

Boca Raton

Deputy mayor seeks ouster of beach-park top official

By Steve Plunkett

Following what he called an “extraordinary” visit to the Greater Boca Raton Beach and Park District, the city’s deputy mayor wants district commissioners to replace their interim executive director with someone full time.

“Understandably, the incumbent has other issues he must balance with the demands of the district,” Deputy Mayor Robert Weinroth said in an email to the district’s chairman.

Arthur Koski, the interim director, is also the district’s longtime attorney.

“With regard to a full-time director, I am serving at the pleasure of the district and at the request of the district. I am prepared to step aside at any time the commissioners so desire,” he said.

Weinroth’s demand for a new executive comes after a “dustup” over Red Reef Park’s master plan brought communications between the city and the district to a near standstill.

During an unscheduled appearance at the district’s March 14 meeting, Weinroth said he was alarmed by an email from Assistant City Manager Mike Woika to Koski.

“The first sentence just really made me concerned that we’re really not making progress in our attempt to have better communication,” Weinroth said.

Woika’s email acknowledged that he received two emails from Koski regarding capital projects on city property, Weinroth said.

Woika’s email continued: “I’m shocked and disappointed that you suggest that the district attempts to communicate with the city and the city ignores the communication, when in fact just the opposite is true.”

Koski said the acrimony began after he and the district’s

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Along the Coast



Marc Bonutti cheers for a Marlins run the day Gulf Stream School students went to Roger Dean Stadium to watch a baseball game. Photos by Jerry Lower/The Coastal Star

An educational HOME RUN

Gulf Stream School students get a lesson in geometry and statistics from a day at the ballpark

By Ron Hayes

Take them out to the ballgame.

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At the Gulf Stream School, baseball isn’t just America’s national pastime; it’s how some teachers make numbers fun, history exciting and an annual trip to a spring training game a visual aid.

“No one is ever sick on this day,” Dave Winans boasted, seated in the stands at Roger Dean Stadium one sunny March afternoon as the Miami Marlins and St.



Students examine baseball cards and statistics during the game at Roger Dean Stadium in Jupiter.

Louis Cardinals played their first official training game of the season.

Filling the rows before him, Winans’ entire fifth-grade English class cheered, pondered autographed baseballs and feasted on

the kind of treats that make nutritionists shudder.

Some were passionate about the game. Some were passionate about the hot dogs. None had been

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Along the Coast

Property values soar in Boca, Highland

By Sallie James

Property values in Boca Raton have jumped to an estimated market value of \$26 billion for 2015, ranking first out of 38 municipalities countywide, according to Palm Beach County Chief Deputy Property Appraiser Dorothy Jacks.

That’s an increase from \$23.5 billion for 2014.

Jacks made the remarks during a March 22 presentation to the City Council.

“It’s got the highest market value of any city in the county, with the second-highest parcel count to West Palm Beach,” Jacks said, referring to Boca Raton’s 42,460 individually owned properties. The city’s taxable value for 2015 is \$19.5 billion.

Market value, or what buyers will pay, is often higher than taxable value.

And there’s more good news: Residential values are expected to continue rising in 2016, increasing an estimated 6 to 8 percent, she said. Predictions for commercial values will come later in the year.

Nearby Highland Beach’s 2015 market value totaled a tidy \$2.6 billion, with a taxable value of \$2 billion for its 4,207 properties. Overall values there are expected to rise an estimated 9 to 12 percent in 2016.

At the end of 2014, market value for Highland Beach was about \$2.3 billion, according to the property appraiser’s office.

So why the uptick in Boca Raton?

“Thoughtful planning” is creating “interesting opportunities” for growth, Jacks said.

“What we have noticed about

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Editor's Note

Keep in touch: Summer no longer a slow season

Spring? Already? It seems too soon for hurricane predictions, rising humidity and transport trucks heading north. But here it is April. Where did winter go?

It was a busy season along the coast, filled with the usual array of lovely philanthropic and cultural events, gatherings of friends and family and outdoor leisure time at the beach, patio or pool — when it wasn't raining. Seems like it rained a lot this winter.

Now, it's time to embrace April and brace for summer.

May-October is no longer the slow season. The local economy is booming and as a result, there's a lot of change afoot in our community.

This is Florida after all. Boom times always bring change. And much of that change happens over the summer, when municipal budgets are set and fewer people are around to challenge (or support) the decisions of their local officials.

We owe it to our piece of paradise to stay plugged in and involved to assure the inevitable changes benefit everyone, not just those who profit or make the most noise or file the most lawsuits.

We'll be here reporting on those changes. Stay in touch.

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These are places where you can expect to find continuing updates on Boca Raton's downtown and beachfront development, Highland Beach's public safety concerns, the several large developments likely to be breaking ground soon in Delray Beach, Gulf Stream's buried utilities project and ongoing legal and legislative battles over public records lawsuits, Briny Breezes' need for road enforcement, Ocean Ridge's ongoing discussion about growth in Boynton Beach, South Palm Beach's continuing battle with beach erosion, Lantana's efforts to increase its tax base yet remain a small fishing village and the recently announced plans for a Publix in Manalapan!

We will be here reporting all this and much, much more all summer long.

Whether you are staying or going north, I hope you have a great summer — and that you'll stay involved.



— Mary Kate Leming, editor

Coastal Star



Delray Beach resident Alan Rose has become a strong supporter of the Caridad Center in Boynton Beach. **Tim Stepien/The Coastal Star**

Philanthropist's mantra: Those blessed with success should share their blessings

By Rich Pollack

Until a few years ago, Alan Rose had never heard of the Caridad Center in Boynton Beach, which provides health-related services to uninsured, working-poor families of Palm Beach County.

Then one day in 2014, Rose saw an announcement about the center's "Come Celebrate 25 Years with Caridad" gala.

Without knowing anyone else attending, Rose and a date — along with another couple — went to the gala, where they soon discovered the outstanding work done by the nonprofit organization.

Since then Rose, of Delray Beach, has become a strong supporter of the Caridad Center, making financial contributions and even hosting a party earlier this year that raised several thousand dollars for the organization and introduced more than 80 guests to its mission.

"They're doing really good things at the center," Rose said. "The Caridad Center provides free health-care services for those in need. There's nothing better in life than to have your health."

As Rose quickly learned after meeting representatives of the center, Caridad also provides a wide variety of other services to those in need, including college scholarships, baby supplies, crisis intervention services and back-to-school supplies.

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But it is the medical, dental and vision services largely provided by volunteer doctors, dentists and other health-care professionals that attract thousands of patients who visit the center each year. It is the largest free health-care clinic of its kind in Florida.

This month, Rose will once again be supporting the center, one of several organizations that benefit from the Boca West Community Charitable Foundation's annual "Concert for the Children" on April 5 at Boca West Country Club.

Rose will be attending a concert featuring Patti LaBelle and encouraging other supporters of the Caridad Center to purchase tickets, which are \$175 each.

Money raised from the concert — which will include the Atlantic City Boys — and from the foundation's annual \$200,000 golf challenge will benefit 21 organizations in south Palm Beach County that provide services to at-risk children, including Caridad.

For Rose, 59, supporting charitable organizations such as the Caridad Center is something he's been doing for quite some time.

An entrepreneur at heart,

Rose grew his family's parking lot construction and rehabilitation business in the Chicago area into a nationwide company with more than 200 employees before selling it in 2014 and coming to South Florida.

While up North, Rose and his company supported several organizations, including the Asthma and COPD Center at the University of Chicago, to which he committed more than \$1 million through financial support and volunteer services provided by employees over the course of several years.

Rose and the company also supported the South Suburban Cancer Center in Chicago along with numerous other nonprofits.

Now semi-retired and living in South Florida year-round, Rose is focusing his philanthropic efforts on local organizations.

Rose also supports Delray Citizens for Delray Police and is sponsoring an awards ceremony that will be held on April 19. "I have a soft spot in my heart for the police," he said.

Rose is a strong believer in assisting others, such as those served by the Caridad Center, who just need a helping hand.

"I've been blessed with success," he said. "I believe people who have been blessed with success should share at least a small portion of their wealth and give to charity."

Looking forward, Rose said, he hopes to make the February party he hosted to benefit the Caridad Center an annual event, with a goal of raising more than \$10,000 next year.

In recognition of his semi-retirement and move to Florida, Rose called the event the "Next Adventure" party.

"This is chapter two of my life," he said. ★

Corrections

A story in the March edition gave the incorrect number of years Ocean Ridge commissioners serve. Terms are three years.

In last month's story about All Aboard Florida's progress in building a rail system from Miami to Orlando, the description of the West Palm Beach train station and apartment/retail complex was inaccurate. These are two separate projects.

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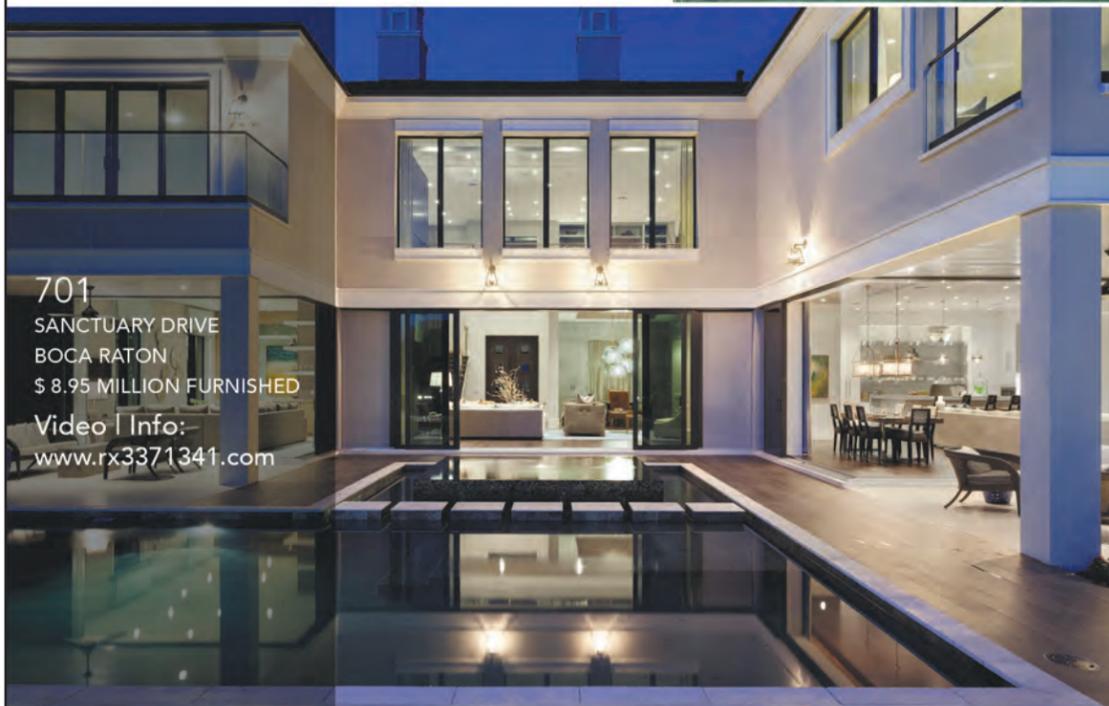
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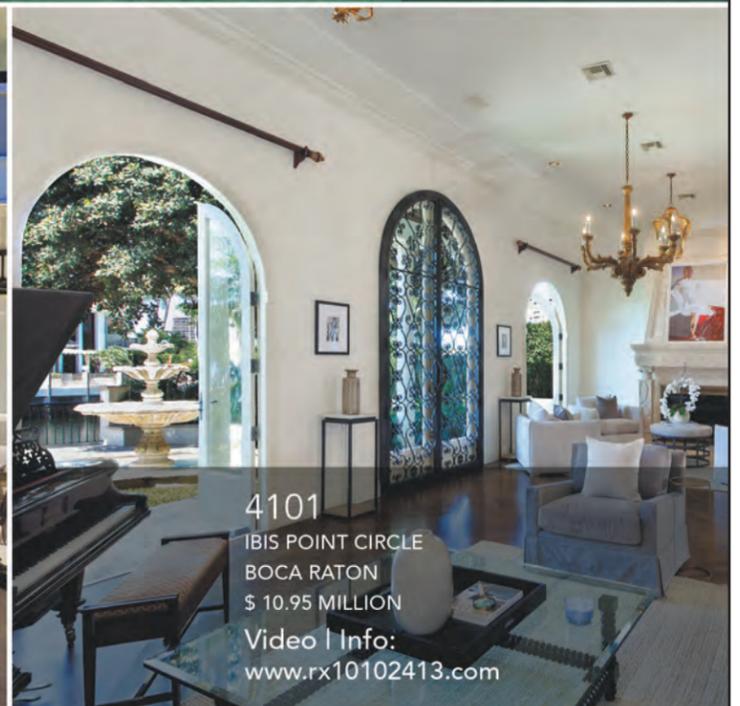
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City seeks dismissal of federal suit opposing synagogue project

By Sallie James

The city has asked a federal court to dismiss a lawsuit that claims Boca Raton officials improperly created a special zoning classification to allow construction of a synagogue on the barrier island.

The court action is the latest development in an ongoing controversy surrounding plans by Chabad of East Boca to build an 18,000-square-foot synagogue and Israel museum

at 770 E. Palmetto Park Road. In May 2015, the city voted to allow Chabad to build a structure that exceeded the 30-foot limit allowed by city code and rise to a height of 40 feet, 8 inches.

City spokeswoman Chrissy Biagiotti declined comment, citing ongoing litigation.

The newest motion, filed on March 8 by the city and joined by Chabad, urges the court to dismiss the lawsuit filed by residents Gerald Gagliardi and

Kathleen MacDougall. The motion says the city's actions have "a secular purpose," "a neutral effect on religion" and "do not excessively entangle government with religion."

Gagliardi and MacDougall sued the city on Feb. 4 in federal court seeking to bar the project's construction. The federal lawsuit claims the pair's rights to equal protection were violated when the city created a zoning classification that paved the way for the synagogue's

construction, and accuses the city of holding "secret internal and nonpublic discussions" to allow the project.

Their lawsuit, filed by lawyer Arthur Koski, who is also interim executive director of the Greater Boca Raton Beach and Park District, seeks costs, attorney fees and compensatory and punitive damages.

Opponents insist the project, especially the museum, will snarl traffic in an already congested area and claim the increased height of the building will mar the area's ambience.

Proponents say the project will increase area property values and disagree that traffic will worsen, noting that congregants walk to services.

The motion to dismiss states there was no violation of the equal protection clause because the city's actions were "rationally related to a legitimate government purpose" and because the plaintiffs failed to identify "similarly situated persons."

It further states that Gagliardi and MacDougall's lawsuit fails to identify an "unconstitutional custom or policy" by the city or any basis for compensatory and punitive damages.

The motion notes that the Establishment Clause of the Constitution prohibits government from promoting or affiliating with any religious organization and concludes that the city's actions "easily fit within the 'tension' created by the 'establishment' clause and the 'free exercise' clause of the First Amendment."

The related motion to dismiss filed by Chabad states that Gagliardi and MacDougall have no standing to file their lawsuit, have not sufficiently proved they suffered personal injury and failed to state an equal protection claim.

Rabbi Ruvy New has said repeatedly his congregation will not be deterred.

"We are moving forward with our campaign and excited to be part of the growth and development in east Boca," New said.

Boca Raton Deputy Mayor Robert Weinroth said Koski's participation in the lawsuit "is problematic while [the council and the beach and park district] are trying to work together."

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Auxiliary lanes proposed for Glades Road at I-95

By Steve Plunkett

Looking to ease traffic on busy Glades Road, state engineers plan to segregate I-95's on-ramps to let east-west vehicles flow more freely.

Luis Costa, a consulting engineer for the Florida Department of Transportation, said the project, which could begin as soon as next year, would add a physically separated "auxiliary lane" for westbound cars planning to go north on I-95 and for eastbound drivers going north or south.

"Basically we take out the traffic that's going to I-95 early enough at both ends of the project, so that traffic can flow freely on Glades Road that is Glades Road traffic only," Costa told the City Council at its March 7 workshop.

Glades Road itself would stay three lanes in both directions with the addition of buffered, 7-foot-wide bicycle lanes, up from the standard 4 feet wide.

"That's a very exciting design, very unique. I think it really achieves the purpose without adding a lot of asphalt," Mayor Susan Haynie said.

Costa said the FDOT plan in 2009 was to make Glades Road eight lanes between Butts Road and Northwest 13th Street/East University Drive.

"That was not well received. There was a lot of opposition," he said.

The old plan would have taken right of way from several businesses west of I-95 and from Boca Raton High School, the University Commons shopping plaza and the city water plant on the east side. The proposal would also have required a new bridge over railroad tracks and two new bridges over the interstate.

And it would have created a 187-foot crosswalk at Glades and Airport Road, making long green lights necessary to let pedestrians cross.

The new, more pedestrian-friendly design puts a bridge over Airport Road for the interstate access ramp and trims the crosswalk to 125 feet.

"We don't have to provide as much green time for the pedestrians," Costa said.

Traffic lanes will be cut from 12 feet wide to 11 feet wide to make room for the wider bike lanes.

Fausto Gomez, the FDOT's project manager, said at this point the Glades Road work has funding only for right of way, not construction. Money could become available in 2022, he said. But the department just received \$140 million in federal funds and could include the project in the work next year to add express lanes to the interstate, he said.

The Glades Road improvements would keep the traffic flow good through 2040, Costa said. ★



ABOVE: Glades Road looking northwest at Airport Road.
BELOW: With a proposed elevated ramp to northbound I-95.
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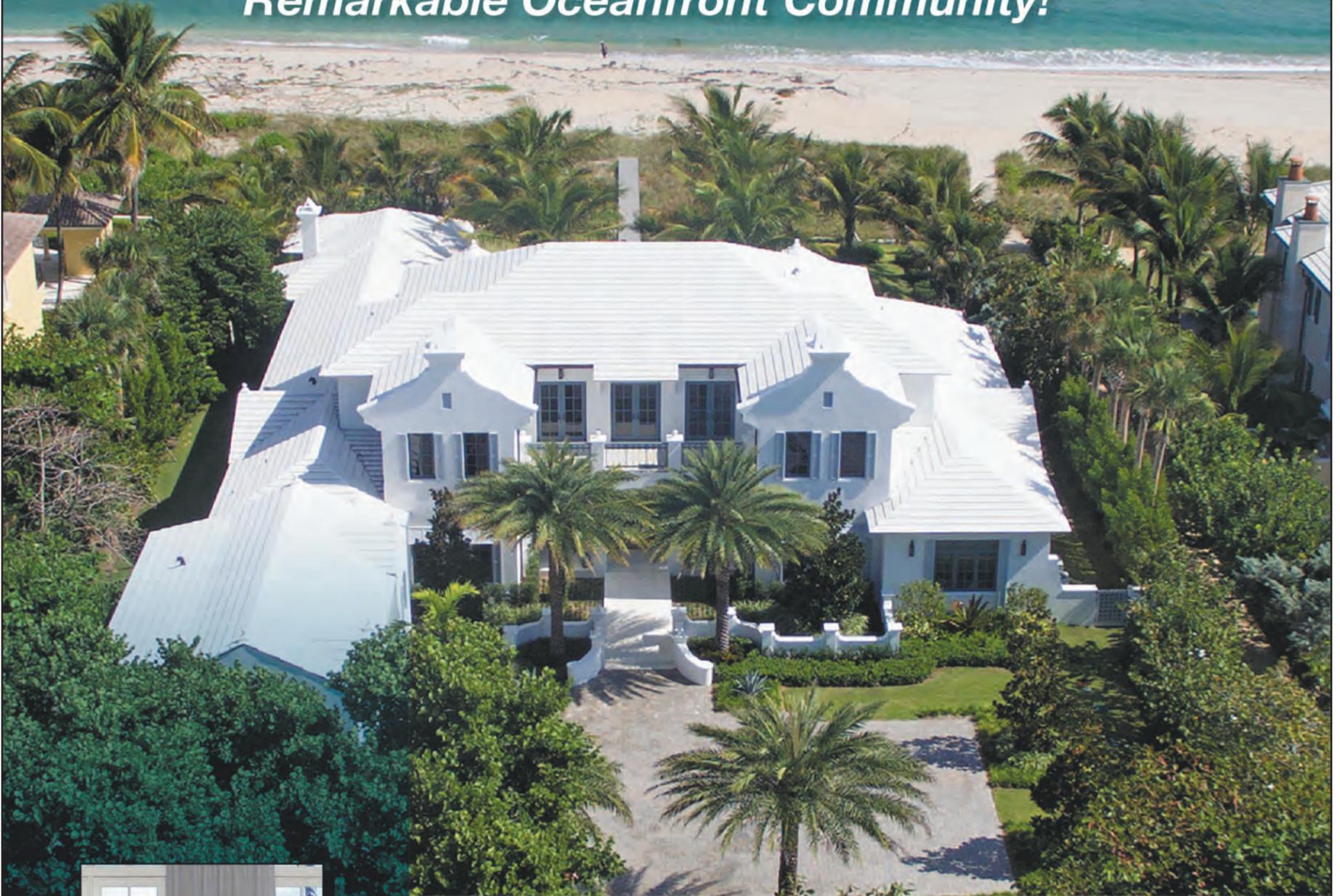


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Gulf Stream

More delays, higher costs for town's underground utilities project

By Dan Moffett

Faced with a staggering cost increase and continued delays, Gulf Stream commissioners are scrambling to get their much-troubled and long-awaited underground utilities project back on track.

Danny Brannon, Gulf Stream's engineering consultant, had nothing but bad news to deliver at the March town meeting. He said the bids have come in for phase two of the project and they're about 33 percent, or roughly \$954,000, higher than expected.

Work that was supposed to cost about \$2.8 million now will approach \$4 million, raising the total cost of moving all the town's power, telephone and cable lines underground to about \$6.5 million.

"Absolutely stunning," said Vice Mayor Robert Ganger.

But forget about phase two for a moment, because there still is no telling when phase one will be completed. Brannon said he has had trouble getting Comcast to take down its lines so Florida Power & Light can come in and remove its poles.

Neighborhoods that were supposed to be fully transferred to the underground system by now still resemble construction sites.

Mayor Scott Morgan said the town's south end "looks like a Benghazi suburb" and lamented the continued inability of the utility companies to work together.

Brannon said it's been impossible to get FPL, AT&T and Comcast to commit to a timeline.

Even the project's accounting has come into question. Commissioners told Brannon they couldn't make sense of the numbers he brought them.

Ganger called the bad bookkeeping "a rookie mistake" that had to be cleaned up before the commission can decide how to proceed. "You're asking us to make a decision when someone can't even do the math," Ganger said.

Morgan proposed consulting with town residents who have experience in finance and construction to draw on their expertise for ideas about righting the foundering project. He said he would bring recommendations for discussion at the town's April 8 meeting.

Commissioner Joan Orthwein said there is no choice but to move forward, because the town is too far into the project to turn back. "That would be like stopping building a house halfway through," she said. "What have you got? Nothing."

The commission decided to conditionally award the contract for phase two to low-bidder Wilco Electric, with the hope that the contractor can find

ways to take some of the cost out of the project.

Gulf Stream's problems with the project should send an ominous signal to surrounding communities. On March 15, voters in the town of Palm Beach approved a plan to move utilities underground that is roughly 15 times the size and cost (\$80 million) of Gulf Stream's.

Palm Beach may want to take a second look at the Gulf Stream timeline. The idea for burying utility lines was born in the aftermath of the three hurricanes that struck Palm Beach County in 2004 and 2005.

Gulf Stream started setting aside prepaid assets for the project in 2010. Construction was to have started in May 2012 but didn't get going until late in 2013. The original completion

target for both phases of the project was somewhere in the first half of 2015.

Cyclical economic factors have contributed to the delays and overruns. Coming out of the recession, contractors were looking for work and gave low bids. Material prices also were low. Utility companies downsized their staffs, pushing into early retirement experienced workers who knew how to handle complicated projects.

Now with the national economy rolling again, the cost of most everything has gone up and companies are understaffed.

Despite the rising price tag, Town Manager William Thrasher told commissioners there is money in the town's budget to pay for the project if they decide to proceed. ★



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Local Voices

Public records law changes were misguided

This legislative session demonstrated a political will to reform the Florida's Public Records Act. However, that will was misguided in both SB 1220 and HB 1021.

Those bills targeted the attorney's fees provision of Chapter 119 and attempted to change that reward to successful litigants from mandatory to discretionary. The zeitgeist: Judges punish lawyers for not vetting clients. Since very few people will pay tens of thousands of dollars for an email, the lawyers will ultimately determine who will come across well in the histrionics of court.

Here is the problem: What government is not going to label the requestor an abuser?

Any government lawyer worth their salt would label every requestor an abuser or risk malpractice. Since intentions are the only metric to distinguish abusers from non-abusers, the

government will have subpoena power to discover your most intimate thoughts about public officials and government policies. The government will be allowed to subject you, your friends, family and coworkers to videotaped interrogations in search of anti-government sentiments. The government could read your emails, texts, and phone searching for evidence of frustration.

The government will have the full power of the court to prove that you dislike the administration and are acting upon that dislike. Take a second to think about that; you sue the government for hiding information and the next thing you know you are being investigated for sedition: Orwellian.

Thankfully, that situation fell through.

In that universe, attorneys would not be anti-abuser policemen. They would be

cash-up-front. Even the most righteous-minded is not certain to have the mettle to see litigation through, ensuring the attorney's payment.

Without enforcement, governments revert to their natural state of oligarchical secrecy. There is, however, an answer to the public records question and it lies not in substance but procedure.

First, the law must designate a responsible records custodian and mandate the government to clearly designate the identity of the custodian as well as the proper channels to make a request. Then, a request will only count if it is given to that designee, but requestors will not have to guess where to send requests or get the run-around.

Also, there should be a fixed time to respond to requests; that time can reasonably be enlarged by the custodian unilaterally, but only after attempts to work with the requestor on a mutual

production date have failed.

Custodians should also be asking for clarification and feedback in every correspondence and seeking clarification in writing. When both parties are on the same page, the system works and a culture of trust is promoted. In addition, "gotcha" litigation becomes impossible.

But what about abuses in the number of requests? Be wary of the officials who seek to limit requests, they peddle snake oil.

First, the government can charge; costs will become prohibitive.

Second, a hard limit on requests is futile; friends and organizations can defeat any limitation. The only way to truly limit the number of requests is to build trust with citizens.

Some ask for public records to keep them; most people ask because they are looking for answers to questions on which public officials have

prevaricated. The more a government is perceived as dishonest or evasive, the more requests it generally receives. When dealing with citizens, it pays to answer questions today, not requests tomorrow. Although a government cannot limit requests by edict it may exercise control by engaging with civility and respect.

If Florida wants to sensibly address the public records question, the panacea lies not in substantive but procedural reforms and building trust.

*Jonathan O'Boyle,
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Jonathan O'Boyle, an attorney licensed in Florida and Pennsylvania, is the son of Gulf Stream resident Martin O'Boyle. During the last three years, the O'Boyles have filed dozens of lawsuits against the town over hundreds of public records.

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Letter to the Editor

An open plea to the Delray commission

This is a pivotal time in Delray Beach history, so I want to make a few comments on the Atlantic Crossing project, which the city sent back to the Site Plan Review and Appearance Board on March 1.

I want to thank Commissioners Shelly Petrolia and Mitch Katz for being concerned about the lack of proper process on abandonment of the two-way road.

Where is the abandonment proceeding? It never happened. So a two-way road and an alley are in danger of being given away by the city with no respect for the legal procedure set forth for such action. All because this developer has filed a lawsuit against the town.

So the precedent being set here, as some say the city did with the iPic theater, is giving away public land.

In this case the developer has sued so the game they are playing is to threaten the city with millions in damages and the city rolls over in a settlement agreement.

And what happens after that? Every developer in this town and on the east coast of Florida and beyond knows all they have to do is sue and the city rolls over. It becomes a cost of doing business and they do it again and again.

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Local Voices

Careful public records safeguards needed

Two days after the Florida Legislature completed the 2016 session, a *Sun Sentinel* editorial headlined "Open government under attack," indirectly referred to a failed bill that attempted to address abuse of the Public Records Act by a cottage industry of scam artists who have conspired to fleece Florida taxpayers of many millions of dollars.

With some irony, the Florida Press Association had worked with bill sponsors to craft language to assure that only abusers of open government laws were targeted, and not the press or ordinary citizens. Perhaps someone missed the memo.

The alleged public records "scheme" is virtually foolproof. It starts with the Sunshine Law that grants citizens and the press unfettered access to the inner workings of taxpayer-funded public agencies (municipalities, school boards, law enforcement,

etc.) When requested records are not produced in a timely fashion, the requestor has a right to sue the agency. If the court finds that the request was actually denied, attorney fees must be awarded to the plaintiff.

Sounds reasonable. Except that hustlers have figured out how to game the system, either by overwhelming the agency with excessive requests, or by rigging the requests in a manner that makes it impossible to comply.

Quick money is made by threatening or actually filing a lawsuit, then offering a settlement for a fraction of trial costs. The victim is in a lose/lose situation. Most settle, and the taxpayer foots the bill.

The Florida League of Cities, representing all 410 state municipalities, got wind of the scam several years ago. In establishing priorities for the 2016 legislative session, confronting abuse of the Public

Records Act was the top choice of League policy makers. As a FLOC committee delegate from Gulf Stream, I was in the unenviable position of defining the problem that legislation needed to solve.

Our tiny town endured 2,500 public records requests in 18 months, overwhelming a four-person administrative staff. Over 40 compliance lawsuits have been filed, some within hours of receipt of the request. Town annual legal costs escalated from \$25,000 to \$1 million. Almost 5,000 annual staff hours were spent processing records requests.

Sadly, the Gulf Stream situation was neither unique nor more repulsive than the experience of similar agencies throughout the state. One mayor said, "We are facing an epidemic."

Rep. Greg Steube and Sen. Rene Garcia agreed to sponsor public records reform bills. It

was a daunting task, involving: the mechanics of crafting bill language; assigning and coordinating six required committee reviews; educating and motivating 160 legislators; appearing at hearings and amending language as needed.

League lobbyists coordinated the effort, and elected officials throughout the state personally testified in support of conscientious efforts to give courts discretion to withhold attorney fees from frivolous litigants.

Florida Tax Watch, a respected watchdog whose research on government waste is based upon access to public records, filed a report asking Legislators to support sensible reform.

The proposed bills passed all committee hearings almost unanimously. During testimony, the most ardent defenders of the Public Records Act acknowledged the damage

caused by abusive practice, calling the perpetrators "cockroaches" and "gotcha guys."

The Florida Press Association and First Amendment Foundation worked with Garcia to amend bill language to not impose a chilling effect on legitimate exercise of open government rights.

Apparently, one influential member of the House (who is a public records attorney), was not convinced. Rather than put SB 1220 to a vote on the House floor where it was certain to pass, the bill was buried.

However, the genie is now out of the bottle. We'll be back in 2017.

*Robert W. Ganger
Vice Mayor, Gulf Stream*

Robert W. Ganger is a Florida League of Cities committee delegate and a longtime Gulf Stream resident and commissioner.

LETTER

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developers than you can shake a stick at and no public trust. In the town from which I moved, our deductible went up to \$100,000 for a 1-mile-long, two-block-wide town and we still couldn't find insurance.

You all know a bully and how to deal with one. If someone is threatening you, they are a bully and there's no pretending otherwise. You have each shown courage in dealing with bullies in your life; we saw it in your eyes when we elected you. Draw on that courage now.

There are developers who are good and will work with a town, its people and its laws to create quality developments that make them money and enhance the town. We need to find those developers or tell this one to become one if they want to do business in Delray Beach.

The message we need to send is we want respectful development in Delray Beach. Respect our laws, respect our hardworking city staff and elected officials, respect our town and respect the people of Delray Beach. Then we welcome you to work with us to make Delray Beach the best beach town in Florida.

*Joy Howell
Delray Beach*

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Highland Beach/Delray Beach

Officials agree to continue working on fire contract after fee dispute

By Rich Pollack

A war of words that started after Delray Beach commissioners rejected a proposed fire-service agreement with Highland Beach appears to be at a ceasefire, with both sides deciding to come to the table to try to hammer out a workable contract.

In March, Delray Beach City Manager Don Cooper, Fire Chief Danielle Connor and Finance Director Jack Warner met with representatives from Highland Beach to discuss an agreement in which the larger city would continue to provide fire and paramedic services to the smaller coastal town.

"I'm very confident we'll be able to work this out," Cooper said.

Highland Beach Town

Commissioner Carl Feldman, who was in the meeting, is also optimistic about an agreement being reached. He said, however, that the town is also talking to other possible providers, including Palm Beach County Fire Rescue and Boynton Beach Fire Rescue. Highland Beach town leaders also have interest in hearing the result of a study being done exploring the possibility of a coastal fire district.

"Something good will come as a result of all of these meetings and it will benefit our residents as well as residents of surrounding communities," Feldman said. "Everything is going along right on schedule and we're very pleased with what we're hearing."

During the meeting with Highland Beach, Delray Beach representatives discussed

terms of a proposed 10-year contract in which the city would staff the town's fire station. Under the agreement, personnel from Delray Beach would continue to staff and operate a ladder truck the town currently leases from Delray Beach and a rescue vehicle owned by Highland Beach.

The current agreement between the two municipalities expires in September 2017.

Highland Beach officials say they will review the proposal and respond at an April meeting.

"We're hoping to find common ground," said Highland Beach Town Manager Beverly Brown.

Brown said both Delray Beach and Highland Beach leaders are optimistic that an agreement can be worked

out that would allow the two communities to continue a business relationship.

"We all agreed that we have a long-term relationship beneficial to both of us that we'd like to continue," Brown said.

Still, she said, the town is keeping its options open.

Highland Beach town officials ended 2015 thinking they had reached an agreement with Delray Beach on a \$3.3 million annual contract. In fact, town officials had even signed the proposed agreement.

Delray Beach commissioners, however, balked, saying it appeared the city would lose money under the proposed contract. The City Commission voted to add a 20 percent administrative fee to the proposal.

"There was a perception

that Delray Beach was subsidizing Highland Beach," Cooper said.

Highland Beach officials, however, later discovered the rescue truck stationed in town — and owned by the town — responded to about 35 calls per month in nearby areas of Delray Beach.

That information, as well as other revelations, led Delray Beach commissioners to suggest reopening negotiations.

"The notion that Highland Beach gets more out of this than we do is not factually accurate," Mayor Cary Glickstein said.

At their workshop meeting in March, Highland Beach commissioners agreed to extend a deadline for a new contract into April. The original deadline was March 30. ★

Delray Beach

City officials to discuss plan for dog beach

By Rich Pollack

After months of study and research, the Delray Beach Parks and Recreation Department has submitted a draft report to City Manager Don Cooper, recommending a six-month pilot program for a dog beach at the city's Atlantic Dunes Park.

While the proposal is good news for proponents of a dog beach, it has not received the approval of the city manager who is recommending city commissioners reject the plan — in large part because it would be implemented at a time when two other beach projects would be underway.

"My big concern is we're going to have a lot of things

going on at the beach," Cooper said, explaining that construction of portions of the beach master plan and installation of new parking meters would likely be taking place at the same time as the pilot project. "If we're going to do it, I want to do it correctly."

The final decision will rest with city commissioners, who are expected to discuss the plan during a May workshop.

The proposed pilot project would restrict the dog beach to Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays only with two hours in the morning — from 7 to 9 a.m. — and three hours in the afternoon ending at sunset.

Under the proposal, the dog park would be supervised by a park ranger, and users would

be required to show proof that dogs have a current license and have received all required shots.

Although the future of the proposal is still up in the air, the plan is drawing praise from dog beach advocates.

"This is going to end up being a win-win proposition for the city and for dog owners," said Bob Brewer, who leads the Friends of Delray Dog Beach, a group that has been working with the city on the proposal.

In making the recommendation to go forward with a dog beach pilot project, Parks and Recreation Director Suzanne Fisher pointed out that supervised dog beaches have been successful in other cities throughout South Florida.

"This program would increase our services provided to city residents and visitors alike," she wrote. "Similar programs have been done in local municipalities, including Boca Raton, and have been shown to be successful."

Under the proposal, Delray Beach residents would be able to obtain an annual permit for \$30 per dog. That cost, however, would jump to \$165 a year for nonresidents, the same fee Boca Raton charges for nonresidents. A \$10 per dog visitor weekend pass would also be available.

While Brewer is pleased overall with the proposal, he thinks the recommended

annual fee for nonresidents could be adjusted.

"I think it's excessive," he said.

In the proposal, the parks and recreation department staff estimates that revenues to the city could exceed \$50,000 annually, while expenses — including the hiring of a part-time park ranger — could be as low as about \$25,000.

In his memo to commissioners recommending against approval, Cooper said he believes the staffing needs and the costs associated with them are underestimated.

Under the proposal, a 100- to 300-yard portion of Atlantic Dunes Park — just north of Linton Boulevard — would be reserved for dogs. The pets would be required to be leashed until they reached the dog park and then could be off leash within the boundaries.

Fisher said the area would be marked off by temporary fencing that could easily be installed and taken down twice a day by the park ranger. The ranger would also be responsible for making sure owners pick up after their pets, she said, and would be charged with removing anything left behind.

Advantages to the site, according to the report, include two nearby metered parking lots, restrooms and a single

entry point where a ranger could check for permits.

Parks and recreation department staff wrote that after the six-month pilot program is concluded, several criteria could be used to determine whether to extend or end the project. Among those would be the amount of usage, how well the program was received by the public and whether there were compliance issues.

The evaluation would also explore whether or not the dog park helped reduce the number of people bringing dogs to other parts of the municipal beach, which is prohibited.

Cooper said he is concerned that some members of the public will believe that the beach is open to dogs all the time and that additional resources would be needed to enforce the ordinance.

"Right now we still have people bringing their dogs to the beach," said City Commissioner Mitch Katz, a proponent of creating a regulated and supervised dog beach. "Having a dog beach is one way to regulate that and to keep dogs in a section by themselves. This may be the only way to stop people from bringing their dogs to other parts of the beach."

Should commissioners give the proposal a green light, Cooper said it would be several months before it could be implemented.

"I expect there will be significant pressure to proceed with the pilot program and because of the costs, procedures necessary to implement and the required personnel, the pilot program would not be ready until Oct. 1, if the commission directed such a program," he wrote. ★

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Along the Coast

How a man with no grand plan ended up traveling to 100 countries and circling the world aboard Air Force Two

By Mary Thurwachter

Jim Donley's six decades of travel to 100 countries could be fodder for a movie. He circled the globe as spokesman for Treasury Secretary John Connally, worked in the Caribbean for *Time* magazine, founded an international communications company, climbed the Alps, rode camels in Mongolia and helped poor countries grow their economies — and their vegetables.

But Hollywood hasn't come knocking on the Delray Beach man's door just yet, so a PowerPoint presentation highlighting his illustrious life suffices for now.

On April 17, the Palm Beach Chapter of the Circumnavigators, an exclusive club that provides travelers who have circled the world with a forum for intellectual exchange, will converge at the St. Andrew's Club. Donley, 81, will be the star.

The talk is not open to the public, but the charming globe trotter has given us a peek at his presentation and his storied life.

He has had no interest in being a tourist, he insists. His story explores why he has traveled to so many countries and what he was doing in some of them.

"Note that you will see no museums, castles or cathedrals," he explains. "I am self-indulgent and, like Forrest Gump, my face keeps popping up in the photos of unlikely places."

Born in Ohio, Donley was a football, basketball and track star at Western Reserve Academy. He joined the Army when he was 19.

"I went to military police school and was assigned to a psychological warfare unit," he says. As he sailed out of New York Harbor, he saw the Queen Mary cruise in.

"We were sent to Germany to keep an eye on Hungary, but I had my eye on plusher duty," he says. "I talked my way into a desk job as editor of the 7th Army *Sentinel Daily* newspaper covering all of Europe. I used that position to come up with ideas for me to travel and cover events such as Grace Kelly's wedding and the Winter Olympics in Cortina d'Ampezzo, Italy (in 1956)."

His years in the Army took him to 14 countries in Europe, including some in which he competed on the Army's track team as a half-miler and javelin thrower in hopes of making it to the summer Olympics.

From the Army, he returned to college, earning a bachelor of arts in development economics from Denison University and a master's in international business from the Wharton School of the University of



Jim Donley keeps a map of the world at his Delray Beach home decorated with photos from his adventures as a Cabinet aide and economic development adviser. **Tim Stepien/The Coastal Star**



Pennsylvania.

After graduate school, he spent eight years as the managing director of the Caribbean for *Time* magazine. That episode of his life took him to 15 more countries.

The next chapter took him to Washington, D.C., and around the world aboard Air Force Two as press secretary for Connally. (The former Texas governor had ridden in the limo with John F. Kennedy in 1963 when he was assassinated. Connally also was shot.)

In 1972, President Richard Nixon made his breakthrough trip to China that would lead to a balance of power shift against the Soviet Union. "It represented the U.S. making common cause with China," Donley says. "Nixon had briefed the superpowers (England, France, Japan, etc.) on the agreements he had made and used Connally, who had political power, to brief the next layer of countries. We also had bilateral trade and economic issues to negotiate."

Donley traveled with Connally everywhere he went



LEFT: Donley goes climbing in the Balkans in 1989. **ABOVE:** He taped an anniversary clipping of John F. Kennedy's motorcade through Dallas to a photo of himself conferring with then-Treasury Secretary John Connally aboard Air Force Two over India in 1972. **Photos provided**

— adding 18 more countries to his list in the process.

Donley's job was scheduling, protocol, media relations and Treasury Department issues. He brushed shoulders with presidents, shahs, kings and ambassadors.

While Donley visited Kabul, Afghanistan, there was a fellow he hadn't heard of who pressed for a meeting with Connally. His name was Red Duke, and Donley thought he sounded like some redneck who couldn't be important enough to warrant a meeting with his boss. But he mentioned the request to Connally anyway.

"Jesus, Jim, are you dumb?" Donley remembers Connally saying at the time. "He saved my life."

Red Duke was the trauma surgeon who operated on Connally in Dallas the day of the Kennedy assassination.

Dr. James H. Duke had been teaching surgery in Afghanistan when Donley met him. As it turned out, Connally and Red Duke spent many hours together in Afghanistan.

Donley left the Treasury

in 1974 (he had also served as press secretary to George Shultz) to start Donley Communications in New York City. His clients were international investment banks, accounting firms and law firms.

"I began representing offshore financial centers such as Gibraltar and Mauritius," he says. "I also followed up on my longtime interest in Eastern Europe and formed a relationship with an Austrian firm, which led me to clients in the U.S.S.R. and satellite countries before the Berlin Wall came down."

Through relationships he made while working for the Treasury Department, he did work in South Africa. He visited another 14 countries during that time.

In 1990, Donley left his company behind to do nonprofit work in economic development of poor countries.

"My principal early involvement was an organization called Technoserve, which was first a client, then I became an employee, went on the board

for 20 years and am now senior adviser."

By 1995, he started working with developing mostly rural, poor countries.

"My special interest was agriculture and the development of sub-sistence farmers into profitable businesses," he says. In Poland, he worked on quality control with garlic farmers, and in Kenya, with cabbage farmers.

"In the Ukraine, we helped develop the first tubular potatoes to fill the market needs of McDonald's and Burger King that were expanding their french fry line into Eastern Europe," he says.

Donley's longest sustained effort was in Bulgaria, where he lived for two years working for USAID as country director for the International Executive Service Corps.

"Frankly, it was a grim life and hard work with over 100 Bulgarian clients that we advised on adapting from a well-embedded communist economist theory to a market economy. But I loved the country and its people and maintain many of those relationships today."

He added 22 countries to his tally during his economic development period.

The final episode of his travel life, he says, was for adventure and curiosity, taking him to at least another 15 countries.

He reached the summits of Mount Kilimanjaro and Mont Blanc, the highest peak in the Alps. He went on a safari in Africa, sailed from Nova Scotia to Newfoundland and Labrador and skied all over Europe.

He and his wife, Toddy, rode horses and camels across the Gobi Desert.

But some of his favorite adventure travel excursions were long walks in England, Scotland and Wales.

"All the walks are hilly and take some physical endurance and you carry everything you need on your back," Donley says.

Today, with all the miles he has logged, Donley has no interest in more travel. He enjoys spending time and talking sports with his grandchildren.

Donley hopes and believes he will leave the world a little better than he found it. He feels lucky to have lived the life he has lived.

After talking about his life, Donley likes to share these fitting lines from *The Road Not Taken* poem by Robert Frost:

"I shall be telling this with a sigh.

"Somewhere ages and ages hence: Two roads diverged in a wood, and I,

"I took the one less traveled by, and that has made all the difference." ★

Delray Beach

City manager attends CRA workshop to assure goals aligned

By Jane Smith

The city of Delray Beach is working with its Community Redevelopment Agency to make sure the agency's spending aligns with city goals.

An example of that new relationship was seen March 10 when the Delray Beach city

manager and his two assistants attended the CRA goal-setting workshop for the first time.

The city has dropped its efforts to reduce the size of the CRA or the amount of property tax money the agency receives.

The city is concerned that reducing its share would lead to the county asking for a similar

reduction, said Don Cooper, city manager. "I'll take every dime," he said.

Instead, the city wants the CRA to cover an additional \$2 million in projects and services so that the city could reduce its property tax rate by 3.42 percent, according to the city's chief financial officer.

The Delray Beach property tax rate is slightly more than double the rate paid by Boca Raton property owners, but it's about 12 percent lower than the tax rate in Boynton Beach.

The proposed reduction would result in the owner of a Delray Beach home, valued at \$200,000 for tax purposes and with a \$50,000 homestead exemption, to save about \$38 a year on property taxes, CFO

Jack Warner calculated.

The extra items include two more police officers for the CRA's Clean & Safe program in the downtown area, an additional code enforcement officer for the northwest and southwest neighborhoods, increased contribution to the tennis center tournaments and covering the cost of a tennis stadium study.

CRA Chairman Reggie Cox asked his executive director to give the board options about what to pay for so that the agency sticks to its mission of curing blight.

"The tennis center dollars could be used elsewhere," Cox said.

The City Commission and CRA board have a joint

workshop planned for April 12.

"It's not gloom and doom," Cooper said. "It's just a difficult time."

For Delray Beach, most of the property value increase happens in the CRA area, which covers 20 percent of the city.

CRA board member Paul Zacks said, "I look forward to the workshop if it's cooperative, but cooperation does not mean capitulation. I am for working with the city to work out solutions."

The subject of the downtown trolley also was discussed.

Cox and board member Bill Branning were concerned about the CRA's return on investment for the \$400,000 annual operating cost. Both said ridership was too low to justify the amount.

Board members asked whether the CRA can expand its office because it now has more staff and interns and an increased workload.

Cooper suggested that they try asking the city library about its unused upstairs space since the children's area moved.

"It's a balancing act with limited resources," he said. "No one ever comes to me and asks for less."

The CRA received good news March 15 when the City Commission approved waivers and the site plan for the proposed iPic theater complex on CRA-owned land. The theater company needed those approvals to purchase the 1.59-acre site for \$3.6 million. The sale will not close until October, which means the CRA will have to wait until the start of its next budget year to be paid.

"We should be excited about where we are," said resident Chuck Ridley, also vice chairman of the West Atlantic Redevelopment Coalition.

For the past year, the CRA board members grew concerned that the agency's area might be reduced or the amount of property tax money it receives would be cut. The money talk came up at nearly every CRA meeting since last April, when a joint workshop was held with the City Commission.

"We should not be at this time in our evolution worried about reducing millage and whether we should have a CRA ... If I would close my eyes, it reminded me of the Republican (presidential) debates," Ridley said. ★

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Delray Beach

City's special-events policy will aim to recover costs, reduce numbers

By Jane Smith

For nearly a year, city staffers have toiled to create a special-events policy for Delray Beach.

Gathering staff from various departments was a bit like herding cats, Assistant City Manager Francine Ramaglia told city commissioners at their March workshop. But with the policy in place, each employee will know what is required, she said.

For the first time, the city will have a special event application fee of \$150 and require contracts that call for a deposit and cover the true cost of city staff and services and the impacts on city grounds and roads.

The policy also would create a special events office in the Parks and Recreation Department to provide a one-stop shop for festival organizers. No new staff would be hired.

Ramaglia said her goal is to return to the commission in early May with a policy that can be approved and implemented in time for festival organizers to use for next season's events.

The discussion took place just 10 days before the second annual Bacon & Bourbon Fest on Old School Square grounds. This year's fest boasted four more bourbon bars, extended hours and even a pig race — all on the city's historic grounds.

"It doesn't benefit the merchants," said Vice Mayor Shelly Petrolia. "It's held in a caged-off area. People come for the festival and then leave."

Some commissioners were exasperated about having yet another discussion on special events when the topic was brought up at two separate goal-setting sessions in the past year.

City commissioners have identified "hometown events" worthy of closing Atlantic Avenue: the Veterans Day Parade in November; the Holiday Parade and First Night in December; St. Patrick's Day Parade in March; Delray Affair, grandfathered in because it was started to honor the city's former role as the Gladiolus

Capital of the World, in April; and the Fourth of July events.

The commissioners don't want to see any other major events in those months. Major events are now defined as those lasting one day or more, costing more than \$20,000 in city services, requiring a road closure, attracting more than 10,000 people and serving alcohol.

In addition, commissioners no longer want to hold special events on Old School Square grounds. They want the Garlic Fest and other festivals moved to other areas that need promotion, such as Congress Avenue and West Atlantic.

"It's premature to talk about Congress Avenue," said Nancy Stewart-Franczak, whose Festival Management firm organizes the Garlic Fest, Bacon & Bourbon Fest and the Wine & Seafood Fest. She also sits on the special events task force.

Without a new property identified, her firm is trying to lessen the impact of its events by offering parking and security solutions.

Since June, Ramaglia and her two co-captains, Parks and Recreation Director Suzanne Davis and Economic Development Director Joan Goodrich, worked with staffers from seven other departments on the special events task force. The group also included event organizers such as the Greater Delray Beach Chamber of Commerce, Downtown Development Authority and the Delray Beach Marketing Cooperative.

They did try to get members from the community, but they stopped coming after a few meetings, Ramaglia said.

Mayor Cary Glickstein said he appreciates the group's focus on public safety and the full-cost recovery of the special

events, but more work needs to be done to cull the number of large events. He wants to see "collective pain" on the part of organizers.

He likened the objections to special events to the scale of complaints he receives about sober homes. "People want smaller events they can relate to," he said.

The Delray Beach Wine & Seafood Fest, held last November on A1A along the city's beach, was "just another honky-tonk kind of event," he said. Next time, the fest will be held on Old School Square grounds, Ramaglia said, much to the chagrin of Petrolia and Glickstein.

Savor the Avenue, which closed four blocks of Atlantic Avenue on a Monday night in March, was deemed suitable. The event features Delray Beach restaurants.

The Delray Affair will have

100 fewer booths this April because it will no longer set up on Old School Square grounds.

The mayor talked about walking the event last year along Atlantic Avenue from Andrews Avenue west to Swinton Avenue, and seeing only one person he knew. "And I've been here for 30-plus years," he said.

Compared to the previous financial year, the city is seeing a reduction of two festivals from 67 to 65 during the season and a reduction of nine from 14 to five events in the summer months.

Ramaglia said the full effect would not be seen until the fall when next financial year starts.

"Special events have been a mainstay for so many years; we need everyone's input," she said. "We want to be careful in making a change that we do not pop the balloon that helped Delray grow." ★

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Two city ballot questions pass

Delray Beach voters overwhelmingly approved changing the city charter to give the City Commission authority to appoint an internal auditor. The vote was 9,318 to 3,144.

The vote on a second referendum question, on allowing the City Commission to change its civil service code by local ordinance instead of by holding a referendum and submitting a local bill to the Florida Legislature, received a closer approval, at 6,402 to 5,569.

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assistant executive director, Briann Harms, scheduled a meeting with Miller Legg, the consultant firm developing the Red Reef plan.

Jim Miller and Michele Peel, of the Friends of Gumbo Limbo, inquired about the status of the plan and Koski invited them to sit in, he said. Harms then invited Buddy Parks, the city's deputy director of recreational services, who was not available.

Woika thinks the city was specifically excluded from the meeting, Koski said, "which was absolutely false."

"There was never an intention to exclude anybody," Koski said, "and in fact, immediately after the meeting, Briann physically took all of the documents which were discussed at that meeting to Buddy Parks' office at the city."

Koski said he sent a one-line email on March 3 to Woika: "Can we get together and discuss the master plan?" Woika

responded that evening that he was out of the office and would call the next day, Koski said.

"I've not heard from him since," he said.

"Basically, up until the point of not getting the callback, the dustup was a dustup," Beach and Park District Commissioner Earl Starkoff said.

"It was all over with," Koski said. "But here we are [on March 14] and we still have not had any reply to the request."

Koski also said having conversations with Mickey Gomez, the city's director of recreational services, "may be somewhat difficult."

Gomez told Koski he is "out of pocket because of some issue of him being involved at the Gumbo Limbo Nature Center," part of Red Reef Park. Boca Raton owns the park; the Beach and Park District pays all costs for operating and maintaining it.

Weinroth said he is frustrated that the Beach and Park District and the City Council have not held a joint session since June 9.

"I know [council member Scott] Singer during that meeting had said, 'Wouldn't it be great if we could have meetings on a quarterly basis and then we could again try to address some of the situations that we need to work on together? Things like the interlocal agreement, things like the capital plan for Gumbo Limbo, things like the tank, like the pump for the water being brought out of the ocean.' There are a lot of issues that really need to be addressed," Weinroth said.

Koski has said he started suggesting possible dates for a joint meeting in August without success.

Both Woika and Gomez disputed Koski's version of the events, Weinroth said in his March 15 email to District Chairman Robert Rollins.

"For the record ... I believe the District needs to [make] securing a permanent executive director as a top priority," Weinroth wrote.

Koski became the district's interim executive director after Robert Langford retired in 2012.

He also has a private practice and represents two people who are suing the city to block construction of a chabad on the barrier island.

Weinroth called the legal situation "problematic."

"I think at a time when we're trying to build bridges between our two bodies, I don't think that this is helpful," he said.

Koski, in an interview March 29, said he had spoken with Gomez about the master plan but still had not received a phone call or email from Woika.

"I don't want to blame anybody ... but I feel any criticism of the district is unwarranted," Koski said.

Weinroth's appearance was the second high-level get-together between the two bodies in three weeks.

Rollins had what he called "a wonderful meeting" with Mayor Susan Haynie in City Hall on Feb. 24. He told Haynie that the district would pay half the local costs of renourishing the central beach area and expects to reserve more money each year for future beach restorations.

Rollins originally planned

to address the full council at one of its workshop sessions, but Haynie advised him to talk directly with City Manager Leif Ahnell, he said. Rollins said he has also offered to meet with Singer for coffee.

"When you get eyeball to eyeball and you sit there at the same table, communications are greatly improved," Rollins said. "And my objective is to help facilitate that for us this year."

Rollins is scheduled to meet with Ahnell on April 4. Starkoff thanked Weinroth for coming.

"We don't have to have a joint meeting in order to have a nice conversation and see how messages get conveyed. That's very nice," Starkoff said.

At the next council meeting, Weinroth encouraged his colleagues to reach out to the district.

"I think that it's incumbent upon us, one on one with these commissioners, to have conversations and let them know our concerns, because obviously we can't do it as a body. We can't seem to put these [joint] meetings together." ★

Boca Raton

Open-space report to be delivered at CRA meeting

By Mary Hladky

A long-awaited report on whether downtown building projects are in compliance with the city's open-space requirements is now scheduled to be delivered at the April 11 Community Redevelopment Agency meeting.

City Manager Leif Ahnell

launched an examination of 74 downtown projects approved since 1988 after the discovery late last year of a 2003 memo used to guide planning staff on what developers can and cannot count as open space in their projects.

Ahnell and City Attorney Diana Grub Frieser say the memo misinterprets a 1988 city

ordinance that sets out open-space requirements. As a result, developers may have been able to skirt the rules on open space intended to create attractive downtown projects.

Ahnell has given no hint about what the report will say, even though CRA chairman Scott Singer has repeatedly asked him at meetings for an

update.

BocaBeautiful.org, which wants limitations on downtown development, wasn't content to wait.

President John Gore said the group hired Ames International Architecture of Delray Beach to evaluate three projects: the massive Via Mizner mixed-use complex, the Tower One Fifty Five condominium and the Palmetto Promenade mixed-use development, formerly known as Archstone.

"We knew that would take forever," Gore said of the city evaluation.

The conclusion? "There was no violation" of the open-space requirements, although Via Mizner, which will include apartments, condos and a Mandarin Oriental hotel, just barely met them, according to Ames International.

But that doesn't mean all is well, Gore said.

Ames International also found that "clearly there are a number of buildings that are in violation of the architectural design provisions," he said.

While Gore said that doesn't necessarily mean they violate the "letter of the law," they fall short of the "spirit of the law" that new projects should be harmonious with Boca Raton's signature Addison Mizner architectural style.

"There is no way Via Mizner Phase 1 comports with the Mizner style," Gore said. "If the City Council had been enforcing the spirit of the law and architectural guidelines, they would never have allowed that building to be built."

Gore exempts from his critique Tower One Fifty Five, saying the design is acceptable. The two others are "ugly boxes."

So, BocaBeautiful.org will continue urging the City Council to prevent downtown overdevelopment and "to approve development that is consistent with the architecture and history of Boca Raton," he said.

Gore and other downtown activists say the city went overboard in analyzing buildings constructed since 1988.

"We are not worried about something built 15 years ago," he said. "What we are concerned about is development going on right now."

The open-space requirements are contained in Ordinance 4035.

For example, if a building is taller than 75 feet, 40 percent of the land must be open space. At least 65 percent of the required open space must be uncovered from the ground to the sky. The remainder can be in covered areas such as colonnades or areas under balconies.

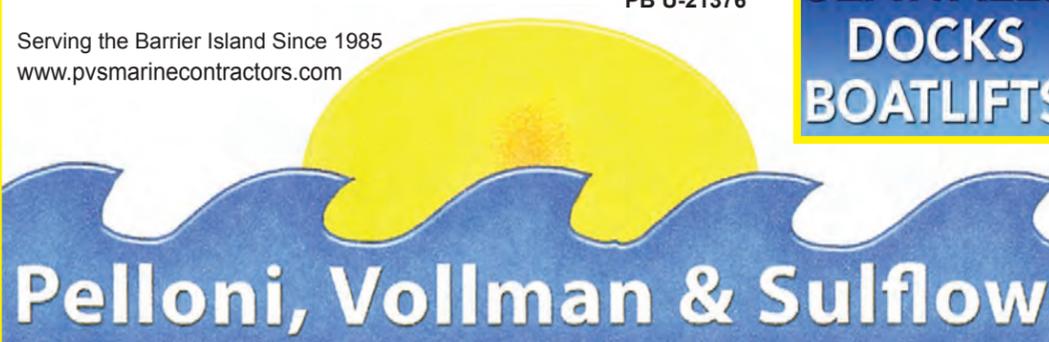
But Downtown Manager Ruby Childers told the City Council on Jan. 11 that the 2003 memo incorrectly allows developers to count certain features as open space, such as areas under archways. Over time, the list has been expanded to include upper-story balconies, pool decks and more. It also incorrectly states that open-space language in the ordinance was adopted as a guideline, not a requirement, she said.

Since the memo was unearthed, the approval process for downtown development projects has ground nearly to a halt as the city conducts the open-space evaluation. ★

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Boca Raton



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Historical Society Bacchanal sports changes

By Deborah S. Hartz-Seeley

This year's Boca Bacchanal, sporting some innovations, is expected to attract more than 1,500 people. The 14th Boca Bacchanal food and wine fest will be held April 8 and 9 as a fundraiser for the Boca Raton Historical Society.



As in previous years, Friday is time for the Bacchanalia. It's a food and wine extravaganza to be held at Mizner Park Amphitheater. Partygoers will be treated to sips of fine wines and menu samples from more than 30 restaurants.

Saturday night, those who are lucky enough to have reserved seats will be hosted at one of six vintner dinners held in private homes as well as at the Boca Raton Resort and Club.

During these, the attendees will learn about the wines they'll be drinking from the vintners themselves. And each dinner menu will be the work of a nationally acclaimed chef imported for the evening.

But for those who want to see what's new this year, look no further than Friday night starting with the Bacchanalia VIP pre-party. At this exclusive kickoff event, you'll get up close and personal with the six visiting vintners, including Janet Pouchot of Craggy Range winery, from New Zealand; Justin King of the King Estate Winery, in Eugene, Ore.; and William Barnes of Vins de Bordeaux, France.

Of course, an auction is a big part of Bacchanalia. But for the first time this year, tech-savvy attendees will be able to take advantage of BidPal. It's an app you can download onto your smartphone or tablet and use to preview auction items as well as keep track of and place bids from any place in the room.

"That way you don't have to interrupt your sipping and eating to keep up with the action on your favorite auction packages," says Sarah Caro, communications representative for the event.

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Boca Raton is that they have started this interesting development on the Congress Avenue corridor north of Glades Road near the mall," Jacks said. "It is very pedestrian-friendly. A lot of sales activities have occurred around that area, and of course, everything around the university is booming."

"Remarkable" is how Jacks described the city's commercial zone development and she described the Congress Avenue corridor projects as a "very thoughtful way to move your city westward."

"It seems Boca Raton often sets the trend in our county," Jacks said. She noted that Delray Beach is also starting to redevelop its Congress Avenue corridor.

"Boca Raton is a big city in a lot of ways. It's good to see Boca Raton

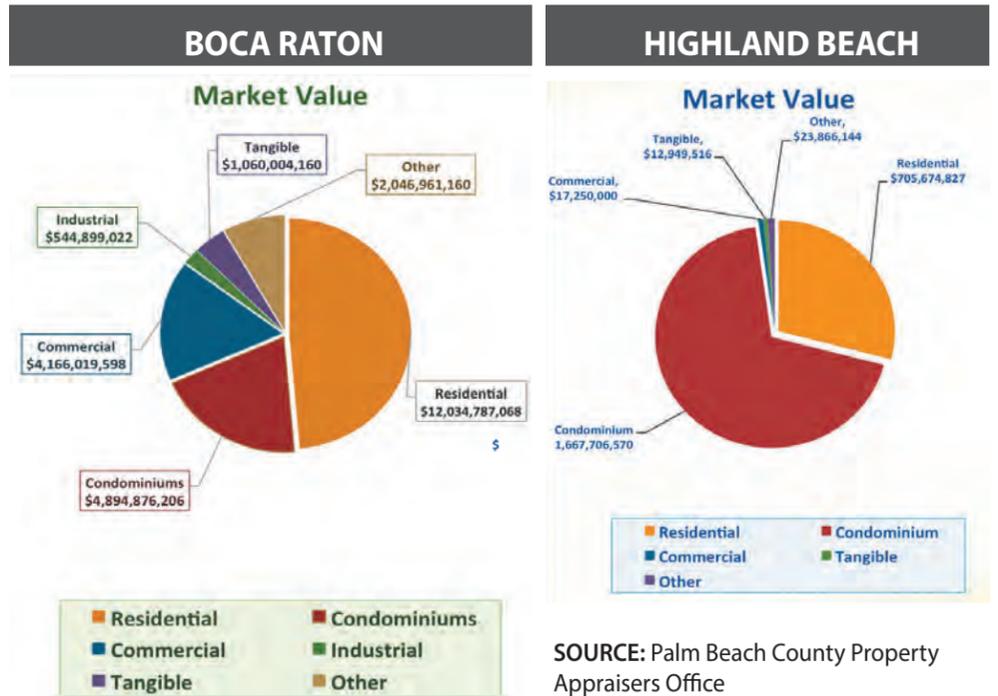
raising values and then maintaining them," Jacks said. "It just points to a well-run city. Boca Raton has always been a well-run city. They are always thinking about their future."

Boca Raton Mayor Susan Haynie said the city has become an employment hub with a successful transportation network, a growing university and affordable housing that is being built close to retail and business.

"All facets of our community are world-class and that has been reflected in these property values," Haynie said.

She added, "We are very fortunate that those who came before us understood the value of a very vibrant tax base and we also are fortunate our city manager is also a CPA."

"It seems well thought out," Jacks said of Boca's growth. ★



Boca Raton

Consultant identifies possible fixes for Wildflower corner

By Steve Plunkett

The intersection of East Palmetto Park Road and Fifth Avenue may get one, two or three changes to improve traffic flow.

Eric Czerniejewski, a project manager for consultant Calvin, Giordano and Associates, suggests restoring a left-turn lane for eastbound vehicles on Palmetto Park, taking property on the northeast corner through eminent domain, and adding a left-turn lane for northbound Fifth Avenue drivers who want to go west.

If the city were to choose all three possibilities, Czerniejewski said at a public

hearing March 23, average wait times at the sometimes-clogged intersection would drop by a cumulative 37.5 seconds.

The consultant based his analysis on traffic figures the city collected in September and also got peak-season numbers through observations on March 11.

"We also had aerial drones flown," he said.

Czerniejewski analyzed the traffic flow based on current demands as well as anticipated demands from projects that have been approved but not built, including Palmetto Promenade (Archstone), Boca Lofts, Chabad of East Boca, Hyatt Place Hotel, Tower One

Fifty Five and a restaurant at the Wildflower site. He also added projections for 1.2 million square feet of space remaining in the downtown Development of Regional Impact area.

By 2040, he said, drivers at the Palmetto Park/Fifth Avenue intersection will wait an average of 57.7 seconds. Not building a restaurant at the Wildflower site would cut the wait only one-tenth of a second, he said.

By comparison, the current average wait at Palmetto Park Road and A1A is 19.4 seconds; at Palmetto Park Road and Federal Highway it's 131.2 seconds.

Residents at a hearing in November gave their highest

priorities to having wider sidewalks and more, safer bicycle lanes at Palmetto Park and Fifth, examining the valet operation at the Trattoria Romano restaurant on the northwest corner, and taking some land on the northeast corner by eminent domain to make right turns from westbound Palmetto easier.

Czerniejewski recommended that Boca Raton enforce the valet parking agreement it has with Trattoria Romano. He said he observed the valet parkers putting cones on the public sidewalk on the west side of Northeast Fifth and also saw "conflicts" at its southernmost driveway.

Restoring the left-turn lane

from eastbound Palmetto to northbound Fifth Avenue saved the most money — \$3.8 million a year — as calculated by drivers' time spent waiting, Czerniejewski said. The option would also cut the queue of vehicles at the intersection from almost 21 to nine for through traffic and 11 for those turning left.

An option many neighborhood residents favored, adding a right-turn lane from southbound Fifth Avenue onto westbound Palmetto Park, would save only \$89,435 in drivers' time spent waiting, he said.

Czerniejewski plans to bring a final report to the City Council sometime in May. ★

Police to get new radio system

By Sallie James

Boca Raton is spending about \$3.5 million to replace, install and maintain a state-of-the-art public safety radio system.

City Council members in March voted to contract with Motorola Solutions Inc. for the system. Both the city and county are replacing their radio systems with hi-tech wireless communications systems.

Boca is piggybacking on a county proposal for the radio system's installation. The contract includes 15 years of maintenance and other costs.

The new system is "P25 compliant," a standard for the manufacturing of wireless communication systems that can work with other systems.

"The new P25 radio system will afford us total interoperability throughout the county," said Boca

Raton Police spokeswoman Sandra Boonenberg. "The current system, although 16 years old, is and has been extremely reliable, but the new system will give us better coordination with the other agencies, which in turn will enable us to be more efficient and effective."

According to the city, the "public radio system provided by Motorola through this contract is a turnkey project that includes equipment, services, software and installation."

A breakdown of the costs follows:

- \$1.7 million for equipment, software, services and installation;
- \$1.5 million for annual maintenance for years two through 16 of the contract;
- \$300,000 for lifecycle costs, including software upgrades and technology updates. ★

March downpour surprises city

By Sallie James

When it rains, it pours, which it did late in March inside City Hall when heavy storms blew through southern Palm Beach County and a clogged roof drain caused a huge leak.

During a driving rainstorm on March 24, rainwater pooled on a second-floor flat roof, sending water pouring through the second-floor ceiling and then onto the first floor at City Hall, at 201 W. Palmetto Park Road, said city spokeswoman Chrissy Biagiotti.

The result? A watery mess that caused more than 2 inches of water to pool on the first and second floors of City Hall. The soggy deluge displaced recreation services and risk management employees from their offices and temporarily shut down the one-stop customer service center.

"Thankfully we didn't have computer and electrical damage," Biagiotti said. "Restoration crews came in immediately and began their process of blowing fans, etc. There is no estimate on damages yet."

"It's crazy," said City Council member Jeremy Rodgers, who was out of town and missed the flood. "I heard it happened because leaves gummed up the downspout. It just shows how maintenance is important."

The storm kept Boca Raton Fire Rescue

hopping. All 16 units from the city's eight stations were busy all night answering calls, said Fire Department spokesman Aaron Oatley.

Buildings in other parts of the city also had flooding problems.

At the Town Center at Boca Raton mall at 6000 Glades Road, the heavy storms sent rain pouring through rear doors and into several stores, causing unwanted rivulets and puddles spread throughout.

Employees at Marciano women's clothing store said their shop in the mall flooded when water poured in through a back room during the height of the storm.

"We had to evacuate customers out of the store. It [was so deep] it covered my foot. The floors were completely soaked. Water got under the tile," said Marciano's assistant manager Bea Lopez. Fortunately, no merchandise was damaged, she said.

Yankee Candle assistant manager Sandy Alvarez said the front of her store got wet but everything was fine.

"People were walking through puddles, especially near the food court," Alvarez said. "In some areas there was enough water to cover your shoes."

Business was back to normal the next day.

Flooding was also reported at Florida Atlantic University in the library area. ★

Delray Beach

iPic squeaks by with commission OK to proceed

By Jane Smith

The iPic theater complex will go forward in the heart of Delray Beach by the slimmest of approval ratings.

On March 15, the City Commission signed off on three waivers and a site plan by a 3-2 vote. The project will occupy 1.59 acres just south of Atlantic Avenue between Southeast Fourth and Fifth avenues.

Vice Mayor Shelly Petrolia and Commissioner Mitch Katz voted no. Katz didn't think iPic did enough to reduce its size, as directed. The 94,912 square foot iPic complex will be a mixed-use development of eight movie theaters with 497 seats taking up 44,979 square feet, 42,446 square feet of offices and 7,487 square feet of retail. Petrolia suggested they cut a movie theater to make the project a better fit.

"We need eight movie theaters to be economically viable," said Bonnie Miskel, iPic's attorney. By cutting 32 seats, iPic is losing \$1.5 million annually, she said. "We are widening that alley by 8 feet and making the upper deck a public area."

The March commission meeting began with drama.

Miskel, seeing that iPic CEO Hamid Hashemi and Commissioner Al Jacquet were not there, requested a delay to the next month's meeting.

Jacquet opened a campaign account in January for his expected run for Florida House District 88. Two Hashemi-linked companies and iPic each donated \$1,000 to Jacquet's House campaign.

The postponement motion failed with Katz and Petrolia voting no, even after the city attorney explained the liability of due process.

"They pulled this agenda switching on other boards," Katz said, and pushed other projects back. If iPic wants to postpone, he wanted to see the project go to the back of the approval-process line and wait six months.

Jacquet said he was late because he was heavily involved in Super Tuesday. Hashemi said he was stuck in traffic in Miami. They both showed by the time the City Commission discussed iPic around 7:45 p.m.

The project received the go-ahead with conditions. Mayor Cary Glickstein asked for a separate developer's agreement from the city's Community Redevelopment Agency, which owns the former library and chamber of commerce site.

"The poor work product created a lot of problems here before us," Glickstein said.

He is concerned about traffic on Federal Highway from vehicles dropping off passengers going to the movies. The theater has a pedestrian

entrance on Federal Highway.

"I want to see uniformed officers on Federal Highway and if [iPic] gets complacent," Glickstein said, "I want the city to position its officers at their expense."

In addition, he wants a guarantee from iPic that it would move its corporate headquarters to Delray Beach for five years.

Before the vote, he also criticized iPic's attorney for making "amateur moves," such as the mystery of the corporate office and the one at the start of the meeting where Miskel asked for a delay because two people weren't there.

The actions, he said, "made our jobs more difficult when we are trying to support what we think is a good project."

The complex relies on its valet system to work. Glickstein wants that language strengthened so that the city decides whether it is operating well and not iPic.

Commissioner Katz wanted to make sure residents understood why he would not support the waivers. He likened iPic to Delray Place, home to a Trader Joe's grocery store.

"Two years later residents near Delray Place are upset about the waivers granted to get that Trader Joe's," he said. "Rolling out the red carpet does not mean we make exception to our rules just to have a movie theater or a Trader Joe's."

In other action, commissioners:

- Denied single-level parking lifts for Swinton Commons.

- Adopted the pet sales ban that allows sales of rescue cats and dogs only in an attempt to cut off the supply from puppy mills. Waggs to Riches is the only store that sells dogs in the city. The store has six months to comply. The store's owner could not be reached for comment.

- Approved spending \$11,929 for design and permitting services with Wantman Group Inc. for a wheelchair-accessible walkway to the Atlantic Avenue Beach Pavilion.

- Awarded a reclaimed water system contract for \$2.7 million to Mancon Inc. It was the lowest bidder and will build the system in a .7-mile stretch of the barrier island between Causarina and Poinsettia roads. Work will begin this month.

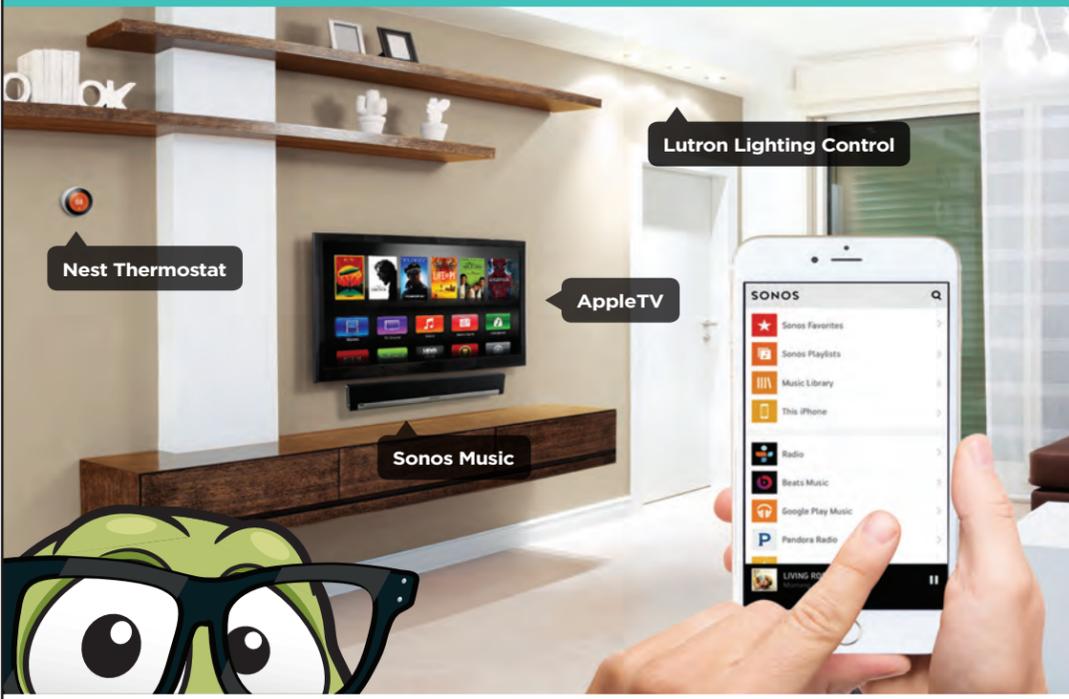
- Authorized the city manager to monitor vacancies at the city marina and determine whether lower rates are needed. The city recently increased its rental rates by nearly 56 percent to \$28 a square foot for those living aboard their boats. The city raised the rates partially to cover the marina costs, including new docks and repairing or replacing the seawall. ★

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Along the Coast

State responds to rise in overdose deaths with new legislation

By Mary Hladky

Facing an epidemic of drug overdose deaths, Florida lawmakers passed a number of bills in the recently completed legislative session that take steps to rein in the problem.

"I think the Legislature has really developed an understanding of the impact of substance abuse disorders and mental health ... and an understanding of the epidemic we are facing with heroin and opioids," said Mark Fontaine, executive director of the Florida Alcohol and Drug Abuse Association. "These bills together show a deliberate effort by the Legislature to start addressing how we can be more effective to deliver care, respond to the opioid/heroin epidemic and coordinate services."

The legislative action comes as drug overdose deaths have surged in Palm Beach County, the state and the nation.

The number of deaths jumped to 368 in the county last year, a 62.8 percent increase since 2013, according to data released by the Palm Beach County Medical Examiner's Office in late February.

Palm Beach County Chief Medical Examiner Dr. Michael Bell has said he thinks the mixing of heroin with fentanyl is causing the increase in drug overdose deaths.

Nationally, drug overdose

deaths have increased 137 percent since 2000, claiming nearly 500,000 lives, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention reported in January. The biggest driver is the increased use of heroin and opioid pain relievers.

Drugs outlawed by category

One of the most significant new laws in Florida is the Designer Drugs Enforcement Act, proposed by Attorney General Pam Bondi.

The law bans categories of drugs, such as those related to synthetic marijuana, rather than individual chemical compounds. It is aimed at solving the perpetual problem of illicit drug makers tweaking the composition of a drug so that it is not on the list of illegal substances.

"It advances the ability to classify dangerous substances as being illegal even before they appear," said James Hall, a Nova Southeastern University epidemiologist who studies substance abuse and drug outbreaks.

In the past, it could take years to recognize the threat of a new compound and await legislative action to outlaw it.

"We have had over 300 new drugs appearing in the illicit market in the last 10 years," Hall said.

Delivery of services reformed

Lawmakers also approved

wide-ranging reforms in a single bill aimed at improving the delivery of mental health and substance abuse treatment services.

One key provision is a "no wrong door" policy so people who need treatment can get it regardless of whether they have committed a crime or have a personal crisis. It creates central receiving facilities intended to channel people to emergency care and intervention services.

It also "aligns" the legal processes for assessment, evaluation and receipt of services under the Baker Act and the Marchman Act. The Baker act allows for involuntary examination or commitment of those with mental illnesses who may be a threat to themselves or others. The Marchman Act allows for involuntary commitment of those undergoing a substance abuse crisis.

Some other new laws

• A pilot program for Miami-Dade County that will allow drug addicts to exchange their dirty needles for free, clean ones. The aim is to reduce new HIV and hepatitis C infections caused by sharing needles and to give drug users information about treatment programs and other resources.

Hall said the hope is to expand the program statewide. "That has been identified as a critical need with the rise in

opioid deaths across the state," he said.

The bill was stalled for three years in the legislature because some say it would encourage drug use, although studies have shown that is not the case, he said.

• A requirement that pharmacies sell lock boxes for prescription drugs to prevent drugs from getting into the wrong hands and to display signs saying the boxes are available for purchase.

• A tool to combat prescription opioid abuse by making it easier for physicians to prescribe abuse-deterrent prescription opioids. These pills are more difficult to crush by addicts who want to smoke, snort or inject the drugs. Crushing drugs bypasses time-release properties, making overdose more likely.

While Hall and Fontaine are glad to see the new legislation, they said much work remains to be done.

"Florida has not kept up with the demand for treatment," Hall said. "Until we address addiction through treatment and prevention programs and intervention and counseling, the cycle will continue."

Fontaine agrees.

"We remain behind the rest of the country in funding for mental health and substance abuse treatment in proportion to the population," he said. "Some of the other states

have taken a more aggressive approach to the heroin epidemic."

Substance abuse, especially the rising use of heroin, has become an urgent topic at the national level and addressed by both Republican and Democratic presidential candidates.

In March, the U.S. Senate passed a broad drug treatment and prevention bill 94-1. The measure authorizes money for treatment programs for addicts, including those in jail. It also strengthens prescription drug monitoring programs and expands the availability of the drug naloxone, which helps reverse overdoses.

But a fight continues over extra funding for the programs, and the fate of the legislation in the U.S. House is uncertain.

Also in March, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention released new guidelines for prescription painkillers, recommending that doctors try pain relievers such as ibuprofen before prescribing highly addictive pills.

The guidelines are intended to change the practices of doctors dating back 20 years when they began prescribing opioids for routine pain. Since then, opioid painkillers such as OxyContin, Percocet and Vicodin have become the most widely prescribed drugs in the country. ★

Congresswoman to host private roundtable chat on sober houses

By Jane Smith

Another ray of hope for South County coastal cities

overwhelmed with sober home complaints comes via U.S. Rep. Lois Frankel's office. She is holding a roundtable

discussion May 2 on sober homes. Her office has invited mayors, city managers and city attorneys to the Delray

Beach discussion, which will take place in private. An assistant secretary of the Housing and Urban Development Department, Gustavo Velasquez, also will attend.

Frankel's district spans the coastal areas of northern Broward County and southern Palm Beach County up to Riviera Beach. Her office could not say how many cities would be represented at the May 2 roundtable. Delray Beach and Boca Raton officials intend to be there.

The roundtable was originally set for March 11, but it was canceled when a HUD official became sick and was unable to make the trip.

Cities, including Boca Raton and Delray Beach, lost court cases when sober homes

and their clients sued under federal disability and fair housing laws. Sometimes the judges awarded multimillion-dollar damages to the sober home operators and their clients. Addicts in recovery are seen as a family unit that is protected under federal laws.

Prior to the afternoon discussion, Delray Beach officials will take Frankel and Velasquez on a tour of sober homes in their city. Mayor Cary Glickstein estimates that the city has hundreds of single-family and multifamily sober homes, most of which are not certified.

Later in the day, they will hold a news conference on the sober home issue. ★

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Delray Beach

Revived drug users to get help toward recovery resources

By Rich Pollack

Drug users who overdose and are rescued with the use of the medication naloxone may soon be getting long-term recovery help from an unexpected source — the Delray Beach Police Department.

Police Chief Jeff Goldman, working in conjunction with the Delray Beach Drug Task Force, hopes to begin a pilot program this month in which the department connects overdose survivors with trained social-service advocates who can help get those who are willing back into recovery.

“This is a recovery community but we don’t want it to be a relapse community,” Goldman said. “Our goal is to get these people help.”

Initially, the pilot program will use social workers and addiction professionals provided on a volunteer basis by members of the drug task force, which includes several recovery-related professional and nonprofit organizations.

Goldman hopes to eventually create a full-time paid special population advocate position within the department, with a scope that would include working on reducing relapses among drug users hospitalized as a result of overdoses.

“My goal is to hire someone to work for the Police Department,” he said, adding that the individual would also be available to assist other groups, including the homeless and those suffering from mental illness.

To help cover the costs, the Police Department is teaming up with the drug task force in search of available grants that could be used to defray some expenses.

“Our job is to ensure public safety,” Goldman said. “It goes beyond putting bad people in jail. If we’re able to get these people into recovery and reduce the number of relapses, then we’re assuring a better quality of life for all in our community.”

Goldman said his department is using a three-pronged approach locally to address the national heroin epidemic, which he says is responsible for about 30 overdoses a month in Delray Beach. That approach includes education, enforcement and lifesaving techniques, such as the use of naloxone.

Law enforcement tools, including arrests of chronic offenders, will be used in cases where individuals don’t seek help getting into recovery, the chief said.

“The No. 1 reason we’re doing this is because it’s a concern to our community,” he said.

While details of the process

are still being worked out, Goldman says the volunteers and eventually the advocate would probably be introduced to individuals recovering from an overdose by an officer or investigator gathering follow-up information. Currently, the department contacts those treated with naloxone by either police or paramedics to gather information that can be used in a criminal investigation.

Last month, the Delray Beach Police Department became only the second law enforcement agency in the state to train officers on how to use naloxone to revive those overdosing on heroin or other opioids.

Officers administered naloxone seven times in the first 15 days of March, while paramedics administered the drug 44 times through March 24.

Suzanne Spencer, executive director of the Delray Beach Drug Task Force, sees the pilot program as an important next step in helping those who are revived after an overdose.

“We have a responsibility to look beyond just handling a crisis,” she said. “You have to look deeper into where the problems are coming from. This is a longer term intervention that can help to break the cycle of addiction.” ★

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Ocean Ridge



Consultants suggest redoing a building with restrooms and offices, reconfiguring the docks and refurbishing the area. Photos by Jerry Lower/The Coastal Star

Ocean Inlet Park plans are drawn, but no money is available

By Rich Pollack

Plans for improvements to Palm Beach County's aging Ocean Inlet Park at the Boynton Inlet are in the works, but the timeline for when drawings will be converted into actual work is still up in the air.

A consulting firm has drawn up preliminary conceptual plans for the nearly 30-year-old park, which would include replacing a building that houses offices and bathrooms, reconfiguring docks and generally sprucing up the popular recreational area.

The problem is that there is no money available for the project, which has an estimated \$5 million price tag.

Still, county officials are optimistic that the money will be freed up eventually, and they want to be ready when that happens.

"There's no doubt that funding will be available at some point," said Eric Call, Palm Beach County's director of parks and recreation.

Call said wear and tear on facilities have taken their toll and improvements would not only enhance the park's appearance but also address potential safety issues.

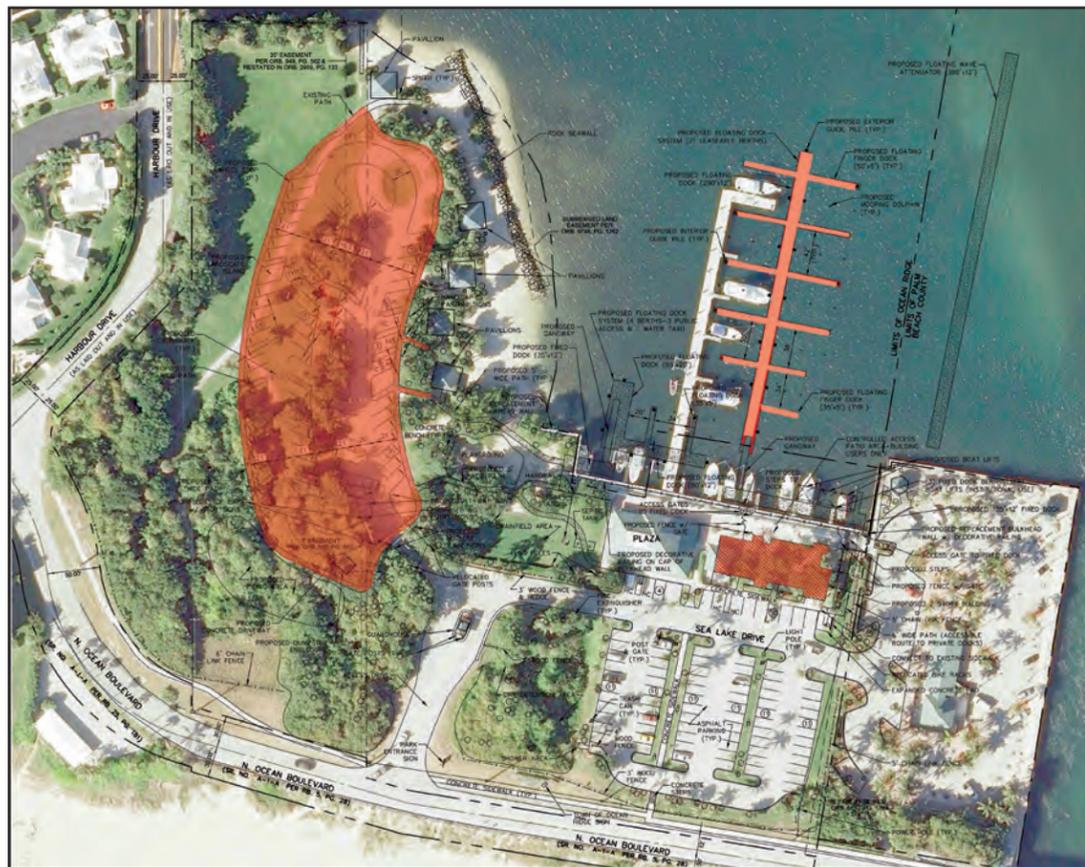
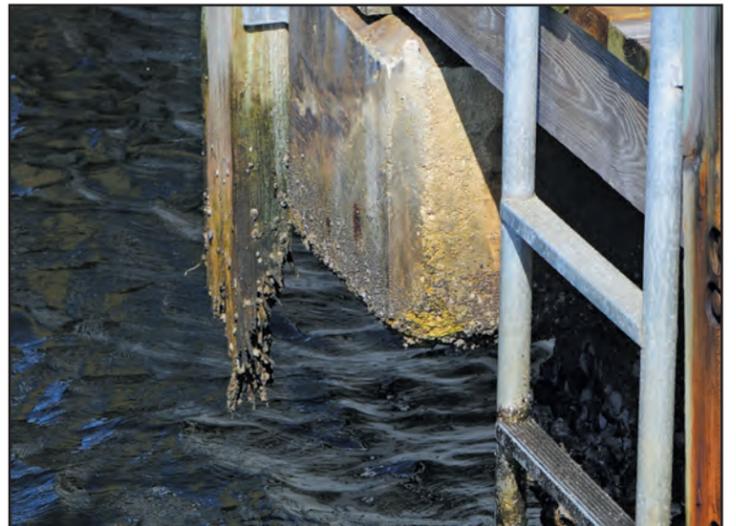
"Over the past decade, there has been significant settling of the seawall and patio area, deterioration of the docks and piers, and significant wear and tear on a 28-year-old building that is no longer serving the needs of the department," he said.

Call said that the picnic area at the southern end of the park as well as the beachfront area adjacent to docks on the park's Intracoastal Waterway side are popular, especially on weekends and holidays.

"We want to improve all support facilities necessary to meet the recreational needs of our residents," he said.



ABOVE: The dock at Ocean Inlet Park, almost 30 years old, has rotting wood fenders and other failings. BELOW: Plans call for a two-story structure with a residence for the dockmaster on the second floor, expanded parking and a new dock (in red). The county parks director says 'there's no doubt that funding will be available at some point.' Rendering provided



Conceptual plans for the park's renovations, drawn up by the consulting firm of Alan Gerwig & Associates of Wellington, call for the demolition of a two-story building that includes

bathrooms and offices used by the county's ocean rescue team and by Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office personnel.

It would be replaced by a more functional two-story building that would include

bathrooms and offices that would serve as headquarters for the Palm Beach County Ocean Rescue's south district and perhaps other marine enforcement-related organizations.

The big change would be on the second floor, which Call says would be used as a residence for a dockmaster.

Seawalls damaged over time would be strengthened and there would be some improvements to the playground area, Call said.

Plans also call for improved landscaping on the south end of the park and widening of a footpath. Also being considered is the addition of about 35 parking spaces and the reconfiguration of the docks that would include one space designated for a water taxi.

At this point, Call said, there are no plans to make improvements to the north end of the park, adjacent to the inlet, but improvements could be made in later phases of the project.

As plans evolve, Call is seeking feedback from neighboring Ocean Ridge officials. He has already run conceptual drawings by Ocean Ridge Police Chief Hal Hutchins for input regarding public safety issues.

Eventually, plans for the park will be brought before the Town Commission for approval. ★

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Along the Coast

Report on fire district plan weeks from completion

By Dan Moffett

It could take at least another month before six barrier island communities learn the results of a feasibility study on a plan to create a special fire district.

Robert Finn, a consultant with Matrix Consulting Group, told members of the towns' exploratory group in March that he was still gathering information. After Matrix collects the data it needs, Finn says, he can go forward with an analysis and then make recommendations.

"It could take another month or two" to get the completed report, said Manalapan Town Manager Linda Stumpf.

Along with Manalapan, Gulf Stream, Briny Breezes, Ocean Ridge, South Palm Beach and Highland Beach are trying to determine whether it makes sense to create their own tax district to provide fire-rescue services for themselves, rather than relying on mainland providers — Delray Beach, Boynton Beach and Palm Beach County.

The group of six had hoped

to have the findings by now, but scheduling over the holidays and problems getting data from the county have delayed progress.

Finn sent the group a preliminary draft that reflects how the towns currently obtain services for their residents and what the costs are.

"This serves as our factual understanding and assumptions as we move forward with developing the alternatives for providing fire/EMS services on the barrier island," Finn said. "There are no findings or recommendations at this point in the process, just facts as we understand them."

Among the many things the group hopes to learn from the study are what it would cost to start the proposed district, how much it would cost to run it and what the impact might be on response times.

William Thrasher, the Gulf Stream town manager who organized the group, says the study results will go to the towns' commissions and councils to determine whether the plan moves forward. ★



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Highland Beach

Town invites residents for fun and info

Highland Beach residents will have a chance to register their pets with the town's Police Department, shred old documents and also enjoy hotdogs and sodas during the town's Spring Fling Community Event from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. April 16.

Highland Beach's version of a community block party, the Spring Fling will be held in the Town Hall parking lot.

"This is a chance for our residents to get together for a fun and informational event," said Town Clerk Valerie Oakes.

The event is, in part, a response to requests from residents who were hoping the town would sponsor an event where documents could

be shredded. Commissioners and town staff decided to take it to the next level and add other activities, including arts and crafts and face painting for children as well as blood pressure checks for adults.

In addition, residents can also have their pets photographed by the Police Department, with the photos then entered into a database to make recovery of lost — or found — pets easier. Organizers also hope to have a few pets, available for adoption, on hand.

For more information, visit the town's website, www.highlandbeach.us or call Town Hall at 278-4548.

— Rich Pollack

Boca Raton

Central beach project starts

Dredging operations to renourish the central beach area of Boca Raton were set to begin March 29, the city said.

Contractor Weeks Marine Inc. will dredge approximately 530,000 cubic yards of sand from two borrow areas about 2,500 feet offshore and place it on the beach immediately south of Red Reef Park and

continuing south to the Boca Raton Inlet. The project area is about 1.45 miles long. Construction operations will occur on a 24/7 basis until the project is completed.

The city is posting updates on its website, www.myboca.us. Click on "Central Beach Renourishment Project."

— Steve Plunkett

Boca Raton

Leatherback turtle digs season's first nest

By Steve Plunkett

A leatherback sea turtle has made it official: Nesting season has begun.

Marine turtle specialists from the Gumbo Limbo Nature Center discovered Boca Raton's first sea turtle nest of the season just after sunrise March 24 in South Beach Park. Due to the beach renourishment project in that area, the leatherback nest was relocated outside of the project zone to Red Reef Park. A total of 96 eggs and 23 "spacers," or yolkless eggs, were found in the egg chamber. The mother leatherback also left two spacers in the center of her track on the way back to the ocean.

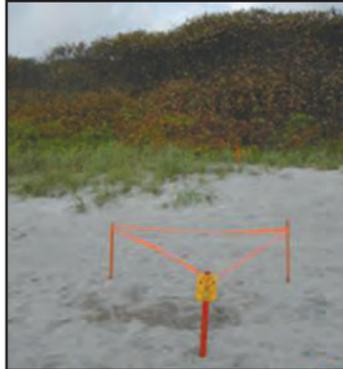
A second leatherback nest was discovered March 28.

Turtle eggs take about two months to hatch.

Gumbo Limbo marked the start of the season March 5 with its annual Sea Turtle Day, which drew 6,000 people, said Jim Miller, president of the Friends of Gumbo Limbo, which organizes the festival.

"Some long lines, but I think everybody was enjoying themselves. The weather was good. It was a really good day," Miller said.

Nesting season for sea turtles in South Florida is March 1 to Oct. 31. Boca Raton's daily count is posted



TOP: A marine turtle specialist extracts eggs from the nest in South Beach Park. The eggs were relocated to Red Reef Park (above) so a beach renourishment project would not disturb them. **Photos courtesy of city of Boca Raton**

at www.gumbolimbo.org/nesting. Last year there were 718 loggerhead nests, 298 green turtle nests and 25 leatherback nests.

The Green Turtle Gallop, a 10K run benefiting Gumbo Limbo's sea turtle rehabilitation facility, will be at 7:15 a.m. April 3 at Spanish River Park. A



ABOVE: Children climb on the leatherback exhibit at Gumbo Limbo during Sea Turtle Day. **LEFT:** Photo enthusiasts check out one of the many festival exhibits. **Photos by Tim Stapien/The Coastal Star**

1-mile fun run will be at 7:20.

Much-needed medical equipment bought with proceeds from previous races includes two blood centrifuges, Doppler heart monitors, electrocautery scalpel units, and an endoscope and endoscope biopsy tool. ★

South Palm Beach

Mayor cites progress in getting easements for beach restoration plan

By Dan Moffett

Mayor Bonnie Fischer and Town Manager Bob Vitas are going door-to-door along the South Palm Beach oceanfront, selling the town's beach restoration plan to residents.

Much of their campaign is spent debunking rumors and distortions. But their main focus is getting 16 easements from the 16 property owners on the 5/8-mile coastline.

"If one says no, then we don't have a project," Vitas said.

The easements will allow engineers and surveyors to begin setting the stage for the installation of seven groins that officials hope will restore the town's shrinking beaches and slow erosion for maybe — just maybe — the next 50 years.

The \$5 million restoration plan for South Palm Beach is nearly 10 years in the making and is built on a partnership between governments that have committed to split the bill: The federal government will pay 50 percent of the project, the county will pay 30 percent from its tourism bed tax coffers, and the town will have to cover the remaining 20 percent.

South Palm Beach has been putting money away for years, even during the Great



Under the proposal, seven concrete groins will run perpendicular to the shore stretching up to 75 feet out into the ocean. This conceptual drawing shows the groins uncovered, but they will be buried under 7 feet of sand. The sand will gradually wash away and the beach will need renourishment every two or three years. **Conceptual drawing provided by Palm Beach County**

Recession, and has \$1.5 million in reserves earmarked for restoration.

But nothing happens unless Fischer and Vitas sell the 16 property owners — mostly condominium association boards — on allowing the easements.

"Things have been going well so far," Fischer said. "But there are so many rumors and so much false information out there."

Much of the confusion stems from a poor understanding of groins. What are they and how

will they work?

Groins are concrete panels that are mounted on concrete support piles. Think of them as similar in structure to the concrete sound walls that are erected along Interstate 95 to shield neighborhoods from noise.

The seven groins will run perpendicular to the shoreline, some of them stretching as far as 75 feet into the ocean. Once the groins are installed, you won't know they're there, engineers promise, because they will be buried under 7 feet

of sand and planted deep into the ocean's hard bottom. The groins will not be attached to the condo seawalls.

Over time, the ocean will take its toll, gradually carrying the sand away from the groins. Engineers expect that every two or three years more sand will have to be brought in to keep the groins covered. The cost of this replenishment is expected to average about \$200,000 a year and is the town's responsibility to pay.

The goal of the project is to stabilize the town's shoreline

and maintain about 75 feet of beach from one end of South Palm Beach to the other.

Fischer and Vitas say they hope to have the 16 property owners committed to allowing the easements by the end of April. The county then could sign off in June on beginning the survey work.

But the heavy construction is still many months away. The target date for beginning installation of the groins is somewhere between the fall of 2017 and the spring of 2018, Fischer said. ★

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Boynton Beach

CRA approves city half-acre for Ocean One

By Jane Smith

In a surprise move for area waterfront residents, the Boynton Beach Community Redevelopment Agency and investor Davis Camalier are working to make an eight-story apartment complex planned for the southeast corner of Federal Highway and Boynton Beach Boulevard a reality.

The day before the agency's March meeting, its attorney gave the go-ahead to add the Ocean One project and adjacent CRA-owned land to the agenda. Camalier's team wants the CRA land, a .47-acre parcel recently appraised at \$460,000, for \$10. The board accepted his letter of intent by a 4-1 vote.

Then-Commissioner Mike Fitzpatrick objected.

"I am not in favor of doing such a deal early on; [if so], the weaker the city's bargaining position will be," he said. "We

should not be flying off and giving something away without understanding the whole project."

Fitzpatrick was defeated in the March 15 municipal election.

CRA Executive Director Vivian Brooks said the agency bought the parcel as part of a land deal in 2002 for \$900,000. "We lost a lot of it to the improvements" of Boynton Beach Boulevard, she said. She recommends transferring the CRA property at the time Ocean One gets its construction loan. Including the CRA's land, the project is 1.98 acres.

Brooks told the CRA board that the Ocean One development team did not ask for other incentives. Brooks also said the developer agreement would be ready to review at the May 10 meeting.

Mayor Jerry Taylor, who also sits as the CRA chairman,

revealed he had met with Camalier and his partner, Bill Morris, to discuss Ocean One. Morris also is involved in Hudson Holding's project, Swinton Commons, in Delray Beach. Plans there call for demolishing eight houses and buildings and moving eight historic houses.

Camalier teamed with Morris, a real estate developer who built the Worthing Place apartments in Delray Beach. They have been friends for 10 years, Morris said. He described Camalier as more of a real estate investor who needed help with the development side. No other investors are involved, he said.

"The piece of [CRA] property is critical to our moving forward," Morris said.

"Camalier bought at the height of the market that was followed by a steep market correction," Brooks said. Values still have not returned, his attorney, Bonnie Miskel, wrote in a March 8 letter explaining why her client wants the land for nearly nothing.

Ocean One plans, submitted a few days before the CRA meeting, call for 237 apartments, varying in size from a 560-square-foot studio to a 1,600-square-foot, two-bedroom, two-bath apartment.

A six-story garage would sit behind the horseshoe-shaped complex. The garage's first floor would have 36 spaces for visitors and guests. The remaining floors are for apartment residents and would have a security gate that can be accessed by a key fob, Morris said.

"We want to do as high-quality, upscale project as we



The eight-story Ocean One proposal might be joined later by a hotel and a larger, 15-story condo to the south. **Rendering courtesy of Cohen, Freedman, Encinosa & Associates**

can afford," Morris said. Doing so would require incentives from the CRA to help offset the lower apartment rental rates in Boynton Beach, similar to what the nearby 500 Ocean apartment complex received.

The Boynton Beach submarket, east of Interstate 95, commands rental rates that are 50 cents to 70 cents a square foot lower than in Delray Beach, Morris said. As an example, he said, Worthing Place gets \$2.60 a square foot, while starting rental rates at Ocean One would be \$1.90 a square foot.

"It may increase, but that's where we are starting out," Morris said. "Without incentives, we could not finance the project and get it going."

Camalier still owns the southern part of the former Bank of America parcel. The second phase calls for a hotel in the southwest corner of the parcel, Morris said. The CRA told him to talk with Guy Harvey Resorts as a possible

hotelier when they are ready to tackle that phase.

The third phase would be a 15-story condo on the southeast, according to Morris. "It's not as important for the hotel guests to have waterfront views as it is for the condo owners," he said.

The new coalition of Intracoastal residents will monitor the project, said Kristine de Haseth, executive director of the Florida Coalition for Preservation, which created the Boynton Coalition for Responsible Development. The height, density, traffic and parking will be scrutinized.

Both groups promote responsible development.

"We want to see the whole picture of that site, that's how they would get everyone to buy into it," de Haseth said.

If the developers seek incentives in addition to the CRA's half-acre, she said, "Citizens will want to know: What is the give-back to the city? What are we getting?" ★

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Air-quality issues cleaned up at two fire stations

By Jane Smith

The city recently agreed to pay more than \$221,000 for work done to clean and sanitize two fire stations, including one that serves Ocean Ridge and Briny Breezes.

At station No. 1, which serves the coastal communities, the mold-removal work cost Boynton Beach \$69,673. The station, on Boynton Beach Boulevard near City Hall, closed in early December after mold was found. It reopened Jan. 18. Crews worked out of station No. 4 on South Federal Highway.

"I hope we don't have to go down this road again," said Commissioner Mack McCray at the March 16 meeting. "That was \$221,569 that I wished we could have saved."

An additional \$20,575 was paid to send 46 employees who claimed they suffered from air quality problems in station Nos. 1 and 3 for chest X-rays and for 28 of them to see a pulmonologist.

Only five are still in the

process of being verified, Tim McPherson, risk management director, told the City Commission. Employees floated between station Nos. 1 and 3, making it impossible to identify at which station they contracted the problem, he said.

Parts of a sleep apnea machine used by an employee also became contaminated, not the entire machine, McPherson told commissioners.

Interim Fire Chief Greg Hoggatt explained what his staff is doing to stop the air-quality problems:

- Conducting annual inspections of the stations by senior staff,
- Reminding captains at the stations that they are responsible for cleanliness at the stations and that housekeeping needs to be improved,
- Reporting any leaks that need to be fixed,
- Reviewing standard operating guidelines on cleanliness and determining whether they are the most efficient ways to do them, and

• Reminding firefighters to consider the stations as their homes and to treat them as such.

Semi-annual deep cleanings are once again done by an outside firm. When budget cuts were made citywide in 2008, the cleanings were done in-house, Hoggatt said.

At fire station No. 1, the flaps didn't seal properly, allowing engine exhaust and other airborne particles to enter the bunk rooms where firefighters sleep, risk management workers found.

HVAC rooms at both stations were found to be dirty and littered with garbage. The units need to be cleaned at least monthly, according to the risk management report.

The City Commission approved the expenditure unanimously by a 4-0 vote. Commissioner David Merker was absent.

Commissioner McCray asked, "Who dropped the ball?" "The team dropped the ball," Hoggatt said. "No one place was the weak link." ★

Delray Beach

St. Patrick's Day Parade

Atlantic Ave, Delray Beach – March 12

RIGHT: Members of the New Hampshire Police Association pipe and drum corps provided some of the entertainment.

BELOW: Britt Usher of Boca Raton was decked out in her finest green.

BOTTOM RIGHT: Delray Beach celebrated its annual St. Patrick's Day Parade along Atlantic Avenue in Delray Beach on March 12. This year parade organizers created a partnership with Honor Flight, and more than 60 WWII veterans led the parade.

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The Coastal Star



Analysis shows CRA's impact over 30 years to be 'substantial'

By Jane Smith

Over the past 30 years, the city's Community Redevelopment Agency has spent the most in the West Atlantic neighborhood, according to an analysis released in late March.

In that area, its biggest expense, \$24.1 million, went to buy land, according to the CRA draft expense list pulled from the Munitytics Inc. report. The firm was hired last fall to analyze the taxable values in the CRA's eight subareas. The agency contains about 20 percent of the city's land.

For much of 2015, the City Commission and CRA board members were at loggerheads over the perceived richness of the CRA coffers when the city didn't have enough money to provide services outside of the district.

Much of the dispute can be attributed to lack of

communication, the Munitytics report said. The two groups met twice last year.

"Here we again emphasize that everyone believed that meeting quarterly or monthly would help all parties work together and communicate better," Chris Wallace, Munitytics president, wrote in the report.

On April 12, the CRA board members and the city commissioners will have a joint workshop. The CRA wants to present the complete Munitytics report to the City Commission at that time.

CRA board members agreed to extend Munitytics' contract to April 14 to ensure they have all of the economic impact data.

On March 24, Wallace told the CRA board members that the agency's economic impact over 30 years was "substantial. ... Thousands of permanent jobs were created."

He explained how his firm

calculates economic impacts. First, debt service costs for principal and interest are subtracted from the total invested. For the CRA, the agency had invested \$213.1 million over 30 years, less \$39.5 million for debt service to arrive at an initial impact of \$173.6 million. Using multipliers, his firm estimated that the direct impact was \$374.3 million over 30 years and 3,600 jobs were created.

He also gave impacts for select projects in the CRA area:

- Atlantic Grove, mixed-use project on Atlantic Avenue and sitting just west of Swinton Avenue, is valued at \$9.9 million, created an estimated 169 jobs during construction and will have 66 permanent, onsite jobs when fully occupied.

- Pineapple Grove Village, just north of Atlantic Avenue with two condo buildings and six townhomes, is valued at \$35.6 million and created 838

jobs during construction.

- Hyatt Place Delray Beach, a hotel with 134 rooms on Northeast Second Avenue, is valued at \$13.7 million, created 291 jobs during construction and provides an estimated 87 jobs.

- Seagate Hotel and Spa, a full-service resort with 154 rooms at 1000 E. Atlantic Ave., is valued at \$25.5 million, created 492 jobs during construction and provides an estimated 140 jobs.

"It is very important for the City Commission to respect the efforts of the (CRA) board and to consider their recommendations and interim decisions that are offered or executed," Wallace wrote in the report. "It is also very important for the CRA board to be consistently in lock step with the policies of the City Commission."

In other action at the CRA meeting:

- Board members agreed to allow staff to hire its own engineers for the first time in an effort to speed up the development process of CRA projects.

- Executive Director Jeff Costello received a 5 percent raise over his current salary of \$132,893, on a 4-2 vote. Herman Stevens had left the meeting.

CRA Chairman Reggie Cox and board member Joseph Bernadel voted no. They wanted Costello to do a self-evaluation, submit it to the board in two weeks and then the board would determine the amount of the increase.

Bill Branning persuaded fellow board members to agree to the 5 percent raise that was based on their evaluations of Costello. Five marked his performance as outstanding, while two said he met expectations. ★

10 Questions

MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR: Annie Davis

Some people count sheep at night, but Annie Davis, owner of Palm Beach Travel in Manalapan, goes to bed thinking about the logistics and routing of her clients' trips.

"It helps me sleep," said Davis.

Whether someone wants to rent out an entire private island in the Caribbean, visit Antarctica, take a private tour through Italy on a Harley-Davidson or organize a multi-generational family vacation, Davis can make it happen.

"The majority of our business is luxury travel," Davis said, "but we also book flights to New York on JetBlue."

Palm Beach Travel was recently named the "agent of record" for Etihad Airways, the national airline of the United Arab Emirates, which means it can make bookings on the airline's new luxury airliner that flies out of New York.

The upper deck of the wide-body Airbus A380 features eight private "apartments," including The Residence, an exclusive three-room suite with a living area and shower. The cost of The Residence between New York and Abu Dhabi is \$32,000 each way.

"It's not for everybody," said Davis, "but it's an exciting part of our business, because it's unique."

There's only one Residence per aircraft, and there are only three in the world.

The destinations most requested by Palm Beach Travel clients lately are Iceland, New Zealand, Seychelles, Dubai and Hawaii, Davis said.

Palm Beach Travel opened just three years ago, and Davis plans to expand its square footage in the Plaza del Mar shopping center by almost double early next year. The boutique agency, which is part of the Altour division of American Express and specializes in Platinum and Centurion travel, also has a new cruise department that has "taken off," Davis said.

Davis travels about 120 days a year doing research and looking for ways to improve the travel experience of her clientele.

"I don't think any other travel agency in this area can say that they're on top of the travel trends like we are," Davis said. "We can tell you the pitch level in a lie-flat seat of every airline."

When Emirates started its new nonstop flights from Orlando to Dubai, Davis asked for complimentary round-trip limousine transportation from Palm Beach County to Orlando for her clients flying in business class and first class. And she got it.

Davis, 45, who resides with her husband and two sons in Hypoluxo Island, is the world's only American Express Travel Insider for the British Virgin Islands, and one of two for Dubai. She was a finalist for the 2016 Women of Worth, Entrepreneur of the Year award, and was recently nominated for the 2016 Executive Women of the Palm Beaches Women in Leadership Award.

She is a donor and volunteer of the Make-A-Wish Foundation, the organization that sent her family on a trip to Virgin Gorda in the British Virgin Isles—chosen as a destination by her brother after he was diagnosed with leukemia as a child.

"It's my favorite place in the world," Davis said. "That was something that I always feel I need to give back to people so they can have that same experience."

Along with her coworkers, Davis is also a donor and volunteer of Give Kids the World, which created a hotel in Orlando with its own nursing care and



Annie Davis, owner of Palm Beach Travel. Tim Stepien/The Coastal Star

amusement park, specifically for kids visiting Disney World through the Make-A-Wish program.

When it comes to travel, Davis said, "I have what we call 'jet fuel in the blood.' This is not a job. It really is a way of life."

— Marie Puleo

Q. Where did you grow up and go to school? How do you think that has influenced you?

A. I was born in Cincinnati, Ohio, and lived there until I was 12. I went to All Saints Catholic School. We lived in a great family neighborhood filled with kids. I was blessed to have had an early childhood spent playing with friends from the neighborhood, going to summer camp and our local amusement park.

I had two younger brothers, Michael and David, with whom I was very close. Tragedy struck our family just after we moved to California when I was 12. My brother Michael was diagnosed with leukemia. My loving parents worked tirelessly to help my little brother. Sadly, he passed away at age 19, just after we moved to Michigan.

Because of this, I grew up quickly. I had a lot of responsibility, as the oldest sibling. This has influenced my life greatly. I have an incredible amount of emotional strength, I hold my husband and children more closely and I live every day to its fullest.

Q. What professions have you worked in? What professional accomplishments are you most proud of?

A. I have always been in the travel industry. I was a founding member

of two airlines, Jet U.S. in Detroit, Michigan, and Midway Airlines in Chicago. I was an inflight supervisor and oversaw our flight attendant division. As an inflight supervisor, I also had the opportunity to fly as a flight attendant. On one of these flights, I met my future husband.

The tragic events of Sept. 11 changed my career path. Midways Airlines closed its doors on the very next day. I found myself six months pregnant, with no job and an uncertain career path. I took this opportunity to complete my college degree and start a vacation rental company in the Florida Keys.

It was difficult to balance school, work and care for my family. I could not have done this without the support of my fabulous mom and supportive family.

Once my children were established in school, I joined American Express as an exclusive Centurion travel agent. Our team planned travel and lifestyle experiences for the top 10 percent of the wealthiest Centurion cardholders.

American Express announced in 2013 that it was closing its storefront travel agencies. I saw a need for a boutique storefront travel agency in Manalapan. With the blessing of American Express, I opened Palm Beach Travel, a division of Altour Travel, American Express in Plaza del Mar. I also brought with me the top agents from American Express.

Q. What advice do you have for a young person selecting a career today?

A. Don't let failure stop you. Use it to inspire you to work harder. The first airline I started at lasted only a few days. From that experience, I had two

choices. The first was to choose another career path, the second was to try again. I am very happy I tried again.

When 9/11 happened, I didn't let that stop me. I tried again. When American Express said they were closing their storefront travel agencies, I didn't see that as failure but as an opportunity to open Palm Beach Travel.

Failure is only an opportunity to do something you love over again, only better.

Q. How did you choose to make your home in Hypoluxo Island?

A. Almost 20 years ago, I was filming a documentary for PBS about flight attendants on a flight from Palm Beach. There was a good-looking passenger on that flight who did everything he could to make me look good on camera and did a bit of flirting. That passenger ended up being my future husband, Brent.

Brent, a lawyer, was a longtime resident of Hypoluxo Island. We married in 2000 and I moved from North Carolina to the island. We just celebrated our 16th wedding anniversary!

Q. What is your favorite part about living in Hypoluxo Island?

A. I can walk or ride my bike to work. I also think it is a wonderful place to raise a family.

Q. What book are you reading now?

A. I am an avid reader. The book I am currently reading is *The Path Between the Seas*, by David McCullough. My family and I are traveling to the Panama Canal and we all are reading this book. I highly recommend it.

Q. What music do you listen to when you need inspiration? When you want to relax?

A. When I need inspiration, I listen to Jimmy Buffett. He is a great storyteller. When I need to relax, I listen to the music played at Hot Yoga of Delray during my yoga class. I have practiced hot yoga regularly for eight years.

Q. Have you had mentors in your life? Individuals who have inspired your life decisions?

A. My father, Mike Heglin. My dad is the humblest person I know. He was an early pioneer in the laser industry and is a published author. His career and family values have shaped my life.

He began his career as an engineer working with lasers at University of Cincinnati developing laser eye surgery. He then went on to develop lasers for GE in their aircraft division. He also worked with NASA and many other notable companies. He still works in a small corner of his garage developing laser technology that shapes the future of our society.

He and my beautiful mom, Suzanne, have been married for nearly half a century.

Q. If your life story were made into a movie, who would you want to play you?

A. Elizabeth Banks. She is funny, charming and blonde.

Q. Is there something about you people don't know, but should?

A. I am a good matchmaker. One of my best friends is Emi Ebben from Jewelry Artisans. My husband's best friend is a great guy named Tim. We set them up on a date many years ago. They just celebrated their 12th wedding anniversary!

Obituaries

Dr. Herbert Leonard Wachtel

By Emily J. Minor

BOCA RATON — Dr. Herbert Leonard Wachtel, a military cardiologist who left the service in 1969 to join Bethesda Memorial Hospital's burgeoning heart ward,



died Feb. 12 in his sleep at home. He was 81.

After joining Bethesda, Dr. Wachtel would eventually serve as both the hospital's chief of cardiology and chief of staff. He was also instrumental in helping start Delray Medical Center, said his wife, Lenore.

Dr. Wachtel was born in 1934 in the New York borough of Queens, son of the late Jacob and Sally Wachtel. He married Lenore Ackerman in 1958. A year later, Dr. Wachtel graduated from the State University of New York, Downstate Medical Center, and began serving in the U.S. Army.

While in the service, he served as chief of cardiology at William Beaumont Hospital in El Paso, Texas. But when Dr. Wachtel

was ready to leave the Army, he, his wife, and their four children wanted to live someplace close to the ocean, said Lenore Wachtel. They considered Southern California, but the need for medical doctors there wasn't that great, she said.

"Florida at the time was calling for doctors," she remembered.

When the family arrived in 1969, Lenore Wachtel said her husband, also a founding member of Temple Beth El in Boca Raton, was the only Jewish physician on staff at Bethesda.

In those days, it created a bit of talk about town, she said.

Dr. Wachtel's intelligence and bedside manner quickly won over the hearts of patients and colleagues alike. The cardiology field was changing rapidly in those years, his wife remembers, and Dr. Wachtel was quick to absorb new procedures and studies.

On many occasions, he visited nursing homes and recommended pacemakers for patients who seemed too ill to move about, she remembered.

"He would put in pacemakers

and they would get up, walk around, and go home," she said.

After helping establish Bethesda's widely recognized cardiac program, Dr. Wachtel retired about 15 years ago. It was then that he and his wife were able to enjoy traveling, eventually visiting all the continents except Antarctica. The doctor also loved to play golf and bridge, and enjoyed both classical and operatic music.

"He was dedicated to his work and his family," said his wife, "and he was very well loved."

In addition to his wife, the couple's four married children survive their father: Mitchell Wachtel, of Lubbock, Texas; Stacy Wachtel, of Tulsa, Okla.; Edward Wachtel, of New York City; and Janice Wachtel Walton, of Jacksonville. The children's spouses and six grandchildren also survive him.

Make memorial donations to the Florence Fuller Child Development Centers, 200 NE 14th St., Boca Raton, FL 33432, or the Herbert Wachtel Temple Beth El Memorial Fund, 333 SW Fourth Ave., Boca Raton, FL 33432.

Maria Dougherty Janke

By Steven J. Smith

HIGHLAND BEACH — Walter Janke remembered his wife, Maria, as a kind and thoughtful woman who constantly placed the needs of others above her own.

"That's just the type of person she was," Mr. Janke said. "She was a caring person. Helping people in need. That was her calling."



Mrs. Janke, of Highland Beach, passed away March 14 after a bout with pancreatic cancer. She was 72.

Maria Dougherty was born May 25, 1943, in Orange, N.J. She attended Our Lady of the Valley High School and graduated in the class of 1960.

She went on to Katharine Gibbs College, a secretarial school, and Boston College.

Mr. Janke said he met his wife through work.

"We both worked for companies owned by Litton Industries and we met at a Christmas party," he said. "She was a very pretty gal. Our first date was on March 17, St. Patrick's Day. We went to McGovern's, an Irish bar and restaurant in Newark, N.J. I called her the next day and took her to the St. Patrick's Day parade. We dated three years and were married on January 16, 1965. We were married for 51 years."

The couple moved to Highland Beach in 2005 after Mr. Janke retired.

"We liked it there," he said. "Highland Beach has wonderful people. We spent seven months out of the year in Florida and five in New Jersey. We came here for the warm weather and we like the people. Maria enjoyed going to the Highland Beach Library. She and I also took on the coordination of social activities in our community. Early on, Maria volunteered at the Boca Raton Hospital, where she worked in their prenatal area. She would also take care of newborn babies."

Mrs. Janke's volunteerism evolved from her work as assistant vice president of the Crum & Forester Organization, a subsidiary of the Xerox Corporation.

"She ran their foundation," Mr. Janke said. "At the time, it was a million-dollar foundation that donated money to the community and community-served organizations such as Goodwill and the American Cancer Society. She would choose the organization and how much they would get."

Mr. Janke added his wife served as co-chairwoman of the United Way's professional and employee campaign and worked with the Saint Clare's Hospital Development Committee, the American Heart Association, St. Elizabeth College, the County College of Morris, the Morris County Chamber of Commerce and the 200 Club of Morris County, N.J.

"She was on so many boards and had so much good will that the Zonta Club of Morristown, N.J., picked her as 1992 Woman of the Year," he said.

Known as "Mimi" to her grandchildren, Mrs. Janke also loved making her home and her family the center of her world.

"She was not just a professional person," Mr. Janke said. "She loved entertaining, cooking, planting flowers, making the house look nice. She was a fun-loving person who always had a great smile."

Mr. Janke said his wife would be remembered most for her selflessness and friendliness.

"She always greeted you with a smile," he said. "She was so good to people. Didn't have a mean bone in her body. She was a wonderful person."

In addition to her husband, Mrs. Janke is survived by their three children, Thomas, Laura and David; her sister, Cathy Crisafulli; and 10 grandchildren.

The funeral was held on March 18. She was interred at Restland Memorial Park in East Hanover, N.J. Instead of flowers, the family has asked that donations go to local hospice organizations and/or the American Cancer Society.

Along the Coast

Tickets down during bike law enforcement push

By Rich Pollack

Efforts to educate motorists, bicyclists and pedestrians in parts of coastal Palm Beach County about the importance of sharing the road appear to be paying off.

During a weeklong, stepped-up enforcement effort along State Road A1A in southern Palm Beach County last month, law enforcement officers from six agencies wrote only one moving-violation citation to a bicyclist and did not issue any warnings or citations to pedestrians.

"We're seeing a lot more compliance than we had in the past," said Highland Beach police Lt. Eric Lundberg, who founded the South Florida Safe Roads Task Force two years ago and who helps lead the group of law enforcement officers and traffic safety advocates. "Motorists and bicyclists are actively working toward the goal of sharing the road."

During the most recent coordinated education and enforcement effort from March 7 to 13, law enforcement officers wrote motorists 38 citations and issued drivers 28 written warnings.

Nine of the citations were for speeding, 12 were for red-light violations and seven were nonmoving violations, such as an expired tag or faulty equipment.

There were also 10 moving violations for a variety of other traffic infractions.

In addition to the one violation for the bicyclist, law enforcement officers issued 120 verbal warnings to bicyclists, with a large number of them the result of officers pulling over groups of riders and reminding them of the law.

"Our goal is education and it appears that we're making progress," said Lundberg, who thinks increased awareness played a role in reducing the number of citations issued.

For at least one bicycle club, which hosts two weekend rides on State Road A1A, constant efforts to ensure riders remain safe and follow the law may be playing a role in the reduced citations.

"We do everything we can to be as safe as possible and ride within the rules," says Tony Whittaker, a ride leader with the zMotion Bicycle Club, which hosts group rides for club members on Saturday and Sunday mornings.

Whittaker and another ride leader, Dean Budney, said before each ride the team leaders go over safety measures and laws.

For each ride, which can have as many as 30 bicyclists, team leaders remind riders to stay as far to the right as possible.

Budney said often there will be some riders who join the group and

don't always follow the law. Ride leaders encourage those bicyclists to leave the group.

"I ask people to ride somewhere else fairly regularly," Budney said. "Our role as team leaders is to bring everyone home safe and in one piece."

While law enforcement officers acknowledge there are other groups where rides on A1A can evolve into impromptu races, Budney and Whittaker say zMotion does not permit racing. The group rides about 20 to 22 miles per hour, they say.

The team leaders say they usually let others in the group know when there is a car behind them, shouting out "car back," so riders can move over even farther.

Whittaker says he frequently signals to the car when it is safe to cross over the yellow line, passing the bicyclists by more than three feet, the legal requirement.

While zMotion disagrees with a Highland Beach Police Department interpretation of the state law that officers say requires bicyclists to ride single file except when passing, club members comply and ride in a single line when going through the town. Lundberg has requested a clarification of the law from the state Attorney General's Office.

"Our goal is to represent the cycling community well," Budney said. ★

Silent ride commemorates bicyclists killed or injured

More than 200 bicyclists are expected in Delray Beach's Ride of Silence, part of an annual event to honor cyclists killed or injured while riding.

The worldwide event, scheduled for May 18 this year, will begin at 6 p.m. It will include a 10-mile

ride starting and ending at Old School Square in Delray Beach.

"This is a slow, casual ride not to exceed 9 miles per hour," said Patrick Halliday, president of the Delray Beach Bicycle Club.

There is no charge to participate, but it is limited to

riders at least 16 years old. Riders should arrive prior to 5:45 and must wear a helmet. ★

For more information visit www.meetup.com/delraybeachbikeclub/ or contact Halliday at info@delraybeachbikeclub.com.



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BASEBALL

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passionate about baseball longer than their teacher.

Winans came to the school in 1982. He was 24 then, a Rhode Island native and so, of course, a Red Sox fan. In those days, he taught both English and American history and worked a little baseball into the lesson plans.

And then a problem arose.

The sixth-graders went to St. Augustine for their end-of-year trip. The seventh-graders went kayaking in the Everglades. The graduating eighth-graders went to Washington, D.C. The fifth-graders needed a field trip, so Winans stepped up to the plate.

“How about if we take them to a baseball game?” he suggested.

“Is there any way to make it educational?” the Head of School asked.

“Well,” Winans said, “they could learn the national anthem...”

Over the ensuing three decades, the idea has grown into a Gulf Stream School tradition.

Winans’ students learn *Casey at the Bat*. They learn that baseball evolved from two English games called cricket and rounders. They learn about the Negro Leagues and Jackie Robinson, the first black player in Major League Baseball. They hear Abbott and Costello’s fabled “Who’s On First” routine and Yogi Berra’s delightfully sensible non sequiturs.

Several years ago, math teachers Larry Handler and Bryan Cook joined Winans’ teaching team. Now students learn the math of batting averages and baseball’s geometric shapes.

And then they climb aboard a bus and spend an afternoon watching the pros.

But first they play a game of their own.

On Feb. 26, a week before their trip to Roger Dean Stadium, Winans’ fifth-grade boys and girls gathered on the school’s playing field and split into four teams.

The Barracudas and Vipers would play on the north field, the Neanderthals and Bongo Boarders on the south.

Actually, Winans’ class numbers 25, so each team had six players, except the Bongo Boarders with seven. This was deemed a mathematical necessity, not an unfair advantage.

Science teacher Rick Craig pitched softballs to the Neanderthal/Bongos and Winans to the Barracuda/Vipers. Underhand.

In between their turns at bat, the players discussed what they’d learned in class.

“In baseball, there’s a lot of geometric shapes,” said Andrew Dagher, 11, of Ocean Ridge. “Like, the field is a diamond.”

Marc Bonutti of Manalapan



Gulf Stream School students face a pileup at third base during a softball game at the school. Nobody was injured.



Gulf Stream School fifth-grade teacher Dave Winans uses baseball as a teaching tool in class and outside during a softball game at the school. Photos by Jerry Lower/The Coastal Star

overheard him.

“Even though it’s really a square,” he said.

Andrew wore a Red Sox T-shirt and Marc a Cardinals jersey with “10” on the back.

“I’m a Cardinals fan and I don’t have a shirt that says Barracudas,” Andrew said. “And I’m No. 10 because I’m 10.”

By the end of the second inning, the Barracudas were leading 6-1. By the end of the third, 8-1.

“We learned quotes from Ty Cobb,” reported Tori Wheat, 11, of Delray Beach.

Not quite. They learned what famed sportswriter Arthur Baer once said about Cobb: “He’d climb a mountain to punch an echo.”

Fourth inning, Barracudas, 12; Vipers, 4.

Ethan Scala, 11, of Boynton Beach now knows just how many stitches there are in a baseball.

“Two hundred sixteen.”

Fifth inning: Barracudas, 12; Vipers, 5.

They learned all this and, for some, the agony of defeat.

In January, Alivia Roth, 10, of Gulf Stream was one of only 300 students in the state chosen out of 8,000 applicants to sing at the Florida Music Educators Conference in Tampa. But by the fifth inning she’d struck out three times.

“I’d pay a million dollars just to hit it once,” she vowed, downhearted. “Well, maybe not a million, but ... I’m never going to hit it.”

And then she did. Not out of the park, and it rolled a bit, but far enough and fumbled enough for her to make first base. And then, as other batters got hits, second, then third, and home.

“I’m surprised and shocked,” she said through a wide smile. “I actually got a home run!”

Well, no. Not really. Some of the kids haven’t learned the difference between a home run and running home, and today no one’s going to tell her.

Final Score: Barracudas, 13; Vipers, 12.

The game was called because of sunshine. And the last bell.

“Nice comeback, Vipers,” Winans told the departing teams. “Down by six and in the last inning you came back.

“Nobody got hurt and we had some fun.”

The game hasn’t even started yet at Roger Dean Stadium, and already the students are learning another important baseball lesson: Ballplayers scribble illegibly.

Dorothea Zarcadoolas, 11, of Ocean Ridge, is very proud of the ball she’s just had autographed, but she has no idea who signed it. He was number 81, though. Or maybe 18?

Alivia Roth is still beaming from her run a week ago.

“I feel good,” she said. “All the food you think is at a baseball game there actually is. It’s a big amount to eat but

I don’t eat a lot because I’m a vegetarian.”

So far today she’s had a hot dog and Cracker Jacks. “And I’m going to have nachos,” she promised.

Ethan Scala, who knows there are 216 stitches in the ball, is enjoying a box of Sour Patch Kids while his ice cream melts in the cup.

“Math is OK,” he observed, “but it’s not super, super fun.”

Will the lessons he learned in class help him enjoy today’s game more?

Ethan considered. “It’ll help me understand it more,” he decided, “but not enjoy it more.”

And Marc Bonutti, Cardinals fan No. 10, has a prime seat in the front row.

The Cardinals will win today, 7-4, he predicts with confidence.

“I feel good because I know the Cardinals are good right now,” he said.

“And the Marlins never win,” added his pal, Andrew Juliano, 11, of Delray Beach.

Now Bruce Springsteen fades from the loudspeakers, the game announcer welcomes the crowd and a young woman named Debbie White sings a very professional rendition of the national anthem.

Play ball!

Dee Gordon, No. 9 and the first Marlins player at bat steps to the plate, swings — and Joseph Ghostine, 11, of Boynton Beach, suffers a food-related, near-death experience. Gordon’s foul ball flies



Alivia Roth hit the ball her fourth time up to score a run.

over the baseline netting, soars above the Gulf Stream students and strikes the counter of a food concession behind the stands.

Joseph returned to his seat with that ball.

“I was at that steak and cheese place, getting my steak and cheese dog, and it hit the counter so they gave me the ball,” he said. “I didn’t catch it, but it nearly killed me.”

To be honest, having the ball is fine, but he seems more impressed by his brush with death.

“Well,” Joseph agreed, “it’s a story to tell.”

By the third inning, the Cardinals were leading, 3-1, and Dorothea Zarcadoolas had consumed a hot dog, some Dippin’ Dots ice cream, half a lemonade, half a pretzel and was starting in on a cup of blue raspberry Italian ice.

“We learned all about how to use a scorecard and figure out batting averages,” she said.

How do you figure out batting averages?

“Oh,” she confided, “it’s very complicated.”

(You divide the player’s hits by his number of times at bat.)

In the end, the Cardinals won, 4-3, but the Gulf Stream students weren’t there to see their triumph. Baseball has nine innings, but school has dismissal bells, so they left in the middle of the sixth to be back by 4 p.m., filled with hot dogs, ice cream, Cracker Jacks — and a greater appreciation of the game.

“I knew nothing about baseball,” said Heidi Schneider, 10, of Gulf Stream, “and now I know everything about it.” ★



Andrew Dagher invokes the spirit of Babe Ruth before getting a single.

Baseball quiz

Below are some of the baseball-related questions teachers at the Gulf Stream School present to their students.

1. What did Jackie Robinson promise Branch Rickey?
2. What does it mean if a ballplayer has a batting average of .300 or better?
3. Why is Babe Ruth considered the "greatest player ever"?
4. Name three spots in which you can find circles on a baseball field.
5. Why should the baseball diamond really be called a square?
6. An example of a cylinder found at most ballparks is the foul pole. If a ball strikes the foul pole above the top of the outfield wall, what ruling does the umpire make?

ANSWERS:

1. Jackie Robinson, the first African-American player in major league baseball, promised he would not fight back against players taunting or trying to hurt him.
2. A player with a .300 batting average is considered a premier player, i.e. a better than average hitter.
3. Babe Ruth was and still is considered the greatest ever because he was both a masterful pitcher and a great hitter. No one else has been both a great pitcher and a great hitter.
4. The pitcher's mound, the on-deck circle and the cross section of a baseball.
5. The base paths are all 90 feet, so the diamond has congruent sides. The angles formed by the paths are all 90 degrees. A quadrilateral with 4 congruent sides and 4 right angles is the definition of a square. A diamond, also called a rhombus, is a quadrilateral with four congruent sides. The angles are not necessarily right angles.
6. He rules the hit a home run. The foul pole should be called a fair pole.

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Lantana

Former Carlisle sales director sentenced for fraud

By Mary Thurwachter

Natasha Deonath, a former sales director at the Carlisle senior living community in Lantana, was sentenced on March 7 to 18 months in prison for charging the business more than \$100,000 for phony resident referrals and taking kickbacks.

The sentence was handed down by Circuit Judge Dina Keever after Deonath, 39, pleaded guilty to one count each of organized scheme to defraud and money laundering.

According to an October 2014 Lantana police report, officials at the senior living facility at 450 E. Ocean Ave. noticed that one real estate agent was being paid for an unusually high number of referrals.

Carlisle officials suspected Deonath of receiving kickbacks for referrals. Many referrals came from Realtor Glenn Gatti of Royal Palm Beach, according to the police report. Fourteen people listed as being referred by Gatti said they did not know him, according to the report.

Investigators determined that Gatti would receive checks for referrals, but that some of the apartments were never rented and some were already occupied. Police said that Gatti would, in turn, send checks to Deonath. Some of them were endorsed by Deonath's husband, Rodney Jagessar, a Lake Worth Realtor.

Jagessar, 41, was sentenced to five years' probation and Gatti, 64, was given two years' probation. ★

Balfour keeps council seat

Lantana Vice Mayor Malcolm Balfour won 69 percent of the votes on March 15 to defeat newcomer Anthony Arsali, with 31 percent. Balfour, who has served on the Town Council since 2013, received 1,116 votes to his opponent's 512.

Lynn Moorhouse, who has been a council member since 2004, retained his seat with no opposition.

Balfour, 78, has been a Lantana resident for 44 years. Arsali, 29, an attorney, lives on Hypoluxo Island.

— Mary Thurwachter

Vote delayed on fate of Nature Preserve Commission

By Mary Thurwachter

The final vote on whether to dissolve the Lantana Nature Preserve Commission, which had been scheduled for the March 14 Town Council meeting, has been postponed until April 25.

The town made its first vote to disband the commission at its Feb. 22 meeting.

Town Attorney R. Max Lohman recommended the move, saying the commission, to which the town appoints members, and the Friends of the Lantana Nature Preserve, a nonprofit organization, frequently duplicate efforts and that only one of the groups was necessary. There are some common members to both groups and only one is covered by the Sunshine Laws regarding open meetings.

Lohman said the town was trying to protect itself and members of the two groups from getting into trouble with the Sunshine Laws.

But at the town's March 14 meeting, past and present members of the Nature Preserve Commission, who opposed the move, said that insufficient notice was given to them about the plan to

dissolve the group.

"We only meet twice a year," said Nature Preserve Commission Chairman Paul Arena. "Our next meeting is April 5. Let us meet to discuss this."

Former nature preserve commission member Richard Schlosberg said that "insufficient notice was given" and "the Lantana Nature Preserve Commission had stood in good service for protecting the Lantana Nature Preserve."

Schlosberg added the commission and the Friends were "not overlapping functions but dovetailing them."

Some residents worried that the preserve could one day disappear without proper vigilance. But council member Phil Aridas said that "the Nature Preserve will always be there."

Lohman agreed. "When the property (former home to a town dump) was sold, there was a deed restriction that it always has to be a passive park," he said.

"Early on, it wasn't the same people on both so it wasn't a problem, but as time went on, with fewer people

interested (in serving on the committees), it became one," Lohman said.

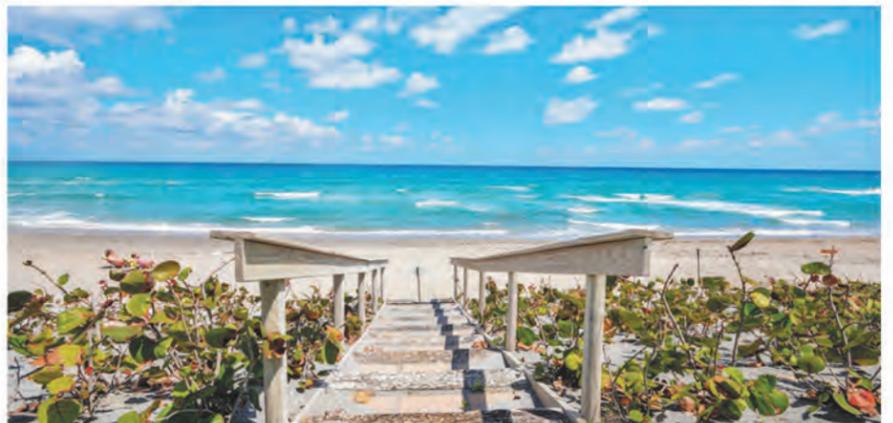
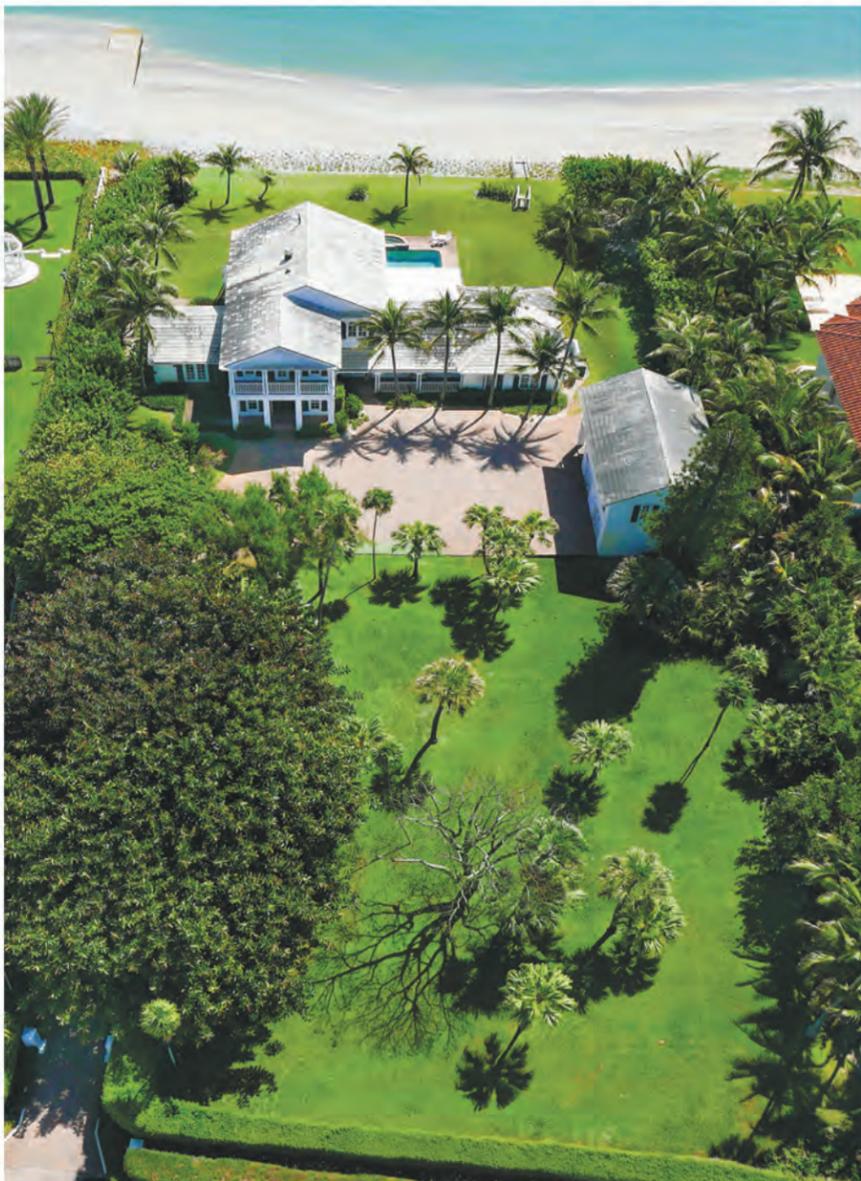
A coastal hammock between the Carlisle senior living facility on East Ocean Avenue and the Intracoastal Waterway, the Lantana Nature Preserve was created by a 1997 ordinance and came out of a lawsuit. The Carlisle pays the town \$40,000 a year to maintain the park. No money comes from the town's general fund to pay for its maintenance.

In other action, the council:

- Voted 3-1 (with Lynn Moorhouse dissenting and Tom Deringer absent) to support an effort by the County Commission to put the 1-cent infrastructure surcharge proposal on the ballot in November. The sales tax increase would yield about \$220 million annually countywide, of which Lantana would receive \$650,000 a year for projects such as renovating the library or Town Hall and for paving roads.

- Denied a request by Nicholas Arsali of 505 S. Atlantic Drive for a code variance to allow him to build a 6-foot-high wall along the front of his property. ★

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Helen Bass puts the hammer into the project as soon-to-be-homeowner Gethro Phaitus keeps watch during a roof-raising at 421 SW Fifth Ave. in Delray Beach. **Tim Stepien/The Coastal Star**

Along the Coast

Volunteers, clients love what Habitat does

By Lucy Lazarony

For 25 years, Habitat for Humanity of South Palm Beach County has been building homes for families and changing lives.

"We've built 124 homes," says Mike Campbell, executive director. "They are complete and have families living in them and we currently have three homes under construction. We're bringing people together to build homes, community and hope."

A group of retired IBM executives hatched the idea for Habitat for Humanity in south Palm Beach County in 1989.

They had traveled up to West Palm Beach to help Habitat build a home in the Westgate community, and when they found out there wasn't a program for South County, they said, "We can fix that."

And they started the process to do just that, finishing on April 29, 1991, Habitat of Humanity of South Palm Beach County's official anniversary date.

The first house was built at 164 NE 11th St. in Boca Raton. The gross cost of the house was \$10,425 and the gross cost of a house today is \$120,000.

The house was started on Sept. 7, 1991, and completed on June 24, 1992.

"We do much better than that now," Campbell says.

Now Habitat homes are completed in four to six months. Habitat does it with a staff of 42 and 1,700 volunteers.

"Last year, we had just over 1,700 different individuals participate in 46,000 hours of service," Campbell says. "Seventy percent of every Habitat house is built by volunteers and 30 percent is contracted labor."

There's no building experience required to volunteer with Habitat for Humanity.

"You don't need any experience at all. We have paid staff and volunteer crew leaders



The Phaitus family — mom Yvescar; daughter Geica, 4; son Liam, 2; and dad Gethro — stands at the homesite. It takes Habitat for Humanity four to six months to finish a house. **Photo provided**

that will show you everything you need to know," Campbell says.

To volunteer, visit the Habitat for South Palm Beach County website, www.habitatsouthpalmbeach.org, and click on the volunteer button.

Volunteer John Shelly of Boynton Beach has helped to build 98 houses.

"It's fun," Shelly says. "It's rewarding seeing a house go together and see the family move into the house, how excited they are. It's just an American dream come true."

There was a roof-raising for the future home of the Phaitus family — Gethro and Yvescar Phaitus and their daughter, Geica, 4, and their son, Liam, 2 — in Delray Beach on March 19.

"It's a good experience," says Gethro Phaitus. "It's like you are working with your family."

Like every family helped by Habitat, Phaitus is pitching in to help build other Habitat houses as well as his own.

Jermain Fashaw and his wife, Meshell, and their two children, India, 14, and Jermain II, 12, having been living six years in a Habitat house that they helped to build in Boynton Beach.

"I can't say enough about Habitat. It was just a total

blessing," Fashaw says. "It was a step up for us."

There is a fundraiser for Habitat for Humanity of South Palm Beach County celebrating its 25th anniversary planned for April 21 at the Arts Garage in Delray Beach.

Swing for Habitat, featuring live music by The Garrison Elliott Band, includes dinner, dancing, an open bar, silent auction and raffle prizes. The event begins at 6:30 p.m. Tickets are \$75 per person. To purchase tickets, visit www.swingforhabitat.com.

Habitat also is looking to raise money through a Women's Build Week in May. Volunteers are required to make a minimum, tax-deductible donation of \$50 to register.

"We're going to do a weeklong women's build," Campbell says. "They are going to put roofs on a couple of homes if we raise enough money. You've never seen a house straighter or more square than when women build."

Another way to support Habitat's mission is with donations to and purchases from its three thrift stores. Habitat ReStores are at 1900 N. Federal Highway in Delray, 272 S. Dixie Highway in Boca Raton and 10055 Yamato Road in west Boca Raton. ★

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Boca Raton

Residents protest variances city gave proposed seaside mansion



ABOVE: Thirty-four people join hands in a show of unity against the threat a proposed four-story house at 2500 N. Ocean Blvd. poses to the marine ecosystem and wildlife that depend on beach and dune habitats. **Photo provided**
LEFT: Yolanda and Lou Uzel, residents of 2519 N. Ocean Blvd., look over plans for the designated construction site at 2500 N. Ocean Blvd. The sign was posted by the organization Boca Save Our Beaches, which is urging the city to purchase the property to prevent anything from being built on it. **Tim Stepien/The Coastal Star**

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Business Spotlight

Richwagen's cycles through scooters and surf to concentrate on bikes

By Ron Hayes

On April 22, 1961, Robert and Bertha Richwagen put a dollar bill in a picture frame and hung it on the wall of their newly opened scooter shop in Delray Beach.

Now, 55 years and five addresses later, that first dollar Richwagen's Cycle Center earned is still on a wall in Delray Beach, and Richwagens still run the business.

"In 1960, my dad was a tool and die maker at Pratt & Whitney," his son Albert Richwagen III recalled. "My older brothers were GoKart racers and they needed a place to work on their GoKarts, so he opened a GoKart and Vespa scooter store at the corner of Southeast First Avenue and First Street."

The GoKarts and scooters took off, and after a couple of years Richwagen moved the business to 205 E. Atlantic Ave., where Starbucks stands today.

"My mom would run the store during the day and Dad would come in at night to do repairs," his son explained.

Another few years and business was so good that Richwagen left Pratt & Whitney, able at last to make a living off the store. They moved again, to 217 E. Atlantic Ave., home to the Buddha Sky Bar now, and stayed for the next 25 years.

Bob Richwagen's success was not surprising. A native of Boston, he had learned machine work in high school, then labored as a welder in the Boston Shipyard during World War II. At Pratt & Whitney in Hartford, Conn., where he turned engineers' designs into working models that could then be manufactured, he was part of the team that built a periscope used in America's first nuclear submarine.

Now he brought that same ingenuity to his bike shop. In the early 1960s, the Beach Boys sang "Let's go surfing now, everybody's learning how." Delray's teenagers were among those learning how, so Richwagen designed the "Richie," a handmade surfboard he made at the shop and sold along with Raleigh bicycles. (You can see a rare surviving Richie at the Delray Beach Surfing Museum, 255 N. Federal Highway.)

When the surfing fad faded, Richwagen noted the area's growing number of retirees and designed a three-wheeled bicycle for adults.



ABOVE: Albert Richwagen III and his mother, Bertha, in their shop in Delray Beach. **Tim Stepien/The Coastal Star**
LEFT: 55 years ago, Robert Richwagen posed at the entrance of their first store, and framed the first dollar they made. **Photos provided**

Bob Richwagen died of a heart attack on July 8, 1988, at 59. His widow, Bertha, took over the business with sons Paul and Albert, and Richwagen's Cycle Center was renamed Richwagen's Bike & Sport a year later.

"When I took over, we were the only Raleigh dealer around," Albert Richwagen says. "I still have my Raleigh Chopper from when I was a kid, hanging on my living room wall."

The business moved to 32 SE Second Ave. for a couple of years, then to 401 NE Second Ave., by the railroad tracks, for two more. In 2007, it came to the current location, 298 NE Sixth Ave., at the corner of Third Street.

Addresses are not the only thing that's changed in the 55 years since Bob Richwagen framed that first dollar.

The GoKarts, Vespas and Raleighs are gone. Today, Richwagen's sells mainly the Electra line, along with a few Schwinn's, as well as powerboards.

The cost of a good bike has gone way up, with prices ranging from \$249 to \$5,000.

And the number of kids who

ride bikes has gone way down.

"To be honest," Richwagen says, "bike riding for kids has been on the decline for several years."

In August, the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention reported the good news that bicycle deaths among children 15 and under had plummeted 92 percent since 1975.

Safety helmets helped, of course, but more significant, the number of children who rode bikes to school dropped from 48 percent in 1969 to a mere 13 percent 40 years later, according to the National Center for Safe Routes to School.

And those kids' good old American bikes aren't even American anymore.

"Every bike under \$1,000 is made in Japan, China or Taiwan," Richwagen says.

But some things remain.

At 79, Bertha Richwagen still shows up for work on Saturdays and holidays, and the Richwagens take pride in giving back to the community that's supported them for 55 years.

The store participates in bike safety rodeos at Spady and Pine

Grove elementary schools and the Bike Valet service at the city's weekly green market.

Working with Human Powered Delray, a local nonprofit, Richwagen's rehabilitates bicycles confiscated by the Delray Beach Police Department, after which they're given to needy and deserving students at Toussaint L'Ouverture High School for Arts and Social Justice.

In addition, Sandoway House Nature Center, St. Vincent Ferrer Catholic School and Unity School have had Richwagen bikes donated for fundraising raffles.

"It's the give-back," Albert Richwagen says, "the paying forward."

And now, the looking forward.

"I don't plan on moving," he says. "I want to expand."

Even with a store boasting 3,000 square feet, Richwagen feels cramped.

"The only way to get a good deal on bikes is to buy 75 or 100 at a time," he says, "so I have off-site storage I'm paying for." And about 100 rental bikes live in the fenced yard behind the store.

"I'd like to build another building back there, with a mezzanine for storage, move the repair shop back in there and make this all one showroom," he says.

The bike business, and bikes themselves, have come a long way since a tool and die maker from Boston started selling GoKarts in 1961, and his son is pedaling right along with the changes.

"Nowadays, the guys who are selling a lot of really high-priced road bikes, they have an espresso machine, a bar, leather couches and a computerized fit station to customize the bike to your body," Richwagen reports. "I'd love to add that addition and then create a fit station and relaxing area for our customers."

But that's not what he loves about the business.

"Bikes are the breeze in your face," he says. "When you're in a car, you're in a capsule. On a bike, you take it all in. You're smelling it, hearing it, feeling it. It's all green."

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Business Spotlight

Record-setting prices continue for oceanfront properties

With another season winding down, home sales on Palm Beach County's southern coast continue to break records.

Listing in January with a price of \$39.95 million, a 33,500-square-foot home on 1.7 acres at 921 S. Ocean Blvd., Delray Beach, closed Feb. 29, selling for \$34 million. That was a record for the oceanfront area from Manalapan to Highland Beach, said **Pascal Liguori** of **Pasqual Liguori & Son Premier Estate Properties**, who represented the seller, **921 South Ocean Boulevard LLC**.

"The 21,000-square-foot ultramodern home, which was built in 2013, is on a very deep gorgeous lot with 155 feet on the ocean," he said.

The buyer, Chicago investor **Richard A. Chaifetz**, was represented by **Michael O'Rourke** of **Estates Registry Realty**.

Holding the record previously in Delray Beach was a property at 901 S. Ocean, which sold in February 2015 for \$19 million. For the area, the record holder was 800 S. Ocean, Manalapan, which sold in September 2015 for \$33 million.

In February, a pre-construction oceanfront spec mansion, on a little over an acre at 6125 N. Ocean Blvd., sold for \$13.635 million, a record-breaking price for Ocean Ridge. Agents representing the seller, **6125 North Ocean Boulevard LLC**, which is linked to Boca Raton builder **Mark Timothy Inc.**, were **Nicholas Malinosky** and **Randy Ely** with the **Corcoran Group**.

It was purchased by **Watersedge 21 Properties LLC**, a company with a New York City address, which was represented by **Russell Newman**, an agent with **Lang Realty**.

Slated for delivery next year, the 12,700-square-foot home will have five bedrooms, eight full bathrooms, a four-car garage, guest quarters and a pool. Previously, an estate at 6017 Old Ocean Blvd. sold for a record \$9 million in 2009.

Going from news to brews, the **Lake Worth Herald** building, at 130 S. H St., Lake Worth, has sold through **Carmel Commercial Real Estate & Management** of Delray Beach. And thanks to recent zoning changes, the property will be transformed into Lake Worth's first micro-brewery by **Mathews Brewing Company**. On site, beer will be brewed and distributed, and a tasting room will be open to the public. The **Lake Worth Herald's** offices are now at 1313 Central Terrace, Lake Worth.

On Jan. 19, **Mitchell Millowitz** and **Ryan Rosalsky**, of **Newmark Grubb Knight Frank**, brokered an \$18.5 million acquisition for



ABOVE: \$39.95 million for this Delray Beach house. **LEFT:** Rendering of the \$13.635 million house being built in Ocean Ridge. **Photos provided**

PetMed Express Inc. with **420 South Congress Inc.**, an affiliate of the Atlanta-based **Stockbridge Real Fund**, for the **Delray Distribution Center** complex, at 420 S. Congress Ave., Delray Beach. The complex's two buildings comprise about 185,000 square feet, with one building fully leased to shipper **DHL Express**.

PetMed Express Inc. will take over the first floor of the second building, and **Levenger Co.** will continue to lease the second floor.

Changes are completed at **Crane's Beach House Boutique Hotel & Luxury Villas**: its top-to-bottom \$1.2 million renovation, a new website at www.cranesbeachhouse.com, and



Kinsloe

also, **Bill Kinsloe** was promoted to front office supervisor. **Crane's Beach House Boutique Hotel & Luxury Villas** is at 82 Gleason St., Delray Beach.

The **Greater Delray Beach Chamber of Commerce's Delray Affair**, April 8-10, which celebrates its 54th anniversary this year, traces its roots back to the late 1940s as the annual **Delray Beach Gladiola Festival**, which featured a gladiola parade and Miss Gladiola beauty pageant.

While free to eventgoers, it has an economic impact of an estimated \$40 million to Delray Beach over its history. The **Delray Affair**, in downtown

Delray Beach, features more than 500 exhibits by artists and crafters as well as an array of food vendors.

Highlights this year include a poster by **Dr. Ella Remenson**, a bus showcasing the **GEICO Traveling Tour**, the **Delray Honda Family Fun Zone**, the **Games on the Go Mobile Arcade**, **Solid Waste Authority** and **Boy Scout Troop 301's "An Affair to Recycle"** (by the way, they recovered 5,780 pounds of recyclables at the **Garlic Fest**), the town merchants' **Behind the Booths**, and more.

In honor of Rotary International's Feb. 10, 1905, founding, the **Delray Beach Rotary Club** gave itself a birthday party in celebration of the Rotary's 111 years. While not quite as old, the Rotary Club of Delray Beach was chartered 68 years ago on Feb. 10, 1948, at the **Colony Hotel** under the sponsorship of the Rotary Club of Boynton Beach.

It was established with 27 charter members and guided by its first president, **Lauren C. Hand**. Since then, the club, together with its charitable, tax-exempt corporation, **Delray Beach Rotary Fund Inc.**, has been involved in many local and international projects, including contributing more than \$100,000 for scholarships to local high school students and more than \$65,000 for **Polio Plus**, a Rotary International project to eradicate polio throughout the world.

The money to finance these projects was raised through golf tournaments, bingo and the

club's annual hot dog and soft drink sale at the **Delray Affair**. The club has a lunch meeting at 12:15 p.m. Tuesdays at the **Delray Beach Public Library**, 100 W. Atlantic Ave., Delray Beach.

At its May 20 annual **Business Awards Luncheon** at the **Boca Raton Resort and Club**, the **Boca Chamber** will recognize **Jim Dunn**, vice president and general manager of **JM Lexus**, as the Business Leader of the Year, **Joe and Rosie Martin**, owners of **Allegiance Home Health**, as the Small Business Leaders of the Year and **3Cinteractive** as the Business of the Year.

At the Boca Chamber's 10th annual **Diamond Award Luncheon** in February, nine previous recipients were honored, a new mentor program was unveiled and its inaugural



Zietz

"Diamond in the Rough" recipient, **Rachel Zietz** of **Gladiator Lacrosse**, was announced. Zietz was a participant in the Chamber's **Young Entrepreneurs Academy** in 2012 and in two years grew her business to sell more than \$1 million of lacrosse equipment. At 9 p.m. May 13, Zietz will appear on ABC's **Shark Tank**.

Through the chamber's new mentoring program, the previous Diamond Award recipients **Mary Wong**, **Rocki**

Rockingham, **Victoria Rixon**, **Cheryl Budd**, **Margaret Mary Shuff**, **Dr. Marta Rendon**, **Jackie Reeves**, **Yvonne Boice** and **Mary Sol Gonzalez** will mentor students from the **Young Entrepreneurs Academy** program.

In conjunction with other chambers and advocacy organizations, the Boca Chamber is part of the **Business Rent Tax Coalition**, which is working to remove Florida's 6 percent sales tax on commercial leases.

"As a pro-business advocate, the Boca Chamber strives to maintain an environment where organizations provide opportunities for employees and Boca Raton families. Eliminating the business rent tax would entice more businesses to our great state, thus contributing to the cycle of commerce," said **Troy McLellan**, Boca Chamber's president and CEO. For information about the Business Rent Tax Coalition, visit www.cutmybizrent.tax.

Also, in their search for funding, Boca Chamber's **Golden Bell Education Foundation's** Young Entrepreneurs Academy students will present their business plans to local investors April 6 at **FAU Tech Runway**. The investor panel will include Palm Beach executives **Beth Johnston**, **Florida Blue**; **Angela Mastrofrancesco**, **Comerica Bank**; **Sam Zietz**, **TouchSuite**; and **Andrew Duffell**, the **Research Park** at



Posh Properties of Delray Beach celebrated its fourth anniversary on Feb. 27. **Above:** (l-r) Niki Pepper, Donna Benson, Michelle Yales, Jerilyn Walter, owner/broker, Jacie Paulson and Susie Fernandes. **Photo provided**

FAU. To RSVP to this free and open-to-the-public event, for directions, or to join the panel, contact Jenna Reed at jreed@bocachamber.com.

In February, at the fourth annual **Barrier Free 5K** races, which benefited the **Congress Avenue Barrier Free Park** in Boynton Beach, **Bella Natale**, the honorary starter, received a very special send-off: a Cinderella-inspired carriage from **Magical Wheelchair Inc.**

Among the 140 participants, overall winners were **Matt Triggs** and **Cori Gauff**. At age 11, Gauff is now the youngest overall winner in the race's history. Master winners were **Richard Bowers** and **Erika Williams**, and grand master winners were **Mike Schengber** and **Amy Triggs**.

Barrier Free Park offers opportunities and a support network for children of all abilities to play, and the annual race has raised more than \$17,000 for the park since 2013. The park is at 3111 S. Congress Ave., Boynton Beach.

From 8 a.m. to noon April 30, the Delray Beach-based **Institute for Regional Conservation** will hold a volunteer day at **Atlantic Dunes Park** in Delray Beach, focusing on restoring biodiversity by removing invasive plant species and planting species native to Palm Beach County's dune systems.

The cost of supplies was covered through a mini-grant awarded to the **Institute for Regional Conservation by Keep Palm Beach County Beautiful, Inc.** Volunteers are invited to bring lunch and stay afterward for a picnic. Atlantic Dunes Park is at 1605 S. Ocean Blvd., Delray Beach.

The **Community Foundation of Palm Beach and Martin Counties** chose **Sandoway House Nature Center** as one of 10 winners of the **Forever Arts & Culture Endowment Challenge**, which provides \$250,000 in grants from the **John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Fund**. The center will receive a dollar-for-dollar matching grant of \$25,000 to establish a permanent endowment fund at the Community Foundation.

Located at 142 S. Ocean Blvd. in Delray Beach, the Sandoway House Nature Center

offers a variety of programs, experiences and opportunities, including shark and alligator feedings in its coral reef pool, guided historic tours, nature walks and astronomy nights.

In March, the **Boys & Girls Club of Delray Beach's** "Be Great Celebration Dinner," at the **Delray Beach Marriott**, raised more than \$132,000 for the club and honored **Tony Wilson**, chairman, president and CEO of **Seagate Hospitality Group**, as well as the Youth of the Year of Delray Beach **Karah Pierre**.

At the event, Seagate Hospitality Group made a gift of \$25,000 as an endowment fund toward the Youth of the Year program. From this gift, every year for 25 years, the Youth of the Year will receive a \$1,000 scholarship to help cover his or her educational expenses. Pierre, 15, a member of the Delray Beach Boys and Girls Club for 10 years, was the first scholarship recipient.

In March, Hypoloxo Island resident **James DeGerome**, a retired gastroenterologist who practiced in Palm Beach County for 31 years, was awarded the **Digestive Disease National Coalition's Lifetime Service Award** at its **28th Annual Public Policy Forum** in Washington, D.C.

Women's clothier **Evelyn & Arthur** will donate the rounded-up amount of each sale May 3 during the third annual **Great Give**, run by **Palm Beach County** and the **Community Foundation for Palm Beach and Martin Counties**.

Evelyn & Arthur also will sell orange pashminas for \$28 with 100 percent of the proceeds supporting the Great Give. It will donate a prize to the nonprofit that raises the most funds during one of the drive's hourly contests. Evelyn & Arthur's Manapalan store is at 277 S. Ocean Blvd. in **Plaza del Mar**, Hours are Monday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., and Sunday, noon to 5 p.m.



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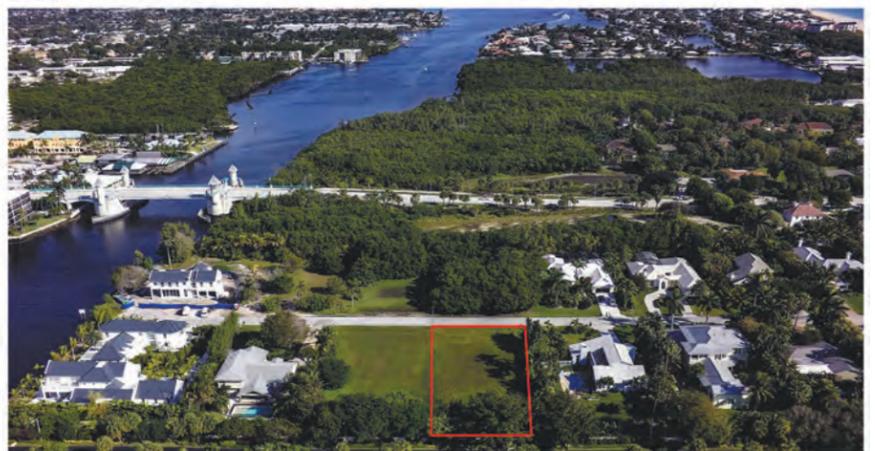
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Spring Sale at Bendel's by Florine Stettheimer.

Female modernists at the Norton

We've all heard of Georgia O'Keeffe. But how many folks have heard of the artists Marguerite Zorach, Helen Torr and Florine Stettheimer?

These three women were creating art around the same time as O'Keeffe, and all were known to one another.

But where O'Keeffe's reputation has flourished, theirs faded quickly after their deaths.

"O'Keeffe, Stettheimer, Torr, Zorach: Women Modernists in New York," at the Norton Museum of Art, aims to correct that.

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Horse's head by Georgia O'Keeffe is part of 'O'Keeffe, Stettheimer, Torr, Zorach: Women Modernists in New York,' which runs through May 15 at the Norton Museum of Art. Images provided

By Cheryl Blackerby

Patti LaBelle signs on for 'Unforgettable' evening

Timolin Cole and Casey Cole, sisters of the late Natalie Cole and twin daughters of legendary singer Nat King Cole, were excited to hear that family friend Patti LaBelle would be performing at the Boca West Community Charitable Foundation's annual Concert for the Children on April 5.

A tribute to Grammy Award-winner Natalie Cole, who was originally scheduled to perform at the event, will be included in the concert.

Diagnosed with idiopathic pulmonary arterial hypertension after a kidney transplant in 2009, Natalie Cole died Dec. 31 after struggling with

multiple health problems, said Timolin Cole.

"I think it's so wonderful that Patti LaBelle has stepped up to do this event," Timolin Cole said. "Boca West is known for putting on such great concerts at their outdoor venues. And the fact that it's a tribute to our sister, I think it's a great combination."

The concert at Boca West Country Club and a Golf Challenge on April 4 will benefit 21 charities for at-risk children and their families in Boca Raton and

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Philanthropy Calendar

Pay it Forward

Pay it Forward celebrates the many philanthropic events in our community. Events are current as of 3/28. Please check with organizers for any changes.

APRIL

Friday - 4/1 - Alzheimer's Association's Promise Garden Luncheon at Boca West Country Club, 20583 Boca West Drive, Boca Raton. Take advantage of an opportunity for business, community and government leaders to come together in support of the cause and 2016 season. 11 am-1:30 pm. \$100. 496-4222 or 302-2725 or 2016promisegardenluncheon.eventbrite.com.

4/1 - National Jewish Health's New Directions for Women at The Polo Club of Boca Raton, 5400 Champion Blvd. Raise funds for the leading respiratory hospital in the nation during a luncheon featuring Jane Brody, a columnist for *The New York Times*. 11 am-2 pm. \$100. 477-5400 or flnewdirectionsforswomenluncheon.com.

4/1 - National Society of Arts and Letters' Florida East Coast Chapter's Red Rose Gala at The Mar-a-Lago Club, 1100 S. Ocean Blvd., Palm Beach. Get ready to be inspired at the 34th annual extravaganza featuring performances by more than 100 young artists. 6-10 pm. \$500. 391-6380 or nsalfloridaeast.org.

4/1 - Boys & Girls Clubs of Palm Beach County's Barefoot on the Beach at The Breakers, One South County Road, Palm Beach. Benefit the youth-programming organization while sipping cocktails, enjoying entertainment and participating in live and silent auctions. 7:30 pm. \$300. 683-3287 or bgcpbc.org.

Saturday - 4/2 - Florida Atlantic University Annual Gala at 777 Glades Road, Boca Raton. Come to the aid of the more than 60 percent of FAU students who require financial assistance in order to complete their studies by raising money for scholarships during an extravagant, entertainment-filled evening. 6:30 pm. \$250. 297-6144 or faugala.info.

Wednesday - 4/6 - YMCA of South Palm Beach County's Inspiration Breakfast at Office Depot Global Headquarters, 6600 N. Military Trail, Boca Raton. Listen to Miami Heat legend Alonzo Mourning, keynote speaker, and help raise funds for the Y's financial-assistance program. 7:30-10 am. \$90. 893-2152 or ymcaspbc.org/inspirationbreakfast.

4/6 - Achievement Centers for Children & Families' Proper Affair at The Addison, Two E. Camino Real, Boca Raton. Benefits Achievement Centers for Children & Families. Sip cocktails, nibble on hors d'oeuvres and enjoy a fashion show, live music and a silent auction to benefit charity. 6:30-9 pm. \$125 per person, \$200 per couple. 266-0003, Ext. 16 or properaffair.com.

Friday - 4/8 - The Children's Healing Institute's Paris in Spring at Chez L'Epicier, 288 S. County Road, Palm Beach. Enjoy delicious cuisine française and support les enfants de Palm Beach County at a luncheon featuring a guest speaker, raffle and silent auction. Noon-2 pm. \$120. 687-8115 or childrenshealinginstitute.org.

Saturday - 4/9 - Lupus Foundation of America, Florida Chapter's Butterfly Bash at Delray Dunes Golf and Country Club, 12005 Dunes Road, Boynton Beach. Help the organization expand its mission of improving the quality of life for those affected by lupus through advocacy, education, research and support. 6:30-10:30 pm. \$200. 279-8606 or lupusfl.org.

Sunday - 4/10 - Tri-County Animal Rescue's Doggie Ball at Boca West Country Club, 20583 Boca West Drive, Boca Raton. Save canines and felines by attending one of the season's best parties, featuring dinner and dancing, live and silent auctions and a band. 5:30 pm. \$250. 581-8110 or tricountyhumane.org.

Wednesday - 4/13 - Center for Creative Education's Spring Luncheon at a private home on Palm Beach. Mark the agency's 21st birthday with the introduction of a groundbreaking new educational program at Northmore Elementary School in West Palm Beach. 11:30 am-1:30 pm. \$300 per person, \$2,750 for table of 10. 805-9927, Ext. 150, or ccefllorida.org.

4/13 - A Taylored Heart Foundation's Charity Benefit at The Addison, Two E. Camino Real, Boca Raton. Commemorate the efforts of Taylored Athletes in college-scholarship attainment, leadership and social responsibility while enjoying a fashion show, food and drinks, live performances and recognition of awards recipients. 7-10:30 pm. \$60. 239-5470 or tayloredathletes.com.

Thursday - 4/14 - Women of Tomorrow Mentor & Scholarship Program's Palm Beach County Wine Dinner at The Addison, Two E. Camino Real, Boca Raton. Attend the annual affair and help support mentoring programs for at-risk teenage girls. 6:30 pm. \$250. 371-3330 or

Women in Leadership Kravis Center, West Palm Beach



May 5: Executive Women of the Palm Beaches will welcome Honorary Chairwoman Barbara Schmidt, author of *The Practice: Simple Tools for Managing Stress, Finding Inner Peace, and Uncovering Happiness*, as the organization recognizes local women who have displayed a commitment to community philanthropy. Time is 11 a.m. Cost is \$80 to \$150. Call 868-7070 or visit ewpb.org/wila. Photo provided

womenoftomorrow.org.

Saturday - 4/16 - Literacy Coalition of Palm Beach County's American Girl Fashion Show at Boca Raton Marriott, 150 Town Center Circle. Get dolled up for a fun-filled day of fashion featuring local girls modeling historical and current clothing as a personal expression. 10 am., 1 and 4 pm. \$40 general admission, \$60 VIP. 279-9103 or literacypbc.org.

4/16 - Boca Helping Hands' Monopoly Event & Casino Night at Via Mizner Golf & Country Club, 6200 Boca Del Mar Drive, Boca Raton. Roll the dice at the 10th-annual evening of music, entertainment, auctions, gaming, cocktails, dinner and, of course, Monopoly. 6 pm. \$150. 367-1193 or bocahelpinghands.org/monopoly.

Tuesday - 4/19 - Impact 100 Palm Beach County's Grand Awards Ceremony at Lynn University, 3601 N. Military Trail, Boca Raton. Watch as the women's charitable organization funds local nonprofit initiatives in South County through high-impact grants in the areas of arts and culture, education, environment, family and health and wellness. 6 pm. Free for members. 336-4623 or impact100pbc.com.

Wednesday - 4/20 - Milagro Center's The 2016 SuperSTAR Spectacular Showcase: "Music, Magic, and Miracles" at ArtsGarage, 180 N.E. First St., Delray Beach. Get fooled by magic tricks by illusionist Gary Midnight and musical performances by the agency's children while participating in a silent auction and browsing artwork for sale. 7-9:30 pm. \$75. 279-2970 or milagrocenter.org.

Thursday - 4/21 - Place of Hope's Garden Party Angel Moms Brunch and Benefit at Boynton Woman's Club, 1010 N. Federal Highway, Boynton Beach. Join supporters of the agency's Leigha and David Rinker Campus for a lovely event featuring a festive brunch and Spring blooms. 11 am. \$125. 483-0962 or placeofhoperinker.org.

Saturday - 4/23 - Schoolhouse Children's Museum & Learning Center's Schoolhouse Bash at 129 E. Ocean Ave., Boynton Beach. Enjoy live music, food and beverages, a silent auction and celebrity emcee and more to benefit museum programs. 6:30 p.m. \$75. 742-6780 or schoolhousemuseum.org.

Friday - 4/29 - American Red Cross' South County Event at The Addison, Two E. Camino Real, Boca Raton. Honor Madelyn Savarick and a black-tie-optional affair featuring a cocktail reception, dancing, dining and a silent auction. 6-10 pm. \$200. 650-9131 or redcross.org.

MAY

Thursday - 5/5 - Executive Women of the Palm Beaches' Women in Leadership Awards at Kravis Center, 701 Okeechobee Blvd., West Palm Beach. Hear the author of the internationally bestselling book *The Practice: Simple Tools for Managing Stress, Finding Inner Peace, and Uncovering Happiness* as the organization recognizes local women who have displayed a commitment to community philanthropy. 11 am. \$80-\$150. 868-7070 or ewpb.org/wila.

Saturday - 5/7 - Tri-County Humane Society's Kentucky Derby Party at a private home in Palm Beach. Benefits the animals while watching the Run for the Roses. 5 pm. \$225. 482-8110 or tricountyanimalrescue.com.



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Photo: Bob Dunkin, US Trust Bank of America Private Wealth Management at Boys & Girls Clubs of Palm Beach County



Pay it Forward

Women of Impact 100 prepare for main event

By Amy Woods

A half-million donated dollars will flow into South Palm Beach County's philanthropic community following a membership meeting of the women of Impact 100.

The nonprofit, which supports local organizations by helping them achieve their goals, will gather April 19 for its fifth annual Grand Awards Ceremony, where money will be granted to five charities.

"We hope to give away \$500,000-plus," said Susan Duane, co-president of Impact 100. "We're very, very close. We're excited."

Each member who joins agrees to contribute \$1,000. Those checks are pooled to generate \$100,000 grants that are "truly transformational for the organizations that receive them," Duane said.

In 2014, the Achievement Centers for Children & Families applied for a grant to start after-school and summer programs at Pine Grove Elementary School in Delray Beach. The organization received the money in the spring and was able to get the programs up and running immediately.

"By the end of the first school year, they went from being almost an F school to being almost an A school — in one school year — and that would not have been without us," Duane said. "We've got lots of stories like that."

Impact 100 awards grants in five focus areas: arts and culture, education, environment, family and health and wellness. Letters of inquiry are sent out in the fall and must be returned in October. This year, nearly 80 organizations submitted applications.

"The need is great and we of course would like to fulfill every need," Duane said.

The members whittle down the list to a handful of semifinalists who are invited to the ceremony to present their projects. After the presentation, a vote takes place behind closed doors while guests enjoy drinks and hors d'oeuvres. When the meeting reconvenes, the recipients are announced.

"There's something about it that each member somehow feels they have given \$100,000 personally," Duane said. "You feel such a sense of accomplishment."

Suzy Lanigan, chairwoman of the event, agreed.

"It's heartwarming because the grant is given out that night," Lanigan said. "It is very emotional and awesome to see the faces and how happy they are to receive their award." ★



Duane and Lanigan

If You Go

What: Grand Awards Ceremony

When: 6 p.m. April 19

Where: Lynn University, 3601 N. Military Trail, Boca Raton

Cost: Free for members

Info: Call 336-4623 or visit www.impact100pbc.com.

Garden Party Angel Moms Brunch and Benefit

Boynton Woman's Club, Boynton Beach



April 21: Place of Hope will bring together supporters of the agency's Leighan and David Rinker Campus for an event featuring a festive brunch and spring blooms. Time is 11 a.m. Cost is \$125. Call 483-0962 or visit placeofhoperinker.org. **ABOVE:** (front, l-r) Committee members Melissa Bonaros, Veronica Parzygnat, Martha Yacoub, Bonnie Judson, Sung Knowles, Trisha Saffer, (back) Karyn Turk, Jennifer Gene, Joy Dolgon, Suzette Hernandez, Jeannine Morris, Lisa McDulin, Deborah Gaslow, Bonnie Wintz Boroian and Neil Saffer.

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Celebrations

SnowBall

Boca Raton Resort & Club – Jan. 23



More than 1,000 attendees welcomed celebrity emcee Goldie Hawn to the 54th annual Boca Raton Regional Hospital black-tie gala, which raised \$1 million to benefit the new Gloria Drummond Physical Rehabilitation Institute, opening later this year. Honorary Chairwoman Elaine Wold was recognized for gifting the institute. **LEFT:** Wold with Dr. Randy Scheen. **Photo provided by Downtown Photo**

Lunch & Learn

Kravis Center, West Palm Beach – Jan. 18



More than 600 turned out for the first Kravis event of the season. The crowd enjoyed banter by ArtSmart Co-Chairman Lee Wolf and special guest Julie Gilbert, who spoke about the life and wit of screenwriter Nora Ephron, of 'Sleepless in Seattle' fame. **ABOVE:** (seated, l-r) Carolyne Levy, Susan Kaskel, Marjorie Goldbaum, Iris Weingarten, (standing) Renee Ball and Marilyn Davimos. **Photo provided by Corby Kaye's Studio**

Bringing Israel Home Gala

The Addison, Boca Raton — Feb. 17



More than 260 people attended the inaugural My Israel Center — Bringing Israel Home gala. Defender of Israel award recipient Alan Dershowitz delivered an impassioned defense of Israel in his keynote address, as well as an unequivocal pledge to defend Chabad of East Boca Raton's right to build the MIC at 770 E. Palmetto Park Road. Ocean Ridge resident Ken Lebersfeld with his family received the MIC L'Dor V'Dor Award (From Generation to Generation). **ABOVE:** (L-r) Ahuva New, Rabbi Ruvy New, Ken Lebersfeld, Joan (Lebersfeld) Silver, Dershowitz, Adele Lebersfeld, Eric Lebersfeld, Herman Lebersfeld. **Photo provided by Gina Fontana**

Grand opening

Eau Palm Beach Resort & Spa, Manalapan – Feb. 18



Breeze Ocean Kitchen, a restaurant concept led by Executive Chef Josh Thomsen, welcomed more than 200 guests to sample the fare. On the menu were The Hound and Bahama Mama, both hand-crafted cocktails, and ceviche, mahi-mahi and paella. **ABOVE:** (l-r) Michael and Kelly Gottlieb with Nick Gold, the resort's director of public relations. **Photo provided by Capehart**



Ocean Ridge Art Show

Ocean Ridge Town Hall – March 3

Seasonal Ocean Ridge resident Karen Hudgin (left) placed first in the juried Ocean Ridge Art Show. Twenty-seven professional and emerging artists participated in the event. With a passion for wildlife art, it is no surprise Hudgin's work, titled 'The Great Egret', sold the night of the exhibit opening. **Photo provided**



Ribbon cutting

The Learning Experience, Boca Raton – March 3

The Learning Experience, one of the nation's fastest-growing early-education academies for children up to age 6, opened its global headquarters and fifth location in Palm Beach County. **LEFT:** Boca Raton Mayor Susan Haynie and The Learning Experience CEO and Chairman Richard Weissman. **Photo provided**

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Renaissance Ball

Polo Club, Boca Raton – Feb. 6

Business, community and healthcare leaders gathered to pay tribute to Dr. Michael Dennis, who was honored by Florida Atlantic University's Charles E. Schmidt College of Medicine. Dennis is founding chairman of the college's advisory board. **RIGHT:** (l-r) Bonnie Halperin, June Gelb, Larry and Robin Nagle and Dr. Ira Gelb. **Photo provided**



Celebrations

Copacabana Gala

Boynton Woman's Club, Boynton Beach – Feb. 20



A vibrant celebration honored architect Roy Simon, who was responsible for restoring the club's historic building. More than 150 guests watched as Simon received a plaque of appreciation. 'Roy has always been there to help us, and we thank him for everything he did for us,' says Lillian Ostiguy, gala committee member. **ABOVE:** (l-r) Club President Michele Walter, Ostiguy, Simon and gala Chairwoman Stephanie Steiner. **Photo provided**

Spring Boutique & Trunk Show

Old School Square – Feb. 22-25



Wayside House's annual fundraiser broke all previous attendance records with more than 3,000 attendees during the three-day event. The preview party also broke records with some 250 attendees who were able to shop and enjoy hors d'oeuvres prior to the public opening. Money raised helps Wayside provide addiction-treatment services to women. **ABOVE:** (l-r) Betsy Ortlip, Lisa Jankowski and Tina Jemison. **Photo provided**

Men's All-Star Dinner and Auction

XPE Sports, Boca Raton – Feb. 6



Place of Hope's families and supporters — men and women alike — celebrated the Super Bowl at an elite training facility for athletes. A nutritious meal and energizing auction benefited the children and young adults in the organization's care. **ABOVE:** (l-r) Tiel Villani, Laura Campbell, Lisa McDulin, Andrea Reid, Denise Day, Leticia Butkevits, Jennifer Lentoski and Karen Baker. **Photo provided**

Spring Boutique & Trunk Show

Club Colette – Feb. 25



The Hanley Center Foundation celebrated the fulfillment of a \$1 million pledge by jeweler Alex and Ani. **ABOVE:** Yardley Manfuso and Anne Keresey. **Photo provided by Lila Photo**

Bethesda Hospital Ball

The Breakers Palm Beach – March 5



Nearly 400 guests celebrated the 61st-annual Bethesda Hospital Ball with its 'Palm Beach Revisited' theme. Including sponsorships, proceeds from the night exceeded \$550,000. The gifts will benefit Bethesda's Center for Medical Education. **ABOVE:** (l-r) Nilisa McKinney, Glen and Karen Rogers and Frank McKinney. **Photo provided by Downtown Photo**

Palm Beach Fine Craft Show

Palm Beach County Convention Center, West Palm Beach — Feb. 26



The 13th-annual affair returned with a new twist this year to benefit three local organizations that support children — Center for Creative Education, Glades Academy Foundation and SHUZZ. The effort began with a by-invitation-only VIP event that featured select pieces by show artists who committed a percentage of proceeds to benefit the charities. More than \$18,000 was raised. **ABOVE:** (l-r) Rita Lombardo, Kristina Krykhtin, Oriya Atzmi, Sara Maynoldi, Veronica Parzygnat and Agata Ren. **Photo provided**

Around Town

Festival of the Arts Boca, a FAB show from A to Z

No big football game at West Boca High ... no free golf at Osprey Point ... yet traffic on Glades Road west of 441, on Sunday evening, March 13, was at a virtual standstill a mile from the entrance to South County Regional Park.

The attraction: a rally for America's newest political phenomenon — Republican presidential front-runner Donald Trump. A few protesters were escorted away, because the amphitheater, although in a public park, had been rented by Trump. He could exclude whom he chose.

In contrast to the art of the deal out west, a crowd back east at the Mizner Park Amphitheater on March 6 soaked up the art of music, courtesy of the 10th annual Festival of the Arts Boca — a FAB fortnight of stunning entertainment and critical thought from A to Z.

Sunday's A-plus show featured Herb Alpert, who turned 81 March 31, and wife Lani Hall, her voice still magical at 70. With teenage zeal, they raced through hit after hit, new compositions and a stunning encore tribute to Brazilian genius Antonio Carlos Jobim.

The high grades continued March 11 with another A-show. Joey Alexander, 12-year-old piano prodigy from Bali, made his first appearance ever with a full orchestra, mixing his own compositions with those of Thelonious Monk.

For much of the show, music director Constantine Kitsopoulos stood, arms folded, and nodded in amazement. Chairman and producer Charlie Siemon couldn't contain a broad smile

when asked how the festival landed Alexander: A year ago co-producer Wendy Larsen saw a video of Alexander and immediately made contact through Lincoln Center. "His father is his manager," Siemon said. "Joey was just settling in, but he said yes. I still can't believe what we got him for. Today we couldn't afford him."

FAB's program, of course, intersperses music and intellect, which takes us to Z, as in Fareed Zakaria. The globe and the United States may be in turmoil, the CNN host, journalist, author and



Zakaria

economist conceded, but times are not as bad as many claim.

Addressing early on Marco Rubio's surprising debate reference to Trump's "small hands" and Trump's retort that Rubio was "not factually accurate," Zakaria observed: "It doesn't really measure up to 'Ask not what your country can do for you ...'"

Educated at Harvard and Yale, Zakaria was born in India, where *I Love Lucy* reruns and the opening credits to *Dallas* shaped his first impressions of the United States as a land of tomorrow, the shining city on the hill. Despite what Trump and others claim, he still considers it the best nation on Earth.

But he cautions that many problems created by centuries of failed policies and mistakes will not be solved overnight. Radical Islam, for example, was spawned by Western meddling after World War I, oil production and despotic regimes. Protest, driven from the streets, coalesced into the

St. Baldrick's celebration Brogues Downunder, Lake Worth – March 17



ABOVE: The crowd cheers and records the proceedings at Brogues Downunder in support of the St. Baldrick's Foundation, which raises money for childhood cancer research.

LEFT: Lake Worth resident Brian Lasure, 25, gets his head shaved during the fundraiser. He had been growing his dreadlocks for more than eight years. Photos by Tim Stepien/The Coastal Star

one place the government couldn't interfere — the mosque.

As the Husseins and Gadhafis were toppled, the nations had no supporting civil structure and ultimately no country. The radicals filled the vacuum. But now ISIS must contend with opposition from all directions — the United States, Lebanon, Turkey, the Kurds, Russia and Iran. Its ability to spread terror is

limited.

Problems exist, Zakaria said, but Americans have to be realistic: Fears must be reasonable. Since 9/11, 45 people have been killed in this country by Islamic terrorists; 150,000 have died from gunshots.

The United States remains the strongest nation on Earth economically, growing twice as fast as Europe and four times faster than Japan. It has recovered from the worldwide

recession faster than any other nation. It is the world's largest producer of oil. For three years, net immigration from Mexico has been zero.

"The living, breathing reality of America remains that it is an extraordinary place where people can be themselves and live out their dreams. But it's hard work," Zakaria said.

Leave it to Bill O'Reilly. Taking a break in Delray Beach, the Fox News TV host spent at least part of St. Patrick's Day... in an English pub.

"I think he had fish 'n' chips," Blue Anchor owner Lee Harrison said.

Shamrocks and pigs aside, England is loaded with similarly named pubs, Harrison explained, particularly in

port cities where the blue anchor symbolizes good luck.

Perhaps O'Reilly was looking for some luck, given

the turmoil in his "No Spin Zone" in recent weeks.

Fellow conservative Charles Krauthammer even rebuked Battling Bill on-air for using "weaselly words" to condemn Donald Trump's incendiary rhetoric at campaign rallies.

Before becoming a pub owner, Harrison was in the



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news business. In 1973, he was writing for the Hemel Hempstead *Evening Post-Echo* (that's a mouthful) just outside of London, when *National Enquirer* publisher **Generoso Pope** offered an outrageous salary. Harrison and dozens of fellow Brits moved to Lantana.

Harrison later became editor of *The National Examiner*, but as often happens in the tabloids, he was fired. Done with ink, he and a partner latched onto the Blue Anchor, then a London pub about to give way to a parking lot. In 1996 they salvaged its oak doors, paneling and stained glass and had them shipped to and re-erected in Delray Beach.

Harrison isn't the only *Enquirer* staffer to pursue new paths. At least two now hold public office.

Steve Coz, who served as editor at *The Enquirer*, formed **Coz Media** in 2005, became editorial director at **Newsmax**, then took over media affairs and communications for **Uta Pippig** and **Take The Magic Step** fitness programs. In his first run for public office, the Harvard-educated Coz, 58, unseated veteran **Ocean Ridge** Town Commissioner **Lynn Allison**.

Incidentally, Coz loves paddleboards, but they don't work too well on land, so he may head to commission meetings on his bike.

Malcolm Balfour was just re-elected to the **Lantana Town Council**. He first came to the States on a track scholarship to **Mississippi State**, where he took a controversial stand against segregation. He returned to his native South Africa, where he reported on civil unrest, then joined *The Enquirer* and covered such juicy subjects as the Kennedys and the Pulitzers. Malcolm stayed on seven years before returning to freelancing in print and TV.

Active in programs to save

town parks for boaters and fishermen and a longtime member of the **Lantana Nature Preserve**, he was elected to the Town Council in 2013 and currently serves as vice mayor.

The hot spring continues in Boca with the 14th annual **Boca Bacchanal Wine and Food Fest**. On April 8 at the amphitheater at **Mizner Park**, guests will sample dishes from 30 area restaurants, fine wines and craft beers. Action moves April 9 to local homes for dinners pairing top international chefs and vintners. Tickets for the Bacchanalia (\$125), vintner dinners (\$325) and the new pre-party for Bacchanalia ticket holders (\$50) are available at bocabacchanal.com. Proceeds benefit the **Boca Raton Historical Society & Museum**.

A week later, the popular **Taste of the Nation** returns to the **Kravis Center** for the sixth year. More than 50 restaurants, vintners, brewers and purveyors will join co-chairs and top chefs **Lindsay Autry**, **Zach Bell**, **Clay Conley** and **Tim Lipman**. Proceeds go to local programs that fight childhood hunger. Tickets: VIP with early admission (6 p.m.) and special perks, \$200; general admission (7 p.m.) \$125. (ce.nokidhungry.org/palmbeach)

Goodbye, **Ruby Tuesday**. Hello, **Juniors**.

As many restaurants seem to fail as succeed in Mizner Park, but two properties from up the coast are taking a shot. Brooklyn legend **Juniors** was looking for another borough where it could hawk its \$50 cheesecake, and the empty **Ruby Tuesday** fits the bill. Third-generation owner **Alan Rosen** hopes to open by September.

Also, **Jazziz** will give way to **Zorba**. Two Baltimore restaurateurs, **Alexander Smith** and **George Aligeorgas**,

are bringing their popular **Ouzo Bay** concept to Mizner with seating for 325, a patio, "chic bar atmosphere," and one unique Jazziz holdover — the 30-seat cigar room. **Matthew Oetting**, previously at **The Continental Miami Beach** before heading to New York, will run the kitchen. They are hoping for a late summer opening.

The new **Hyatt Place**, rising at the southeast corner of Federal Highway and Palmetto Park Road, has landed a restaurant client. The name is new but the operators are area vets. **Louie Bossi's Ristorante Bar Pizzeria** (named for the chef) is the latest offering from **Big Time Restaurant Group**. The prototype Louie's opened last summer on Las Olas Boulevard in Fort Lauderdale. Special touch: a bocce court.

Nick Lioce lived large and had a big heart, but in the end, it was his heart that gave out. He died March 10 from heart surgery complications. He was 65.



Lioce

A respected lawyer and accountant, Nick was best known outside legal circles as a rock 'n' roller, leading one of the most popular and most cleverly named groups anywhere — **Nick-O-Rockwa and the Contra Band**.

A graduate of **Riviera Beach High School**, Lioce earned accounting and law degrees at **Florida State**, then returned home to open his practice and practice his music.

He took inspiration for the band's name from the Iran-Contra crisis of the early '80s. Lioce handled lead vocals on a huge catalog of rock and R&B hits as the band played just about every local live music venue in the county plus private

parties and fundraisers.

Lynn University's music program continues to grow, and Dean **Jon Robertson** wants to show off his students to the public with seven concerts in April and May. Two master classes featuring outstanding international performers will be free.

Avery Fisher Prize-winner **Elmar Oliveira** opens the series with a violin master class at 7 p.m. Friday, April 8 in the Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall. Saturday night, same time, same station, flutist **Nestor Torres** will follow suit. For ticket information for all performances, go to lynn.edu/events.

The 21st annual **Palm Beach International Film Festival** opens a nine-day run April 6 with **Money**. That's the movie's title.

The festival, however, may save a little by staging opening night festivities at **The Palm Beaches Theatre** in Manalapan. It happens to be owned by the festival's new president and CEO, **Jeff Davis**.

As with previous incarnations, this festival won't present many big stars, onscreen or in person. Very little information about personal appearances has been released, but chances are slim that the likes of **Christian Slater** and **Ed Harris** (*The Adderall Diaries*), **David Arquette** (*Evan's Crime*) or **Eric Roberts**, **Sean Young** or **Armand Assante** (*Leaves of the Tree*) will show for their screenings.

Odds are better for *Money's* Spanish-born director, **Martin Rosete**, since his film is the festival opener. The closing night film at **Cinemark Palace** in Boca offers a huge hook: **Silver Skies** stars somewhat-local hero **George Hamilton**, as well as **Valerie Perrine**, **Alex Rocco**, **Mariette Hartley**,



Hamilton

Barbara Bain and **Howard Hesseman** as condo residents whose homes are sold out from under them.

Features include entries from Holland, Bulgaria, South Korea and Iran, and the festival offers loads of shorts, student films and several promising documentaries.

In addition to **The Palm Beaches Theatre** and **Cinemark Palace**, films will be shown at **Muvico Parisian** and **G-Star School of the Arts** in West Palm Beach. (pbfilmfest.org)

Luck on the links... Leave it to two lucky Irish men to beat the odds. **Palm Beach Kennel Club** owner **Patrick Rooney Sr.** and his buddy **Dan Boyle** both scored holes-in-one on March 19, two days after St. Patrick's Day. The men, part of a foursome, hit their lucky shots on the 135-yard fourth hole at **Trump National** in Jupiter.

Boyle, of Philadelphia, played first, hitting an 8-iron that appeared to be on a good line, but a large bunker obstructed the hole.

"I saw the ball roll right off the hole and then it disappeared," the salesman said.

Rooney, of Palm Beach Gardens, used a 6-iron to hit his shot on the same line as Boyle's.

The hole-in-one was Boyle's first, but Rooney had scored four previously.

The odds of two amateurs scoring a hole-in-one in the same foursome are 1 in 26 million, according to **The National Hole In One**



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At Caffe Luna Rosa, the broccoli makes a delightful starter, with the bitter greens pairing perfectly with the slightly sweet house-made sausage that fairly sings with notes of fennel.

You could just about make a meal of the broccoli, but then you'd be missing the beautiful



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pasta, meat and seafood dishes chef Ernesto DeBlasi prepares.

We also enjoyed the Rigatoni Pomodoro, whose San Marzano tomato sauce had the right blend of spice and sweetness,

and the Insalata Luna Rosa, which combined arugula, chopped tomatoes and a tangy lemon/olive oil dressing.

Mangia!

— Scott Simmons

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south Palm Beach County.

The Cole sisters' music foundation, Nat King Cole Generation Hope, is one of those charities. Generation Hope has helped more than 40 schools and music programs, supporting mentoring and teaching, collecting and refurbishing used instruments and supplying new instruments.

Patti LaBelle replaced Aretha Franklin, who was scheduled to stand in for Natalie Cole but had to cancel because of health problems.

"Patti was, needless to say, devastated when she heard of Natalie's passing, and she just really feels honored to be able to give a tribute to her in this way," said Casey Cole. "We all are very pleased and very happy that Patti will be doing this."

Natalie Cole

The Cole sisters, both Boca Raton residents, started Nat King Cole Generation Hope in 2008 to provide music education to children with the greatest need and fewest resources in

Palm Beach, Broward and Miami-Dade counties. When budget cuts hit South Florida schools, music programs were among the first to go. That's when they sprang into action.

Their pet project is the Summer Strings Concert at Lynn University, the exciting finale of a strings camp for 80 to 100 students.

"We will be extending it from one week to a two-week program this summer, and that's because the Boca Foundation increased their support and funding for us.

"We are thrilled about that," said Timolin Cole.

One of the sisters' projects

If You Go

What: Golf Challenge
When: 11 a.m. April 4 (1 p.m. tee time; 5:30 p.m. cocktail party and awards)
Where: Boca West Country Club, Boca Raton
Cost: Player spots are \$600 and include a ticket for the concert. Additional cocktail party tickets are \$150.
Information for both events: 488-6980 or foundation@bocawestcc.org

What: Concert for the Children, with the Atlantic City Boys and Patti LaBelle
When: 8 p.m. April 5 (doors open at 6 p.m.)
Where: Akoya Amphitheatre, Great Lawn of the Boca West Country Club, Boca Raton
Cost: \$175; seats will be assigned by lottery

is providing guitars for Guitars Over Guns, headed by Chad Bernstein, who founded the program at two middle schools in North Miami. Bernstein was

named a CNN Hero in 2015 because of his program. The sisters said Natalie Cole was a big supporter of their foundation, and they know their father would have been, too.

"Our father stressed patience, perseverance and passion. And you can add goodwill and humility. That's what resonated with their fans," said Timolin Cole. ★

The Nat King Cole foundation needs volunteers, old and new musical instruments and donations. 213-8209; www.natkingcolegenhope.org.



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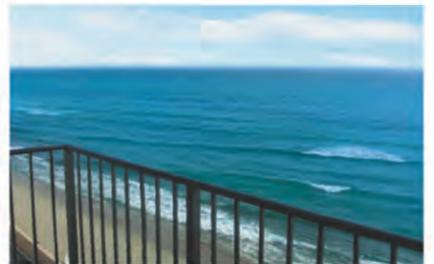
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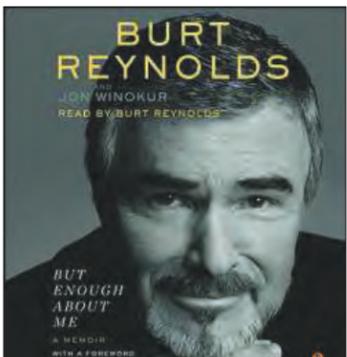
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Art *Struggles, triumphs*

Works by female modernists on display at Norton Museum

By April Klimley
ArtsPaper Art Writer

The Norton's exhibition *Four Women Modernists in New York* is full of surprises. Of course, many people will visit it to see Georgia O'Keeffe's work, especially her Jack-in-the-Pulpit series.

But you are in for an additional treat when you examine the work of three other female modernists from the same era, also part of this show, which runs through May 15.

The three other artists are Fauvist/Cubist Marguerite Zorach, modernist Helen Torr, and expressionist/surrealist Florine Stettheimer. All three lived in New York City at the same time as O'Keeffe, socialized with her or knew of her, and were active members of the modernist movement (1910-1930). But unlike O'Keeffe, their reputations faded soon after their deaths, to some degree because their art was considered "feminine."

"The majority of critics in their era saw their work through the lens of their gender, limiting their

understanding of it," writes Ellen Roberts in the exhibition catalog. Roberts, the Norton's Harold and Anne Berkley Smith Curator of American Art, organized this exhibit.

"But all these artists wanted to be judged as artists," she explains. Nonetheless, she believes that they are still evaluated to some extent through the gender-based prism of early critics. Roberts is determined to change that.

So as you walk through the exhibition, look at the work of each artist for what it says to you in terms of technique, expression, subject matter and power.

The work of Marguerite Zorach, born in California, comes first — perhaps because her art received relatively objective reviews in her youth upon her return from Paris to California. Critics were shocked by the wildness of her work but did not focus on how it related to gender.

This intensity of emotion (a hallmark of Fauvism) is visible in virtually all Zorach's early paintings. The four stylized women in *Bathers* — painted in a blocky, flat style — joyously lounge around at the bottom



Visitors take in the works of Georgia O'Keeffe at the Norton Museum of Art exhibition. **Photo provided**

of a stylized waterfall, almost blending into the rocks. Zorach uses the same flat technique with almost no perspective in two other paintings that reveal her love of nature — *Deer in the Forest* and *Sunrise and Moonset*, an almost cubist landscape.

Zorach's powerful, Fauvist oil painting came to a screeching halt with the birth of her children. After that, she turned to embroidery and textiles. Critics thought of this work as more "feminine." It

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Theater

'Bridges' hits the road to find success

By Hap Erstein
ArtsPaper Theater Writer

In 1992, everywhere you looked, people were reading Robert James Waller's pulpy romance novel *The Bridges of Madison County*. But Broadway composer-lyricist Jason Robert Brown was not one of them.

"I hadn't read the novel. I'd seen about 15 minutes of the movie," he says, referring to the 1995 Hollywood release that starred Meryl Streep and Clint Eastwood as the lonely Italian housewife and

the *National Geographic* photographer who meet and launch a torrid four-day affair. "So I was coming at it just from the point of knowing it was a thing that sold a lot of copies and got a lot of older women very moist."

Despite his initial skepticism about the material, Brown eventually collaborated with playwright Marsha Norman and director Bartlett Sher on a musical version of *Bridges* that eventually won him two Tony Awards for the show's score and orchestrations. Although it

ran only 100 performances on Broadway in 2014, the show managed to muster a national tour, which arrives at the Kravis Center on April 26.

"I'm thrilled about it," says Brown of the musical's unexpected life on tour. "It took a lot of work. It was a lot of producers doing their homework, really fighting because they wanted this show out on the road so much. There's so few things that really go out anymore, especially not a lot of new

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Andrew Samonsky (Robert) and Elizabeth Stanley (Francesca) in *The Bridges of Madison County* national tour. **Matthew Murphy**

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certainly lacked the strength of her earlier paintings, although it sold well and helped support her family.

Turning the corner, you'll come face to face with the somber work of Helen Torr. Born in a suburb of Philadelphia, Torr lived with and married artist Arthur Dove. Most of her artwork consists of lonely landscapes, studies of nature, or paintings of buildings. Many critics saw Torr's work as unoriginal and simply paralleling her husband's art. Yet her paintings have a depth and tranquility all their own.

For instance, the graceful swirls in Torr's gouache and charcoal *Sea Shell* (1928) are mesmerizing, and her *Corrugated Building*, *White Cloud* (*Light House*), and *January* are beautifully composed and tranquil.

Some critics have actually suggested that her charcoal drawings on paper, such as *Geometric*, were precursors to radical abstraction.

No one called her work "feminine," yet she was held back by her domestic circumstances and lack of self-confidence. Her work remained largely underappreciated until after her death — much of it locked away in an attic at that time.

Turning the corner, viewers will be captivated by the



Bathers, by Marguerite Zorach (c 1913-14). Photo provided

brilliance and joy of Florine Stettheimer's work. Instead of solid flat blocks of primary colors, you will see delicate lines and pastels. Instead of dark greens and blacks, you'll see pale blues, pinks and yellows. Stettheimer's *Self Portrait with Palette* (*Painter and Faun*) is a Fauvist tribute to the joy of art. The faun in the picture might have stepped out of the Nijinsky ballet *The Afternoon of a Faun*, which Stettheimer saw in Paris.

This artist, born in Rochester, N.Y., was a decade older than

the others in the exhibition. Her early art shows the influence of Fauvism. But after a one-woman exhibition at the Knoedler gallery, which was not a financial success, Stettheimer turned in another direction and never allowed her art to be shown or sold again.

She created a unique surrealist style in many of her latter works such as *Asbury Park South*, *Spring Sale at Bendel's*, and *Portrait of Myself*. In these, flattened figures seemed to float across the canvas. Each painting

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contained a witty commentary on the society she lived in. The dream-like feeling of these paintings resembles some of the work of Marc Chagall.

Critics labeled most of her work "feminine," including the sets and costumes she designed for Virgil Thomson and Gertrude Stein's opera *Four Saints in Three Acts*, which received considerable acclaim. Yet after her death, Stettheimer's work fell into obscurity.

The fourth room features the powerful work of Georgia O'Keeffe. The vivid purple and green colors of her *Jack-in-the-Pulpit* series stand out starkly against the dark walls of the gallery. But as dramatic as these paintings are, they still reinforce the stereotype which O'Keeffe, too, had to fight against: That gender was at the heart of her art. As one art critic, Paul Rosenfeld, put it, "It is female, this art..."

That certainly can't be said of her two skyscraper paintings on the far wall, however. The originality of the placement of the low-lying moon in *City Night* and the exploding light in *The Shelton with Sunspots, NY* could never be stereotyped as "feminine."

It was this type of work that eventually turned O'Keeffe's reputation around and began to position her as one of America's greatest artists. Soon after painting these, although married to Alfred Stieglitz, she began traveling to Arizona to paint. In that way, she continued to grow and flourish as an artist. Somehow, she overcame the domestic and social pressures that limited Zorach, Torr and even Stettheimer.

Where does that leave the other three modernists in the show? Although talented and influential, none of them was able to completely actualize her talent. Each one was blocked by powerful forces — financial and family pressures, stereotyping by critics, limited opportunities to exhibit their work, and few (if any) sales. These obstacles undermined the confidence of all three.

So another title for this exhibition might be "Unfulfilled Expectations," if it were not for the fact that one of this circle — O'Keeffe — overcame these forces and did not let them stand in the way of making the most of her artistic aspirations and talent.

Film

In its 21st year, Palm Beach Film Festival has new bosses, fresh direction

By Hap Erstein

Stop me if you've heard this one before.

The annual Palm Beach International Film Festival, now in its 21st year, has new management, which insists the nine-day celebration of movies from around the world will be better than ever. Yes, the revolving door has taken yet another turn and, who knows, maybe this time they'll get it right.

Meet Jeff Davis, the festival's new president, CEO and board chairman, a Broadway producer (*Rock of Ages*, *The Drowsy Chaperone*) and owner of a chain of pawn shops. And Larry Richman, executive vice president of the festival, a former journalist and record producer, as well as a film festival programmer and director of operations. Together, they have taken over for the deposed Randi

Emerman, with big plans to make PBIFF hipper and more social-media savvy.

"We are reinventing the wheel," proclaims Davis. "The wheel wasn't broken, it just had a couple of bumps. We're going to regenerate it, recycle it, bring it into the 21st century. It's not going to be a one-week-a-year festival. We're looking to do every month or two," at different venues around Palm Beach County.

This year's festival, unspooling April 6-14, will feature 172 films — 28 premieres, including 17 world, eight North American and three U.S. premieres. The 88 features consist of 20 documentaries and 68 narrative features.

"There's a different balance," explains Davis. "The number of feature films is about the same, but we have a lot more foreign films, we have a lot more narrative features. We've

added more shorts, so the overall number is higher. We also added a new category this year — horror."

Horror films? "We've never really had horror films in the festival. We just didn't book them," says Richman. "It seemed like a different audience, but who knows unless you try it? The previous management was reluctant to do that. I remember the conversation we had about it and Jeff said, 'Sure, let's do it.' I was thrilled."

In the past, some of the films had been worthy, but the festival was notoriously underattended. "It's been a marketing challenge for 21 years and we're looking to overcome that," concedes Davis. "It was not particularly very well-advertised. If you don't let people know we exist and have good-quality films, it's very hard to put people in seats. The more you advertise,

the more they know. It's a problem and we're looking to overcome that."

Perhaps the most significant change is the acquisition of a permanent, year-round theater space, The Palm Beaches Theatre in Manalapan, the former Florida Stage (aka the former Plaza Theatre). "The nice part is we do have a new home, which is something we never had for 21 years," Davis notes. The theater will be one of the festival venues — along with two screens at the Carmike Parisian at CityPlace, one at the Cinemark in Boca Raton and the soundstage at G-Star School of the Arts in West Palm Beach.

According to Richman, PBIFF received three times the number of film submissions as it got a year earlier. He claims that is due in part to the festival's reputation beyond the county.

"The festival has had a great reputation, outside the area especially. Every festival I go to says the same thing. The people that live there don't think it's a big deal. But around the world, our reputation is huge."

Davis and Richman are ready with a sales pitch when asked why moviegoers should try the festival. "They'll have an experience like nowhere else, the experience of seeing something that they're not going to see on TV, they're not going to see on their iPhone," says Davis.

"They'll see the best films they've ever seen in their lives," chimes in Richman. "And get to talk to the filmmakers afterwards. And meet the casts. And to be among the first people to have ever seen that film."

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shows.”

Perhaps the performing arts centers of the country were always a more natural fit for *Bridges*. “I think it was always an easier sell to an outside-of-New-York audience anyway,” Brown says. “I think the title of the novel is a tricky thing and a sophisticated urban environment was a real challenge for it.”

And perhaps there was also resistance from those who had read the book. “I think there was a real sense of read-that, seen-that, I don’t need to go see the show,” says Brown.

But, he insists, “there’s an essential difference to what we’ve created, not only in tone but in content. I think we’re exploring what thematically is hiding in the pages of what is not a particularly well-written book.”

“We were very connected to what was hiding in the novel about commitment and about family and about love. And what it means to be an artist. Maybe Waller meant them to be explicit and maybe he didn’t, but those were the things the piece ended up being about.”

The musical began with a phone call from Waller to Norman, who had previously adapted such titles as *The Secret Garden* and *The Color Purple* for the stage. “So she was sort of the literary-adaptation-girl,” says Brown, adding that he and Norman had been wanting to work on a project together.

“And so Marsha said, ‘I got the weirdest call about *The Bridges of Madison County*. Is that our opera?’”

Warily, the two of them agreed to take a crack at bringing it to life onstage.

“Once Marsha and I knocked our way through the idea of it, I remember saying to myself, ‘All right, now I guess I’d better read it,’” laughs Brown. “And I remember sitting and reading it and taking my notes. It is both a very short book and a heavily overwritten book, but that to me felt like exactly why it made sense as a musical. There was so much room in it to explore an emotional life, there was so much that music does well that I felt like when you sing it, it gets supported by all this musical life.”

His *Bridges* score is very lush and symphonic, unlike what he has written for *Parade* (which won Brown his first Tony in 1999), *The Last Five Years*, *13 or Honeymoon in Vegas*, his most recent Broadway show, which opened last year and closed even faster than *Bridges*.

“I’d say the concept for the sound came to me quickly. I knew what it was supposed to sound like. Actually getting the notes out was an interesting process,” he says. “I just felt that these characters were not those urban, funky people that I write, so I pulled out a guitar and started playing around with tunings and different ways of voicing the instrument. So it’s a very guitar-heavy score



Jason Robert Brown won two Tony Awards for his score for *Bridges*. Photo provided

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and I think that texture and harmonic vocabulary was very different for me,” he says.

Brown has thought a great deal about why *Bridges of Madison County* had such a short run on Broadway, without reaching any answers.

“There are 10,000 reasons why something doesn’t catch on. I’ve seen infinitely worse shows with infinitely worse performances that do very, very well and run forever. My job and Marsha’s job and Bart’s job was to say what we had to say in the best way we knew how to say it. And I felt like we all did that.”

The show opened at the Williamstown (Mass.) Theatre Festival in summer 2013, where Brown and Norman worked on it methodically and confidently. “There was no panic. I think had our producers been a little more honest with us about where the sales were, we might have been panicking, but I don’t think we would have changed the show,” says Brown.

Asked whether it was easy to sell the show to theaters around the nation, Brown says, “Some yes and some less so. I think the theaters around the country that only want to do *Book of Mormon* are wondering how they’re going to sell this show. I think the presenters around the country that love what the musical theater can be, I think they signed on very quickly.”

“And I think the Kravis is one of those places. I know that those audiences can be very vocal and very cranky. They know what they want. I think this was a very easy call for that audience.”

Brown notes that his shows that have toured have all done well, while the New York versions have not. “So I no longer worry about that as much of a metric of anything,” he says. “I just try and write the shows that I love and then they go out in the world and they do these amazing things in the most unexpected places.”



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Music

A simple memorial barbecue blossoms into yearly fest to benefit kids with cancer

By Bill Meredith
ArtsPaper Music Writer

Gary Rowan has presented his annual Uncle Gary's Rock & Rib Fest (www.UncleGarys-RockandRibFest.com) for a decade, and watched the event grow exponentially. Yet he wishes he never had to. The festival honors his only child, Ashley, who succumbed to the rare childhood liver cancer hepatoblastoma in 2002 at age 3.

"This is truly a labor of love; my everything," Rowan says, "because I'd committed to do something to honor Ashley the day she passed. I wasn't sure what it would be, but the first was a barbecue at my house to have my family close by. There were 32 people there in 2005. The second year, that number doubled; the third, there were more than a hundred."

Realizing the event was burgeoning into a lasting tribute to Ashley, Rowan enlisted his friend Rich Bingold to find the right foundation to benefit from its success.

"I asked him to find a local cancer organization that catered exclusively to children," Rowan said. The Royal Palm Beach-based Kids Cancer Foundation (www.kidscancersf.org) has partnered with Rowan ever since.

Over the years, the benefit moved to sites including the American German Club in Lantana and John Prince Park in Lake Worth. This year, the choice is the Wellington Amphitheater. Admission is free, so proceeds depend on the \$20 dinner plates of grilled fare and sides that Rowan and his team prepare. There will also be volunteers selling raffle tickets, vendors selling snacks, and of course, kids' activities like face-painting and a balloon artist.

"This is for the kids," Rowan says, "so I'll also sell a smaller, discounted kids plate."

A major music fan, Rowan is also serving up delectable sounds throughout the day. Pelvis is a Miami-based act specializing in cover tunes from the '60s through '90s, interspersed with Elvis Presley songs. The Natty Bos



The Natty Bos will perform at 3:30 p.m. April 16 at Uncle Gary's Rock & Rib Fest in Wellington. Photo provided

feature dynamic blues singer and harmonica player Clay Goldstein, as well as one the best guitarists to emerge from South Florida in Mario Lacasse.

And Wellington-bred vocalist Melinda Elena's self-titled band showcases the young singer's ample range, from jazz to blues and rock.

"Melinda has played several of my events," Rowan says. "She asked me to introduce her to the ladies from the Kids Cancer Foundation, and she's since proven that was because she wanted to go visit those kids in hospitals. That's the kind of person she is."

Pelvis plays 2-3 p.m., the Natty Bos 3:30-5:30 p.m., the Melinda Elena Band 6-8 p.m., and Elena with Natty Bos front man Clay Goldstein 8:30-10 p.m., April 16 at Uncle Gary's Rock & Rib Fest at the Wellington Amphitheater, 12100 Forest Hill Blvd. (929-1523).

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Music

Multiple influences inform the music of 'jazz' maestro Bennett

By Bill Meredith
ArtsPaper Music Writer

For an act that was recently named "Best New Jazz Group" by New York City-based, traditional jazz-leaning *Hot House* magazine, the Daniel Bennett Group is decidedly all over the place stylistically. Its namesake alto saxophonist helps to label his lineup as jazz practically by the nature of his instrument, yet he turns any such inherent forms of black-and-white tradition multiple shades of gray.

For starters, Bennett also plays clarinet, bass clarinet, oboe, flute and piccolo — which combine to add nuances of classical, folk and world music, all of which factor into the bandleader's compositions. As does musical theater, another of his specialties.

So it doesn't qualify as surprising that the Daniel Bennett Group is a shape-shifting unit of varying personnel. A handful of different guitarists, bassists and drummers are employed for recording and touring, and for its weeklong run through Florida — concluding with an April 3 matinee at the Mandel Public Library in West Palm Beach — it's the decidedly non-traditional lineup of Bennett on his various wind instruments, Nat Janoff on guitar, and Matthew Feick on percussion.

"With no bass, the trio has to emphasize as wide a range of sounds as possible," Bennett says by phone from his Manhattan apartment. "The more we can make, the better, so while I'm playing my different instruments, Nat's using different pedals to change tones, one of them a looping pedal to emulate bass lines, and Matthew is often playing auxiliary stuff in addition to the drums. I tend to add bass more for club and festival gigs."

For his Florida tour, the 36-year-old Bennett conversely booked house concerts, high schools, museums and libraries in cities ranging from Orlando and Melbourne to Lantana and Delray Beach.

"We tour Florida every year," he says. "We have great relationships with some venues there. This will be our first time at the Mandel Public Library, which has an incredible arts and music series throughout the year, so we're very excited to perform there."

Janoff has released a handful of CDs as a leader, fronts his own band in a monthly house gig at the 55 Bar in Manhattan, and has performed with jazz icons Michael Brecker and Kenny Burrell. Still, he finds special challenges, and rewards, within Bennett's compositions.

"I've worked with Daniel for four years," says Janoff, "and his music is very unique stuff. I think he's creating his own sound. It's quite approachable



Daniel Bennett, seated, and his bandmates, percussionist Matthew Feick and guitarist Nat Janoff. Photo provided

in many ways, yet it has a lot of influences from many styles of music. It's not easy, though it may sound that way. I use everything I can in terms of my musical knowledge. Parts of it can be quite challenging technically. I just draw from all sources to make it work the best I can, yet work for Daniel's vision as well."

Feick, on the other hand, was discovered by Bennett in the orchestra pit rather than onstage.

"Matthew's a serious theater musician, which is how we met," Bennett says. "He has classical and jazz chops, among other things, so he brings a lot to the table. About five years ago, we were doing a show in New York together called 'The Wild Party,' and I noticed that his sense of time was just perfect. And especially without a bass player, I knew I could benefit from a drummer with that precision."

Through his description of Bennett's material, the drummer, who's also worked with Bennett for four years, indirectly agrees.

"His material is clever and original," Feick says. "He intertwines musical complexity into ostensible pop very seamlessly, and has a real knack for making challenging music palatable and fun for a broad audience. The catchy melodies become instant hooks. My approach to playing the tunes is simplicity. Despite having an odd count of beats per measure, I try to conserve symmetry, with repeating patterns in order to maintain an intuitive balance for the listener. It's really all about the audience."

Both Janoff and Feick appear on Bennett's latest release, last year's *The Mystery at Clown Castle*, which the trio will

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The Daniel Bennett Group performs at 2 p.m. April 3, at the Mandel Public Library, 401 Clematis St., West Palm Beach (free; 822-2222.)

from Florida and Virginia to Cincinnati and St. Louis, because there seems to be a demand for music in those settings. We also have several through California and Washington in late April and early May. It's great."

Bennett earned his master's degree in classical saxophone performance from the New England Conservatory, the renowned Boston-based institution where he studied both jazz and classical music (mainly through studies with New York Philharmonic and Boston Symphony soloist Kenneth Radnofsky). It's where the late, iconic arranger Gunther Schuller opened the minds of purists of both genres for decades by combining them into his Third Stream concept.

Also influenced by jazz studies at the NEC with Jerry Bergonzi, George Garzone and Bob Moses, and playing with Steve Lacy and Bob Brookmeyer, Bennett developed a wide musical palette. He cites

influences from Igor Stravinsky and Steve Reich to Ornette Coleman and Paul Desmond, yet also mentions country music icon Johnny Cash, '80s dance group Depeche Mode, Canadian singer/songwriter Gordon Lightfoot, and pop vocal legends the Beach Boys.

"The common threads are melody and soul," Bennett says, "and they extend through Philip Glass, Joni Mitchell, Gerry Mulligan, The Smiths, and so many more. So I don't even think about what I sound like, or what we sound like. The music is who we are."

The versatile bandleader is excited to display those threads on two levels during his trio's Florida tour.

"There really seems to be a genuine interest in jazz in Florida," Bennett says. "There's a lot going on, and this tour is very special. We are going to play every song from 'The Mystery at Clown Castle,' and really want people to experience the new album in a live context, but with many surprises and twists.

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A superdud at the cinema; fine 'Ariadne'

Batman vs. Superman (opened March 25)

Of all of the craven, deceptive teases in *Batman vs. Superman: Dawn of Justice*, none is perhaps more flagrant than the film's title. The two barrel-chested superheroes may face off in the movie's grimacing poster, but they're pitted against each other for all of five minutes of Zach Snyder's two-and-a-half hours of pandering claptrap.

There are more fireworks in an early cocktail-party tête-à-tête between their alter egos, Bruce Wayne and Clark Kent (Ben Affleck and Henry Cavill) than in their brief caped confrontation, but, like every human-interest inroad into this hulking monstrosity, it is short-lived.

But it's really Jesse Eisenberg's movie. The brainy character actor redefines Lex Luthor as a floppy-haired, twitchy biotech geek with a penchant for Jolly Ranchers and existential destruction. His every scene is an infectious hoot, the latest in an ongoing series of comic-book villains upstaging the title characters.

The same cannot be said for Affleck's soporific entrée as Bruce Wayne/Batman, a charmless fount of perpetual grimness who, when not growling under Bat ears, tends

to blend into the wallpaper — but I guess we can't all be Robert Downey Jr. And poor Gal Gadot, the Israeli model-actress debuting as Wonder Woman, barely registers amid the relentless CGI noise, thanks to a script that short-shrifts her backstory and personality. — *Palm Beach ArtsPaper staff*

Ariadne auf Naxos (Palm Beach Opera, March 20)

The audience response Sunday afternoon to Palm Beach Opera's final presentation of Richard Strauss's *Ariadne auf Naxos* wasn't the kind of enthusiastic ovation a more familiar opera from the Italian repertory would have won.

But if they weren't crazy about the opera itself, the troupe deserved all the warm approbation left over for showing once again the depth of its vocal casting.

Directed by Daniel Witzke, using a production from the New Orleans Opera and featuring the musical direction of the great German conductor Andreas Delfs, this *Ariadne* was a musically stellar way to end the season.

In the "A" cast of this double-cast production, *Ariadne* was sung by the heroically voiced Wendy Bryn Harmer, whom Palm Beach Opera regulars

will remember for her titanic Adalgisa in the company's 2009 production of Bellini's *Norma*. The voice sounds less youthful than it did then, but it is still a Wagnerian-quality instrument, with huge power and remarkable stamina for the retread of *Tristan* (and *Der Rosenkavalier*) that ends this opera.

Every bit her equal was her Bacchus, Brian Jagde, a stentorian-voiced tenor who had the extra Helden-heft to give this music the radiance it needs. He sang this difficult part with apparent ease, and his voice blended beautifully with Harmer's.

In the showcase role of Zerbinetta, which has the monstrously hard aria, "Grossmächtige Prinzessin," in the second part, the South Korean soprano Kathleen Kim had a welcome lightness to her voice that is surely in keeping with the idea of this character. Mezzo Irene Roberts, a house favorite when she was a Young Artist and in her appearances as Suzuki in *Madame Butterfly* and Nicklausse in *Les Contes d'Hoffmann*, was a splendid Composer. Her voice is big and lush, but here it also had an extra agility and strength, particularly in her "Sein wir wieder gut." — *Greg Stepanich*

Books

Book Festival offers literary feast for fans

By Dale King

A year after its founder and creative director, Lois Cahall, startled skeptics by concocting an event that not only gave a local venue to some top-notch writers, but also sold out the single-day occasion, the Palm Beach Book Festival has returned for a two-day stint. It concludes Saturday, April 2, at

the Norton Museum of Art in West Palm Beach.

The theme of the 2016 festival is one of "reinvention," said Cahall, "whether it be in life — the art of reinvention of oneself — or in an author's writing choices/new genres."

The honorary festival chairman again is mystery author James Patterson.

Tickets are \$100 and are

good for entry to all events on Saturday, including panels and book signings. For more information, go to www.palmbeachbookfestival.com.

Saturday schedule:

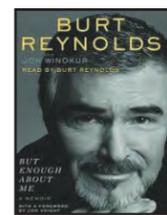
10:15-11:15 a.m.: **Culture and Criticism – Evolving From the '60s to Today: Women and Film.** Panel members include Gail Sheehy and film critic Owen Gleiberman of *EW*. Moderator is Leigh Haber of *Oprah* magazine.

11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.: **In Conversation with Burt Reynolds on a Life of Reinvention.** Moderator is former *Palm Beach Post* books editor Scott Eyman.

1:30-2:15 p.m.: **Thrillers!** From courtroom to bookstore, featuring Juan Martinez and Paul Levine, author of 19 books. Moderator will be Christopher Bonanos, a senior editor at *New York* magazine.

2:30-3:15 p.m.: **What Is Southern Fiction?** Panelists include Kathleen Grissom and Margaret Bradham Thornton, an editor of Tennessee Williams' notebooks.

3:15-3:45 p.m.: **Ten Questions for a Literary Agent.** A presentation by Alexis Hurley, an agent at InkWell Management in New York.



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(Note: Events are listed through May 6 and were current as of March 25. Please check with the presenting agency for any changes. Ticket prices are single sales. Most of the presenting organizations offer subscription plans.)

ART EXHIBITS

Ann Norton Sculpture Gardens: Through May 15: *Art in the Family Tree*, works members of the Phipps and Guest families. Main gardens are open Wednesday to Sunday 10 am to 4 pm. Admission: \$10, \$8 for students. Call 561-832-5328 or visit www.ansg.org.

Armory Art Center: Through April 15: Armory Faculty Show, annual exhibit of works by Armory teachers. Open 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday. Free admission. Call 561-832-1776 or visit www.armoryart.org.

Boca Raton Museum of Art: *3X Warhol*, three exhibits featuring work by the iconic Pop artist; one exhibit, *Warhol on Vinyl: The Record Covers 1949-1987*, runs through April 10; two others, *Warhol Prints from the Collection of Marc Bell*, and *Bob Colacello: In and Out With Andy*, run through May 1. Admission: \$12. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday, Thursday and Friday; 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. first Wednesday of the month; 12 p.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. Closed Mondays and holidays. Call 561-392-2500, or visit www.bocamuseum.org.

Cornell Museum of Art and American Culture: Through April 17: *Wild*, features paintings from Plein Air Palm Beach artists. Open Tuesdays through Saturdays, 10 am to 4:30 pm; 1-4:30 pm Sundays; closed Mondays. Suggested donation: \$5. Call 561-243-7922 or visit www.oldschoolsquare.org for more information.

Cultural Council of Palm Beach County: Through May 17: "Something Out of Nothing," works newly created by 15 area artists specifically for this exhibit. Galleries at the council offices in Lake Worth are open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday; free admission. Call 471-2901 or visit palmbeachculture.com.

Flagler Museum: Through April 17: *Beauty's Legacy: Gilded Age Portraits in America*, portraiture of the rich and powerful between the Civil War and World War I, including works by John Singer Sargent and Daniel Huntington. Museum prices: Adults: \$18; \$10 for youth ages 13-17; \$3 for children ages 6-12; and children under 6 admitted free. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday, noon to 5 p.m. Sunday. For more information, call 561-655-2833 or visit www.flaglermuseum.us.

Lighthouse ArtCenter: Through April 27: Member Show and Sale, featuring works by more than 100 artists in multiple media affiliated with this Tequesta gallery and art school. 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. Call 561-746-3101 or visit www.lighthousearts.org.

Morikami Museum and Japanese Gardens: Through May 8: *Perseverance: Japanese Tattoo Tradition in a Modern World*, a look at the influence of *ukiyo-e* paintings on the world of Japanese tattoo art, featuring the work of seven artists. Museum tickets: \$15, \$13 for seniors, \$9 for children and college students. Open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesdays through Sundays. Call 495-0233 or visit www.morikami.org.

Norton Museum of Art: Through April 24: *Njideka Akunyili Crosby: I Refuse to Be Invisible*, paintings by rising Nigerian artist, in her first-ever museum show; through May 15: *O'Keeffe, Stettheimer, Torr, Zorach: Women Modernists in New York*, early 20th-century works by American women artists, and *Still / Moving: Photographs and Video Art from the DeWoody Collection*, provocative contemporary works by artists including Marilyn Minter and Jamie Johnson. On special loan: Vincent van Gogh's *The Poplars of Saint-Rémy* (through April 17) and Edgar Degas's *Portrait of Mlle. Hortense Valpinçon* (through May 15). Admission: \$12 adults; \$5 ages 13-21. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesdays to Saturdays except Thursday, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.; 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sundays; closed Mondays. Admission for Palm Beach County residents is free every Saturday. For more information, call 561-832-5196 or visit www.norton.org.

Society of the Four Arts: Through April 17: *Power & Piety: Spanish Colonial Art*, paintings, furniture and precious metals from the 17th to the 19th centuries in the Americas; *Invitation to the Ball: Marjorie Merriweather Post's Fancy Dress Costumes*, an exhibit of intricate dresses. Through summer: *Illustrating Words*, poems by Robert Forbes illustrated by Ronald Searle, at the Mary Alice Fortin Children's Art Gallery. \$5. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday; 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday. Call 655-7226 or visit www.fourarts.org for more information.

BOOKS

Friday, April 15
Stuart Woods: The prolific writer with more than 50 novels to his credit signs *Family Jewels*. 7 p.m. Murder on the Beach, Delray Beach. Call 561-279-7790 or visit www.murderonthebeach.com.

Thursday, April 21
Susan Cox: The noted mystery author is the guest at the National League of American Pen Women's fundraiser luncheon at the Delray Beach Golf Club. Tickets: \$30; call 561-243-7385 or visit www.bocapen-women.org.

CABARET

Sunday, April 2
Eric Yves Garcia and Marissa Mulder: The pianist and singer combine for a Harry Warren tribute called *Only Have Eyes for You*. Besides the title song, Warren also wrote big hits such as *42nd Street*, *At Last*, and *Lullaby of Broadway*. 7:30 pm, Persson Hall, Kravis Center. Tickets: \$35. Call 832-7469 or visit www.kravis.org.
Monday, April 4-Tuesday, April 5
Jennifer Holliday: The Tony-winning star of *Dreamgirls* performs two shows in Old School Square's

Broadway Cabaret series. 8 pm both shows, Crest Theatre, Delray Beach. Tickets: \$54. Call 561-243-7922 or visit oldschoolsquare.org.

Tuesday, April 5
Avery Sommers: Having just finished a run as Bessie Smith in a revue at Arts Garage, this much-admired South Florida singer gives two cabaret performances called *I Love Being Here With You*. 11 am and 2 pm, Kravis Center. Tickets: \$29. Call 832-7469 or visit www.kravis.org.

Thursday, April 7
Bernadette Peters: The beloved singer and Broadway actress, backed by an orchestra, sings music from the Great White Way, including the music of Stephen Sondheim with which she has long been associated. 8 pm, Kravis Center. Tickets start at \$25. Call 832-7469 or visit www.kravis.org.

CLASSICAL MUSIC

Monday, April 4
Haochen Zhang: The young pianist and Cliburn Competition winner, only recently newly presented to Florida audiences in a Rinker Playhouse recital, moves up to the Dreyfoos Hall for mazurkas by Chopin and impromptus by Schubert, plus Chopin's Second Sonata and Prokofiev's Seventh. 8 pm, Kravis Center. Tickets start at \$25. Call 832-4769 or visit www.kravis.org.
Wednesday, April 6
Atlantic Classical Orchestra: Violinist Giora Schmidt joins guest conductor David Handel for the Tchaikovsky Violin Concerto on a program that also includes Chilean composer Alfonso Leng's *Andante for Strings* and the Eighth Symphony of Beethoven. 3 pm, Eissey Campus Theatre, Palm Beach Gardens. Tickets: \$50-\$60. Call 772-460-0850 or visit www.atlanticclassicalorchestra.com.

Friday, April 8-Saturday, April 9
Delray Beach Chorale: The community chorus, joined by members of the Lynn Philharmonia and the FAU Chamber Singers, present music by composers who made their careers in Vienna, including the *Coronation Mass* (in C, K. 317) of Mozart and works by Haydn, Beethoven, Schubert, Bruckner and Brahms. 7:30 pm Friday, Roberts Theatre, Boca Raton; and 7:30 pm Saturday, First Presbyterian Church, North Palm Beach. Tickets: \$25. Call 1-800-984-7282 or visit delraybeachchorale.org.

Sunday, April 10
Palm Beach Symphony: Russian-born pianist Lola Astanova makes a return appearance with Ramón Tebar and the symphony, playing the Mozart Concerto No. 20 (in D minor, K. 466). Tebar also will lead the orchestra in its first-ever performance of the Mahler Fifth Symphony. 3 pm Sunday, Kravis Center. Tickets start at \$17.50. Call 832-7469 or visit www.kravis.org.

Masterworks Chorus of the Palm Beaches: The group and director Ken Taylor take on the *German Requiem* of Brahms, which will be sung in English. 4 pm, Sunday, DeSantis Family Chapel at Palm Beach Atlantic University in West Palm Beach. Tickets: \$20 in advance, \$25 day of concert. Call 845-9696 or visit www.masterworkspb.org.

Saturday, April 16-Sunday, April 17
Lynn Philharmonia: Guillermo Figueroa closes the student orchestra's season with three colorful works: Handel's *Music for the Royal Fireworks*, the suite from Prokofiev's score for the ballet *Romeo and Juliet*, and Rimsky-Korsakov's *Scheherazade*. 7:30 pm Saturday, 4 pm Sunday. Tickets: \$35-\$50; call 237-9000 or visit events.lynn.edu.

Sunday, May 1
Master Choral of South Florida: The big amateur chorus closes its season with the *Lord Nelson* Mass of Franz Joseph Haydn. 4 pm, World Performing Arts Center, Boca Raton. Tickets: \$30. Call 954-641-2653 or visit www.masterchoraleofsouthflorida.com.

DANCE

Saturday, April 2-Sunday, April 3
Miami City Ballet: Lourdes Lopez's Miami Beach-based troupe wraps the season with George Balanchine's mounting of Shakespeare's *A Midsummer Night's Dream*, set to Felix Mendelssohn's indelible score. 2 pm and 8 pm Saturday, 1 pm Sunday. Tickets:

\$20 and up. Call 832-7469 or visit www.kravis.org. Saturday, April 16

The Dancers' Space: Donna Murray presents a program of new work using the dancers from Ballet Palm Beach, fresh off the debut of *Gatsby* last month. Tickets: \$20 adults, \$15 students. Duncan Theatre, Palm Beach State College, Lake Worth. Call 868-3309 or visit www.duncantheatre.org or www.dancersspace.org.
Thursday, April 21-Friday, April 22

PBAU Dance Ensemble: The Christian university's dance troupe, under the direction of Kathleen Klein, presents a mixed program to end the season. 7:30 pm both shows, Rinker Playhouse, Kravis Center. Tickets: \$10. Call 832-7469 or visit www.kravis.org.

FILM

Friday, April 8
The Judge: In this 2014 thriller, an attorney returns to his rural Indiana hometown to defend his father, the town's judge, who has been accused of murder. With Robert Downey Jr. and Robert Duvall. Part of the Society of the Four Arts Friday Film Series. 2:30, 5:30 and 8 pm. Tickets: \$5. Call 655-7226 or visit www.fourarts.org.
Friday, April 15

Born to Be Blue: Ethan Hawke stars in this new biopic about Chet Baker, the great jazz trumpeter and vocalist, who in the 1960s attempted a comeback after heroin had wiped out his career. Directed by Robert Budreau; also featuring Carmen Ejogo. At Living Room Theaters, Boca Raton. Call 561-549-2600 or visit faulivingroomtheaters.com.
Friday, April 22

Take Me to the River: Matt Sobel's debut feature about a gay California teen, his worshipful 9-year-old girl cousin, and the consequences of something that happens while the two are at a Nebraska family reunion. At Living Room Theaters, Boca Raton. Call 561-549-2600 or visit faulivingroomtheaters.com.

JAZZ

Tuesday, April 5
Hironi: The young Japanese jazz pianist and composer appears with her trio. 7:30 pm, Bailey Hall, Broward College, Davie. Tickets: \$26-\$49. Call 954-201-6884. Wednesday, April 6

Chris Botti: The popular Oregon-born trumpeter has been a frequent collaborator with pop eminences such as Paul Simon and Sting. 8 pm, Kravis Center. Tickets: \$25 and up. Call 832-7469 or visit www.kravis.org.
Wednesday, April 13

Bria Skonberg: The young Canadian trumpeter, singer and composer pays tribute to some of her favorite jazz idols, including Louis Armstrong and Anita O'Day, in an appearance with her quartet at the Gold Coast Jazz Society. 7:45 pm, Broward Center for the Performing Arts, Fort Lauderdale. Tickets: \$55. Call 954-524-0805 or visit www.goldcoastjazz.org.
Saturday, April 16

Roy Assaf: The Israeli-American jazz pianist comes to Arts Garage with his trio. 9 pm. Tickets: \$25 and up. Arts Garage, Delray Beach. Call 561-450-6357 or visit www.artsgarage.org.
Friday, April 22

Manuel Valera and New Cuban Express: The Havana-born jazz pianist is joined by his five fellow band members for a concert of Latin jazz. 8 pm. Tickets: \$25 and up. Arts Garage, Delray Beach. Call 561-450-6357 or visit www.artsgarage.org.
Friday, April 29-Saturday, April 30

Stanley Jordan and Vitali Imereli: The great jazz guitarist teams with the Georgian violinist, billed as Europe's finest jazz violinist. 8 pm Friday, 8:30 pm Saturday. Tickets: \$25 and up. Arts Garage, Delray Beach. Call 561-450-6357 or visit www.artsgarage.org.

OPERA

Saturday, April 2-Saturday, April 9
The Passenger: This 1968 opera by the Polish-Soviet composer Mieczyslaw Weinberg had been intended for the Bolshoi Opera, but was shelved, never to be heard by the time Weinberg died in 1996. Mounted for the first time at the Bregenz Festival in Austria in 2010, it is the story of a German couple on their way

to South America after World War II aboard a ship on which the wife thinks she has seen a passenger who was once under her thumb as an Auschwitz warden. 7 pm Saturday, 2 pm Sunday, 8 pm April 5, 8, and 9. At the Ziff Ballet Opera House, Adrienne Arsht Center, Miami. Call 800-741-1010 or visit www.fgo.org for more information.

POPULAR MUSIC

Tuesday, April 5
Living Colour: The legendary African-American rock quartet from New York broke down important barriers when they arrived on the scene in the 1980s. 7 pm, Revolution Live, Fort Lauderdale. Tickets: \$25. See ticketmaster.com or visit jointherevolution.net.
Tuesday, April 19

Iggy Pop: The rock legend is pushing 70, but released his 17th album, *Post Pop Depression*, last month. He'll take on Miami in the company of Josh Homme of Queens of the Stone Age. 9 pm, Fillmore Miami Beach at Jackie Gleason Theater, Miami Beach. Tickets start at \$24. Visit concerts.livenation.com for tickets.
Wednesday, April 27-Sunday, May 1

Sunfest: The annual rock festival on West Palm Beach's lakefront has an unusually strong lineup this year, featuring younger stars such as Alabama Shakes (May 1), Meghan Trainor (April 27) and Miami's own Jason Derulo (April 28) to legacy acts such as Duran Duran (April 27), ZZ Top (April 30) and Rick Springfield (April 30). Daily passes range from \$40 to \$80. Visit sunfest.com or call 1-800-786-3378.
Friday, April 29

Boston: The arena-rock sensations of the 1970s and 1980s celebrates its 40th anniversary with a show at the Hard Rock. 8 pm, Hard Rock Live, Seminole Hard Rock Hotel and Casino, Hollywood. Tickets: \$46-\$76. Visit ticketmaster.com or www.seminolehardrockhollywood.com.
Saturday, April 30

Gipsy Kings: The French sextet brings its special brand of Andalusian flamenco-funk to South Florida. 8 pm, Hard Rock Live, Seminole Hard Rock Hotel and Casino, Hollywood. Tickets: \$50-\$70. Visit ticketmaster.com.

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APR. 7

12:00 - 1:49 The Forest
2:10 - 3:51 Telling Tales
4:10 - 5:31 Creditors
5:50 - 7:33 The Two Dollar Bill Documentary
8:10 - 9:47 The Pickle Recipe



9:30 - 11:19 **COMING OF AGE SHORTS 1**
12:00 - 1:23 **LGBTQ SHORTS 1**
4:30 - 6:12 The Devout
6:30 - 7:55 The Perfect Husband
8:15 - 9:38 Interior
10:00 - 11:31 Maskoun



APRIL 6
OPENING NIGHT - MONEY
THEATER 17
12:00 - 1:20 A Brilliant Genocide
1:45 - 3:30 Crazy Castle
3:50 - 5:09 Psychoanalysis
6:00 - 7:24 The Phoenix Incident
8:15 - 9:48 catch 22: based on the un-written story by seanie sugrue

THEATER 18
12:15 - 1:12 Children of the Sex Trade
1:35 - 3:02 The Last Smile
3:20 - 4:56 Second Chance
5:15 - 7:04 American Bred

11:50 - 1:48 **FACING THE CHALLENGE SHORTS**
ISRAELI CINEMA SHORTS
2:25 - 3:45 Those Left Behind
4:15 - 5:33 The Shickles
6:00 - 7:38 A Monster With a Thousand Heads
8:15 - 9:30 Bubba the Redneck Werewolf
10:00 - 11:20



APR. 8

1:00 - 3:17 Courier-X
3:35 - 4:55 Jasmine
5:50 - 6:56 When Elephants Were Young
7:40 - 9:02 The Sabbatical



10:15 - 11:39 Until 20
12:00 - 1:27 Ctrl Alt Delete
4:30 - 6:00 The Key
6:20 - 7:17 East LA Interchange
8:00 - 8:54 ProjectMAD Documentary
9:30 - 11:00 Prisoner X



THEATER 17
12:00 - 1:38 a beautiful now
2:00 - 3:35 The Life and Death of an Unhappily Married Man
6:15 - 7:49 Evan's Crime
8:30 - 9:50 Jack's Apocalypse

THEATER 18
12:15 - 2:00 Falling
2:20 - 3:56 Leaves of the Tree
4:15 - 5:57 Ovation
6:35 - 8:11 Autumn Fall
8:40 - 9:53 Singapore Sling

11:20 - 12:50 **COMEDY SHORTS**
1:30 - 3:40 Northern Limit Line
4:05 - 5:35 A Light Beneath Their Feet
6:00 - 7:31 Norman Lear: Just Another Version of You
8:00 - 9:12 Father Joseph
10:00 - 11:40 The House at the End of Time



APR. 9

1:30 - 3:02 The Closer
3:30 - 5:15 ADDicted
5:45 - 7:15 The Wedding Invitation
8:00 - 9:32 Pin Up! The Movie



11:00 - 12:07 Foster Shock
12:30 - 1:51 Ekaj
2:15 - 4:13 DOCUMENTARY SHORTS
4:50 - 6:20 Papa
7:00 - 8:36 Losers
9:00 - 10:58 Standing Tall



THEATER 17
12:00 - 1:41 Neptune
2:00 - 3:43 No Letting Go
4:30 - 6:25 Toto
7:00 - 8:45 The Adderall Diaries

THEATER 18
1:20 - 2:47 Adrien
4:50 - 6:23 Kidnap Capital

11:20 - 12:37 **LATE NIGHT SHORTS 1**
1:10 - 2:27 LATE NIGHT SHORTS 2
3:00 - 4:53 Despite the Falling Snow
5:20 - 7:02 Dare to Be Wild
7:45 - 9:18 STARPOWER SHORTS
10:00 - 11:35 Peelers



APR. 10

12:00 - 12:57 Children of the Sex Trade
1:20 - 2:44 Until 20
3:20 - 4:49 Pink & Blue: Colors of Hereditary Cancer
5:30 - 7:16 Haze
7:45 - 9:30 Other Madnesses



11:00 - 12:20 Dooder & the Lighthouse
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6:15 - 7:40 LGBTQ SHORTS 1
8:00 - 9:25 LGBTQ SHORTS 2
10:00 - 11:17 LATE NIGHT SHORTS 1



THEATER 17
11:50 - 1:19 Life, Animated
2:00 - 3:24 Since: The Bombing of Pan Am Flight 103
4:00 - 5:16 Saving Jamaica Bay
5:45 - 7:10 Chicken
7:45 - 9:21 Dirty, Yellow, Darkness

THEATER 18
1:40 - 3:03 Poor Behavior
3:20 - 4:41 Creditors
5:00 - 6:20 She Walks
6:45 - 8:15 Crazy Castle

12:15 - 12:58 One Smart Fellow
1:25 - 3:07 The Devout
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7:40 - 9:19 Guys Reading Poems
10:00 - 11:35 Land of Smiles

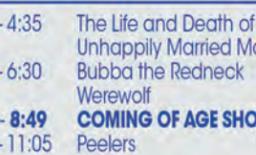


APR. 11

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7:40 - 9:23 The Two Dollar Bill Documentary
10:00 - 11:25 The Perfect Husband



APR. 12

12:00 - 1:45 Falling
2:05 - 3:41 Autumn Fall
4:00 - 5:36 Leaves of the Tree
6:00 - 7:41 Neptune
8:00 - 9:23 Interior



11:00 - 12:58 **DOCUMENTARY SHORTS**
1:30 - 3:47 Courier-X
4:10 - 5:34 Since: The Bombing of Pan Am Flight 103
6:10 - 7:30 Jack's Apocalypse
8:15 - 9:32 LATE NIGHT SHORTS 2



THEATER 17
12:00 - 1:24 The Phoenix Incident
1:45 - 3:55 Northern Limit Line
4:15 - 5:28 Singapore Sling
6:10 - 8:11 Tony Robbins: I Am Not Your Guru
9:10 - 10:36 Second Chance

THEATER 18
12:10 - 1:51 Telling Tales
2:05 - 3:50 Other Madnesses
4:20 - 6:06 Haze
6:35 - 8:11 Dirty, Yellow, Darkness
8:40 - 10:13 catch 22: based on the un-written story by seanie sugrue

11:30 - 1:22 **COMING OF AGE SHORTS 2**
2:00 - 3:32 The Closer
4:00 - 5:16 Saving Jamaica Bay
5:55 - 7:07 Father Joseph
7:45 - 9:15 The Wedding Invitation
10:00 - 11:31 Maskoun

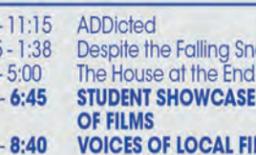


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2:40 - 4:07 Adrien
4:25 - 5:57 Pin Up! The Movie
6:20 - 7:58 a beautiful now
8:35 - 10:24 American Bred



9:30 - 11:15 ADDicted
11:45 - 1:38 Despite the Falling Snow
3:20 - 5:00 The House at the End of Time
5:30 - 6:45 STUDENT SHOWCASE OF FILMS
7:15 - 8:40 VOICES OF LOCAL FILM



THEATER 17
12:00 - 1:26 When Elephants Were Young
2:00 - 3:20 She Walks
3:40 - 5:29 The Forest
5:50 - 7:23 Po
8:25 - 9:33 Foster Shock

THEATER 18
12:15 - 1:25 The Luft Gangster: Memoirs of a Second Class Hero
1:50 - 3:45 Toto
4:15 - 5:49 Evan's Crime
6:10 - 7:52 Ovation
8:35 - 9:53 Those Left Behind

12:10 - 1:30 Dooder & the Lighthouse
2:10 - 3:04 ProjectMAD Documentary
3:45 - 5:14 Pink & Blue: Colors of Hereditary Cancer
6:00 - 7:36 Losers
8:00 - 9:23 LGBTQ SHORTS 2
10:00 - 11:30 The Key

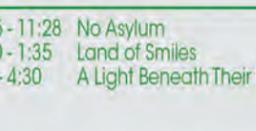


APR. 14

11:30 - 12:55 Chicken
1:25 - 2:58 Kidnap Capital
3:20 - 4:58 The Shickles
7:00-8:36 CLOSING NIGHT SILVER SKIES



10:15 - 11:28 No Asylum
12:00 - 1:35 Land of Smiles
3:00 - 4:30 A Light Beneath Their Feet



THEATER 17
12:00 - 1:42 Dare to Be Wild
2:15 - 3:35 A Brilliant Genocide
4:00 - 5:38 Breaking Legs

THEATER 18
12:15 - 1:54 Guys Reading Poems
2:25 - 3:55 The Bleeding Edge
4:25 - 5:08 One Smart Fellow

10:30 - 12:00 Papa
12:30 - 2:31 Tony Robbins: I Am Not Your Guru
3:00 - 4:43 No Letting Go



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Delray Beach

Creative career in public library draws to a close after 17 years

By Amy Woods

From her first day to her last, the director of community relations at the Delray Beach Public Library loved her job.



Stelzer

a great day."

Stelzer's charismatic career led the library to grow its volunteer corps to 100 from

that I enjoyed doing," said Bonnie Stelzer, who officially retired Feb. 29 after 17 years of creative ingenuity.

"Every day was

10, debut the annual "Authors Showcase" featuring 12 regional writers and their books and introduce the popular, punch-line-packed fundraiser "Laugh with the Library."

On her watch, the Children's Department expanded by 5,000 square feet thanks to a successful "Foothold on the Future Campaign" she helped shepherd, and hundreds of programs for the littlest readers to the oldest rolled out for all to enjoy. "We were able to create so many things without having to be subject to the branches or the county system or the city," Stelzer said.

The West Atlantic Avenue

facility operates as an independent nonprofit with a mission to provide an extensive collection that includes audio and large-print books, DVDs and other electronic media, materials focused on Florida and a nonstop events calendar.

"The possibilities were endless, and my imagination went crazy," Stelzer said. "There are more than 300 free programs at the library now."

She founded the Lifelong Learning Community Institute, one of two statewide housed in a library (the other is in Winter Park), brought in area artists to hang their works (the exhibitions are booked

through 2017 with a waiting list after that) and developed a four-month concert series now sponsored by MorseLife Health System.

"It was most fun for me because I really was able to take any idea that I had and run with it, and most of them were successful," Stelzer said. "It was a feeling of accomplishment. It's been very rewarding."

The Brooklyn, N.Y., native plans to travel, try her hand at painting and visit more with her two adult sons.

"It's time for me," said Stelzer, who declined to give her age. "There are things that I haven't tried that I want to try.

Now, every day is like Friday. It's really quite wonderful."

Library Director Alan Kornblau said her news-release skills, task-mastery and way with words will be missed.

"She was very well-organized and very independent,"

Kornblau said. "She brought a lot to the library. She created a buzz." Stelzer worked so efficiently that her position now will be divided into two jobs.

"We do more adult programming than any other library I've been associated with, and she was in charge of all that," Kornblau said. "It's a better place because of her. She was very successful." ★

Community Calendar

Note: Events are current as of 3/25. Please check with organizers for any changes.

APRIL 2

Saturday - 4/2 - Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation One Walk 2015 for a World Without Type 1 Diabetes, at Mizner Park, 590 Plaza Real, Boca Raton. 2-mile walk, complimentary refreshments for walkers. 7:45 am check-in; 8:30 am walk begins. Register to raise funds. 801-7273; jdrf.org/events

4/2 - Second Annual Palm Beach Book Festival at Norton Museum of Art Auditorium, 1451 S Olive Ave, West Palm Beach. 5 panels w/best-selling authors, book signings. 9:45 am doors open. \$100/. 429-4008; palmbeachbookfestival.com

4/2 - The Writer's Studio at Delray Beach Library, 100 W Atlantic Ave. Every Sat 10 am. Free. 638-7251; delraylibrary.org

4/2 - Corvettes on the Lake Cars & Crafts Show at Bryant Park, 30 S Golfview Rd, Lake Worth. Presented by Corvette Club of the Palm Beaches. 10 am-4 pm. Free. 433-5757; ccpb.us

4/2 - Friends of the Museum Auxiliary First Dibs Preview & Collectible Treasures Sale at Boca Raton Museum of Art, 501 Plaza Real. Sat 10 am-3 pm free w/museum admission. 392-2500; bocamuseum.org

4/2 - Animal Feedings at Sandoway House Nature Center, 142 S Ocean Blvd, Delray Beach. Coral Reef Shark Feedings: T-Sat 10:30 am; Sun 1:30 pm. Alligator Feeding: Every W & Sat 1 pm. Stingray Feedings: T-Sat 2:45 pm; Sun 12:30 pm. Free w/\$5 admission. 274-7263; sandowayhouse.org

4/2 - Art Journaling Class at Art-Sea Living, 112 S. Federal Highway, #7, Boynton Beach. Every 1st Sat. Bring your own journal. 10:30 am-12:30 pm. \$35/includes supplies. 737-2600; artsealiving.com

4/2 - Pickleball at Pompey Park, 1101 NW 2nd St, Delray Beach. Adults. M-F 9-11:30 am, F 6-8:30 pm, Sat 1-4 pm. Monthly pass: \$15/residents, \$20/non-residents; 3-month pass: \$40/residents, \$50/non-residents; 6-month pass: \$60/residents, \$70/non-residents. 243-7356; mydelraybeach.com

4/2 - Mixed Media Canvas Class at Art-Sea Living, 112 S. Federal Highway, #7, Boynton Beach. Bring your own canvas, either 8x10 or 9x12. Every 1st Sat. 1-3:30 pm. \$45/includes supplies. 737-2600; artsealiving.com

4/2 - Indoor Aquarium Feedings at Gumbo Limbo Nature Center, 1801 N Ocean Blvd, Boca Raton. All ages; children must be accompanied by an adult. Daily. 2:30 pm. Free. 544-8605; gumbolimbo.org

4/2 - Alligator Feedings at Daggerwing Nature Center, 11435 Park Access Rd, Boca Raton. Gather around the tank, listen to a short talk about the baby alligator while he is being fed. Every W&Sat 3:15 pm. Free. 629-8760; pbcgov.com/parks/nature

4/2 - Legally Blonde, The Musical at Showtime Performing Arts Theatre, 503 SE Mizner Blvd #73, Boca Raton. 4 pm. Held again 4/9. \$14.50/adults; \$10.50/children 12 & under. 394-2626; showtimeboca.com

4/2 - Brew at the Zoo at Palm Beach Zoo, 1301 Summit Blvd, West Palm Beach. Sampling from

Municipal Meetings

4/4 - Ocean Ridge - First Monday at Ocean Ridge Town Hall, 6450 N Ocean Blvd. 6 pm. Agenda: oceanridgeflorida.com

4/5 & 5/3 - Highland Beach - First Tuesday at Highland Beach Town Hall, 3614 S Ocean Blvd. 1:30 pm. Agenda: ci.highland-beach.fl.us

4/5, 19 & 5/3 - Boynton Beach - First and third Tuesday at Boynton Beach City Hall, 100 E Boynton Beach Blvd. 6:30 pm. Agenda: boynton-beach.org

4/5, 19 & 5/3 - Delray Beach - First & third Tuesdays at Delray Beach City Hall, 100 NW 1st Ave. 6 pm. Agenda: mydelraybeach.com

4/8 - Gulf Stream - Second Friday at Gulf Stream Town Hall, 100 Sea Rd. 9 am. Agenda: gulf-stream.org

4/11 & 25 - Lantana - Second & fourth Mondays at Lantana Town Hall, 500 Greynolds Cir. 7 pm. Agenda: lantana.org

4/12 & 26 - Boca Raton - Second & fourth Tuesday at Boca Raton City Hall, 201 W Palmetto Park Rd. 6 pm. Agenda: myboca.us

4/26 - Manalapan - Fourth Tuesday at Manalapan Town Hall, 600 S Ocean Blvd. 9:30 am. Agenda: manalapan.org

4/26 - South Palm Beach - Fourth Tuesday in the South Palm Beach Town Hall Council Chambers, 3577 S Ocean Blvd. 7:15 pm. Agenda: southpalmbeach.com

4/28 - Briny Breezes - Fourth Thursday at Briny Breezes Town Hall, 4802 N Ocean Blvd. 4 pm. Agenda: townofbrinybreezes-fl.com

25+ breweries, food available for purchase, live music. Adults only. 6-9 pm. \$35/general; \$65/VIP. 547-9453; palmbeachzoo.org

4/2 - Juan Martinez speaks and signs his book *Conviction: The Untold Story of Putting Jodi Arias Behind Bars* at Murder on the Beach Bookstore, 273 NE 2nd Ave, Delray Beach. 6 pm. Free. 279-7790; murderonthebeach.com

4/2 - Harid Alumni Concert at Lynn University Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall, 3601 N Military Tr, Boca Raton. 6:30 pm. Free. 237-9000; lynn.edu

4/2 - Commercial Music Ensembles at

Florida Atlantic University Theatre, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. 7 pm. \$10. 297-6124; fauevents.com

4/2 - Kelly Carlin: A Carlin Home Companion at Kravis Center Rinker Playhouse, 701 Okeechobee Blvd, West Palm Beach. Th/F/Sat 7:30 pm; Sat 1:30 pm. \$39. 832-7469; kravis.org

4/2 - Terry Barber: Around The World at Crest Theatre at Old School Square, 51 N Swinton Ave, Delray Beach. 8 pm. \$45. 243-7922 x1; oldschoolsquare.org

4/2 - Pilobolus at Palm Beach State

College Duncan Theatre, 4200 Congress Ave, Lake Worth. 8-10 pm. \$45/show. 868-3309; palmbeachstate.edu

4/2 - Reflections: Modern Acoustic Guitar Inspiring Contemporary Dance at Palm Beaches Theatre, 262 S Ocean Blvd, Manalapan. 8 pm. \$42-\$62. 855-728-8497; palmbeachestheatre.org

4/2 - Royal Room Cabaret Performance: Will and Anthony Nunziata at The Colony Palm Beach, 155 Hammon Ave. 8:30 pm. \$90/cover + \$50 minimum food & beverage. 659-8100; thecolonypalmbeach.com

4/2-3 - Artists in the Park presented by Delray Beach Art League at Old School Square, 51 N Swinton Ave. Fine art exhibition/sales. 10 am-4:30 pm. Free. 843-2311; delrayartleague.com/dal

4/2-3 - Lake Worth Art League Outdoor Show at Cultural Plaza, 414 Lake Ave. Last show of the season. 9:30 am-4:30 pm. Free. 586-4271; lwartleague.org

4/2-3 - Legendary Ladies of Song at Lake Worth Playhouse, 713 Lake Ave. F&Sat 8 pm; Sun 2 pm. \$25. 586-6410; lakeworthplayhouse.org

4/2-3 - First Annual Fun Raiser at The Wick Theatre and Costume Museum, 7901 N Federal Hwy, Boca Raton. Broadway stars Nat Chandler and Sarah Pfisterer under the baton of Maestro Jerry Steichen. Sat 6:30 pm \$200; Sun 12:30 pm \$95. 995-2333; thewick.org

4/2-3 - Art for Charity at The Boca Raton Garden Club's clubhouse and gardens, 4281 NE 3rd Ave. Art sale and raffle benefitting The Boca Raton Garden Club and Hospice by the Sea. Wine and hors d'oeuvres. 3-6 pm. \$10 donation. 994-5642; bocaratongardenclub.org

4/2-3 - Making Musicals: 13 Things About



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Ed Carpolotti at Florida Atlantic University Theatre Lab Parliament Hall, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. Sat 7:30 pm; Sun 2 pm. \$20/general; \$5/student. 297-6124; fauevents.com

APRIL 3-9

Sunday - 4/3 - Green Turtle Gallop & Turtle Trot begins at Spanish River Park, 3001 N Ocean Blvd, Boca Raton. Timed 10K run/walk along A1A and the Intracoastal neighborhoods finishes inside Spanish River Park; Turtle Trot, a 1-mile untimed event walked or run. Proceeds benefit Gumbo Limbo's Sea Turtle Rehabilitation Facility. 7:15 am 10K \$40/all ages; 7:20 am 1-Mile \$15/adults, \$10/youths 10 & under. 544-8615; gumbolimbo.org

4/3 - Everyone Counts on Super Sunday & Good Deeds Day at Jewish Federation of South Palm Beach County Zinman Hall, 9901 Donna Klein Blvd, Boca Raton. Fundraiser telethon & meal assembly for donation to Jacobson Family Food Pantry. 9:30 am-6:30 pm. Volunteer. 852-6169; jewishboca.org

4/3 - Sado Tea Ceremony Class at Morikami Japanese Museum and Gardens, 4000 Morikami Park Rd, Delray Beach. Unique opportunity to study the traditional art of Sado, The Way of Tea. Attending a Tea Ceremony Workshop is required for those who have never taken a Tea Ceremony Class but wish to start studying Sado. Two lessons/month (4/3 & 24). Individual appointments begin at 10:15 am. \$50/member; \$55/non-member. Registration: 495-0233 x210; morikami.org

4/3 - Free Museum Admission at Boca Raton Museum of Art, 501 Plaza Real. Every 1st Sun noon-5 pm. 392-2500; bocamuseum.org

4/3 - Bridge Duplicate at Patch Reef Park Rutherford Community Center, 2000 Yamato Rd, Boca Raton. Sanctioned A.C.B.L. duplicate bridge game for the experienced player. Light lunch served. Partners available for singles. Sun 12:30-4 pm (except special events and holidays). \$10/at the door. Reservations or partners: 338-2995; myboca.us

4/3 - Guy Bavli: Master of the Mind at Palm Beaches Theatre, 250 S Ocean Blvd, Manalapan. 2 & 6 pm. \$35-\$45. 728-8497; palmbeachestheatre.org

4/3 - Sunday Musical Matinee Series: Rich & Jill Switzer at Delray Beach Public Library, 100 W Atlantic Ave. 2 pm. \$20/person. 266-9490; delraylibrary.org

4/3 - Lecture: From Yesterday to Today: Anti-Semitism, Catholics and Jews with Rev. Kevin P. Spicer at Florida Atlantic University Engineering Building East Room 106, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. 2:30 pm. Free. 297-2979; fauevents.com

4/3 - Music in the Museum: Junko Ohtsu and Irena Kofman at Boca Raton Museum of Art, 501 Plaza Real. Limited seating. 3-4 pm. Free w/museum admission. 392-2500; bocamuseum.org

4/3 - Exhibition Lecture: Sisters of the Brush and Palette - American Women Painters, 1870-1940 at Norton Museum of Art, 1451 S Olive Ave, West Palm Beach. 3 pm. Free w/museum admission. 832-5196; norton.org

4/3 - FAU Chamber Winds at Florida Atlantic University Theatre, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. 3 pm. \$10. 297-6124; fauevents.com

4/3 - Special: Shelly Isaacs at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Part of Friends Speaker Series. Adults. 3-4:30 pm. Free. 393-7852; bocalibrary.org

4/3 - The American Spiritual Ensemble at St. Gregory's Episcopal Church, 100 NE

Mizner Blvd, Boca Raton. Classic spirituals, jazz, opera, Broadway. 4 pm. \$35. 395-8285; stgregorysepicopal.org

4/3 - Klezmer East Returns! at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, 100 N Palmway, Lake Worth. 4 pm. \$25/advance; \$30/at the door. 582-6609; standrewslw.net

4/3 - Masterworks Concert IV: Spring Is In The Air at Florida Atlantic University Kaye Performing Arts Auditorium 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. Presented by South Florida Symphony Orchestra. Works by Copland and Schumann. 4 pm. \$15-\$60. Held again 4/5 7:30 pm. \$35-\$75. 954-522-8445; southfloridasymphony.org

4/3 - The Music and Times of ... Who? featuring Marshall Turkin's Classic Jazz Ensemble at Lynn University Wold Performing Arts Center, 3601 N Military Tr, Boca Raton. Part of Live at Lynn American Songbook Series. Theme of musical artist is secret until concert time. 4 pm. \$30-\$50. 237-9000; lynn.edu/tickets

4/3 - Piano Lovers Present: Asiya Korepanova at Steinway Piano Gallery Recital Room, 7940 N Federal Hwy, Boca Raton. 4 pm. \$25/in person or by mail. 982-8887; steinwaybocaraton.com

4/3 - Exhibition Opening: 2nd Annual Celebration of Florida Wildlife & Nature at Arts Garage, 180 NE 1st St, Delray Beach. Local nature photography; images available for sale via silent auction. Benefits Green Cay Nature Center. Complimentary refreshments. 6 pm. Free. 289-2144. artsgarage.org

Monday - 4/4 - Pickleball at Ezell Hester, Jr. Community Center, 1901 N Seacrest Blvd, Boynton Beach. Combines badminton and tennis. Adults. M/W/F 9 am-1 pm. \$5/person; annual passes: \$130/resident, \$165/non-resident. 742-6550; boynton-beach.org

4/4 - Exhibition opening: ArtCalusa at Richard & Pat Johnson Palm Beach County History Museum, 300 N Dixie Hwy, West Palm Beach. Runs through 8/27 during regular museum hours. Free. 832-4164, x100; historicalsocietypbc.org

4/4 - Adult Watercolor Painting Workshop at Veterans Park, 802 NE 1st St, Delray Beach. Instructor provides class lesson and lecture, emphasis on composition and drawing, then a painting demo. Remainder of class time is one-on-one instruction, finishing with class critique. Ages 18 & up. M or W 10 am-1 pm. Monthly \$33/resident; \$38/non-resident. 243-7350; mydelraybeach.com

4/4 - Friends of the Museum Auxiliary General Meeting at Boca Raton Museum of Art, 590 Plaza Real. Membership meeting. Learn about upcoming events. Meeting, coffee, pastries, film and/or speaker. 10:30 am-12:30 pm. Free. RSVP: 392-2500 x213; barango@bocamuseum.org

4/4 - Senior Bingo at Pompey Park, 1101 NW 2nd St, Delray Beach. Adults ages 60 & up. Every M&W 11 am-noon. Free. 243-7356; mydelraybeach.com

4/4 - Lecture: Eros in Music: A Four-Part Study with Maestro Saul Lilienstein - Part I: Men in Tights at Society of The Four Arts Dixon Education Building, 2 Four Arts Plaza, Palm Beach. 11 am-noon. \$85/4-part series (11 am & 2:30 pm 4/4 & 11 am & 2:30 pm 4/5); \$25/lecture. Reservations: 805-8562; fourarts.org

4/4 - Empowerment Zone at Delray Beach Library, 100 W Atlantic Ave. Coaching in resume writing, networking, interviewing skills. Every M&Th 1-4:30 pm. Free. 266-9490; delraylibrary.org

4/4 - A Closer Look At American Comic Poetry presented by Dr. Jeffrey Morgan at Delray Beach Public Library, 100 W Atlantic Ave. Part of Lifelong Learning Community Institute. First of 3-part series. Class continues 4/11 & 18. 2-3:30 pm. \$45/3 sessions. 266-9490; delraylibrary.org

4/4 - Culture & Cocktails: A Conversation with David Crohan, Copeland Davis and Wayne Hosford at The Colony Palm Beach, 155 Hammon Ave. Presented by Cultural Council of Palm Beach County. 5-7 pm. \$65/advance; \$75/at the door. 472-3330; palmbeachculture.com

4/4 - Placed on a Pedestal: Sculpting Class at Art Center, 125 SE 2nd Ave, Boynton Beach. Fundamentals of sculpting engage artistic abilities. M through 5/9 or F 4/8-5/13 9-11:30 am; W 4/6-5/11 6:30-9 pm. \$40-\$60/resident; \$50-\$75/nonresident. Registration: 742-6221; boynton-beach.org

4/4 - Happy Squares Dance Club at Boynton Beach Civic Center, 128 E Ocean Ave. All skill levels welcome. Ages 18 & up. Every M 6:45-9:15 pm. \$5. 865-2611; boynton-beach.org

4/4 - Needlework Friendship Group at Unity of Delray Beach, 101 NW 22nd St. Bring yarn, needle, crochet hooks; enjoy friendship. First M 7-9 pm. Free. 276-5796; unityofdelraybeach.org

4/4 - Lecture: Can Germany Keep the European Nations Together? with Jeffrey Morton, PhD at Florida Atlantic University Theatre, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. Part of U.S. Foreign Policy 2016 series. 7:30 pm. \$25. 297-6124; fau.edu

4/4 - Wave Your Flag! with Music by Tony Finstrom at Lynn University Wold Performing Arts Center, 3601 N Military Tr, Boca Raton. Starring Jan McArt. 7:30 pm. \$30. 237-9000; lynn.edu/events

4/4 - Sick Puppies Improv Student Showcase at Center Stage Performing Arts, 7200 W Camino Real #330, Boca Raton. 9-10:30 pm. Held again 4/11, 13, 16 (7:30 pm). \$25. 954-667-7735; sickpuppiescomedy.com

4/4-5 - Jennifer Holliday part of Broadway Cabaret Series at Crest Theatre at Old School Square, 51 N Swinton Ave, Delray Beach. 8 pm. \$54. 243-7922 x1; oldschoolsquare.org

4/4-6 - English as a Second Language Conversation at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. Practice speaking, reading, writing, listening to English exercises; focus on proper pronunciation/grammar. Every M/T/W 10:45 am-noon. Free. 742-6390; boyntonlibrary.org

4/4-7 - Getting To Know You!: Gertrude Lawrence on Broadway at The Delray Beach Playhouse, 950 NW 9th St. Part of musical Memory series. 2 & 8 pm. Held again 4/11-14. \$30. 272-1281; delraybeachplayhouse.com

4/4-7 - State Master Shuffleboard Tournament at 5000 N Ocean Blvd, Briny Breezes. Top 8 pro men & top 8 pro women compete in 21 games over 4 days. 9 am. Free. 989-277-9716

4/4-8 - Tax Preparation at Boynton Beach Senior Center, 1021 S Federal Hwy. M-F 8:30 am-noon through 4/15. Free. 742-6570; boynton-beach.org

Tuesday - 4/5 - Exhibition Opening: Dirt Road Memories: Mixed Media on Found Wood by Doris Rodriguez at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Runs through 5/5 during regular hours. 393-7968; bocalibrary.org

4/5 - Adult Multi Media Art Class at Intracoastal Park Clubhouse, 2240 N Federal Hwy, Boynton Beach. Watercolors, pastel, acrylic; learn design, composition. Every T

9-11:30 am or noon-2:30 pm through 5/10. \$60/resident; \$75/non-resident. 742-6221; boynton-beach.org

4/5 - Pickleball: Advanced Play at Delray Beach Community Center, 50 NW 1st Ave. Adults. Every T/Th/F 9 am-1 pm. Monthly pass \$15/resident, \$20/non-resident; 3-month pass \$40/resident, \$50/non-resident; 6-month pass \$60/resident, \$70/non-resident. 243-7250; mydelraybeach.com

4/5 - Avery Sommers: I Love Being Here With You at Kravis Center Dreyfoos Hall, 701 Okeechobee Blvd, West Palm Beach. 11 am & 2 pm. \$29. 832-7469; kravis.org

4/5 - Opera Luncheon at Benvenuto Restaurant, 1730 N Federal Hwy, Boynton Beach. Includes 3-course gourmet meal. Noon. \$37. 364-0600; benvenutorestaurant.com

4/5 - Boca Raton Noon Toastmasters at Train Depot, 747 S Dixie Hwy. Improve public speaking, leadership abilities. Every T 12:15-1:15 pm. Free. 251-4164; toastmastersclub.org

4/5 - Chess Club at Veterans Park, 802 NE 1st St, Delray Beach. Knowledge of the game necessary. Ages 18 & up. Every T&F 1-4 pm. Annual fee \$20/resident; \$25/non-resident. 243-7350; mydelraybeach.com

4/5 - Couples Round Dance at Boynton Beach Civic Center, 128 E Ocean Ave. Learn figures/routines to waltz, swing, foxtrot. Ages 18 & up. Every T 1-3 pm (high intermediate level); 3-4:30 pm (beginner level). \$6/person. 352-455-5759; boynton-beach.org

4/5 - Ikebana Flower Arrangement: Ikenobo School at Morikami Museum and Japanese Gardens, 4000 Morikami Park Rd, Delray Beach. Traditional flower arrangement using fresh flowers. Every T 1-3 pm through 4/26. \$70/ + \$80 flower fee. Registration: 495-0233; morikami.org

4/5 - Socrates Café at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Philosophical discussions. Every T 1:30-3 pm. Free. 393-7852; bocalibrary.org

4/5 - Career Transitions at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Use a database to discover interests, choose a career, prepare a resume, search job openings. Prerequisite: some computer/typing skills. Adults. 2-3:30 pm. Free. 393-7021; bocalibrary.org

4/5 - Veterans Workshop at South County Community Center, 16700 Jog Rd, Delray Beach. Hosted by Sen. Maria Sachs. Eligibility/benefit questions addressed by representatives from all military branches; local veteran groups assist. 2-4 pm. Free. 279-1427.

4/5 - Lecture Series: Antique Road Show with John Beers at Benzaiten Center for Creative Arts, 1105 2nd Ave. S, Lake Worth. Every 2nd W 5:30-8 pm. \$10/person. 508-7315; benzaitencenter.org

4/5 - Opening Reception - Express Yourself: Hammock Pointe Elementary at Boca Raton Museum of Art, 590 Plaza Real. Celebrating achievements of young artists at Hammock Pointe Elementary in West Boca Raton, showcasing works produced during a year-long outreach program. 5:30-7:30 pm. Free w/museum admission. RSVP: 392-2500 x213; barango@bocamuseum.org

4/5 - Concert for the Children at Boca West Akoya Amphitheater, 20583 Boca West Dr. Starring Patti LaBelle and The Symphony of the Americas, featuring The Atlantic City Boys. Benefits children and families in need in Boca Raton and South Palm Beach County. 6 pm. \$175. 213-8209; natkingcolegenhope.org

4/5 - Coffee & Conversation with Scott Singer at Spanish River Library, 1501 NW

Spanish River Blvd, Boca Raton. 6:30-8:30 pm. Free. 393-7708

4/5 - Adam Holzman, Classical Guitar at Florida Atlantic University Theatre, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. 7 pm. \$15. 297-6124; fauevents.com

4/5 - Elite Soul Line Dancing at Ezell Hester, Jr. Community Center, 1901 N Seacrest Blvd, Boynton Beach. Every T 7-8:30 pm. \$6/person. 742-6550; boynton-beach.org

4/5-6 - Community Shred Days hosted by IBM Southeast Employees' Credit Union T at 790 Park of Commerce Blvd, Boca Raton & W at 1000 NW 17th Ave, Delray Beach. 10 boxes max. Raffle drawing, refreshments, experts answer ID theft/fraud questions, more. 10 am-1 pm. Free. 982-7724; ibmseu.org

Wednesday - 4/6 - Adult Oil & Acrylic Painting at Boynton Beach Art Center, 125 SE 2nd Ave. Enhance creativity; reduce stress. Every W 9-11:30 am or noon-2:30 pm through 5/11. \$60/resident; \$75/non-resident. Registration: 742-6650; boynton-beach.org

4/6 - Alliance of Delray Residential Associations at South County Civic Center, 16700 Jog Rd. Sheriff Ric Bradshaw & PBSO crime experts present *Securing the Home and New Techniques in Crime Solving*. Refreshments. 9 am doors open; 9:30 am meeting begins. Free. 495-9670

4/6 - Beginners Ikebana Flower Arrangement: Sogetsu School Morikami Museum and Japanese Gardens Oki Education Center, 4000 Morikami Park Rd, Delray Beach. Contemporary flower arrangement using fresh flowers. Every W 10:30 am-12:30 pm through 4/27. \$60/member; \$70/non-member. Registration: 495-0233 x237; morikami.org

4/6 - Socrates Cafe at Delray Beach Public Library, 100 W Atlantic Ave. Philosophical discussions facilitated by Claire Drattell and Don Clare. Every W 11:30 am. Free. 266-0194; delraylibrary.org

4/6 - Literary Lectures: Evelyn Waugh at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Adults. 1-2:30 pm. Free. 393-7852; bocalibrary.org

4/6 - Out of Chaos: Book Talk presented by author Henry Stark at Delray Beach Library, 100 W Atlantic Ave. 3:30 pm. Free. 266-0194; delraylibrary.org

4/6 - The Grape Stomp a Five-Part Wine Tasting with author Howard Freedland at Society of The Four Arts Dixon Education Building, 2 Four Arts Plaza, Palm Beach. Every W 6-7 pm through 5/6. \$200/5-part tasting; \$50/tasting. Reservations: 805-8562; fourarts.org

4/6 - FAU Symphony Band at Florida Atlantic University Theatre, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. 7 pm. \$10. 297-6124; fauevents.com

4/6 - Wave Your Flag! at Lynn University Wold Performing Arts Center, 3601 N Military Tr, Boca Raton. New play with music by Tony Finstrom; directed by Wayne Rudisill. Part of Jan McArt's New Play Readings Series. 7:30 pm. \$10. 237-9000; lynn.edu/tickets

4/6 - Comedy Jam: Homegrown Florida Comics at The Fieldhouse at Old School Square, 51 N Swinton Ave, Delray Beach. 9 pm. \$20. 243-7922 x1; oldschoolsquare.org

Thursday - 4/7 - Quilters meet at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest. Share quilting information, perpetuate quilting as a cultural and artistic form. Sale of quilted items supports the Library. Every Th 9-11:30 am. Free. 742-6886; boyntonlibrary.org

4/7 - Great Decisions Discussion Group: Great Decisions 2016 at Delray Beach Public Library, 100 W Atlantic Ave. 10 am. Held again 4/21. Free. 266-0194; delraylibrary.org

4/7 - First Thursday Site Tours at Cornell Museum at Old School Square, 51 N Swinton Ave. Features a slide show of history of Delray Beach and a tour of the historic site. 10 am & 1 pm. \$5/at door. 243-7922; oldschoolsquare.org

4/7 - Sumi-e Ink Painting at Morikami Museum and Japanese Gardens, 4000 Morikami Park Rd, Delray Beach. Floral 10:30 am-12:30 pm; landscape 1:30-3:30 pm. Every Th through 4/28. Registration: \$55/member; \$60/nonmember. 495-0233; morikami.org

4/7 - Lunch with Liz: Mastering Our Minds at Delray Beach Public Library, 100 W Atlantic Ave. Based on insights of Bob Newhart. 11:30 am-1 pm. Free. 266-9490; delraylibrary.org

4/7 - Senior Bridge at Veterans Park, 802 NE 1st St, Delray Beach. Experienced players welcome. Partners not needed. Every Th 1-4 pm. Annual fee \$15/resident +\$1/game; \$20/non-resident + \$2/game. 243-7350; mydelraybeach.com

4/7 - Casablanca at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. Part of Movies on Thursdays series. 2-4 pm. Free. 742-6390; boyntonlibrary.org

4/7 - Stephanie Powers at Crest Theatre at Old School Square, 51 N Swinton Ave, Delray Beach. Part of Robert D. Chapin Lecture Series. 2-4 pm. \$30-\$45; oldschoolsquare.org

4/7 - Snake Feedings at Daggerwing Nature Center, 11435 Park Access Rd, Boca Raton. Hear a short talk about the animal, watch while it is being fed. Every Th 3:15 pm. Free. 629-8760; pbcgov.com/parks/nature

4/7 - Bean Scene Sunset Marketplace at Secret Garden Cafe, 410 E Boynton Beach

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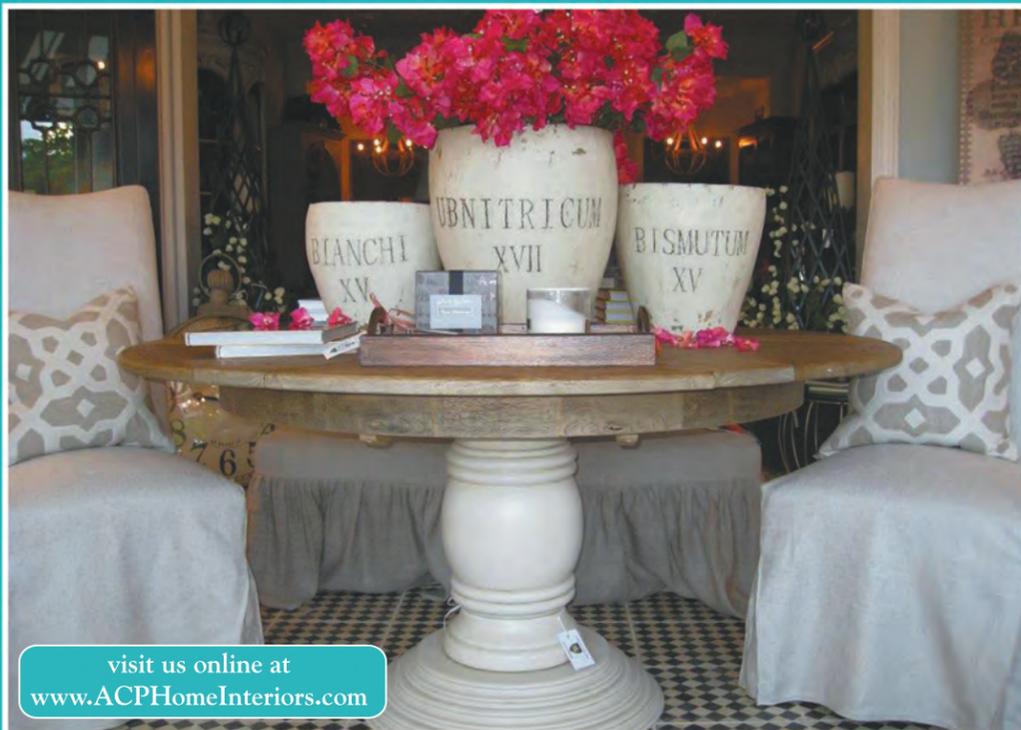
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4/7 - Spa-Arty at Eleven Salon and Spa, 1440 N Federal Hwy, Delray Beach. Celebrates Women Build and Habitat for Humanity South Palm Beach County. Cocktails, light bites, fashion show, mini-spa services, more. 6-8:30 pm. \$20. 819-6070; bit.ly/habitatsparty

4/7 - The Making of Paris: From a Fishing Village to the City of Light with Russell Kelley at Society of The Four Arts, 2 Four Arts Plaza, Palm Beach. Focus is to understand the evolution of the urban landscape of Paris. Every Th 6:30-7:30 pm through 4/28. \$150/workshop. Reservations: 805-8562; fourarts.org

4/7 - Curator's Conversations: Majestic Mountain Retreats at Norton Museum of Art, 1451 S Olive Ave, West Palm Beach. Curators lead insightful discussions about special exhibitions, installations, museum collection. All ages. 6:30 pm. Free w/museum admission. 832-5196; norton.org

4/7 - V-Day Lynn University 2016: A Benefit Performance of The Vagina Monologues at Lynn University Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall, 3601 N Military Tr, Boca Raton. V-Day, a global movement to end violence against women and girls, raises funds/awareness through benefit productions of Playwright/Founder Eve Ensler's award-winning play. Proceeds benefit local & international organizations working to end violence against women. 7 pm. \$5-\$10. 237-7955; lynn.tix.com

4/7 - Super Dance Party at The Pavilion Grille, 301 Yamato Rd, Boca Raton. 7:30-10:30 pm. \$10/including first house drink. 912-0000; paviliongrille.com

Friday - 4/8 - Canasta Class at Patch Reef Park Rutherford Community Center, 2000 Yamato Rd, Boca Raton. Basic techniques: how to count points, keep score, play of the hand. Couples and singles welcome. Each player required to purchase four decks of cards (2 red, 2 blue) + canasta tray, bring to the first class. Every F 10 am-noon through 4/29. \$50/resident; \$63/non-resident. 367-7035; myboca.us

4/8 - Supervised Bridge Play at Boca Raton Community Center, 150 Crawford Blvd, Boca Raton. John Black: 2 hours of supervised Bridge play. Partners not needed. Adults. Every F 10am-noon through 4/24. \$10/person. 393-7807; myboca.us

4/8 - Balkan by the Beach: International Folk Dance at Veterans Park, 802 NE 1st St, Delray Beach. Benefit of exercise, pleasure of dancing to beautiful music. No experience or partner needed. Ages 50 & up. Every F 10:30 am-1 pm. \$5/resident; \$6/non resident per class. 243-7350; mydelraybeach.com

4/8 - Bill Gove Golden Gavel Toastmasters Club at Duffy's Sports Grill, 4746 N Congress Ave, Boynton Beach. Every F noon-1 pm. \$12/lunch or \$5/soft drink cash only. 742-2121; billgovetoastmastersclub.com

4/8 - Bob Roberts Society Orchestra at Boynton Beach Civic Center, 128 E Ocean Ave. Full 16-piece big band; variety of tunes for lovers of music and dance. Every F 1:30-3:30 pm through 4/29. \$4. 742-6240; boynton-beach.org

4/8 - Mona Lisa by Leonardo da Vinci at The Delray Beach Playhouse, 950 NW 9th St. Part of the *Decoding Art Series*. 2 pm. \$25. 272-1281; delraybeachplayhouse.com

4/8 - Finding Your Next Good Read at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Adults. 2-3 pm. Free. 544-8578; boccalibrary.org

4/8 - The Judge (2014 - R) at Society of The Four Arts Gubelmann Auditorium, 2 Four Arts Plaza, Palm Beach. Part of Friday Film Series. 2:30, 5:15 or 8 pm. \$5/adults; free/members. 655-7227; fourarts.org

4/8 - Skunk Feedings at Daggerwing Nature Center, 11435 Park Access Rd, Boca Raton. Short talk about the animal while it is being fed. Every F 3:15 pm. Free. 629-8760; pbcgov.com/parks/nature

4/8 - Exhibition Opening: There'll Be No More Horsing Around - Artists Celebrate the Horse at Flamingo Clay Studio, 15 S J St, Lake Worth. Exhibit runs through 4/20. Wine, cheese, oats, hay. 6 pm. Free. 588-8344; flamingoclaystudio.org

4/8 - Girl's Night Out at Art-Sea Living, 112 S. Federal Highway, #7, Boynton Beach. Age 21 & over. Bring your wine & cups. Every 2nd F. 6-9 pm. \$6 (includes pizza & soda) plus cost of your pottery or project. 737-2600; artsealiving.com

4/8 - Exhibition Opening: (On The) Horizon - Emerging Artists at The Blueprint Gallery at Milagro Center, 695 Auburn Ave, Delray Beach. Opening reception & performance. 6:30 pm. Free. 279-2970; milagrocenter.org

4/8 - Elmar Oliveira Violin Master Class at Lynn University Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall, 3601 N Military Tr, Boca Raton. 7 pm. Free. 237-9000; lynn.edu

4/8 - Randy Rawls speaks and signs his book *Dating Death* at Murder on the Beach Bookstore, 273 NE 2nd Ave, Delray Beach. 7 pm. Free. 279-7790; murderonthebeach.com

4/8 - The 108 Heroes of Los Angeles: Talk by Chris Brand (Horishiki) at Morikami Museum and Japanese Gardens Theater 4000 Morikami Park Rd, Delray Beach. Presented in conjunction with the exhibition *Perseverance: Japanese Tattoo Tradition in a Modern World*. 6 pm doors open; 7:15 pm progream. \$7/member; \$10/non-member. Advance purchase required: 495-0233 x235; morikami.org

4/8 - Zakir Hussain: Masters of Percussion at Palm Beach State College Duncan Theatre, 4200 Congress Ave, Lake Worth. 8-10 pm. \$35-\$75. 868-3309; palmbeachstate.edu

4/8 - Screen on the Green: Inside Out (PG) at Waterfront Commons, 100 Clematis St, West Palm Beach. Every 2nd F 8-11 pm. Free. 822-1515; wpb.org

4/8 - Let It Be at Kravis Center Dreyfoos Hall, 701 Okeechobee Blvd, West Palm Beach. 8 pm. \$20-\$100. 832-7469; kravis.org

4/8-9 - 14th Annual Boca Bacchanal at Mizner Park Amphitheater, 590 Plaza Real. Fine wine tastings from unique vintners across the world, cuisine from over 30 different restaurants, craft beer garden. Live entertainment, fashion demonstrations, car tours. F Pre-Party 7-10 pm \$125/person; Sat Vintner Dinners at private venues 7 pm \$325/person. F&Sat package \$450/person. 395-6766 x101; bocabacchanal.com

4/8-9 - Annual Reggae Fest at Bryant Park, 6 S Golfview Rd, Lake Worth. F 5-10 pm; Sat 1-10 pm. \$15/general; \$65/VIP. 586-1600; lakeworth.org

4/8-10 - 14th Annual Barrett-Jackson's Palm Beach Collector Car Auction at South Florida Fairgrounds, 9067 Southern Blvd, West Palm Beach. 8 am. \$10-\$50/3-day; \$7-\$25/1-day. Barrett-jackson.com

4/8-10 - 54th Annual Delray Affair at Pavilion at Old School Square, 51 N Swinton Ave & Atlantic Avenue from NW 1st Avenue to Veteran's Park at the Intracoastal bridge. 800 artisans, crafters, business exhibitors. Presented by Greater Delray Beach Chamber of Commerce. F & Sat 10 am-6 pm; Sun 10 am-5 pm. Free. Free parking/public transit at Department of Motor Vehicles lot, 501 S Congress Ave. Shuttles runs 6 am-11 pm. 279-0907; delrayaffair.com

4/8-10 - Rose's Dilemma at Boynton Beach Playhouse, 145 SE 2nd Ave. F&Sat 8 pm; Sun 2:30 pm. Held again 4/15-17, 22-23. \$20. 301-5404; stagelefttheatre.net

4/8-10 - And Then There Were None (PG) presented by Curtain Call Playhouse at Willow Theatre at Sugar Sand Park, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. F/Sat 8 pm; Sat/Sun 2 pm. Held again 4/15-17. \$12-\$23. 347-3948; willowtheatre.org

4/8-11 - South Florida Open Wheelchair Tennis Championships at Patch Reef Park, 2000 Yamato Rd, Boca Raton. 40 local outstanding wheelchair tennis players from Palm Beach County compete. Free. 367-7090; florida.usta.com

4/8-17 - The Dramaworkshop Buried Cities by Jennifer Fawcett at Palm Beach Dramaworks, 201 Clematis St, West Palm Beach. Check website for days/times. \$25/person; \$10/student at the door. 514-4042; palmbeachdramaworks.org

Saturday - 4/9 - Trash to Treasure Fundraiser at Advent Lutheran Church, 300 Yamato Rd, Boca Raton. Market bazaar/yard sale. Benefits Help Break the Cycle of Human Trafficking. 7 am-2 pm. Free. 954-658-6945;

thefreedomchallenges.com

4/9 - King Library Book Sale at Society of The Four Arts King Library, 2 Four Arts Plaza, Palm Beach. Refreshments, gift drawings, gently used fiction and nonfiction books, DVDs, more. 8:30 am-1 pm. Free. 655-2766; fourarts.org

4/9 - Ride & Remember Trolley Tour departs from Spady Cultural Heritage Museum, 170 NW 5th Ave, Delray Beach. 2-hour tour focuses on 5 historic districts. Second Sat 10 am-noon. \$25. Reservations: 279-8883; spadymuseum.com

4/9 - Taste History Culinary Tours of Historic Lake Worth and Lantana conducted by Museum of Lifestyle & Fashion History depart at 11 am from Macy's (outside East Entrance) Boynton Beach Mall, 801 N Congress Ave. 4-hour tour includes bus and walking tour, food sampling, visits to historical and cultural sites. Narrated by live guide. Second Sat year-round, rain or shine. Reservations: check website for available dates. \$50/adult & senior citizen; free/children under 18 (max 5 children per family). 243-2662; tastehistoryculinarytours.org

4/9 - Demonstrations of Sado, The Way of Tea at Morikami Japanese Museum and Gardens Seishin-an Teahouse, 4000 Morikami Park Rd, Delray Beach. Observe Japanese sado by the Omote Senke tea group, an ever-changing tea ceremony demonstration rich in sensational subtleties. Noon, 1 pm, 2 pm & 3 pm. \$5 w/paid museum admission. 495-0233 x210; morikami.org

4/9 - 11th Annual Bluegrass in the Pavilion at Flagler Museum, One Whitehall Way, Palm Beach. Features Flatt Lonesome and the Lonesome River Band. Benefits the Museum's children's education programs. 3 pm. \$35. 655-2833; flaglermuseum.us

4/9 - Russian Piano Trio at Steinway Piano Gallery Recital Room, 7940 N Federal Hwy, Boca Raton. 4 pm. \$25. 982-8887; steinwaybocaraton.com

4/9 - 21st Annual Sunshine State Classic Step Show at Florida Atlantic University Student Union Outdoor Stage, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. Step teams from across Florida compete to earn the title of Step Show Champion! Theme: *Music Videos*. 7 pm. \$5/student; \$15/general. 800-745-3000; fauevents.com

4/9 - Fifth House Ensemble Journey Live Sound Track at Florida Atlantic University Theatre, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. 7 pm. \$15. 297-6124; fauevents.com

4/9 - Flute Master Class with Nestor Torres at Lynn University Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall, 3601 N Military Tr, Boca Raton. 7 pm. Free. 237-9000; lynn.edu

4/9 - 2nd Annual Night of a Thousand Mitzvahs at Temple Sinai, 2745 W Atlantic Ave, Delray Beach. Fundraiser. Professionally-run casino games, horse races on the big screen, hors d'oeuvres, drinks, desserts. 7 pm. Tickets start at \$50. 276-6161 x128; templesinaipbc.org

4/9 - Redwine Drive/Fusion at Arts Garage, 180 NE 1st St, Delray Beach. All original distinctive music project. 9 pm. Free. 450-6357; artsgarage.org

4/9 - Sick Puppies Improv Comedy Show at Center Stage Performing Arts, 7200 W Camino Real #330, Boca Raton. 9-10:30 pm. Held again 4/16, 23, 30 & 5/7. \$15/online; \$20/at the door. 954-667-7735; sickpuppiescomedy.com

4/9-10 - Red, White, Black and Blue by Michael McKeever at Florida Atlantic University Theatre Lab at Parliament Hall, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. Sat 7:30 pm; Sun 2 pm. \$20/general; \$5/student. 297-6124; fauevents.com

4/9-10 - Live at Lynn Series: Extreme Vegas Lynn University Wold Performing Arts Center, 3601 N Military Tr, Boca Raton. Sat 7:30 pm; Sun 4 pm. \$50-\$75. 237-9000; lynn.edu/tickets

4/9-6/4 - Jordan Matter Exhibition at Cultural Council of Palm Beach County, 601 Lake Ave, Lake Worth. Miami City Ballet teamed with Matter on his collection of Miami photographs. Gallery hours T-Sat 10 am-5 pm. Free. 471-2901; palmbeachculture.com

APRIL 10-16

Sunday - 4/10 - Fifth Annual Thin Mint Sprint 5K at Okeehhelee Park, 7715 Forest Hill Blvd, West Palm Beach. Girl Scouts of Southeast Florida host chip-timed race on a certified course. All ages. 7:30 am 5K; 8:30 am Tag-along trot. \$30, \$20/Girl Scouts, \$10/tag-along trot for ages 8 & younger. 427-0190; register.racepartner.com/thinmintsprint

4/10 - Temple Sinai Sisterhood 2016 Annual Luncheon & Meeting at 2475 W Atlantic Ave, Delray Beach. Israeli-born singer-guitarist Ron Dagan. 1 pm. \$10. Reservation deadline 4/4: 276-6161 x157; templesinaipbc.org

4/10 - FAU Classical Guitar Society at Florida Atlantic University Theatre, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. 3 pm. \$10. 297-6124; fauevents.com

4/10 - Concert: 33 Years with Dr. Robert Watson at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Part of Friends Music Series. Adults. 3-4 pm. Free. Reservations: 393-7852; boccalibrary.org

4/10 - Boca Talk: Lisa Dennison, Chairman, Sotheby's North and South America at Boca Raton Museum of Art, 501 Plaza Real. 3-4 pm. \$12/non-member (includes admission). 392-2500; bocamuseum.org

4/10 - Concert: Blue Highway at Society of The Four Arts Gubelmann Auditorium, 2 Four Arts Plaza, Palm Beach. 3-5 pm. \$20. 805-8562; fourarts.org

4/10 - Brahms' A German Requiem at Palm Beach Atlantic University DeSantis Family Chapel, 300 Okeechobee Blvd, West Palm Beach. 4 pm. \$20/advance; \$25/at the door. 845-9696; masterworkspb.org

4/10 - Brandeis National Committee Presents: Catherine Lan & Tao Lin in Concert at Steinway Piano Gallery Recital Room, 7940 N Federal Hwy, Boca Raton. 4 pm. \$20/member; \$25/guest. 998-7784; steinwaybocaraton.com

4/10 - Third Annual Sunset History Cruise aboard the Mariner III departs from Sailfish Club of Florida, 1338 N Lake Way, Palm Beach. Benefits Historical Society of Palm Beach County. 5:30 pm boarding; 6 pm boat leaves promptly; 8 pm returns. \$150/person. Reservations: 832-4164 x100; historicalsocietypb.org

Monday - 4/11 - Fat People - Part of the Great Books group at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. 10-11:45 am. Free. 742-6390; boyntonlibrary.org

4/11 - Lecture: La Bella y Artistica Italia: The Outstanding Italian Painters and Sculptors with Joan Lipton, Ph.D. - Part I: Italy's Remarkable Female Artists at Society of The Four Arts Dixon Education Building, 2 Four Arts Plaza, Palm Beach. 11 am-noon. \$60/four-part series (11 am & 1 pm 4/11 & 2:30 pm 4/13 & 4/15); \$25/lecture; free/member. Reservations: 805-8562; fourarts.org

4/11 - Egg Tempera Painting and Gilding with Suzanne Scherer and Pavel Ouporov at Society of The Four Arts Hultar Art Studio, 2 Four Arts Plaza, Palm Beach. Every M 1-4 pm through 5/16. \$325/workshop. Reservations: 805-8562; fourarts.org

4/11 - Downtown Lake Worth Food Truck Invasion at Cultural Plaza, 414 Lake Ave. Every 2nd M 6-10 pm. 844-682-7466; foodtruckinvasion.com

4/11 - Lecture: A Quiet U.S. Ally in Southeast Asia with Jeffrey Morton, Ph.D. at Florida Atlantic University Theatre, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. Part of the U.S. Foreign Policy 2016 series. 7:30 pm. \$25. 297-6124; fau.edu

Tuesday - 4/12 - Exporting Workshop at Delray Beach TED Center, 401 W Atlantic Ave #09. Presented by the SBA. Hosted by Florida Women's Business Center. 9:30-11:30 am. Free. Registration: 265-3790 x114; flwbc.org

4/12 - From a Woman's Perspective: The Paying Guests by Sarah Waters at Delray Beach Public Library, 100 W Atlantic Ave. 10 am. Free. 266-9490; delraylibrary.org

4/12 - Lecture: Cool Tips & Easy Tricks for Managing Your Library Account at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Adults. 1-2:30 pm. Free. 393-7021; boccalibrary.org

4/12 - Guided Tour of the Historic Boca Raton Resort & Club at 501 E Camino Real. Presented by Boca Raton Historical Society & Museum. 1.5-hour walking tour follows the resort's evolution; highlights include Addison Mizner's story, his architectural inspirations, remarkable furnishings. Not recommended for children under 12. Every 2nd and 4th T 2-3:30 pm through May. \$15/non-member; \$10/BRHS member; \$11/valet fee. Reservations: 395-6766; bocahistory.org

4/12 - Rogers & Hammerstein; The Golden Age of Musical Theatre at Palm Beach Dramaworks, 201 Clematis St, West Palm Beach. Hosted by J. Barry Lewis. Q&A follows. 2 & 7 pm. \$20. 914-4042; palmbeachdramaworks.org

4/12 - Evening Book Group at Delray Beach Library, 100 W Atlantic Ave. *The Guernsey Literary & Potato Peel Society* by Annie Barrows & Mary Ann Shaffer. 6 pm. Free. 638-7251; delraylibrary.org

4/12 - Interactive Acoustic Music and Art Class at Veterans Park, 802 NE 1st St, Delray Beach. Singing, playing, painting. All ages. Every 2nd T 6-9 pm. Free. 243-7350; mydelraybeach.com

4/12 - Sustainability & Stewardship: Let's Talk Trash at St. Gregory's Episcopal Church, 100 NE Mizner Blvd, Boca Raton. Two lecturers share insights. 7-9 pm. Free. 395-8285; stgregorysepiscopal.org

4/12 - Ukulele Get-Together Workshop at Delray Beach Public Library, 100 W Atlantic Ave. Bring ukulele; beginners, new learners welcome. 6:00 pm. Held again 4/26. Free. 655-1717; tavitandlynn@gmail.com

4/12 - The Guernsey Literary & Potato Peel Pie Society by Annie Barrows & Mary Ann Shaffer at Delray Beach Public Library, 100 W Atlantic Ave. Part of Evening Book Group. 6 pm. Free. 266-0194; delraylibrary.org

4/12 - The Diving Bell and the Butterfly (PG-13) at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Part of Foreign Film Series. Adults. 6:30-9 pm. Free. 393-7852; boccalibrary.org

4/12 - Alchemy: Open Mic/Talent Showcase at Arts Garage, 180 NE 1st St, Delray Beach. 8 pm. Held again 4/26. \$10. 450-6357; artsgarage.org



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Wednesday - 4/13 - Campus Tour at Jewish Federation of South Palm Beach County, 9901 Donna Klein Blvd, Boca Raton. Learn Federation history, programs provided by Ruth and Norman Rales Jewish Family Services, see the Adolph and Rose Levis Jewish Community Center's newly-renovated gym, visit Donna Klein Jewish Academy's state-of-the-art school. Tour ends at JARC (Jewish Association for Residential Care). 9:30 am-noon. Free. RSVP: 852-3121; bocafed.org

4/13 - Shell Chic Designs with Robin Grubman: Lucite Cuffs at Society of The Four Arts, 2 Four Arts Plaza, Palm Beach. 10 am-noon. \$75/materials included. Reservations: 805-8562; fourarts.org

4/13 - Mentoring Program Workshop at West Palm Beach TED Center Conference Room, 723 39th St. Presented by the SBA. Hosted by Florida Women's Business Center. 10:30 am-12:30 pm. Free. Registration: 265-3790 x114; flwbc.org

4/13 - Ross M. Gaffney: White Collar Crime at City Fish Market, 7940 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. Presented by Gold Coast Tiger Bay Club. 11:30 am-1:30 pm. \$35/member or first-time guest; \$50/non-member. 852-0000; goldcoasttigerbayclub.com

4/13 - Art & Soul: Fashion Design - Interface and Engagement - Part of the Rosh Chodesh Society Course at Chabad of East Boca Raton, 120 NE 1st Ave. Noon & 7:30 pm. \$15. 417-7797; chabadbocabeaches.com

4/13 - Bards of a Feather: Round Robin Poetry Reading at Green Cay Nature Center Community Room, 12800 Hagen Ranch Rd, Boynton Beach. Hosted by Palm Beach Poetry Festival. 12:30. Free. 966-7000; pbcbgov.com/parks/nature

4/13 - Getting to Know Your New iPad at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Adults. 1-2:30 pm. Free. 544-8578; bocalibrary.org

4/13 - Grandpa Charlie: The Untold Story of Whitey Bulger presented by Douglas Layton at Delray Beach Library, 100 W Atlantic Ave. 2 pm. Free. 266-0798; delraylibrary.org

4/13 - Silver Science Days at South Florida Science Center and Aquarium, 4801 Dreher Tr N, West Palm Beach. Special afternoon for adults and retirees. Ages 62 & up. Second W 2-5 pm. \$10. 832-1988; sfsccenter.org

4/13 - Hump of the Hump Happy Hour at Benzaiten Center for Creative Arts, 1105 2nd Ave S, Lake Worth. Every 2nd W 5:30-8 pm. \$20/person. 508-7315; benzaitencenter.org

4/13 - Pizza Academy 101 Class at SoLita & Mastino, 25 NE 2nd Ave, Delray Beach. Taught by restaurateur Steven Dapuzzo, offering guests an interactive experience designed to master the art of hand-stretched dough, learn correct techniques for building/topping a pizza, fun facts and history of this popular dish. 6-8 pm. Held again 4/27. \$69/person includes pizza tastings, your own pizza creation, glass of wine, craft beer, cocktail. 899-0888; solitalian.com

4/13 - Dinos After Dark: Cretaceous Florida: Why Are There No Dinosaurs Here? at South Florida Science Center and Aquarium, 4801 Dreher Tr N, West Palm Beach. Fun night of science. Giant, scaly beasts, refreshing adult beverages; complimentary glass of wine or beer; learn more about Jurassic creatures featured in the Dinosaurs Around the World exhibit. Guests 21 & older only. 6-8 pm. \$10/member; \$12/non-member. 832-1988; sfsccenter.org

4/13 - Writers' Corner at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. Manuscript critiquing by published authors. 6:30-8 pm. Free. 742-6390; boyntonlibrary.org

4/13 - Adult Pottery at Boynton Beach Art Center, 125 SE 2nd Ave. Learn to use a slab roller, coil maker, an electric wheel. Every W 6:30-9 pm through 5/18. \$60/resident; \$75/non-resident. 742-6650; boynton-beach.org

4/13 - SS Normandie: North Atlantic's Greatest Goddess by Richard Rene Silvin at 1916 Palm Beach County Courthouse 3rd Floor Courtroom, 300 N Dixie Hwy, West Palm Beach. Part of Distinguished Lecture Series. Reception/book signing follow. 7 pm. Free/member; \$20/non-member. Reservations: 832-4164 x101; historicalsocietyypbc.org

4/13 - BANFF Mountain Film Festival World Tour presented by Florida Atlantic University and BANFF Centre at Crest Theatre, 51 N Swinton Ave, Delray Beach. Films run in 2 sets 45-50 minutes each w/intermission. 7-9 pm. \$12. 297-4512; oldschooolsquare.org

4/13 - An Evening of Chamber Music and Poems presented by Lynn Conservatory of Music at Snyder Sanctuary, 3601 N Military Tr, Boca Raton. 7:30 pm. Held again 5/4. \$10. 237-9000; events.lynn.edu

4/13 - Behind the Lens at Kravis Center Persson Hall, 701 Okeechobee Blvd, West Palm Beach. Showcases rock photographer Henry Diltz & 60s supermodel-turned-photographer Patti Boyd. 7:30 pm. \$35-\$45. 832-7469; kravis.org

4/13 - Barrage 8 at Palm Beach State College Duncan Theatre, 4200 Congress Ave, Lake Worth. 8-10 pm. \$27. 868-3309; palmbeachstate.edu

4/13 - Jamnasium: Gospel Revolution with Ebony Chorale at The Fieldhouse at Old School

Square, 51 N Swinton Ave, Delray Beach. 9 pm. \$20. 243-7922 x1; oldschooolsquare.org

Thursday - 4/14 - Knit 'N Purl at Delray Beach Public Library, 100 W Atlantic Ave. Rotating facilitators. 10:30 am. Held again 4/28. Free. 266-0194; delraylibrary.org

4/14 - Sunset Blvd. at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. Part of Movies on Thursdays series. 2-4 pm. Free. 742-6390; boyntonlibrary.org

4/14 - Concert: Robert Weber - Birth of Rock & Roll at Highland Beach Library Community Room, 3618 S Ocean Blvd. 5 pm. Free. 278-5455; highlandbeach.us

4/14 - The Next Generation Road Rascals Car Show at Lake Worth Casino Building & Beach Complex, 10 S Ocean Blvd. Every 2nd Th 6-9 pm. rstarr2010@gmail.com

4/14 - Opening for Masters of Fine Arts Thesis Exhibition & Spring Bachelor of Fine Arts Exhibition at Florida Atlantic University Schmidt Gallery, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. 6:30-8 pm. Free. 297-3000; fau.edu/galleries

4/14 - Jazz in the Garden at Boca Raton Museum of Art Outdoor Sculpture Garden, 501 Plaza Real, Mizner Park. The Marshall Turkin Classic Jazz Ensemble. 7-8:30 pm. Free w/ museum admission. 392-2500; bocamuseum.org

4/14 - Palm Beach's Taste of the Nation for No Kid Hungry at Kravis Center Cohen Pavilion, 701 Okeechobee Blvd, West Palm Beach. Bite-size fare, craft beer/wine/cocktails, live music, silent & live auctions, cooking demos, more. 6-10 pm \$200/VIP; 7-10 pm \$125/general. tasteofthenation.org/palmbeach

4/14 - Open Reading Night at School of Creative Arts/Crest Studios at Old School Square, 51 N Swinton Ave, Delray Beach. Listen or sign up to read from an original work (published or unpublished). All levels welcome. Read for 10-15 minutes then open discussion (not critique). Second Th 6:30-8:30 pm. Free. 212-677-4278; oldschooolsquare.org

4/14 - Exhibition Lecture: Dr. Ugochukwu-Smooth C. Nzewi on Njideka Akunyili Crosby at Norton Museum of Art, 1451 S Olive Ave, West Palm Beach. 6:30 pm. Free w/ museum admission. 832-5196; norton.org

4/14 - Palm Beach Watercolor Society Meeting at Boca Raton Community Center, 150 Crawford Blvd. Every 2nd Th 6:30 pm Oct-May. palmbeachwatercolorssociety.org

4/14 - The Beat Generation: An American Dream at Lynn University Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall, 3601 N Military Tr, Boca Raton. Part of National Poetry Month Film Series. 7 pm. Free. palmbeachpoetryfestival.org

4/14 - FAU Jazz Band at Florida Atlantic University Theatre, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. 7 pm. \$10. 297-6124; fauevents.com

4/14-17 - Murdered To Death presented by Evening Star Productions at Sol Theatre, 3333 N Federal Hwy, Boca Raton. Runs through 5/1. Thu-Sat 8 pm; Sat&Sun 2 pm. \$20/general; \$10/student. 447-8829; eveningstarproductions.org

4/14-22 - 2016 Delray Beach Senior Games at multiple locations. Competition, fun, fitness. Sports arranged by age in each category. Compete for Florida Senior Games State Championship. Ages 50 & up. Check website for days/times/sports. Free. 243-7277; mydelraybeach.com

Friday - 4/15 - Great Books Discussion Group: Great Conversations Six at Delray Beach Public Library, 100 W Atlantic Ave. 10 am. Held again 4/22. Free. 266-0194; delraylibrary.org

4/15 - Spring Bachelor of Fine Arts Exhibition at Florida Atlantic University Ritter Gallery, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. Runs through 5/6. 1-4 pm. Free. 297-3000; fau.edu/galleries

4/15 - Masters of Fine Arts Thesis Exhibition at Florida Atlantic University Ritter Gallery, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. Runs through 5/14. 1-4 pm. Free. 297-3000; fau.edu/galleries

4/15 - Boca Express Train Museum Tour at FEC Railway Station Count de Hoerle Pavilion, 747 S Dixie Hwy. Guided tour of two 1947 Seaboard Air Line streamliners listed on National Register of Historic Places. 1 & 2 pm adults tour; 3 pm Just for Kids tour. \$15/adult; \$10/BRHS member; \$11/valet fee. Registration: 395-6766 x100; bocahistory.org

4/15 - Far from the Madding Crowd (2015 - PG-13) at Society of The Four Arts Gubelmann Auditorium, 2 Four Arts Plaza, Palm Beach. Part of Friday Films Series. 2:30, 5:15 & 8 pm. \$5/adult: free/member. 655-7227; fourarts.org

4/15 - Historical Walking Tour presented by Historical Society of Palm Beach County. Meet at Richard and Pat Johnson Palm Beach County History Museum, 300 N Dixie Hwy, West Palm Beach. 1-hour guided tour showcases the evolution of downtown West Palm Beach buildings and landmarks, includes an historical urban design overview through recent area development. 4 pm. \$5/recommended donation. Registration: 832-4164, x103; historicalsocietyypbc.org

4/15 - 6th Annual Real Men Bake and Rock at Fieldhouse at Old School Square, 51 N Swinton Ave, Delray Beach. Woman's Club of Delray Beach fundraiser. 50's apparel optional.

6-9 pm. \$25/advance; \$35/at the door. 271-3590; oldschooolsquare.org

4/15 - Happy Hour Friday/Music on the Rocks: The Intoxicators at Ocean Avenue Amphitheatre, 129 E Ocean Ave, Boynton Beach. Food, snacks, beverages available for purchase. Every 3rd F 6-9 pm through Jun. Free. 600-9097; catchboynton.com

4/15 - Evening on the Avenue at Cultural Plaza, 414 Lake Ave, Lake Worth. Live music, food vendors, crafts, artists selling their artwork. Every 1st & 3rd F 6-10 pm. Free. 588-8344; lakeworth.org

4/15 - FAU Wind Ensemble at Florida Atlantic University Theatre, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. 7 pm. \$10. 297-6124; fauevents.com

4/15 - Showcase the Writing at Kravis Center Cohen Pavilion, 701 Okeechobee Blvd, West Palm Beach. Part of The Writers' Academy.

Introduces talented new writers to the public; all genres of work presented by Circle members' independent projects. 7 pm. \$10. 832-7469; kravis.org

4/15 - PBA Symphony Spring Concert: German Romance From Afar at Palm Beach Atlantic University DeSantis Family Chapel, 301 Okeechobee Blvd, West Palm Beach. 7:30 pm. \$10/general; \$5/student w/ID. 803-2970; pba.edu

4/15 - Catch A Rising Star Comedy Club: Kevin Meaney at Crest Theatre at Old School Square, 51 N Swinton Ave, Delray Beach. 8 pm. \$45-\$65. 243-7922 x1; oldschooolsquare.org

4/15-17 - King Lear by William Shakespeare at Florida Atlantic University Studio One Theatre, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. Not appropriate for children under age 12. F&Sat 7 pm; Sun 2 pm. Held again 4/22-24. \$20. 800-

745-3000; fauevents.com

Saturday - 4/16 - J. Turner Moore Library Annual Book Sale at 1330 Lands End Rd, Manalapan. 9 am-noon. Held again 4/23. Free. 383-2541; manalapan.org

4/16 - Highland Beach Spring Fling at Town Hall parking lot, 3614 S Ocean Blvd. Join the Town Commission and Staff for a hot dog, cold drink, good time. Pet registration, secure shredding, kids crafts, face painting and pop-up book sale. Parking available at St. Lucy Church; transportation to/from the church provided. 9:30 am-12:30 pm. 278-4548; ci.highland-beach.fl.us

4/16 - Taste History Culinary Tours of Historic Delray Beach & Boynton Beach conducted by Museum of Lifestyle & Fashion History departs at 11 am from Macy's (outside East Entrance) Boynton Beach Mall, 801 N



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4/16 - Puppy Kindergarten Classes at Boca Raton Community Center, 150 Crawford Blvd. Every Sat 11:30 am-12:30 pm through 5/21. \$95/resident; \$119/non-resident. 393-7807; ci.boca-raton.fl.us

4/16 - Lake Worth Earth Day Festival at Cultural Plaza, 414 Lake Ave., Lake Worth. Presented by Kiwanis Club of Lake Worth, Downtown Cultural Alliance, Gray Mockingbird Community Garden, Lake Worth Interfaith Network, WBMGR internet radio, City of Lake Worth. Noon-9 pm. 586-1600; lakeworth.org/events

4/16 - National Poetry Month Collaborative MFA: Faculty/Student Poetry Reading & Performance at Crest Theatre at Old School Square, 51 N Swinton Ave, Delray Beach. With Florida Atlantic University & Florida International University, Hosted by Palm Beach Poetry Festival. 12:30 pm. Free. palmbeachpoetryfestival.org

4/16 - Donizetti's Roberto Devereux (New Production) at Society of The Four Arts Gubelmann Auditorium, 2 Four Arts Plaza, Palm Beach. Part of Met Opera Series. 1-4:45 pm. \$27; \$15/students w/ID. 655-7226; fourarts.org

4/16 - The Big Lebowski (R) at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Part of American Alienation in Film Series. Adults. 4-6:30 pm. Free. 393-7852; bocalibrary.org

4/16 - High School Musical 2 at Showtime Performing Arts Theatre, 503 SE Mizner Blvd #73, Boca Raton. Every Sat 4 pm through 5/21. \$14.50/adults; \$10.50/children 12 & under. 394-2626; showtimeboca.com

4/16 - FAU Choral Ensembles: Poetry in Song at Florida Atlantic University Theatre, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. 7 pm. \$10. 297-6124; fauevents.com

4/16 - Funk-Sway at Spady Cultural Heritage Museum, 170 NW 5th Ave, Delray Beach. Outdoor family friendly event; live entertainment, food. 7:30-10 pm. \$10. 279-8883; spadymuseum.com

4/16-17 - 37th Annual Hatsume Fair returns to Morikami Museum and Japanese Gardens, 4000 Morikami Park Rd, Delray Beach. Celebrates first bud of spring. Taiko, live Japanese music, Samurai sword fighting performances, contests, workshops, panels, demonstrations, kids activities, food/beverages. 11 am-6 pm. Advance: \$12/adult, \$6/kids; at the gate: \$15/adult, \$10/kids; free/children under 3. Discounted tickets & 2-day passes online. 495-0233 x200; morikami.org

Beach. International law attorney Sidney Wartel speaks. 1 pm. \$2. 276-6161, Ext. 157 or adulated@templesinaipbc.org

4/17 - Concert: Mei Mei Luo, violin, with Daphne Spottiswoode at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 188 S Swinton Ave, Delray Beach. Part of Music at St. Paul's series. 3 pm. \$20/preferred seating; \$15/regular seating; \$5/students. 278-6003; stpaulsdelray.org

4/17 - Price Rubin Artists for Steinway Series at Steinway Piano Gallery Recital Room, 7940 N Federal Hwy, Boca Raton. 4 pm. \$25. 982-8887; steinwaybocaraton.com

4/17 - Broadway Cabaret at First United Methodist Church, 101 Seacrest Blvd, Boynton Beach. Benefits FUMCBB Music Department. 4 pm. Free-will offering. 678-386-9102; fumcbb.com

4/17 - Sofiya Martin Piano Concert: Travel Through Time and Space at Unity of Delray Beach, 101 NW 22nd St, Delray Beach. 5 pm. Free-will offering. 276-5796; unityofdelraybeach.org

4/17 - FAU University Symphony Orchestra: From Andalusia to Paris at Florida Atlantic University Theatre, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. 7 pm. \$10. 297-6124; fauevents.com

Monday - 4/18 - Friends of the Museum Auxiliary: Annual Luncheon/Installation of Officers at Kathy's Gazebo, 4199 N Federal Hwy, Boca Raton. Boca Raton Museum of Art end-of-season luncheon. Noon-2 pm. \$45. RSVP by 4/11: 392-2500 x213; barango@bocamuseum.org

4/18 - 16th Anniversary Opera Show featuring Margaret Schmitt at Benvenuto Restaurant, 1730 N Federal Hwy, Boynton Beach. Includes 3-course gourmet meal. 6 pm. \$59. 364-0600; benvenutorestaurant.com

4/18 - Boynton Beach Historical Society meets at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. 6:30-8 pm. Free. 742-6390; boyntonlibrary.org

4/18 - Lecture: Will Libya Ever Sort Out Its Affairs? with Jeffrey Morton, Ph.D. at Florida Atlantic University Theatre, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. Part of the U.S. Foreign Policy 2016 series. 7:30 pm. \$25. 297-6124; fau.edu

4/18 - Women's Chorale Spring Concert: Concerto Delle Donne - Vocal Music from Italy at Palm Beach Atlantic University DeSantis Family Chapel, 301 Okeechobee Blvd, West Palm Beach. 7:30 pm. \$10/general; \$5/student w/ID. 803-2970; pba.edu

Tuesday - 4/19 - Impact 100 Palm Beach County Grand Awards Ceremony at Lynn University Wold Performing Arts Center, 3601 N Military Tr, Boca Raton. High-impact grants in 5 focus areas: Arts & Culture, Education, Environment, Family, Health & Welfare. 6 pm. RSVP: 336-4623; impact100.pbc.com

4/19 - Jewish Federation of South Palm Beach County's Men's Division's Spring Outreach Event at a private home in Delray Beach. Be a part of an insider briefing with Avi Jorisch, founder of Red Cell Intelligence Group and senior fellow at American Foreign Policy Council, on the topic "Tainted Money: Illicit Financing, Money Laundering... A Threat to Our National Security." 6 pm. \$50 couvert. 852-3128 or jewishboca.org/mensspringevent.

4/19 - FAU Astronomical Observatory - Public viewing day at Florida Atlantic University Science & Engineering Building 4th floor, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. Every 1st F & 3rd T 7 pm. Free. 297-STAR; physics.fau.edu/observatory

4/19 - Concert: Violinist Gareth Johnson's Classical Quest at Harriet Himmel Theater, 600 S Rosemary Ave, West Palm Beach. 7 pm. \$50/VIP, \$10/adults, \$5/students. 866-449-2489; kretzerpiano.com

4/19 - Underground Library: The Mitfords - The Elegance and Endearing Eccentricity at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Adults. 7-8:30 pm. Free. 393-7852; bocalibrary.org

4/19 - Palm Beach Atlantic Presents: Symphonic Band Spring Concert at Kravis Center Rinker Playhouse, 701 Okeechobee Blvd, West Palm Beach. 7:30 pm. \$10. 832-7468; kravis.org

Wednesday - 4/20 - Project Art Workshop: Release Your Matisse at Boca Raton Community Center, 150 Crawford Blvd. Includes understanding basic colors, mixing techniques, application of paint to canvas. All materials provided, participants need only bring a meaningful photo. 9:30 am-12:30 pm. \$100/resident; \$156/non-resident. 393-7807; myboca.us

4/20 - A Closer Look: Gertrude Fiske's Anni (c. 1920) at Norton Museum of Art, 1451 S Olive Ave, West Palm Beach. Talks begin in a gallery and focus on an individual artwork, then move to the Museum Theater to explore the work's cultural context. 1-2:15 pm. Free w/admission. 832-5196; norton.org

4/20 - Art Walk Wednesdays Artists Reception at Basil Bar & Grill, Plaza del Mar, 244 S Ocean Blvd, Manalapan. Every 3rd W 6-7 pm through 9/21. Free. 588-2405; facebook.com/dangartists

4/20 - Dog Obedience Classes at Train Depot, 747 S Dixie Hwy, Boca Raton. Every W 6:30-7:30 pm puppy kindergarten (dogs 10 weeks-5 months old); 7:30-8:30 pm beginner dog class through 5/25. \$95/resident; \$119/non-resident. 393-7807; ci.boca-raton.fl.us

4/20 - Opening Reception: Arnold Newman/Charles McGill at Boca Raton Museum of Art, 590 Plaza Real. 6:30-8 pm. \$20/non-member. 392-2500; bocamuseum.org

4/20 - 2016 SuperSTAR Spectacular Showcase: Music, Magic and Miracles at Arts Garage, 180 NE 1st St, Delray Beach. Presented by Milagro Center. Features the magic of Master Magician and Illusionist Gary Midnight and musical performances by Milagro's own Super STARS. 7-10 pm. \$75. 279-2970; milagrocenter.org

4/20 - Civic Lectures for Savvy Citizens at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Adults. 7-8 pm. Free. 393-7852; bocalibrary.org

4/20 - By and By by Lauren Gunderson at Florida Atlantic University Theatre Lab at Parliament Hall, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. 7:30 pm. \$10/general; \$5 student. 297-6124; fauevents.com

4/20 - Cabaret Series: T. Oliver Reid at Lynn University Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall, 3601 N Military Tr, Boca Raton. 7:30 pm. \$40. 237-9000; lynn.edu

Thursday - 4/21 - Publix Apron's Cooking School Lecture & Demonstration: Brunch at Delray Beach Public Library, 100 W Atlantic Ave. Chef Rey De La Osa. 10:30 am. Free. 266-9490; delraylibrary.org

4/21 - American Pen Women Luncheon at Delray Beach Golf Club, 2200 Highland Ave. Award-winning mystery author Susan Cox.. Noon. \$30. 279-7790; bocapenwomen.org

4/21 - Davinci & Michelangelo: Titans Side by Side at Palm Beaches Theatre, 250 S Ocean Blvd, Manalapan. 2 & 7 pm. \$40. 728-8497; palmbeachestheatre.org

4/21 - Spectre at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. Part of Movies on Thursdays series. 2-4 pm. Free. 742-6390; boyntonlibrary.org

4/21 - Ancient People of South Florida at Richard and Pat Johnson Palm Beach County History Museum, 300 N Dixie Hwy, West Palm Beach. Part of Third Thursday Series. 3 pm. \$10/non-members. Reservations: 832-4164 x101; historicalsocietypbc.org

4/21 - J. Turner Moore Library April Book Club at 1330 Lands End Rd, Manalapan. *Destiny of the Republic* by Candice Millard. 4 pm. Free.

Green Markets

Boca Raton GreenMarket every Saturday, Royal Palm Place Southwest Parking Lot, intersection of S Federal Highway and SE Mizner Blvd. 8 am-1 pm. Free. 368-6875; myboca.us

Delray Beach GreenMarket every Saturday, Old School Square Park, 50 NE 2nd Ave, one block north of Atlantic Ave. Fresh local produce, baked goods, gourmet food items, plants, live music, children's activities. 9am-2pm. 276-7511; delraycra.org

Lake Worth Farmer's Market every Saturday, Old Bridge Park, 10 S Ocean Blvd, Lake Worth. 9 am-1 pm. Free. 547-3100; lakeworthfarmersmarket.com

West Palm Beach GreenMarket every Saturday, 101 S Flagler Drive, West Palm Beach. 9 am-1 pm. Free. 822-1520; wpb.org

383-2541; manalapan.org

4/21 - Concert: Jeff Abbott Jazz Trio at Highland Beach Library Community Room, 3618 S Ocean Blvd. 5 pm. Free. 278-5455; highlandbeach.us

4/21 - CROS Ministries' Raise Your Glass To End Hunger at Fieldhouse at Old School Square, 51 N Swinton Ave, Delray Beach. Saltwater Brewery beer, Mondavi wines, local restaurants showcase signature dishes. 6-9 pm. \$50. 233-9009 x106; crosministries.org

4/21 - Boca Talk: Charles McGill at Boca Raton Museum of Art, 501 Plaza Real. 6-7 pm. \$12/non-member (includes admission). 392-2500; bocamuseum.org

4/21 - Wine Glass Painting Class at Art-Sea Living, 112 S. Federal Highway, #7, Boynton Beach. Age 21 & over. BYOB. Every 3rd Th. 6-8 pm. \$25 includes two glasses and all supplies. 737-2600; artsealiving.com

4/21 - Curator's Conversations - Chihuly: The Last Wave at Norton Museum of Art, 1451 S Olive Ave, West Palm Beach. Curators lead insightful discussions about special exhibitions, installations, and museum collection. All ages. 6:30 pm. Free w/museum admission. 832-5196; norton.org

4/21 - Lucy Burdette speaks and signs her book *Killer Takeout* at Murder on the Beach Bookstore, 273 NE 2nd Ave, Delray Beach. 7 pm. Free. 279-7790; murderonthebeach.com

4/21 - DocNights At The Willow: My Run at The Willow Theatre, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Films presented by docmiami.org. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult. 7 pm. \$5/person. 347-3948; willowtheatre.org

4/21 - Dean's Showcase No. 4 at Lynn University Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall, 3601 N Military Tr, Boca Raton. Sat 7:30 pm. \$10. 237-9000; lynn.edu

4/21-24 - A Kid Like Jake by Daniel Pearle at Lake Worth Playhouse, Stonzek Theatre, 713 Lake Ave. Part of the Black Box Series. Thu-Sat 8 pm; Sun 2 pm. Held again 4/28-5/1. \$20. 586-6410; lakeworthplayhouse.org

Friday - 4/22 - Passover begins 4/22 - 5th Annual Gulfstream Goodwill Golf Tournament at Ironhorse Country Club, 8055 Ironhorse Blvd, West Palm Beach. Breakfast, lunch, prize drawings, silent auction, more. 7 am registration; 8:30 am shotgun start; 1 pm awards ceremony. \$175/person; \$700/foursome. 848-7200 x3248; gulfstreamgoodwill.org/events

4/22 - 5th Annual Better Ball Invitational Golf Tournament at Pine Tree Golf Club, 10600 Pine Tree Terr, Boynton Beach. Benefits Adopt-a-Family of the Palm Beaches. Noon lunch; 1:30 shotgun start; 6-8 pm shootout, cocktails, awards. \$500 253-1361; adoptafamilypbc.org

4/22 - Haute Cuisine (2012 - PG-13) at Society of The Four Arts Gubelmann Auditorium, 2 Four Arts Plaza, Palm Beach. Part of Friday Films Series. 2:30, 5:15 & 8 pm. \$5/adults. 655-7227; fourarts.org

4/22 - Sick Puppies Stand Up Show at Center Stage Performing Arts, 7200 W Camino Real #330, Boca Raton. 9-10:30 pm. \$15/online; \$20/at the door. 954-667-7735; sickpuppiescomedy.com

4/22 - Tryst's 7-Year Anniversary Party at 4 E Atlantic Ave, Delray. Complimentary champagne w/dinner, live music, free open bar 10:30 pm-12:30 am. Menu prices apply. 921-0201; trystdelray.com

4/22-24 - Fifty Shades of Hillary at Palm Beaches Theatre, 250 S Ocean Blvd, Manalapan. Adult language & content. Ages 18+. F/ Sat 7:30 pm; Sat/Sun 2 pm. \$40. 728-8497; palmbeachestheatre.org

Saturday - 4/23 - Earth Day at Sandoway at Sandoway House Nature Center, 142 S Ocean Blvd, Delray Beach. Featuring Earth Day themed activities and crafts. 8 am-3 pm. Free w/\$5 admission. 274-7263; sandowayhouse.org

4/23 - Mosaic Class at Art-Sea Living, 112 S. Federal Highway, #7, Boynton Beach. Choose between a stepping stone, trivet or end table. Every 3rd Th 10 am-5 pm. \$125-\$195. 737-2600; artsealiving.com

4/23 - Book and Exhibition Discussion: Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie/Njideka Akunyili Crosby at Norton Museum of Art, 1451 S Olive Ave, West Palm Beach. 2 pm. Free w/museum admission. 832-5196; norton.org

4/23 - Contrast Duo In Love at Steinway Piano Gallery Recital Room, 7940 N Federal Hwy, Boca Raton. 4 pm. \$15. 305-3580; steinwaybocaraton.com

4/23 - Schoolhouse Bash at Schoolhouse Children's Museum & Learning Center, 129 E Ocean Ave, Boynton Beach. Featuring food, drinks, live music, celebrity emcee, silent auction. 6:30 pm. \$75. 742-6780; schoolhousemuseum.org

4/23 - Harlow Marlow: Larry Harlow & Marlow Rosado at Arts Garage, 180 NE 1st St, Delray Beach. 8 pm. \$25-\$50. 450-6357; artsgarage.org

APRIL 24-30

Sunday - 4/24 - Basics of Sushi Workshop at Morikami Japanese Museum and Gardens Oki Education Studio, 4000 Morikami Park Rd, Delray Beach. Hands-on workshop led by Chef Mitsutoshi Sekita; learn basics of sushi making, cultural information about sushi. Participants must bring sharp 7-8 inch knife, cutting board (approximately 10"x15"), apron, dish towel. 10 am-noon. \$70. Registration: 495-0233 ext. 237; morikami.org

4/24 - Artist-in-Residence: Community Day Celebration at Boca Raton Museum of Art, 501 Plaza Real. Noon-5 pm. Free. 392-2500; bocamuseum.org

4/24 - Orquesta Nostalgia Latin Big Band (Rated G) at Willow Theatre at Sugar Sand Park, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Part of Big Band Series. 2 pm. \$25. 347-3948; willowtheatre.org

4/24 - Special: Dr. Terryl Lawrence at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Part of Friends Speaker Series. Adults. 3-4:30 pm. Free. 393-7852; bocalibrary.org

4/24 - Bassoon Studio Concert at Lynn University Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall, 3601 N Military Tr, Boca Raton. 4 pm. Free. 237-9000; lynn.edu

Monday - 4/25 - Nuns at Luncheon - Part of the Great Books group at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. 10-11:45 am. Free. 742-6390; boyntonlibrary.org

4/25 - Henna House by Nomi Eve at Delray Beach Public Library, 100 W Atlantic Ave. Part of Afternoon Book Group. 1 pm. Free. 266-9490; delraylibrary.org

4/25 - Cercle Francais: French Conversation Group at Delray Beach Public Library, 100 W Atlantic Ave. Rotating facilitators. 2 pm. Free. 266-9490; delraylibrary.org

4/25 - Smart Money Week: How To Talk to Your Kids About Money at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Adults. 7-8 pm. Free. 393-7852; bocalibrary.org

Tuesday - 4/26 - Book Club Discussion presented by Friends of the Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Adults. 10:30 am-noon. Free. 393-7968; bocalibrary.org

4/26 - Visiting Artist: Rob Stern Gallery Opening at Benzaiten Center for Creative Arts, 1105 2nd Ave S, Lake Worth. 6-8 pm. \$10. 508-7315; benzaitencenter.org

4/26 - Alchemy: Open Mic/Talent Showcase at Arts Garage, 180 NE 1st St, Delray Beach. Jam with the live band, share original works of poetry, improv, comedy, drama, dance, more. 8 pm. \$10. 450-6357; artsgarage.org

4/26-5/1 - The Bridges of Madison County The Musical at Kravis Center Dreyfoos Hall, 701 Okeechobee Blvd, West Palm Beach. T-Sat 8 pm; W/Sat/Sun 2 pm. Tickets start at \$27. 832-7469; kravis.org

Wednesday - 4/27 - Exporting Workshop at West Palm Beach TED Center Conference Room, 723 39th St. Presented by the SBA. Hosted by Florida Women's Business Center. 10:30 am-12:30 pm. Free. Registration: 265-3790 x114; flwbc.org

4/27 - Smart Money Week: Start, Manage & Grow Your Business Using ReferenceUSA at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Adults. 11:30 am-1 pm. Free. 393-7852; bocalibrary.org

4/27 - Discover Boca Raton Public Library's Digital Library at 400 NW 2nd Ave. Adults. 1-2 pm. Free. 544-8578; bocalibrary.org

4/27 - Legendary Locals of West Palm Beach by Janet DeVries and Ginger Pedersen at Society of The Four Arts King Library, 2 Four Arts Plaza, Palm Beach. Part of Florida Voices Author Series. 1:30 pm. Free. 655-2766; fourarts.org

APRIL 17-23

Sunday - 4/17 - Annual American Parkinson Disease Association Optimism Walk at Town Center at Boca Raton, 6000 Glades Rd. Walk, support, educational opportunities, family-friendly activities, DJ. Meet inside near Saks Fifth Avenue. 8 am registration; 9 am walk. Register to raise money: 800-825-2732; apdaparkinsondonordrive.com

4/17 - Polygamy: The Next Civil Rights Issue, American and Jewish Law at Temple Sinai, 2475 W. Atlantic Ave., Delray

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1105 2nd Ave S, Lake Worth. 2-4 pm. Free. 508-7315; benzaitencenter.org
4/27 - The Greatest Poems Ever Written presented by Sarah Brown Weitzman at Delray Beach Library, 100 W Atlantic Ave. 2 pm. 266-0194; delraylibrary.org
4/27 - Florida Women's Business Center Google Street Party for Small Businesses at Libby Wesley Park, SW 5th Ave., Delray Beach. Florida Women's Business Center and TED Center partner with *Let's Put Our Cities on the Map* program for the benefit of small business owners. 3-7 pm. Free. 265-3790 x103; flwbc.org
4/27 - One Night of Queen Gary Mullen & The Works at Palm Beach State College Duncan Theatre, 4200 Congress Ave, Lake Worth. 8-10 pm. \$37. 868-3309; palmbeachstate.edu
Thursday - 4/28 - Coaching the Mature Driver at South County Civic Center, 16700 Jog Rd, Delray Beach. Presented by Safety Council of Palm Beach County. Drivers 55+ may get insurance discount after completion. 9 am-4 pm. \$12. 845-8233; safetycouncilpbc.org
4/28 - Smart Money Week: How Our Behavior Affects Our Wealth at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Adults. 2-3:30 pm. Free. 393-7852; bocalibrary.org
4/28 - The Philadelphia Story at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. Part of Movies on Thursdays Series. 2-4 pm. Free. 742-6390; boyntonlibrary.org
4/28 - Opening Reception: Artists' Guild Gallery at 512 E Atlantic Ave, Delray Beach. Opening reception, award ceremony. 6-8 pm. Free. 392-2503; bocaguild.com
4/28 - Engaging Documentaries: We Steal Secrets: The Story of WikiLeaks (R) at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Adults. 6:30-8:30 pm. Free. 393-7852; bocalibrary.org
4/28 - Ed Lin & Naomi Hirahara speak and sign their book *Ghost Month & Sayonara Slam* at Murder on the Beach Bookstore, 273 NE 2nd Ave, Delray Beach. 7 pm. Free. 279-7790; murderonthebeach.com
4/28 - Howl at Lynn University Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall, 3601 N Military Tr, Boca Raton. Part of National Poetry Month Film Series. 7 pm. Free. palmbeachpoetryfestival.org
4/28 - Jamnasium: Young Professionals Brewery Night at Fieldhouse at Old School Square, 51 N Swinton Ave, Delray Beach. 9 pm. \$10. 243-7922 x1; oldschoolsquare.org
4/28-30 - Dances We Dance Spring Showcase at Florida Atlantic University Theatre, 777 Glades Rd, Boca Raton. Th/F/Sat.:

7 pm; Sat.: 1pm. \$15. 800-564-9539; fauevents.com
4/28-5/1 - Baby Boom Baby at The Palm Beaches Theatre, 250 S Ocean Blvd, Manalapan. Runs through 5/15. Th-Sat 7:30 pm; Sun 2pm. \$40. 855-728-8497; palmbeachestheatre.org
Friday - 4/29 - Decoupage Class at Art-Sea Living, 112 S. Federal Highway, #7, Boynton Beach. 1-5 pm. \$85/includes all supplies. 737-2600; artsealiving.com
4/29 - On My Way (2014 - NR) at Society of The Four Arts Gubelmann Auditorium, 2 Four Arts Plaza, Palm Beach. Part of Friday Film Series. 2:30, 5:15 & 8 pm. \$5/adult; free/member. 655-7227; fourarts.org
4/29 - Celebration of the Arts at Lynn University Wold Performing Arts Center, 3601 N Military Tr, Boca Raton. Showcasing talents of faculty, students, staff. Outdoor festival features live music, street performers, food/beverage available for purchase. 5:30 pm outdoor festival; 7:30 pm headline production on stage. \$15/general admission. 237-9000; lynn.edu/events
4/29 - Visiting Artist: Marlana Rose Gallery Opening at Benzaiten Center for Creative Arts, 1105 2nd Ave S, Lake Worth. 6-8 pm. \$10. 508-7315; benzaitencenter.org
4/29 - Adam Mitzner speaks and signs his book *The Girl From Home* at Murder on the Beach Bookstore, 273 NE 2nd Ave, Delray Beach. 7 pm. Free. 279-7790; murderonthebeach.com
Saturday - 4/30 - Delray Beach ITF: USTA Boys' and Girls' 18-and-under at Delray Beach Tennis Center, 210 W Atlantic Ave, and Delray Swim & Tennis Club, 2350 Jaeger Dr. Main singles draw consists of 64 boys and 64 girls; separate qualifying draw hosts another 64 boys and 64 girls. Players also compete in doubles draw of 64 teams per gender. Matches begin daily at 8 am. Qualifying matches F-Sun. Main draw Sun-Sat. Spectator admission free. Runs through 5/7. 330-6003; yellowtennisball.com/delray-beach-itf/
4/30 - Operation Fresh Start at South County Courthouse, 200 W Atlantic Ave, Delray Beach & Criminal Justice Complex, 3228 Gun Club Rd, West Palm Beach. Resolve outstanding warrants for nonviolent misdemeanor and criminal traffic violations without being arrested. Adults only. 8 am-4 pm. Make appointment before 4/21: 355-7655; mypalmbeachclerk.com/opfreshstart
4/30 - 2nd Annual Hero Walk at Boca Raton Children's Museum, 498 Crawford Blvd. Dress up as your favorite super hero, walk for the

cause. Each walker is asked to raise \$50 to benefit Boca Raton Children's Museum. 8:30 am-12:30 pm. 368-6875; cmboca.org
4/30 - Hats Off to Mom Breakfast Buffet & Fashion Show at Atlantis Country Club, 190 Atlantis Blvd. Sponsored by GFWC West Palm Beach Women's Club. Chico's, silent auctions, door prizes. 10 am. \$35. 642-7474; gfwc-wpbwomensclub.org
4/30 - Downtown BBQ Throwdown at St. Gregory's Episcopal Church, 100 NE Mizner Blvd., Boca Raton. Food, live music and good time. Contestants vie for title. Family fare. 10 am-6 pm. Free. 395-8285; downtownbbqthrowdown.com
4/30 - Boca Raton Home Design Festival presented by Main Meet Events at Mizner Park Amphitheater, 590 Plaza Real & Cultural Arts Center, 201 Plaza Real. VIP wine/craft beer tasting tickets available for purchase. 11 am-6 pm. Free. 954-254-3146; mainmeetevents.com
4/30 - Junie B.'s Essential Survival Guide to School at Palm Beach State College Duncan Theatre, 4200 Congress Ave, Lake Worth. All ages. 11 am. \$10. 868-3309; palmbeachstate.edu
4/30 - Smart Money Week: Cut the Cord - Breaking Up with Your Cable/Satellite Co. at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Adults. Noon-1:30 pm. Free. 393-7852; bocalibrary.org
4/30 - Strauss' Elektra (New Production) at Society of The Four Arts Gubelmann Auditorium, 2 Four Arts Plaza, Palm Beach. Part of Met Opera Series. 1-3:15 pm. \$27; \$15/students w/ID. 655-7226; fourarts.org
4/30 - Visiting Artist: Marlana Rose Public Demo at Benzaiten Center for Creative Arts, 1105 2nd Ave S, Lake Worth. 2-4 pm. Free. 508-7315; benzaitencenter.org
4/30 - Smart Money Week: Funding a College Education at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Adults. 2:30-3:30 pm. Free. 393-7852; bocalibrary.org
4/30 - Nina Romano & Louis K. Lowy speak and sign their book *Lemon Blossoms & Pedal* at Murder on the Beach Bookstore, 273 NE 2nd Ave, Delray Beach. 7 pm. Free. 279-7790; murderonthebeach.com
4/30 - T. Oliver Reid in Drop Me Off in Harlem (1933) at Lynn University Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall, 3601 N Military Tr, Boca Raton. 7:30 pm. \$40. 237-9000; lynn.edu/events
4/30-5/1 - Uptown Swing! at Florida Atlantic University Theatre Lab at Parliament Hall, 777

Glades Rd, Boca Raton. Sat 7:30 pm; Sun 2pm. \$20/general; \$5/student. 297-6124; fauevents.com
MAY 1-7
Sunday - 5/1 - Sado Tea Ceremony Class at Morikami Japanese Museum and Gardens Seishin-an Teahouse, 4000 Morikami Park Rd, Delray Beach. Study the traditional art of Sado, The Way of Tea. Attending a Tea Ceremony Workshop is required for those who have never taken a Tea Ceremony Class but wish to start studying Sado. Two lessons/month (4/3 & 24). Individual appointments begin at 10:15 am. \$50/member; \$55/non-member. Registration: 495-0233 x210; morikami.org
Tuesday - 5/3 - Great Give Palm Beach & Martin Counties at multiple locations/websites. 24-hour community fundraiser. Midnight-midnight. 659-6800; yourcommunityfoundation.org
5/3 - Ikebana Flower Arrangement: Ikenobo School at Morikami Museum and Japanese Gardens Oki Education Center, 4000 Morikami Park Rd, Delray Beach. Traditional flower arrangement using fresh flowers. Every T 1-3 pm through 6/24. \$70/ + \$80 flower fee. Registration: 495-0233; morikami.org
5/3 - Lecture Series: What They Didn't Teach You in Art School with JB Berkow at Benzaiten Center for Creative Arts, 1105 2nd Ave S, Lake Worth. 6 pm. Held again 5/6. \$10/person. 508-7315; benzaitencenter.org
Wednesday - 5/4 - Palm Beach International Agricultural Summit at Palm Beach County Convention Center, 650 Okeechobee Blvd, West Palm Beach. Brings together business/community leaders for discussion on modern agriculture, its role in advancing the state's economy and quality of life. Net proceeds benefit feeding the hungry campaigns. 8 am-5 pm. \$45. Register: pbias.org
5/4 - Literary Lectures: Marcel Proust at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Adults. 1-2:30 pm. Free. 393-7852; bocalibrary.org
Thursday - 5/5 - Sumi-e Ink Painting at Morikami Museum and Japanese Gardens, 4000 Morikami Park Rd, Delray Beach. Floral 10:30 am-12:30 pm; landscape 1:30-3:30 pm. Every Th through 5/26. Registration: \$55/member; \$60/nonmember. 495-0233; morikami.org
5/5 - Mother's Day Party at Boynton Beach Civic Center, 128 E Ocean Ave. 1-3 pm. \$3/advance; \$5/at the door. 742-6570; boynton-beach.org

5/5 - Class of 2016 in Concert at Lynn University Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall, 3601 N Military Tr, Boca Raton. 7:30 pm. \$10. 237-9000; lynn.edu/events
Friday - 5/6 - 17th Annual YMCA Golf Tournament at Indian Spring Country Club, 11501 El Clair Ranch Road, Boynton Beach. Benefits YMCA of South Palm Beach County Noon registration; 1 pm shotgun start; 5 pm reception/dinner. \$600/foursome; \$150/per player. 536-1396; ymcaspbc.org/golffclass
5/6 - Planes, Trains, & Automobiles (And Cruise Ships!) at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Planning a trip? Library has resources that can help. Adults. 11 am-noon. Free. 393-7852; bocalibrary.org
5/6 - First Friday Art Walk at Cornell Art Museum at Old School Square, 51 N Swinton Ave, Delray Beach. Current exhibits, wine and cheese, then make your way to other participating galleries on Atlantic Avenue, in Pineapple Grove and Artists Alley. 6-9 pm. Free. 243-7922; oldschoolsquare.org
5/6 - Movies in the Park: Labyrinth (PG) at Ocean Avenue Amphitheatre, 129 E. Ocean Ave, Boynton Beach. Food, snacks, beverages available for purchase. Every 1st F 8 pm Oct-Jun. Free. 600-9097; catchboynton.com
5/6 - Bobby Watson All-Star Quartet at Arts Garage, 180 NE 1st St, Delray Beach. 8 pm. \$25-\$45. 450-6357; artsgarage.org
5/6-8 - Short Cuts 6 (PG-13) presented by The Playgroup at Willow Theatre at Sugar Sand Park, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. F/Sat 8 pm; Sat/Sun 2 pm. Held again 5/13-15. \$25. 347-3948; willowtheatre.org
Saturday - 5/7 - Henry Butler at Arts Garage, 180 NE 1st St, Delray Beach. 8 pm. \$25-\$50. 450-6357; artsgarage.org
5/7-8 - Mother's Day Tea at Flagler Museum Café des Beaux-Arts, One Whitehall Way, Palm Beach. Tea sandwiches, scones, sweets, Whitehall Special Blend tea. Mothers receive a rose, keepsake photo, \$10 gift card for the Museum Store. Sat 11:30 am-2:30 pm; Sun noon-3 pm. Member \$60/mother & child, \$30/additional adult; non-member \$100/mother & child, \$50/additional adult, \$35/additional children. Reservations: 655-2833; flaglermuseum.us
5/7-8 - Boca Ballet Theatre: Spring Mix at Spanish River HS Countess de Hoernle Theatre, 5100 Jog Rd, Boca Raton. Sat 7:30 pm; Sun 2 pm. \$35. 995-0709; bocaballet.org



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Ex-Heat dancer's magazine is for families. Page H22

Religion



Ken and Sue Gross hold paintings from Haiti that they display in their Briny Breezes home. Tim Stepien/The Coastal Star

Hearts and hands helping Haiti

Briny couple makes mission of aiding island

By Janis Fontaine

Sue and Ken Gross first saw Port-au-Prince on their honeymoon in 1972. They were told not to leave the airport.

Almost 30 years later, the Briny Breezes couple returned to Haiti on what turned out to be a life-changing mission trip with friends.

"We were never the same again," Sue Gross recalls.

The couple founded the Haiti Lutheran Mission Project and have been working on projects in Haiti for 15 years, making nearly 50 trips over that time. They've taken medical and dental teams, and done eyeglass clinics. They built a school

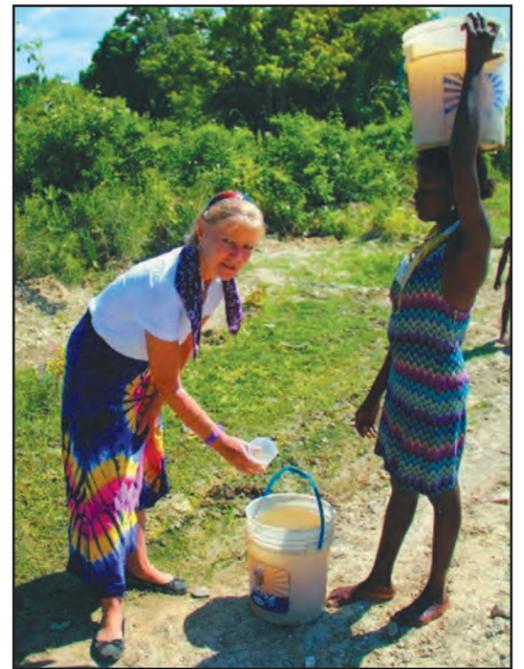
with construction teams from the United States.

They raise money to support an orphanage and feed 200 children in a school in Dame Marie one meal a day of beans and rice.

"Now we're making microloans," Sue Gross says. Amounts are small, about \$200, but used correctly, these tiny loans can reap big benefits.

Some recipients buy rice in bulk and resell it in portions at the market. Some buy goats which they raise for milk that they can sell. A few can buy motorcycles and start their own taxi service, but this privilege often goes to the pastor or

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Sue Gross looks at the water found in one community in Haiti. Gross and her husband, Ken, say most people cannot afford the \$30 ceramic filters that would make water safe to drink. Photo provided



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Shopping Hot Spots

5 not-to-miss spots at Royal Palm Place

Story and photos by Mary Thurwachter

Once known as the Pink Plaza, Royal Palm Place is no longer pink — it's more of a variety of beige hues now. But the shopping center, off Federal Highway south of Palmetto Park Road, retains the old-world charm it has been known for over the years.

Boutiques, salons, art galleries, spas, bars and restaurants serving international cuisines surround Mediterranean fountains and tranquil piazzas.

On Saturday mornings, a green market occupies the southwest corner of the center near a 54-foot monument topped with bronze statue of famed architect Addison Mizner and his pet spider monkey, Johnnie Brown. The statue was commissioned by shopping center owners Jim and Marta Batmasian in 2005.

Surrounding the monument is the Walk of Recognition, where names of people who have made significant contributions to Boca Raton have been set into the sidewalk.

In addition to the monument and Walk of Recognition, here are five spots not-to-miss at Royal Palm Place:



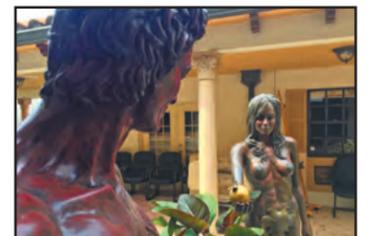
Saquella Caffe

(410 Via de Palmas). Sit down at a table here and feel like you're in Italy. The baristas prepare cappuccinos like they do in the movies and the coffee is divine. Diners won't want to pass up the freshly baked breads, pastries and quiches and the bacon is hard to resist. Everything is made fresh in house, from pestos to braised roast beef. And, like many restaurants in Royal Palm Plaza, Fido is welcome — as long as he dines al fresco.



Biergarten

(309 Via de Palmas #90). If you feel like you're in Italy at Saquella, you'll feel like you're in Bavaria at Biergarten, an authentic beer garden with whimsical touches. The indoor/outdoor bar comes with tree stump barstools, festive lighting, vintage Oktoberfest artwork, an entertainment stage and, oh yes, 50 craft and bottle beers. For beer, brats and bands, this is the place. Prost!



Yaacov Heller Gallery 22

(282 Via Naranjas). Even if shoppers don't walk into his gallery, they can view some of Yaacov Heller's bronze sculptures outside his shop. His 12-foot bronze *Fiddler on the Roof*, dancing musicians and Eve tempting Adam with an apple sculptures all grace the garden outside his shop. His creations, he says, celebrate the inspiration of the Bible, the traditions of Judaica, the beauty of nature and the joys of living.



Be-Friend Boutique

(406 Via de Palmas, No. 83). This trendy fashion shop has everything from torn blue jean short-shorts to sparkly dresses perfect for clubbing. Shoppers here will also find inexpensive tiaras, handbags and chic hats to show their style. The young and sleek are attracted here.



Swimland

(350 Esplanade, #55). The young and sleek can find a swimsuit anywhere — but for those who require a bit more bathing suit structure, Swimland stands ready to serve. The shop has been at the center for 55 years and offers a variety of swimsuit choices to satisfy any woman's sense of style, regardless of age, shape or size. Specialists are on hand to make sure customers are fitted with just the right style and cut to emphasize best attributes and camouflage areas of concern.

This is the last in a series of five shopping areas The Coastal Star has featured this season. If you have suggestions of shopping destinations for next season, please send them to maryt@thecoastalstar.com.

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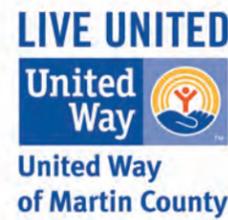
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Health & Harmony

Boynton Beach's Bean Scene comes with a pleasant vibe

Twice a month in a small parking lot on Boynton Beach Boulevard, you can get a tarot reading, a massage, a vegan meal and top it all off with a burly man who strategically places Tibetan singing bowls along your prone body and then gently strikes the bowls with a gong, sending vibrations through your body.

This is the Bean Scene. It may be small, but the funky vibe is unmistakable.

"There are people blissing out, right on Boynton Beach Boulevard, even though the train might be coming," said Bean Scene founder Nina Kauder.

As if summoned, a freight train rumbles by. A crescent moon hangs in the dark blue evening sky. A drummer provides a hypnotic backbeat to the Bean Scene.

The Bean Scene, which began in September, is thought to be the only all-vegan market in Palm Beach County. During South Florida's winter months, there are organic vegetables growing around the perimeter of the parking lot. There are vegan meals, wine and beer available inside at the Secret Garden Café, the anchor of the scene.

Even products such as jewelry and art are "ethical and vegan in spirit — no leather or feathers," says Kauder, a chef by trade and a teacher at heart.

"My whole focus is on how fun, easy and affordable being healthy can be," said



ABOVE: Inside the Secret Garden Café, chef Lynn Dorsey shows off her vegan 'crabcake.'

RIGHT: Ocean Ridge resident Naomi Donner receives a 'sacred sound session' by Randall Rodriguez at the Bean Scene Sunset Marketplace.

Photos by Tim Stepien/
The Coastal Star

Kauder, who has also taught gardening and nutrition for the Community Caring Center of Greater Boynton Beach, a nonprofit group that also incubates fledgling businesses



and delivers low-cost meals to senior citizens and others in the surrounding neighborhoods.

CCC also runs the Secret Garden Café, where chef Lynn Dorsey is busy whipping up

the Thursday evening vegan menu, which includes barbecue tempeh (a soy product cut in strips like skinny french fries), stuffed portobello mushrooms and mock crabcakes.

The tables are all occupied, so Hilary Draper and her daughter Vivian, who live in Boynton Beach, are perched on stools at the counter. Vivian, 5, is spooning up lentil soup and anticipating her entree, vegan mac and cheese. Draper, a graduate student at Florida Atlantic University, is polishing off Dorsey's tofu scramble and chickpea curry.

Though Thursday is vegan day at the Secret Garden Café, a deli counter inside the café sells meat-based as well as vegan foods Tuesday through Friday.

"We're not here to make anyone feel wrong for what they eat," said Kauder. "We get organic and grass-fed meats from the best vendors. We meet people where they're at."

Dorsey also cooks CCC's meals for about 100 seniors, as well as being a caterer and a personal chef.

"It can get a little intense," said Dorsey, who has a teenage daughter and son. "But I enjoy helping the community and taking care of the older people."

Originally from Louisiana, Dorsey has a lifelong love of cooking for others.

"I love to see the smiles on people's faces," she says. "Food makes people happy."

Back out in the funky parking lot, Jeff Overstreet of Delray Beach has just purchased a container of carrot cake bites made of raw ingredients by chef Cindy Adams. Seeing how fast Adams' stock is being bought up, he decides to buy a second container, this time chocolate almond bites.

Goodies in hand, he surveys the scene.

"It's a great concept and phenomenal people," he says.

The next Bean Scene takes place from 4 to 8 p.m. April 7 at Secret Garden Café, 410 E. Boynton Beach Blvd., Boynton Beach. It will continue on April 21 and May 5. During the summer, Bean Scene is scheduled to relocate to the Boynton Beach Art District, 410 W. Industrial Ave., joining the district's art walks on the fourth Thursday of each month.

The Secret Garden Café is open from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., Tuesday-Friday.

For more information, contact 877-1411 or email info@beansceneflorida.com

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Medical school Match Day

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Match Day is celebrated around the nation promptly at noon as new doctors open sealed envelopes to learn where they will be spending their medical residencies. **ABOVE:** Several of the 61 medical students in the class of 2016 celebrate at FAU. **LEFT:** Dr. Stuart L. Markowitz, senior associate dean for student affairs, announces placement results to the soon-to-be graduates of the Charles E. Schmidt College of Medicine. Pictured is Cara Reitz, a graduate of Atlantic High School in Delray Beach who is heading to William Beaumont Army Medical Center in El Paso, Texas. **Photos by Tim Stepien/ The Coastal Star**

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Note: Events are current as of 3/25. Please check with organizers for any changes.

APRIL 2

Saturday - 4/2 - Saturdays @ Sanborn: Yoga Class at Sanborn Square, 72 N Federal Hwy, Boca Raton. 8:45 am registration; 9 am class. Free. 393-7703; downtownboca.org

4/2 - Qi Gong at Daggerwing Nature Center, 11435 Park Access Rd, Boca Raton. Ancient Chinese system of exercise, meditation. Improve flexibility, balance, muscle tone, energy, mental well-being. Adults. Every Sat 9 am. Free introductory class. \$40/month. Reservations: 419-5403; facebook.com/WestBocaTaiChi

4/2 - Yoga Class at Train Depot, 747 S Dixie Hwy, Boca Raton. T/Th/Sat 9:30-11 am; T 6:30-8 pm. 5 classes \$65/resident, \$81.25/non-resident; 10 classes \$110/resident, \$137.50/non-resident; 20 classes \$200/resident, \$250/non-resident. 477-8727; myboca.us

4/2 - Judo Class at Boca Raton Community Center, 150 Crawford Blvd. Warm-up exercises, instruction, practice, tournament training. W 6:30-8 pm (mixed ages & ranks), 8-9 pm (advanced); Sat 10 am-noon (all groups). Per month: \$21.50/resident; \$27/non-resident. 393-7807; myboca.us

4/2 - Yoga at the Beach at Red Reef Park West (Intracoastal side), 1400 N Ocean Blvd, Boca Raton. Register/get parking pass at Community Center, 150 Crawford Blvd. Classes held on grass overlooking the Intracoastal. No cash accepted on-site. Every M/T/W/Sun 6:30 pm, Sat 10 am. \$10-\$12.50/class; 60-day membership (unlimited classes) \$65-\$81.25. 393-7807; myboca.us

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4/2 - Capoeira Fitness at Sanborn Square, 72 N Federal Hwy, Boca Raton. Ages 12 & up. Every Sat 10:30 am. Free. 393-7703; downtownboca.org

4/2 - Zumba Class at South Beach Park Pavilion, 400 N State Rd A1A, Boca Raton. Every Sat 10:30 am. Free. 393-7703; downtownboca.org

4/2 - Aqua Zumba Classes at Denson Pool, 225 NW 12th Ave, Boynton Beach. Every Sat 11-11:45 am through 5/28. \$3/walk-in. 742-6645; boynton-beach.org

APRIL 3-9

Sunday - 4/3 - If People with Down Syndrome Ruled the World: Promoting Strengths and Resources in People with DS at Boynton Beach Senior Center, 1021 S Federal Hwy. Full-day workshop for parents and professionals on promoting strengths of teens and adults with Down Syndrome. Sponsored by Gold Coast Down Syndrome Organization. 11 am-4 pm. \$25. Register: 752-3383; gcdso.donordrive.com

Monday - 4/4 - Fitness on the Beach at Delray Beach at Lifeguard stand North I across from the Marriott at 10 N Ocean Blvd. Bring towel, water, a can-do attitude. Ages 18+. M/W/F 7:30-8:30 am. \$10/class. 502-523-0284; mydelraybeach.com

4/4 - Circuit Training: Workout for Mom Without Kids! at Sugar Sand Park Field House, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Targets multiple muscle groups to build lean muscles, improve energy and fitness. Modifications available. M/T/Th 8:30-9:20 am. 4 classes \$40/resident, \$50/non-resident; 8 classes \$70/resident, \$88/non-resident; 12 classes \$100/resident, \$125/non-resident; 15 classes \$125/resident, \$156/non-resident. 306-6985; fitmomboca@aol.com

4/4 - Yin Yoga Wellness Classes with Rassika Sabine Bourgi at Society of The Four Arts Hultar Sculpture Garden, 2 Four Arts Plaza, Palm Beach. Bring mat, check in at Dixon Education Building. Every M 9-10 am through 5/27. \$15/session. Reservations appreciated: 805-8562; fourarts.org

4/4 - Flow Yoga Class at Lake Worth Playhouse, 713 Lake Ave. Slow intuitive vinyasa flow class. Every M&F 9-10:30 am. \$15/class; \$60/5 classes. 586-6410; lakeworthplayhouse.org

4/4 - Fit Mom's Boot Camp at Sugar Sand Park Field House, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Circuit-based workout incorporates cardio exercises, strength training, running drills, agility drills. M/T/Th 9:30-10:20 am. 4 classes \$40/resident, \$50/non-resident; 8 classes \$70/resident, \$88/non-resident; 12 classes \$100/resident, \$125/non-resident; 15 classes \$125/resident, \$156/non-resident. 306-6985; fitmomboca@aol.com

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4/4 - Stretch at Delray Beach Tennis Center, 201 W Atlantic Ave. Every M&W 10-11 am. \$5/member; \$10/non-member. Sign up in advance: 243-7360; delraytennis.com

4/4 - Parkinson's Exercise Class at Sugar Sand Park Field House, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Improve balance, flexibility, muscle strength. M 11:30 am-12:30 pm; W 2-3 pm. First class free. 8 classes \$32/resident, \$40/non-resident; 16 classes \$60/resident, \$75/non-resident. 347-3950; sugarsandpark.org

4/4 - Silver Sneakers Zumba Sr. Gold Class at Personal Physician Care Community Center, 4800 Linton Blvd #F-111, Delray Beach. M&Th 11:30 am-12:30 pm. \$5/class. 808-7743; ppcare.net

4/4 - Boca Raton Multiple Myeloma Support Group at Patch Reef Park Rutherford Community Center, 2000 Yamato Rd, Boca Raton. Meet and interact with fellow myeloma patients, their family members, friends. Learn new aspects of treatment and management of myeloma. Every 1st M 6:30-8 pm. Free. 901-5938; 637-4682; myeloma.org

4/4 - Men's Issues Support Group at Faulk Center for Counseling, 22455 Boca Rio Rd, Boca Raton. Every M 6:30-8 pm. \$5/session. 483-5300; faulkcenterforcounseling.org

4/4 - Zumba Power at Ezell Hester, Jr. Community Center, 1901 N Seacrest Blvd. Fun, high energy workout combining cardio, muscle conditioning, balance and flexibility. Adults. Every M/W 7-8 pm through 4/27. \$56/resident; \$70/non-resident. Pre-registration required: 742-6221; boynton-beach.org

Tuesday - 4/5 - Women's Issues Support Group at Faulk Center for Counseling, 22455 Boca Rio Rd, Boca Raton. Every T 10-11:30 am. \$5/session. 483-5300; faulkcenterforcounseling.org

4/5 - Silver Sneakers Cardio Strength Sr. Gold Class at Personal Physician Care Community Center, 4800 Linton Blvd #F-111, Delray Beach. T&Th 10-11 am. \$5/class. 808-7743; ppcare.net

4/5 - Ageless Grace at Boca Community Center, 150 Crawford Blvd. Exercises for the brain, joint mobility, spinal flexibility; balance done with music, in a chair, barefoot. All fitness levels welcome. Every T&Th 11 am-noon through 5/12. Resident \$60 1x/week, \$120 2x/week; non-resident \$75 1x/week, \$150 2x/week. 393-7807; boca-raton.fl.us

4/5 - Yoga with Cara at Lake Worth Playhouse, 713 Lake Ave. Slow, intuitive vinyasa flow class. T 3:30-4:45 pm & Th 9-10:15 am. \$15/class; \$60/5 classes. 586-6410; lakeworthplayhouse.org

4/5 - Community Consciousness with Marisol Yoga at Veterans Park, 802 NE 1st St, Delray Beach. T&Th 5:15-6:15 pm. \$5/resident; \$6/non-resident. 243-7350; mydelraybeach.com

4/5 - Tai Chi Class at Lynn Women's Health & Wellness Institute, 690 Meadows Rd, Boca Raton. Tone thighs and gluteals, strengthen the body's muscular core, increase flexibility improving balance. Every T & Th 6 pm. \$20/class. 955-3276; brhh.com

Wednesday - 4/6 - Hatha Yoga Wellness Classes with Rassika Sabine Bourgi at Society of The Four Arts Hultar Sculpture Garden, 2 Four Arts Plaza, Palm Beach. Bring mat, check in at Dixon Education Building. Held W through 5/27 through 4/27. 9-10 am. \$15/session. Reservations appreciated: 805-8562; fourarts.org

4/6 - CPR Class (American Heart Association Heartsaver/AED) at Ocean Rescue Headquarters, 340 S Ocean Blvd, Delray Beach. Open to all Delray Beach residents, taught by AHA CPR-certified Ocean Rescue. Topics include activating the emergency response system; adult, child, infant CPR; choking; defibrillation. AHA Heartsaver Certificate by mail upon completion. CPR masks can be purchased for \$5 (recommended). Ages 12 & up. Every 1st W 9 am-12:30 pm. Free. 243-7425; mydelraybeach.com

4/6 - Shared Care at Temple Beth El, 333 SW 4th Ave, Boca Raton. Interfaith respite program supported by Temple Beth El, St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church, and Grace Community Church. Every W 9:30 am-2:30 pm Sep-May. \$25/year. 391-8900; tbeoca.org

4/6 - Yoga Class at Lynn Women's Health & Wellness Institute, 690 Meadows Rd, Boca Raton. Every W & F 10-11 am. \$10/class. 955-3276; brhh.com

4/6 - Stretching The Mind, Stretching The Body at Patch Reef Park Rutherford Community Center, 2000 Yamato Rd, Boca Raton. Vamps, Arnis (hip circle), hand movements. Adults. Every M & F 1-2:15 pm through 4/29. \$6/class. 477-8814; myboca.us

4/6 - Moving Forward for Widows & Widowers: Support and Discussion Group

at Faulk Center for Counseling, 22455 Boca Rio Rd, Boca Raton. Every W 1-2:30 pm. \$5/session. 483-5300; faulkcenterforcounseling.org

4/6 - Disaster Preparedness Training: Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) at Delray Beach Fire Rescue Headquarters, 501 W Atlantic Ave. 8-week program taught by firefighters/paramedics for residents, local business owners & their employees. Train to assist family members and community in aftermath of disaster. Every W 6-9 pm through 5/25. 243-7400; thompsonk@mydelraybeach.com

4/6 - Divorced and Separated Support Group at Faulk Center for Counseling, 22455 Boca Rio Rd, Boca Raton. Every W 6-7:30 pm. \$5/session. 483-5300; faulkcenterforcounseling.org

4/6 - Family and Friends at Boca Raton Regional Hospital Education Center Classroom B, 800 Meadows Rd. Basics of infant, child and adult CPR, relief of choking, child and infant one-person CPR. Includes course book and completion certification. 6-8 pm. Held again 4/13, 20 & 5/4. \$25. Registration: 955-4468; brhh.com

4/6 - Tai Chi at First United Methodist Church, 101 N Seacrest Blvd, Boynton Beach. Led by Master William Merkle. Every W 6 pm. Free. 732-3435; fumcbb.com

4/6 - Tai Chi Class at Boca Raton Community Center, 150 Crawford Blvd. Moving meditation for focus, concentration, release of stress, attention skills. Every W 6:10-7:10 pm (beginners); 7:10-8:10 pm (intermediate). 8 classes \$48/resident, \$60/non-resident; 12 classes \$66/resident, \$82/non-resident. 393-7807;

Thursday - 4/7 - Ballet Floor Barre Wellness Classes with Rassika Sabine Bourgi at Society of The Four Arts Hultar Sculpture Garden, 2 Four Arts Plaza, Palm Beach. Bring mat, check in at Dixon Education Building. Every Th 9-10 am through 5/27. \$15/session. Reservations appreciated: 805-8562; fourarts.org

4/7 - Surgical Weight Reduction Symposium at Bethesda Heart Hospital Clayton Conference Center, 2815 S Seacrest Blvd, Boynton Beach. How laparoscopic gastric bypass and lap-band surgery can change lives. First Th 6:30 pm. Free. 737-7733 x84688; publicrelations@BHInc.org

Friday - 4/8 - Sunrise Beach Yoga Class on the beach across from Delray Beach Marriott 10 N Ocean Blvd. Every F 7 am. \$18/class. 396-9791; movement.yoga

4/8 - Pilates Wellness Classes with Rassika Sabine Bourgi at Society of The Four Arts Hultar Sculpture Garden, 2 Four Arts Plaza, Palm Beach. Bring mat, check in at Dixon Education Building. Every F 9-10 am through 5/27. \$15/session. Reservations appreciated: 805-8562; fourarts.org

4/8 - Managing Pain: Mind Body Spirit at Mental Health Association of Palm Beach County Learning & Resource Center, 909 Fern St, West Palm Beach. Dr. Ellen Slawsby discusses recent scientific breakthroughs. Noon-2 pm. \$25/member; \$30/non-member; lunch included. Advance tickets only: 832-3755; mhapbc.org

APRIL 10-16

Tuesday - 4/12 - Big & Loud: Parkinson's Disease Exercise Program at Bethesda Heart Hospital 3rd Floor Conference Room, 2815 S Seacrest Blvd, Boynton Beach. 10:30-11:30 am. Held again 4/26. Free. 292-4950; RLatino@BHInc.org

4/12 - Tahitian Dance Workshop at Patch Reef Park Rutherford Community Center, 2000 Yamato Rd, Boca Raton. Strenuous-hypnotic dance, good for the figure, fun. Every T 2-2:45 pm through 5/3. \$40/resident; \$50/non-resident. 367-7035; myboca.us

Wednesday - 4/13 - The A, B, C's of Hypertension and Heart Failure presented by Andres Ruiz, M.D., part of the Ask the Physician Lecture Series at Bethesda Hospital East Clayton Conference Center, 2815 S Seacrest Blvd, Boynton Beach. 4:30 pm. Free. 731-2273; publicrelations@BHInc.org

4/13 - Basics of Baby Care at Boca Raton Regional Hospital Education Center Classroom B, 800 Meadows Rd. Learn the basics of baby caring for your newborn, taught by a registered nurse. 7:30-9:30 pm. \$40/couple. Registration: 955-4468; brhh.com

Saturday - 4/16 - Boot Camp for New Dads at Bethesda Heart Hospital, 2815 S Seacrest Blvd, Boynton Beach. Join veteran dads (with their babies) who tell you how they made it through the first months of parenthood and resurfaced as confident, on-the-job fathers. 9 am-noon. \$20/includes refreshments & book. 369-2229; publicrelations@bhinc.org

4/16 - One Day Childbirth Preparation Class at Boca Raton Regional Hospital Education Center Classroom B, 800 Meadows Rd. One-day program prepares couples for the birth of their first child by discussing birthing options and practicing birthing skills. 9 am-4

pm. \$125/couple. Registration: 955-4468; brrh.com
4/16 - Infant Safety Prenatal Class at Bethesda Memorial Hospital Parent Education Resource Center, 2815 S Seacrest Blvd, Boynton Beach. Learn infant CPR for infants from birth to one year old and how you can assist in an emergency. 2-3 pm. \$25/couple. Payment must be made before class date. 369-2229; publicrelations@BHLnc.org

APRIL 17-23

Sunday - 4/17 - Race to the Finish: Childbirth Education Prenatal Class at Bethesda Heart Hospital, 2815 S Seacrest Blvd, Boynton Beach. Licensed nurse provides overview of natural labor and delivery process, medical interventions, postpartum and infant discharge care. 1-5 pm. \$50/couple. Payment due before class date. Early registration recommended: 369-2229; publicrelations@bhinc.org

Wednesday - 4/20 - Healthy Living Series: Alive Inside/Preventing Diabetes presented by Delray Medical Center at Delray Beach Public Library, 100 W Atlantic Ave. 3 pm. Free. 266-9490; delraylibrary.org

4/20 - Prenatal Breastfeeding Class at Boca Raton Regional Hospital Education Center Classroom B, 800 Meadows Rd. 7:30-9:30 pm. \$40/couple. Registration: 955-4468; brrh.com

Friday - 4/22 - What Do I Need to Know About DSM-5 Changes? at Mental Health Association of Palm Beach County Learning & Resource Center, 909 Fern St, West Palm Beach. Mark Smith, PhD. 4 CEUs. 9 am-1 pm. \$25/member; \$30/non-member; lunch included. Advance tickets only: 832-3755; mhapbc.org

APRIL 24-30

Saturday - 4/30 - 3rd Annual Health & Wellness Fair at Pompey Park, 1101 NW 2nd St, Delray Beach. Presented by Genesis Community Health. Face painting, entertainment, raffles, food, free vision/hearing/dental screenings for children, health and dental screenings, breast exams, pap smears/pap smear vouchers, HIV testing, physical and BMI for adults. 10 am-3 pm. Free. 430-3629; gencomhealth.org

4/30 - World Tai Chi Day at Green Cay Nature Center Community Room, 12800 Hagen Ranch Rd, Boynton Beach. All ages. 1 pm. Free. 966-7000; pbcgov.com/parks/nature

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Monday - 5/2 - Adult Dance Class: Hula - The Graceful Dance of Hawaii at Patch Reef Park Rutherford Community Center, 2000 Yamato Rd, Boca Raton. Learn the basic steps such as Vamps, Arnis (hip circle), and hand movements. Every M 10:30-11:30 am through 6/6 (no class 5/30). \$38/resident; \$48/non-resident. 367-7035; ci.boca-raton.fl.us

5/2 - Zumba Power at Ezell Hester, Jr. Community Center, 1901 N Seacrest Blvd. High energy workout combining cardio, muscle conditioning, balance and flexibility. Adults. Every M/W 7-8 pm through 5/25. \$56/resident; \$70/non-resident. Pre-registration required: 742-6221; boynton-beach.org

Wednesday - 5/4 - CPR Class (American Heart Association Heartsaver/AED) at Ocean Rescue Headquarters, 340 S Ocean Blvd, Delray Beach. Open to Delray Beach residents, taught by AHA CPR-certified Ocean Rescue. Topics include activating the emergency response system; adult, child, infant CPR; choking; defibrillation. AHA Heartsaver Certificate by mail upon completion. CPR masks can be purchased for \$5 (recommended). Ages 12 & up. Every 1st W 9 am-12:30 pm. Free. 243-7425; mydelraybeach.com

5/4 - Family and Friends at Boca Raton Regional Hospital Education Center Classroom B, 800 Meadows Rd. Basics of infant, child and adult CPR, relief of choking, child and infant one-person CPR. Includes course book and completion certification. 6-8 pm. Held again 5/11, 18, 5/28 (9-11 am) & 6/1. \$25. Registration: 955-4468; brrh.com

Friday - 5/5 - Tools for the Management of Bipolar Disorder at Mental Health Association of Palm Beach County Learning & Resource Center, 909 Fern St, West Palm Beach. Jacinta S. Cauffield, Pharm.D. CEUs. 9 am-noon. \$25/member; \$30/non-member; food included. Advance tickets only: 832-3755; mhapbc.org

Saturday - 5/7 - Yoga Class at Train Depot, 747 S Dixie Hwy, Boca Raton. T/Th/Sat 9:30-11 am; T 6:30-8 pm. 5 classes \$65/resident, \$81.25/non-resident; 10 classes \$110/resident, \$137.50/non-resident; 20 classes \$200/resident, \$250/non-resident. 477-8727; myboca.us

5/7 - Judo Class at Boca Raton Community Center, 150 Crawford Blvd. Warm-up exercises, instruction, practice, tournament training. W 6:30-8 pm (mixed ages & ranks), 8-9 pm (advanced); Sat 10 am-noon (all groups). Per month: \$21.50/resident; \$27/non-resident. 393-7807; myboca.us



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Finding Faith

Alonzo Mourning star speaker at YMCA Inspiration Breakfast

The 14th annual Inspiration Breakfast, an annual fundraiser benefiting the **YMCA of South Palm Beach County**, welcomes former NBA star **Alonzo Mourning** as its keynote speaker, from 7:30 to 10 a.m. April 6. The **Miami Heat** legend will talk about courage, perseverance, leadership, motivation and philanthropy.

The event is sponsored by **BB&T** and hosted by **Office Depot** at its global headquarters at 6600 N. Military Trail, Boca Raton. Info: **Ken Okel** at 893-2152 or kokel@ymcaspbc.org or www.ymcaspbc.org/inspirationbreakfast



Basketball legend Alonzo Mourning played most of his NBA career for the Miami Heat. He will be the keynote speaker at the April 6 Inspiration Breakfast. **Photo provided**

New rabbi at Temple Sinai

Delray Beach's **Temple Sinai** announced the appointment of **Rabbi Aviva Bass** as its permanent rabbi.

Temple Sinai Co-President **Judy Stern**, in making this announcement, said, "At our first interview Rabbi Bass exhibited the traits we were looking for in a spiritual leader."

Bass grew up in Coral Springs. A classically trained

soprano, she studied vocal performance at the University of Miami, graduating magna cum laude (1992), with a bachelor's degree in music and Judaic studies. From 1993 to 2000, Bass studied at the **Gratz College** in Elkins Park, Pa., earning a master's in Jewish education in 1999.

She was studying at the **Reconstructionist Rabbinical College** in Wyncote, Pa., at the same time, and receiving rabbinic ordination and a master's in Hebrew Letters in 2000.

She has served congregations as rabbi, cantorial soloist and educator at various locations around the United States as well as in Australia and New

Zealand. She is the mother of twin sons.

Info: 276-6161; templesinaipbc.com

Good deed day

Congregation B'nai Israel Boca Raton held its 23rd annual **Lori Sklar Mitzvah Day** on Feb. 28. The day was full of activities and good deeds, from the **EMbrace** race for people with disabilities, gleaning in Boynton Beach and hosting a "feed the hungry" barbecue at **Ebenezer Missionary Baptist Church**.

More than 200 people came out for a free meal, which was sponsored by B'nai Israel's **Kantor Family Center for Justice** and **Ebenezer**

Missionary Baptist Church.

Summer interns needed

Young adults ages 19 to 25 (by Aug. 31) are needed to serve in Christian community day camps and outreach ministries within the **Florida United Methodist Church**, including **CROS Ministries** and **Grace Place for Children and Families**.

The internship is nine to 11 weeks and interns receive a stipend of \$225 per week, based upon completion of entire summer of service.

To apply for the Florida Conference 2016 Summer Mission Intern Program, go to www.flumc.org/summermissioninternprogram. Contact Heidi at haspinwall@flumc.org.

Everyone counts

They call it **Super Sunday** and **Good Deeds Day**.

The **Jewish Federation of South Palm Beach County** will host its annual day of kindness on April 3. On Super Sunday, the theme is "Everyone Counts," and volunteers of all ages will make hundreds of calls to check on people in the community while others assemble 30,000 kosher meals for donation to the **Jacobson Family Food Pantry** at **Ruth & Norman Rales Jewish Family**

Services.

Beginning in Zinman Hall on the federation campus at 9901 Donna Klein Blvd., Boca Raton, volunteers will work in two-hour shifts from 9:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Raffle prizes, breakfast, lunch, snacks and great camaraderie will make the day fun for the volunteers. Info: 852-3169 or email marcf@bocafed.org.

Food news

Nearly one-third of households who receive **SNAP** benefits (formerly known as food stamps) don't receive enough to feed their families. They still depend on food pantries to fill a part of their nutritional needs, according to data for 2014, released in September 2015 by the **U.S. Department of Agriculture**.

So don't stop donations to your church or synagogue's food pantry.

Janis Fontaine writes about people of faith, their congregations, causes and community events. Contact her at janisfontaine@outlook.com.



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Gulf Stream Waterfront ~ \$2,795,000

Classic 4 BR, 4 1/2 BA center hall colonial in Place Au Soleil with 65' frontage. Completely renovated and expanded in 2010 with impact glass throughout. 5,297 sq. ft. under air. Southern exposure with pool/spa and dock.

Cheran Marek, 561-870-8855



Vista Del Mar ~ \$1,795,000

Reminiscent of old Florida, this 2 BR, 2 BA cottage is located on a much sought after street with many new multi-million dollar homes! Florida room with open beamed wood ceilings, fireplace, French doors and a kitchen perfect for entertaining.

Sue Tauriello, 561-441-4200

NEW PRICE



Place Au Soleil Waterfront ~ \$1,363,000

Boater's Paradise! Completely renovated 4 BR, plus den, 2 1/2 BA pool home with 80' frontage on a deep water canal just 3 lots off the Intracoastal waterway. Very desirable southern exposure. 2,721 sq. ft. under air with impact glass windows and doors.

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Brand New Lake Ida ~ \$1,395,000

Contemporary Key West 4 BR, plus loft, 2 1/2 BA two story pool home boasting 3,550 sq. ft. under air. Sun filled open floor plan with sleek lines, complemented by endless windows and sliding doors. A Marc Julien original with quality craftsmanship throughout.

Sue Tauriello, 561-441-4200



Direct Oceanfront ~ \$1,300,000

A rare opportunity to own a 3 BR, 3 BA tri-level townhome with an attached carport in Delray Beach. Abundant natural light, spacious updated kitchen with granite, huge top floor master suite with luxurious bath. 2,200 sq. ft. under air.

Diana Byrne, 561-707-8561



Tropic Isle Waterfront ~ \$1,295,000

Ideal southern exposure with 90' frontage. Wonderful 3 BR, plus office, 2 BA waterfront pool home with outdoor entertainment area, heated salt water pool with 2 waterfalls, dock and 10,000 lb. boat lift. Marble floors throughout, plus an updated kitchen with granite and stainless. Generator included.

Sue Tauriello, 561-441-4200

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Bermuda High West ~ \$940,000

Enjoy a wonderful Intracoastal view from this immaculate 2 BR, plus den, 2 1/2 BA condominium with a 2 car garage. 9' ceilings, Jerusalem tile floors, plantation shutters, updated baths and many custom upgrades throughout. Oceanfront beach club.

Elizabeth Rurey, 561-302-1552



NEW LISTING

Lake Ida Pool Home ~ \$849,900

Tastefully renovated 4 BR, plus den, 2 BA pool home with a 2 car garage. 2,510 sq. ft. under air. Newly updated master suite, kitchen with cook-island and breakfast bar open to the family room. New hardwood and tile floors throughout. Spacious split plan.

Erik Ring, 561-441-6880



NEW LISTING

Ocean Terrace ~ \$699,000

Ideally situated 2 blocks to Atlantic Avenue and 1/2 block to the beach, this completely renovated 2 BR, 2 BA on the second floor has a large balcony with a southern exposure. 1,592 sq. ft. under air with impact glass windows and sliders, plus many upgrades.

Erik Ring, 561-441-6880

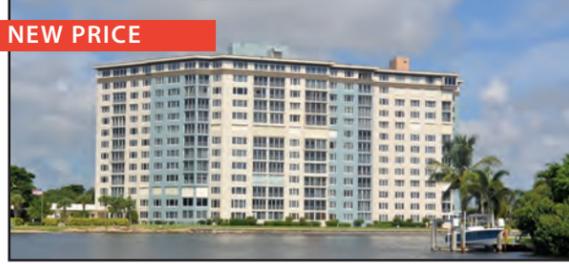


NEW PRICE

Direct Intracoastal ~ \$549,900

Palm Trail Place with deeded dock in Delray Beach. Light & bright 2 BR, 2 1/2 BA two story townhome with a private courtyard and dock that can accommodate a 28' boat with a 9000 lb. lift. End unit with 2 balconies, plus impact glass. Walk to the beach.

Vicky Hierung, 561-445-5990



NEW PRICE

Barrton Direct Intracoastal ~ \$549,000

This southeastern corner 3 BR, 2 1/2 BA condominium on the 11th floor offers amazing 270-degree ocean and Intracoastal views. Rarely available, this model boasts 1,682 sq. ft under air with hurricane impact doors and windows.

Jeff Johnson, 561-376-4328



Bar Harbour ~ \$500,000

Beautifully upgraded 2 BR, 2 1/2 BA corner unit with hurricane impact windows and balmy ocean breezes. This split bedroom features wood floors and a laundry room in the unit. Walk to the beach and Atlantic Avenue.

Jeff Johnson, 561-376-4328



Barrton Direct Intracoastal ~ \$459,000

Beautifully updated 2 BR, 2 BA on the 6th floor offering outstanding Ocean and Intracoastal views from every room. Impact glass sliding doors and windows, plus a designer kitchen with stainless steel appliances. Walk to Atlantic Avenue.

Ellen Storck, 561-414-1514



NEW LISTING

Tahiti Cove ~ Direct Intracoastal

This quiet community with only 18 units is right on the Intracoastal. 2 blocks to the beach and 3 blocks to Atlantic Avenue. Three 1 BR, 1 BA ground floor condominiums are currently for sale. Excellent rental investment. **Starting at \$435,000.**

Susan Ring, 561-441-4150



Lakeridge Falls ~ \$429,900

Beautiful and spacious 3 BR, 2 BA home with a heated saltwater pool and spa. Soaring cathedral ceilings, custom mirrors, plus an eat-in kitchen. Great outdoor space with screen enclosed pool and covered porch. A gated Boynton Beach community.

Linda Welch, 561-951-6433



NEW PRICE

Marina Village ~ \$359,000

This northwestern corner 3 BR, 2 BA condominium on the 11th floor features a wrap-around balcony and offers preserve, Intracoastal and Ocean views. Impact glass doors and windows, plus ceramic tile floors throughout. Resort style pool. Resort style pool, garage parking.

Cheran Marek, 561-870-8855



Delray Summit ~ \$350,000

1 BR, 1 1/2 BA sixth floor condominium with impact windows and a wonderful glass enclosed balcony off the living room and master bedroom offering a view of the pool, Intracoastal and a peek of the ocean. Walk to the beach.

Sue Tauriello, 561-441-4200



Palm Trail ~ \$349,900

Rarely available 2 BR, 2 BA second floor end unit is close to the beach and downtown. Ceramic tile floors and plantation shutters throughout, brand new A/C, compressor, refrigerator and washer/dryer.

Vicky Hierung, 561-445-5990



Tropic Isle ~ \$349,000

Spacious and renovated 3 BR, 2 1/2 BA two story townhome with a 1 car garage and fenced yard east of Federal Highway in Delray Beach. Wood and marble floors, volume ceilings, fireplace and upgraded kitchen with granite and stainless. No HOA fees.

Elizabeth Rurey, 561-302-1552



The Grove ~ \$338,000

Updated 1 BR, 1 BA beach condo just one block to the ocean and a half block to Atlantic Avenue. Wood ceilings, neutral tile floors, new bath and kitchen with granite countertops. Great rental property.

Elizabeth Rurey, 561-302-1552



East Wind Beach Club ~ From \$300,000

Very desirable location right across the street from the beach and one block to Atlantic Avenue. All units are 1/1 with a porch. 1 first floor unit and 1 second floor (ocean view) are currently available. Rentals through on-site manager.

Elizabeth Rurey, 561-302-1552



NEW PRICE

Monterrey Lake ~ \$298,000

Well maintained 3 BR, 2 BA villa with a one car garage and screen enclosed porch with a view of the lake. High ceilings, split bedrooms, eat-in kitchen and indoor laundry. This gated Delray Beach community offers a clubhouse, tennis, gym and pool on the lake.

Mary Jane Masella, 561-213-8422



Quail Run Lakefront ~ \$199,900

Beautifully maintained 2 BR, 2 BA ground floor coach home with a covered porch overlooking the lake. Hurricane shutters, central vacuum system. This Boynton Beach community is pet friendly with clubhouse, pool, hot tub and tennis courts.

Linda Welch, 561-951-6433



Seagate of Gulfstream ~ \$159,900

Very desirable 2 BR, 2 BA end unit on the second floor with a garden view. Beautifully updated open kitchen with granite countertops, custom wood cabinetry and built-in bar with wine cooler. Clubhouse and two pools on the Intracoastal.

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teacher who is working (and paid only sporadically) in the community.

The Grosses work in an area called Jeremie, which has tiny clearings in a landscape of rubble and rock, dead gray dirt in which nothing can grow and that leaves everything covered with dust when it's dry and mud when it's not. People call piles of sticks "home."

They save their best dress for church, and the women prize their Sunday hats above almost all of their possessions. "Church is hope," Sue says.

There's the story of the mud cookies. Most people don't really believe that anyone would feed mud to a child, but desperate to fill her child's empty belly, a mother can do strange things. Like beg a stranger to take her child — not because she doesn't love her child, but because she does. "That was hard to witness," Sue says.

"At first, it's shocking," Sue admits, to see such overwhelming poverty. Everywhere you look, there is need. Sue finds peace within her faith: "We pray harder."

Ken and Sue have built a relationship with the people and with Father Isaac Jacquet, who has 20 tiny churches scattered about in the mountains. They've built a school, and through the school they feed children a single meal each day of beans and rice. It's probably the only meal they'll have.

One boy found a way to share his food with another child, not a student, by feeding him through a hole in the fence.

The orphanage is a place for hope to begin, but there's not enough room for all the children. Many want to get in, yet there's no place to put them.

School and education is another way, but there are few schools and few teachers willing to live in the conditions required.

"A fair number who come (to the U.S.) to be educated return to help their people," Ken says.

But the problems are so broad. Everyone knows the "teach a man to fish" parable. But how do you teach a man



ABOVE: Children gather at a mission in Haiti.



LEFT: The terrain is dusty when it's dry, muddy when it's wet. **Photos provided**

Whom to contact, where to visit

- Contact Sue and Ken Gross at suelynn144@aol.com.
- Visit the Haitian Lutheran Mission Project's Facebook page at www.facebook.com/Haitian-Lutheran-Mission-Project-252569596620/.
- See photos of the school, the kids and Father Isaac on the Grosses' blog at haiti144.blogspot.com.

made by the ladies of Briny Breezes Hobby Club. She had 46 dresses, but "There were about 200 kids and I didn't have enough! The ladies vowed to make twice as many dresses this year, and they'll also make some shorts for the boys." One boy received a single pair of underpants but he was happy to have them.

Volunteers are even happier, Sue notes. "They come back more changed than those they sought to help," she says. "It's a privilege."

"When God gives you a talent, you have to give it back," Ken says. "Everyone brings their own talent to the table, and Sue's talent is leading the teams."

Now the Grosses are officially full-time residents of Briny Breezes, leaving behind the frozen Chicago winters. They'll continue to take groups to Haiti, which is a lot easier from Florida, as long as there is a need.

"We do get so much more out of it," Sue Gross says. "For anyone who wants to help, there's always something you can do."

"It's all important." ★

who doesn't have a pole, a line, a hook or bait and has no way of getting one?

Throughout Haiti, devastation still reigns from the 2010 earthquake. The most basic needs — food, water and shelter — are still out of reach for so many people.

Their water source and their laundry is a dirty river.

Sue and Ken Gross have been raising money to buy inexpensive, reusable home water filters to clean the water. The cost is about \$30; but that's a fortune to someone who makes \$1.25 for a day's work, if he or she can find it.

On the last trip, Sue Gross took dresses for the little girls



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- An estimated 25,000 people die every day from the lack of clean water and proper sanitation. That's one person every 3.45 seconds.
- One-sixth of the world's population is 'water-stressed.'
- Nearly 80 percent of all disease in the world stems from unclean water and poor sanitation.

Haiti facts

Population: 10.6 million
4.5 million lack access to safe water
7.6 million lack access to improved sanitation
58 percent of the total population lives on less than \$1.25 per day
80 percent of people live below the poverty line

SOURCE: waterprojectsinternational.org

What you can do

- Five suggestions from www.haitilutheran.org:
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 - 3. Give the gift of sight.** Buy eyeglasses or sponsor an eyeglass clinic.
 - 4. Make dresses or shorts and shirts** for the orphans.
 - 5. Join a missionary trip.** Volunteers pay their own way. It costs about \$2,000 per person for eight days, which includes airfare, meals and transportation.

Religion Calendar

Note: Events are current as of 3/25. Please check with organizers for any changes.

APRIL 3-9

Sunday - 4/3 - The Path to Wealth: Seven Spiritual Steps for Abundance with wealth advisor May McCarthy at Unity of Delray Beach, 101 NW 22nd Ave. 1:30 & 4 pm. Free/love offering. 276-5796; unityofdelraybeach.org

4/3 - Monthly Spiritual Exploration at Unity of Delray Beach, 101 NW 22nd St. Reverend Linda Hurley. Every Sun 6 pm through 6/12. Free-will offering. 276-5796; unityofdelraybeach.org

4/3 - Life Teen at St Vincent Ferrer Catholic Church, 840 George Bush Blvd, Delray Beach. Comprehensive youth ministry program; dinner included. Every Sun 6:45-8:30 pm. Free. 276-6892 x330; stvincentferrer.com

Monday - 4/4 - Women's Bible Study at Seacrest Presbyterian Church Conference Room, 2703 N Swinton Ave, Delray Beach. Every M 10 am. Free. 276-5633; seacrestchurch.com

Tuesday - 4/5 - Lectio Divina at St Paul's Episcopal Church, 188 S Swinton Ave, Delray Beach. Traditional Benedictine practice of scriptural reading, meditation, prayer. Every T 9-10 am. Free. 276-4541; stpaulsdelray.org

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4/5 - Torah & Tea at Chabad of East Boca Raton, 120 NE 1st Ave. Women's Torah series brings tradition of classical Jewish learning in weekly classes. T 9:30-10:30 am. Free. 417-7797; chabadbocabeaches.com

4/5 - Catholic Grandparents Meeting at Ascension Church, 7250 N Federal Hwy, Boca Raton. All welcome. Second T 10-11:30 am. Free. 289-2640; diocesepb.org

4/5 - M.O.M.S.: Ministry of Mothers Sharing at St. Vincent Ferrer Catholic Church, 840 George Bush Blvd, Delray Beach. Personal and spiritual growth through journaling and sharing; clarify values, claim giftedness, bring new strengths to family relationships and the Christian Community. Every T 6:30 pm through 5/3. Free. 901-6859; stvincentferrer.com

4/5 - Rector's Bible Study at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 188 S Swinton Ave, Delray Beach. Every T 10:30 am & Th 7-8:30 pm. Free.

276-4541; stpaulsdelray.org

4/5 - Bible Study at St. Mark Catholic Church, 643 St. Mark Pl, Boynton Beach. Every T 7-8 pm through 5/31/16. \$10/free will offering for study guide. 736-7812; stmarkboynton.com

Wednesday - 4/6 - St. Paul's Episcopal Church Bible Study at Panera, 1701 S Federal Hwy, Delray Beach. Read, discuss upcoming Lesson and Gospel readings. Every W 8-9 am. Free. 276-4541; stpaulsdelray.org

4/6 - Interfaith Shared Care at Temple Beth El, 333 SW 4th Ave., Boca Raton. Respite program for elderly. Bring bag lunch. Every W 9:30 am-2:30 pm. 391-8900; sharedcare@tbeboca.org

4/6 - Wonderful Wednesdays at First Presbyterian Church, 33 Gleason St, Delray Beach. All ages. Every W 5:45 pm dinner; 6:30 pm program. \$7/adult; \$5/child; \$20/max per family. Reservations: 276-6338; firstdelray.com

4/6 - Rector's Bible Study at St Gregory's Episcopal Church, 100 NE Mizner Blvd, Boca Raton. Every W 6 pm supper (soup and salad, donation requested); 7 pm Bible study (free). 395-8285; stgregorysepiscopal.org

Thursday - 4/7 - Prayer Circle at Trinity Lutheran Church Courtyard, 400 N Swinton Ave, Delray Beach. Every Th 8:05 am. 278-1737; trinitydelray.org

Friday - 4/8 - Women's Bible Study Group at St. Gregory's Episcopal Church Youth House, 266 NE 2nd St, Boca Raton. Every F 9:15 am. 395-8285; stgregorysepiscopal.org

4/8 - Interfaith Health & Wellness Annual Awards Luncheon at National Croquet Center, 700 Florida Mango Rd, West Palm Beach. Presentation of Mother Teresa Humanitarian Award. Benefits outreach to homeless, families in transition, those in need. Noon. \$100. 345-

2006; catholiccharitiespb.org/events

APRIL 10-16

Sunday - 4/10 - St Vincent Ferrer Catholic Church 75th Anniversary Mass at 840 George Bush Blvd., Delray Beach. Celebrant: Bishop Gerald Barbarito. Reception follows. 11:30 am. Free. 276-6892; stvincentferrer.com

Friday - 4/15 - Parents of St. Gregory's at St. Gregory's Episcopal Church, 100 NE Mizner Blvd, Boca Raton. Potluck dinner, topic discussion (targeted to parents with children ages 2-13), group feedback, childcare available. Third F 6-8 pm. Free. 395-8285; stgregorysepiscopal.org

APRIL 17-23

Friday - 4/22 - Passover begins

4/22 - First Night of Passover Traditional Seder at Temple Sinai, 2475 W Atlantic Ave, Delray Beach. Special guests Rabbi Barbara Steinberg and Cantorial Soloist Margaret Schmitt. 6 pm. \$60/member; \$70/non-member; \$35/children 10 & under. Reservations by 4/15: 276-6161 x128; templesinaipbc.org

Saturday - 4/23 - Passover Festival Service at Temple Sinai, 2475 W Atlantic Ave, Delray Beach. 10 am. 276-6161; templesinaipbc.org

APRIL 24-30

Friday - 4/29 - 7th Day Passover Yizkor Service at Temple Sinai, 22475 W Atlantic Ave, Delray Beach. 10 am. 276-6161; templesinaipbc.org

4/29 - Erev Musical Shabbat commemorating Yom HaShoah at Temple Sinai, 22475 W Atlantic Ave, Delray Beach. 7:30 pm. 276-6161; templesinaipbc.org

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Paws Up for Pets

Veterinarian spreads word about dangers lurking in innocent-looking plants

Stargazer lilies, sago palms and other blooming beauties grow in healthy abundance throughout Palm Beach County. They rank among the most popular plants found in floral shops and garden stores.

While stargazer lilies rank as my favorite botanical, I will never plant any in my garden or place a bouquet of them inside a vase on my dining room table. The reason is simple: This colorful botanical can quickly kill my far-too-inquisitive cat, Casey. And stunning and majestic as sago palms are, they can be downright lethal to my dogs, Chipper and Cleo.

While many of us with pets are aware that there are safe plants and poisonous plants to pets, making that distinction isn't always easy. Plants at floral shops and for the most part, at garden stores, do not come with dangerous-to-pets warning labels. We tend to shop by looks, preference and ease of maintenance.

Let's hope that is about to change thanks to a frustrated-yet-determined emergency medicine veterinarian named Mike LoSasso. This Dallas-based veterinarian has launched the Preventing Pet Poisoning initiative,

a national grassroots public awareness campaign taking a new approach to reducing the number of pets who needlessly die of accidental poisoning from nibbling on lethal plants.

"I've been a veterinarian for 22 years, spending the past 12 as an ER veterinarian. During this time, I've seen a steady increase in the number of pet poisonings cases coming into our ER clinic and I'm not alone," says LoSasso, on staff at the Emergency Animal Hospital of Collin County in Plano, Texas. "There is an estimated 2 to 3 million cases of pet poisonings due to exposure to toxic plants, household chemicals and human medication in this country every single year. That is an epidemic and we've got to do something about this."

He shares the tragic tale of a sweet healthy Siamese named Peacock. One day, Peacock suddenly stopped eating and the next day, she began to vomit violently. A blood chemistry analysis performed at the veterinary clinic revealed severe acute kidney failure. Peacock died that day.

The culprit? A bouquet of lilies her owner had brought into the house a few days earlier. It turned out that Peacock had collected some of that orange-brown pollen on



Stargazer lilies may add color to a room but will poison your cat. Photo courtesy of proflowers.com



LEFT: A sago palm is toxic to dogs. Photo courtesy of lake.ifas.ufl.edu RIGHT: Ibuprofen can lead to gastritis or even a bleeding ulcer in a pet. Photo courtesy of preventingpetpoisoning.org



LoSasso wants to put cat and dog images on products that are dangerous to pets.

her fur and had eaten this toxin while grooming herself.

"Veterinarians do their part to help educate pet owners, but we have to stop warning owners after the fact and educate them before they have to take their sick pets to the ER," he says.

Tired of trying to beat the odds by treating near-dead pets inside the ER, he decided to be proactive and came up with a social media-based education effort aimed at prevention. His idea is simple but effective: Place dog and cat image labels on products dangerous to pets. This includes plants, human medicine (including ibuprofen), sugar-free chewing gum containing xylitol, and more.

His goal is to get retailers to begin placing these warning labels on these types of products. Think about it. For years, products dangerous to children carry warning labels. So why not post warning labels on all products that are toxic to cats and dogs?

"If florists marked every single bouquet of lilies as toxic to cats, would you still buy flowers?" asks LoSasso. "Of course you would. You would just not buy lilies for people who have cats. This is not an

effort to prevent sales, but to make pet owners aware of the danger so that they can make safe choices. It is also a chance to acknowledge companies that label their products in a responsible manner."

He needs our help. To learn more details on his campaign, please visit his site at www.preventingpetpoisoning.org.

And while you're at it, please post the contact info for one or both of the main pet poison phone numbers in a visible place in your home (like on your refrigerator door) and in your cellphone.

The ASPCA Animal Poison Control Center's number is 888-426-4435 and the Pet Poison Helpline's number is 855-764-7661. Both places require credit card charges and are staffed 24 hours daily by veterinary toxicologists.

As for me, I play it extra safe when it comes to household plants: I stick with silk ones. It's just another way to play it safe for Casey, Chipper and Cleo.

Arden Moore, founder of www.FourLeggedLife.com, is an animal behavior consultant, editor, author, professional speaker and master certified pet first aid instructor. Each week,

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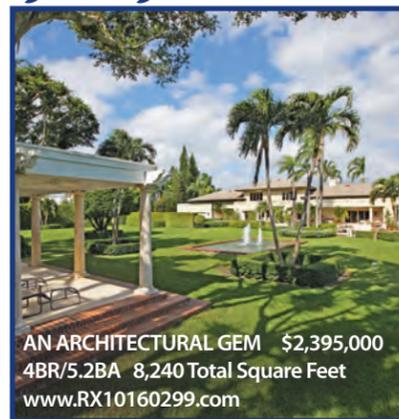


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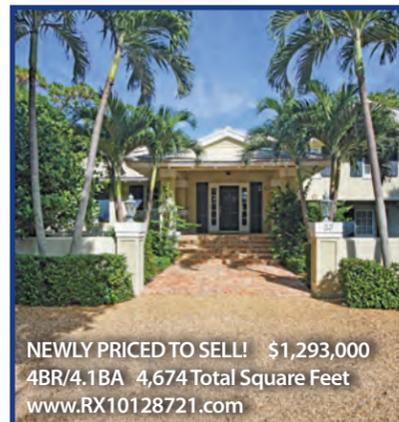
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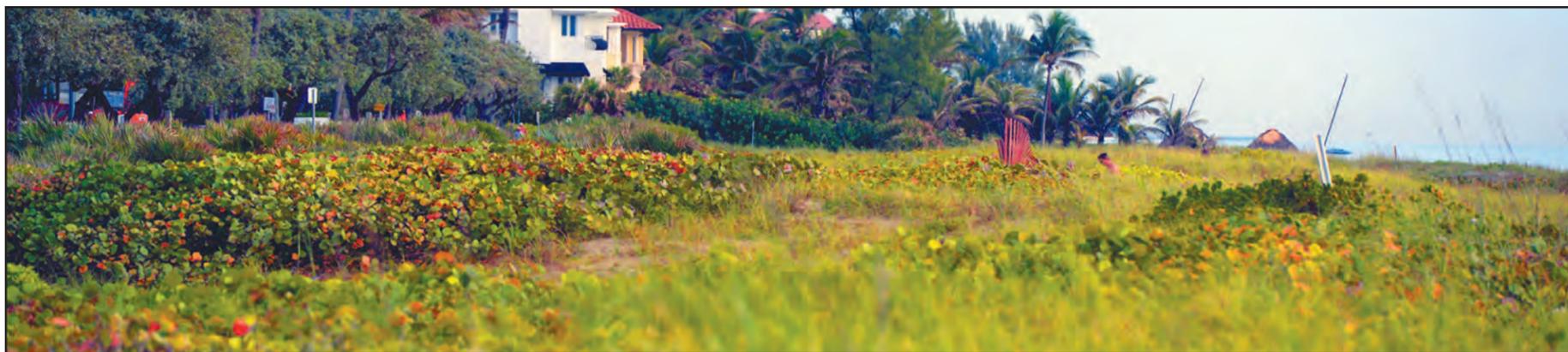


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Secret Gardens



The dune in Delray Beach has a mixture of native species that help trap blowing sand and control erosion. It is more than shoulder high in many places.

‘Ground-breaking’ program restoring native dune species

Walking north along A1A (South Ocean Boulevard) from East Atlantic Avenue in Delray Beach, you’ll find your view of the ocean blocked by towering sea grapes. Now keep strolling north a few blocks to about Sea Spray Avenue and then look seaward.

The only things that may obscure your view of the water from here are the dunes covered with sea oats waving in the breeze. Sure, you’ll see some sea grapes. But here, instead of blocking your view, they grow only thigh-high.

“There are several things happening here, but you are going to have to look for them,” said dune biologist Rob Barron, who is consulting with the city to bring the beach back to the way it appeared in historic photos from about 100 years ago.

“Those pictures are our models,” said Barron, who hopes to heal many of the indignities the beach has suffered over the years — including being virtually washed away and, after a renourishment project, being planted with invasives.

Since 2000, Barron has overseen the work of city-hired contractors who have removed the coin vines and Hawaiian sea grapes that were crowding out the natives. And he’s worked to keep the native sea grapes under control, too.

Although many people assume sea grapes on the beach should grow tall and thick to hold the sand in place, Barron has done research that shows that before man had his way, sea grapes along the coast of Florida were kept pruned by periodic freezes that killed the trees and hurricanes that quickly overturned them with their shallow root systems.

But as man brought development, beach temperatures rose and freezes rarely decimated the trees.

Thinking he was doing nature a favor, man protected the sea grapes, letting them block the sun and preventing other important plants from growing beneath them.

By keeping the sea grapes trimmed, Barron has opened the beach to a whole new population of native plants, including 50 native species he’s planted and 50 others that have volunteered since the dunes



TOP: Horizontal coco plum has adapted to the dune and lines the sidewalk in many places. **ABOVE:** Dune sunflower is known for its yellow and black bloom.

RIGHT: The necklace pod is another yellow bloomer. **Photos by Jerry Lower/The Coastal Star**

have started healing.

For his work he’s searched rare and endangered species of plants that would have been prevalent on our beaches in the early part of the last century.

“Because we know this beach will not be developed, one of the things we do is to put back populations of plants that we know are at risk in other areas,” Barron said. It not only shows off the plants in their prime but acts as a seed incubator for other projects.

Continue your walk along the street and you may find some beach cluster vine with its tiny white flowers. It’s on the federal endangered species list and this is one of about only 10 places you’ll find it growing in the U.S.

You’ll also see that it’s the

saw palmettos, not the sea grapes, that are being allowed to grow tall here because they can remain standing in a storm and they don’t cast wide shadows.

Turn down one of the sandy access paths to the beach and you may also discover beach ragweed covering the dunes or dune sunflowers waving their blooms that look like black-eyed Susans.

You are probably familiar with the red- or green-tipped varieties of coco plum growing in so many Florida landscapes. But the variety you’ll find here is called horizontal coco plum.

It evolved in coastal areas where for thousands of years it was wind-pruned and any stem that stuck up got burned off, so the plant learned to grow in a decumbent position, Barron

said.

Keep an eye out for cardinals, blue jays, seagulls and other shore birds. Oh, and don’t forget the lizards and snakes. Barron has seen nonpoisonous ring necks and black racers. He welcomes them as a sign that this habitat is healthy for both native flora and fauna.

“We are writing the book on dune science right here in Delray Beach. What we are doing is recognized nationally as ground breaking,” he said.



Deborah S. Hartz-Seeley is a master gardener who can be reached at debhartz@att.net.



If You Go

The Delray Municipal Beach runs for 6,840 feet along South Ocean Boulevard (A1A) from Casuarina Avenue and the Seagate Beach Club north to the first beachfront home. The most mature section of renovated beach can be seen north of Sea Spray Avenue, with street parking available. The section around East Atlantic Avenue is slated to be restored within the next year.

Garden Calendar

Note: Events are current as of 3/25. Please check with organizers for any changes.

APRIL 3-9

Monday - 4/4 - Weeds: Pesky Plants of Lawns & Gardens at Mounts Botanical Garden Auditorium, 559 N Military Tr, West Palm Beach. Presented by George Rogers. 9:30-11:30 am. \$25/member; \$30/non-member. Registration: 233-1757; mounts.org

Tuesday - 4/5 - The Boca Raton Garden Club Meeting at BRGC Clubhouse, 4281 NW 3rd Ave, Boca Raton. First T 1 pm. Free. 395-9376; bocaratongardenclub.org

Thursday - 4/7 - Private Gardens of South Florida with Jack Staub at Society of The Four Arts Dixon Education Building, 2 Four Arts Plaza, Palm Beach. Part of Campus on the Lake Lecture Series. Book signing follows. 2:30-3:30 pm. Free. Reservations: 805-8562; fourarts.org

4/7 - City of Lake Worth Tree Board Talk at Lake Worth Public Library, 15 N M St. Focus on impacts of exotic and invasive plants and how natives allow beneficial insects, birds, and butterflies to flourish. Light refreshments. 6 pm doors open; 6:30 pm presentations. 586-1677; lakeworth.org

APRIL 10-16

Sunday - 4/10 - Orchid Care 101: Repotting Your Orchid at Mounts Botanical Garden Auditorium, 559 N Military Tr, West Palm Beach. Presented by Sandi Jones, Broward Orchid Supply and Bonnet House Museum & Gardens. 10 am-1 pm. \$30/member; \$40/non-member. Registration: 233-1757; mounts.org

4/10 - Spring Benefit at Mounts Botanical Garden, 531 N Military Tr, West Palm Beach. Music, cocktails, hors d'oeuvres, silent auction. 5:30-8 pm. \$150. 233-1750; mounts.org

Tuesday - 4/12 - Mounts Botanical Garden Book Discussion Series: The Sound of a Wild Snail Eating by Elisabeth Tova Bailey at Clayton Hutcheson Complex Conference Room, 531 N Military Tr, West Palm Beach. In partnership with Palm Beach County Library System. 7-8:30 pm. Free. 233-1757; mounts.org

Wednesday - 4/13 - Delray Beach Orchid Society Annual Orchid Auction at Veterans Park Recreation Center, 802 NE 1st St, Delray

Beach. Cash/check only. 7 pm. Free. 412-6752; delraybeachorchidsociety.com

Thursday - 4/14 - Orchid Society of the Palm Beaches at Mounts Botanical Garden Auditorium, 531 N Military Tr, West Palm Beach. Every 2nd Th 7:30 pm. Free. 491-8033; orchidsocietyofthepalmbeaches.com

4/14 - Boca Raton Orchid Society at Safe Schools Institute, 1790 NW Spanish River Blvd. Every 2nd Th 7:30 pm. Free. 394-5910; brosonline.org

APRIL 17-23

Tuesday - 4/19 - Florida Native Plant Society Palm Beach County Chapter at Mounts Botanical Garden, 531 N Military Tr, West Palm Beach. Every 3rd T 7 pm. Free. 247-3677; palmbeach.fnpschapters.org

Saturday - 4/23-24 - Spring Plant Sale at Mounts Botanical Garden, 531 N Military Tr, West Palm Beach. 80+ vendors; assortment of quality plants and goods. Woodturnings by Palm Beach County Woodturners. Sat 9 am-4 pm; Sun 9 am-3 pm. \$10/non-member. 233-1757; mounts.org

APRIL 24-30

Saturday - 4/30 - Urban Farming: Sustainable Backyard Vegetable Growing at Mounts Botanical Garden, 559 N Military Tr, West Palm Beach. Master Gardeners Raina and Paul O'Connor share secrets of vegetable gardening in south Florida; tips/techniques on site preparation, seedling establishment, planting, maintenance, harvesting. 9-11 am. \$20/member; \$25/non-member. Registration: 233-1757; mounts.org

MAY 1-7

Tuesday - 5/3 - The Boca Raton Garden Club Meeting at BRGC Clubhouse, 4281 NW 3rd Ave, Boca Raton. Fun with Flowers with Emilie Palmieri. Every 1st T 1 pm. Free. 395-9376; bocaratongardenclub.org

Saturday - 5/7-8 - 2016 Connoisseurs Garden Tour sponsored by Mounts Botanical Garden. A Mother's Day weekend tradition, showcases some of the finest gardens in Palm Beach County; enjoy at your own pace over 2 days. 8 gardens from Delray Beach to North Palm Beach. Sat 10 am-5 pm; Sun 11 am-4 pm. \$20/member; \$25/non-member. 233-1757; mounts.org

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Fewer migratory birds, like these blue-winged teals, have been seen this winter. Possible causes include a warmer winter to the north and more rain in South Florida. Jerry Lower/The Coastal Star

Along the Coast

Drop in migratory bird count linked to weather patterns

By Rich Pollack

Migratory birds still flew south this winter — but members of several species may not have made it as far as they usually do.

Others, according to those who track migratory birds, might have just kept going and passed over South Florida altogether.

“Our total number of birds this count was the lowest, at least in several years,” said Chuck Weber, who coordinated the most recent annual Christmas bird count in Palm Beach County for the National Audubon Society.

Warmer weather, more rain here in South Florida this season and an overall change in climate may all account for the decline, biologists and bird enthusiasts say.

“There are many factors involved depending on the species of bird,” says Sandy Komito, a Boynton Beach resident who for many years held the record of seeing 748 species in North America and was portrayed in the movie *The Big Year* by actor Owen Wilson. “Overall the numbers are down, but the variety is still the same.”

This year, volunteers counted 20,881 birds in Palm Beach County, as opposed to about 24,000 during the previous two Christmas bird counts.

Weber, however, points out that not all species spotted during the count — which took place between Dec. 15 and Jan. 5 — were in decline. In fact, several saw increases.

“The numbers for most species were down this year, but some species were either up, the same or just down slightly from the previous year,” he said.

Smaller birds, including many in the warbler family, were spotted in increased numbers over the previous count.

Yellow-rumped warblers,

for example, were spotted 450 times, as compared to the last count when only 120 were seen. But those numbers are down dramatically from the count done two years ago when approximately 600 of the small birds were counted.

On the flip side, the number of American robins in the most recent count soared to 700, up from just two seen during the previous count.

Among those species that saw some of the steepest declines were ducks, including blue-winged teals.

During the Christmas bird count this time, volunteers spotted only 35 blue-winged teals. During the previous count, about 100 were seen.

Higher water levels in South Florida wetland areas — and their impact on the ability of birds to find food — are likely to be responsible for a decline in duck populations as well as in populations of long-legged wading birds in natural wetlands outside of urbanized areas.

“When conditions are good and water levels are low, birds can find food,” says Dale Gawlik, director of the environmental sciences program at Florida Atlantic University and a professor of biological sciences who directs the university’s Avian Ecology Laboratory.

Normally, water levels are higher in the summer during Florida’s rainy season and lower during the winter. That allows fish and other natural food sources for birds to grow during the summer months, when there are fewer birds. When the water levels recede, food sources tend to pool into smaller areas, making it easier for birds, especially long-legged wading birds, to feed.

This year, according to Gawlik, conditions were the opposite of how they should be: with a wetter winter and a drier summer. That meant food

production was down and the concentration of fish in pooling areas was reduced.

For dabblers, ducks that feed on underwater vegetation, higher water levels in the winter make it more difficult to reach food and lower levels in the summer make it difficult for food supplies to thrive.

Temperature may also play a role in where migratory birds choose to spend the winter. Warmer weather up North during the early part of this winter may have kept some species from heading this far south.

“It didn’t get as cold up North early in the season so waterfowl didn’t need to move as far as normal,” says Julie Wraithmell, director of wildlife conservation for Florida Audubon.

Wraithmell pointed to a recent study by Audubon scientists that found the median location for the winter range of migrating birds has shifted north over a 30- to 40-year period, which may be attributed to long-term changes in the climate.

Komito agrees with the Audubon assessment that climate change is having an impact and says rising temperatures, rising sea levels and high tides could also affect shorebirds.

FAU’s Gawlik says there is no doubt that birds and other animals are experiencing the effects of climate change, but he says the impact may not necessarily be negative, depending on how well species adapt to the changes.

No matter what the factors, Weber says, he and other longtime birders are concerned by the decline in the number of birds they’re seeing here.

“It just seems that overall, season after season, we’re seeing fewer birds,” he said. “That leads our veteran birders to say ‘What’s going on here?’” ★

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On the Water

Researchers studying why migrating blacktip sharks avoid South County waters

Thousands of blacktip sharks moved along Palm Beach County's beaches during February and March, part of an annual migration that draws attention from marine scientists, photographers and anglers.

But there's something of a mystery about our gathering of shallow-water sharks: For the most part, they steer clear of the beaches in south Palm Beach County, while they can be found by the hundreds along beaches in the northern half of the county.

"From Boca to Boynton, there are very few sharks," said Stephen Kajiura, a Florida Atlantic University biology professor who has been studying South Florida's shark migration for five years and flies over beaches from Miami to Jupiter to observe the sharks.

County lifeguards spotted only a few blacktip sharks in late February at Ocean Inlet Park, just south of Boynton Inlet.

Farther north off Singer Island, large numbers of blacktips forced lifeguards to close Ocean Reef Park to swimmers several times during February, said Robert Wagner, South County captain for Palm Beach County Ocean Rescue.

Kajiura says he's not sure why the migrating sharks avoid

the shallows in south Palm Beach County. But at least beach-goers don't have to worry as much about running into a shark in this area.

Shark feeding habits could provide some clues. Kajiura, who catches and inserts transmitters into blacktip sharks to study their movements, hopes to analyze their stomach contents in the future.

Blacktip sharks migrate south in the fall, then head back north in the late winter and early spring, traveling along South Florida beaches during February and March.

Even though seeing large numbers of sharks might give swimmers the jitters, blacktip sharks tend to move away from people, at least in clear water.

While flying over beaches in a small airplane, Kajiura said, he has watched sharks swim around people in the water. From the air, he said, it looks like a bubble forming around the swimmers.

"They're pretty skittish," Kajiura said. "When you're in the water, they're likely to bolt. But treat them with respect."

Wagner, who worked as a beach lifeguard for 25 years, said blacktip sharks generally avoid swimmers in clear water.

"If it's brown, dirty water holding bait fish, stay away from



ABOVE: Hundreds of blacktip sharks swarm the shallow waters off Palm Beach. Florida Atlantic University biology professor Stephen Kajiura studies the annual migration of blacktips along South Florida's beaches.

Photo by Stephen M. Kajiura
LEFT: A blacktip shark caught and released in shallow water along a Palm Beach County beach during the annual migration. **Willie Howard/The Coastal Star**

it," Wagner advises.

Photos and videos from FAU's shark migration research can be found on Facebook by searching for "FAU Shark Migration."

Legislation promotes emergency beacons

Florida legislators approved a bill that gives boat owners a small discount on annual registration fees if they have a registered satellite beacon such as an EPIRB (emergency position-indicating radio beacon) or a PLB (personal locator beacon).

The Senate version of the bill, co-sponsored by Sen. Maria Sachs of Delray Beach and Sen. Joe Negron of Palm City, would have given a larger discount to boat owners for having a satellite beacon than the House version that was approved.

The version signed into law March 25 by Gov. Rick Scott gives boat owners registration discounts of about 13 percent, beginning July 1, if they provide proof of having a satellite beacon registered with NOAA.

The owner of a Class 1 boat (16 to 26 feet), for example, would save \$3.92 in annual registration fees. Satellite beacons range in price from about \$250 to about \$1,500.

The legislation stems from the disappearance last summer of Austin Stephanos and Perry Cohen, two 14-year-old Tequesta boys who left Jupiter Inlet in a 19-foot boat on July 24 and never returned.

Rescue beacons send up a unique signal to satellites during emergencies, allowing rescuers to pinpoint the location of the boaters in distress.

Delray fishing history exhibit to open in June

The Delray Beach Historical Society has delayed the opening of its *Fish Tales!* fishing history exhibit until June.

The exhibit had been scheduled to open in late April. Winnie Edwards, executive

director, said the historical society is still busy gathering fishing photos, stories and tackle for the exhibit.

"Amazing things are coming in," Edwards said.

Anyone who has stories, photos, newspaper clippings, trophy fish mounts (especially of fish caught in the Delray Beach area) or fishing tackle that could be considered for the exhibit should contact the historical society at 274-9578 or email archive@delraybeachhistory.org.

Coming events

April 2: Basic boating safety class offered by Coast Guard Auxiliary in Boca Raton. Class is 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the headquarters building at Spanish River Park, 3939 N. Ocean Blvd. \$35. Register at the door. Bring lunch. Call 391-3600 or email fso-pe@cgauxboca.org.

April 8-9: Boynton Beach Fishing Club photo-and-release tournament with Snook & Gamefish Foundation. Snook, tarpon, kingfish, dolphin (mahi mahi), cobia, grouper, blackfin tuna and sailfish are eligible. Entry fee \$25. Anglers need to download the free iTournament phone app. (Find it in the app store or go to www.ianglertournament.com.) Call 703-5638 or visit www.bifc.org.

April 15: Pre-captain's meeting for Sail Inn Tavern KDW fishing tournament, 5-7 p.m. at the tavern, 657 George Bush Blvd., Delray Beach. Fishing day May 14. Entry fee \$200 per boat or \$225 after April 15. 276-5147 or www.sailinnkdw.com.

April 16: West Palm Beach Fishing Club's annual yard sale

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Outdoors Calendar

Note: Events are current as of 3/25. Please check with organizers for any changes.

APRIL 2

Saturday - 4/2 - Sand Sifters Beach Clean Up at Oceanfront Park, 6415 N Ocean Blvd, Ocean Ridge. Meet at pavilion in lower parking lot. 8-10:15 am. Held again 5/7. Free. jefflev02@gmail.com

4/2 - Boardwalk Tours at Green Cay Nature Center, 12800 Hagen Ranch Rd, Boynton Beach. Docent-guided tour of wetlands. All ages. W 9 am, 1 & 3 pm; Th 9 & 10:30 am; Sat 9 & 11 am. Free. 966-7000; pbcgov.com/parks/nature

4/2 - Naturalist Program: Boardwalk & Butterfly Garden Tour at Daggerwing Nature Center, 11435 Park Access Rd, Boca Raton. All age. 10:30 am. \$3. Reservations: 629-8760; pbcgov.com/parks/nature

4/2 - Outdoor Marine Aquarium Feedings at Gumbo Limbo Nature Center, 1801 N Ocean Blvd, Boca Raton. All ages; children must be accompanied by an adult. Mangrove and nearshore reef aquariums daily M-Sat 10:30 am; tropical coral reef and shipwreck aquariums 12:30 pm. Free. 544-8605; gumbolimbo.org

4/2 - Seining the Lagoon at Gumbo Limbo Nature Center, 1801 N Ocean Blvd, Boca Raton. Explore grasses and flats of the Intracoastal Waterway behind Gumbo Limbo. Hand-held dip nets and large seine nets allow participants to catch and release a variety of fish, shrimp, crabs and marine life. Wear clothes that can get wet. No flip-flops or sandals. Old Sneakers or water shoes only. Ages 10 to adult; children must be accompanied by an adult. 2-3:30 pm. Held again 4/16. \$7/member; \$10/non-member. Reservations & pre-payment required: 544-8615; gumbolimbo.org

APRIL 3-9

Monday - 4/4 - Florida Trail Association Chapter Meeting at Okeehelée Nature Center, 7715 Forest Hill Blvd, West Palm Beach. Allison Jones, Fish & Wildlife Commission speaks about FWC trails programs. Every 1st M 7 pm refreshments; 7:30 pm program. Free. 324-3543; loxfltrail.org

Tuesday - 4/5 - Audubon Society of the Everglades at Pine Jog Environmental Education Center, 6301 Summit Blvd, West Palm Beach. Every 1st T 7:00 pm. auduboneverglades.org

4/5-6 - A Walk On The Ashley Trail at Gumbo Limbo Nature Center, 1801 N Ocean Blvd, Boca Raton. Guided walk along 1/4-mile natural trail winds through the butterfly garden, coastal hammock, mangroves to a sandy beach by the Intracoastal. All ages; children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult. Every T&W & 4/15. 11 am-12:30 am. Free. 544-8605; gumbolimbo.org

Wednesday - 4/6 - Eco-Watch - Large-Scale Movements of the Western Atlantic Blacktip Shark presented by Beth Bowers at Gumbo Limbo Nature Center, 1801 N Ocean Blvd, Boca Raton. Light refreshments/opportunity to talk with the speaker follow. Ages 14 & up; children must be accompanied by an adult. 7-8:30 pm. \$5/suggested donation. Reservations accepted but not required: 544-8615; gumbolimbo.org

Thursday - 4/7 - Beach Treasures at Gumbo

Limbo Nature Center, 1801 N Ocean Blvd, Boca Raton. Limpets and topsnails are a few of the shells that can be found on Florida's beaches. Learn about seashells and the animals that make them. Caravan to Red Reef Park, 1400 N State Rd A1A, to search for ocean treasures. All ages; children must be accompanied by an adult. 3-4:30 pm. Held again 4/21. \$5/member; \$8/non-member. Reservations and pre-payment required: 544-8615; gumbolimbo.org

Friday - 4/8 - Wetlands & Wildlife at Wakodahatchee Wetlands, 13026 Jog Rd, Delray Beach. 3/4 mile guided boardwalk tour. Bring camera, binoculars. Ages 7 to adult; children must be accompanied by an adult. 3-5 pm. Held again 4/22. Free. Reservations required: 544-8615; gumbolimbo.org

Saturday - 4/9 - Mangrove Paddle from the boardwalk at Rutherford Park, 600 NE 24th St., Boca Raton. Naturalist guided tour presented by Gumbo Limbo Nature Center. Experience necessary. Wear clothes/shoes that can get wet/dirty. Must be proficient at paddling and maneuvering a canoe in open water and confined trails; must be capable of getting into and out of a canoe from a dock and dry or muddy land on your own or with assistance from a companion; must have the physical agility to get back into a canoe from the water in case of tipping. Ages 7-adult, an adult must participate w/each child. 11:30 am-1:30 pm. Held again 11am-1pm 4/23. \$15/member; \$22/non-member. Reservations & pre-payment required: 544-8615; gumbolimbo.org

APRIL 10-16

Wednesday - 4/13 - Eco-Watch: Reducing Harmful Algal Blooms in Indian River Lagoon and Nantucket Sound presented by Rob Moir, PhD, Ocean River Institute at Gumbo Limbo Nature Center, 1801 N Ocean Blvd, Boca Raton. Light refreshments/opportunity to talk with the speaker follow. Ages 14 & up; children under age 18 must be accompanied by an adult. 7-8:30 pm. \$5/suggested donation. 544-8615; gumbolimbo.org

Saturday - 4/16 - Great American Cleanup - Annual beach cleanup, part of a national effort to beautify the nation. Held throughout Palm Beach County including: Spanish River Park (1301 N Ocean Blvd, Boca Raton, 544-8606); Red Reef Park (1400 N State Road A1A, Boca Raton, 393-7974); South Beach Park (400 N State Road A1A, Boca Raton); Rutherford Park (600 NE 24th St, Boca Raton, 393-7815); Arthur R. Marshall Loxahatchee National Wildlife Refuge (10216 Lee Rd, Boynton Beach, 637-9751); Harvey Oyer/Boat Club Park (2210 N Federal Hwy, Boynton Beach, 707-5660). Start times between 8-9 am, depending on location. All ages. Pre-registration required. Space is limited. Free. Details, times, sites: 544-8606; keepPBCbeautiful.org

4/16 - Earth Day Audubon Adventure Trail at Okeehelée Nature Center, 7715 Forest Hill Blvd, West Palm Beach. All ages. 10 am-4 pm. Free. 352-7835; co.palm-beach.fl.us/

APRIL 17-23

Wednesday - 4/20 - Eco-Watch - Romance on the Reef: When Threatened Coral Species Mate presented by Nicole D. Fogarty at Gumbo Limbo Nature Center, 1801 N

Ocean Blvd, Boca Raton. Light refreshments, opportunity to talk with the speaker follow. Ages 14 & up, children under age 18 must be accompanied by an adult. 7-8:30 pm. \$5/suggested donation. 544-8615; gumbolimbo.org

Saturday - 4/23 - Official Great American Cleanup 2016 annual beach cleanup as part of a national effort to beautify the nation. Held throughout Palm Beach County including: South Inlet Park (1100 S Ocean Blvd, Boca Raton, 667-2166); Watergate Estates (meet at Calvary Chapel, 10660 Sandalfoot Blvd, Boca Raton, 954-242-1073); Sandoway House Nature Center (142 S Ocean Blvd, Delray Beach, 243-7277); Cason Community Garden at Cason United Methodist Church (342 N Swinton Ave, Delray Beach, 374-2434); Ocean Inlet (Boynton Inlet) Park (6990 N Ocean Blvd, Ocean Ridge); San Castle Community Cleanup and Veteran's House Beautification with Rebuilding Together (meet at 5026 Old Spanish Tr, Lantana, 313-9375); Snook Islands Natural Area (Kayak Island/Shoreline Cleanup, 225-8250); Phipps Ocean Beach Park (2185 S Ocean Blvd, Palm Beach, 635-4911). Start times between 8-9 am, depending on location. All ages. Pre-register (required) by contacting the phone listed for each site. Space is limited. Free. Details, times, sites: 686-6646; keepPBCbeautiful.org

4/23 - Birds & Breakfast at Green Cay Nature Center, 12800 Hagen Ranch Rd, Boynton Beach. Coffee, refreshments, one-hour walking tour with a naturalist. Ages 9+. 9 am. \$3. Reservations required: 966-7000; pbcgov.com/parks

APRIL 24-30

Tuesday - 4/26 - Boynton Beach Fishing Club at Harvey E. Oyer, Jr. Park, 2010 N Federal Hwy. Join other fishermen to discuss hot topics and learn new tricks of the trade. Every 4th T 7-9 pm. Free. 703-5638; boynton-beach.org

Friday - 4/29 - Night Hike at Daggerwing Nature Center, 11435 Park Access Rd, Boca Raton. Walk through the wetlands, call for owls, shine for gators! Bring bug spray, flashlight. All ages. 8 pm. \$5. Reservations: 629-8760; pbcgov.com/parks/nature

Saturday - 4/30 - Sea Angels Beach Cleanup at Ocean Inlet Park, 6990 N Ocean Blvd, Ocean Ridge. Last Sat 8-10:30 am. 369-5501; seaangels.org

MAY 1-7

Tuesday - 5/3 - Audubon Society of the Everglades at Pine Jog Environmental Education Center, 6301 Summit Blvd, West Palm Beach. Every 1st T 7pm. auduboneverglades.org

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April 23: Boynton Beach Firefighters Fishing Tournament for kingfish, dolphin and wahoo and Firehouse Chili Cookoff, Harvey E. Oyer Jr. Park, Boynton Beach. Captain's meeting 7 p.m. April 21 at Bru's Room, 1333 N. Congress Ave., Boynton Beach. Entry fee \$225 by April 14 or \$275 thereafter. Call 252-0769 or visit www.boyntonbeachfirefighters.com.

April 23: St. Clare Catholic School's KDW Invitational Fishing Tournament for kingfish, dolphin and wahoo. Cash and prizes. Kids prize division. Inshore division.

Captain's meeting 6 p.m. April 22 at Buccaneer restaurant on Singer Island. Call 622-7171 or visit www.stclareschool.com.

Tip of the month

Hook a bird while fishing? Don't cut the line.

Birds that fly away with a hook and line attached are at risk of becoming tangled in trees and dying.

Kevin Oxenrider, a biologist with the Florida Fish & Wildlife Conservation Commission, offers these tips for removing a hook and line from a bird:

- Use a net to lift the bird out of the water. Don't lift it with the fishing rod.
- Wear sunglasses and take other steps to protect yourself before handling a hooked bird.
- Grasp the bird's head behind its eyes, then fold its wings against the body.
- If it's a pelican, hold the beak, but keep it open slightly

so it can breathe.

- Try covering the bird's head with a towel, T-shirt or cloth to calm it down before removing the hook.

- Remove the hook by cutting off the barb and backing the hook out. (If the barb is buried in the bird's flesh, push it through so the barb is exposed and remove it.)

- If the bird is entangled in line, use scissors or clippers to gently cut the line.

- Set the bird's feet on the ground (or boat deck) and step back while releasing it. The bird should take off.



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Tots & Teens

Ex-Heat dancer's magazine spotlights families

By Janis Fontaine

Shawn Sherlock achieved A-list success after high school but didn't tap into her true passion until much later.

In fact, the former captain of the Miami Heat dancers had several successful careers after she stopped dancing professionally. She parlayed her on-air exposure and a Florida State University journalism degree into a promising career reporting the news for ABC, CBS and CNN. Later, she held a high-level sales job with a Fortune 500 company where she regularly exceeded her goals.

After Sherlock and her attorney husband, Luke, welcomed their first child, Aiden, motherhood was everything she had dreamed of and more. She continued working, but it wasn't the same.

She reveled in her relationship with Aiden, an only child until Shane came along eight years later. Sherlock was content; she had a lovely home in Boca Raton and was fulfilled by the challenges of being a mom.

Hoping to make new friends with similar values and interests, Sherlock joined the Junior League in 2010. The league desperately needed help with its magazine, which made Sherlock and her journalism degree a perfect fit. "The first year was crazy!" she said. "But the third year was amazing."

The news bug had bitten Sherlock again, but this was



LEFT: *Spotlight Families* creator Shawn Sherlock with her son Aiden, youth editor and music scene reporter of the magazine. RIGHT: Twelve-year-old twins Madison and Mallory Barrass are two of the junior reporters. Photos provided



different. She realized the projects she most enjoyed in television were the parenting stories.

She looked around and saw the need for a parenting magazine in Palm Beach County "that was more than a resource guide." She wanted a stylish, glossy mag that local families would enjoy.

In 2014, armed with more confidence, Sherlock created *Spotlight Families* magazine (www.spotlightfamilies.com), with an online and video-based "go-to" resource for moms.

In producing the magazine, Sherlock said, "I found a purpose."

She put together a team, drawing from the talent pool at the Junior League and using her experience working in newsrooms to lead. "We formed a tight-knit family. We all have kids, and we get it," she said.

Spotlight Families is devoted to building stronger, happier families. The site offers tutorials on common problems, and offers moms a way to connect with other moms facing similar challenges.

It focuses on family-friendly businesses and especially businesses that help busy mothers be better moms. In a world that often makes mothers feel inadequate, Sherlock and

her magazine focus on building them up.

The magazine began clicking along so well, Sherlock decided it was time to add a section just for children. "The kids section took off!" she said. "We got 30 letters from kids and parents."

It wasn't much of a jump for Sherlock to add some youngsters to her staff to produce content for kids by kids. She handpicked 14 children for the first edition.

"I chose the kids who really wanted to do this," she said. Kids are paired with a staff mentor who is doing the job the kid wants to learn.

Mentors include Joel Silver, who has 20 years' experience in news and owns the production company Silver Digital Media. "He's one of the *Spotlight Families* digital video gurus who will be sharing his expertise with all the kids," Sherlock said.

Aileen Van Pelt is a journalist-turned-PR-pro with a passion for fashion and a background in television news. Her husband, Brian, is an award-winning news photographer and he'll guide the four junior photographers through shooting their first assignments.

On the Van Pelts' blog at NewsyParents.com, you'll find tips and videos on "fashion, food and family fun" featuring their daughters.

Christina Nicholson, *Spotlight Families*' lead reporter, writer and PR go-to pro (her company is Media Maven), is a former TV journalist, as well as a social media specialist and blogger.

Laura Byrne is an on-air personality who is also a blogger and a full-time mom. Ann Howard, a full-time mom, is a blogger and former on-air talent. Nicole Taylor is a former reporter, now mom and photographer.

Teen editor Rebecca Zerbo, 16, leads the *Spotlight Families* Kids Team. She's 16 and a junior at Olympic Heights Community High School.

Sherlock's son Aiden, 11, a

fifth-grader at St. Joan of Arc, is the youth editor and music scene reporter.

Damani Jones charmed his way into a junior reporter's slot the first time he and Sherlock met at a Junior Achievement event. The well-dressed 11-year-old "had a certain something," Sherlock said. He's a fifth-grader at Abundant Life Christian Academy.

Chloe Reeves, 11, a sixth-grader at A.D. Henderson Middle School, is tackling design duties as a graphic artist, as is 12-year-old Gina Montalto, a sixth-grader at West Glades Middle School.

Christine Stephenson, 15, a freshman at Boca High, is a teen photographer.

Sara Tiedemann, a home-schooled senior, is 18 and one of the magazine's teen writers.

Jaxson Patterson, a fifth-grader, is a youth sports reporter. The 11-year-old is a student at Sunset Palms Elementary.

Twelve-year-old twins Madison and Mallory Barrass, who go to Sunset Palms Elementary School, are reporters.

Juliana Merotto, 15, is a junior illustrator. She's in ninth grade at West Boca Raton High School. Junior photographer Caitlyn Varney, a freshman at Boca High School, is 15.

Sherlock says the magazine is enriching her life. When she wrote a story about a 14-year-old yoga instructor who inspired her, she says, "I walked away wanting to be a better person. I had a whole new standard for myself."

It opened her eyes to the contributions children make, and how important they are to the future. "I want to help them grow into great citizens and great human beings. I love this community so much," Sherlock said. "*Spotlight Families* is where I always wanted to be but I didn't know it.

"These kids will literally change your life." ★

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Tots & Teens Calendar

Note: Events are current as of 3/25. Please check with organizers for any changes.

APRIL 2

Saturday - 4/2 - Youth Tennis: Sized Just Right For Kids at Tennis Center, 3111 S Congress Ave, Boynton Beach. Sat through 4/23. Held again 5/7. Age 5-6: 9-9:45 am \$40-\$50; age 7-15: 10-11 am \$48-\$60. 742-6575; boynton-beach.org

4/2 - Diamonds & Pearls Dance Team at Pompey Park, 1101 NW 2nd St, Delray Beach. Community dance team program prides itself on passion, dedication, excellence, respect; participates in local and collegiate homecoming parades and statewide special events. Middle, high school, college students. Every T&Th 6-8 pm & Sat 9 am-1 pm. Monthly: \$30/residents; \$40/non-residents. 243-7356; mydelraybeach.com

4/2 - Princesses & Super Heroes Day 2016 at Schoolhouse Children's Museum & Learning Center, 129 E Ocean Ave, Boynton Beach. 10 am-2 pm. \$3/member; \$6/non-member. 742-6780; schoolhousemuseum.org

4/2 - American Red Cross Lifeguard Course at Civic Center, 225 NW 12 Ave, Boynton Beach. Pre-course skill assessment required. Exam/certification upon completion. Ages 15+. Every Sat 10 am-5 pm. \$355. 742-6645; boynton-beach.org

4/2 - Little Wonders & Big Wonders at Gumbo Limbo Nature Center, 1801 N Ocean Blvd, Boca Raton. Hike, crafts, stories. Children must be accompanied by an adult. 10-11 am (ages 3 & 4); 11:30 am-12:30 pm (ages 5 & 6). \$5/member; \$8/non-member. Reservations: 544-8615; gumbolimbo.org

4/2 - Lil Sluggers Baseball at Sugar Sand Park, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Introduce children to baseball. Every Sat through 5/21. Ages 4-5 9-9:45 am; Ages 3 10-10:45 am; Ages 2 11-11:45 am. \$144/resident; \$180/non-resident. 347-3900; sugarsandpark.org

4/2 - I Love Art Classes at Intracoastal Park, 2240 N Federal Hwy, Boynton Beach. Children create amazing art utilizing recycled items. Ages 4-10. Every Sat 10:30 am-noon through 5/14 (no class 4/30). \$36/resident; \$45/non-resident. 742-6650; boynton-beach.org

4/2 - Imagination Playground Open Play Session at Boca Raton Children's Museum, 498 Crawford Blvd. Ages 2-11. Every Sat 10:30 am-12:30 pm. \$5/non-member. 368-6875; cmboca.org

4/2 - Story Time at Boca Raton Children's Museum, 498 Crawford Blvd. Stories, songs, fingerplays for parents and children. All ages. Every Tu-Sat 11-11:15 am. Free w/museum admission. 368-6875; cmboca.org

4/2 - Park Playdate at Sugar Sand Park, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Get info about upcoming programs, enjoy free kid's activities. 11 am-12:30 pm. Held again 5/7. Free. 347-3900; SugarSandPark.org

4/2 - Science Stories at Children's Science Explorium, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Hear favorite science inspired stories. Ages 5 & up. Every Sat 11:30 am. Held again 5/7. Free. 347-3912; scienceexplorium.org

4/2 - Inspiration Station at Boca Raton Children's Museum, 498 Crawford Blvd. Ages 3 & up. T/W/Th 11:30 am-12:15 pm; Sat 3-3:45 pm. Per session: \$5/family; \$3/member. 368-6875; cmboca.org

4/2 - Art-E-Ology: Fernand Leger: Contour Lines at Boca Raton Museum of Art, 501 Plaza Real. Learn about a master artist on exhibit, have the opportunity to create a masterpiece in the style of the selected artist. Grades 3-5. 1-2:30 pm. \$5/child. Reservations: 392-2500 x106; bocamuseum.org

4/2-3 - Auditions for Disney's Aladdin Jr. at The Delray Beach Playhouse, 950 NW 9th St. Production dates: 6/29-7/10. Bring sheet music; no CDs allowed. Cast requires elementary, middle and especially high school students. Ages 6-18. Sat 11 am-1:30 pm; Sun 4:30-6:30 pm. \$750/student (10% sibling discount). By appointment only: 272-1281 x4; delraybeachplayhouse.com

APRIL 3-9

Sunday - 4/3 - COBRA Minis Soccer at Sugar Sand Park Field House, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Ages 3-5. Every Sun 11-11:45 am through 5/15. \$80/resident; \$100/non-resident. 347-3916; sugarsandpark.org

4/3 - Rockin' Concert Event for Families at Benvenuto, 1730 N Federal Hwy, Boynton Beach. Benefits Friedman Commission for Jewish Education. Make/take art projects, read along, concert performance. Family fare. 1 pm. \$8/adult; \$3/child. Reservations: 209-2616; e.simon@cjepb.org

4/3 - Pop Art Painting at Boca Raton Museum of Art, 501 Plaza Real. Part of ARTful Adventure Sunday series. Art workshops or live performances: interactive opportunity to learn, create, enjoy the arts. Family fare. 2-3

pm. Free w/museum admission. 392-2500; bocamuseum.org

4/3 - COBRA Minis Basketball at Sugar Sand Park Field House, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Ages 3-5. Every Sun 3:30-4:15 pm through 5/15. \$80/resident; \$100/non-resident. 347-3916; sugarsandpark.org

Monday - 4/4 - Baby Bookworm at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Storytime for infants accompanied by an adult. Ages 3 months to walking. Every M 11-11:30 am through 4/25. Free. Registration: 393-7968; bocalibrary.org

4/4 - Adventures with Authors at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Explore a popular children's author each week. Children attend independently. Ages 4-6. Every M 3:30-4 pm through 4/25. Free. Registration: 393-7968; bocalibrary.org

4/4 - Tennis Whizz at Tennis Center, 3111 S Congress Ave, Boynton Beach. Six key elements combined in every on-court session. Ages 3-4. Every M 4-4:30 pm through 4/25. \$40/resident; \$50/non-resident. 742-6575; boynton-beach.org

4/4 - Children's Circus Arts Class at Boca Raton Community Center, 150 Crawford Blvd. Juggling, plate spinning, acrobatics/tumbling, unicycling and balance board. M through 4/25. Ages 5-7: 4-5 pm; Ages 8-10: 5-6 pm; Ages 11 & up: 6-7 pm. \$80/resident, \$100/non-resident. 393-7807; ci.boca-raton.fl.us

4/4 - Tennis Fundamentals at Tennis Center, 3111 S Congress Ave, Boynton Beach. Based on USTA Florida Youth Tennis Pathway. Smaller courts, shorter racquets, slower-moving and lower-bouncing balls. Every M through 4/25. Ages 5-6 4:30-5 pm \$40-\$50; ages 7-8 5-5:45

Taste History Culinary Tour

Various locations - March 3



Sight, smell and sound were featured during a field trip for first-graders from Trinity Lutheran Church & School in Delray Beach. Hosted by the Museum of Lifestyle & Fashion History, the trip included stops at the *Musical Swings* temporary art installation in West Palm Beach and Palermo's Italian Bakery in Boynton Beach. **ABOVE:** Isabel Ramsey, 7, enjoys a musical swing. Photo provided

pm \$48-\$60; ages 9-10 5:45-6:30 pm \$60-\$75; ages 11-14 6:30-7:30 pm \$72-\$90. 742-6575; boynton-beach.org

4/4 - Kids Activity Lab at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. Board and video games using Wii, Wii U, PS3 or Xbox 360, or make wearable art. Grades K-5. 4:30-5:30 pm.

Held again 4/18 & 25. 742-6393; boyntonlibrary.org

4/4 - No Filter Teen Group at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. Keep it real with Mr. Irijah; talk about issues that matter to you and your friends. Topics/activities change each week; snacks served. Grades 8-12. 5:30-

6:30 pm. Held again 4/11, 18 & 25. Free. 742-6390; boyntonlibrary.org

4/4 - Delray Divas Step Teams at Pompey Park, 1101 NW 2nd St, Delray Beach. Organized, structured step team performs at local events and statewide competitions. Program reinforces role of youth as positive members of the community. Grades K-12. Every M&W 6-8:30 pm. Monthly: \$30/resident; \$40/non-resident. 243-7356; mydelraybeach.com

4/4 - Fencing/Epee Class at Sugar Sand Park Field House, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Fun, exciting introduction to fencing. Beginners M&F 7-8:15 pm, \$90-\$112.50/monthly; Intermediate/Advanced M/W/F 7-10 pm, \$135-\$168.75/monthly. 347-3950; sugarsandpark.org

Tuesday - 4/5 - Suits for Seniors Program at Delray Beach City Hall, 100 NW 1st Ave. Donations accepted for suits to equip high school students with the proper image and etiquette for positive growth. Clean business suits for male students graduating from Atlantic Community High School. Drop off at City Hall, % Jennifer Costello, Community Improvement Liaison. Deadline for Class of 2016 is 5/1. 243-7228; jedmondsrealty@gmail.com

4/5 - Toddler Tales at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Stories, songs, puppets teach the love of books. Ages up to 3 years; children must be accompanied by an adult. Every T 10-10:30 am through 4/26. Free. Registration: 393-7968; bocalibrary.org

4/5 - Tots in Motion at Boca Raton Children's Museum, 498 Crawford Blvd. Ages 1-3. Every T 10-10:30 am. Per session: \$10/family; \$5/member. 368-6875; cmboca.org

4/5 - Mother Nature & Me: A is for Alligator at Daggerwing Nature Center, 11435 Park Access Rd, Boca Raton. Experience nature topics through stories, puppets, games, role play,

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nature walks, crafts. Ages 2-5 (w/guardian). 10:30 am. \$4/child. Reservations: 629-8760; pbcgov.com/parks/nature

4/5 - Little Sunshine's Mommy & Me Yoga Class at Sugar Sand Park, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Ages 3-6. Every T 10:30-11:30 am through 5/10. Per class: \$15/resident, \$18.75/non-resident; Full session: \$78/resident, \$97.50/non-resident. 347-3900; sugarsandpark.org

4/5 - Sensational Story 'n More at Schoolhouse Children's Museum & Learning Center, 129 E Ocean Ave, Boynton Beach. Children's books come to life through interactive performance, singing, movement, props. Every T 10:30-11:15 am. Free w/paid museum admission. 742-6782; schoolhousemuseum.org

4/5 - Little Hands, Big Art at Schoolhouse Children's Museum & Learning Center, 129 E Ocean Ave, Boynton Beach. Create art from murals to clay formation. Ages 2-4. Every T 11:30 am. \$3/museum member; \$4/non-member + admission. Register in advance: 742-6782; schoolhousemuseum.org

4/5 - Group Swim Lessons at The Swim Center, 21618 St. Andrews Blvd, Boca Raton. Level 1 & 2. Every T/Th 4-4:45 pm through 4/28. \$60/resident; \$75/non-resident. 393-7851; ci.boca-raton.fl.us/rec/pools

4/5 - Group Swim Lessons at John Denson Pool, 225 NW 12th Ave, Boynton Beach. Children must be potty trained. Ages 3 and older. Every T/Th through 4/21. Level III 4-4:30 pm; Levels I & II 4:30-5pm & 5-5:30pm. \$40/resident; \$50/non-residents. 742-6645; boynton-beach.org

4/5 - April Showers at Boynton Beach City Library, 508 S Seacrest Blvd. Create melted crayon "raindrops." Grades 2-8. 4:30-5:30 pm. Free. 742-6380; boyntonlibrary.org

4/5 - Youth Tennis: Sized Just Right for Kids at Ezell Hester Jr Community Center, 1901 N Seacrest Blvd, Boynton Beach. Every T through 4/26. Ages 4-8 5-5:30 pm, \$30-\$38; ages 9-12 5:30-6:15 pm. \$40-\$50. 742-6550; boynton-beach.org

4/5 - Youth Art Exhibit & Reception at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. 5:30-6:30 pm. Free. 742-6390; boyntonlibrary.org

4/5-6 - Explorium Science Squad: Swamp Science at Children's Science Explorium, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Explore, experiment, try something new every month. T Ages 5-6 (with parent); W Ages 7-9. 4-5 pm. \$10/resident; \$12.50/non-resident. 347-3912; scienceexplorium.org

4/5-6 - Youth Poetry Festival: Louder Than a Bomb Florida at Arts Garage, 180 NE 1st St, Delray Beach. Competition between poets ages 13-19. 9 am-3 pm. Free. 450-6357; artsgarage.org

Wednesday - 4/6 - Kindermusik with Miss Cathy at Sugar Sand Park, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Sing, play instruments, dance. Materials fee paid to instructor. Ages 0-16 mos 9:30-10:15 am; 15 mos-2.5 yrs 10:30-11:15 am; 2.5-4 yrs 11:30-12:15 pm. Every W through 5/4. \$100-\$125. Every W through 6/15 \$180-\$233.75. 347-3900; sugarsandpark.org

4/6 - Tot Tumbling/Gymnastics at Boynton Beach Civic Center, 128 E Ocean Ave. Age-appropriate gymnastic skills through use of tot-sized equipment. Parents/caregivers participate in classes. Every W through 5/11. Age 18-36 months 9:30-10:10 am; Age 3-5 10:15-10:55 am. \$60/resident; \$75/non-resident. 968-4011; boynton-beach.org

4/6 - Mommy & Me at Boca Raton Children's Museum, 498 Crawford Blvd. Ages 1-2. Every W 10-10:45 am. Per session: \$10/family; \$5/ members. 368-6875; cmboca.org

4/6 - Family Storytime at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. Ages infants to 5 yrs. 10-11 am. Held again 4/13, 20 & 27. Free. 742-6380; boyntonlibrary.org

4/6 - Music and Movement for 2s and 3s at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Literacy enrichment class w/stories, music, movement. Ages 2 & 3; children must be accompanied by an adult. Every W 10-10:30 am through 4/27. Free. Registration: 393-7968; bocalibrary.org

4/6 - Sensational Story 'n More at Schoolhouse Children's Museum & Learning Center, 129 E Ocean Ave, Boynton Beach. Children's books come to life through interactive performance, singing, movement, props. Ages 2-4. Every W 2-2:45 pm. Free w/paid museum admission. 742-6782; schoolhousemuseum.org

4/6 - Lil' Explorers: Super Sensory Messy Play at Schoolhouse Children's Museum & Learning Center, 129 E Ocean Ave, Boynton Beach. Explore, develop important readiness skills. Ages 2-5. Every W 3-3:45 pm. Per class: \$3/member; \$4/non-member + admission. 742-6782; schoolhousemuseum.org

4/6 - Jr. Shark Biologist at Sandoway House Nature Center, 142 S Ocean Blvd, Delray Beach. Every W 3:15 pm. Free w/\$5 admission. 274-7263; sandowayhouse.org

4/6 - Young Entrepreneurs Academy

Florida State Spanish Conference

Orlando – March 10-12



The Oxbridge Academy Spanish Team, Los Dragones de Oxbridge, finished second place overall in Division II at the 2016 Florida State Spanish Conference. The conference brings together the state's top 50 public and private school teams to compete in impromptu speaking, poetry declamation, theatrical performance, musical entertainment, visual arts expo and creative writing. The team hosted the conference under the direction of Oxbridge Spanish teacher Michael Hollis-Anand and alumnus Manny Briseneau. This is the fourth year that Oxbridge has finished in one of the top two spots. **Photo provided**

Investor Panel Competition FAU Tech Runway, 901 NW 35th St, Boca Raton. 18 middle & high school students present their business plans before a panel of local leaders of industry and a public audience. Participating investors select one business group to advance to the Young Entrepreneurs Academy Saunders Scholars National College Scholarship competition. 4-7:30 pm. Free. 395-4433; bocaratonchamber.com

4/6 - Group Swim Lessons at John Denson Pool, 225 NW 12th Ave, Boynton Beach. Children must be potty trained. Ages 3 and older. Every W/F through 4/22. Level III 4-4:30 pm; Levels I & II 4:30-5pm & 5-5:30pm. \$40/resident; \$50/non-resident. 742-6645; boynton-beach.org

4/6 - Group Swim Lessons at Meadows Park Pool, 1300 NW 8th St., Boca Raton. Levels 3 & 4. Every W 4:30-5:15 pm through 4/29. Cost per session: \$60/resident; \$75/non-resident. 393-7851; ci.boca-raton.fl.us/rec/pools

4/6 - Minecraft Bingo at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. Grades 2-5. 4:30-5:30 pm. Free. 742-6380; boyntonlibrary.org

4/6 - Teen Gaming at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. Wii, PS3, Xbox 360. Grades 6-12. 5:30-7 pm. Held again 4/13, 20 & 27. 742-6390; boyntonlibrary.org

4/6 - Art and Clay for Children Class at Patch Reef Park Rutherford Community Center, 2000 Yamato Rd, Boca Raton. Helps develop fine motor skills, creativity, focus, attention to detail. Supplies included. Ages 5-11. Every W 5:30-6:30 pm through 4/27. \$120/resident; \$150/non-resident. 367-7035; myboca.us

4/6 - Dance for the Stage at Lake Worth Playhouse, 713 Lake Ave. Ages 13 & up. Every W 6-7 pm. \$15/class; \$60/5 classes. 586-6410; lakeworthplayhouse.org

4/6 - Itty Bits Football and Soccer Program at Ezell Hester, Jr. Community Center, 1901 N Seacrest Blvd, Boynton Beach. Ages 3-5. Every W 6-7 pm through 5/11. \$40/resident; \$50/non-resident. Registration: 742-6550; boynton-beach.org

4/6 - Tween Wacky Wednesdays: Game On! at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Ages 9-11. 6:30-7:30 pm. Free. 393-7968; bocalibrary.org

Thursday - 4/7 - Kindermusik with Miss Cathy at Sugar Sand Park, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Children learn by singing, playing instruments, dancing. Materials fee paid to instructor. Either a 5-week (through 5/5) or 11-week (through 6/16) session. Ages 0-16 mos 9:30-10:15 am; 15 mos-2.5 yrs 10:30-11:15 am; 2.5-4 yrs 11:30-12:15 pm. \$100-\$170/resident; \$125-\$212.50/non-resident. 347-3900; sugarsandpark.org

4/7 - Drop-In Story Time at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Music, stories, fingerplays, action songs. Children of all ages; 8 & younger must be accompanied by an adult. Every Th 10-10:30 am. Free. 393-7968; bocalibrary.org

4/7 - Pop-in and Play at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. Toddler toys, play tunnel, oversized Legos. Ages 2-5. 10-11 am. Held again 4/14. Free. 742-6380; boyntonlibrary.org

4/7 - Knitting Club at Boca Raton Children's Museum, 498 Crawford Blvd. Ages 7 to adult. Every Th 3:30-4:30 pm. Free w/museum

admission. 368-6875; cmboca.org

4/7 - Brain Boost Class at Boca Raton Community Center, 150 Crawford Blvd. Strategic games enhance critical thinking skills, strengthening focus and memory. All games supplied. Every Th through 5/12. Grades K-2 3:30-4:30 pm; Grades 3-5 4:30-5:30 pm. \$120/resident; \$150/non-resident. 393-7807; ci.boca-raton.fl.us

4/7 - Lego Club at Boynton Beach City Library, 508 S Seacrest Blvd. Monthly build challenge or free build. Grades K-6. 4-5 pm. Free. 742-6380; boyntonlibrary.org

4/7 - Hack Shack Tech Club: Robocode at South Florida Science Center and Aquarium, 4801 Dreher Tr N, West Palm Beach. Explore science/technology in a new way, experiment with computer programming, design video games. Grades 5-8. Every 1st Th 5-7 pm. \$15/member; \$20/non-member. Limited space, advance registration suggested: 832-2026; sfsccenter.org

4/7 - Taylored Athletes Elite Training Basketball Class at Sugar Sand Park Field House, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. High-quality instruction for aspiring young professional athletes. Ages 9-14. Every Th 5:30-6:30 pm through 4/28. \$100/resident; \$125/non-resident. 347-3950; tayloredathletes.com

4/7 - Duct Tape Wallets at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. Grades 8-12. 6-7 pm. Free. 742-6390; boyntonlibrary.org

4/7 - Insurgent (PG-13) - Part of the Teen Movie Night at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Ages 13-17. 6-8:30 pm. Free. 393-7968; bocalibrary.org

4/7-8 - Karate/Martial Arts Classes at Pompey Park, 1101 NW 2nd St, Delray Beach. Karate and blend of other combat martial arts. Ages 9 to adult. Th&F 6-7 pm. Per month: \$10/resident; \$15/non-resident; + one-time \$30 uniform fee. 243-7356; mydelraybeach.com

Friday - 4/8 - Kindermusik at Patch Reef Park Rutherford Community Center, 2000 Yamato Rd, Boca Raton. Singing, echoing back tones, chants and rhythm, dance movements, instrument and cultures from all over the world. Every F through 6/17. Age 12-24 mos 9:30-10:15 am; age 16-30 mos 10:30-11:15 am; age 0-14 mos 11:30 am-12:15 pm; \$170/resident; \$213/non-resident. 367-7035; ci.boca-raton.fl.us

4/8 - Sensory Art for Tots at Boca Raton Children's Museum, 498 Crawford Blvd. Ages 1-4 w/parent or caregiver. Every F 12:30-1:15 pm & 3-3:45 pm. Per session: \$10/family; \$5/member. 368-6875; cmboca.org

4/8 - Taylored Athletes Basketball Fundamentals Class at Sugar Sand Park Field House, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. High-quality instruction for aspiring young professional athletes. Ages 5-8. Every F 5:30-6:30 pm through 4/29. \$100/resident; \$125/non-resident. 347-3950; tayloredathletes.com

4/8 - Friday Night at the Museum at Children's Science Explorium, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. A night out without parents! Wear comfy clothes and hang out in the Explorium after hours, watch a movie, do a fun experiment. Ages 7-12. 6-9:30 pm. \$20/resident; \$25/non-resident. 347-3912; scienceexplorium.org

4/8 - Unity Dance Team at Pompey Park, 1101 NW 2nd St, Delray Beach. Enhances balance,

provides exercise, teaches how to gracefully dance and execute interpretive movement. Ages 7-15. Every F 6:30-8:30 pm. Free. 243-7356; mydelraybeach.com

Saturday - 4/9 - Soccer Shots at Civic Center, 128 E Ocean Ave, Boynton Beach. Age-specific curriculum; equipment provided. Every Sat through 5/28. Ages 2-3 9:30-10 am; ages 3-6 10-10:45 am. \$92/resident; \$115 nonresident. 742-6240; boynton-beach.org

4/9 - Seedlings Preschool Open House at Sunflower Creative Arts, 227 N. Dixie Blvd., Delray Beach. Play-based learning environment nurtures imagination, science and nature exploration, arts expression and literacy. Enroll for Fall 2016. 10-11 am. Free. RSVP: 501-6615; sunflowercreativearts.org/preschool

4/9 - Play Outdoors Unplugged Series: Spring into Summer at Intracoastal Park, 2240 N Federal Hwy, Boynton Beach. Bring the family out for a day of play and early summer camp registration. Lots of activities for kids. 10 am-noon. 742-6221; boynton-beach.org

4/9 - Gymnastics at Ezell Hester, Jr. Community Center, 1901 N Seacrest Blvd, Boynton Beach. Develop strength, flexibility, coordination; classes designed for introductory skill development on vault, bars, beams, floor. Every Sat through 5/14. Age 4-7 10-11 am; age 8-16 11 am-noon. \$66/resident; \$83/non-resident. 742-6550; boynton-beach.org

4/9 - Pajama Jams Story Time with Miss Mij at Sugar Sand Park, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Stories, fingerplays, poems, songs, props, puppets. Ages 18 mo-2 yrs 10-10:45 am; 3-4 yrs 11 am-noon. \$5/drop in (includes one carousel token/paid child). 347-3900; SugarSandPark.org

4/9 - Group Swim Lessons at the John Denson Pool, 225 NW 12th Ave, Boynton Beach. Children must be potty trained. Ages 3 and older. Levels I, II & III. Every Sat 10:30 & 11:15 am through 4/30. \$40/resident; \$50/non-resident. 742-6645; boynton-beach.org

4/9 - Art Goes Green at Intracoastal Park Clubhouse, 2240 N Federal Hwy, Boynton Beach. Create amazing artwork from recycled materials. Ages 8-14. Every Sat 12:15-1:45 pm through 5/14. \$36/resident; \$45/non-resident. Pre-registration required: 742-6221; boynton-beach.org

4/9 - Family Date Afternoon: Lego Time! at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. All ages. 2-3:30 pm. Free. 393-7968; bocalibrary.org

4/9 - USA Netball Association at Pompey Park Recreation Center, 1101 NW 2nd St, Delray Beach. Fast, skillful team game based on running, jumping, throwing, catching. Females ages 6 & up. Every 2nd & 4th Sat 6-8 pm. Free. 243-7356; mydelraybeach.com

APRIL 10-16

Sunday - 4/10 - Sunday Movie: Home (PG) at Sugar Sand Park Community Center, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult. 11 am. \$1 admission includes popcorn and beverage. 347-3948; sugarsandpark.org

Monday - 4/11 - Kangaroo Kids Programs at Patch Reef Park Rutherford Community Center, 2000 Yamato Rd, Boca Raton.

Educational development class. Every M through 5/16. Age 15 mos-2 years 9-9:30 am

\$75-\$94; age 2-3 years 10-10:45 am \$90-\$113; age 3-5 years 11-11:45 am \$90-\$113. 367-7035; myboca.us

4/11 - Art Smart at Boynton Beach Art Center, 125 SE 2nd Ave. Learn letters and numbers through crafts, stories, songs, creative play. Pack a snack. Ages 4-5. Every M/W/F 9 am-noon through 5/20. \$81/resident; \$102/non-resident. Pre-registration required: 742-6650; boynton-beach.org

4/11 - Early Afternoon Explorers: Wetland Metaphors at Children's Science Explorium, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Ages 6-9 1-2 pm; ages 10-12 2-3 pm. \$10/resident; \$12.50/non-resident. 347-3912; scienceexplorium.org

4/11 - Make Bouncing Glow Balls at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. Learn a new crafting skill or bring a favorite activity to work on and share. Grades 2-6. 4:30-5:30 pm. Free. 742-6380; boyntonlibrary.org

4/11 - Musical Theater & Drama Class at Boca Raton Community Center, 150 Crawford Blvd. Theater games, team building activities, dance routines. Attire: black leotard/top with shorts and sneakers. Parents asked to wait outside during class. Every M through 5/16. Ages 5-9. 5-5:45 pm. \$84/resident; \$105/non-resident. 393-7807; ci.boca-raton.fl.us

Tuesday - 4/12 - Baby Storytime at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. Stories, rhymes, sing songs promote early literacy and development; meet other babies and parents. Ages birth-2 years. 10-11 am. Held again 4/26. Free. 742-6380; boyntonlibrary.org

4/12 - Make and Take: Sun Catchers at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. Learn a new crafting skill or bring a favorite activity to work on and share. Grades K-5. 4:30-5:30 pm. Free. 742-6380; boyntonlibrary.org

4/12 - Calamity by Brandon Sanderson - Part of Teen Book Club at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Ages 13-17. 6:30-8 pm. Free. 393-7968; bocalibrary.org

Wednesday - 4/13 - Family Fun: Mommy & Me Kamishibai Story Telling at Morikami Japanese Museum and Gardens, 4000 Morikami Park Rd, Delray Beach. Hear the reading of a Japanese kamishibai folk story. A different story each month. 10:30am. Free w/paid admission. 495-0233 x237; morikami.org

4/13 - Yoga Kids Class at Boca Raton Community Center, 150 Crawford Blvd. Multi-sensory learning combines yoga positions with music, storytelling, art; conveys lessons in positive thinking, self confidence, environment awareness. Wear comfortable clothing, bring a yoga mat. Every W through 5/4. Ages 5-7 4-4:45 pm; Ages 8-12 5-6 pm. \$48/resident; \$60/non-resident. 393-7807; ci.boca-raton.fl.us

Thursday - 4/14 - Full S.T.E.A.M. Ahead at Schoolhouse Children's Museum & Learning Center, 129 E Ocean Ave, Boynton Beach. Kindergarten readiness class. Every Th 10:30-11:30 am through 5/19. \$40/member; \$52/non-member. 742-6782; schoolhousemuseum.org

4/14 - Superhero Madness at Intracoastal Park Clubhouse, 2240 N Federal Hwy, Boynton Beach. Kids draw favorite animated characters, guided in creating a wide variety of characters. Ages 8-14. Every Th 4-5:30 pm through 5/19. \$49/resident; \$62/non-resident. Pre-registration required: 742-6221; boynton-beach.org

4/14 - Magical Fairy Garden Party at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. Join the Library fairies and elves and welcome spring! All ages. 6-7:30 pm. Free. 742-6393; boyntonlibrary.org

4/14 - Hero's Guide to Saving Your Kingdom by Christopher Healy - Part of the Tween Book Jam at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Ages 9-12. 6:30-7:30 pm. Free. Registration: 393-7968; bocalibrary.org

4/14 - Father/Son Basketball Contest at Ezell Hester, Jr. Community Center, 1901 N Seacrest Blvd, Boynton Beach. Free-throw, dribbling relay, jump shooting. Trophies awarded for 1st and 2nd place! Ages 6-15. 7 pm. Fee per team: \$10/resident; \$13/non-resident. 742-6240; boynton-beach.org

Friday - 4/15 - Fabulous Fun Fridays at Schoolhouse Children's Museum & Learning Center, 129 E Ocean Ave, Boynton Beach. Ages 3-7. 10:30-11:15 am. Held again 4/29. \$3/ member; \$4/non-member + admission. Registration: 742-6780; schoolhousemuseum.org

4/15 - Children's Special: Suzy Hammer Pirates & Princesses Party at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Grades K-5. 3:30-4:30 pm. Free. Registration: 393-7968; bocalibrary.org

4/15-16 - Longines Girls' 12 & Under Future Tennis Aces Tournament at Delray Beach Tennis Center, 210 W Atlantic Ave. 8 of the best Girls 12 and Under amateurs in the U. S. compete in a round-robin event; finals are televised. 8:30 am F, 9 am Sat. Spectator admission free. Schedules and draw information: 330-6003; yellowtennisball.com/longines/

Saturday - 4/16 - Claying Around at Boynton Beach Art Center, 125 SE 2nd Ave.

Basic techniques of pottery, wedging and centering clay. Ages 8-14. Every Sat 9-11 am through 5/21. \$49/resident; \$62/non-resident. Pre-registration required. 742-6650; boynton-beach.org

4/16 - Drop It, Thrill It, Float It, Launch It, Clean It - 30th Annual Engineering Competition at South Florida Science Center and Aquarium, 4801 Dreher Tr N, West Palm Beach. Students in elementary, middle and high school compete for prize money. 7-9 am registration; 9 am-4 pm competition. \$3 registration fee per registrant includes participant lunch + free admission for participant and one adult. 370-7710; sfsiencecenter.org

4/16 - Mini Monets at Boynton Beach Art Center, 125 SE 2nd Ave. Pencil, watercolor, charcoal, paint. Ages 5-8. Every Sat 9-11 am through 5/21. \$49/resident; \$62/non-resident. Pre-registration required. 742-6650; boynton-beach.org

4/16 - Broadway Artists Intensive 2016 Live Auditions at Kravis Center, 701 Okeechobee Blvd, West Palm Beach. Requirements: one contemporary 1-minute monologue from a published play, one 32-bar selection from standard Broadway repertoire (prepare a 32-bar cut of a piece you know in its entirety and bring sheet music for the full song), participate in dance evaluation. Ages 12-20. 9:30 am. Registration for Artists Intensive 2016 required to audition: \$1,500. 651-4376; thebroadwayartistsintensive.com

4/16 - American Girl Fashion Show at Boca Raton Marriott, 5150 Town Center Circle. Benefits Literacy Coalition of Palm Beach County children's education programs. 10 am, 1 pm & 4 pm. \$40/general; \$60/VIP. 279-9103; literacypcbc.org

4/16 - Archery 101 at Green Cay Nature Center, 12800 Hagen Ranch Rd, Boynton Beach. USA Archery certified instructor. Learn basics of archery, develop a fun new skill. 2-hour program starts with indoor demonstration of basics, followed by outdoor target practice. Equipment provided, wear closed-toe shoes, bring sunscreen. Ages 8 & up. 10 am. Held again Noon 4/30. \$10/person per session. Reservations: 966-7000; pbcgov.com/nature

4/16-17 - Science Demonstrations at Children's Science Explorium, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Hear favorite science-inspired stories. Ages 5 & up. 3:30 pm. Free. 347-3912; scienceexplorium.org

APRIL 17-23

Sunday - 4/17 - Recycling Artists at Sugar Sand Park, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Focus on making art pieces with recycled materials and found objects in nature. Ages 5-9. 1-2 pm. \$10/resident; \$12.50/non-resident. 347-3900; sugarsandpark.org

Monday - 4/18 - Dance Trends Youth Dance Program at Boynton Beach Civic Center, 128 E Ocean Ave. Learn the discipline and art of dance. Various classes M, T, W, Th & Sat through 6/4. Class times/prices vary by age/style. 542-0215; boynton-beach.org

4/18 - Children's Fitness Classes/ Gymnastics at Sugar Sand Park Field House, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Build confidence, coordination. Every M through 5/23. Age 3-4 Three 40-minute sessions: 1:15 pm, 2 pm & 2:45 pm; Age 5-6 Two 55-minute sessions: 3:45 pm & 4:45 pm; Age 7 & up Two 55-minute sessions: 3:45 pm & 4:45 pm. Six 40-minute classes: \$54/resident, \$67.50/non-resident; Six 55-minute classes: \$78/resident, \$97.50/non-resident. 347-3950; sugarsandpark.org

4/18 - Karate at Boynton Beach Civic Center, 128 E Ocean Ave. Basics of traditional karate: socialization skills, self-discipline, confidence, respect, staying physically and mentally active. Ages 6-12. Every M (5:30-6:30) & Sat. (9-10 am) through 5/28. \$75/resident; \$94/non-resident. 742-6240; boynton-beach.org

Tuesday - 4/19 - Mother Nature & Me: Clean and Green at Daggerwing Nature Center, 11435 Park Access Rd, Boca Raton. Experience nature topics through stories, puppets, games, role play, nature walks, crafts. Ages 2-5 (w/guardian). 10:30 am. \$4/child. Reservations: 629-8760; pbcgov.com/parks/nature

4/19 - Kangaroo Kids Programs at Patch Reef Park Rutherford Community Center, 2000 Yamato Rd, Boca Raton. Educationally developmental class. Every T through 5/24. Age 2-3 years 10-10:45 am; age 3-5 years 11-11:45 am. \$90/resident; \$113/non-resident. 367-7035; myboca.us

4/19 - Miss Sara's Dance Class at Patch Reef Park Rutherford Community Center, 2000 Yamato Rd, Boca Raton. Basics of ballet, tap, gymnastics, fitness, creative movement. Adults wait outside the classroom. Every T through 5/24. Age 4-5 3:30-4:15 pm; age 6-8 4:30-5:15 pm. \$78/resident; \$98/non-resident. 367-7035; myboca.us

4/19 - Battle of The Books at Delray Beach Public Library, 100 W Atlantic Ave. 4:30-7:45 pm. Free. 266-0194; delraylibrary.org

Basketball championship

St. Vincent Ferrer – Feb. 29



The St. Vincent Vikings capped their season with a 42-30 victory in the Boynton/Delray Basketball League Championship game over the Lake Worth Christian Defenders. The Vikings (9-8) were led by eighth-grader John Krolkowski's game-high 24 points. This was the varsity team's first basketball championship since 2007. The Vikings bounced back from a 4-8 season start to win five consecutive games. **Photo provided**

4/19 - Poetry Open Mic Night at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. Grades 6-12. 6-7 pm. 742-6390; boyntonlibrary.org

Wednesday - 4/20 - Children's Fitness Classes/Gymnastics at Sugar Sand Park Field House, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Build confidence, coordination. Every W through 5/25. Age 3-4 Five 40-minute sessions: 9 am, 9:45am, 1:15 pm, 2 pm & 2:45 pm; age 5-6 Two 55-minute sessions: 3:45 pm & 4:45 pm; age 7 & up Two 55-minute sessions: 3:45 pm & 4:45 pm; Age 2-3 Parent/Child (40 min.) 10:30 am; Six 40-minute classes: \$54/resident, \$67.50/non-resident; Six 55-minute classes: \$78/resident, \$97.50/non-resident. 347-3950; sugarsandpark.org

4/20 - Miss Sara's Dance Class Patch Reef Park Rutherford Community Center, 2000 Yamato Rd, Boca Raton. Basics of ballet, tap, gymnastics, fitness, creative movement. Adults wait outside the classroom. Every W through 5/25. Age 2 10:15-10:45 am, \$60-\$75; age 3-5 11-11:45am, \$78-\$98. 367-7035; myboca.us

4/20 - Cut-Up Poetry at Boynton Beach City Library, 508 S Seacrest Blvd. Celebrate National Poetry Month; create a poem using the cut-up poetry technique. Grades 2-5. 4:30-5:30 pm. Free. 742-6380; boyntonlibrary.org

4/20 - Tween Wacky Wednesdays: Foosball Shoebox! at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Ages 9-11. 6:30-7:30 pm. Free. 393-7968; bocalibrary.org

Thursday - 4/21 - Little Artists at Boynton Beach City Library, 508 S Seacrest Blvd. Ages 2-5. 10-11 am. Free. 742-6380; boyntonlibrary.org

4/21 - Earth Day Snack at Boynton Beach City Library, 508 S Seacrest Blvd. Grades K-5. 4-5 pm. Free. 742-6380; boyntonlibrary.org

4/21 - Financial Empowerment for Teens and New Adults at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. Learn financial literacy and how to build an excellent resume with little to no job experience. Grades 10-college. 5:30-6:30 pm. 742-6390; boyntonlibrary.org

4/21 - Make it @ Your Library: Create a Poetry Blackout at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Grades 6-12. 6:30-7:30 pm. Free. Registration required: 393-7968; bocalibrary.org

Friday - 4/22 - Eyes to the Skies with professional-grade 16-inch Meade LX Schmidt-Cassegrain telescope at Children's Science Explorium, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Informal event held in the parking lot (weather permitting). Telescope is out for at least one hour after scheduled start time; stars must be visible for telescope to align. Ages 8+ (under 18 must be accompanied by an adult). 8:15 pm. Free. 347-3912; scienceexplorium.org

Saturday - 4/23 - Tennis Carnival at Hunter's Run Clubhouse, 3500 Clubhouse Lane, Boynton Beach. Basic tennis drills, games, snacks, fun. Ages 6 & up. 9:30-11 am. Free. Space is limited, pre-registration required by 4/16: 742-6224; boynton-beach.org

4/23 - Annual Earth Day Celebration at Daggerwing Nature Center, 11200 Park Access Rd, Boca Raton. Games, nature tours, crafts, more. All ages. 10 am-2 pm. Free. 629-8760; pbcgov.com/parks/nature

APRIL 24-30

Tuesday - 4/26 - Kidokinetics at Sugar Sand Park, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. New sport each week: soccer, hockey, tennis, basketball, volleyball, golf, hula hoops, obstacle courses, T-ball, more. Every T through 6/7. Ages 3-5

3:45-4:30 pm; ages 2-4 4:30-5:15 pm (some parent involvement). \$77/resident; \$96.25/non-resident. 954-385-8511; kidokinetics.com

4/26 - Group Swim Lessons at John Denson Pool, 225 NW 12th Ave, Boynton Beach. Children must be potty trained. Ages 3 and older. Every T/Th through 5/12. Level III 4-4:30 pm; Levels I & II 4:30-5pm & 5-5:30pm. \$40/resident; \$50/non-resident. 742-6645; boynton-beach.org

4/26 - Make and Take: Birdhouse at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. Learn a new crafting skill or bring a favorite activity to work on and share. Grades 4-7. 4:30-5:30 pm. Free. 742-6380; boyntonlibrary.org

4/26 - GEMS Club at South Florida Science Center and Aquarium, 4801 Dreher Tr N, West Palm Beach. Empower young girls to explore STEM fields. Girls grades 3-8. High school girls can volunteer to be mentors. Last T 5-7 pm. \$5/child. Registration: 370-7710; sfsiencecenter.org/gems

4/26 - Drama Kings and Queens at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. Compete for best dramatic, comedic, interpretive readings from popular young adult novels. Grades 4-7. 5:30-6:30 pm. Free. 742-6390; boyntonlibrary.org

Wednesday - 4/27 - Rhythmic Gymnastics: Beginner 2 at Sugar Sand Park Field House, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Ballet, acrobatics, theatrical prop handling. Ages 5-6. Every M 3-3:55 pm through 6/1. \$97.50/resident; \$121.87/non-resident. 347-3950; sugarsandpark.org

4/27 - Booktastic Book Club for 7s & 8s at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Explore a popular children's author each week. Free copy of the book upon registration. Child attends independently. Ages 7-8. 3:30-4:30 pm. Free. Registration required: 393-7968;

bocalibrary.org

4/27 - Rhythmic Gymnastics at Sugar Sand Park Field House, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Ballet, acrobatics, theatrical prop handling. Every W through 6/1. Beginner 2 ages 5-6, 3:15-4:10 pm, \$97.50-\$121.87; Beginner 1 ages 4-5. 4:15-5:10 pm, \$97.50-\$121.87; Intermediate 1 ages 7-12, 3:45-5:15 pm, \$127-\$158.87. 347-3950; sugarsandpark.org

4/27 - Group Swim Lessons at John Denson Pool, 225 NW 12th Ave, Boynton Beach. Children must be potty trained. Ages 3 and older. W/F through 5/13. Level III 4-4:30 pm; Levels I & II 4:30-5pm & 5-5:30pm. \$40/resident; \$50/non-resident. 742-6645; boynton-beach.org

Thursday - 4/28 - MakerLab: Makey Makey & 3D Printing at Boynton Beach City Library, 208 S Seacrest Blvd. Learn about circuits with a Makey Makey 3D printer, watch filament become a 3D object. Explore use of Computer-Aided Design computer programs to design and create two- or three-dimensional graphical representations of physical objects. Grades 6-12. 5:30-7 pm. Free. 742-6390; boyntonlibrary.org

4/28 - DIY Art Projects: Fantasy Figure at Norton Museum of Art, 1451 S Olive Ave, West Palm Beach. Families participate in self-guided gallery activity, then visit the Atrium for a related DIY Art Project. Ages 5-15+. 6-8 pm. Free w/admission. 832-5196; norton.org

Friday - 4/29 - Rhythmic Gymnastics at Sugar Sand Park Field House, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Ballet, acrobatics, theatrical prop handling. Every F through 6/3. Mini Stars ages 3-4, 2:15-3 pm, \$90-\$112.50; Beginner 1 ages 4-5, 3-3:55 pm, \$97.50-\$121.87; Intermediate 1 ages 7-12, 3:45-5:15pm, \$127-\$158.87. 347-3950; sugarsandpark.org

4/29 - Pirates Night At The Museum at South Florida Science Center and Aquarium, 4801 Dreher Tr N, West Palm Beach. Science crafts, activities, entertainment, exhibits, planetarium shows, a chance to view the night sky. Family fare. 6-9 pm. \$13.95/adult; \$11.95/senior; \$9.95/children (3-12); \$6/adult member; free/children member & kids under 3. 832-1988; sfsiencecenter.org

Saturday - 4/30 - Story & Craft Time at Green Cay Nature Center, 12800 Hagen Ranch Rd, Boynton Beach. Discover nature through crafts and stories about animals and other nature-related themes! Ages 4-10. 10 am. \$2. Reservations required: 966-7000; pbcgov.com/parks

4/30 - Rhythmic Gymnastics: Intermediate at Sugar Sand Park Field House, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Ballet, acrobatics, theatrical prop handling. Ages 7-12. Every Sat 2-3:30 pm through 6/4. \$127/resident; \$158.87/non-resident. 347-3950; sugarsandpark.org

MAY 1-7

Monday - 5/2 - Small World at Intracoastal Park, 2240 N Federal Hwy, Boynton Beach. Structured play, educational activities in a safe, entertaining environment. Ages 3-4. M/W/F or M-F 9 am-noon through 5/31. M/W/F \$64/resident, \$80/non-resident; M-F \$95/resident, \$119/non-resident. 742-6650; boynton-beach.org

5/2 - Tennis Whizz at Tennis Center, 3111 S Congress Ave, Boynton Beach. Six key elements

(space, object, people, brain body, movement) combined in every on-court session. Ages 3-4. Every M 4-4:30 pm through 5/23. \$40/resident; \$50/non-resident. 742-6575; boynton-beach.org

5/2 - Tennis Fundamentals at Tennis Center, 3111 S Congress Ave, Boynton Beach. Based on USTA Florida Youth Tennis Pathway. Smaller courts, shorter racquets, slower-moving and lower-bouncing balls. Every M through 5/23. Ages 5-6 4:30-5 pm \$40-\$50; ages 7-8 5-5:45 pm \$48-\$60; ages 9-10 5:45-6:30 pm \$60-\$75; ages 11-14 6:30-7:30 pm \$72-\$90. 742-6575; boynton-beach.org

Tuesday - 5/3 - Youth Tennis: Sized Just Right for Kids at Ezell Hester Jr Community Center, 1901 N Seacrest Blvd, Boynton Beach. Every T through 5/31. Ages 4-8 5-5:30 pm, \$30-\$38; ages 9-12 5:30-6:15 pm, \$40-\$50. 742-6550; boynton-beach.org

5/3-4 - Explorium Science Squad: Shake, Rattle and Roll at Children's Science Explorium, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Explore, experiment, try something new every month. T Ages 5-6 (with parent); W Ages 7-9. 4-5 pm. \$10/resident; \$12.50/non-resident. 347-3912; scienceexplorium.org

Thursday - 5/5 - Hack Shack Tech Club: MaKey MaKey at South Florida Science Center and Aquarium, 4801 Dreher Tr N, West Palm Beach. Explore science/technology in a new way, experiment with computer programming, design video games. Grades 5-8. Every 1st Th 5-7 pm. \$15/member; \$20/non-member. Limited space, advance registration suggested: 832-2026; sfsiencecenter.org

5/5 - Paper Towns (PG-13) - Part of the Teen Movie Night at Boca Raton Public Library, 400 NW 2nd Ave. Ages 13-17. 6-8:30 pm. Free. 393-7968; bocalibrary.org

Friday - 5/6 - Tot Time at Sugar Sand Park, 300 S Military Tr, Boca Raton. Crafts, snacks, indoor play stations. Drop in anytime during the program. Ages 2-5. 10 am-noon. \$5/child. 347-3900; sugarsandpark.org

5/6 - Parents Night Out: Make It! at South Florida Science Center and Aquarium, 4801 Dreher Tr N, West Palm Beach. Hands-on science experiments, science-related craft, exploration of Science Center and Aquarium, pizza dinner, full-dome planetarium show. Ages 4-12. 6-10 pm. \$35/child; \$25/each additional child. 832-2026; sfsiencecenter.org

Saturday - 5/7 - Group Swim Lessons at John Denson Pool, 225 NW 12th Ave, Boynton Beach. Children must be potty trained. Levels I, II & III. Ages 3 & older. Every Sat 10:30 & 11:15 am through 5/28. \$40/resident; \$50/non-resident. 742-6645; boynton-beach.org

5/7 - Play Outdoors Unplugged Series: Mother's Day Tea at Intracoastal Park, 2240 N Federal Hwy, Boynton Beach. Daughters honor moms at this elegant event and enjoy a cup of tea together. Tea, soft drinks, hors d'oeuvres; each mother receives a rose. 11 am-1 pm. Registration deadline 5/1: \$8/person. 742-6640; boynton-beach.org

5/7 - Art-E-Ology: Treasures for Mother's Day at Boca Raton Museum of Art, 501 Plaza Real. Learn about a master artist on exhibit, have the opportunity to create a masterpiece in the style of the selected artist. Grades 3-5. 1-2:30 pm. \$5/child; free/member. Reservations required: 392-2500 x106; bocamuseum.org

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House of the Month

Each month, The Coastal Star features a house for sale in our community. The House of the Month is presented as a service to our advertisers and provides readers with a peek inside one of our houses.



This house has a traditional Key West style, a paved drive and a two-car garage.



Circulating from the foyer, the bright living spaces flow openly from room to room and from inside to the outdoors. Photos provided

Artfully renovated waterfront estate

Nestled on a deep-draft waterway with service dockage for a 32-foot yacht, this comfortable Delray Beach residence has 4,637 +/- square feet. With four bedrooms and 4½ baths, the home has classic architectural charm with the sophisticated twist of open, modern interiors.

Finishes include Saturnia marble floors and Venetian plaster. A dramatic double-sided fireplace separates the main living space from the versatile family room/office with custom built-ins.

An outdoor entertaining space was created for the perfect resort-at-home lifestyle. Sumptuous greenery is the backdrop for a tropical oasis of an

idyllic, south-facing pool/patio area and dining porch.



Chef's kitchen has Poggenpohl cabinetry, Torrone granite counters and high-end appliances.



In this desirable yachting community fronting the Intracoastal Waterway, Tropic Isle is near the beach with access to downtown Delray Beach.

RX-10203355. \$1,897,000. Jilly Cammisa, Estate Agent/
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LIVING LEGEND IN DELRAY – 1937 one-of-a-kind cottage in the beach area! Lovingly restored over the years. 5 bedroom, 5.5 bath + den / study. Spacious rooms, ageless details, lush tropical gardens and pool. One block to beach and Atlantic Avenue. \$2,399,000



OCEAN RIDGE WATERWAY – Gracious luxury estate home located on 100 ft of protected dockage. Tremendous gourmet kitchen. Master suite overlooks waterway. Lavish pool and entertainment area. Easy beach access. \$2,100,000



NEW LISTING

BY THE SEA – Explore a rare opportunity in the beaches of Delray. Mid Century modern 5 bedroom, 5 bath home. This Historic structure is located a few blocks from Atlantic Avenue and just a block away from direct access to the Ocean. \$1,895,000



SEAGATE MANOR IN DELRAY – Spectacular views and stunning, elegant appointments and finishes in this complete renovation from impact resistant windows to solid core doors and crown moldings. Intracoastal views surround you from this unit. \$825,000



DELIGHTFUL LIVING – Stunning Mediterranean cottage. Surrounded by brick paved pathways & patios, lush gardens, courtyard fountain & pool. Hardwood floors and an antique marble floor entrance. Close to Atlantic Avenue in Delray and the beach. \$925,000



INTRACOASTAL AREA – Opportunity to build your dream home! 100 x 150 property located close to Ocean, Intracoastal and vibrant downtown Delray Beach shops and restaurants. Single family residential zoning. \$995,000



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SUN, SURF AND THE AVENUE – This romantic Delray Beach Mediterranean estate boasts over 10,000 total sq. ft., separate guest house, outdoor loggias and elevator. Located directly across from the beach with private access. \$7,250,000



STUNNING VIEWS – Exquisitely designed, direct Intracoastal point lot offers 400 ft of water frontage and spectacular views! This 4 bedroom, 4 bath boasts over 4,700 sq. ft. Beautifully remodeled in 2015. A wonderful opportunity in Delray Beach. \$3,300,000



NEW LISTING

PRIVATE TROPICAL RETREAT – One-of-a-kind, beautifully remodeled 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath main house features oak and tumbled, chiseled marble floors, wet bar and two fireplaces. Private tennis court. Charming 1 bedroom, 1 bath guest house. \$1,680,000



NEW LISTING

THE VILLAS OF OCEAN RIDGE – Stunning direct Ocean and pool views from this spacious 2 bedroom, 2 bath remodeled condo. Generous living area opens up to a large balcony. Garage parking within the building. Bring your small pet. \$899,000



NEW LISTING

GULFSTREAM CHARMER – Spanish inspired exterior, arched courtyard openings and new roof. Fully renovated in 2008. With a 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath main house and a wonderful 1 bedroom, 1 bath detached guest cottage. \$786,000



NEWLY PRICED

DELRAY OCEAN ACCESS – Terrific 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath with deep water canal. Expansive open floor plan, wood flooring, custom kitchen, crown moldings and impact glass. 3 lots off Intracoastal and minutes to downtown Delray. \$749,000



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