## 281-464-3150

February 8, 2022

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## Tuesday-8

10a Bible Study 11a Chair Exercise 1p Duplicate Bridge 1p Shanghai 6p Poker Night

## Wednesday-9

10a Fitness 1p Sewing Group 1p Canasta 1p Poker 12:45p BUNCO 3:30p Beg Line Dancing **7p TEC Mtg** 

## Thursday-10

10a Walk Aerobics
11a Chair Exercise
1p Duplicate Bridge
1p Asian MahJong
1p Poker
6:00p Int Line Dancing
6:30p Mexican Train

## Friday- I I

10a Fitness 1p Rummikub 2p Art Group 6:30p Shanghai

## Saturday-12

10a Walk Aerobics 11a Cardio Line Dancing

## Sunday-13



Super Bowl Party 4:30p

## Monday-14

I Ia Fitness Ip American Mahjong Ip Poker 2p Cardio Line Dancing

Happy Valentines Day!



## Pick up your FREE ticket at the front desk.

February 13, 2022 At 4:30pm

Sandwiches, Chips, Assorted Snacks, Drinks

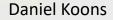
Football Squares Enjoy the game on the Big Screen



## AT GREEN TEE

## **HOA Board Candidates announced**

The Elections Committee is pleased to announce the following homeowners are candidates for the HOA Board of Directors:





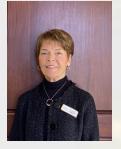
Jerry Squyres



Kenneth Wiggins



Jackie Robbins



**Billy Potter** 



Susan Spates



Homeowners will receive more information in their mailboxes.

Also, regularly check the website and read the weekly newsletter for up-to-date information on the election process.







Stages Theatre & Dinner @ El Tiempo (on Washington St.)

Saturday, February 12, 2022 1:45 pm— 8:00 pm

If you would like to be on the waiting list, please call:

## Patsy Womack 281-744-0830

## Cost is: \$42.00

(If you would rather drive instead of riding the bus, you can still purchase a ticket from Patsy.)

The bus will pick us up at 1:45 pm to go to Stages to see and you may be chosen to be in the play. The Musical, a Rock-n-Roll comedy set in 1989 East Berlin. MacGyver is selected from the audience at each performance.

With just a punk rock band, a pocketknife and a voice in your head you could tear down the wall and save America!

Veterans Meeting has been cancelled for February 16th

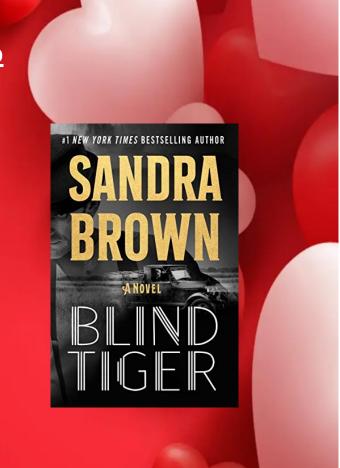
Will meet again in March

Next meeting for <u>The Book Club</u> is

Thursday, Feb 10, at 1:00 pm in the Annex. We will discuss <u>Blind Tiger</u> by

Sandra Brown

For information or to get the book list we will be considering for the future: call Phyllis Baker 281-947-8836 landline 813-520-1636 cell phone





The Valentine Parade will be held at 3pm. Sunday, 2/13.

Bonnie Rohde, 92, a BV resident for at least 15 years, has been an inspiration to so many here in the neighborhood. We will honor her at our parade Sunday, February 13, since she is Bella Vita's Sweetheart! If you have any questions or if any parade participants would like to carry a photo or banner of Bonnie on your golf cart, car or bike please call

call Suzanne Matocha 281-704-6650

COUNTRY Western Dance and Chili Cook Off Contest

**«TEC PRESENTS** 

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Saturday, Feb. 19, 2022

\$18.00 Per Ticket

WANTED

Each person that purchases a ticket will be able to sample all the Teams Chili. Vote for the chili you think is the best, then have a bowl of the chili with cornbread, toppings of your choice, adult beverage and ice cream.

Doors Open at 6:00pm Chili cookoff prizes for both "Judges Choice and People's Choice."

Country Western Band - "String Benders"

> Surprise Entertainment by our own BV Residents

## **TEC Country Western Dance/Chili Cook Off Contest**

## **Chili Team/Individual Application**

This is an application for you and/or your Team to participate in the Chili Cook Off Contest at BellaVita on February 19, 2022, at 6:30PM. Each Team is limited to having between one and four members involved. <u>Each Team/Individual is</u> <u>responsible for making two crock pots of their homemade Chili. You/Team are</u> <u>responsible for cleaning up any/Team's cooking utensils and BV kitchen after the</u> <u>event. **DEADLINE FOR TEAM/INDIVIDUAL ENTRIES IS THURSDAY FEB.10TH, 2022**</u>

<u>Name of Team</u>

Name or Names of Team Members

Additional Names

Additional Names

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I hereby agree to the terms and conditions in participating

<u>In the 2022 Bellavita Chili Cook Off.</u>

<u>Signature</u>

PLEASE DROP OFF AT THE FRONT DESK





COMMUNICATION COMMITTEE SATURDAY, FEBUARY 26, 2022 BELLAVIEW: ACTIVITY SHOWCASE 2-4pm BALLROOM

> Join us for the annual event, where tables are set up with BVHOA Board Representations, social club officers and committee chairs are ready to answer your questions and encourage your involvement. Flyers and paperwork from past events are available for you to peruse and possibly pique your interest. In addition to the volunteer opportunities, you will also be able to meet those who are involved in the many fun games and activities you see listed on the monthly calendar.

Refreshments will be served and a drawing for 3 gift cards for new members. This is a FREE, come and go activity.

## MARCH 5,<sup>™</sup> 2022 6:30PM **\$15.00**

ARGE BOILED SHRIMP WITH CORN AND POTATOES

HOMEMADE CHICKEN & SAUSAGE GUMBO

COLE SLAW

GARLIC BREAD

DRINKS

## SPONSORED BY THE MEN'S CLUB

GREAT FOOD AND

LIVE MUSIC BY The trio cool beans



## Volunteers Needed

We are looking for volunteers for the Belles Downton Abbey AfternoonTea in April. If you would like to help, contact

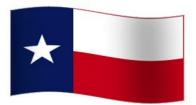
> Casenia Caddell (281) 415-4935

Needs Include: Table Hostesses, Waiters, Food Prep, Set-up & Decorations, Greeters/Tickets, Clean-Up etc. WHAT IS A WEEKEND? Violet Crawley,



Flags Of BellaVita

2022 Enrollment



Flags of BellaVita will fly for the Remaining NATIONAL FLAG HOLIDAYS

Print Name:

Print Address:

## **Enrollment Fees:**

\$25.00 for the first US Flag

Number of flags requested CURB:

Number of flags LAKE:

Date \_\_\_\_\_

\$15.00 each additional flag

US\_\_\_\_\_TEXAS \_\_\_\_\_

US\_\_\_\_\_ TEXAS \_\_\_\_\_

Amount \$\_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: Please make your check payable to BellaVita Men's Club

Please leave your check and completed form at the Clubhouse or mail to :

Flags of BellaVita 1548 North Riviera Circle Pearland, Tx 77581



We could use your help. All BellaVita residents are invited to volunteer for the Flags Project.

I would like to know more about Volunteering for the Flags Project. Yes\_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Tired of lugging all of those Christmas decorations back into the attic? Ready to scale down Halloween, Easter and Christmas décor? Unhappy with those token gifts? Just moved in and brought too much stuff? DIDN'T SELL EVERYTHING AT THE COMMUNITY GARAGE SALE? OUR GARAGES ARE PRACTICALLY EMPTY AND WE NEED YOUR GOOD STUFF.

WE ACCEPT HOUSEHOLD GOODS (POTS/PANS, CHINA, SILVERWARE, PICTURES, ART OBJECTS, LAMPS, GLASSES, PLANT STANDS, PURSES, JEWELRY, ETC.) JUST ASK US!! THIS YEAR WE WILL SELL AT THE COMMUNITY GARAGE SALE.

CONTRIBUTE TO 2022 TREASURE BOX BENEFITING THE MILITARY MOMS AND WIVES OF BRAZORIA COUNTY





(Our troops and veterans)

Call: Carolyn Beeson

832-328-0921

2303 Tuscany Ct.

WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT!!

## UPDATE ON THE LIBRARY BORROWERS CARDS

It is still a work in progress, of course, but <u>progress IS being made</u>! Cards are now in most of the Hardback Fiction section! Not sure how many that is but we ran out of cards and have already reordered *another 500*!

Better still is this report that **the system is actually working**! Personal story here:

Twice now I have brought home books from the Library only to discover that I had already read them! The cards in those books now bear my "mark". THAT won't happen again!

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So, get down there and do some reading and make your mark!

## PROFESSIONAL QUIZ

The following short quiz consists of 4 questions and will tell you whether you are qualified to be a "professional." Scroll down for each answer. The questions are NOT that difficult.

1. How do you put a giraffe into a refrigerator?

2. How do you put an elephant into a refrigerator?

3. The Lion King is hosting an animal conference. All the animals attend except one. Which animal does not attend?

4. There is a river you must cross but it is inhabited by crocodiles. How do you manage it?



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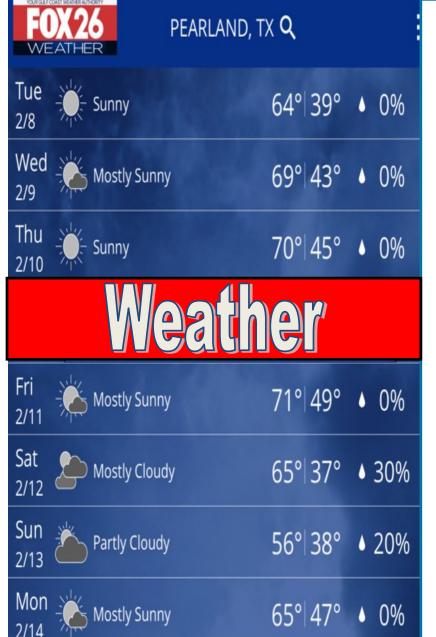
## **Ingredients**

4 oz vodka

- 2 oz cranberry juice
- 1 oz grapefruit juice
- 1 oz orange juice
- grenadine splash

## Instructions

- 1. Fill a cocktail shaker full of ice
- Add all ingredients in cocktail shaker except garnish
- 3. Shake vigorously until combined
- 4. Strain into a serving glass





Your HOA dues includes having your front door maintained every 2 yrs. This means the door will be lightly sanded and a coat of spar varnish will be applied. A new weather strip on the bottom of the door is included, if needed. This will help to protect your door. However, if you postpone or do not request having your door serviced and it requires having your door refinished, the HOA will only cover a portion of the cost to refinish and replace the weather strip. The HOA will pay a maximum of \$180 (the cost to the HOA for regular maintenance plus a 2nd coat of varnish). You will be responsible for the remaining cost of the door service. It is your responsibility to call and have it serviced every 2 years. Please call Jerry Marshburn at 281-998-7709 or come by or contact the Clubhouse at 281-464-3150 before October and get on the schedule. The doors are serviced March through October.

Rose Award Nomination

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It is time to consider a nomination for the ROSE Award 2021 that will be presented at the annual homeowners meeting in March 2022. ROSE is an acronym for Recognition Of Serving Extraordinarily. The ROSE is the highest form of recognition given by the BellaVita HOA to an individual for an idea/solution/project and that directly benefits the entire BellaVita community and/or community life. These efforts are viewed as being "above and beyond" the normal service of homeowners. The following are past recipients of the ROSE Award: Don Jensen, 2014

Don Jensen, 2014 Ron Lauve, 2015 Charles Parham and Gene Reddell, 2016 Fritz Ring and Ruth Southard, 2017 Diane Nicolas, 2018 Linda Kuhn, 2019 No Award 2020

By February 21,2022, Homeowners may submit nominations to the Clubhouse. ROSE Award information and nomination forms are available on the BV website under the Awards Committee tab or pick up forms at the front desk. Thank you for your participation in this volunteer recognition program.

Sandra Bornstein, Awards Comm. Chair

## **CIRCLE YOUR CALENDAR'S**

The Annual Art de' BellaVita will return March 26. Join friends and fellow residents for an afternoon of enjoyment viewing artwork, photography and crafts.

Lite refreshments will be served between 2 and 4 PM.

Residents interested in exhibiting should call:

**Carolyn Beeson** 

832-328-0921

Life is so short. We spend so much time sweating the small stuff worrying, complaining, gossiping, comparing, wishing, wanting and waiting for something bigger and better instead of focusing on all the simple blessings that surround us everyday Life is so fragile and all it takes is a simple moment to change everything you take for granted. Focus on what's important and be grateful. You are blessed! Believe it! Live your life and leave no regrets.

ENJOY LIFE

## Trivia ANSWERS

1. The correct answer is: Open the refrigerator, put in the giraffe, and close the door. This question tests whether you tend to do simple things in an overly complicated way.

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2.Did you say, "Open the refrigerator, put in the elephant, and close the refrigerator?"

### (Wrong Answer)

Correct Answer: Open the refrigerator, take out the giraffe, put in the elephant and close the door. This tests your ability to think through the repercussions of your previous actions.

3.Correct Answer: The Elephant. The elephant is in the refrigerator. You just put him in there. This tests your memory.

OK, even if you did not answer the first three questions correctly, you still have one more chance to show your true abilities.

4.Correct Answer: You swim across. All the crocodiles are attending the Animal Meeting. This tests whether you learn quickly from your mistakes.

According to Anderson Consulting Worldwide, around 90% of the professionals they tested got all questions wrong. But many preschoolers got several correct answers. Anderson Consulting says this conclusively disproves the theory that most professionals have the brains of a four year old.



Tuesday, February 1, Bridge

North/South

1st Gail McCullah – Russell Pryor

2nd Joyce Garner – Jean Foltz

## East/West

1st Marion McKernon – Joyce Garner

2nd Theresa Devereux – Phyllis Chaney

Thursday, February 3, Bridge

## North/ South

1st Rhonda Bryant - Sandy Pollard

2nd Carol Dyson – Joyce Garner

## East/West

1st Linda Aaron – Ann Sharp

2nd Jean Foltz – David Dommert

Duplicate Bridge is played on Tuesdays and Thursdays afternoons. Players may sign up by calling Lyle Ganucheau in advance.

Party Bridge has been Cancelled.

# VALENTINE'S DAY WORD SEARCH

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Arrow Be mine Bouquet Candy Card Chocolate Cuddle Cupid February Flowers Friend Hearts Hug Kiss

Love Pink Red Romance Roses Sweet Valentine



## Beg Line Dancing Wednesday at 3:30p Intermediate Line Dance Thursday 6 pm



Cardio Line Dancing Monday @ 2pm Saturday at 11am

**Walking Aerobics** We meet: Monday @ 11AM, Wednesday @ 10AM **Thursdays and Saturday** and Friday @ 10AM. @ 10AM See you there! TNESS Thursday @ Art Group 6:30pm in the friday, at 2pm in the Arts & Craft Annex American Mah-Jongg DAY BUNCO ASIAN MAH-JONGG Come and join us on Come and join us on Thursdays Monday at 1pm in the at 1PM in the Second Wednesday of every Month Annex. Annex. At 12:45 @ the Clubhouse \$5.00 to Play Rummikub Fridays @ the Níght Bunco Will Annex 1:00 PM BUNKO Lots of fun! Good brain Feb. 23, 2022 exercise! Come join us! Tuesdays at 1PM, FRIDAY AT 6:00 pm IN THE ANNEX. Singles and couples are POKER welcome. There are no partners in Shanghai. Please call Charlotte Goza Monday & Thursday 713-819-1881 at 1pm to indicate your interest, and please let her know if you already know how to play. **Bible Study** 10a on Tuesday



BellaVita Front Desk will provide the following Fax, Notary and Copy services for home owners. Due to Covid-19 there will be NO Charge at this time up to 10 pages after 10 pages there will be a charge of 10cents per sheet

- Long distance faxes -
- Sending local Faxes
   NO International faxes
- Receiving Faxes
- Notary services are free by appointment only. Notary services are for residents only. Please make appointment at the front desk.
- Scanning to email
- Copy Services

The **Copy Center** copying guidelines for the BellaVita HOA Board, Board Committees and Clubs and Organization Officers are at no charge as follows:

- Maximum of 25 pages immediate copying
- Maximum of 400 pages 24 hour copying
- Over 400 pages one week copying
- Any specialty services (stapling, binding, hole punching, etc.) are the responsibility of the requester.
- <u>All copies are black and white on</u> white paper only.
- All specialty papers are to be provided by the requester.





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