November 2017





GHA Resident Services Newsletter

Veterans Day



The 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th Month (November) 1918, a ceasefire was professed between the associated nations and Germany in World War I, also known as "The Great

War." On November 11, 1919, then U.S. President Woodrow Wilson gave out a message to the citizens of the U.S. and declared a legal holiday for each and every year "a day to be devoted to the cause of world peace and to be afterward celebrated and

known as
'Veterans Day'."
This day is to
exhibit gratitude,
honor and
remember those
who endangered
their lives for the
betterment of this
country.



Veterans Luncheon

We would like to show our gratitude with a luncheon to honor those who have served and continue to serve our nation. This luncheon will be served at Holland House on Nov. 9th from 1pm-3pm. Rides will be provided by resident services for those that need one. The sacrifice service members and their families have made for our country will be honored on this day. We thank you and salute you.

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St. Vincent's Thanksgiving Dinners

Every year St.
Vincent's
provides
Thanksgiving
dinners to all
residents of
Holland House
and Gulf Breeze.
The meals
include

traditional
Thanksgiving
dishes and are
delivered to
families and
individuals on
November 18th
at 9:30. All
residents please
come down to

receive your dinner. Those residents unable to come to receive the dinner will be delivered.



Good actions
give strength to
ourselves and
inspire good
actions in
others.

Shopping Carts In Units

No resident shall have in their possession any shopping cart that has been removed from private property. There are signs on every floor to inform residents about having shopping carts inside of units. Residents found with a cart will be given a written violation. If you need a cart to transport contact management.





Advantages Of Air Purifiers

Air purifiers aid in removing pollutants, contaminants, impurities and 99.9% of dust particles from the air. They are very helpful for people who suffer from asthma or allergies. Air purifiers help in getting rid of mold spores. For those residents interested in learning to build your own using a box fan and an air conditioner filter contact Resident Services.

Medicare Benefits Counselors

Area Agency on
Aging will be
sending out Benefits
Counselors again
this month. Benefit
Counselors help
older and disabled
Texans that are new
or on Medicare
compare and choose
the best Medicare
plans in their area.

Counselors can help you choose between traditional Medicare and a Medicare Advantage Plan (Part C). They help with comparing prescription drug plans (Part D). They can also assist with general questions about meals. transportation and in -home care.
Assistance with food stamp application is also available. If qualified for **Extra Help** you will receive help for paying for medications, Part D premiums or co-pays.



November Word of the Month

Four types of Coverage

Part A Hospital Insurance Part B Medical

 Part C Medicare Advantage Plans

Part D Prescription Drug Coverage

Insurance

Nostalgia

nos●tal●gia

Sentimental reflection or longing for a moment past

Neighbors Helping Neighbors



Let's be neighborly and check in on

one another. Most of your neighbors do not have family and friends to check on them and we are asking that as a community we come together and lend a helping hand. If you know a neighbor in need let's help.

Together we can make a difference.



Free Events Around Galveston

LONE STAR RAL-LY November 2nd-5th. Bike Shows, Car Shows and Free Concerts Throughout Downtown to the Seawall.



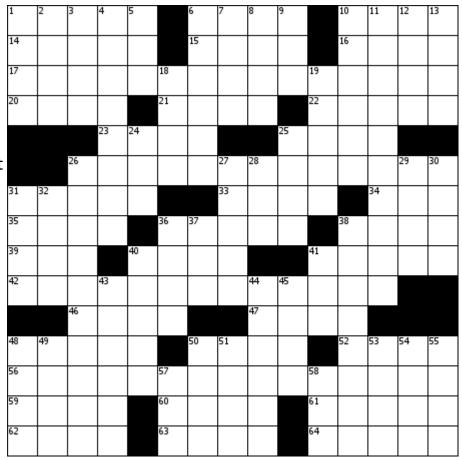
FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS begins

November 11th at Moody Gardens with a mile trail over 100 lighting displays. The outdoor skating rink is included in admission.

2nd Annual St. Vincent's
Hope Health Fair. Free Lunch
& Free Vaccines. \$20 gift
cards to the first 50 attendees.
Screening Diabetes, Blood
Pressure, Weight and Dental
Services. November 11th 10am
-12pm @ St. Vincent's House
2817 Post Office St.

Across

- 1. In an upright position
- 6. Mentally sound
- 10. Thick slice
- . ___ plexus
- . Walk heavily
- 16. Hawaiian port
- . "Why can't you see what you're doing to me . . ."
- . Coup d'___
- . They may be found in prospectors' sectors
- 22. Intestinal
- . Light bulb, to Edison and comics
- . Prig
- . "Your love is worth all the gold on earth . . ."
- . Rat Islands resident
- . Alder or aspen
- 34. So-so mark
- . Things cast for Jesus' clothes
- 36. Roma's hill count
- 38. Three-player card game
- 39. Silvery gray
- . Chief official of Venice
- . Wagner specialty
- . "Kiss me my darling, be mine tonight . . ."
- . Very wide shoes
- . Kind of thermometer
- **48.** Some unconscious states
- . Knock or social preceder
- . Phyllis Lindstrom's TV hubby
- . ". . . and the desk clerk's dressed in black"
- . Queen before George I
- . "Young Frankenstein" role
- . Surpass
- . Not the retiring type
- . More than lean
- **64.** Musical composition



DOWN

- 1. First word of North Carolina's motto
- 2. Beat soundly
- "Born Free" heroine
- . Faultfinding
- . Prefix with cycle or pod
- **6.** Montana pass?
- . Burn soother
- 8. Entre
- . Bradley and McMahon
- . Civil War battle site
- 11. Defensive stalwart
- . Benjamin Franklin Pierce portrayer
- 13. Bartlett's cousin
- . Admitting both sexes

- . Cut into small pieces
- . Dash's counterpart
- . ____-Ball (arcade game)
- . Where Jesus was arrested
- 27. Put into words
- . PC screen, possibly
- . Raise children
- . "I never ___ man I didn't like"
- . End of a court game name
- . Needing directions
- . Scatters seed
- . Id companion
- . Make clear
- . Thou ___ protest too much

- . Fertilization sites
- . More imminent **44**. Public opening
- 45. Actor Estrada
- . Paper ballot piece
- . Prefix meaning "wine"
- . Golden Fleece ship
- 51. "Light" gas
- . Island off Alaska
- . Famous Foxx
- . Fruit for flavoring gin
- . It's usually served with lobster
- . Groundbreaker



Frederick Smith	November 1	Clifton Malone	November 16
William Sample	November 1	Doyle Fivash	November 17
Beatrice Hill	November 2	Tina Stillwagon	November 19
Glenda Garrison	November 2	Henry Thomas	November 20
Roxana Mitchell	November 3	David Murray	November 21
Mary Nelson	November 3	Robert Baldwin	November 21
Alfonso Leal	November 5	Cheryl Loud	November 22
Karson Thornton	November 5	Larry Lyons	November 23
Mary Cook	November 7	Ava Rhales	November 24
Margerett Tankersley	November 10	Irene Rawls	November 25
Bobby Littleton	November 12	Thresa Gordon	November 25
Albert Edwards	November 12	Larry Sheppard	November 26
Manuel Portal	November 13	Betty Eck	November 27
Isaac Bennett	November 13	Otis Williams	November 27
Ernest Wells	November 13	Andrea Vicario	November 28
Henry Lee Cross	November 13	George Thompson	November 29
Felana Brazier	November 16	L C Feast	November 30
Daniel Marcel	November 16		

Dates to Remember

November 1st
Benefits Counselors
The Oaks
10am-12 noon

November 3rd & 4th Holland House-Garage Sale 8am-1pm

November 4th & 5th Gulf Breeze-Garage Sale 8am–3pm

> November 6th H.E.B-All Sites 9am

November 9th Veterans Luncheon 1pm-3pm

> November 10th GHA-Closed

November 11th Veterans Day

November 17th Froberg Farms-All Sites 9am November 23rd Thanksgiving GHA-Closed

November 24th GHA-Closed

November 27th
Jesse Tree & Benefits Counselors
Gulf Breeze
1pm-3pm

November 28th
Jesse Tree & Benefits Counselors
Holland House
10am-12 noon

November 28th Tenant Tuesday-Gulf Breeze 10am-11am

Tenant Tuesday-Holland House 1pm-2pm

> November 29th Jesse Tree-The Oaks 10am-12 noon

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 GB Walmart AM Krogers PM	2	3	4
5 Daylight Savings ends	6 All Sites HEB	7 HH Walmart AM Krogers PM	8 GB Walmart AM Krogers PM	9	10 Office Closed	11 Veterans Day
12	13 All Sites Dollar Tree AM Randalls PM	14 HH Walmart AM Krogers PM	15 GB Walmart AM Krogers PM	16	17All Sites Froberg Farm	18
19	20 HH OAKS Walmart AM Randalls PM	21 GB Walmart AM Krogers PM	22 No Rides	23 Office Closed Thanksgiving	24 Office Closed Black Friday	25
26	27 All Sites Dollar Tree AM Randalls PM	28 HH Walmart AM Krogers PM	29 GB Walmart AM Krogers PM	30		

Store trips are every Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Pick up for AM trips start at 7:30 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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Charles McVey, Assistant Manager

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Director

Charles Fields, Transportation (409) 370-5698

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GHA Tip Line (409) 765-1917

Police Non-Emergency (409) 765-3702



Holland House is having a Garage Sale November 3rd & 4th \$10 for a big table and \$5 for a small table 8am-1pm

> Gulf Breeze Garage Sale November 4th&5th 8 am-3 pm \$10 per table



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