



ARBOR TRACE



TOWER POINTE
AT ARBOR TRACE

The Arbor Trace Revue

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Nick & Susan Hansen
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The Hansen family includes Samy, the celebrity of the family. He is a well mannered Standard Poodle with a flawless personality. He loves people small children, and other dogs. He is a large dog for our

residence but is considered a "companion" dog.

Nick was born in Detroit, Mi and received his BA from Albion College. Then to Wayne State U Law School. Upon graduation, he clerked for a justice of the Michigan Supreme Court. He had a variety of legal jobs, the longest being with Kimberly-Clark. As Vice President and Tax Counsel, he was able to provide student interns with experience in taxation. He served on the Board of Directors of the Bergstrom Mahler Museum and helped establish the youth sailing program of the Neenah Nodaway Yacht Club.

Susan hails from Wheaton, Il. Her career included teaching and the ownership of gift shops and clothing stores. Like Samy, she has a great outgoing personality and was loved by her students and customers. Susan met Nick while on a student ship to Europe. They have loved travel ever since. They have two children, that are happily married.

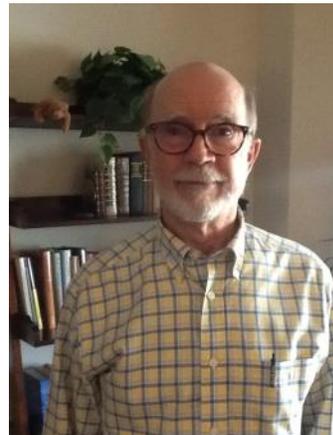
They moved to Florida in 1999 to the Regatta. Then followed residences at the Vineyards and Dunes till they chose Arbor Trace. In spite of Susan's mother having lived at Moorings for many years, they thought this was the best place to be.

She loves cruises and he loves all kinds of boats. They are members of the Freedom Boat Club. He loves bridge and she plays although less enthusiastically. She loves to read and is a great cook. They spend their summers in Traverse City, Mi

We certainly welcome all three of them and wish them much happiness in their beautiful new apartment.

- Merle Bauser

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Rick Erickson 2-202

Rick was born in New York City, son of a Navy pilot who was killed in WWII at the battle of Leyte in the South Pacific. He was raised by his grandfather and later by his mother and stepfather who was also a Navy pilot. So, as most Navy juniors, he moved frequently Alameda, CA, Norfolk (attended Camp Greenbrier in W. VA) and Washington DC where he attended the Landon School to which he still has strong ties. He then graduated from Washington and Lee University in Lexington, VA with a major in sociology.

Always a person who wanted to help others, he decided on counseling, and because his best friend had a serious alcohol problem, became certified in substance abuse counseling. He was employed by the Fairfax County VA Alcohol and Drug Services, helping people recognize, self-diagnose their problem, and then go into recovery. Vacation times were filled with travels to Acapulco, Europe, and most memorable was a road trip of 2,900 miles through seven National Parks to Calgary, where he attended the Calgary Stampede, i.e. Rodeo. He retired in 2010 and came to Bonita Springs to Bonita Bay.

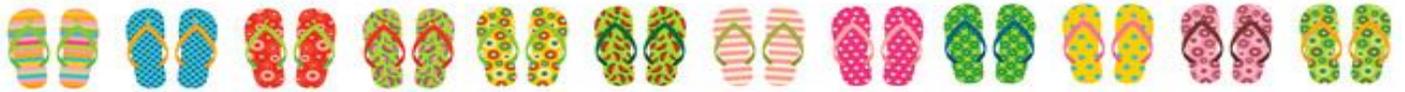
Rick joined Unity Church in Bonita and is currently head usher. He conducts meditation sessions and has been engaged in entertainment and meditation for those with Dementia.

He enjoys volunteering at the Café of Life. He has humongous TV set, and enjoys watching his favorite sports teams—DC Wizards, Nationals, Redskins, and the Miami Heat.

Welcome, Rick, along with your two cats, Leia and Sunny!

- Mary DePrisco

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Director Notes:

June 1st marks the official beginning of the 2021 Atlantic hurricane season. The Collier County Bureau of Emergency Management will be holding their Hurricane Preparedness Seminar here Monday, June 7th at 9am in the Gathering Place. After the seminar we will broadcast the seminar multiple times on channel 195 for those who were unable to attend. Colorado State University has issued annual hurricane forecasts since 1984. Information obtained through March 2021 indicates that the 2021 Atlantic hurricane season will have activity above the 1981–2010 average. They estimate that 2021 will have about 8 hurricanes (average is 6.4), 17 named storms (average is 12.1), 80 named storm days (average is 59.4), 35 hurricane days (average is 24.2), 4 major (Category 3-4-5) hurricanes (average is 2.7) and 9 major hurricane days (average is 6.2).



For those of you who are dependent upon an oxygen concentrator or other medical devices that require electricity, you should absolutely have a plan for what you will do in the event a hurricane is headed our way. Even with a minimal hurricane or tropical storm, electrical power may be disrupted, possibly for days. The emergency generators in our community only power the elevators, emergency lighting and a few hallway receptacles. The Villas in Arbor Trace have no generators at all.

Any resident of Arbor Trace or Tower Pointe, that considers Arbor Glen as part of their back-up plan, should be aware that Arbor Glen can only provide care for up to 29 residents, which is the total number of rooms available in our facility. As I write his article, we currently have 16 rooms occupied and there is no way to know what our occupancy might be later in the year. Something else to be considered is the fact that we close Arbor Glen to new admissions 72 hours before any projected landfall of a hurricane in our immediate vicinity. At that point we are busy making sure we have ample medications, food, water and staffing to safely meet the needs of those residents already in our care.

Something else to consider, if you plan to stay in the community in the event of a hurricane is the fact that we may need to evacuate Arbor Glen residents to another facility if the threat is severe enough to warrant an evacuation. If this is the case, there will be no nursing personnel on hand to respond to your medical emergencies should one arise, as they must go with the Arbor Glen residents to whatever site we evacuate to. Even if we do not wind-up evacuating Arbor Glen, you need to realize that in the event of even tropical storm force winds, we cannot dispatch nurses to your residence if it puts them in harm's way. This also holds true for County Emergency Medical personnel, as they may not be able to respond to medical emergencies, if sustained winds make it unsafe for them to be on the road.

I would like to stress again how important it is that you take personal responsibility for your safety and welfare and create your plan now.

Yours truly,

Kevin J Cooney
Executive Director





June Calendar Notes

Exercise Opportunities-We will continue to show exercise on channel 195 as we have been the past year, in addition to starting in person classes.

- *Sandy's Exercise will meet in person Mondays and Thursdays at 1pm starting Monday, June 7th
- *M/W/F at 10:30am Top of the Pointe Chair Yoga, starting Monday, June 7th
- *Tuesday/Thursday 9:30am & 10:15am Aquasize at the Swimming Pool
- *Putting on the Greens Wednesdays at 9:00am by the Clubhouse
- *Pickleball Tuesdays/Thursdays/Saturdays at 7:30am
- *Tai Chi on Saturdays at 11:00am on Channel 195
- *Blue Zones Walking Group meets Wednesday's at 8:30am in front of the Clubhouse for an enjoyable walk
- *The gym at Tower Pointe is open to all residents

Check the calendar of events for the daily schedule of events. Men's Coffee is enjoying in-person meetings at the Gathering Place! Bette Kellogg is starting a new book this month to read on Tuesdays and Sundays at 4pm on Channel 195.

The Hodges summer session will start in June, in person, in the Gathering Place. All residents are invited to join in! Nevada will be here to entertain on Wednesday evening, June 16th. Please make dinner reservations to enjoy music while you dine. Monday night movie nights will continue in the Gathering Place at 7:30pm (no guests at this time). Check the calendar of events for movie listings. We are also excited to start Tuesday night Bingo back up, so join us in the Activity Room at 7:15pm after dinner for a fun hour! All singers are invited to join in Chorus practice, all Mondays in June at 1pm at the Top of the Pointe for a July 2nd Patriotic Performance! Call Barbara Smith with questions.

For outings, we will continue our medical transportation Tuesdays-Thursdays from 8am-3pm. Please call the Clubhouse to sign up. Our trips to Publix will continue Mondays at 10am and Fridays at 9am. We will also go to Walmart the first and third Mondays at 1:30pm in June, with a trip to Beall's on June 14th and the Dollar Tree on June 28th.

The Care Support Group will be meeting June 1st and 15th at 1pm in the Clubhouse Activity Room.

Groups are meeting, please see the calendar of events for days/times. Please note for any activities meeting in person in our community, a face mask is optional if you have been fully vaccinated.

The Tower Pointe and Arbor Trace Condo Associations will not be meeting in June. See you in July.

Farewell Craig



Craig Stavola, will be leaving us as of June 4th. Craig came to us from Connecticut, to work here in maintenance almost 5 years ago. Realizing the sport of Golf did not benefit enough from him in his retirement, he brought his wealth of knowledge, professional experience, and that same sense of comic relief here to improve the operations.

Craig leaves us with an improved maintenance department; one that will certainly miss his Christmas Santa Clause costumes, his jingle bell wearing during the Holidays. Craig truly has been a valuable asset to the community and his role in maintenance and the community as a whole cannot be adequately expressed. I personally, and for all of here, wish him the best, and sincerely thank him for his time spent with us. Good help is hard to find, and Craig was certainly one of the good ones (most of the time). - Nick Hoops, LCAM



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Ladies Luncheon

We enjoyed a lovely ladies luncheon Thursday May 6th to celebrate Spring Around the World. A festive meal was prepared by Chef Brett and then we heard from several residents on their reflections of memorable travels. A special thank you to all involved in making this a very special and memorable event!

- Sandy Steinbach



Broadway Palm—Grease

Join us as we take a trip to the Broadway Palm Dinner Theatre in Fort Myers to travel back to Rydell High on Friday, July 9th as Danny Zuko and new girl Sandy Dombrowski relive their summer romance as the rest of the gang sings and dances their way through *Greased Lightin'*; *Summer Nights*; *Born to Hand Jive*; *You're the One that I want* and more! Tickets are \$69 each for dinner and the show, so sign up at the Clubhouse now if you would like to go enjoy an evening out.



In the Garden:



I found a terra cotta pot with some small succulent plants in it. I divided to nurse them along because I had never grown them before. After visiting a nursery I found they were called Flap-Jack succulents and were well thought of perennials.

We now have many scattered in the garden as they are very prolific. One you might look for has a very long straight chute and blooms and seeds at it's top. If you would like one for your lanai, they are very easy and I have some extras.

- Sandy Bortz

R.O.M.E.O. (Retired Old Men Eating Out)

On Thursday, May 13th at 12:30pm, we had our first luncheon in fifteen months! In the Colonnade Dining Room, there were 46 men in attendance out of the 98 men in our community.

Sandy and Jody did a great distributed name tags, table assignments and lunch orders while I sold the raffle tickets. After lunch was served entertainment by "Five Guys" musical group singing three familiar songs that everyone would know. The group of singers is Bob Bortz, Mayer Schwartz, Blake Lynch, David Hocking, and trumpeter Doug Dick.

Then came our raffle, Jim Brock won the Colonnade Lunch donated by Jennifer Hoops and the real estate office; Lou Knouse won a bottle of champagne in a beautiful basket with lots of treats donated by Brett Wayte, our Executive Chef. The money winners were John Egenberg, Dean Yarian, and Bob Campbell. I gave the history of ROMEO which began March 16, 2006.

Next ROMEO will be **Thursday June 17, in the Colonnade Room.**

- Bob Bortz



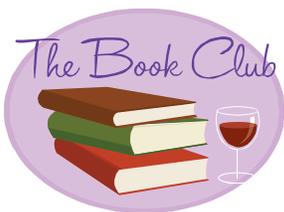
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CAM's CORNER- Fire Safety

For our residents in the Tower or the Midrises, navigating the stairwells in a non-emergency situation is daunting enough; doing so in an emergency situation is something that should be done only if safe to do so. False alarms do occur, and management does our best to mitigate the circumstances which cause them. Remodeling, plumbing/electrical work, and some paint fumes or the use of aerosols can trigger the life safety systems in the various buildings. Preparing for the potential for a false alarm is the best way to prevent them, so please communicate these instances with management.

In any alarm, it is important for you to assess your situation prior to making a potentially dangerous exit down the stairwells. Stop and look around for smoke or flames. Do you smell or see smoke, or can you hear someone yelling "FIRE!?" Are contractors working down the hall and you can see the dust or smell the paint fumes to possibly indicate a false alarm? Can you see signs of fire, or smell smoke either up or down within the stairwells? Is the wet sprinkler system active and you and everything else within the building getting soaking wet? All of these are indicators to the assumed danger you are in when the alarm is sounding. If you can see or smell signs of fire, evacuating the building, if possible, is essential. If you do not see immediate signs of danger, and are unable to safely navigate the stairs without creating more potential for injury, remain calm and stay alert for signs of obvious and imminent danger. For those who are unable to safely use the stairwells, be sure to have your name listed on the "emergency personnel evacuation list" via the front desks. In the event of an actual emergency where evacuation is necessary, emergency personnel will come to your unit and assist you to exit the building if you are on these lists. In any alarm, it is important to remain calm, assess your surroundings and your immediate danger, and not increase your chance of injury by unsafely using the stairwells if unable or necessary.

- Nick Hoops



Good news! Book discussions continue through the summer. Watch for a flyer announcing the books selected for the next three months....and then please join us:

**Top of the Pointe
1:00 p.m.
Fridays (June 18, July 16 and August 20)**

Submissions of books you recommend for our 2021 season are ongoing; just contact Sandy Steinbach or Karen Sexton. We will meet in the fall to vote on those we would like to discuss in the following months.

- Karen Sexton

TOWER POINTE NEWS

As the saying goes, “You never get a second chance to make a first impression.” Maybe that is what the Tower Pointe directors had in mind when they began, months ago, to evaluate different proposals for a renovation of the first floor lobby.

After considering various designs and competitive bids from different sources, the Board will be requesting Tower owners to approve a lobby renovation that combines our residents' design preferences with the colors and setting of our Gulf coast location, and also complies with ADA and Senior Housing recommendations from the Facilities Guidelines Institute.

Approval by a simple majority of 61 units will result in a wonderful new lobby that will impress friends and family and say “welcome” to prospective new owners. And, the good news is that the funds to cover the cost of the new lobby are currently in the association Reserve Account, thanks to advance planning and budgeting by our current and past boards.



- Marcy O’Meara Skees, Treasurer, TPCA

ALS Walk

On Saturday, May 15th, Joe Scott sponsored a march for ALS fundraising and awareness, for his wife, Dotty. We enjoyed a police car escort with sirens and flashing lights, about 20 people marching, and cookies and cold water from the Colonnade. Thank you!



Chair Yoga

Chair Yoga will begin to meet in person at the Top of the Pointe on Monday, June 7th. M/W/F at 10:30am.

(we will still show the class on TV for those that are enjoying in their own home



Spring has sprung!

New butterfly emerging at Bill and Mary Foote’s Villa

Photo Credit: Barbara Smith



Farewell to Kit Carson

My family and I wish to thank everyone for your many condolences and prayers following the passing of my best friend and mate of 65 years. Kit knew in his heart that the community would embrace me during this difficult time and in the future. He loved living at Arbor Trace and so do I. Your kindness was much appreciated.

- Marty Carson

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