

Resort Report

Nov - Dec 2015

22260 Klins Resort Rd. Three Rivers, MI 49093

Phone 269-649-2514

Thanksgiving Day at the Clubhouse



Snacks & Refreshments: noon

Lions vs. Eagles: 12:30 pm

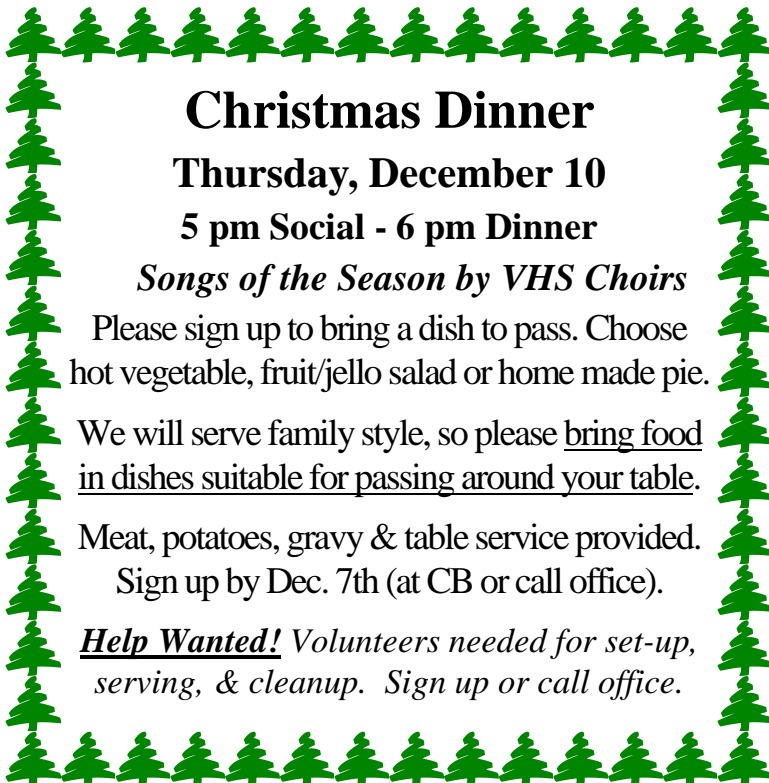
Turkey Dinner: 2:00 pm

Football & more until ????

What's Thanksgiving Day without parades and football? Why not share this most American of holidays with friends and neighbors at the clubhouse?

Turkey, dressing, gravy and mashed potatoes are provided. **Bring table service, a snack, side dish, rolls or dessert to share.** Or just bring yourself! We'll have plenty!

Sign up CB or call the office and tell us how many to expect. Guests are welcome. *Thank you to the Carers & Sharers for helping fund this event!*



Christmas Dinner

Thursday, December 10

5 pm Social - 6 pm Dinner

Songs of the Season by VHS Choirs

Please sign up to bring a dish to pass. Choose hot vegetable, fruit/jello salad or home made pie.

We will serve family style, so please bring food in dishes suitable for passing around your table.

Meat, potatoes, gravy & table service provided.

Sign up by Dec. 7th (at CB or call office).

Help Wanted! *Volunteers needed for set-up, serving, & cleanup. Sign up or call office.*

Calendar

Oct 29: Halloween Potluck: bring a Halloween themed dish - funny or scary!

Oct 31: Halloween! Turn on porch light if welcoming trick-or-treaters!

Nov 1: Daylight savings time ends. **Check your smoke detector batteries!**

Nov 2: Leaf Pickup begins. Remove lawn hazards: hoses, rakes, furniture, ornaments

Nov 5-7: Mendon Showboat

"A Very Good Year" 7:30pm

Tickets \$8 advance or \$10 door.



Nov 10: COA Massage: certified massage therapist Carol Ruggles. Call COA at 279-8083

Nov. 12: Meatloaf Potluck - \$1 & dish

Nov 21: Craft Show 9-3 Sunset Lake Elem

Nov. 25: COA Lunch/Bingo (no lunch Fri)

Nov 26: Thanksgiving Dinner (info @ left)

Dec 5: CB Decorating Party: 9 am: Help us deck the halls!



Dec 7: Foot Clinic: sign up CB.

Dec 8: Cookie Exchange 2 pm. Sign up CB

Dec 13: Caroling & Cocoa
Meet CB 4 pm.



Dec 10: Resort Christmas Party: info at left. Sign up at CB or call office.

Dec 24, 31: No potluck. *Merry Christmas!*

Winter Office Hours

Mon-Wed-Fri 9 am-2 pm (starts Nov 2)

Holiday Hours: 9-noon Dec 21, 23, 28 & 30

Office Closed Friday Nov 27, Dec 25, Jan 1

Office closed Tues, Thurs, Sat, Sun

November Dates



Klines Resort received the "Best Community Activity" Award for our 50th Anniversary Party from the Mich. Manufactured Housing Assoc at their fall convention.

Christmas Caroling & Cocoa



Sunday, Dec. 13. Meet 4pm CB.
No talent required!! We'll sing for some neighbors, then share some hot chocolate afterwards!

Christmas Cookie Exchange

Tuesday Dec 8 at 2 pm, CB Library

Join us for refreshments & take home a holiday cookie mixture!

Sign up & Instructions CB



Jottings....

- **Golf Carts:** Remember to fully charge your batteries, and then unplug the charger.
- Mendon showboat tickets (\$8) are available from the office or Mary Bennett (Lot 272).
- Book Club is off for the winter and resumes in April. Next year's list is on the board.
- Sunday night church services resume in January, meeting on the 2nd Sunday at 6:30 pm. See Robert Barton for info.
- Card players will be playing at 6:30 pm on Monday, Tues & Wed until April.
- Red Hats! Seeking new top hat! Call Phyllis R. if you can help plan/organize. 269-506-3195

Birthdays

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|----|---------------------|----|-----------------|
| 2 | Linda Bell | 20 | Virginia Smith |
| 3 | Jan Meyers | 21 | Maurie Cole |
| | Larry Woods | 22 | Inez Keusch |
| 4 | Sharon King | | Barb Boos |
| 6 | Jimmie Hickman | 23 | Lexi Hakamaki |
| 7 | Nellie Buckhout | 25 | Harold Vogt |
| 11 | Fran LaBonte | 28 | Diane Grice |
| | Marlene Casselberry | | Renee Fronczak |
| 12 | Paul Herder | | George Gianakis |
| | Chris Yoder | 29 | Phyllis Rinke |
| 13 | Patricia Smith | 30 | Bobbi Buckman |
| 14 | Chas Barnhardt | | |
| 15 | Wesley Thatcher | | |
| 16 | Gerry Ireland | | |
| 17 | Frances Weinberg | | |
| | Marilyn Brown | | |
| 18 | Zach Barton | | |
| | Lance Conrad | | |
| | Ron Jelinek | | |
| 19 | Dale Bent | | |
| | Fred Burnett | | |
| | Betty Salisbury | | |

Anniversaries

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| 6 | Elton & Flossie Lang |
| 8 | Art & Darlene Mortimer |
| 9 | JR & Carolyn Medendorp |
| 12 | Bernie & Janet Daggett |
| 15 | Larry & Bev Ketchbaw |
| | Wendell & Jeanette Gilliam |
| 16 | Dennis & Phyllis Rinke |
| 22 | Jim & Linda Hamrick |
| 28 | David & Renee Fronczak |
| 29 | Duane & Ann Hughson |

Cold Weather Reminders



Seasonal water supplies are being winterized. If you find the water is shut off, please do not turn it back on. If you open one by accident, call the office so we can re-winterize.

Other things to check:

- Seasonal residents: **Is your home scheduled for winterizing?** If you or someone else winterized your unit, did you tell the office?
- **Critter Check!** Secure skirting and fill gaps around home & sheds. Please so not feed strays!
- Is your **heat tape** plugged in and operating?
- Is your **water filter protected** by heat tape & insulation? Do you have **hose faucets** that need to be shut off and drained?
- Have you **disconnected hoses** from faucets on your home so they can drain? (Backflow preventers can hold water in the line that can freeze)
- Is the **water supply crock** under your home covered with a layer of insulation on top?
- Do you have **winter emergency supplies** ready to go? (checklist available at the office.)

December Dates

Birthdays

1	Kathey Stayner	24	Bob Charles
5	Debbie Ireland		Elton Lang
	Flossie Lang	25	Esther Sanders
6	Judy Cooper	26	Carol Blalock
9	Connie Lundgren		Carolyn Medendorp
10	Betty Cook		Don Yoder
12	Patricia Hite	29	Dave Watkins
13	Kay Ralston		Dorothy Stoepker
18	Robert Golec		Kathy Gianakis
	Sharon Bee	Anniversaries	
	Mark Tiesenga	5	Kork & Connie Klimp
22	Robert Miller	9	Bill & Jodi DeDoes
	Jolaine Snyder	14	Don & Christine Yoder
	Frank Attivissimo	19	John & Joyce Merrell
	Evelyn Davis	23	Jim & Cheri Best
	Bernie Sikkema	26	Joe & Teresa Todd
23	Carol Darling	28	Bob & Sharalyn Vogel
	Leonard McKee	30	Rich & Phyl Grevenstuk

Phil's Corner

Tama & I enjoyed an amazing vacation to Croatia last month. Croatia is on the Adriatic Sea east of Italy, and through history has been invaded and ruled by Romans, Venetians, Slavs, Ottoman/Turks, and others. Most recently, in the 1990's they were part of the Balkans conflict, when Croatia separated from Yugoslavia.

Now part of the EU, Croatia is a popular tourist destination. Many cities contain amazing remnants of ancient fortifications. We flew to the coastal city of Split, where we stayed inside Diocletian's Palace, a 4th Century fortress that is an UNESCO World Heritage Site. Our room was just steps from the temple to Jupiter, now a Catholic Church.

Next we boarded a small boat for 7 days of island hopping and biking. Some 30 tourists from Australia, South Africa, Canada, Great Britain, Bra-



zil and the US made up our group, led by 2 young guides. Tama used an e-bike to help her climb the steep roads we encountered daily. The views were amazing. We swam in crystal clear water, and we enjoyed local seafood, grilled meats and vegetables.

Returning to Split, we spent a few days on our own, taking ferries to Trogir and Dubrovnik, and attending a Split/Istra soccer match. We flew home via Rome, so we spent a couple days exploring there.

Like much of the former eastern block, Croatia is optimistic for its future, but vulnerable. The tide of Syrian refugees passing through neighboring Hungary are now being diverted into Croatia. Russia is flexing its arm nearby, and ethnic hostilities remain. Tourism brings much needed income, jobs, and stability in the face of an uncertain world. Let's hope peace prevails and ancient wounds heal, and Croatia remains free and prosperous.

God Bless,

Phil



Stay in Touch...

- **Email Updates:** Don Squires will be sending email updates. To be added to Don's list, email: alliswc@mindspring.com
- **"Like" us on Facebook:** Share what's happening, post photos, etc. Just search for Klines Resort in the top FB search bar.
- **Keep us up to date** on your telephone numbers, address changes, etc. If anything has changed, please call the office. **Winter Addresses** will be published next month.

Leaf Pickup Reminders

It's time to get ready for the leaf crew! Have you picked up garden hoses? Lawn ornaments? Marked tripping hazards, fire pits, rocks, etc?

Pickup begins in earnest the 1st week of Nov. Until then, please **do not pile leaves in the street.**

If you wish to rake yourself, please **bag leaves for pickup or take them to the compost pile.**

Thanks!

SNOWPLOW REMINDERS

Thanks for helping us clear the streets after a snow.

Please remember to observe these guidelines:

- **NO OVERNIGHT PARKING** on North Beach, Cherry Oak & N. Center St.
- **If >2" snow is forecast**, everyone should park on the same side of street. On **Pleasant Ridge and S. Center**, everyone should park on west side. Wait for plow to finish east side before moving over.
- **CAUTION:** Plow truck makes frequent stops, turns, and back-ups. Please avoid our blind spots & give us lots of room to work!
- We clear the main traffic areas first, then overflow. We do detail stuff last.
- **When going away overnight**, do not leave vehicle parked on street. Move to storage or leave key with a neighbor to move car.
- Early, wet snow that we expect to melt shortly will not be plowed, nor will snowfall under 2".
- Caution: Freeze/thaw conditions may create ice at intersections & roundabout! Drive with care!



- **Halloween Costume contest** Friday, Oct. 30. Judging at noon. Winner receives a gift certificate!
- **Holiday Dinner & Show!** Thurs Dec. 17 at Sturgis Young Civic Center. Tickets \$10 and include door prizes, goodie bags, dinner & show. Get your ticket before they sell out!
- Arthritis Exercise, BINGO, and lunch will continue all winter. Please come support these great programs.
- Watch for the next COA newsletter for the buffet schedule & activities in Dec-Jan.
- Thanks to the folks who have volunteered to help at lunch. **We still need volunteers!** Sign up sheet is on the CB entry bulletin board.
- COA office and activities are closed on Nov 26-27, Dec 24-25, and Dec 31-Jan 1.
- If you sign up for a meal, please call to cancel if you are unable to attend. 279-8083



Fall colors peaked the week of Oct. 18. Here's the view looking north of the old boat ramp.

COA Buffet Schedule

- Oct 31:** Halloween Bar
(Pork BBQ, soup, chili, salad)
- Nov 6:** Soup & Salad Bar
- Nov 13:** Baked Potato & Chili Bar
- Nov 20:** Soup & Deli Bar
- Wed Nov 25:** Thanksgiving Buffet

CLUBHOUSE ACTIVITIES

Clubhouse Hours: 7:30am - 9:30 pm

Monday:	Euchre	6:30 pm
Tuesday:	"500"	6:30 pm
Wed:	COA Exercise	11:00 am
	Poker	12:30 pm
	Cards	6:30 pm
Thurs:	Potluck	6:00 pm
Friday:	COA Exercise	11:00 am
	COA Lunch/Bingo	12:00 noon
	Poker	12:30 pm
Saturday:	Coffee Hour	8:30 am

Watch bulletin board for updates!

COA Arthritis Exercise

Meets Wednesday & Friday 11 am
Clubhouse Rec Room

Certified instructor Cathy Taylor

The Arthritis Foundation Exercise Program includes health, exercise, balance, endurance and relaxation components.

Anyone can participate!

Questions? Call Cathy at 816-0769