

## NEWSLETTER

Rick & Sue Hobot - Editors December 2012



"Oh, Come all ye Faithful" And **Peace on Earth** 

#### LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

As Christmas approaches and I pull out my boxes of decorations, I renew old friendships. People I love and some that I miss. I pulled out a red crochet doily made by my sweet elderly friend Edith, who passed away shortly afterwards. She told me it would be the last one she'd make, as the color red was to hard on her eves. Edith was 94. Another box was marked "Nativity". My friend Marlys was into ceramics, had her own kiln. So for our wedding gift we received a nativity set, camels and all, her husband had made a manager to go with it. Marlys died at age 52. On my table with my red doily sits my Christmas tree collection plus a wooden one that my brother made for me in the 70's. You might be relieved to know he is still with us. SO, as this Christmas season arrives and we look forward to the parties and friends, many busy wrapping gifts or baking cookies, maybe getting those cards out or getting ready to head north to be with those grand children who are looking forward to Santa with his bag of gifts. Christians world wide are looking for that star in the sky announcing the arrival of a new born king, the "true" meaning of Christmas. I do hope that like me, some of you are renewing old friends, happier times, memories of those no longer with us, praying for those dealing with serious health issues and wishing each other a Merry Christmas and a New Year, filled with Hope, Love and Peace. May 2013 be a happy one, a healthy one for each of you here in Port Carlos Cove and God bless.

#### December Breakfast

The December breakfast was held on a beautiful day. Christmas music filled the air and the volunteers were on the ready.

Mary Ann and Bob Wiesenauer were at the table ready to collect the money. Joe Wilaby was selling the 50/50 chances. Port Carlos' own Martha Stewart, Carolyn Hartman had agreed to bake cinnabons for the breakfast. Our pancake turners were Mike Becker and Vern Plante with Tom Edmundson as cook in training.

Our French toast expert was
Gloria Longo, and Diane Kean with her
assistant Rita Plante, were busy scrambling
eggs. Rick Hobot was our "sausage" man and
then we had Carol and Paul Lenz and Pete.
Longo who cleaned, coffee'd and served juice.
Everyone worked hard but our turn out was
not one of the best. Stuff happens, but at the
end of the day Pete and Gloria had won the
50/50 and we did make a profit of over \$100
for the Civic Association. I thank each and
every one who helped, from the Men's Club
for setting up and Glenn who dealt with the
floor the next morning to my friends who
volunteered to help host this breakfast.

Sue Hobot





Please pray for our Neighbors who are having health issues.

Ronnie Barnes Judy Eul June Kelly Anne Nelson Ron Nelson Dick Noel **Bonnee Rainwater** Ann Russell **Bill Russell** Dianne Taylor Violet Zepp

And all the others that we do not know of that are having health issues.

#### HARRY CHAPIN FOOD SHELF

I think most of us are happy with our lives. We might not have "everything" but we are in a good place and most of us have lived the good life. However, there are more people than ever who are still struggling to make ends meet. Senior's who have to decide at the end of the month whether to buy food or pay a bill, maybe get a prescription. Children who are lucky enough to get a meal at school as there will be no supper for them at home. Men who look daily for a job so they feel like the "man" of the house, one who can take care of their families. There are SO many out there, and with the holiday approaching

PLEASE remember those less fortunate. 37 pounds of food was delivered after Thanksgiving, but our box looks pretty empty now. There are envelopes on our Harry Chapin box which will hold a check or cash. Little or Big, every little bit helps, so I ask you to think about how blessed we are here in Paradise. To those of you who have already given, I thank you.



JANUARY



Diane Taylor	2 <sup>nd</sup>		
Kathleen Haight	4 <sup>th</sup>		
Sandy Johnson	4 <sup>th</sup>		
Dennis Axford	5 <sup>th</sup>		
Bruce Kullberg	8 <sup>th</sup>		
Sandra Cecchini	10 <sup>th</sup>		
Ron Nelson	11 <sup>th</sup>		
Adele Moore	12 <sup>th</sup>		
Dave Holkeboer	14 <sup>th</sup>		
Deb Lozier	14 <sup>th</sup>		
Karl Soderburg	14 <sup>th</sup>		
Virginia Seguin	14 <sup>th</sup>		
Paul Bellitto	15 <sup>th</sup>		
Jeff Fansher	20 <sup>th</sup>		
Judy Pitoni	24 <sup>th</sup>		
Anne Olney	25 <sup>th</sup>		
Neil Hughes	27 <sup>th</sup>		
Jane Lozier	27 <sup>th</sup>		
Margaret Anderson	28 <sup>th</sup>		
Dick Wallem	28 <sup>th</sup>		

Wally & Judy Marusenko January 29th



Verne & Rita Plante

January 30th



Thanksgiving 2012
was fantastic.
54 residents and
friends came together
for a potluck of epic
proportions, and we
also delivered dinner
to several PCC

residents that were unable to attend. Carolyn
Hartman, Barb Lange, Nancy Wilaby, and
Michelle Archer roasted and carved six turkeys,
and Mike Becker hammed it up with the ham.
Great salads, vegetables, mashed potatoes, gravy,
dressing, and desserts completed the feast. It was a
great day to give thanks, and we're already looking
forward to next year.
Mary Gumm

CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION FOR OUR "FAMILY" HERE AT PORT CARLOS COVE



6:00 PM CHRISTMAS EVE AT THE CLUBHOUSE

AFTER AN HOUR OF SOCIALIZING WE WILL BE SINGING CAROLS AROUND THE CAMPFIRE. WE WILL CLOSE OFF ONE SIDE OF MAIN STREET WITH LUMINARIES AND OUR CAMPFIRE WILL BE IN FRONT OF THE CLUBHOUSE.

THEN WE WILL HAVE A LIGHT SUPPER.

PLEASE BRING AN APPETIZER TO SHARE AND ANY REFRESHMENTS YOU WISH.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS OR WOULD LIKE TO HELP WITH THE LUMINARIES PLEASE CALL NANCY WILABY AT 612-386-6372 29 people from Port Carlos Cove attended the 22nd Keyboard Festival featuring Paul Todd, Doug Cameron, Church choir and many other very talented musicians on Sunday December 2nd at the First Assembly of God Church.

Doug Cameron's 6 year old son stole the show as he played the violin and sang. He got a standing ovation. We were entertained, inspired and enjoyed several laughs throughout the evening which put us all in the true spirit of Christmas. The evening come to a close with a dinner at Mimi's Restaurant with everyone enjoying good food, laughter and conversation. We will have to make this an annual event. Jane Lozier

### P.C.C. LINE DANCING BEGINNER'S WELCOME

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EVERY TUESDAY MORNING
10:30 ~ 11:30
IN THE CLUBHOUSE
STARTS – JANUARY 8TH
ENDS – MARCH 26TH

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#### 2013 BAZAAR SATURDAY, JANUARY 19TH



WATCH THE BULLITEN BOARD MEETINGS & FURTHER INFO

# January 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		New Years Lunch	Tom's Golf SHELL POINT Joyce's Cards EUCHRE	Golf@Myerlee BINGO	4	5
6	Men's Club Coffee 9AM Golf @ Cross Creek CIVIC ASSOCIATION MEETING 7PM	POTLUCK 4PM  Line Dancing  BRIDGE	BOARD MEETING 9AM Joyce's Cards Tom's Golf SHELL POINT EUCHRE	Golf@Myerlee BINGO	11	Pancake Breakfast
13	GOLF Cross Creek	POTLUCK 4PM  Line Dancing  BRIDGE	Tom's Golf SHELL POINT Joyce's Cards	17 Golf@Myerlee BINGO	18	19 BAZAAR
20	Men'sClub Coffee 9AM GOLF Cross Creek	POTLUCK 4PM Line Dancing BRIDGE	Tom's Golf SHELL POINT Joyce's Cards	24 Golf@Myerlee BINGO	25	26
27	GOLF Cross Creek	POTLUCK 4PM  Line Dancing  BRIDGE	Tom's Golf SHELL POINT Joyce's Cards EUCHRE	Golf@Myerlee BINGO	WATER AREOBICS MONDAY- FRIDAY 9:20 AM  LADIES SHUFFLEBOARD MON – WED – FRI 9AM	