



# Point Aquarius Newsletter

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## PAWC MEETING

DATE: Thursday, February 7  
TIME: 9:30 AM  
PLACE: Community Center  
PROGRAM: Chinese Medicine  
And Healthy Living  
By Wendy Shi,  
Licensed Acupuncturist

Please remember your donations:

- Items for recycling such as aluminum cans and Christmas tree lights
- Loose change to contribute to PAWC operating fund
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TLC Month: Please bring can goods or other non-perishable food items or monetary donations.

Checks should be made out to PAWC. Thanks for your generous support of TLC Food Pantry.

## Jewelry & Accessories Bazaar

Thursday, May 2, 9:30 AM annual fundraiser.

This event has been postponed until May.

Clean out your jewelry box and closet for accessories, purses, hats, scarves, etc.

We'll gather your treasure in March or you can drop them off anytime at Irene's home-12765

## Possum Facts

The average lifespan in the wild is 1-2 years. When threatened, these animals will "play possum".

Opossums are opportunistic omnivores that eat a wide variety of animal and plant matter. While they're mainly scavengers, feeding on dead animals and plant matter, they also love insects and occasionally hunt small animals like chicks and snakes.

They are nocturnal, active mainly after dark.

They give birth to two litters of 4-8 young (joeys) a year. The gestation period is about 13 days, after which time the joeys are born and must immediately claim one of the 13 nipples inside the mother's pouch. They remain in the pouch for about 50 days, after which time they begin to exit and spend time on their mother's back.

## THANKS

Thank you Leesha Cahill for making the potted planters near the guardhouse look so beautiful! Leesha planted evergreens and flowering plants to brighten up the area. Both sides look great, and the yellow flowers on the outbound side are wonderful.



## Valentine's Day Traditions

Valentine's Day originated as a Western Christian feast day honoring one or two early saints named Valentinus. Valentine's Day is recognized as a significant cultural, religious, and commercial celebration of romance and romantic love in many regions around the world, although it is not a public holiday in any country. The day first became associated with romantic love with the circle of Geoffrey Chaucer in the 14th century. It evolved into an occasion in which lovers expressed their love for each other by presenting flowers, offering confectionery, and sending greeting cards. Valentine's Day symbols that are used today include the heart-shaped outline, doves and the figure of the winged Cupid. Since the 19th century, handwritten valentines have given way to mass-produced greeting cards. In Europe, Saint Valentine's Keys are given to lovers "as a romantic symbol and an invitation to unlock the giver's heart?", as well as to children, in order to ward off epilepsy (called Saint Valentine's Malady).

So send someone you love a little Valentine greeting.

## POA NEWS

The Discount for the POA Assessment dues for 2019, ended January 31. If you choose to pay the POA Annual Assessment monthly, monthly payments are due on the first of every month.

2019 POA Assessments (including boat slips and dry storage spaces) were due by January 31, 2019. If you are paying your POA assessment monthly, monthly payments are due on the 1st of every month and the first monthly payment was due January 1st. If you have not paid your boat slip or dry storage space, please pay immediately or remove your property from the area no later than February 28, 2019.

Reminder to all Boat Slip owners -Check on your boats periodically to see if they are tied up well or need rainwater removed.

Reminder to All Dry Storage spots to please clean up, remove any debris and make sure you are assigned in your spot.

Our office hours are Monday-Friday, 8am-4pm.

On the 2nd Thursday of the month, our office hours are 8am, -6pm, closed for lunch from 12-1:30pm.

2019 Annual Meeting of Members (Elections for Open Board Positions and ACC Position) is Saturday, April 27, 2019, 10 AM at the Community Center. There are three Open Board positions and one ACC position. Applications for these positions will be available in the POA Office Thursday, February 14, 2019. The deadline for applications to be turned back in to the POA Office is midnight on Monday, March 18, 2019.

Janis Cain, Property Manager

And

Susan Hamelin

Administrative Assistant

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# PALS

## WELCOME TO THE LAKE

Ryan & Alisha Hammons  
Enrique & Ilda Rupert

14341 S. Summerchase Circle  
14339 N. Summerchase Circle

PALS welcomes all new residents with a Resident Directory. If we show no Phone listing for you or your number has changed, send an e-mail to [effie.wheeler@yahoo.com](mailto:effie.wheeler@yahoo.com) with the new information.

## Point Aquarius Women's Club Recycle Project

### SAVE:

- Aluminum cans (packed separately pie pans, aluminum foil, etc.) **NO tin cans such as cat food, veggie or soup cans**
- Christmas Tree lights
- Copper wiring

### MONIES COLLECTED SUPPORT:

- Newsletter
- PAWC Scholarships
- Montgomery County Women's Center & other charities

**Deliver recycle items to 12765 Antares or call Irene for pick up 936-890-6819.**

### NEWSLETTER VIA E-MAIL

To receive the Newsletter via e-mail in PDF format, call 936-890-5070 or e-mail the editor at [effie.wheeler@yahoo.com](mailto:effie.wheeler@yahoo.com). This helps save money on ink and paper. Then you'll be able to enlarge the print to any size you need to make it easier for you to read.



### BOOK CLUB

Next meeting is February 12, 10 AM at the Community Center. The book is "Educated" by Tara Westover. Bring a dish to share.

Mary Ellen Saltsman  
832-764-0303

### Heavy Trash Pick Up February 27

Every fourth **Wednesday** of the month. Tree trimmings and/or fallen limbs must be cut in 4' lengths. Bundles must not weigh more than 50 lbs. Items must be on your property, not on vacant lots.

Thanks For Your  
Directory Ad

**Bradbury Brothers**  
**Cooling, Heating, Plumbin**  
936-271-2030

### MARQUEE POSTINGS

We request that birthday & anniversary postings be only for significant years.

To post messages on the marquee, send your requests two weeks in advance to avoid posting conflicts. Send to:

[pamarquee@gmail.com](mailto:pamarquee@gmail.com)

### FEBRUARY EVENTS

EVENT	DATE	TIME	LOCATION	CONTACT	NUMBER
Book Club	February 12	10 AM	Community Center	Mary Ellen Saltsman	832-764-0303
Bridge (Beginners)	Every Monday	9:30 AM	Community Center	Karen Ward	936-856-0530
Bridge (Partners)	3rd Thursday	1 PM	Community Center	Valarie Collins	936-856-3092
Bridge (Singles)	2nd Thursday	1:00 PM	Community Center	Valarie Collins	936-856-3092
Crafts	Every Wednesday	10 AM	Community Center	Carol Lorch	936-890-6508
Exercise	Every Mon,Tu,Th,Fr	7:30 AM	Community Center	Lyn Shah	281-250-6775
Heavy Trash	February 27				
MUD Meeting	3rd Tuesday	5 PM	MUD Building	Marvin Knoll	936-856-6775
PAWC Bunco	February 18	2 PM	Community Center	Irene Mayen	936-890-6819
PAWC Meeting	February 7	9:30 AM	Community Center	Irene Mayen	936-890-6819
POA Board	February 14	6:30 PM	Community Center	Susan Hamelin	936-856-4927

### NEWSLETTER ADS

Business card size ads are

\$40 for one month

\$200 for 6 months

\$400 for 1 year

Contact Effie Wheeler for placing an ads.

### NEXT POA MEETING

Thursday, February 14

6:30 PM

Community Center

All property owners are welcome to attend.



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