

Weekly - RESORT REPORT



TONIGHT! **GOSPEL CONCERT**

7:00 pm
at the Clubhouse

Lowell Mason **“The World’s Smallest Gospel Singer”**

Lowell has been singing Gospel Music since he was a child. Now at 72 years old he is still traveling the world and entertaining large crowds. At only 46” tall he has one of the biggest bass voices around. You will enjoy his music, his stories, and tales of his missionary journeys all over the world. The concert will be January 5th and is free to the public. A love offering will be taken for “Bibles to Russia.” Cassette tapes and CDs will be available for purchase.

Church Services began on January 3rd

The nondenominational service held in the Clubhouse began last Sunday at 9:00 am. Bro. Jackie Miller, Minister of the First Christian Church in Clewiston did the preaching for the service as he has done the past three years. In the weeks to come he will be assisted by others such as Artie & Dora Carnes, Mark Layman, and E. Arlin Bolejack. If you would like to participate in the service by playing an instrument, singing special music, making presentations, or serving communion just let us know. Everyone is welcome and dress is casual. An offering is taken at each service to help with the expenses. Any excess offering is given to support missions, Bible Colleges, programs that feed hungry children in Africa and the United States, as well as other worthy Christian causes.

Ladies’ Golf



Ladies! Want to Golf together? Let’s talk about it on Thursday 1/7/10 at 10:00 a.m. at The Grill. Our usual time will be Thursdays at

10:30 a.m. We will golf after the meeting on January 7th. Need more information? See Pat on site 318.

DO YOU KNOW... WHAT YOU BELIEVE... AND WHY YOU BELIEVE IT?

We are living in a time of great questions and doubts. How did we as humans come into existence? Is this universe eternal or temporary? Is the Bible really believable and trustworthy? Did Jesus Christ actually rise from the dead? If the Bible and Christianity are correct, then why are there such horrors as Evil, Pain and Suffering in this world?

Beginning on Friday, January 8, you are invited to join a study to answer these questions. No one will be forced to do anything or accept anything. It will be a time of free discussion and investigation to answer these and other very timely questions.

This series will be led by Jon Loftis and E. Arlin Bolejack. There is no cost for attending and everyone is welcome to be part of this study. Each session will last about one hour and will be held each Friday for about 10 weeks. The time of the meeting will be at 1:00 and will be held in the Library of the Clubhouse at the Glades Resort.

ANNUAL CRAFT SHOW

Attention all talented residents of The Glades Resort. Let’s have an annual CRAFT SHOW!!! Here is a chance to show off your artistic craft talents. You will have a chance to show and sell your ideas and projects to friends and neighbors.

The date for this event will be Saturday, January 30, 2010. We will do this at the Club House. Watch for further information on this event. Any questions or suggestions please contact Joanie Willett, Lot #30, 616-540-6731. Joanie is open to all ideas to make this a fun and successful day for everyone!

GIFT CERTIFICATES AT THE GOLF N’ GRILL

When thinking of gift ideas please be aware we have several types of gift certificates available at The Glades Golf N’ Grill.

There are regular certificates in \$25.00, \$50.00 and \$100.00 denominations. We also have game gift certificates for 18-hole or 9-hole games.

These may be purchased at The Grill. They must be signed by our park manager, Dora Carnes to be valid. Remember someone special in a unique way for a birthday, anniversary, welcome back gift, or just because.

FREE FISH FRY THIS SATURDAY!!!

January 9th - 4 to 7 pm

First Christian Church in Clewiston

You can get free tickets to this annual Fish Fry which is held to welcome back all the Snow-birds. Come to the office for tickets.

COUNTRY DANCE LESSONS

Gwen Anderson will be teaching Country Dance on Friday evenings at 7:30-9:00 p.m. at the Clubhouse. Dances will include one-step, two-step, swing and waltz. Lessons will be at the Beginner Level and will cost \$10.00 per couple or \$5.00 per single for the entire six-week period of January 8th - February 12th. This Beginner Session will be followed by a 6-week period of Intermediate Lessons for those who wish to progress further. We are excited to be able to offer this new opportunity. Sign-up sheets are available at the Office, Club House and Grill.

Exploring Watercolor Painting

Informational & Sign-up meeting - January 19th - 10:00 a.m. Come join the fun if.....

You've always wanted to try watercolor painting but never had the opportunity or the nerve.

You have dabbled but need more help.

You love to paint and just want to join a group that shares your passion.

If your excuse is that you can't draw. Or you think you have no talent.....THIS IS THE CLASS FOR YOU!

The class is a painting class not a drawing class. (Painting is different from drawing and more relaxing.) All drawings will be available for you to trace. Good quality watercolor paper is included in the fee. The class will cost \$15 per session. Use of brushes and paint can be provided for an extra supply fee of \$5.

Each painting will be completed, hopefully, in 2 classes. Everyone will be following easy step-by-step instructions and frequent demonstrations.

Supplies needed are minimal and include....

paper towels, about a 4-cup container to hold water, masking tape, foam core board or other light weight support to tape the paper onto (12" x 15"), pencil and eraser.

Classes will be held Wednesdays, Jan. 20th and 27th at 10:00 a.m. and Fridays, Jan. 22nd and 29th. Sign-up at the Office as class size is limited. If you have more questions, contact the teacher by email

Sharon Rapp sharon.rapp@yahoo.com

CONCERT & BURGERS

Mark your calendars for January 12th, Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. at the Club House. Smithsonian recording artists, Bob & Sheila Everhart will be with us to present their stellar program of old-time American rural music, mind boggling reminders of days gone by, and entertainment quality that has taken them from the stage of the New Zealand Symphony to a month long performance tour in China. The Grill will have burgers available for purchase. Everyone join us for an outstanding event!

***Magazine Exchange**

A magazine exchange program will be instituted this month. Its location is in the Club House on the shelves by the river windows. When you have finished looking at your magazines and you would like to pass them on to someone else to enjoy, bring them to the balcony of the Club House and place them on the shelves located there for this purpose. Anyone may take a magazine and return it when you are finished.

***Frying Oil**

For those needing to dispose of their frying oil, Mr. Jim Dankers at site #13 has volunteered to dispose of it for you. Please do not dispose of it in the septic systems. Thanks Jim!

***Line Dancing**

Line dancing classes will be given on Tuesdays, beginning next week, January 12th. Classes will be held in the Club House from 11-12. Thanks go to Eulaine for volunteering to lead these sessions.

***Bridge**

Those interested in playing Bridge please come to the Club House on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1-3 p.m. These sessions are designed from beginner level to expert. All are welcome!



On Saturday, January 16th there will be a FREE riding class for all who would like to participate at 1:00 in the afternoon. This will be held at the Arena. Those with riding experience as well as those with no experience will enjoy this opportunity. Please sign up in the office.

That night at 7:00 will be the first Youth Rodeo. Tickets are \$10.00 at the gate. Everyone is welcome.

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