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Sailors Ready to Race for the Roses



A race by any other name would not be as sweet as the Nineteenth Annual Race for the Roses, set to sail on Saturday, July 29 from Pensacola Beach. The organizers from the Pensacola Beach Yacht Club who prepared for this year's day long, female regatta are (L to R): Rear Commodore Jo Dee Cattrell, Race for the Roses Sailor Lee Newkirk, Race Founder Ellen Hunt, Sailor Rita Finkbone, and Race Committee member Mike Blanda. Corporate Sponsor Pandora de Balthazar is front and center. For more on the race, page 2.

Lady Skippers Compete in Nineteenth Annual Race for the Roses

Lady skippers of Northwest Florida and surrounding areas are ready to display their skills in the Nineteenth Annual Race for the Roses, presented by the Pensacola Beach Yacht Club. This year's competition will be on Saturday, July 29.

The women's race was founded in 1988 by Ellen

Hunt, and has grown progressively larger and more successful each year.

Pandora de Balthazar, who became involved in the race last year, will once again be the event's corporate sponsor.

"I support this event in the hope that it will encourage local women to embrace

their strengths and reach the goals that are important to them," Pandora said. "Sailing is such a wonderful way to take advantage of this area. We are blessed to be here."

Jo Dee Cattrell, PBYC Rear Commodore estimates twenty boats will enter locally, and she hopes the ladies from New Orleans will again com-

pete.

"As women we gather together to compete in the Race for the Roses," Jo Dee said. "It is a great feeling of accomplishment to know that we can successfully race these sailboats. And, it is a lot of fun."

Activities begin Friday night, July 28, when the last registrations take place at the

Yacht Club. A competitors party will follow the Skipper's meeting. Races will begin at noon on Saturday, followed by the Awards Ceremony at the Club after the completion of the race.

Jo Dee Cattrell can be reached at onthegojdc@aol.com or email Ken Branch, Fleet Captain at kbshelli@mchsi.com for more information.

Fort Pickens Road Construction Nears Completion

Beach residents who must travel on Ft. Pickens Road every day to get back and forth from their homes will be happy to know that the Santa Rosa Island Authority engineer has reported that the construction of the roadway will be complete by August 2.

Speaking at the Authority's full board meeting on Wednesday, July 12, Baskerville Donovan Engineer Dave Hemphill's report to Board members noted that the completed work will include three reconstructed roadway segments, a new ten foot wide bike path, piping connections between the road and the stormwater treatment plants, and three outfalls to the Sound or Little Sabine Bay.

"Finally, all of Fort Pickens Road will receive a new overlay of asphalt and striping," Hemphill reported.

The SRIA also approved the regulation which will prohibit boat owners from anchoring their craft in Little Sabine Bay when the island is under a hurricane watch or more serious hurricane condition.

The regulation which has drawn opposition from some boat owners, passed on a vote of four to one with Dr. Tom Campanella voting against. The reason for the regulation is to prevent damage caused by boats, driven out of the Bay by hurricane conditions, and subsequently damaging adjacent properties.

New street signs will be installed on Pensacola Beach, but the Board did not reach a decision on what kind of signs should replace the wooden ones currently in use.

McGuire Martin said he didn't see anything wrong with the old signs, but Wade Lane, Public and Recreational Facilities Manager reported that the wooden signs can no longer be purchased commercially, and

must be made in house, a costly and time consuming procedure. McGuire suggested that the staff should decide which kind of sign should be installed.

They approved other requests on the agenda including:

- Conceptual approval to Little Sabine, Inc. For the construction of a 620 room hotel and Pensacola Beach Resort amenities. (See World Class Resort, Page 2)

- Fred Simmonds to add a

booking agent for charter boats and cruises from Paradise's dock. Outdoor kitchen at Paradise Grill to remain for six months.

- Spanish Landing to build an 8 unit townhouse structure

- Amend timeline to Tiki Motel to allow asbestos abatement and demolition

- September Board Meeting moved from the thirteenth to the twentieth of the month

Discussions on the Lease Fee Policy and the Personnel

Policy Manual will be moved to the August 2 Committee Meetings. Bill Griffith, vice chairman, also asked the Board to place in committee a discussion on adding other beach organizations to the regular reports.

During the visitor's forum, Realtor Trey Manderson requested that the SRIA consider rescinding its decision to impose building timelines on lots on the island.

"It essentially makes the lots

unmarketable," Manderson said.

Griffith directed the staff to meet with Manderson to find a solution to this problem. Campanella said that many leaseholders had already been granted extensions to their construction timelines, which helps solve the problem.

The SRIA Committee meetings will be Wednesday, August 2 at 5 p.m. at the Authority office. The meeting is open to the public.

Luxurious World Class Resort Coming to Pensacola Beach

The Holiday Inn, at one time was the social center of Pensacola Beach. The Residents and Leaseholders and the Chamber of Commerce held their monthly meetings there. The Catholic Church conducted Sunday masses at the hotel. Local residents flocked to the dance floor in the Penthouse Lounge whenever The Garcias were playing.

The lobby area was alive with a full service restaurant and special banquet rooms. Shops including Rock Hard's jewelry and International Boutique's fashions, lined the ground level entryway. The Holiday Inn was, perhaps, the most bustling place on the Beach until hurricanes began to take their toll. Opal struck in 1995 and the hotel, stripped of its many amenities, eventually became the Holiday Inn Express. The Penthouse was closed and Beach organizations shifted their meetings to other locations. Our Lady of the Assumption Catholic Mission was built to accommodate an ever-growing local population and an influx of tourists.

Finally, along came Ivan in 2004 to sign the death warrant for

the Inn, by damaging the property beyond repair.

Now, out of the ruins, the Phoenix arises. George Fletcher, Adache Architects Group presented plans on behalf of Little Sabine, Inc. for the Pensacola Beach resort to the Santa Rosa Island Authority at their committee meeting on July 5. Little Sabine, Inc. was seeking conceptual approval which was granted at the July 12 full board meeting.

The plan features a 620 room hotel with world class resort amenities, including 14 story towers at penthouse level, all with luxurious views. There will be a state of the art lifestyle and fitness center and spa. The hotel will boast the largest collection of function space on Pensacola Beach, 120,000 square feet. Included will be ballrooms, meeting rooms, and a full service business center. Gourmet and specialty restaurants will be located in the hotel.

Fletcher speaking on behalf of the owners, said, "Our dining ranges from barefoot elegance to barefoot and breezy."

A water park is scheduled for construction across Ft. Pickens

Road on Little Sabine Bay. The park will offer a lazy river, grotto, wave pool and Olympic size pools, suitable for professional and amateur events. A lighthouse for viewing vistas, gazebos and piers will be built adjacent to the tennis courts.

Pensacola Beach Resort will be built in phases beginning with the first portion of the hotel on the Gulf of Mexico plus three pools. Phase two will add 244 rooms to the hotel and Phase three will add 144 rooms plus the water park and tennis courts.

"This is beautiful," Thom Blas, SRIA Board Chairman commented. "The concept looks great and is very exciting."

Board members did voice some concerns with the development.

Parking in the core area could become a problem if the guests drive there, according to Vernon Prather.

McGuire Martin suggested that the owners should consider connecting to a proposed boardwalk, so visitors could be encouraged to walk to the core area.

But Dr. Thomas Campanella said that walking anywhere on a July day on the Island would be very hot. He suggested the use of shuttles to transport guests to other island destinations. The next step is to go to the DEP to begin the permitting process which could take as long as a year.

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Barefoot on the Beach

By Jane Waters Cooper



Never, in my most outrageous fantasies, did I dream that a star would be named after me. We're talking a real star here, one that's been shining for millions of years with the prospect of hanging in there in the galaxy for millions of additional years.

Yes, there is Jane's Forever Mardi Gras Star glittering right up there in the same sky with Jupiter and Venus and the rest of the famous residents of the universe.

The Certificate with the International Star Registry notes that my star which has been always known officially as "Corona Borealis Right Ascension 15h 53m 46s and Declination 27d 27m before May 10, 2006, is now Jane's Forever Mardi Gras Star. It has to be a lot easier to find a star named Jane than one called Corona Borealis (is that a beer?) followed by a bunch of numbers.

You can find my star by following the directions provided by my husband, Frank, as follows:

"Jane's Forever Mardi Gras Star is located in the constellation Corona Borealis (is that a beer?) And specifically at RA 15h 53m 46s and D 27d 27m, The constellation Corona Borealis (it has to be a beer, it just keeps coming my way) can be located on a dark night by tracing a line directly out from Polaris, the North Star, through the Little Dipper, Ursa Minor, and on to a line drawn east and west between the constellations Bootes and Hercules. During the Earth's rotation, Corona Borealis (that's the third cold one) will be below the north horizon for

some of its travel and not visible to us, but then will appear low to the east as it moves across the northern sky."

If you want to know more, call an astronomer. Don't call me. I am star gazing challenged. Here my name is on a star, and I am more astrologer than astronomer.

But that does not diminish the joy I always have at cruising the night time sky.

Well, the astronomers and scientists do not know how dumb I am, so they have written the following message on the Registry: Jane's Forever Mardi Gras Star - Know ye further that this star will henceforth be known by this name. This name is permanently filed in the Registry's vault in Switzerland and recorded in a book in the Copyright Office of the United States of America. Don't even try to steal my star.

I guess, by now, you are wondering how a common earthling like me could possibly have a star bear her name.

It seems that my good friend of many years, Susan Haselton-Barr wanted to do something different for me. Getting a star named after me is different for sure, but awesome is the better description of this honor.

I do not know what kind of rigamarole Susan endured or how many hurdles she had to jump, or how much paperwork it took to get the Registry to name a star after me. I just know that it is a grand gesture of love and loyalty on Susan's part. And, so I say, thank you, Susan. Many times

over.

If you don't already know Susan, she is the versatile Gulf Breeze lady, who rides her motorcycle all over the United States, runs her own business, actively volunteers, is the mother of two and the mother-in-law of one, and for many years was a dedicated partici-

gant in Mardi Gras on the Island. Susan is the quintessential people person. She has one of those ever-so-warm, endearing personalities. Spend a few minutes with her, and your day automatically becomes brighter.

The next time you wish upon a star, send your request

to Jane's Forever Mardi Gras Star. I hope all your wishes come true.

And just remember that star will always be there in its own little spot in the Corona Borealis, and at last, after being just a number for millions of years, it has a name.

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Elks Host Fun In Sun Tourney

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cludes lunch and four free beverage tickets.

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PEOPLE



SIXTY SIX YEARS

Bobby and Natalie Quigley of Pensacola Beach are joining Bobby's brothers and their wives this month to celebrate the sixty-sixth wedding anniversary of Bobby's parents, Elizabeth and Edward Quigley. Clarence and Janie Quigley and Douglas and Diana Quigley will attend the family gathering which will also include nine grandchildren and one great grandchild.

MORE YACHT CLUBBERS

Pensacola Beach Yacht Club welcomed two new members aboard this month, Paul Gregg, Gulf Breeze and Peter Hopkins, Jr. Pensacola.

ALL GROWN UP

Stacey Kostevicki, who graduated from Pensacola Beach Elementary School is now the Marketing and Public Relations director for the Children's Services Center in Pensacola.

WORKING BIRTHDAY

Christy Jones celebrated her birthday on July 1. What did she do to mark the date? She just stayed on the job at the Surf Side Food Store.

BONFIRES BLAZE IN EAST

Margie and David Dodson, owners of Weatherford's spent the Fourth of July in Massachusetts. David reported that on July 3, the beach town of Hamerock lines the beach with homemade bonfires which light up the coast. They also dazzle friends with six hours of fireworks. They went to Boston for the Fourth where that fireworks display, by contrast, lasted 23 minutes.

EVACUATION REGISTRATION

If you have special needs and plan to seek emergency shelter, the time is now to register for help in getting to the designated shelter. Escambia County residents call 471-6400 and Santa Rosa County residents call 983-5360. You must register in advance of a storm.

ROAD TRIP

Carloyn Ledet and Janis Songy traveled from Houma, Louisiana to meet Melanie Waite for an all-girl summer road trip to Charleston and Savannah. Melanie, a former Beach Mardi Gras queen and expert chef, promises to share one of her best recipes with our readers when she returns.

PORTOFINO BIRTHDAY GIRL

Sandi Johnson, a resident of Portofino, celebrated her birthday all weekend long prior to the big day. The real date was Monday, July 10, so she had to have a second party.

LONG VOYAGE FOR THE NEWKIRKS

Susan and Kirk Newkirk celebrated their twenty-fourth wedding anniversary on June 25. The Newkirks have spent their married life as business owners and residents of Pensacola Beach. Partying with them on their anniversary day were their children, Nikki, 22; Harry, 19; and Christy, 7. The Newkirks, both skilled sailors, own Key Sailing.

THE KING HOLDS COURT

Reigning Krewe of Coma King Ed Whiteley, declared June 25 a royal holiday for all who cared to notice. The offbeat krewe's leader was celebrating his landmark birthday on the Island as only a Mardi Gras ruler can do. Seems the years haven't quenched his quest for fun.

Experts Share Recovery Tips

Beach resident General Bob Kennedy, USAF Ret., will be one of the featured panelists at the ITGULFCOAST and AFCEA meeting Wednesday, July 26, at 11:30 a.m. at New World Landing. The focus is to discuss ways that commercial enterprises can prepare for and recover from natural and man-made disasters.

For more information visit www.itgulfc coast.org or call 850-932-4713.

GREAT AMERICANS

Pensacola Beach Elks Lodge recently awarded prizes to selected students in all Gulf Breeze schools and Pensacola Beach Elementary School. Beach recipients of a \$100 United States Savings Bond were Jessica Koch and Adam Foley.

Harry's Famous Smoked Pork on Memorial Menu

The First Ever Harry Gowens Memorial, a fundraiser for Pensacola Beach Elementary School, will be at Flounder's on Friday, August 18 beginning at 5 p.m. Harry, who founded the school, passed away on January 23. This event will honor his memory and will be reminiscent of the Beach Appreciation Party which Harry also created and sponsored every September.

Harry's longtime friend and barbecue partner, Wally Peceovich will be at Flounder's serving their famous pork butts. There will also be a seafood buffet. Marta Ray, who is chairing the memorial, has an-

Joe Barron knows his skies. And he knows the Blue Angels. He put it all together and was the first to email the correct answer to the last trivia questions which was: "Toward the end of their Air Show, the Blue Angels perform a spectacular maneuver which bears the French name of a lily like emblem. What is it?"

Here's Joe's answer: "The last maneuver that the Blues perform at the end of the show is called the Fleur de Lis. Gotta Geaux, Mum'zelle."

Joe, a longtime Beach resident and faithful reader of *Island*

Times emailed a message recently commenting on the UFO story in Barefoot on the Beach. He said it brought back good memories of our UFO days and nights. Joe was a state MUFON official.

Be the first to email the correct answer to the following question: "How many males are allowed on each boat to crew with the ladies in the Race for the Roses?" Rules are the same. Email your answer with "Trivia" in the subject line to islandtimes@bellsouth.net before 5 p.m. July 26. Be sure to include your name and phone number.

nounced that there will be door prizes, and a face painting station for the children who attend the family event.

Advance tickets will be \$10 for adults and \$5 for children. They can be purchased at RMI, 1591 Via de Luna or at the Real Estate House, 731 Pensacola Beach Blvd. Tickets at the door will be \$12 and \$7 for children. All proceeds go to the Beach School.

"We hope to see a lot of Beach families and the many friends of Harry's at this party," Marta said.

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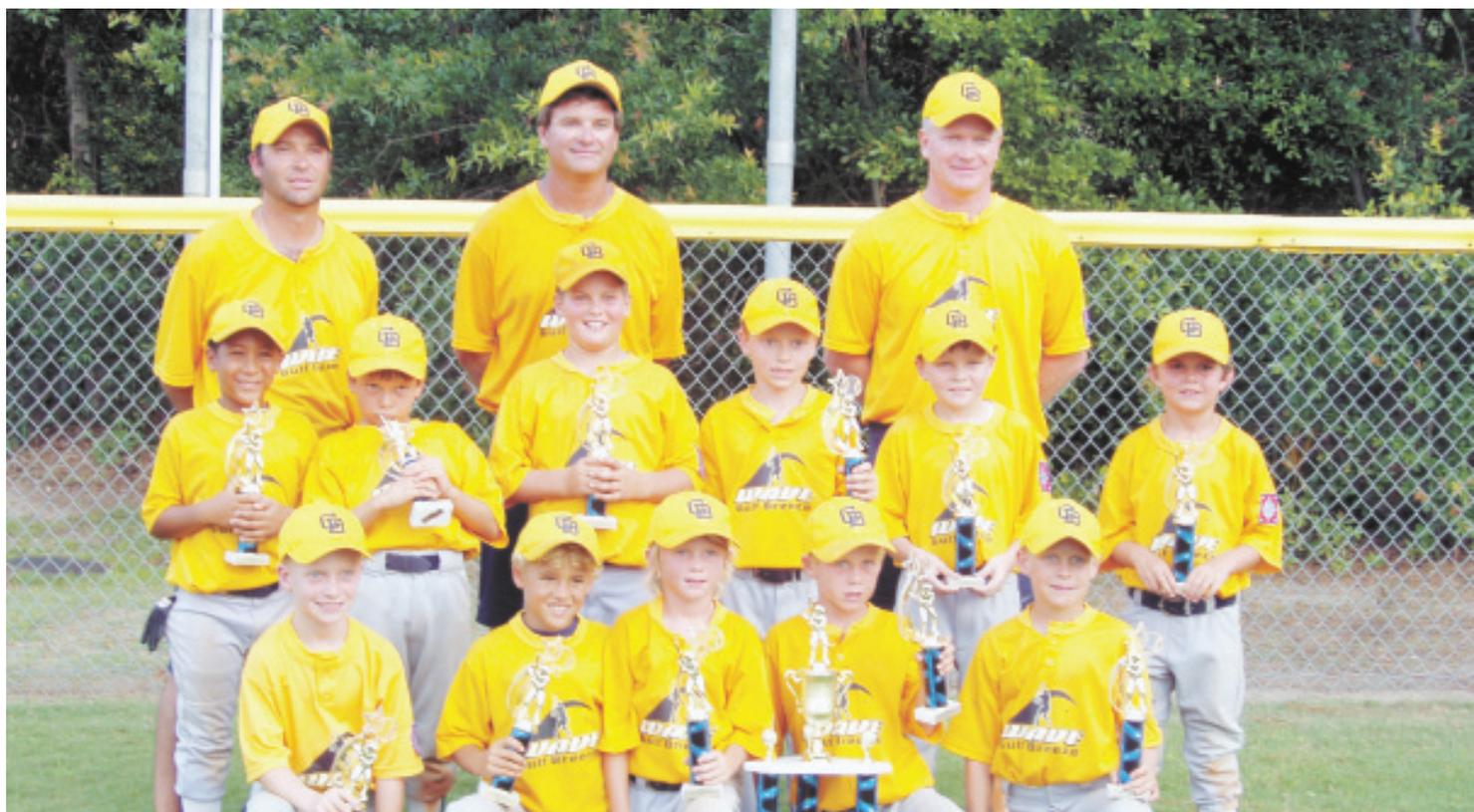
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All Star Sluggers Win State Championship

When Scott and Kristin Amberson taught their young son, Jace to field grounders they did not envision that the Pensacola Beach Elementary School eight-year-old would eventually be named the Most Valuable Defensive Player in the State of Florida's 2006 All Star Tournament held in St. Petersburg July 7-12. Jace, short stop for the Gulf Breeze Wave, was joined on the winners podium by the Beach's Zane Gill who won the Home Run Derby and Sam Joyce who took top honors in the Base Running Competition.

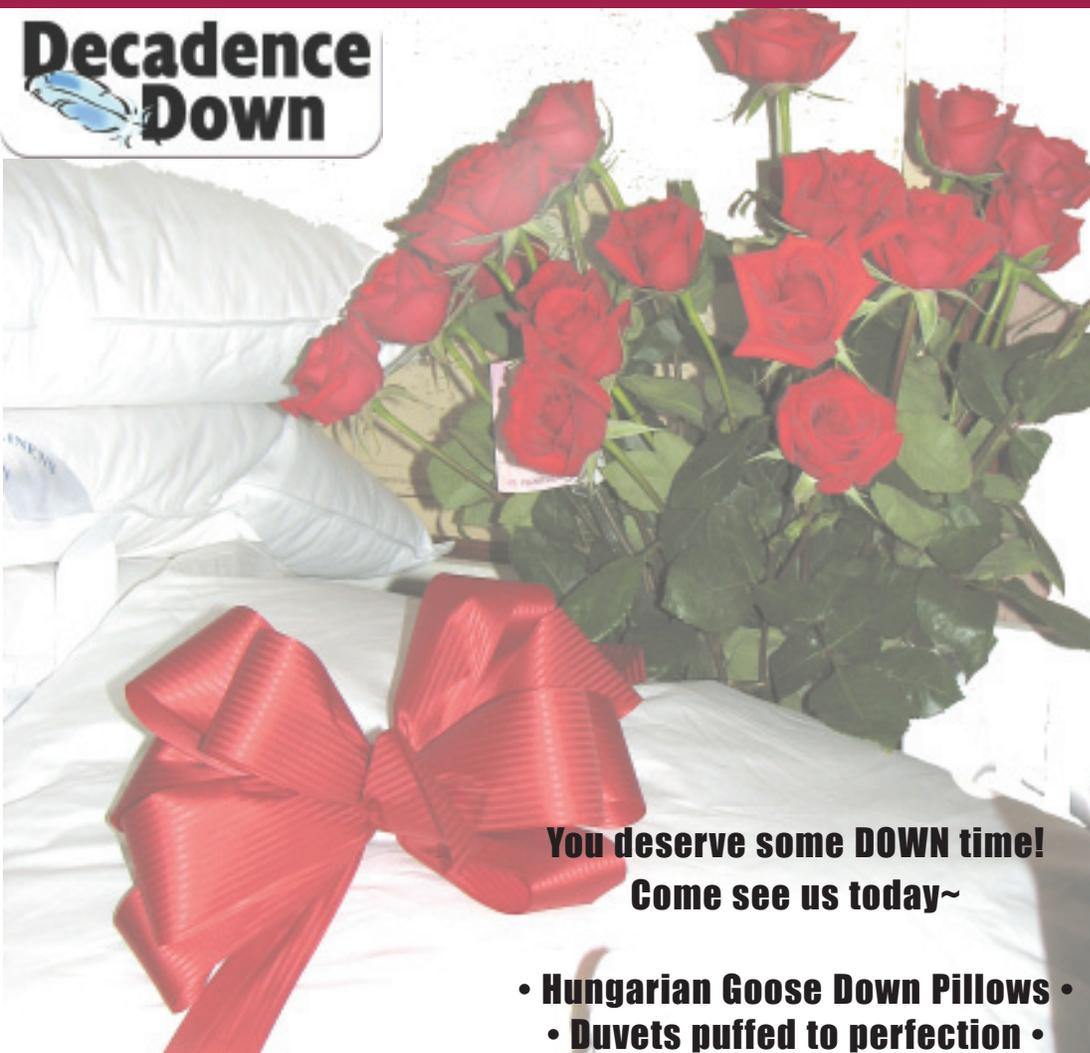
The Wave was undefeated at the District Tourney which was played in Gulf Breeze June 6-13. They then traveled south to St. Pete and won all five games to be crowned State Champions.

The All Star Team, whose members are from Gulf Breeze and Pensacola Beach will travel to the Dizzy Dean World Series in South Haven, Mississippi on July 22. They will compete against forty teams from across the United States.



Members of the State Champion eight-year-old Gulf Breeze Wave All Star team are front row (L to R): Sam Joyce, Matthew deMahy, Jace Amberson, Parker Baynes, and Adam Colston. Middle row (L to R): Julian Gordon, Blake Fournie, Zane Gill, Tyler Phelps, Nick Liebig, and Wade Niles. Back row (L to R) are: Coaches Jamie Colston, Jeff Gill, and Terence Joyce. Pensacola Beach Elementary School students who helped bring home the championship trophy are Zane Gill, first base and home run slugger, Jace Amberson, short stop and Parker Baynes who plays catcher.

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by kathi lewis

I am really excited. Life is good. I got to see Beau SoLeil live in concert. Thanks to my dear friend, Queen Shugah Paulette Provost and her daughter, Caroline who was our designated driver. Band members David and Michael are Paulette's brothers, so I got an autographed CD. What a fabulous birthday present. I can't wait to see how she tops this one next year. It was so special and we danced in the grass – yes, grass. That is very different for “sand” people.

Thanks to all my beach sisters for making my birthday so special this year. Enough about the birthday, we'll move on.

Tony and Pam Scott, next door, received a port-a-let today. I know that's not very exciting news to most people, but to those of us rebuilding on the island, it means that workers are coming and that is very exciting! It is nice to see our neighborhood, at least, coming back better than ever.

We were receiving updates from world traveler, Ella Hess, who just returned from Japan. Elaine Mitchell and Charlotte Spencer traveled to different parts of Texas, and we know they all had fun, but we missed them.

We had an SOB Bridal Shower for Sara Hosey, one of the petite sistas. We are all so happy for you, Sara, and wish you and Huey a long life of happiness and love.

And, the food...oh my God, it is definitely too much to describe. It was all so good and this week's recipe comes from our own petite sista, Jayne Drees. She brought this to the shower and, not only was it a lovely presentation, it was delicious, too. She e-mailed me the recipe so that I could submit it this week.

If you are having a party and/or company, I would recommend this recipe. It can be made ahead of time and serves 15-20 people. Okay, let's cook....

#### Pesto Cheese Blossoms

1-8oz. package sliced provolone cheese  
2-8oz. packages cream cheese, room temperature  
20 pistachios, shelled  
1 clove garlic  
1 – 8oz. jar Pesto (You can make your own, but this is easier)  
3-oz. oil-packed sun-dried tomatoes

Line a medium bowl with plastic wrap, leaving enough to cover the top. Reserving three slices of the provolone, line the bottom and sides of the bowl with the remaining provolone, overlapping the slices. For the cream cheese layer, process the cream cheese, pistachios and the garlic clove in a food processor until blended. For the tomato layer, drain the tomatoes, reserving the oil. Puree the tomatoes with a small amount of the reserved oil in a food processor. Spread some of the cream cheese mixture over the cheese slices lining the bowl. Layer the pesto, half of the remaining cream cheese mix., the sun-dried tomato mix., and then remaining cream cheese in the bowl. Cover with the remaining provolone. Bring the edges of the plastic wrap together over the top and secure with a twist tie. Freeze until firm. Remove plastic and invert the mold onto a serving platter. Serve with party crackers. This will keep in the refrigerator for up to 3 months.

Enjoy and I'll see ya in the kitchen....



Shaker bartender Ashley Forman served lots of cold ones to the crowds at the Sandshaker Bikini Contest, Saturday, July 8. She gets a hug from Jeff Smith, the Beach's Budweiser guy.



A bevy of beauties competed in the Sandshaker Bikini Contest, Saturday, July 8. The judges' top picks are (L to R) Lelani Andrus, first place; April Clark from Mississippi, second place and third place winner is Samantha Wiggins.

*Wine Talk*

with Bob Temple  
Beach Wines and Liquors

#### DRAWING A BLANC

With warmer weather upon us, it is time to switch to lighter wines, such as Sauvignon Blanc. This varietal offers better value than California's perennial favorite, Chardonnay, and it is quite good at quenching thirst and harmonizing with food. Of course, all this nothing new to the French, who have long prized Sancerre, which the famous Loire Valley white wine produced from the Sauvignon Blanc grape. California Sauvignon Blancs share their refreshing acidity with their flinty French counterparts, but they are also somewhat brighter. There is also the distinctive aroma, which may be likened to freshly mown grass. This herbaceous note serves to heighten the wine's summer allure, as we lazily take to our hammocks and patios.

HINT: Sauvignon Blanc is especially good when served with seafood.

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## PENSACOLA BEACH EXPOSED

Have you seen the new Pensacola Beach Visitor's Guide? Although the publication was designed to provide visitors information on the Beach, it contains a wealth of listings and stories which will be really useful to residents. Get your copy at the Visitor's Information Center.

## A PIECE ON PARADISE

When Weather Channel personalities visit Pensacola Beach, it causes a stir. Well, move over Jim Cantore and Mike Siedel, the Beach's own Fred Simmons recounted the rebirth of the Gulf Aire into the quaint Paradise Inn on the storm-watcher's station. Fred is happy to sign autographs.

## OLIVE JUICE

The elegant and popular martini now has a whole bistro on Pensacola Beach dedicated to the fine art of shaking or stirring. The newly opened Olive Drop Bar is located in the Soundside Market. Crooner Conner Cagle is your host.

## PAMPERED WINNER

Cathy McCoy is a lucky lady from her head down to her toes. She got fabulous fashions at Consigning Women and won the first prize drawing, a lavender pedicure relaxation kit.

## IT'S A FAMILY AFFAIR

When the Keller Williams Beach Team of Realtors tells you they will treat you like family, they mean it. Stu Reynolds has assembled a top notch group which includes son and daughter-in-law, Alan and Kelley Reynolds and his wife, Frankie.

# Sales Tax Takes A Vacation

## State Gives Back To Schoolers A Break

The State of Florida has declared a sales tax exemption on school supplies purchased Saturday, July 22 through Sunday, July 30. The tax exemption applies to all school related items that sell for \$50 or less. Listed merchandise ranges from bobby pins to martial arts attire. If you want to save a few dollars as you get ready for school in August, take advantage of the sales tax holiday.

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# Buck Lee Explains Hurricane Procedures To Residents and Leaseholders

Buck Lee, General Manager of the Santa Rosa Island Authority explained to the membership of the Pensacola Beach Residents and Leaseholders Association the protocol which must be followed after a storm on the Island. Speaking at the July 11 meeting of the group, Buck responded to their concerns about post hurricane procedures.

"The Emergency Management System is fashioned in a hierarchy and chain of command," he said. "All who are involved have been trained in the National Incident Management

System. There are specific procedures and protocol that I, as the General Manager, must follow to facilitate the return of staff and then residents to the Island in a post storm situation."

Tona de Mers, president, had reported that the PBRLA is working on getting their website up and running and intended to provide information on it after a storm. She also said they want to appoint a committee to check on post storm condition of residences.

Buck suggested that such a project would take 50 to 100 vol-

unteers, and pointed out that only eight persons were in attendance at the meeting. "Perhaps, you should try to concentrate on growing your membership," he said.

He did offer his own support of the plan and said he could be in touch by telephone as soon as possible after a storm. He also referred the Association to the Escambia County Public Information Officer, Sonja Smith-Daniels, since she can issue official information to the PBRLA.

Buck preceded his hurricane remarks with an overview report

of the progress of restoring damaged homes, buildings and roads on the Island.

"I love this Island," Buck said. "I spent many days as a youth out here. I met my wife on the Fourth of July at The Dunes 32 years ago. The most important thing for us all to remember is to be prepared."

Victoria Clarkin told the attendees that the PBRLA will soon send a newsletter and a survey to all Beach residents and leaseholders as a step toward rebuilding the Association membership.

The next PBRLA meeting will be at 6 p.m., Tuesday, August 8 at the Pensacola Beach Community Church.



*Debbie Copeland and Darla Richardson teamed up together to chair the Pensacola Beach Elk's Lodge Silent Auction, June 3. The auction which was held in conjunction with a blood drive for Northwest Florida Blood Bank, netted \$1300 and 18 pints of blood.*

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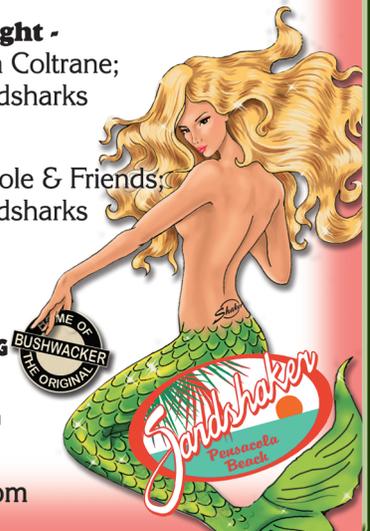
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# A Cross in the Sand

By  
**Dr. Chuck Randle**

Pastor

Pensacola Beach Community Church

As I write this article, the Blue Angels are practicing for their Saturday Air Show which will be over by the time this article appears in the *Island Times*.

It has always amazed me how people flock to the beach to see the precision flying maneuvers of these Blue Angels. We've learned to expect those loners that come screeching from the north when we least expect them to do so. We hold our breaths when two come toward each other and put one wing up and one down and appear to barely miss each other, or when they fly, one upside down and the other right side up. I would imagine that the next best thing to see them doing their thing would be to be in one of the planes enjoy-

ing the thrill of flight. The planes are able to accomplish their precision flying because of the training and skills of the pilots, as well as the structure of the airplane to withstand such stress, and also because of the laws of nature that are dependable without question, i.e., the law of gravity.

Coming to the air show gives us a sense of a community that has endured the destructive forces of nature over the years. The Blues give us a sense of continuity - a sense of awe at the versatility of the aircraft, as well as the resilience and determination of the community to rebound. Long live the Blues! Long live the beach! Long live the inspiration created by both.

# Our Lady and St. Ann Host Summer Events

## Beach Mass

Sundays, 9:45 a.m. Mass at Our Lady of the Assumption Mission, Via de Luna and Avenida 18, Pensacola Beach

## Feast on This

Summer Novena of Events will celebrate St. Ann's Day, July 26, this year at St. Ann Catholic Church, Gulf Breeze and Our Lady of the Assumption, Pensacola Beach.

## Let's Play

Wednesday, July 19, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Game Day Party to benefit Pensacola Beach Elementary. \$15 admission to play bridge, canasta, mah jongg, Bunco, board games, and more! RSVP: 934-2845.

## History Lessons

Thursday, July 20, 6 p.m. - "Catholic in Pensacola" presentation on the history of the Catholic Church in our area by Dr. Judy Bense, Institute of Archaeology at UWF. Join us for this wine and cheese event sponsored by St. Ann Adult Faith Formation and the Pensacola Archaeological Society.

## Musical Production

July 21, "Daniel in Lion's Den", a recital by the participants in our music camp, will be in the St. Ann Parish Hall and Church, 5:30 p.m. Registration for Sunday School and Faith Formation classes will be at this event.

## Game Night

July 24, Family Game Night sponsored by Young Families Group, St. Ann Family Life Center Rec Room, 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. will include a competition for the "Funnest Family." Registration for Sunday School and Faith Formation classes will be

at this event.

Information, bulletins and newsletters are available at [www.StAnnGulfBreeze.Org](http://www.StAnnGulfBreeze.Org) or by calling the Church office at 850-932-2859.

## Navajo Mission Trip

For the fourth year, teams from St. Ann Catholic Church and Our Lady of the Assumption Mission are preparing to help young and old alike at the Navajo Mission in Klagetoh, Ariz.

Cathy and Chuck Porter are coordinating this year's fall visit to the Navajo Indian reservation and St. Anne's Mission in Arizona, set for September 1-5, with a side trip to Colorado after the work is done. The group is limited to 12, and round trip air fare is \$415.

The youth of St. Ann Catholic Church and Our Lady of the

Assumption will be making another mission trip to the reservation during Fall Break in October, Youth Minister Brian Burnett said.

If you would like to volunteer to go in September, call Cathy Porter at 934-3455. Bryan Burnett, 932-4215, is coordinating the Fall Break trip for the youth.

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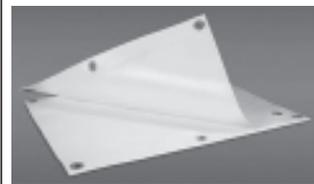
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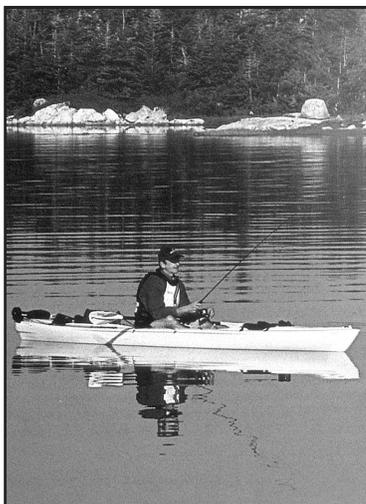


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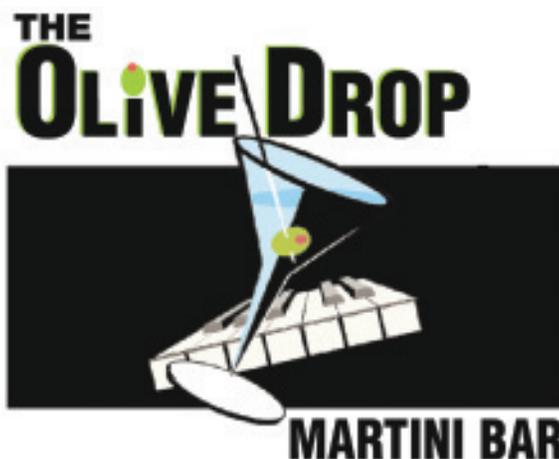
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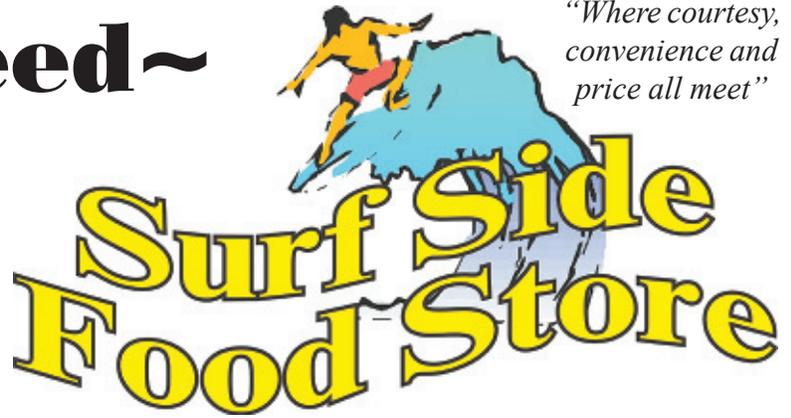
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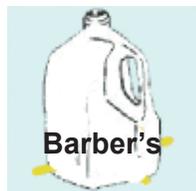
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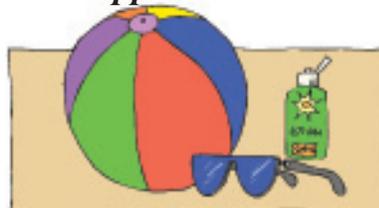


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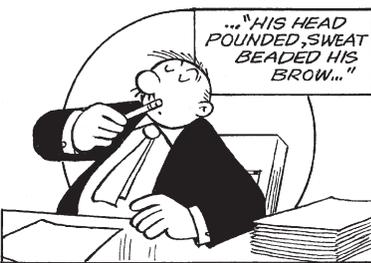
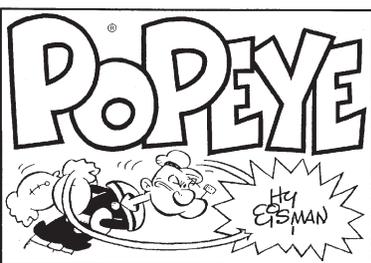
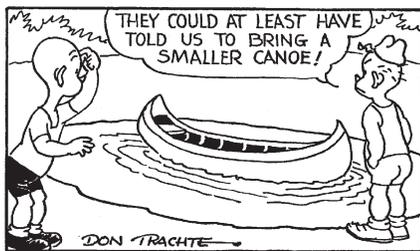
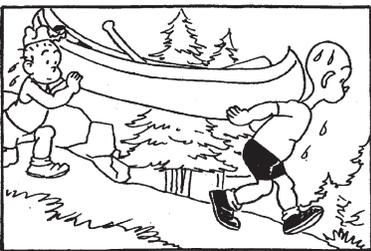
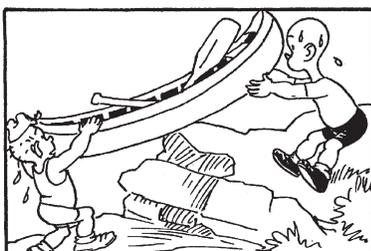
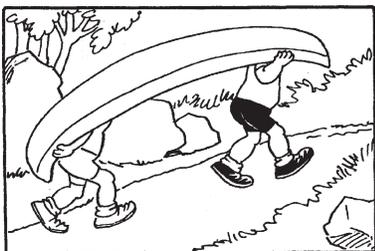
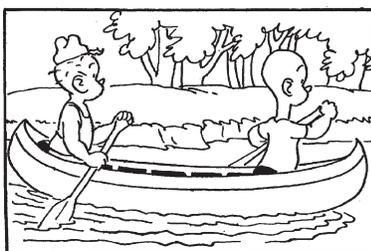
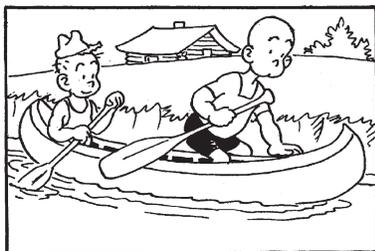
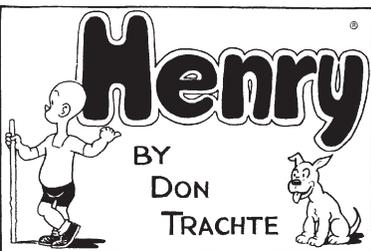
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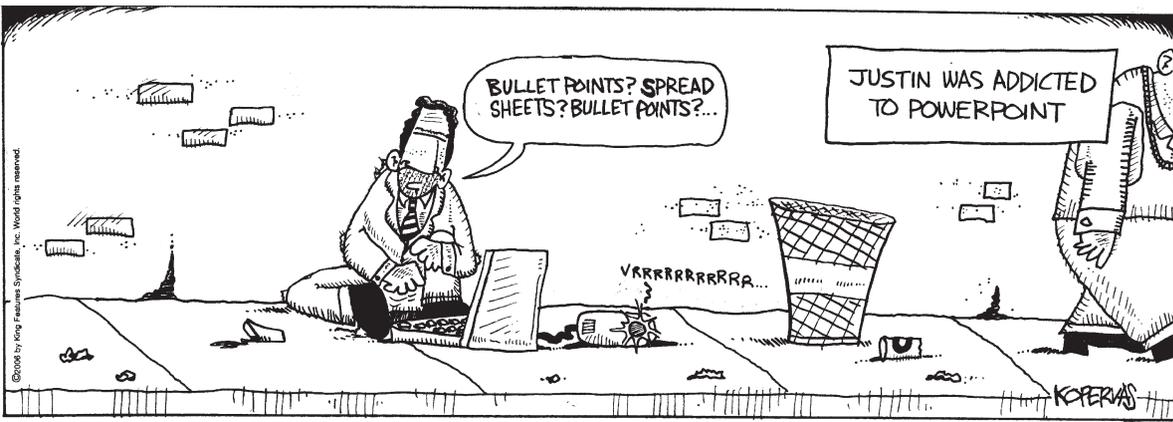
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Out on a Limb

by Gary Kopervas



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**TAURUS** (April 20 to May 20) As changes continue, expect things to get a little more hectic at your workplace. An unexpected travel opportunity could open new career prospects.

**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 20) Confront the person who caused your hurt feelings and demand a full explanation for his or her actions. You'll not only recover your self-esteem, but you'll also gain the respect of others.

**CANCER** (June 21 to July 22) That personal problem in the workplace is compounded by someone's biased interference. Stand your ground, and you'll soon find allies gathering around you.

**LEO** (July 23 to August 22) You don't accept disapproval easily. But instead of hiding out in your den to lick your wounded pride, turn the criticism into a valuable lesson for future use.

**VIRGO** (August 23 to September 22) That former friend you thought you'd cut out of your life is still affecting other relationships. Counter his or her lies with the truth. Your friends are ready to listen.

**LIBRA** (September 23 to October 22) What appears to be an unfair situation might simply be the result of a misunderstanding. If you feel something is out of balance, by all means, correct it.

**SCORPIO** (October 23 to November 21) A stalled relationship won't budge until you make the first move. Your partner offers a surprising explanation about what got it mired down in the first place.

**SAGITTARIUS** (November 22 to December 21) A co-worker shares some startling news, but before you can use it to your advantage, make sure it's true. The weekend favors family matters.

**CAPRICORN** (December 22 to January 19) Your usual conservative approach to family situations might not work at this time. Keep an open mind about developments, and you might be pleasantly surprised.

**AQUARIUS** (January 20 to February 18) Plans might have to be put on hold because of a family member's problems. Don't hesitate to get involved. Your help could make all the difference.

**PISCES** (February 19 to March 20) Relationships in the home and in the workplace need your careful attention during this period. Be careful not to allow misunderstandings to create problems.

**BORN THIS WEEK:** You have a keen, insightful intellect and enjoy debating your views with others who disagree with you. You also love to solve puzzles -- the harder, the better.

# Esposito's Surf Report



by  
Freddy  
Esposito

People always ask me, "Freddy, what do you guys do when there's no surf?"

Do you have jobs, pay bills, or just hang out? You guys are beach bums, aren't you?

Well, this is my favorite question of all time!

Beach Bums, they call us - like we just hang around 'till the surf comes up, eating cheap surf food and talking surf talk all day. Hey, dude, get a clue.

First of all, I have never met a beach bum surfer. Sure, I've met some bums in my day, (the wall of shame) but no surf bums. Oh, maybe in the old 50s surf movies, but that's not real, you know. Hollywood has never had

a clue into the surfing world.

You see, surfing really doesn't attract that type of person. Surfers are a different breed. They are dedicated athletes and spend some serious cash on their gear.

The average surfboard costs well over \$500, and good wetsuits range from \$150-\$300. The cost of travel to find good waves, well, that can cost thousands of dollars for plane tickets, hotels, transportation, and on and on.

I really have never met a Bum that can afford that routine. You would have to sell a lot of newspapers on the interstate just to get some good wax!

So the question was...what do we do?

Well, we do the same things as everyone else. We raise families, have real jobs and walk and chew gum like the rest of you.

But the main difference is we always make the time, no matter what, to ride waves. It keeps us sane, to a degree.

Some of us have pursued jobs that allow us to take time off, or change our schedule to fit our surfing habit. We do what ever it takes. It's about dedication, remember? Doesn't sound like a bunch of bums to me!

Stay safe. Stay stoked. Stay off the interstate!

## Bushwacker 5K Registration Deadline Set

Runners, get ready. Now is the time to register to enter the annual Bushwacker 5K Run. Preregistration for the popular run from Gulf Breeze to Pensacola Beach is open through July 31. Register in person at Running Wild, 126

South Palafox Street in Pensacola. Late registration will be August 3 from 4 to 7 p.m. at Capt'n Fun downtown and on August 4 from 4 to 7 p.m. at Portofino Beach Boardwalk on Pensacola Beach. Mail

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Walk with a ranger and learn about barrier island ecology on Saturday, July 29 at 10 a.m. If you are a beachcomber then join the Island Treasures program at 2 p.m. Saturday, July 29. Attendees should meet at the

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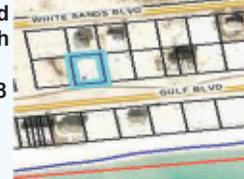
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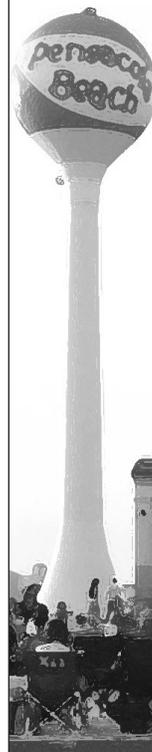


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Texas Hold 'Em 4 Fun poker games attract card players to the tables at the waterfront Paradise Bar and Grill and the historic Islander Lounge every week.

Winners from the June weekly Texas Hold 'Em 4 Fun gathered around the felt to test their skills on Friday, June 30. Roberto Vazques defeated Tim

Rinker in the final hand to earn the title of Champion's Champion of the month of June.

Stephanie Marlowe mowed down a big crowd on July 3 to take a the win with tourist Ryan Okkin posting the second highest stake of chips. Soul Feel served up tasty tunes for the players to groove on.

The following week, July 10 action found Eric Teel from Pensacola defeating Redneck Annie Vinson in the final. Janie Uzdevenes was third.

The Islander Lounge hosts games on Wednesday nights at 7 p.m. After a long Fourth of July weekend, Larry Richard took out Anthony Mince in a one hand final to take top honors.

Then on the eve of the Blue Angels show, July 12, Tommy Chavis flew to the winners circle with a very "blue" Trace Lewis in tow.

"This is a great way to get out and have some fun on a week night. There is no charge to play and everyone is welcome," said Texas Hold 'Em 4 Fun promoter Rick Uzdevenes.

Games begin at 7 p.m. and are played at Paradise Bar and Grill on Monday nights and The Islander Lounge on Wednesday nights. Spectators are welcome.



Roberto Vazquez is the winner of the Champions Tournament. Weekly winners gathered at Paradise for a head to head showdown on Friday, June 30.



Does it get any better than this? Playing poker at Pensacola Beach's Paradise Bar and Grill with your feet in the sand and Santa Rosa Sound by your side. Two tables of players wave hello prior to getting down to the serious business of card playing on Monday, July 3.

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# The Beauty & Beach

By Danah & Gwen Gibson

## Using the right cosmetics for your skin type

It's very important to use cosmetics that are specifically for your skin type, whether it be dry, oily or a combo of both. If you're not sure what your skin type is, all you have to do is wash your face with regular facial soap, then, about an hour later, feel your skin. If it's tight, then you have dry skin. If it's shiny, you have oily skin. If one area, like your cheeks, is tight, and your forehead is shiny, then you have combination skin.

Dry skin is good for the most part, but you do need to take extra precautions, because it's more likely to wrinkle. That means using a good, creamy moisturizer twice a day, once under your make-up in the morning, and then again at night after you wash your face. A sunscreen with an SPF of 45 or more wouldn't hurt as well as a weekly deep moisturizing mask. Less break-outs for dry skin is the big positive here!

Oily skin is much more susceptible to breaking out than dry skin, but then it tends not to wrinkle so much. (Where's the happy medium here?)

It is recommended to wash your face three times a day with this skin type, but who has time for that? If I start feeling oily- I just grab the good old bottle of Sea Breeze astringent and give my face the once over. A mud mask is good for drawing out the impurities in your skin.

If you have combination skin, don't worry, you don't have to buy two types of cleansers. There are products specifically designed for you! This may sound a little nutty, but you must

remember that your skin does not stop at your jaw line. The skin on your neck and chest are similar to your facial area, so treat it as such. There are body cleansing systems designed for each skin type, with everything you need. The only thing you have to remember is don't get something that clashes with your favorite perfume- two conflicting fragrances can raise quite a funk!

Here's to healthy skin and a happy you.

## Laugh It Up For A Good Cause

Tickets are now available for the 12th Annual Evening of Comedy Benefiting Covenant Hospice, to be held on Saturday, July 29 at Hilton Garden Inn on Pensacola Beach. Hosted by Sue Straughn, the evening includes a silent and live auction, hors d'oeuvres, a gourmet dinner, a cash bar and a whole lot of laughter! Nationally known comedian Henry Cho will provide the evening's entertainment.

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# The LIZZARD'S TONGUE

by E.K. Hewson



In April of this year, author Michael Pollan published "The Omnivore's Dilemma: A Natural History of Four Meals." After listening to multiple interviews with him on National Public Radio (NPR) and reading a glorious review in *The New York Times*, I knew this was just the book I needed read to bring out the organic farmer in me and to get me in touch with where my food originates. I had myself convinced that weekly trips to the Commissary would be a thing of the past and I would be living off the land in my government owned backyard. I envisioned a small garden just bursting with tomatoes, green beans, cucumbers, peas, carrots, scallions and basil—pesticide free, of course. Then reality sunk in.

The day I was making my list of what I needed, which in my mind was seeds only, I received notice that soil sampling would be conducted in a few days. It seems that some kind of tank that was buried in the ground twenty or thirty years ago was leeching contaminants into the soil. As hard as the gentleman tried to reassure me that there was no evidence of soil contamination where I lived, I quickly added soil and planters to my list. I was determined to have a garden.

As I poured my soil and

neatly planted rows of seeds, or in some cases circles of seeds, I revisited the idea that by summer, I would host a dinner party. The menu would consist of boiled crabs that I caught in the Neuse River which is a short bike ride away; lightly steamed green beans; tomato and basil salad; and sliced apples from the tree on the side of the house that I nurtured throughout the winter months and vigilantly protected from my husband's errant weed whacking ways.

Well last week I had my official garden party. It was quite small. Okay, so I was the only one who attended. I served three boiled crabs, five green beans, a local-farmer's-market-bought tomato with basil pinched from my neighbor's yard, and for dessert what was left of a half-eaten apple. I have no idea what kind of bird ate the other half, but I hope he enjoyed it as much as I did.

This summer, my trips to the Commissary did not cease nor did my consumption of pre-packaged, cellophane secured fish. I did, however, catch and grow one meal and am now more in touch with where my food originates. Unfortunately, it's just not in my own backyard. Until next time...

Luv,  
Lizzard

## Beach Tunes In To Juke House Regulars

Juke House Regulars will fill the Casino Beach Gulfside Pavilion with tempting tunes as the Blues on the Beach concerts continue Tuesday, July 25.

During the summer season, you can enjoy Blues on the Beach concerts for free featuring an exciting line up of bands playing every Tuesday from 7-9 p.m., through August at the Gulfside Pavilion on Pensacola Beach. Concerts are provided by the Santa Rosa Island Authority and organized by the Pensacola Beach Chamber of Commerce.

Spectators are encouraged to bring lawn chairs or blankets to the pavilion area. No pets are allowed and glass is prohibited.

For more information call the Pensacola Beach Visitor Information Center at 850-932-1500, or log on to [visitpensacolabeach.com](http://visitpensacolabeach.com)

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Landlubbers beware! Krewe of Kids members Cayle and Kye Sessions dress the part last week on their way to see "Pirates of the Caribbean: Dead Man's Chest." Celene and Jim Sessions are the pirates' parents.

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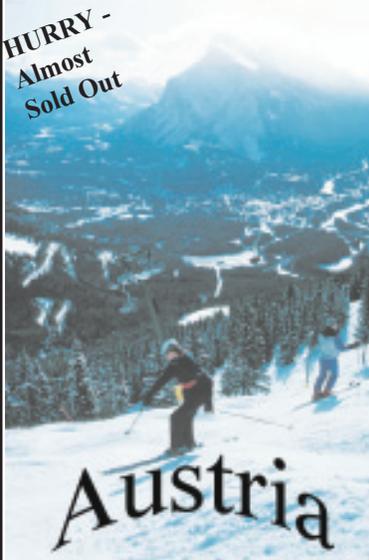
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## Mostly Nuts & Bolts

By Candace Segar

### Fancy Fixtures From France Freak Out Engineers

Today's topic is repairing light fixtures preferably chandeliers. And, these chandeliers are not from the USA. They are old and from France. They are antique and unique, and need some work.

You say, "so that's not a big deal."

And my response is, "au contraire, mon frere." (To the contrary, my brother). Now let's see why this is so.

First of all the French had some very unique electrical components in their wiring for light fixtures. Three electrical engineers, myself included, had never

seen such an arrangement. The light sockets were not standard US; and therefore, no US bulbs would fit. So this involved replacing them with US light sockets. But BIG problems - nothing would screw in because the threads (not clothes) on the support brackets and connecting pieces all had different threads from US standards.

Twelve new brackets, twelve new sockets, and a lot of rewiring of this fixture brought beautiful results. It only took a day and a half, a bottle of brandy and many swear words.

But ooh la la!

## College Electricity Course Gets Students Plugged In

Pensacola Junior College is offering a vocational certificate program in Electricity beginning Sept. 15.

The program contains significant on-the-job training. Courses follow curriculum developed by Florida Community College of Jacksonville's Florida Construction Institute and standards set by the National Center for Construction Education and Research.

Residential and commercial electrical courses are covered - including proper selection and use of power and hand tools; blueprints; the National Electrical Code; wiring tech-

niques and electrical maintenance procedures. Training experience consists of hands-on scenarios in the lab and real construction projects.

The service-learning component stresses community involvement such as helping Habitat for Humanity meet its goal to build approximately 50 homes during the next year.

A Jobs for Florida's Future grant is funding the program's launch. Scholarships are available.

For more information, contact Robert Pierce at 484-1950 or rpierce@pjc.edu.

## Kids Transform Into Junior Rangers At Camp

Children ages 8 to 11 can become Junior Rangers for the day the program offered at Naval Live Oaks Area in Gulf Breeze, Wednesday, July 26 from 9 a.m. until noon. This is a chance for children to experience and learn about the Gulf Islands National Seashore. Naval Live Oaks is located at 1801 Gulf Breeze Pkwy., in Gulf Breeze.

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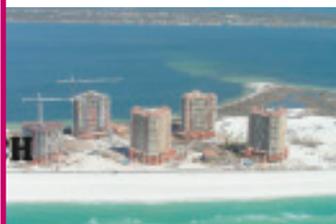
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## King Crossword

### ACROSS

- 1 Unsatisfactory
- 4 Kyoto cummerbund
- 7 Creche trio
- 11 Skedaddle
- 13 Skedaddle
- 14 Throat clearer
- 15 - Romeo (Italian sports car)
- 16 Right angle
- 17 Cloverleaf feature
- 18 Stylish again
- 20 Soak up some rays
- 22 VII twice
- 24 Solomonic quality
- 28 Casino patron
- 32 Broadway platform
- 33 Winged
- 34 Playground game
- 36 Luau entertainment
- 37 Sharpen a razor
- 39 Immoral woman of the Bible
- 41 Inn
- 43 - Angeles
- 44 Head light?
- 46 "Carmen," e.g.
- 50 Spot of land
- 53 Suitable
- 55 Portent

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- 56 Boot attachment
- 57 Chaps
- 58 Ocean motion
- 59 Periodicals, for short
- 60 Pismire
- 61 Pull
- 8 "I understand"
- 9 Jewel
- 10 Mischief-maker
- 12 Wacky screen trio
- 19 Lubricant
- 21 Bro's counterpart
- 23 Ex-GI
- 25 Smear
- 26 Lecherous look
- 27 Repast
- 28 Long cut
- 29 Saxophone range
- 30 The red planet
- 31 Rule, in British India
- 35 Toothpaste type
- 38 Pod occupant
- 40 Menagerie
- 42 Camel's kin
- 45 Tournament format
- 47 Send out
- 48 Start over
- 49 Differently
- 50 Doctrine
- 51 Hot tub
- 52 LummoX
- 54 Explosive network?

## King Crossword Answers

Solution time: 21 mins.

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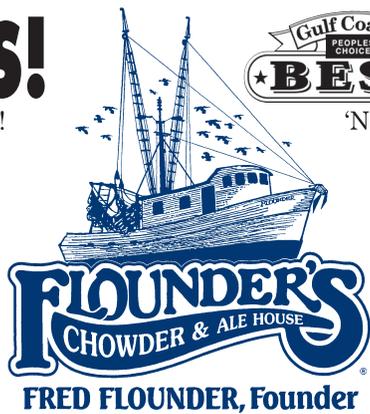
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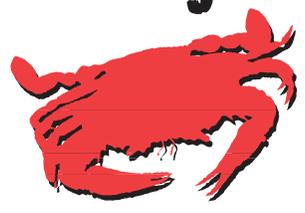
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