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ROBO CALLS

Barbara Skelly

Just a reminder, every Sunday night around 7 PM, there is a community-wide ROBO call. The purpose of the call is to make you aware of the planned activities for the week as well as the future. If you are not receiving these calls, please contact the Office.

Also, some residents have stated that when they pick up the phone, nothing happens. Once you pick up the phone and say hello, there can be up to a 30 second delay. Please do not hang up; wait for the recording to start.

The Trustees will be meeting with the vendor to see if this delay can be shortened or eliminated.

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EDITORIAL

Carol Powell

Some of you may know that April is my favorite month of the year. It really is not because my birthday falls in the early part of the month. It's because everything is almost new again. Trees bloom, flowers blossom, it stays light much longer and temperatures, for the most part, are comfortable. April showers, no problem, after all they really do bring May flowers!

April allows so many of us to resume outdoor activities and even those activities that we need to wait a little while longer for seem to be just over the horizon. Both the dogs and their walkers will linger just a little while longer to enjoy the end of winter. I'm sure our circulation staff will be happy to not have to deal with the cold while delivering the next issue of the Pride to our homes. Where would we be without this group of residents who take time out of their busy schedules to assure that every home in Lions Head South receives a copy of the Pride every month. Thank you to all.

There are so many in our midst who take time every month to see that our community continues to be the best of the best. Next time you are out enjoying the beautiful weather look around at the many things we take for granted that are the result of some resident's hard work, our beautiful entrance, the clubhouse entrance, well maintained bocce and shuffleboard courts, organized team participation, etc. I can go on but I think you get where I'm going.

I will close with wishing all a lovely spring and most important, as always, stay safe and stay well.

LIONS HEAD SOUTH

New Residents - 2022

Jordon, Warren & Janet.....27 Meadowbrook Rd.
R/S Koslowski/Merlino

Deletions - 2022

Koslowski/Merlino.....27 Meadowbrook Rd.
R/S Jordon

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Barbara Skelly

Happy Spring!

The month of March brought lots of wind (and unfortunately more tree problems for the Community) as well as a variety of temperatures. Hopefully April will bring more warmth and spring-like weather, even though showers are probable.

This last month, the Clubhouse saw a lot of activity. It was wonderful to see so many residents returning to attend meetings, play cards or just go to the library to get a book. Although this COVID thing may never be totally over, at least the declining numbers have allowed us to get out of the house more and move on with our lives. Looking at the calendar, more and more activities are being planned. See what might be of interest to you and plan to attend. This is a great way to meet your neighbors.

The 40th Anniversary Committee is working hard to plan a day of celebrating as well as remembering. During the month, you will begin to hear more information about some of the planned activities for June 11th. This celebration will be open to all LHS residents. Please mark your calendars now.

As part of the 40th celebration, the Trustees would like all residents to start thinking about the reasons why they enjoy living in Lions Head South. More info about this to follow next month.

Dee Kropniewicki has volunteered to be the LHS travel coordinator. Although she is just getting used to this new role, she is already gathering information concerning day trips to Casinos for either gambling or shows as well as other local ventures. Stay tuned.

A special HELLO to two new employees. Joyce Spinello has joined the Administrative Office. Joyce is the friendly voice who answers many of the phone calls. She will also be working closely with the Committees and Committee Chairs.

Scott Domas is our new Custodian. He is currently getting used to a routine that ensures that the Clubhouse, Fitness Center and Country Club are always ready for our residents to use. When you see either of these new faces, please stop and say WELCOME.

And so it goes - stay safe and stay dry during these April showers.



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401.5 Rental Income	\$	-
402.0 Maintenance Late Fees	\$	70.00
403.0 Rental Security Deposits	\$	0.04
406.0 Interest Operations	\$	367.22
408.0 Miscellaneous	\$	75.00
410.0 Participation Fees	\$	7,290.00
450.0 LHCC Revenues	\$	25,027.76
Total Income:	\$	242,235.02

LHCC Sales Tax:

209.0 LHCC Sales Tax	\$	840.41
Total Sales Tax:	\$	840.41

Expenses:

500.0 Administration	\$	79,865.78
520.0 Residences	\$	45,500.25
540.0 Common Facilities	\$	20,997.19
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Bocce



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Sign-ups for the 2022 Bocce League will take place in the Lion's Den at the Clubhouse from 10:00-11:00 am as follows:
Mon. April 4, Tues. April 5,
Mon. April 11, Tues. April 12

There will be a Captain's Meeting at 11:00 am on Tues., April 19th at the Bocce Court

Any Questions;
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ATTENTION LHCC MEMBERS

Sign-up NOW for the first

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Tuesday, April 12th

Sign-up sheets available at the LHCC Clubhouse.

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SIGN-UP DEADLINE
1:00 PM FRIDAY, 4/8

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FACE MASKS, SOCIAL DISTANCING AND YOUR OWN PEN ARE RECOMMENDED
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Drawing to be held at the December Resident's Meeting

*Pot is 50% of Total Sales

†Prize amounts will vary based on sales.



SUNDAY FUNDAY!

April 24, 2022 1:00 - 5:00 pm

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LHS 40th Anniversary Celebration will be held on Saturday, June 11th from 2:00 to 7:00 at LHS under tents in our parking lot by the fitness center. We will have a buffet with various food options, including vegan choices and dessert. Beer, ice tea, and water will be available, BYOB. Residents are welcome to arrive starting at 1:30 PM. Our mayor will be presenting the community with a proclamation at 2:00 followed by a performance by LHS Chorus. DJ Louie will provide music.

Representatives of the 40th Anniversary Celebration Committee will be in the lobby for sign-ups for our celebration on Monday, April 4th, 11th, 18th, 25th and May 2nd and 9th from 9:30 to 11:00. Cost is \$5.00 per person and all monies collected will be raffled off at the celebration.

MEET YOUR TRUSTEE

John Cinosky

Ann, the love of my life and wife of 57 years, and I have been here at LHS for 7 1/2 years. I recommend this community only to people I like. Since here I started on the Architectural Committee then became it's chairman. Then served on the Board of Trustees as treasurer for the next four years. Last year I served as chairman of the Finance committee and now I am back on the Board of Trustees as VP.

Since 2016 I have served as a Court Appointed Special Advocate for abused and neglected children (an extremely rewarding endeavor). I have coached youth sports, both boys and girls, for over 25 years. Also very rewarding. It's great to see the world through kids eyes.

Professionally I was a licensed stock analyst and insurance broker, a business consultant for 20 years, a compliance officer for a company coming out of bankruptcy (the largest at the time) and I also owned a deli with my son for several years.

At this stage of my life I am the happiest when I am with any or all of my five grandchildren.

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SOCIAL COMMITTEE

Roberta Marvel

Greetings to all our LHS residents. We are very excited as we approach our first Social Committee event for this year, "Sunday Funday," which is on Sunday, April 24th from 1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m. There will be music, dancing, karaoke, games, food, and fun! The price is \$10 per person. Don't hesitate to grab your tickets! We hope to see you all there to join in the festivities!

The fun doesn't end with "Sunday Funday" because the Social Committee is hosting our next event, "Moonlight in May," on Saturday, May 21st. Dinner and dancing will ensue at the LHS Clubhouse from 6 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. We will have live entertainment with the return of the band, "Let's Be Frank," and we will enjoy a delicious buffet dinner with pastries for dessert. The ticket price is \$35.00 per person. This is an event that you will not want to miss!

In other news, we are excited to announce that the LHS Social Committee is growing! The current members, George Bannon, Maureen Benesch, Joe Ross, Pat Ross, Rose Szpara, Chuck Florio, and I are so happy to announce that we have 5 new committee members. Please join us in welcoming Rosemary Rott, Ken Rott, Tom Ahern, Katie Ahern, and Angela Trilivas to the committee. Please let us know if you are interested in becoming a member, we are always looking to welcome new members to our team!

We are all looking forward to working together to try to keep LHS an active community and sponsor fun and enjoyable events. We hope to see all of you join us to have fun and meet new friends.

LHS Shuffleboard 2021-22

At their recent Awards Banquet members of the LHS Indoor Shuffleboard League enjoy their camaraderie and a buffet.



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COMMUNITY AWARENESS

Gail Levenelm

As the committee chairperson, I report on the Mayor's Senior Advisory meeting in this space. This month, with so many new residents, I thought it would help to explain what the Community Awareness Committee does.

I joined the committee a few years ago, just before the pandemic closed everything down. Since then, despite having lived in this area since 1972 - I've learned much more about our town and the events and services available to us as residents and seniors. The purpose of the Community Awareness Committee is to do just that - keep Lions Head South residents aware of what's happening in Brick and the surrounding areas.

We attend Mayor Ducey's Senior Advisory meeting monthly. The mayor provides an update on everything that is happening in Brick - new businesses, events, and senior services in the town. Questions about our community can be brought to this meeting as well. We post information of interest on the Community Awareness Bulletin Board in the clubhouse and on the LHS web site.

Another job of the committee is to arrange for speakers for the monthly residents meetings. This year we have found great topics of interest starting with a speaker in April whose talk is titled 'Turning Loneliness into Laughter' - a relevant subject for sure given the last two years of COVID! The full list of speakers will be available on the LHS calendar of events.

Finally, when there is a local election for the Brick Council or Mayor, the committee arranges for the candidates to come to our clubhouse for 'Candidates Night'. Residents can submit their questions and candidates are given a chance to introduce themselves and make their views known.

Hopefully we're doing our job and helping to keep everyone aware of what's going on each month. If you have suggestions for ways to improve the committee, or if you would like to join us, please feel free to give me a call.

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GARDEN CLUB

Carmela Ferraro

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Farmer’s Almanac

Our first meeting of 2022 was held on March 9th. Because of the Pride deadline, I am unable to report on that meeting. We’ll catch up next month.

After a roller coaster of temperatures in January and February, we can only hope March lives up to her reputation of “in like a lion and out like a lamb”. And so, finally, April and Spring have arrived. If we were lucky with some nice days in March, you had a chance to get a start outdoors such as removing diseased, or dead branches, deadheading tulips and daffodils, (leave foliage to die naturally) and dividing and transplanting of perennials such as chrysanthemums and daylilies. Forsythia should be trimmed after blooming.

Testing your soil Ph can be very helpful to a successful garden. For a nominal fee, the Rutgers Cooperative Extension of Ocean County will test it for you. Call 732-349-1246 for information. You can also purchase a testing kit at your local garden center.

I know I said I wouldn’t mention the recipe for a homemade weed killer again, but for all newcomers or for those of you who may have missed or lost it; here it is. It’s easy to make, cheap and it works.

DIRECTIONS:

Heat up 1 quart of white vinegar (any kind)
Add 2 cups Epsom salt (stir till all dissolved)
Add ¼ cup dish soap (any kind)

When cool, transfer to a spray bottle and go to work. Great for weeds in cement cracks or between blocks. Larger weeds may need a second application.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT:

The only way to ensure rain is to give the garden a good soaking. Weeds seem to grow at precisely the rate you pull them out. Nothing ever looks like the picture on the seed packet. Autumn follows summer, winter follows autumn, drought follows new plantings. However bare the lawn, grass always seems to grow in between the patio paving-stones. When weeding, the best way to make sure you are removing a weed and not a valuable plant is to pull on it. If it comes out of the ground easily, it is a valuable plant.

Our Garden Club has a long history. Beginning in 1987; it had a modest beginning with just a few volunteers who wanted to enhance our community with plantings and flowers for all to enjoy. Today we are 22 members strong and supported by our Building and Grounds Committee. We tend 5 gardens, do seasonal decorations at both front and rear entrances and plant various containers around the pool and elsewhere. We also note areas that are in need of attention.

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COUNTRY CLUB

Jim Mort

All in all, as we leave winter behind us, we did manage to get more golfing in than we did last winter. We officially opened on March 1, 2022, and currently open the course daily at 8AM. Just a reminder to all golfers in Lions Head North (LHN), the LHCC is open to all LHN residents at the same price and consideration as LHS residents. As the weather warms, take advantage of the golfing facility, it is there for all of us. If you are not a golfer but would like to give it a try, we can assist you in many ways to get started at a very reasonable cost. First off, we provide a Free Golf Clinic in May. Additionally, we maintain a stock of “used” equipment, golf clubs, bags, balls and free use of golf carts. The only thing you need to bring is the desire to go out and have some fun, meet new people and like the rest of the golfers, how to miss-hit a golf ball more times than not. Try it, it really is a great social game.

Registration for the Men’s Golf League is ongoing. Sign-up sheets are on the LHCC BBs. If you do not have an established handicap now is the time to golf and turn in your score cards.

The golf year has barely started and we recorded our first hole-in-one. Congratulations to Joe Marra for getting his first hole-in-one, ever, on the 4th hole on February 21st, 2022. It is a great feeling to get a hole-in-one, anytime, but getting it during our Hole-In-One Program, which runs from May 1st through October 31st can be very rewarding. During this Program all participants put in \$20.00 each and at the end of October is divided amongst the years participating golfers that had a hole-in-one.

Events for April

WGA Meeting	Wednesday, April 6th, 11AM
Scramble	Tuesday, April 12th, 9AM
General Meeting	Monday, April 18th, 6PM
WGA Tee-Off Luncheon	Wednesday, April 27th, 11AM

The first Scramble of the year is scheduled for Tuesday, April 12th. With COVID more or less under control, we will return to our normal scramble format, continental breakfast and sandwiches after the scramble.

Enclosed in this issue of the Pride are the Flyers and tickets for the 20/20 and Free Membership raffles. As always, we appreciate our volunteers, in this case Brian Halm for setting up the Flyers, Marjorie Kennedy and Pat Whyte for putting the packages together and Dennis Raftery and Bob Jani from LHN for the delivery of the packages to the residents of LHN. Over the years these raffles have helped in the support of our golf club and your continued support is appreciated.

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LHS WOMEN'S CLUB

Clara Ciuffo-Clarke

FINALLY! We had a great meeting on February 16th in the Lion's Den. Everyone brought their own lunch and finished it off with nice, yummy desserts provided by the Hospitality Committee. Linda Parlock and her crew make sure that everything is there and make it seem so easy. They come early and stay late to clean up, and they deserve a big THANK YOU from me personally and from all the members as well.

Speaking of Thank You's (Can that be plural?). Marie Castellano is also doing a great job with our HOLIDAY - NOW SPRING LUNCHEON. If you haven't reserved, do it fast. The tickets are \$30. and some seats are still available. If you are interested, call Marie or call me. The date is April 20th at Manera's Restaurant in Brick. Our telephone numbers are in the Directory.

We have the Collection bins in the closet in the library for donations of food or pet food. Please call and let me know if you have dropped anything off so we can make sure it is handled properly. And.... just a reminder – whenever you are in the Clubhouse, be sure to check our Board in the hallway. If you have any suggestions or can help in any way, just call me at 732-948-4051.

All the ladies in Lions Head South are welcome to join the LHS Women's Club. The Annual Dues are only \$30. However, you are welcome to come and see if you are interested by coming to an in-house meeting as my guest. You can meet and make new friends and just get a 'time out' from routine, which we all need. Just give me a call and I will take care of it for you.

Looking forward to sunny days and sunny smiles when we meet again!

LHS MEN'S CLUB

Don Antonelli

Hello everyone. Today is a recap of our last meeting. We were able to have our return meeting on March 2nd after a 3-month layoff. It was a very good meeting reviewing the holiday party on December 7th. The holiday party, at the American Legion in Toms River, was a huge success. So much so that we have decided to repeat it this coming December 2022. At the dinner we announced our Man Of The Year 2021 was Tino Yodice. Well deserved.

We have a full schedule of events for 2022. Next up is bagels and bingo on April 21. Tickets are on sale for \$10. As future events come up, we will keep you informed. Mega 50/50 kicked off on March 21st every Monday morning in the clubhouse lobby from 9:30-11:00am. Rich Symanski as usual provided us with an informative program. Lunch by the kitchen staff was cheese ravioli and meatballs with salad and dessert.

Membership has been decreasing through attrition. If you work, you do not have to attend a meeting to be a member. Dues for the year are \$30. which includes 12 lunches and free admission to the holiday party a \$65. value. Not a bad deal. We meet every first Wednesday of the month at 11:30 in the clubhouse. Come and check us out as our guest and have lunch on us. See Rich Symanski, our membership chairman upon arrival.

As always everyone stay well and God bless.

GARDEN CLUB continued from page 12

You are invited to join our Club. We meet on the second Wednesday of the month, March through November. Dates of our monthly meetings can be found in the LHS Calendar. Our next meeting will be on Wednesday, April 13, at 10:30 AM in the Lion's Den. Please join us and see if you would like to become a member of this active, fun group.

COUNTRY CLUB continued from page 12

The first General Membership meeting is scheduled for Monday, April 18th at 6PM in the Lions Den. The meetings are informative, brief, refreshments are served and we need your support and presence at these meetings to ensure we are being responsive to the needs of our golf community. Be part of the LHCC, play all you can, participate in all of the activities and volunteer your time to ensure we are doing all we can do to continue to make this one of the better 9-hole golf courses in the area. Thank you

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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
				9:00 Bowling
	9:30-11:30 Watercolor class	9:30-11:30 Acrylic Paint Class	11:00 Chair/Mat Yoga	
	1:00 Crochet, Knitting & Needlework	1 & 7 cards/Mah jongg	1:00 Men's Indoor Shuffleboard	1:00 Women's Indoor Shuffleboard
1:00 Mah jongg	1:00 cards/Mah jongg	6:00 Outdoor Shuffleboard- starts 4/20	1 & 7 cards/Mah jongg	1:00 Crochet, Knitting & Needlework
			5:00 Tai-Chi	
6:30 Ceramics		7:00 Rummy Cube		
	GARBAGE	RECYCLE 4/13 & 27		

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emergencies ONLY: Bob Mathiasen 732-600-4847

RESIDENT'S ASSOCIATION MEETING -
April 11th at 7:00 PM. Guest Speaker: Beth
Ganley - Turning Loneliness into Laughter

ADMINISTRATION ACTIVITY OFFICE:
Hours: 8:00 – 1:30 p.m.
Administration Office Phone: 732-920-9099

<p>2:00 PM MOVIE MATINEE</p>	<p>9:00 AM Bd of Trustees 10:00 AM Website 7:00 PM Resident's Assoc Mtg</p>	<p>1:00 PM Women's Club Exec Bd 4:00 PM Recreation</p>	<p>10:30 AM Garden Club</p>	<p>9:30 AM Regular Travel 10:15 AM Combined Activities 11:00 AM Bylaws</p>	<p>OFFICE CLOSED Good Friday</p>	
<p>17 Easter </p>	<p>11:00 AM Nominating 7:00 PM LHCC Meeting</p>	<p>9:30 AM Clubhouse</p>	<p>10:00 AM Finance & lns 12:00 PM Women's Club</p>	<p>9:30 AM Bagels & Bingo/Men's Club 10:00 AM Security</p>	<p>10:00 AM Lions Pride Review</p>	<p>23</p>
<p>24 1:00 PM Sunday Fun Day</p>	<p>9:00 AM Bd of Trustees-Std Comm 6:30 PM Book-a-holics 7:00 PM Meeting w/New Members (since 10/21)</p>	<p>10:00 AM Community Awareness</p>	<p>9:00 AM Men's Club Exec Bd 12:00 PM WGA Tee Off Luncheon 1:00 PM Book Discussion</p>	<p>28</p>	<p>29 11:00 AM 40th Anniv Comm Mtg</p>	<p>30</p>
<p>25</p>	<p>GARBAGE</p>	<p>26</p>	<p>27</p>	<p>28</p>	<p>29</p>	

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The office maintains a list of contractors that have been recommended by residents for various types of work. Your comments and recommendations are helpful for future use by other residents. The Association accepts no responsibility for contractors hired.

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VAN SCHEDULE: Due to **COVID-19** the van service has been temporarily suspended.



LAWN MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE ~ 2022

LION'S HEAD SOUTH ASSOCIATION

MARCH

March 14 Lawn Cutting & Edging
March ~ Fertilize w/ crabgrass pre-emergent
Dimension 18-0-10 w/ 1.5%
Will not be responsible for stress lawns.

APRIL

April 11 Lawn Cutting
April 11 **SPRING CLEAN UP**

MAY

May 2 Lawn Cutting & Edging
May 12 Lawn Cutting
May 23 Lawn Cutting
May ~ Fertilize w/ dimension 1.5% 18-0-10
Will not be responsible stress lawns
Broad leaf weed control (Speedzone)
Do Not Water. Wait 1 day after application

JUNE

June 2 Lawn Cutting & Edging
June 13 Lawn Cutting
June 23 Lawn Cutting
June ~ Post emergent application
of Dimension herbicide for crabgrass control.
Will not be responsible for stress lawns.

JULY

July 4 Lawn Cutting & Edging
July 14 Lawn Cutting
July 25 Lawn Cutting
July ~ Spot Spray Nutsedge
Do Not Water. Wait 1 Day after Application.

AUGUST

August 4 Lawn Cutting & Edging
August 15 Lawn Cutting
August 25 Lawn Cutting
August ~ Fertilize with Talstar
Insecticide & grub control 24-0-5
Water after application.

SEPTEMBER

September 5 Lawn Cutting & Edging
September 22 Lawn Cutting
September ~ Broadleaf weed control
Do Not Water. Wait 1 day after application.

OCTOBER

October 13 Lawn Cutting
October 27 Lawn Cutting
October ~ Fertilize 30-0-10 50%
Water after application.

NOVEMBER

November 21 Lawn Cutting
November ~ Broadleaf weed control
Do Not Water. Wait 1 day after application.

DECEMBER

December 21
Fall Cleanup & Lime Application.

ALL DATES ARE TENTATIVE AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE.

CURLINE WEED SPRAYING WILL BE ONCE BE ONCE A MONTH AS NEEDED.

APRIL SECURITY COMMITTEE UPDATES

MaryEllen Klotz

The Security Committee together with Buildings and Grounds are in the process of getting proposals for the installation and monitoring of additional cameras for our community. As soon as bids are received and evaluated, residents will be notified of the company awarded the contract, the coverage it provides and the cost to the association.

For potholes, please call Lin (732-920-9099) in the office and she will add the location to the list and forward to Brick Public Works Department for repair.

Each month we will have information regarding security and safety for our community. This month the focus is on “imposters” that pose as government officials. (reprinted from NCA - National Committee on Aging).

- Financial scams targeting the elderly can be devastating, leaving older adults in a vulnerable position and without time to recoup their losses.

- Older adults lose an estimated \$3 billion each year to financial scams.

- Government imposters call unsuspecting victims and pretend to be from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Social Security Administration, or Medicare. They may say you have unpaid taxes and threaten arrest or deportation if you don't pay up immediately. Or they may say your Social Security or Medicare benefits are in danger of being cut off if you don't provide personal identifying information (that can then be used to commit fraud). Government impersonators often “spoof” the actual phone numbers of the government agency or call from the same zip code (202 for Washington, DC).

- Don't be afraid or embarrassed to talk about it with someone you trust. You are not alone, and there are people who can help. Doing nothing could only make it worse. Keep handy the phone numbers and resources you can turn to, including the local police, your bank (if money has been taken from your accounts), and Adult Protective Services. To obtain the contact information for Adult Protective Services in your area, call the Eldercare Locator, a government sponsored national resource line, at: 1-800-677-1116, or visit their website at: <https://eldercare.acl.gov>.

Miscellaneous security/safety GENTLE REMINDERS that apply to residents and visitors alike:

- *Dog waste MUST be picked up and disposed of properly (Town ordinance)

- *Cigarette butts are considered litter and need to be disposed of properly (Town ordinance)

- *Vehicles CANNOT block sidewalks (Town ordinance)

- *Vehicles need to be parked faced in the direction of traffic (Town ordinance)

- *No parking of vehicles on lawns (Community Rules/Regulations)

- *Visitors/guests are NOT allowed to use Fitness Room - it is for RESIDENTS ONLY (Community Rules/Regulations)

- *If you SEE something - SAY something - the non-emergency # is 732-262-1100

By working together as a team we can keep Lions Head South a safe and beautiful community for all to enjoy!

LIBRARY

Janet Pedersen

Happy Spring 2022 to all our friends and neighbors here at Lions Head South!

Our community library is again happy to announce yet another addition to our free offerings available for your enjoyment. On the library shelves adjacent to the “return book” area, residents can now select from many JIGSAW PUZZLES of various sizes, piece count and subjects. Also, since library shelf space is limited, additional puzzles can be found in the brown credenza adjacent to the lobby coat closet. Please feel free to look over our selection and possibly take one home to work on and enjoy.

All of these new items, as well as our large selection of hardcover books, paperbacks, condensed books, large print books, audio books, magazines, and movie DVDs, can be borrowed at any time without the need to sign anything out. We only ask that all items are returned in a timely manner and in the same condition they were taken (in the case of movie DVDs and audio books, please be sure to return all discs involved with each item).

The LHS Library is very willing and grateful to accept donations when left in the library area on the “returned book” shelves. For book donations, due to our limited space we can only accept books whose copyright dates fall within a current 10-year period. So please check the first few pages of your donations prior to drop off and only give us those books whose copyright date falls between 2012 through 2022. (Large print books of all copyright dates are accepted since they are in great demand.) All audio book donations are accepted, but only CD's. (No cassette donations please). Any jigsaw puzzle donations must be in good condition with all pieces included.

Thanks to all who use and donate to our wonderful Lions Head South Library and to those residents who help to maintain its offerings. Be well and stay safe.

THROUGH THE YEARS

LHS 40TH ANNIVERSARY

MaryEllen Klotz

Lions Head South 40th Anniversary Celebration June 11, 2022

In preparation for our “anniversary,” owners that have been here since the beginning (the first homeowners Ann and Jim Clark moved into 20 Tennis Court in November of 1982, however the final homes weren’t completed until 1987) and are still residents, have been contacted to give insight to how LHS has evolved “Through the Years” the theme for our celebration.

Lion Head South “Originals”

Dot and Frank Berardinelli moved into 4 Garland Drive on 12/2/1986, from Millington in Morris County. Like many others, they were retiring and wanted to downsize. They had a second home in Seaside Park and were familiar with the area - their sons were lifeguards - when friends, Mitch and Gloria Venezia moved into 87 Lauren Lane. They came to visit them and went to the sales office. A lot on Garland had opened up and with \$50 down, they had two weeks to make a final decision. They chose the Hawthorne and were very happy with their purchase.

Dot recalls “you couldn’t touch a leaf or a branch” in the yard because of the rules and regulations and “no one complained about it.” “Everyone was more than happy to help other people” and “that being a part of a community is to work together” she added. As a member of the Garden Club “we used to dig out extra trees on people’s yards and replant near the bocce court or wherever” so a landscaper wouldn’t have to be hired.

“I never laughed so hard,” Dot recalls, as at the “Mock” wedding Spring fundraiser - the “best event in all my 86 years” - so much so that her stomach hurt at the end of the evening. Dot was also president of WGA in ‘98 and ‘99 and the only woman President of the LHCC from 2000-2003 when the Association took over the club (they used to have 400 members that included LHS and LHN). Besides that, she was Chairperson of Community Awareness and worked with three mayors. Her reflection of the past years: “I’ve loved every minute that I’ve lived here and I just want people to know this is a great place and **what you put into it - is what you will get out of it - you have to make an effort, too!**”

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Ruth and Jake Strauss moved into LHS on March 26, 1986, from Nutley, New Jersey. Jake had just retired and they wanted a smaller home and less up-keep. After looking at several retirement communities in Monmouth

and Ocean Counties, they chose Lions Head South for a number of reasons. They wanted to be able to travel easily to their family members in North Jersey and Pennsauken areas. The nearby Parkway and Route 70 made this possible. The quality of home construction and variety of models, golf course, and amenities were appealing as well. It was an adventure unfolding, with new streets being paved and sections of homes being built and sold one new area at a time.

“There was a feeling of camaraderie among the residents who stepped up to volunteer to organize and develop an active lifestyle. We all were starting a new chapter in our lives and hoped we had made the right choice to move into an Adult Community,” Ruth said. The Committees were forming and there were many parties and activities to enjoy, as well as philanthropic fund raising events for residents needs and for the Brick Community. When the Lionettes were unable to find a sponsor for a Fashion Show for their fundraiser, which each year had provided a scholarship for graduating students at both high schools in Brick, they decided to perform an all-male mock wedding. The wedding of Susan Mock and William Wedding was held in April of 1992, for 350 people at Mike Doolans in Spring Lake Heights (Jake agreed to be “Bride” and Ed Merlino the “Groom”) with complete Bridal Party, parents, dignitaries, etc. It is still fondly spoken of today.

“We jumped in with both feet,” said Ruth. Husband Jake was appointed as a Trustee representative (Lions Head Corporation still had Board Control) due to the resignation of a resident for health reasons, and then he ran for office and served two more terms. Additionally, he was inspired to organize and institute the Holiday Party at Christmas for income challenged school children in Brick Sadly, he passed away on December 11, 1998, the night before the first party. However, the party was held and the parties continued for ten more years with support and love from so many Lions Head volunteers.

“It was a wonderful decision moving here. The residents are more than neighbors, they are like family; helpful and generous with their time and concerns,” Ruth stated. “Because we are a pocket community, with no through streets, we have peaceful, green nature blessed surroundings, yet just short distances to areas that address our needs,” Ruth said with a smile on her face. Her hope is that all the new residents will soon be able to enjoy all the activities LHS has provided her for so many years.

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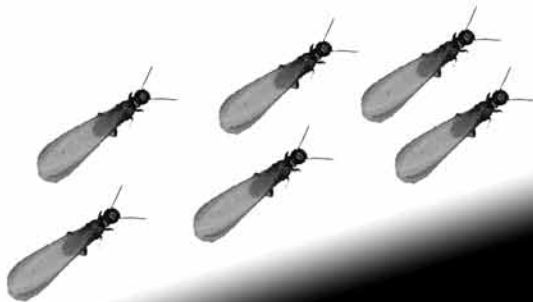
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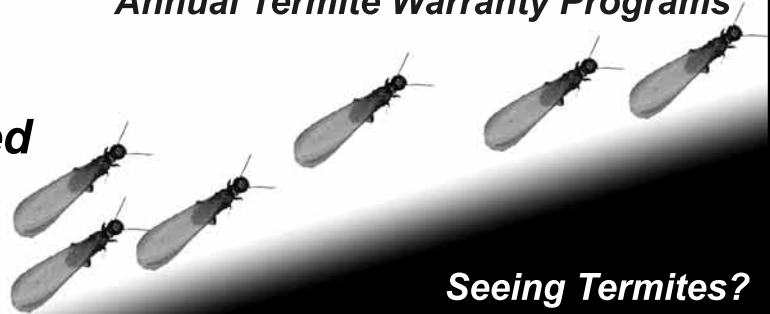


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Sue Auer

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PANINI, JAFFLE, TOASTIE, QUESADILLAS & CUBANO are some around the world names of the sandwich. “April 12th National Grill Cheese Day”

BERRY BERRY - GRILLED STUFFED BREAKFAST

Recipe by Leigh Sabol Brunas

Ingredients:

- 4 SLICES - whole wheat bread (other choices: white, nut, etc.)
- 2 oz. whipped cream cheese (light).
- 1/2 oz. cup fresh berries (blue, straw, black or rasp) You may try cherries in season.
- 1 oz. confection sugar (10X)
- Honey to drizzle
- 1 can butter spray (PAM)

Directions:

1. Preheat griddle or grill pan to high & spray with PAM
2. In small bowl mix cream cheese & confection (10X) until smooth
3. On 2 slices of bread spread the cream cheese mixture & place berries over mixture. On the other 2 slices, spread with remaining cream cheese mixture. Place over slices with berries. Having the cream cheese mixture & berries meet in the middle.
4. Spray each side of sandwich with PAM, & place on preheated pan 2-3 mins each side.
5. Remove & plate, slice in half & drizzle with honey.

Italian Veggie Opened Faced Grilled Cheese - a LUNCH to REMEMBER

Recipe by Sue Auer

Ingredients:

- 1 loaf of Italian bread of choice.....4 slices angled
- 1 small zucchini sliced thin circles
- 1 small red onion sliced thin

- 1 red pepper sliced thin
 - 12 cherry or grape tomatoes
 - 1/2 cup EVOO
 - 1/4 cup Parmesan cheese
 - 1 small ball of fresh mozzarella cheese - to make 4 slices
- SPICES - thyme, garlic powder, oregano, black or red pepper. Touch of salt.

Directions:

Preheat oven to 350*

1. Brush one side of sliced Italian bread with EVOO lightly, place on sheet pan & toast in heated oven.
2. In med. bowl place all sliced vegetables & sprinkle lightly with spices. Add EVOO & Parmesan cheese. Mix well...place on sheet pan & roast until semi soft
3. Place equal amounts roasted vegetables on the toasted slices.
4. Top with slices of mozzarella cheese & place in oven to melt the cheese until bubbly.

THE BEST AUTHENTIC CUBANO SANDWICH!

Recipe by Maria Calvo

Using left overs is always a plus, especially when cost of food is on the rise! Roast Pork is key in this recipe. Any left over, it can be used at its best. (Within 3 days from original roast).

Ingredients:

- Crusted bread cut lengthwise into 2 sections with top & bottom (Cuban, Italian, etc.)
- 1/2 lb sliced thin roast pork (could be fresh roasted or deli)
- 1/4 lb sliced deli honey or Virginia ham (sliced thin)
- 4-6 thin slices sandwich pickle
- 4-6 slices swiss cheese
- yellow mustard
- 1 stick soft butter

Directions:

1. Preheat Panini press or griddle med to high heat. (you can also use a George Forman grill).
2. Inside bread: spread each with yellow mustard.
3. Bottom of bread: layer ham, pickles, pork & cheese.
4. Place top layer over bottom. Spread butter on outer and bottom sections of bread and cut in 1/2.
5. Place half the sandwich in heated press or griddle. (If using griddle place a piece of parchment paper over sandwich half & a heavy pan on top of parchment. Press down).
6. Flip the sandwich & continue to cook until cheese melts.

PLEASE forward your RECIPES TO: sauer1948@hotmail.com. I LOOK forward to everyone's IDEAS... IF YOU HAVE ANY RECIPES FROM CURRENT or FORMER RESIDENTS, PLEASE SEND, AS A SPECIAL PAGE IS IN THE WORKS!

Currently received former residents recipes from the Caputo & Cardone families. THANK YOU!

LIONS HEAD SOUTH ASSOCIATION, INC.
2022 PAINTING SCHEDULE - BY STREET
TOTAL # OF HOMES: 155

Garland Drive

Total # 16

2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18

Lions Head Boulevard

Total # 108

114, 116, 117, 118, 119, 121, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 137, 138, 139, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 156, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 179, 181, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 191, 192, 193, 194, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 213, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 236, 238, 240, 242, 244, 246

Thames Place

Total # 31

2, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40

This is the list of homes which will be painted in 2022, beginning in May (weather permitting) and continue to completion in September.

Each resident will be contacted prior to the painting of their home during the season. It is desirable for the home owner to be present when the home is painted. Please inspect the work completed prior to signing the completed work order,

If you are unable to be home when the work is completed, all homes will be inspected by the Association prior to payment to the painter.

Thank you for your cooperation and if you have any questiond or concerns please contact Bill Leck.

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