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## BRIEFS

### Bryant to speak to SR 200 Coalition

The State Road 200 Coalition will hold its monthly meeting on Monday, April 9, at 1 p.m. at the Collins Center, TimberRidge Building 5000, Suite 5001.

The guest will be Kathy Bryant, county commissioner. The meeting is open to the public.

### Reading Festival is this Saturday

To celebrate her love of reading, and her 50th birthday, Superintendent of Schools Dr. Heidi Maier is holding her second annual "Superintendent's Literacy Festival" this Saturday, April 7, in Downtown Ocala at Citizen's Circle.

The event is free and open to the public and takes place from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. just behind City Hall. The Festival offers story time for students every 20 minutes, and guest readers will share their favorite books during the three-hour time frame.

Over 70 book-themed booths will showcase organizations and offer activities for children.

For more information, contact Suzanne McGuire, event coordinator, at 352-671-6847 or Suzanne.McGuire@marion.k12.fl.us.



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## Walmart grand re-opening

The Walmart on State Road 200 held a grand re-opening last Friday. The company presented \$1,000 checks to various organizations, and Store Manager Todd Maufray talked about all the new improvements of this Walmart during the last several weeks.



## Commuting is way of life in Marion

Nearly half of the workers living in Marion County leave the county for employment, with most commuting to Orange, Lake and Alachua counties, according to a new labor shed analysis of workforce and demographic characteristics commissioned by CareerSource Citrus Levy Marion.

At the same time, the daily outflow of workers under age 55 is slowing, with slight declines both as a percentage and in total numbers, while there was little change in the number of workers 55 and older commuting for employment.

The analysis highlights Marion County commuting patterns showing where workers work and where workers live. It was prepared by the Florida Department of Economic Development.

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## Musical planned at West Port

West Port High School's Omega Theatre Company presents the musical *Once on This Island*, April 18-22. Performances are Wednesday through Saturday at 7 p.m. and Sunday at 2 p.m. Performances will take place at West Port High School's Performing Arts Center, at 3733 SW 80th Ave. Tickets are \$12 and are available at the door or in advance at [www.seatyourself.biz/wphs](http://www.seatyourself.biz/wphs).

The Marion County Center for the Arts (MCCA) is a magnet program for talented high school students in the performing and visual arts. Programs include Acting and Technical Theatre, Dance, Two and Three-Dimensional Art, and Instrumental and Vocal Music. MCCA offers a winning combination of high quality arts education and outstanding academic education. For more information on the program, contact Laurie Reeder, MCCA Coordinator at 291-4000.

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## Local man faces child porn charges

Marion County Sheriff's Office detectives have arrested Lawrence Margulies, 48, for possessing multiple files of child pornography.

Margulies, a U.S. citizen who holds a Ph.D. in Physics, was working in Canada in 2017 when he was deported from the country for possessing child pornography. Margulies was residing with family in the On Top of the World subdivision in Marion County when he was arrested for the same offense

Friday morning.

On Feb. 12, MCSO Detective Shannon Wiles with the Internet Crimes Against Children Unit (ICAC) received a tip in reference to Margulies possessing child pornography. After a thorough investigation, Detective Wiles secured a search warrant for Margulies' residence, at 9378 SW 90th Court, Unit C in the On Top of the World subdivision, which was served on Friday, March 30. During the search warrant, authorities

from the MCSO and HSI located 20 files of explicit child pornography on a laptop computer in the defendant's possession. Detectives also located a thumb drive containing child pornography in Margulies' bedroom. Margulies was immediately placed under arrest and was transported to the Marion County Jail.

Margulies has been charged with 20 counts of Possession of Child Pornography and was being held on \$100,000 bond.





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# The Easter Bunny that got away



**Out to Pastor**  
Rev. James Snyder

After any holiday the Gracious Mistress of the Parsonage and myself enjoy taking a day or two off and just relax. We like to sit around and tell stories.

My wife usually starts by saying, "Hey, remember the time when..." And she goes on with a story that I had forgotten about. When she's done, we laugh together.

Then it's my turn and I begin, "Hey, do you remember the time when..." And I go on and tell a story that she may have forgotten about, I really don't know. When I'm finished, we laugh together as though it was the funniest thing we've heard all day.

It's just our way of relaxing and unwinding after a holiday. Holidays are very busy times for us, we like them, but they do take a little bit out of us. It seems that the older we get, the more it takes out of us. I'm not exactly sure what that means. Just don't tell me what it means!

We usually go on with our stories until we're too tired to tell a story or to laugh.

This last holiday the Gracious Mistress of the Parsonage came up with a story I had long ago forgotten. In fact, I'm not sure the details of her story matched the truth, but who am I to contradict her.

"Remember the time," she said rather soberly,

"when the Easter Bunny got away?"

I had to stop and think a little bit because it was not in any of my memory files.

Then she began to unwind the story.

As it goes, according to her recollection, I was going to do a little magic trick for the children before they were dismissed from the morning service. I was going to pull a little bunny out of a hat. I practiced for quite a bit and thought I had everything covered.

I should know by now that the time you know you got everything covered there's one little bit that defies your observation.

I had all of the children come up front so that they could see the wonderful magic trick I had in store for them. I began by telling them the story of the resurrection of Jesus.

According to my wife, I was in the middle of telling them the story when in the back of the congregation Mrs. Steward screamed, "There's a rat in the church." With that, she jumped on top of the pew and did her famous afraid dance. You don't want to see it. All the while she was screaming, "Rat, rat, rat."

It was enough to bring the whole congregation to their feet yelling, "Where's the rat?"

Having a rat in the church is not a good thing. I don't know how a rat could get into the church unless he is elected to the board.

There was such a rumpus in the church auditorium that we really couldn't go forward with the service. I didn't quite know what to do because we had not taken the offering yet. Whatever happens after the offering is okay.

At this point I couldn't get the attention of the children because they were standing on top of the pew looking backward, wondering where in the world the rat was or where it came from.

I got one of my elders to go back and try to take care of the situation. I never had a rat in the church before.

After a few minutes my elder found the "rat" and caught him. The "rat" turned out to be the little bunny I was supposed to have in the hat that I was going to surprise the children with.

How that Bunny got out of the box where I put him is still something that puzzles me to this day.

The elder held up the little white bunny and told everybody, "It's okay, it's not a rat, it's a little bunny. A little bunny can hurt nobody."

All of the congregation, including Mrs. Steward, sat down in their pew and laughed and laughed while clapping their hands for the elder who saved the day. I was even laughing and clapping myself.

I didn't know what to do now that my magic trick

was out the window, it was hard to get the attention of the little ones. I finally dismissed them to their classes and try to bring the congregation back to some level of sanity.

I can't remember what my sermon was that day, but I do remember there was a lot of chuckling throughout my sermon. I'm not sure anybody was even listening to my sermon. I was tempted to preach the sermon the next Sunday, but it wasn't Easter Sunday. I could keep it until next year, which is probably what I did.

Sometimes things are not always what they seem to be. The challenge is in the midst of turmoil to find what is really true.

Perhaps this is what Solomon was thinking of when he said, "There is a way which seemeth right unto a man, but the end thereof are the ways of death" (Proverbs 14:12).

There's a big difference between a bunny and a rat. Sometimes we confuse the two and in that confusion, we cause alarm. I want to be able to differentiate between the Bunny element and the rat element in my life so that I can have peace and tranquility.

Dr. James L. Snyder is pastor of the Family of God Fellowship, Ocala, FL 34472. He lives with his wife in Silver Springs Shores. Phone 352-687-4240 or e-mail jamessnyder2@att.net. The church web site is www.whatafellowship.com.

## Religion

### Christ's Church of Marion County

If you are looking for a church home where Christ is first, you won't want to miss the services at Christ's Church of Marion County this week. On Sunday, April 8, our worship service will open with special music by our Worship Choir and a message of inspiration by Pastor David Bellows.

On Monday evening men the community will come together at 6:30 p.m. for a Bible Study in the book of Acts. Women who are interested in crafts meet on Tuesday morning at 9:30 to work on group and individual projects.

Pastor Ray Westman leads a Small Group on Wednesday afternoon at 4. The group meets in the Chapel of our main building and takes an in-depth look at the Sunday morning message with a video message from Pastor David Bellows.

Our Women's Ministry will host a "Ladies' Spring Tea" on Saturday, April 14 beginning at 11 a.m. Lunch will be provided; however, reservations are

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## Friday, April 6

### Free dental care event

Dr. Stephen Dunn will host Dentistry From The Heart event providing adults with free dental care on Friday, April 6. Registration starts at 6 a.m. at 7555 SW Hwy 200, Ocala.

They will try to see first 300 patients on first come first basis starting at 7 a.m.

In 2001, Dentistry From The Heart started with Dr. Vincent Monticciolo as a way to giving back to the community and provide aid to the growing number of Americans without dental insurance. Dentistry From The Heart has grown to include over 200 annual events nationwide and around the world. More than 80,000 people have now been served – Free Extractions, Fillings and Cleanings are offered.

### Car show and barbecue

Car Show and chicken barbecue dinner will be held at Ocala West United Methodist Church, Friday, April 6, from 5 to 7 p.m.

The car show will be held in the parking lot next to the pavilion. The Men's Fellowship will be offering chicken barbecue to eat in or take out prices: \$8 for 1/2 chicken dinner with baked beans, coleslaw, and roll, \$6 for 1/2 chicken only or 1/4 chicken dinners. Boy Scout Troop 707 sponsored by OWUMC will be selling hot dogs with chips and a drink for \$4.

Ocala West UMC, 9330 SW 105th St., OCALA (352)854-9550.

### Medical myths, lies and half-truths

True or false: Eight glasses of water a day are mandatory for staying hydrated. Vitamin C protects you from catching a cold. Frequent snacking is the quickest way to sabotage a diet. Natural foods are always better for you.

What all these nuggets of medical wisdom have in common are myths, half-truths, and misconceptions. In this information age when supposedly accurate medical advice is as close as the click of a computer mouse, myths still surround us.

This lecture by Pat Wellington is intended to in-

crease your ability to recognize medical misinformation and make use of what is reliable and evidence-based. I'll end with news you can use—tips for health and nutrition.

One hour April 6, On Top of the World at Live Oak Hall 1-2 p.m. To register call 861-9751.

### Olympians to be honored

On Friday, April 6, at 6 p.m., in Ocala's historic downtown square, Mayor Kent Guinn will host a welcome home celebration for three athletes who recently competed in the 2018 Pyeongchang Olympic Winter Games.

The event will honor speed skaters Joey Mantia, Erin Jackson, and Bronze Medalist Brittany Bowe. In recognition of their accomplishments, Mayor Guinn will present each with a key to the City. This event will be held during the First Friday Art Walk.

## Saturday, April 7

### Queen of Peace golf tourney

The Queen of Peace Catholic Church is having its Annual Charity Golf Tournament hosted by Knights of Columbus, Council 9649 at Stone Creek Golf Club on Saturday, April 7, (Rain delay date is Saturday, April 14). Registration begins at 7:30 a.m. followed by a shotgun start at 8 a.m. Registration fee is \$65 per person and includes complimentary morning coffee and donuts, golfers buffet lunch, and golf with cart. Par 3 Hole-in-One prizes include a top prize of \$10,000 or 2 round trip airline tickets to any city in the continental U.S or an iPad. During the event, there will be a putting contest, a longest drive challenge and a closest to the pin challenge. Proceeds will permit the Knights to continue their support of local Marion County charities. For tournament details and registration form, contact Fred Roberts on or before March 30, by email at froberts7@cfl.rr.com.

### Chess Club to meet

The Freedom Library Chess Club will meet from 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. on Saturday, April 7. The Library is at 5870 SW 95th St. All players are welcome! Call 873-2276 for information.

### Yoga at Freedom Library

Saturday, April 7, Yoga at the Freedom Public Library at 10:30 a.m. This is the final session for the year.

For more information, call Ingrid at 854-7950.

### Seminar on advance directives

The Compassion and Choices, Ocala Chapter at Master the Possibilities, from 1 - 2.30 p.m. in Live Oak Hall, is hosting a seminar on Advance Directives and how they are followed in a hospital setting. Two Physicians will be giving their input.

Register at [www.masterthepossibilities.com](http://www.masterthepossibilities.com) for this free seminar.

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ment's Bureau of Labor Market Statistics using 2015 annual Census data – the latest available. The labor shed report is designed to help economic developers and existing or prospective businesses determine where a labor market draws its commuting workers.

The report's detailed examination of commuting patterns for Marion County found that there were 107,076 workers living in Marion County and 91,588 workers employed in Marion County. Of those workers who lived in the county, 48,888 or 45.7 percent were employed outside Marion County.

Of the 91,588 people employed in Marion County, 58,188 (63.5 percent) live and work here, while 33,400 (36.5 percent) commute into the county for work.

According to the report, Marion County had a net job flow loss of 15,488 workers – in other words, more workers leave Marion County for work than commute into the county. Marion County had the 47th highest outflow rate among Florida's 67 counties.

Rusty Skinner, CEO of CareerSource CLM, said that Marion County's labor shed analysis "reinforces the need to be competitive, in terms of compensation, with similar businesses within a one hour commute."

Top destinations for Marion County workers employed outside the county are Orange County (5,665 workers), Lake County (5,536 workers) and Alachua County (4,979 workers). Citrus County ranked sixth (2,107 workers) and Levy County was 17th (672 workers).

Among workers leaving the county for jobs, 24

percent (11,750) are 29 or younger; 51.1 percent (24,980) are age 30 to 54, and 24.9 percent (12,158) are 55 or older.

"One of our goals should focus on working with high school graduates and first time job seekers to retain their skills within our communities," Skinner said. "This includes working with our school districts and the College of Central Florida to develop short term, certificate and degree programs (both Associate and Bachelor) that focus on the skills sets that business needs."

Skinner noted that CareerSource CLM, the public school districts and CF all have active intern and work experience programs that help first-time workers transition into the workforce.

Among the 33,400 Marion County workers living outside the county, the top origin counties are Citrus County (3,687 workers), Lake County (2,644 workers) and Orange County (2,193 workers).

Of those workers commuting into Marion County, 25.1 percent are 29 or younger; 51.3 percent (17,119) are 30 to 54, and 23.7 percent (7,903) are 55 or older.

Other key findings:

- In terms of average wages, 21,412 (43.8 percent) of those leaving the county earn \$15,012-\$39,996 and 28.9 percent (14,153) earn \$39,997 or more; 43.3 percent of those commuting into Marion County (14,462) earn \$15,012-\$39,996 and 28.4 percent (9,473) earn \$39,997 or more.

- Of those working outside Marion County, 12.9 percent (6,330) are employed in "goods producing" industries such as mining, construction and manufacturing; 28.9 percent (14,112) in "trades, transportation and utilities"; and 58.2 percent (28,446) in "other services" which covers a wide array of services including dry cleaning and laundry, administering religious activities, personal and pet care, equipment and machinery repair and dating services. Among workers commuting into Marion County, 14.3 percent (4,780) are employed in "goods producing" industries; 35 percent (11,698) in "trade, transportation and utilities"; and 50.7 percent (16,922) in "other services."

- Workers employed in Marion County are clustered in the healthcare and social assistance industries (17.6 percent) along with retail trade (16 percent). Workers living in Marion County are concentrated in healthcare and social assistance (17 percent) and retail trade (14.7 percent).

For a copy of the Marion County labor shed report, visit the business resource links page or news releases page at [careersourceclm.com](http://careersourceclm.com).



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# CALENDAR

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## Sunday, April 8

### Masyter Choir spring concert

The Central Florida Master Choir will present its 2018 spring concert, "Ein deutsches Requiem" by Johannes Brahms, on Sunday, April 8, at 3 p.m. at the Countryside Presbyterian Church on SR 200. It will be under the direction of Dr. Harold W. McSwain and accompanied by GayLyn Capitano and tympanist Craig Lilly. The second half will include secular music, such as "The Entertainer" and "Mister Sandman".

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Also on Sunday, April 15, at 3 p.m. at the Dunnellon Presbyterian Church.

Friday, April 20, at 7 p.m. at the Reilly Arts Center.

## Friday, April 13

### Sheriff's Foundation spaghetti dinner

Marion County Sheriff's Office Foundation spaghetti dinner includes

salad, spaghetti with meat sauce, bread sticks and dessert and drink.

It will be Friday April 13, from 4-7 p.m. at the Sheriff's Office complex, main entrance, first building on the right after the gate in the multi purpose room, 700 NW 30th Ave., Ocala. Tickets are available for an \$8 donation.

Contact Caitlin Rath at 352-369-6849.

### Civic Theatre golf tournament

The 27th annual golf tournament to benefit Ocala Civic Theatre returns on Friday, April 13.

The tournament will be held at the beautiful Candler Hills Golf Club at 8137 SW 90th Terrace Road. Registration begins at 11 a.m. The tournament begins with a 1:00 p.m. shotgun start.

The cost is \$85 per player, which includes a deli box lunch, on-course water and sodas, free range balls, greens fees, a cart, goodie bags, and more than 50 on-course and door prizes, with awards immediately following the tournament. (A discount is available for Candler Hills Golf Club members.)

Men and women are both welcome to play. No professionals will be allowed. Players may create their own foursome, or the Theatre will be happy to assist.

There are opportunities to contribute as a corporate, scorecard, hole, raffle, or door prize sponsor. Sponsors will be recognized at the tournament,

and a sponsor listing also will be displayed in the Theatre lobby during the run of Mamma Mia! from May 17 through June 17. Ford/Lincoln of Ocala will sponsor the Hole-In-One prizes. Sponsors who donate \$100 or more will receive a certificate for future play at Candler Hills Golf Club.

For more information or to become a sponsor, please contact Ocala Civic Theatre Executive Director Mary Britt at (352) 236-2851, ext. 104.

### Recycle Trashy Fashion Show

The Ocala On Top of the World Lions will be presenting its 5th RecycleTrashy Fashion Show on Friday April 13, at the Circle Square Cultural Center. Door will open at 5 p.m. with dinner at 6 and the show starts at 7. Dinner will be catered again this year by Southern Pig and Cattle Co.11, with entertainment provided by Ron Hackling. Lots of beautiful baskets for the silent auction as well as 50/50. Come and enjoy a fun filled night and help the Lions help our local entities, such as Interfaith, the Children's Backpack program, Arnette House, and Florida Center for the Blind just to name a few. Residents can purchase tickets at the Recreation Building Monday, Wednesday and Fridays from 8 to 10

a.m. Non residents can contact Lions Charlene Czopek at 352-857-8765 or Estelle Michelson at 352-861-7358, Tickets are \$25.

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## Saturday, April 14

### Palm Cay yard sale

On April 14, Palm Cay will hold a community yard sale starting at 8 a.m. Hot dog and asusage lunch available at 10.

### 100 years of Leonard Bernstein

The Ocala Symphony Orchestra closes the 2017-2018 season with Sub-

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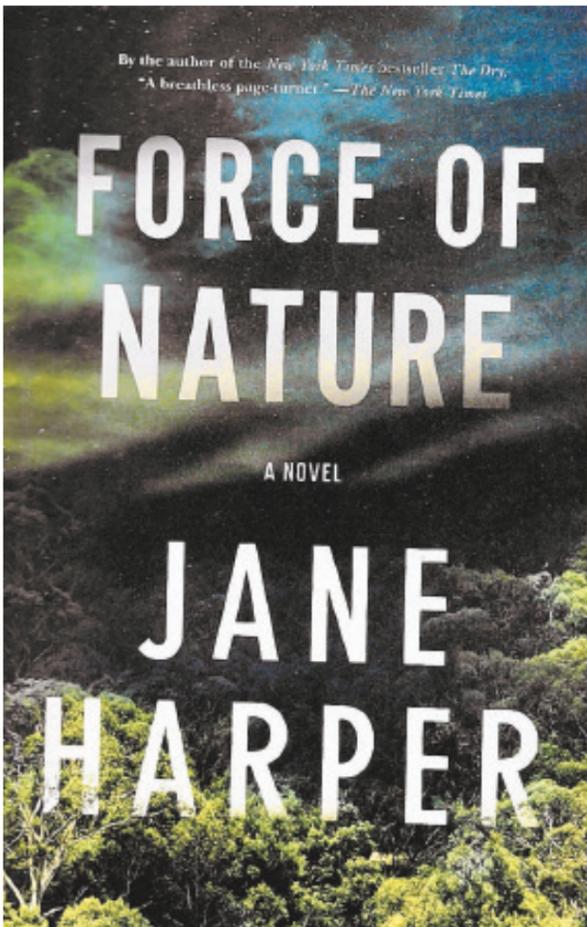
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## Book review: FORCE OF NATURE By Jane Harper

A corporate retreat north of Melbourne goes horribly wrong when one of five women participants from Bailey Tennants Financial Agency goes missing. Alice Russell had been working with Agent Aaron Falk of the Federal Police and his partner Carmen Cooper in their investigation of money laundering in this family-run conglomerate.

Falk's secret whistleblower Alice, we learn, is less of a victim and more of a bully according to her colleagues, a woman who creates tension both in her professional position and also out in the wilderness where the women soon become disoriented both geographically and emotionally.

"Later, the four remaining women could fully agree on only two things. One: No one saw the bushland swallow up Alice Russell. And two: Alice had a mean streak so sharp it could cut you."

Emerging from the Australian bush are four traumatized women: Jill Bailey, sister of Dan, the shady company president, school friend Lauren, and dysfunctional twins Breanna and Beth.

The story shifts expertly between the present tense of Falk and Cooper's investigation and the past tense of the expedition leading up to Alice's disappearance, while filling us in on everyone's background. But when the focus pulls back to Falk's trudging investigation, as readers we resent leaving the more vividly rendered conflict between the firm's suspects out in the bush. Among the warring women at least one admits that the danger, some of



**Bookmark**  
Pat Wellington

it' is of their own making: "Forget having choices and being in control. I don't feel in control at all. What if we don't have any choice in anything, and we're actually all destined to stay lost out here? Alone and scared and never found?"

"Force of Nature" leads us into that wilderness, even if Falk does his best not to let us get lost there.

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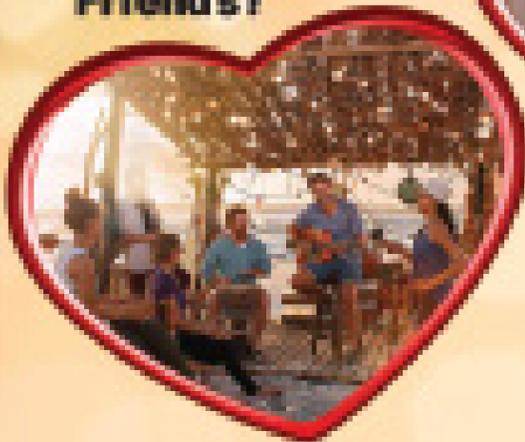
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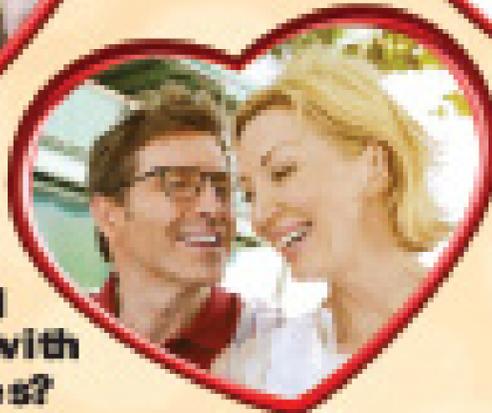
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# Opinion



## COMMENTARY

### Equal Pay Day to be April 10

BY PATRICIA A. WOODBURY  
*Special to the Citizen*

**H**ave you heard of Equal Pay Day? It occurs on April 10 this year. It is a symbolic day when women's pay finally catches up to the wages men took home the previous year. The date represents the fact that women working full time, year-round in the United States typically are paid just 80 per cent of what men are paid, or a gap of 20 percent.

Typically, women who work full time take home about 80 cents for every dollar a full-time male worker earns. Over a career (47 years), women's total earnings loss compared with men are \$700,000 for a high school graduate, \$1.2 million for a college graduate, and \$2 million for a professional school graduate.

The pay gap persists across all racial and ethnic groups and is found in every state. Incomes among women, especially those who are underserved, are considerably lower than their male counterpart. Hispanic women face the greatest gap, earning about 55 cents compared with a Caucasian male.

Missing 20 percent or more of a paycheck is a hard hit. Think about how that loss of wages adds up over a lifetime, and we are talking about losing a substantial amount of change—change that could have greatly aided women and their families. The pay gap is closing but at a glacial pace. At the current rate, women will not achieve equal pay until 2152. Women and families cannot afford to wait that long, nor can we risk rolling back the progress that has been made on equal pay.

In 1955 the American Association of University Women (AAUW) supported a bill introduced by Representatives Edith Green (D-OR) and Edith Rogers (R-MA) requiring "equal pay for work of comparable value requiring comparable skills." Congress finally enacted the Equal Pay Act, a version of the 1955 bill, in 1963. This year Representative Eleanor Holmes Norton (D-DC) sponsored the Fair Pay Act of 2017-2018 in the current legislative session to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to prohibit discrimination in the payment of wages on account of sex, race, or national origin, and for other purposes.

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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### Weapon response

In response to Lee Wiggins. I will first state facts (1) AR-15's are not assault rifles. They are sometimes classified as such do to appearance only (2) AR-15's shoot 1 bullet with each manual trigger pull, same as muskets, revolvers and semi-automatic pistols.

As you stated in your own article; "Changing the age at which people can buy guns from 18 to 21 is a ruse to distract those of use who have been vocal about the carnage..." I agree..criminals do not obey the laws. , hence criminal. As far as attacking the NRA, the NRA is composed of over 5M law abiding citizens both gun owners or not who donate to help protect the second amendment. those donations help the members with financial assistance as needed. As for the teachers. No one is making them gun tofers if they want to voluntarily carry to protect the children they should be

permitted.. Gun free zones are prime targets. Improper parenting is where most of this begins.

If morals respect decency and many other aspects of life are not taught society itself will deteriorate. Many elected officials own and carry concealed weapons. So I ask you nicely to not be blinded by main stream propaganda but to take the time to research and base your opinions/ thoughts on facts.

Kurt Mahler  
Ocala

### Assault weapons?

After the tragic shooting in Parkland Florida, anti-gun folks have thrown the term "assault weapon" around as often as they could. To me, any weapon used to harm another person is an assault weapon. When those shouting the loudest about banning "assault weapons" were asked to define

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## COMMENTARY

### Technology: biggest threat to the U.S.

**T**he greatest threat to the well-being of Americans isn't an assault rifle. It isn't ISIS. It isn't even Donald Trump or Nancy Pelosi.

There isn't a day that goes by without a reference to hacking, whereby outsiders are trying to take over our elections, or our government, or our personal data.

Been a victim of identity theft yet? Just wait your turn. Eventually, you will be.

Last week, I received two phone calls. The caller ID said one was from Bitting's Pharmacy, the other from Lowe's. In each case, the caller ID was false.

One was from the woman from whom I've heard ad nauseam: "I'd like to talk to you about your credit card account." The other was the foreigner who said I had a problem with my computer. I hung up each time.

They tell you not to answer if you don't recognize the number. But in each case the ID

Jim Clark  
Editor



said it was from a local business.

It's called spoofing.

What I want to know is, if we want our government to protect us against foreign involvement in our elections or other calamitous cyber attacks, shouldn't our government be able to protect us against the unscrupulous phone scammers who prey upon us unmercifully?

And then there's Facebook.

Your biggest enemy on Facebook is ... Facebook.

It's probably too late for many of you, even those who do only the basics, to save yourselves from the pitfalls of Facebook.

If you're on my friends list,

you'll probably be shocked when Facebook tells you it's my birthday. But that's because when all this Facebook stuff broke, I changed my birthdate to something totally false. I realized early on that it was silly to have my real birthdate listed, so I changed it.

Of course, if everyone does that, I wouldn't remember anyone's birthday, but so be it.

I'm also changing a lot of my other personal information, too, so none of that will be accurate either.

There's also Twitter, but that really doesn't matter since all I do is read other people's stuff.

Oh, and I don't go on Snapchat or Instagram or others, so looking for me there is a waste of time.

So if you really want to find out anything about me, just pick up the phone and call me. I'm in the book, I think. Oh wait, my cell isn't listed.

Jim Clark is the editor of the South Marion Citizen.

## Remembering MLK, 50 years later

BY DR. GARY S. SMITH  
*Special to the Citizen*

Fifty years ago, on April 4, 1968, Martin Luther King, Jr. was killed when he stepped from his second-floor hotel room at the Lorraine Motel in Memphis, Tennessee, to speak to Southern Christian Leadership Conference (SCLC) colleagues standing in the parking lot below. An assassin's bullet ended the life of the 39-year-old activist who had helped advance the cause of African-American rights more in 14 years than it had progressed in the previous 350 years.

King's life and legacy are remarkable. His shrewd strategy of non-violent protest, charismatic personality, electrifying speaking ability, and soaring words mobilized the black community, challenged centuries of oppression, and changed America. Inspired by his faith, the Baptist minister helped direct the Montgomery Bus boycott initiated by Rosa Parks in 1955, helped found and led the SCLC, organized numerous marches and sit-ins, and penned five books. His 1963 "Letter from the Birmingham Jail" and "I Have a Dream" speech delivered to 250,000 people at the National Mall in Washington, D.C. in August 1963 detailed the plight of America's blacks and helped reduced racial discrimination. His sermon "I've Been to the Mountaintop," preached at the Mason Temple in Memphis, the headquarters of the Church of God in Christ, the night before his

death ranks with John Winthrop's "A Model of Christian Charity" and Jonathan Edwards' "Sinners in the Hands of an Angry God" as among America's most famous.

King had initially planned to speak at Williston Senior High School in Wilmington, North Carolina, on April 4 to support Reginald Hawkins, a dentist and civil rights advocate, who was the first African-American gubernatorial candidate in the state's history. King then planned to stump in other North Carolina cities on Hawkins' behalf. Instead King decided to stay in Memphis to support the strike of predominantly black sanitation workers who were protesting their low wages and deplorable working conditions. There he declared in his April 3 sermon, perhaps having a premonition of his death, and paraphrasing Moses, "[God has allowed me to go up to the mountain. And I've looked over. And I've seen the promised land. I may not get there with you."

On April 5, about 200 black Williston students peacefully marched to the downtown New Hanover County Courthouse to hold a prayer service in memory of King. Another group of students went to nearby New Hanover High School to demand that the white school's American flag be lowered to half-mast.

Enraged by King's murder, blacks throughout the nation rioted. Violence erupted in more than 100 cities, killing 40 people and causing extensive property damage. One hun-

dred thousand soldiers and national guardsmen joined local police to battle arsonists, looters, and snipers; thousands of people were arrested.

President Lyndon Johnson proclaimed a national day of mourning on April 7. In response to King's death, many schools, museums, public libraries, and businesses closed and the Academy Awards ceremony scheduled for April 8 and numerous sporting events were postponed. On April 8, King's widow, Coretta Scott King, her three oldest children, movie stars, religious leaders, and thousands of other Americans marched in Memphis to honor the slain activist and support the sanitation workers.

King's funeral service, held the next day at the Ebenezer Baptist Church in Atlanta where both King and his father served as ministers, was attended by many prominent politicians and civil rights leaders, including Vice President Hubert Humphrey, Robert Kennedy, Richard Nixon, and Ralph Bunche. Benjamin Mays, the president of Morehouse College in Atlanta, from which King had graduated, gave the eulogy, declaring that King "would probably say" that "there was no greater cause to die for than fighting to get a just wage for garbage collectors." After the service, more than 100,000 mourners followed two mules as they pulled King's coffin on an old farm wagon through the streets of Atlanta.

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## Movie review: PACIFIC RIM UPRISING



At the Movies  
Bob Garver

2013's "Pacific Rim" was a movie about giant robots called Jaegers that fought giant city-leveling monsters called Kaiju. Yes, the story was officially about the human pilots of the Jaegers and their quest to save the world, but the appeal of these movies has always been giant robots at war with giant monsters. Now comes "Pacific Rim: Uprising," a sequel where the Jaegers fight both Kaiju and other Jaegers, so... its existence is justified?

John Boyega stars as Jake Pentecost, the son of Idris Elba's character from the original. He's an incredibly gifted Jaeger pilot (a Jaeger master, if you will), but he had a falling out with his father and the military, and now he no longer applies himself, using his advanced Jaeger knowledge only to steal old parts to sell on the black market. A botched heist leads to him and an aspiring Jaeger pilot named Amara (Caillee Spaeny) fending off authorities for a short time in a makeshift Jaeger before getting arrested. Luckily Jake's adopted sister Mako (Rinko Kikuchi, returning from the first film) can get them

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scription Concert 5: 100 Years of Leonard Bernstein on Saturday, April 14 at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, April 15 at 3 p.m.

Lobby doors and the Reilly's full bar open one hour and a half before each performance, and guests are invited to join us for a Chat with Matt one hour prior to each show. Tickets start at \$15. Student tickets are available for \$10. The Reilly Arts Center is at 500 NE 9th St., Ocala. Tickets can be purchased at [www.ReillyArtsCenter.com](http://www.ReillyArtsCenter.com), or by calling the box office at (352) 351-1606 during box office hours. Tickets can also be purchased in person at the Reilly Arts Center box office. Box office hours are Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.. Group rates are available for this show.

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### Breakfast at Ocala West

Ocala West UMC's community wide breakfast prepared by the men's fellowship will be held from 7:30-9:30 a.m. on Saturday, April 14 and is still

only \$6 for all you care to eat.

A varied selection awaits everyone ham, sausage, scrambled eggs, French toast, waffles, pancakes, corned beef hash, biscuits and gravy, fruit cup, juice and coffee. Breakfast proceeds benefit the many charities supported by the OWUMC men's fellowship.

Ocala West United Methodist Church, 9330 SW 105th St., Ocala (352) 854-9550.

### Sunday, April 15

#### Jazz Society to play

The Ocala Jazz Society invites you to join them on Sunday, April 15, from 2 to 5 p.m. for their monthly performance of Swing, Big Band, Dixieland, 50's and all your favorites.

We look forward to seeing you at the smoke free VFW Post 4781, 9401 SW 110th Street, across from Oak Run. The band performs on the third Sunday of each month. \$3 donation for Hospice is appreciated. info: 352-237-0234, [ocalajazzsociety@yahoo.com](mailto:ocalajazzsociety@yahoo.com)

### Thursday, April 19

#### Genealogical Society meeting

The Marion County Genealogical Society will meet Thursday April 19, at 2

p.m. at the Marion County Public Library, 2720 E. Silver Springs Blvd. in Ocala. A brief business meeting will be followed by the March program "German Genealogy" by Kathy Stickney.

For further information, contact Joel Swanson at (352)897-0840 or [president@mcgsocala.org](mailto:president@mcgsocala.org).

### Tuesday, April 24

#### Christian women to meet

Ocala Christina Women's Connection invites you to the our "Girl Power" luncheon April 24 at the Hilton of Ocala from 11:30 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. The doors open at 11 a.m. The special feature is DIY For Girls by Ace Hardware. Our speaker is Nancy Self sharing "Hanging On!". Admission is \$20. Please RSVP for lunch and free childcare to Claudia at 228-2126 or Eve at 732-7053 by Wednesday, April 18.

### Saturday, April 28

#### Walk for Parkinson

The Marion County Mind and Motion for Parkinson network is hosting a Walk for Parkinson event on Saturday,

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April 28 at Sholom Park.

Registration opens at 9:30 a.m., and the Walk starts at 10:30.

It is more than just a walk. April is National Parkinson's Awareness month, and the Walk highlights movement as a symbol of hope and progress towards finding a cure. The Walk is used to raise awareness and funds for research and education, and all proceeds from sponsors and walkers will be given to the Parkinson's Foundation via the Parkinson Association of Central Florida, a 501(c)3 Corporation.

You may donate via the website's Walk tab at MindAndMotion.org, or at the event. Whether you take part as a team or as an individual, you will have the opportunity to move with many others who share in the journey to help beat Parkinson's. For Companies or Corporations interested in sponsorship, contact pw444paw@gmail.com.

Kickoff Speakers are Annette Nieves, MD, Monroe Movement Disorder Clinic and Megan Willard, Regional Director, Parkinson's Foundation.

## Tuesday-Friday, May 1-4

### Bonsai Exhibit

The Marion Bonsai Society and OTOW Master the Possibilities are hosting the annual bonsai exhibit at the Master the Possibilities lobby, 8415 SW 80th St., Ocala. The exhibit is free and runs from Tuesday afternoon, May 1 through noon Friday, May

4. Specific times are: 3-4 p.m. Tuesday, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday, and 9 a.m. to noon Friday. Over 30 trees are on display by approximately 10 exhibitors. The age of trees vary from about 3 to over 30 years.

Two one-hour workshops are available for \$5 (free for OTOW residents). The first is "Basics of the Living Art of Bonsai" by Peter Wood at 1 PM on Wednesday, May 2. Peter will present basic horticulture and artistic principals of bonsai. The second is "The Living Art of Bonsai - Demonstration" by artist David VanBuskirk at 1 p.m. on Thursday, May 3. David will create a bonsai tree from nursery stock material.

To register for these classes go to www.masterthe-possibilities.org or call (352) 854-3688.

## Friday, May 11

### Tribute to John Denver

On Friday, May 11, at 7:30 p.m., Ted Vigil returns to the Reilly Arts Center for a special tribute to John Denver. Tickets start at \$10. The Reilly Arts Center is at 500 NE 9th St., Ocala.

Tickets can be purchased at www.ReillyArtsCenter.com, or by calling the box office at (352) 351-1606 during box office hours.

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# OTOW news

## Monday bowling league

*By Jerry Roney*

The team Spare Me Nots remains in first place by one game. The team Ten Pin Bowlers is the team in second place followed closely by the Colored Laces. There were many games of 200 or more. Among them were a 244 by Dennis Turnipseed, 237 and 234 by George Fulcher, 219 by Linda McIntyre, 211 by Connie Press and 201 by Hedy Schamal.

Among bowlers who bowled games significantly over their average included 81 by Connie Press, 65 by James Wilson, 58 by Jerry Roney, 58 by Paul Pardee, and 56 by Caroline Caprano. As I have previously stated, games bowled significantly over their average by bowlers goes a long way toward their teams winning games.

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# Ambassadors are looking for you to join



**Oak Run**  
Laura Smith

Dear readers, one of my favorite birds is the little birdie who tells me bits of news. This week it chirped to me that Damian Romano, whom you all know as Yo, had a hole in one at the Spruce Creek Preserve golf course. It was a 136 yard with an 8 iron. It was witnessed by Jim Hackett, Bill Pasco and Ed Feltman. Good job Yo! Upstate New York (my group) had a great show, The Pretenders from On Top of the World. They only do about 8 shows a year and all monies, after expenses goes to charity. I have a favorite grocery story, name begins with a "P" and I was pleased that they were closed on Easter Sunday. You will always have my business. I don't want to sound bias, but it is amazing all the outings planned by the Renaissance Women. They travel around trying different restaurants, movies and interesting day trips. Go girlfriends! I have said it before, there is no reason to be lonely living here. The Singles have their plans in today's column and there are many card groups. Two other fun groups are BOCCE and Shuffle Board and they always welcome new folks. Please remember all activities are for residents, and all are welcome at all activities. I encourage you to attend the Ambassadors meeting as volunteers are needed in a variety of

tasks. It is a fun group to be part of, meet new people and become involved. All activities in Oak Run are planned, put together by volunteers giving of their time for your enjoyment. We all need to step up to the plate and give a hand. I close with these words, "Easter is meant to be a symbol of hope, renewal and new life." J. di Giovanni. I wish you joy, peace and an appreciation of life. Laura

**Reminders:**

- Showcase of Stars, Friday, April 6 at Palm Grove - 7 p.m. Free admission.
- Acoustic Jam Club - I. Club 3 p.m. Wed. 9. & 12th 3 p.m.
- Ambassador Workshop - 9 a.m. Thursday in Card Room.
- Baby Boomers Ticket sale, April 7 at O.C. 9-11 a.m.
- The first annual Oak Run Car Show will be held on Saturday, April 7 from 1 till 3 in the overflow parking lot.
- The first annual Oak Run Pistol Shooting day is scheduled for Wednesday, April 11.

**ORHA General Meeting**

Wednesday, April 11 at the Orchid Club 9 a.m. (for residents and their overnight guests).

Interested in what stores will be

coming to our area soon? Curious about the plans on State Road 200 and what it might mean to Oak Run? How about all the parcels of land that are for sale suddenly? Ms. Pat Gabriel, President of the State Road 200 Coalition, will fill us in on what's planned for Oak Run's end of SR 200 soon. You don't want to miss this!

**Shuffleboard**

If you are a new Oak Run Resident, or you have been here for years, come on over to the Shuffleboard Courts on Friday, Saturday and Monday mornings at 9:45 a.m. We have folks who would love to show you how to play and become part of this great fun-lovin' group! Keep on a-Shuffling!

**International Folk Dancing**

Please note: There will be no folk dancing classes on the following dates: 4/12. Classes will resume on Thursday, April 19 in the Palm Grove Auditorium from 7-9 p.m.

**Give back**

The Oak Run Give Back to The Community Club (GBC) takes a lot of pride and satisfaction in helping the less for-

fortunate of our community. Among those are: The Homeless Shelters, Women's Shelter, The Sheriff's Ranch for teenage boys and girls, and The Arnett House For Forester Children. We provide items to the Ocala School Board for homeless families living in the Ocala Forest. Among the many items the ORGBC makes and donates are: lap robes, walker and wheelchair bags to local nursing homes and Hospice; baby hats, blankets and booties to the local hospitals. We gladly take donations of sewing material, yarn, clothing and toiletries. Our club meets on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month at the Island Club, not only make these items, but have a lot of laughs and make some new friends. If you would like to become part of our group, please join us at our next meeting on March 22 at 12 - 3. It is not necessary you know how to sew to or knit to help, as there are many other jobs to be done. For more information, please call Diane Church 352-873-3471

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# Senior Games well under way

The Marion Landing Senior Games are well under way. There are 140 residents participating in Senior Games this year, competing in 40 indoor and outdoor events during this two-week period. After all the scores are tallied and the winners determined, first, second and third place medals will be presented at the Senior Games Breakfast of Champions on Saturday, April 21, at 9 a.m. Ed Morgan Fitness Awards are also presented at the breakfast. To be eligible for this award, participants need only play in 12 of the 26 designated games. This award was named after a former resident of Marion Landing who was a high school physical education instructor in New York State. He, with his enthusiasm and encouragement, was instrumental in starting Senior Games at Marion Landing in 1990. After his passing, the award was established in his name. Hope you all are doing well, enjoying the Games and looking forward to the awards breakfast on the twenty first.



**Marion Landing**  
Diane Bress

April 6, from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. in the Lifestyle Center. It's a free Social, and no sign up or tickets are required. Just show up and listen to the music, dance and have fun. Remember to wear your blue resident bracelet and have your guests wear an orange guest bracelet. If you need bracelets, they are available in the Activities Office and Administration Office. Dancing is predominantly line dancing; however, according to club organizers Ron and Stan Goss, "anything goes at the Socials, line dancing, macarena, jitterbug, whatever they request." If you would like to join the Dance Club, it meets every Wednesday at 2 p.m. in the Clubhouse. Stop by and have some fun.

### Saturday night Social

All residents and their guests are invited to the Dance Club's monthly Social, which will be held tomorrow,

### Bridge lessons offered

Have you ever wanted to play bridge but didn't know how to get started? Here is your chance. Just sign up for



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Marion Landing Dance Club meets each Wednesday at 2 p.m. in the Lifestyle Center.

lessons to learn the basics of playing bridge Touted as the most popular card game in the world, millions of people are passionate about the bridge, and you can be, too. It's a great way to meet new people and make new friends, it keeps your brain active and improves concentration, and it's just plain fun. The first lesson will be Monday, April 16, at 10:30 a.m. in the Lifestyle Center. Please put your name on

the flyer posted on the Activity Wall if you'd like to attend. Additional lessons will be scheduled at that time.

### Speaker on reverse mortgages

Our speaker this month is Bruce Hancock, loan specialist from RMF. He will bring us information about The New Reverse Mortgage, which is actu-

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# What a party

Nearly 200 residents braved the chilly night air and came out for the March Madness Party last Monday evening. The pulled pork with trimmings was excellent and it was topped off with ice cream. Mick James of the Social Committee was grateful that so many people showed.

Our entertainment was Wayne and Joey, a dynamic duo who are singers, DJ's and all around great performers. They had the crowd up dancing and singing along as they covered songs from the 50's to the present in almost every genre. Country, pop, classic, rock and roll, all songs are part of their repertoire.

Diane Desin sold 50/50 and raffle tickets with the Marion County Woman's Shelter benefiting from the proceeds. Winners included, Genie Kelly, Guigi, Ralph Alexander, Christl Giovanniello, Ralph Bonnell and Jerry Giovanniello.

Our volunteers serving in the kitchen were, Peggy Konar, Donna James, Joan Siegel, Trude Smith, Dave Bragdon and Sandra Weiss. Marty Duesel and Chris Weiss handled food prep while Dick Francis took care of the drinks. Dave Bragdon and Marty Duesel also handled traffic control while Chris and Sandra Weiss served up the ice cream. Our resident photographer Holly Bragdon provided pictures and a record of this fun evening.

The entire event was made possible by Chris and Mario Zacco of Cherrywood Property Management and our Social Committee headed Mr. Mick James. Special thanks to Jennifer, Trevor and Keith from



## Cherrywood

John Everlove

the CW p.m. team for their support.

Because of all the help, it was a great party and a good time was had by all.

### Climate Control Seminar

Sign up today for the barbecue lunch and seminar sponsored by Climate Control Cooling and Heating. On Monday, April 9 at noon, you'll get a delicious barbecue meal and learn about such things as air filtration methods and energy saving tips; you'll learn about new products and what to look for if your system goes down.

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### Bowling league ends season

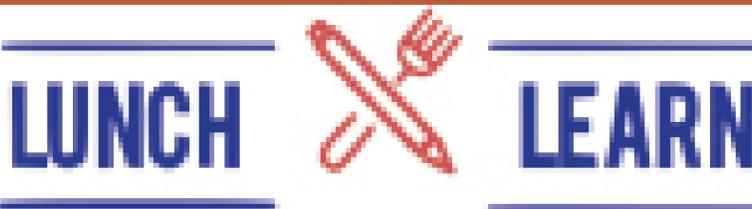
Our Cherrywood Bowling League has ended its season with a close finish and great banquet. Mojo's restaurant hosted the get together that honored league President Jim Heape and Treasurer/Secretary, Richard Hurley. Rich will be stepping down this year after long and loyal service.

Twenty-seven weeks of bowling ended with the

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# OAK RUN

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auctioned items. This promises to be a good time for all! Proceeds help defray the costs of other Singles Club events such as our picnic and holiday dinner.

We are also reminded to continue bringing items to support "Interfaith Services" to the meetings. Our May meeting will be a trip to a restaurant for dinner. Details will be announced at the April 26 meeting. Members must sign up at the April meeting in order that reservations can be made.

We are open to all singles in Oak Run. Come check us out! Remember - you may be alone, you don't have to be lonely.

## Travel

The trips coming up in April through August are not that far away so call to get on them as soon as possible.

Reminder about The Florida Mall shopping trip on April 13, Menopause the Musical on May 13, The Sound of Music on June 9 and Ain't Retirement Grand on June 24. All were written up in detail recently and may only have 2-4 tickets available. Call the hosts to see if any tickets are still available and if not, get on the wait list. There are often cancellations as the trip date approaches. Connie Smith has a very limited number of tickets available for the Ft Myers Getaway-August 2-3. You know they will be gone soon because everybody who has ever gone on one of her getaways raves about it. Hint: when we say limited number we mean 2 or 3. You will have gaming at 2 casinos, dinner and the show Annie at the Broadway Palms and hotel accommodations at the Hyatt Place. Call Connie now, the price is right at only \$163 pp for double occupancy!

Then, coming up in September, go with Jim & Patty Waddell to The Straz in Tampa on Sept 22 to see the zany musical Chicago! Remember Catherine Zeta-Jones, Renee Zellweger, Richard Geer and Queen Latifa in the movie version? It is set in the legendary city during the roaring '20s and includes murder, music and mayhem. Call Jim & Patty to get your ticket before they are all taken. Cost is \$94 which includes the ticket, transportation and bus driver tip. Dinner will be on your own following the play.

## Ballroom Dance Club

We are looking to resume Dance Classes at the Palm Grove Cub on Sunday evenings starting in May. The first class will be either West Coast Swing and Country Two Step, (your choice), please contact us ASAP so we can make the appropriate arrangements. Classes are available to all Oak Run Residents. No partner required. Come and have some

fun and learn a new dance,  
FMI call Sue Harrison, @ 678-517-7697.

## Shredding Service

Shredding service will again be provided on Friday April 20 from 9 to 11a.m. in the Orchid Club Overflow Parking Lot. The cost is \$5.00 per box which is approximately the size that printer paper comes in. Paper clips and staples are acceptable but please no rubber bands. For more information, please contact. Damian Romano at 854-4840.

## Biloxi getaway

Biloxi Gambling Get-Away May 21 - May 24. This is a bus excursion and a 3-night stay at the beautiful IP Casino, with visits to both the Palace Casino and the Scarlet Pearl Casino. You will receive \$25. slot play from the IP + \$24. in food coupons. Also, for your visits to the other two casinos, you will receive \$15. free slot plays to each.

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## Royal Oaks Women's 18 Hole Golf League

March 27 was the final day of our Solheim Tournament. Team USA beat Team Europe by a score of 23-1/2 to 12-1/2. Thank you to Tournament Chairperson JT Lemasters and team Captains Diana Galla and Elaine Bush for their hard work. Congratulations to Team USA: Diana Galla, Nancy Lefebvre, Sue Conner, Brenda Raider, Noreen Dygert, Bette Johnson, Sharon Scrivens, Chris Orndorff, Salita Timmermeyer, Denise Blanchard, Gayle Feeman, Debbie Bloss, Lynn Houghton, Mary Stimson, Stella Vanderwarker, Maureen Edwards, Ginger Drake and Mary Kay Frandsen.

## Oak Run Library

The Library will hold the second Friends of the Library meeting on Friday, April 6, at 1 p.m. at the Orchid Club. Karla Grimsley, CEO at Interfaith Emergency Services, will speak about emergency assistance provided to Marion County individuals and families in crisis.

Refreshments will be served. The monthly book sale will be held on Saturday, April 14, from 8-9:30 a.m. at the Orchid Club. Hardback books and DVD's are priced at 2 for \$1 and Paperbacks are 10 cents each. Stop by the donut drop-in while there and enjoy coffee and a donut.

## Do You Remember, weekly program, Channel 12

Videos taped by Len Teitler and narrated by Anna Boodee features past Oak Run Activities. This week

Len takes you back in time to the November 2, 2013, "Arts and Craft Fair". The program follows FYI daily at 9 a.m. and 7 p.m. from April 6 to April 13.

## Renaissance Women

Ethnic Dinner: Thursday, April 12 at 5:30 p.m. at El Toreo Mexican; Mariachi Band! Call Martha 237-9333 or 239-321-4077.

Monthly Luncheon: Wednesday, April 18, Noon at Miller's Ale House, 305 SE 17th St, Ocala, FL 34471. Call Gloria by 4/11: 570-606-7107.

Dinner at ROGC: First Wednesday of every month, 5 p.m. Call Pat G. 854-7549 or Gerry 873-6868. Indoor Picnic at Sunday, April 29 Meeting: Call Jessica before 4/24 at 873-4551; she will need \$11 cash in advance.

Lunch at ROGC: Thursday, April 26 at 11:30 a.m. Call Ann Marie 237-9838

Movies: Call Peg 274-9640 for details.

Membership: Call Patricia 445-7428.

Never miss a dues! We are open to all ladies of Oak Run!

## Royal Oaks Lady Niners

First & Last was the game played on March 22. This meant only the first three holes and the last two holes counted. Darlene Lamo won the game, and Shirley Krug was second.

Two ladies made a chip-in: Carolee Riola on the 11th hole and Darlene Lamo on the 17th hole.

The game on March 29 was Play It Again Sam. This game allows each player up to 3 mulligans - 1 for a drive, 1 in the fairway and 1 for a putt. Birdies & chip-ins made on a hole where a mulligan was used

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team of Time to Spare inching out the Sand Baggers for first place. The Cardinals finished third. High scores went to Holly Bragdon for the ladies with a 214 and Ray Stacer for the men with a 239.

This non-sanctioned league is made of up 10 four-person teams who bowl every Monday for fun and exercise. The competition is friendly, but everyone likes a winner. All Cherrywood residents are encouraged and invited to be part of this fun activity.

## Veterans Club

Cherrywood Veterans Club President Marty Duessel asked me to thank all of you who participated in the food drive for the Veterans Helping Veterans food pantry. Three truck loads and a car full was what he reported to me. Cherrywood never lets down its Veterans. Well done our fellow residents.

## No Frills Dance

What do you call it when a group of people get together to have fun with no set rules or format? Well you call it a No-Frills Dance of course, and just to add a little drama to the night, we're holding this one Friday, April 13.

The fun begins at 7 p.m. when the doors to the Clubhouse open. Everyone who resides in Cherrywood is welcome to come. No tickets are involved, just show up with your own refreshments, liquid and otherwise and relax.

Entertainment will be provided by Bill LaVertue who is a professional DJ with an almost unlimited assortment of music at his disposal. Not only at his 'disposal', but he also has the same number for his turn table. That's a good thing, otherwise he'd only be able to play in his kitchen.

At any rate, Bill will play your favorite tunes for you as you dance or just listen and socialize with friends and neighbors. No pressure, no stress and no frills; just good times, lots of smiles and lots of fun. Come join us for a great night.

## Shredding

Protect your identity by shredding all the documents you no longer need. Don't throw them into the trash because once they hit the curb, they become public property, and anyone can get them.

On Monday, April 16 from 9 until 11 a.m. you can bring your documents to the Clubhouse and have them professionally shredded for just \$5 per box. This is a sure-fire way to protect your personal information.

## Community Yard Sale

Twice each year Cherrywood residents hold their yard sales and invite the residents of Marion County to come visit our friendly neighborhood while seeking treasures and bargains.

This is a great opportunity for our home-owners to clean out their belongings and turn their unused items into cash and it gives the shoppers an opportunity to pick up items they might need or want at bargain prices.

Residents can put their items out for display from 8 am until 1 p.m. on Saturday, April 21. We usually have great success with these sales so take advantage of this chance to pick up some extra cash and clean out your garage as well.

## Range Day

See Jennifer today and sign up for our Cherrywood Range Day on April 19. This is a fun, exciting experience where those of us with firearms get a chance to hone our skills and maintain our weapons.

If you have never fired a gun before and would like to learn how, this is an excellent opportunity for you to get hands on experience in a safe, controlled environment with excellent instructors and caring range personnel.

We will car pool from the Clubhouse in the morning and spend the early hours on shooting lanes set up especially for us. Targets and safety officers will be provided for the cost of just \$16 per person.

Following our shooting, we will go to a local restaurant for a delicious lunch and some great socializing. This is always a good time and especially enjoyed by first time shooters.

Each person is responsible for eye and ear protection, ammunition and the cost of lunch. Equipment can be rented on site if you don't have it already. If you have any questions or you need a fire arm to take part, contact Fred O'Hern at 257-5391. See you all on the 19 of April.

## Victory Cruise

If you haven't been on the Victory Casino Cruise, you've missed a really good experience and you're encouraged to take part on April 24. Join your friends and neighbors as they board their bus transportation at 7:30 am and head for Port Canaveral.

Once you reach your destination, you'll board the Victory and head out to sea for a beautiful day on the water. Enjoy a buffet luncheon, two free drinks, free entertainment and more. Then begin gaming and get \$20 in qualified slot play; free drinks while your gaming and enjoy the excitement of playing all

the games, slot play to Bingo; poker to blackjack.

The cost for this whole package is just \$45 per person and includes everything except of course your gaming. With a little bit of luck, who knows, you could come home with some serious money in your pocket.

Contact our energizer bunny, Holly Bragdon at 873-8223 and sign up today. You don't want to miss out and these excursions fill up quickly.

## From the reporter

Recently, I decided to follow up on a program that I actually knew nothing about, even though I wrote about it briefly.

I'm speaking about the Men's Breakfast at the Oasis restaurant on Thursday mornings. Last week, I decided to attend one of these events and here's how it went down.

I entered into the restaurant and announced to my lovely waitress that I would be joining the Cherrywood men for breakfast.

She sat me at a table for six. She then proceeded to bring me my coffee and a menu and I acknowledged both but told her I would wait a bit to order until my associates arrived.

Fifteen minutes into my wait, it dawned upon me that I might be dining alone this morning. As I looked at the empty chairs staring at me, it was my sincere hope that the waitress didn't expect me to eat enough for six people.

Other patrons came in and went out; they smiled politely at me but in their minds, I could see them thinking, "Loser!"

I couldn't blame them of course because to all appearances, it appeared that I had been stood up by not just one person, but everyone who was supposed to party with me.

Quickly I ordered and attempted to appear unphased. My food came promptly and was very tasty, so I ate quickly too. In record time I was done and paid my bill.

Yes, I left a good tip but not enough to cover meals for six.

Apparently, I have not advertised this happening enough because I went to breakfast at 7 a.m. only to be gently advised by my proofreader and dear friend Jennifer, that the Men's Breakfast starts at 8:30 a.m.

I would ask the men of Cherrywood to please help me save what little dignity I have left by showing up next Thursday at 8:30 a.m. for breakfast. Otherwise, I will sit alone with egg on my face.

If you have ideas or suggestions for this column, please contact me at [ssg6jae@gmail.com](mailto:ssg6jae@gmail.com).

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do not count. In Flight A, Sue Conner and Darlene Lamo tied for first place. Maureen Edwards was third. In Flight B, Shirley Krug was first, and Ginger Drake was second. Darlene Lamo won the closest to the pin contest on the 3rd hole. A birdie was made by each of the following: Sue Conner - 7th hole, Lisa Juhasz - 9th hole, and Shirley Krug - also on the 9th hole. Darlene Lamo and Maureen Edwards both made a chip-in on the 1st hole. All Oak Run ladies are welcome to play with us on Mondays. There is a signup sheet in the Locker Room with tee time and contact information.

## The Chinese Mah Jongg Club

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Starting April 14, a new version of the game will be taught, bringing to 3 the number of versions of this fun game you can choose from! Open to all Oak Run residents and their overnight guests. FMI call Susan at 237-3686.

## Oak Run Women's Golf Association

After so many days of cold this past

month, it was a blessing to have a day of perfect weather for our annual Spring Fling on the 29th. Our format was a scramble and the winning team consisted of: Gail Barclay, LaVerne Browand, Marlene Puglisi and Marge Richardson.

The Longest Drive on the A hole was: LaVerne Browand, and the B hole was won by Ginny Simons. The Hidden Easter Basket was won by the team consisting of: Dee Pierce, Annette Carini, JoAnn Keane and Ginny Simons. A secret Easter Bunny graced us with a huge basket filled with lots of goodies and was won by Gail Barclay.

A great big thank you goes out to Jean Travers and Marge Richardson for planning and executing such a successful Spring Fling for our league. Three cheers are extended to the Spruce Creek Preserve staff for their special attention which resulted in everyone having a wonderful day of golf.

The low net tournament results for 3/22 are:

- Flight A Marti Babb & JoAnn Cohen
  - Flight B Sylvia Fiorello & Marlene Puglisi
  - Flight C Janet Sutphen & Marge Rymarscuk
  - Flight D Ginny Simons & JoAnn Keane
- LaVerne Browand had a Chip In

## PACOR

The little town of Sweetgum Tx is just about back to normal. The rubble from the demolished school is just about cleaned up, the skunks have been captured and the ants have been taken care of by Tiny the Terminator and Cody Fussell has been properly laid to rest. But all in all, the picnic was a success and since everybody has been asking, I have provided the following recipes for your eating enjoyment!

Famous Guacamole ingredients :1 orange,2 limes,4 -6 avocados,1 roma tomato, roasted and diced,2 serrano peppers, roasted, seeded, and diced,4 tablespoons red onions, diced,1/2 cup fresh cilantro, chopped,1 teaspoon sea salt,1 garlic clove, chopped (optional) : Squeeze juice of orange and lime into bowl. Scoop avocado from skin, add to bowl and coarsely chop. add tomato, peppers, onion, garlic, and cilantro, and fold into avocado mixture. Add salt to taste. Result should be crudely chopped, not mashed.

Boiled Turnips: ingredients:3 turnips, peeled & chopped,1 lb. bacon,4 tbs rendered bacon fat & 1/2c packed brown sugar, Directions: bring a pot of salted water to a boil. Add turnips; cook until tender but still firm. Drain,

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# LANDING

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ally a growing line of credit. It has been said that as people age, many may be in jeopardy of outliving their savings or going through their investment accounts. Or perhaps a spouse passes away and the remaining spouse loses their income. Now, all of a sudden, making ends meet at the end of the month is difficult. The new reverse mortgage can be beneficial for senior homeowners who have built significant equity in their homes and need a source of supplemental income. Learn how you can use the equity in your home to your advantage at this presentation on Tuesday, April 17, at 9:30 a.m. You do not lose your home nor do you sign it over to the mortgage company. Join us after the Tuesday morning Social on April 17 to find out more and have all questions answered.

in the Lifestyle Center parking lot on Friday, April 20, from noon to 2 p.m. Please put your name on the sign-up sheet in the Lifestyle Center if you are interested in bringing your documents down to be shredded.

## Shuffleboard challenge

It's Marion Landing men vs. women again at the first Shuffleboard

Challenge of the year, which is scheduled for Friday, April 20, at 6 p.m. It's also Happy Hour, so feel free to BYOB, but remember, no glass please in the recreation area. Sign up if you'd like to play, or just come down to the courts at 6 p.m. to watch the fun and enjoy the evening.

*Diane Bress is Marion Landing's Activities Director and an employee of Leland Management, Inc.*

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## Shredding service

Don't forget that Florida Express Environmental will be at Marion Landing on Friday, April 20, to provide us with an on-site document shredding service to safely and securely destroy your important documents—while you watch. The cost for one file box of paper equal to one cubic square foot is \$5. Please be sure to remove rubber bands and large clamps; staples and small clips are okay to leave attached. The truck will be

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## MOVIE

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off the hook if they join the military, with Jake as an instructor and Amara as a cadet.

Jake resents the military because everyone expects him to live up to his father's legacy, and because he has to work alongside former partner Nate (Scott Eastwood) after the two had a falling out over a girlfriend (Adria Arjona). The upside is that he might not have to be there very long. A corporation run by the shadowy Shao (Jing Tian) is building an army of drone Jaegers that could make human-operated machines a thing of the past. It seems as though Shao has finally figured out that robots so huge that they have to be operated by two pilots simultaneously might not be the most dependable defense system. Comic relief scientist Dr. Geiszler (Charlie Day) now works for Shao while former partner Dr. Gottlieb (Burn Gorman) works for the military. The two are shaken up following a mind-meld with Kaiju in the original movie, though Geiszler is coping much better than Gottlieb. The drones turn on humanity, leading Jake to lead the cadets in saving the world from both the drones and the returning Kaiju.

The film at least makes the right decision in having Boyega be the lead. He's funny, inspiring, and charming with a great accent. The rest of the cast is not so great. Eastwood continues his streak of being a bland bohunk, Arjona has no character besides giving Jake and Nate a reason to fight, and Spaeny pales in comparison to similar recent characters in "Logan", "War for the Planet of the Apes," and even "Transformers: The Last Knight". This is a franchise

that wants to be a better version of "Transformers", so it can't afford to fall behind its reviled rival in any respect. Day and especially Gorman pull their weight as the scientists, though the film wastes what could have been a great third act for Day's character.

Watching "Pacific Rim: Uprising", I saw very little reason for the movie to exist. We have plenty of giant robot movies already, and having jaegers fight other jaegers doesn't exactly do much to up the ante. Only three characters from the first movie are back, were people really clamoring to see the continuation of their stories? The only thing that makes the movie somewhat relevant is that the original was directed by Guillermo del Toro, who here serves as a producer. Del Toro just won an Oscar for "The Shape of Water", so he's a hot commodity right now. Very little of his imagination is on display here, though I did come up with some "Shape of Water"-inspired off-color jokes about a character and their kaiju roommate. I can't say that I recommend this movie for del Toro fans, action movie fans, or even original "Pacific Rim" fans. The best I can say is that I recommend it for John Boyega fans.

Grade: C-

"Pacific Rim: Uprising" is rated PG-13 for sequences of sci-fi violence and action, and some language. Its running time is 111 minutes.

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# EQUAL

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In addition, in Florida, a bill was filed last year entitled the "Senator Helen Gordon Davis Fair Pay Protection Act." This bill was meant to prohibit an employer from providing less favorable employment opportunities to employees based on their sex, regarding their wages and benefits or to require them to sign certain waivers and documents. Unfortunately this bill has remained in Committee.

The Ocala branch of the AAUW in honor of Equal Pay Day, April 10, are encouraging our two federal senators and three representatives to support the Fair Pay Act of 2017-2018 by getting this critical law

passed. They are also asking the Florida two senators and three representatives to assist in getting the Helen Gordon Davis Act for Fair Pay out of Committee and on to the floor for a vote. To provide a further incentive as well as a visual reminder each of these legislators were sent a letter of encouragement and a "Pay Day" candy bar to enjoy.

Job creation and economic opportunity are critical issues for women, many of whom continue to struggle with economic insecurity and wage discrimination. AAUW will continue to advocate for strong pay equity legislation, regulation, and enforcement to protect employees and assist employers.

Patricia A. Woodbury is a member of the American Association of University Women.

# LETTERS

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what it was, they all failed miserably. Another fact ignored is that a rifle is used less often than a handgun in a mass shooting.

They call for "sane" gun laws. Exactly what is a sane gun law? What new gun law would have prevented any of the most recent mass shootings from happening?

Before writing new laws, they should just enforce those that are currently in place. The Broward school board failed to follow the procedures already in place when dealing with a troubled youth, the Sheriff's department colluded with the school board and failed to do their job as well, then the FBI didn't follow up on warnings about the bizarre behavior of the shooter and as a result, 17 innocent people lost their lives.

In a reaction to the horrific tragedy, a call to ban weapons becomes the national solution. Unfortunately, what has been suggested and in some cases demanded would only address the symptom while ignoring

the cause. For instance, I could lay a gun, hammer, bat, knife, machete, a bomb and any other weapon known to man on a table. We could observe those weapons for hours and days and not one of those weapons will pose a danger to anyone. When a person who has no regard for human life and is determined to bring harm to others, picks up one of those weapons it becomes a problem.

The weapon is merely a method; the problem is the mental state of the individual. An effort to identify troubling behavior patterns should be where we focus our attention.

Unfortunately, those in charge in South Florida ignored all the warnings.

For a law to be effective it must first be realistic, attainable, and measurable. To ban millions of firearms fails all three tests and I have yet to hear of a criminal who would change their gun for a knife simply because the store they were going to rob had a "gun free zone" sign at the front door.

Bob Waas  
Ocala

# MLK

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King's accomplishments are well known. King's inspiring books, mesmerizing speeches, creative leadership of the SCLC, and direction of the civil rights movement won him the 1964 Nobel Peace Prize (the youngest recipient to that date). His work also helped pass the landmark Civil Rights Act of 1964 that prohibited racial segregation in employment, schools, and public accommodations and mandated that voter-registration requirements be applied equally to all races.

What is less remembered about King is that his Christian convictions inspired his civil rights activism. The Baptist pastor's faith played the pivotal role in his fervent quest for political and social change. "Before I was a civil rights leader," King declared in a sermon, "I was a preacher of the Gospel. This was my first calling" and it "remains my greatest commitment." Everything "I do in civil rights I do because I consider it a part of my ministry."

King was especially motivated by the example of Jesus' selfless love and his charge to love others as we love ourselves. In accepting the Nobel Peace Prize, King asserted, "I believe that unarmed truth and unconditional love will have the final word." As we remember King's life and contributions and continue to combat racism, poverty, and violence, may we pray that truth and love prevail.

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Today's Pun Alley's work stories should bring a smile or laugh to you.

### Using his head

The village blacksmith finally found an apprentice willing to work hard at low pay for long hours. The blacksmith immediately began his instructions to the lad, "When I take the shoe out of the fire, I'll lay it on the anvil; and when I nod my head, you hit it with

this hammer." The apprentice did just as he told. Now he's the village blacksmith!

### Weekly drag

Because of the reaction people have when they wake up and realize it's a workday again and the weekend is over, the first day of the week is called Moanday.

For years dentists didn't work on Mondays so the second day of the week become known as Toothday.

By the third day of the week, people are wondering when they can ever find the time to get everything done this week that they need to, hence the day is known as Whensday.

Too bleary to even count properly, people think it's only day three of the

week on the next day, therefore it's erroneously called Thirdsday.

On the last day of the workweek, people often go out "for a few" after work. By the time they get home, they're too tired to cook anything elaborate, so they just throw a piece of meat, chicken, or fish in the skillet. That's why the day is known as Fryday.

Saturday night all the singles let loose. There are a lot of hijinks. It's pretty obvious why the day is called Satyrday.

And on the last day of the week the weekend people look at all the items on their to-do lists that didn't get crossed off, groan aloud, and make

themselves promises they won't keep. Therefore the day is called Soonday.

### Cut-Ups

Two surgeons and a dermatologist were having lunch in the hospital cafeteria when the first two doctors began to laugh hysterically. "What's so funny" the confused dermatologist asked.

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# RELIGION

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requested. Reservations may be made by contacting the church office. Ladies are also asked to bring their own tea cup and saucer.

Christ's Church of Marion County is at 6768 SW 80th St. - just off State Road 200. For more information on all our events or for directions visit our website at [www.ccomc.org](http://www.ccomc.org) or contact the church office at (352) 861-6182.

## Countryside Presbyterian Church

### March 25, Palm Sunday

Services will begin with the "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" arr. by Ryan Pagels, our Director of Music who will conduct the choir and handbells.

The Rev. Gary Marshall will lead this Palm Sunday service on March 25 at 8:30 and 10:30 a.m. The church is at 7768 S.W. Highway 200, Ocala.

For further information, please call 352-237-4633.

### March 29, Maundy Thursday

The church will hold a Tenebrae Service "service of shadows" with communion at 7 p.m. led by Rev. Gary Marshall. The church is at 7768 S.W. Highway 200, Ocala.

### March 30, Good Friday at noon

The church will hold a noon service on Good Friday, March 25 recalling Jesus' crucifixion with the Rev. Gary Marshall officiating. The church is at 7768 S.W. Highway 200, Ocala.

### April 1, Easter Sunday

No 8:30 a.m. service, just one celebratory Worship Service at 10:30 a.m. on Easter Sunday at Countryside Presbyterian Church, 7768 SW Hwy 200, Ocala with Pastor Gary Marshall officiating. The choir will sing a Cantata by Mark Hayes "Behold God's Holy Lamb" accompanied by various instruments.

For further information, please call the church office at 352-237-4633.

## Southwest Christian

Come on in and see what God has to offer you through Southwest Christian Church.

Sunday 9:30 a.m. Sunday school classes for children and adults. 10:30 a.m. morning worship service. 6 p.m. evening worship service.

We have a staffed nursery available during the worship service.

We offer the following studies throughout the week:

Monday-Women's Bible study at 10:30 a.m.

Thursday-Girl Scouts 6 p.m.

Tuesday AA from 5 to 7 p.m. Every-3rd Tuesday of the month (Sept.-June) Christian Women's Fellowship at 10 a.m.

Wednesday-7 p.m. we offer 3 different adult Bible studies. You do not need to be a member to attend any of our Bible studies or services.

Visitors are always welcome here at Southwest.

Southwest Christian Church exists to equip Christians with a mind that knows the word of God, a heart that seeks the character of God, hands that do the work of God and feet that share the grace of God.

Southwest Christian Church, 9045 SW 60th Ave. (south off SR 200) 352-861-9080.

## Crossroads Church

Small Groups ministry have started up already. Please see our website calendar or Facebook for more details.

Men's Breakfast will be held on Saturday, April 7 at 8 a.m. Please come and join us for food and fellowship.

Women's Ministry will be held on Saturday, April 7 at noon. Join a great time of fellowship and fun.

Our Senior's ministry will be held

on Saturday, April 21 at 4:30 p.m. This will be a pot luck dinner.

Our Common Ground fellowship will be meeting at the Church for Pizza and a Movie, on Saturday, April 28 at 4:30 p.m. All are invited to attend.

Mondays - Monday Night Bible Study at 6:30. Topic - "Ephesians"

Tuesdays - Intercessory Prayer Meeting at 9am.

Wednesdays, Thursdays & Saturdays - we have Nursing Home ministry at multiple agencies.

Wednesdays - Family Training Hour at 7 p.m. This includes Crossroads Kids, Crossroads Nursery & Crossroads Youth Ministries.

Thursdays - Our Spanish "Estudio Biblico" at 7 p.m.

Sunday Services - Sunday School, 8:30 a.m.; Worship Services at 9 a.m., 11 a.m. and our Spanish Service at 1 p.m. Nursery Ministry provided for all services.

Crossroads Church, 8070 SW 60th Ave. (south off of SR 200) 352-291-2080.

See our new website at [www.ourcrossroads.church](http://www.ourcrossroads.church) for up to date

calendar events.

## Maranatha Baptist Church

Maranatha Baptist Church extends a special invitation to everyone who would like to experience a church family. Come and visit and find a home. We are a multi-cultural church, where all are welcome. We are a family and want everyone to experience that love. Maranatha Baptist Church doctrine is totally Bible-based. All ages are welcome.

Sunday 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. Sunday School classes for all ages.

10:45 a.m. Adult morning worship service and Junior Church for our children.

6 p.m. Evening services. Wednesday 6:45 p.m. prayer time and Bible study.

A nursery is provided for infants to 3 years old at all services.

Maranatha Baptist Church is at 525 Marion Oaks Trail. Please call: 352-347-5683 for further information and/or directions to the church.

# Events at VFW Post 4781

Non-smoking post.

Bingo is played on Monday and the doors open at 9 a.m. Games begin at 11 a.m.

Monday, Wednesday and Friday lunch is served from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Wednesday dinner prices and menu varies. See bartender for Wednesday pre-sale dinner tickets. Dinner is open to the public.

Second and fourth Friday dinners are fried fish or chicken and served from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Dinner is open to the public.

Friday and Saturday enjoy entertainment in the canteen from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Saturday breakfast is served from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. Breakfast is open to the public.

Saturday, April 28 is the Auxiliary's taco buffet from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. for \$6 donation. Tickets are available in the canteen or at the door. Buffet is open to the public.

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The VFW Post 4781 Honor Guard is available to provide military honors to a fallen veteran. For further information contact the Post at 352-873-4781.

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# OAK RUN

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and transfer to a large bowl to cool. Place bacon in a large, deep skillet. Cook over medium high heat until evenly brown. Crumble and set aside. Reserve bacon fat. In the large bowl, combine turnips, bacon, reserved bacon fat and brown sugar. Mix together and serve.

PACOR has lots of things going on for the next several months. April will be the final workshop for the play written and produced by PACOR members. June brings auditions for our next show and our picnic on June 2. See future issues of the Citizens for details!!!

*Well, folks, spring is really here, all is getting green. Smile, you will feel better.*  
Laura Smith csjtpq2@gmail.com

# PUN

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## Work experiences

I'm great at multitasking. I can waste time, be unproductive, and procrastinate all at once.

My memory has gotten so bad it has actually caused me to lose my job. I'm still employed. I just can't remember where.

Teamwork is important; it helps to put the blame on someone else.

There had been a trend in our office where everyone put names on their food.

I saw it once while I was eating a sandwich named Kevin.

I used artificial sweetener at work. I added it to everything I said to my boss.

My annual performance reviews

stated I lacked "passion and intensity." Management never saw me alone with a Big Mac.

I can't believe I got fired from the calendar factory. All I did was take a day off.

The boss always frowned on anyone yelling, "Hey Weirdo!" He observed too many people looking up from their work.

To steal ideas from one person is plagiarism. To steal from many is research.

I didn't mind going to work; it was the 8-hour wait to go home I couldn't stand.

I think they picked me for my motivational skills. Everyone always said they had to work twice as hard when I was around.

Some mistakes were too much fun to only make once.

I have a lot of jokes about unem-

ployed people, but none of them work.

As a pun writer I wound up in the alley, and am managing to take the pun-ishment so far.

## By degrees

The graduate with a science degree asks, "Why does it work?" The graduate with an engineering degree asks, "How does it work?"

The graduate with an accounting degree asks, "How much will it cost?" The graduate with an arts degree asks, "Do you want fries with that?"

## Think!

God's greatest gift to man is the joy of laughter. We laugh before we speak and we laugh before we walk.

## Super Crossword

### Answers

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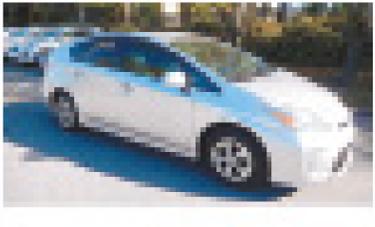
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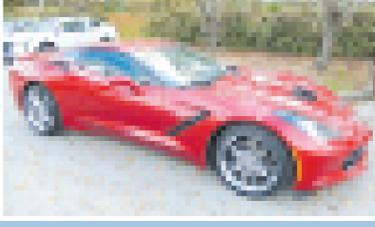
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