

Meet Our New Members!

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October was another great month for our club - we now have 178 members! I am happy to be able to introduce three new members of the Grand Haven Woman's Club: Debbie Roush, Claire Moore, and Paulette Burau.

Debbie Roush moved to The Bluffs neighborhood in Grand Haven two and a half years ago with her husband Steve and their two dogs, Darwin and Angus. Darwin is an Aussie Doodle and Angus is a Gordon Setter. Debbie moved here from Hebron, Kentucky, which is located just outside Cincinnati, Ohio. She worked as a realtor and a mortgage broker. How on earth did the Roush family get to Palm Coast from Kentucky? Debbie said, "We were very lucky. We looked from Ponte Vedra to Ormond Beach! There were only four homes available at the time we needed to buy." Once they discovered Grand Haven, Debbie said, "We loved it!" Debbie plays pickleball, bocce, MTM, Canasta, and Mahjong and said she wouldn't change a thing about the neighborhood. She would like her neighbors to know this about her: "I am a very proud mother of two sons, two daughters-in-law, and five grandchildren!" Welcome Debbie!

Claire Moore lives in the Front Street Village and has lived there for only six months! She moved here from Roanoke, Virginia with her husband Larry. In her former life, Claire worked as a Registered Nurse. Claire's daughter and son-in-law live in Palm Coast so Claire and her husband moved to Palm Coast to be close to them. She said, "When we pulled into the main gate with our realtor last November, we fell in love with the beauty of Grand Haven!" Now that they are real life Floridians, Claire's favorite things to do are enjoy the ocean and beach, and she added, "I also love to read, I love history, and anything having to do with flowers." She is a little frustrated in how difficult it is to find medical doctors and that you sometimes must leave Palm Coast to see a doctor. Hopefully that situation will improve now that we have a new hospital in town! Welcome Claire!

Paulette Burau has lived in The Crossings neighborhood of Grand Haven for four years, having moved to Palm Coast from Chicago. She lives with her sister-in-law and daughter plus two dogs and a cat. Paulette has worked as a Team Leader and Teacher's Assistant. How did she wind up moving from the big city of Chicago to a town of palm trees and ocean breezes? Paulette's brother is the reason. She said, "My brother directed me here because I wanted a gated community." Her favorite things to do in Grand Haven are all the physical activities. What bugs her about living here is "the pigs." Surprise, surprise! Paulette would like her neighbors to know, "I would not mind meeting someone!" Good luck and welcome Paulette!