

# Mobile Manor Monthly

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Office: Bonnie Gilliland

MM Board Pres: Bob Martin

Tues – Garbage

150 Lantern Lane

Social Club Pres: Bonnie Gilliland

Wed – Recycles & Greens

N Ft Myers, FL 33917

Hayden and Assoc: 489-4890 (Emergencies, too) Aluminum cans at office shed

(239) 543-1414 Office hrs Tu We Th 10-12 Comm Ctr hrs Su 8-5 Mo 9-9 Tu 9-5 We 9-9 Th 9-9 Fr 9-5 Sa 8-5

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*PEOPLE WORKING TOGETHER FOR THE FUN OF IT!*

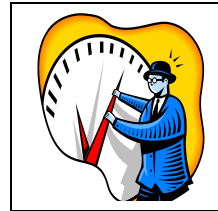
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## Veteran's Day

Nov. 11, 2012

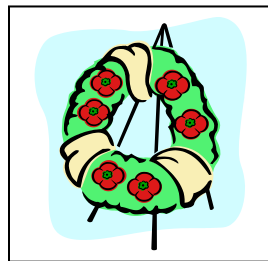


*Thank you to all who have served! Also, please exercise your privilege to vote on November 6th.*



## Fall Back !!

*Don't forget to set your clocks back one hour when Daylight Saving Time ends on November 4<sup>th</sup>.*



## Condolences

*To the families of:*

**Pat Boswell**

**Dee Demers**

**Joe Finkle**

**Kathy Hoffman**

**Carol Julius**

**Dave Prescott**

**Wilma Gordon**

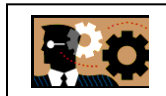
**Jim Howe**

**Larry Mosley**



*Please join us in welcoming the following to the Mobile Manor community. (We are sorry for any omissions. Please let us know so that they may be included later.)*

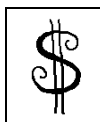
## Business



*Mobile Manor Community Meeting  
November 1, 2012 2:30 p.m. Please make every effort to attend.*

*Mobile Manor Social Club Meeting  
November 13, 2012 10 a.m. Everyone is welcome. (From then on, the one meeting per month will be the 1st Tuesday of the month except for January.)*

*The maintenance fee for 2012 is \$27.31 per month. The fee for 2013 will be \$28.13 per month.*



**Robert Bolinger, Charles Dotson, Jim & Maureen Huff, Debra Ivey, Larry Kurowski, Cynthia Marnell, Ann Marie Sandall, Jerry Saylor, and Ralph & Mary Schioppa.**

## Nov./Early Dec. Events

*Nov. 22<sup>nd</sup> - Thanksgiving Dinner 5 p.m.  
\$7.50 Donation.*

*Nov. 30<sup>th</sup> - Decorate outside of the CC*

*Dec. 1<sup>st</sup> - Decorate inside of the CC*

*Dec. 8<sup>th</sup> - Christmas Dance 7:30 p.m.*

*Donation appreciated*

*Mondays - Bingo 7 p.m.*

*Saturdays - Coffee & Donuts 8 a.m.*

## "The Way We Were"



"A Night to Remember" by **William Bonhoff** - It was 9:00 in the evening. My wife was in the bedroom getting ready for bed.

Suddenly I heard a loud knock on the door. Who could that be at this hour, I wondered? "Honey, there's someone at the door." I was watching TV and I didn't hear any response from the bedroom so I got up from my easy chair to answer the door. As I opened the door, I saw a woman standing in the doorway in a raincoat. The raincoat flashed open. It took me completely by surprise, to say the least. There she was, completely naked (except for the raincoat) and wearing a face mask. It was my wife! Surprise, surprise! It was the end of the month. It was HALLOWEEN NIGHT. And then, I forgot to give her any candy!

(Submitted by **Dorie Bonhoff**. We encourage others to submit literary pieces for consideration.)



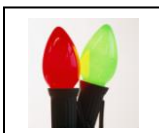
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**Bonnie Gilliland & Judy Griffith** have hosted Coffee & Donuts in Oct. We need hosts for Nov. Please Saturdays contact **Bonnie** at 239-543-8625.



Christmas Decorations Nov. 30<sup>th</sup> and Dec. 1<sup>st</sup> will be devoted to decorating the clubhouse, inside and out.

Outside at 10 a.m. on Fri. the 30<sup>th</sup> and inside on Sat. the 1<sup>st</sup> right after coffee and donuts.



To volunteer call **Bonnie** at 239-543-8625.

Only 12 people attended the Finger Food Luncheon on Oct. 15<sup>th</sup>; however, there were good eats and fun for all. Thanks **Bonnie & Sandy**.

## "Heads Up"



The Thanksgiving Dinner at 5 p.m. on Nov. 22<sup>nd</sup> will

be prepared by Cordon Bleu Master Chef **Bob Gilliland**. A \$7.50 donation gets you a seat. The menu: fruit cocktail, turkey breast and/or buffet ham, dressing, raisin, turkey, & cranberry sauces, mashed potatoes, creamed corn, carrots, rolls & butter, pumpkin pie w/ whipped cream, and iced tea.

The first dance of the season is the Christmas Dance on Dec. 8<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m. Tom Hawkins will donate his time and resources. The donations will be used to do updates inside the Community Center such as window dressings and table covers.

This year's raffle features a brand new adult 3-wheeler. Tickets will be \$5/1 or \$10/3. Stay tuned for details.



## "It's a Funny Life"

Something that I'd like to get off my chest has been

bothering me for almost 2 years. Debbie and I attended one of the many wonderful functions that the MMSC sponsors. I'm unsure which one, but the attendance was large. So large, that it generated the best 50-50 drawing of the season. We sat with **Rev. Gainer** and his wife, **Lois**. Right before the drawing, I turned to **Rev. Gainer** and said, "Richard, how do you feel about blessing my tickets?" I swear I was kidding. We were having a good laugh when Tom Hawkins asked **Lois** to draw the winner. To our surprise, I won. Now, here's what's been bothering me. What should I have done? Split it with **Richard**? Tipped him? What??

(Note: The editor of *Mobile Manor Monthly* encourages feedback and input regarding the newsletter. Be it criticism or praise, corrections or new topics, please let me know. I can be reached at 543-5708, 740-972-9445, or [timburch22@gmail.com](mailto:timburch22@gmail.com).)