

Warblers go caroling at Haven



The Windy Warblers are an energetic group of civic-minded carolers who love performing at Community Haven for Adults & Children with Disabilities.

With direction by Pam Durdey and Haven Industries pianist Jay Snyder, the group return each Christmas with pianist Gerard Dunn.

This year's winter program centers around the word "love." Last year, each song featured its own "color."

In addition to singing, the group brings along Santa Claus, whose elves and helpers help put smiles on the faces of residents, guests and staff.

Gift bags are organized and delivered by the Good Neighbor Ladies' Group in The Winds of St. Armands North, a Sarasota retirement village where most of the Warblers live.

The Community Haven, 4405 DeSoto Road, Sarasota, is in its 59th year serving children, teenagers and adults who have disabilities by providing services that include the Selby Preschool, therapeutic plans, adult day training, transition and employment services, community

living, Kaleidoscope, Whole Child Manatee, Heavenly Haven Bakery, plant nursery and a new group home under construction.