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Proposed tax hike will cover unanticipated expenses

By Stephen Feller

STAFF WRITER

Pompano Beach - Although the economy is slowly improving, the city administrators have proposed a five percent increase in the property tax rate to meet a budget that outpaced inflation and grew more than city officials expected.

Commissioners will hold the first of two public hearings on the proposed \$219 million 2012-2013 budget on Wednesday, Sept. 12 at 5:30 p.m. in the commission chambers at city hall,

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Commission firm: No place on the field for those with criminal histories

By Judy Wilson

PELICAN STAFF

Deerfield Beach - The commission's decision last year to require extensive background checks of city volunteers is keeping some well-meaning citizens off athletic fields and away from programs for children. But earlier this month, despite a request for an appeal process from Commissioner Ben Preston, the rest of the board reiterated its tough stance. "We have to err on the side of caution [even though] good people

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No need to scream. They got the ice cream - Sofia Salmay, 5, digs into her sweet treat during the free ice cream social held at the iBeria Bank branch in Pompano Beach on Aug. 31. [Photo by Michael d'Oliveira]

Sewer rate adjustment delayed for more data

By Judy Vik

PELICAN WRITER

Lauderdale-By-The-Sea -- Town commissioners unanimously agreed Tuesday to go back to the drawing board for more information rather than vote on proposed new sewer rates for the south end of town.

Instead they tabled the issue until Oct. 23 and agreed to hire their consultant to do more research on

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Cameras spot crooks, lead to recoveries

By Michael d'Oliveira

PELICAN STAFF

Lighthouse Point - Police expect to recover \$500,000 in stolen property by the end of year thanks to the newest members of the department - license plate identification cameras.

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81 days left in 2012 Hurricane season

Forever Propane powers grills, homes and businesses before and after the storm

By Michael d'Oliveira

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Oakland Park - To Chris Rosado, the propane business is just like owning a pizza joint.

"We deliver straight to your house, just like pizza," said Rosado, who attributes the comparison to his dad. "I worked for my dad's old propane company since I was a little kid." It was an experience that prepared him

to start his own propane business in 2007, Forever Propane Sales & Service at 350 NE 44 St.

And like pizza deliveries, cooked

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Area's early schools and bad hurricanes remain vivid memories for County Historian Helen Landers



Helen Landers, County Historian, points out the volumes of history that are stacked on shelves in one of Broward County's early schools, Westside. Today Westside School is the home of the Broward County Historical Commission.

system.

Helen is the Broward County Historian. She is a member of the generation that experienced Pearl Harbor, World War II, the first man to walk on the moon and, most recently, the Curiosity Robot landing on Mars. She has

served the county as a teacher. She is a strong supporter of women's issues.

The spacious room of Westside School is lined with a library of books set on shelves that climb up the

See LANDERS on page 24

By Anne Siren

PELICAN STAFF

History Keeper

Helen Landers

Fort Lauderdale – Helen Herriott Landers sits in a room at Westside School at 301 SW 13 Ave. the home

of the Broward County Historical Commission, now a part of the county's library

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Historical Society hosts covered dish supper

The Pompano Beach Historical Society will kick off its 2012-2013 programming season with a covered dish supper on Sept. 15.

The event will take place from 4 to 7:30 p.m. at Founders Park, 217 NE 4 Ave., Pompano Beach.

In conjunction with the supper, the Historical Society will hold a brief ceremony at 4:30 p.m. marking the reopening of the Society's Kester Cottages, that recently underwent an extensive repair and restoration.

The historic structures were constructed in the late 1930s by Pompano businessman and civic leader William Kester as tourist cottages.

Facing the beach along Highway A1A, the modest buildings proved to be so popular that a number of them were built in town for local residents.

The two Kester Cottages preserved by the Historical Society contain furnishings and artifacts relating to Pompano Beach's history. The cottages will be open for

those attending the Sept. 15 event.

The covered dish supper is open to Historical Society members, friends and the public.

Although there is no admission charge, attendees are asked to bring a prepared food item to share.

The Historical Society will provide drinks and tableware. Call 954 292-8040.

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Fishing pier meeting LEED standards

Deerfield Beach – The city is well on its way to having a certified Silver LEEDS fishing pier and according to a project manager it could become golden.

Miguel Perez told the commission Tuesday that contractors Stiles Corp. have 49 of the 55 points needed for a silver certification and he is confident more points will be achieved, possibly enough to merit a gold rating.

The rebuilt pier restaurant, bait house and other amenities will be the city's first LEEDS project, designed and built with as many environmental considerations as possible. It is scheduled for completion by the end of this year.

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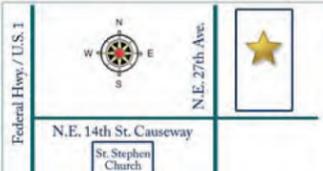
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Brewery eyes Oakland Park

By Judy Vik

PELICAN STAFF

Oakland Park – This city could soon be home to a beer brewery.

Lease negotiations are nearing completion for Funky Buddha Brewery to occupy 17,500 square feet in Oakland Park Station, the former Sears warehouse, at 1201 NE 38 St. “We’re very excited about it. We hope this will help Oakland Park and the whole street,” said broker Patricia Montalbano who was hopeful the lease would be signed by the end of the week.

Owner Ryan Sentz said Funky Buddha Brewery will be a production facility with tours, beer tasting and a bar with live music. Sentz will be brewing 100 kinds of beer.

He said he was attracted to Oakland Park because of the city’s plans to relaunch the

area as a culinary center.

“We’re looking forward to it and are excited. The city has been extremely helpful. I hope it gets done soon [the lease signing] so we can start brewing,” he said. He’s targeting the opening for early next year.

Sentz said he also will continue to operate Funky Buddha in Boca Raton.

“We’re very much looking forward to Funky Buddha coming into town. It will be an anchor and hopefully draw other breweries and other businesses,” said Siegi Constantine, executive director of Oakland Park Main Street.

“Hopefully, their presence will draw another brewery into the Sikes building on Northeast 12th Avenue. The more the merrier,” Constantine added.

Mayor Resnick named Home Rule Hero by Florida League of Cities

By Michael d’Oliveira

PELICAN STAFF

Wilton Manors – Mayor Gary Resnick’s job of representing the residents of Wilton Manors often takes him out of the city and into Tallahassee.

And for his efforts the Florida League of Cities has given Resnick its Home Rule Hero Award.

“Mayor Resnick’s name is synonymous with a Home Rule Hero. He is extremely dedicated and works hard for the citizens of Wilton Manors. He brings that same level of commitment and energy to helping the Florida League of Cities lobbying team and is always ready and willing to contact legislators and help advocate in support of home rule. He has and always will



Resnick

be a valuable asset to his city and the State of Florida,” said Scott Dudley, the League’s legislative director.

The award recognizes Resnick for his work during the 2012 legislative session

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to advance the League's statewide agenda and the home rule powers of Wilton Manors and other cities and towns across Florida.

"It's nice to get recognized by your peers but you don't do these things for awards," said Resnick, who isn't reimbursed by the city for travel to Tallahassee. "Each trip is two-days. It's all out of my own pocket or the League has reimbursed me some."

But although he doesn't use city funding to go to Tallahassee, Resnick's main focus in the state capitol is the future of a major portion of city funding.

Resnick's is one of four local government representatives appointed to Communications Services Tax Work Group, which is tasked with meeting once a month and studying and reporting on tax issues related to the sale of communications services. As an attorney with Gray Robinson, he specializes in communications and cable law, utilities, and use of rights-of-way.

The group's task is to present recommendations to

the legislature on the future of the communications services tax by Feb. 1, 2013.

Last year Wilton Manors received over \$650,000 in revenue from the communications tax; all poured into the general fund. "It's the third single largest revenue source that we have," said Resnick.

But cities and other local governments are in danger of losing those funds – over a billion dollars across Florida.

HB 809 would prohibit state and local governments from charging taxes on many digital services offered by telecommunications companies.

Used as a funding pledge for the bond the city floated to pay for the new city hall and adjoining parking lot, the loss of the communications services tax would mean tough budget choices for commissioners. "We don't get to print money like the federal government. It's either raise taxes or cut services," Resnick said.

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Anne Siren, publisher

Non-partisan League of Women Voters urges voters to nix all 11 state amendments on Nov. 6.

As election season kicks into high gear following the political conventions, the League of Women Voters of Florida Education Fund is offering millions of state voters important, non-partisan information about the crucial decisions they'll be making on Election Day.

1. Amendment 1 Health Care Services

This amendment would allow Florida to opt out of the Federal Health Care Act. **The League opposes this amendment.** The League of Women Voters of Florida supports the implementation of the Federal Health Care Reform Law in Florida, emphasizing access for all and control of costs.

2. Amendment 2 Veterans Disabled Due to Combat Injury; Homestead Property Tax Discount

This amendment expands the homestead exemption to disabled veterans who were not Florida residents when they entered military service. **The League opposes this amendment.** The League of Women Voters of Florida position is that there should be no increase or extension of homestead exemption. Also, our position states that no tax sources or revenues should be specified, limited, exempted, or prohibited in the Constitution. There are five amendments on the ballot that address reductions in property taxes, including one for business's tangible property. If all five were to pass [2,4,9, 10, 11], local governments would lose over \$1 billion over the next three years.

3. State Government Revenue Limitation

This amendment replaces the existing state revenue limitation based on Florida personal income growth with a new state revenue limitation based on inflation and population changes. **The League opposes this amendment.** The League of Women Voters of Florida believes that the state of Florida has an infrastructure deficit and that state service levels and the quality of life are declining. Because the long-term goals of the state comprehensive plan were designed to reverse decline in levels of service and improve the quality of life, members find these goals are generally desirable and worth working toward. The LWVF has been speaking out against this amendment for several sessions of the legislature and during the 2008 Tax and Budget Reform Commission where the amendment was defeated. This legislation was passed in Colorado and has affected the

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state's ability to fund health care services as well as education, where they have dropped drastically in national rankings.

4. Property Tax Limitation; Property Value Decline; Reduction for Non-Homestead Assessment Increases; Delay of Scheduled Repeal

This amendment would reduce the annual growth in assessment limitation on certain non-homestead property from 10 percent to 5 percent. It would prohibit increases in the assessed value of homestead property and certain non-homestead property when market value of the property decreases. It also gives first time homesteaders an additional exemption equal to 50 percent of the median just value on the property; this exemption diminishes to zero over a five year period.

The League opposes this amendment for the same reasons stated for opposing Amendment 2.

5. State Courts

This amendment adds a requirement that A Supreme Court justice appointed by the Governor must also be confirmed by the Senate in order to take office. It also authorizes the repeal of a court rule by a simple majority of the legislature instead of the 2/3 majority now required. The amendment also would allow the House of Representatives to review all files of the Judicial Qualification Commission without regard to whether the request is specifically related to impeachment considerations. **The League opposes this amendment.** The League believes that the Governor should be able to appoint judges from a group of nominees selected by a panel or commission composed of members of the Bar and lay members and that judges should be retained in office by means of periodic review through an election in which a judge would run unopposed and solely on his/her record.

6. Prohibition on Public Funding of Abortions; Construction of Abortion Rights

Federal law prohibits the expenditure of federal funds for most abortions; this amendment would enshrine those prohibitions in the state Constitution. There is another provision in the amendment that would stop the use of the privacy clause in abortion cases; courts would no longer be able to use the clause in defending abortion rights. **The League opposes this amendment.** We believe that public policy in a pluralistic society must affirm the constitutional right of privacy of the individual to make reproductive choices.

7. Religious Freedom

This amendment would repeal a 126-year-old provision in the state Constitution that prohibits taxpayer funding of religious institutions. If passed, the amendment would allow the state to use state monies to fund religious institutions and schools. **The League opposes this amendment.** The League supports adequate funding of public education with no use of public funding for the expansion or funding of private education through a voucher program. We support a free public school system with high standards for student achievement and with equality of educational opportunity for all that is financed adequately by the state through an equitable funding formula.

8. Homestead Property Tax Exemption for Surviving Spouse of Military Veteran or First Responder

This amendment grants full homestead property tax relief to the surviving spouses of military veterans and first responders killed in the line of duty. The deceased must have been a permanent resident of Florida as of January 1 of the year they died. **The League opposes this amendment for the same reasons stated for opposing Amendment 2.**

9. Tangible Personal Property Tax Exemption

This amendment affects businesses only and pertains to equipment or furniture used in a business. Under current law, the first \$25,000 of tangible personal property is exempt from taxation; this amendment will raise that exemption to \$50,000. Cities and counties will be able to grant additional exemptions. **The League opposes this amendment for the same reasons stated for opposing Amendment 2.**

10. Additional Homestead Exemption for Low-Income Seniors who Maintain Long-Term Residency on Property; Equal to Assessed Value

This amendment grants full homestead property tax relief to low-income seniors who have lived in their home for at least 25 years. **The League opposes this amendment for the same reasons stated for opposing Amendment 2.**

11. Appointment of Student Body President to Board of Governors of the State University System

The State University System is governed by a 17-member Board of Governors. Currently, the president of the Florida Student Association is a member of the board. This amendment would create a new council composed of student body presidents, and the chair of the council would replace the current FSA member on the Board of Governors. **The League opposes this amendment.** The League believes that the Constitution should be a simple, understandable and integrated statement of basic law, free from obsolete and statutory detail.

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Madness becomes Radness: It's thumbs up for Island Water Sports event

Deerfield Beach - "Daytime Radness," a watered-down version of Island Water Sport's 30-year Midnight Madness will be held this year Oct. 19 inside and outside the beachside retail store. Store owner Lindsay Cottrell told commissioners Tuesday she expects 6,000 to 8,000 teenagers will come out during the day and asked that a portion of NE 2 St. be closed to traffic.

Radness was held for years as a nighttime event until last year when the commission decided it presented too great a risk for its young attendees and refused to close the street. The event included a retail sale, skateboard demonstrations and live music and attracted huge crowds. Two years ago, Madness joined forces with a group of beach businesses to promote dining and drinking in the area and unruly crowds and underage drinking occurred.

"We got bad partners and we took the brunt of it," Cottrell told the commission.

"We have downsized the event. This is our 35th year in Deerfield. Anything you need, we'll do."

The sale will be conducted 6 a.m. to 9 p.m.; entertainment and product demonstrations, 10 a.m. - 7 p.m. Surfers for Autism and a Christian charity receive some of the proceeds.

In urging the city to proceed with permitting the event, Mayor Peggy Noland called it "a Deerfield tradition."

City seeks to control donation bins

Deerfield Beach - An ordinance controlling the location of donation bins is in the works here. Commissioners have discussed allowing the bins only for organizations that are non profit and may even limit use to the NE Focal Point, a city-sponsored care center, and the Salvation Army which has a store in the city. In addition, the bins will likely be confined to large commercial properties and require permits and strict

maintenance.

The ordinance is a response to the donation bins being placed around town by for-profit entities often without permission from property owners.

Attorney says keep 4 a.m. alcohol sales

Deerfield Beach - Owners of a late-night bar are urging the city to reconsider sunsetting its 4 a.m. hour for the sale of alcohol. Attorney James Brady said the loss of those sales would be bad for business and urged the commission to "take a long and hard look over the next 25 days" at the provision. Brady said his clients would be willing to compromise on

4 a.m. drinking on Saturday and Sunday only. The current ordinance becomes obsolete on Sept. 30. The commission recently approved new laws allowing alcohol sales on Sunday morning beginning at 8 a.m.

Mayor says turtle lights are keeping people in the dark

Deerfield Beach - Turtle lights, those low intensity beams that protect sea turtle hatchlings, may be good for the turtles, but they are not so good for people, Mayor Peggy Noland said this week. "It's dangerous out there. You can't see anyone on the sand, you can't see your car from the sidewalk."

The mayor was at the

beach one night last week and in her words, "The beach was packed." A lost boy prompted the mayor and her daughter Elizabeth to walk on the sand with a flash light until he was found, but Noland said without the light she could see nothing. The nine-year-old was reunited with his mother, but Noland said it was a scary situation. "It don't know what we can do, but we have to have lighting over there."

Last year, the city, aided by a \$450,000 grant from the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation, installed turtle-friendly lights along the beachwalk in answer to environmental concerns for the safety of the hatchlings.

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Tomorrow, Sept. 8, pack up the kids and head to the Elks Club for the exciting Save a Pet—Save a Vet Bazaar



Mike Clark is a two-time U.S.P.C.A. Police Dog National Champion with over 30 years of experience. He has trained hundreds of dogs in all areas such as patrol, narcotics, explosives, arson detection and search and rescue. Clark is recognized as one of the leading K-9 handlers and instructors in the United States. He has won top honors in Regional as well as National Competitions. Through his academies many K-9 handlers have gone on to become leading instructors in other agencies and have won numerous awards of their own. Clark's Patrol Dog Academy was featured in the video K-9 COP.

Save a Pet—Save a Vet participants in the program. Names omitted for privacy reasons. [Photos courtesy of Veterans Village & K-9 Companion Centers, Inc.]

By Phyllis J. Neuberger

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Bring the family to the Elks Club at 700 NE 10 St. in Pompano Beach, tomorrow Sept. 8 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. There will be fun for everyone with bargain shopping, food, pony rides, silent auctions and more.

It's all about raising needed funds for the all volunteer Veterans Village and K-9 Companion Center.

Started in 2009, by a group of professionals in mental health and employment training areas, the group focuses on housing and training in the pet industry. Mike from Save a Pet—Save a Vet program has taught approximately 25 to 30 vets to train pets for other disabled veterans and civil servants in need of therapy and service dogs.

In addition this agency has created a housing counseling division manned by volunteer lawyers and paralegals who help vets with housing issues. Veteran's Village is not an actual place. It is the name given to the nine clean, safe

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and sober housing locations in Deerfield Beach for homeless wounded warriors.

By providing job training and home retention assistance programs this 501 © (3) non profit agency attempts to teach men and women marketable skills to help them transfer to independent living. No corporate officer nor director earns money. It is an all volunteer organization.

All trainees receive grant

and training bonuses to teach reality based earning policies. Trainers are compensated on persons served in training and successful transition of trainees to independent lifestyles.

Veterans Village & K-9 Companion Centers Inc. was one of the first rescue animal-service dog training programs developed for service men and women. Today, programs inform the population served about new developments in housing retention to help Veterans remain in their homes.

On the job training results in marketable skills. A web site has been established to provide unpublicized changes in housing laws to obtain HUD VASH and assistance in legal help to stop home loss. These programs are manned by veterans and others without marketable skills.

Director Joe Lopez says, "We look for dogs that would otherwise be euthanized. Mike decides if they are trainable. They do not need to be any special breed, but they must be big enough to support a disabled person if they are to be trained as mobility dogs."

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The Saturday Bazaar at the Elks Club, 700 E. 10 St. in Pompano Beach is the first fundraiser for this worthy agency. Lopez says, "We need to raise funds so that we can continue to train service men and women to train service animals under the strict ADA guidelines. We have two dogs in training now for hyper vigilance work. Many of our homeless vets cannot sleep and are very insecure. Any sound makes them jump, fearing they are being shot at. A trained animal on hand gives them a sense of security."

All items sold at the Bazaar have been donated by individuals or businesses.

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The small but dedicated directors of this volunteer agency are:

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Dr. Freeman is a Clinical and Forensic Psychologist. Dr. Freeman's dissertation was on Animal Assisted Therapy. Dr. Freeman is considered an expert in competency and forensic psychology by the courts and has developed this animal assisted therapeutic program in hopes of assisting persons with disabilities to become more self sufficient.

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Criminal history

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get ensnared, no doubt," Vice Mayor Bill Ganz said.

Preston offered several examples of coaching volunteers who have been dropped from city programs because of youthful crimes. One man, who committed felonies and served time as a youth, has completely redeemed himself and now participates in the Prison Ministry and leads the Boys Brigade Program at the Cathedral Church of God. He began coaching in 2005 and when his felonies were

uncovered in the newly-required level 2 background check, went through a process at the state to prove himself worthy. That resulted in a ruling from the Department of Children and Families that he was fit to work with children and the elderly, Preston said, but because of Deerfield's policy he is still banned from coaching. "This is wrong," Preston said. "He needs to be on the field working with kids."

Another case Preston discussed involved a vehicular homicide that occurred 20 years ago. The person driving that car has since led an arrest-free life. "We need relief for people who have paid the price, satisfied their

obligations, corrected their lives," Preston said.

Level 2 background checks research FBI records internationally to discover sexual predator or sex offender convictions as well as felonies involving violence. The same applies to those with records of violent misdemeanors or repeated drug and alcohol convictions. No one in this situation is allowed to coach in youth leagues either sponsored by the city or using city facilities. The background check must be done once a year.

When the level 2 rule was approved by the commission in May 2011, organizers of the youth sports programs protested the cost of the inquiries which were about \$50 per person. Last year, the city contributed \$2,500 toward those expenses.

Parks and Recreation Director Walt Bratton said, in his experience, level 2 checks are generally required by governmental entities.

They are recommended by the National Recreation and Park Association.

Both Mayor Peggy Noland and Vice Mayor Ganz were adamantly against changing the current policy. Ganz said in earlier days volunteers were accepted on someone's word alone, a policy that resulted in persons with serious criminal records – from second degree murder to robbery with a deadly weapon – being allowed to coach. As to any appeal process, Ganz said, "We might make good judgments, but others who follow us may not. I am completely against changing it."

Noland said she "absolutely had no faith in the Department of Children and Families," adding "Our goal is to protect the children."

Persisted Preston, "Why not some leeway to use people who want to point kids in the right direction?"

"Some mistakes carry long, long after effects," Ganz

replied. "And I don't want to be judge and jury."

The commission's decision to toughen an existing ordinance which required only level 1 checks, using only a state data base, came after a county employee at Quiet Waters Park was accused of molesting a young girl.

Budget

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According to Budget Director Brian Donovan, city officials thought expenses would grow by roughly three percent next year. The difference, he said, can be blamed on the Broward Sheriff's Office raising the price of police service by \$1.6 million, an increase of about four percent. Pompano officials had thought it would be within the three percent number.

"Water and sewer saw slight increases [in cost]," Donovan said. "But the biggest driver of the budget is public safety - it's not a cheap service."

The budget proposal calls for an increase in the millage rate from 5.2027 mills per \$1,000 to 5.4700 mills per \$1,000.

Residential fire service assessments will increase by \$11 in order to replace a fire station in Cresthaven, Donovan said. The old fire station was converted from a civic center when the area was annexed to Pompano Beach more than a decade ago.

City Commissioner Barry Dockswell voted against the last two city annual budgets because they included what he considered to be unnecessary increases. Dockswell plans to vote against this one too.

"We'd be doing a better job for our constituents if we managed to keep services high and not raise the millage rate at the same time," Dockswell said.

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Sewers

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commercial customers.

"I'm not comfortable with moving forward with the information we've been given recently and the impact on single-family homes," Mayor Roseann Minnet said. "We're a small community. I recommend a review to see how much water is being used by commercial customers so single-family residents don't get hit for all of this."

Vice Mayor Scot Sasser agreed. "We need more work and more analysis done. I don't feel this is fully baked."

Tony Bryan, finance director, explained that the proposed commercial rates were developed using American Water Works Association, or AWWA, tables.

"We will go back and take a look at different commercial customers and develop tables based on actual use," Bryan said. He said each property or each class of property (such as large hotels) could be looked at, so that more accurate figures are developed.

Bryan said two properties could have very different water usage and would be charged the same base facility charge based on meter size.

"Additional work needs to be done to gather the data to really apportion base charges to commercial customers in accordance with their use," Bryan said. "Because the town is as small as it is, it can be done."

Commissioner Stuart Dodd asked the town's consultant, Mike Burton, to weigh in. He came up with the proposed rates approved at first reading in late June. "Are we trying to fine tune this too far?" Dodd asked.

Burton said the AWWA tables usually are used as a default when more accurate data isn't available. "When you get more granular data, there's usually more demand

assigned to the commercial class than what the meter equivalency table dictates."

Burton said the use of the AWWA tables shifted more cost to the residential classes. The analysis will provide a more fair depiction of the demands of commercial customers he said.

Dodd said he also favored delaying the vote.

"Last time when we had a professional review, we ended up with a proposed methodology that increased single-family rates considerably," said Commissioner Mark Brown. "We have no assurance that we won't have higher rates for commercial (with the new method.) We're gambling and trying to cover ourselves."

Commissioners unanimously agreed to hire Burton & Associates for no

more than \$5,000 to obtain the additional data. Burton said that will involve looking at the commercial customers average usage in the maximum three months. The

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Cameras

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According to police, the cameras have led to a 220 percent increase in the number of stolen vehicles recovered in 2010 and an increase of 180 percent in the number of stolen vehicles recovered in 2011.

The cameras also recently led to the city being awarded the International Motorola Webber Seavey Award for Quality in Law Enforcement, presented by the International Association of Chiefs of Police, or IACP. The IACP selects police departments worldwide and recognizes those that promote excellent standards in law enforcement that contribute to a better quality of life in the communities they serve.

Police Chief Ross Licata and Commander Mike Oh will attend the IACP conference in San Diego on Oct. 1 to accept the award. "We're only the sixth police

agency in the State of Florida to ever receive this award," said Licata. "We're understandably quite proud that we've been recognized."

The Transient Offender Interdiction Program began in 2010 when the city installed 26 cameras that monitor the license plates of vehicles that come into Lighthouse Point.

When a car enters the city its license plate is checked against Florida records; police use the information to look for stolen cars or if the driver is wanted for another crime.

"It's proven to be quite successful in the clearance of a number of cases that otherwise would not have been solved," said Licata. "We're going to be adding 18 additional cameras in other strategic locations before the end of this year."

The initial expenditure for the cameras was \$260,000 with the new ones expected to cost \$140,000. All of it was taken out of the police forfeiture budget, which is funded by the money and



Nesting in a tree, this camera is on guard in Lighthouse Point.

property police confiscate from convicted criminals. "I couldn't think of a better use of the money," said Licata.

Licata said the cameras have also led to solving a number of other crimes.

One crime involved a property owner who claimed to be in Miami when his building was set on fire. Cameras revealed he lied to police and was driving around the scene at the time of the arson. "I probably have another 30 or 40 stories like that," said Licata.

Mayor Fred Schorr and Commissioner Glenn Troast see the cameras as another weapon for law enforcement. "It's a means to an end.

Another tool we can use to protect the residents," said Schorr.

"I think it goes to show the quality and creativity of our police chief and the law enforcement officers that work with him. It's one of the more creative solutions that are out there in this day and age," said Troast.

Licata credits the commission with pushing the program forward.

"They had the vision to think outside the box and to overcome some of the fears that are attributed to this kind of technology," he said.

But not everyone is a fan of the cameras.

The American Civil Liberties Union of Florida is seeking more information on how police track and record the movements of cars and individuals using the cameras.

"Automatic license plate readers provide the technology that can pose a threat to American's privacy, secretly monitoring and collecting the movements

of every motorist who encounters the system," said Howard Simon, executive director of the ACLU of Florida, in a press release.

"We want to make sure that there are local ordinances or police protocols that govern how the police will be cataloging and using the information the readers collect since much of it can be sensitive and personal to each of us."

Licata defended the use of the cameras. "I think we took great precaution to ensure we weren't using data for any other reason."

Despite the results, officials said there's no replacement for residents who are aware of what's going on in their neighborhoods.

"If they see something they need to say something. Nobody knows their neighborhood better than the residents do," said Schorr. "The cameras are great . . . but we still need to be proactive." To reach Lighthouse Point dispatch, call 954-942-8080.

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The Pelican loves business people with heart and real estate sales associates Terri and Dave Rittenhouse certainly qualify.

Terri says, "We were mesmerized when we saw a brief feature about ocean-going wheelchairs on the weather channel. A disabled woman got strapped into the vehicle and she was wheeled right into the ocean by her mobile husband. She laughed with joy as the waves splashed over her, and we were so touched."

Dave said, "We need these vehicles right here on our beach. Let's investigate."

When they decided it would be great to offer disabled veterans, children and adults free access to SEA LEGS, they had no idea of what they were getting into. They didn't realize how much of their money and time it would take to launch Broward Sea Legs Charity Drive. However, as they are divers, swimmers, and ex boat owners who love the ocean, they remained motivated to make it happen, despite long hours and costs.

Dave did a little research and explains. "We found out that SEA LEGS chairs are made in France by Mobi Chair but there is a Florida distributor on the West coast. We agreed that we needed to buy one so that we could demonstrate its value and raise enough money to buy 10 for our own ocean front. Our immediate goal was to provide four chairs to Pompano Beach, four to Deerfield Beach and two for Lauderdale-By-The-Sea.

The couple also found out that these beach and water wheelchairs are already available all along the California coast beach areas and in certain areas of Florida as well. "We wanted Pompano Beach to be as accommodating to the disabled as other areas in our state and country," Dave said.

A SEA LEGS chair retails for \$2,300, but the price per chair is reduced with volume purchase. The chairs have three rubber tires, a very sturdy aluminum frame with a safety harness to secure the water bound passenger

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who must be accompanied by a mobile adult. The Rittenhouses received their chair the end of July and had their preview showing at the recent BSO Night Out at Pompano Beach City Hall.

"Our first donation came from a lady who hates the ocean," Dave chuckles. "However, when she realized what pleasure a SEA LEGS wheel chair could have given her now deceased disabled mother, she made a contribution."

He continues. "Mayor Lamar Fisher fell in love with the idea of providing these chairs free to the disabled at our beach and he hopes we will be successful in getting the donated funds we need."

Terri aims to have four chairs ready and available free of charge when the remodeled beach area is officially opened. The husband wife team claim officials contacted have all been enthusiastic about the possibility of seeing this population finally get to enjoy the ocean instead of just looking at it.

Broward SEA LEGS.org Charity Drive, will eventually become a 501c 3 nonprofit association. Unity in the Community is a co-sponsor. Marlene Groninger, commander of the Disabled American Veterans Auxiliary, hopes the DAV will also become a co-sponsor. She will bring the idea to a vote as soon as the full membership is on hand to appreciate what SEA LEGS can do for the members.

To get the needed funds, the Rittenhouse team is donating the cost of ads to hype their charity drive. They are prepared to do their show and tell presentation to service clubs, and any organization,



Jerry Groninger, Scott Worobey, Robert Nichols and Jeff Munsell check out Sea Legs, the ocean-going vehicle for persons with physical handicaps.

or group that invites them. They will show up, with their SEA LEGS wheel chair and a video demonstration. They currently have invitations to speak to the Pompano Beach Moose Lodge 2157, the American Legion Sterling McClellan Post 142 and the Pompano Beach Elks Lodge 1898.

"We're putting in at least 40-hour weeks to get this charity off the ground, plus the ads, the chair itself and other necessary costs," Terri says with a grin. "We bit off a much more demanding project than we realized, but we're still thrilled to do something that can make a real difference to those who yearn to get into the ocean but haven't been able to safely do so. Every dime donated goes into the cost of the chairs. There is no overhead. We're accepting donations, small and large."

Terri and Dave Rittenhouse are sales associates with By The Sea Realty, 223 Commercial Blvd. in Lauderdale-By-The-Sea. Dave is also the owner of Lighthouse Car Wash at 1040 E. Sample Road.

To donate or to schedule a demonstration call Diane at 954-351-7007 or e-mail: info@Lighthousecarwash.net. Visit the new web site at: Browardsealegs.org



Terri Rittenhouse [right] introduces Deerfield Beach Mayor Peggy Noland and Ron Boehl to Sea Legs, the water-ready wheel chair.



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LBTS will help finance exterior upgrades for small lodgings

By Judy Vik

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Lauderdale-By-The-Sea

– The town has \$150,000 in the new fiscal year for a program that will encourage owners of small hotels to improve their properties. Applicants can receive up to \$25,000 in matching funds for expenditures by hotel/motel owners. The improvements must be visible from the street

or the beach. The program is limited to properties that are designated as Superior Small Lodging properties or properties that have applied to and ultimately receive that designation. Applicants must be members of the Superior Small Lodging Association, or SSL, and undergo a property review.

Connie Hoffmann, town manager, said that requirement was added

“because we didn’t want the town to be giving money to a hotel that had a reputation for poor customer service and shoddy rooms. We didn’t want to support a hotel that wasn’t going to bring itself up to a certain standard of operation and service.”

Eligible for the grants are commercial, licensed transient-lodging properties, excluding vacation rentals, with 50 rooms or less.

Grants less than \$15,000 can be approved administratively. Those for higher amounts, go to the town commission for approval.

Grants are paid on a reimbursement basis, contingent on the applicant’s successful completion of the project and meeting requirements of the agreement. Bi-monthly reports must be submitted.

Funds can be used for replacing signs, painting, landscaping, lighting or removing elements which cover original architectural details and design.

Priority will be given to projects with significant elements of mid-century modern architecture, sometimes referred to as

Miami Modern or MIMO, a form of architecture that is prevalent here.

Also eligible are repairs or replacement of the structure’s roof and replacement of awnings, overhangs, doors and windows if visible from the public right of way.

Applicants must get estimates from three licensed contractors. Projects must be completed in six months.

Two applications are currently under review. Grants will be awarded on a first come, first served basis.

Permitting, processing and impact fees will not be eligible for reimbursement.

Application forms and guidelines are available on the town’s website at www.lbtsfl.gov or at the Development Services Department.

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9-8 – Shred-A-Thon and prescription drug take back from 9 a.m. to noon at Lowe’s, 1851 N. Federal Hwy., Pompano Beach. Hosted by the Broward Sheriff’s Office. Limit five

boxes per car. Those who bring prescriptions will receive a \$5 Publix gift card. Limit one per family. 954-831-8902 or 954-321-4100.

9-8 – Fundraiser for Wilton Manors Kiwanis Club’s annual Kids Day event from 6 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Over Easy Café, 318. E. Oakland Park Blvd., Wilton Manors. Over East will donate the money from any beverages purchased during breakfast or

lunch to Kids Day. 954-560-7813.

9-9 – American Legion Post #142 and Auxiliary Unit, 171 SW 2 St., Pompano Beach, is having a blood drive from 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Free hot dogs or hamburgers for donors. 954-942-2448.

9-9 – Pancake breakfast hosted by the Benevolent Patriotic Order of DOES

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Fourth of July Beach Bash



Young pianists compete annually at the Emma Lou Olson Civic Center.



Nautical Flea Market at Community Park



Fun Times at Summer Camp

While you are enjoying Music Under The Stars on the beach, watching the brilliant fireworks fill the sky with colorbursts on the Fourth of July, or waving to Santa in the Yuletide Parade, have you ever wondered what or who makes it all possible? Up until this year, the answer would have been the city's parks and recreation department, and while it's still most of the same people, this year they work under a new name: Pompano Beach Parks, Recreation and Cultural Arts Department

This department is responsible for 52 parks including city golf courses, tennis centers, aquatic centers, recreational facilities, beach, fishing pier and passive parks. The department has an annual budget of 11.2 million dollars, a portion of which comes back in fees.

This department has 64 full time employees and 80 to 120 part time employees, depending upon the season. Under the direction of City Manager, Dennis Beach, the department is headed up by Mark Beaudreau, Recreation Programs Administrator. Anne Hollady is the administrative assistant. Three Recreation Managers, eight recreation supervisors and two Lieutenant lifeguards complete the top echelon.

Established in the 50s, the department had its first spurt of growth under Director Tom

Miller. Much of the Park and Recreation Department's land originally belonged to the FAA., or Federal Aviation Administration. It was transferred to the city in 1948 for public use.

Anne Hollady, on deck for 27 years, has seen remarkable growth in the number of parks. She says, "When we annexed Cresthaven and the Highlands, we added new parks. The city has purchased land adding George Brummer Park, Hunter's Manor Park and Avondale Park. I've had a number of jobs. One of my favorites is chairing the committee for Yuletide Parade and Celebration. It's a lot of work but it all seems worthwhile when I see the happiness on the faces of people and children."

Hollady adds, "We offer many programs at different locations. The managers and supervisors are open to suggestions from the people who patronize their centers."

While the activities within the city are numerous and

varied, every year additions are made. Community Park renovations were completed in early 2012 and the department hosted a Community Park Grand Opening on March 23, 2012. The Pines Golf Course is under construction and will reopen in November 2012 and will have the world-famous Greg Norman signature and become an attraction for major tournaments. Canine Corner, the city's new dog park is filled up daily with owners giving their dogs a leash-free romp in the park.

The two aquatic centers draw competitions to the city, and children have opportunities to work on their swimming skills. A junior lifeguard program has earned a stellar reputation nationally.

Beaudreau informed us. "This year the department processed over 110 public event applications. Applications require numerous checks for safety and security by various city departments, such as public works, police, fire, risk



Big Bird shows up for Yuletide.

management and more.

Most events happen so smoothly, few realize what it takes to make them happen.

Pulling an event together is exciting and stressful, but these staffers operate on the saying, 'There are no problems, just solutions.'

But even with all of these staff workers, volunteers join in to assist with specific events.

This staff relies on volunteer committees for Yuletide, the Annual Piano Competition and the July 4th Celebration. To help offset some of the costs of these big events, staff solicit donations and sponsorships. The donations and sponsorships allow community members and local businesses to partner with the city.

The Pompano Beach Amphitheater is one of the entertainment jewels in the city. The outdoor venue has a seating capacity of 3,000 offering a large, yet intimate setting for memorable evenings under the stars.

Seven major city events on the annual calendar are Yuletide Celebration, Music Under The Stars Free Concert Series, 4th of July celebration, Children in the Arts Piano Competition and Fundraiser, Nautical Flea Market, Spring Fling and the popular Halloween Fun Fair.

The city also co-sponsors various events such as the MLK Parade, March and Celebration, Run Like A Bunny 5 K, Saltwater Shootout, Annual Derby Day Horse Show and Fair, Annual Halloween Horse Show, Annual Pompano Beach Seafood Festival and Pompano Beach Fishing Rodeo. The department hosts various trade shows at the community centers such as the Intergalactic Bead and Jewelry Show, Shell Show, Tropical Postcard Show, Orchid Show, Health Fairs and Depression Glass Show.



Summer Camp Olympic Day Activities

Lighthouse tours open to public Sept. 8

Hillsboro Beach – A tour of the Hillsboro Lighthouse will be offered Saturday, Sept. 8

To participate, meet Hillsboro Lighthouse Preservation Society members at the Sands Harbor Marina, 125 N. Riverside Drive, Pompano Beach, beginning at 8:45 a.m.

The first boat launches at 9 a.m. and the last boat leaves at 2:30 p.m. The tour is free for Hillsboro Lighthouse Preservation Society members and \$15 for non-members. Membership is available at the dock.

United States Coast Guard regulations require visitors must have flat shoes with rubber soles and closed toes in order to make the lighthouse climb.

Children must be accompanied by an adult and must be a minimum of four feet tall to climb the tower. No pets are allowed.

The Hillsboro Lighthouse Museum and Visitor's Center will be open from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The museum is located at Hillsboro Inlet Park, 2700 N. Ocean Blvd., Pompano Beach. Admission to the lighthouse Museum and Visitor's Center is free. The remaining lighthouse tour dates for 2012 are Oct. 13 and Nov. 17.

The light beam from the Hillsboro Lighthouse can be seen 28 nautical miles out to sea, making it the most powerful lighthouse beam in the world. For more, visit www.hillsborolighthouse.org or call 954-942-2102.

Toddler drowns in pool during family visit

A Pompano Beach toddler slipped unnoticed under the surface of a backyard swimming pool Saturday afternoon as his family members sat nearby. By the time someone noticed 23-month-old Johnny Davoer at the bottom of the pool, it was too late to save him.

At 5:53 p.m., Broward Sheriff's Office, or BSO, deputies and Tamarac Fire Rescue were called to 7904 NW 71 Ave. in Tamarac.

The first-arriving deputy performed cardio-pulmonary resuscitation on the toddler, to no avail.

Tamarac Fire Rescue arrived and transported him to Coral Springs Medical Center, where he was pronounced dead a short time later.

Family members told BSO detectives that they were visiting the Tamarac home to hang out at the pool.

Johnny Davoer was playing in the shallow end as his mother and niece sat in chairs feet away from him. His mother had repeatedly cautioned him not to go in the deep end.

When another family member came out of the house and asked where Johnny was, they found him underwater, jumped in and pulled him out. It's unclear how long he was under water.

The number one cause

of death for children ages 1 to 4 in Broward County is drowning. For information on how to prevent child drownings, visit www.sheriff.org/safety/drowningprevent or call BSO at 954-831-8210.

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Pompano Beach woman creates after-school and summer music program to fill a void

By Bill Johnson

STAFF WRITER

Pompano Beach – Plastic pails turned upside down serve as makeshift drums for students learning music in a program operating on a shoestring.

Instruments are begged, borrowed or donated, and there aren't many. In early August, the first purchase was made - a new trumpet.

The program is the brainchild of Ethel Robinson-Burns who has a long history as a band booster at Blanche Ely High School and believes music helps kids in many ways.

She became concerned when some elementary and middle schools in the city dropped music to save money, so she decided to start an

"You have little league baseball. You have cheerleaders. But you never hear of a little league band." - Burns

after-school music program.

The idea was simple. Starting it was not.

She learned how to incorporate her business as a non-profit organization before holding the first class at an open house at the library in Collier City last December.

When school got out for the summer, Robinson-Burns launched the "summer music camp" where students spent Monday through Thursday

from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. On a full day, she says, 16 to 20 students attended. She calls the program Motivated United Sound Impacting Communities (M.U.S.I.C.). For the summer, she found a temporary home at the United Pentecostal First Born Church on NW 7th Street.

She began raising money with bake sales and garage sales.

"The little money we've raised, we've put back into the program," Robinson-Burns says. "We have to buy books, drumsticks and paper." But the summer camp has held on since June, thanks to volunteers, donated space, and a couple of teachers who teach for a very small stipend.

One of them, Jordan Rochester of North Lauderdale, is a graduate

of Florida State University, who also played drums in the celebrated Marching 100 at FAMU. He agreed to teach because he wants to keep a tradition going. He has high praise for his former music teacher at Blanche Ely High

School, Richard Beckford. "I came up under Mr. Beckford," Rochester says. "Watching how he taught students from zero is something I wanted to do. Music is good for the

See DRUM LINE on page 21

Cut it off for a Wish

Pompano Beach – Shear Excitement Salon, 2101 N. Federal Hwy. in the Citi Centre mall, will be hosting a fundraising event Sunday, Oct. 7 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The staff will offer haircuts for the entire family and donate 100 percent of the proceeds to benefit Make-A-Wish Southern Florida. For more information, call 954-782-0077.









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Propane

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"We're pretty much a one-stop shop. I still have loyal customers that only want me to do their landscaping," said Rosado. Forever Propane is also located in Boca Raton and Hollywood.

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Propane safety tips

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Maintain your tank, keeping it free of rust or corrosion. **Recertify** your tank every 12 years.

Propane leaks smell like rotten eggs.

If you smell a leak, evacuate the premises and call the fire department.

Never use a grill inside your home.

Close the propane tank cylinder valve when not in use.

Do not smoke near a propane tank.

Vet Pet

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national competitions. Through his academies many K-9 handlers have gone on to become leading instructors in other agencies and have won numerous awards of their own.

Michael's Patrol Dog Academy was featured in the video K-9 COP.

Roy I. Schwartz: Financial Advisor to The Board

Schwartz recently retired from 15 years as a volunteer service member and officer of the board of trustees of the House of Hope, the premier level 2 addiction recovery rehabilitation treatment center in Broward County, Florida.

He has been in the practice of public accounting as a Certified Public Accountant.

He has operated numerous sober living programs in South Florida directed at the veteran and mental health population.

Joe Lopez: Director

Joe Lopez has suffered from multiple disabilities since birth. His mother, an Immigration and Naturalization Officer was very active in airport operations.

Mrs. Lopez often took Joe to work where he had his first exposure to drug dogs. He became and still is fascinated by them.

After his mother's death, Joe became a member of the board carrying on the family tradition of service.

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Drove 142 at the Elks lodge, 700 NE 10 St., Pompano Beach, from 9 a.m. to noon. Cost is \$5 for adults and \$2.50 for children. 954-587-1121.

9-10 – The Business Resource Center, 50 NE 1 St., Pompano Beach, hosts It's Not Just Business, It's Personal, a business networking open house from 5:30 to 7 p.m. 954-586-1111.

9-10 – A Dale Carnegie training program will be held starting at 6 p.m. at Hagen Park, 2020 Wilton Drive, Wilton Manors. The free session will be about "How to make a great first impression and networking best practices." 954-390-2130.

9-10 – Artist Jennifer Andrews will discuss new public art work at 7 p.m. at Pompano Beach Commission Chambers, 100 W. Atlantic Boulevard. Visit www.andrewslefevre.com or call 954-357-7236.

9-11 – A class on hip pain will be held at Broward Health North Hospital, 201 E Sample Road, Deerfield Beach, from 6 to 7 p.m. 954-759-7400.

9-11 – Behavioral Health Family Support Group meets from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. at Broward Health Imperial Point Hospital, 6401 N Federal Hwy., Fort Lauderdale. Group is for people with family members dealing with mental illness. 954-739-1888.

9-11 – Wilton Manors City Commission meeting at 7 p.m. at city hall, 2020 Wilton Drive.

9-11 – Pompano Beach City Commission meeting at 7 p.m. at city hall, 100 W. Atlantic Blvd.

9-11 – Lighthouse Point City Commission meeting at 7:30 p.m. at city hall, 2200 N.E. 38 St.

9-11 – Lauderdale-By-The-Sea Town Commission meeting at 7 p.m. at Jarvis Hall, 4501 Ocean Drive.

9-12 – Lauderdale-By-The-Sea Chamber of Commerce business networking event from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. at Chart House Restaurant, at 3000 NE 32 Ave., Fort Lauderdale. Reduced drink prices and free finger foods included in the \$5 cover charge. 954-561-4800.

9-12 – The Greater Pompano Chamber Business Expo will be held from 5 to 8 p.m. at Citi Centre, the corner of Copans Road and Federal Highway, on the second floor between Lowe's and Sears. Over a hundred local and

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Pompano officials, developers break ground on new Marriott



[Above] City and county officials along with developers put their shovels in the sand for the ceremonial groundbreaking. Pictured are: City Commissioner Barry Dockswell, Kevin Urgo, principle Urgo Hotels; Jeff Bruce, project manager Urgo Hotels, Matt Jalazo, director of development Urgo Hotels, Mayor Lamar Fischer, Broward County Commissioner Chip LaMarca, Vice Mayor George Brummer and City Commissioner Rex Hardin. [Left] A rendering of the new hotel. [Photos courtesy of Urgo Hotels]

Pompano Beach – A groundbreaking ceremony for the new Marriott, 1208 N. Ocean Blvd., was held last month. The planned hotel will have 219 rooms, 11,000 sq. ft. of meeting space and 6,000 sq. ft. of oceanfront function areas. Additionally, the resort will have a rooftop terrace, multiple pools, ocean views and a private beach.

The hotel is slated to open by summer of 2013. Kevin Urgo, principle of Urgo Hotels, estimates the hotel will add over 150 new jobs. “Hopefully, we can add something to this community,” he said.



Executives from Marriott and Urgo Hotels, the company building the new hotel, gather next to the hotel’s renderings.

Brick fundraiser for Children’s Art Project

Wilton Manors – The Wilton Manors Development Alliance is selling bricks to help raise money for its Children’s Art Project. The goal of the Children’s Art Project is to create a mini plaza within the southern tip of Jaycee Park, located on Wilton Drive across from city hall. Each brick purchased can be inscribed and will be laid in the plaza. The cost is \$100 for a 4 x 8 brick and \$175 for an 8 x 8 brick. Messages are limited to three lines, 18 characters each line, for the 4 x 8 bricks and six lines, 18 characters each line, for the 8 x 8 bricks. To order a brick, call 954-401-2182.

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Drum line

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brain, and it's interesting to see how the students progress."

The other instructor, Kito Brent-Harris of Boca Raton, is another product of the Blanche Ely High School music program.

A third year sociology student at Florida Atlantic University, he joined the program to teach piano theory and drums. "We've organized in two parts," he says. "In the first part, we teach them to read drum music. In the second, we teach them for a recital." The recital, which ended the summer camp, took place Aug. 7 when each student played a song on the keyboard. "Everyone should start on the keyboard before progressing to another instru-



DRUM LINE -Instructors Kito Brent-Harris (2nd from left) and Jordan Rochester (3rd from left) teach drum riffs at M.U.S.I.C. Summer Camp. [Staff photo]

ment," Robinson-Burns says. Among the volunteers who kept the summer program going is Deanna Robinson, a student at the University of

Central Florida, who plans to be a doctor. She was there every day "doing everything," -- making posters and fixing lunches for

She helped simply because she's interested in kids. The church pastor, James Robinson, a nephew of Ethel Robinson-Burns, is equally

enthusiastic about helping kids learn through music. "You never know what can spark their learning," he says. "If you can get their confidence up, it helps them believe in themselves." He considers the program to be a valuable outlet for children in the summer.

And how about the children? "My grandma told me about it, and I love music," says 12-year-old Alexander Williams. He's interested in drums but doesn't have one, so he practices on the floor at home. Ten-year-old Tequila Youte is interested in drums and piano and has no music program in her school. She explains that she's learning to read drum music, the symbols for "singles, doubles, triplets and paradiddles." She summed up the music camp simply as "fun."

As summer ends, Robinson-Burns will look for two locations for the after-school program during the school year. She realizes that some youngsters can't travel much distance, so she plans to find two places at opposite ends of the city. She'll also look for more new and used instruments, equipment and volunteers to keep the lessons going.

She is determined to do that. "Whatever I can do for my babies, I will do," she says.

Her ultimate goal is to start a kind of little league band. "You have little league baseball. You have cheerleaders. But you never hear of a little league band."

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The Expo includes finger foods and refreshments and attendees have a chance to win over 75 door prizes throughout the event by networking with the exhibitors. For more information, visit www.PompanoBeachChamber.com, email Ispinelli@pompanobeachchamber.com or call 954-941-2940.

Kids Day

Wilton Manors - Every year the Kiwanis Club of Wilton Manors holds Kids Day, a free day of food, fun and games for elementary school students. This year's event will be held at Wilton Manors Elementary School, 2401 NE 3 Ave., on Saturday, Sept. 22 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. For more information, call 954-560-7813.

Adult tennis clinics

Wilton Manors - Adult tennis clinics are offered Monday through Saturday at Hagen Park, 2020 Wilton Drive, Wilton Manors. Advanced clinic is Monday from 6 to 7 p.m., Beginners and Intermediate is Tuesday from 6 to 7 p.m., Intermediate is Wednesday from 6 to 7 p.m., Round Robin is Thursday from 9 to 11 a.m., Intermediate is Friday from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. and private lessons are Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon.

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regional businesses will be showcased during the event. Cost is \$10 per ticket or two for \$15. 954-941-2940.

9-13 - Better Business Network - Enterprise Group meets at 7:30 a.m. at Galuppi's, 1103 N. Federal Hwy., Pompano Beach. Sponsored by the Greater Pompano Beach Chamber of Commerce. 954-933-1558

9-13 - Wilton Manors will hold its first budget meeting at 7 p.m. at city hall, 2020 Wilton Drive. Commissioners will vote on the budget, fire assessment rates and the millage rate. To view the budget, visit www.wiltonmanors.com or call 954-390-2100.

9-14 - Celebrate National Sewing Month with the Pompano Chapter of the

American Sewing Guild. Hand sewing techniques will be demonstrated from 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the North Regional/Broward College Library, 1100 Coconut Creek Blvd., Coconut Creek. 954-201-2600.

9-15 - Pony rides from 8 to 11:30 a.m. at Sand & Spurs Equestrian Park, 1600 NE 5 Ave., Pompano Beach. Just north of the Goodyear Blimp Base. Free Admission. Cost is \$3 per ride. 954.786.4507.

9-15 - Recovery Awareness Night to benefit Vision of Change, an organization that raises money to help fund projects that benefit the children of Los Quinchos, Nicaragua and their efforts to recover from substance abuse and addiction. Event starts at 6 p.m. at Signature Memories Event Center, 299 N. Federal

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[Left] Kelsey Ross studies a sculpture at Brookgreen Gardens in South Carolina.

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9/11 memorial

Pompano Beach – Tomorrow, Sept. 8, at 9 a.m. members of American Legion Post 142 will be having a groundbreaking ceremony at their post, 171 SW 2 St., for a new monument that will honor those who lost their lives on Sept. 11, 2001 and the men and women of the United States military who have died in Iraq and Afghanistan. Retired New York City firefighters will be presenting a section of steel from the World Trade Center which will be part of the memorial. For more, call 954-873-6462.

Temple Sholom marks Rosh Hashanah

Pompano Beach – Temple Sholom, 132 SE 11 Ave., Pompano Beach, will be holding its high holiday services and Rosh Hashanah candle lighting starting Sunday, Sept. 16 at 6:30 p.m.

The candle lighting ceremony takes place on Sept. 16 at 7:05 p.m. and Monday, Sept. 17 at 7:57 p.m. Services will be held again on Sept. 17 at 9 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 5 p.m. and on Tuesday, Sept. 18 at 9 a.m. For more information, visit www.templeholomflorida.org or call 954-942-0731.

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Landers

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foot walls and hold the volumes that tell the history of this area.

A polished oak floor reflects the sunlight that streams through the western windows, massive windows no longer seen in these times. These windows were the only source of air conditioning in the early 20s when this school was in session.

Landers is at home in this classroom.

Although she never taught at Westside, her mother, Fern Herriott, once served as director of Westside's summer programs.

"This school was finished in 1923. At that time, Broward County's elementary schools were in three areas: Westside, Southside [1922] and Northside [1927]. Dillard Elementary was for black students," Landers says.

Westside School closed in 1961.

These large airy classrooms are a far cry from the first school in Fort Lauderdale, a one-room cottage on Andrews Avenue, built in 1899. This first schoolhouse had 14 students. Teacher Ivy Cromartie always carried a long stick with which to chase away rattlesnakes.

The area was called Fort Lauderdale, but in fact it was unincorporated and still part of Dade County. Broward County was not incorporated until Oct. 1, 1914.

Landers came to Fort Lauderdale with her parents in 1926, shortly after the famous hurricane of the same year. Like all pioneers who came to Florida in the 20s, Landers

has strong memories of those hurricanes that gave little notice before making landfall.

When she was five, the 1928 hurricane hit. Her family was in church when the pastor announced the storm and sent the parishioners home.

Before Helen and her family got home, the storm was in full swing. The family pulled into an A&P market, then on Southeast Second Street. They were about two blocks from their house on Andrews Avenue.

"People inside the store wanted us to come in, but my father made my mother and me lie down in a gutter. A tornado passed over us, and then we got back into the Ford coupe and went home.

"Once there, I remember my father noticed a window flying past us. 'There goes someone's window,'" he said.

"I think it's ours," her mother said.

When things settled down, the family made a post-hurricane tour, traveling as far north as Boca Raton to see the damage that got progressively worse as they continued north.

"I remember passing farms where the chickens had had their feathers blown off," she said.

There would be more storms.

The 1933 hurricane twisted their house completely around, but Helen and her family had stopped for lunch on Stirling Road during that storm, a meal that probably saved their lives.

"When we got home, the house had been hit so hard that carpets and furniture had been carried in the wind across the FEC Railroad tracks," she says. "Neighbors took us in while the house

was repaired."

In 1940, Helen graduated from Fort Lauderdale High School. She headed then to Florida State College for Women in Tallahassee, now Florida State University.

In 1933, Helen's mother founded Fern Hall, a school for winter visitors. Children who were vacationing with their families brought their books and assignments with them to study at Fern Hall where Mrs. Herriott tutored them.

Landers was in eighth grade at Fort Lauderdale High School, but she was pressed into tutoring service when she got home.

About the same time, another winter school began that later evolved into Pine Crest Preparatory School. Its founder, Mae McMillan began tutoring the children of winter visitors to Fort Lauderdale. In 1934, she founded her school in rented rooms in the old Elks Club building in downtown Fort Lauderdale. In 1939, she moved her 100 students to an eight-acre site on East Broward Boulevard and added a boarding facility.

It was here that Mrs. McMillan established Pine Crest School. Space was limited in the former building, so she acquired acreage across a side street for use as an elementary school. Pine Crest remained on the downtown campus for 26 years. In 1965, it was moved to its present location on Cypress Creek Road just west of Federal Highway.

The Flying L

While at Fort Lauderdale High School, Helen learned the reason students were dubbed The Flying L's. "The school had just opened in the 1920s," says Helen. "Everyone was thrilled that the track and field team had been invited to compete in Gainesville for the state championship. There was this one runner who was very fast. They said, 'Here comes the Flying L.' And it stuck."

Helen was in college in 1941 when Pearl Harbor was attacked. In 1942, over Thanksgiving vacation, the college girls were encouraged to entertain members of the military home on leave.

"I was looking for someone who was tall," said the then lanky 5' 7" Helen. "And I was skinny."

Her group came upon some young men playing pool at the Coast Guard Base in Fort Lauderdale. One of them asked the girls to join them. Said Helen, "We can't. We don't even know you."

But a Mrs. Neal, who was hosting the event, heard Helen's remark and said, "Let me introduce you."

That's how Helen met her future husband, RL Landers. They were married at Park Temple Methodist Church.

After the war, RL and Helen moved to Texas where RL earned bachelor's degree in physical education on the GI Bill. Helen completed a masters in history.

When they returned to Fort Lauderdale, Helen and RL continued teaching and operating Fern Hall until they sold it in 1971. The new owner renamed the school Florida Oaks Academy.

Helen continued teaching as Director of Education at Park Temple Church at 101 SE 3 Avenue. Park Temple merged with First United Methodist, and is now over 100 years old.

Helen's mark on Broward County is indelible. In 1990, she was appointed Broward County Historian, a position she still holds.

She served as president and remains an active member

of the American Association of University Women. She vigorously campaigned for the Equal Rights Amendment, a law that never passed, and worked with the historical commission to establish the Women's Hall of Fame.

And she is accessible. She is unable to shake her persona as a loving teacher, a quality that makes most people very much at ease in her presence.

Meanwhile Helen Landers, 90, continues to keep watch over the massive tomes that contain the progressing history of Broward County.

Today, persons who are interested in the history of schools in Broward County are invited to view a gallery of pictures dating back to the first school in the county.

All persons with old family photos and documents are encouraged to donate them to the commission. Volunteers and donations to sustain the work of the commission are needed. Call 954-357-5553.

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Budget still needs tweaking, OP commissioners say

By Judy Vik

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Oakland Park – City commissioners approved a tentative millage rate and tentative budget on Wednesday but said they are still looking for ways to cut expenses and lower tax bills. Final reading of the \$90 million fiscal plan is Sept. 19. The proposed millage is

6.4315, up from the current rate of 6.0138 and will add \$657,000 to the operating account. The median tax rate for a single-family homeowner would increase \$17.

The budget for this year relied on the use of \$3.7 million from the fund balance or reserves. “That reliance on fund balance is no longer sustainable, and you need to

address that,” City Manager John Stunson said.

The new budget withdraws \$2.8 million from the fund balance leaving a balance of \$9 million.

Commissioners disagreed on how much of fund balance should be used.

Vice Mayor John Adornato said he was very concerned about going below 25 percent rate.

Commissioner Jed Shank supported a staff recommendation of establishing a 20 to 25 percent threshold for reserves. He said that was a prudent approach. “I don’t want to raise the tax to get money to put in reserves,” he said. Shank said he wants something done to mitigate millage that won’t impact services.

Commissioner Shari McCartney recommended commissioners approve the proposed millage rate for argument’s sake. “This is tentative. I’m confident

it won’t be the final rate,” she said. But she added the commission needs to establish a fiscal policy and to set the reserve rate.

“What’s our philosophy? I recommend we no longer dip into reserves but learn to live within our means. I recommend that after this fiscal year we no longer dip into fund balance and work to re-fund the fund balance,” McCartney said.

Commissioner Suzanne Boisvenue said she is concerned about using nearly \$3 million in fund balance. “Our property values have gone down, and crime has gone up. I want a balanced budget, but I want to make sure we’re not hurting those who don’t have the ability to pay. Then we’ll have more homes in foreclosure. We have bit off too much too fast. We need to slow it down a little.”

The proposed budget calls for two additions to the

Broward Sheriff’s Office at a cost of \$300,000.

Adornato asked what the city will be getting with those additions.

Lt. Al Hubrig, executive officer, said the new positions are a supervisory sergeant and a motor deputy. He said by improving supervision the agency can improve efficiency by making sure all deputies are working at 110 percent.

The leading complaint from residents is about traffic down neighborhood streets. With the additional deputy, he said traffic concerns could be addressed more quickly.

McCartney said she is still not convinced of the necessity of adding the positions. She said there hasn’t been enough time to weigh what restoring five positions this year has done.

“And it’s not just salary. We’re also adding a pension obligation for eternity, or so it seems. I’d like more evidence that the restored officers have been efficient and that two more would make a significant difference.”

Shank said he would like to see more benchmark data on what is an appropriate number of personnel to have.

“I don’t see it fiscally responsible to add two more at \$300,000, but I would like more information,” he said.

Boisvenue said she supports the additional staff, noting, “Health and safety is our first responsibility.” She said the city has to be ready for growth, and increased policing will be necessary.

Stunson said more data will be provided commissioners to support the additional positions.

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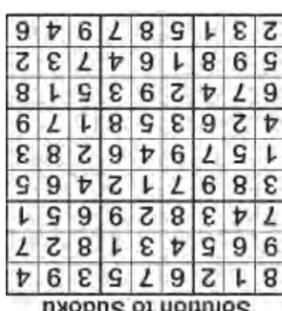


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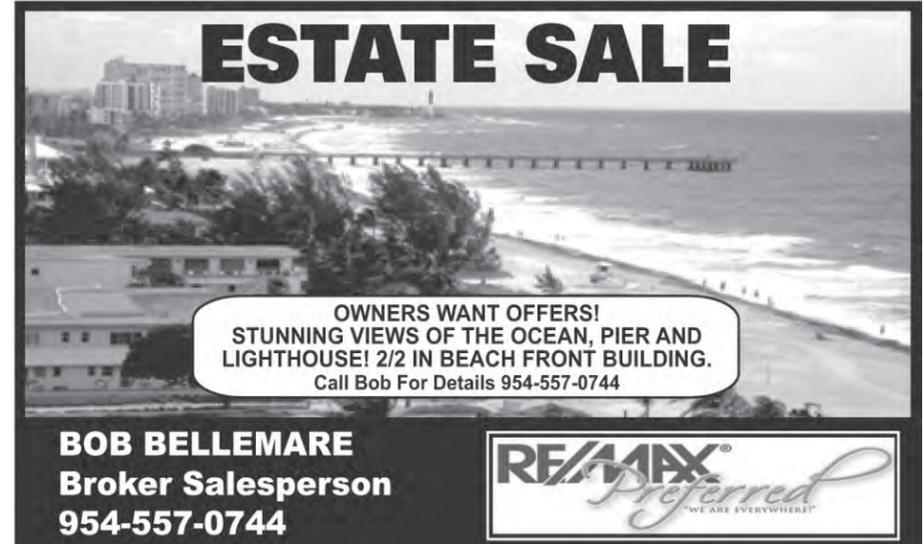
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Pompano Exchange Club has a history of having fun while doing good



Bartender Michelle Belger volunteered her Saturday night for the Exchange Club social.



Charlotte Styers, Chuck Schwaderer and Dr. Bob Parks enjoying the Exchange Club social held Saturday night, despite Tropical Storm Isaac.



Robert Friedman and Emily Ghijsselinc.



Al and Linda Siefert, hosts Betsy and Earl Maucker.

By Judy Wilson

PELICAN STAFF

Pompano Beach – The one thing, Exchange Club President Robert Friedman would like you know about his organization is that it is dedicated to raising money to improve the lives of kids.

Well, maybe there is another thing: They throw amazing parties.

Organized here in 1958 with pioneers Stewart Kester and Dan Witt at the helm, The Exchange Club continues to attract movers and shakers – the business owners, professionals and politicians. It is an all-guy band.

Although in many places Exchange accepts women into membership, the Pompano club remains stag largely because businesswomen here interested in doing good works are the nucleus of the highly successful Soroptimist Club, Exchange's partners.

The Exchange Club focus is the prevention of child abuse. To that end they donate about \$100,000 annually to local organizations with the same mission and through their scholarship funding and essay contest help students

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Well, we survived another small storm and many of us are itching to get back out on the ocean.

There will be plenty of floating objects offshore, which usually provide homes for dolphin and wahoos. Anytime we have a storm, that tracks as Isaac did through the Carribean and around Cuba, we know that whatever debris has broken loose from the islands will make its way to us via the gulfstream current.

Keep an eye out as you run offshore in pursuit of dollys. You don't want to run over anything and end your day early.

Just before the storm we



[From Left] John Murray, Mike Eury, Steven Bushouse, Jim Bushouse with their 325-lb. swordfish. [Photo courtesy of RJ Boyle]

were able to sneak out with some local guys for a day of sword fishing. We landed a nice fish weighing around 325 lbs. This was a tough fish that wouldn't give up easily and took us nearly 90 minutes to land. Stay tight.

Sightings

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Hwy., Fort Lauderdale. Admission is \$20. 954-401-0261.

9-15 – Family Fun Day is from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the Pompano Beach Aquatic Center, 820 NE 18 Ave. A free day of swimming, diving boards, fire trucks, snorkeling, games and more. There will also be raffle prizes. 754-246-0665.

9-19 – Art-By-The-Sea group meets at the Lauder-

dale-By-The-Sea Community Church in Friedt Family Hall, 4433 Bougainvillea Drive. Marcia Hirschy will discuss how artists can market their work. The meeting is free and open to anyone. 954-594-0444.

9-19 – ArtHall will be held from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the Business Resource Center, 50 NE 1 St., Pompano Beach. ArtHall combines business and art in a series of six receptions. Each month a new exhibit begins with an opening reception on the third Wednesday of the month through October. The event is free. 954-586-1111.

9-22 – Wilton Manors Kiwanis Club Kids Day from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Wilton Manors Elementary School, 2401 NE 3 Ave. Free food, fun and games for elementary school students. 954-560-7813.

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Exchange

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gain higher education.

Some of the charities that have benefitted recently are Children's Healing Center, Broward Children's Center, Woodhouse, the Dynamos and the Jack Rabideau Scholarship.

To give away all that money, the club's 65 members have to work very hard at raising it. So they partner with the NFL Alumni Association to sponsor a raffle for two Super Bowl tickets and an all-expense paid trip to the game; they hold bowling tournaments and golf tournaments; and one major dinner/dance a year that brings in a big chunk

of change.

Last year, Friedman said, the \$150 Dinner (the cost of the ticket) held at the Lighthouse Point Yacht and Tennis Club, converted a roomful of normally staid citizens into rock 'n rollers when the Blues Brothers Tribute Band made a surprise appearance.

In fact, the theme of the evening was Chicago in the 20s with elaborate decorations and "guest appearances" by Al Capone and Humphrey Bogart.

"Last Year's president Scott Alford is from Chicago," Friedman, the 55th president, said. "This year I will have to outdo him. I don't know that I can."

The evening also includes a draw-down raffle and a live auction of luxury items such

as a vacation in an Italian villa or a stay at a ski lodge.

In addition to the fundraising events, the club holds a series of socials for its members. One such party was held Saturday at the LHP home of Betsy and Earl Maucker. Because of Tropical Storm Isaac, the venue was changed from the grounds of the Sample-McDougald House to the Mauckers, but in true Exchange Club style 80 people showed up anyway to discuss wind and rain and enjoy fine food and drink.

In September, the club will host a "raft up" in Boca Lake for its boating members and in October, an Oktoberfest party in Exchange Park.

Like many service organization, the Exchange has suffered some loss of

membership in the economic downturn.

"A lot of people who thought belonging to the club would bring them business, dropped out," Friedman said. "But they were the wrong kind of members anyway. We are not a networking organization. We don't encourage our members to promote their businesses to us. In fact, if you try, you'll get the cold shoulder."

When Exchange was formed in Detroit in 1911, a group of business men met to "exchange ideas."

Its purposes attracted many famous Americans including Calvin Coolidge, Warren G. Harding, Harry Truman and George H.W. Bush. It has evolved into a national organization that raises

money for their communities and has a good time doing it.

Businessmen with that mindset may want to contact Friedman at 954-783-6694 and inquire about membership in The Exchange Club.

It meets Wednesdays for lunch at the LHP Yacht and Tennis Club.

Gourmet trucks return

Oakland Park – Food trucks and vendors are returning to downtown Oakland Park for another "Gourmet on Wheels" from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 8. The event is at 3148 NE 12 Ave. at the south end of 12 Avenue. 754-214-0041 or Debbie Blakely at 954-561-4304.

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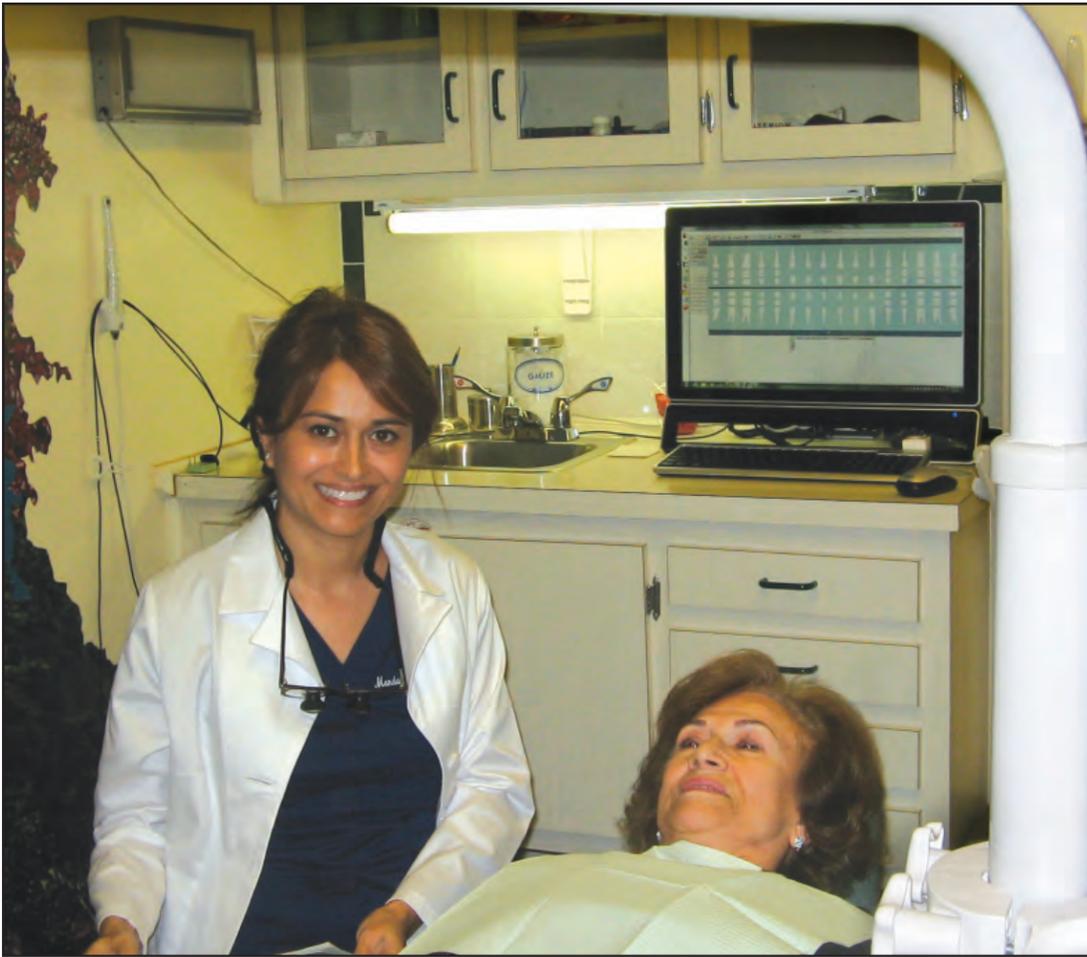
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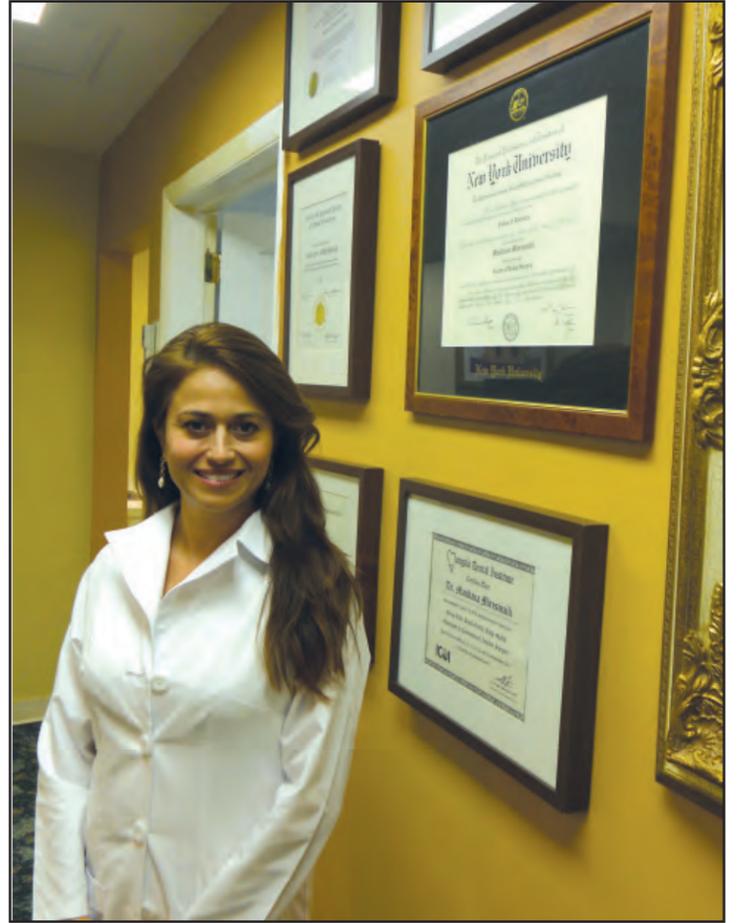


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French speaking dentist opens a new state-of-the-art office in Cross Medical/Professional Building



Dr. Mandy Mir Esmaili is a new dentist in town. Fluent in French and English, she's offering complimentary consultations and exams to introduce herself to the community. She's shown here explaining her suggestions to a patient. [Staff photo by Phyllis J. Neuberger]



With numerous degrees, accreditations and certifications, Dr. Mandy Mir Esmaili offers patients a high level of confidence. But education never stops with this young dentist who continues her studies vigorously to be able to offer the latest procedures to her patients.

"I sold my 12-year dental practice in Boston so my husband and I could live in beautiful, warm South Florida," says Dr. Mandy Mir Esmaili, referred to as Dr. Mandy. She flashes a smile as bright and white as the ones she can create for her patients.

Her first move was to get re-licensed by passing the Florida boards. Next, she leased a suite of offices at 2324 NE 53 Street in the Cross Medical and Professional Building, Fort Lauderdale. She says, "I can honestly tell my new patients that I am equipped to offer them the best and most efficient care using the newest state-of-the-art equipment."

Shortly after she opened, Frank Velez was helping her set up her computer system. He says, "I recognized the sophisticated state of the art equipment she was using because I'm a nerd on stuff like that. I overheard her speaking to a patient, and I was impressed. I've avoided dentists for almost two decades, but I decided to try her. I am so happy I did. She had to do extensive teeth cleaning and replace a cap on a

front tooth. She is very knowledgeable. Her hands are so skilled that she injected me with Novocain and I didn't even know it. I live in Coral Gables, but I'll make the long ride because she's worth it. I'd recommend her to anyone. Her new equipment saves patients time. Time is money, so that means she saves them money as well."

As she proudly led *The Pelican* on a tour of her offices, she paused to talk about each piece of the newest equipment. "This digital x-ray machine gives the patient 90 percent less radiation exposure than the conventional machine.

In addition, it offers a very crisp image which can be rotated to reveal every angle of the teeth, bones, sinuses and surrounding nerves so that I can detect gum disease, cancer, cracks, infection or any abnormality."

The teeth whitening machine, called Lumi-brite, is made by the makers of Lumineers. It has the ability to lighten teeth eight shades in one hour. It also allows Dr. Mandy, to do white fillings in three minutes saving the patient the discomfort of being in

"Dr. Mandy took care of my immediate problem so well that I don't dread future appointments for gum surgery, extractions, and more. She inspires my confidence. I'm grateful I found her. I highly recommend her to my family and friends." - Reyes

the chair for an hour."

An intra-oral camera allows patients to see their own dental abnormalities. This dentist can complete root canals in an hour with new rotary instruments. She is equipped to do total implants without referring patients to a specialist. Her family preventative dentistry services for children, teens and adults include the basics such as fillings, bridges, crowns, dentures and extractions.

Lee Reyes works near Dr. Mandy's office and went to her in an emergency. "I have a terrible fear of

dentists," she explains, "so I was happy to find her so pleasant, gentle and caring. She took care of my immediate problem so well that I don't dread future appointments for gum surgery, extractions, and more. She inspires my confidence. I'm grateful I found her. I highly recommend her to my family and friends."

Dr. Mandy is also trained with special continuing education in cosmetic dentistry.

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"I also place Lumineers which are thin, permanent coverings for discolored or misaligned teeth eliminating shots and drilling."

A native of Montreal, Canada, Dr. Mandy is fluent in French and English: a fact very much appreciated by the many French Canadian

snowbirds in the area. Her credentials are impressive. She is a graduate of New York University School of Dentistry where she was in the top five percent of her class. She believes in excellence through passion. She goes beyond the annual requirements for continuing education, seeking out every advanced course offered in innovations and aesthetic dentistry.

Open now for eight months in South Florida, she says, "I'm lucky. I've handled several emergencies and established good relations with many patients. Several have made plans for extensive dental work. Because I am new and just building a practice, I am offering many promotions, including discounts to seniors. To introduce myself to new patients, I am offering a complimentary consultation and examination. Don't hesitate to call us at 954-990-6543. We are here for you. Please visit our website www.coralridgesmile.com and join us on facebook at www.facebook.com/CoralRidgeSmile."

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Pup'e Cutz pet grooming salon in Pompano Beach provides comfortable, stress free grooming and care

Maria Ledbetter, owner and licensed groomer, has created a spotless, fresh smelling salon where pets are treated like club members in a "Whole Pet" fitness center. It's an ideal place for people who are interested in having physically, mentally and socially well-balanced dogs.

The system works for Ledbetter, who after five years wants to take time to thank the hundreds of clients who have made this salon so successful.

Ledbetter is confident that her success is due to her skills with animals whom she says, "I treat like family members and care for them with the same regard. My own dog, Princess, was my inspiration. I pamper her with the best, natural products and do the same for other people's pets. I take time to acclimate them to the grooming table. Many are frightened from past experiences. I make them comfortable and as stress free as possible."

The owner has a very colorful and varied business history.

Ledbetter says, "I've owned a 4-star restaurant in Enterprise, Alabama, managed Officers' Clubs in Europe and Panama, and had a construction business in Pompano Beach. But before that Ledbetter worked in training and development of rural health workers in Central America.

"Now that my three children are out of college, I decided to open this salon because I



Maria Ledbetter with Princess and Martini

love cats and dogs. I went to school, earned my groomer's license and the rest is history."

Coleen De'Amico dropped by with Oliver and Lola, who come twice a week for puppy day care and socialization.

"They have been coming for the past four years," says Ledbetter. "This is their second home."

Pup'e Cutz offers many services

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Shave Downs are very popular for both cats and dogs because of Florida's heat and humidity. Pets are more comfortable and owners like not having to deal with shedding.

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"I do offer a special for

"It has been a real learning experience for me that goes far beyond grooming. My babies who come here for grooming are always teaching me and our staff a deeper understanding of puppies and cats."

regular customers which includes a bath every two to three weeks with a good blowout eliminating hair tangling," Ledbetter says.

She adds, "We do day care for working clients. To many pets, this is a second home because I've cared for them since they were puppies. I also do very limited over night pet sitting as an



T-Bone, a Labradoodle poses for his Facebook moment.

accommodation for regulars. We also walk and care for pets whose owners prefer to have them remain at home. And we do pick up and delivery on request."

"It has been a real learning experience for me that goes far beyond grooming," says Ledbetter. "My babies who come here for grooming are always teaching me and our staff a deeper understanding of puppies and cats. We have babies who are therapy dogs who watch their masters and alert them when there could be danger of a seizure or heart attack. We even have a therapy bird, Lea, an African Grey parrot who visits elderly homes and helps mom educate others about animals and their needs."

Ledbetter adds that working with her babies actually calms her down. She notes that

many people see a drop in blood pressure when they take time to be around dogs.

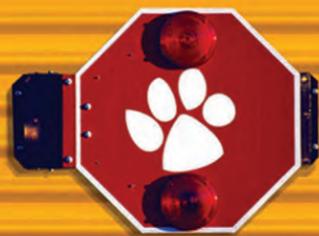
All pets get a new picture after their grooming at Pup'e Cutz. Ledbetter adds the pictures to her Facebook page where they can be shared with family and friends.

"When I take these pictures," Ledbetter says. "I always try to capture their individual personalities.

"Pup'eCutz has been an amazing part of my life. Dogs, like people all have different personalities, and it seems the sweetest ones always show up here," she adds

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