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Early December, 2014



NEXT MEETING—MONDAY, DECEMBER 1

Our next meeting is at the **Tree Lot on Monday, October 20, 6:30pm**. We have lots of holes to fill in the Tree Lot work schedule... Our goal for every member to accomplish this year is to **“Bring A Friend to A Meeting”** so let’s get started at this meeting!

TREE LOT IS BUILT AND STOCKED... NOW IT IS YOUR TURN!

Thanks to all of you that showed up Saturday to set up the Tree Lot. We were done in less than 2.5 hours! The first load of trees arrived last Sunday and we are ready to sell this week. Below is a screen shot of the calendar as of Sunday afternoon. There are several holes that need to be filled. The most help is needed on weeknights 5-9p and weekends all day. **This is our largest and most labor-intensive fundraiser and we need every member to assist!** If needed, you can also call **Jeff O** (813-299-6498) or **Jeff A** (813-842-8829) to get your name onto the calendar. If you can, please go to the calendar web site and sign up yourself:

<http://www.brownbears.com/cal/pcoptimist>

23 8:00am - 11:00am Trees Arrive: Jeff A, Jack 1:00pm - 3:00pm Trim and open trees:	24 9:00am - 9:00pm Shift 1 (9a-1p): Cal, Paul Shift 2 (1p-5p): Walt Shift 3 (5p-9p): Jeff A, Jared	25 9:00am - 9:00pm Shift 1 (9a-1p): Cal Shift 2 (1p-5p): Walt Shift 3 (5p-9p): Jeff O, Mike W	26 9:00am - 9:00pm Shift 1 (9a-1p): Paul Shift 2 (1p-5p): Walt Shift 3 (5p-9p): Deryl, Nick?, Stan	27 Thanksgiving Day Turkey and Ham, smashed potatoes, stuffing, yellow squash	28 9:00am - 9:00pm Shift 1 (9a-1p): Mike W, Jeff O Shift 2 (1p-5p): Jeff A, Jared Shift 3 (5p-9p): Jeb? Pat?	29 9:00am - 9:00pm Shift 1 (9a-1p): Jeff A, Jared Shift 2 (1p-5p): Paul, Pat Shift 3 (5p-9p): Deryl, Jeff O
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CLUB CHRISTMAS EVENT BEING PLANNED

Plans are being made for a club gathering on Monday night, December 22 at 6:30 pm at the Churchill home. Pastor Ron and Cindy Churchill have graciously invited us for a gathering to recognize our past contributions to Steppin’ Stone Farm. More details as we get closer, but please mark this date and time on your calendar!

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

- ✓ **Monday, Nov 24 to Sat, Dec 20: Tree Lot work... GET SIGNED UP!**
- ✓ **Monday, December 1:** Regular meeting at the Tree Lot, 6:30 pm.
- ✓ **Monday, December 15:** Meeting at the Tree Lot, planning for breaking down the lot.
- ✓ **Saturday, December 20:** Tentative Tree Lot break-down, 8:00 am. This date may change... stay tuned!
- ✓ **Monday, December 22:** Christmas event at the Churchill home, 6:30 pm. Watch for more info soon!

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Jeff Arnold, 1st Vice President
Paul Woods, Secretary/Treasurer
Walt Arnold, Sergeant at Arms



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