# Chelsea Woods

## of TUSCAWILLA HOA community News

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## PRESIDENT'S Message

The annual meeting of Chelsea Woods of Tuscawilla HOA was held in February. Thanks to those of you who attended the annual meeting. I welcome Jennifer Hoffman and Luis Rios to the board. Jennifer and her family are newcomers to the community, having moved here within the past year. Luis is a long time resident and has prior experience on the board in various roles, including president. On behalf of the board and the community I thank Bruce Lieske and John Stoudt, who are leaving the board, for their service to the community.

Beulah Ali-Carr has volunteered to help coordinate the generation of the Chelsea Woods newsletters. We appreciate her offer of service and welcome her help.

Note that there will be a Chelsea Woods community yard sale April 30. Also, this year we plan to do some repairs and upgrades in a few areas, including electrical, lighting, and irrigation. See details on the respective items later in the newsletter.

Happy Easter, Chris Waquespack



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#### **Chelsea Woods HOA Annual Meeting**

The annual meeting of Chelsea Woods of Tuscawilla HOA was held on February 8. There were 21 people present and 14 represented by proxy. Board members provided information about the activities and events that occurred during the previous year that covered welcoming newcomers, beautification, email distribution and content, newsletters, community events (yard sale, Halloween parade), and other miscellaneous items.

The proposed 2011 budget was presented, discussed, and adopted. We elected two new board members, Jennifer Hoffman and Luis Rios to fill open board positions due to John Stoudt completing his term and Bruce Lieske completing his term and more.

Draft minutes of the annual meeting are posted on the Chelsea Woods website (www.chelseawoods.com). Click on Meetings, then Past Meetings.

## **Important Phone Numbers**

City Hall City Information Line Job Line Parks and Recreation Information Police Information (non-emergency) Public Works/Utilities Emergencies Seminole County Animal Services (complaints/dispatch) Utility/Water Billing Information Utility/Water Payment Information Waste Collection/Recycling (Waste Pro)

407-327-1800 407-327-7594 407-327-7595 407-327-6599 407-327-1000 407-327-2669 407-665-5110 407-327-5996 407-327-5953 407-774-0800





## Community Yard Sale!

Chelsea Woods will hold a community yard sale event this year on April 30th from 8:00 am to 2:00 pm.

The HOA board will obtain the necessary permit for all residences in the community as well as place advertisements for more exposure.

If you can postpone any individual yard sales and participate in the community yard sale, it would help benefit everyone!

## **Beautification/ Maintenance:**

During the next few months, near the Vistawilla end of Seneca, we will:

- 1) Replace the vandalized metal bench by the pond with a painted concrete bench.
- 2) Replace the rusted electrical control box.
- 3) Upgrade the landscape lighting fixtures by the palm trees.
- 4) Add a sprinkler zone for more efficient water use.

We will also mulch the planting areas at both ends of Seneca Boulevard.





## Board Members Needed

If you are interested in helping out your community, your HOA needs your help. No special qualifications are required other than a genuine desire to help preserve the quality of our community and the values of our homes. Each Board Member serves a three-year term. Meetings generally last no more than an hour and a half and take place seven to nine times a year. Please contact any of the current board members if you are interested in being a member of the board.





#### Stray Animals:

Chelsea Woods has experienced a few dogs roaming the neighborhood without leashes that may pose a danger, especially to small children and other animals. Seminole County has a leash law for domestic animals. To report a stray animal please call Seminole County Animals Services:

Dispatcher- 407-665-5110

General Services (normal hours) 407-665- 5201

After hours, Sundays and Holidays (same as Dispatcher) 407-665-5110

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#### **Chelsea Woods Real Estate Listings**

<u>Active:</u> 669 Lamoka Ct 653 Cayuga Ct 708 Conesus Ln 676 Oneida Ln 658 Saranac Dr	4 bedroom 5 bedroom 4 bedroom	<ul> <li>2.5 bath pool home with 2756 sq ft.</li> <li>2.5 bath pool home with 2791 sq. ft</li> <li>3.5 bath pool home with 3632 sq. ft.</li> <li>3 bath pool home with 2536 sq. ft.</li> <li>2.5 bath pool home with 2871 sq. ft.</li> </ul>	\$320,000 \$340,000 \$400,000 \$349,900 \$335,000			
641 Saranac Dr	4 bedroom	2.5 bath pool home with 2548 sq. ft.	\$299,700			
<u>Sale Pending:</u> 708 Canadice Ln	4 bedroom	2.5 bath pool home with 3084 sq. ft.	\$400,000			
<u>Recently Sold:</u> 1728 Seneca Blvd	4 bedroom	3 bath pool home with 2816 sq. ft.	<b>\$365,00</b> 0	Dec 20, 2010		
Now is a good time to sell your home if you are replacing it with another home. Although home prices are down in Chelsea Woods, the replacement home price will also be low and interest rates are very reasonable. Homes are still selling and the overall Tuscawilla Inventory of homes has decreased. If you or anyone you know is behind on mortgage payments or struggling to make them, please consult your Realtor about the many options available. Foreclosure is usually the worst choice!						
Information provided by Kim Coburn Realtor with RE/MAX Town and Country and Chelsea Woods Board member.						

### Missing Newspapers? .....

Several people in the community have indicated that occasionally their Sentinel newspaper is missing. If you have had this occur to you, please send an email to <u>chelseawoodshoa@hotmail.com</u> or call Chris Waguespack (407 365-4537) and provide relevant information such as when it last occurred and the frequency of occurrence.

## E-mail Distribution

If you are not receiving e-mail from CWHOA and wou d like to please send your e- ail address o <u>c</u> <u>elseawoodshoa@hotmai.com</u>. We would like to be able to reach everyone in the neighborhood who has e-mail access when important infor ation needs to be distr uted.

## Watering Lawns

Watering Lawns Is Allowed Twice-A-Week during the Spring/Summer Months. As of the second Sunday in March, irrigation of lawns may be done *twice* weekly. Follow the rules for the allowable days of the week to irrigate based on the house number (Odd numbered addresses are allowed to water on Wednesday and Saturday. Even numbered Addresses are allowed to water on Thursday and Sunday.)

*No watering is permitted between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.* For more information, water saving tips and/or an explanation of violation reporting and fines go to <u>www.sjrwmd.com</u>.

Also, questions can be addressed to Winter Springs Police Code Enforcement at 407 -327 -1000.

### The City of Winter Springs Offers Two Free Subscription Services:

**eAlerts** with information about police and crime matters and **eCitizen** with general information for Winter Springs citizens. Signup for each of these services is quick and easy. Simply visit the city website at <u>www.winterspringsfl.org</u> and go to the Online Services section.









## Chelsea Woods Board 2011

Name	Role	Telephone
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Sue Beveridge	Treasurer	407 365-7447
Matt Gibbons	Secretary, Email Backup	407 366-2853
Kim Coburn	Welcome / Social	
Scott Harden	Email, Deed Restrictions Backup	407 435-8566
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Wally White	Beautification	407 365-1382
Jennifer Hoffman	Secretary Backup, Newsletter support	

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