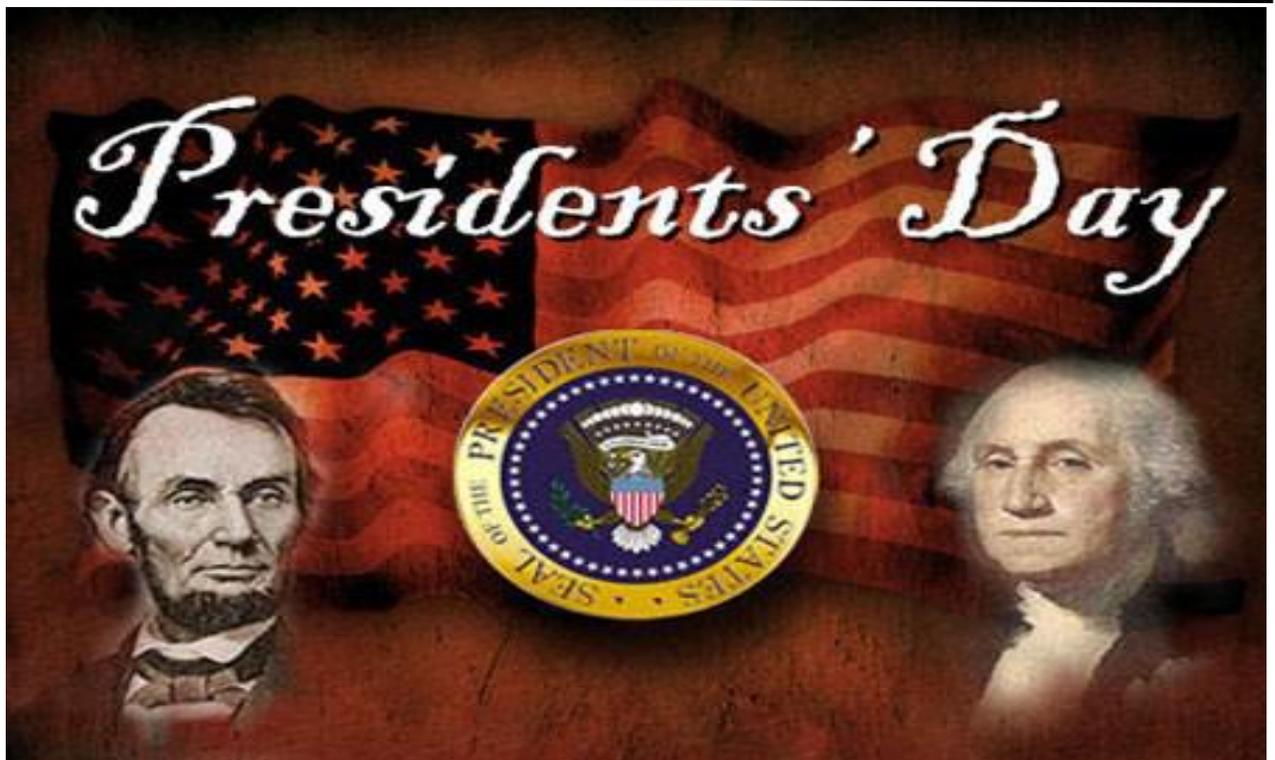


DELRAY VILLAS REC. NEWS

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REC. BOARD MEETING

FEBRUARY 3, 2026

7 PM IN A BUILDING

OFFICERS, BOARD MEMBERS, AND COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENT

RECREATION BOARD

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President: Camille Montemurno 561-239-6844
Vice Pres: Iris Schnell 321-399-1692
Secretary: Lynne Cohen 201-314-6537
Treasurer: Howard Appel 201-926-1060

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Activity Ctr: Camille Montemurno 561-239-6844

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Library: Linda Montgomery * 561-270-7880

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Tickets: Tom Clark 347-728-4037

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Posters: Toby Gordon 201-873-6379

Seminars Lynne Cohen 201-314-6537

Event Rick Mancini* 917-865-6563

Coordinator Lynne Cohen 201-314-6537

A/C: Camille M 561-239-6844

Web Master, Zoom, Sound & Video:

Alan Shwartz* 561-376-4040

alan@delrayvillasrec.com

[Lost & Found](#); [Ticket Office](#)

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Howard Appel 201-926-1060

Plat 3

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Joann Albertson 561-865-9158

Valerie Maulen 561-601-9773

Plat 4/5

Camille Montemurno 561-865-9158

Lynne Cohen 201-314-6537

Judy Silsby 561-906-3782

****CALENDAR****

EVENT Camille 561-239-6844

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Treasurer: Marlene Peritzman 561-637-6070

Secretary: Marcie Mendelson 513-703-9157

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Treasurer: Howard Appel 201-926-1060

Communications Lisa Weingarten 516-889-1105

Communications Pat Selinski 845-551-4917

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Treasurer: Richard Chrzan 570-470-8531

Secretary: Eileen Casado 954-629-9165

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Vice Pres: Alan Rossman 561-901-3002

Treasurer: Sheila Lane 561-381-7725

Secretary: Diane Stevens 413-222-7866

WE CARE

Rick Mancini 917-865-6563

Paul Mirsky 917-684-9115

Sam Fleishman 410-493-7842

DV Rec News Patti Lazaroff 561-498-8691

patlazaroff@gmail.com

******FOR ALL PLATS******

The Recreation Board cordially invites **ALL** Plat

Presidents to attend our meetings on the 1st

Tuesday of every month.

Committee members needed for following: Looking for at least 1 person from each plat.

TENNIS: Camille 561-239-6844

ELECTRICAL: Howie (Chairperson) 201-926-1060

Harvey Lazaroff 561-498-8691

LANDSCAPING:

Happy February from your Rec President,

January has been an exciting month. Our winter friends are all back and it was so exciting to see them return. Today I know they are exceptionally happy to be here, as I am writing this letter to you. Some areas across our nation have 8-20 inches of snow depending where you live; this storm has hit everyone across the country.

But the good news is here in sunny Florida, we are busy and there are many new adventures on the horizon. Check out the events, shows, billiard lessons, (billiards is becoming extremely popular), mahjong lessons, card playing, our advice to you is to come to the Rec Center there is always something going on.

I am proud to say we have 5 new Rec Board Directors: Robert from Plat 1, Ed and Andrea from Plat 2, Valerie from Plat 3, and Judy from Plat 4/5, we are excited they decided to come out and make a difference for our Rec Center. Welcome to the Rec Board of Directors.

I am grateful and always thankful for the returning members of our rec board that has grown together these past few years; Iris, our new VP, Plat 3, Lynne, our Secretary, Plat 4/5 Howard, our Treasurer, Plat 2, Tom Clark, Director, Plat 1 AnitaMarie, Director, Plat 1, Past President of Rec. Joann, Director, Plat 3.

Words cannot express my appreciation for the dedication and work that goes into this center being open 17 hours a day, 7 days a week. Although we might make it look easy, there is a lot of behind the scenes that goes into running this complex. Thank you to all of you.

We truly look forward to this year with all of us working together for the 1126 homes that we represent. This is going to be a unique opportunity for all who live in Delray Villas, as we watch and anticipate the completion of the Recreation Center. We are doing a shoutout for all the people who have come forward this past year and offered to help, we need you. Please either send an email to us with your name and phone number or drop a note in the mailbox with your name and number so we can reach out for your help. To all the construction volunteers please call me. Yes, I wrote down your name and number, but I need you to reach out to me again.

We took in almost \$850,000 dollars in Special Assessment payments as of Jan 27, 2026, and we have signed contracts with Atlantic Pool which is now working with their engineering firm getting ready for the permits for the pool. The tennis courts: we are waiting on the survey company to survey for the lights and fencing replacements, Armor is getting ready to go for permits shortly. Although it does not seem like anything is happening it is all behind the scenes right now. But we are moving forward.

As for all of you, I cannot say enough about the wonderful phone calls, they might have been tense at first, but friendships and respect formed. The support from the entire community as we venture this journey as a community is more than any of us could ever want. When they ask anyone of the Rec Board of Directors "why do you do this?" we all give the same answer, "the love of the community, after all we are all Delray Villas family."

With love and respect, Camille

Pool and Gym now open till 9p. Please be respectful of noise level after 8p. THANKS DVRA

The address FOR OUR WEBSITE IS
Delrayvillasrec.com

Toby Gordon would like to thank the community for all the contributions to the food drive.

Watch for the next food drive in March-April.

SHED IN POOL AREA



Security:

Is important. Please use your FOB when entering Rec Center buildings, pool, and activity center. We ask you NOT to let anyone without a fob to enter.

Some may have lost their privileges/don't live in the community.



If you are in need of a key for bocce/shuffleboard sheds, please call Patti Lazaroff @561-498-8691. \$30 each



If you are in need a fob for the Recreation Center Call Judy Clemon (Plat 1, 2, 3 & 4/5) 561-496-0861

WHO WANTS TO PLAY BOCCE?

WE ARE LOOKING FOR PLAYERS!
Call Marlene Mirsky • 917-673-7830
Or Paul Mirsky • 917-684-9115



Enjoy Reading?

Like to Discuss Books with Friends?

Join us!

DELRAY VILLAS BOOK CLUB

Meets at 1:00pm • 1st Monday of the Month

Arts and Crafts Room, Building B

For more info, call

Elaine Guanci

770-630-7367

Upcoming Books

January 5, 2026 We All Live Here
Jojo Moyes

February 2, 2026 Billion Dollar Ransom
James Patterson

March 2, 2026 Six Days In Bombay
Alka Josh

JOIN THE BAGEL JOURNEY!

Tuesdays, 9:00am – 11:00am • Viking Room, Building “B”
*•Starting in June...
 •Bagel Baking Classes with Charles Sanfilippo!*




- Learn the History of Bagels: A brief context of how bagels evolved.
- Basics of Bagel Baking: Discover techniques and tips from Charles himself!
- Hands-On Experience: Make your own bagels during the class.

To Register For This Class
Reply to Charles at: csanfilipp46@gmail.com



TOTAL BODY FITNESS ROSA



FITNESS IN THE COMMUNITY

Please Register In The “B” Building Ticket Office
 Thursday & Saturday 10am to Noon
 Any Questions Call;
 Alan Rossman 561-901-3002 • Tom Clark 347-728-4037

Delray Villas Recreation Presents

FREE ZUMBA CLASSES!

Get ready to **Move, Groove, and Feel Great!**
 Join us for an energizing workout that includes...
Standing and Chair Zumba, perfect for all fitness levels.
Stay Active, Have Fun, And Boost Your Health
All For Free!
Come Ready To Dance And Make Wellness A Blast!

For More Info Call IRIS SCHNELL 321-399-1692

Classes are 9 to 10am in the “A” Building
 Twice a month on 2nd and 3rd Wednesday



December 10 and 17
January 14 and 21
February 11 and 18



February 2026

Sun

Mon

Tue

Wed

Thu

Fri

Sat

1 10:30a Aqua Zumba Plat 2 Pool (weather permitting FREE)	2 1p Book Club in Arts & Craft rm 6-8p Ticket Office	3 9:30a-11:30a Bocci 1p Show Rehersal 7P DVRA Board	4 9:30a COPS 6:30p Show Rehersal	5 9:30a-11:30a Bocci 10a-12p/6-8p Ticket Office 6:45p Men's Billiards	6 9a-11:30a Painting 1p Learn Mahjong	7 10a-11a Yoga 10a-12p Ticket Office 11:15a Chair Yoga VR 7p Bingo (A)
8 10:30a Aqua Zumba Plat 2 Pool (weather permitting FREE) 6p Super-bowl Party AA	9 10a-12p Health Fair (A) 6-8p Ticket Office 7p Plat 3 Board Mtg	10 9:30a-11:30a Bocci 1p Show Rehersal 7:30p 4/5 Board mtg VR	11 9-10a Free Zumba A 6:30p Show Rehersal 7p Veteran's Meeting 7p Plat 1 Board Mtg VR	8) 9:30a-11:30a Bocci 10a-12p/6-8p Ticket Office 6:45p Men's Billiards 7p Plat 2 Board Mtg VR	13 9a-11:30a Painting 1p Learn Mahjong	14 Valentine's Day 10a-11a Yoga 10a-12p Ticket Office 11:15a Chair Yoga VR 7:30p-9:15p Stu & Laurie
14 10:30a Aqua Zumba Plat 2 Pool (weather permitting FREE)	16 President's day 6-8p Ticket Office	17 9:30a-11:30a Bocci 1p Show Rehersa;	18 9-10a Free Zumba A 6:30p Show Rehersal	19 9:30a-11:30a Bocci 10a-12p/6-8p Ticket Office 12:30p Financial Seminar 6:45p Men's Billiards	20 9a-11:30a Painting 1p Learn Mahjong	21 10a-11a Yoga 10a-12p Ticket Office 11:15a Chair Yoga VR 7:30p-9p Holly Faris
22 10:30a Aqua Zumba Plat 2 Pool (weather permitting FREE)	23 6-8p Ticket Office	24 9:30a-11:30a Bocci 1p Show Rehersal	25 6:30p Show Rehersal	26 9:30a-11:30a Bocci 10a-12p/6-8p Ticket Office 6:45p Men's Billiards	27 9a-11:30a Painting 1p Learn Mahjong	28 10a-11a Yoga 10a-12p Ticket Office 11:15a Chair Yoga VR



CALLING ALL POOL PLAYERS!

**OUR RICH KRIZ 9 BALL LEAGUE
IS LOOKING FOR MORE PLAYERS!**

TUESDAY AND/OR THURSDAY 6:45PM TO 9PM



**NOBODY IS JUDGING YOU ON
HOW GOOD OR BAD YOU ARE!
JUST COME IN AND HAVE SOME FUN!**

FOR DETAILS CONTACT...

SAM FLEISHMAN 410-493-7842

CARL MALYSZ • 502-939-3577

**IF YOU WANT SOME LESSONS OR HELP TO PLAY BETTER,
PLEASE CONTACT SAM FLEISHMAN 410-493-7842
OR JOHN ELDER 646-584-2300**

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Holly Faris: Celebrity Impersonator Have Wig... Will Gig

Join Delray Villas Recreation for a fantastic
entertainment evening
from 7:30 pm-9:30 pm. Feb 21, 2026

Holly is an unbelievable entertainer that looks and
imitates other singers in full costume!!

A night to be remembered!!

Only \$15 pp Residents • \$20pp Non-Resident
Dessert, Coffee and Water BYOB and Food

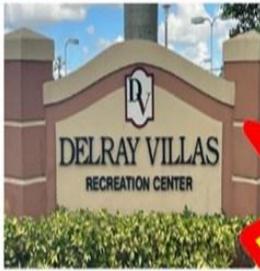
Holly Faris: A One-Woman Show Like No Other!
From Joan Rivers to Dolly Parton, Holly's spot-
on celebrity impersonations and sharp comedy
have wowed audiences nationwide. Her mix of
humor, heart, and nostalgia delivers
unforgettable entertainment that sets her apart.



**Please Register In The "B" Building Ticket Office
Thursday & Saturday 10am to Noon
Any Questions Call •Tom Clark 347-728-4037**

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Delray Villas Recreation Clubhouse



Delray Beach, Florida

HEALTHY LIVING Expo

Free Boxed Lunch
FIREHOUSE SUBS
DJ, Entertainment & Raffle Prizes



On Monday, February 9, (10am to Noon) We will celebrate the HEALTH EXPO at the Clubhouse "A" Building. We will have Healthy Activities. FREE Firehouse Subs Boxed Lunch, Turkey, Tuna or Veggie. Health Screenings, Free Raffle Prizes - \$1,000 in Prizes and Gift Cards DJ Entertainment and Much More! Must Register For Free Lunch

Sign Up In The "B" Building Ticket Office
 Thursday and Saturday • 10am to Noon
 Any Questions Call:

Joann Albertson 516-242-7252 • Shelley Miller 302-593-4261



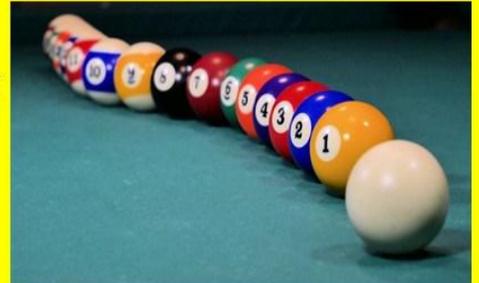
**Ladies, Rack 'Em UP!
 WOMEN'S BILLIARDS**



Join us every Friday for friendly camaraderie!
 competitive pool and socializing!

UNFORTUNATELY - WOMEN'S BILLIARDS HAS BEEN CANCELLED DUE TO LACK OF INTEREST!

LOOKING FOR PLAYERS!
 Call For More Information
 Joann Albertson • 516-242-7252



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TRAIN SMART...MOVE BETTER...GET RESULTS

RYAN GOULET **FITNESS COACH**

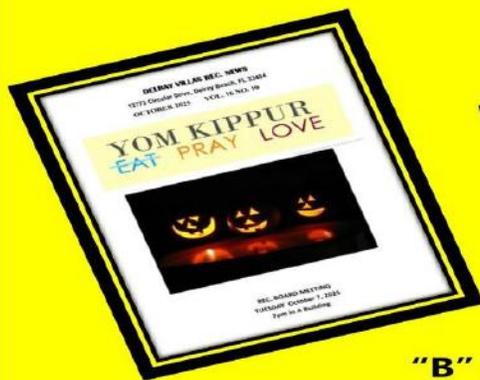
LEARN HOW TO USE GYM
MACHINES WITH CONFIDENCE

GET MORE FROM EVERY WORKOUT

EXERCISES TAILORED TO YOUR
NEEDS AND ABILITY

Call for special Delray Villas rates

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REC NEWS UPDATE

The Delray Villas Recreation Newsletter
will now be published exclusively on our website:

 www.delrayvillasrec.com

No Internet? No Problem!

 Hard copies will be available in the
"B" Building lobby for those without web access.

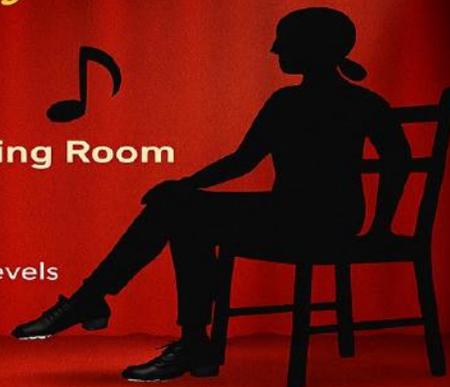
For More Information Contact: Patti Lazaroff 561-498-8691



Tap Dancing in a Chair *Fun for Everyone!*

-  **Start Date: January 15**
-  **Time: 1:00 PM**
-  **Location: "B" Building – Viking Room**
- Instructor: Glenda Leone**
(Former Radio City Rockette)
- Low-impact, perfect for all fitness levels
- Enjoy music and movement
- No prior dance experience needed

Reserve Your Spot Today!
Sign up in the Ticket Office



DELRAY VILLAS RECREATION PRESENTS...

VARIETY REIMAGINED



THE Stu & Laurie VARIETY HOUR

A HUSBAND AND WIFE LAS VEGAS STYLE VARIETY SHOW FEATURING
THE SONGS YOU LOVE, COMEDY AND IMPRESSIONS OF YOUR FAVORITES
DEAN MARTIN, ELVIS, JAMES CAGNEY, JIMMY STEWART & MORE!

AN EMOTIONALLY ENGAGING SHOW
SURE TO BRING BACK BEAUTIFUL MEMORIES

FEBRUARY 14th
7:30 TO 9:15

\$15pp Resident
\$20pp Non-Resident

Dessert, Coffee and
Water BYOB & Food

Please Register In The
"B" Building Ticket Office
Thursday & Saturday
10am to Noon
Any Questions Call • Tom
Clark 347-728-4037

TICKETS

**In order to accommodate more of our residents,
we have expanded our ticket office hours**

New... Ticket Office Has Expanded Hours:

- Monday & Thursday: 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM
- Thursday & Saturday: 10:00 AM – Noon

Any Questions Call;
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**MEMBERS WANTED FOR OUR
NEW VETERAN'S CLUB!**
CONTACT: Don Daugherty 561-703-5975
Mike Jacobson 904-534-2977 • Pat Melito 631-332-6805
ALL MEETINGS ARE THE 2ND WEDNESDAY EA MONTH @ 7pm
MEETINGS WILL BE IN THE "A" BUILDING
COFFEE SUPPLIED BY RECREATION ASSOCIATION



ALL VETERANS ARE WELCOME!

**MEETINGS ARE HELD THE 2ND WEDNESDAY @ 7pm EACH MONTH AT...
 DELRAY VILLAS RECREATION BUILDING "A"
 13773 CIRCULAR DIVE • DELRAY BEACH FL 33484**

Come on in for Coffee and Conversation

NEXT MEETINGS ARE: • DECEMBER 10th • JANUARY 14th • FEBRUARY 11th • MARCH 11th •



Ronald Radner, AAMSTM
Financial Advisor

To Register and
For More Information Contact:
Lynne Cohen • 201-314-6537

Financial Decisions Seminar

**Come to the "B" Building Viking Room
 On Thursday, February 19th at 12:30
 For a FREE LUNCH and Learn about
 Making Your Financial Decisions**

**Our Guest Speaker is
 Ronald Radner from Raymond James Co.**

Ron believes earning his clients' trust is a privilege. He prides himself on fostering open and consistent communication by using a proactive approach. Ron ensures that his clients' individual needs are understood and addressed with personalized solutions. He has worked with hundreds of families in the South Palm Beach County area for over eleven years, cultivating personal, long-term relationships. Ron provides his clients with a common sense, independent, and objective approach to investing.

SUPER BOWL SUNDAY BASH



**FEBRUARY 8
 'A' BUILDING • 6 PM**



**BRING YOUR OWN FOOD &
 DRINKS**



Nachos, wings, soda, mystery casserole –
it's all welcome!



WATCH THE GAME WITH FRIENDS



Cheer, groan, high-five, and pretend you understand
the rules!



BIG SCREEN. LOUD CHEERS. UNFORGETTABLE FUMBLES.

NO RSVP needed – just show up ready to party!

GENTLE YOGA CLASSES

CLASSES ARE SATURDAY MORNINGS
10am TO 11am (\$8 PER SESSION)
IN "B" BUILDING VIKING ROOM

BRING YOUR YOGA MAT
AND BE READY TO BEGIN

Gentle yoga distinguishes itself from other yoga styles through its slow pace, simplicity, and accessibility.

Here's how it compares to some other popular yoga types:

1. Slower Movements
2. Lower Intensity
3. Adaptability
4. Focus on Relaxation
5. Fewer Transitions

FOR MORE INFO CALL FRAN RUBENSTEIN • 201-739-2223



Your doctor (like mine) has said, "Time to start exercising!" Maybe you've had a knee or hip replacement and your recovery has hit a plateau. Or maybe there are a million other reasons to "move it or lose it," as the saying goes. Whatever your reason, the Rec Center offers a number of options to help you start moving again.

Chair Yoga with Mo is held at the Rec Center on Saturday mornings at 11:15 and costs \$8. No mat or special equipment is needed. The entire class is done either seated in a regular chair or standing alongside or behind the chair. This class is suitable for almost anyone and can even serve as an introduction to a regular yoga class.

The first part of the class is usually done seated and includes breathing exercises to calm the mind, along with gentle, general stretching. The second half may be done standing beside or behind the chair, using one or both hands for support. The instructor, Mo, welcomes questions about specific issues and yoga movements, and offers alternate options if a particular movement isn't comfortable.

The class finishes back in the chair with a cool down and final stretches. Some participants find they're ready to move on to the regular yoga class (Saturdays at 10:00) after a few Chair Yoga sessions, while others continue to benefit from the slower pace and focus on rehabilitation. Whichever path is right for you, I hope to see you at yoga. Namaste!



**PAINTING CLASSES
FRIDAY MORNINGS
9 - 11:30am
ARTS and CRAFTS ROOM
FOR DETAILS CALL
CAROLYN GARTER
561-498-3093**

JOIN FERNANDO SECONDINO TO **PLAY 31**

STARTING FRI, JANUARY 9TH 6P-9P IN THE CARD ROOM



**Rec Board Presents
Bingo Night • Join the Fun!**

- Date: Saturday, February 7th** **Time: 7 PM**
- Location: "A" Building Theater**
- Bring Cash to Buy Cards: \$3 each or 2 for \$5**
- Winners paid in gift cards!**

**Please Register In The "B" Building Ticket Office
Thursday & Saturday 10am to Noon
Any Questions Call;
Patti Lazaroff 561-498-8691 • Judy Clemon 561-496-0861**



SUPPORT DELRAY VILLAS RECREATION ASSOCIATION

ATTEND OUR ENTERTAINMENT
SHOWS & CLUBS FOR ALL RESIDENTS



**DELRAY VILLAS REC ASSOC
GOES TO
THE BIG EASY CASINO
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25th
\$25 pp**

Leave clubhouse 9:15 • Return approx. 4:15

Get 10 points and receive \$30

Bus will have a ramp for easy access



Sign Up In The "B" Building Ticket Office

Thursday and Saturday • 10am to Noon

Any Questions Call:

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Tom Clark 347-728-4037

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

SUNDAY

10:30a Aqua Zumba Plat 2 Pool (weather permitting FREE) Andy Presser 914-374-6649

MONDAY

1p (1st Monday of month Craft Rm) Book Club Elaine Guanci 770-630-7367

6-8p Ticket Office Nancy Tovar 954-38-6578

TUESDAY

9:30a-11a Bocce Ball Marlene Mirsky 917-673-7830

WEDNESDAY

9a-10a Free Zumba in A (2nd & 3rd Wednesday)

10a (1st Wed/month) COPS Capt. Lynn Goldstein 561-445-4256

THURSDAY

9:30a-11a Bocce Ball Marlene Mirsky 917-673-7830

10a-12p Ticket Office Tom Clark 347-728-4037

6p-8p Ticket Office Nancy Tovar 954-383-6578

6:45p 9 Ball Carl Malysz 502-939-3577

Sam Fleishman 410-493-7842

FRIDAY

9:00a-11:30a Painting Carolyn Garter 561-498-3093

1p-3p Learning Mahjongg (must sign up) Ronnie Townsend 732-501-1029

SATURDAY

10a-11a Yoga VR Fran Rubenstein 201-739-2223

11:15a Chair Yoga VR Fran Rubenstein 201-739-2223

10a-12p Ticket Office Open Tom Clark 347-728-4037

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