summer a safe journey home, and we look forward to seeing you when you are back again in the fall. April is also the time of year when we stop worrying about the possibility of the cold, frosty mornings and put away our jackets.



On March 9th & 10th, we held our 2016 Ladies' Skyview Club Championship. Day one brought some really good scores with Kay Close leading by seven with a score of 79. The second day brought much tougher and windier conditions with some very tough pin positions. Kay battled hard and held on for the win with a two-day total of 167.

Congratulations, Kay!!! Please see below in the Fairway Feats for a complete list of the events results and winners.

February was a month for great golf rounds! On February 18th, Butch Smothermon shot his career low since he has been living here when he shot 76. Then on February 20th, Dave Buechler shot his age with a smooth 73. Someday I hope I can shoot my age also! We also had one more hole-in-one since last month, on February 19th, Stan Kosinski had an ace on the 13th hole. Great rounds and great shots, gentlemen!

As a reminder, I want to hear about all of your great rounds and unbelievable shots. If you had the round of your career, or hit an unbelievable shot, let me know, and you might just find your story here in the Connections.

Citrus Hills Golf & Social Members

Skyview at Terra Vista

from April 16 through

April 30, 2016

At this GREAT RATE!

7:30 to 11:53 \$41.95

12:00 to 2:27 \$34.95

2:27 to Close \$24.95

Valid for up to 4 players, all of whom must be Citrus Hills Golf and Social Members.

2016 LADIES
CLUB CHAMPION
Kay Close



FLIGHT WINNERS
*Sherry Robertson,
Jackie Dziekan, Linda Berg*

Fairway Feats

Holes-in-One

Stan Kosinski - Skyview #16, 2/19/16
Tom Provencal - Oaks #17, 2/22/16
Bill Laskowski #3, Oaks 2/23/16
Buzz Fredricksen #7, Oaks 2/27/16
Jan Schwartz #7, Skyview 2/28/16
Karen Wood #13, Skyview 3/4/16
Pat Friedman #12, Oaks 3/5/16
Bill Hansen shot 72 on 2/20/16 beating his age by 2

Skyview Ladies' Club Championship

March 9th & 10th, 2016

OVERALL GROSS CHAMPION Kay Close

FLIGHT 1

1st Net Jackie Dziekan 2nd Net Maria Williamson

FLIGHT 2

1st Net Sherry Robertson 2nd Net Ella Deery

FLIGHT 3

1st Net Linda Berg 2nd Net Sue Burgun

Citrus Hills Men's Senior Stroke Championships

SENIOR FLIGHT - 55 & up

1st Place Gross Paul Fiedorek

1st Place Net Roger Coffey 2nd Place Net Ken Marbutt

SUPER SENIOR FLIGHT - 65 & up

1st Place Gross Bob Mauro 1st Place Net Roger Coffey

2nd Place Net -TIE Ken Marbutt, Tom Provencal, Glenn Thompson

LEGENDS FLIGHT - 75 & up

1st Place Gross Buzz Fredricksen

Citrus Hills 4-Leaf Clover Open March 5th, 2016

1st Place Ladies Kay Close, Kathie Close, Marti Jones, Kathy Stefani

2nd Place Ladies

Jackie Dziekan, Peg Crowley, Pat Laskowskie, Toni Perkins

1st Place Mixed Jim Green, Sue Green, Pete Lindley, Claire Lindley

2nd Place Mixed

Pat Friedman, Jay Friedman, Diane Cachia, Joe Cachia

1st Place Men Sol Asekun, Buzz Fredricksen, Dan Gilley, Mac McDuff

2nd Place Men-TIE

Gene Pokaluk, Joe Palombi, RJ Cantagallo, Dave Collins

Jim Byrne, Rich Colansanti, Joe Corridion, Vinny Colagero

Joe Fulco, Pat Fitzgerald, Paul Anderson

Be sure to sign up for This Month's Great Golfing Events!

April 2nd	Demo Day
April 4th & 5th	Skyview Men's Club Championship
April 9th	Jelly Bean Open
April 11th	Skyview Ladies' Spring Invitational
April 15th	VIP Tournament (CH)
April 18th & 19th	Skyview Ryder Cup
April 22nd & 23rd	CH Ladies' Club Championship
April 25th	Awards Dinner & Tournament

Join us for these Fun Events in May!

Citrus Hills Cinco de Mayo Open
May 7th

Skyview Better Ball Tournament
A/D, B/C
May 9th & 10th

VIP Tournament at Skyview
May 23rd

Skyview Memorial Day Tournament
May 30th

OAKS & MEADOWS

By Wayne Larsen, Head Professional

One hundred and twenty players participated in our 4 Leaf Clover Open held on Saturday, March 5th. Winning the Ladies' Division was the team of Kay Close, Kathie Close, Marti Jones and Kathy Stefani. The Men's Division was won by Sol Asekun, Buzz Fredricksen, Dan Gilley and Mac McDuff, while Jim and Susan Green, along with Pete and Claire Lindley, were tops in the Mixed Division. During the tournament, Pat Friedman had her first ever hole-in-one on hole #12 of the Oaks Course.

In our continued effort to provide our golf members, residents and guests with superior and enjoyable playing conditions, we will begin a major golf course renovation project on the Oaks Course beginning May 1, 2016. This exciting endeavor will involve re-grassing the tees and fairways with Celebration Bermudagrass, and will require the closing of the Oaks Course until approximately September 1, 2016.

Celebration is a deep blue-green bermudagrass engineered for tolerance and recovery from wear and drought, as well as shade tolerance. Celebration is currently being used on

over 20 golf courses hosting PGA Tour events, including the TPC Sawgrass and Innisbrook Resort's Copperhead courses. Celebration is also used throughout the southern United States and around the world in professional and college sports venues.

While no changes to the original golf course routing are planned as part of the renovation, we will be taking full advantage of the opportunity to make other substantial improvements to the Oaks golf course. We will be adding and repairing irrigation, expanding a number of greens, adding and leveling tee boxes, and removing trees that currently hinder turf-grass growth and playability. We will also be adding approximately 60 magnolia



trees, and will create additional tree and flower beds to beautify the golf course.

The purpose of this renovation is to enhance and elevate the playing conditions of the Oaks Course. But perhaps the most exciting prospect of this extensive project is what the future will hold. Because unlike the renovation of a home or car, where results are only at their "best" immediately following the project, the Oaks Course will continue to improve for years to come as it matures in its new skin.



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SPRING HEALTH FAIR

Join us for a day jam-packed with activities!

Wednesday, April 6th

Exhibits from 8:30am to 12:30pm

DAY INCLUDES:

- Exercise Classes
- Information Booths and Open Exhibitors
- Cholesterol Screening, Blood Type, and Iron Level Check with Blood Donation to LifeSouth
- Body Composition
- Golf Fitness Screening
- A Variety of Free Assessments



For more information, call 746-1241.

HEALTHY & FIT

By Lee Thompson, Fitness Director

Using different positions and angles on strength equipment, along with adding different types of equipment, can mean diverse and better results for you! Since the body comes equipped with approximately 700 muscles of various sizes and shapes, it's not surprising that your normal workout is unable to isolate every muscle in your body. We can try to remedy that by changing up our workout every so often to incorporate different and non-routine activities.



For example, take the leg press. The usual way of using the leg press is to have your feet positioned so that your toes are pointing slightly right and left of the center line. That is a great way of getting a good quad workout, but did you ever try positioning the toes inward? Just a slight change in foot positioning has a direct effect on what muscles are being worked. Having your toes pointing inward works the adductors, the muscles on the inside of the thigh and nearest to your knee. This method can be done with any muscle group.

Did you know that Jack LaLanne, who

worked out into his 90s, would tweak and revise his workout every month? He challenged his body to experience new exercises and new equipment regularly. To consistently see gains from your training program and avoid hitting a plateau, always mix up your workout. This means alternating machine exercises, barbells and dumbbells, and adding other elements, like resistance bands, tubing, slam balls, and kettle bells. The training possibilities of resistance bands are endless. You are able to move more freely and with greater range of motion. Bands also allow you to mimic movements that machines don't. To improve your golf or tennis swing, for example, you can perform the exact motion with resistance. Resistance bands and tubing also differ in resistance levels by colors. The most stretchable offers the lighter resistance, and the harder to stretch offers more resistance. You can work every muscle in your body by using resistance bands. Or trying out the new Hoist Roc-it equipment at PrimoVita would add a nice change to any workout. If you have questions about improving your workout, ask us...we're happy to help!

Springtime Serenity

Hot steamy towels soaked in Lavender Epsom salts soothingly compressed over your muscles, followed by a comforting Basil Arnica oil massage and the deep heat of a hot stone back treatment. **\$90 - 60 minutes**

Spring Cleaning Facial

This deep pore exfoliation and detox treatment will prep your skin to transition into the summer months. Don't forget to refresh your skin care products as we phase into a different climate.

\$65 - 60 minutes Deep Pore Spring Cleaning Facial

25% off any retail skin care product Day of your facial only, while supplies last.

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746-1241 for appointment No other discounts apply. April 2016 only.



Citrus Hills Vacationers Club Presents:

SUITCASE DINNER PARTY

Pack your bags! One reservation to this dinner party will enter your chance to win:

FIVE NIGHTS FOR TWO PEOPLE IN FABULOUS LAS VEGAS!

Enjoy an evening of fine dining, dancing, and live entertainment, all while crossing your fingers to be the prize winner!

Menu: Tossed Salad, Champagne Chicken, Carved Prime Rib, Fresh Vegetable Medley, Spring Rice Blend, Rolls and Butter, Chocolate Overload Cake topped with Whipped Cream, Coffee and Tea

Thursday, May 12th
Hampton Room

\$70 Members (plus tax)

\$75 Guests (plus tax)

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PASSENGER TICKET AND BAGGAGE CHECK

BOARDING PASS

Doors & Cash Bar	5:30pm
Buffet & Carving Station	6:30pm
Neil Diamond Impersonator: Bobby Palermo with Charlie De	7:30pm
Prize Announced	9:00pm

The winner will be announced at the end of the night and leave immediately via limousine to the entertainment capital of the world! Stay at the luxurious Aria Resort & Casino in a deluxe king room overlooking the Vegas strip. Also included are tickets to Cirque du Soleil, a Grand Canyon helicopter tour, entrance passes to Voodoo Rooftop Lounge at the Rio, over \$500 in food vouchers, and so much more!!

Call the Activity Center to book your reservation today! 746-7633

THE RESALE EXPERTS

Terra Vista Realty Group

Well, it is already April and the colors and sounds of spring surround us in Citrus Hills. Our busy selling season continues as winter's grip continues up north. We would like to take the opportunity to thank all of you who reached out to Terra Vista Realty to meet your family and friends and introduce them to the opportunities that would allow them to be part of the same wonderful lifestyle that you enjoy. Your referrals are a huge part of our continued success. Many of you have also called to discuss the current market conditions. This is something we continue to encourage. Who better to call to get the most accurate and up-to-date information than those who work exclusively in those select neighborhoods?

As is the case every year, many of our winter "lookers" return to become our summer "buyers." Ours is truly a year-round business. Keep this in mind if you were thinking of listing your home but thought it's too late. Much of our own

success comes in the next few months. The longer the cold winter weather lasts up north the more it reinforces the desire to head south!

When listing your home for sale, we typically focus on the inside. Yet, as spring unfolds, we all want to spend more time outdoors. This is the perfect time to put a fresh look on the exterior. This can range from planting flowers, to adding fresh mulch and power washing the home, especially the front entry and lanai. This is



the first impression buyers have of your home, and first impressions are usually lasting impressions.

We always welcome the opportunity to preview your home and give advice on preparing your home for sale. We are here as your community resource. After working with thousands of clients over many years, who better to understand what a Brentwood and Terra Vista of Citrus Hills buyer is looking for? We look forward to hearing from you.

We wish you all a wonderful spring. It's one of the best times of year here at Citrus Hills.

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3-5pm

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10 Tips to Declutter Your Home for Spring

1. **Take it one step at a time.** It can be overwhelming to try to tackle all of the clutter in your entire house at once. Focus on one room or one section of one room at a time.
2. **Everything in your home should have a place.** If you don't have a place for it, or can't find one, is that item really something you need?
3. **Love it or lose it.** If something no longer fits you, your home, or your aesthetic, you have to lose it. Figure out what you really love and lose the rest!
4. **Say goodbye to multiples.** Multiple items that perform the same function are clutter in your home; they have to go.
5. **Maybe isn't yes.** If you tend to hold onto things "just in case," force yourself to toss it. If you haven't done anything with it yet, you're not going to.
6. **Whittle down to what you truly wear.** By donating the "meh" stuff, you're simply clearing a path to the pieces that will always look good on you.
7. **Stop being sentimental.** Our things only have the meaning that we give to them: the memories aren't in the things at all, they are in you.
8. **Donate your unwanted items to charity.** The altruism factor might motivate you to get rid of the more sentimental items, knowing that they will get a second life with someone who will use and appreciate them.
9. **Pack up those "maybe" items.** For those items you are unsure about, put them in a box and store it away for six months. If you need to break back into the box to reclaim an item, it means that you need it. If, after six months, you haven't touched any of the items, then they can safely be given away.
10. **Stick to it.** No matter what, make yourself put everything away where it goes. Putting everything in its place may take you a couple extra minutes, but it will save you stress and strife in the long run.

Community Events

Bucks for Books

April 7, 3-5pm, Tiki Bar. Citrus Hills Civic Association is hosting a Bucks for Books event for their Annual Scholarship Fund. Come out, party with your neighbors and help a local student!

Taste of Inverness

April 9, 6pm, Liberty Park, 286 N. Apopka Ave., Inverness. An amazing food experience featuring the best of local dining, with craft beers, expanded art show and culinary competition. \$25 in advance, \$30 at the door. 426-2611, ext. 1302.

Leesburg Food Truck - N - Flick Night

April 9, 5pm, 501 W. Main Street, Leesburg. Join us as "Cruise In-Classic Cars" and the gourmet food trucks line up around the Square. Live music at 5pm and a blockbuster movie on a 24-foot outdoor movie screen. Bring your blankets and lawn chairs. Information: foodtrucknflick.leesburgpartnership.com.

Florida Blueberry Festival

April 16, 11am to April 17 at 2pm, 201 Howell Ave, Brooksville. Join us for lots of Blueberry awesomeness! See our website for more updates and details: floridablueberryfestival.org.

Mother's Day Dance

May 7, 7pm - Midnight, Central Ridge Community Center, 77 Civic Circle, Beverly Hills. Live entertainment with The Havana Boys Salsa Band and The Legendary Havana Pete. \$20 per person, BYOB. No tickets at door. Benny Cruz at 746-3599 or benpris312@aol.com.