THIS WEEK:



Tuesday-27

10a Bible Study

11a Chair Exercise

1p Shanghai

1p Games Day

1p Duplicate Bridge

4:30p Poker Night

6:45p BUNCO

Wednesday-28

10a Fitness

1p Canasta

1p Poker

1p Sewing Group

3:30p Line Dancing

7p BVHOA Annual Mtg.

Thursday—29

10a Walk Aerobics

11a Chair Exercise

1p Asian Mah-Jongg-Ax

1p Bridge

1p Poker

7p 42 Dominos

7p Games Night

Friday-30

10a Fitness

1p Rummy Q

1p Art Group

Saturday-31

10a Walk Aerobics

7p Fish & Chips-Men's Club

Sunday—01

Clubhouse Closed

Monday—02

11a Fitness

1p Mah-Jongg

1p Poker

4p Int. Line Dancing

7p Party Bridge

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ATTENTION RESIDENTS:

We are very aware that a lot of you are frustrated with various issues right now. As you know, our front desk staff tries to be very helpful with whatever you request. But, they are not responsible for problems you have with our landscaping company; gate problems, including E-Z tags that aren't picked up by the reader. (An example I heard earlier this week - if your doctor can't fix your broken arm, do you yell at the receptionist). Staff does their best to fix everything but keep in mind that all they are responsible for is to provide you with the concern/complaint forms for you to file. They have a folder for Maldonado and that is picked up several times a week. You may put other concern forms into the locked box on the counter and that is emptied at least once a week.

These employees take pride in their work and wish they could fix every problem. They cannot. So, please do not take your frustrations out on them.

ATTENTION RESIDENTS:

The police in Pearland have issued an alert that is on the internet.

"Two individuals are in Pearland posing as tree trimmers from the city willing to trim your trees for free if they

willing to trim your trees for free if they can go into your back yard.

They are actually robbers and will try to keep you at the front door while one goes in your house via the back door. Do not let them in your yard."



The Men's Club Presents

Movie and Dinner Night

March 31st



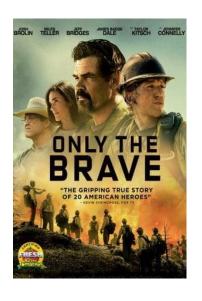
6:00 – 7:00pm – English Style Fish (Cod) & Chips Home Made Cole Slaw All the Trimmings

Beverages

7:00-9:30PM MOVIE

\$10.00

Tickets available at the Clubhouse & Sue Steik





Plot: In this powerful drama based on a true story, a firefighting team in Arizona known as the Granite Mountain Hotshots becomes one of the country's most elite units and is deployed against a massive conflagration in 2013 that threatens their town.

Rated PG-13 by the Motion Picture Association of America



MALDONADO NURSERY & LANDSCAPING, INC.

All front yard work orders are to be called into the front desk (281-464-3150) or emailed to frontdesk@club-bellavita.org This includes front yard lawn maintenance, irrigation in front yard/backyard (maintenance), and front gutters.

Backyard or additional services need to be submitted to Maldonado directly. Maldonado service forms can be found at the front desk.

If any residents have concerns there is a Maldonado Concern Form that can be found at the front desk. Maldonado will be picking up concern forms and service forms every couple of days at the front desk.

Any questions regarding billing information can contact Maldonado at 713-647-9000 or email Ruth Guardado ruthg@mnlsa.com

Billing Information:

2308 Bingle Road L Houston, TX 77055 Office (713) 647-9000 Fax (713) 647-9001



Front Door Maintenance

Your HOA dues includes having your front door maintained every two years. This means the door will be lightly sanded and a light coat of spar varnish applied. A new weather strip at the bottom of the door is included if needed. This will help protect your door. However, if you postpone having the work performed and the door has to be refinished (not just maintained), the HOA will only cover a portion of the total cost of \$350. You will be responsible for a portion of the refinishing, depending on whether or not you need a weather strip. We will pay a maximum of \$130 (the cost to the HOA of a normal maintenance including a weather strip) and you will be responsible for the rest. So it will pay to have the work done every two years - and you are entitled to it. Call the Front Desk (281-464-3150) and ask to have a Work Order made for "Door Maintenance" if it's been two years since it has been done.

ATTENTION RESIDENTS:

City of Pearland will be making adjustments in water billing for winter rates if a pipe broke during the time of the freeze. To qualify for an adjustment customers need to provide a copy of the repair receipt, a letter stating where the leak was, and when it was fixed.

If the customers consumption does not meet the requirements for a leak adjustment, we do hold this information for billing to calculate the winter/quarter/average. This information is needed as soon as possible since we calculate the winter/quarter/average in March. We provide our customer the ability to contact us directly by phone to 281-652-163 or email us at waterbill-ing@pearlandtx.gov.

2018 ELECTION NEWS

Final Election results for the 2018 Directors Election.....

Two 3 Year terms:

| Steve Anderson250 Votes |
|-------------------------|
| Cindy Dutschke235 Votes |
| Two 2 Year terms: |
| Dianne Clement234 Votes |
| Ken Wright232 Votes |

Candidate Mike Fortier received 109 Votes.

Please congratulate the winners at the Annual Meeting and Volunteer reception on **March 28th** at 7:00PM in the Ballroom.

ATTENTION RESIDENTS:

Front yard fertilizing begins this week. Your front yard should be fertilized on the same day that your yard is mowed.

BACKYARD MULCH: Installation is scheduled late March-April. If you already have a request on file with Maldonado, you do not need to do anything. If you would like to be included, please sign up at Clubhouse.

SEASONAL FLOWER: Installation is scheduled for mid-April. If you already have a request on file with Maldonado, you do not need to do anything. If you would like to be included, please sign up at Clubhouse.

ATTENTION RESIDENTS:

Last year, we tried a new process of assigning a unique gate code to residents who were having estate sales. Unfortunately, this didn't work as well as we wished, so the board voted to change the system back to have the person handling the sale be responsible for having someone stay at the gate and let people in who are attending the sale. The person at the gate must be an adult. (18 or over)

As always, please schedule the estate sales with the clubhouse staff.





Last week's bridge scores were as follows:

Monday, March 19, (Party Bridge)

1st Jim Reinders

2nd Lee Molloy

3rd Pat Molloy

Tuesday, March 20, (Duplicate Bridge) (Howell Movement)

1st Russell Pryor – Wilbur Smith

2nd David Dommert - Jean Foltz

3rd Lyle Ganucheau – Tom Zimmerman

Thursday, March 22
North/South (Duplicate Bridge)
1st Ann Sharp - Russell Pryor
2nd Marv Kauffman - Brad Taylor
East/West
1st Jean Foltz - David Dommert
2nd Carolyn Beeson - Sybil Hewitt

Party Bridge is played on Monday evening at 7:00 PM.

Experienced players do not need a partner to play but must sign up in advance by calling Ruben or Pat Castillo.

Duplicate Bridge is played on Tuesday and Thursday afternoon at 1:00 PM and a partner is required. Partners must sign up in advance and may do so by calling Lyle Ganucheau.







ATTENTION: CHOIR MEMBERS SPRING TEA THEME

The theme this year is one of the most fun ever! Disney! We can work on solos as we did last year or I have also ordered some choir pieces for our perusal. If you as choir members would like to sing a song together, we can certainly put together a group-we have plenty of time between now and **April 14** which is the performance date. Please email me and let me know if you would like to sing a solo or to sing in a group. This will be a blast—no doubt!! I'm looking forward to hearing from you!!

Kathy Wright 281-382-9568



TUESDAY, MARCH 27TH at the Clubhouse

*This month on Tuesday not Wednesday due to the HOA Meeting

6:45PM –9PM (start at 7PM)
Play \$5 per person



The next BVHOA Annual Meeting will take place on Wednesday, **March 28, 2018** at **7:00pm** in the BellaVita Ballroom.



Have you ever wondered what the birds in your backyard are?

Join us Tuesday, **April 3rd** 9:30AM-11:30AM in the Annex

BIRDING 101

Sponsored by the Nature Committee and the City of Pearland

Speakers: Glen Olson-Houston Audubon Society and BellaVita's own Mike Austin

Free, gift basket raffle for attendees, seating limited, sign up at front desk, **pre-registration required**, coffee and pastries.



It's NEW! It's CHALLENGING!

It's SHANGHAI!!!

Tuesdays at 1PM in the Arts & Craft Room

Singles and couples are welcome. There are no partners in **Shangai**. Just bring \$1.00 for the kitty and 13 dimes you will use as you play.

Please call or email Mary Ann Kane to indicate your interest. And please let me know if you already know how to play.

Home Phone: 346-570-5976 Cell Phone: 713-304-5516

Email: maryannkane611@gmail.com



Share your talents and artistic interests with us.

Oil and acrylic painting,
stain glass, jewelry making,
floral arrangements, scrapbooking,
pottery ,or any craft ideas.
Come and meet new friends
Every Friday we meet in the craft room at 1:00 pm

Please contact Betty Audish for more Information: (281) 300-3202



Getaway Trip

Save the Date

Date: Saturday, April 14

Place: Chappel Hill, TX - Bluebonnet Festival

Time: 7:30 a.m. @ the Clubhouse Return: approximately 4:00 p.m.

Cost: \$7.00 (shopping and lunch are not included)

Sign up date: Tuesday, March 20 - from 10 a.m. - 11 a.m.



Tea presented by the "Bellavita Belles"
Saturday, April 14
Doors open @ 12:45
Tea & light lunch served @ the Bellavita
clubhouse from 1-3 p.m.

Optional: dress from your favorite Disney movie!

\$15 per person with tickets available at the clubhouse starting March 1 for yourself, family and friends. No minors allowed

Join us for a magical good time!



BEREAVEMENT COMMITTEE SPONSORED BY THE BELLES CLUB

DID YOU KNOW?

The Belles Club sponsors a Bereavement Committee to assist families with meal services on the death of a loved one in which the family wishes to use Clubhouse Facilities for a memorial reception.

The following are guidelines of the committee:

- Service offered **only** on the death of a resident;
- Family contacts the Clubhouse Manager to arrange for use of the clubhouse facilities;
- Clubhouse Manager contacts Bereavement Committee to assist family;
- Family provides the main course (meat, etc.) and all paper goods for the meal;
- Bereavement Committee provides salads, vegetable dishes, desserts, and tea/coffee/water. Family provides any
 other beverages of their choice;
- Bereavement Committee works with the clubhouse personnel and family on the set up and clean-up.

Sue Steik has graciously volunteered to serve as coordinator of the Bereavement Committee. The committee is comprised of volunteers from the Belles Club as well as any other residents of the community who would like to assist. You may contact Sue Steik if you wish to be on the list as a volunteer (281-464-9454).

BellaVita is a community committed to neighbors helping neighbors and this is just one small way in which we try to be a support in the loss of a loved one.

TREASURE BOX

The Treasure Box is now accepting all donations for our Charity Event at the Mistletoe Market. We appreciate all the donations we have received in the past, but know that many of you will be involved in Spring Cleaning and need space for all of those items you continue to purchase. There is also a need for boxes for packing our items. Home décor, dishes, flatware, purses, jewelry, holiday decorations, tools, etc. are great. We do not accept electronics. To drop off items, contact the following:



Carolyn Beeson 2303 Tuscany Ct. 832-328-0921

Genie Dunnage 1235 Modena Dr. 281-481-3289

The Men's Club presents...



Saturday, May 19th at BellaVita featuring Traci Cooper





Oldies But Goodies Party

Join the FUN with BellaVita's Men's Club Saturday, August 21st, 2018 6:30-10:00 Live Band:



We will be serving gourmet Hamburgers, Chili Dogs, French Fries,
& Adult Beverages.

Clubhouse Hours

Sunday....12p to 6p

Monday....11a to 10p

Tuesday.....10a to 10p

Wednesday...10a to 10p

Thursday....10a to 10p

Friday.....10a to 6p

Saturday10a to 6p*

*Closes at 6 PM unless there is a scheduled activity at clubhouse

ATTENTION RESIDENTS:

NO PETS ARE
ALLOWED IN THE
CLUBHOUSE.





The Copy Center copying guidelines for the BellaVita HOA Board, Board Committees and Clubs and Organization Officers are at no charge as follows:

- Maximum of 25 pages immediate copying
- Maximum of 400 pages 24 hour copying
- Over 400 pages one week copying
- Any specialty services (stapling, binding, hole punching, etc.) are the responsibility of the requester.
- All copies are black and white on white paper only.

All specialty papers are to be provided by the requester.

The Service Desk will provide the following FAX, Notary and copy services:

- Sending local Faxes no charge
- Long distance faxes \$1 for each page
- NO International faxes
- Receiving Faxes 10 cents per page up to 25 pages and 25 cents per page over 25 pages.
- Notary services are free when a Notary is available. Notary services are for residents only.

Copy Services – 10 cents per page up to 25 pages and 25 cents per page over 25 pages.

NO OVER NIGHT STREET PARKING 12AM-5AM 7 DAYS A WEEK

VEHICLES WILL BE TOWED AT OWNER'S OR OPERATOR'S EXPENSE

The Villas Master Board of Directors passed a resolution in October defining overnight parking as midnight to 5am. The resolution states further that violators will be subject to fines and possible towing. BellaVita is a sub-set of Villas Master HOA so this resolution applies to our community. The BellaVita Board of Directors used this to streamline the compliance policy for BellaVita.

<u>Starting August 1, 2016,</u> the following procedure will be in effect for single or separate incident violations such as overnight parking:

- Law enforcement will randomly patrol all three Villa Masters' Communities.
- · A friendly rules reminder will be physically attached to the violating vehicle.
- On the second violation a letter will be sent describing the violation, stating that a \$100 fine will be assessed the homeowner, and that the 3rd violation will result in the vehicle being towed at the owners expense.
- On the 3rd violation, the vehicle will be towed per the posted signs, see below, and to the towing service identified. The vehicle owner will be responsible for retrieving the vehicle and paying the required fees.

ATTN: RESIDENTS

The Community Manager email address is: Shannon.Boogades@inframark.com

Please send all important information to the above email address.

If you have information for the newsletter please send that information to maintenance@club-bellavita.org.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT:

PLEASE DO NOT PARK ON THE CURBS!!!

BellaVita owns our streets within the community and when the curbs are damaged the association has to repair/replace. Please be cautious.

Cars left in the clubhouse parking lot without permission **WILL BE TOWED**. Residents may come to the front desk
and receive a parking permit 2 nights per month in order to leave their car in the clubhouse parking lot.
Thank you.

The BellaVita Clubhouse Committee would like to remind everyone that any equipment or furnishings cannot be removed from the clubhouse for your private use. This includes all decorations and any items from the Clubhouse closets. There have even been incidents when residents have borrowed items that were never returned.

In the Clubhouse Rules and Regulations on Page 14, it states:

"No equipment and/or furnishings may be removed from the Clubhouse for private use."



A new 60 minute timer has been installed on the spa. Please shut it off if you stay less than 60 minutes.





Bible Study Tuesdays @10AM in the Ballroom Led by: Dennis Wilson



Rummikub
Fridays @ the Clubhouse

1 P

Lots of fun! Good brain exercise!

Come join us!



ASIAN MAH-JONGG

Come and join us on Thursdays at 1PM in the Annex. If you are interested and want me to get a group of newbies together to lean as a group, let me know. Contact me-Linda Mulholand-at 713-309-5998

Canasta every Wednesday, 1 PM. New players are always welcomed. Come have fun & fellowship with a great group of residents! You can call Linda Mulholand at 713-309-5998 for more info.

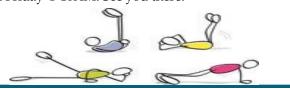
Walking Aerobics

Thursdays and Saturdays @ 10am



FITNESS CLASS

We meet on: Monday @ 11AM, Wednesday @ 10AM and Friday @ 10AM. See you there!



Zumba Gold!



Sunday's at 4PM in the Ballroom. See you there! (4:30pm on BINGO Sunday) **Book Review Group**

Date: April 12, 2018

Time: 1PM

Where: Annex (round table room)

Book: Last Bus to Wisdom: A Novel

BY: Ian Doing

Contact Norma Falco for any information.

281-481-1462



2022 West Grand Parkway North, Ste 100 Katy, TX 77449 Ph# 281-870-0585



The next Advisory Meeting is:

Tuesday, March 27,2018 at 5pm

Please E-mail any changes for calendars to:

frontdesk@club-bellavita.org

Gentle Chair

Exercise Class

(Mary Wilson's Sit & Be Fit)

11 am Tuesdays and Thursdays in the ballroom on the big screen.



REMINDER: **NO TAILGATING!**

Please SLOW DOWN upon entering & exiting the gates!



COMCAST Hotline!!

For ordering, billing, and technical support inquiries,



call 855-307-4896

Just a reminder:

Cats are subject to the same leash law as dogs in the City of Pearland. If you are aware of one running loose please call the City Animal Service Dept. @

281-652-1970.



BellaVita Magnetic NAME BADGE

Name Badge Orders are available again!

The Belles are selling name badges for \$10 each. You can order name badges by leaving a check at the front desk and filling out an order form. Make the check out to the BellaVita Belles.

Thank you all for your participation and making this a very successful project for the **BellaVita Belle's**.



BVHOA Directory

BV Clubhouse 281-464-3150

HOA Board of Directors

Pres.—Dianne Clement (281-506-7121)

dclement@club-bellavita.org

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The next BVHOA Board Meeting is Wednesday, April 25, 2018 @3:00PM