

# Forest Hills East

## NEWSLETTER

For all residents, courtesy of **Forest Hills East Civic Assoc. Inc.**

**January 2016**



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**Next Meeting**  
**Tuesday, January 5, 2016**

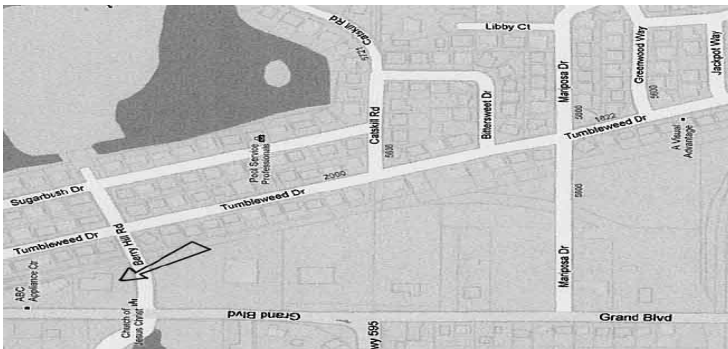
## NEW YEAR'S DAY JAN 1

**Martin Luther King Day**  
**Jan 18**

*Compliment Day Jan 24*

*Inspire your Heart with Art Day Jan 31*

**NATIONAL PIE DAY**  
**JAN 23**



### Held at:

New Fellowship Hall Meeting Room.  
Located at Corner of Berry Hill and Grand Blvd — See map and arrow at left.

**Social Time: 6:30—7:00 pm**

**Meeting: 7:00—8:00 pm**

*How wonderful it is that nobody need wait a single moment  
before starting to improve the world.*

*Anne Frank*



## President's Message

### Happy New Year !

Since this is a time for new resolutions, I hope one of yours will be to attend our FHECA meetings to discuss problems, solutions, successes, and get to know your neighbors. We can always use volunteers to help members of the community, so please let us know any time you have available to help and if you cannot, please attend the meetings.

As you know, Christi and Gary have moved, so we have a plan to cover all the work they did for the community. Consequently, if you do not have a copy of the Deed Restrictions, please let us know. Bill and Stan will make sure you receive a copy.

Work is still going on in the subdivision to prepare for our new streets, so I am confident 2016 will be the year of the new streets! Before they are finished we can expect disruption and noise, but it will be worth it! Our streets are 40 years old, so replacement is long overdue.

Your annual dues are due by January 31. You may mail them to: FHECA PO Box 3791; Holiday, FL. 34692, pay at the meeting on January 5 or you can drop off to an officer or board member.

Remember if you are interested in an officer or board position, please let us know at the January meeting. We have openings!!

Rich and I have been waiting for cooler weather to spiff up our house and clean up the yard. However, I am going to give up on that this year and get to work. If you have work to do too, this may be the coolest weather of 2016!

Please attend the meeting on Tuesday, get to know your neighbors, discuss our problems, and pay your 2016 dues.

Donna Marx  
Acting President

### **RECYCLE CHRISTMAS TREES TILL JANUARY 8, 2016**

You can drop your undecorated Christmas trees off for recycling at these nearby locations:

1. Anclote Gulf Park  
2305 Ballie Bluff Rd.  
Holiday, FL

2. Jay B Starkey Wilderness Park  
10050 Wilderness Park Rd.  
New Port Richey, FL  
(Off Little Road)

*The trees will be chipped and used as mulch in Pasco County Parks.*

### **2016 FHECA Dues**

*Please mail your 2016 dues to:*

FHECA  
P O Box 3781  
Holiday, FL 34690 or

*Bring your dues to January 5th meeting or  
Drop off dues to a FHECA officer or  
Board Member*

*Dues will be \$30.00 per couple and \$15.00 per single.*

### **Community News**

***Sims Park in New Port Richey is set to reopen at the end of January after extensive renovations. Although the wooden fort had to be torn down, there are two other new playgrounds. My grandsons really liked the fort, but I am sure they will like the new park too. This should really add to the area, as it is right on the river.***

*If you have information about our community and area you would like to share, please E-mail me at [dkmarx@gmail.com](mailto:dkmarx@gmail.com).*

### **Deed Restrictions**

***I would just like to remind our residents that driveways cannot be used to store boats, trailers, tents, or recreational vehicles. These items must be stored behind fencing in the back of your lot or in your garage.***

***Copies of the Deed Restrictions are available on request.***

***We are lucky to have a storage facility close by on Grand.***

**Advertising — Please consider placing an ad in our newsletter. I was asked about yard maintenance recently and did not know of anyone in our Subdivision.**

## **Pasco County Help Program:**

**Tax Payment Program** has been created to help seniors (62 and over) and homeowners who are disabled pay for Property Taxes. The goal of the program is to keep homeowners in their homes. Any type of home is eligible for the program including Condos and town homes. Only the tax on the property of a mobile home is eligible. The home value cannot exceed \$160,000.00, according to the Pasco County Property Appraiser. The most available to you is \$5,000.00. Please call 727-834-3445 for additional information.

Hopefully, you or someone you know will be helped. Remember call **727-834-3445** for additional information on this and other Pasco programs designed to keep homeowners' in their Homes.

## **Pasco County Agencies:**

*Although Gary and FHECA are willing to help all our members, many issues must be resolved by the Pasco County Sheriff's office or other Pasco County agencies.*

For noise violations, suspicious activity, trespassing problems, or other violations, call the Sheriff's Office at 727-844-7711 for the quickest response.

## **Other Pasco Agencies**

### **727-847-2411 MAIN NUMBER**

Some of your questions can be answered on **<http://pascocountyfl.net>**. Choose "Frequently asked questions". When you find the question you need, double click on the question for the answer.

**Pasco Fix** is a Housing Rehabilitation Program for Homeowners. There are several options for homeowners to receive **interest free loans up to \$10,000** for home repairs and updating. If you would like information, we can e-mail you a pamphlet or you can contact Pasco County. For an e-mail copy, send request to: **[richard.a.marx@gmail.com](mailto:richard.a.marx@gmail.com)**

## **Special Notices:**

If you would prefer to receive your copy of the newsletter by e-mail, please notify Richard Marx of your name, home address, home phone (optional) and e-mail address. E-mail him at [richard.a.marx@gmail.com](mailto:richard.a.marx@gmail.com) or by phone at 727-935-4714. Please be sure to send your home address, so you will not receive a paper copy too, unless you want both.

1. NO LONG DURATION STREET PARKING is a posted County ordinance and a hazard to traffic within the subdivision.
2. Pasco County Noise Ordinance mandates "Quiet Time" - 10pm to 7am everyday. ***This includes loud engine noises—deliberately revving your engine as you enter or leave. Please be more considerate of your neighbors.***
3. Please contact Board Members between the hours of 9 am—5 pm, Mon-Wed., unless it is an emergency.
4. Never post or hang signs or posters on any street signs—it is forbidden by Pasco County Ordinance.

## **Police Crime Reports:**

The following information is from the Pasco Sheriff's Department Crime report. If you are interested in non-criminal activity you can go to **<http://pascosheriff.us/subdivision-activity/>** The county is continuing to update these reporting sites.

Report suspicious activity to the Sheriff's Department at 727-844-7711.

### **Reporting on: Forest Hills East**

Date	House Address	Reason
12/12/2015	5708 Mariposa Dr.	Alarm Intrusion Res
12/14/2015	5708 Mariposa Dr.	Alarm Intrusion Res

**ANONYMOUS TIP** if you have information or a tip on a reported or suspected crime, you can leave a message on the Crime Tip Line: 800-706-2488, or you can send an e-mail: **[sunrisecw@msn.com](mailto:sunrisecw@msn.com)**

## **New Recycling Rules:**

1. You need a dedicated trash can/container for your recyclables
2. You will need a recycling sticker on your designated trash can/container
3. You can recycle aluminum cans, metal food cans, Clear, Green, or Brown glass containers, plastic bottles and containers with numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7.

*If you need recycling stickers contact Rachelle at 727-856-4539 or Progressive Waste Solutions 727-847-9100 or 727-849-3333 . Also, contact Progressive for pick up days.*

### **Recycling Paper:**

Remember when you recycle news paper, boxes, cardboard, old magazines and paper bags, you can also recycle envelopes, junk mail, and any paper that can be torn. If you are like us, we get a lot of junk mail. Just tear off your name/address and recycle everything else. It is an amazing amount of paper!

## **Progressive Waste Solutions-Regular Garbage Pick-up**

The following items **will not** be picked up by Progressive Waste regular garbage pickup:

- Amount set out **over 6 item-limit**
- Non-regulation container size.  
Maximum size is **33 gallon or 50 pounds**. All **cans over 33 gallon must be bagged**.
- Brush longer than **4 feet, OR not bundled and tied**.
- Trash **not** in bags or cans.
- **Hazardous materials** in trash or garbage.  
Most common materials:  
pesticides, paint, pool chemicals.
- Large bulk items such as mattresses

## **RECYCLING:**

To recycle all the used batteries accumulated for the holidays, take them to our local library on Mile Stretch.

*Paper —Newspaper, Boxes , broken down flat, Envelopes, Any clean paper*

1. *Pasco Schools have recycle bins that earn revenue for the schools. (Nearest to FHE— Sunray Elementary next to Publix on Sun-ray).*
2. *Other County recycle bins earn revenue for Libraries, parks, and fire stations. (Nearest to FHE — South Holiday Library on Mile Stretch, bin located in back of Library.)*

**If you are unable to take your papers to a Recycle bin, call Millie Olsen 727-943-0939 or 727-389-0033 (leave message) and pick up will be arranged. You can also leave your paper to be recycled on Millie's front porch at 5629 Ivy Lane in FHE or bring it to the meeting**

Note: Plastic grocery bags can be recycled at your grocery store or Wal-Mart.

**Don't forget— continue to save Box Labels for Education!**

## **Newsletter:**

THANKS also to all those who deliver the newsletters each month—Jose Feliciano, Richard and Donna Marx, Stan Moretz, William Wilbern, Judy Smith, Cheryl Williamson and Millie Olsen.  
Produced by Donna and Richard Marx.

Please contact Gary if you will help deliver the newsletter. This occurs only once a month. Several of our members can no longer deliver their portion of the newsletters.

Entrance maintained by the Marx—Sorry we were unable to decorate the entrance due to illness, family, and travel. Will begin again in March!

## **Recipe of the Month**

Many thanks to Millie Olsen for this month 's recipe!

### **Pizza Spaghetti**

- 1 (8oz) Pkg Spaghetti broken in 2" pieces
- 1 Beaten egg
- 1/4 Cup Milk
- 1/4 Teaspoon Salt
- 1/4 Teaspoon Garlic Salt
- 1 Teaspoon Dried Oregano
- 1/4 Teaspoon Dried Basil
- 2 Cups shredded Mozzarella cheese (divided)
- 1 Jar Spaghetti Sauce
- 4 Oz. Pepperoni Sausage slices

### **Grease 9 X 13 Dish**

**Cook Spaghetti, rinse in cold water**  
**Mix together all but oregano, basil, and 1 1/2 cups Mozzarella cheese**  
**Bake in 9X13 pan at 350 for 15 minutes**  
**Sprinkle oregano, basil, and 1 1/2 cups of Mozzarella on casserole**  
**Top with Pepperoni**  
**Bake 30 minutes more at 350 until brown.**  
**YUM!!!**

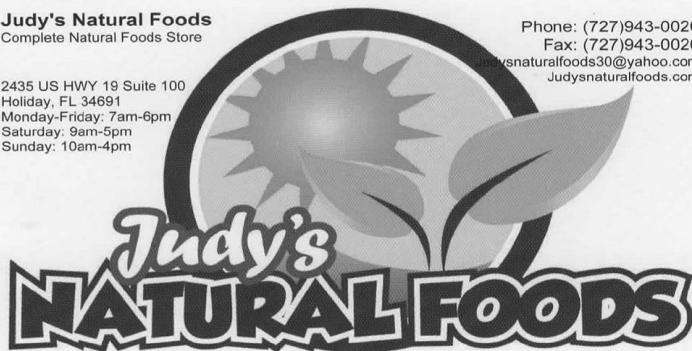
**Help, Help. Help!** Please bring one (or many) of your favorite recipes to the meeting on Tuesday, e-mail to me ([dkmarx@gmail.com](mailto:dkmarx@gmail.com)), or drop off at my home.



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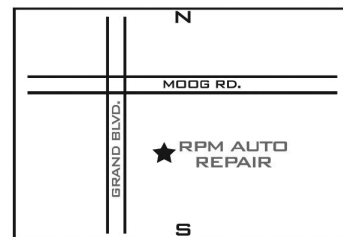
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