

CHAMPIONS CHATTER

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Early December, 2024

NEXT MEETING IS AT THE TREE LOT ON MONDAY DECEMBER 2

Come join us at the Tree Lot for our **Monday, December 2, 6:30 pm meeting!** Pizza and tea/water will be served! Main activity on the agenda is <u>Tree Lot</u> staffing for the rest of the season and lot break down, currently planned for Saturday December 14. We need you there to help plan!



SO FAR, SO GOOD FOR THE TREE SEASON

Sales at the Tree Lot are ahead of our past record years and over 10% of our overall 2024 sales have already gone out the door during the first three days. We are anticipating a record year and a sellout by December 13. Some pics from Saturday's lot set-up are on pages 2-3 of this Chatter. Be sure to sign up for multiple open shift spots on the calendar, also attached as pages 4-5 of this Chatter. Connect with Jeff Arnold at arnoldjef@gmail.com or 813-842-8829 to get on the schedule.

CHRISTMAS EXTRAVAGANZA PLANNED FOR MONDAY DECEMBER 16!

Mark your calendars for Monday, December 16, 6:30 pm, Mason Hall at GracePoint Church, for the 2024 edition of Walt's Famous Christmas Extravaganza! An info flyer with address and details is on page 6 of this Chatter and also attached to this email. Bring a \$20 maximum value Yankee Swap unnamed, wrapped gift for each guest attending and a plate of finger food! Be sure to watch for our model from last year.



LOOKING AHEAD... SAVE THE DATES!

- √ *Monday, December 2:* Pizza Night at the Tree Lot, 6:30 meeting.
- √ Through Friday, December 13: Tree Lot is open for business Mon-Thur 10a-8p, Fri-Sat-Sun 9a-9p.
- Saturday, December 14: Planned break down of the Tree Lot time to be announced.
- √ *Monday, December 17:* Holiday Extravaganza, GracePoint, 6:40 pm. See flyer on page 7.

<u> 2024-2025 OFFICERS</u>

Robert Olszewski, President Jack Holland, Secretary/Treasurer Walt Arnold, Sergeant at Arms



2024-2025 BOARD MEMBERS

TREE LOT SET-UP - NOVEMBER 23, 2024

















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Christmas Tree Lot Work Schedule - 2024

Week 1

AS OF 11/27/2024 AM

Monday Nov 25	Tuesday Nov 26	Wednesday Nov 27	Thursday Nov 28	Friday Nov 29	Saturday Nov 30	Sunday Dec 1
10:00-1:30 Dave/Doris-cashier Carl Jeff A	10:00-1:30 Dave/Doris-cashier Carl	10:00-1:30 Dave/Doris-cashier Carl	Thanksgiving	9:00-1:00 Jeff A Paul/Justin Roy David K-cashier Will	9:00-1:00 Jeff A Need 1 Need 1 David K-Cashier	9:00-1:00 Jeff A Deryl Need 1 Deanna - Cashier
1:30-5:00 Walt-Cashier Carl Jeff A	1:30-5:00 Walt- _{Cashier} Carl	1:30-5:00 Walt-cashier Carl	Thanksgiving	1:00-5:00 Need 1 Gary Joe Yo David K-cashier Will	1:00-5:00 Deryl Need 1 Need 1 David K-cashier Stan	1:00-5:00 Need 1 Need 1 Need 1 David K-Cashier
5:00-8:00 Paul Deryl Will David K-cashier	5:00-8:00 D. Horn Robert David K-Cashier	5:00-8:00 Gary Deryl Jack- _{Cashier}	Thanksgiving	5:00-9:00 Deryl Jared Jack David K-cashier Will	5:00-9:00 Robert Jared Jack David K-Cashier	5:00-9:00 Paul Robert Jack David K-cashier

Christmas Tree Lot Work Schedule - 2024

Week 2

AS OF 11/27/2024 AM

Monday Dec 2	Tuesday Dec 3	Wednesday Dec 4	Thursday Dec 5	Friday Dec 6	Saturday Dec 7	Sunday Dec 8
10:00-1:30 Dave/Doris-cashier Ted	10:00-1:30 Dave/Doris-Cashier Carl	10:00-1:30 Dave/Doris-cashier Carl	10:00-1:30 Dave/Doris-cashier Ted	9:00-1:30 Dave/Doris-cashier Need 1	9:00-1:00 Jeff A Deryl Need 1 David K-Cashier	9:00-1:00 Jeff A Need 1 Need 1 Deanna - Cashier
1:30-5:00 Walt- _{Cashier} Ted	1:30-5:00 Walt- _{Cashier} Carl	1:30-5:00 Walt- _{Cashier} Carl	1:30-5:00 Walt- _{Cashier} Ted	1:30-5:00 Walt- _{Cashier} Robert	1:00-5:00 Need 1 Need 1 Need 1 David K-Cashier	1:00-5:00 Deryl Need 1 Need 1 David K-Cashier
5:00-8:00 Paul Robert David K-Cashier	5:00-8:00 Michael P D. Horn David K-cashier	5:00-8:00 Deryl Need 1 Cashier	5:00-8:00 Need 1 Paul David K-Cashier	5:00-9:00 Paul Gary David K-cashier	5:00-9:00 Robert Need 1 Need 1 David K-cashier	5:00-9:00 Gary Paul Need 1 David K-cashier

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Week 3

AS OF 11/27/2024 AM

Monday Dec 9	Tuesday Dec 10	Wednesday Dec 11	Thursday Dec 12	Friday Dec 13	Saturday Dec 14	Sunday Dec 15
10:00-1:30	10:00-1:30	10:00-1:30	10:00-1:30	9:00-1:00	9:00-11:00	Dec 13
Dave/Doris-Cashier	Dave/Doris-Cashier	Dave/Doris-Cashier	Dave/Doris-Cashier	Dave/Doris-Cashier	Jeff A	
Ted - TBD	Carl - TBD	Carl - TBD	Ted - TBD	Carl - TBD	Need 1	
<u>1:30-5:00</u>	<u>1:30-5:00</u>	<u>1:30-5:00</u>	<u>1:30-5:00</u>	<u>1:00-5:00</u>	<u>11:00-12:30</u>	
Walt-Cashier	Walt-Cashier	Walt-Cashier	Walt-Cashier	Walt-Cashier	Projected Lot	
Ted - TBD	Carl - TBD	Carl - TBD	Ted - TBD	Carl - TBD	Break Down	
<u>5:00-8:00</u>	<u>5:00-8:00</u>	<u>5:00-8:00</u>	<u>5:00-8:00</u>	<u>5:00-9:00</u>		
Robert	D. Horn	Need 1	Robert	Michael P		
Need 1 David K-cashier	Robert David K-cashier	<mark>Cashier</mark>	David K-Cashier	<mark>Cashier</mark>		
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