

The ROYALE REP^{ORTER}

April 2026



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Lake Royale Board Meeting Recap: Meeting Overview, Financial Report, Community Updates

Agenda & Minutes

We opened the meeting at 7:04 PM on March 26, 2026. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by the Chief. A motion was made to accept the agenda; Ms. Atkins had three changes, and the motion was revised to accept the updated agenda. The minutes from the February board meeting were approved.

Lake Repairs Update (CWR/Redbird)

Steve Ragaglia introduced Drake Robar from CWR, a subcontractor for Redbird. Drake discussed several repair areas and explained why difficulties have continued. He noted that incorrect materials were used for repairs when Tesi was involved. They are now moving forward with correcting those issues and have been installing valves to section off parts of the lake instead of shutting down the entire lake. He also held a brief question-and-answer session and reminded everyone that he is a subcontractor and does not work directly for Redbird.

Presidential Comments

During presidential comments, it was stated that there would be no discussion of the MOU, although John Bell was expected to speak on the matter. Steven also addressed social media comments comparing last month's meeting to a "Jerry Springer show." He emphasized that this behavior would not be tolerated and that the board and community must remain respectful, or the meeting would be adjourned. He reminded everyone that board meetings are for conducting association business, not a town hall. The Board President also explained that lifeguards are required at the pool due to insurance requirements. While the board appreciated the residents who have worked at the pool over the past two years, they have been unable to secure insurance without certified lifeguards.

MOU & County Police Update

Vice President John Bell then discussed the county commissioners meeting, stating that they are re-examining the possibility of the Franklin County Police Department servicing the lake. There is currently no new information, and there is no MOU at this time. Mr. Bell also explained the liability concerns and reasons the board explored this option, noting that all decisions are being made to protect the community.

Town Hall Announcement

A Town Hall meeting will be held from 7:00–9:00 PM on Thursday, April 2. Residents who cannot attend may submit questions to board members or the office.

Treasurer's Report

Phil Ackler presented the Treasurer's Report, which will be printed in the newspaper. The lake is in good financial condition. Phil also announced that he will be stepping down as Treasurer (but not from the board) to mentor Cheryl Lister as the new Treasurer, as she will remain on the Board of Directors after his term ends in July. He stated that transitioning early would benefit the community.

Committee Appointments

Two committee appointments were made: Charles Coster to the Finance Committee and Mary Beth to the Recreation Committee.

Golf Course Update

Randy Davis, PGA Golf Pro, gave an update on the golf course and thanked Lance Carlson for the new cart paths. He reported that the course is in great shape, attracting new golfers, including many new residents. He is optimistic about continued success, noting increased interest from players traveling from the Raleigh and western areas.

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Lake Royale Company Police Department

Service Calls/Citations/Arrests
(03/01/2026-03-31-2026)



911 Hang up.....1	Domestic....1	Public Service... 21
Abandoned/Disabled Vehicle....1	Follow-up Investigation.....3	Suspicious Activity... 7
Access Point Check....7	Fire Call..... 1	Suspicious Vehicle/Person...1
Alarm residential.....3	Medical Call.....2	Talk with an Officer..... 3
Assist EMS..... 8	Marina Check..... 2	Traffic Stop.....4
Dispute/Disturbance....6	Noise Complaint.....2	Welfare Check..... 4

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The Members of the Board and how to contact them:



Steve Ragaglia- President sragaglia@lrpoa.com

Carlos Bermudez- Director

Phil Ackler- Treasurer packler@lrpoa.com (Finance Committee)

cbermudez@lrpoa.com

Rhonda Folks- Secretary rfolks@lrpoa.com (Building/Recreation Committee)

Missy Atkins- Assist. Secretary matkins@lrpoa.com (Welcome Committee)

John Bell- Vice President jbell@lrpoa.com (Golf Committee)

Ray Grimes- Director rgrimes@lrpoa.com (Dredging/Finance Committee)

Diana Shaffer- Chair dshaffer@lrpoa.com (Dredging Committee)

Cheryl Lyster- Director clyster@lrpoa.com

Committee Reports

All other committee reports were accepted and approved by the Board of Directors.

New Clubs Approved

Steve Ragaglia then read applications for two new clubs at the lake. The first, the Tar River Chapter of Newborns in Need, focuses on sewing, crocheting, and knitting for newborns. They proposed meeting on the first and third Thursday evenings. The board discussed the application and asked FSR to coordinate availability. The second club, presented by David Moliterni, is the Coffee House Music Performance Club. This group will offer open mic nights for anyone interested in playing music. Dates and times will be announced, and all are welcome. Both clubs were approved.

Bylaws & Application Process Update

Next on the agenda was a bylaws recommendation requiring confidentiality and code of conduct paperwork to be submitted with all applications to ensure all steps in the process are completed.

Police Department Update

The Police Chief reported that he recently completed a Chief Management Course. Several officers were present at the meeting. He reminded residents to remain safe, especially with new residents and summer visitors arriving. Plans are underway for the Junior Police Camp, and donations are welcome.

Maintenance Update

Lance Carlson provided a Maintenance update, stating that work continues on the golf course cart paths, lawn care is beginning, and road repairs are ongoing. He also reported that barges have been completed in Custard Cove.

Manager's Report

Amy Kingrea gave the Manager's Report in Jessica Stovall's absence. She reported that over half a million dollars has already been collected before the billing cycle has even started. Additionally, significant progress has been made on collecting old debt, with 72 accounts removed from the bad debt list.

Unfinished Business

Cameras at the conference centers were discussed, with a CEAR required before approval. Article 5 was revisited, and revisions were requested prior to approval.

New Business

The board approved a \$23,000 bid for gutter replacement and \$12,000 for roof repairs. The spillway was discussed, requiring a \$57,000 engineering report. The board chose to pass this to the next board as it is not urgent.

Policies & Motions

A vehicle lockout waiver was approved. The Craft Fair was reassigned to the Recreation Committee. A sign-up sheet for public comments was reinstated with a three-minute limit.

Resident Comments

Residents shared input on the petition, MOU, transparency, elections, and community concerns.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at approximately 9:36 PM.

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Additional Tip to Know about the Gatehouse:

Notify the gatehouse if you move or switch addresses within the community as soon as possible. We will need to manually transfer your account information to the new address in DwellingLive. This information does not automatically transfer and is cleared when new ownership occurs.



2026/ 2027 Annual Assessments Payment Options **Assessment Amount is: \$1,252.44 due April 1, 2026**

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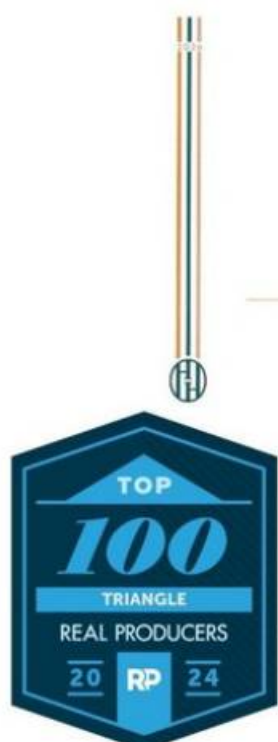
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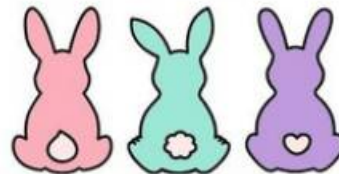


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Protecting Our Greatest Asset

By: THOMAS MUELLER

APRIL 2026

Monitoring Swimming Water Quality

From Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day, Sound Rivers will be assisting Lake Royale in monitoring the health of our lake water by conducting weekly lake site testing.

What is Sound Rivers?

Sound Rivers is a nonprofit organization that guards the health of the Neuse and Tar-Pamlico River Basins. They work with concerned citizens to monitor, protect and preserve the watersheds covering nearly one-quarter of North Carolina.

What do they test for?

Sites are sampled weekly from late May through the end of August. Sites are monitored for E. coli bacteria in freshwater. High E. coli levels in freshwater, often caused by feces, indicate a high risk of pathogens, leading to stomach illnesses and infections. Swallowing contaminated water while swimming is the primary cause of infection.

How can I find the test results?

Results are posted each Friday at <https://soundrivers.org/swim-guide/> or get weekly water quality alerts straight to your phone by texting "SWIM" to 833-686-5322

How can I help?

Volunteer drivers are needed to pick up our Lake Royale water samples from the POA office and deliver them to Sound Rivers in Wake Forest. If you are interested in helping us by delivering a sample one week this summer it would be a great way to show your support for our lake community. To volunteer, or for more information, contact Dr. Ron Intini at: rintini10@gmail.com

What are some other ways I can help keep the lake healthy?

While it may seem like a Herculean task to tackle water quality as a whole, it turns out everyone can play a part in reducing pollution and stormwater runoff. Here are a few good ways to make your own impact for cleaner water.

If you're planning to fertilize your lawn or garden, test your soil to determine how much fertilizer you actually need. Apply fertilizers and pesticides sparingly, and do not apply before rain is expected.

Reduce bacteria by picking up after your pets and disposing of the waste properly. Maintain your septic tank or waste holding tank so that it does not allow E.coli to enter the lake.

Planting and preserving trees, and introducing rain gardens and rain barrels to your gardening repertoire help a lot. Rain gardens hold and slowly filter water, preventing runoff, while rain barrels and cisterns harvest rainwater to be reused.

Learn other great tips and tools to reduce pollution with N.C. State Cooperative Extension's A Gardener's Guide to Protecting Water Quality <https://soundrivers.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/03/home-gardening.pdf>.

A note regarding stubborn erosion problems:

Property owners facing erosion problems may get professional advice at no cost through the NCSU Cooperative Extension. Please contact POLC Chair Ron Intini at rintini10@gmail.com to get connected with this service.



POLC meetings are held on the second Wednesday of each month, at the Clubhouse, 7pm. All are welcome!

A note regarding construction site violations:

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Easter Tic-Tac-Toe

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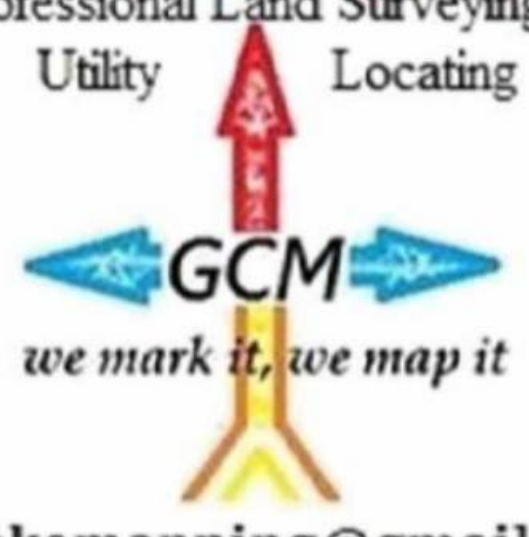


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How many can you answer before turning to the internet?

Papa Fred's Trivia Challenge Number 29 (April 2026)

Be careful - don't become an "April Fool"

Send your questions or comments to: papafredlakeroyale@gmail.com

1. What was Babe Ruth's first name?
2. TRUE or FALSE: Over 50% of tourists in London take a picture of Big Ben.
3. What is the next letter in this sequence: O, T, T, F, F, S, S, E



(Answers on Page 19)

4. The island of St. Helena is located in which ocean?
5. What is the approximate melt-down value of an Olympic Gold Medal weighing 529 grams? A. \$375 2. \$2,375 3. \$4,375 4. \$6,375



BONUS TOUGHIE:
What comes once
in a minute, twice
in a moment, but
never in a
thousand years?

6. Which state is closest to Africa? A. Alaska B. Florida C. Maine D. North Carolina
7. What is "Matilda" in Australia's unofficial national anthem "Waltzing Matilda"? A. Jumbuck (male sheep) B. Swag (sack) C. Joey (young kangaroo) D. Sheila (girl)

8. Play-Doh was originally created as what? A. Potter's Clay B. Toy C. Window Pane Sealer D. Wallpaper Cleaner
9. What's a beaver's home called? A. Cave B. Den C. Home D. Lodge



10. TRUE or FALSE: Because of the pressures of poaching, many elephants are now being born without any tusks.



11. Which of the following was a Catholic Pope? A. Hilarius B. Righteous C. Sanctimonious D. Stupendous

12. What is the official name of the pound sign or hashtag (#)? A. Checkercross B. Octothorpe C. Pillow D. Xipada

13. The original Twinkies were filled with what? A. Banana Cream B. Lemon-Lime C. Sweet Strawberry D. Vanilla Whip

14. What is the word 'the'? A. Adjective B. Article C. Noun D. Pronoun

15. Which of these landmarks is an inverted catenary? A. Gateway Arch (St Louis) B. Eiffel Tower C. Grand Canyon D. Washington Monument





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- Send your questions or comments to:**
papafred@eroyalte@gmail.com
- Papa Fred**

A photograph showing the interior of a restaurant. The floor is made of light-colored wood. There are several dark wooden tables and chairs. In the background, there is a bar area with a menu board and some equipment. The lighting is warm and ambient.

A photograph of a plate of food. In the center is a large, golden-brown fried fish fillet. It is surrounded by numerous small, round, golden-brown fried potatoes. To the right of the fish is a small black bowl filled with coleslaw, which appears to be shredded white cabbage and carrots in a light dressing. The entire dish is served on a plain white plate.



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Royale Reporter

LAKE ROYALE BASSMASTERS TOURNAMENT

BY LYNNE SPERLING

As the February tournament was postponed due to Sweetheart Day on February 14th, the results for both months have been merged into this report.

The February 21st tournament had a great turnout with 26 eager Anglers competing for the win! Here are the lucky winners :



1st Place Winner-
JEFFREY CLAIBORNE -
5 fish totaling 13.9 lbs.
\$200.00 cash prize

Another 26 Anglers were present for the March 14th tournament!
The fishing was really tough on this day as a cold front came in the day before.
This weather pattern change had Anglers using all of their skills just to locate fish!

Here are the winners for March :



1st Place and Big Fish Winner -
JOE MALANIO

3 fish totaling 5.8 lbs.
Big Fish weighed 5.8 lbs.
\$210.00 cash prize for 1st
\$130.00 cash prize for largest fish of the day!



2nd Place & BIG FISH WINNER -
DEL HARRINGTON

4 fish totaling 10.1 lbs.
Big Fish was a whopping 7 pounder!!!
\$170.00 cash prize for 2nd Place & \$125.00 cash prize for largest fish of the tournament



2nd Place Winner -
DAVID BLANCHARD
3 fish totaling 5.0 lbs.
\$175.00 cash prize



3rd Place Winner-
Chris Ferson, Jr.
3 fish totaling 6.3 lbs.
\$130.00 cash prize

Congratulations, great job guys!



3rd Place Winner -
EARNIE "HOOVER THE MOVER"
4 fish totaling 3.8 lbs.
\$135.00 cash prize
Congratulations to you!!!



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Tournaments are always the 2nd Saturday of each month.



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CHICKEN SALAD with PEACH CHUTNEY



Ingredients

- CHICKEN 6 Boneless, skinless Chicken Breasts Salt Pepper Rosemary Olive Oil
- 6 Large Ripe Peaches
- 1 Bell Pepper (diced)
- 1- Red Onion (diced)
-) -³/₄ Cup Apple Cider Vinegar -
- ¹/₂ Cup Peach Water (*)
- 4 TBLSPNS Sugar
- 10 OZ Raisins
- 1 TSPN Cinnamon
- ¹/₄ TSPN Ground Clove
- ¹/₂ TSPN Mint Leaves
- ¹/₄ TSPN Cayenne Salt

Procedure:

- Preheat oven to 360. Split breasts in half. Season with Salt, Pepper and Rosemary. Place in foil-lined baking sheet. Drizzle lightly with Olive Oil, Cover tightly. Bake 1 ¹/₂ hours. Remove from oven, open and let cool.
- Bring large pot of water to a boil. Add peaches to boiling water and leave for 1 ¹/₂ to 2 minutes. Immediately remove peaches from boiling water and place in ice water. (* Retain ¹/₂ cup of the water for the chutney.) After peaches have cooled, peel and dice. Place ALL the ingredients in a large pot. Bring to a boil. Reduce heat and simmer uncovered for 45 minutes to 1 hour. Stir occasionally. Let cool.
- ASSEMBLE THE SALAD Cooked Chicken 2 Cups Peach Chutney 1 TBLSPN Curry 6 OZ May 1 Bunch Spring Onion (Chopped) 10 OZ Greek Yogurt (Plain or Peach) Finely dice or mince (or pulse in a blender) 4 of the 12 cooked chicken breast halves. Coarse chop (or tear apart) the remaining 8 chicken breast halves. Place in large mixing bowl. Add Peach Chutney, Yogurt, Mayonnaise, Curry Powder and Spring Onion. Mix well. Taste. Add additional Mayonnaise, Salt, Curry Powder or Cayenne as needed. Refrigerate 1 hour before serving.



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Papa Fred's Trivia Challenge Number 29 (April 2026) Answers

1. George Note: His full name was George Herman Ruth. Other nicknames were the Great Bambino, the Sultan of Swat and the Big Bam
2. FALSE Note: Tourists cannot see Big Ben. It's the bell INSIDE the Elizabeth Tower at the Westminster Palace.
3. "N" Note: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, Nine
4. Atlantic Note: After his defeat at Waterloo Napoleon was exiled on St. Helena from 1815 until his death on the island in 1821.
5. "B" Note: 6 grams of gold = \$945 and 523 grams of silver = \$1,430.
6. "C" Note: Maine is 7,322 miles from Africa. Florida is 8,083 miles away. (It's more obvious when you look at a globe.)
7. "B" Note: "Waltzing Matilda" is derived from the phrase 'waltzing the matilda' which means to travel from place to place in search of work with all your belongings in a SWAG slung across your back. When Banjo Paterson wrote the song, he dropped the word "the"
8. "D" Note: In the 1930's, soap manufacturer Kutol Products devised the compound to clean coal residue from wallpaper
9. "D" Lodge Note: It's also called a 'beavery' or a 'burrow'.
10. TRUE Note: The evolution of tuskless elephants is an example of 'human-driven selection'. Historically about 5% of female elephants were tuskless. Today about 98% of them have no tusks.
11. "A" Note. Pope Hilarius became Pope after the death of the first Pope Leo in AD 461. He was succeeded by Pope Simplicius in AD 468
12. "B" Note: The Octothorpe is used in computing and various other applications. It is also used to represent the U.K. currency.
13. "A" Banana Cream Note: The creator, Jimmy Dewar, came up with the name when he saw a billboard for 'Twinkle Toe Shoes'
14. "B" Note: An article is a word that modifies a noun by indicating whether it is specific or general
15. "A" Gateway Arch Note: A catenary is a curve formed by a wire or chain hanging freely from two points and forming a U shape.

BONUS TOUGHIE: The letter "M"



AND I SAID!!

BY JACK GREENE

Writing is a wonderful way to express ourselves and say things the way we really want them to come out. It's like when we repeat an incident that recently happened to us, we don't really tell it like actually happened, but we embellish the outcome to reflect what we wish happened or what we should have said.

Our minds have always used autocorrect long before computers became household necessities. We all do it and a red flag is when someone says, "This ain't no lie"!! It may not be a lie, but it sure ain't the way it really happened.

Case in point>>When we repeat the things said during an argument, we never tell it just like we actually said it, but we become a little more aggressive in the re-run and sometimes throw in a well-timed expletive or two. After having time to think about what we said, we say we said things we really wish we had said!!!

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🕒 Time: 7:00 PM

📍 Location: The Clubhouse

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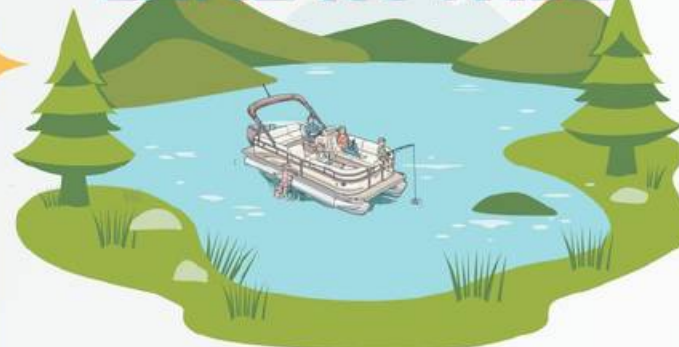
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- Clear, factual information about human trafficking
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This event is free and open to the community.

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WELCOME TO LAKE ROYALE



Join us for the quarterly presentations hosted by Lake Royale's Welcome Committee! All residents, both new and long-time members, are warmly invited to enjoy snacks, gather ideas on how to get involved, and learn more about our beautiful community.

SATURDAY, APRIL 18TH

10:00 AM AT THE CLUBHOUSE

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This event is a complimentary service sponsored by the US COAST GUARD/CERT/LRPD/POA.

You will need your current POA card (Teal blue) and boat registration with you. You will receive a free boat safety inspection conducted by US Coast Guard members and will receive your free Lake Royale POA registration sticker for the 2026 season from one of our friendly POA employees.

Please pull up to the docks and one of our CERT members will direct you to an open slip. We look forward to seeing you at this very popular annual event.

April

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Location Guide AG- Augustus Grill C- Clubhouse CM - Commons G- Garden GPS- Golf Pro Shop P - Pool POA - POA Office PV - Pavilion R- River RS - Rocket-ship Park						
			1 9AM C - Power Walk 12:30PM C - Bunco Group #1 6PM GPS - Golf Advisory Committee Meeting 7PM CM- Bylaws and Covenants Meeting 7pm C - Fishing Club	2 9AM C - Gentle Stretch Yoga 10AM C - Power Walk 11AM C - Sewing & Quilting 4PM C - Tar River Newborns in Need 6PM C - Zumba	3 9AM C - Power Walk 7PM C -Cash Bingo 	4 9AM C - Gentle Stretch Yoga 10AM C- Easter Egg Hunt 6PM C - 50+ Potluck 
5 8:30AM C- Christian Ministry Service 10:30 C- Ferrous Life Church Service 7PM C- Bible Fellowship 	6 9AM C - Power Walk 12PM C - Marbles 6pm CM- Dredging Committee Meeting 6:30pm C - Amenities Committee Meeting 6:30PM C- Community Prayer Meeting AG - Nine & Wine 5:30	7 9 AM C - Yoga 10AM C - Sit& Fit 11AM C - Lake Crafters 11AM C - Power Walk 3PM C- Qigong Practice 4PM C- Restorative Yoga 6:30PM C- Recreation Committee Meeting	8 9AM C - Power Walk 12:30PM C - Bunco Group #4 7PM C - POLC Meeting	9 9AM C - Gentle Stretch Yoga 10AM C - Power Walk 11AM C - Sewing & Quilting 6PM C - Zumba	10 9AM C - Power Walk 11PM C - Sew-City Sewing Group	11 8AM C - CERT Meeting 9AM C- Gentle Stretch Yoga 11AM CM - Amateur Radio Club 2PM- 10:30PM C - Private Event
12 8:30AM C- Christian Ministry Service 10:30 C- Ferrous Life Church Service 7PM C- Bible Fellowship	13 9AM C - Power Walk 12PM C - Marbles 6:30PM C - Community Prayer Meeting 7:30PM C - Amenities Committee Meeting 7PM C - Cypress Creek Civitan Club	14 9AM C - Yoga 10AM C - Sit& Fit 11AM C - Lake Crafters 11AM C - Power Walk 1PM C - Bunco Group #3 3PM C- Qigong Practice 4PM C- Restorative Yoga	15 9AM C - Power Walk 11AM C - Pinochle Game	16 9AM C - Gentle Stretch Yoga 10AM C - Power Walk 11AM C - Sewing & Quilting 4PM C - Newborns in need Sew Crochet 6PM C - Zumba	17 9AM C - Power Walk 7PM C - Music Bingo 	18 9AM C - Gentle Stretch Yoga 10AM C - Welcome Orientation 5:30PM C - Grill Night 
19 8:30AM C- Christian Ministry Service 10:30 C- Ferrous Life Church Service 7PM C- Bible Fellowship	20 9AM C - Power Walk 10AM C - Family Playgroup 12PM C - Marbles 6:30PM C - Community Prayer Meeting 6PM CM - Dredging Meeting 8:30PM C - Cypress Civitan Club	21 9AM C - Yoga 10AM C - Sit& Fit 11AM C - Lake Crafters 11AM C - Power Walk 1PM C - Bunco Group #2 3PM C- Qigong Practice 4PM C- Restorative Yoga 5:30PM POA- Board Of adjustments 7PM C- Finance Committee	22 9AM C - Power Walk	23 9AM C - Gentle Stretch Yoga 10AM C - Power Walk 11AM C - Sewing & Quilting 7PM C - POA Board Meeting	24 9AM C - Power Walk 12PM C - Book Club 7PM C - Team Trivia	25 9AM C - Gentle Stretch Yoga 6PM C - Live Music with Sagamore 
26 8:30AM C- Christian Ministry Service 10:30 C- Ferrous Life Church Service 2PM C- Club/Committee Expo 7PM C- Bible Fellowship	27 9AM C - Power Walk 12PM C - Marbles 6:30PM C - Community Prayer Meeting	28 9AM C - Yoga 10AM C - Sit& Fit 11AM C - Lake Crafters 11AM C - Power Walk 1PM C - Bunco Group #2 3PM C- Qigong Practice 4PM C- Restorative Yoga 6PM POA - Building Committee Meeting 7PM C - Finance Meeting	29 9AM C - Power Walk	30 9AM C - Gentle Stretch Yoga 10AM C - Power Walk 11AM C - Sewing & Quilting 6PM C - Zumba		