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HOW WEIRD IS THAT?!
SEAN MCCARTHY

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. Remember, just because it's online doesn't mean it's true!

From *blog.sfgate.com*:
Apple's 'Find My Friends' app might have uncovered a cheating spouse

Apple released a new app that lets you keep up with the whereabouts of your friends. This has ominous implications when used in a hostile relationship.

The "Find My Friends" app has been employed by a suspicious husband to check up on his wife, and he may have caught her red handed.

Kashmir Hill reported at "Forbes" about a posting to MacRumors' forums in which someone going by the name of ThomasMetz said he caught his wife in a lie thanks to the app: "I got my wife a new 4s and loaded up find my friends without her knowing. She told me she was at her friend's house in the east village. I've had suspicions about her meeting this guy who lives uptown. Lo and behold, Find my Friends has her right there."

If the ThomasMetz case is real, it will be interesting to see if this evidence holds up in divorce court.

Hill pointed out that a New Jersey court case earlier this year resulted in a ruling that it's OK to track a cheating spouse via GPS.

From *TheJacksonChannel.Com*: **Woman accidentally calls cop for drug deal**

Hinds County deputies said a 61-year-old Pearl woman is accused of accidentally calling a detective to make a drug deal.

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Seafood restaurant closes, but waterfront project to move forward

Restaurateurs seek financial investment return

By Jessica Tuggle
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SEBASTIAN — After a successful start, followed by rumors and letters from the state demanding compliance with grant requirements, the restaurant renting space on the working waterfront closed last week.

Debbie McManus of Fort Pierce and her family owned the eating establishment that leased space

from Fisherman's Landing Sebastian, referred to as Fisherman's Landing. It was a venture that brought them out of retirement, only to be caught between a rock and a hard place, having to shut down and losing thousands in investments.

Tim Adams, president of Fisherman's Landing Sebastian, Inc., the nonprofit co-op of fishermen partnering with Sebastian to bring the working waterfront project to life,

said the restaurant operated by the McManus family closed on Friday, but they hope to have a new tenant operating a small eatery on the premises soon.

He said Fisherman's Landing Sebastian and their attorney are still working out the financial obligations as a result of the restaurant

clos-

ing.
Controversy about the existing size and scope of the McManus' See **PROJECT, A7**



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Getting residents outdoors



Cliff Partlow/staff photographer

Sebastian residents came together in Friendship Park last Saturday for 'Get Outdoors Sebastian,' to promote outdoor family fun right in their own backyards. Mike Beck with the Florida Outdoor Center talks with Marthann Keithline of Roseland about the benefits of the stand-up paddleboard. Also on hand were Friends of the St. Sebastian River, Pelican Island Audubon Society, Natural Resources Council and the Indian River Lagoon Project.

Authorities search for other jail escapee

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INDIAN RIVER COUNTY — Authorities have recaptured one inmate who escaped Monday morning from the Indian River County jail and arrested two women who are accused of helping him.

But they continued their search Tuesday for the second escapee, Rondell H. Reed, 52.

Both men were considered dangerous as the recaptured inmate, Leviticus Uriah Taylor, 25, was awaiting sentencing after being convicted of first-degree murder and Mr. Reed was awaiting trial on a first-degree murder charge.

Mr. Taylor, 25, was captured without incident when Sgt. Michael Dougherty and Detective Jacob Simmons, both of the Martin County Sheriff's

See **ESCAPEE, A2**

ENTERTAINMENT B1

SEASON START



The Treasure Coast Chorale will hold its first concert Nov. 13

SPORTS B6

INDIANS WIN



Vero Beach, Sebastian compete in volleyball

WEEKEND WEATHER

Friday: Scattered thunderstorms; high: 82; low: 68; high tide: 10:09 a.m.; low tide: 4:03 p.m.
Saturday: Few showers; high: 79; low: 67; high tide: 11:00 a.m.; low tide: 4:55 p.m.
Sunday: Scattered showers; high: 76; low: 68; high tide: 11:53 a.m.; low tide: 5:50 p.m.
Weather courtesy of www.weather.com

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Fields under construction at sports village

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INDIAN RIVER COUNTY — The newest construction project at the Vero Beach Sports Village is underway and its completion is eagerly anticipated.

The construction of a four-field complex near Holman Stadium broke ground earlier this month and is

expected to be completed by April, according to a press release.

The fields and complex are designed for multi-purpose use and were built by Bill Bryant & Associates of Vero Beach, Kimley-Horn and Associates of Vero Beach and RA Architecture, also of Vero Beach.

They will be used for boys' youth baseball and girls'

fast-pitch softball games and tournaments.

Pat O'Connor, president of Minor League Baseball, the operators of Vero Beach Sports Village, said having the youth-size fields will allow the organization to book more tournaments and bring in more business.

The land for the fields was acquired by the county after a lease agreement with the

city of Vero Beach, an agreement that took nearly a year to complete.

The delays frustrated MiLB officials and cost them a year when their thoughts of expansion were delayed. But they are now ready to start booking the fields.

Tom Colucci, executive director of the Treasure

See **FIELDS A3**

Kids in costume, pets on parade for holiday

Indian River County gets ready for Halloween

By Jessica Tuggle
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INDIAN RIVER COUNTY — This weekend is full of events for children and adults to get in a trick or treat mood, no matter where they live in the county.

The General Federation of Women's Clubs Sebastian River Junior Woman's Club has been getting the community in spooky spirits for several weeks with their annual haunted



Elizabeth and Evan Jordan, then 5 and 7-years-old respectively, took part in the Humane Society of Vero Beach and Indian River County's Howl-O-ween Festival and Mutt Show in 2009. The indoor and outdoor festival includes a haunted barn, a hayride through the swamp and lots of fun and games.

File photo

See **PARADE, A3**

Chimp's art to benefit other chimps

Nonprofit hopes to top last year's attendance, donations

By Jessica Tuggle
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VERO BEACH — Cheetah, an expressive painter and artist currently living in Fort Pierce, will soon have some of his art on display to raise money to renovate a home for him and his family.

Cheetah is one of 276 chimpanzees living at the largest chimpanzee sanctuary in the world, located in Fort Pierce, Save the Chimps, a nonprofit that will hold a much-needed fundraiser in Vero Beach next month.

This year's major See **CHIMPS, A4**

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Escapee

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Office, saw him walking about 7 p.m. Monday along U.S. 1 in Stuart near the Windmere subdivision. He was later returned to Indian River County.

Authorities also arrested in Indian River County, Sadie Elizabeth Walker, 19, no address given, the girlfriend of Mr. Taylor and Angela L. Pike, 35, no address given, who are accused of helping Mr. Taylor to escape.

Ms. Pike told authorities

that she received a call and was told to go to an apartment complex, where they picked up Mr. Taylor.

They eventually took him to a Walmart in Stuart, they told authorities.

Investigators also accuse Ms. Pike of trying to get a bus ticket to New Jersey for Mr. Taylor.

Earlier in the day before the arrests, Indian River



Leviticus Taylor

County Sheriff Deryl Loar said authorities believed the two prisoners, escaped in a sedan through help from the outside.

He warned the escapees were to be considered dangerous and could be anywhere, as both have numerous connections in various states. Mr. Reed has a history of shooting at law enforcement officers, authorities said.



Rondell Reed

Mr. Taylor, a lifelong resident of Indian River County, was awaiting sentencing on Nov. 10 after being convicted of first-degree murder in connection with the Aug. 27, 2009, death of Nestor Perez, a man who escaped from Cuba in 1994 to gain freedom in the United States.

Authorities said Mr. Taylor bashed the head of Mr. Perez during a burglary of Mr. Perez's house.

Mr. Reed was awaiting trial on a charge that he murdered James Malone, owner of Jim's Automotive, a Sebastian business, and stole a Corvette belonging to Mr. Malone on April 16.

A day later, Richmond, Ind., police arrested Mr. Reed after he crashed the stolen Corvette while attempting to flee.

The two prisoners were discovered missing during an hourly head count at about 4:30 a.m., Sheriff Loar said.

Sheriff Loar called the escape "very elaborate," and added that when the full details are released people will find it hard to believe.

It wasn't quickly thought-up plan, he said.

"It's impossible for them to have devised this yesterday," Sheriff Loar said. "It had to have taken several weeks to devise it."

Authorities believe they escaped through air conditioning ducts. To complete the escape, the prisoners had to make it through two sold steel doors, bars and scale three walls with jagged wire on top, the sheriff said.

In the wake of the escape, authorities found the discarded jail jump suits and other items that might have helped them get over the wire, he said.

They also dropped some written information that may help locate them, he said.

The last escape at the jail occurred in December 2005. The escapees were caught weeks later.

Jeff Luther, director of media relations, said the jail security was beefed up since then.



Cliff Partlow/staff photographer Mike Snowhill, left and Mike Scott, Indian River County Sheriff's Office crime scene detectives, catalog and bag a T-shirt which may have been evidence in the escape of Rondell Reed and Leviticus Taylor from the Indian River County Jail early Monday morning.

Once the latest escape was discovered, dozens of law enforcement officers saturated the areas surrounding the jail.

Nearby Gifford Middle School, Dodgertown Elementary and an alternative education center were placed on yellow alert, a step short of locking down the schools.

The escapees were housed in the jail's maximum security section and had been cellmates for the last five days, Sheriff Loar said.

The investigation is con-

tinuing as to whether any other inmates were involved, he said.

"All of those inmates are being interviewed and re-interviewed," he said. "At this point, we don't have any suspicions of any sheriff's office employee being involved."

Anyone with information can provide it anonymously by calling Treasure Coast Crime Stoppers at (800) 273-8477 or they can call the Indian River County Sheriff's Office at (772) 569-6700.

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Fields

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Coast Sports Commission, organizes many sports tournaments in the region and said the fields at Vero Beach Sport Village would give him another area to draw on for tournament play.

He said that booking statewide tournaments is usually negotiated eight months to one year in advance, while other, shorter, weekend tournaments can be booked with four to five months advance notice.

The fields, commonly referred to as the "cloverleaf," will be used by children in the 9 and under and 12 and under age divisions during the Vero Beach Sports Village annual youth baseball tournament, allowing a wide range of ages to play on legendary baseball grounds. The field was formerly home to the Los Angeles Dodgers, who held spring training there for years.

The cloverleaf complex will include covered spectator seating and a centralized plaza with full concessions and rest rooms, a press

release said.

Vero Beach Sports Village plans to hold its inaugural 2012 high school softball spring training in 2012 and college spring training in 2013. The format will be similar to packages available to high school and college baseball spring training packages that are currently offered.

This weekend, the sports complex is hosting the first Stickhead K-9 Lacrosse Classic and 20 teams are expected to compete, said Liz Smith, co-founder of Stickhead Lacrosse in Vero Beach in a press release.

A large pump drains the lake on the third-base side of Holman Stadium last Friday afternoon to make way for a new set of multipurpose fields for softball, soccer and lacrosse.

Cliff Partlow
staff photographer

"We understand how lucky we are to have a facility like this in our town and appreciate its amenities as they pertain to hosting teams and sporting events. We are planning to make this an annual event and would like to host one or two other tournaments at Vero Beach Sports Village," she said.

Part of the tournament proceeds will go toward local law enforcement K-9 units.

For more information about events and activities at Vero Beach Sports Village, visit www.vbsportsvillage.com.

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Parade

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house. A long-standing Sebastian tradition of 31 years, residents can participate in the ghoulish fun from Oct. 28-Oct. 31, beginning at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$5 per person.

Riverside Theatre in Vero Beach is hosting a haunted house with a decidedly pirate-y theme. There are different sections for different age groups and some interactive activities as well, theater directors said. Tickets are \$5, \$8 and \$10, with opportunities for re-visits.

A more mature crowd may enjoy an evening concert experience highlighting piano and organ music with a Halloween spirit. The free concert, "Phantasies and Phuges," will be produced by the Treasure Coast Chapter of the American Guild of Organists and will be held at Christ By the Sea United Methodist Church at 7 p.m. on Oct. 28.

For an eerie yet educational activity, the Indian River Historical Society will present a tour of the Winter Beach Cemetery on Oct. 28. The cemetery is one of the oldest in the county, and members of the historical society will tell stories about the lives of those whose final resting place was Winter Beach.

Tickets are \$15 for society members and \$20 for nonmembers and are available for pickup at the Vero Train Station in downtown Vero Beach. The tour, which begins at 4 p.m., will include refreshments.

The annual Sebastian costume contest and hay ride event at Riverview Park will begin at 10 a.m. on Oct. 29, said Kathy Falzone, recreation supervisor for the city.

The event will also include a mini-pumpkin patch, where children can pick out pumpkins and decorate them. There will also be live music. The costume contest is open to chil-

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File photo

Then-16-month-old Michaela Elliott waits for her turn to go on stage at the annual Sebastian Halloween Parade in Riverview Park in 2009. Each year an estimated 100 or so children show off their Halloween costumes for candy and prizes.

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Chimps

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 fundraiser, “Chimps Kitchen: a celebrity chef tasting event to benefit Save the Chimps,” will be held on Nov. 10 from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. at Cobalt at the Vero Beach Hotel and Spa.
 Hors d’oeuvres by various local chefs will be available for tasting throughout the evening, accompanied by beer and wine and, to honor the primates of the evening, chocolate banana martinis, said Triana Romero, director of communication for Save the Chimps.
 “It will have a very chimp-African feeling with the music and the drinks,” Ms. Romero said with a smile.
 Tickets are \$75 each or \$125 for two. Advance reser-

vations are required.
 In 2002, Cheetah was found isolated from other chimps and humans in a building on the property of an experimental laboratory in New York and rescued to the sanctuary in Fort Pierce.
 According to his medical records, he was subjected to more than 400 liver biopsies.
 An overwhelming majority of the chimps at the sanctuary came from laboratories where they were used as test subjects in biomedical research.
 Today, Cheetah lives with other chimps at the sanctuary and enjoys snacking, playing with other chimps and experimenting with paints and making colorful canvases, and sometimes leaving a painting around

the canvas, as well.
 Because of medical conditions, it is safer for Cheetah to be in an environment that is quieter and less stressful, so his paintings will be used as part of the silent auction and raffle at the fundraiser along with other prize packages from generous donors, including hotel stays, to raise money for a special indoor home.
 The money raised at the Chimps Kitchen event will go first toward renovating one of the existing buildings on the property to be more comfortable for Cheetah and other chimps with special needs, Ms. Romero said.
 It will include a smaller chimpanzee family population and a large indoor playground area for the

chimps to lounge and play on.
 Save the Chimps has slowly been bringing chimpanzees from a former biomedical research laboratory in New Mexico they purchased with the help of the Arcus Foundation. The “Great Chimpanzee Migration” started in 2002 and is nearly complete.
 The final two legs of the migration are scheduled in the next couple of months, with all the chimps being relocated to the sanctuary by the end of the year, Ms. Romero said.
Vero Beach Hotel and Spa is located at 3500 Ocean Drive in Vero Beach. For more information about Save the Chimps, call (772) 429-0403 or visit www.savethechimp.org.



Ghosts and goblins aren't the only characters on hand at Sebastian's Halloween parade. Each year, Riverview Park is filled with a wide array of costumes. From left, emcee Billy Pelletier chats with Stephanie Cravenho, and her daughter then-1-year-old Taylor who came as a bumblebee in 2009.

File photo

Parade

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 dren 12 and younger and each participant will receive a small treat bag with candy, she said. The top 10 costumes will receive prizes.

Entry is free.
 “It will be a low-key event, not a big extravagant event, but it will be great for families to get out, enjoy the fresh breeze and enjoy the time with the children,” Ms. Falzone said.
 The Vero Beach Recreation Department, along with other sponsors, will present the 53rd annual Halloween parade and costume contest in downtown Vero Beach on Oct. 29, said Patty Howard, assistant

recreation director.
 The line-up will begin at 9:30 a.m. at the Freshman Learning Center. The parade will begin at 10 a.m., travel north on 14th Avenue and finish at the Vero Beach Community Center.
 Following the parade will be a costume contest. All children participating will receive a free goody bag and prizes will be awarded to the most outstanding costumes. There is no fee for entry.
 At 11 a.m. the same day, a

Howl-O-Ween event will take over the Humane Society of Vero Beach and Indian River County.
 Four-legged and two-legged members of the family will be brought together for hayrides, a haunted barn, games and more. Man's best friend will be featured in the 30th annual mutt show. Prizes will be given in categories such as best costume, smallest, tallest, most mixed breed, best tail wagger, most talented and best trick or training.

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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.

Fellsmere Police Department

•Matthew John Morrow, 31, 12750 79th St. Fellsmere, was arrested Oct. 14 and charged with failure to appear in court on a proceeding involving a charge of third-degree grand theft.

Sebastian Police Department

•William T. Keller, 25, 1503 39th Ave., Vero Beach, was arrested Oct. 15 and charged with theft, resisting an officer without violence, battery on a law enforcement officer and criminal mischief.

•Daniel Lee Mann, 34, 850 George St., Sebastian, was arrested Oct. 19 and charged with aggravated assault.

Indian River County Sheriff's Office

•Rebecca Ann Harrison, 27, 3484 Third Place, Vero Beach, was arrested Oct. 13 and charged with violation of community control. She was on community control for three counts of obtaining or attempting to obtain a controlled substance by fraud.

•William B. Bailey, 24, 1455 21st Ave. Southwest, Vero Beach, was arrested Oct. 13 and charged with driving under the influence resulting in serious bodily injury and two counts of driving under the influence resulting in property damage.

•Joshua Charles Schmidt, 23, 7860 66th Ave., Vero Beach, was arrested Oct. 13 and charged with violation of probation. He was on probation for dealing in stolen property, burglary of a conveyance, grand theft, credit card fraud and petit theft.

•Craig Gordon Terry, 36, no address given, was arrested Oct. 13 and charged with having no motorcycle endorsement, attaching an unassigned tag/sticker, fleeing an eluding a law enforcement officer, driving while license suspended and possession of 20 grams or less of marijuana.

•Michael A. Kuschel, 52, 1376 25th Ave. Southwest, Vero Beach, was arrested Oct. 14 and charged with violation of probation. He was on probation for felony driving under the influence.

•Michael Taylor, 70, 1776 Sixth Ave., Apt. 2, Vero Beach, was arrested Oct. 14 and charged with violation of parole.

•Johnny Lee Paris Jr. 29, 3810 44th Place, Vero Beach, was arrested Oct. 14 and charged with trafficking Ecstasy, possession of

cocaine, possession of marijuana with intent to sell or deliver and possession of a firearm by a convicted felon.

•Angela R. Thompson, 23, 1835 18th Ave. Southwest, Vero Beach, was arrested Oct. 14 and charged with violation of probation. She was on probation for possession of oxycodone without a prescription.

•Jody Leigh Lucas, 36, 8215 102nd Ave., Vero Beach, was arrested Oct. 14 and charged with violation of probation. She was on probation for felony petit theft.

•Willie Deontae Jaleel Coleman, 19, 1655 North 29th St., Unit 711, Fort Pierce, was arrested Oct. 14 and charged with violation of probation. He was on probation for battery on detention staff.

•Thomas William Hope, 29, 4520 55th St., Vero Beach, was arrested Oct. 15 and charged with felony battery.

•Timothy G. Ridgewater, 30, 3976 Lincoln Drive, Vero Beach, was arrested Oct. 15 and charged with leasing property with intent to defraud.

•Michael Richard Lang, 20, 1130 Third Ave., Apt. 102D, Vero Beach, was arrested Oct. 15 and charged with felony theft and criminal mischief.

•William W. Sutherland, 48, 193 Devonwood Way, Vero Beach, was arrested Oct. 15 and charged with

possession of cocaine.

•Latoya Michelle Ross, 32, 4171 28th Ave., Vero Beach, was arrested Oct. 16 and charged with introduction of contraband into a jail, possession of 20 grams or less of marijuana and resisting an officer without violence.

•Andrea Elizabeth Paz, 39, 1265 35th Ave., Vero Beach, was arrested Oct. 17 and charged with violation of probation. She was on probation for felony retail theft.

•Trollas C. McGriff, 50, 4460 35th Ave., Vero Beach, was arrested Oct. 17 and charged with aggravated assault with a deadly weapon, false imprisonment and burglary of a dwelling while armed.

•Andrew Scott Strong, 18, 648 Breakwater Terrace, Sebastian, was arrested Oct. 17 and charged with lewd or lascivious battery.

•Richard J. Eisen, 38, 2305 19th Ave., Unit 209, Vero Beach, was arrested Oct. 17 and charged with burglary of a dwelling and driving while license suspended.

•Anthony Mark Rogers, 22, 4437 Timber Ridge Drive, Fort Pierce, was arrested Oct. 17 and charged with home invasion robbery, grand theft of a firearm and possession of a firearm by a convicted felon.

•Daniel Paul Albrecht, 19, 520 Eighth Place, Apt. 103, Vero Beach, was arrested Oct. 17 and charged with grand theft and dealing in

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stolen property.

•Anthony Paul Sorenson, 35, 1898 S.W. Lofgren Ave., Port St. Lucie, was arrested Oct. 17 and charged with home invasion robbery, grand theft of a firearm and possession of a firearm by a convicted felon.

•Santanna Roderick Burgess, 27, 245 N.W. Floresta Drive, Port St. Lucie, was arrested Oct. 17 and charged with home invasion robbery, grand theft of a firearm and possession of a firearm by a convicted felon.

•Veronica E. Vasquez, 23, 816 Northeast 21st St., Belle Glade, was arrested Oct. 18 and charged with retail theft and violation of federal probation.

•Quinton Tomlin, 19, 3952 Kenney Court, Vero Beach, was arrested Oct. 18 and charged with possession of a firearm by a delinquent.

•Shaquille Demritte, 17, 2010 Vero Circle S.W., Vero

Beach, was arrested Oct. 19 and charged with grand theft and aggravated assault.

•Beryle Dee Williams, 42, 930 20th Ave., Vero Beach, was arrested Oct. 19 and charged with violation of probation. He was on probation for felony driving while license suspended.

•Willie Henry Williams, 47, 4214 25th Ave., Vero Beach, was arrested Oct. 19 and charged with felony criminal mischief.

•Kyle Anthony Green, 35, 726 19th Place, Unit 5, Vero Beach, was arrested Oct. 19 and charged with failure to appear in court on charges of aggravated assault on a law enforcement with a deadly weapon, fleeing or eluding, possession of cocaine, driving while license suspended, reckless driving, leaving the scene of an accident with property damage and resisting an officer without violence.

Weird

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The Sheriff's Department said Judy Weible accidentally called the cell phone of a detective on their Street Crimes Task Force. At first, he thought it was a joke and ignored her follow-up calls. "In initial calls, she wanted to sell some pills. He blew her off, and evidently she didn't like being ignored, so she

started sending a series of text messages," Lt. Jeffrey Scott said. "That's when we kind of took it seriously."

Deputies said they were able to set up a time to meet her and make an arrest.

The Sheriff's Department said Weible was carrying 30 hydrocodone tablets.

Weible was charged with possession of a controlled substance with intent to distribute.

From *news.yahoo.com*: **Sotheby's to sell real drawing by fake artist**

Auctioneer Sotheby's has sold work by artists great and mediocre, famous and obscure and now by an artist who never existed.

The London auction house said it is offering a drawing by the talented but fictional American abstract expressionist Nat Tate.

Tate is the creation of British

novelist William Boyd, who wrote a fictional biography that included reproductions of the artist's drawings. It was published in 1998 complete with endorsements from David Bowie and Gore Vidal, who were in on the joke.

The work, "Bridge No. 114," has an estimate of \$4,700 to \$7,900. Proceeds will go to the Artist's Benevolent Institution.

From *huffingtonpost.com*:

Boycott: Group angered over Ben & Jerry's 'SNL' flavor

The conservative group One Million Moms, an offshoot of the American Family Association, is none too pleased with Ben & Jerry's.

The organization is calling for a boycott of the ice-cream maker's new flavor, the "Saturday Night Live" skit-inspired Schweddy Balls. In a public letter sent to its members, the organization

acknowledges the origin of the flavor, describing the Alec Baldwin-starring NPR spoof.

Ben & Jerry's chose to go with fudge-covered rum and malt balls for their flavor. The ice cream is being released in a limited batch, which means it will be distributed nationwide for three or four months.

From *newsytype.com*: **Home raided after 'heroin for sale' fliers posted**

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Giving e-commerce a try

I've never been enthusiastic about mail order. Going through the hassle of filling out an order form, getting a stamp and dropping it in the mail box only to have to wait four to six weeks for delivery always turned me off.

But now, things have changed. I find myself ordering things for delivery all the time, but I don't seem to be going through any stamps and the items I'm ordering are arriving much quicker than four to six weeks.

So, what's changed? The answer probably won't shock you; it's the Internet.

I seem to be buying more stuff online than I ever would have using conventional mail order, and I have yet to be disappointed.

It's called e-commerce and it seems to be taking the world by storm. Any time you buy or sell something over the net, you are participating in an e-commerce transaction. The list of things you can buy or sell online is limitless.

Let's take a look at a couple of ways people conduct e-commerce.

One fairly ubiquitous method is the simple online order form. This is the most basic form of ordering online and is a close cousin to the order forms that you would cut out of a magazine and drop in the mail with a check.

By filling out the online form and clicking a "submit" button, you are instantly transmitting your order to the seller. The seller then fulfills the order, usually within days.

A slightly more sophisticated method of ordering goods over the Internet is called a "shopping cart" script. Most websites that act like electronic catalogues allow you to pick out items as you browse their inventory and add items to a "cart" or "basket." When



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you are ready to pay, the items in your cart are added up and you check out.

As far as payment goes, even the most basic sites will ask for a credit card number. That brings up the inevitable question, "Is giving your credit card number over the Internet really safe?" I'll answer that with an unreserved "yes."

That's not to say that no one is ever going to get swindled; you are just as likely to become a victim of credit card fraud in the real world as you are online.

That doesn't mean it's OK to be nonchalant about giving your credit card information out online; you do want to use common sense when giving that kind of information online.

Another facet of e-commerce that has taken me a little by surprise is online banking and paying bills.

Before I began doing it over the Internet, I would have to balance my checkbook manually every month. This chore was often neglected, and things would get missed.

Now, I download my account balance directly from the bank into my computer and can reconcile my account automatically every day. I see each transaction as soon as it comes in and catch any accounting errors before they become problems.

I wonder if the guys on Wall Street have ever considered online banking.

Sean McCarthy fixes computers. He can be reached at (772) 408-0680 or help@ComputeThisOnline.com (no hyphens).

Finding fun things to do



Dozens of vendors filled Schumann Hall at the Senior Resource Association last Thursday for the senior activities fair. Joanne MacKenzie, left, gets information from Joanne and Bob Webster, volunteers with the Vero Beach Opera.

Cliff Partlow
staff photographer

Letter

Candidate urges caution on electrical system sale

To the editor:

Vero Beach has a rich pioneer history of leadership by example and hard work that I respect. I will provide that kind of leadership. My sleeves are rolled up and I'm ready to work for you.

Vero is innovative and grew by intentional design: road systems, town layout and utilities. Beautification Days promoted community involvement and enjoyment of our parks and beaches. Downtown Main Street was the place to be.

Operating the utilities enabled Vero to grow into the community we have today. Ranching, citrus and farming prospered just outside Vero's borders.

The community considers Vero Beach its city and has come to rely on Vero to provide other services and benefits such as Riverside Theatre, the museum and other cultural events without requiring annexation.

If we sell our assets, we need to be certain city services will remain as we expect them to be at the lowest tax rate possible and without expecting city taxpayers to pay for more than their fair share for others who enjoy and work in our city. Any change in city-owned assets has to address possible unintended consequences to such services as: police and crime watch protection, parks and recreation, beaches and lifeguards and a friendly business atmosphere.

Ken Daige

We need to insist on terms of a fair price for our electric utility and that the sale does not negatively affect what we currently provide.

We anticipate a study to be done to show us our financial future and are waiting for the results with assurance that the Vero Electric sale to FP&L is a fair deal. A fair deal should be based on expert data relative to the sale and not based in campaign promises or activists' financial assumption models.

We should not base our vote on today's rates because we don't know where our rates are going in the future. After all, FP&L is under a rate freeze at this time. And FP&L has been unclear as to how long they intend to operate the power plant other than for an indefinite period of time.

I would encourage voters to seek the facts and know the impact before forming an opinion or making a decision.

As your next councilman, there will be no question that the financial well being of the city will be foremost on my mind before I vote.

Let's work together to ensure the process moves in a more positive, productive and multi-beneficial direction for all of us.

I would appreciate your vote.

Ken Daige
Vero Beach

Editor's note: Mr. Daige is running for a seat on the Vero Beach City Council.

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Post office woes

The post office has, for years, been hemorrhaging tax dollars, but the need for a giant national agency has been dwindling. The agency's management has agreed to union contracts, which forbid layoffs.

Employees get generous salaries, medical benefits and pensions fit for a king.

It is hard for people with a vested interest in the bureaucracy to admit the agency's days are numbered, but the current system is fiscally and competitively unsustainable.

Who's to blame?

It is apparent that our economy, unemployment and so forth are in the toilet. It is also easy to blame the current administration for not fixing what the previous administration caused.

My point is that at least the president in this case, President Obama, at least offers some plans how to fix the economy and create jobs. The roads and bridges being repaired are pretty important to me. The other people in the other party merely say that we need to create more jobs. I wrote our congressman and asked him a simple question as to what are the Republican's plans for creating jobs, to which he did not answer. This leads me to believe that our economy and job situation will never be fixed, as long as on one side of the floor the other side does not like the other side of the floor.

I submit that as voters, we have an obligation to rid ourselves of the childish political play that our elected officials are doing and get some elected officials in there that care about the U.S. and the people who live here.

As a footnote, our city could do a lot in improving the

economy here if they would spend less time on the insignificants and coming up with a plan to fill the empty storefronts, which just might lead to some employment opportunities.

More money overseas

General Electric is planning to move its 115 year old X-ray division from Waukesha, Wis., to Beijing.

In addition to moving the headquarters the company will invest \$2 billion in China (Communist), train more than 65 engineers and create six research centers.

This is the same GE that made \$5.1 billion in the United States last year, but paid no taxes. The same company that employs more people overseas than it does in the United States.

So, let's get this straight. President Obama appointed GE Chairman Jeff Immelt (job czar), to head his 'commission on job creations. Immelt is supposed to help create jobs. Did Obama tell him in which country he was supposed to create these jobs?

The word leadership is not in the vocabulary of this administration, but the word, treason applies to every thought, word and dirty deeds shoved down our throats daily (being done behind closed doors).



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Cliff Partlow/staff photographer
 Brittany Keane, left, and her mother, Debbie McManus, spent some time on deck of the Fisherman's Landing Restaurant last Friday. The restaurant closed last week and litigation is pending.

Project

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restaurant, versus the intent of the city as laid out in the city management plan, ran high over the past few weeks. It was language in the city plan that earned funding for the project through the Stan Mayfield Working Waterfront Grant.

A letter from a state agency demanding compliance to the terms of the grant led to discussions between the city, Fisherman's Landing Sebastian and the tenants, and ended with the tenants having to walk away from their business because they could not be profitable as a business with the restrictions required by the grant with the amount of overhead they had.

None of the parties involved have been able to explain why the conditions of the grant were not expressed to the tenants, the McManus', before they moved in and established their business.

City hall was closed on Oct. 21 for a scheduled furlough day and Sebastian city manager Al Minner was unavailable for comment

before press time.

A letter from the state Department of Environmental Protection, under which the grant administrators now work, was sent to the city demanding compliance with the original plan, including no alcohol sales, a small service area and no live music.

Mrs. McManus said she was never told about the city management plan and grant requirements until more than two weeks after they had been open for business. When she did learn of the restrictions and tried to find middle ground for a compromise, city staff was not amenable to them.

In a good-faith effort, she removed the word "restaurant" from her menus, took salt and pepper shakers and ketchup bottles from the common area tables and canceled all but a select few music dates by popular musicians, which required non-refundable, upfront deposits to book.

"Two of the dates were fundraisers for Fisherman's Landing to help them get more funds to start on the fish house," Mrs. McManus said.

After hearing Mr. Minner tell the city council nothing

had been done to move toward compliance, she was upset.

"It took me by surprise," she said.

Some Sebastian city council members expressed their displeasure at having the restaurant there and paying rent when they were not in compliance, while other business owners complained it was taking away from their clientele.

According to previous city council meetings and city planning and zoning meetings, the idea for having a food establishment on the property resembled a fast-food counter service with a small number of seats available. The rest of the space surrounding the area was designated as common area and open for public use.

Public use also means that if customers choose to take their food out onto the deck area to eat, they are allowed, Ms. McManus said.

At the beginning of September, when residents began flocking to the restaurant, people did come in and chose to sit and stay at tables designated for public use. After bad

press about her business, rumors, bullying tactics and petitions to shut her business down, the clientele dramatically dropped.

Scaling back to what has been described as a concession stand would not give her enough to be profitable, Ms. McManus said.

She and her family have made more than \$100,000 in investments in the restaurant and now all they hope is to get their money back and never do business with Sebastian again.

Her legal counsel will be pursuing litigation, she said.

From the beginning, Mrs. McManus said she understood the vision for the working waterfront area.

"It was all about the food and the view, about Old Florida and the fishing history. I knew the vision and I agreed with the vision," said Ms. McManus, whose husband was a commercial fisherman.

"Why didn't they tell me this before? I had my lease approved, my occupational license, my certificate of occupancy, all by the city. They walked through here and signed off on it," she said.

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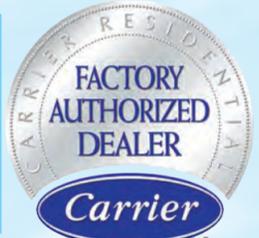
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A ring of drug dealers was busted recently in Oregon. Their neighbors had posted "heroin for sale" fliers, alerting police to their address and activities.

The house had been under observation for almost a year because of complaints. One of the neighbors started putting up paper fliers reading "heroin for sale" along with the names and address.

According to *OregonLive.com*, neighbors kept logs of people visiting the house, noting the time, frequency and license plate numbers.

Police raided the house

and found a portable meth lab, 10.9 grams of heroin, 19.2 grams of marijuana, \$4,143 in cash, almost 200 pills and a sawed off shotgun.

Seven adults were arrested at the scene but only six had charges filed against them.

A 15-year-old boy was placed in protective custody.

According to KGW, a neighbor brought out chocolate chip cookies for the police.

Sgt. John Birkbine said, "We felt like firefighters for a minute. It was good."

Sean McCarthy can be reached at help@Com-puteThisOnline.com (no hyphens).

Richard Maston Anderson

Richard Maston Anderson, 79, died Oct. 13, 2011.

He was born in Sebastian. He owned and operated Ercildoune Bowling Lanes in Sebastian.

He is survived by two sons, Richard and Randall; two daughters, Karen and Kathi; four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Robert and Willie.

Arrangements by Strunk Funeral Home.

John F. Knipper

John F. Knipper, 81, died Oct. 13, 2011.

He was born in New York and lived in Sebastian for 25 years.

He was a detective with the New York City Police Department.

He was a member of the Fraternal Order of Police and the Detectives Endowment Association in New York.

He served in the U.S. Marines during the Korean War.

Obituaries

He was a member of St. Sebastian Catholic Church.

He is survived by his wife of 60 years, Josephine; two sons, John and Gerard; a daughter, Patricia and a granddaughter.

Arrangements by Strunk Funeral Home.

Betty Aline Brady

Betty Aline Brady, 80, died Oct. 14, 2011.

She was born in Wichita, Kan., and lived in Barefoot Bay for 41 years.

She is survived by four sons, John, Michael, Daniel and James; a brother, William; a sister, Marilyn and one grandchild.

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Louis Paul Muehlberger Jr.

Louis Paul Muehlberger Jr., 76, died Oct. 14, 2011.

He was born in Kansas City, Mo., and lived in Micco for five years.

He graduated from Lillis. He

worked for Rohrer Construction.

He was a member of St. Sebastian Catholic Church.

He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Deanna; a son, Louis; two daughters, Carol and Catherine; a brother, John; four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a sister, Helen.

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Charles Meredith Boorse

Charles Meredith Boorse, 86, died Oct. 15, 2011.

He was born in Philadelphia and lived in Sebastian for nine years.

He was employed by the U.S. Postal Service.

He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II.

He is survived by his wife of 65 years, Frances; a son, Curtis; a daughter, Caren; a brother, Bruce; a sister, Mary; five grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

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Immanuel Church

•Support group/celebrate recovery, a support group for hurts, habits and hang-ups meets every Thursday at 6 p.m. for dinner, 6:45 p.m. for meeting. Donations are accepted for dinner.

•Celebrate recovery is a Biblical 12-step program that provides help for hurts, hang-ups, and habits. Dinner starts at 6:15 p.m. and is optional; \$3 donation. Meeting starts at 7 p.m.

For more information, call (772) 562-3185. Immanuel Church is located at 455 58th Ave., Southwest, Vero Beach.

First Presbyterian Church of Sebastian

•Newcomers and visitors are invited to the 10 a.m. Sunday worship service. Communion is served on the first Sunday of every month.

•Bible study is held Monday evenings at 7 p.m. Call

John Blaga at (772) 589-4290 for more information on this study.

•Adult Sunday school and youth classes at 9 a.m. Children's Sunday school starts at 10 a.m. following the children's message.

•Friendship Crossroads Thrift Shop is open for business on Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. For more information, call the shop at (772) 581-8155.

The church is located one block north of Main Street at 1405 Louisiana Ave., Sebastian. For more information, call the church office at (772) 589-5656.

Riverside Church

•Open prayer meeting is held every Tuesday from noon to 2 p.m. You are welcome to come to the church and pray as long as you want. On Tuesday evenings at 7 p.m., the Men's Group meets for discussion of the word and fellowship.

•Oneighty Youth Group, an evening of music, fun, games and a Bible service at the church, for students in grades 6-12 begins at 5 p.m. every Wednesday. Admission is free and free transportation is available in the Sebastian area.

•Mpac Girls' Club, a Christian club for girls in kindergarten through 12th grade, meets at the church 6:30 p.m., Thursday evening meetings. The girls learn about cooking, camping,

crafts, community, missions, friendship, overcoming peer pressure, careers and purity.

•A chapter of Royal Rangers, one of America's largest and foremost adventure, camping and mentoring programs for boys and young men in grades one through 12, meets 6 p.m. every Friday.

•Sunday worship service is held at 8:15 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. Kingdom Kids for children in grades K-5 is held at the same time. This program includes Bible lessons kids can understand and apply to their lives, plus games and prizes.

Newcomers are welcome at Riverside Church, located at 11205 Roseland Road, 2 miles west of U.S. 1, Sebastian. For additional information, call (772) 589-7825.

New Life Baptist Church

•Edge Student Ministries, the church's youth ministry meets every Wednesday evening from 6 to 8 p.m. There are lots of new activities; admission is free and the evening is packed with games, snacks and fellowship. All students, regardless of church affiliation, in grades 6-12 are welcome to attend this interactive, fun-filled weekly get together.

•Edge JR is a children's ministry for K-6th grade every Wednesday night at 7 p.m. and on Sunday at 9:30 a.m. All children are welcome to this fun-filled, highly interactive program; admission is free.

•Children, women and adult Sunday school classes are held every Sunday morning at 9:30 a.m. and a worship service begins at 10:45 a.m.

•Gentlemen are invited to the Men's Group meeting on alternate Sunday evenings at 5 p.m.

•Fred Diven is the featured speaker every Sunday evening. "A Christian and Their Reward" is the current teaching series at the 6 p.m. Bible study. All are welcome to attend.

Newcomers are welcome at New Life Baptist Church,

located at 725 Commerce Center Drive, Suites C, D & E, Sebastian. For additional information, call Pastor Bill Brothers at (772) 473-3614.

King's Baptist Church

•A quilting group meets 9:30 a.m. every Friday in Room 121 at the church. Newcomers are always welcome and there is no charge to participate.

•Awana, a Bible-based program with extra emphasis on Scripture memory for children ages 3 through the sixth grade is held every Wednesday evening at 6 p.m. Teens in grades 7-12 are invited to X-treme Lives, a time of worship and small group Bible study, on Wednesday evenings from 6-7:30 p.m. Adult Bible study begins at 6:30 p.m. every Wednesday.

•Young adults are invited to the new "20 Something" class at 9 a.m. on Sundays. The Bible class focuses on issues and challenges facing young adults as they continue education or start a new career; it meets in room 125.

•Sunday worship services are held at 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. with an evening service at 6 p.m. At 5 p.m., children in first through sixth grades are invited to participate in children's choir where they learn basic music skills and perform songs and musicals. They meet in the Awana Auditorium; everyone is welcome and there is no cost.

The church is located at 3235 58th Ave., Vero Beach. For more information, call (772) 567-5850 or visit www.kingsbaptist.org.

Unity Center of Vero Beach

•The community is invited to "A Course in Miracles" led by Chris Williams every Monday evening at 6 p.m.

•On Tuesday evenings at 7 p.m. Eide Monahan instructs a one hour qi gong class. The technique incorporates breathing and fluid yoga movements to open and strengthen you.

•Qi gong class, an ancient Chinese system of postures, exercises, breathing techniques, and meditation, is held 10:30 a.m. every Wednesday.

•On Thursday evenings at 6 p.m. there is a one hour reiki class. Reiki is a Japanese technique for stress reduction and relaxation that promotes healing.

•Sunday morning worship celebration is held at 9:30 and 11 a.m. Childcare is available for both services and children's classes are held every Sunday at 11 a.m.

Newcomers are always welcome at Unity Center of Vero Beach. The church is located at 950 43rd Ave., Vero Beach.

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Out & about

THROUGH SUNDAY, OCT. 30

• **Haunted house at Riverside Children's Theatre**, the annual ghoulish event with scares and surprises in store for ages 5 and up. This year prepare for a pirate invasion. The event will take place at 3280 Riverside Park Drive, Vero Beach; Oct. 22, 28 and 29 from 5:30-9:30 p.m. and Oct. 30 from 5-8 p.m. Tickets are \$5-\$10. For more information, call (772) 231-6990 or visit riversidetheatre.com.

THROUGH MONDAY, OCT. 31

• **Scarecrows in the Garden**, McKee Botanical Garden, Vero Beach, during regular business hours. Dozens of creatively crafted scarecrows decorated by volunteers, families and local businesses. Cost: Garden entry fee applies. For more information, visit www.mckeedgarden.org.

FRIDAY, OCT. 28

• **Salvation Army Community Harvest Festival**: There will be free food, games, bounce houses, cake walks, prize drawings and hay rides all evening and it concludes with a costume contest. The event will take place from 6-9 p.m. at The Salvation Army main building on 2655 Fifth St. Southwest, across the street from the Skate Factory. Bob Evans Restaurant is providing food for the event and the bake sale. Please bring a donation of a non-perishable item for our food pantry. For more information, call (772) 978-0265.

• **Downtown Friday street festival**, along 14th Avenue between 20th and 21st streets, Vero Beach, 5:30 p.m. Features live music, craft vendors, community booths and food and drink. Cost: Free.

• **Halloween all-night party at The Skate Factory**, 485 27th Ave. Southwest, Vero Beach. Glow skate, costume contest, dance contest and races. All-night skating is from 7 p.m.- 6 a.m. and costs \$17.50. Evening-only skating from 7 p.m. to 11 p.m. is also available for \$8. For more information, call (772) 794-3373.

FRIDAY, OCT. 28- SATURDAY, OCT. 29

• **Treat-or-treat costume skate with candy giveaway** at The Skate Factory, 485 27th Ave. Southwest, Vero Beach. Skating from 1-4 p.m. See OUT, B2

Wedding music to kick off 10th anniversary concert series



Photo by Mr. J's Media Production

The Treasure Coast Chorale will kick off its 10th season of music with 'Here Comes the Bride,' a selection of wedding anthems and music, on Nov. 13 at 7 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of Vero Beach.

By Jessica Tuggle
jtuggle@hometownnewsol.com

INDIAN RIVER COUNTY — From rumbling basses to piercing sopranos and everywhere in between, the Treasure Coast Chorale is warming up to present a concert experience unlike any other in Vero Beach.

The chorale, made up of community members with a passion for singing from all around Indian River County, will celebrate its 10th anniversary and concert season on Nov. 13.

The "Here Comes the Bride" concert will feature music traditionally played at weddings, including anthems written for the royal weddings of both Prince Charles and his son, Prince William and "The Prayer," made famous by

Celine Dion and Andrea Bocelli, further expanding the chorale's musical repertoire.

The concert will be held at the First Baptist Church of Vero Beach. There is no admission, but an offering will be taken for donations to cover the cost of producing the concert. Doors will open at 6 p.m. for the 7 p.m. concert.

As part of the program, during a special interlude, couples will have an opportunity to renew their wedding vows, said Michael Carter, chorale director.

Mr. Carter is a minister at First Baptist Church of Vero Beach, and the founding and current director of the chorale.

"It will be a special moment in the program. I

am a minister, but there will be nothing binding about it, just a special moment for them," Mr. Carter said.

The chorale has sung a wide range of musical genres over the years, said chorale member Corrie Lamond.

"I've been in music my whole life and it's a privilege to be directed by Michael Cater and to be singing with such a talented group of singers," Ms. Lamond said.

The music for the upcoming concert is challenging and stretches members to learn how to sing better and appreciate a different type of music, said Heather Stapleton, one of the newest chorale members having joined in January.

Joining the group was appealing because she was starting to take a larger interest in improving her musical knowledge and her voice.

"This really helps you grow as a musician," she said.

Concert dates for the rest of the season are as follows:

- Handel's "Messiah," Dec. 17 and Dec. 18, 7 p.m.
- "Give Our Regards to Broadway," March 11, 3 p.m. and 7 p.m.
- "God Bless America," May 27, 7 p.m.

For more information about the Treasure Coast Chorale and upcoming concerts, call Heather Sultzman at (772) 643-0019 or visit www.treasurecoastchorale.org.

Event benefits outreach center

For Hometown News
NewsFP@hometownnewsol.com

INDIAN RIVER COUNTY — Sam Cassara and the staff from Cassara Chiropractic Center is hosting "Healing Hands - Healing Hunger" from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the center, 2175 20th St. in Vero Beach, on the corner of Route 60 and 22 Avenue.

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Photo courtesy of Ella Chabot

From left: Brae Anderson, staff member; Linda Cassara, office manager and Sam Cassara, chiropractic physician, at the Cassara Chiropractic Center, pictured with some of the pantry items they are collecting for the Harvest Food and Outreach Center.



STAR SCOPES

James Tucker
Week of 10-28-2011

Aries-March 21-April 19

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Taurus-April 20-May 20

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Gemini-May 21-June 21

Ask universal wisdom to guide you. You will make wiser choices, less when you think from the lower will. You slip off the spiritual path when you begin to worry, have doubt, fear or indecision. It's your choice on which way you go. Surrender to the higher will and blessings and success are bound to follow.

Cancer-June 22-July 22

Priorities in life should be to first stay connected to the universe, then take care of the honor and dignity of your family. This is family heritage. A good name is our greatest treasure. Now focus on work. Make someone else happy. It makes you 10 times happier. The love in your heart now blesses everyone.

Leo-July 23-Aug. 22

Life continues to present challenges because of your active lifestyle. How you handle them is the key to success. Refuse to take on more than two or three projects at once. Finishing the old ones and reaping the rewards for the effort is the key. New challenges are always there for an action person like you, as needed.

Virgo-Aug. 23-Sept. 22

It is important to make daily affirmations for all the

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SATURDAY, OCT. 29

• **53rd annual Halloween parade:** The parade starts at 10 a.m. from the parking lot of The Freshman Learning Center and goes north along 14th Avenue to the Vero Beach Community Center. The line-up for the parade begins at 9:30 a.m. in the school parking lot and costume judging will take place at the end of the parade inside the Vero Beach Community Center. There will also be prizes for best costumes, as well as goody

bags for all the children with or without costumes. For more information, call (772) 567-2144 or visit www.covb.org

• **Oktoberfest,** Pointe West, Vero Beach, 2 p.m. An afternoon and evening with activities for children and adults, including a petting zoo, bounce house, face painting and games, selections of German beer and food, arts and crafts, and live music. Cost: \$5 per person, children 3 and younger are free. Some items and activities require an extra fee. Website: www.jlir.org.

• **Senior Halloween party,** Schumann Hall Senior Center, Vero Beach, 5 p.m. Event will include Big Band music, comedian and lots of fun costumes by participants. Contact: Kelly deLong, (772) 469-2062

• **Halloween parade and costume contest,** Downtown Vero Beach, 9:30 a.m. Hosted by the Vero Beach Recreation Department. Website: www.covb.org

• **30th annual mutt show and Howl-O-Ween event,** Humane Society of Vero Beach and Indian River County, Vero Beach, noon. Six categories will be judged for mixed-breed dogs. Website: <http://hsvb.org>

• **Saint Edward's School drama department performance, "Our Town,"** Waxlax Center for the Performing Arts, Saint Edward's School, Vero Beach, 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. Cost to be determined. Website: www.steds.org

• **"Youth Funshop,"** Vero Beach Museum of Art, Vero Beach, 1 p.m. Tour and activity in the Wyeth watercolor exhibition. Cost: \$2 for non-members. Website: www.verobeachmuseum.org

• **The annual ARC Special Olympics Special Scouts**

and Special Equestrians Halloween party at the ARC Campus at 1375 16th Ave, Vero Beach, from 3- 6 p.m. Join us for food, fun and dancing. \$2 cover charge per person. Prizes for the best costumes and best-carved pumpkin. Reservations required; call (772) 562-6854, Ext 217.

• **BritBash 2011,** a British car show, Riverside Park, Vero Beach, 8:30 a.m. A celebration of British motorcars and motorcycles under the majestic oaks of the park. Vehicles will be judged and awards will be given. Sponsored by the MG Car Club of Florida. Cost: free, but car owners and vendors must register to participate. Contact: Danica Perhacs, britbash@comcast.net.

• **eBay training seminar,** Emerson Center Fellowship Hall at the Unitarian Universalist Fellowship, Vero Beach, 9 a.m. Have a professional teach you the right way to sell on eBay. Cost: \$75.

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SUNDAY, OCT. 30

• **Art in the Park,** Humiston Park, Vero Beach, 10 a.m. Outdoor fine art and craft show by the Vero Beach Art Club. Cost: free. Website: www.verobeachartclub.org.

• **Sebastian Christian Church,** an independent Christian church with more than 250 members, will host its **second annual fall family fun fest** from 5-7 p.m. at SCC, located at 190 Day Drive, next to Pelican Island Elementary School in Sebastian. There is no cost to attend the event, which is geared toward all pre-k through fifth-grade children and their families. The event boasts a fun, safe evening, which will include food, carnival games, bounce houses, balloon making, face painting, trunk-or-treat and

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Center

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The event is a benefit for the local nonprofit organization Harvest Food and Outreach Center. Donations of canned goods, cereal and any non-perishable foods will be accepted for the Harvest Center's food pantry.

Cassara Chiropractic Center will offer complimentary chiropractic adjustments and mini neck massages during the event in a gesture of appreciation to attendees for their support of the food pantry.

Additionally, licensed massage therapists Darlene Irby and Michael Gifford will be available for 5-minute, complimentary chair massages. To receive the adjustments and massages, participants must be at least 18.

"We are blessed to have our business in this community and have been further blessed with the power to help people with health issues," said Dr. Cassara.

Harvest Food and Outreach Center is dedicated to offering assistance with food, clothing, employment, social advocacy and crisis care to help families acquire the resources to break the cycle of poverty.

The Harvest Center has three locations, including two in Vero Beach at 1050 Old Dixie Highway Southwest and 1360 28th St. and one in Fort Pierce at 2520 Orange Ave. Representatives of the Harvest Center will attend the event.

The event is open to the public. For more information, contact (772) 562-7441.

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Hospital to host Thanksgiving dinner

For Hometown News
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VERO BEACH — Indian River Medical Center will host its 23rd annual Thanksgiving dinner for senior citizens and others unable to share a holiday meal with their families.

A traditional Thanksgiving turkey-and-trimmings meal will be served between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 24, in the hospital's cafeteria. The menu includes roast turkey with giblet gravy and corn-bread stuffing, or baked ham with ginger mustard glaze. There is a

choice of two sides: mashed potatoes or praline sweet potatoes, and seasoned green beans or buttered zucchini. The meal will also be served with a tossed salad, holiday dessert, roll and butter, and coffee or choice of fountain drink. The cost is \$7.95 plus tax.

"If you can't be with your own family on Thanksgiving Day, we invite you to join our IRMC family for Thanksgiving dinner," said Richard Condon, IRMC executive chef.

No reservations are needed.

For more information, call (772) 567-4311, Ext. 1600.

Out

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Toby the clown. For more information, call (772) 388-0410.

MONDAY, OCT. 31

• **Trick-or-treat at McKee BOOtanical Garden**, McKee Botanical Garden, Vero Beach, 6 p.m. Ghoulish fun and games in the Hall of Giants and trick-or-treating down flickering jungle pathways. Website: www.mckeeorgan.org.

ONGOING EVENTS

• **Sunset Saturday night concerts**: The Oceanside Business Association of Vero Beach's Sunset Saturday night concerts moves to

Humiston Park and Ocean Drive April 9 through November. The Idol Gossip swing/Big Band will perform from 6:30-9:30 p.m. It's free, bring your friends and family. For more information, visit www.VeroBeachOBA.com.

• **Sunset at the plaza** sponsored by Mulligan's Beach House will have arts, crafts, live music, kids eat free and more every Thursday from 5-8 p.m. at the Vero Beach Mulligan's, 1025 Beachland Blvd., Vero Beach.

• **Men's singles tennis pyramid**: Play runs from 6-8 p.m. every Thursday at the Riverside Racquet Complex, 350 Dahlia Lane, Vero Beach. This is an adult league for ages 18 and older; men's levels of 3.5/4.0. The fees are \$2 per week for members and \$5 per week for non-members (plus \$1 light fee per hour when applicable).

Participants must check inside the pro shop with the attendant on duty and pay before going to the courts. Players must register weekly by sending an e-mail to Brian Orzel, singles pyramid coordinator at orzelbp@gmail.com by noon on Thursdays. A maximum of 14 players will be accepted for these pyramid or ladder format sets against three different opponents. For more information contact Gaby Dwyer, tennis supervisor, at (772) 231-4787 or contact Brian Orzel at (772) 538-0465.

• **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

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Scopes

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good and blessings you have been given in life. Give thanks daily for all the love, health, abundance and joy. All this good is because of your own hard work and faith in the higher power. Continue to feel this and the universe will continue to bless it and send more.

Libra-Sept. 23-Oct. 22

You are happy most of the time because of your unconditional loving ways. You are highly spiritual. The universe is your home. You live each day like it is a special holiday. You believe in your heart about the goodness of all forms of life. This sense of oneness is what keeps you going. Thanks for inspiring all of us.

Scorpio-Oct. 23-Nov. 21

Remove any limitations you have placed on yourself and move on and up to new heights of achievement.

This month is a time to honor yourself. Celebrate! Yeah! I have done it. Use these recent successes as stepping stones to build your life even higher. You are on the edge of giving birth to your greatest dreams.

Sagittarius-Nov. 22-Dec. 21

You have great inner strength, strong vision and a sweet nature. When you are happy, the glow radiates out and warms the hearts of everyone in your circle. This could be the main reason for all your success. Continue to find ways to increase the joy. You are happy as well as others. Now, all is well everywhere.

Capricorn-Dec. 22-Jan. 19

Keep your eye on the highest goal and refuse to let the world or others bring it down until you achieve it. You are a winner. Claim your higher good. Know in your heart that you are worthy to receive. Strong past efforts are ready to pay off and bring many rewards

and blessings. Go for it. Life is good. So many blessings.

Aquarius-Jan. 20-Feb. 18

Your heart is like a deep well of creativity, continually flowing with inspirations, dreams and new ideas. Listening to and trusting this divine source for answers to life's challenges is the secret to your great success. The possibilities are endless. Spirit is the fuel that keeps the Aquarian fire going. Yours is strong.

Pisces-Feb. 19-March 20

You are at your best when you are centered, focused and relaxed. Now, all your inner tools are working. It drives type A, ego-based people crazy. Patience is the key. You don't have to be everywhere at once. Figure out a plan that keeps you focused and then delegate things you can't handle. Life will be better for it.

Have a starry week everyone.

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Association holds senior activities fair

The Senior Resource Association held its annual activities fair last Thursday in the Schumann Hall. More than two dozen vendors were on hand offering classes, programs and things for seniors to do. Sandra and Scott Redfield demonstrate Zumba, a class taught at the center Mondays and Wednesdays.



Cliff Partlow
staff photographer

Award recipients named

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INDIAN RIVER COUNTY — The Association of Fundraising Professionals Indian River Chapter will present this year's National Philanthropy Day awards on Nov. 15 at Riverside Theatre, 3250 Riverside Park Drive at 5:30 p.m., followed by light hors d'oeuvres and cocktails.

Judging was conducted this year by the Association of Fundraising Professionals, Southwest Chapter of Florida.

The local celebration will honor residents in four specific categories. This year's award recipients are:

Outstanding individual philanthropists: Barney and Harlot Greene, nominated by Indian River State College Foundation. Mr. and Mrs. Greene helped to establish the Indian River State College agricultural endowment fund, which has provided 45 scholarships in the last 12 years.

Outstanding corporate philanthropist: U.S. Trust, Bank of America Private Wealth Management, nominated by Indian River Medical Center Foundation. U.S. Trust/Bank of America has a long-standing tradition of supporting the community.

For the Indian River Medical Center, their commitment has played an integral role in the transformation of IRMC from a good community hospital to an outstanding regional medical center.

Outstanding volunteer fundraisers: Karl M. Steene, nominated by The Sun Up Center. Mr. Steene is an outstanding example of philanthropy in action. He gives freely of time and talent on days, evenings and weekends and has done so for more than 14 years in Vero Beach. He developed and championed Sun Up Center's signature event, Vero Road Rally Magnifique, which has raised more than \$100,000 in the past two years.

Unsung Hero of the Year: David M. Taylor, nominated by Indian River Habitat for Humanity.

"A hand up, not a hand out," is Mr. Taylor's mantra. He is a key volunteer in Habitat for Humanity's Habitat Hoe-down for the past four years, serving as chairman for the past three; the family support program, for which he is the link between prospective homebuyers and Habitat; and has served on their scholarship program committee, on which he has served for the past four years.

Additional individual honorees being recognized for their contributions include: Mary P. Graves, nominated by Indian River State College Foundation; Kip Jacoby, nominated by United

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Nonprofit to help deliver holiday cheer to service members

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TREASURE COAST — For the fifth year, the American Red Cross Palm Beaches-Treasure Coast region, joins in kicking-off the "Holiday Mail for Heroes" program, a national Red Cross partnership with Pitney Bowes, dedicated to delivering holiday cheer to American service members this holiday season.

The program, launched this week and running until Dec. 9, provides the public with the opportunity to send a touch of home to the

men and women of the U.S. Armed Forces, many of whom will be far away from home during the holidays, and the nation's veterans and their families.

Across the American Red Cross Palm Beaches-Treasure Coast region, local Red Cross offices will be hosting card signings, card-making events and asking for donations of new holiday cards,

which will be delivered to military bases and hospitals, veteran's hospitals and other locations during the holidays.

The Red Cross and Pitney Bowes will screen cards for hazardous materials, sort and package the cards and deliver them across the world.

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Community notes

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- 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, where State Roast 510 meets the ocean. Tuesday and Thursday at 7 p.m.
- 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 (722) 581-2629 or e-mail namaste52bellsouth.net.

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

Try a 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 Thursday, from 10-11 a.m.

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

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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.

Group posts presentations to Internet

The Indian River County Extension Service now offers presentations on the Internet, created and narrated by agents on agriculture, environmental horticulture, pond maintenance, irrigation, 4-H and storm water pollution. The list of available presentations will continue to grow.

Visit the website <http://indian.ifas.ufl.edu> for updates.

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Cheer

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Pitney Bowes is donating all screening, packaging and shipping for the program.

The Red Cross will mobilize hundreds of volunteers to sort and box cards for delivery to service members, veterans and their

families throughout November and December.

Last year, with the help of Pitney Bowes, hundreds of volunteers screened, sorted and packaged cards that were delivered to military bases, veteran and military hospitals across the U.S. and around the world.

For more information about the Holiday Mail for Heroes program, visit www.redcross.org/holidaymail.

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Indians sweep Sebastian 3-0 in volleyball matchup

By Brittany Llorente
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INDIAN RIVER COUNTY — After a best-of-five game set, only three games were played after the Vero Beach High School Indians varsity girls volleyball team beat Sebastian River High School Shark's varsity team.

The Indians came out strong in the first set, gaining a lead over the Sharks, at one point giving the Indians three consecutive point rallies by Alex Lilliquist.

The first set ended at 25-17, Indian's win.

The Sharks showed far more stamina in the second set, their offense stepping up their game.

Sharks player, Tiffany Cobb, served four consecutive point rallies.

"It's an awesome feeling to know I've improved my serves so much," said

Cobb. "My serves used to be shaky and to be able to stop that is a dream."

The Indians returned those points and then some by retaining possession of the ball for 11 of the next 13 rallies with serves from Lilliquist, Samantha Ring and Molly Higgins.

"We all played very well," said Lilliquist. "I looked to where to place the ball and then placed it opposite of where they thought I would. I mixed them up."

The Sharks looked to tie the score and come back, with the Indians leading, 21-23.

With points from Megan Wild, Tamara Hunt and Cobb, the Sharks were still in contention for winning the set.

After two points, one by Sakkara Hart, the Indians won the match, 25-21.

"The second match took calming down our

defense," said Indian's head coach Sarah Eckert.

"Sebastian's offense was on fire. Once we made the adjustment, the girls just fought."

The third game was the decision maker for the Sharks, deciding whether they were going to be in this match, or out.

The Indians tore through the Shark's defense, allowing no more than two consecutive points on the board at a time. Vero had rallies of seven consecutive points, those served by Ring.

"We had a lot of missed serves, but we battled back each time," said Shark's head coach Whitney Jones.

"In the third set, we fought back and then fell, but it's exciting to see what level our girls can compete at but we still need to work more on our serves."

The Indians ended the set, 25-10.



Sebastian's Tiffany Cobb (No. 9) returns a serve against Vero Beach last Thursday evening against Vero Beach. Vero Beach won 3-0.

Cliff Partlow
staff photographer

Paddling race to take place Nov. 19

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SEBASTIAN — "Up the River with a Paddle," the first-ever paddling race on the St. Sebastian River, will take place Nov. 19.

It is open to competitive and recreational paddlers of all ages and skill levels. Kayakers, canoers, paddle boarders and anyone who can make it up the river with a paddle can join in the race.

The day on the river will include food, entertainment, a raffle and prizes.

Races include short and long distances and the "beat Mike Beck challenge" for

cash prizes.

Groups, clubs and businesses can compete for the title of "best team in the county" in a giant, elephant canoe.

The event will take place from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. at Dale Wimbrow Park, 11805 Roseland Road, Sebastian.

It is sanctioned by the American Canoe Association and is being coordinated by Florida Outdoor Center.

Proceeds will benefit By the River, the area's independent residential community for low-income seniors.

Organizers aim to draw

paddlers from around the state and make this an annual, community wide event. Entry fees begin at \$5 for kids under 14.

Entry fee discounts will apply for ACA members and includes ACA insurance for all racers.

Boat and paddleboard rentals are available and T-shirts and swag bags will be given to racers who register by Nov. 10.

For more information or to register, visit www.floracracing.com or call Florida Outdoor Center at (772) 202-0220 or By the River at (772) 559-2680.

Award

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Way of Indian River County; Dawn E. Michael, nominated by Senior Resource Association; Donna Peters, nominated by Jessie's Journey of Hope; and Sue M. Tompkins, nominated by Education Foundation of

Indian River County.

Additional corporate nominees being recognized include: Piper Aircraft, nominated by the Education Foundation of Indian River County; Vero U.S.1 Nissan & Route 60 Hyundai, nominated by the Homeless Family Center, and Wal-Mart/Sam's Club nominated by the Treasure Coast

Food Bank.

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5020 Notice to Creditors

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR INDIAN RIVER COUNTY, FLORIDA

PROBATE DIVISION

IN RE: ESTATE OF DONALD DANIEL RAKOWSKI a/k/a DONALD RAKOWSKI, Deceased. File No.: 312011CP000587

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of Donald Daniel Rakowski a/k/a Donald Rakowski, deceased, whose date of death was May 18, 2011, is pending in the Circuit Court for Indian River County, Florida. Probate Division, the address of which is P.O. Box 1028, Vero Beach, FL 32961. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate on whom a copy of this notice is required to be served must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

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The date of first publication of this notice is October 21, 2011. Personal Representative: Doreen M. Rakowski 410 Pine St. Sebastian, Florida 32958 Attorney for Personal Representative: John G. Evans Attorney for Doreen M. Rakowski Florida Bar Number: 104021 Dill & Evans, P.L. 1565 U.S. Highway 1 Sebastian, FL 32958 Telephone: (772) 589-1212 Fax: (772) 589-5212 E-Mail: delaw1@bellsouth.net Pubs: Oct. 21, & Oct. 28, 2011

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