

## MEET OUR NEW MEMBERS!

What a great month this was for our club – we gained six new members! I was able to catch up with four of them to introduce them to you: Cathy DiDonato, Selma Paul, Sue Guy, and Missie Parrey.

**Cathy DiDonato** just moved to the Southlake section of Grand Haven in April 2022. She is a part-time resident and still has a home in Long Island. Cathy lives with her husband Benny and their six year old Yellow Lab named Nico. She has worked as a legal secretary and paralegal. It was the proximity to the beach, and the beauty of the old trees that drew Cathy and her husband to Palm Coast. She said, “We love the look of Grand Haven with its beautiful trees, golf course, and walking trails. We also like all the amenities that Grand Haven has to offer.” The best parts of living here, she added, is the beach and boating. Nothing bugs her about Grand Haven. “Not yet.” Let’s hope that continues, Cathy! Welcome to you and Benny!

**Selma Paul** is also a Southlake resident who goes back and forth to her other home in Lake Lanier, Georgia. She has lived here for two years with her husband Steve “when I can get him here!” she says. Selma and Steve don’t have any pets right now, but Selma said “I hope to have a doggie in the near future.” Selma is still working as a certified appraiser of art, antiques, jewelry, and other items. Even though she is a part-time resident, Selma was attracted to Palm Coast because of its lifestyle and affordability. Not one to sit around in a rocking chair, Selma’s favorite things to do in Grand Haven are riding bikes, water aerobics, garden, play pickleball, canasta, party with her peeps, and eat seafood! She loves the Oak trees in our neighborhood, but admits she is not crazy about their high maintenance. Selma would like her neighbors to know “I am happy to be here whenever I can be!” Welcome to you and Steve!

**Sue Guy** has lived in Grand Haven for over six years, having moved here from Washington state. She lives with her husband Wayne and a large Goldendoodle. Her work experiences include retail and secretarial work. Sue was drawn to Grand Haven when she came to visit and said, “We loved the community.” She also loves all the daily activities but is not a fan of Southern States. Sue would like her neighbors to know “I am friendly and I love life!” What a great attitude! Welcome to you and Wayne!

**Missie Parrey** also lives in Southlake and has been here for just about four years. She and her husband Ernie and daughter Brielle moved here from New Jersey. They don’t have any pets right now, but Missie is very busy working as a Registered Nurse and Health Educator for St. Johns County School District. Missie said she was attracted to Palm Coast/Grand Haven by “the amount of open space, the beautiful scenery, the beach, and our fabulous community.” Her favorite things to do include going to the beach, playing golf, lounging on her lanai, “and meeting with my lovely neighbors for cocktail hour!” The only thing that bugs her is “our sidewalks!” Missie would like her neighbors to know “My family and I are looking forward to making new friends and establishing strong ties to our Grand Haven Community!” Welcome to Missie, Ernie, and Brielle!

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