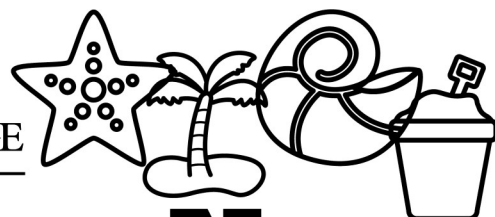


ADVENT CHRISTIAN VILLAGE
AT DOWLING PARK



Friendly Neighbor News

Advent Christian Village, Dowling Park, FL 32064

"Where People Enjoy Living"

24/7/365 Assistance/Operator	658-3333	Housekeeping	658-5374
Cashier's Office	658-5343	Environmental Svcs.	658-5155
Copeland Medical	658-5300	Post Office	658-5270
Finance Department	658-5450	Security/Emergency	658-3333
Home Care	658-5460	Shuttle Bus	208-2584

AUGUST 2, 2024

Friday	8/2	9:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m. <i>10:00 a.m.</i> 1:30 p.m. 2:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m.	Veterans' Service—MS <i>Bible Study—VC Room 5</i> Pen Pals Meeting—OPR Sit 'N Stitch—CH 2024-25 Live! at Dowling Park Artist Series Unveiling—SMR
Saturday	8/3	5:00 p.m.	Potluck Supper—RDR
Sunday	8/4	<i>9:40 a.m.</i> <i>11:00 a.m.</i> 2:00 p.m.	<i>Morning Worship Service—VC</i> <i>VCBI: How Can I Accurately Interpret NT Books?—OPR</i> Coloring Book Time of Fellowship—DH Lobby
Monday	8/5	1:30 p.m. <i>1:30 p.m.</i> 2:00–4:00 p.m.	Low Vision Support Group—OPR <i>VCBI: Understanding 1 Corinthians—VC Room 5</i> Ceramics—PCS
Tuesday	8/6	<i>8:30 a.m.</i> 11:30 a.m. 2:00 p.m.	<i>Men's Bible Study—VC Room 5</i> Episcopal Eucharist Service—BC Political Candidate Forum—SMR/DR
Wednesday	8/7	8:45 & 9:00 a.m. 9:00–11:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m. <i>6:00 p.m.</i>	Bus Trip: Walmart—CH & DH Ceramics—PCS Bridge Club—OPR <i>Prayer Meeting—BC</i>
Thursday	8/8	9:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m. 10:00 a.m. 3:00 p.m.	Village Artists Guild—KC Plarn Ministry—Cleo's Meeting House Monthly Member Birthday Party—SMR/DR
Friday	8/9	The Village Cashier's office is closed today 9:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m. <i>10:00 a.m.</i> 2:00 p.m.	Veterans' Service—MS <i>Bible Study—VC Room 5</i> Sit 'N Stitch—CH

BOLD: ONE-TIME AND MONTHLY EVENTS — ITALIC: PROGRAMS FOR SPIRITUAL GROWTH

IN LOVING MEMORY

- Roland Spooner, who was a resident of BA, DM, and GSC, died July 25. He will be remembered at the GSC memorial service on Wednesday, Aug. 14, at 10:00 a.m. in the Magnolia Dining Room.
- Shirley Ezell, who was a resident of GSC, died July 21. She will be remembered at the GSC memorial service on Wednesday, Aug. 14, at 10:00 a.m. in the Magnolia Dining Room.
- Don E. Wrigley, who was a resident of BA, CH, and GSC, died July 18. His memorial service will be Monday, Aug. 12, at 1:00 p.m. at the VC. He will also be remembered at the GSC memorial service on Wednesday, Aug. 14, at 10:00 a.m. in the Magnolia Dining Room.
- Pat Northup (wife of Stan Hall), who was a resident of GSC, died July 11. She will be remembered at the GSC memorial service on Wednesday, Aug. 14, at 10:00 a.m. in the Magnolia Dining Room.
- Shirley Morgan, who was a resident of GSC, died July 4. She will be remembered at the GSC memorial service on Wednesday, Aug. 14, at 10:00 a.m. in the Magnolia Dining Room.
- Helen Harris, who was a resident of GSC, died June 30. She will be remembered at the GSC memorial service on Wednesday, Aug. 14, at 10:00 a.m. in the Magnolia Dining Room.

NEW MEMBERS

- Jack and Barbara Dixon of BA have become off-campus members. Their mailing address is P.O. Box 4690.
- Doug Lucas of BA has become an off-campus member. His mailing address is 10246 229th Lane, Live Oak, FL 32060.

CORRECTION

- Frankie Hatton's birthday is Aug. 3, Myrtle Casey's birthday is Aug. 20, and Marion Blake's birthday is Aug. 28.

ANNOUNCEMENT

ACV WELCOMES LORVEN HEART AND VASCULAR INSTITUTE TO CMC

ACV Health welcomes Lorven Heart and Vascular Institute to Copeland Clinic. Dr. Asad Qamar from Lorven Heart and Vascular Institute will see patients at Copeland Clinic on Thursdays. Appointments can be scheduled by calling the Lake City office at (386) 752-3400 and letting them know you want to be scheduled at the Clinic in Dowling Park.

Keri Hilliard, VP for Health Services

The Primary Election will be held Aug. 20. The voting precinct location for ACV members is the JKPL. Early voting will be held Aug. 10–17 at the same location. The books have closed for the Primary Election. Following the Primary Election you may register to vote for the General Election to be held Nov. 5.

AUGUST MEMBER BIRTHDAY PARTY Thursday, Aug. 8, 3:00 p.m. - SMR/DR

Plan to join us for the August member birthday party on Thursday, Aug. 8, at 3:00 p.m. in SMR/DR. Musical entertainment will be provided by ACV's Joe First. ACV members with August birthdays will receive special recognition, and everyone is welcome to attend.

ACV EVENTS

2024-25 LIVE! AT DOWLING PARK ARTIST SERIES UNVEILING Friday, Aug. 2, 3:00 p.m. - SMR



It's time to announce the next season of ACV's Live! at Dowling Park artist series. Join us Friday, Aug. 2, at 3:00 p.m. in SMR to hear about the performances scheduled for the 2024-25 season. Season passes will be for sale at the event (cash and check only). Season passes and individual tickets will be for sale at the Village Cashier's office beginning Monday, Aug. 5. ACV's season passes are also accepted (at no extra charge) at all of the Lake City artist series performances.



POTLUCK SUPPER

Saturday, Aug. 3, 5:00 p.m. - RDR

ACV and the VC invite all to the third of four planned summer potluck suppers Saturday evening, Aug. 3, at 5:00. Bring your favorite dish to share and join in on the fun. After we eat, a brass quintet will present a program for everyone's enjoyment.

COPING WITH LOW VISION SUPPORT AND RESOURCES GROUP Monday, Aug. 5, 1:30 p.m. - OPR

Our monthly support group brings people with vision loss together to share challenges and celebrate successes. The individuals who attend are in all stages of vision loss. Some still have most of their sight, while others have lost their sight completely. Together, they foster a warm, inviting place to help one another overcome barriers to living independent, vibrant lives. Join Wayne Warner from the nonprofit agency, Lighthouse of the Big Bend, for this monthly support group and meeting.



POLITICAL CANDIDATE FORUM

Tuesday, Aug. 6, 2:00 p.m. - SMR/DR

Candidates who have qualified and will be on the Primary Election ballot for federal, state and local seats have been invited to participate in a Candidate Forum to be held at 2:00 p.m. in SMR/DR on Tuesday, Aug. 6. Each candidate will be allowed four minutes to introduce themselves and to speak on why they should get your vote. The candidates will be encouraged to remain after the event to answer any questions you might have for them one-on-one.

LADIES' BREAKFAST

Saturday, Aug. 10, 8:30 a.m. - SMR/DR

The next ladies' breakfast will be held on Saturday, Aug. 10, at 8:30 a.m. in SMR/DR. Instead of a speaker we will enjoy table fellowship. A special invitation is extended to new residents; we want to meet you! Come join us for a wonderful time of table fellowship and breaking bread.

The cost of the full and delicious breakfast buffet is \$7.00. Tickets must be pre-purchased at the Lopin' Gopher.



MEN'S FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST

Saturday, Aug. 10, 8:30 a.m. - RDR

The next Men's Fellowship breakfast will be held on Saturday, Aug. 10, at 8:30 a.m. in RDR. The guest speaker will be Doug Nichols.

The cost of the full and delicious breakfast buffet is \$7.00. Tickets must be pre-purchased at the Lopin' Gopher. Come join us for fellowship, prayer, inspiration, and breaking bread together!

LUKAS AND RACHEL MILLER CONCERT

Monday, Aug. 12, 4:30 p.m. - VC

Live Oak's Lukas and Rachel Miller, a brother-and-sister team who have performed at ACV several times, are returning to bless us once again with their musical talent on Monday, Aug. 12. The pair will sing both solos and duets of old and new songs, and Lukas will also play a piece on the piano. Plan to attend this concert — free of charge — a gift to the Village by these two accomplished musicians.

BUS TRIP: DINE-OUT TO OLIVE GARDEN AND LONGHORN STEAKHOUSE

Tuesday, Aug. 13

3:45 p.m. - DH & 4:00 p.m. - LAP

Bus: \$5.00 members, \$9.00 non-members

Whether you are in the mood for pasta or a good steak, plan to ride on the bus to Lake City on Tuesday, Aug. 13. The bus will park in the lot shared by Olive Garden and Longhorn Steakhouse to allow riders to eat at either establishment. Bus cost is \$5.00 for members and \$9.00 for non-members. Please sign up at the IC.

EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Events in this section are not sponsored by ACV, even if they take place at ACV.

VETERANS GATHERING

Friday, Aug. 2, 12:00 noon - RDR

All service members are invited to gather for lunch to eat together on Friday, Aug. 2, at 12:00 noon in RDR. Buy or bring your own lunch. Bring a military memento.

ACV	Advent Christian Village	CT/MT	Cardinal/Magnolia Terrace	IC	Information Center	POP	Park of the Pines
BA	Butterfield Acres	DH	Dowling House	JKPL	Jo Kennon Public Library	RDR	Rumph Dining Room
BC	Bixler Chapel	DM	Dacier Manor	KC	Keepers Cottage	RV	Smith Riverview Apartments
CB	Chriss Building	DMA	Dowling Manor	LAP	Lake Aquilla Parking Lot	RW	Riverwoods
CH	Carter House	DR	Depot Room	MS	Member Services	SMR	Sawmill Room
CCC	Copeland Community Center	ET	Edgewood Terrace	OPR	Old Pavilion Room	VC	Village Church
CMC	Copeland Medical Center	GSC	Good Samaritan Center	PCS	Polk Ceramics Shop	VS	Village Square

Service members can be ACV residents, employees, or area residents. Invite other veterans!

EPISCOPAL EUCHARIST SERVICE

Tuesday, Aug. 6, 11:30 a.m. - BC

You are invited to the monthly Episcopal Eucharist Service at ACV held on the first Tuesday of each month. The next service is scheduled for Tuesday, Aug. 6, at 11:30 a.m. in BC. Rev. Ken Johnstone of St. Luke's Episcopal Church in Live Oak will officiate. All are welcome.

FOOD GIVEAWAY

**Tuesday, Aug. 13, 11:00 a.m.
Dowling Park Church of God**

A free food giveaway will be held Tuesday, Aug. 13, starting at 11:00 a.m. at Dowling Park Church of God on CR 250 near Dollar General. There will be produce, bread and more from Second Harvest. All are welcome. Everyone will stay in their vehicle.



**JO KENNON PUBLIC LIBRARY
386-658-2670**

Website: srrlib.org

Email: dpark@neflin.org

Mon., Wed.-Fri. 9:00 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

Tuesday 9:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.

Saturday 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Closed Sunday

JKPL Thanks You

A big congratulations to our Summer of Adventure contest winners and heartfelt "thank you" to the many JKPL patrons that participated in the activities. Whether you brought in bookmarks or bingo sheets, made an educated guess or two on the number of animal crackers, or simply visited for a book and to get out of the heat, we appreciate all of our guests for coming by and giving us a reason to smile!

Focus on Music: British Choral Music

If you missed the second installment of Focus on Music, this is your chance to enjoy the popular presentation. Wayne will be sharing recordings of several world-class British choirs singing a wide variety of selections. Many of the great British choral composers will also be featured, along with photos of the choirs, composers, and churches. The presentation will be on Monday, Aug. 5, from 2:00 to 3:30 p.m.

Tweens Fantasy Book Club

The FBC is inviting all tweens (ages 10-17) to go on a mythological journey with Percy Jackson! Even if you have seen the movie, *The Lightning Thief*, a novel by *New York Times* bestselling author Rick Riordan, is much better. Come in and grab a copy and prepare to discuss the book on Mondays at 1:00 p.m. while doing some entertaining book-related activities!

Hot Topics

The United States' immigration policies may be one of the most contentious subjects to be covered in any of our Hot Topics meetings. What exactly are our policies? How are they enforced? What do you believe needs to be improved/changed? Look into it and come in prepared to have an intense, friendly discussion on Thursday, Aug. 8, at 10:00 a.m.

Monday Morning Yoga

Strengthen your joints and muscles, and improve flexibility and posture by joining us on Mondays at 9:00 a.m. for the perfect low-impact workout that will loosen you up and prepare you for the day. Registration is no longer required as both sessions have openings. NOTE: Due to voting, there will NOT be class on Aug. 12 or 19.

We Want Your Ideas and Suggestions

As we look to the second half of the year, we would like your ideas and suggestions for programs that the JKPL can provide. Have a favorite program you would like to see return? Maybe you would like to share your expertise. Do you have an idea for a new program that you would like us to consider? We welcome your suggestions and will consider each one carefully. Call, email, or

come in and see us; we're looking forward to hearing from you.

Upcoming Primary Voting

Election time is fast approaching for 2024. The JKPL is an early voting location for the 2024 Primary Election. Early voting will be held Saturday, Aug. 10, through Saturday, Aug. 17 (including Sunday, Aug. 12). Polls are open daily from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. There are three ways to vote in the primary: mail-in ballot, early voting at JKPL, or on Primary Election Day, which is Tuesday, Aug. 20, at JKPL. The General Election will be held in November.

Just a Small Collection of Words

"Outside of a dog, a book is a man's best friend. Inside of a dog, it's too dark to read" (Groucho Marx).

Starbooks Café Topic

Do you want a smart home with all appliances integrated? Would you like a personal robot to do all your chores?

Weekly JKPL Meetings:

Starbooks Café	Tuesdays	9:30 a.m.
Crochet Creations	Thursdays	3:00 p.m.
Hot Topics	2nd & 4th Thurs.	10:00 a.m.
Kids Corner	Saturdays	11:00 a.m.



BUS TRIPS

If you wish to ride the ACV bus on these trips, you must contact the IC in person or by phone at 658-3333 to sign up. Please be considerate of those who have allergies and limit your use of perfumes, aftershaves, and colognes when riding the bus.

WEEKLY LIVE OAK SHOPPING TRIPS

There is no charge for Village members to participate in the regular weekly Live Oak shopping trips. If you have questions, call MS at 658-5400.

Please remember to bring your own bags on the Wednesday shopping trips to assist in keeping everyone's purchases separate.

Those who sign up for a weekly shopping trip will be put on the waiting list if they sign up for the same trip the following week. If seats remain available, those on the waiting list will be moved to the regular list.

- **Aug. 7 morning — Walmart** — Leave CH at 8:45 a.m. and DH at 9:00 a.m. Leave from Walmart at approximately 11:15 a.m. and return to the Village at noon.
- **Aug. 14 morning — Winn-Dixie, Save A Lot & Publix** — Leave CH at 8:45 a.m. and DH at 9:00 a.m. Drop off at Winn-Dixie and Save A Lot, and park at Publix. Leave from Publix at approximately 11:15 a.m. and return to the Village at noon.
- **Aug. 14 afternoon — Walmart** — Leave CH at 1:15 p.m. and DH at 1:30 p.m. Leave from Walmart at approximately 3:45 p.m. and return to the Village at 4:30.
- **Aug. 21 morning — Walmart** — Leave CH at 8:45 a.m. and DH at 9:00 a.m. Leave from Walmart at approximately 11:15 a.m. and return to the Village at noon.
- **Aug. 21 afternoon — Winn-Dixie, Save A Lot & Publix** — Leave CH at 1:15 p.m. and DH at 1:30 p.m. Drop off at Winn-Dixie and Save A Lot, and park at Publix. Leave from Publix at approximately 3:45 p.m. and return to the Village at 4:30 p.m.

UPCOMING BUS TRIPS

- Aug. 13 — Dine-Out to Olive Garden and Longhorn Steakhouse
- Aug. 22 — Museum of Natural History and Harn Museum of Art

BUS TRIP: GAINESVILLE MUSEUMS

Thursday, Aug. 22

8:30 a.m. - DH & 8:45 a.m. - Lake Aquilla

Bus: \$9.00 members, \$16 non-members

Hop on board the ACV trip bus for an easy ride south to Gainesville. The bus will drop everyone off at the Florida Museum of Natural History and the Harn Museum of Art (they are next door and an easy walking distance to each other). General admission to both museums (separately) is free (they do accept donations).

The Museum of Natural History is the home of the famous Butterfly Rainforest, and they charge \$14 for that exhibit (\$12.50 for Florida residents with ID). They also have a limited-time, separate Incredible Insects exhibit right now, and a ticket to that is \$7.00 (\$6.50 for Florida residents).

When everyone's ready to leave, the bus will drive to Butler Town Center where there are several restaurants to choose from for lunch. All passengers will be responsible for their own money for food and any desired exhibit upcharges. Bus cost is \$9.00 for members and \$16 for non-members. Sign up at the IC.

DEPARTMENT NEWS

THE VILLAGE CHURCH

Rev. Sam Worley, Senior Minister

Church Office - 658-5344 - P.O. Box 4314

SERMON: "God Made Us"

TEXT: Acts 17:22-28 NIV '84; Psalm 139:13-18

SPEAKER: Rev. Sam Worley

The following VC events are happening this week:

Friday, Aug. 2

10:00 a.m. — Bible Study, Tom Spannagle (VC Room 5)

Saturday, Aug. 3

5:00 p.m. — Potluck Supper (RDR)

Program: Community Brass Ensemble

Sunday, Aug. 4

9:40 a.m. — Morning Worship (VC)

11:00 a.m. — VCBI: How Can I Accurately Interpret NT Books?, Tom Spannagle (OPR)

5:00 p.m. — Youth Meeting (Lighthouse)

Monday, Aug. 5

1:30 p.m. — VCBI: 1 Corinthians 13-16, Donald Wrigley (VC Room 5)

Tuesday, Aug. 6

8:30 a.m. — Men's Bible Study (VC Room 5)

Wednesday, Aug. 7

6:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting (BC)

Friday, Aug. 9

10:00 a.m. — Bible Study, Donald Wrigley (VC Room 5)

Saturday, Aug. 10

8:30 a.m. — Men's Fellowship Breakfast (RDR)

Speaker will be Doug Nichols

CONFERENCE AND RETREAT

Doug Mabey-386-658-5200

Open swim at the outdoor Aquilla Pool will be on Saturdays only from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. until the end of September.

VILLAGE CASHIER'S OFFICE

Lynn Mabey-386-658-5343

The Village Cashier's office will be closed Friday, Aug. 9. The office will reopen on Monday, Aug. 12.

ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

Michael Gordon-386-658-5155

Just a friendly reminder that flushable wipes are not designed to be flushed and can cause clogs in your pipes and sewers. Even though they are marketed as flushable and septic-safe, they take longer to break down than toilet paper. As they travel through the pipes, the fabric in wipes mixes with other particles and can remain solid, leading to blockages. Blockages, especially in apartments and multi-home dwellings,

cause backups not only in your home, but also in surrounding homes.

VILLAGE GROCER

Tony Harmony-386-658-3130

The Grill Team will be at the VS on Saturday, Aug. 3, from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. with smoked Boston butts, BBQ pork ribs, smoked sausage, Brunswick stew, and pulled pork. Come and get some!

MEMBER SERVICES

James Sutter-386-658-5400

A new, reduced-price membership option for off-campus individuals is now available. The Lifestyle Club has been established for those who live off campus and would like to participate in ACV activities. The price is 40% of full membership (currently \$76). The following are the benefits of becoming a Lifestyle Club member:

- Can participate in all Village clubs and activities, excluding those at CCC.
- 50% discount on an off-campus CCC membership.
- Member price on event tickets and season passes.
- Member price on bus fees.
- Free shuttle bus usage (within Dowling Park).
- Member status for pontoon boat and Ride-About usage.

If you know of someone who lives off campus who might like to participate in ACV activities, and to give a little taste of ACV membership, encourage them to call Residency Services at (386) 658-5291 to learn more about ACV's new Lifestyle Club.

Member Services Tip of the Week

ACV members and employees may advertise for the sale of their personal items in the FNN. The ads will be limited to a maximum of eight lines and will run for two weeks unless the person placing the ad notifies us to remove the ad earlier. The ad must include the name of the person listing the ad, although you may request that your name is not published.

Scam Tip of the Week: Grandparents Scam

Imposters pose as law enforcement officers and call grandparents claiming that a grandchild is in jail. They then demand immediate payment to bail the grandchild out of jail. In another iteration of the scam, a person claiming to be the grandchild will call saying they have been mugged or otherwise detained in another country and are in need of money to get home. To avoid falling victim, verify through another means the grandchild's whereabouts and avoid acting immediately.

If you believe you are the victim of a scam, file a complaint with the Attorney General's Office online at www.myfloridalegal.com or by phone at 1-866-9-NO-SCAM. You may also file a complaint with the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, which acts as the State's consumer complaint clearinghouse, at www.floridaconsumerhelp.com. (Source: The Florida Attorney General's Office)

ACV ACTIVITY NEWS

BRIDGE CLUB

Dottie Stone, Reporter

The Bridge Club meets on Wednesdays at 1:00 p.m. in the OPR. If you would like to play, please call me at (352) 316-5161 or Betsey Ruehl at 658-1766 by noon on Monday.

Congratulations to our July 24 winners: 1st high, Jim Varnell, and 2nd high, Lew Gessler.

BROOKS ARCHIVE

Millie H. Griswold, Reporter

Volunteering: A Gift to the ACV Community
There's a new display in the history window at the VS. The monitor describes resident volunteering that occurred during the past 110 years.

Did you know ... ?

- Early residents helped with cooking and washing dishes.
- In 1970, volunteers contributed enough S&H Green Stamps to purchase a large bus.

- In 1979, residents made the Christmas decorations for inside and outside buildings.
- For 58 years, residents have produced copy for and delivered the *Friendly Neighbor News*, and kept the broadcast going on TV2.
- Residents operate four businesses: The Rustic Shop, Twice Nice Shop, Riverside Gifts, and Twice Nice Furniture & More.
- In 2023, 173 residents reported 23,842 hours of volunteering on the campus.

Talk with MS about opportunities for volunteering that you might fulfill.

Have you visited the Village's Brooks Archive beside the JKPL? Hours are Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 10:00 a.m. to noon, or upon request.

THE HIDDEN GARDEN **Eleanor Foerste, Reporter**

The Hidden Garden is in full bloom. Marigolds are everywhere! The wildflowers are blooming in the old lawn area. Yellow native coreopsis, phlox, blue-eyed grass, blue mist flower, and salvias are a few you might notice. The taller plants are goldenrod that won't have yellow blooms for a month or so. The pink flowered loropetalum shrubs planted in front of the apartment windows got a severe hacking in mid-June so watch as they sprout maroon colored new leaves.

Stop by in the morning, or after an afternoon shower when it cools off, and sit in a new rocker or glider (bring a towel to sit on) and watch the butterflies, hummingbirds, dragonflies and song birds that visit the garden frequently. Sunsets are gorgeous looking back toward the river.

The sweltering heat is tough on humans and animals and also on the plants. Even though we are getting some good rains, it doesn't always wet the soil enough. We have micro sprinklers on a timer in the 40 foot-long raised bed so that helps keep those plants growing.

Volunteers are needed to check the containerized flower pots every few days in case rain was not sufficient. We have two hoses and a rain barrel to fill jugs to hand-water those areas. We are so grateful for volunteers! Hayden Campbell, a nearby teen, installed pavers around the small raised beds to make them accessible by walker and wheelchair.

Thank you to Louise Grant and Louise Childs for their ongoing help. They enjoy planting, playing and harvesting in the garden. Special thanks also to Marie Brown, Tama Hudson, Patricia-Adele Lyons, Mary Frances Cone, Steve Reach, and others who have been gardening angels helping water, weed, dead-head old blooms, and donating plants. Call Marge Reach at (706) 897-2965 or me at (407) 908-4379 for a tour or more information if you're available to help water — maybe one morning a week. We can meet and show you herbs and flowers to cut and take home.

VILLAGE LIBRARY

Monday–Friday

10:00 a.m.–12:00 noon & 1:00–3:00 p.m.

Brenda Reas, Reporter

If you are a resident of CH, Wilson Gardens, DH or RV, you can get to this library without having to go outside into the heat or the rain. There are over 7,000 books here, a cupboard full of audiobooks, and many movies on DVD. You may even find an interesting magazine article to take home and read. There's also a sale cart of books in good condition.

We have an audiobook section, paperback rack, and many movies and TV series on DVD for check-out. Magazines can be borrowed without being checked out; just return them when you finish looking at them.

Please have your ACV ID badge available when you come to check out books and DVDs. We are located in the Schoolhouse Room between the OPR and IC. Our drop box is located around the corner across from the restrooms (beneath the bulletin board), and you may return books and DVDs there at any time.

 **Remember to Wave** 

PEN PAL PROGRAM

A Committee of the Membership Association **Monica Serlick, Reporter**

Mark your calendar: There will be a meeting of all pen pals on Friday, Aug. 2, at 1:30 p.m. in the OPR (next to the Lopin' Gopher). Please try to attend, and notify me if you cannot make it. We will be sharing ideas for the upcoming year.

If you would like to be a pen pal, feel free to come to this meeting and get involved with a great group of folks and kids. Please contact me at (386) 330-4865 and leave a message. I will call you back.

"Every child deserves a champion — an adult who understands the power of connection and insists that they become the best they can possibly be" (Rita Pierson).

STEPHEN MINISTRIES

Robin Copeland, Reporter

Stephen Ministries offers several resources for care ministry. One such resource is the book *The Gift of Empathy*. This book is a powerful exploration of how to relate in empathetic ways that make a difference in people's lives. It offers a fresh approach to the familiar topic of empathy, providing practical insights and real-life examples that equip readers to better understand, connect with, and care for others.

The book defines what empathy is and isn't, describes its benefits, and shows how to overcome obstacles to effective empathizing. In addition, it shares wisdom on using empathy in a wide range of relationships — with spouses and significant others, children, parents, siblings, friends, coworkers, and more.

For more information about this book, feel free to contact ACV Stephen Ministries at 658-5378.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

BUTTERFIELD ACRES

Jack "CrackerJack" Dixon, Reporter

"Love never gives up, never loses faith, is always hopeful, and endures through every circumstance" (1 Corinthians 13:7). I take this verse to heart, but I am only human. I find it is easy to like someone, but oh so difficult to love them. I pray for forgiveness, and trust in the Lord to help me.

I am still working on our "neighborhood watch" program and will be calling on some of you to help me in calling our neighbors to get an idea of how many will be able to come to a meeting when the deputy comes to speak. It is a small world, but here in ACV it even gets smaller. The deputy I am working with is Investigator Jacob Williamson, and in talking to him I discovered his grandpa was the late Dorian Williamson, my next door neighbor! Dorian passed away two or three years ago, and I remember him as a gentleman and a good neighbor. Jacob knows our neighborhood and is very familiar with the Village, and he seems to have a personal interest in helping us. If you would be interested in making phone calls, please call me at 658-2113 and leave a message. I would like at least four or five neighbors to pitch in and assist me. Once we get a number, we can set a date to meet. Thank you all for your participation in making BA a safer place to live.



LUNCH & DINNER SPECIALS

Friday, Aug. 2

Grouper Francaise with Confetti Rice and Garlic Spinach \$17.95

Saturday, Aug. 3

Spaghetti with Italian Sausage Marinara and Garlic Toast \$16.95

The stork was sure busy in past Augusts; we have several birthdays to announce this month. We start off with the lovely Rosemary Humbles, who turns another year older on the 3rd of the month; Jason Hilliard will celebrate on the 13th; with Dick Beggs right behind him on the 14th. Also celebrating on the 14th is Stevie May White. Oh my goodness can it be true that Jack and Barbara Dixon both will turn a year older on the 16th? Believe it or not, they got married on the same day! Jordon Coombs has his special day on the 17th. I think this will make Jordon old enough to drive on the streets now. Congratulations, Jordon! Be careful, and do not text and drive. Our last birthday of the month is that pretty lady on the corner, Wren Mowry, who celebrates her special day on the 21st. To each and every one of you, congratulations and blessings to you. May you be blessed with many more years to come.

We also have in the month of August a wedding anniversary for Nancy and Dick Beggs who tied the knot on the 10th many years ago. Congratulations, you two. Have a wonderful celebration, and may God bless you with many more happy and healthy years to come.

This country is a great place for any of us to live in only when we make it a great place for all of us to live in.

I wonder why we can remember the tiniest detail that happened to us, but cannot remember how many times we told it to the same person? A good storyteller is a person who has a good memory and hopes others don't!

From the veranda of our humble abode overlooking the ever-so-smooth and dust-free 102nd Trail in beautiful BA, be not only good, be good for something — and never forget who is in charge. Isaiah 40:28–31. God bless!

CARTER HOUSE

Monica Serlick, Reporter

We have no anniversaries or birthdays coming up for this week. I will list the upcoming special days for early August next week.

If you have any news you would like to share with others, please call and give me details.

Please continue to keep all those who are ill, recovering or struggling in your thoughts and prayers.

We have had a new person move in this past weekend. We would like to extend a warm welcome to Gerald Ross who moved onto the fifth floor. If you see him while you're out and about, please make sure to wave and say hello.

Did you know of these holidays according to National Day Calendar? Aug. 1 is National Mahjong Day, National Girlfriends Day, and Respect for Parents Day. Aug. 2 is National Coloring Book Day and National Ice Cream Day. Aug. 3 is National Grab Some Nuts Day and National Watermelon Day. Aug. 4 is National Coast Guard Day and National Chocolate Chip Cookie Day. There is always something to celebrate every day. Words to Inspire the Soul says it well: "No matter how good or bad you think your life is, wake up each day and be thankful ... someone somewhere else is fighting to survive."

Remember to be respectful of other residents and visitors. Please do not confront anyone if you think they are violating any of ACV's rules or policies. If you see anything that you believe is out of the ordinary or inappropriate, please contact the IC at 658-3333 and report it. They will ensure someone is sent to check things out. This is your home; IF YOU SEE SOMETHING, SAY SOMETHING!

DOWLING HOUSE

Patricia-Adele Lyons, Reporter

Good morning, ACV. The Holy Spirit put this prayer on my lips years ago, and I was compelled by Him to share it here. I wake up every morning saying this prayer as my eyes open.

Thank you, my Lord, for this new day,
Please take my hand and lead the way,
Don't let me stumble, don't let me stray,
Lord, show me what to do, tell me what to say,
In Jesus' name I pray.

We have a birthday coming up Aug. 2, Cora Huckaba. We wish you a happy and blessed birthday, Cora.

I appreciate so much everyone's prayers; I'm feeling much better! And I would like to thank Lisa Moore for her help and attentiveness. And thank you, Scarlett Petroff, for the happy sunflowers, gallberry honey, and pretty little card left outside my door to cheer me up and encourage me. That's what it's all about, folks.

Well, I was not able to make the gospel sing-along Saturday — I was still recovering a bit — but I was told that there was about 50 people or so, and they had to keep finding more chairs for everyone! Hallelujah! Folks, God is moving, and victory always follows praise.

Read 2 Chronicles 20:15, 20–25. Draw close to God, and He will draw close to you. Amen?

Have a blessed weekend.

EDGEWOOD TERRACE

Verna Piper, Reporter

Cathy Oberg is still looking for someone to do this job, so I agreed to fill in for a couple of weeks. Think about it: You could be next. I'd love to see you volunteer.

I don't know if you know where I live, but I have "the best seat in the house". I'm directly across from the VS. Every morning I get on my exercise machine and watch the Village wake up. The big, white birds (ibis I believe) come and go, hummingbirds are busy guarding their feeders, and the hawks hang out in that tall tree by the bank. Errol, my neighbor, goes up and down Taylor Commons straightening all the American flags. Jim exercises his dog.

It's Saturday, and the Square is filling up with folks hungering for a Bistro breakfast. Most of the cars are going as directed by the one way signs; others prefer to buck the traffic! The Lodge must have been full! I see MANY in bright orange shirts leaving. (I heard it was the Ford family reunion.) There's Jordan's bright red truck, so I know the Village Grocer is in good hands. I highly recommend this location. Exercise done!

I have a couple of new neighbors, so I think I'll go visiting. Esther Bruckel has been here for about two and a half months and so is settled in her beautiful home. She says her favorite room is her studio where she gets to sew, quilt, and indulge in her favorite hobbies. Right now she is working on unfinished projects that have been donated to the Rustic Shop. Esther has been visiting ACV since the '70s, knows several residents, and is related to some. She has wonderful stories of her travels, mostly by boat. She is certainly a person worth knowing. I'm glad I do!

GOOD SAMARITAN CENTER AND DACIER MANOR

Bruce Arnold, Reporter

There are times when we are tempted to think that the Christian life is all about getting saved, and then one day being with the Lord forever and ever. While that is a wonderful thought, and though we may look forward to the end of all our troubles on earth, we can see from the Scriptures that there is more to life than just waiting for Jesus to come.

In Ephesians 3:14–21, we read how the Apostle Paul prayed for the believers in Ephesus that they would be strengthened (Ephesians 4:16). We all need strength from the Lord to overcome weaknesses, temptations, and our fleshly desires. We can't rely on the fact that we were saved, and then just hope we can be strong! The reason Paul prays for their (and we can say our) strength is so that Christ may dwell in their hearts through faith, as we see in the next part of Verse 17. Paul's prayer concludes with a desire to know God's great love, which surpasses knowledge, in order that we may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God (Verse 19).

The Christian life is more than just going to an altar, praying a prayer, getting saved, and waiting for Jesus. Every day, God desires for us to grow in Him more and more. As we grow in the Lord each day, He gives us strength to be able to overcome the difficulties we have, so we can have hope for each day as we live, rather than to hurry up and get out of here!

Last Thursday, the 25th, GSC had a Hawaiian Luau party. If you look on the ACV Facebook page you'll see all the festive decorations and attire of our residents and staff. It seems the only thing missing was the roasted pig with an apple in its mouth!

The bake club at GSC continues to make all kinds of tasty treats. On Tuesday this week, the hallways were filled with the delicious aroma of peanut butter cookies! Robin and Arlene helped the residents to make these cookies, while Latoria was making Rice Krispies treats with our friends on Camellia Court. It seems like we can always find a reason to have a good snack at GSC!

GSC will have a memorial service on Wednesday, Aug. 14, at 10:00 a.m. in the Magnolia Dining Room. We will give thanks for the lives of Helen Harris, Shirley Morgan, Patricia Northup, Don E. Wrigley, Shirley Ezell and Roland Spooner. Friends, family, staff, and ACV residents are all invited to share with us at this time.

RIVERWOODS

Betsey Ruehl, Reporter

We have had some wonderful visitors in RW this past week. I got so excited that I called my neighbor in back of our home since we share a common area, to alert her. I hope others can enjoy a visit from a small deer and a rabbit. It made my day!

One of my favorite sayings is "Go placidly among the noise and the haste and remember what peace there may be in silence" (from *Desiderata* by Max Ehrmann).

MEMBER BENEFITS

ACV offers a variety of programs and services to its members under the membership program. Members pay a monthly fee to provide supplemental support for this array of services and programs, meeting many of the varied needs of its members, as well as providing the opportunity to live his or her life to its fullest potential and highest level of independence. Some services you may not need today, you may well find important or essential in the future, and your financial participation makes it possible for your neighbor to have access to the services they need now.

This week's member benefit of note:

ACV members receive priority for admission to GSC so members are guaranteed a bed at GSC so long as they meet the criteria and are approved for admission. While insurance companies have at times denied a member's admission, admission is primarily based on the level and severity of need as determined by ACV in consultation with the member's physician.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

GOSPEL SING

Saturday, July 27, there was a wonderful worship service in the CH activity room. We had about 50 people from all over in the Village. We had prayer for healing for Patricia-Adele Lyons in DH and me in CH, who is praying that God will take my cancer away and guide me through my treatments. The FedEx guy came in twice while we were singing; he had a lot of packages. I hope he enjoyed the worship. I hope we have a continued wonderful worship on the fourth Saturday of each month.

Diane Milnes

FROM BAGS TO BEDS

We had a great meeting with all our dedicated volunteers at our last workshop. Bags and folded bags are still being dropped off.

When I took over ACV's plarn ministry, the first three meetings consisted of me and one other volunteer. (There were some at-home volunteers, which we still have. We are very grateful for their help.) I was very anxious. How do I get more volunteers? I feel what has helped this group grow is knowledge.

∞ At the Village Square ∞

Riverside Gifts

Have you purchased a pair of MaxiFlex gloves for \$3.00? They are excellent for pulling up support stockings because they gently grip the stockings.

Reading glasses with +2.50 magnification and sunglasses in very colorful frames are very helpful this summer. So will the colorful hair turbans, beautiful glass nail files, and sweetly aromatic anti-bacterial hand gels.

We have wall clocks with large faces and smaller desktop clocks. We also have a stunning grandfather clock waiting for its new home.

There are many Bible versions, including the KJV in super giant print. Check out the Bible covers, Bible tabs, and crosses on display.

Watch or clock repair and new battery installation at very reasonable prices.

658-5771. Open Wednesday–Friday, 10:00 a.m.–4:00 p.m., and Saturday, 10:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m.

Rustic Shop

Check out the vintage jewelry in a variety of beautiful necklaces, bracelets, brooches, and rings. Men, you'll find tie clasps and tie tacks for those fancy events coming up this fall.

Now's the time to plan for the holidays that are right around the corner! A set of 12 calendar angels is waiting right here on the shelf. Give one to each family member or friend to celebrate their special month. There is also a stunning six-piece 1978 Avon slag jadeite bathroom set with soap dish, pitcher and bowl, and jewelry holder with cover. The hand sewn throw pillows, quilts, and blankets are on display in what we call the Visiting Room.

The nylon scrubbies, which come in three sizes, are always pleasant and useful gifts. So are the colorful handmade jar openers, which come in two sizes.

Watch or clock repair and new battery installation here at very reasonable prices.

Wanted: A person is needed to do clothing alterations. Please stop in for details.

658-5273. Open Wednesday–Friday, 10:00 a.m.–4:00 p.m., and Saturday, 10:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m.

Twice Nice Shop

Ladies suits and combo sets are 1/2 off, slacks \$2.00 each, belts \$1.00 each. A new large selection of ladies' blouses has arrived in the store. There are also shorts and short sets for sporty women. There are also summer weight jackets at very good prices.

Men's ties and belts are \$1.00 each, sports jackets and suits are 1/2 off (and come with a free tie), shirts are 1/2 off. Shorts are ready at very nice prices for you, too.

Scrubs continue to be on sale for \$3.00 each. There are many colors and designs.

Graphic t-shirts are still \$2.00 each. Express yourself while out and about!

The Book Nook summer clearance continues! All books and CDs are BOGO. Bibles, hymnals, music, and some miscellaneous books are free!

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Saturday, Aug. 3, 9:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m.

Special this Saturday: 1/2 price sale on everything! Come early; the early birds get the worms!

I did not know what plarn was when I first saw the word, and I have heard many others say the same, so I try to inform our ACV neighbors of the plarn process and the need for it. (Plarn is plastic yard, by the way.) I may repeat myself in the FNN — this is because new people are coming in all the time. There are so many things to volunteer for at ACV, and most of you volunteer your time for several activities. I thank you for choosing plarn as one of them. I love doing plarn. They say when you love what you're doing, it's not work.

We meet on Thursdays at Cleo's Meeting House from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. Stop by and check us out, and see how the three steps in the process of making a mat are done. Thank you for all you do.

Linda Warner

SQUARE CUTS AND MORE SALON **Open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday** **and most Fridays** **12:00 noon to 7:00 p.m.**

Square Cuts and More Salon specializes in all your hair care needs. Call (386) 647-6240 for appointments. Kindly give 12–24 hours notice for cancellations or extra charges will apply. Walk-ins are welcome, but all great hair happens by appointment. I appreciate your business. Thank you, Amy Hancock.

LEGAL SERVICES

The law firm of Robinson, Kennon & Kendron, P.A. will see clients by appointment only from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon on the following dates in the VS professional offices: Aug. 9 and 23, Sept. 13 and 27, and Oct. 11 and 25. To make an appointment, please call Leigh Ann Cannon at (386) 755-1334, Ext. 117.

HAIR CROPPERS

The shop will be closed on Friday, July 26. Call or text Danielle at (386) 205-3791 or Brenda at (386) 249-1323 to schedule an appointment. Thank you for choosing Hair Croppers!

FINANCIAL ADVISOR

Wendy B. Meyer, CFP[®], BFA[®], financial advisor with Pivotal Wealth Planning is at the Village on the third Wednesday of every other month (February, April, June, August, October and December) from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. in the VS professional offices. Call (850) 973-8888 for more information or to schedule an appointment.

RIDE-ABOUT

If you're interested in utilizing the Ride-About (ACV's red, 10-passenger golf cart) for a tour of some kind, call MS at 658-5400.

ACV QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Do you have a question about the Village you think others would also like to ask? Submit your question to MS, and we will do our best to find out the answer for you and publish it here.

Q: When is our trash pick up day when it falls on a holiday?

A: The following business day.

THANK YOU

My daughter, Melynn, and I are so very grateful for the prayers and well wishes for her husband, Pat, during his double bypass surgery. It was a really stressful week, but with your prayers and God's goodness, he is doing very well now. Thank you and blessings to you all.

Olivia McCullers

MISCELLANEOUS

PLEASE NOTE: All submissions to the FNN must have a name attached. If you prefer to not have your name included with the listing in the FNN, indicate that on the submission. Ads may be dropped into the box near the

IC, or emailed to fnn@acvillage.net. Only ACV members and staff may advertise here. Ads run for two weeks.

FREE: Scrapbooking materials: card stock to use as borders or backgrounds in various sizes, designs, colors and shapes. Call Shelly at 658-5400.**

FOR SALE: 2009 Hyundai Touring Wagon 4D, black, 112,631 miles. Good condition, normal wear and tear. Please call 386-658-5150 for test drive. Asking price \$3,600.*

HELP WANTED: Gardening angel helpers are needed at GSC for the outdoor patio gardens. Huge thanks to Pat Mosley, a dedicated volunteer for years planting, weeding and watering to keep the gardens beautiful for our family and friends. She had to retire and is praying that there are a few others who will take over. Please contact Kathleen Johnson at 658-5573 or Pat Mosley at 658-3729 for more information. Thank you!*

DEPRESSION

Submitted by Betsey Ruehl

Have you ever spent a lot of time with someone who is in the throes of depression? Have you ever been there yourself? You know you can't solve someone else's problems, but we almost always feel we need to try. Gary spent almost two hours talking to someone this week who was depressed. It reminded me of a quote from a friend whose counselor once said, "All depression is pain put on hold." There are so many reasons that can contribute to these feelings.

I recently found an article on the Power of Positivity website that references feelings of depression and how to combat it. To read the entire article, access <https://www.powerofpositivity.com/hope-restored-when-you-feel-depressed>. Here are some highlights:

- Make gratitude a habit. Count your blessings, and keep a journal.
- Identify your goals or your bucket list. Make a list of your dreams.
- Consider creating an inspiration board that you can look at each day.
- Adopt a pet from your local shelter.
- Create and find comfort in routine.
- Discover the joy in simple habits.
- Spend time outdoors. The sun provides life-sustaining Vitamin D, and is a natural mood enhancer.
- Get up and going. Exercise at least 20–30 minutes a day.
- Go on a news fast.
- Phone a friend. You may need some emotional support. Share your feelings; it can benefit both of you. Make it a habit to connect with your person at least once a week.
- Talk to a mental health professional about treatment options.
- Get a daily dose of laughter. The Ancient Greek philosopher, Epictetus, once remarked, "Those who learn to laugh at themselves will always keep themselves amused."

Editor's addition from webmd.com: "It's normal to feel down once in a while, but if you're sad most of the time and it affects your daily life, you may have clinical depression. It's a condition you can treat with medicine, talking to a therapist, and making changes to your lifestyle.

"There are many different types of depression. Events in your life cause some, and chemical changes in your brain cause others.

"Whatever the cause, your first step is to let your doctor know how you're feeling. They may refer you to a mental health specialist to help figure out the type of depression you have. This diagnosis is important in deciding the right treatment for you."

If you would like to schedule a counseling session with a licensed professional, call the CMC at 658-5300 for a referral.

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Swaggerty Sausage Pork Patties	12 oz.	\$ 4.99
Boneless Bottom Round Beef Roast	per lb.	\$ 5.49
Seabest Catfish Fish Fillets	16 oz.	\$ 7.99
Boneless Ribeye Steaks	per lb.	\$14.50

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8:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. or until sold out. Place your order now. ***

This Week's Verse:

God has given each of you some special abilities; be sure to use them to help each other, passing on to others God's many kinds of blessings.

I Peter 4:10

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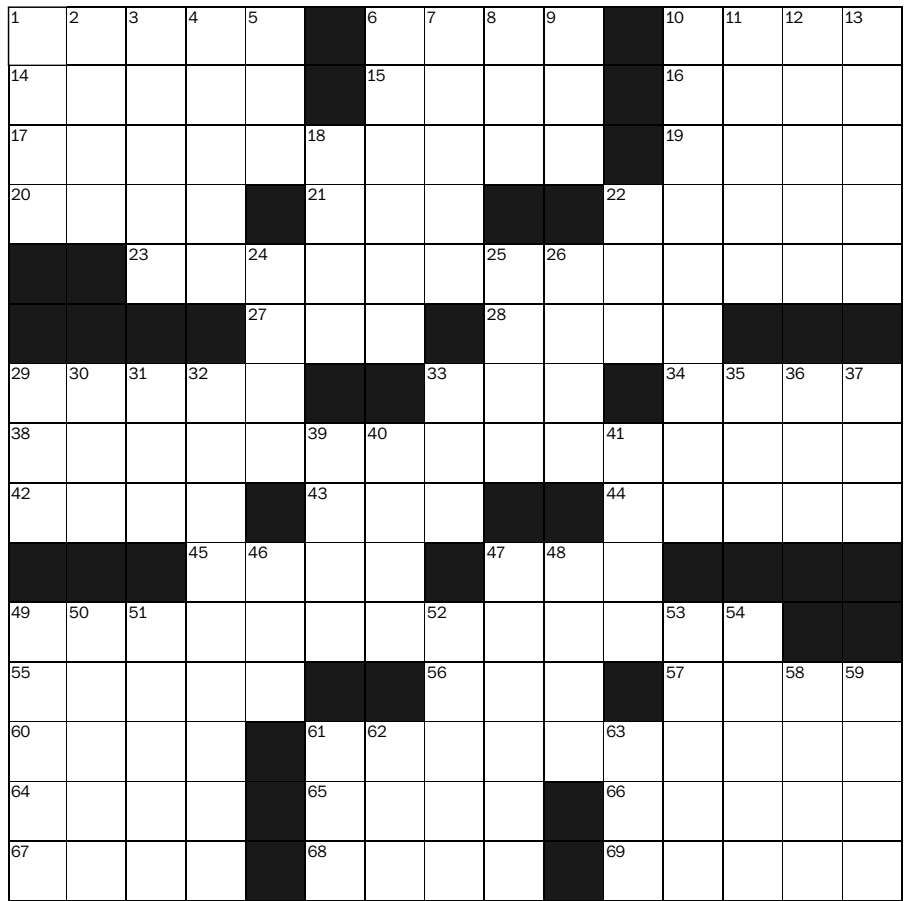
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- 6 In the distance
- 10 Chimed
- 14 To no ___: fruitlessly
- 15 La ___ Tar Pits: tourist attraction in L.A.'s Hancock Park
- 16 Israeli airline
- 17 Mistaken report of an emergency
- 19 ___ adieu: said farewell
- 20 Fashion magazine with a French name
- 21 Hasty escape
- 22 Aromatic spice in chili and curry
- 23 Contributing elements to a yawnfest
- 27 "The Raven" poet Edgar Allan ___
- 28 Eject from office
- 29 Words on a cake in "Alice in Wonderland"
- 33 Paintings and sculptures
- 34 Sailor's greeting
- 38 Anthony Doerr novel whose title comes from an Aristophanes play
- 42 Store sign
- 43 Fury
- 44 Old PC platform
- 45 All-___ cookware
- 47 Place for a facial

- 49 Exhortation during cold and flu season
- 55 Emerged from slumber
- 56 Slithery fish
- 57 Timothée's "Call Me by Your Name" role
- 60 Surrealist Salvador
- 61 Getting paid for work, and what an element of 17-, 23-, 38-, and 49-Across may be
- 64 "___ go bragh!"
- 65 Cost of a taxi ride
- 66 River mammal
- 67 Chianti, merlot, etc.
- 68 Marvel hero played by Chris Hemsworth
- 69 Rapper/actor ___ Jackson Jr.

DOWN

- 1 Bistro
- 2 Shape of a presidential office
- 3 Black-tie galas
- 4 Like dough that's ready to bake
- 5 Pub drink
- 6 On fire
- 7 Photograph holder
- 8 ___ Lingus
- 9 Hit hard
- 10 Counter arguments
- 11 Rental car company
- 12 Lowest point
- 13 Narrow valleys



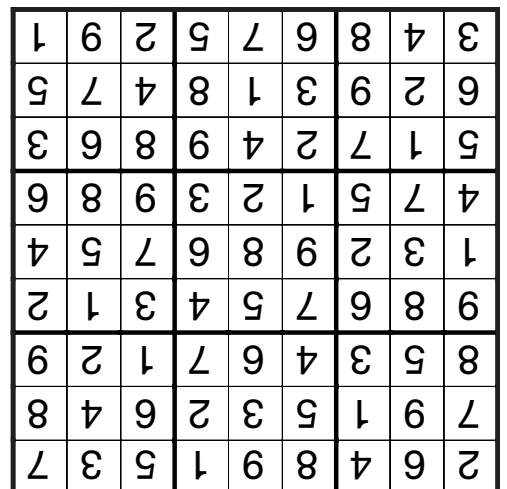
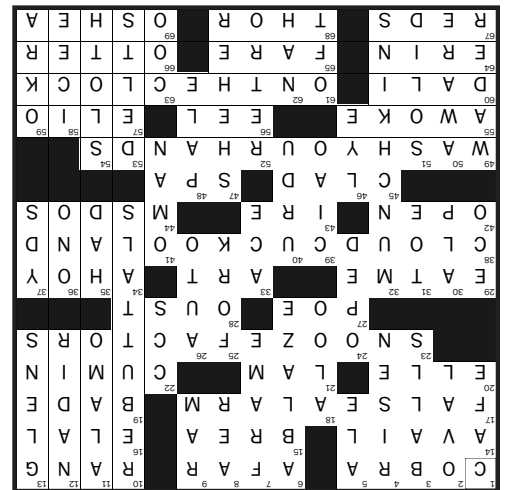
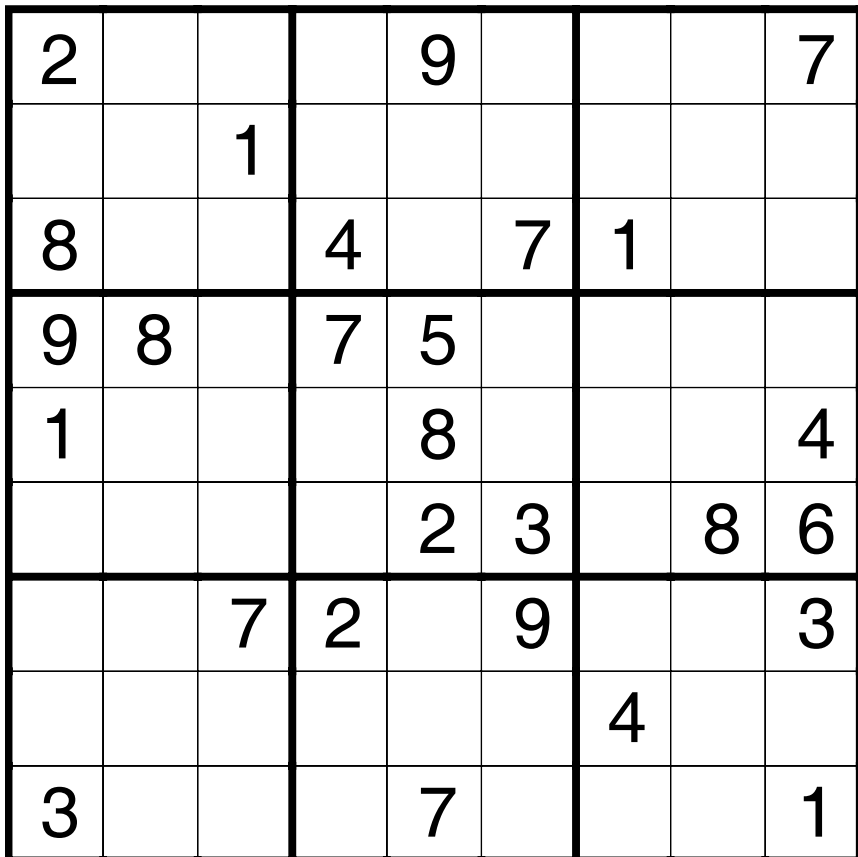
- 18 ___ gobi: potato and cauliflower dish
- 22 Loops in via email
- 24 Newspaper column
- 25 Split in the road
- 26 Car
- 29 Green prefix
- 30 Jungfrau, for one
- 31 Foot part
- 32 Donut holes, at Dunkin'
- 33 Unreturned serve
- 35 "You ___ one job!"
- 36 Artist Yoko
- 37 QB's gains
- 39 Italian goodbye
- 40 Lahore language
- 41 Saudi Arabia neighbor
- 46 Caustic cleaner
- 47 Pronouns in some bios
- 48 The "P" of IPA
- 49 Shorebird
- 50 In the know
- 51 Not flimsy
- 52 Back in style
- 53 Shoulder muscles, briefly
- 54 Couch potato's sin
- 58 Slushy drink brand
- 59 Gumbo-thickening pod
- 61 Poet's "many, many times"
- 62 "No way!"
- 63 Dove's sound

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ANSWERS

Aug. 2–9, 2024

FRIDAY, 8/2

\$2.53 Soup: Clam Chowder

\$6.44 Entrées: GF Baked Catfish, GF Garlic Butter Shrimp, Stuffed Cabbage, Fried Catfish

\$1.21 Sides: Mixed Greens, Beets, Cold Salads, Fruit, Baked Beans, Cheesy Grits

\$2.76 Desserts: Assorted Regular and NSA Desserts

SATURDAY, 8/3

Lunch served at the Lopin' Gopher

\$2.53 Soup of the Day

\$7.59 Whistle Stop Special: Lasagna, Corn, Dinner Roll, Assorted Desserts, Fountain Drink

SUNDAY, 8/4

Lunch Buffet

Members \$12.63 | Non-Members \$17.81 | Beverage Included

Entrées: Pot Roast, Pulled BBQ Pork, Fried Chicken

Sides: Green Beans, Cheesy Cauliflower, Side Salad, Fruit, Macaroni and Cheese, Mashed Potatoes with Gravy

Desserts: Assorted Regular and NSA Desserts

MONDAY, 8/5

\$2.53 Soup: Soup of the Day

\$6.44 Entrées: Liver and Onions, Pick Five Sides, Chicken Tenders

\$1.21 Sides: Bermuda Vegetable Blend (Green Beans, Carrots, Peppers and Broccoli), Broccoli, Okra and Tomatoes with Rice, Cold Salads, Fruit, Baked Potato

\$2.76 Desserts: Assorted Regular and NSA Desserts

TUESDAY, 8/6

\$7.70 Special: Salad Bar

\$6.44 Entrées: Turkey and Ham Hoagie, Country Fried Steak with White Gravy

\$1.21 Sides: Succotash, Beets, Cold Salads, Fruit, Zucchini Fries, Potatoes au Gratin

\$2.76 Desserts: Assorted Regular and NSA Desserts

NOTE: Prices listed are the retail cost per item. ACV members who present their ID badge at the cash register will receive a 10% discount. Menu is subject to change. Individual beverage cost: \$1.30.

GF=Gluten-Free NSA=No Sugar Added

Rumph Dining Room Midday Dining Menu

Aug. 2–9, 2024

WEDNESDAY, 8/7

- \$2.53 Soup:** Soup of the Day
\$6.44 Entrées: Spaghetti with Meat Marinara, Fried Chicken
\$1.21 Sides: Cabbage, California Vegetable Blend (Cauliflower, Carrots and Broccoli), Corn, Cold Salads, Fruit, Mashed Potatoes with Gravy
\$2.76 Desserts: Assorted Regular and NSA Desserts

THURSDAY, 8/8

- \$6.44 Entrées:** Lamb Roast, Chicken Paprikash
\$1.21 Sides: Garlic Spinach with Grape Tomatoes, Cold Salads, Fruit, Wild Rice, Mashed Sweet Potatoes
\$2.76 Desserts: Assorted Regular and NSA Desserts

FRIDAY, 8/9

- \$2.53 Soup:** Shrimp Corn Chowder
\$6.44 Entrées: GF Baked Fish, GF Garlic Butter Shrimp, Pot Roast, Fried Catfish
\$1.21 Sides: Mixed Greens, Beets, Cold Salads, Fruit, Baked Beans, Cheesy Grits
\$2.76 Desserts: Assorted Regular and NSA Desserts



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Includes 1 entrée, 2 sides, bread,
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Friday, Aug. 1

Grouper Francaise with Confetti Rice and
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Saturday, Aug. 2

Spaghetti with Italian Sausage Marinara and
Garlic Toast. \$16.95



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Sat. & Sun: 11 am–1:30 pm



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Sun: 7:30–10 am | 3:30–7 pm
Mon–Fri: 7:30–10 am | 2:30–7 pm
Sat: 7:30–10:00 am | 3–7 pm



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Wed–Thurs: 11 am–2 pm
Fri–Sat: 8–10:30 am | 11 am–8 pm