

Village Walk Life

MONTHLY PUBLICATION FOR RESIDENTS OF VILLAGE WALK

JANUARY 2012

UPCOMING EVENTS

January 2012

- 1/1 *New Year's Brunch*
- 1/4 *FREE Tai Chi Clinic*
- 1/5 *Book Club*
- 1/7 & 1/8 *Tennis Clinic*
- 1/12 *The Clay Pottery Art Class*
- 1/14 *Gotcha Tournament*
- 1/19 *Culinary Club*
- 1/20 *Name That Tune*
- 1/26 *Kowiachobee Tour*
- 1/28 *Ku-Ku Trolley to Ft Myers*

February 2012

- 2/2 *Book Club*
- 2/5 *Super Bowl Party*
- 2/16 *Culinary Club*
- 2/17 *Ladies Spa Retreat*
- 2/18 *Car Show & Parade*
- 2/18 *Night Out on the Town*
- 2/24 *Ladies Luncheon*

March 2012

- 3/1 *Book Club*
- 3/1 & 2 *Dixieland Band*
- 3/3 *Davis Cup*
- 3/10 *Community Garage Sale*
- 3/13 & 14 *AARP Courses*
- 3/24 *Spring Fling*

Join us at Town Hall
Sunday, January 1, 2012
for our "New Year's Brunch"

11:00 am - 1:00 pm

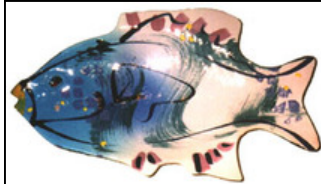
Serving from 11:15 am until 12:30 pm

Catered by Haney's Catering

Cost: \$15.95 pp (all inclusive)

Limited Seating

Call Cindy at 594-8044 for reservations



Pottery Class @ Town Hall

Thursday, January 12th

1:00 - 3:00 pm

Design and paint a "fish platter" of your own with the assistance of Jim Rice of The Clay Place.

Cost is \$43.00 pp - Limited to 12 participants

Includes: 1 (16x9 in.) "fish platter", under glaze colors, brushes & assorted supplies for painting, "how to" instructions, glazing and firing of piece. Also included in the cost are snacks, wine and music to paint by.

Sign up by January 9th - Class is limited

**The Culinary Club
Lunch for January will be at**



**2700 Immokalee Road
Naples, FL**

**Thursday * January 19th
12:00 p.m.**

Individual Checks + tax + tip

Sign up by January 17th



**KOWIACHOBEE ANIMAL
PRESERVE TOUR**

Thursday, January 26th, 2:00 - 4:00pm

Join us at the Kowiachobee Animal Preserve for an up close and educational tour of some truly amazing animals. The Kowiachobee sanctuary is home to over 85 animals; exotic, domestic and native. You will see tigers, jaguars, leopards and Florida panthers, as well as maras, sugar gliders, tortoises, horses, reptiles, nocturnal animals, a wallaby and many more! Learn first-hand the interesting facts and history of these animals.

The Kowiachobee is a non-profit agency which focuses on public awareness and education, as well as housing and caring for these animals. To enhance your experience, you may bring apple and carrot slices to feed some of the animals.

Kowiachobee is located at 2861 4th Avenue SE, Naples, FL 34117. Directions can be obtained at the Town Hall office. Transportation is on your own.

Donations are \$10 adults / \$5 child 12 and under

Make checks payable to Village Walk Activities

Sign up by January 19th

**Name That Tune
Music Trivia Night!**

Friday, January 20th

6:00pm to 9:00pm (Doors open at 5:30pm)

**THE HOTTEST NEW
GAME IN TOWN!**



Who will be the Village Walk Team Trivia Winner? Enjoy music Trivia, Food, Dancing, Fun and Prizes! Join Nancy and Barry for our first MUSIC TRIVIA NIGHT as they take us on a Music Trivia Adventure!

Here is how it works...get your team together, six to ten people (no more, no less and **no exceptions**). Bring an appetizer to share with your table and BYOB. A snippet of a song will be played (10-25 seconds) and the player's job is to:

- 1) NAME THAT TUNE (1-point)
 - 2) NAME THE ARTIST (2-points)
- AND...
- 3) SUPPLY THE NEXT LINE OF THE SONG (3-points)

Resulting in 6 possible points

Each snippet is repeated 3 times to give ample opportunity for team players to confer and agree. This is done in two sessions. During the break and following the game there will be dance music to get you up and going while the scores are tallied. After scoring, songs are played, answers are revealed and prizes are awarded.

Remember, the winning team earns bragging rights until the next stand off. Soda, water, cups paper products and ice will be provided.

Cost \$ 12.00 pp

Sign your team up by January 16th

When making reservations please list your

Calling all Ku-Ku Nuts!

For our residents who can't get enough of the Ku-Ku Ku-Nu-Ku Trolley, we will be heading out of Village Walk to Fort Myers Beach on Saturday, January 28th.

Boarding on the Party Trolley will start at 5:00pm

Cocktails and Appetizers at Pierside Grill 5:45-7:00pm

Dinner and Dancing at Pinchers on the Beach 7:15-9:30?pm

Returning to VW between 10 & 10:30pm

We will be right in Time Square on Fort Myers Beach, so if dancing isn't your thing, you can walk out on the Pier or on the Beach!

You can bring drinks in a small cooler on the Trolley!

Cost \$15.00 pp

(cost is for Trolley only - you are responsible for drinks and food)



Sign up by
January
23rd -
LIMITED



SEATING!



Free

Tennis Clinic



- All Levels of Players WELCOME.
- If you would like to learn, this a perfect time to get started.
- We have extra racquets available for your use.

Saturday, January 7th
11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
&

Sunday, January 8th
1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Call Bud Werner to sign up
513-9404 Cell: 777-5889

The clinic is limited so please call.

Village Walk Phone Directory

Form is due by

Feb. 1, 2012.

Turn yours in today!!



NOTE: If you do not turn a form in, your info will be excluded from the 2012 Directory!!!

*As per the Fl. Statue
now requires permission*

THANK YOU
*for your generosity
during the holidays.*

From The Staff at Village Walk

**Paul, Christy, Cindy, Jack,
Carlos, Carmen & Eddie**

ACC

"Architectural Control Committee"

Any and All EXTERIOR
changes must be APPROVED
prior to work being done.

See Christy in the VW Office for details.



FREE

Tai Chi Clinic

w/Karen Atkin, R.Y.T.

Wednesday, January 4th

11:15am

Town Hall Upstairs



VW BASS FISHING CONTEST!

RULES OF THE CONTEST:

1. You must present us with a picture & measurements of the fish caught.
2. All fish **MUST** be caught in the Village Walk lake.
3. Name, address and phone number of person catching fish must accompany the picture.

CONTEST ENDS FEBRUARY 1, 2012

\$100.00 GRAND PRIZE (largest fish)

\$50.00 SECOND PLACE

\$25.00 THIRD PLACE

\$25.00 FOURTH PLACE

Please submit all pictures to be entered to the Activities Director at Town Hall and they will be displayed in the Post Office.

Sponsored by the
VW Lakes Committee

Prizes compliments of Village Walk
HOA & Lake Masters Aquatic
Weed Control

Questions call Paul Adelhelm

239-594-0519

GOTCHA TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Saturday
January 14, 2012

Sign up by
January 3, 2012

**Limited to
24 Players**

**Call Bud Werner for
more details**

**239-777-5889 or
239-513-9404**





SPEEDING
DON'T
DO IT!

SOMEONE'S GOING
TO GET HURT!!!!

WOULD YOU
RATHER HAVE
SPEED BUMPS

??????

DO YOUR PART
DON'T SPEED!!!!



Town Hall Meeting
Saturday
January 21st
10:00 am
at Town Hall

Village Walk

Real Estate Update

Brian Cary of Illustrated Properties will be giving a presentation **January 19th, 2012 at 7pm** to highlight this past year's real estate market in Village Walk. Open Q&A will follow after presentation.

Regular monthly Board Meeting will follow directly after this presentation

Mega Praise

VW Christmas Open House

December 15, 2011



Sign ups for
Davis Cup
Tournament
January 14th

*PRIME TIME GOLF FOR THE ANNUAL
2012 VILLAGE WALK GOLF EVENT*

It's Money, Honey!!!! Yes, it was so successful last year we're back to Valencia and the L'Osteria restaurant for the 2012 annual Village Walk Golf Outing. (Bring those winning teams back and see if you can win it again-everyone was so close last year!)

Mark your calendar for **SUNDAY, March 25th.....11:00 AM...** prime time, Shot-gun start Scramble event. Categories for All Men's Teams, All Ladies Teams and Mixed Couples will be included for money prizes. Skins games, optional, available too for each of these categories. Other on course games and Raffle prizes complete the day...***so bring the money, honey to win!***

Registration forms will be in the envelope attached to the Golf/Tennis Bulletin Board mid -January. Get **your Team together, outside friends welcome to play!** To ensure your place VW residents, complete the form and submit to Activities by February 17. Outside Friends, register by February 29 and submit your form to Activities or to the undersigned for processing. Same price as the last 6 years, \$100.00 all taxes, gratuities, food and golfers gift package included. Non golfer social & dinner guest, \$45.00 all taxes and gratuities included.

Questions, *contact Judy Kotarak, Tournament coordinator 566-8159.*



DON'T FORGET!

PRESIDENTIAL
PREFERENCE
ELECTION DAY

Tuesday, January 31st,
Town Hall will be closed to

ALL ACTIVITIES.

Bicyclist

**Please ring your
bell and let the
walker ahead know your
passing.**

Play it Safe!!



Thank You!!! Thank You!!! Thank You!!!



December was a wonderful and fun month of events with so many people to thank!

First of all thank you JoAnn Kravitz and Marilyn Wiland for turning our Town Hall into a Christmas Fantasy. It looked absolutely beautiful!

Special thanks to Wendy Renee & Bruce Inman for making our Christmas Dinner Dance a very special evening, the Club at Olde Cypress for providing such a wonderful dinner and Jennifer from Jennifer Ziegler Photography for taking photos before the event. And I can't forget Lill Walker who assisted me as hostess for the evening!

Deirdre Dovidio thank you for all of your time and help in finding all the unique tea pots for the Ladies Christmas Tea/Luncheon. Thank you Marilyn Wiland, Marlene Salamone and Deirdre Dovidio for setting up and decorating for the event. Also, thank you to our "special" Judge, Christy Cocklin. I know it was a tough competition. And ladies... you deserve a special round of applause for the beautiful hats and tea cups.

Thank you VW Homeowners Association for sponsoring our Christmas Open House this year. A very special "THANK YOU" to Linda Krehling and Mega Praise for the wonderful Christmas music you provided to our community. There wasn't a seat left in the Town Hall!

Also, I hope you enjoyed the delicious cookies and baklava baked by our own Joan Kirby and Kathleen Adams... yum! Thank you both so much! You know you can drop some by the office anytime!

And, of course our very special Activity Committee members who are willing to help at the drop of a hat. Thank you Deirdre Dovidio, Marilyn Wiland, Lill Walker, Kathleen Adams (Board Liaison), Joan Kirby and Marlene Salamone and our very special "Elf" for setting up and cleaning up afterwards. You *are very much appreciated!*

Last but not least, a round of applause for our maintenance crew for making sure that everything is set up just right for all our events. Thank you Jack, Carlos, Carmen and Eddie. You are the best!

Ladies Christmas Tea Luncheon - December 9, 2011



Prize Winners

- Dolores Mongiello-Prettiest Tea Cup
- Betty Oberson-Most Unusual Tea Cup
- Linda Krysztofowica- Most Creative Hat
- Doris Zeliski-Most Colorful Hat
- Ann O'Shaughnessy-Most Elaborate Hat



Board Meeting Highlights December 15, 2011

Board unanimously voted to approve the proposed additions and changes to the Architectural Planning Criteria list, Rules and Regulations and Bocce rules. All proposed additions and changes were mailed to the homeowners.

Activities Pre-registration

Pre-registration is a must for all activities, classes, dances & events. Reservations/Payments must be made with Cindy at the Town Hall Office by the date listed under the activity, class or event. First come/first served, there will be no waiting list.

Please make all checks payable to

Village Walk Activities

Payment Policy

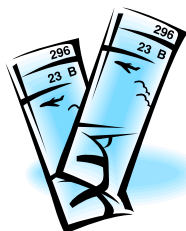
Payment is expected at time of registration. You may pay for activities by check only.

When signing up for a dinner dance, please note you are reserving your seats, not the entire table. If you wish to get a few friends together, please sign up together or one person from the table bring payment for everyone.

Cancellation Policy

For special events including dinner dances, there will be a full refund for cancellations **7 days prior** to the event date.

Day trips will be refunded if cancelled at least **15 days prior** to travel date. Theatre tickets are not refundable for any reason unless the ticket is resold, then a full refund will be issued.



Lou Gehring Memorial Car Parade & Show

Saturday, February 18th

Line-up

11:00am-12:00pm

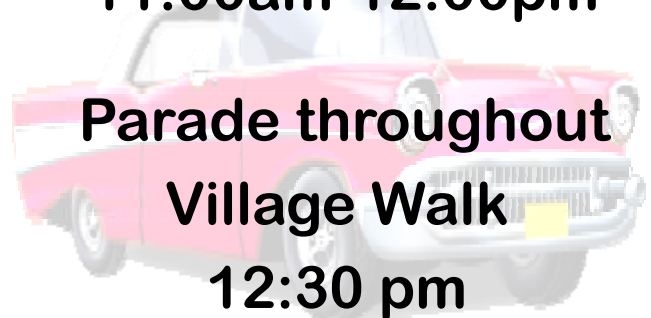
Parade throughout

Village Walk

12:30 pm

**Cars on Display at
Town Hall**

1:15pm-3:00pm



LANDSCAPE NEWS

With many newer residents and the return of seasonal residents, it seems a good time to review some of our community's basic landscape procedures and rules. Most residents should really have very few landscape concerns. Our contractual landscape care provider, Estate Landscaping, does all lawn mowing and edging, fertilizing and trimming, plant disease and insect control, and irrigation system maintenance. However, there are several things that residents should do to help facilitate landscape care.

Please keep outdoor ornaments, furniture, grills, etc., and especially electrical wiring of holiday decorations away from lawn and shrub areas. Be mindful of the need for landscape workers to have unobstructed and safe access and avoid possible damage to your possessions.

Don't hesitate to report lawn, shrub, and maintenance problems. Given the size of VW and human nature, there will be things that are missed or need improvement. Call attention to such shortcomings by contacting the Village Office, or better yet filling out a landscape work order form. These forms are available at the Village Office.

Please do not change, add, or remove existing planting beds, trees, or shrubs growing in your yard without PRIOR approval by the Architectural Control Committee (ACC). If you wish to make changes, contact the ACC by filling out a landscape change request form. This form is also available in the Village Office or on-line. Unapproved landscape modifications can cause real headaches: damaged irrigation lines, inappropriate plant choices, hindering maintenance access, etc. For those interested in revising their yard landscape, a VW Landscape Guide is available, both on-line and in hard copy form at the Village Office. This Guide will help you stay within ACC regulations.

In order to maintain a community-wide uniform appearance, all shrubs and trees are trimmed by Estate based on Florida accepted horticultural practices. Workers have been given detailed instructions on how to treat each of the plant types common in VW. Please do not ask for special trimming. With hundreds of homeowners and thousands of shrubs to care for, Estate must follow established procedures to avoid confusion.

Finally, feel free to attend Landscape Committee meetings. Your comments on agenda items are welcome. Meetings are held on the first Monday of every month at 1 p.m. in the Town Hall.

THE LANDSCAPE COMMITTEE 12/11

Town Manager's Report

Happy New Year! It's amazing how this past year has flown by. I want to thank everyone for their help and support last year and we are looking forward to a productive 2012.

2011 was filled with some changes and improvements as we strive to keep Village Walk one of the top communities in Naples. Some of the Highlights were:

- ◆ Village Walk did not enter into another bulk cable agreement and each homeowner was asked for the interim to choose their own cable provider. We will continue to closely watch the cable industry and take appropriate action into another bulk agreement when we are confident that it will be in the best interest of our residents.
- ◆ Curb ramps were installed in the parking lot and in front of the Town Hall for easier access into the building
- ◆ New furniture and plants were added to the covered patio between the community pools.
- ◆ New hedge was installed around the Town Center parking lot and in front of the Tennis Center.
- ◆ Geo-Thermal heating has now been in place for a year and saving the community thousand of dollars in heating costs. A presentation will be made at the annual meeting detailing the systems performance and savings.

Moving into 2012 - 2011 was a good year, but we want to make 2012 even better. One of the most important goals for Village Walk is to defend its title and win "Community of the Year" for the 3rd time (past winners are only able to run every 4 years). However, we need everyone's help in this goal. Do your part by keeping your home clean and following the rules. It's great if you can find time to participate in many of the activities offered throughout the year. And as always, keep supporting and helping out your neighbors.

Reminders—Please follow the posted 25 MPH speed limit. Keep the residents **SAFE** in VW.

- ◆ Newly updated ACC Criteria now includes outside personal items NOT interfering with the landscaper's access to trim surrounding bushes and/or plants. Landscapers cannot be held responsible for any item that is broken when this criteria is not followed.
- ◆ Turn in your VW phone directory authorization forms by February 1, 2012 if you want to be included in the upcoming and future phone directories.
- ◆ Please do not feed wildlife in VW. This especially goes for the Muscovy Ducks. We recently learned that waste from these ducks does far more to pollute our lake water than most other activities. Please help us keep our lakes clean and healthy by not encouraging these ducks to hang around.

Thank you to everyone who provided the office with holiday cookies and other goodies. Yum!

Here's to everyone having a Safe and Prosperous 2012!

Your Town Manager

Paul Maddry, CAM



Village Walk Book Club ~ 2012 Reading List

- Jan 5 Kitchen House by Kathleen Grissom
- Feb 2 The Paris Wife by Paula McLain
- Mar 1 Postmistress by Sarah Blake
- Apr 5 Sing You Home by Jodi Picoult
- May 3 Someone Knows My Name by Lawrence Hill
- Jun 7 The Weird Sisters by Eleanor Brown



Resolve to Read More in 2012

Please join your Village Walk friends and neighbors and attend the Village Walk Book Club on Thursday, Jan 5. We meet at 1:00 P.M. in the Town Center. Our meetings, generally, only last an hour. The discussion questions are always e-mailed to you in advance. Hope to see you soon!

Jan 5 Kitchen House By Kathleen Grissom - In 1790, Lavinia, a seven-year-old Irish orphan with no memory of her past, arrives on a tobacco plantation where she is put to work as an indentured servant with the kitchen house slaves. Though she becomes deeply bonded to her new family, Lavinia is also slowly accepted into the world of the big house. As time passes she finds herself perilously straddling two very different worlds and when loyalties are brought into question, dangerous truths are laid bare and lives are at risk. *The Kitchen House* is a tragic story of page-turning suspense, exploring the meaning of family, where love and loyalty prevail.

Feb 2 The Paris Wife by Paula McLain - A story of ambition and betrayal, **The Paris Wife** captures a remarkable period of time and a love affair between two unforgettable people: Ernest Hemingway and his wife Hadley. Chicago, 1920: Hadley Richardson is a quiet 28-year-old who has all but given up on love and happiness -- until she meets Ernest Hemingway and her life changes forever. Following a whirlwind courtship and wedding, the pair set sail for Paris, where they become the golden couple in a lively and volatile group --- the fabled "Lost Generation" --- that includes Gertrude Stein, Ezra Pound, and F. Scott and Zelda Fitzgerald.

Though deeply in love, the Hemingways are ill prepared for the hard-drinking and fast-living life of Jazz Age Paris, which hardly values traditional notions of family and monogamy. Surrounded by beautiful women and competing egos, Ernest struggles to find the voice that will earn him a place in history, pouring all the richness and intensity of his life with Hadley and their circle of friends into the novel that will become

The Sun Also Rises.

If you would like to be added to the Village Walk Book club email please contact Suzanne Roach at sueroach@comcast.net



Water Aerobics

Resort Pool

Mon., Wed. & Fri. * 10- 11:00 am

Resident Led Activity by
**Len Nacht, Jean Hachen &
 Eileen Mauskapf**



Tai Chi Classes
w/Karen Atkin, R.Y.T.

Wednesday

11:15am

Town Hall Upstairs

Bone Builders

Town Hall Upstairs

Tuesday & Thursday



8:00-9:00 am

9:00-10:00 am

FREE - All are welcome!



**YOGA W/Lira
 Bennett**

**Mon. Chair/Mat
 11:15am**

Thurs. Chair/Mat 11:30am

Weekly Fitness Schedule

Village Gym Hours: Monday-Sunday

4:00 am to 11:00 pm

Residents and overnight house guests only are welcome to use the Village Gym and/or participate in any of the Fitness Classes (see Activities Director for forms). Excludes Bone Builders.

Monday

11:30 am Yoga Chair/Mat*

Monday, Wednesday & Friday

8:30 am Strength, Sculpt, and Stretch*



Tuesday

7:30 am Walking Group**

8:00 & 9:00 am Bone Builders**

10:00 am Low Impact Fitness*



Wednesday

11:15 am Tai Chi

Thursday

7:30 am Walking Group**

9:00 am Bone Builders**

11:30 am Yoga Chair/Mat*

6:00 pm Intermediate Yoga*



Saturday

8:30 am YOGA*

*Fee Based Programs

Strength, Sculpt, & Stretch - \$6 per 60 min.

Yoga - \$10 per 60 min.

Fitness in Motion - \$6 per 60 min.

Tai-Chi - \$10 per 60 min.

**Resident led group

LET THE GAMES BEGIN



All card games and games of chance are to be penny-ante pursuant to Florida Statutes.

Bridge:

Bridge, Partner Monday - 7:00 pm	Town Hall, downstairs	Contact: Marge Jureidini, 598-5304
Bridge, Duplicate Tuesday - 7:00 pm	Town Hall, downstairs	Contact: Al Maglio, 513-9503
Bridge, Partner - Wednesday - 1:00 pm	Town Hall, downstairs	Contact: Jean Hachen, 254-1281

Poker:



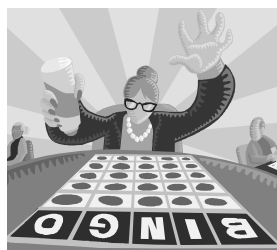
Men's Tuesday & Thursday - 1:00 pm	Town Hall, card room	Contact: Perry Eisman, 513-0076
Ladies Penny Poker 3rd Thursday-1:00 pm	Town Hall	Contact: Fran Thiel,
Men's Straight Wednesday - 1:00 pm	Town Hall, card room	Contact: Arnie Fogelstrom, 593-2171
Men's Straight Tuesday - 7:00 pm	Town Hall, card room	Contact: Fred Maurer 513-0124
Mah Jongg:	For FREE lessons	Contact: Dori Johnson, 594-9693
Monday—7:00pm	Town Hall, card room	Contact: Corinne Trucco, 566-8932
		Contact: Edith Babezki, 592-0293
Tuesday-1:00 pm	Town Hall, downstairs	Contact: Myra Eisman, 513-0076
		Contact: Maureen Wiles, 513-1994

Knit Wits



Join the knitters, crocheters and quilters every Thursday from 9:30-11:30 am in the Town Hall.

For info. Call: Mary Roland 514-3850

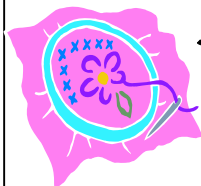


**BINGO! BINGO!
BINGO!**

**BINGO EVERY
WEDNESDAY
EVENING AT 7:00 P.M.**

~
Information call: Sharon Williams, 398-9677 or Tracy Nowak, 514-0317

Needlepoint Classes

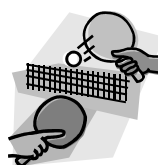


Every Monday

12:30 - 4:30 pm

Card Room at Town Hall

For Info Call: Carol Gesner 593-1545



Billiards and Ping Pong

Every Friday @ 2:00 pm at the
Town Hall Upstairs

Everyone is invited to join the fun!



L'Osteria Menu - Light Fare

Soup du Jour \$5.95

Homemade New England Clam Chowder \$5.95

Classic Caesar Salad \$5.95

Add: Grilled Chicken \$9.95 Add: Grilled Salmon \$11.95

~ Fried Calamari with Artichokes, Roasted Red Peppers and Mushrooms served with Fresh Marinara Sauce \$9.95

~ Steamed Mussels in a White Wine Lemon Garlic Butter Broth \$9.95

Add: Pasta \$13.95

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~ 8oz. Ground Sirloin Burger topped with Bacon, Lettuce, Tomato, Grilled Onions and Melted Cheddar Cheese with French Fries \$10.95

~ Fish and Chips "Fish of the Day" with French Fries and Cole Slaw \$9.95

~ 3 Piece Fried Chicken Plate with French Fries and Cole Slaw \$10.95

~ Penne Pasta tossed with Fresh Marinara Sauce \$7.95

Add: Homemade Meatballs \$12.95

~ Eggplant Rollatini stuffed with Ricotta Cheese and served with Pasta topped with Fresh Marinara Sauce \$10.95

~ Homemade Ravioli stuffed with Ricotta Cheese and topped with Fresh Marinara Sauce \$9.95

~ Sautéed Pork Medallions with a Pork Demi Glaze and Apple Chutney Sauce \$11.95

\*All Light Fare Meals Served with Homemade French Bread\*

\*The Board of Health warns that consuming raw or uncooked foods may increase your risk of food borne illness.\*

## *L'Osteria Menu - Entrées*

- ~ Pan Seared Mahi Mahi served with a Citrus Herb Crust topped with a Crab and Shrimp White Wine Butter Sauce \$15.95
  
- ~ Grouper Francaise topped with a Lemon Wine Sauce \$16.95
  
- ~ Baked Stuffed Jumbo Shrimp with Crab and Shrimp Stuffing \$14.95
  
- ~ Shrimp Scampi tossed with Linguini \$14.95
  
- ~ 7oz. Grilled Salmon in a Lemon Caper Buerre Blanc Sauce \$14.95
  
- ~ Chicken Parmesan served with Linguini \$13.95
  
- ~ Chicken Francaise Scallopini topped with a White Wine Sauce \$14.95
  
- ~ 1/2 Roasted "Crispy" Duck served with Orange Infused Balsamic Soy Glaze and Mini Crepes \$17.95
  
- ~ Braised Short Ribs with a Merlot Demi Glaze \$15.95
  
- ~ Oven Roasted Pork "Fork-Tender" with a Dijon Pork Au Jus and Roasted Onions \$15.95
  
- ~ 12oz. Grilled N. Y. Strip \$16.95
  
- ~ 12oz. Grilled Rib Eye with a Shallot Peppercorn Crust and a Merlot Demi Glaze \$16.95
  
- ~ Prime Rib \$18.95 (Friday and Saturday Only)

\*All Entrees served with the Vegetable and Potato of the day except for Pasta Entrees.\*

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### L'Osteria

#### Gift Certificate Raffle

In January 2012, L'Osteria will start holding a monthly raffle from our signed coupons, which you receive quarterly.

Dori Johnson was the lucky winner of a \$25.00 Gift Certificate in December!

### Don't Forget...

## Wednesday & Saturday is B.Y.O.W.

(Bring Your Own Wine  
No corkage fee)

### Sunday Brunch At Town Hall

Sunday, January 29th  
11:30am - 12:30am

Menu: Fruit Salad, Pastries, Scrambled Eggs, Bacon, Sausage Gravy & Biscuits

Orange Juice & Coffee

Catered by L'Osteria

COST: \$10.50pp (all inclusive)

Sponsored by L'Osteria and the Activities Committee

Sign up by January 25th



L'Osteria  
"Happy Hour"  
"ALL DAY EVERY DAY"  
during  
Lunch & Dinner Hours  
"Until January 7th"

Buy one drink & get one FREE

Wine & Beer only



### L'Osteria Hours

Tuesday - Friday

Lunch 11:00am - 2:00pm

Dinner 4:30pm - 8:00pm

Saturday 4:30pm - 8:00pm

CLOSED Sunday & Monday

For Reservations \* Call 597-1356

Coupon Procedure - Present VALID Coupon at Time of Order ~ ONE VALID Coupon per Household, Per Visit ~ Sign and Address Coupon



Coming in *March!*

Barbary Coast Dixieland Band

Performing since 1967

Inducted into the Minnesota Music Hall of Fame in 2001

Two Special Performances for VW

Thursday, *March 1st*

&

Friday, *March 2nd*

\$15.00 pp

*Don't miss these special performances!!!!*



By: Lisa,  
Margie & Diane

**“Happy New Year”**

**From Lisa, Dianne & Margie**

**Open Tuesday-Friday**

**9:00 am – 5:00 pm**

**Saturday**

**9:00 am - 3:00 pm**

**594-9045**



239-596-2520



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and

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**CI TRAVEL NEWS**

Happy New Year to everyone at Village Walk and best wishes for healthy and prosperous year ahead. I want to thank everyone for all the support and friendship this past year and I look forward to continuing this in the years to come.



2012 looks like another big year in the cruise industry as more new ships are coming out. Celebrity’s next Solstice Class ship , the Reflection; Disney’s new ship, the Fantasy; Oceania, the Riviera; Carnival, the New Breeze. Also, river cruises are still very popular and Avalon has two new ships, the Visionary and Vista; AMA Waterways has the new Amacerto. Both companies, plus Viking River Cruises and Uniworld have itineraries for river cruises to all parts of the world.

For those of you who remember the Old Mississippi Queen, these cruises are coming back on the Queen of the Mississippi and the American Queen. They will be doing cruises on the Mississippi, Ohio and Tennessee Rivers.

Until next month... Barry

Barry Biesterfeld, 3200 Village Walk Cir. Ste 104 Phone: 239 514 2047 [www.cinaples.com](http://www.cinaples.com)



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# VillageWalk

3200 Village Walk Circle, Suite 100  
Naples, FL 34109

## Town Manager Office Hours

**Monday-Friday**

**8:30 AM - 4:00 PM**

|                              |                             |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Town Manager .....           | 594-8044                    |
| Activities Director.....     | 594-8044                    |
| Gate Visitor Screening ..... | 514-0262                    |
| Gate Direct Line.....        | 593-2087                    |
| Carlisa Hair Salon .....     | 594-9045                    |
| Home Check Plus .....        | 598-2894                    |
| Illustrated Properties ..... | 596-2520                    |
| CI Travel.....               | 514-2047                    |
| L'Osteria.....               | 597-1356                    |
| IPM.....                     | 434-7447                    |
| Web.....                     | www.villagewalkofnaples.com |

## Village Walk of Naples ~ Website

Check out our website!

Go to [www.villagewalkofnaples.com](http://www.villagewalkofnaples.com) and see what is happening in your community. New information on Activities, HOA and much more.

## Activities Director Notes



*Dear Village Walk Friends,*

*The New Year is here and I would like to extend my heartfelt thanks for your generosity, support and patronage throughout the past year.*

*My greatest wish in the New Year is for a lasting peace in the world, in which a spirit of harmony, health, happiness and prosperity reigns supreme.*

*Wishing you and your family a prosperous, healthy New Year.*

*Cindy Inman*

*Activities Director*



# HAPPY NEW YEAR

# 2012

# January 2012

| Sun                                                                                                                                                   | Mon                                     | Tue                                                                  | Wed                                                                      | Thu                                                                          | Fri                                               | Sat                                          |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|
| 1<br>11:00am- <i>New Year's Day</i><br><i>Brunch @ Town Hall</i><br> | 2<br>OFFICE CLOSED                      | 3<br>3:00pm-Tennis Committee Meeting                                 | 4<br>11:15am-FREE Tai Chi Clinic<br>11:30am-Activities Committee Meeting | 5<br>8:30am-Landscape Tour<br>1:00pm-Book Club                               | 6                                                 | 7<br>11:00am-Tennis Clinic                   |
| 8<br>1:00pm-Tennis Clinic                                                                                                                             | 9<br>1:00pm-Landscape Committee Meeting | 10<br>1:30pm-Lakes Committee Meeting<br>3:00pm-ACC Meeting           | 11                                                                       | 12<br>1:00pm-Clay Pottery Art Class                                          | 13                                                | 14<br>Gotcha Tennis Tournament               |
| 15                                                                                                                                                    | 16                                      | 17                                                                   | 18                                                                       | 19<br>8:30am-Landscape Tour<br>12:00pm-Culinary Club<br>7:00pm-Board Meeting | 20<br>6:00pm-Name That Tune<br>Music Trivia Night | 21<br>10:00am-Town Hall Meeting              |
| 22                                                                                                                                                    | 23                                      | 24                                                                   | 25                                                                       | 26<br>2:00pm-Kowiachobee Animal Preserve Tour                                | 27                                                | 28<br>5:00pm-Ku-Ku Trolley to Ft Myers Beach |
| 29<br>11:15-Sunday Brunch @ Town Hall                                                                                                                 | 30                                      | 31<br>PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE ELECTION DAY<br><b>"NO ACTIVITIES"</b> |                                                                          |                                                                              |                                                   |                                              |

Recurring Events

- Mondays: 8:30am Strength Aerobics • 10:00am Water Aerobics • 11:15am Yoga Chair/Mat • 12:30pm Needle Point • 7:00pm Mah Jongg • 7:00pm Bridge/Partner
- Tuesdays: 9:00am Bone Builders • 10:00am Low Impact Aerobics • 1:00pm Mah Jongg • 1:00pm Men's Poker • 7:00pm Bridge/Duplicate • 7:00pm Men's Poker • 7:00pm Mah Jongg
- Wednesdays: 8:30am Strength Aerobics • 10:00am Water Aerobics • 10:30am Mah Jongg • 11:15am Tai Chi • 1:00pm Bridge/Partner • 1:00pm Men's Poker • 6:30pm Intermediate Yoga  
7:00pm Bingo
- Thursdays: 9:00am Bone Builders • 9:30am Knit Wits • 11:30am Chair/Mat Yoga \* 1:00pm Men's Poker • 1:00pm Texas Hold 'em (2nd Thursday ea. Mo.) • 3:30pm Ladies Bocce Ball \*  
6:00 pm Intermediate Yoga • 7:00pm Hot Rum • 7:30pm Science Club (2nd Thursday ea. Mo.)
- Fridays: 8:30am Strength Aerobics • 10:00am Water Aerobics • 2:00pm Recreational Games (Ping Pong & Pool)
- Saturdays: 8:30am Yoga

# Village Walk Activities Registration

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

## REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED

Your check where designated should be made **payable to Village Walk Activities** for the events. Please note the date of the event, any choices that need to be selected, and the sign up deadline date. Due to limited facility space, all event sign-ups are taken on a first come basis. **You can assist Activities by signing up to volunteer for various events.** All registration forms should be dropped off in the Town Manager's Office or in the box located outside the Manager's Office.

**!!IMPORTANT!! VILLAGE WALK ACTIVITIES ONLY ACCEPTS CHECKS – NO CASH**

### **New Year's Brunch @ Town Hall**

**Sunday, January 1, 2012**

**11:00am – 1:00pm**

**Serving from 11:15am until 12:30pm**

**Catered by Haney's Catering**

**Cost \$15.95pp (all inclusive)**

**#Attending: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Sign up by December 28<sup>th</sup> – Limited seating**

### **Pottery Art Class at Town Hall**

**Thursday, January 12<sup>th</sup>**

**1-3:00pm**

**Cost \$43.00pp**

**Includes: 1 (16x9 in.) "fish platter", underglaze colors, brushes & assorted supplies for painting, "how to" instructions, glazing and firing of piece. Also included in the cost are snacks, wine and music to paint by.**

**#Attending: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Sign up by January 9<sup>th</sup> – Limited to 12 participants**

### **Traveling Culinary Club @ Fred's Food, Fun & Spirits**

**2700 Immokalee Rd**

**Thursday, January 19<sup>th</sup>**

**12:00pm**

**Individual Checks + Tip + Tax**

**#Attending: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Sign up by January 17<sup>th</sup>**

### **Name That Tune Music Trivia Night & Dance @ Town Hall**

**Friday, January 20<sup>th</sup>**

**6:00 – 9:00 pm (Doors open at 5:30pm)**

**Cost \$12.00pp**

**6 to 10 people to a team (no more, no less – NO EXCEPTIONS)**

**#Attending: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Sign up by January 16<sup>th</sup>**

**Check#: \_\_\_\_\_ Money Order#: \_\_\_\_\_ Total \$ Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_**

*Cont. on back.....*

**Kowiachobee Animal Preserve Tour located at 2861-4<sup>th</sup> Avenue SE, Naples**

**Thursday, January 26<sup>th</sup>**

**2:00-4:00 pm**

**Donations are \$10 adults/\$5 child, 12 and under**

**Make checks payable to VW Activities**

**#Attending: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Sign up by January 19th**

**Ku-Ku Ku-Nu-Ku Trolley to Fort Myers Beach**

**Saturday, January 28<sup>th</sup>**

**Leaving VW at 5:00pm Returning 10:00/10:30pm**

**Cost \$15.00 pp (cost for trolley only)**

**You are responsible for drinks and food**

**#Attending: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Sign up by January 23<sup>rd</sup> – only 32 seats available**

**Sunday Brunch at Town Hall**

**Sunday, January 29<sup>th</sup>**

**11:15am – 12:45pm**

**Cost \$10.50 (all inclusive)**

**#Attending: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Sponsored by L'Osteria and the Activities Committee**

**Sign up by January 25th**



**C I Travel's**  
**13<sup>th</sup> Annual Welcome Back Cruise**  
**November 9<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup>, 2012**  
**Celebrity "Eclipse"**

**Join your friends and join the fun as we sail on this unique 8 night itinerary on the Celebrity "Eclipse". From the luxurious Aqua Spa with it's exotic treatments to the dazzling dining options to the funky lawn club with its numerous activities, even the most discerning traveler will be impressed! Our 8 night itinerary includes:**

**Fort Lauderdale \* San Juan \* St. Kitts \* St. Maarten \* St. Thomas.**  
**Our annual Welcome Back Cruise will include our exclusive parties and amenities.**

**Interior Cabin Category 11 - \$949.**  
**Interior Cabin Category 9 - \$1019.**  
**Balcony Cabin Category 2B- \$1229.**  
**Balcony Cabin Category 2A - \$1259.**  
**Balcony Cabin Category 1C - \$1269.**  
**Balcony Cabin Category 1B - \$1279.**  
**Concierge Class Cabin Category C3 - \$1379.**  
**Aqua Class Cabin Category - \$1549.**

All prices are per person based on double occupancy and include: cruise fare, port charges, taxes, and R/T transportation from Southwest Florida. The fully refundable deposit of \$500.00 per cabin is due at time of reservation. Final payment is due by August 15<sup>th</sup>, 2012. Optional cancellation & medical insurance is available and recommended.



**For reservations, call Barry at 514 2047**  
or call your favorite C I Travel Agent.

***CI Travel invites you to our 2012 Winter Travel Show***



**February 4, 2012 at the Estero Elks Club located at 3231  
Coconut Road, across from Coconut Mall.**

**10:00am to 10:00pm**

**Please stop by to find out the latest information and  
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representing: Princess, Cunard, Royal Caribbean,  
Celebrity, Holland America, NCL, Carnival, Regent, Crystal,  
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Trafalger, Trendy Tours, Viking River Cruises, Scenic  
Cruises and Silverseas.**

**For further information call  
Barry at 514-2047**

**Hope to see you there!**