

Bay Village

OF SARASOTA



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Our Mission Statement

Established on Christian principles,
Bay Village of Sarasota, Inc.
offers a dynamic, secure and comprehensive
residency for older adults, providing meaningful
community life with continuing care.



May 2016

Remembering the Fallen on Memorial Day

In 1868, three years after the Civil War ended, Maj. Gen. John A. Logan, leader of a Union veterans' organization, established Decoration Day as a time for the nation to decorate the graves of soldiers who had died in the war. He chose May 30, possibly because he knew flowers would be in bloom all over the country on that day.

Logan's declaration, in part, said: "We should guard their graves with sacred vigilance ... Let pleasant paths invite the coming and going of reverent visitors and fond mourners. Let no neglect, no ravages of time, testify to the present or to the coming generations that we have forgotten as a people the cost of a free and undivided republic."

Arlington National Cemetery was the site of the first official observance, attended by Washington dignitaries as well as the public. After the speeches, children from the Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphan Home and Union veterans walked through the cemetery, placing flowers on both Union and Confederate graves.

After World War I, May 30 became a day to honor fallen soldiers from all wars. In 1971, Congress declared Memorial Day a national holiday that would be celebrated on the last Monday in May.

Since 2000, Americans have been encouraged to observe a National Moment of Remembrance by pausing at 3 p.m. local time on Memorial Day for a minute of silence to honor those who have died serving the nation.

The events to recognize Memorial Day here at Bay Village are listed on page 2 of this publication.

Village Vibes

GIFT SHOP NEWS!

We have lots of wonderful gifts for children and adults for birthdays, anniversaries and even some beautiful things for wedding gifts. Our wonderful shop workers will be very glad to help you select special items for your favorite people.

Summer is coming and we are prepared. Come in and shop.

The gift shop is a wonderful place to meet new people. If you would like to be a shop worker or an occasional substitute, call Margaret Gutzmer at 1563 and she will get you started.



Celebrate Your Age

May is Older Americans Month, a time to celebrate all your accomplishments through the years.



Memorial Day

The annual Memorial Day Ceremony will take place at 11:00 a.m. in the auditorium on Monday, May 30th. We have a special presentation by speaker Harry Moses, who has written two monologues about the American Flag. Following the ceremony, we will have three seatings for our Memorial Day picnic, at noon, 2:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m.

We begin taking reservations for the picnic WHEN THE MENU ARRIVES IN YOUR MAILBOX. Please do not call dining services until then. Following the picnic we will show the movie "Taking Chance" at 7:30 p.m. in the auditorium. This movie has won numerous awards at film festivals worldwide. We did show it last year and it got rave reviews from the folks who saw it, so we are showing it again. Memorial Day represents the sacrifice of lives during war, and this film does a wonderful job depicting that.

May Is for Mothers

On the second Sunday in May, we honor mothers. Happy Mother's Day to all the moms out there!

RAINBOWS AND SHOWERS

RAINBOWS for Babe Baptist! Great job of making a professional wooden box for our lavalier microphone and cord. This keeps the cord from getting frayed edges which makes it sound poorly. SHOWERS for not ending your program when you get off the treadmill. If you do not know how to do this, Petra can show you.

RAINBOWS for Lorraine Hester who has taken over our Wednesday bridge game!!

RAINBOWS for picking up medicine from the front desk in a timely manner.

A HUGE RAINBOW for Duo Lana! What a fantastic concert that was! This mother-daughter duo were brought to our attention by Rev. Paul Binder! So let's add a rainbow for him, shall we? We will certainly have them back!

RAINBOWS for EVERYONE who got their photo taken for the new pictorial directory!! We'd also like to send a rainbow to our volunteers who helped check everyone in and keep things organized! The books should be here in about 6 weeks!

RAINBOWS for Cecile Chamberland! Cecile has been making homemade blankets for residents who have been in the hospital or ill here at home.



The Village Vibes

Wellness Corner...by Petra Mueller

Saturday, May 7th, we are planning another Ringling Bridge Walk followed by breakfast at Millie's. One length of the bridge is about 1/2 a mile and you can choose if you want to walk it one-way or both directions or wait in the park at Bird Bay.

In the middle of May the schedule for the Exercise classes is changing and we are welcoming Marian Vento (Strength and Balance) and Julie Shaussney (Splash) to help out with the classes while Petra is on a vacation visiting family in Germany. So please pay attention to these changes starting on May 11. Continue to work out during this time, taking advantage of the variations!

Health Tip of the Month:

When taking pain medication, always keep a **written record of time and amount**. Forgetting the time of the last dose can lead to a dangerous overdose.

B.I.L.L. NEWS~A Few Months of Russian History & Music!:

Our current DVD series from the Teaching Company is *The History of Russia: Peter the Great to Gorbachev*, and it is held every Tuesday, at 7:30 p.m., in the auditorium.

Your B.I.L.L. committee has decided to break this long series into three parts. Part one begins with politics and culture on the eve of Peter the

Great's efforts to transform his country; then, it looks at Peter and his reforms. Next, women's rule is examined with particular focus on Catherine the Great. Then, the Purgachev Uprising will be covered, as well as writer Nikolai Novikov.

Next, we consider the Decembrist rebellion, in which nobles took arms against the state to bring about social and political reform. Part I of this series has ended.

Your instructor for this course is Dr.

Mark Steinberg, a professor of history at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, and director of

the Russian and East European Center.

He is the winner of a number of prestigious awards, including Yale University's Sarai Ribicoff Prize for Teaching. We hope you will make plans to join us for what should be a fascinating class!

Following part 2 of this series, we'll enjoy a 5-week class about the life of Russian composer Tchaikovsky.

Part 2 of Russian History, May 3rd. On May 10th we will begin our series on Russian composer Tchaikovsky. It's titled "Tchaikovsky: His Life and Music." This series is taught by Robert Greenberg, the same professor we had for the "Stravinsky" series, so we hope you will join us!

In June, we will begin a series about John Adams. This is an HBO-produced documentary about the life of John Adams and it's broken into seven parts.

Further details will be in your June newsletter and on the flier you receive in your mailbox a week or so before the start date.

VISION STATEMENT

The vision of Bay Village of Sarasota, Inc. through 2018 is to:

1. Strive to achieve the highest quality of service to our residents.
2. Extend effective dialogue between residents and staff.
3. Promote the efforts of staff and residents to build a caring community.
4. Balance net operating revenues and financial reserves so that we may have the financial strength to maintain our infrastructure and to provide our staff with a competitive compensation and benefit package.



KEY

- A=Auditorium
- B=Bus Service Provided
- BD=Board Room
- C=Card Room
- CR=Craft Room
- D=Dining Room
- GR=Game Room
- M=Meeting Room
- P=Pool
- R=Rooftop Terrace
- W=Wellness Center

ATTENTION!

FLiCRA (Florida Life Care Resident's Association) invites you to our annual meeting for a discussion of Health Center health care costs and more.

Alec Weitzel, Bay Village's Chief Operating Officer, will give a talk about Medicare, the difference between being admitted to a hospital for treatment or observation and other medical costs we may be facing.

Join us on Wednesday, May 4th, in the auditorium at 10:00 a.m.

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!

Bay Village would like to wish all the fantastic Moms (both living here and working here) a VERY relaxing Mother's Day! We will have a special menu that day, Sunday, May 8th, and seatings at noon, 2:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. Everyone's favorite classical guitarist, Dean Miller, will perform at the 4:00 p.m. seating.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
1	2	3
<p>10:30 St. Thomas More Catholic Service (Bd. Rm) 7:30 Movie: "Midnight in Paris" (A)</p>	<p>9:00 Ladies' Shuffleboard (Courts) 9:30 Crafts, Coffee & Conversation (CR) 9:30 Bible Class (A) 11:30 Sit & Fit on Video (A) 7:00 Progressive Bridge (G)</p>	<p>9:00 Strength! (W) 9:30 Splash (P) 10:00 Craft Class (CR) 10:00 <i>How Novel!</i> (B) 11:30 Sit N' Fit(A) 2:00 Aqua Fit (P) 2:00 <i>Residents' Council</i> (A) 7:00 Hand & Foot (C) 7:30 B.I.L.L.: "The History of Russia" (A)</p>
8	9	10
<p>10:30 St. Thomas More Catholic Service (Bd. Rm) <i>Special Mother's Day Menu Will Be Served at Noon, 2:00 p.m. And 4:00 p.m.</i> 1:00 <i>Asolo</i> (B) 7:30 Movie: "Hannah & Her Sisters" (A)</p>	<p>9:00 Ladies' Shuffleboard (Courts) 9:30 Crafts, Coffee & Conversation (CR) 9:30 Bible Class (A) 11:30 Sit & Fit on Video (A) **We Are Going to GIRLS INC Today for a Tour...the Time Will Be on Your Flier (B) 7:00 Progressive Bridge (G)</p>	<p>9:00 Strength! (W) 9:00-11:00 <i>Breakfast for Books</i> (C) 9:30 Splash (P) 10:00 Craft Class (CR) 11:30 Sit N' Fit(A) 2:00 Aqua Fit (P) 12:45 <i>Duplicate Bridge</i> (GR) 7:00 Hand & Foot (C) 7:30 B.I.L.L.: "Tchaikovsky" (A)</p>
15	16	17
<p>10:30 St. Thomas More Catholic Service (Bd. Rm) 2:30 <i>The Suzuki School of Music Recital</i> (A) 7:30 Movie: "Irrational Man" (A)</p>	<p>9:00 Ladies' Shuffleboard (Courts) 9:30 Crafts, Coffee & Conversation (CR) 9:30 Bible Class (A) 10:00 Strength (W) 10:30 Balance (W) 11:30 Sit & Fit on Video (A) 7:00 Progressive Bridge (G)</p>	<p>8:30 Men's Breakfast(D) 9:30 Splash (P) 10:00 Craft Class (CR) 10:00 <i>How Novel!</i> (B) 11:30 Sit N' Fit(video) 2:00 Aqua Fit (P) 7:00 Hand & Foot (C) 7:30 B.I.L.L.: "Tchaikovsky" (A)</p>
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29	30	31
<p>10:30 St. Thomas More Catholic Service (Bd. Rm) 7:30 Movie: "Crimes & Misdemeanors" (A)</p>	<p>9:00 Ladies' Shuffleboard (Courts) 9:30 Crafts, Coffee & Conversation (CR) 11:00 <i>Memorial Day Ceremony</i> (A) Memorial Day Picnic (noon; 2:00 p.m. & 4:00 p.m.) 7:00 Progressive Bridge (G) 7:30 <i>Movie Special: "Taking Chance"</i> (A)</p>	<p>9:30 Splash (P) 10:00 Craft Class (CR) 10:00 <i>How Novel!</i> (B) 11:30 Sit N' Fit(video) 2:00 Aqua Fit (P) 7:00 Hand & Foot (C) 7:30 B.I.L.L.: "Tchaikovsky" (A)</p>

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
4 9:00 Men's Shuffleboard 10:00 Tai Chi- Beginners (W) 10:00 FLiCRA Meeting (A) 11:00 Posture & Balance (W) 11:30 Sit N' Fit (A) 1:30 Line Dance (W) 2:30 Popcorn & A Movie: "Midnight in Paris"(A) 6:15 Duplicate Bridge (GR) 7:15 BINGO (A)	5 9:00 Strength Class (W) 9:30 SPLASH! (P) 11:30 Sit & Fit (A) 12:30 Disney at the Dali & Dinner at the Hofbrauhaus (B) 7:30 "Bonnie & Kathryn" Perform... Harp & Flute Duo(A)	6 9:30 Tai Chi (W) 10:00 Writers' Group (M) 11:00 Posture & Balance (W) 11:30 Sit & Fit (A) 1:30 Hand Exercise (CR) 3:00 Shabbat (M) 3:30 Vespers (A) 6:15 Duplicate Bridge (GR)	7 9:15 Ringling Bridge Walk and Breakfast at Millies (B) 11:30 Sit & Fit (A) 2:00 Sarasota Young Voices (A) 7:30 Sondheim Musical: "Company" (A)
11 9:00 Men's Shuffleboard 11:30 Sit N' Fit (video) 12:30 Annual Volunteer Luncheon (D) 1:30 Line Dance (W) 2:30 Movie "Hannah & Her Sisters"(A) 6:15 Duplicate Bridge (GR) 7:15 BINGO (A)	12 10:00 CHATS (A) 10:15 "Funny Girl at the Broadway Palm (B) 11:30 Sit & Fit (video) 7:30 DISNEY NATURE Film: "Chimpanzee"	13 9:30 Tai Chi (W) 10:00 Book Group (A) 10:00 Strength (W) 10:30 Balance (W) 11:00 Posture & Balance (W) 11:30 Sit & Fit (Video) 1:30 Hand Exercise (CR) 3:30 Vespers (A) 6:15 Duplicate Bridge (GR)	14 9:00 Men's Shuffleboard (courts) 9:30 Splash (P) 10:00 & 1:30 The Evelyn Kraft Piano Studio Recital (A) NO SIT & FIT TODAY~ The Piano Recital Might Run Late 5:00 Ebony & Ivory Piano Studio Recital (A) 7:30 Sondheim Musical: "A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum (A)
18 9:00 Men's Shuffleboard 10:00 Strength (W) 10:30 Balance (W) 11:00 Posture & Balance (W) 11:30 Sit N' Fit (A) 1:30 Line Dance (W) 2:30 Popcorn & A Movie "Irrational Man"(A) 6:15 Duplicate Bridge (GR) 7:15 BINGO (A)	19 9:30 HEALTHY Smoothies by the Pool! 11:30 Sit & Fit (Video) 12:00 UTC Mall Trip & Lunch Where You Choose! (B)	20 9:30 Tai Chi (W) 10:00 Strength (W) 10:30 Balance (W) 11:00 Posture & Balance (W) 11:30 Sit & Fit (Video) 1:30 Hand Exercise (CR) 3:30 Vespers (A) 6:15 Duplicate Bridge (GR) 7:00 Black Theater Troupe (B)	21 9:00 Men's Shuffleboard (courts) 9:30 Splash (P) 11:30 Sit & Fit (Video) 2:00 Sarasota Children's Orchestra (A) 7:30 Sondheim Musical: "GYPSY" (A)
25 9:30 Men's Shuffleboard 10:00 Strength (W) 10:30 Posture & Balance (W) 11:30 Sit N' Fit (A) 1:30 Line Dance (W) 2:30 Popcorn & A Movie "Annie Hall"(A) 6:15 Duplicate Bridge (GR) 7:15 BINGO (A)	26 10:00 Quarterly Meeting A) 11:30 Sit & Fit (A) 12:00 Lunch Out at "OASIS CAFE" (B) 7:30 DISNEY NATURE Film: African Cats (A)	27 9:30 Tai Chi (W) 10:00 Strength (W) 10:30 Posture & Balance (W) 11:30 Sit & Fit (Video) 1:30 Hand Exercise (CR) 3:30 Vespers (A) 6:15 Duplicate Bridge (GR)	28 9:00 Men's Shuffleboard (courts) 9:30 Splash (P) 11:30 Sit & Fit (Video) 7:30 Sondheim Musical: "West Side Story" (A)

"Village Vibes"

Book Group News!

"I Love A Mystery" is the topic of the Book Group meeting Book Group on Friday, May 13th, at 10:00 a.m. in the auditorium.

JoAnna Cleary and Louise Porter will discuss Contemporary and Classic Mystery novels written by English women authors. Books to be reviewed are Shroud for a Nightingale by P.D. James, The Tree of Hands by Ruth Rendell and The Daughter of Time by Josephine Tey. People who enjoy mysteries believe they are one of the highest forms of literature! Attend and learn why!

... Louise Porter

HOUSEKEEPING NEWS!

If you have any HUGE items you would like to have laundered, please let Denise know. Comforters, throw rugs, that type of stuff. We'll be happy to bring it back to you clean and smelling fresh!

Day Trips and Travel

We had a fantastic time at all the outdoor trips this spring! We enjoyed fantastic weather at our trip on The Carefree Learner boat with the Audubon Society over to the rookery on Roberts Bay to see the nesting birds followed by lunch at Marina Jack. On our trip to Lemon Bay Park, we received a guided tour and enjoyed a fantastic lunch and view at Starkey's new restaurant, "Fins". We also headed over the Ringling Bridge (again!) and enjoyed a fantastic breakfast after the walk.

This month we hope you will join us for another Ringling Bridge walk, followed by breakfast at Millie's restaurant on Saturday, May 7th. We also have a trip to the fabulous DALI Museum in St. Petersburg. A guided tour is included. The museum is featuring a special visiting exhibit, Disney at the Dali. This multi-media presentation features the unlikely alliance between two of the most renowned and innovative artists of the

twentieth century, Walt Disney and Salvatore Dali. Following the museum, we're headed to the Hofbrauhaus restaurant for some German food and music! This fun and upbeat restaurant really immerses you in a beer garden like you would find in Munich! Prices for this trip will be on the flier you receive in your mailbox.

We are also headed to see Funny Girl at The Broadway Palm on May 12th. At press time, we still have tickets for this popular musical that tells the story of Fanny Brice.



Enjoying Lemon Bay Park

Harp & Flute Duo!

Well-known harpist Bonnie Caplan and flutist Kathryn Master will perform on Thursday, May 5th, at 7:30 p.m. Both of these outstanding musicians have performed here many times, but never together, so we are excited that they put this special concert together for us. Bonnie has performed with a number of major symphonies and at over 2000 weddings over the years! She graduated from The Peabody Conservatory in Maryland. Incidentally, Bonnie is on the waiting list to move into Bay Village, so we are excited to have another harpist residing here! Kathryn gave her debut recital at Carnegie Hall. She holds a master's degree in flute performance from the University of Wisconsin-Madison. She has been called "Impressive and lively" by critics and has performed in major chamber music groups throughout the United States.

We hope to see everyone at what should be another fine concert at Bay Village.



MAY Birthdays

May 2

George Haas

May 3

Robert Van Zandt

May 4

Ray Berta

May 10

Verlyn Smock

May 11

Jackie LeClaire

May 12

Irene Palmer & Judy Shanower

May 14

Gretchen Shepherd

May 15

Ethel "O" Strowski

May 17

Grace Ellison (HAPPY 101st Grace!),

Larry Whittier & Bobbi Bacon

May 19

Lorraine Hester

May 20

Joseph Cleary

May 21

Theresa Phelan & Ed Brown

May 25

Louise Porter & Emily Danner

May 26

Pat Hoeffler & Dennis Ziemann

May 27

Irene Peale

May 29

Jack Sneider



May Anniversaries

May 10

Jack & Nancy Sneider

May 19

Jay & Eleanor Flagg

May 24

Francis & Joan Maxwell

Vespers Ministers

May 6

Rev. Dr. Chuck Moffett

Bay Village Chaplain

May 13

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May 20

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May 27

Rev. Greg Russell, Pastor

*St. Andrews United Church of Christ,
Sarasota*

Welcome **me** **New Residents**

Moves & Move Ins

*Change your directories: Sally Bell moved FROM apartment 365 TO apartment 341.

* Mrs. Jeanne Wright moved in to apartment 968 on April 14th.

Sky Watch: Full Flower Moon

With frosts ending and plants blooming, the full Flower Moon rises in early May.

The Village Vibes

MOVIE NEWS

This month we're having "Woody Allen" month and "Stephen Sondheim Musicals" month! Look for the Woody Allen movies on our regular movie days: Sunday nights and Wednesday afternoons.

Stephen Sondheim's musicals will be shown on Saturday night.

Speaking of movies... plans are in the works to head to Cinebistro again!! If you missed the trip we did a few months ago, it was really fun enjoying our leather recliners & lunch while watching the movie! We are planning on seeing the film "Mother's Day" starring a whole host of talented ladies, including Julia Roberts. We are going to TRY for either Monday, May 16th, or Tuesday, May 17th, based on ticket availability and getting good seats. The date and departure time will be on the flier!



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or Current Resident
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Chaplain's Corner
Rev. Dr. Chuck Moffett

MY APOLOGIES

At the recent Annual Meeting of the Residents' Council, I made a HUGE *gaff*. I did not catch it until it was too late. I proved that I, too, am guilty of being influenced by **CONTROL** instead of **GRACE**.

All I had intended to do was to affirm the outgoing leadership team, and offer support to the incoming team. Without thinking, I resorted to the traditional and divisive words: "...*and now the GAVEL is passed...!*" Thankfully, outgoing chairperson, David Pyle, assured us that Residents' Council does not own a gavel. YAY!

Your question is: "*So what is the big deal about a simple gavel?*" My gaff raises for me the issue of what is our core value as to how we live and treat others locally, nationally, and internationally.

You see, a "*gavel*" sends an image of **CONTROL**: "*I am right, and you will do as I say!*" ...and down comes the gavel. My way, or get out of my way. No matter who you are or what you believe, you are wrong and expendable.

A "*gavel*" contains no image of **GRACE** being extended. When we remember that "*grace is receiving what we do not deserve,*" we remember that each of us have been the recipient of grace many times over!

I raise a deep concern that many people, even some of us, prefer a life based on "*I want it the way it used to be when I and mine were in control.*" This translates into getting rid of those with whom we do not agree.

How much better for all if we could live "*grace-filled*" lives in pursuit of what is best for all, not just for those who are in "control."

What a difference it would make for our community and the entire world if we would exchange the life of a "*gavel*" for a life of "*grace.*"