



GHA Resident Services Newsletter

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Fair Housing Act

April is Fair Housing Month and the 50th Anniversary of the Fair Housing Act. Fifty years ago, on April 11, 1968, the Civil Rights Act of 1968 (Fair Housing Act) was signed into law, prohibiting discrimination in housing, and declaring it a

national policy to provide, within constitutional limits, for fair housing in the United States.

This law, in conjunction with other statutes, directs housing providers to take steps to overcome segregation, promote fair

housing choice and foster inclusive communities for all.

Galveston Housing Authority's Board of Commissioners approved a Resolution celebrating this milestone and recognizing April as Fair Housing Month.

No Parking At Gulf Breeze

Gulf Breeze tenants and guests of Gulf Breeze please do not park in the rear parking lot after 5pm the 2nd Monday of every month. Gulf Breeze is now hosting

Galveston Food Bank mobile truck every 2nd Tuesday of each month from 1pm-3pm. We need the space to provide the truck safe passage to set up and also space

for those who participate and receive food from the truck to move around the truck easily. The area will be blocked after 5pm deadline. Do not remove blockade.



Karaoke Night



Karaoke was a success! Thank you to all who participated in singing, back up singers, backup dancers and audience participation. It was a whole lot of

fun. We decided to do it again on April 24 at Gulf Breeze and on April 26 at Holland House from 4pm-6pm. This time with more songs and dancing. We will

have refreshments and some giveaways to participants who get on the microphone and just have fun. Because that's what it's all about!

Difficult roads often lead to beautiful destinations

Senior Shape-Up & Wellness Fair

Senior Shape-Up and Wellness Fair sponsored by Stephen Holmes at the Nessler Center in Texas City, Thursday April 19th 10am-

1pm. With over 50 vendors offering a multitude of information on Fitness, Nutrition, Screening,

Doctors, Weight Loss, Skin and Beauty. Free event with door prizes. Transportation provided by Resident Services.



"On my count of three. One...two..."

A Word From Management



Feeding birds has become a costly mess to residents with vehicles and

GHA property. Bird droppings are corrosive. It damages concrete causing it to weaken and erode. It damages paint on

your vehicles from the acid it contains. Feeding creates a dependent population. Please do not feed the birds.

Community Room Usage

The community rooms located at Gulf Breeze and Holland House are for resident activities only. The community rooms are not rented to the public, the residents or the

family of a resident for personal use. All activities scheduled in the community room are activities that benefit all residents and are open for any resident

participation. Activities include council meetings, tenant meetings, health screening, bible study, food distribution and Bingo.



Walking Club Kick Off Meeting

Resident Services dedicates its time and efforts to providing activities that residents will enjoy and are also geared to a healthy and ac-

tive lifestyle. Therefore we would like your participation in the walking club. The kick off meetings will be April 3 at Gulf

Breeze 2pm-3pm, and April 5 at Holland House 2pm-3pm. During the meeting we will discuss the time, location and distance.

April
Word of the Month

Afflatus

af•fla•tus

A divine imparting of knowledge or power:
INSPIRATION



Events Around Galveston

April 7 at 7pm Movie on the strand "Wonder Woman" 2300 Strand. **April 19 10:am-2pm** Earth Day Cele-

bration UTMB **April 20 3:30pm** Featherfest 4700 Broadway **April 28** Garden Festival 10am-4pm. 2610 Sealy Ave.

April 28 Evia Spring Market 11 Evia Main 12-5pm. **April 29** Rotary Crawfish Boil Moody Gardens 12 -4pm



Across

- 1. Brouhaha
- 5. "Cut bait" alternative
- 9. River to the Missouri
- 14. Solitary
- 15. 1952 Olympics host
- 16. "Exodus" actor
- 17. Youthful outbreak
- 18. Place for cowards?
- 19. Whimsical poet Nash
- 20. Team strategy meeting
- 23. "Frasier" star
- 24. One of the broody bunch?
- 25. Klutzes
- 29. Great Giant of old
- 31. Nonstick surface
- 33. Make a bundle
- 37. Corporate nerve center
- 40. Skilled
- 42. ___-mo replay
- 43. Of a musical key
- 44. Product of creative thinking

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- 47. Title role for Jodie Foster
- 48. Possessive words before "oneself"
- 49. Fowl piece
- 51. Retort to "Are not!"
- 52. Plow into
- 55. Product rollout
- 60. Take care of business
- 63. Room at the top
- 66. Lose on purpose
- 67. Kit item
- 68. Confiscate
- 69. Keep the car warm
- 70. Chemical ending or compound
- 71. Struck with the patella
- 72. Grabs some shut-eye
- 73. Las Vegas alternative

DOWN

- 1. Hooch holder
- 2. Six-time Eastwood co-star
- 3. Declare invalid
- 4. Slippery objects
- 5. "The Day of the Jackal" author
- 6. Shrink's reply
- 7. Cut prices to the bone
- 8. Neigh-sayer
- 9. Melville tale of the South Pacific
- 10. Ok in writing
- 11. What's more
- 12. Fancy that!
- 13. One billion years, in astronomy
- 21. Kate's "Titanic" co-star
- 22. Division preposition
- 26. Dress with a flare
- 27. Centrally located, as a point
- 28. Fishline attachment
- 30. New Age pianist John
- 32. New newt
- 33. Coffee cake flavored with rum
- 34. Relevant, in le-galese
- 35. Performs a Lutz
- 36. Typify
- 38. Will Smith role
- 39. Cutie pie
- 41. Blaster's need
- 45. Tall crop
- 46. Does away with electronically
- 50. Welcome road sign
- 53. Introduce to the mix
- 54. Famous Asia Minor peak
- 56. Pronounce
- 57. Herman of Herman's Hermits
- 58. Perform like Alfalfa
- 59. Word on many nametags
- 61. Like most cupcakes
- 62. Hired hands
- 63. Be inquisitive
- 64. Like many fifth graders
- 65. No-win situation



Christina Pennington	April 3	Birdie Wright	April 21
Brian Smith	April 5	Maria Navarro	April 23
James Johnson	April 7	Margaret Bryant	April 24
Marcia Pollard	April 8	Gloria Grant	April 25
Michael Pierre	April 8	Sandra Suchanek	April 26
David Love	April 8	Brendoonda Brown	April 26
Madeleine Macneil	April 9	Georgois Maltsakis	April 26
Clifton O'Neal	April 11	Louis Narvaez	April 26
Aisha Daniels	April 13	Francis Harris	April 27
Rosa Patterson	April 14	Marie Burgess	April 27
Vera Venzant	April 14	Carmalita Ayres	April 28
Timothy Morales	April 15	Kauri Thornton	April 29
Felipe Robbins	April 18	David Camp	April 30
Carol Murphy	April 20	Jean Powell	April 30





APRIL 1

EASTER and APRIL FOOL'S DAY

APRIL 3

Walking Club Meeting-Gulf Breeze
2pm-3pm

APRIL 6

Walking Club Meeting-Holland House
2pm-3pm

APRIL 9

Resident Council Meeting-Holland House
3pm-4pm

APRIL 10

Food Bank Mobile Truck-Gulf Breeze
1pm-3pm

APRIL 14 & 15

Garage Sale-Gulf Breeze
9am-4pm

APRIL 16

Senior Day Rodeo
9:30am-1:30pm

APRIL 18

Resident Council Meeting-Gulf Breeze
4pm-5pm

APRIL 23

Jesse Tree-Gulf Breeze
1pm-3pm

APRIL 24

Jesse Tree-Holland House
10am-12noon

APRIL 24

Karaoke-Gulf Breeze
4pm-6pm

APRIL 25

Jesse Tree-The Oaks
10am-12noon

APRIL 26

Karaoke-Holland House
4pm-6pm

April 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 All Sites Dollar Tree AM Randalls PM	3 HH Walmart AM Krogers PM	4 GB Walmart AM Randalls PM	5	6	7
8	9 All Sites Dollar Tree AM Randalls PM	10 HH Walmart AM Krogers PM	11 GB Walmart AM Krogers PM	12	13	14
15	16 No Rides	17 HH Walmart AM Krogers PM	18 GB Walmart AM Krogers PM	19	20	21
22	23 All Sites Dollar Tree AM Randalls PM	24 HH Walmart AM Krogers PM	25 GB Walmart AM Krogers PM	26	27	28
29	30 All Sites Dollar Tree AM Randalls PM					

Store trips are every Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Pick up for AM trips start at 8:00 am. The last building pick up is 9 am. All shopping must be completed by 11:15 am.

Pick up for PM trips start at 12:15 pm. The last building pick up time is 1:00 pm. All shopping must be completed by 3:00 pm.

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GARAGE SALE DAY!

APRIL 14 & 15

GULF BREEZE APTS

GARAGE SALE

9AM-4PM

SATURDAY-SUNDAY

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