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DOCK ALMOST COMPLETE

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MANAGER'S REPORT

The fishing dock has been completed except for a few finishing touches. It came out great and should hold up for about 30 years. The new composite Trex feature adds to finished dock as a great amenity.

Although Hurricane season has been slow just a reminder that we have hurricane readiness packages completed. They are available at the office. always good to be prepared.

is Hope everyone enjoying their summer.

Tom Wisdom-Harbor Lights Mgmt.

Silver Anniversary Cookbook

There has been a great response for our very special cookbook. As of mid-August over 90 people have contributed recipes. This book will be chocked full of favorite and best recipes. Thanks to all who have participated in this venture. The following recipes were turned in to the office without a person's name: if these are your recipes, please call Carolyn Welton at 941-488-7460, so your name will be with your recipe.

*Cream of leek and potato soup

Pesto mashed potatoes

BLT mashed potatoes and three other recipes.

The recipe book will be ready for our big anniversary in February.

The Recipe Committee

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July	23	
1 st	Carolyn Welton	55
2^{nd}	Bob Welton	53
3^{rd}	Imelda Kring	48
July		
1 st	Joan Ronco	42
	Shirley Sweet	42
$3^{\rm rd}$	Barbara Erwin	26
Aug		
1 st	Imelda Kring	84
2^{nd}	Carolyn Welton	79
3^{rd}	Bob Welton	79
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July	22	
1^{st}	Linda Bolender	316
2^{nd}	Lois Pommerenk	263
3^{rd}	Pat Marsden	258
July	29	
1^{st}	Terri DeYoung	434
2^{nd}	Ann Partridge	357
3^{rd}	Pat Marsden	347
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1^{st}	Nancy Chatfield	473
2^{nd}	Imelda Kring	290
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Imelda Kring

Nancy Chatfield

Karla Kindberg

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FISHERMAN'S KORNER ON THE DOCK

One needs to think back several months when the old dock was "still open". I can't really remember how many neighbors, residents of the park and friends used the old dock. They would be too many to count. Almost all of them were fishermen and fisherwomen alike.

One fisherman certainly stands out above all the other, Dom DeMarco. Dom spent most of his time either fishing or preparing to fish. He spent a lot of time making sinkers, cleaning fishing poles, repairing fishing poles and reels, etc.

When he was down at the dock fishing he was always a gentleman. If a child or another person who did not have a pole at the dock, Dom would hook a fish and give the child or person his pole and let them reel the fish in. Dom enjoyed teaching anyone that he could, how to fish. Dom was a master of the sport of fishing. The number of fish that he caught off the old dock would have been staggering. Dom also knew how to catch a variety of fish as well. I would venture to say that he caught almost every species of fish that swims in Roberts Bay.

Okay, you get the idea; I would say that Dom D. was one of the best fishermen I have ever met both "on the dock" and "out in the gulf". Unfortunately Dom passed away before the new dock was completed. He will be sadly missed by all of us.

Mo's dock received action from many of the neighbors while waiting for our new dock to open. One of those neighbors was Dom DeMarco. After Dom lost his strength he would still hook the fish and give his pole to his daughter, Sharon to finish the job and bring the fish in and of course Dom's wife Phyllis also caught fish by the same method. Among others at Mo's dock was Mike Dellina III. He caught several large fish. However he was unable to complete the take, seems he used his own Grandpa's fishing gear. Some of Mo's stuff and one of Capt. Jack's poles, a pole from Phil H. and we are not sure how many others. Well, Mike had to run home for a few minutes. Sure Mo fished his pole and she caught a big snook. Oh well, Mike will have to try harder next time. Keep an eye on your fishing gear. Mike catches some reel tackle busters.

IN THE GULF

Capt. Glen, Mike Dellina III, Paul W., Brian and son Alex had a nice trip, catching grouper, snappers, etc. Mike D. had a large cobia, but lost it along side of the boat. They also caught a large goliath grouper that was released.

UP NORTH

Capt. Charlie Keener, brother in law Skip, and friends chartered a boat and fished on Lake Champlain. They had a great day catching 26 lake trout and 1 salmon.

If you have a nice catch, give us a call or email. 941-488-2671.

Capt. Jack

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CONDOLENCES

We wish to express our sympathy and condolences to Phyllis DeMarco, daughters Karen, Sharon and daughter in law Linda. Dom passed away August 12 in New York. Cards and prayers would be greatly appreciated. Donations in his memory can be made to Leo Center for Caring.

Address:

Visiting Nurse Hospice Leo Center for Caring 2180 Empire Blvd. Webster, New York 14580

We wish to express our sympathy and condolences to the Mittelstadt family. Sue Mittelstadt (former resident and Recreation Board member) passed away August 10, in Michigan.
Cards and prayers would be appreciated. The Mittelstadt Family 18941 Briarwood Lane Clinton Township, MI 48036-2116

We wish to express our sympathy and condolences to the Cummings family. Dwain Cummings (Buffalo Doctor), (former resident of Harbor Lights) passed away August 15 in Michigan.

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SEPTEMBER Birthdays

- 2 Richard Carling #148
- 4 Ron Forbes #123 Dick Meyers #18
- 5 Gini Sabo #14
- 6 Clyde Butcher #37
- 8 Ann Morris #91
- 9 Dorothy Hittenmiller #131
- 10 Verba Prough #134 Gordon Meyer #145
- 12 Gaylene Pepe #125
- 13 Bernice Wiggins #47
- 17 Betty Aldridge #147
 Barbara Lawrence #95
 Pat Pettengill #58
 Madolyn Smith #10
- 18 Bill Addy #34
- 23 Jane Dellina #81
- 27 Joan Emmons #51
- 29 Jerry Young #76
- Wendie Bunnell #128

Early OCTOBER

- 6 Mo Hindmarsh #28
- 8 Ruth (Jones) Ambo #44
- 11 Nancy DeSain #112

SEPTEMBER Anniversaries

- 19 Jerry and Barb Layman #36
- 25 Bill and Diane Eaton #79
- 29 Eli and Marge Marposon #121



SEPTEMBER 7TH

