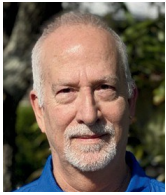
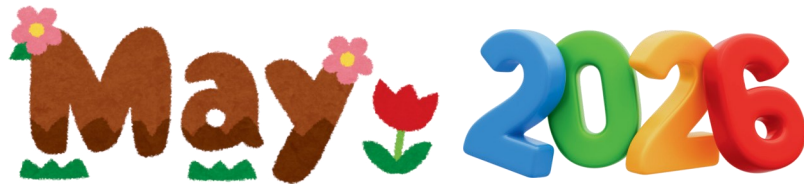


HIGH POINT MATTERS



From your President,
Greg K. Myers



Greetings to Everyone....

Attention Golf Cart users, please visit the office if you don't have your current golf cart registration. Our numbering system requirements have changed and if you have not gotten your new golf cart registration numbers, then you need to come and visit us at the office. Thank You to those of our golf cart users who have already done so.

We are having our monthly "Dues Day" coming up on Wednesday, May 6, 2026, from 9am to 10am. Come meet your CAM, Bill Rutledge and enjoy some coffee and donuts. Dues payments will also be accepted at this event. Remember, monthly dues are \$46 for improved and \$24 for unimproved properties.

Our July 4th Committee is hard at work organizing for the upcoming events. Come join in as we need more volunteers to help with various tasks. Our next meeting will be coming up soon so stop by the office for the date and time. Come be part of the excitement as we celebrate our Country's 250th anniversary! Registration forms for the parade are also available at the High Point office.

Our office team has been working hard getting our past due assessment notices out to our residents and we have had a very positive response from our residents that needed the gentle reminder. Thank You to those residents for bringing your accounts current.

Remember, we are under water restrictions until our rainy season starts. Make yourself aware of the new rules so you are not fined. More information can be found at www.hernandocounty.us or contact the High Point office.

Our next Board of Directors meeting will be on Tuesday, May 26, 2026, at 9 a.m. in the Community Center. Our newly designed website at <https://www.highpointbrooksville.net> will contain the current version of our By Laws, CCR's and Rules & Regulations and much more for your access.

**In closing, Thank You for helping to make High Point a great place to live and play!
Until next time, enjoy the nice weather as we prepare for Summer**

April Pool Hours

Pool Phone: 352-596-4342

Mon - Sat

8:00 am - 8:00 pm

Sun

10:00 am - 8:00 pm

Water Aerobics

Mon~Wed~Thu

10:30 am - 11:30 am



High Point Community
Property Owners, Inc.

8008 Baltic Street
Brooksville, FL 34613-5528

Phone: 352-596-2397

Fax: 352-596-5201

www.highpointbrooksville.net

High Point is a
55+ Golf Community

High Point Lions Club Donation Drive
HOPE FOR HERNANDO'S CHILDREN



Needed **NEW** Clothing Items Include:

Girls & Boys Shorts Or Pants {Sizes 4-12}

Girls & Boys T-Shirts Or Polos {Sizes 4-12}

{Solid Colored Garments Are Preferred}

Girls & Boys Undergarments/Socks {All Sizes}

**Students Are Allowed To Wear Blue Jean Shorts Or
Pants; However, They Cannot Have Rips Or Tears.*

Toiletry Items Include:

Shampoo, Conditioner, BodyWash, Soap,
Toothbrushes/Toothpaste {Children & Regular},
Towels, Blankets



Thank You!

Any Donations Are Greatly Appreciated!

Please Place Items In The Designated Box



High Point Mobile Patrol

Hello everyone, Happy Mother Day to all our mothers out there. As you know High Point Mobile Patrol fund raiser started several months ago. I would like to personally thank our community for their heart-felt generosity, I really enjoyed all the notes and letters of praise sent in with individual donations. I would personally like to commend our High Point Mobile Patrol Board, Vice President Darrell Beaulieu, Treasurer Mary Lou Thompson, Secretary Peggy Straitiff, Membership and Technical Advisor Elaine Summers, Special Project Advisor Mikki Snyder and Sunshine Project Coordinator Jo Ann Keagen for a job well done during our fund drive. Business is as usual for the month of April; all is quiet around High Point as our snowbirds have started their travels home. Mobile Patrol wishes you a safe and healthy summer and fall I will be attending the Hernando County Sheriff's Quarterly Crime Watch Leadership Meeting on June 2nd, 2026. I will have a Crime Watch report in the next High Point Matters newsletter. Stay safe everyone, continue to locking it up and lighting it up. Our next meeting we be one week earlier due to Memorial Day Holiday, I hope to see you all on May 18th, 2026, at 7pm.

High Point Mat

Thank you.

Rob Myers

President Highpoint Mobile Patrol



BUNCO BUDDIES

Sponsored by High Point Lions

High Point Community Center
12249 Club House Rd., Brooksville, FL



Thursday, May 21, 2026

1:00 – 4:00 PM

\$10.00 Donation

100% of donations returned to winning players.



We Serve

There will be a 50/50 drawing!!

Register at Dime Jingle or call Lion Leslie Duncan (352) 428-7904 and please leave a message to reserve your seat!!



High Point Lions Club

Bingo 6 - 8 PM



Packet of 10 games - \$5.00 donation

Extra game packets are available at the door!

Prizes will be gift cards!

Share the Wealth!

Doors open at 5:15pm
Games begin at 6:00pm

Monday
May 11, 2026

High Point Community
Center

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HIGH POINT LIONS CLUB HOSTS

Evening Dime Jingle

Saturday, May 30, 2026

Bring your own picnic
supper!
BYOB



Doors open at 5:00 PM

High Point Community Center
Games start at 6:00PM

ART CLUB CANCELED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE!

SORRY FOR ANY INCONVENIENCE



High Point Golf Club News

May



We enter May in a dry spell when it comes to the weather, but not in terms of things to do at the golf club!!
If you haven't yet become a social member, stop by the Clubhouse Office and join in on the fun!!!

Regular Events

Tuesdays – Taco Tuesdays and Music Bingo will be on select dates in May to be announced. Tacos are served from 4:00-6:00 pm and non-members can enjoy our tacos through our café carry-out option

Thursdays – Karaoke is from 5:00-9:00 with our bar menu available from the café and drinks flowing from the bar. We hope to see you there to sing, dance, or just enjoy the company of friends and neighbors!

Friday – Friday Night Dinners continue every Friday night in May from 4:00-6:00 pm with the café regular menu available before our regular Friday night events. Carry-out meals are also an option for non-members.

Friday - Show Me the Money is played from 6:30-7:30. Come early and grab a seat and beverage because the crowd gets big and the bigger the crowd, the bigger the prizes!!

Friday - Queen of Hearts drawing occurs at 6:00. Tickets for the Queen are available in the Clubhouse lobby throughout the week and the night of the drawing until 5:30. You must be a golf club or social member to participate.

Saturday & Sunday – the Clubhouse bar continues to be open on select Saturdays from Noon-3:00 and Sundays 1:00-5:00. Whether there's music playing, the TVs are on with sporting events, or you're in the back Par-Tee room playing a friendly round of Wii bowling or other sports games, the Clubhouse is a great way to spend a leisurely weekend afternoon.

Also, don't forget that ANY resident of the community is welcome to use the **Driving Range and Putting Green**. Range balls are available in the Pro Shop or Clubhouse vestibule for \$3.00 a bucket.

Where can I find more information? You can find us on the Internet: www.hpgolf.org. By visiting one of our Facebook pages: search for High Point Golf Club or High Point Golf Club Café..... or you can send an email to hpgcemail@gmail.com or call 352-596-0833 and leave a message. Don't forget the Clubhouse is also available for private party rentals so if interested, leave a message through one of our contacts or with the Pro Shop or Bar.



Landscaping Tips - May 2026

By Tom Anderson, Univ. of Florida Master Gardener

“**Summer Plants, Bulbs and Perennials, Pests, Herbs, Vegetables, , Oleander Caterpillars, Free Gardening/Landscaping Assistance, and HP Beauty Spot of the Month of May 2026 Winner**”

“We can complain because Rose bushes have thorns or rejoice because thorn bushes have Roses.” – Abe Lincoln

According to the University of Florida Service Extension, Plants tolerating our heat are salvia, Angelonia, wax begonia, coleus, and kalanchoe. See: *Annuals* – http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic_annual_landscape_plants

May is a suitable time to divide clumps of **Bulbs**, ornamental grasses, and herbaceous **Perennials** to expand or rejuvenate garden beds. They can also be shared with friends for their gardens. *Bulbs for Florida:*

http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic_bulbous_flowers & *Perennial landscape plants:*

http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic_perennials

Watch out for **Pests like thrips, scale, mites, and mealy bugs** on your ornamental plants because they become more active in warm weather. They can easily be treated with horticultural oils/soaps or neem oil. See:

Landscape Pest Management – http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic_landscaping_peats

Southern **Vegetables** to plant now include southern pea, sweet potato, beans, cantaloupe, and okra. See: *Florida Vegetable Gardening* – http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic_vegetables_gardening

Oleanders with chewed or ragged leaves are caused by Oleander Caterpillars. The bright orange caterpillars with black hair can strip all the leaves off a plant. Caterpillars can be relocated to protect the colorful “Polka Dot Wasp Moth” or chemically treated with “**BT**” *Bacillus thuringiensis*. See: *Oleander Pest Management* – http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic_oleander_ipm

The Master Gardener Nursery is open 8:30 – 12, Wed & Sat (weather permitting) for sales (cash or check only) & assistance/questions. Oliver Street is East off US 41, just North of the Hernando County Fair Grounds. UF/IFAS Extension Office, Hernando Cty, 16110 Aviation Loop Dr. (off Spring Hill Dr.) is open and Master Gardeners are available for gardening questions 9 –4 or call 352-754-4433. Webinar classes are available. More info at: <http://hernandoextension.com>



High Point Beauty Spot Winner for May 2026
Congratulations: Phil and Norma Clapp
7541 Western Circle Drive

The next High Point Garden Club meeting will be on Thursday, September 17th at High Point Community Center when we will hand out **Tomato** Plants for the Annual **Tomato** Contest. **No Summer Meetings.**



May 1st—International Space Day.... This is a day dedicated to those who love "All things Space"! Originally started to encourage youth in Math & Science, it now appeals to all those curious about & interested in outer space...all ages!



May 5th—Cinco de Mayo Day....A Mexican holiday, now widely celebrated in the US. It is more than just 1 holiday, but has come to signify the Hispanic/Mexican rich culture

May 8th—Military Spouse Day.... This is a day set aside to Honor & Celebrate Military spouses & their contribution to the morale of our communities & well-being of our military. Never underestimate their dedication & love of family & country.

May 10th —Mothers' Day... This day celebrates Mothers. *it's all about Mom's!* Mom's are our strongest supporters & they see only the good in us.... And no one can comfort us like our Mom....the first Mothers' Day was in Philadelphia in 1908!

May 15th—National Slider Day.... White Castle restaurant created this holiday & it could be your lucky day. Created in 1921 it was a 2 inch square burger. On May 15th White Castle gives away FREE sliders (if you don't have 1 near you maybe another burger joint will honor the symbolism!!)



May 16th—Armed Forces Day.... This is a day to salute all the men & women in all branches of the military who protect our country. They are often called upon to perform elaborate/risky operations to keep us safe! They train diligently to be physically & mentally to be prepared for any mission.

May 21st—National Waiter/Waitress Day.... This is a day set aside to recognize the value & importance of a good waiter/waitress. When you eat out, the waitress is often "the face" of the restaurant. You already recognize them with your tip...it should be commensurate with their service.



May 22nd —National Maritime Day.... This day celebrates the maritime industry which has supported our maritime interests in peace & war, they have supported the maritime need in both peace and war. During WWII Merchant Marines moved military personnel, arms, equipment & supplies.



May 25th - Memorial Day.... For many, this means a day off, a cookout, etc...but in reality this holiday is a remembrance / commemoration of military who lost their lives in service to our country. Originally called Decoration Day—it was for decorating the graves of those who died during Civil War... After WWII, it's



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| 5/3 | 8:30AM | HPSE MEMBERSHIP MEETING |
| 5/7 | 10:30 AM | VETERANS & FRIENDS ASSOC. MEETING |
| 5/8 | 8:15 AM | DIABETIC SCREENING |
| 5/11 | 6PM | LIONS BINGO |
| 5/14 | 11 AM | TRAVEL CLUB MEETING |
| 5/14 | 7PM | LIONS MEETING |
| 5/16 | 7PM | HPSE DANCE - SILVER TONES BAND |
| 5/23 | 6PM | HPSE KARAOKE |
| 5/25 | | MEMORIAL DAY OFFICE CLOSED |
| 5/25 | 10AM | MEMORIAL DAY CELEBRATION |
| 5/26 | 9AM | BOD MEETING |
| 5/28 | 11 AM | TRAVEL CLUB MEETING |
| 5/30 | 6PM | LIONS DIME JINGLE |

Buy your tickets from the Club or Dime Jingle from 8:30 AM to 9:30 AM.
NO MEMBERSHIPS for any club s are sold at the office. Thank You.



Memorial Day

REMEMBER AND HONOR



Monthly Meetings & Sponsored Events

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| 3 9am Bible Study 10:15am Worship Service 12:30pm Texas Hold'em 1pm Dominos 6pm Euchre | 4 10:15am Quilting | 5 10:30am Computer 11:45am Mah Jongg | 6 8:30am Dues Day 10:15am Quilting 5:30pm Poker 6pm Various Cards & Cribbage | 7 10:30am Veterans Mtg | 8 8:15am Breakfast 9:30am Dime Jingle | 9 8:15am Diabetic Screen 8:15am Breakfast 9:30am Dime Jingle |
| 10 Happy Mother's Day 10 9am Bible Study 10:15am Worship Service 12:30pm Texas Hold'em 1pm Dominos 6pm Euchre | 11 10:15am Quilting 6pm Lions Bingo | 12 10:30am Computer 11:45am Mah Jongg | 13 10:15am Quilting 5:30pm Poker 6pm Various Cards & Cribbage | 14 11am Travel Mtg 7pm Lions General Mtg | 15 8:15am Breakfast 9:30am Dime Jingle | 16 7pm HPSE Dance |
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| 24 9am Bible Study 10:15am Worship Service 12:30pm Texas Hold'em 1pm Dominos 4pm Singers Rehearsal 6pm Euchre | 25 Memorial Day *****Office Closed***** 10:00am Memorial Day Celebration | 26 9am BOD Mtg 10:30am Computer 11:45am Mah Jongg | 27 10:15am Quilting 5:30pm Poker 6pm Various Cards & Cribbage | 28 11am Travel Mtg 1:30 Country Music | 29 8:15am Breakfast 9:30am Dime Jingle | 30 6pm Lions Dime Jingle |

For May 31 see Monthly calendar at top
CCEvent Calendar

Jan-26

Please NOTE: Events Subject to Change

High Point Social Enterprises, Inc.

Invites you to the return of

*Silver Tones Band
Rock & Roll Revue*

SATURDAY, MAY 16, 2026, 7:00PM-10:00PM

**TICKETS: \$5-HPSE MEMBERS, \$10-NONMEMBERS
NO REFUNDS**

**BUY TICKETS AT OUR COMMUNITY CENTER
FRIDAY MORNINGS FROM 8:30-9:30
MAY 1, 8, & 15**

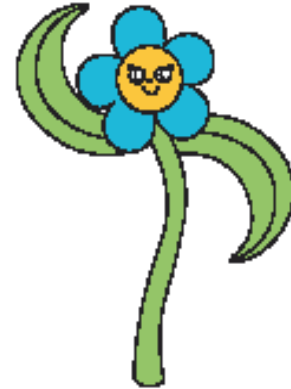
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Travel Club Update
by Trey Jordan, President



Hello High Point!

Happy May!

May 13, 2026, we are going to Mt. Dora with a canal tour. Price includes roundtrip motorcoach transportation, bus driver's gratuity, canal tour, taxes and gratuities. Lunch will be on your own to explore the many options available. Price is \$67. PP.

May 28, 2026, we are going to the Early Bird Dinner Theatre to see the performance of "Becky's New Car". Price includes roundtrip motorcoach transportation, bus driver's gratuity, show and luncheon, taxes and gratuities. Price is \$90. PP.

June 10, 2026, we are going on a Mystery Trip. This is where you pay and not know where you are going until you get there. Lunch is included. Price is \$98. PP which includes roundtrip motorcoach transportation, bus driver's gratuity, canal tour, taxes and gratuities

June 14, 2026, we are going to the Ark Encounter located in Ohio for a 7-day tour. Price is \$989. PP/DO. Come to one of our meetings for more exciting information on what all is included.

We have some new cruises for 2026 and 2027, so come out to one of our meetings to learn more!

We hope to see you at our next Travel Club meeting. Our normal meeting days are the 2nd & 4th Thursday of each month (except August where we only meet the 2nd Thursday) at 11 a.m. in our Community Center. Hope to see you there!



SCAVENGER HUNT

An illustration featuring several leaves in shades of brown and tan to the left of the word 'HUNT'. To the right of 'HUNT' is a black arrow pointing to the right.

***WE HOPE EVERYONE ENJOYED THE SCAVENGER HUNT!
OUR TWO (2) LUCKY RESIDENTS ARE
HOLLY JAQUAY & BOB/DEBI KLOS.
CONGRADULATIONS!***



***EACH YEAR THE HIGH POINT COMMUNITY IS PROUD TO PUT ON A 4TH OF JULY PARADE.
WE WOULD BE THRILLED IF YOU WOULD JOIN US IN CELEBRATING THE 250TH BIRTHDAY
OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. ENTRY FORMS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE OFFICE. WE
LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU IN THE PARADE!***



The Jim Stuck High Point Veterans & Friends Association
Presents

Memorial Day

“Keep Their Memory Alive”

Monday, May 25, 2026
10am – 12 noon

Please join us in the Community Center for a morning of
remembering the fallen.

Refreshments sponsored by the High Point HOA



2026 High Point Fall Craft Fair



Saturday, November 7th 8 AM-2 PM

A Registration form is included in the Newsletter for those who wish to participate and reserve/rent space

The setup is scheduled for **November 6th at 5 PM.**

PLEASE PRINT

NAME: _____ PHONE _____

ADDRESS: _____

EMAIL: _____

YOUR CRAFT: _____

OUTSIDE SPACE: _____ (two parking spaces for \$25)

INSIDE SPACE: _____ (limit of 2 tables)

TABLES

\$20 8' _____

\$15 6' _____

\$10 CARD TABLE _____

- * Please indicate any racks, how many, and size you intend bring (Inside only)
- * Indicate if you need electricity or have special needs.
- * Tables are available for indoor use only.
- * Due to fire codes aisles will HAVE to be kept CLEAR
- * Due to Limited space and tables, you are strongly encouraged to consider the larger spaces that the Parking Lot gives you.
- * Make checks out to High Point Garden Club, 8008 Baltic St., Brooksville, FL 34613

Contact Debbie Anderson at 352-596-1183 if you have any questions.

HIGH POINT FALL CRAFT FAIR
Saturday, Nov. 7, 2026



From Your Community Manager

Greetings, High Point neighbors! I hope all is well with all of you.

First, I have to say, "Thank You!" to those who participated in our April Scavenger Hunt. We had almost 30 "Hunters". We are going to be planning more fun future activities like this one, and we hope more and more residents will join in the fun. So, who are the two BIG winners of the \$25 gift cards? Drum roll, please! That's on another page in the newsletter. You will have to hunt for it. 😊

Below are a couple of important pieces of information. Hernando County is currently under "Extreme Drought" conditions. Please be very careful with open flames and other ignition sources. Don't throw your cigarettes onto the ground. As a former smoker (coming up on 21 years) I would encourage any of you who smoke to please consider quitting. It is never too late to quit. Burn ban and drought notwithstanding, we love you, and we want you to be around for a long, long time. Also, keep in mind when you see a home or carport you think needs washing, power washing is not allowed except to prep for painting or sealing.

Burn Ban: Hernando County is instituting an emergency temporary prohibition (Burn Ban) of all outdoor burning effective April 14th, 2026. The county-wide Burn Ban prohibits all outdoor burning that has not been specifically permitted by the Florida Forest Service. Bon Fires, campfires, and burning of vegetation (yard) debris is not allowed. The burn ban does not pertain to cooking on attended and monitored barbecue equipment, so long as that equipment is a contained gas or charcoal grill.

Watering Restrictions: One-day-a-week watering remains in effect.

- Watering hours have been changed to 12:01 am - 4:00 am **OR** 8:00 p.m. - 11:59 pm.
- Hand watering, micro irrigation, and other low volume irrigation must take place before 8:00 am or after 6:00 pm
- At-home car washing is only allowed on your watering day.
- Aesthetic water fixtures (like fountains) are limited to 4 hours.
- Pressure washing only in preparation for painting or sealing is allowed.

Finally, it is a pleasure, as always, to share this newsletter with you each month. Our office team puts a lot of work into putting this newsletter together. Ashley, Lisa, Susan, Verna, and I hope you enjoy our newsletter and find it informative. Bill

