

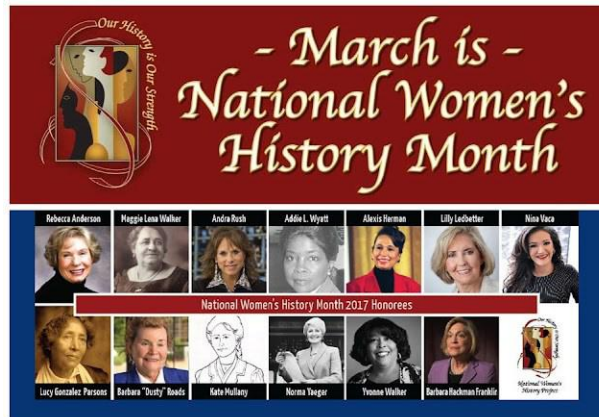
# DELRAY VILLAS REC. NEWS

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**REC. BOARD MEETING TUESDAY MARCH 4, 2025**

**7pm in Viking Room**

**\*\*\* NEW DAY\*\*\***

# OFFICERS, BOARD MEMBERS, AND COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENT

## RECREATION BOARD

### OFFICERS

President: Camille Montemurno 561-239-6844  
 Vice Pres: Michael Goodman 703-965-3891  
 Secretary: Lynne Cohen 201-314-6537  
 Treasurer: Howard Appel 201-926-1060  
 Joann Albertson 561-865-9158

### COMMITTEES ( \* indicates non-board members)

Gym: Marc Cafiero  
 Pool: \*Ritter/Marc  
 Activity Ctr:  
 Landscaping: Michael Goodman 703-965-3891  
 Lost & Found Tom Clark 347-728-4037  
 Library: Linda Montgomery \* 561-270-7880  
 Alliance Iris Schnell 929-336-8286  
 Entertainment: By Committee  
 Tickets: Tom Clark 347-728-4037  
 Alan Rossman \* 561-901-3002

Flyers &  
 Posters: Joann Albertson 561-865-9158  
 Seminars Camille Montemurno 561-239-6844  
 Event  
 Coordinator Rick Mancini 917-865-6563  
 A/C: Ritter \* On Site  
[ritter@delrayvillasrec.com](mailto:ritter@delrayvillasrec.com)  
 Camille: after hours 561-239-6844  
 Web Master, Zoom, Sound & Video:  
 Alan Shwartz\* 561-376-4040

[alan@delrayvillasrec.com](mailto:alan@delrayvillasrec.com)

### DIRECTORS

#### Plat 1

Anita Mitchell-Shelton 202-277-8790  
 Tom Clark 347-728-4037  
 Roger Delgaiso 561-916-9643

#### Plat 2

Arleen Kessler 631-629-9044  
 Howard Appel 201-926-1060  
 Michael Goodman 703-965-3891

#### Plat 3 /

Iris Schnell 929-336-8286  
 Joann Albertson 561-865-9158

#### Plat 4/5

Camille Montemurno 561-865-9158  
 Lynne Cohen 201-314-6537  
 Marc Cafiero 203-907-9505

**\*\*calendar events** Arleen Kessler 631-629-9044  
 Camille 561-239-6844

### PLAT 1

President: Andrea Shelton 202-567-0013  
 Vice Pres: Ray Adamatis 203-592-7287  
 Treasurer: Marlene Peritzman 561-637-6070  
 Ass't Treas: Ethel Siegel 561-421-2634  
 Secretary: Leah Myers 561-637-6070

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President: Ben D'Errico 201-359-1126  
 Vice Pres: TBA  
 Treasurer: Howard Appel 201-926-1060  
 Rec Sec: Arleen Kessler 631-629-9044  
 Corresp Sec: Linda Downs 516-312-1131

### PLAT

President: Sandra Baranes 561-251-9162  
 Vice Pres: Barbara Quinto 561-504-0191  
 Treasurer: Richard Chrzan 570-470-8531  
 Secretary: Robert Albertson 561-865-9158

### PLAT 4/5

President: Mike Montemurno 954-658-7295  
 Vice Pres: Bill Yesowitch 502-905-7973  
 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

### \*\*\*\*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.

POOL: Mark Cafiero 203-907-9505  
 Ritter

Bob Rubenstein

TENNIS: Camille 561-865-9158

ELECTRICAL: Howie (Chairperson) 201-926-1060  
 Harvey Lazaroff 561-498-8691

LANDSCAPING: Michael Goodman (Chairman)  
 Charles Sanfilippo

## EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBERS: ALL PLATS

**Letter from the President:**

**As I write this letter, this evening I sit here and see how much we have been through as a community. We are blessed to be a family as all the Plats and the Rec Board come together as one center of all things fun.**

**We had two Rec Board members from Plat 1 resign this month, Shelley England, and Shelly Miller. A huge thank you to both of you for all your time and dedication. We will miss you both and most importantly we wish you all the best. We know when you are able you will be back to help. As a community we welcome from Plat 1 Anita Mitchell-Shelton and Roger Delgaiso to our Rec Board of Directors.**

**The After-6 Club has decided to close their social club meetings and events. The After-6 Club gave their members immense joy for 20 years and we are all sad to see them shut down. Thank you to the past and the current Board of Directors for the fun and the memories. We appreciate all your time and dedication, and we will always cherish the memories.**

**On January 29th, the Rec Board had the honor of meeting with the Executive Boards of all 4 Plats. We discussed how as a team we needed to achieve our goals, and have open communication, and work together, not only the Rec Board and the Plats, but Plat to Plat also. What a long, knowledgeable, and respectful session we had. We agreed to meet every other month to continue brainstorming and ensuring your Recreation Center is the center of all things fun.**

**We are proud to say we have implemented many ideas, and have committee sign up sheets in the Card Room in the "B" building. Please stop in and sign up or let any Board of Director know you want to volunteer or some fun things you want to see us implement.**

**We had some committee meetings already; Entertainment met on Jan. 21<sup>st</sup> and discussed so many super ideas. There will be events at a small cost and events with no cost. The theme is to do things that keep us active and bring us together. More to come in the April Rec News.**

**We are in the process of getting bids for the areas that need repairs at the Rec Center. More information and discussion in the coming months. Please come to our meetings the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of each month @ 7pm.**

**If you see a Rec Board representative, please stop, and talk to any one of us, we would love to talk about all things Rec.**

**Fondly,  
Camille Montemurno, President  
Delray Villas Recreation Association**

PEOPLE HELPING PEOPLE - AN INTEGRITY MARKETING PARTNER

# What Does Your Future Look Like In The Upcoming Years?

Smart Choices Today Shape Your Tomorrow

A Free-Educational Event With Complimentary Bites & Drinks

**FOR WHO?** For all ages anywhere between 18-65. Or those who are interested in learning more!

**WHEN?**  
Thursday, March 6th  
at 7:00 pm!

**WHERE?**  
The "B" Building  
Viking Room

Join us for a free educational event designed to help you protect your future and maximize your opportunities.

Learn strategies for wealth protection, debt solutions, tax-free options, optimizing retirement planning, 401ks, annuities, and life insurance. Take control of your tomorrow by making informed decisions today!

Please RSVP to help us ensure an accurate headcount for the event.

1. You may call or text: **+1 (561) 997-4051**
2. Or RSVP with the ticket office in the "B" Building Sat/Thurs 10am-12pm

## Delray Villas Recreation

### Has a **BIG WEEKEND** planned!

**WOOHOO!**

**TRIFECTA WEEKEND**

**APRIL 25th TO 27th**

**CHECK OUT THE NEXT  
3 SLIDES TO SEE  
WHAT'S COMING**

**Weekend special! Tickets are  
\$15 pp for Friday OR Saturday event  
BUY tickets for Friday AND Saturday  
For only \$25 pp**

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

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## Delray Villas Recreation

Presents Cover Band

BYOB and Food.  
Dessert & Coffee

Friday April 25<sup>th</sup> at 7pm \$15/pp

# NEVER SAY NEVER



Never Say Never was formed in 2020 during the height of the pandemic. The guys in the band all played in other projects in the South Florida area and decided to get together for some jam sessions. There was immediate chemistry, and jams became rehearsals focusing on 90s rock and pop music. Over time, that expanded to music from the 70s to today.

**ROCK POP AND DANCE COVER BAND**

Please Register In The "B" Building Ticket Office  
Thursday & Saturday 10am to Noon  
Any Questions Call;

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Weekend special! Tickets are \$15 pp for Friday OR Saturday event  
BUY tickets for Friday AND Saturday For only \$25 pp

Delray Villas Recreation Brings You  
**SATURDAY NIGHT PARTY TIME**  
Saturday, April 26, 7pm only \$15pp  
Come on out for a FUN Time!  
DJ Music • Karaoke if you want to...  
BYOB and Food • Dessert & Coffee



Please Register In The "B" Building Ticket Office  
Thursday & Saturday 10am to Noon  
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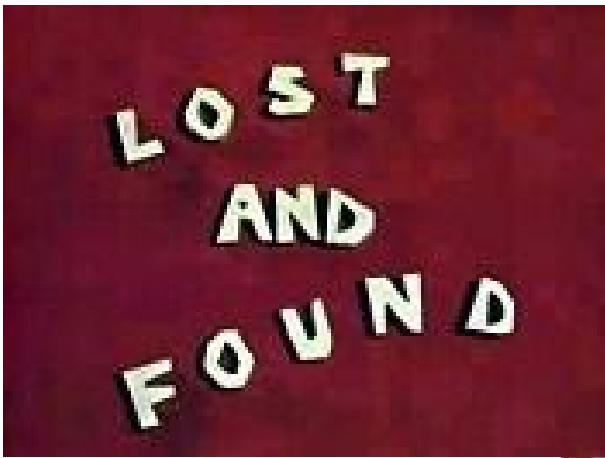
Weekend special! Tickets are \$15 pp for Friday OR Saturday event  
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**A LITTLE OF THIS • A LITTLE OF THAT!**  
**FREE POOL PARTY APRIL 27**  
FROM 11am TILL WHENEVER  
MUSIC, SETUPS AND DESSERT  
BYOB, SNACKS or FOOD



Please Register In The "B" Building Ticket Office  
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*The address FOR OUR WEBSITE IS*

*Delrayvillasrec.com*

**LOST AND FOUND AT THE REC CENTER**

CONTACT . . . Shelle England 502-741-8029



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



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



If you are in need a fob for the Recreation Center  
Call Judy Clemon (Plat 2 & 4) 561-496-0861  
Bob Albertson (Plat 1 & 3) 561-865-9158

COURT LIGHTS: WHAT YOU TURN ON PLEASE TURN OFF WHEN FINISHED.

**Homeowners, please advise your guest to familiarize themselves with the rules at the Pool. They are**

**Please close our umbrellas before leaving.**

**Please put chairs and lounges back where they belong.**

**Please shut lights and fans in building before leaving.**

**Also, please read the new Florida State Pool Rules 2436.**

**THE DVRA BOARD THANKS YOU.**

# MARCH 2025

| Sun   | Mon                               | Tue   | Wed                               | Thu  | Fri                 | Sat                                     |
|---|-----------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|--|---------------------|---|
| 2) 9a Aqua Zumba at Plat 2 Pool                     | 3) 1p Book Club Arts & Craft Room | 4) 6:45 p Men's 9 Ball<br>7p Rec Board Meeting VR | 5) ASH WEDNESDAY<br>8:30a COPS VR | 6) 10a-12p Ticket Office<br>6:45p Men's 9 Ball<br>7p Financial Future Seminar VR | 7) 9a-12p Painting  | 8) 8:30A Yoga<br>10a-12p Ticket Office  |
| 9) DAYLIGHT SAVINGS<br>9a Aqua Zumba at Plat 2 Pool | 10) 7:30p Plat 3 Board Mtg VR     | 11) 6:45P Men's 9 Ball<br>7:30p 4/5 Board Mtg/ VR | 12) 7p Plat 1 Board Mtg VR        | 13) 10a-12p Ticket Office<br>6:45p Men's 9 Ball<br>7:30p Plat 2 Board Mtg        | 14) 9a-12p Painting | 15) 8:30A Yoga<br>10a-12p Ticket Office |
| 16) 9a Aqua Zumba at Plat 2 Pool                    | 17)                               | 18) 6:45 Men's 9 Ball                             | 19)                               | 20) 10a-12p Ticket Office<br>76:45p Men's 9 Ball                                 | 21) 9a-12p Painting | 22) 8:30a Yoga<br>10a-12p Ticket Office |
| 7p DJ/Karaoke A                                     |                                   |   |                                   |  |                     |   |
| 23) 9a Aqua Zumba at Plat 2 Pool                    | 24)                               | 25) 6:45 Men's 9 Ball                             | 26)                               | 27) 10a-12p Ticket Office<br>6:45 Men's 9 Ball                                   | 28) 9a-12p Painting | 29) 9am Yoga<br>10a-12p Ticket Office   |
| 30) 9a Aqua Zumba at Plat 2 Pool                    | 31)                               |   |                                   |  |                     |   |

**Any issues in buildings, A,B,C, gym or tennis area please contact any board member, or email Ritter at: [ritter@delrayvillasrec.com](mailto:ritter@delrayvillasrec.com).**



**CALLING ALL POOL PLAYERS!**

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

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

**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 STEVE SAUNDERS 561-706-2836**

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



**YOGA**

**For the Young at Heart**

**Stretching**

**Meditation**

**Strength training**

**Saturday Mornings 10 am \$8.00/class**

**Join us in Peaceful Physical Fitness**

**For information contact Fran Rubenstein 201-739-2223**



This article appeared in the 4/5 Plat Chat. Now the rest of the community can read about Steve Saunders, an 88 year old DV Plat 4/5 resident "pool shark".

Our friend and neighbor, Steve Saunders has been playing in the DVRA men billiards league, now called the Rich Kriz Mer's Billiards League for about 10 years.

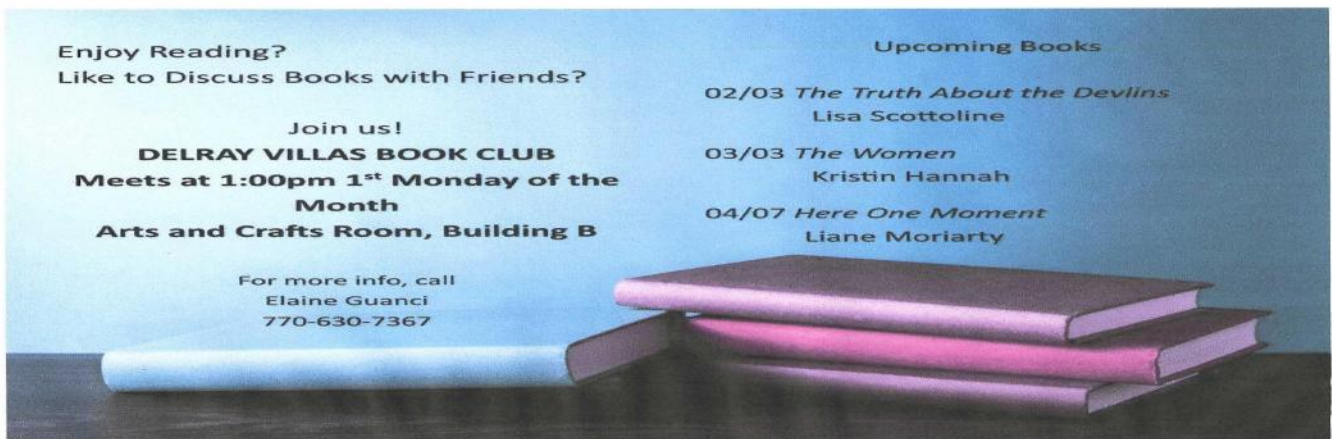
Steve grew up in the Bronx, NY shooting pool. After he got out of the military, where he didn't shoot pool, he became a policeman. After raising his family and retiring to Florida did he pick up a pool stick in Delray Villas.

He seems to be getting better with age, which is pretty special. Also amazing is that after ot shooting pool for over 40 years, he picked it up likie it was second nature.

Some people have a G-d given talent to shoot pool well. He obviously is one of the people. We are honoring him with this article because on Thursday, Jan 9th, Steve won all 10 out of 10 games played.

In the last game he made the 9 ball on a combination, hitting the cue ball into the 6 ball so it went into the far left corner and after hitting the 6 ball the cue ball went into the 9 ball knocking the 9 ball in the left side pocket, winning the game.

Submitted by Sam Fleishman



Enjoy Reading?  
Like to Discuss Books with Friends?

Join us!  
**DELRAY VILLAS BOOK CLUB**  
Meets at 1:00pm 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of the  
Month  
Arts and Crafts Room, Building B

For more info, call  
Elaine Guanci  
770-630-7367

Upcoming Books

02/03 *The Truth About the Devils*  
Lisa Scottoline

03/03 *The Women*  
Kristin Hannah

04/07 *Here One Moment*  
Liane Moriarty



**DELRAY VILLAS RECREATION ASSOCIATION  
WILL BE HOSTING FREE SEMINARS  
IN THE COMING MONTHS**

SOME OF THE TOPICS ARE...

- ❖ **ESTATE PLANNING**
- ❖ **CREMATION AND BURIAL OPTIONS**
- ❖ **MUSIC THERAPY**
- ❖ **HEARING SEMINAR WITH ABILITY FOR FREE TESTING**
- ❖ **ALZHEIMER SEMINAR WITH ABILITY FOR FREE TESTING**

**LET US KNOW IF THERE ARE ANY OTHER SEMINARS YOU WOULD LIKE US TO ARRANGE**

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Any Questions Call;  
Lynne Cohen 201-314-6537



To ALL our neighbors, Please join us for Aqua Zumba at our plat 2 pool Sunday, 9am..  
Classes are \$8.00. All Welcome.



## WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

### SUNDAY

9 am Aqua Zumba Plat 2 Pool  
(Weather permitted) **Andy Presser** 914-374-6649

### MONDAY

9:00 am Shuffleboard Available **OPEN**  
1p (1st Monday of month) Book Club **Elaine Guanci** 770-630-7367  
7:00 p Pickleball Available **Marlene Mirsky** 617-673-7830

### TUESDAY

9:00 a Shuffleboard Available **OPEN**  
9:30 a Bocce Ball **Paul Mirsky** 917-684-9115  
6:45p Men's 9 Ball **Carl Malysz** 502-939-3577  
7:00 p Pickleball Available **Marlene Mirsky** 917-673-7830  
7:00 p Single Mingle **Judy LaCorte** 201-788-3433

### WEDNESDAY

9:00 a Shuffleboard Available **OPEN**  
9:00a (1st Wed/month) COPS **Capt. Lloyd Lukens** 561-251-3616  
7:00 p Pickleball Available **Marlene Mirsky** 917-673-7830

### THURSDAY

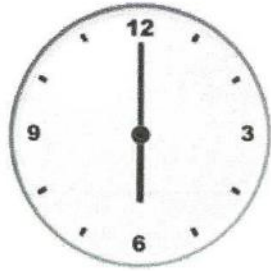
9:30 a-12:30 p Arts & Crafts TEXT ONLY **Kathe Helbig** 734-281-0543  
9:30 a Bocce Ball **Paul Mirsky** 917-684-9115  
10a-12p Ticket Office Open in Card Rm **Lynne Cohen** 201-314-6537  
**Alan Rossman** 561-901-3002  
6:45p Men's 9 Ball **Sam Fleishman** 410-493-7842  
7p Pickleball **Marlene Mirsky** 917-673-7830

### FRIDAY

9:00 a Shuffle ball Available **OPEN**  
9:00 am-12:00 pm Paint Class **Karen Scotti** 561-251-6785  
7:00 pm Pickleball Available **Marlene Mirsky** 917-673-7830

### SATURDAY

10a-11a Yoga VR **Fran Rubenstein** 201-739-2223  
10a-12p Ticket Office Open in Card Rm **Tom Clark** 347-728-4037  
**Alan Rossman** 561-901-3002



I'm sure that most people know that the After 6 Social Club has been closed down. It's been 19 years of sending donations to multiple worthy Charities like, MS, Wounded Warriors, Shriners, St Jude, Stand-down House, and Make a Wish. Well over \$37,000 has been donated.

Besides being a charity club, we did some great things for our members. Thanks to Linda Solomon and Bonnie Siegel, many shows were performed by our members to sold out houses. It's time to have new beginnings.

Our last event was the Russ Mayer Annual Classic Auto Show. A \$2000 donation went to Standdown House.



\*\*\*SPECIAL\*\*\* Get 1 on 1 FREE painting lessons. Only 2 weeks available: 3/28 and 4/4.\*\*\*

**EDITOR: Patti Lazaroff**

**ASSISTANT EDITOR: Alan Rossman**