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Spend any time surfing the Web and you are bound to find stories that are just too bizarre to be true. Here's a sampling, edited for length. And remember, just because it's online doesn't mean it's true!

From *Reuters.com*: **Body parts sold to kebab stand**

Russian police have arrested three homeless people suspected of eating a 25-year-old man they butchered and selling other bits of the corpse to a local kebab house.

Suspicions were raised when dismembered parts of a human body were found near a bus stop in the outskirts of the Russian city of Perm, 720 miles east of Moscow.

Three homeless men with previous criminal records were arrested on suspicion of setting upon a foe with knives and a hammer before chopping up his corpse to eat, local investigators said in a statement.

"After carrying out the crime, the corpse was divided up: part was eaten and part was also sold to a kiosk selling kebabs and pies," the prosecutor said.

It was not immediately clear from the statement if any of the corpse was sold to customers.

From *msnbc.msn.com*: **Overdue library books returned 51 years later**

A high school librarian in Phoenix said a former student at the school returned two overdue books checked out 51 years ago along with a \$1,000 money order to cover the fines.

Camelback High School librarian Georgette Bordine said the two Audubon Society books checked out in 1959 and the money

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Saturday: Partly cloudy; high: 69; low: 47; high tide: 4:46 a.m.; low tide: 10:47 a.m.
Sunday: Sunny; high: 73; low: 57; high tide: 5:38 a.m.; low tide: 11:34 a.m.

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Charity breakfast to feature balloon rides, aerial show

By Jessica Tuggle
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SEBASTIAN — The December first Saturday charity breakfast at the LoPresti hangar in the Sebastian Airport will feature high-flying fun for the whole family, organizers say.

On Dec. 5, renowned pilot J.W. "Corkey" Fornof, pilot of the LoPresti Fury, a two-seat sports plane designed for speed, will perform a high-flying acrobatic show in the Fury and speak about his many experiences as an air show and stunt pilot at the breakfast, which benefits the

food pantry of Roseland. Participants are asked to bring a new, unwrapped toy or non-perishable food item to the event to help fill the pantry's Christmas food baskets.

A hearty breakfast of bacon, eggs, pancakes, muffins, fruit



Pet care when you're not there

Classes help pet owners prepare if they can't care for their animals

By Jessica Tuggle
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INDIAN RIVER COUNTY — Preparing for the future is a good idea, but not many people know how to provide care for their pets in the event they die or become unable to care for them.

The Humane Society of Vero Beach and Indian River County want to provide pet owners with the security and education they need to prepare a future for their pets in case of death or incapacitation.

To meet this need, a free seminar on developing pet trusts will be held at the shelter's adoption and education center on Dec. 3, from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m., staff said.

Vero Beach attorney Jennifer Peshke of Stewart, Evans, Stewart & Emmons, has experience in developing pet trusts that will stand in a court of law and will be available to answer questions after the seminar.

"Companion animals are like members of the family," said Keith Hinton,

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Paddling along



Cliff Partlow/staff photographer

Sebastian Boys and Girls Club students Angela Saucier, 14, left, and Brandy Thomas 13, show off their kayaking skills during the Kayaks Etc. free kayaking event Wednesday, Nov. 18, in the Main Street preservation area.

Exercise in disguise raises funds for school

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INDIAN RIVER COUNTY — A local physical education teacher has found a way to give back to his community in a way that gave him back his life.

Chris "Coach" Harrigan, a physical education teacher at Thompson Magnet Elementary

School in Vero Beach, lost more than 100 pounds while doing Zumba @ with Jill Price at a CityFit outdoor fitness camp.

By changing his activity and eating patterns, Mr. Harrigan was able to embrace a healthier lifestyle. He was also inspired to work with Ms. Price to use the program to teach others how to get active in an engaging,

energetic exercise regimen and raise money at the same time.

"I got involved with it about a year and a half ago, got introduced to Jill and now I'm using what I learned to give back to the community," said Mr. Harrigan, who is now a certified Zumba@ instructor.

"Since high school, I had always played sports,

and everybody would always tell me that I needed to bulk up, beef up. I got into that eating pattern and I started getting heavier and heavier. I got up to 313 pounds," Mr. Harrigan said.

Faced with orthopedic problems and other health issues, he finally decided to make a change

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Cliff Partlow/staff photographer

Nancy Halbert, who manages the kitchen at The Source in Vero Beach, fills meal trays during lunch last Thursday. The ministry averages about 100 people a day for meals. Items most people take for granted, such as deodorant, toothbrushes, toothpaste and razors, are always in need at The Source.

Fill a bag, fill a heart

The Source holds clothes, hygiene drive

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INDIAN RIVER COUNTY — A local homeless ministry is looking for donations of clothes and hygiene products to help fill gift bags this holiday season.

The Source, an outreach center and resource center for people who are homeless or close to being homeless are asking the community to help them provide necessary items to mem-

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District gets grant to fund after-school learning centers

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INDIAN RIVER COUNTY — The Indian River County School District was recently awarded a \$557,900 grant to provide community learning center programs to two Title-1 eligible schools.

Thompson Magnet Elementary and Pelican Island Elementary will be the beneficiaries of this particular grant, which is from the U.S. Department of Education's 21st Century Community Learning Center competitive grant pro-

gram, said Alice Blanco, school district project specialist.

According to a press release, more than 140 grant proposals were reviewed, but only 71 were recommended for funding.

At the time the grant was written, Thompson was at 70 percent poverty and Pelican Island was at 63 percent poverty, the two highest levels in the county, said Ms. Blanco, who wrote the grant.

The grant has the option of being renewed up to five

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bers of the homeless community in Indian River County.

The need for people requesting assistance at the outreach center has more than doubled since last year. The demographics of homelessness are spreading as well, officials said, and include more young families.

"The face of homelessness has changed," said Phil VanVynckt, acting executive director for The Source.

"People just like you and me wake up and they're fired," said Mr. VanVynckt.

Some people look at those who live in the woods and say they need to get a job, but some of those people



Volunteer Ed Wesolko, and cook George Brown (not shown), served lunch to approximately 100 of the area's homeless at The Source Nov. 19, in Vero Beach.

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staff photographer

had been living paycheck to paycheck and lost their job, or no longer have a home because of it being foreclosed, he said.

According to in-house statistics, 5,604 clients were served last year, and 786 of those clients were children.

Diapers are a big commodity at the center, and those and other baby items, such as wipes, are always needed, Mr. VanVynckt.

The gift bag drive is specifically targeting those homeless who have nothing, said Shirley Reul, marketing director for The

Source.

"You have these homeless that may live in the woods and this drive is what they depend on to live for the rest of the year," said Ms. Reul.

The ministry hopes to have enough items to fill 50 gift bags for the homeless, if not more, Ms. Reul said.

The need for new clothing items for the gift bag drive include the following for both men and women:

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years for nearly \$2.5 million, if the federal funding is still available.

The CCLC programs will be designed to provide at-risk students with opportunities for academic and personal enrichment to

complement the schools' regular academic programs, the press release said.

Ms. Blanco said schools will identify the up to 277 students who can benefit from the after-school program.

The grant award requires hiring a program coordinator, a position which the school district is currently

hiring for, Ms. Blanco said.

The Boys and Girls Club of Indian River County and other community partners, such as Harbor Branch Oceanographic Institute, will partner with the county to bring high-quality services and programming to best serve the students in Indian River County, said Ms. Blanco.

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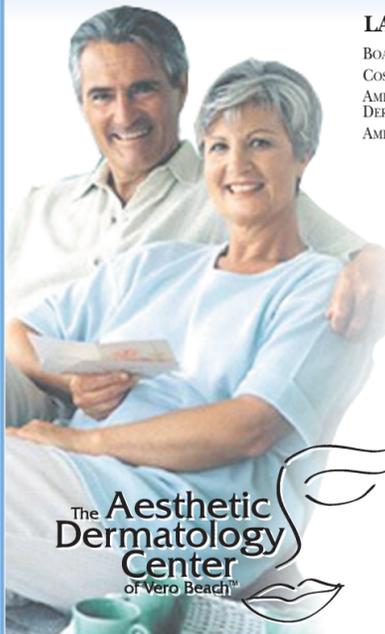
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and chose Zumba® because of its varying cardio and aerobic exercises set to energetic Latin music.

Ms. Price brings her outdoor fitness camp and Zumba® program to Riverside Park in Vero Beach the first Saturday of every month.

"You're doing an overall body workout with cardio and fitness moves and strength training, and you're using lots of different muscles all the time, moving to the Latin

music," Mr. Harrigan said.

The next scheduled Zumba® Party In the Park fundraiser is scheduled for Dec. 5, at 10 a.m.

The cost for individuals is \$7 and \$12 per couple. A portion of the money raised at the event goes to support the Education Foundation of Indian River County, an organization that seeks to fund programs to boost the quality of education in the school district.

"We have already raised about \$1,000 for the foundation and we can't wait to get out there and raise more," said Mr. Harrigan.

"It's a great family thing

to do. Children 16 and under are free," said Ms. Price.

"Some people ask me, 'how fit do you have to be to do this,' and I always tell them that they can keep going at their own pace and just keep moving," said Mr. Harrigan.

"It's so much fun, and since people can go at their own pace, it means everyone, of all ages, can enjoy it too," he said.

The health benefits can start with adults, but trickle down to children, too, Mr. Harrigan said.

Mr. Harrigan is in the process of introducing Zumba® to his students at

Thompson Magnet, while Ms. Price is working toward bringing her mobile fitness unit to schools all over the county for employees to experience.

Ms. Price says she loves bringing fitness training onsite, because she knows it can be the difference, the kick start to start an more active lifestyle.

"You're not committing to a gym, not committing your whole life away, so for a person that is underfit, the outdoor boot camps are perfect," she said.

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and more will begin at 9 a.m.

The aerial show with the Fury, special hot air balloon rides and appearances by skydivers from Skydive Sebastian are scheduled for 10 a.m.

The breakfast and festivities will also serve as the official grand opening of the Sebastian hangar location, Mimi Erskine of LoPresti Aviation said.

"Corkey will be doing his routine that he does all over the United States with all sorts of maneuvers, rolls and figure eights, and there will balloon rides sponsored by Remax," Ms. Erskine said.

"Many of the employees have not yet seen the Fury fly, so this is going to be very exciting and fun to watch," she said.

Mr. Fornoff has flown in more than 280 different aircraft on all continents, except Antarctica. He is best known for his pilot work in the films "Mission Impossible II" and the James Bond



Family members, city officials and airport staff broke ground last year for the the new LoPresti Speed Merchants hangar at Sebastian Municipal Airport.

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movies, "License to Kill," "Moonraker" and "Octopussy."

The LoPresti breakfasts were started as a result of Roy LoPresti's desire to teach the community more about aviation and to build

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director of development in a press release.

"Putting your wishes in writing is the best way to clarify how you'd like your animals to be cared for by others when you are gone," he continued.

"It's not as simple as you

think," Mr. Hinton said of bequeathing funds to a companion animal in an interview.

"In the state of Florida, pets are considered property and cannot be heirs," he said.

One way the Humane Society can help is with a special program called a pet guardian plan, in which families give the shelter instructions for the pet, should the pet owner die or become disabled, and also helps the pet find a new family.

The program also can provide pet foster care, should pet owners find themselves in a nursing facility or hospital, said Mr. Hinton.

Depending on community response, the class could be given several times a year, Mr. Hinton said.

Florida is one of 19 states in the U.S. that have established pet trust laws to allow owners to leave funds for the care of their pets should owners die first.

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Youth Guidance children are learning how to read music and play the keyboard at Lozada School of Music. Angel Woolfork observes Choy Lozada show Gavin Lovett how to read notes.

Students receive gift of music

ences to develop a lifelong love of music.

The school is a community partner of the Youth Guidance Activities Mentoring Program. Community partners provide free or reduced-fee services that make it possible for the agency's children to participate in activities they otherwise would not be able to afford.

More information about the Lozada School of Music may be found at www.lozadaschoolofmusic.com. The music school is located at 2230 U.S. 1, in Vero Beach. For more information, call (772) 770-5040.

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PORT ST. LUCIE — Local businesses can help make the holidays bright for hundreds of children this year by participating in one of two popular holiday programs coordinated by United for Families, the agency that coordinates and oversees child-welfare services in St. Lucie, Martin, Indian River and Okeechobee counties.

The first program is called Making Christmas Bright. The project recruits larger businesses and corporations, primarily in St. Lucie County, to organize company-wide toy drives for about 20 children each.

"Twenty children is close to the size of the number of abused and neglected children served by each dependency case manager," said Christine Deme-

triades, chief executive officer of United for Families. "We would like to recruit enough businesses to give gifts to all of the children we serve in St. Lucie County, or about 700 children."

United for Families gives a list of children's first names and their gift requests to participating businesses, then picks up the gifts when the drives are complete.

"We try to make it as easy for the businesses as possible," said Lea Tate, community resource coordinator.

United for Families' second holiday program is Adopt a Family, Foster Good Will.

The program, now in its eighth year, matches individual foster homes to businesses, individuals and social groups throughout the Treasure Coast and

Okeechobee County. Currently, there are about 300 children living in foster homes throughout the four-county area.

Groups that participate in the program can meet their adopted families and play Santa by bringing gifts directly to the homes.

The program was launched in 2001 as a way to meet the needs of older children who were being left out of community toy drives. It has served more than 1,800 children. By participating, businesses agree to provide two to three gifts for each foster child in their adopted home.

Participating businesses choose the size of the families they want to adopt and the location of the home. Ordinarily, the program serves about 100 homes a year.

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TREASURE COAST — Students can help raise awareness about sun safety and win prizes by entering the 2010 SunWise with SHADE poster contest.

The annual contest is a joint effort by the SHADE Foundation of America, WeatherBug Schools and the Environmental Protection Agency, to teach children ways to protect their skin and eyes from excessive sun exposure.

Too much sun can lead to skin cancer, cataracts and other eye damage, and immune system suppression. Sun protection is especially important for children, because unprotected exposure in childhood increases the chances

of developing the most dangerous form of skin cancer, melanoma.

One in 55 children born in 2005 will develop melanoma during their lifetime, almost 30 times higher than the rate for people born in 1930.

Being sun wise is especially important for people living in the southeast because of sunny weather, coastal areas and warm to temperate climates, which encourage outdoor activity.

Depending on the angle, water can reflect up to a full 100 percent of UV rays striking the surface.

The contest due date is April 7, 2010. Starting this year, there are two age categories for poster entries: kindergarten through third grade and fourth through

eighth grade.

Students in both categories must submit hand-drawn posters on 8.5 by 11 inch pieces of paper. Entries must be original, creative, show ways to prevent skin cancer and raise sun safety awareness and must be attached to an official entry form, which can be found at www.shade-foundation.org/programs/poster-contest/.

Poster winners receive state and national prizes, with the national winner in the fourth to eighth grade category receiving a family trip to Disney World and a WeatherBug Tracking Station for his/her school with lifetime access to WeatherBug Achieve.

For more information on visit www.epa.gov/sunwise.

Police report

Editor's note: This is a list of arrests, not convictions, and all arrestees are presumed innocent unless or until proven guilty in a court of law.

Sebastian Police Department

- Jason Daniel Decker, 29, 142 Capri Ave., Sebastian, was charged with possession of a controlled substance, roxy-codone.
- Brandon Myles White, 18, 111 Capri Ave., Sebastian, was charged with aggravated assault.

Fellsmere Police Department

- April Kirouac, 34, 9425 127th Ave., Fellsmere, was charged burglary.
- Daniel Lamont Riley, 32, 1296 10th Ave. Southwest, Vero Beach, was charged with driving while license suspended, habitual traffic offender.

Indian River County Sheriff's Office

- Benjamin Einar Tretton, 27, 3158 Reo Lane, Lake Worth, was charged with violation of probation. He was on probation for possession of cannabis.
- Kimberley Dawn Schlie, 56, 8379 Love Court, Micco, was charged with third-degree grand theft.
- Jeremy Cobb, 18, 4585 56th Ave., Vero Beach, was charged with sale or manufacture of cocaine within 1,000 feet of a park, community center or recreation facility.
- Anthony Lugo, 23, 307 Chesire Lane, Port St. Lucie, was charged with burglary of a dwelling, third-degree grand theft and dealing in stolen property.
- Caitlyn E. Brown, 22, 265 13th Place, Vero Beach, was

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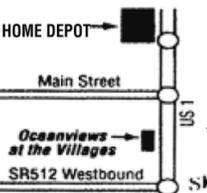
- charged with grand theft.
- Eric Tyrone Rolle, 35, 5204 Fort Pierce Blvd., Fort Pierce, was charged with third-degree grand theft.
- Richard H. Krantz, 63, 407 Caravan Terrace, Sebastian, was charged with possession of cocaine and violation of probation. He was on probation for improper display of a firearm.
- Adam Edward Lutz, 20, 2310 11th Court Southwest, Vero Beach, was charged with burglary of a residence and theft of a firearm.
- Robert J. Summerall, 45, 615 24th Ave., Vero Beach, was charged with felony petit theft.
- Matthew A. Plantier, 20, 1665 Second Road, S.W., Vero Beach, was charged with aggravated child abuse.
- Will Joshua Jarkko, 19, 692 Atlantus Terrace, Sebastian, was charged with burglary and misdemeanor charges of resisting arrest without violence and loitering and prowling.
- Jose Martins, 70, 1057 Sebastian Road, Sebastian, was charged with grand theft.
- Lormeus Luma, 50, 638 Fourth Place Southwest, Vero Beach, was charged with battery by strangulation, domestic violence and a misdemeanor charge of battery domestic violence.
- Joseph Maggelet, 33, 1440 11th Lane, Vero Beach, was charged with fleeing a law enforcement officer and misdemeanor charges of criminal mischief and resisting an officer without violence.
- Rhonda Jean Ferranti, 41, 422 Del Monte Road, Apt. A, Sebastian, was charged with violation of probation. She was on probation for possession of alprazolam.
- James Robert Tibbetts, 21, 510 Balboa St. Sebastian, was charged with burglary of a conveyance.

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Statistics show

Statistics can be boring, but sometimes they tell a dramatic story, such as every eight minutes a police officer in America is assaulted, more than 69,985 assaults on cops every year.

This should tell us that we allow far too many criminals to have a second chance, a third chance, a fourth chance. Not every officer who is assaulted is permanently disabled, but for those who are, lengthy hospital stays or chronic illnesses and treatments can be painful and exact a burdensome financial toll.

The lesson for all of us is that lenient judges and lax parole boards should be held accountable.

Editor's note: According to the FBI's criminal justice information services division, in 2008, 58,792 law enforcement officers were assaulted across the U.S. The report did not denote the frequency of the assaults. This was the latest year for which published data was available.

The truth about driving drunk

In response to the rant regarding witnessing "many friends and family members who have gotten DUIs," I feel I must respond. The writer's complaint is that "those who truly should be arrested is one thing; those who do not suffer undue punishment."

Generally, people who drive while under the influence do so repeatedly whether they get caught or not. Those who drink "one drink" and get behind the wheel of a car are breaking the law if they are over the legal limit. Why should that person be exempt from the laws and ensuing punishment?

Let me tell you, driving under the influence is not a victimless crime. The driver under the influence may not hurt someone every time they get behind the wheel, but it only takes one time to ruin someone's life, if not take an innocent life. I know I've been there; I was hit in a construction zone at 1:30 p.m. by a drunk driver.

I was only going 20-25 miles an hour. The result was I had to have emergent surgery to remove three discs from my neck and now have a plate in my neck and a cadaver bone in my neck. I also have multiple hernias in my thoracic spine, which, at some point, will need surgery. I lost my job because I couldn't return to work full-time quickly enough and Florida is a right-to-work state.

My fingertips are still numb (the accident was in 2002), I have extremely hyper-reflexes, and my feet still have areas that are numb. One of my daughters also had to have surgery as a result of the accident.

The real kicker is that this was not the other driver's first, DUI nor was it his last. While waiting trial for hitting me, he was involved in a DUI accident in another county. Because the two counties did not have interactive computers at that time, one didn't know the other had charges pending.

What punishment did he get? A suspended license (even though it was already suspended for a previous DUI), a small amount of jail time to be served on weekends (so he would not lose his job), community service, and the standard classes and AA meetings. Poor fellow. He had to pay fines, court costs and probation fees. At least he had a job to have the income to support his family.

When are people going to learn that one DUI is one too many? How many more innocent lives will be ruined or taken because someone "didn't think" he/she was drunk?

Having a driver's license is a privilege not right. If you don't take it seriously, you don't deserve to have a license.

It sounds to me like the writer may have a problem with alcohol, hence the strong stance against fighting to keep drunks off the roads.

Kayaking fun



Cliff Partlow/staff photographer

A dozen or so students from the Sebastian Boys and Girls Club have picked up a new hobby thanks, in part, to Kristen and Mike Beck, owners of Kayaks Etc. in Sebastian and Vero Beach. Tim Everest, 9, of Sebastian, cruises around in the Main Street preservation area's lake last Wednesday, Nov. 18.

Shopping locally more important than ever

Last year in this column, I wrote about the importance of buying locally. In preparing this year's column, there were a few things I thought I should talk about: our half-price gift certificates (which make great stocking stuffers), the numerous awards we have garnered over the past year or the fact that we have managed to not only survive, but prosper in this dismal economy.

But then I started hearing from local business people. They were having the same problem they were last year: holiday dollars being spent at big chain stores instead of their places.

They asked me to call attention to this again. And they're not just asking for help without

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doing something themselves.

Several local business owners and city officials are joining the national 3/50 Project. According to its Web site, and various news reports, the 3/50 Project supports small local businesses and is committed to "saving the brick and mortars our nation is built on."

It asks shoppers to pick three of their favorite independently owned shops or restaurants and then spend \$50 at each of them once a month. There could not be a better month than December to do this.

According to 3/50 Project statistics, for every \$100 spent in locally owned stores, \$68 returns to the community through taxes, payroll and other expenditures. For every \$100 spent in a national chain, only \$43 stays in the community. Online shopping? Your community gets none of those dollars.

Trish Hickey-Reid, owner of Blondies on Ocean, makes a big effort to carry unique items, high-end apparel and accessories for ladies, and feels very strongly about using and promoting local resources.

"Absolutely anything we can do to keep it local, we will do it. If the locals are spending here, they are supporting us, and in turn, we should do the same," she said.

So once again, I implore our loyal readers to patronize local businesses. When you are heading out to do your holiday shopping, don't automatically point your car towards the big box stores. Take a moment and find out where you can make those same purchases from a neighbor. I realize it can sometimes be much more convenient to just hit the big box, but most things that bring quality to our lives aren't associated with convenience.

If we all do this, the positive impact on our communities will be enormous and make it a much happier holiday for everyone.

Steve Erlanger is the publisher/COO of Hometown News.

Don't get caught by antivirus bait and switch

I have been getting a lot of calls lately from people concerned they may be the victims of a "bait and switch" ploy by none other than my favorite antivirus software, AVG Free.

What appears to be happening is that many people are running AVG free version 8.0 or 8.5 and the new version, 9, has recently been released.

Now everyone that is running version 8 or 8.5 is getting messages telling them they need to upgrade to version 9 by Dec. 1 no less, but the link they are provided in the upgrade message is not the free version but the version you have to pay for.

This, of course, leads people to believe the free version is no longer available and, since I have always promoted AVG Free as a decent alternative to Norton or McAfee. I get several e-mails and phone calls a week from people telling me it's no longer free.

Well, it is still free, you just have to know where to look for it. Clicking the upgrade message won't bring you to the free site. You have to go there direct by entering <http://free.avg.com> into your Web browser and



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SEAN MCCARTHY

then clicking the "get it now" that's positioned next to the free version.

Let's look at why AVG is the antivirus I prefer. On all my machines (except my Macs, but that's another story altogether) I run AVG antivirus. The reasons I run AVG are threefold: first, it's free with no subscription.

One of the reasons the above-mentioned antivirus programs fail to get updated is the subscription runs out. To renew, you have to sign up and that includes entering your credit card information and filling out forms. Despite how important this issue is, many people stop right there. They don't want to pay for it (or they really don't want to stop what they are doing and fill out an order form) so they just kind of forget about it and ignore the message when it pops up.

With AVG, the software is free and the updates are automatic. There is no "trial period" that expires and the software updates itself without bothering

you.

The second reason I use AVG is it has very low overhead. What that means is the program runs quietly in the background without taxing your machines resources too heavily. It's streamlined and much less noticeable than the "big boys."

This is a huge issue folks and one of the reasons the "other" antivirus vendors have fallen out of favor. The trend is, they keep adding features until the software is so bloated it brings the machine to a grinding halt.

For instance, take one of the recent "Internet security suites" offered by the top vendors and install it on a machine that is say, five years old. After the install, that machine will be barely usable. I don't know about you, but I would like to be able to use my machine for things other than just running security software.

And the third reason I like AVG is it works. I have seen AVG pick up on viruses that have gone unnoticed by Norton and McAfee and that's what's really important, isn't it? I mean why go through the bother of installing and running a program if it

isn't going to do the job, especially a program that you have to pay for?

So what's going on? How can the folks at Grisoft (the company behind AVG) give it away for free? This is a question I get asked all the time.

Well, think of it like this: they only offer the free version to non-commercial "home" users and sell the commercial version to businesses. They also know many of the fans of the free version are also people who administer corporate networks. The same people with the authority to purchase and install AVG on all the machines on their corporate network and that's where the big bucks are. And that does happen. I know several network administrators who have done just that and I'm sure AVG has made a bundle off of them.

So, fret not, the free version of AVG is still available at <http://free.avg.com> and the sooner you upgrade the sooner you "upgrade now" messages stop.

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order were sent by someone who wanted to remain anonymous.

A letter explained the borrower's family moved to another state and the books were mistakenly packed. The letter said the money order was to cover fines of 2 cents per day for each book. That would total about \$745. The extra money was added in case the rates had changed.

Bordine said the money will buy more books, and the overdue books will be returned to the shelves.

From *news.aol.com*: **U.S. man wins rock-paper-scissors championship**

A Michigan man has won the world rock-paper-scissors championship in Toronto.

Tim Conrad clinched the title after five hours of play and nine matches at the Steam Whistle Brewery. Facing off against his best friend in the first all-American final in championship history, Conrad beat Tom Butkin with paper covering rock.

Organizers said Conrad dressed as Captain America during the competition to honor his home country. He took home \$7,000 in prize money. The championship was organized by the World RPS Society.

Tree festival



Bill Stuhlinger and his wife, Joan, browse through the dozens of trees and other holiday items at the Agnes Wohlstrom Youth Playhouse and the Anne Morton Theatre last Friday for a sneak peek of the Festival of Trees sponsored by the George E. Warren Corporation and Chelseas on Cardinal. 'Hands Around the World' is the theme for this year's event.

Cliff Partlow staff photographer

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Obituaries

Joseph Anthony 'Joe' Socha

Joseph Anthony "Joe" Socha, 72, of Barefoot Bay, died Nov. 13, 2009.

He was born in Webster, Mass., and lived in Barefoot Bay for seven years.

He was a member of the Moose Lodge in Sebastian, and the Barefoot Bay Golf

and Country Club.

He is survived by his wife of 51 years, Joan; two sons, Mike and Christopher; two daughters, Tammy and Sandy; nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a son, David.

Arrangements by Strunk Funeral Home and Crematory.

Elizabeth Ann 'Betty' Pedersen

Elizabeth Ann "Betty" Pedersen, 71, died Nov. 16, 2009.

She was born in Boston, and lived in Barefoot Bay for 27 years. She was a member of the Women of the Moose of Sebastian and a former member of the Orioles. She

was a bartender.

She is survived by two daughters, Juliane and Michelle; a sister, Marion; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Memorial contributions may be made to William Childs Memorial House, 381 Medplex Parkway, Palm Bay, FL 32907. Arrangements by Strunk Funeral Home and Crematory.

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Out & about

FRIDAY, NOV. 27

• **“Christmas in Downtown,”** an annual holiday celebration, will be included as part of Downtown Friday festivities from 3:30-8:30 p.m. along 14th Avenue between 20th and 23rd streets in historic Vero Beach. This event features a beer garden, food vendors, holiday craft fair and children’s activities, including holiday crafts and a bounce house. Live music will be provided by local teen bands and there will be a poker run for motorcyclists beginning at 3:30 p.m. at the Long Branch Saloon and ending downtown at 5:30 p.m. Santa and Mrs. Claus are set to arrive at 6 p.m. for a tree lighting with city officials at Pochontas Park. There is no admission charge.

SATURDAY, NOV. 28

• **Vero Classical Ballet presents “The Nutcracker”** at the Vero Beach High School Performing Arts Center at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. Local dancers, as well as professional guest artists, will perform this holiday event with music scored by Tchaikovsky during the classical period of ballet. All seating is reserved. Tickets are \$20 for adults and \$16 for children and seniors in the center lower orchestra level and \$15 or \$12 for the lower orchestra side levels. Tickets are \$10 or \$8 for the upper mezzanine level. Tickets are available at the Performing Arts Center box office beginning Nov. 23 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tickets are also available at the Vero Classical Ballet studio. The Vero Beach High School Performing Arts Center is located at 1707 16th St. in Vero Beach. For more information, call the box office at (772) 564-5537 or call the Vero Classical Ballet studio at (772) 360-8577. Visit online at www.VeroClassicalBallet.com for more information about this event.

THROUGH NOV. 28

• **The Southeast Gallery of Art presents the photography exhibit “World Views.”** The gallery is located at 1446 19th Place, Suite 100 in downtown Vero Beach just west of 14th Avenue on the north side of the eastbound artery of State Road 60. The exhibit will feature pictures of travels in the United States and around the world. Thirty-two images were selected for the exhibit from more than 100 entries which came from photographic artists in several countries. For more information, see **OUT, B2**



Staff photo by Barbara Yoresh

Some of the artists participating in the Art Trail are from left: Alicia Callander, Minakshi De, Ray McLendon, Barbara Miro Soumar, Sherry Haaland, Marjorie Bohler, Rene Guerin, Dawn Mill and Sue Gwinn. The artists came together for a preview luncheon at the Vero Beach Museum of Art last month.

Event gives glimpse into artists’ worlds

By Barbara Yoresh
Entertainment writer

VERO BEACH — It’s designed as a fun-filled and educational day for art lovers who have always wanted to see art being created and, perhaps, purchase a work directly from the artist.

But the Vero Beach Art Club’s Art Trail tour of 10 local artist studios set for Dec. 5 is so much more; it’s a veritable art treasure hunt.

The Art Trail event is the third one presented by the Vero Beach Art Club following the success of previous Art Trails.

This ticketed event, complete with a directional map to artists’ home studios, benefits the club’s

scholarship fund for high school graduates wishing to study art in college.

Advance tickets are \$20 each or two for \$35. Day-of-the-event tickets are \$25 each or \$45 for two.

“This is our third year and the Art Trail has been growing in popularity. Everyone enjoys visiting the artists,” said Lillie Taylor, co-chairwoman of the event.

As in previous years, this year’s participating artists offer a wide variety of artistic mediums.

Alicia Callander is a ceramicist working primarily with hand-built and Raku-fired clay.

Ray McLendon is a second-generation “Highwayman” painter of Florida landscape scenes in the

school made famous by his father and others.

Minakshi De paints in oils and primarily features female subjects, as well as intricately designed borders and elements reminiscent of lush fabrics.

Rene Guerin is an oil painter and sculptor whose work is in the permanent collection of the Vero Beach Museum of art.

The Conrad Pickel Studio has created world-acclaimed stained glass, mosaic and sculpture works for religious, secular and public art projects for more than 60 years. The studio created the world’s largest stained glass window of 22,000-square-feet for an Illinois cemetery.

Barbara Miro Soumar

specializes in fiber art and sculpture. Her works are inspired and influenced by nature and the world around her.

Marjorie Bohler, past president of the Vero Beach Art Club, has lived and studied art nationally and internationally. She is a painter in oils and watercolors of floral and still-life subjects.

Dawn Mill is an award-winning artist and art teacher at the Vero Beach Museum of Art who works in a wide range of mediums. She worked on Vero Beach’s downtown mural and the new downtown banners.

Sue Gwinn works in oils and pastels, as well as cre-

See **WORLDS, B2**

Like radio, but live and in color

‘Wonderful Life’ whisks crowd to golden age of radio

By Jessica Tuggle
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VERO BEACH — Riverside Theatre patrons didn’t need to be prompted by flashing applause signs at the end of “It’s A Wonderful Life: A Live Radio Play,” on opening night because it was a hit.

The classic Christmas film “It’s A Wonderful Life,” by Frank Capra was adapted for the stage production by Joe Landry and is a delight for the ears and eyes.

The crowd listened intently as the performers

unfolded scene after scene of protagonist George Bailey’s life without big set changes or dramatic lighting, but rather through pregnant pauses, varying vocal tones and expressions, a smorgasbord of sound effects and a boatload of talent.

The dynamic cast includes Samantha McKinnon Brown, Warren Kelley, Ed Romanoff, David Schmittou and Marguerite Willbanks as the voices of the various characters in the town of Bedford Falls.

Ken Clifton is musical director and onstage

pianist and Karl Kern is sound designer and onstage radio soundman.

Mr. Kelley, like many of the other actors, showed an impressive range of acting skills in voicing multiple characters with very different voices. He jumped from voicing a sleazy slumlord, to a bumbling uncle to an old crotchety neighbor without a hitch, occasionally carrying on a conversation with two of his personas.

In her first Riverside Theatre performance, Ms. McKinnon Brown excelled at her primary part of

Mary Bailey, effortlessly conveying a tender and loving spirit that tugged on the heartstrings of the audience.

The cast ably moved through their lines amid a dialogue filled with abrupt interruptions by different characters in the scene, and the changing voices seemed as natural as could be.

With a set built to resemble a Manhattan radio station in 1946, the play evolved as if the audience were in the halls of the

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STAR SCOPES
James Tucker
Week of 11-27-2009

Aries-March 21-April 19
It doesn’t matter what other people around you think, as long as you are happy with your own results first. Compete with yourself first. Strive to perfect your own dreams and passions. This gives you the needed power to influence others and sets strong, positive forces at work that ensure everyone’s continuing success.

Taurus-April 20-May 20
Your great, earthly wisdom always prevails when you listen to and trust it. Focus your time, energy and resources on the important issues. You will prevail. You know what you want. Use the rest of the year to evaluate and set your goals for next year. You need a plan. No need to go around in circles at this point.

Gemini-May 21-June 21
Your communication skills are at an all-time high. Do you know where you want to be one year from now? Find out quickly because time goes by so fast. Patience is a virtue that comes from taking action and living one day at a time. Deal with everything life throws at you in positive ways and success is assured.

Cancer-June 22-July 22
It’s good to see you taking better care of yourself, moon child. Healthy thinking and feeling is the foundation for healthy living. Take an inventory of anything negative around you and get rid of it. This makes room for new and better qualities in life. You can judge how well this is working by how happy you are.

Leo-July 23-Aug. 22
Slow down a little. It’s Thanksgiving time. Show gratitude for all you have done this year. Rejoice and share your blessings. Then get your second wind and prepare for the great New Year just ahead. Pace yourself and enjoy the best year of your life. You are doing well. Keep it up. Yours is a valuable life.

Virgo-Aug. 23-Sept. 22
The key to continued success is the value placed on top priorities. We are usually given several choices on the course of action to take as we live each day of our lives. You have a strong, clear, loving mind. Let this and your

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SUNDAY, NOV. 29

• **Art in the Park returns from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Ocean Drive** in the municipal parking lot near Humiston Park in Vero Beach. More than 20 Vero Beach Art Club artists will exhibit and sell their work at this, the season's first in the popular Art in the Park series. For more information, call (772) 231-0303 or visit online at www.VeroBeachArtClub.org.

THURSDAY, DEC. 3

• **The Emerson Center's third annual Humanities Series**, in partnership with the Florida Humanities Council continues its series which is free and open to the public. All performances begin at 7 p.m. "Tellin' It Like

It Is," featuring cracker cowboy poet/storyteller Hank Mattson will be presented Thursday, Dec. 3. The Emerson Center is located at 1590 27th Ave. in Vero Beach at the intersection of 27th Avenue and 16th Street. Free admission to the 800-seat Emerson Center is on a first-come basis. For more information about the series, which runs through April, call (772) 778-5249.

• **Art Around Town**, a Vero Beach Museum of Art Contemporaries' off-site event will be held at Gallery 14, located at 1911 14th Ave. in Vero Beach from 5:30-7:30 p.m. The group is comprised of young professionals and the young at heart, who enjoy lively parties and meeting new people in the museum's unique setting. Once each year the group takes the fun off-site and this time will meet and mingle with the gallery's artists. Admission is \$10 per person and wine

and light refreshments will be served. For more information, call **Dane Roberts at (772) 231-0707, Ext. 109.**

SATURDAY, DEC. 5

• **Tickets for the Vero Beach Art Club's Art Trail** tour of 10 artists' studios are on sale for the popular event set for Saturday, Dec. 5, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The Art Trail is an intimate look at artists' studios and homes around Vero Beach. Artists welcome guests into their homes and studios to allow them a glimpse of their work and to talk about how their creative process works. Each studio will offer their work for sale and light refreshments will be available at each location. Advance tickets are \$20 each and \$35 for two. Day of event ticket prices are \$25 each and \$45 for two. Artists featured this year are: Alicia Callender, clay; Ray McLendon, oil; Minakshi De, acrylics and pastels; Rene Guerin, oil and sculpture; Conrad Pickel Studio, stained glass; Barbara Soumar, fiber art, pottery and mixed media; Marjorie Bohler, oil and watercolor; Charles Gruppe, See **OUT, B3**



Photo courtesy of Riverside Theatre

Riverside Theatre's production of 'It's A Wonderful Life: A Live Radio Play,' whisked audience members back in time and told the story of George Bailey in a format reminiscent of old time radio dramas, except it was live and in color. Actors Ed Romanoff, Samantha McKinnon Brown, Warren Kelley, Marguerite Willbanks and David Schmittou sing a jingle during a radio commercial break.

Radio

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radio station while staff performed the drama.

The attention to detail in setting the scene was evident from the glowing radio "on-air" and "applause" signs to the colorful and stylish costuming of the actors in period clothing and hairstyles.

The cast even performed two radio commercials with fun and perky jingles set to popular Christmas tunes to provide authenticity to the radio-style atmosphere.

Mr. Kern was actively involved in filling the on-air sound with whistles, sirens, footsteps, keys and telephone rings, using a wide array of instruments and everyday items to provide the audience with believ-

able tools to imagine each scene in perfect clarity, from a windy snowstorm, to ice cracking to the finality of a slammed door.

Also setting the mood of the scene was Mr. Clifton on piano, who, with the touch of a few keys, could lead the audience to follow the story during frightening and suspenseful moments, light and happy or romantic scenes.

Mr. Clifton also composed the score that accompanied the play.

"It's a Wonderful Life: A Live Radio Play" will run on the Stark Mainstage at Riverside Theatre through Dec. 6. The theater is located at 3250 Riverside Park Drive in Vero Beach. Tickets are \$22-\$52.

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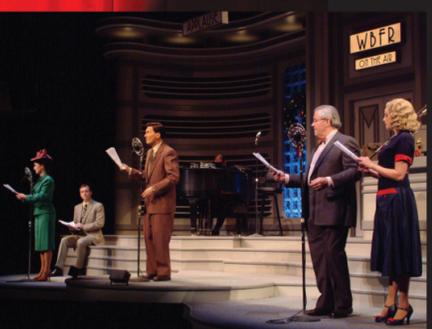
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ates unique jewelry. Prior to moving to Vero Beach, she was affiliated with art leagues and centers in Palm Beach County.

Sherry Haaland trained in watercolor, oils and pastels

and specializes in custom pet portraits done in pastels.

"It's a nice, one-day excursion and it's all very inspiring to see how and where people create their art," Ms. Taylor said.

In addition to the enjoyment of meeting artists and watching them work, Ms.

Taylor noted that the Art Trail event is a particularly effective and personal way "to connect the community at large to the artists."

For more information about the Art Trail event and tickets or the Vero Beach Art Club and its programs, call (772) 231-0303.

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Get ready for 'holiday stroll'

By Barbara Yoresh
Entertainment writer

VERO BEACH — It's that holiday time of year again and if you thought the period between Thanksgiving and Hanukkah/Christmas is just for elbowing your way through crowded stores to find that perfect gift then think again.

Vero Beach's historic Downtown, Dine & Design district (known by "insiders" as 3-D) is hosting a holiday stroll event that is not to be missed on Tuesday, Dec. 1 beginning at 4 p.m. and continuing through 9 p.m. with a special photographic exhibit.

Twenty-four merchants are participating in the "stroll," which will include raffle prizes with tickets selling for \$5 each or five for \$20. Proceeds will benefit the Cultural Council of Indian River County and Main Street Vero Beach.

Among those hosting the holiday fun are: Avanzare restaurant, 5 Seasons Acupuncture, Auxiliary Thrift Shop, Downtown Beads, Beneduce Realty, Brenner Collection, Café 1901, Decorative arts, Eco-Colour, French Quarter, Gallery 14, Gallery RVS, Ltd., Health Touch Massage Therapy, Loggia Home & Garden, Haute Mess, Saigon Sushi Bar, Southeast Gallery of Photographic Art, Stickhead Lacrosse, Sunside Fun, Synergy Salon, Tiger Lily Studios & Gallery, Tropic Art & Frame, Undertow Restaurant & Bar and Yami's Ice Cream.

A treasure hunt-like visit to merchants might result in some lucky participant winning a \$50 cash prize just for stopping by some mandatory merchants.

The drawing begins at 6:45 p.m. and attendance is not necessary to win.

Maps for the stroll will be handed out at Gallery 14 located at 1911 14th Ave. in Vero Beach.

Complimentary wine, refreshments, snacks and various activities will be held at each stop to add to the holiday merriment.

A "Mad Potters Tea Party" will be held from 5 to 8 p.m. in the lobby of the Theater Plaza Building, just north of State Road 60 on 14th Avenue.

The Southeast Gallery of Photographic Art, located at 1446 19th Place, Suite 100 (on the north side of the eastbound artery of State Road 60 just west of 14th Avenue) will host a special opening wine and cheese reception of a "Worldwide Moment of Peace" exhibit from 7 to 9 p.m.

The exhibit runs through Dec. 29 and features more than 1,200 images from 67 countries submitted for a simultaneous photography project organized by Worldwide Moment.Org. The nonprofit organization works to foster peace and international cooperation through photography. This year's "moment" photographs were taken on Sept. 9, 2009 at 9:09 a.m. Greenwich Mean Time, and include a submission by renowned peace activist Yoko Ono, widow of the late Beatle John Lennon.

In addition, Southeast Gallery of Photographic Art supports charities which work globally, as well as in the local community.

Proceeds from this special exhibit will benefit non-profit organizations the Smile Train and the Cultural Council of Indian River County.

The Smile Train is the world's leading charity for children born with cleft palates. The organization is dedicated to helping more than 4.7 million children in developing countries who suffer from unrepaired cleft palates by providing free surgeries and free training for doctors.

The Cultural Council of Indian River County is the designated local arts agency for Indian River County. The organization's mission is to nurture a cooperative environment in which cultural and educational organizations and individuals may thrive and thereby enrich the quality of life in the county for all residents and visitors.

For more information, call (772) 643-6994; (772) 834-5828 or visit online at www.southeastgalleryof-photographicart.com.

For general information about the holiday stroll, contact Lila of Gallery 14 at (772) 562-5525 or Mindy at (772) 559-1876.

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Scopes

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good heart and instincts guide you down the path of life. This is what winners do. You are a winner.

Libra-Sept. 23-Oct. 22

You have the greatest judgment. You seem to have been born under a lucky star. Why? At the last minute, when it seems like things are not going to work out, they usually do. This is the universal message saying, "Not to worry. It's all in divine order." Your actions and facts speak much stronger than your words.

Scorpio-Oct. 23-Nov. 21

Positive change is on the way to you. Are you ready for it? A big move will present itself soon. Be sure to include family and friends in the good fortune. You have more than earned this universal promotion. It is because of your hard work,

dedication and good heartedness. No one could be more deserving. Enjoy.

Sagittarius-Nov. 22-Dec. 21

It's your turn at the helm of the zodiac wheel for the next four weeks. It's a time of feasting and rejoicing. Spend time in nature and with friends and family. Sagittarius leads us into the holidays with good cheer. Psych yourself up daily. Now more joy is on the way. Lead us forward with hope. It is your greatest mission.

Capricorn-Dec. 22-Jan. 19

Stay on the sunny side of life. Refuse to let earthly challenges pull you down and cause excess stress. You know what you want. Your heart is open and filled with love. Follow it and you will succeed with something left to spare. Live in the now and take care of today's priorities first. Everything else will wait.

Aquarius-Jan. 20-Feb. 18

Another name for you could

be "great leader of the pack." The Age of Aquarius is a very special time in history. Your message is world peace and order. It starts within ourselves, one person at a time. Remind us when we stray and forget. We are living in a time to honor these principles. Guide us on our way.

Pisces-Feb. 19-March 20

You are in a strong, positive energy pattern now. Your visions always guide you. Just be sure that you make quality time for yourself every day. You are important too, you know. You are the spark that lights our fire. Your ideas are brilliant. You help everyone with the truth. Thanks for always inspiring and being there.

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watercolor; Sue Gwinn, pottery, oils and pastels; and Sheery Haaland, pastels. Tickets are on sale from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 2-5 p.m. Monday through Friday, until Dec. 4, at the Vero Beach Art Club office in the Vero Beach Museum of Art located at 3001 Riverside Park Drive and also at the Artist Guild Gallery at 1974 14th Ave. in downtown Vero Beach. A limited number of tickets will be available the day of the event at artists' locations. Only cash or checks will be accepted. For more information, call (772) 231-0303 or (772) 299-1234.

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Web sites.

A: There are a few reasons I have a good amount of coupons available to me when a good sale comes along. I save all my newspaper coupon inserts in their entirety each week.

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One of the most common myths about coupons is that they all expire quickly. But the truth is that most of them have, on average, a three-month window for redemption; others may not expire for nine months or more.

When a sale comes along, I usually have multiple coupons for a single item simply because

I've saved all of my inserts. When the item goes on sale, I may be using coupons from several different "appearances" of that coupon in the inserts.

Some may be several weeks old while others may be months old or even older. I will save my coupon inserts until everything inside expires. Doing this, it's possible to build what amounts to a library of coupons at our disposal. Then, when we need them, those coupons are waiting to be looked up, cut out and used.

As you mentioned, most printable Internet coupons do allow multiple prints of the same coupon. The average print limit is two per computer, but I will always try to click the "back" button in my Web browser and print again,

until I receive the message that the print limit for the coupon has been reached. It's important to do this, because companies do offer higher print limits at times.

I can recall a major cereal manufacturer that offered \$1 coupons with a print limit of 14. That was a high limit and it allowed me to really stock up on that item at a low price because I had so many coupons.

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examine women's lives from childhood through old age in a new film series entitled "Trends in International Cinema: Feminine Mystiques." Classes are held Tuesdays and students may sign up for either an afternoon session at 1:30 p.m. or the evening session at 7 p.m. for the five-week study, which began Nov. 10. Included will be movies from Romania, South Korea, Spain and the United Kingdom. The museum's film studies coordinator, Warren Obluck, will host an optional film discussion after each screening. Tuition for the course is \$55 and \$45 for museum members. The Vero Beach Museum of Art is located at 3001 Riverside Park Drive in Vero Beach. Students may register in person at the museum or by phone by calling Angela Fallon at (772) 231-0707, Ext. 136.

FRIDAY, DEC. 11- SATURDAY, DEC. 12

• Mardy's Tennis and Jake's Music Fest to benefit the Mardy Fish Foundation will be held in a two-day event.

Both are Vero Beach natives. Country recording artist Jake Owen will perform at the Vero Beach High School Performing Arts Center located at 1707 16th St. in Vero Beach on Friday, Dec. 11, at 8 p.m. Ticket are \$35 and up and all seats are reserved. Tennis champion and Olympic Games silver medalist Mardy Fish will play James Blake in a tennis exhibition on Saturday, Dec. 12 at 2:30 p.m. at Grand Harbor Golf & Beach Club. The Mardy Fish Foundation was established to support youth organizations in Indian River County. For tickets to the tennis exhibition or concert, call C & H Events at (866) 333-7633 or visit online at www.chevents.com.

SATURDAY, DEC. 12

• "Egypt: Gift of the Nile" will be presented by Milt Thomas in the Indian River County Main Library's first floor meeting room at 10 a.m.

This program, which is free and open to the public, will explore the pyramids, the Sphinx and other landmarks of the country's 5,000-year history. Mr. Thomas will recount his personal experiences while touring throughout Egypt. A journalist, book author and former executive with CBS and Polygram records, Mr. Thomas also served as director of economic development for the Indian River Chamber of Commerce. For more information, call Marla at (772) 770-5060, Ext. 4121.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 16

• Temple Beth Shalom presents a Hannukah concert for the entire community at 7 p.m.

at the temple located at 365 43rd Ave. in Vero Beach. "Lighting Up Our House of Peace" will be performed by Beth Schafer of Orlando, who serves as cantorial leader of Temple Shir Shalom in Oviedo. The concert is open to the public as one of an ongoing series of musical and cultural presentations. Seating to this special concert is open. Light refreshments will be served. Tickets in advance for adults under age 62 are \$18 each and \$20 at the door the day of the concert. Tickets for those over age 62 in advance are \$15 each and \$20 at the door. Students and children age 16 and under are \$12 per ticket and family packages are available for \$65. Proceeds from the concert will continue to underwrite cultural programs at Temple Beth Shalom. For more information as well as additional ticket/sponsorship opportunities, call (772) 569-4700.

THROUGH DEC. 27

• The Vero Beach Museum of Art presents "SANCTUARY: Anna Tomczak Photography"

in an exhibit featuring 30 large-format photographs on display in the museum's Schumann Gallery. The photographs are still-life assemblages created from personal mementos, symbolic objects, flowers and antique materials which are then photographed to produce watercolor-like prints. Her art images have won many awards, been featured on eight book covers and have been showcased in a variety of publications. For more information, call (772) 231-0707.

ART GALLERIES

• Artists Guild Gallery, 1974 14th Ave., Vero Beach. (772) 299-1234 or visit www.artists-guildgalleryverobeach.com.

The gallery celebrates its 20th year with a move to a new, larger gallery in the historic downtown Vero Beach area located at 1974 14th Ave. The public is invited to view the works of Florida landscape painter Lionel Ogilvie, the guild's featured artist for November.

• The Gallery at Windsor, 10680 Belvedere Square, Vero Beach. By appointment only. (772) 388-4071.

• Gallery 14, 1911 14th Ave., Vero Beach. (772) 562-5525

• The Laughing Dog Gallery, 2910 Cardinal Drive, Vero Beach. Open 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Saturday. (772) 234-6711

• Tiger Lily Art Studios and Gallery, 1903 14th Ave., Vero Beach. (772) 778-3443.

BARS AND CLUBS

• Bodega Blue, 2115 14th Ave., Vero Beach.

• Capt. Hiram's Resort, 1580 U.S. 1, Sebastian. For a look at the full entertainment lineup, visit www.hiram.com. (772) 589-4345

• Earl's Hideaway Lounge and Tiki Bar, 1405 Indian River Drive, Sebastian. Live Delta Blues music Tuesday nights by Ernie Southern. (772) 589-5700, (772) 388-2597 or www.earlshideaway.com.

• Kelley's Irish Pub, 484 21st St., B, Vero Beach, Friday night sing-along in the piano bar. (772) 567-3838

• Long Branch Saloon, 2199 Seventh Ave., Vero Beach. (772) 569-4075

• Marsh Landing, 44 N. Broadway St., Fellsmere: Folk/acoustic duo HairPeace every Saturday, 5:30-8:30 p.m. Call for other entertainment schedules. (772) 571-8622.

• Riverside Cafe, 1 Beachland Blvd., Vero Beach, Live entertainment. (772) 234-5550

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Don't get left waving bon voyage

It happened again. After all of the planning, packing and making sure everything was in order, someone was left at the pier waving to their family and friends. The ship left without her. Why? Because she did not have proper documentation to board the ship.

Although not a client of mine, she told me this during a discussion when she learned that I sell travel. Unfortunately, this happens way too often.

Here is her story: She and her family decided to cruise to celebrate a birthday and/or anniversary. She planned it many months in advance. They chose the ship and sailing date, got friends and family to join in, paid for the cruise in full and waited anxiously for the date to sail.

They arrived at the pier and were checking-in, and lo and behold, she did not have a passport nor a certified copy of her birth certificate. She had the only birth certificate she has ever known; however, it was apparently issued by the hospital, not the state in which she was born, a very common practice in some cities and towns.

We in the industry do not know what else to say to clients to help them to understand and convince them that they need to have a passport. I know that personally I have annoyed some of my own clients when they tell me they do not have a passport, but have a birth certificate. If they tell me they have had it since they were little or that it has their little foot prints stamped on it, I tell them to contact the department of vital statistics from the state they were born and request a new one. The footprints are a dead give-a-way that it came from the hospital (even though they were able to use this to go through



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school, etc). This is not a certified copy from the state.

This woman was so disappointed. She and her husband watched her family and friends sail away on her cruise. I really felt bad about her missing her cruise over something so avoidable.

I cannot stress enough how important it is to get a passport. It is so imperative to get your passport, but if you do not have one, you must be able to prove you are a U.S. citizen. Those who are not citizens have green cards or other forms to identify themselves.

Currently, the rule is that you do not need a passport if you are on a closed-loop cruise that starts and finishes in the same U.S. port (i.e. roundtrip cruise from Port Canaveral, Miami, Fort Lauderdale, etc.).

For those who do not have a passport and want to sail to Alaska, this is good news. No passport is needed if you sail roundtrip from Seattle instead of Vancouver. More cruise lines are adding this itinerary.

Do yourself a favor if you are planning on traveling out of the country. Get a passport. It will take up to six weeks (recently it has been roughly three to four weeks) to get one.

If you have any questions regarding passports and citizenship documentation go to www.travel.state.gov.

Patty Toppa is a travel consultant with Gadabout Travel. She can be reached at patty@cruisetraveltours.com or www.cruisetravel-tours.com.

Canoe trips on lagoon offered

For Hometown News
News@hometownnewsol.com

INDIAN RIVER COUNTY — The Environmental Learning Center offers a variety of canoe excursions led by volunteer guides that take participants off the beaten path canoe trails.

The two-and-a-half hour trips are offered at sunrise, sunset and Sunday afternoon. The sunrise and sunset events offer an excellent chance to watch the lagoons' water birds feeding or roosting.

Cost for the excursions, including canoe and gear, is \$15 for adults and \$7 for children (\$12 and \$4 for members).

The Environmental Learning Center is located north of Vero Beach, off County Road 510 at the western edge of the Wabasso Bridge.

For dates and times, visit www.DiscoverELC.org and for reservations and more information, call (772) 589-5050.

Tax volunteers needed

For Hometown News
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INDIAN RIVER COUNTY — United Way of Indian River County is seeking volunteers to assist in tax assistance and preparation.

Volunteers of all backgrounds are welcome, but retirees and those with financial backgrounds are highly encouraged to participate.

Volunteers will be trained to help low- and middle-

income individuals prepare their taxes at free tax preparation sites around the county.

UWIRC is partnering with local VITA sites to expand services to low- and middle-income families.

Volunteers will be given free training and are asked to commit to volunteering one day a week from Jan. 19-April 15 at local tax preparation sites.

For more information, call (772) 567-8900, Ext. 20.

Community notes

Group offers help with grief

New Beginnings, a group established to assist people in resolving their grief over the death of a loved one, meets every Monday at 7 p.m. at Redeemer Lutheran Church 900 27th Ave., Vero Beach.

New Beginnings is an informal but helpful experience in grief resolution. People are invited to attend any or all meetings.

There is no registration and no cost. For more information, call (772) 465-1100.

Recycle old pill bottles

Bay Street Pharmacy and Home Health Care and Keep Indian River Beautiful are providing our local non-profits with opportunities to eliminate operational expenses when possible. By providing reusable items, from KIRB's ReUse Exchange Center, organizations such as the Humane Society and HALO can reuse clean prescription bottles for animals waiting to be adopted. To ensure that donations are reusable, remove the

label from the prescription bottle and rinse lightly. To drop off prescription bottles, visit Bay Street Pharmacy & Home Health Care, located at 7746 Bay St., Sebastian.

Exercise classes offered

- Qi gong at Riverview Park in Sebastian, next to the long dock, Fridays 6:15 p.m. and Sunday 7 a.m.
- Walking qi gong at Wabasso Beach,

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Great, easy dinner ideas for using up leftover turkey

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Not turkey again? I'm sure you're hearing that about now. Try my recipes, they'll love them.

If you have a lot of turkey left, place some stuffing in a small freezer bag. Do the same with the gravy. Place sliced turkey in a large bag; insert the other bags and freeze. In this hurried time you'll have a dinner in no time.

Two great, quick dinners for those leftovers are my version of turkey divan and curry.

Enjoy. Countdown to Christmas next week.

MOCK TURKEY OR CHICKEN DIVAN

Regular or low fat

Leftover turkey or chicken
Leftover gravy
Fresh or frozen broccoli
Cooked medium or wide noodles*

Thaw meat to room temperature. Thaw gravy, bring to a boil and whisk to reconstitute. Add cut up

turkey or chicken and heat though. Cook broccoli in small amount salted water. Serve divan in individual au-gratin dishes, topping a serving of noodles with a couple of broccoli spears, turkey and gravy.

* Beware of egg noodles. Their first name is egg, therefore they are high in fat and cholesterol. Use no-yolk noodles instead.

Season with salt and pepper and a little butter substitute.

LEFTOVER TURKEY OR CHICKEN CURRY

Serves 4 to 6
Regular or low fat

This curry is a simple variation of the real thing. It's a winner and takes almost no time to prepare.

1/2-cup each, finely chopped onion and celery
1 tablespoon canola oil or water
2 cups chicken broth, homemade or canned
1/2-cup tomato sauce
1/2-cup water
1/2-teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
Several sprigs fresh Italian



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parsley, chopped, or 1 tablespoon, dried
Salt and pepper
1 teaspoon to 1 tablespoon curry powder, depending on how strong a flavor you want
3-4 cups cooked turkey or chicken, cut up
1/4-cup flour
3-4 cups cooked rice or noodles
Cooked broccoli spears

Lightly brown vegetables in oil, adding water, if necessary.

Add the chicken broth, reserving 1/2-cup. Add the tomato sauce and water, a little salt and pepper, Worcestershire sauce, parsley and curry powder.

Cook, covered, about 10 minutes. Add meat and cook 10 minutes longer.

Shake remaining broth with flour and add to the pot, stirring until thickened, adding more water or flour and water if necessary.

Serve in individual dishes or any way you choose. I place broccoli spears over rice or noodles, then ladle on the curry.

MASHED RUTABAGA (turnip)

Low fat
Serves 6 to 8

In my family we have always called that large, round, ugly, waxed, orange root found in the produce department a turnip. I have since been corrected and informed it's a rutabaga.

Try this recipe. The potato cuts the sharpness of the vegetable. One large "turnip" is enough for any dinner and leftovers may be frozen.

1 large rutabaga, peeled and cut into small chunks
1 large potato, peeled and cut in medium-size chunks
Salt and pepper
1 tablespoon butter or butter substitute

It is very difficult to cut a rutabaga. In the past, I placed it on a cutting board and, using a large sturdy

knife and a hammer, I hammered it in half.

Now, I have a wonderful hint from one of my readers. Place the rutabaga in a plastic supermarket bag, loosely tie and place on a microwave-safe rack. Microwave on high for 5 to 10 minutes. Carefully remove from microwave and rinse under hot, then cold, water. The wax clings to the bag and the rutabaga, though not cooked, is easy to peel and cut.

Cut it in small chunks. The smaller the chunks the easier it is to mash. Place in a pot with potato, cover with water and cook until tender, at least 20 minutes or more. Drain. An old-fashioned potato "ricer" is the best way to mash it or you can use a food processor. Believe me, there is so much fiber in this root that it's tough to mash. Season with salt and pepper, add the butter, mix and serve.

CRANBERRY SURPRISE RELISH

Serves 6-8

One 4-serving package cranberry or orange-

pineapple gelatin
3/4-cup boiling water
1 large stalk celery, chopped
1 orange, peeled and chopped
One 16-ounce can cranberry sauce, jellied or whole berry
1/2-cup chopped walnuts

Dissolve gelatin in boiling water, add remaining ingredients, place in mold and chill. Un-mold several hours before serving: dip mold in hot water for a few seconds and inverting onto a plate. Chill until firm. Cut in wedges and serve.

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• Qi gong for mind, body and spirit at Kashi Studio on Roseland Road. Saturdays at 8 a.m., and Tuesday at 10 a.m.

All classes cost \$7. For more information, call (772) 581-2629 or e-mail namaste52bellsouth.net.

Try water class at aquatic center

The North County Aquatics Center is offering Aquanautics, a water fitness class, designed to strengthen and firm muscles, improve cardio and respiratory function and increase flexibility.

Other benefits include better balance and coordination. Participants benefit from the water with less strain on the bones and joints. Exercise movements are choreographed to music. The classes are offered Tuesday and Thurs-

day, from 10-11 a.m.

Fee is \$4 per class or a punch card for eight classes for \$28

For more information, call (772) 581-7665.

Medical center offers outpatient nutrition counseling

Do you have diabetes, hypertension or high cholesterol? Are you interested in losing weight or just interested in improving your overall health?

Outpatient nutrition counseling is a one-on-one service provided by licensed, registered dietitian located in the diagnostic center at Sebastian River Medical Center.

To make an appointment, call (772) 589-5000.

League meetings scheduled

The La Leche League is a nonprofit organization whose mission is to help mothers breastfeed through mother-to-mother support. The La Leche League of

the Treasure Coast meets in different locations from Palm City to Sebastian. Mothers with their nursing babies, and mothers-to-be, are welcome.

For directions to meetings, or more information, call Sophy at (772) 233-1883.

Tips on disaster planning

The Humane Society of Vero Beach and Indian River County has published a new brochure on disaster planning for pet owners.

The brochure covers topics including pet identification, determining if you and your pets live in a surge zone, pet supplies needed if someone must evacuate with their animals and how to create a pet first aid kit.

The free brochure can be obtained by visiting the Humane Society at 6230 77th St., Vero Beach, by calling the shelter at (772) 388-3331, Ext. 18

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