

This is not meant to be a marketing event for the speakers; it is only an informational event for our members for knowledge and planning purposes only. There are definitely things that due to our human nature we do not want to think about in advance BUT lack of planning can cost additional pain and suffering (and a financial impact) on those loved ones we leave behind.

This speaker portion AFTER our meeting is also open to spouses, family, and friends if they choose to come. Remember, information is POWER!

We are still developing our Compassion Initiative here in the neighborhood. Areas of focus so far are:

- Transportation Assistance
- Contractor Neighborhood Referrals
- Technology Assistance
- Fix It Helpers
- Meals Assistance (Illness/Bereavement)

This still needs a lot of development, and we have one volunteer so far that has come forward to help (thank you Mary Jupin-Nelson), so if you want to be on the ground floor of this important endeavor, please let us know. There will be a sign-up sheet at our next meeting or give me a call.

COMMITTEES

Social Committee Upcoming Events:

March:

Morse Museum (Tiffany Exhibit), Lunch, and Trader Joes

- Weds, Mar 29, 8:00 am.

April:

Villages Polo Game and Tailgate Party

- Sunday April 2nd (gates open at 11:30 am). Tickets are \$20 per person for both pavilion seating and the tailgating gathering. Everyone needs to buy their own tickets, the Polo center will not let us buy them in advance. The center does not object to groups getting there early enough to save seats in the pavilion or spaces in the tailgating area. We will form a caravan to go there in golf carts, everyone can either bring their own food OR bring some to share with others, and of course it is BYOB. Helen Miles, Becky Montgomery, and Cathy Waters are working this event for us.

Night Golf

- Sat, April 29th and starts at dusk. Costs are \$5.00 participation for the prize pool and you need to purchase the glow in the dark golf balls if you don't have any. There is only a limited number of spaces, so if you want to have a great time and laugh the night away, please contact Jill Buckley at (317) 910-7101 to reserve a spot.
- **Tampa Bay Rays vs Chicago White Sox – Tropicana Stadium**
Sun, April 23rd, 10 am departure time. Cost \$113 for AAA members (nonmembers pay \$123) plus food and drinks. **You MUST register and pay at AAA in Spanish Springs by Perkins** – tell them you are signing up for the **Hacienda SouthWest or Joanne Hegarty** group. Bus will be leaving from AAA - you can park in their parking lot. Friends and family are invited. Please contact Joanne Hegarty (h: 352-750-6700, rayann1010@aol.com) if interested.

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Royal Carribean Cruise Fundraiser (open to the neighborhood, family, and friends)