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## Horsin' Around...

**National Champion Palomino To Serve  
As Grand Marshal of Kids and Kritters Parade**



All dressed up and ready to go! Burma Davis and her Champion Palomino Lilly will lead the Kids and Kritters Parade, Saturday, February 2. The walking procession begins at 2 p.m. in the Casino Beach parking lot near Sidelines. The Krewe of Kids, Dancingly Yours and the Pine Forest High School ROTC will line up along with dozens of mini-floats, and costumed kritters. The event is open to the public. Join the parade or catch beads along the route. Giddy up and turn to page 2 for more.

# Kids and Kritters Strut Their Stuff

Open the corral and let your imagination run wild with your entry into the Kids and Kritters Parade, Saturday, February 2 in the Casino Beach parking lot. The theme for the walking procession is "Howdy Paw-dner." Registration begins at 1 p.m. and there is no charge for two-legged entries. Kritters are \$5 each.

Lilly, Burma Davis' horse, will be the grand marshal of the parade. The beautiful mare began her career in the show ring. Lilly is a World Champion Palomino. She's retired from that life of having to be perfect with each step and



Calvin and Emma, Mardi Gras 2012

now competes in wilderness trail competitions where she jumps logs and fords rushing streams. Lilly is twelve-years-old and her gentle nature makes her well-suited to her current job as a therapy horse and a member of the Escambia County Posse.

"Lilly patiently allowed children to pet her at a recent event for three hours," said Davis. "I looked up and there were ten little hands all over her nose and neck, just loving on her. She enjoyed every minute of it."

This horse is special, according to Davis, who is well-known on the beach for her horse sense. When visiting a group of ARC Gateway clients, Lilly did not shy from the motorized wheelchairs like the others. She dipped her head low, so her new friends could easily pet her.

"Lilly is very special and somehow knows what the situation calls for," said Davis.

The parade calls for a colorfully, dressed kitter to lead the way, so Lilly will be decked out in her Mardi Gras finery for

parade day. She's not the only kitter in Davis' pack. Her three Boston terriers, who have won awards at the Barktoberfest for their costumes, will be dressed as Blue Angels. Calvin and Emma are F-18s and Mikey will be the famous C-130, Fat Albert. Davis has Lisa Busby, Jenny McCrary and Gena Glover ready to march with her dogs.

The precision marching of the Pine Forest ROTC Color Guard will set the pace. Followed by the Grand Marshall and then, the Krewe of Kids who are celebrating their twenty-first Mardi

Gras season. The Krewe Captain Diana Harvey has forty mini revelers who are fifth grade and younger. Look for the krewe in their matching cowboy hats lined up behind their signature hand print banner.

"We are Mardi Gras cowpokes," said Captain Di. "The kids love this parade. Throwing beads and dressing up, seeing the dogs in costume. What more could you ask for?"

There is no charge for kids to enter, and families are encouraged to join the fun. Each person must sign in at registration. Costumes are required and everyone should bring their own beads to throw.

Parade organizers are looking for the best decorated mini floats. Judges will be at the parade line up to view strollers, wagons and anything that rolls, which have been turned into miniature Mardi Gras floats. The float needs to be pushed or pulled along, since motorized vehicles are prohibited.

"The competition was fierce last year," said Amy Depew, who

served as a judge. "The high level of creativity with entire families costumed and parading was fantastic."

Krewe of Coma Queen Becky Shearman, Steve Picker and Brian Underwood will be judging the mini floats. They are Beach residents and will be grading the entries on originality and creativity.

Among last year's top entries were the Pinkstons. Little Lauren and her mom Dr. Tracey Pinkston are expecting plenty of floats to enter this year's parade. There is no charge to enter a mini float and you do not have to have a kid or a kitter. Just some imagination, a wagon and a great deal of Mardi Gras spirit.

Just like the kids at the parade, the dogs come in costume. Judges will be under the leadership of Dr. Tim Gossman of Gulf Breeze Animal Hospital. They will look for the top three, most creatively costumed kritters.

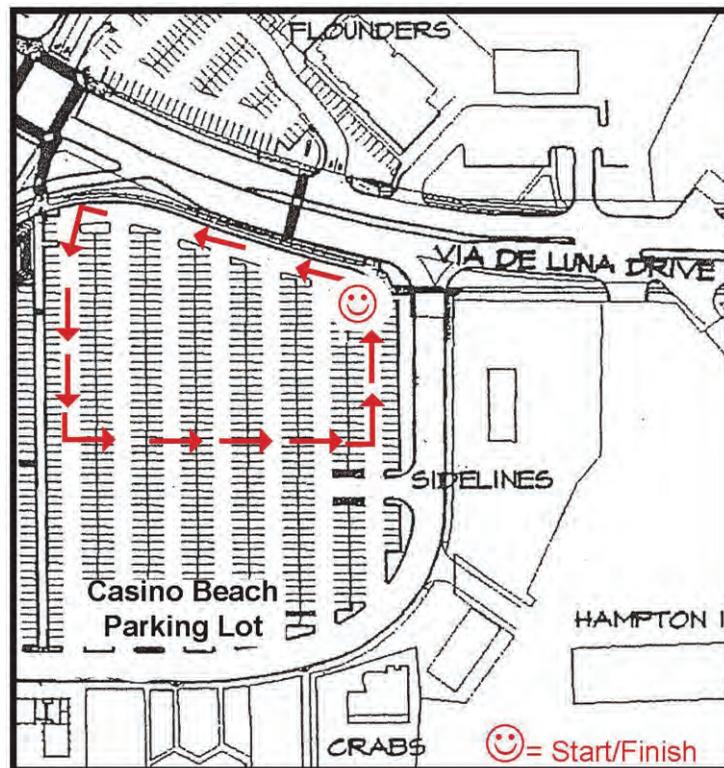
One of the goals of the Kids and Kritters parade is to provide a kid-friendly and pet-friendly Mardi Gras experience. There is a \$5 entry fee for dogs. Dogs must have proof of vaccinations either in writing or by showing a tag on their collar. Dogs must be on non-retractable leash, six feet or shorter and under the control of the handler at all times. Not all dogs are suited to this kind of event, so those who show signs of stress or aggression will not be allowed on the parade route.

Boogie, Inc. will be supplying the party music at the parade line up and their DJ Alex will make announcements. The Awards Ceremony will follow immediately after the parade. A special presentation will be made by the Krewe of Nauga founders Danah and Gwen Gibson to the Pensacola Humane Society from the proceeds collected at their event.

Diane Tyson is one of the most popular people on the Kids and Kritters Parade route. She's the Treat Lady. Parade participants are treated to a moonpie or a dog biscuit after the parade concludes.

The Kids and Kritters parade is sponsored by the Krewe of Wrecks with multiple community groups assisting. Pensacola Beach Advocates and Pensacola Beach Woman's Club serve as registration volunteers.

For more information and entry forms, go to [www.PensacolaBeachMardiGras.com](http://www.PensacolaBeachMardiGras.com).



## Naugas Go Prehistoric At Native Noontime Ball

Island natives have reported numerous Nauga sightings. The little padilla of mythical creatures, whose hides were the impetus of a joke that grew into a spectacular event, are preparing for the Krewe of Nauga Champagne Breakfast and Native Noontime Ball, Saturday, January 26.

Join 900 of the hardest partiers at this event. The line to get in starts forming well before the doors at The Dock open at 10 a.m. The fifteen dollar entry fee is the best deal in town. It includes membership in the Krewe of Nauga, special Nauga ears, breakfast, champagne, dancing to the Mike Jencks Band - all done in the comfort of pajamas, a costume or a combination of both.

The founders, Danah and Gwen Gibson, have declared this year's theme to be "Prehistoric Nauga" so if you are into costuming, you can go wild or mild.

"Once you pay \$15 and cross the threshold into the wildest breakfast party in the world, you are a Nauga," said Danah Gibson, "You will be issued a set of Nauga ears to perch upon your head."

The first event was in 1995 at the Sun Ray Taco Shop. Over the years, not much has changed. The krewe has always been a friend to furry creatures, so to

honor the mythical little Nauga, they host a photo contest for charity.

Do you have a Nauga Dawga or a Purrfect Kitty at home? Enter Fido or Fluffy's picture in the photo contest for \$5. Judges will decide on a winner and the owners go home with a bunch of prizes. Buy a few chances to win a raffle basket or bid on a Silent Auction item. The money is donated to the Humane Society.

The coronation of the 2013 Nauga Queen is a ceremonious affair. The Nauga Saga is read by Deb Friedman. The Nauga Queens gather on stage. The krewe has one Quing, Tommy Grice, who will announce the newest member of the royal family. The flowing cape, leopard covered scepter and glittering crown are bestowed upon the lucky lady who will rule supreme. The Krewe's High Priestess Kathi Lewis offers a good luck incantation carried into the wind on a raft of champagne bubbles.

Members of the Nauga Royal family are Danah Gibson, Gwen Gibson, Sharon Mattair, Renee Mack, Karina Foster, Lynn Cicutat, Shelley Johnson, Karen Cook, Deb Friedman, Carrie Monaghan, Tommy Grice, Dana Graves, Judy L'Oignon, Christine Hewerdine, Lauren Littleton and Amy Depew.

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# Forever...Barefoot on the Beach

As a tribute to Jane Waters who passed away January 10, 2012 Island Times will continue to run some of Jane's favorite columns for your enjoyment

The Islander Newspaper – January 30, 1987

My mother always told me that if you couldn't say something nice about someone not to say anything at all. I've been trying to apply this wise advice to January. Who could say anything nice about January? Possibly the New York Giants, germs, doctors and pharmacists might enjoy January. Just take the case of the flu, cold, pneumonia, strep throat, and sinus germs. Mostly, they lie around not

attacking anyone all year long. But just wait for January. They come out in full force and make about 80 percent of the population miserable. The miserable folks go to the doctor, who sends the miserable folks to the pharmacist, armed with expensive prescriptions. The medics probably love January.

Woodcutters, power companies, snow plow manufacturers and L. L. Bean must be big fans of the month of January, too. Per-

sonally, I will go to any lengths to stay warm. I turn the thermostat up high, keep a roaring fire burning in the fireplace and wear ugly winter coats. So far this January, I've bought 300 gallons of bottled gas, two loads of firewood and no coats. I have a twenty-two-year-old Pendleton wool cape, a three-year-old stadium coat which makes me look like the Michelin man, and a London Fog with a removable lining. Fuel is quickly consumed, but ugly old coats go

on forever unless some smart moth finds them and has a fine lunch on a hot summer day. So, I don't buy coats very often.

January always brings a rash of disasters. It was just a year ago that TV viewers all over the world were shocked at the sight of The Challenger explosion. Fire breaks out. Blizzards cause tragedies. In states like Florida, where snowflakes rarely have the audacity to fall, we wade around in ice cold rain storms and run into each other's automobiles because our tires slip and slide on the wet roadways.

In my opinion, January is an accident all by itself. It stands alone as the one month that contains the most misery. Like,

what do you find in your mail box in January? Love notes from the IRS. Copies of W-2 forms which add up all the astronomical amounts the government has taken from your pay check all year. Copies of interest you paid on your mortgage, credit cards, and loans. That opens your eyes, too, when you see all 12 months of it in one figure. Bills from Christmas overspending. Thank you notes from people who would rather not have written them.

For many years, I have conducted a campaign to wipe out January. My efforts have never been successful. Somehow, in my fight against this devastating month, January always wins.



The Surfer's Memorial brings together long time friends and showcases some of the area's best musicians. Hosted on January 12 at the Sandshaker (Photo left) Judy Lenderman, left, and Terri Ray enjoy the entire show. (Photo right) Surfer, musician Freddy Esposito plays drums in the opening set.

## MARDI GRAS on the Island



**Krewe of Wrecks Meetings**  
**Start Time: 6 PM**  
 January 28 Elk's Lodge

**Events**  
 January 26 Krewe of Nauga Champagne Breakfast and Native Noontime Ball, The Dock, 10 AM. \$15 at the door.  
 January 26 Krewe of Brewe Beach Babe Contest, Shaker, 2 PM, Open to the Public. No Charge  
 January 27 Krewe of Moonlight Madness Champagne Breakfast. PB Yacht Club. 10 a.m. Tickets are on sale at PBYC or call 850-712-8756  
 February 2 Kids and Kritters Parade, 2 PM Across from Sidelines. Registration at 1 PM. \$5 per kriter. Kids Free. Mini floats Free. Open to the public to parade or spectate.  
 February 2 Eastside Beach Mardi Gras Bash. Islander & The Break. 3 PM til. Costumed get free food, beer.  
 February 2 Krewe of Wrecks Grand Costume Ball, Elk's. Ticket inquiries melanie@waite.cc  
 February 4 Queen's Dinner, Flounder's. Ticket req. melanie@waite.cc  
 February 4 King's Supper, Elk's. Tickets req. melanie@waite.cc  
 February 9 Wrecks Champagne Breakfast, Crab's We Got 'Em. Krewe event. Ticket required.  
 February 9 Mardi Gras Street Dance, Sabine Sandbar, 1 PM. Open to the Public. No charge.  
 February 10 Krewe of Wrecks Parade, 2 PM. No charge.  
 February 11 Red Beans and Rice Lunch, 11 AM Casino Beach. Open to the public. No charge. Donations accepted.  
 February 12 Krewe of Coma, Sandshaker, 6 PM. Open to the Public. No Charge.  
 February 12 Shoe Box Float Contest, Paradise, 8 PM. Public encouraged to attend and enter. No charge.

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# PEOPLE

## GRIDIRON GUESSER

Beach businessman and football fanatic Dave Kelly finished with a very respectable 18 correct gridiron guesses during the long bowl season. That puts him in the 51.4 percent correct category. Pigskin Prognosticator Barry McCleary tips his Alabama ball cap to the rookie guesser, noting that his absolutely correct pick of the national championship suited him just fine. And, Barry, said his crystal ball was a bit foggy on the Super Bowl winner. Maybe next year.

## KIND GESTURE

Although he wanted to remain anonymous for his good deed, Pete Moore needs to get an atta-boy for being a great American. He secretly paid the dinner tab at Sidelines for a group of military guys chowing down on Saturday night. Ooh rah.

## LUCKY LUCKY

Kim Schmitz had on her lucky pink leather jacket at the Wrecks meeting at Hemingways. She won the 50/50 drawing and took home a pocketful of cash.

## LEE'S HOME

If only for a little while, Lee Shrewsbury was on the island. Shrewsbury was at the Surfer's Memorial, hanging out with beach friends including Michael Craighead. He is ready to retire to his beach house permanently but every time he considers it, business picks up in Tennessee.

## SPECIAL DELIVERY

Kelli Gunter Moyer and husband Ed are lullabying a new little

sweetheart. Maila Rose was born January 7 in Pensacola. Kelli was raised on Pensacola Beach and is a former Beach School teacher.

## MUST BE MARDI GRAS

A sure sign that the Mardi Gras season is here – Ted Pence and Ella Hess return from Iowa. Ella is a member of the Krewe of Nereids. She and Ted were King and Queen of Coma in 2011.

## HOOK 'EM HORNS

PJ Dunne is a scholar and an athlete. The Beach School grad has been a sensation in high school swimming earning All American status and setting state standards. He will head off in the fall for the University of Texas. His parents are Reed and Mary Dunne.

## SURF'S UP

BZR Turner's been in Malibu, California and appeared in a Surf Channel interview with former Pensacola Beach surfer Gerry Blanck.

## FUN RUN

Chef Blake Rushing made mincemeat of the Half Marathon. It was a humid, warm morning on Pensacola Beach January 12, but his training is paying off. He finished the distance with ease.

## VEGAS BABY

Patti Marie Warner checked her raffle tickets carefully at the Surfer's Memorial. She won the grand prize surf board about seven years ago at the event. She had to save some of her good luck, since she was headed to Las Vegas the next day for a work-related seminar.

## Family Honors Jim Dumbacher

On December 11, 2012 a dear son, brother, father and friend passed away at his home in Gulf Breeze.

Jim Dumbacher lived a wonderful life and will be remembered by his son Jon, sisters Margie and Teresa, and loving mother Margaret. Jim was returned to the Family's home in Kentucky for burial.



Jon and Jim Dumbacher

February 2, the family will be dedicating an 11 o'clock mass at Saint Ann Catholic Church, 100 Daniel Drive, Gulf Breeze.

This will be followed by a lively observance of Jim's life at the family home in Gulf Breeze. All of Jim's friends are welcome to attend.

Please RSVP or get more information by contacting Teresa at scrub0125@hotmail.com or 850-304-9636.

# Trivia

Trivia players did not wait for the five o'clock hour to toast the famous line sung by the world famous beach guy Jimmy Buffett, "It's Five O'Clock Somewhere." Answers flew in via email, some were even correct.

Dan McGrath was the first to give credit where credit is due – Jim "Moose" Brown and Don Rollins wrote the happy hour anthem. Jim "Moose" Brown has quite a following on Pensacola Beach since he is one of the very talented performers at the Pensacola Beach Songwriter's Festival.

The Trivia Master got no surprises. Parrotheads think Buffett penned the line. Nope.

Correct, but not quick enough, Angeli McMillan, who remains shirtless, wrote, "Jim "Moose" Brown and Don Rollins wrote the song so famously crooned by King Parrothead himself Jimmy Buffett. I know country dude Alan Jackson gets credit for the song but I don't do country and Buffett's about as close to cross-over country as I'll get."

Frozen Jersey Girl Gwen Foster accused the Trivia Master of trickery. "Trivia! I know this one. I know Jimmy Buffett wrote and sang the song It's 5 O'clock Somewhere. But now I'm thinking this must be a trick question."

Then, in a who-wants-to-be-a-millionaire type turn-about, Foster said "That's not my final answer." In a second attempt, she remembered Moose Brown, redeeming herself and declaring that to be her "final" answer. No million dollars, nor shirt, Jersey.

Big Bob Dority stumbled in to Margaritaville and blew out his flip flop. He thought Buffett wrote this. Have another cold one, Bob.

Jeff McCain must be an Alan Jackson fan. He gave him credit for the song. Good singer, but no shirt for Jeff either.

The Roundtable Knights and Ladies were tapping a keg, humming the Brown and Rollins classic. Sir Morrie, who is not easy to stump, was right on target.

A correct answer came from

the top Wooly Booger, Queen Shugh Jayne Redmond, who bemoans the fact that she did not get her *Island Times* quickly enough to clobber the competition.

The Trivia Master is ready to roll with a new question. Queen Jayne is also the Parade Wreck. She marshals the parade which lines up at Avenida 10 and rolls to the Gulfside Pavilion.

That was not always the route. What was the Krewe of Wrecks parade route in 1981? The first Mardi Gras savvy person to correctly answer this will get a parade-ready *Island Times* shirt. Email your answer with trivia in the subject line to islandtimes@bellsouth.net. Be sure to include your name and phone number.

Deadline is January 29.

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# Pooches Gets One Paw Closer To Beach Dog Park

Two football-field sized areas dedicated to allowing dog owners to enjoy the beach with their pooch could be created at the east and west ends of Santa Rosa Island. The recommendation, made by the Santa Rosa Island Authority Board during their January 9 meeting, will be forwarded to the Escambia Board of County Commissioners for consideration. The concept of a dog park requires the County's ordinance to be amended.

Leaseholder Karen Sindel approached the SRIA Board on August 22 to request dog parks be established on the Beach. After four months of discussion which included input from the public and experts' opinions, the SRIA Full Board voted 4 to 2 to approve two dog park areas. Board Chairman Thomas Campanella and Member Fred Gant were opposed.

Campanella's concerns arise from a public health and safety standpoint which he has made clear throughout the discussions.

The proposed dog parks will be open daily from sunrise to 10 a.m. south of Parking Lot E on the east end and Parking Lot B on the west end. There will be hand washing stations and pick up bags supplied by the Santa Rosa Island Authority. There is no permit or fee required to use the area. Dogs must be leashed at all times.

"I am pleased to hear this proposal," said Board Member Dave Pavlock. "The previous permitting seemed too much to police. If this is successful the first year, I would like to see a fenced area added for off leash dogs."

Patty Kelly, biologist with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Services, alerted the Board that potential conflicts with protected species would require park closure as deemed necessary by the Endangered Species Act. Kelly will provide a letter outlining the best management practices for these areas, which will accompany the SRIA's request to the County.

"We would want to work with the entity," said Kelly. "We want to reduce the impact to wildlife as much as we can."

The parks are subject to closure in the event there is a bird or turtle nest or if there are documented reports of fighting or biting. The SRIA Board has given their Executive Director Buck Lee and Director of Public Safety Bob West the authority to close the parks.

If the County Commission approves and amends the ordinance to allow dogs in these park areas, the project will be reviewed by the SRIA after one year.

In other business, the Board adopted a policy for modifying residential leases to meet the banks requirements for financ-

ing and refinancing. The policy initially included caveats that the SRIA would use this as an entry point to adjust lease fees tying them to the CPI and would make the leaseholders liable for attorneys fees. Those two items were removed from the policy as part of the motion to adopt.

Board Member Tammy Bohannon, who is also a beach leaseholder, reminded the Board that it was a heavy burden to pay additional lease fees and attorney's fees when trying to refinance a loan.

"I viewed those two items as extremely punitive to the leaseholders," she said. "It's like salting a wound."

SRIA Director of Finance Dottie Ford clarified that the actions with re-entering a lease are generally three. The entry point allows the staff to add a CPI clause, allows penalty and interest to be added to late payments, and changes the years for renewal from 99 to 30.

The motion to adopt the policy without an entry point and attorney's fee passed 4 to 2.

Dr. Chuck Randle thanked the Board for approving a \$3,500 sponsorship of the Pensacola Beach Relay For Life which will take place in April. He outlined the promotional benefits that the sponsorship earns which included event track markers, SRIA logos added to all banners, advertising

and the Relay for Life t-shirts.

"In addition to the promotional aspect of the sponsorship, the SRIA will be viewed as leaders who care about the health and well-being of their community," said Randle. "The goal to support research efforts to cure cancer is important. Cancer touches many lives and thousands are now survivors. While this event may not fill up hotel rooms, it does celebrate the strength of this great Beach community."

The Pensacola Beach Relay for Life event earned \$50,000 for the American Cancer Society last year, well surpassing their \$30,000 goal.

During the Executive Director's Report, the Board inquired about the National Park Service's request to have the SRIA lifeguards protect their beaches. Safety Director West has prepared a proposal outlining costs to provide that service which may not be available until 2014.

"It's a real feather in Bob's cap," said Executive Director Lee. "If they need our help saving lives all up and down this island Bob West can help them. There is a financial obligation that has to be met, as well."

Board Member Tammy Bohannon gave an update about discussions with Escambia County Engineer Matt Mooneyham, who serves as the beach's project manager. Mooneyham will make

a presentation at the February 13 SRIA meeting.

She also noted that funding has been secured for turtle friendly lighting in the Casino Beach parking lot, protective cushions for the toll facility arms would be installed and a Pensacola Beach Boulevard lighted crosswalk is being considered for approval.

The Board discussed the acceptance of a bid for staffing temporary positions which is more costly than the current contract. Only Landrum staffing responded to the request and their price is 14 percent higher than the current vendor.

Sailing instructor Chuck Beverly came before the board with a request that the SRIA address safety concerns at the boat ramp located near Morgan Park. It is the only launch currently available so the congestion is creating hazards for motorized and non-motorized vessels. He suggested that the board add signs to designate separate areas.

SRIA Chairman Campanella tasked staff with seeking solutions.

"This is a congested area on the weekends," said Campanella. "We need to look for ways to lessen the chances of accidents."

The SRIA Committees meet Wednesday, January 23 at 5 p.m. The meetings are open to the public. Agendas are available online at [www.sria-fla.com](http://www.sria-fla.com).



**WITH APPRECIATION** - Santa Rosa Island Authority 2013 Board Chairman Dr. Thomas Campanella, left, presents former chairman Dave Pavlock with a plaque expressing the SRIA's gratitude for his leadership.



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Thanks to everyone for supporting the Krewe of Nereids King Kake Party at Paradise. It was a wonderful way to kick-off the Mardi Gras season. Thanks also go to Renee Mack and her staff of hard-working, dedicated employees. Our Queen's Brunch is always delectable and the perfect way to celebrate the end of the Queen's reign. It is one very long day for us Mermaids. I was actually the last Mermaid standing; for a very short moment anyway. I stood up (still at Paradise) to make that proclamation then promptly tripped on the very thick air on the floor and fell down. I really do have great timing, don't you think?

Big Congratulations to our new Royalty, Queen Peggy Henshall and King "Nasty" John Thomas. They are in for a very exciting and adventurous royal ride this year and they have certainly earned it. Peggy is the owner of Cajun Stitchery and has been a member of the Mystic Krewe of Nereids for many years. She, along with Elaine Mitchell, Charlotte Spencer, Ella Hess and other helpers, is the co-creator and master seamstress for our beautiful costumes.

Loving, kind spirits Peggy and John, are infamous for spreading contagious laughter, a ton of fun, smiles and tremendous joy among the islanders; not just during Mardi Gras season. They welcome everyone to join them on this magnificent journey in celebrating the joy of our unique love for life, community and each other regardless of the season.

I had to giggle over The Lizard's Tongue in the last edition concerning Liz's return to the Beach and her re-awakening of the tremendous number of costumes needed in Paradise. I use that term because she had a full costume closet when she left this Island! (I'll never understand why people in other areas don't costume as much we do here living our fantasy lives.) I have also personally witnessed her in more than one costume. I haven't had a closet separate from costumes in many, many years.

I must congratulate the very first "Jane's Champagne Queen" Gwen Gibson crowned on January 10. The SOB's are all so proud of you. I can hardly wait for next year's celebration. My heart swells with pride and love.

A big thanks to the Waters sisters; especially Liz for hosting us.

The Nereids combined our Bead Trip to Mobile with a late Krewe Christmas Party. I am amazed we have such incredible lives that we had to postpone Christmas! Well, that and the New York City trip, combined anyway. All three of these events are stories for another day. But Marilyn LeNormand is always the "uber" hostess in Mobile and we all look forward to going. I mentioned the new Mardi Gras business in Pensacola and got a big frown from Marilyn. It was not about the business of course, she was afraid we wouldn't want to come to her house anymore! What? That has the same possibility of happening as one of us saying we don't like something prepared by our Royal Chef Elaine Mitchell. Impossible! We have and will continue to make-up an excuse to go if necessary.

I'm sure there are lots of you who already have your costumes ready. Well, good for you. I always work best under pressure, or is it I do my best work under pressure? Whichever it is, I'm under it and the pressure's on! Gotta get my Nauga High Priestess gear, and figure out my "character" for the Krewe of Wrecks Ball.

In the meantime, we have to eat. This week's recipe is great for breakfast when served with eggs, grits or whatever you choose. After the bread is cooked (leaving out the onions) you can also soak it in beaten eggs and seasonings to make French Toast, baking again in the oven until set. It's also good as a snack or with soup if you love bread as much as I do. You can make it ahead and freeze it; then slightly thaw, slice and heat. Or thaw the whole loaf and reheat. Lots of possibilities exist with this recipe (substituting sausage or ham for bacon or different cheeses).

Anyway, let's cook.....

**Bacon & Cheese Quick Bread**  
**3 Tbsp. butter plus more for greasing**  
**2 Med. Onions, chopped**  
**½ Lb. bacon (approx. 10 slices)**  
**2 Cups All-purpose flour\*\***  
**do not substitute with self-rising\*\***  
**1 Tbsp. baking powder**  
**2 Tsp. salt**  
**1 Cup whole milk**  
**1/3 Cup Extra Virgin Olive Oil**

**1 Egg**  
**2 Cups Sharp Cheddar Cheese, shredded**

Preheat oven to 350 degrees and grease a 9" x 5" loaf pan (or 4 mini pans) with butter. Melt butter in large skillet over medium heat, then add onions and cook until deep golden brown and caramelized, stirring occasionally (approx. 30 min.). Set aside to cool. Meanwhile cook bacon in large skillet, microwave or oven until crisp. (Bacon curls less when baked in the oven; flip once or change temp. control to broil to cook both sides.) When bacon is crisp, remove to paper towel (or clean newspaper) to drain. Let cool, then chop. In a large bowl, whisk together flour, salt and baking powder. In another bowl whisk together milk, oil and egg. Slowly pour into the flour mixture, mixing just until combined. Gently fold in cheese, bacon and onions just until combined, then transfer to prepared pan. Bake until golden brown and toothpick inserted in center is clean. Large pan – cook 45 minutes; or 25 minutes for smaller loaves.

Enjoy, don't forget to share and join the Krewe of Wrecks. You'll be glad you did!

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# BYTES & BITS

By Joe Stukey,  
Your Computer Pal

**Q:** Why is my computer getting a "Blue Screen"?

**A:** There are several causes for the dreaded "blue screen" on computers using Microsoft Windows. The blue screen is usually a screen full of white text on a blue background. The most important information about the problem is displayed on the first line of text on the blue screen. The rest of the information on the screen won't mean much to anyone.

That kind of failure happens when the Windows program is damaged or when a hardware component in the computer is damaged. Hardware causes in-

clude the video, memory (RAM), and the hard disk (where everything is stored).

If the computer can be restarted successfully in the diagnostic mode (commonly known as Safe Mode), the problem is most likely with the software. If the computer will not completely start up in diagnostic mode, the problem is more likely to be in the hardware.

Taking the "scientific approach," you would first want to see if the hard disk is good. The hard disk can be removed and tested separately. The memory chips can also be replaced to see if that will solve the problem.

After finding that a bad hard disk is responsible for the problem, a new disk can be installed. Afterwards, the Windows software will have to be installed again. Your data from the old hard disk can sometimes be retrieved and put on the new hard disk. Do not assume that everything is lost just because the computer will not start. But, when you see a Blue Screen, it would be great if you've been diligent about backing up your files.

If the hardware passes all the tests, then the focus would shift to the Windows program itself. Sometimes a disk scan will take care of that. The disk scan makes sure that all the files needed during startup are intact. Also, restoring the computer software to an earlier point in time might fix it. In more serious cases, the Windows CD will be needed to repair the entire Windows program.

This article was provided by The Stukey Group. For questions, contact Joe at joe@ycpals.com or 850-206-3156.

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## A Cross in the Sand

By  
Rev. Dr. Tom Garrison  
Pensacola Beach Community Church



One of the things that I hear the most from visitors when they ask about or come to Pensacola Beach Community Church is "are you non-denominational?" The answer is that we are "United Church of Christ" which is sort of on the other side of non-denominational, because we are multi-denominational. We respect all people that come in the name of our Lord, Jesus Christ. What I think we always want to be on the beach is a witness of God's love. When we allow ourselves to be witnessed by another, we cannot help but be transformed by the experience. Whether we are sharing a personal experience, standing in front of friends to celebrate a special occasion, or expressing our unbridled joy or sorrow in front of a loved one, we are allowing ourselves to be seen and experienced in a very intimate way. It is our intent to share the joy and grace with everyone.

to another by the love of Christ, it is our desire to give the gift of grace and show each person they also matter. In letting ourselves be witnessed, we are letting others into that intimate space, stepping in the sacred container of the One who has created us, and creating a cauldron of positive affirmation, support, love, and goodwill of God that will stay with each person forever. What a wonderful journey we have together on this part of God's creation.

The idea of our congregation is to be a welcoming presence of Jesus Christ in this wonderful beach community. We have so many opportunities to share ourselves that it opens the door to be more than a church but a community of believers. I always tell our visitors as they come through our doors "they are at home" and it is now their church.

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Krewe of Kids Captain Diana Harvey blew the starters whistle on the rootin' tootin' crab wrangling relay race at the Kids' sign up and organizational meeting, January 5 at the Beach Church Fellowship Hall. Forty mini revelers joined the krewe and will parade at the Kids and Kritters parade on February 2. The krewe, which was formed in 1993, is comprised of youngsters fifth grade and under.



The Mystic Krewe of Nereids crowned their 2013 rulers at the King Kake Party, January 5 at Paradise Bar and Grill. Nasty John Thomas will serve as King Nereus XXII along with Peggy Henshall whose title is Queen Doris XXII. The Krewe of Nereids is an all-female krewe whose first royalty were crowned in 1992. In addition to the King Kake party, they host the Moon Pie party and enter a float in the Krewe of Wrecks Mardi Gras parade.



The wild and wooly Krewe of Bananimals hosted a formal Mardi Gras Ball at Castaways on January 12 where they crowned the royal court for 2013. Outgoing Queen Brenda Roberts, left, assists new Queen Dianne Kildow, center. King Rusty Kleinsmith, right, presided over the ceremonies. Incoming Bananimals King is Bubba Bechtol. Look for the Bananimals' new float to premier in the Krewe of Wrecks parade, February 10.



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Mon Dieu. The salt air is filled with confetti, streamers and the sweet perfume of parties. My dance card is full. My rhinestones are sparkling. There are a short three weeks to Fat Tuesday.

I am acquainted the new Nereids Queen Peggy. She has sass. She assigned titles to her royal consorts. Marilyn Le-Normand is the royal gardener. Marilyn's roots are deep with this krewe. The Royal Misfit is Jeanne Tawney. The entire list is posted online at pensacolabeach-mardigras.com.

Head Irishman Jeff Elbert presented the Krewe of St. Patrick's Court of Honor in an evening ceremony at Flounder's, January 8. Tina Chinn, Lois Crane, Ashley Ornsby, Suzette Brinker and Crystal Henderson are joined by Chris Turner, Roy Adams, Dennis Stone, Albert McEachern and Tim Pascal. The

Lord and Lady are selected during the Shamrock-N-Roll Ball. Reigning royalty Alicia Taylor and Mario Roberts will crown the new rulers. Faith and begorrah, this krewe has a signature drink and imprinted shot glasses.

The Wrecks are ready. Float Captain Jim Knell said all hands on deck for a parade line-up decorating coup on the Wrecks float on February 10. Volunteers are welcome. Sign up in advance.

Someone subdued the Ban-animals into debonair dons and darlings at their ball. Raise a glass to Jerry Wright, Tim Jackson and Karen Cook who have added Angela Moore to the krewe's executive board. They add a new board member every twenty years, or so. Look for more in 2033.

I will be sipping and munching at Eastside Beach Bash at the Islander, Feb. 2. Bon temps.

# Poker Divas Soak Up The Limelight

Who will be the Queen of 2013 at the Texas Hold 'Em 4444 Fun tables? Get the tiara ready, because the poker playing divas are starting the year in high gear. Sheri Smith, Kelly Trout and Deb Friedman are betting and bluffing their way to the top spots during weekly play.

"These ladies are fiercely competitive," said Richard Uzdevens, poker promoter. "The old guard of guys who traditionally dominated the action are getting a run for their money. The fellows are still scoring some wins. Just ask Todd Lentini, Ted Gorder and Tex Atkinson."

Sheri Smith won at Paddy O'Leary's outlasting Ted Gorder on January 3, and Tex Atkinson on January 10. The retired Marine Corps Colonel Phil Tracy launched an assault which earned him the win at The Dock on January 5. Like father like daughter. Kelly Trout took her dad's spot in the winner's circle on January 12 with John Woodham as the runner-up. Todd Lentini ruled the Sunday afternoon game at Paddy's on January 6, finishing ahead of Ted Gorder. Lentini settled for second place behind

the Deb Friedman, the poker playing college professor, at Paddy's on January 13.

The Sandshaker Lounge hosts poker on Monday nights in their heated patio room. Pete Falgout landed a big win over

Beach pioneer and flying ace Tex Atkinson.

Texas Hold 'Em 4444 Fun celebrated its ninth anniversary on January 3. The games are open to the public. For more information call 850-324-2667.

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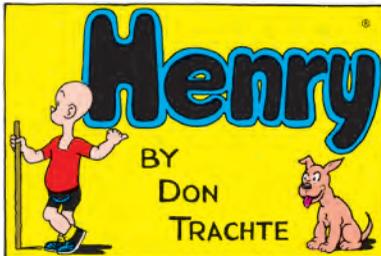
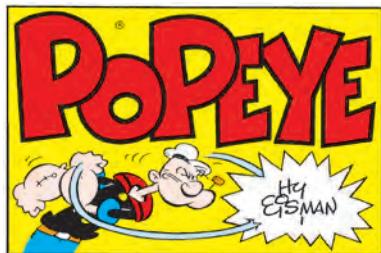
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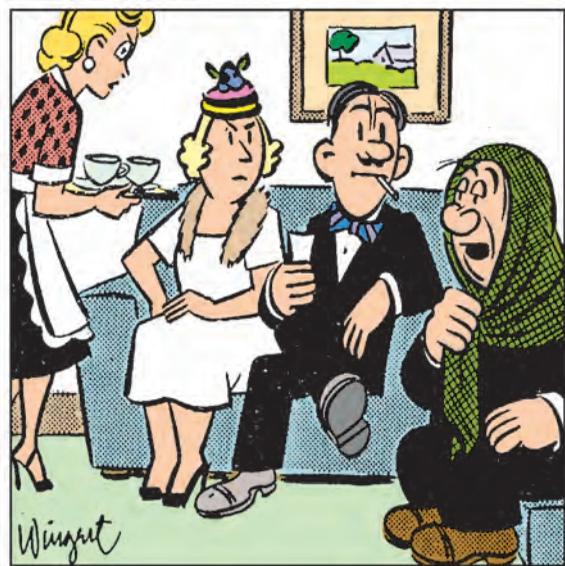
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**Out on a Limb**

by Gary Kopervas



# BUSINESS BUZZ.....

## WALK THE WEB

Pirates and land lubbers will like the newly designed PegLeg Pete's website. Bold music greets you and delicious photos scroll across the screen. You can buy a t-shirt or rent a condo from the site. Catering menus are at your fingertips. Mitchell Glucroft is their web guy.

## BEACH BLOG

Stir up the electrons and be part of the conversation. *Island Times* has launched a blog. Find it at [www.mysouthtimes.com](http://www.mysouthtimes.com).

## NEW POST

Beach Realtor Jeremy Johnson has joined the Levin Rinke Resort Realty Team. He is located at 22 Via de Luna in the Resort Realty office near Emerald Isle.

## IN FOCUS

Sea Grant Extension Agent Rick O'Connor is facilitating a focus group to discuss Pensacola Beach's readiness for future storms. A task force of business leaders including Beach Chamber execs Beverly Campbell and Nicole Stacey will weigh in, along with Island residents. Attorney Thomas Ruppert, Sea Grant Specialist, will lead the discussion.

## HEY SISTER

The Pensacola Sister Cities Meeting is Tuesday, January 29 at Heritage Hall at 5:30 p.m. If you have an interest in economic and cultural interaction with Chimbote or Miraflores, Perú, Escazú, Costa Rica, Gero,

Japan, Gorlovka, Ukraine, Kaohsiung City, Chinese Taipei or Macharaviaya, (Malaga) Spain please attend. For reservations, call 850-479-3632.

## BIG DOLLARS

Beach guy Rick Gordon reports that during December, the Corvette Club presented \$2,000 to Covenant Hospice and Santa Rosa Kids House. In addition to the funds, the Club hosted a toy drive for the Kids House. Pensacola Beach businesses' support of the annual Corvette show makes

these donations possible.

## MARSH RETIRES

Harvey Marsh worked at the Santa Rosa Island Authority for 13 years. When he turned 72-years-young, he decided to retire. In a letter of appreciation, he expressed his gratitude to each of his bosses and coworkers. God speed, Harvey.

## HERE'S TO HEALTHY

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# Thousands of Runners To Tackle Double Bridge Race Course

Pensacola Sports Association's Ray Palmer announced that he is expecting the Double Bridge Run's first-ever sell-out of 2,500 in the 15K portion and 1,500 in the 5K race. The race, sponsored by Publix, is set for Saturday, February 2.

The Double Bridge Run course is arguably one of the best around as it encompasses three cities, two bridges, and two bodies of water. It starts in historic downtown Pensacola and finishes

on beautiful Pensacola Beach.

In addition to the great course, participants are treated to a picturesque finish line and upbeat post-race party that includes three bands, free food, drinks, and an awards ceremony. New this year, every 15K finisher will receive a commemorative finishers medal when they cross the finish line.

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by Candace Segar

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Now I wonder what happened in light of all this? I feel certain that 60 years ago that enthusiasm and drive was what propelled us to succeed. Where did that futuristic thinking go? Why did it disappear?

Well, let's think about our goals on a national level. What are the futuristic goals? I watch and read the news on a regular basis, and my conclusion is there are no



futuristic goals.

We need to move our heads and particularly our brains away from our cell phones and become active. We need to press Congress and the President to set goals which include space travel and exploring other planets and their respective moons. Remember these endeavors provide a huge pay-off. Travel and exploration of the moon gave us our advanced computer, satellite and telescope technologies. No telling what new and profound ideas would emerge if our brain power was focused on traveling to Mars. I would just love to pick up a paperback book with a coupon on the back stating People Will Fly To Mars Soon! Book your round trip Mars tour by filling in the application below. How great would that be?

## Fantasy Characters Come To Life At Mardi Gras Parties

Snow White may be on the dance floor with Harry Potter at the Krewe of Wrecks Grand Costume Ball, Saturday, February 2 at the Pensacola Beach Elk's Lodge. Characters from storybooks and comics books have been declared the theme of the evening gala which begins at 8 p.m. Hors d'oeuvres will be served to fuel partiers and there is a cash bar. Wrecks Captain Jim Hill and First Mate Bobbi Cunningham will reign over their frolicking subjects. The costume contest takes place on the dance floor. Tickets are \$30 at the door.

In the early days of the Beach Mardi Gras, the Krewe of War-

riors partied, paraded and brought their fabulous float to add to the fun. They still do. Although their Once Upon A Time in Warrior Land Ball is in Pensacola, it's worth the drive. The Krewe of Warriors really know how to costume and carry out their theme. This year is no different. The Storybook Warriors Ball promises to be an enchanted evening, Friday, January 25. The doors open at the Hadji Shrine Temple in Pensacola at 7:30 p.m. Dress is costume, formal or casual and

tickets are \$35 at the door. Open to the public. According to the invitation, "you must be 21 or over and still believe in fairy tales." Bring your own food, but coolers are forbidden in Warrior Land. For information call Lisa at 850-712-8879.

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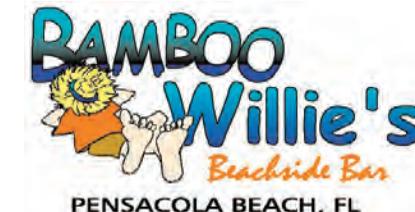
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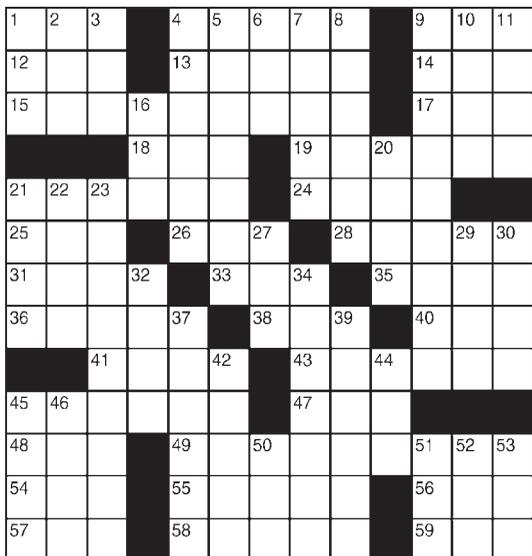
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**ACROSS**

- 1 Cambridge sch.
- 4 Tweak the Constitution
- 9 Letterman's network
- 12 Fuss
- 13 Alamo hero with a knife named for him
- 14 Feedbag morsel
- 15 Part
- 17 Biz deg.
- 18 Commercials
- 19 Quartz variety
- 21 Baked potato's skin
- 24 Liniment target
- 25 Swelled head
- 26 Stitch
- 28 Esteem
- 31 Simple arithmetic
- 33 Sinbad's bird
- 35 — St. Vincent Millay
- 36 Come to a point
- 38 Bankroll
- 40 Charged bit
- 41 Brewery products
- 43 New Jersey airport
- 45 OK for



- dieters
  - 47 Parisian pal
  - 48 Boxer Muhammad
  - 49 ENIAC and its successors
  - 54 Life story, for short
  - 55 Judge, at times
  - 56 Caustic solution
  - 57 Male offspring
  - 58 Logic
  - 59 Doctor's due
- DOWN**
- 1 Buddy
  - 2 Altar affirmative
  - 3 Cruise or Selleck
  - 4 Homes
  - 5 Dr. Frankenstein's creation
  - 6 Female sheep
  - 7 Martial arts mercenary
  - 8 Remove (from)
  - 9 Digests of a sort
  - 10 Movie pig
  - 11 Celebrity
  - 16 Neighbor of Afgh.
  - 20 Oxford, e.g.
  - 21 Make jokes
  - 22 Water (Sp.)
  - 23 Chum
  - 27 "Holy moley!"
  - 29 — about (approximately)
  - 30 Hierarchy level
  - 32 Narcissist's love
  - 34 Finger food
  - 37 Does a double-take
  - 39 Coy
  - 42 Emporium
  - 44 Humor
  - 45 Apprehends
  - 46 Hodgepodge
  - 50 60 sec.
  - 51 Sprite
  - 52 "Catcher in the —"
  - 53 Witness

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## — King Crossword —

### Answers

Solution time: 21 mins.

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### JANUARY

- 25: Trivia, open to the public. Pensacola Beach Church. \$12.50 per person. 932-6628
- 26: Krewe of Nauga Champagne Breakfast, 10, The Dock
- 26: Krewe of Brewe Beach Babe Contest, 2 pm, Sandshaker
- 27: Pensacola Beach Yacht Club Champagne Breakfast, 10:30. Tickets required in advance. Purchase at the PBYC bar.
- 28: Krewe of Wrecks, Elk's, 6 p.m.
- 28: PBES Board of Directors Meeting, 6 p.m. School Campus
- 29: Pensacola Beach Chamber Member meeting, 8:30 at Margaritaville. Guest pass, call 932-1500.
- 31: Parade Safety meeting. SRIA. 6 pm

### FEBRUARY

- 2: Double Bridge Run
- 2: Kids and Kritters Parade, 2 pm
- 2: Eastside Beach Mardi Gras Bash, 3 pm til. Islander & The Break. Free food and drink for costumed.
- 2: Krewe of Wrecks Ball, Elks
- 3: Super Bowl Sunday
- 9: Krewe of Wrecks Champagne Breakfast, Crabs.
- 9: Mardi Gras Street Dance, Sandbar, 1 p.m.
- 10: Krewe of Wrecks Parade, 2 p.m.
- 11: Red Bean and Rice Luncheon, 11 a.m. Casino Beach Parking Lot. Free.
- 12: Krewe of Coma Coronation, Shaker
- 12: Shoe Box Float Contest Paradise
- 13: Ash Wednesday
- 14: Valentine's Day
- 16: Yancy Spencer Memorial Statue Dedication, Casino Beach

### MARCH

- 2: OysterFest, PegLeg Pete's.
- 2: Circle K Run for UCP, noon.
- 3: OysterFest, PegLeg Pete's
- 10: Daylight Savings Time Begins
- 14: PB Woman's Club Game Day and Card Party. Our Lady.
- 17: St. Paddy's Day Pub Crawl

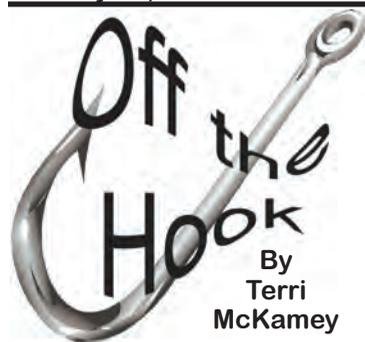
### APRIL

- 20: PBA Yard Sale and Shredding Event, Casino Beach, 8 am
- 21: Sea Turtle Baby Shower, Property between Holiday Inn Express & Margaritaville.
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I don't know about y'all but I sure did enjoy the wonderful warm spell we had. I'll take 75 degrees and sunny in January any day. What a wonderful paradise to live in! Take advantage every chance you get, because it'll be 50 and raining before you know it. Temperatures in the Gulf have stayed in the low 60s most of this winter which is very unusual. I can go fishing one day and really rack them up and the next day they are gone. Be persistent; it pays off every time.

If you're fishing offshore-remember both Grouper and Snapper are closed, so your best bet is Amberjack and Triggerfish. The 2013 Snapper season has not been set yet; I'll pass the information along as soon as I get it.

With the warm weather we have bait closer inshore and the fishing should continue to be good all month. You can view the regulations and a nice article about lion-fish (which have totally been invading our area) at [www.myfwc.com](http://www.myfwc.com).

This time of year is good for Sheepshead which are found in shallow water with lots of structures like pilings, piers and bridges. The best time of the year to catch them is the winter and early spring when they move near shore for spawning.

Sheepshead have a knack for stealing bait so a small hook is necessary. Fiddler crabs, shrimp and sand fleas are good baits to use. You have to anticipate their bite sometimes because they bite the bait to crush it rather than swallow it like a Redfish.

Surf fishing continues to be good with Whiting and Pompano. They are plentiful, fun to catch and great to eat! Let's not forget the Redfish. They are still biting.

If you are an app person, try downloading the new "fish on" app. [Http://fishonapp.com](http://fishonapp.com). The basic app is free although premiums will cost you. But you can get weather info, fishing hot spots, tide info and fishing regulations here. Never hurts to be prepared!

So what are you doing today? It's my day off and I'm grabbing my son and going fishing! What are you waiting for?



Rhonda Mead, left, and Cynthia Caruso of Navarre, take off with happy faces during the Pensacola Beach Run, January 12. The course started at Casino Beach and took runners along Via de Luna, through the Gulf front neighborhoods to a turn-around point. These racers did not set any records, but had a great time, completing the 10K in the same exact time of 1:39.54.



**PRETTY & FAST**  
Rita Finkbone won the January 12 Pensacola Beach Run 5K Female Grand Masters division and her daughter Kylie, right, earned the top spot in the 14-year-old girls division. Rita's personal best time of 24:02 was still fast enough to stay ahead of Kylie who finished in 28:43. Both wanted to say thank you to race sponsors and organizers.

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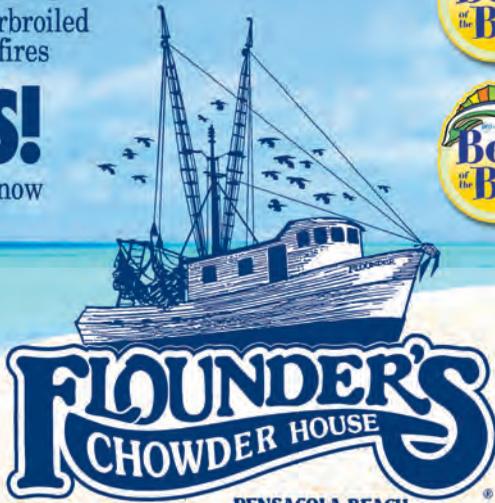
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