

Riverton Review

May 2019 –



4th Floor Renovations

by Kenneth Jones

Work on renovations to the fourth floor has started this week. While we have been working on this a while now, most of the work has been preparation and demolition.

We now have our permits, and two to three regular workers will be actively working on the fourth floor. This includes, Ed Coulther who is our Project Lead for renovations.

Residents must stay off of the fourth floor for safety reasons as it is a construction zone. When complete with the West End of the floor, we will be starting on the East End.

News from Knit-Cro Pro Club

The club welcomed a new member, Elizabeth Bridger. Thanks to Linda Carter for the several skeins of yarn and Kathy Faryon for new crochet needles. Linda Gunn of Yellow Road donated a huge bag of yarn. The members will be busy making items for charity. Two more blankets were donated to Wolfson Children's Hospital this month.

The Knit-Cro Pro Club meets every Tuesday at 2:00pm in the café.



News from the Village:

We will be honoring Mothers at the monthly Village Potluck Dinner on Saturday evening, May 11, second floor in God's Diner at 5:30. Village of Hope will provide the meat and we ask you to bring your favorite dish. April's potluck dinner was a smashing success. This will be the last month for the Village of Hope and Painting with Purpose at Riverton Tower as we will not be renewing our lease. We want to thank everyone for their kindness and support. Remember, "The Steadfast Love of the Lord endures forever." God Loves YOU.

Water Aerobics – Jump in, the Water Is Fine!

Another Riverton Tower fun thing to do! Beginning May 2019, Water Aerobics will be offered every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 2:00pm (weather permitting).

Monika Drake will offer a 30-45 minute water aerobics easy work out.

Meet at the pool for easy fun and company. No bathing suit, no problem. T-shirt and shorts will do, so come on down and join in! Water aerobics are easy on the joints, keeps you limber and will be a boat load of fun. Pun intended.



Craft, Art and Much More!

Monika Drake offers Craft and Art Class every Saturday from 2:00 to 4:00pm.

Stop by the Café and check out what the group is doing. They each do something different. Do you have an art project you need help with? Join the group, get some help and most importantly, have some fun!

Free Mother's Day Concert

Hosted at St. Mark's Lutheran Church located at 3976 Hendricks Avenue, Jacksonville, the San Marco Music Society will perform a **free** concert at 7:00pm on May 12.

The founders and directors are Ellen and Eric Olsen. Eric is playing Oboe full time for and with the Jacksonville Symphony, while Ellen is a master at the Violin. The San Marco Music Society usually has 6 to 8 members and their concerts are wonderful.

Complete Your Will

Having a Will, Power of Attorney, and other End of Life Directives in place means you, rather than the State of Florida, get to decide what happens with your property and possessions. So, having a directive in place helps you and your family.

Pam Comstock works with LegalShield and has been helping our residents get these legal documents in place for only \$24.95.

If interested, contact her at 904-566-4051, or drop a note in her apartment door (6-G).

Post Office's Informed Delivery

A useful online service: the Post Office's INFORMED DELIVERY will show what's coming to your mailbox, and help you track packages before they arrive. For additional information and signup, visit informedelivery.usps.com. If for some reason you can't verify your identity online, you will be able to sign up by visiting a nearby post office.

Final Reminder

The office has revised the Emergency Contact Information sheet that each resident must complete and sign. This is an extremely important form that helps the office assist your designated emergency contacts should something happen to you. If you have not yet done so, please stop by the office and complete yours now.



Bird Houses in the Woods

Congratulations to whoever put up the new birdhouses by the woods.

Bruce Mize would like to know what kind of birds we are trying to accommodate?

Gem of the Month – May's Birthstone is Emerald

The Birthstone for the Month of May is Emerald. This beautiful Green colored variety of the mineral Beryl is found in many parts of the world, but the finest quality in short supply and are often more costly than Diamonds of similar size and quality. The finest Emeralds most often come from Columbia, and are said to impart the wearer with mental clarity, vigor, and good fortune. An Emerald's color and what separates it from Aquamarine comes from chromium and/or small amounts of vanadium when these replace some of the aluminum silicates in the mineral's structure. The Beryl becomes that vivid beautiful Green known the world over. Emerald is a Type III Colored Stone (meaning, it almost always has flaws present). Gary I. Beckman, F.G.A., G.G. (GIA)



Welcome New Residents

Barbara Black

Anne Kane

Sharon Mills



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Contributions are welcome to include news, items of interest, tid-bits, activity info w/date, time & place.

Email info to Alan Abel by the 25th of the month for inclusion in the next issue of Riverton Review.

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