

ISLAND TIMES

Volume VIII, Number 7

Pensacola Beach, Florida

July 24, 2012

Gentle Giants Nest On Our Sandy Shores

Beach Event
Illuminates Need For
Turtle Friendly 'Tude

Sea Turtle
Baby Shower
Set for
July 28



Nature guides female sea turtles to return to the Beach where they were born to dig a nest for their eggs. Their instincts lead them back to the white sand beaches of Santa Rosa Island where they shy away from highly illuminated and obstacle laden areas. Beach kids for generations have watched in awe as a graceful sea turtle swims in the Gulf, but only a few have seen her lumber awkwardly across the sand to find a home for her nest. Beach residents Hollyn Will, 7, and her brother Dalton, 6, love sea turtles. They will ride the trolley to the Sea Turtle Baby Shower on July 28 with their mom Kelly. To get your turtle 'tude on...turn to page two.

Hosts Dig Guests With Turtle Friendly 'Tude

The wonders of Pensacola Beach are endless. Generations of children can tell you about the island's treasures found on the white sands and in the warm Gulf waters.

Holiday Inn Express General Manager Beverly Hofer McCay, who was raised on Pensacola Beach when it was a largely undeveloped sand box said, "We knew, as children, that we were blessed to share this island with the sea turtles, shore birds, ghost crabs, skunks, raccoons and snakes. There were always turtles in the water. We would see them swimming close to shore and I can't recall a boat trip when we didn't see a turtle's head pop up."

This beautiful place lured tourists to visit and others to settle here. Eventually the development and increased population ended many of the wildlife sightings. Consider the magnificence of seeing a sea turtle return to her birthplace to lay her eggs. As a native of Pensacola Beach she innately knows this is where her hatchlings belong. It is up to the islanders to make it a safe and turtle friendly place to ensure the next generations of turtles and Beach children will have the same experience.

Little Hollyn Will, who will be in second grade at the Pensacola Beach Charter School next year, excitedly exclaimed, "I have seen two sea turtles! Swimming right out in the Gulf."

The wonders of Pensacola Beach are returning for her generation to embrace.

For years, conservation efforts have been increasing and this year, Pensacola Beach has seen an uptick in the wildlife, especially sea turtle nests. There are two nests at the Holiday Inn Express, which is designed with turtle-friendly lighting. The results are promising, but there is much more to do to save an

ancient species from extinction.

To celebrate the increase in nests a creative bunch of Islanders thought a beach party was in order. A Sea Turtle Baby Shower is being hosted Saturday, July 28 from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. at the Holiday Inn Express' easternmost parking area. The Fort Pickens Road location is directly on the beach trolley route, so guests are asked to catch a free trolley ride to the event.

Organizers include Beach residents Lila Cox and DJ Zemenick, and Beverly McCay. The Pensacola Beach Woman's Club, Pensacola Beach Chamber, Margaritaville Beach Hotel, Island Times and Pensacola Beach Advocates' Beachkeepers are supporting the fun. Rick O'Connor, Sea Grant Marine Agent for Escambia County, is lending his energy and expertise, too.

"Would you like to name a sea turtle or guess the nest hatching date?" asked Lila Cox. "You can do that at our shower."

Special earth-friendly turtle ornaments need some crafty kids and adults to adorn them. The finished products will be displayed in the Pensacola Beach Visitor's Information Center with the artist's name.

"The turtle ornaments will be a whimsical way to raise awareness for our Island visitors," said Cox. "They should generate interest and questions at the Center. At the end of turtle nesting season, the artists may pick up the ornament knowing they helped the turtles this year."

Additionally, there will be turtle shaped sugar cookies to decorate. Party goers will be able to name a turtle egg, play the Candy Bar game, take a Turtle Oath, see and touch real turtle shells. If you wondered what

pollution does to the turtles, you can splash over to the Baby Bath game.

Bring your own camera or Mary Ann Claus, Bettie Lee and Dave Sundstrom will snap your photo next to the life-sized turtle cut-outs.

"They are bigger than you think," said DJ Zemenick who is a turtle patroller. "It's amazing."

Zemenick will set up a video kiosk showing a mother sea turtle nesting on Pensacola Beach. Since the turtles nest at night, not many have seen this in

"Turtles are just cool animals. When you see one in the surf, it makes your day... and we all need good days."

Rick O'Connor, Sea Grant
Escambia County Extension Agent

person. There will also be hatching photos to view.

Melanie Waite has been a turtle patroller for twenty years. She is buoyed by the increase in awareness and will be at the Shower to share stories, and turtle tips. As a retired school teacher, she knows the Shower's fun will yield some better educated islanders.

Games, displays and a chance to try the Turtle Tango or Shell-back Square Dance when Boogie, Inc. plays a few tunes, awaits you. The sand is your dance floor.

The games and activities are free, except the Guess The Hatchling Date game. The cost to guess is \$1 and will be dedicated to a conservation project. Calculate the date, time and number of hatchlings at the nests located south of the Holiday Inn Express. The best guesser will be rewarded with a \$50 gift card sponsored by the Pensacola Beach Advocates.

At 5:15 p.m. everyone will be asked to take the Turtle Oath pledging to be good stewards of our green-shelled friends. But, the party's not over. A few local dignitaries will face off in the 1-2-3 Nest! game to highlight the challenges of digging a nest with no hands.

"As I understand it, contestants will have to bury marshmallows in a plate of pudding," said McCay. "Without using their hands. Messy."

The entries include Margaritaville's GM Joe McCay, Beach Chamber President Maureen LaMar, Honorary Mayor Becky Shearman, PBA President Jim Cox, Extension Agent Rick O'Connor, SRIA Member Tammy Bohannon and her granddaughters Jocelyn and Lola, Chamber Chairman Shelley Johnson, Principal Jeff Castleberry, fourteen-year-old

Madison Thompson and Channel 3's Jaimee Lee. There may be some last minute surprise entries from the Pensacola Beach lifeguard station.

Guests will take away a few fun party favors like coloring books, pens, turtle-friendly light bulbs, "Turtles Dig the Dark" light switch decals and reusable bags; and a good turtle attitude.

"Part of a good turtle 'tude is turning out bright lights, closing curtains or changing a porch light bulb," said Zemenick. "Also, keep the beach and water free of litter. These are really easy things to do."

Rick O'Connor, who sees the animal world up close and personal in his daily work, outlined the environmental and economic advantages of being good stewards of the beach and its inhabitants. He summed up the importance of being turtle friendly by saying, "Turtles are just cool animals. Everyone, even locals who have seen plenty over the years, gets excited when they see one in the surf. It makes your day... and we all need good days."

July 28 will be a good day on Pensacola Beach. Be part of it. The Sea Turtle Baby Shower is a family friendly event, open to the public. To dig into more information, www.barrierislandgirl.com.



Photo left: A Kemp's Ridley hatchling begins his journey to the Gulf of Mexico just moments after he emerged from his Pensacola Beach nest. The nests hatch during the night and newborns instinctively follow the brightest light, which should be moonlight, to the water. They can be misdirected by artificial lights. A wrong turn lowers their already slim chances of survival.

Photo right: Female turtles leave tracks in the sand which conservation professionals follow to identify nest locations. If there are obstacles, the turtle may go back to the water or become trapped on the beach. A nesting turtle needs a dark stretch of beach to lay her eggs. The lack of light can help protect her and her nest from predators.

Photos provided courtesy of Barrier Island Girl Photography

ISLAND TIMES

Published every other Tuesday

SHELLEY W. JOHNSON, PUBLISHER

Post Office Box 844

Gulf Breeze, FL 32562

850-748-6878 phone

850-270-1117 fax

islandtimes@bellsouth.net

www.MyIslandTimes.com



Forever...Barefoot on the Beach

As a tribute to Jane Waters who passed away January 10, Island Times will continue to run some of Jane's favorite columns for your enjoyment

The Islander Newspaper – July 28, 1981

[Jane's balcony came crashing down on July 4, 1981, with her on it. It broke her back. The double whammy was that daughter Liz, 16-year-old staffer at The Islander, was seriously ill. The Islander never missed an edition.]

I am the puppet master. I pull the strings. The beach dolls jump. It is an unreal-almost surreal experience for me. The puppets do not seem to mind. They await my commands, anticipate my demands. They move, they produce, but these puppets have hearts. They move and jump and produce

because they love and they care.

How did that July 14 issue of *The Islander* ever get out? Picture the publisher, editor, advertising manager, production chief, circulation manager and Jane-O (that's me) issuing orders from a hospital bed. Issuing orders to people like Navy Captain Jack Greenley (ret) who turned copy boy for *The Islander*, driving heroically across the Bay Bridge with the ads and copy. Not even Don orders Nancy Roney around, but I did. She picked up print and arranged her time to run important missions for

the Beach newspaper. And Jane Deuel came out of retirement to help (she owns her own business now. Too bad. I said, *The Islander* is more important.)

And, there was my daughter Shelley, here from Denver, watching over me. And, get this, laying out a newspaper for the first time in her life. And Susie Hastings (medical secretary) grabbed my camera and transformed herself into Susie, girl press photographer! Enter Janice Thompson, lovable Beach hair cutter. She took her LTD to Crestview to the press run, a task

that begins at 6:30 a.m. and ends some time in the afternoon.

Back to the Beach with the papers, the crews fanned out over the territory. Janice, Shelley, Andrea East Brunt, Stanley, Mel Tucker, Regan Belcher, and who knows who else! And in the background. The extras - Kathy Greenley (magna cum laude Russian degree and bride-to-be) a special run to pick up newsprint. Bill Chisholm working overtime. The fine staff at the *Okaloosa News Journal* in Crestview. The constant stream of friends bringing food to sustain the editor and ailing photographer, Liz.

That's the way we did it. All of us novices. We put out a newspaper with only one credential going for all of us - LOVE.

To all the gallant "news men

and women" who responded to the tugs of my very demanding strings for that issues of the newspaper, what can I say? What can we all say? I'll try to say "thank you," but there has to be some way to say it better. I guess I would have died if I had missed one publication date. How about "Thanks, gang. You saved my life."

And, can I say more? There must be some way to really express my gratitude.

I keep trying to think of some combination of words to describe the stellar performance of the July 14 *Islander* "staff." I have been stricken dumb. It was all too over, beyond, and above anything I ever expected. Once again, I have underestimated the people around here. They care for each other - really.



The Santa Rosa Authority hosts a Blue Angels Wives Luncheon annually at Crab's to honor the Blue Angel's spouses and supporting family members. Enjoying the upstairs, Gulf front deck with a birds-eye view of the Thursday, July 12 air show are honorees: (Front row, L to R): Theresa Mephram, Kismet Blanton, Janice Kijanka, Kim McWherter, Marilyn Makarowski, Hannah Cordill and Anne Simonsen. (Back row, L to R): Tara Royles, Melody Hecker, Annie Wood-Bell, Leah Harrell, Lindsey Stevens, Shirley Robinson, Sabrina Mercado and Kiersten Mercado.

Raw Oysters

Fresh Gulf Seafood

Lunch Specials Mon- Fri 11-2

Dinner Specials Nightly



Peg Leg Pete's
PENSACOLA BEACH, FLORIDA

OPEN EVERYDAY at 11am

Our latitude will change your attitude

- ☼ Waterfront Dining
- ☼ Oyster Bar
- ☼ Live Music
- ☼ Gift Shop
- ☼ Kids Playground

- ☼ **Specials**
- Tues:** Half Price Bottles of Wine
- Wed:** Raw Oyster Specials
- Thurs:** Baked Oyster Specials

1010 Ft. Pickens Road • Pensacola Beach
932-4139 • www.peglegpetes.com

Sidelines

SPORTS BAR & RESTAURANT

OPEN EVERYDAY at 11 AM

Wings • Burgers • Seafood • Ribs

CATCH IT ALL!

Sports in Hi Def
40 TVs
8 Big Screens

WINGS

45¢

Every Thursday

Monday - Cajun Nite
Tuesday - Surf and Turf
Wed - Mexican Madness
#2 Via de Luna
Pensacola Beach
934-3660
www.sidelinessportsbarandrestaurant.com



All Sports Always On

TUESDAYS 7-9 P.M. GULFSIDE PAVILION

FREE SUMMER CONCERT SERIES

Bands ON THE Beach



Reunion Band
July 24
High Energy Dance Beats



Not Quite Fab
July 31
Beatles Tribute Band



Please, no glass containers or pets. For info, call SRIA at (850) 932-2257, or visit www.VisitPensacolaBeach.com.

PEOPLE

FORE

The Crowdis' summer is in full swing. Teenager Jett and his sister Katt, both Beach School grads, are competitive golfers. They are part of the First Tee of Northwest Florida program playing recently at Scenic Hills and Tiger Point's east course.

READERS WRITE

Courtney and Jim Winstead played tourist in Cape Cod and New York, but stayed up to speed on local happenings by reading *Island Times*. Courtney says they enjoyed their trip, but there is no place like home.

MOP MOMS

Amanda McCleskey is a MOP, a mother of preschoolers' member. She says they have a great group of all kinds of moms who meet at the Gulf Breeze Methodist Church. They are always looking for more moms, so email mops@gbumc.org for more info.

HOOKED UP

Villa Sabine resident Daniel Green took home Junior Angler awards for his half pound Pinfish and a Skipjack that tipped the scales at 1.6 pounds in the Sertoma Fishing Rodeo last month. His neighbor, Jace Amberson who will be in ninth grade this fall, fished in the adult division. He earned second place with his 2.6 pound flounder.

TAMING THE CAT

Two Beach schoolers have been recognized by Escambia County Superintendent of Schools Malcolm Thomas for their outstanding FCAT scores. Jude Hunter of Sabine Drive who will be entering the fourth grade at PBES received a personal letter of congratulations after obtaining the highest scores possible, as did his classmate Ryan Jenkins. The Beach School received an overall letter grade of "A." Additionally, one hundred percent earned a satisfactory or above on the writing portion of the test. Congrats, kids!

LOVE IS IN THE AIR

Former *Island Times* cover girl Julie Jewels Scarberry is sporting a sparkler on her left hand. Go check it out next time you see her on the Beach or The Break. The lucky fellow is Dr. Mark Thiele. An island wedding is being planned. Stay tuned for more details.

NAME GAME

Jeff Gordon was on Pen-

sacola Beach! Not the NASCAR race car driver, but Rick and Suzi Gordon's son. He brought his wife Angie, daughter Sofi and son Josh from Dallas for a beach visit. The Gordon gang grew when Jason and Angela Gordon arrived from Seattle. According to Big Rick, they had a great time and made the scene at PegLeg's and Key Sailing while they were here.

TURTLE TALK

According to one of our turtle patrollers, the O'Grady family has gone turtle friendly. They have a nest near their Pensacola Beach home and Chris, the good doctor, wants to know more. DJ Zemenick said she answered questions for ten minutes about nests and hatchlings.

BATTER UP!

Dawn Wise has to leave her post at McGuire's for a few days to travel to the Dizzy Dean Baseball Championship games in Southaven, Mississippi. Her son Wesley is representing Florida on his 8-year-old and younger team. The little sluggers have to outlast 49 teams from the surrounding area to bring home the trophy. Play began on July 19.

BIRTHDAY BONANZA

Jean Jones, Director of the St. Ann Discovery School in Gulf Breeze, had an explosion of birthday wishes in her office last week. Her staff converted her office entrance into a popping rainbow of streamers and flowers along with a non-stop supply of bubbles. "Miss Jean" as her young friends call her, has been at the helm of the pre-school for the last four years. The parents and staff wished her many more happy years.

SYMPATHIES

Pensacola Beach has lost a kind, gentle educator and athlete. Dr. George F. Pearce passed away Sunday, July 15. He was 86-years-old. George, along with his wife of 65 years Joellen, lived on Maldonado Drive. Together, they jogged many miles on the island roads. He was a member of the Pensacola Runners Association for 30 years.

Pearce retired as Professor Emeritus from the University of West Florida.

A Celebration of George's Life was held on July 19. Rose Lawn officiated.

Memorial donations may be made to the UWF History Scholarship Endowment, 11000 University Pkwy, Pensacola, FL 32514.

Trivia

Memories of Blue Angels and white sand beaches replaced the frozen ice crystals in Jersey Girl Gwen Foster's brain when she returned South. She out-matched the quickest of trivia players. The Trivia Master tips his cap and sends a shirt to Gwen who answered, "I am a big Angels fan. McWherter has been a Blues pilot at the beach show for 4 years including this year. I love *Island Times*. I wish it was a daily newspaper."

The Trivia Master will send Gwen's compliment to the publisher. Flattery will get you nowhere with the TM.

Capt. Greg McWherter, United States Navy, joined the Blue Angels in November of 2008. He flew the Pensacola Beach Show in 2009 and 2010, and due to a tragic loss returned to the team in May 2011. He was high above the sand in 2011 and 2012. Give a big salute to the fine aviator.

The Knights were flying in formation on this one. Sir Offshore Chuck shot his answer across the bow, before returning to the Gulf for two weeks. Sir Morrie Drees, in true military fashion, itemized down to years and months. Big Bob Dority faltered at first and redeemed

himself after proper hydration at Paradise.

Cathy Kristoff missed the target. Her answer, off by a few months, "Capt. Greg McWherter has flown the Pensacola Beach Air show in 2008, 2009, 2010 took a break to oversee the NROTC and returned in 2011. Add 2012 and that should total 5 years. I need a new shirt!" No shirt for you, sweet lady.

Dr. Lila Cox knows the Captain's boss; his wife Kim. Added to her correct answer, she wrote, "It is Kim McWherter's fourth time at the Blue Angels' wives luncheon. Last year I got the McWherters to sign my Blue Angels poster at the reception. They are very down to earth people and Kim is a local girl. I haven't won a t-shirt in ages."

It might be a few weeks

longer, sorry.

Retired Marine Corps Major Jim Knell buzzed in with a big, but wrong number. He will get dialed in again, soon, we hope.

The Trivia Master has identified the bar fly (*drinkius domestica*) as the largest insect native to Pensacola Beach, but what is the largest species of turtle in the world?

You will need to move faster than a turtle to get the special *Island Times* t-shirt for trivia winners only. Be the first to email a correct answer to islandtimes@bellsouth.net. Trivia must be included in the subject line and your name and phone number must accompany your answer. So says the Master whose decisions are final.

Deadline to answer is the last day of July. Good luck.

weekend watch

JULY 27-29

- 7/27: WillieFest. Bamboo Willie's
- 7/27-28: Star Gaze. Casino Beach.
- 7/28: Innerlight Grand Opening
- 7/28-29: Pensacola Fishing Rodeo. Weigh-in Flounder's.
- 7/28: Turtle Baby Shower
- 7/28: Race for the Roses Regatta
- 7/28: Songwriter Beach Church

AUGUST 3-5

- 8/3: First Friday, Boardwalk
- 8/4: Bushwacker 5K
- 8/4: Bushwacker Weekend, Shaker
- 8/4: Hands Across The Sand
- 8/5: Bingo, Elk's Lodge. Open
- 8/5: Nature Photog, Ft. Pickens

HAVE FUN!

Be COOL in Paradise!

Music

Tue, July 24
★ Janiva Magness ★

Wed, July 25
★ Josh Garrett & The Bottomline

Thurs, July 26
★ Big Al & the Heavyweights ★

Fri, July 27
★ Posi Tones ★

Sat & Sun, July 28-29
★ Wagon ★

Sun, August 5
★ JP Blues ★

TUES JULY 31 8:30 PM
My Louisiana Love
Full Service Bar Live Music

Locals know where to go...



Come as you are
Bike, boat or car

- Seafood to snacks
- Waterfront Stage
- Swim & Sun Soundfront beach

paradisebar-grill.com
paradiseinn-pb.com
Bar/Grill: 850-916-5087
The Inn: 850-932-2319
21 Via de Luna • Pensacola Beach

STAY & PLAY
Waterfront Florida Retro Inn
rent kayaks & paddleboards

Tues-Wed-Sat Aug 7, 8 & 11
★ Nouveau Honkies ★

Beach Chamber After Hours
July 31 • 5:30-7
Honor Our Tourists
Costume Contest



EVERYONE'S INVITED



Turtle Baby Shower

Saturday • July 28

Games
Family Fun
Music

4:30 - 5:30 PM

BETWEEN

MARGARITAVILLE & HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS

Ft. Pickens Rd

Free Name A Turtle
Baby Bath Free
Candy Game

Create a Turtle Ornament
Decorate a Turtle Cookie

Free Photo Session Free
Next to a Lifesize Turtle

Free Touch A Turtle Shell Free
Nesting Videos
Real Turtle Pictures

Guess
The Hatch Date
\$1 per guess
Win \$50 Gift Card

Fun Free Stuff

"Turtles Dig The Dark" decals
coloring books
reusable bags
pens

proud sponsors and turtle friendly hotels



We're expecting...
you to join us!

Parking is very limited
Ride the Trolley • Stop #11



peas, porridge & a dry martini

by Kathi Lewis

For those of you who don't already know, Paulette Provost has finally achieved the rank and joined the Club of Grand Motherhood. Teensy, tiny Lucca Georgine (pronounced with soft g's) Depascalis was not only born on the 4th of July, she timed her arrival to coincide with the fireworks display in Sarasota, Florida. It seems so appropriate that Paulette's first grandchild would arrive in a blaze of glory, so to speak! Nothing mundane for that little one with such a Grand MaMa.

Little Lulu (nicknamed by Paulette) weighed in at 6 lbs. 5 oz. and surprised us all by arriving a wee bit early; thereby proving she won't be exactly like her grandmother. Not yet, anyway. Mom Anne-Marie and Dad Chris are all fine and happy. Big sister, Alana, 9, got to be in on all the action while spending the summer in Sarasota. She will have a great summer vacation story to tell when school starts again.

Facebook is buzzing with pictures of our third generation Sister of the Beach and my favorite so far is a picture of the two sisters. Well of course, it would be, wouldn't it?

Paulette and Aunt Caroline flew south as soon as possible to meet their tiny new angel just as the rest of us were clearing away watermelon seeds and preparing for another flight of our own Angels (the Blue ones)! I'm still excited, not to mention dizzy and a few other emotions, just trying to keep up with everything that's happening this summer. We have certainly witnessed the full circle of life as we have said good bye to friends even as we have welcomed and rejoiced in meeting new ones. My head is spinning and I'm not sure if that's just what happens as we age or if it's just exhaust fumes.

I love to share my home each year with friends and family who

enjoy watching the Blue Angels and fireworks. Of course, that means I have to clean and y'all gotta know by now how much I hate that! It's not really that I dislike cleaning as much as I hate repetitive chores.

We're just finally finishing some of the farm fresh produce given to us by the Lewis Clan when we visited in Orange Beach. Nephew Joe has a farm and always brings samples of his delicious bread and butter pickles, dill pickles, potatoes and whatever else he's been harvesting and canning. His pickles are the best!

This year he also brought something similar to beef sticks only made from goose, so I guess that makes them Goose Sticks. Whatever you call them, they were delicious. Better than beef, I think. And no, they didn't taste like chicken.

It always surprises me what you can do with what you have. But then again, that's how I was raised. I knew we weren't rich, but I never realized that we were poor until I started school and became aware of how other people lived. I never felt poor and I still don't although I've come a long way from where I started. But that's only in miles really because I still basically live the same way, just in a different place. That's just life, I guess.

Life is definitely good right now. I think I have a couple of free days this week before it all starts over again. Bill and I will be taking a small vacation soon, getting back just in time to head to Wind Creek for a Willie Nelson Concert, then more relatives from St. Louis are coming to visit. By the time all that's over, school will be starting.

Before all that, I'm going to my first ever Turtle Baby Shower. I have no idea what you bring to a Turtle Baby Shower but I'm pretty sure it's not the

same things you would bring to an SOB Baby Shower. I don't think those little knitted booties will be necessary.

Right now I've got a great recipe to share. Since the Lewis Clan went fishing only two days before leaving, we came home with a bunch of left-over cooked fish. They caught a lot of Spanish Mackerel which Joe both fried and baked. I decided to make fish tacos and came across this fabulous recipe – next year I'll be getting Diane's home-made Chicken and Dumpling recipe to share.

Let's cook.....

Avocado Sauce

1 medium ripe avocado, peeled & cubed
 ½ cup sour cream
 ½ cup mayonnaise
 2 Tbsp. lime juice
 2 garlic cloves, minced
 2 tsp. dill weed
 ½ tsp. dried oregano
 ½ tsp. ground cumin
 ½ tsp. dried parsley flakes
 Dash cayenne pepper

In a small bowl, mash ½ cup avocado. Stir in the remaining ingredients. Refrigerate until serving. This sauce is great with fish tacos or served as a dip with tortilla chips.

Enjoy and don't forget to share! See ya in the kitchen.



Friends and family of Lavon Wiggins gathered west of the Gulf Pier July 7 to honor his memory. Mike Wheeler, left, listens as Fr. John Licari, center, begins the memorial. Surfers paddled out into the Gulf, as is their tradition, to honor their lost brothers.

photo by BDJ

Dolphin Cruises

850-492-6337



Located at the
Beach Marina

655 Pensacola Beach Blvd.

www.chase-n-fins.com

Happy Hour just got Happier!

HAPPY HOUR BAR BITES

AT THE GRAND MARLIN AND THE NORTH DROP BARS ONLY, 3 PM - 5 PM, SUN-THUR
 MIN. BEVERAGE ORDER \$2.50 PP REQUIRED, NOT AVAILABLE TO GO

Crispy "Salt & Pepper" Calamari
 Rhode Island calamari, peppers
 & house-made pickles, habanero aioli

\$7.50

1/2 doz. Baked Oysters
 Rockefeller, BBQ'd or
 Bienville style

TGM Cheddar Burger

Tillamook cheddar cheese, lettuce, tomato,
 house-made pickles, crispy fries

1 doz. Apalachicola Oysters

Fresh shucked on ice with house-made
 cocktail sauce, red wine mignonette

BBQ Shrimp

BBQ sauce and Gambino's Bakery
 garlic bread

THE
NORTH
DROP

BAR



THE GRAND
MARLIN
RESTAURANT & OYSTER BAR
PENSACOLA BEACH, FL



thegrandmarlin.com | 850.677.9153 | facebook.com/thegrandmarlin | Open daily at 11 | Sun. Brunch 10-2

Go Native Daily
7:30 AM to 3 PM

native cafe

45 A Via de Luna • 934-4848

owned & operated by friendly natives!



Our
fish tacos
are the
best!



Blue Angels Commanding Officer Capt. Greg McWherter, left, accepts a proclamation of appreciation from Escambia County Commissioner Gene Valentino. The presentation was made during a reception to honor the Blue Angels pilots and crew, Friday, July 13 in the Hilton ballroom.

Beach Chamber Hosts Networking Event

Flowered shirts, straw hats and bermuda shorts are the uniform of the day at the Pensacola Beach Chamber of Commerce Business After Hours, Tuesday, July 31 at 5:30 p.m. at Paradise Bar and Grill.

"We are a tourism based economy on the island," said Maureen LaMar, president. "So, we are asking our members to dress as our visitors do to honor them."

Each member should sign in and get a name tag bearing the city and state of their birth. There will be prizes for the best tourist-dressed member and a few prize drawings.

As Business After Hours concludes, members are invited to view a special screening of "My

Hospital Entices Volunteers With Ice Cream Social

Baptist Hospital is scooping out information and ice cream for people interested in volunteering at the hospital. The Ice Cream Social and Information Meeting will be Tuesday, August 7, noon to 1:30 p.m. in the Heritage Room at Baptist Hospital main entrance, 1000 West Moreno Street. Catering is being provided by Marble Slab Creamery. Come and make your own sundae, enter to win door prizes and hear a barber shop quartet!

For more information contact Kathy Larsen, Volunteer Services Manager, Baptist Hospital at 850-434-4936.

Our Lady Accepts Donations To Cram The Van

It's time to collect school supplies for underserved school children in Escambia County and Our Lady of the Assumption Catholic Mission is ready to help.

Deliver donations of school supplies to Our Lady help Cram the Van. This is an annual county-wide school supply drive benefiting children grades pre-kindergarten through twelfth. The drive is a partnership between Sandy Sansing Dealerships, United Way, Walgreens, Walmart and WEAR-TV3. Each July and August, businesses and community members contribute monetary donations and school supplies to support the drive, which benefits local children.

"We will be accepting donations through July 31," said Our Lady's Communications Director Mary Ann Claus. "We want to have a huge donation to deliver to the Cram the Van from the Beach."

Items needed are pens, pencils, paper, crayons, highlighters, rulers, index cards, and all other school supplies. Simply

How Tweet It Is

There are one thousand followers of @myscambia receiving valuable information, such as current County news, events, program information and emergency and severe weather updates.

The County currently also operates @mypensacolabch.

Go to: www.twitter.com/myscambia, follow the prompts to create a new account and sign up for tweets.

drop the donation at Our Lady, Monday-Friday 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. or Sunday 9 a.m. to noon.

The church is located 920 Via de Luna. For more information call 850-934-0222.

Sunday Services

Worship by the Water, 9 AM
Flounder's Beach
Gulf Breeze United Methodist Church www.gbumc.org

Our Lady Catholic Church, 9:45 AM Avenida 18 /Via De Luna
www.stanngulfbreeze.org

Pensacola Beach Church, 10 AM Avenida 18 /Via de Luna
thebeachchurch.com



Maria's Fresh Seafood Market

Take a little bit of the Gulf Coast home!
Fresh from the boats daily
We can cold pack for travel or ship anywhere.

- RED SNAPPER & TRIGGERFISH
- GROUPER & FLOUNDER
- OYSTERS & SHRIMP
- MUCH MORE!

621 Cervantes Street
Pensacola • 432-4999
Call for directions from the Beach

MON - SAT 8 AM - 7 PM
SUNDAY 8 AM - 6 PM





850-261-2462

names, logos, custom art
small or large quantities

Owner Peggy Henshall is ready to keep you in stitches!

www.CajunStitchery.com
CajunStitchery@yahoo.com

Weatherford's

Four Season Apparel

Men's and Women's Casual & Outdoor Clothing

Hiking & Backpacking
Snow Ski Apparel
Rock Climbing Gear, Ropes & Shoes
Indoor Rock Climbing Wall




www.weatherfords.net

3009 East Cervantes • 433-2822



Computer Repair

in Your Home

www.ycpals.com
joe@ycpals.com

850-206-3156
Joe Stukey



Jennifer Byrom, P.A.

Attorney At Law

Wills, Estates and Probate • Marital and Family Law
Child Custody • Juvenile Law
Civil Litigation • Guardianship Law

916-9000

www.ByromLaw.com

Toll Free: 877-889-8822
5177 Elmira Street
Milton
Facing the Courthouse

The hiring of a lawyer is an important decision that should not be based solely upon advertisements. Before you decide, ask us to send you free written information about our qualifications and experience.

Shipping Services

Fax Services
Printing Services
Notary Services
Moving Supplies & Packaging Materials

Packing Services

Copy Services
Document Finishing
Mailbox Services
Office Supplies

Gulf Breeze Shopping Center 850.932.8533 Tel
362 Gulf Breeze Parkway 850.932.1588 Fax
Gulf Breeze, FL 32561

Copyright © 2011 Mail Boxes Etc., Inc. B9MF683769 09.11

The UPS Store



Just Married...



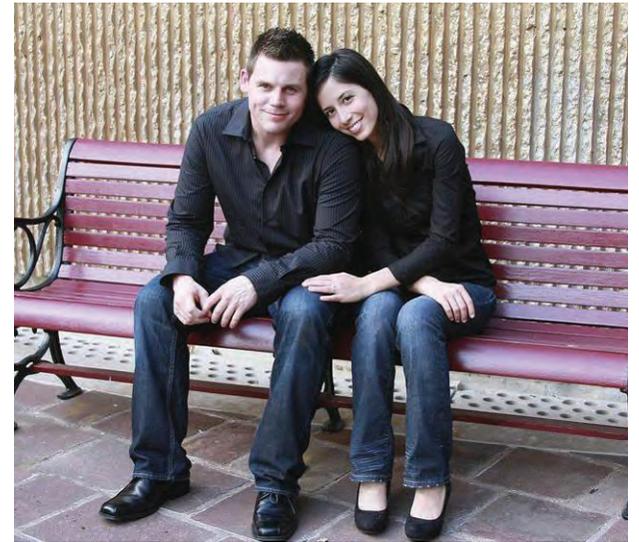
Pam Lane and Frank Templeton were married Saturday, July 14 on Pensacola Beach. Family and friends gathered on the couple's South Harbour terrace overlooking Little Sabine Bay to witness their vows. Cassie Lane, daughter of the bride, was the maid of honor and Mal Adams was the best man. A reception followed immediately after the ceremony. The Blue Angels air show marks the memorable event for the popular couple. Pam and Frank will reside on Pensacola Beach.

Golden Anniversary...

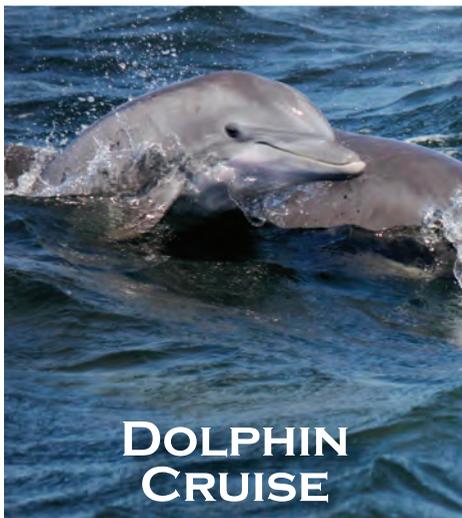


Rick and Sherry Van Dyk were high school sweethearts who met on Pensacola Beach. The well-known couple celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary on July 23. Rick's Air Force career took them all over the world along with their two children, but they returned to the most beautiful place on earth upon his retirement. Their son, Allen Van Dyk and wife Mary, and their daughter, Lynn Feehan and husband Brian all live nearby. They have four grandchildren, and four great grandchildren. They will be celebrating with a weeklong Alaska Cruise followed by a tour through Central Alaska.

Wedding Bells...



Ms. Estela Mendoza of Pensacola Beach is pleased to announce the engagement of her daughter Rebekah Damaris Mendoza, to Jason Loyd Bewley, son of Loyd and Janis Bewley of Valley View, Texas. The future bride graduated from the University of Arkansas with a Masters of Accounting. She is a CPA and is employed as a financial analyst for Greystar Real Estate Partners. The future groom graduated from the University of North Texas with a Doctorate of Philosophy. He is employed as a firefighter for the City of Fort Worth and is attending Texas Wesleyan School of Law. The couple will be married July 28 on Pensacola Beach.



DOLPHIN CRUISE



SUNSET CRUISE



BLUE ANGELS CRUISE



FIREWORKS CRUISE

Pensacola Beach PREMIER DOLPHIN CRUISE

FOR MORE INFO AND TO BOOK ONLINE! www.pensacoladolphincruise.com • 866.838.1777

- Two-hour Cruises
- Plenty of Seating
- 63' Covered Catamaran
 - Open Views
- Bathrooms On Board



BOARDS FROM THE PORTOFINO BOARDWALK

Authority Board Fills Special Projects Committee Agenda Upgrade Priorities, Vision Statement Top List

The Santa Rosa Island Authority Board members went the extra mile at their July 11 meeting to ensure that Pensacola Beach's residential streets and multi-use path be considered for repair.

The Board tasked Baskerville Donovan Engineers to develop a pavement maintenance program to include public parking lots, secondary roads and the multi-use path. The plan, at a cost of \$24,000, will include an inventory, site inspections, report on current conditions and a ten year budget projection for maintenance or repair.

In an effort to keep the study costs lower, staff recommended that the Roadway and Parking Lot Pavement Maintenance Program be confined to a report on the needed repairs in Beach parking areas. They indicated that the Baskerville Donovan study would be a duplication of efforts since Escambia County already had all roads evaluated.

SRIA Chairman Dave Pavlock noted that the County made a radar analysis of all County roads and those results would be ready in three to four months.

"The County's analysis of all their roads is good, but not as detailed as what we have asked Baskerville Donovan to report on," said Board Member Vernon Prather. "I think the SRIA is responsible for these roads and we have indicated that we want to spend \$100,000 on our secondary roads. We want to be sure that we are being responsive to our leaseholders."

Board Member Tammy Bohannon asked that the multi-use path, which is located in the County owned right-of-way be included in the study.

"The bike path is crumbling away in places," said Bohannon. "It needs attention."

Paolo Ghio, Director of Environmental and Developmental Services, reminded the Board that the path is under the County's jurisdiction.

After the motion to include all three items in the task order passed unanimously, Prather said, "This information will serve us well. We can approach the Commissioners with the data."

Communicating with the Escambia County Board of Commissioners was high on SRIA Board member Fred Gant's priority list as well. He wants the SRIA board to be more proactive in requesting RESTORE Act fund-

ing for island projects.

"We need to be sure we advocate as a board. We need to be more direct than we have been before," said Gant.

The Board voted to refer this item to the Special Projects Committee. The Committee will be responsible for considering projects identified in the SRIA budget and those which received a high priority in the Pensacola Beach Advocates' survey. They are to bring a prioritized list to the board, who will in turn seek funding.

"We need to communicate that we have a consensus on a list of prioritized projects," said Bohannon. "There are different pots of money for different types of projects. Consider that there are local option sales tax dollars and extra bridge toll monies that might be available."

The Board acted on a suggestion from Beach resident Jim Cox to create a Vision Statement for Pensacola Beach. During the Visitor's Forum, Cox presented his personal thoughts about the need for this document.

"I urge this group to take on this task," said Cox. "A good vision statement would help us through a number of things in the future."

His presentation noted that the vision statement should suc-

inctly express the future of our community, differentiate Pensacola Beach from other Gulf communities, provide a theme for marketing the community, provide the foundation for a Strategic Plan and provide direction for future SRIA decision making. A sample Vision Statement was included. It showcased an eco-friendly theme to be emphasized in all areas of marketing, advertising, events, policies and programs.

"The reasons to develop this Vision Statement are many," said Cox. "But consider that this fall's elections may change the composition of this board and the Executive Director may be leaving the SRIA. If Lee leaves, a good Vision Statement would help us find the person we need to drive this beach forward."

Elected Board Member Thomas Campanella suggested that each should work on their own statement and see where they overlap.

"We could just prepare something to say, 'This is my vision of the Beach,'" he said.

Board Chairman Pavlock tasked each member with submitting a list of elements to be considered by the Special Projects Committee.

"Bring your statement to the next board meeting," said Pav-

lock. "What you want the Vision Statement to say and what direction we should be going. What do we want to be in 15 years?"

The SRIA board continued to look to the future.

Fred Gant, in a follow up to previous board discussions, urged the board to look at the structure of the Santa Rosa Island Authority. The Board had been reviewing the SRIA organizational chart during their May meetings.

"I think going forward we need to decide if we want to keep things as they are, or make some changes," said Gant. "We need to complete that process."

Pavlock asked his board to come prepared to discuss the SRIA organizational composition at their next Committee meeting, July 25.

Baskerville Donovan engineer Mike Langston updated the

Board on ongoing beach projects:

- Toll Plaza Upgrades: Escambia County, who owns the Toll Plaza, is funding and managing this project. It is moving forward more quickly than anticipated. There has been no decision on whether the SunPass program will be initiated.

- Portofino Boardwalk Deck Replacement: The installation has been rescheduled to October.

- Via de Luna Median Landscaping: Plantings to be made on County right-of-way. Escambia County Engineer Matt Mooneyham must approve submitted landscape design. SRIA Board tasked staff to invite Mooneyham to attend their next meeting.

The SRIA Committees will meet Wednesday, July 25 at 5 p.m. All meetings are open to the public. The agendas are available online at www.sria-fla.com.

EXPERT CARE PERSONALIZED SERVICE

For unexpected emergencies, our experienced ER team is on duty 24 hours per day. Gulf Breeze Hospital is just minutes from the beach, downtown Pensacola and Navarre.



GULF BREEZE HOSPITAL
PROUD TO BE A 100
TOP HOSPITALS WINNER

850.934.2000
GulfBreezeHospital.org



Ready To Buy?

Call
Dennis Remesch
850-384-7607
www.denrem.com
denrem@denrem.com

Featured Listing
Waterfront Lot
Gulf Breeze

Stunning on Santa Rosa Sound. Your own beach with 1.73 acres. Build your dream home. \$180,000. Owner will divide.

Check out my other residential lot listings:
Gulf Breeze

- Waterfront, \$134,900
- Lot 2.56 acre \$80,000
- Lot .19 acre \$29,900 add'l locations
- 4.69 acre \$299,900
- Lot 2.02 acre \$49,900
- Lot 1.9 acre \$69,900

RE/MAX
on the Coast

Homes for Sale
GULF BREEZE
5/5 \$574,900
3/5 \$249,900

NAVARRA
Brand new! Beautiful new soundfront community located just 3 miles west of the Bridge.
3/3 \$182,900

Call for a personal tour!

Racing for Roses, Signature Drinks and Music Fests on Pensacola Beach

RACE FOR THE ROSES

The twenty-fifth Race for the Roses regatta sails into Pensacola Beach history Saturday, July 28. Pensacola Beach Yacht Club hosts the all-female race. Watch the captains maneuver their racing vessels beginning at noon. www.pensacolabeach-yc.org.

WILLIE'S FEST

Bamboo Willie is the flip flop wearing, laid back mascot of the open air bar that bears his name on the Boardwalk. No one knows where he was born, but it must have been somewhere near the Louisiana bayou. He is beach famous for his annual Crawfish Festival and this weekend he has invited his musician friends from Louisiana to headline at Willie's Fest, July 26 through 29.

Making the trek across Interstate 10 are a gumbo of popular bands. The Blue Party, who kick off the fest at 8 p.m. Thursday night on the Bamboo Willie's stage, perform a wide range of tunes. They'll play an encore performance on Saturday, after Mississippi Rail. Seth Winters, Reed Lightfoot and Maggie Kerner and The Slow Burn round out the weekend.

Bamboo Willie wants you to lap up the sunshine and soulful notes of the New Orleans sound he's bringing to the Beach; it'll spice up your weekend. www.bamboowillies.com

SINGERS WRITING SONGS

The stage is set at the Fellowship Hall on the Pensacola Beach Community Church campus. Ricky Lee Phelps will entertain during the second-ever Singer-Songwriter Concert, July 28 at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$15 and benefit the Church's Building Fund.

More information at www.thebeachchurch.com or 850-932-6628.

If you like hearing the songs sung by those who penned them,

mark your calendar for the Pensacola Beach Songwriters Festival, October 2 - 8.

BUSHWACKER WEEKEND

Bushwackers are to the Sandshaker as firecrackers are to the Fourth of July. They just belong together. Owners Beverly and Sonny Campbell are making sure the Kahlua concoction is ready in massive amounts during their Bushwacker Weekend. They will kick off the event under the full moon of August 2. Howling is optional. Music and fun all weekend long with special pricing on Bushwackers Saturday, August 4. There are souvenir cups and a limited edition t-shirts, so pedal, trolley or ride over.

www.sandshaker.com

SALES TAX HOLIDAY
August 3-5
for back-to school items.
What's included? Go to www.myflorida.com/dor

LINDA TAYLOR MURPHY REALTOR®



is ready to assist you at
850-748-0865

KELLER WILLIAMS REALTY
LindaMurphyRealtor@bellsouth.net

WILLIE'S FEST
PENSACOLA BEACH
JULY
20-21-28-29

FEATURING THE SOUNDS FROM NOLA...

Blue Party
Reed Lightfoot
Seth Winters
Maggie Kerner

BAMBOO Willie's
Beachside Bar
PENSACOLA BEACH, FL

FOR MORE INFORMATION: WWW.BAMBOOWILLIES.COM 850-916-9666

WARNING!

Reading Island Times may result in spontaneous fits of laughter and joy.



Be Happy!
Have Island Times delivered to you!
Send a check for \$32 made payable to Shelley Ink
Mail to: PO Box 844, Gulf Breeze, FL 32562-0844

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

ARE YOU READY?

We understand your insurance needs!

850-623-8092

CALL DENISE TAYLOR TODAY FOR A QUOTE



www.bayins.com • bay@bayins.com

Life, Business
Auto & Motorcycle
Commercial Vehicle
Homeowners & Flood

family owned and operated independent insurance agency

BUSINESS BUZZ.....

BIG BOB

Some of the best things in life are free including Bands on the Beach concerts featuring the Reunion Band on July 24. August 7 showcases the sultry tones of Holly Shelton. The concerts begin at 7 p.m. at the Gulfside Pavilion. Pick up something "to go" from one of the Beach restaurants.

PICKIN'

While the world tuned into the History Channel's "Picked Off" on July 18 to see the teams compete, the real stars were locals Elodie Cardin, David "Bones" Alexander, Russ Mann, Collier Merrill and Randy McKenzie. For more TV time dedicated to dust and rust tune in on July 25, too.

UNDER 40 IN 850

Beach Realtor Jeremy Johnson is being featured in 850-The Business Magazine in their 40 Under 40 story. He was nominated by his colleague Nan Harper of Island Realty.

FLYING HIGH

Beach guy Glenn Windham has agreed to count birds as part of an initiative spearheaded by United Peninsula Association President Don Richards. It's an effort to document the number of coastal birds and gulls as compared to the last two years. You can talk to Don at 404-915-9394.

AN APP FOR THAT

Supervisor of Elections in Escambia County is one hip dude. His office has a way to keep the voters supplied with informa-

tion, remotely. David H. Stafford announces a new mobile version of EscambiaVotes.com for smartphone and tablet users, which is designed to enhance navigation to the most requested information.

SAFE SWIMMING

Pensacola Beach lifeguards keep throngs of guests safe and rescue the ones who get in over their heads. No lifeguards were nearby July 8 when Margaret Murphy, 60, called from the water for help. U.S. Coast Guard Lt. Cmdr. Gabe Somma jumped in the water to aid the distressed swimmer. Despite his high level of fitness and competence, Somma was still exhausted afterwards.

As an HH-65 "Dolphin" pilot for the Coast Guard, he has been in the front seat for many rescues, but this was his first in the water. The effort gave him a new-found admiration for the work rescue swimmers do.

The *Island Times* sends a special thank you to this hero!

TROLLEY ALONG

The free trolleys were packed during the Blue Angels weekend. Visitors are enjoying the free ride on a daily basis. No parking woes, just a cool fun ride. It impressed more than a few guests at the Holiday Inn Express who complimented the trolleys in their review on TripAdvisor.

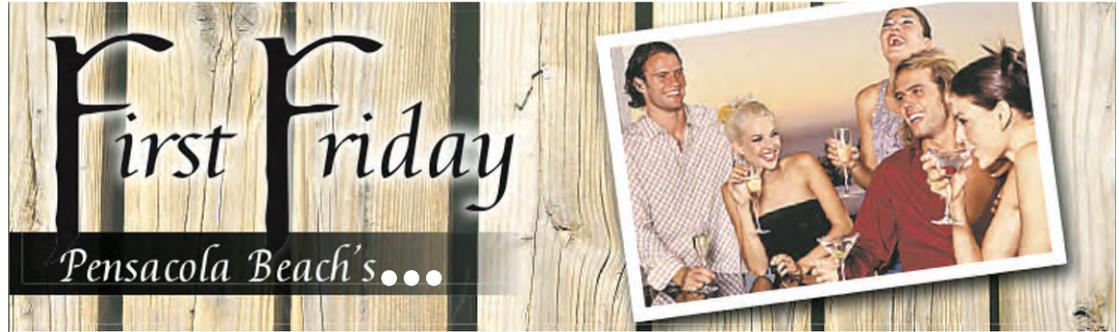
HANDS ACROSS SAND

Organizers of the August 4 Hands Across The Sand event

on Casino Beach encourage participants to show up earlier than the 11:30 start time to enjoy the sounds of the Sassafras band.



MAKE THIS PART OF YOUR BEACH LIFESTYLE... RECYCLE >
Ft. Pickens Gate Park & Cowley Park



Premier Business Networking Event on Portofino Boardwalk

FRIDAY AUGUST 3 5:30 - 7:30

You are invited to mingle with your business peers while enjoying the sunset and entertainment. Drop off your business card at our merchant locations to be entered in our special drawings.

No Admission Cost, Free to Everyone
400 QUIETWATER BEACH ROAD
PENSACOLA BEACH, FLORIDA
www.pensacolabeachboardwalk.com

OWN THE LIFESTYLE

Beach Club

OPEN HOUSE DAILY 9 AM - 5:30 PM



18 VIA DE LUNA

Portofino

OPEN HOUSE DAILY 9 AM - 5:30 PM



10 PORTOFINO DR.

The Dream is so Affordable

With prices at or below pre-construction costs, there has never been a better time than now to Own the Lifestyle!

Stop by one of our onsite offices for a tour today!



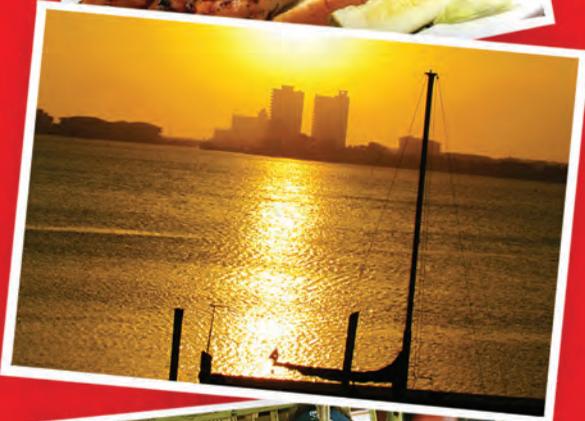
fresh seafood ... cool cocktails ... awesome sunsets!



half a mile
inside the toll
booth on the
right...



Check out our 7.99
lunch special ...
Mon - Thurs,
11am - 4pm



COME BY CAR
OR BOAT

JUST LOOK FOR
THE BIG RED BUILDING
ON LITTLE SABINE BAY

WATER VIEWS
FROM EVERY SEAT

LAID BACK, FUNKY,
FAMILY FRIENDLY
FUN...KEY-WEST
STYLE

OPEN EVERY DAY
AT 11 AM

NAMED ONE OF THE
'BEST SEAFOOD DIVES'
IN THE COUNTRY
BY COASTAL LIVING
MAGAZINE



JOIN US FOR HAPPY HOUR ... EVERY DAY FROM 3 TO 6 PM

★ half price drafts — \$10 buckets of domestic beer ★
\$4 glasses of house wine — \$6 appetizer menu



KIDS LOVE SHAGGY'S ...
and SHAGGY'S LOVES KIDS!

850.934.4852 ■ 701 PENSACOLA BEACH BLVD ■ PENSACOLA BEACH, FL ■ WWW.SHAGGYS.BIZ

Mostly NUTS

By Candace Segar



How would you like to interview for a job, and the job that you were interviewing for was secret? So secret in fact that when you got the job, you still were not told what the real job involved? This happened in 1964 to eight military pilots. Enter the astropies – a group so secret that even their families did not know what they actually did for a living. It all started when Francis Gary Powers flew a U2 spy mission for the CIA. He was flying a mission over Russia at elevation 60,000 feet which both he and the CIA thought was safe. It wasn't, the Russians shot him down. The CIA later traded captured Russian spies in order to get him back.

In a second attempt to spy on the Russians, the CIA sent a Corona satellite 100 miles above Earth on August 18, 1960 designed to take pictures and send them back. The satellite completed its mission; unfortunately, it only took pictures of clouds.

The CIA and Air Force decided to unite, realizing that human control was required in order to get accurate pictures of the Russians missile bases.

But this wasn't the only reason for sending two astropies into space. The agenda also included: capturing a Russian satellite, knocking a Russian satellite out of orbit or completely destroying a Russian satellite. The quest was on to find the perfect eight astronauts.

Approximately 100 Air Force pilots traveled to the Aero Space Research Pilot School run by Chuck Yeager (a national treasure in his own right). This school was designed to groom pilots to become astronauts. The curriculum was grueling; flights in the morning and classes in the afternoon and a constant barrage of physical and psychological tests thrown into the mix. Eight men were chosen for this assignment, but not one of them knew what they were actually chosen to do. The CIA realized that some explanation would have to be given to U.S. citizens and the rest of the world.

President Lyndon Johnson announced that a Manned Orbit Laboratory (MOL) was being sent into space for research. Two astropies would go up for 30 day missions. The astronauts would relocate inside the camera portion of the lab. Upon completion

of their assignment, they would enter the re-entry space capsule that would bring them back to Earth. The lab was left to burn up when it re-entered. The cost of the project, back in the 60's, was projected to be \$1.5 billion, but actually ended up being \$3 billion.

One of the most interesting comments the MOL astropies made was that their friends, who were NASA's well-known astronauts, often talked about their work; yet, not one MOL astropy commented on the secret mission they were assigned. The Russians weren't fooled. They were doing the exact same thing we were doing. They too, were planning on sending astropies into space to spy on our missile locations.

Then, in 1969 two things happened. We walked on the moon and the Department of Defense shut down the MOL program. The unmanned keyhole satellites had been perfected enough to send into space for reconnaissance. The Russians continued and sent astropies into space. A decade later the Russians realized that satellites were the best option for reconnaissance.

And the irony is - our traditional astronauts are now hitching a ride with the Russian cosmonauts to the space station as we avidly spy on each other with our unmanned satellites.

BYTES AND BITS

By Joe Stukey
Your Computer Pal

Q: "Do I Need To Make Recovery CDs For My Computer?"

A: If they were not included with the computer when you bought it, you should either make your recovery CDs or purchase them from the manufacturer. Most computers are shipped without them. With the newest computers, specifically those with Windows 7 or Vista, there is an automatic recovery feature. However, if your main hard disk fails and has to be replaced, the automatic recovery feature is lost.

Recovery CDs are for one purpose only. That purpose is to put the computer back to the way it was when it was shipped from the factory. When Recovery CDs are used to rebuild your computer's operating system, all of your personal data will be erased. With some computers, the automatic built-in recovery

feature will ask if you want to save your data.

To make the CDs, use the program that is included with the computer. Computer manufacturers don't all use exactly the same method, but it is generally described as a "Recovery CD Creation" process. Before you start the process, you will need 2 to 4 blank DVD+R disks. Label them 1, 2, 3, etc, so that you will know the order in which they were used. The disk creation program will guide you through the steps.

If you decide to purchase the CDs instead of making them, simply call the manufacturer and give them your model and serial number. Some companies may ship the CDs to you at no charge during the warranty period, but most charge \$20 to \$30 after that time. If you wait too long, the

disks may no longer be available for purchase.

It is important that you have the CDs available in case and emergency repair is needed. Otherwise, restoring your computer to operating condition can be time-consuming and expensive.

This article was provided by The Stukey Group. For questions, contact Joe at joe@ycpals.com or 206-3156.



Pensacola Beach, FL
Authentic Irish Pub
SPORTS!

All The Games!
Big Screens • Lots of TVs

Happy Hour
Mon-Fri • 11 to 7 Texas Hold'Em

49 Via de Luna
916-9808

PaddyOLearysIrishPub.com

GULF BREEZE GUNS

850-377-3145

Give us a call.
We can order
what you are looking for.

We have gone back to basics. Expect the same incredible quality food delivered in less time.

BREAKFAST SAT & SUN 8-11

Burgers
Fries
Shakes

DOG FRIENDLY DECK!

850-932-1417
500 Quietwater Beach Blvd
Upstairs from Key Sailing

www.MylslandTimes.com

Sabine Sandbar

Pensacola Beach, FL

Our Bar

LIVE entertainment

July

24 DJ Z 8:00
25 Karaoke w/Becky 7:30 - 11:30
26 Karaoke w/Becky 7:30 - 11:30
27 Fish Sandwich 7:30-11:30
28 Crosstown 7:30 - 11:30
29 Southern Breeze 4 - 8
30 Open Mic w/Tim Morgan 7 - 10
31 Paul Killough 7:30 - 11:30

Have you visited Dale's Big Deck?

Waterfront Deck

Aug

1 Karaoke with Becky 7:30-11:30
2 Karaoke with Becky 7:30-11:30
3 Posi-Tones 7:30-11:30
4 The Blenders 7:30-11:30
5 Fish Sandwich 4-8
6 Open Mic w/Tim 7-11
7 DJ Mike Z 8-11

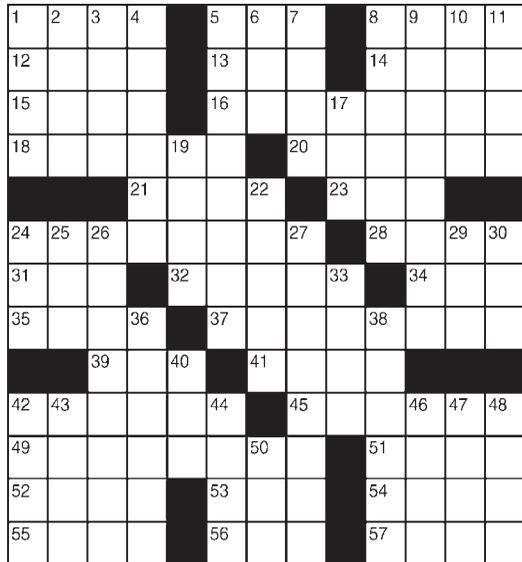
www.DalesBigDeck.com
715 Pensacola Beach Blvd
at the Sabine Marina

Open everyday at 9 AM 850-934-3141 Free Sunsets Waterfront Location Next to the Yacht Club

King Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 Injure severely
- 5 Second mo.
- 8 Reverberate
- 12 Erstwhile Peruvian
- 13 Meadow
- 14 Carpet style
- 15 Entrance
- 16 Tuna variety
- 18 Baseball game division
- 20 Not on the road
- 21 School district CEO
- 23 Common Mkt.
- 24 Type of tree
- 28 Sharpen
- 31 "That feels so good!"
- 32 Distend
- 34 Raw rock
- 35 Restaurant employee
- 37 Hamlet's castle
- 39 Morning light
- 41 Promgoers' car
- 42 T-shirt fabric
- 45 Situated below
- 49 One who'll eat anything
- 51 Tittle
- 52 Manhandle



- | | | |
|-------------------|--------------------|----------------------|
| 53 Bro's sibling | swimmer | 30 Golf-ball prop |
| 54 Rabbit | 7 Ali — | 33 Clock information |
| 55 Initial stake | 8 Shun | 36 Vain |
| 56 Type | 9 "Chattanooga —" | 38 See |
| 57 Greek measures | 10 Damage | 40 Election mo. |
| | 11 Curved molding | 42 Prolonged sleep |
| | 17 Dined on | 43 Muscat's land |
| | 19 Unfeeling | 44 Sniffer |
| | 22 Billy Goats | 46 Owl's call |
| | Gruff foe | 47 Sicilian volcano |
| | 24 Pouch | 48 Shafts of light |
| | 25 Cry of derision | 50 Edge |
| | 26 Old joke | |
| | 27 Simplicity | |
| | 29 Blunder | |

DOWN

- 1 Calf-length
- 2 Unsigned (Abbr.)
- 3 PC picture
- 4 Actress Tomei
- 5 Standard bearer?
- 6 Slithery

© 2012 King Features Synd., Inc.

It's the size of the pie, not the key in the lime that makes me flirt with Floyd Flounder...love, Lolita Lemonfish

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

CLASSIFIED ADS are \$5 for 20 words. Additional words are 10 cents each. Send ad with check made payable to Shelley Ink, P.O. Box 844, Gulf Breeze, FL 32562.

Real Estate For Sale

East Bay Waterfront home 2,485 sq.ft. with 102 feet on the bay. \$269,000. MLS listing # 402379 Call Linda Murphy, Keller Williams Realty 850-748-0865

New Construction. 3/3 Navarre. Soundfront community. \$182,900. Two story. Beautiful details. Dennis Remesch, Re/Max on the Coast, 850-384-7607.

Pensacola Beach Condo. Gulf front. 2-bedroom/2 bath. MLS#: 421524. \$235,000. Island Realty, Nan Harper. 850-293-9321.

BEAUTIFUL LOT Waterfront Gulf Breeze. Stunning on Santa Rosa Sound. Your own beach with 1.73 acres. Build your dream home. \$300,000. Owner will divide. Dennis Remesch, Re/Max on the Coast, 850-384-7607

Villas on the Gulf, Pensacola Beach. MLS#: 415543 \$189,900. Very desirable 2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath condominium just a few steps from the gulf. Noel Faddis, RMI, 850-932-5376

Building **Real Estate Sales Team** to meet demand. Top Commission and Perks. Confidential Interview. Noel Faddis, RMI/Realty Marts. 850-932-5376

Weddings

NOTARY to perform wedding ceremonies. 850-748-6878

Real Estate For Rent

Pensacola Beach Vacations Rentals. Call for the **BEST RATES** on Beachfront condos and beach homes. Toll Free 800-242-3224. Visit online gulfbreezevacations.com

Since 1963, **RMI Vacations and RMI Realty** have been the premier vacation rental company and real estate company located on Pensacola Beach. You can view, select, and book your vacation rental online! We offer spacious, affordable family beach homes, townhomes and condominiums. RMI also offers FREE Stuff with every reservation! www.rmivacations.com or 850-932-5376.

Pets

Adoptable dogs and kittens. Pensacola Humane Society. humanesocietyofpensacola.org

King Crossword

Answers

Solution time: 21 mins.



Calendar

- July 24 Bands on the Beach. 7-9. Gulfside Pavilion. Free.
- July 25 Santa Rosa Island Authority Meeting. 5 p.m. #1 Via de Luna. Open to the Public
- July 26 WillieFest. Bamboo Willie's Boardwalk. New Orleans Music thru July 29
- July 27 Star Gaze. Casino Beach. Free.
- July 28 Innerlight & Pensacola Beach Marina Grand Opening Party. 9-9. Open to all. Free.
- July 28 Pensacola Fishing Rodeo. Weigh in Flounder's. Noon til. Also on July 29.
- July 28 Turtle Baby Shower, Holiday Inn Express, East side. 4:30 to 5:30. Ride the trolley. Free. All are welcome.
- July 28 Race for the Roses Regatta. PB Yacht Club.
- July 28 Star Gaze. Casino Beach. Free
- July 28 Singer/Songwriter Night at Beach Church. Ticket Required. 850-932-6628
- August 3 First Friday, Portofino Boardwalk. 5:30-7:30 p.m. No charge.
- August 4 Bushwacker 5K Run, 7:30 am
- BEACH CHURCH BINGO 1st and 3rd Thursdays, Dinner \$6 at 6. Bingo \$20 at 6:30. www.thebeachchurch.com
- ELKS BINGO 1st and 3rd Sundays, 6 pm, \$1 per card. Family friendly. Open to public. 850-932-4444
- BEACH BRIDGE CLUB - ELK'S 9:15 to 2 on MON and FRI

The Pensacola Beach Chamber of Commerce would like to thank the following businesses for their support of the 2012 Pensacola Beach Air Show!



Special thanks to the Santa Rosa Island Authority, US Navy, our members and all our hard working volunteers Thank you for keeping the Blue Angels flying high above Pensacola Beach.



Seeing Stars...

your horoscope for next week

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) A turn in a relationship upsets the amorous Arian, who is puzzled by Cupid's romantic antics. Be patient and considerate. The confusion soon will sort itself out.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) It's a good time for traveling Taureans to take off for fun-filled jaunts to new places. And don't be surprised if Cupid tags along for what could be a very eventful trip.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) You appear to be of two minds about continuing a relationship that seems to be riding roughshod over your emotions. A frank talk could help you decide one way or the other.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Stepping back from a relationship problem provides a new perspective on how to deal with it. Meanwhile, watch your words. Something said in anger now could backfire later.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) A changing situation makes the Big Cat uneasy. But hold on until things settle down around the 4th. Meanwhile, continue your good work on that still-unfinished project.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) A decided improvement in a workplace situation results in an unexpected, but very welcome, added benefit for everyone. Personal relationships also improve.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Money matters remain a bit unsettled but soon



Madame Astra

will ease into the kind of stability you appreciate. Meanwhile, an expanding social life offers a chance to make new friends.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Use an unexpected roadblock in your monetary dealings to reassess your financial plans and make changes, if necessary. It soon will be smooth sailing again.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Aspects of love are strong for both single and paired Sagittarians. Professional dealings also thrive under the Sag's clever handling of difficult situations.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Set a realistic goal and follow it through to completion. Remember: You're more likely to impress the right people with one well-done job than with lots of jobs left undone.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) You like to plan ahead. That's fine. But be prepared to make some changes because of an unsettled period that influences your aspects through the 4th.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) A brief phase of instability affects your usual work cycle. Use the time to catch up on chores around the house or office. Things settle down soon after the 4th.

Chamber Hosts Gulf Breeze Expo

No formal invitation is necessary to get introduced to new offerings from Gulf Breeze businesses at the Chamber's annual Taste of Expo, Friday August 10 at 5:30 at the Recreation Center on Shoreline Drive. The theme is football, so get ready for a giant tailgate-style party.

The business expo follows Saturday, Aug. 11 from 9 -2 with dozens of booths. Admission is free. For more information www.gulfbreezechamber.com/

Blue Sky Gift Shoppe
 TURN RIGHT
Pensacola Beach
 DRIVE EAST ALONG GULF OF MEXICO
 3479 Gulf Breeze Pkwy
 850-932-7100
 Tiger Plaza
 Next to Sonic

Taste of the Beach - Sept 15-16 CASINO BEACH

Who says you have to pay a HIGH price for beauty? There are 90 products under \$10.

MARY KAY

Proof that you can save a pretty penny and still look like a million dollars!

Call Susan Haselton-Kelley for Beauty on a Budget!

FREE Delivery

850-934-3865 • MaryKay.com/shaselton



Celebrating 25 years as a Mary Kay Independent Beauty Consultant

Free Gift with orders over \$40

15% Off JUST TO TRY US

Welcome New Customers

FREE Pick Up & Delivery Services

Dry Clean, Laundry, Leather, Household Items Wash & Fold, Shoe Repair, Alterations

1143 Gulf Breeze Pkwy 932-2565
 3497 Gulf Breeze Pkwy 916-9437
www.xclean.net



V-8 Powered Steam Clean Process

LIVING BRINGS IT IN. WE TAKE IT OUT.

Carpet & Upholstery Cleaner
 Area and Oriental Rugs • Tile & Grout
 Marble, Vinyl & Hardwood • Cars, Boats & RV Interiors

Don't forget



932-7670 • 934-1913



FULL SERVICE HAIR SALON

offering Bare Escentuals

Mon 9 to 5
 Tu & Th 9 to 9
 W & F 9 to 6
 Sat 10 to 5

Studio 98 HAIR DESIGNS
studio98hairdesigns.com
 939-8800
 Call for easy directions from the beach

Move In Specials
850-932-2323

SmartStop Self Storage
 The Smarter Way to Store!
 15 McClure Drive Gulf Breeze
 formerly Storage Advantage
 24/7 Digital Surveillance
 Safe, Clean & Secure
 Great Rates
 Professional Management

Climate Controlled Self Storage
 Drive Up Access
 Boat Parking
 Moving & Packing Supplies

smartstopselfstorage.com

Weekly Schedule

FOR RESULTS Island Times
 Info 850-324-2667

Monday: Sandshaker, 7 PM
Thursday: Paddy O'Leary's, 7PM
Sunday: Paddy O'Leary's, 5 PM

Downtown Pensacola Beach
 Texas Hold 'Em 4444 Fun
 Poker Hotline 324-2667

Get Well • Feel Good • Look Great

Integrating traditional health management with natural and alternative approaches

Dr. Tracey Pinkston

- New Patients Welcome
- Medicare & Tricare
- 10 miles from the Beach
- Call for Appointment
- Women's Health
- Chronic Illness
- Hormone Replacement
- Anti-Aging

850-473-1008
DrTraceyPinkston.com

4300 Bayou Blvd Suite 5 • Pensacola

OPEN EVERYDAY at 8 a.m.

DJ's Beach Cafe

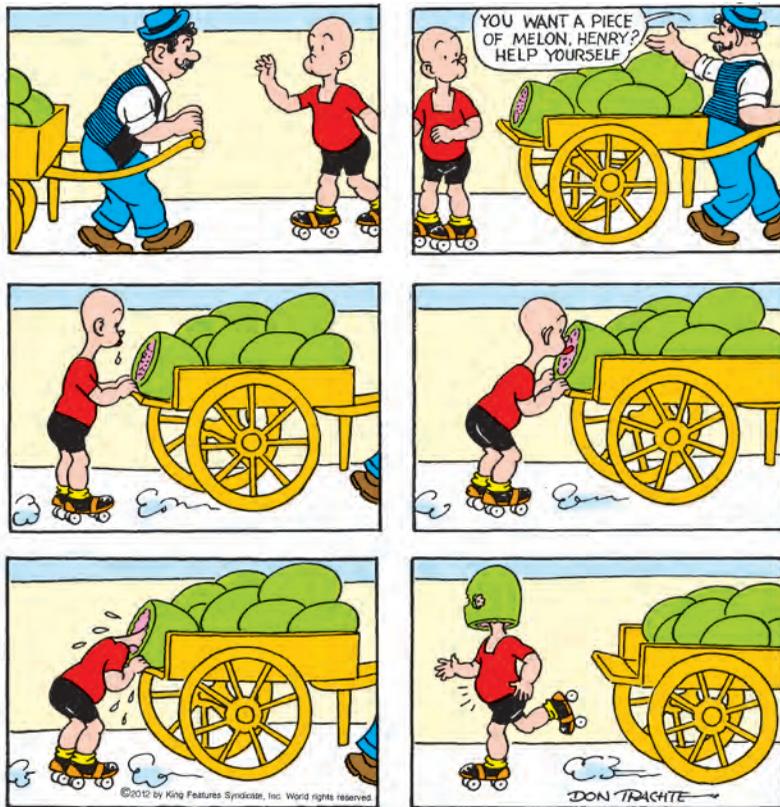
Breakfast 8 AM TO NOON
 HAVE A BIG BEACH BREAKFAST!
 Lunch 11 AM TO 2 PM

NOW OPEN FRI - SAT 3 PM TO 9 PM

► 63 Via de Luna across from Springhill Suites
 850-916-0716

Henry

BY DON TRACHTÉ



POPEYE

HEY CAPTAIN



Out on a Limb

by Gary Kopervas



MISTER BREGER By Dave Breger



"Miss Williams, please notify everybody we'll have the weather forecast shortly ..."

Just Like Cats & Dogs by Dave T. Phipps



LAFF-A-DAY



"Bobby Fisbee's father wants to copy my homework when you finish it."

Sandcastles and such...Pensacola Beach Real Estate



Amazing Gulf views from the 13th floor!

Santa Rosa Towers
Three Bedroom, Two Bath
\$359,000

Jeremy Johnson
 Island Realty • Broker Associate/Realtor
 850-377-3145 • 850-916-7188
 jeremy@gulfcoastparadise.com


 WWW.PNSBEACH.COM

Commercial & Residential Appraisal
 Consulting & Sales



G. Daniel Green
 & ASSOCIATES

G. Daniel Green, MAI, SRA
 State-Cert. Gen. REA #RZ836
 Real Estate Broker #BK176669

103 Baybridge Dr.
Gulf Breeze, FL
850-934-1797 • gdanielgreen.com

Joanne & Noel Faddis



Do business ...
where business is done!

YOUR
 Beach Rental and Sales Headquarters
 for nearly 50 years

1591 Via de Luna
Pensacola Beach, FL 32561
850-932-5376 • 800-874-9245
www.rmivacations.com

After Sundown...

CRABS - WE GOT 'EM

Only restaurant on Pensacola Beach offering breath taking views of the Gulf while dining directly on the beach. Come as you are straight off the sandy beach and enjoy our indoor/outdoor bar and gulf side deck. Crabs has the largest selection of Crab on the beach, was voted Best Crab by News Journal readers. She Crab Soup, Stuffed Blue Crabs, Alaskan Snow, King or Dungeness - you'll find them all! We have many other seafood favorites on our menu as well as a great assortment of chicken, steaks

and pasta dishes. Don't forget to try one of our signature drinks like 'The Crab Trap' which come with a souvenir glass to keep! Open 7 days a week. Sunday Brunch with live Steel Band. Look for the Red Roof. 850-932-0700 www.crabswegotem.com



FLOUNDER'S CHOWDER HOUSE

Celebrating 30 years of Floundering 'neath the moon and stars. Offering fresh Seafood including Tuna, Mahi and of course Flounder! Award winning chowder, po boys, burgers and Pensacola Beach Style baked oysters. Sample our Fresh catch including the Shrimp Boat Platter- loaded with shrimp cocktail, BBQ shrimp, popcorn shrimp and U-peel ems. Kids love our Pirate Ship playground located on our beach - well within view of dining parents. For late night revelers- Flounder's is host to the world's finest beach bands. Dance all night on Flounder's beach to the most popular bands from across the south.

Open 7 days a week. Sunday Brunch. At the Traffic Light on beautiful Pensacola Beach, 850-932-2003 www.flounderschowderhouse.com



MCGUIRE'S IRISH PUB

One of America's great steakhouses; proudly serving USDA Prime Steaks, seafood and Irish specialties including Irish fisherman's bouillabaisse, Corned Beef and Cabbage and Shepherd's Pie all inside a turn of the century New York Irish Saloon themed pub. McGuire's is celebrated for its atmosphere, boasting more than 750,000 signed dollar bills hanging from the ceilings of the pub. Live entertainment coupled with great food and warm and friendly service by Employees who Give a Damn! Visit our on-site brewery and the O'Tolf Wine Cellar featuring the complete vertical collection of the Chateau Mouton Rothschild Artist Series. Featured on NBC's 'Today' Show, highly recommended by Fodors, Frommers and AAA travel guides, Florida Trend Magazine Hall of Fame Member. Open every day at 11, 850-433-6789, mcguiresirishpub.com



PARADISE BAR AND GRILL

A little bit of paradise at this open air, island style bar with its own private white sand beach. Pull up a rattan stool. Cold beer. Live Music. Exotic Libations. Friendly locals. Lunch and Dinner everyday. Sandwiches. Salads. Fresh Catch of the Day. Renee's Famous Shrimp Salad. Happy Hour 11-7. Live Bands. Poker on Monday and Wednesday. Tucked away in the parking lot of the Paradise Inn, it's directly on Santa Rosa Sound. Boat and Bicycle parking. Open 7 days. 850-916-5087.



PEGLEG PETE'S

Ahoy, Matey. You've found a Pensacola Beach treasure. Pirates welcome. Fresh Gulf seafood served in the galley or outside on the awning covered deck. Glass front bar overlooks LaFitte Cove. All kinds of oysters. Live lobster. Gumbo. Dinner specials nightly. Sizeable sandwiches and burgers for Landlubbers. Take home a t-shirt. Look for the Jolly Rogers flying over the west end of the Island at 1010 Fort Pickens Road. We're here everyday at 11. 932-4139. www.peglegpetes.com



SHAGGY'S WATERFRONT BAR & GRILL

Fresh seafood served overlooking Little Sabine Bay. Breezes are free to float through the open air dining room and side bar. Laid back, funky, family friendly. Arrive by boat or car, bike or on foot. Open everyday at 11 a.m. in the big red building on Pensacola Beach Boulevard. 850-934-4852. www.shaggys.biz



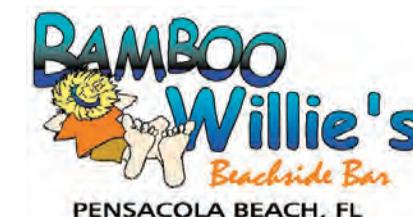
SANDSHAKER LOUNGE

The "World Famous Sandshaker"- a Pensacola Beach Tradition since 1973. Home of the Original Bushwacker. Been selling this signature drink for over 30 years. First bar on the Beach to offer this tasty frozen concoction. Monday half price BARE 10 a.m. til close; TX Hold'Em at 7 p.m., \$2 Tuesday & Karaoke, Wednesday \$2 Ladies Nite, Thursday half price T-Shirt Nite. Live Entertainment Year Round Wednesday thru Sunday. Check out the Gift Shop. Across from the Boardwalk. Open 10 am - 3 am. 850-932-2211. www.sandshaker.com



BAMBOO WILLIE'S BEACHSIDE BAR

A beach experience under the giant thatched roof. Open air bar serving your favorites. Specialty Fat Tuesday frozen drinks like the Octane 190. Live music on stage. Bikini contests. Crawfish Boil on Sunday afternoons. Willie's Wear Gift Shop. Waterfront on Santa Rosa Sound. Located at the Boardwalk. 850-916-9888. www.bamboowillies.com



SIDELINE'S SPORTS BAR AND RESTAURANT

Score! Don't miss a point. See it all in high definition - 11 big screens, 42 televisions. If it runs, jumps, races, it's here. Famous for Thursday Wing Night. Burgers. Seafood and Ribs. Kids menu for the JV players. Full bar. Indoor or outdoor seating. Video sports games. Centrally located on Via de Luna, just east of the main parking lot and the traffic light. Kick off at 11 a.m. seven days a week. 934-3660.





TURTLE TRAX

By DJ Zemenick

It's all about the sea turtles this weekend and I'm so excited! The cover story of this edition provides details about the Sea Turtle Baby Shower being hosted by the Holiday Inn Express and Margaritaville Beach Hotel Saturday, July 28.

The timing of this fun, family-oriented event coincides with the next phase of our turtle season on the island: hatchings!

Bio-techs and volunteers are gearing up for the exciting, but sleep-deprived months ahead. Along the beach, as tiny sea turtles break through their shells and begin climbing to the surface, their nest will be covered with a protective screen each night and their progress closely monitored. When hatchlings are positioned to emerge, nest-sitters will spend long hours watching over the nest, braving rain, mosquitoes, biting flies, hot and humid nights, and a host of crazy situations which we all say we'll write about someday, just to ensure the hatchlings make it safely into the Gulf.

Everyone wants to see that special moment when hatchlings erupt from a nest and make a dash for the water. The magic of a "boil" is undeniable, but it usually takes place in the wee hours. Hatchlings follow a unique schedule and are unpredictable. They may linger just below the surface for hours, waiting for the sand to cool; a signal of darkness which gives them protection from some predators. Casual observers may spend hours at a nest waiting for the "boil," only to be disappointed and leave for home to doctor their mosquito bites and get a few hours sleep before the demands of the following day. It's a waiting game won only by the most patient.

By the time you read this column, there's a possibility we may have had our first hatch! Our first sea turtle nest of 2012 was laid on May 20 in the Santa Rosa area of Gulf Islands National Seashore. We refer to it as SR 5201. Assuming 60 days for incubation, the estimated hatch date for this nest is July 19. But there are variables which effect hatch dates.

If the weather is hot and there is little rain during the incubation of a sea turtle nest, a clutch of eggs could hatch in as few as 50 days. If, however, the season has milder temps and a few days of rain, the temperature of the nest will drop and incubation could take up to 65-70 days, according to James R. Spotilla.

Over the weekend of June 9 and 10, a low pressure system developed rather quickly in the Gulf of Mexico and surprised us with approximately 13 inches of rain. It was a deluge. Again, two weeks later, we were impacted by additional rain and a storm surge from Tropical Storm Debby which resulted in considerable overwash to some nests. Taking those two events into consideration, it's a reasonable guess that SR 5201, as well as other nests which were laid around that time, may take longer than the average 60 days to incubate. Only time will show the true impact on them.

Our focus will slowly start shifting from new nests to hatches as the season progresses and we will add a hatchling count to our nest count soon. Each person who turns off exterior lights, closes their

curtains during turtle season, and picks up trash on the beach is contributing to our success. The rising nest count is proof we're on the right track!

Until next time, Lights Out!

Nest Update		
Pensacola Beach & Gulf Islands National Seashore		
	as of 7/18/12	Compare Total 2011
Perdido Key -GINS	16	8
Ft. Pickens - GINS	6	5
Pensacola Beach	16	12
Santa Rosa - GINS	26	10
Total	64	35

GRAND OPENING

Pensacola Beach
MARINA & Charters

Innerlight
SURF SHOP

655 Pensacola Beach Blvd
second building on right past the toll booth

July 28, 2012 ~ All Day
Free food ~ Giveaways ~ Waterslide
WWW.INNERLIGHTSURF.COM

WET a LING...

One fish, two fish.
Redfish. Blue fish.
Add some Trout to your catch.
That's what biting on the flats.

Why not try some inshore fishing? It's a little less time consuming, and more fuel efficient to get to the fishing spot. Locals fish everywhere including the walk on pier near the Grand Marlin.

If the bounty of the Gulf lures you, King Mackerel are hitting cigar minnows at the Gulf Pier. Charter boat captains at the Beach Marina will put you on the fish. Check out the Lively One II catch on this page.

It has a new name, new date, new spirit - the Pensacola Fishing Rodeo which was fondly referred to for years as "the King and Ling" or the "Bud Light King Mack" has a new format. The organizers lowered the registration fee to \$25 and are ready for a big field of anglers to battle for prizes. The weigh in is at Flounder's, Saturday, July 28 from noon to 7; and Sunday, July 29 from noon to 5. They will have a live scoreboard online at www.pensacolafishingrodeo.com.



The new boys in town are serious about fishing. Shaggy's Fishing Team, on board the fifty foot Hatteras "Cheeseburger," earned the Top Boat for Catch & Release Award in the 41st Annual Pensacola International Billfish Tournament. With 62 boats competing, the Cheeseburger landed two Blue Marlin and a White Marlin. Ron Ladner won the Top Angler award. The winning team members are (L to R): Rimmer Covington Sr., Jacob Mattina, Ron Ladner, Scott Sullivan, Rimmer Covington Jr., and Mark Manning.

Stay tuned to Island Times for the results from the Ladies Billfish Tourney in the next edition.



How do Great Americans celebrate July 3? They go fishing! (From Left) Annmarie Wright, Mary Wright, Cheyenne Bates, Mack, Dave Sherman, Victor Wright, John Wright, Lynn and Frank Barbie, made a day of deep sea fishing aboard the charter boat Lively One II captained by Eddie Lively. Pensacola Beach native Cullen Stanley served as the deckhand. The group of well-seasoned anglers maxed out on Red Snapper, and also hooked up some Grouper, Bonita, a Flounder, a King Mackerel, and a few Sharks.

Sailing/snorkeling trips from \$55!

JOLLYSAILING.COM

850-723-6142 • Pensacola Beach Marina

One Stop Shop for the Watersports Enthusiasts

Pensacola Beach at the Boardwalk

Key Sailing
Pensacola Beach, Florida

SALES & RENTALS

PARASAILING
SMILE HIGH CLUB
Feel the Thrill ~ Join the Club!
You won't stop smiling - even if you try

KAYAKS
SINGLE/TANDEM

WAVERUNNERS
FAST & FUN

850-932-5520
www.KeySailing.com

OPEN 9 to 6 weather permitting

Rentals Include:
All safety gear
Expert instruction
Ask about eco kayak tours

HOBIE CATS
SAIL AWAY

PONTOON BOATS
HOURLY/DAILY

NEW! Video Your Vacation
Waterproof Cam

Bushwacker Weekend! AUG 2-5

Sandshaker
Pensacola Beach

ALL WEEKEND Souvenir Cups & Limited Edition T-Shirts

A Pensacola Beach tradition

HOME OF THE ORIGINAL **BUSHWACKER**

Sandshaker.com
850-932-2211

Party with us!
Bushwacker Weekend

Something's always Shakin

MON: 10 AM - Close Half Price Drinks/Shots for BARE Customers. Poker, 7PM. Trivia, 9pm
TUES: 10 AM - Close \$2 Wine/Beer/Well. Karaoke 8 PM
WED: Ladies Nite. 5 PM - Close \$2 Wine/Beer/Well. Mike Jencks Band, 8:30 PM
THURS: 7PM - Close 1/2 Price Drinks w/ Shaker Shirt. Rez plays 8:30 PM
SAT: Curt & Friends, 3-7 on our Deck
SUN: 9PM TIL KARAOKE & Music w/DJ Vic

Thurs, 8/2: 9 PM - 1 AM
Full Moon Party "Less Than Zero"

Fri, 8/3: 9 PM - 1 AM
"The Red Field"

Sat, 8/4: 3 PM - 7 PM
"The Red Field - encore"
\$3 Bushwackers til 7 PM

Sat, 8/4: 9 PM - 1 AM
Kahlua Party "Trunk Monkey"

Sun, 8/5: 4 PM - 8 PM
"Mike Jencks Band"

It's always Shaker Time!

731 Pensacola Beach Blvd • across from Boardwalk

Fri-Sat-Sun LIVE BANDS

Will you be Queen? ShakerFest Sept 14-16



VOTED BEST SEAFOOD RESTAURANT!!

One of many "Best of the Gulf Coast" awards won by Flounder's in the News Journal's polls.



SEAFOOD!

Fresh Gulf seafood charbroiled over flaming hardwood fires



OYSTERS!

We sell so many, you know they're fresh!



SHRIMP!

Gulf shrimp served scampi style, barbecued, beer batter fried, or steamed in beer



BEACH BAR!

'Neath the moon & stars on our beach

"Floundering at its best"

-Fodor's Florida

"Best seafood on Pensacola Beach"

-Fromers Guide to Florida



PENSACOLA BEACH FLORIDA

FRED FLOUNDER, Founder

"Best seafood on Pensacola Beach"

-USAir Magazine

"Great vibes...and happy guests"

-Florida Trend Magazine



At the traffic light on beautiful Pensacola Beach • 850-932-2003 • www.FloundersChowderHouse.com

Since 1979

CRABS

on the beach

LIVE MUSIC GREAT FOOD & FAMOUS MARGARITAS

After a day at the beach come unwind and enjoy our famous margaritas, local blue claw crabs, fried seafood, steaks and more!

BEST SUNDAY BRUNCH!

Crab Cakes Benedict, Crab Omelets, Rise & Shine Breakfast, Classic Brunch Entrees, Bloody Marys & Bottomless Champagne.

BEST VIEW!

BEST BEACH BAR!

MONDAY

Paul Killough
\$2.50 Bushwackers

TUESDAY

Crabeoke
\$2 Margaritas

WEDNESDAY

Tim Spencer
\$2.50 Hurricanes

THURSDAY

Ronnie Levine
\$2.50 House Martinis

FRIDAY

Britt Searcy
\$6 Crab Traps

SATURDAY

Tim Spencer & Paul Killough
\$2.50 Sex on the Beach

SUNDAYS AT NOON

Pensacola Steel Band
Brunch Served-11 am to 2 pm
Bottomless Champagne \$5.99

SUNDAY

Britt Searcy
\$6 Voo Doo Juice Buckets

HAPPY HOUR!

Mon thru Sun 4 to 6,
1/2 price well,
house wine and draft beer



Look for the RED ROOF at the traffic light on Pensacola Beach
850-932-0700

www.crabswegotem.com

