

The logo features the text "Ocean Village" in a smaller, orange-outlined font above "E-Seaword" in a larger, blue-outlined font. The background is a sunset over the ocean with a palm tree silhouette.

June 2019

Welcome to the inaugural edition of the E-Seaword.

Our promise has been communication, transparency and openness this year. We are introducing this mini email version of the Seaword during the summer as an additional way to fulfill this promise. You have been receiving meeting agendas on a regular basis. I hope that has helped. Meeting minutes are posted regularly in the Residents section of our Ocean Village website.

If you ever need to contact me, my email address is OVPresident001@gmail.com.

Thanks for taking the time to review this newsletter. Your feedback is welcomed.

Jim Seymour

LWR Happenings



Summer has begun as has our summer programming. Per your requests, Kurt Vargo, our LWR director and his team have developed many summer programs and activities for both adults and children.

Adult activities include Sit-N-Fit, Dance Aerobics Class, Stretching by the Sea, Dog Days of Summer, Crafting Class, Bingo, Poolside Musical entertainment, St. Lucie Mets Outings

Those that are child focused include Ocean Superheros, Board and Card Game Centers, Crafty Kids Donuts & Fishtales, Walk With Me!, and Pop-up pool parties

Remember, activities are only successful when folks participate. If you have other ideas, please contact Kurt.

For regular updated regarding events and activities view the Ocean Village LWR facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/OVLWR/> or see the various bulletin boards around Ocean Village.

Ocean Village Inn & Tiki Bar

Our restaurant remains open Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays during the summer. Tony Camaj and his staff continue doing an outstanding job of serving our community. He has also extended the hours of the Tiki Bar until 8 PM during the days the Inn is not open to serve our residents and guests. For the latest on what is happening at the Inn, see it's facebook page which is <https://www.facebook.com/The-Inn-Restaurant-at-Ocean-Village-1675278465895743/>.

Website Update

The website task force chaired by Eileen Emery has been busy evaluating alternatives for meeting our website needs. She is planning to present a report and recommendation to our Board of Directors at the June 17th Workshop.

Tennis and Pickleball Court Improvements and Upgrades

Keith Cracknell has volunteered to chair a task force to determine what we need to do to meet the needs of our tennis and pickleball community as we move forward. Assuming we will be constructing a new clubhouse, we need to know what our needs are, how we will meet them, and what we will be doing to minimize disruption and downtime during construction. His team will be looking into the best location for facilities, types of courts (clay vs asphalt), lighting requirements, etc. Obviously, bang for the buck is important as well. The philosophy is do it right and not over.

Special Assessment Vote

A Special Board Meeting will be held at 1 PM June 17th, just prior to the monthly workshop to discuss and vote on the special assessment to pay for the improvements approved at the May Board meeting. You should be receiving a notice by mail at the address you have on file with the Ocean Village office.

If approved, the funds will be used to pay for a sidewalk along the west side of Windward Dr from Clipper Drive to Southpointe Drive, replacement of the “living wall”, known by many as dying wall, restaurant improvements which will result in an open air dining area, adding one hot tub to Aruba, and allocating funds to the development phase of the clubhouse project.

Meet Your LWR Staff

We now have a full staff at our LWR (Recreation) department, all here to serve our residents and guests. Each month, your E-Seaword will feature one employee, allowing us to know a little more about them as real people.

This month we will feature Ursula Aguila. Ursula is responsible for safety and security in beach club pool area. Born in Poland, she came to the US in 1966, lived on the east coast for many years before moving to Florida 8 years ago. She currently lives in Tradition. She likes to travel and keep busy. When she mentioned to her son, Rafael that she would like to go back to to work, he hired her to do this job.

Feel free to strike up a conversation and share experiences. Just remember, when she sends you back for your wrist band, asks you to quit splashing others or not to eat or drink in the pool, she is just doing her job. Yes, she even does this with a smile.



Thought of The Month

A big smile and a warm greeting can make someone else’s day. Making someone else’s day can make yours as well.

Ocean Village June Weather Forecast

Warm and sunny, what else.

Ok, maybe a passing shower to make our flowers grow.

