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From the Beaches to the River District downtown Fort Myers

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Master Gardener Millisa Bell conducts an Urban Farming workshop at the GreenMarket

Urban Farming Workshop At Alliance GreenMarket

The Alliance for the Arts GreenMarket continues its Summer Urban Farming Workshop Series on Saturday, June 29 at 10:30 a.m. with Introduction to Permaculture.

The Unruly Gardener Millisa Bell, a master gardener born and raised in Southwest Florida, who is knowledgeable in a wide variety of backyard farming practices and organic growing methods, will lead attendees through the concept of life systems that require minimal human input and are beneficial as food and medicine sources.

Bell will describe combinations of perennial wild fruits and flowers, herbs and ground covers that you can devote part of your yard to, not just to benefit you and your family, but also birds, small mammals and pollinators like butterflies and bees.

Permaculture landscapes don't require weeding, fertilizing or watering, as these systems basically take care of themselves. Embrace a more sustainable way to garden, incorporate native forages and fruits to your landscape, and become a permaculture enthusiast and promoter.

Pre-registration is not required and the workshops are free, but a \$5 donation is suggested to help support future educational programs.

They are conducted outside, under the shade of the trees, but in case of rain they will be moved into a classroom, so they are rain or shine.

The rest of the schedule of presentations:

- July 6 – The urban chicken coop: How To's for fresh, organic eggs
- July 20 – An introduction to organic beekeeping in yards and on rooftops
- August 3 – Earthworms, the magic garden workers: vermiculture in the Urban Farm

- August 20 – Preparing the Fall season Urban Farm in Southwest Florida

For more information, visit artinlee.org, search for Alliance for the Arts GreenMarket on Facebook, or call 939-2787. While you're at the market, be sure to visit the Alliance Gift Shop and Gallery, both of which remain open every Saturday.

The Alliance for the Arts is located at 10091 McGregor Boulevard, just south of Colonial Boulevard in Fort Myers. ✨



Roxie, a 16-foot converted Airstream travel trailer is up and running as a tourist information center for the Greater Fort Myers Beach Area Chamber of Commerce. The exterior depicts typical scenes of the beach. The interior contains information about restaurants, shopping, lodging and events on the beach.

Beach Chamber Welcomes 'Roxie'

Roxie is up and running and is parked at 320 Old San Carlos, next to Smokin Oyster Brewery on Fort Myers Beach. This is the Greater Fort Myers Beach Area Chamber of Commerce's new visitor information center. It is tentatively open seven days a week from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Its purpose is to provide information about restaurants, shopping, lodging and activities on the beach.

Roxie is a Bambi – the name of a classic Airstream travel trailer, a streamline aluminum and rivets design from the classic 1930s model. Just 16 feet long, it is the smallest Airstream ever made. It has been renovated to serve as a mobile visitor information center for the beach; the interior now contains informational publications promoting beach businesses and a food-vendor-wagonshell opening with a walk-up counter encouraging passersby to stop and chat. Local graphic artist Dave Drotleff designed the exterior with scenes of Fort Myers Beach, making it fun and attractive to visitors.

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7th Annual Great American Picnic

Get an early start on your 4th of July celebration by getting in the spirit of the holiday at the family favorite Great American Picnic on Thursday, July 4 from noon to 3:30 p.m. at the Marina at Cape Harbour.

- Activities will include:
- Cape Coral VFW Post 8463 Color Guard presentation.
 - Marcella Brown singing the National Anthem.
 - Chris the DJ with the Juke Box Hero will entertain.
 - Proceeds go to Adopt-A-Troop Foundation.
 - Dixie Roadhouse Dance Team will perform.

- Zumba demonstration with Rebecca.
- At 1 p.m., the Best Patriotic Pet Contest begins. Registration starts at 11:30 a.m. Judging the contest will be Lois Thome from WINK-TV and John Woods with the Carefree Boat Club. Patriotic Pet Winners will be announced at 2:15 p.m.

- From 2 to 3 p.m., get ready for:
- The Bubble Gum Contest, hosted by Run Agrounds.
 - The Hula Hoop Contest, hosted by The Joint.
 - Tattoos & Firecracker Braids by High Maintenance Salon/Day Spa & Divine Divas.
 - The traditional Apple Pie Baking Contest, hosted by Pignoli on the Harbour. (Call 541-0800 to confirm if you plan to enter a pie in the contest.)

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Historic Downtown Fort Myers, Then And Now:

Crescent Building

by Gerri Reaves, PhD



Walk down to the intersection of Second Street and Royal Palm Avenue and it's unlikely you'll see much activity other than traffic – unless there's an event at the First Presbyterian Church on the southwest corner.

But for more than half a century, that intersection was abuzz with activity of one sort or another.

On the southeast corner where a large parking lot now exists once stood a sturdy red-brick structure that in the mid-20th century was known as the Crescent Building.

Shown in the photo from the early 1950s is the entrance to the former school that housed many businesses and profes-

sional offices.

Physicians, dentists, architects, engineers and surveyors had offices there, as did major insurance and real estate companies.

Several government offices, such as the Lee County Mental Health Association and the U.S. Forest Service were located there, along with non-profits like the American Red Cross and American Cancer Society.

A close look at that historic photo reveals the building's original identity. On

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The once busy site is now a parking lot

photo by Gerri Reaves



The Crescent Building, shown here in the early 1950s, was originally the Gwynne High School, opened in 1914

courtesy of the Southwest Florida Historical Society



The Crescent Building after being lightened up with a green paint job, circa 1961

courtesy of the Southwest Florida Historical Society



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Fort Myers Public Art:

Re-Imagining Parking Garage In Fort Myers



by Tom Hall

Each month, cultureNOW showcases a different community's public art collection. In May, cultureNOW featured Fort Myers.

In Fort Myers, Marylyn Dintenfass' 30,000-square-foot

Parallel Park installation has transformed the five-story Lee County Justice Center parking garage into a work of fine art that has first time visitors asking, "Is this the fine art museum?" It consists of 23 open-weave Kevlar and fiberglass fabric panels that have been attached to the exterior of the Lee County Justice Center parking garage by aluminum tubes. Each panel stands an astounding 33 feet tall by 22 feet wide and the images change right before the viewer's eyes as the sun carves its daily arc and clouds scurry across the bright blue Florida sky.

Taken together, the 23 panels "metaphorically express the spirit of the automobile." It's a subject with which Dintenfass has had a love affair since before the time she could drive.

"The circle shapes conjure tires, headlights, dashboard instrumentation and steering wheels," Dintenfass explains. "Linear patterns are emblematic of roads, ramps, directions and parking designations."

Dintenfass' iconography of postwar American automotive culture directly integrates her interpretation of mobility and space with the fundamental purpose of a parking garage. It's an apt simile given that Fort Myers' was the winter home of Henry Ford and Harvey Firestone, two of the leading pioneers of the American automobile industry.

Among the myriad benefits associated with public art is its ability to enhance and define a city's identity, burnish the city's image to the outside world and enable a community to attain recognition as a regional and national leader in the visual arts. By these measures, Dintenfass' *Parallel Park* is an unquestionable success. The installation has been featured in such diverse publications as *The Parking Professional*, *ARTNews* and *NY Arts* magazines, as well as a book by Aliza Edelman that was published in 2011 by Hard Press Editions in association with Hudson Hills Press. Titled *Marylyn Dintenfass Parallel Park*, the 140-page monograph has placed Fort Myers in the public art spotlight worldwide.

Parallel Park received the Americans for the Arts Public Art Network 2011 Year in Review Award. It was selected by curators Gail Goldman, Kendal Henry and Richard Turner out of 430 projects submitted by public art programs and art-



Parallel Park transformed the Lee County Justice Center parking garage into a work of artists nationwide.

The project was a joint venture between Lee County and the City of Fort Myers that was conceived by local architect Kevin Williams of BSSW Architects and implemented by a team consisting of

the artist, a fabricator in Orlando, a printer in North Carolina and the Fort Myers Public Art Committee, with the assistance of Fort Myers Beach art consultant

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- President, Gray Davis, Agency Manager, BB&T-Oswald Trippe and Company
- Vice President, Tom Gunderson, Chair, Henderson Franklin Real Estate
- Treasurer, Brad Schultz, Vice President, Commercial Lending, Encore National Bank

Tom Gunderson
 • Secretary, Jody Van Cooney, retired educator
 The Uncommon Friends Foundation, a not for profit 501(c)3 organization established in 1993, is dedicated to life-long character building among today's youth and business leaders. Its mission is to promote character education in schools, business ethics in the workplace and historic preservation of the Burroughs Home and James Newton Archives.
 For more information, call 337-9505 or visit www.uncommonfriends.org.

Brad Schultz
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Fort Myers Art
 Barbara Anderson Hill. The installation was dedicated on December 9, 2010.
 For more information about *Parallel Park*, visit cultureNOW, the Public Art Archive, Art Southwest Florida or www.MyRiverDistrict.com, call 945-0405 or visit www.TrueTours.net to take a public art walking tour that features the piece.
 An arts advocate, Tom Hall guides weekly walking tours of the River District's public art collection in Fort Myers. For more information, go to www.truetours.net.

Jody Van Cooney
Solid Waste July 4th Holiday Collection
 The City of Fort Myers Solid Waste and Utilities Division will observe the July 4th holiday on Thursday, July 4. The Solid Waste and Utilities Office will be closed on that day.
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 The regular collection schedule will resume on Monday, July 8.



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Great American Picnic

• Dunk Tank, hosted by High Maintenance Salon.

Rumrunners, The Joint and Run Agrounds will entice guests with several menu choices, and Pignoli on the Harbour will be selling the customary 4th of July fare of hot dogs and hamburgers, along with their daily menu. Merchants along the Marina Promenade will have their doors open featuring red-hot holiday specials.

Also, Banana Bay Tour Company will host their annual 4th of July Spectacular Fireworks Cruise. Boarding begins at 7:15 p.m. dockside at Rumrunners. Call 728-8687 reserve your seat and enjoy a 3.5-hour cruise.

There will be vendors from the Saturday Farmer's Market on site to supply all your produce needs and other items. For more details, log onto www.capeharbour.com or call 470-2746.*

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Eastern Phoebe

photo by Meg Rousher

Free Birding Tour At Lakes Park

Take a morning meander at Lakes Park with a bird patrol guide on Saturday, July 6 at 8:30 a.m. Lakes Regional Park is located at 7330 Gladiolus Drive in Fort Myers.

Participants should meet at Shelter A7. Enter Lakes Park gate from Gladiolus. Turn right. Drive to end of road, continue through the parking lot. Shelter A7 is located near the Train Station.

This easy walk along clear paths offers an opportunity to see birds in native vegetation with experienced Bird Patrol guides pointing out the many species in Lakes Park, a Lee County birding hot spot and crucial nesting area for many birds. Please arrive a few minutes after 8 a.m. for a brief intro and to sign waivers. Tours start promptly at 8:30 a.m. Please wear comfortable shoes and dress to be outside. Bring water, sunscreen and binoculars.

For more information, call 533-7580 or 533-7576. Also, visit www.birdpatrol.org.

This free tour is provided in cooperation with Lee County Parks and Recreation. Parking is \$1 per hour or \$5 for all day.*

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'Roxie'

The Bambi has been named Roxie after recently deceased Fort Myers Beach community leader and businesswoman Roxie Smith. It will be rotated between its current location and Santini Marina Plaza.

The Chamber is looking for a cadre of volunteers to staff the information center, working in four-hour shifts. Those interested in volunteering should call Jane Ross at the chamber office at 454-7500. For more information, visit www.FortMyersBeachChamber.org.*

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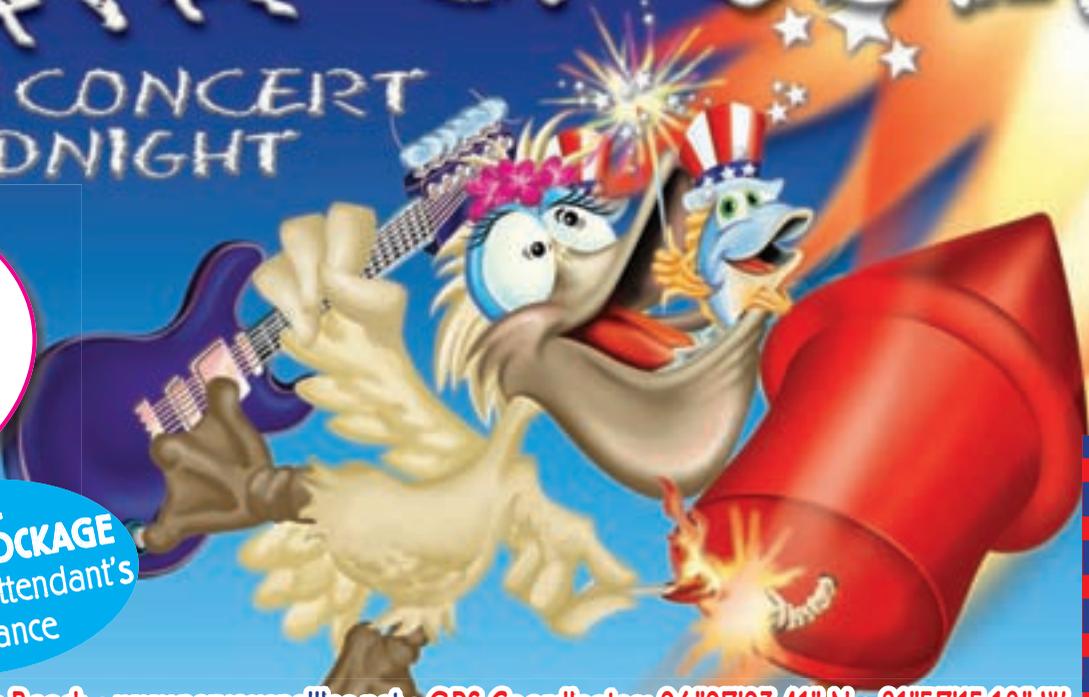
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Crescent Building

the tablet on the parapet is the name “Gwynne High School,” and perched just over the doorway is the newer name, “Crescent Building.”

The “new” high school had opened in 1914, only three years after the Gwynne Institute (still standing) opened two blocks west at Jackson Street. In no time at all, it was over-crowded and a new school was needed.

That was the story in Lee County for many decades. In fact, the ever-growing school population demanded the construction of the two-winged bungalow school annex only a couple of years after this new high school was built. (The bungalow faced Royal Palm and was behind the high school.)

The Gwynne school served as a high school until about 1923, when yet another

high school opened at Royal Palm and Thompson, only a short distance south (site of today’s Lee County Constitutional Complex).

The red-brick school at Second and Royal Palm then became a junior-high.

Thus, for years, Royal Palm Avenue between Second and Thompson was a beehive of activity, with students of various ages walking to and fro.

In 1950, just after the current high school opened on Cortez Avenue, the school at Second and Royal Palm was sold and became the Crescent Building.

It changed ownership at least twice more, in 1964 and 1971, and was demolished in 1975. Today, the land is a parking lot and there’s mostly quiet, not walking to and fro.

But the Crescent Building’s tangible history lives on as part of another historic structure. Some of the bricks were used to renovate the 1914 Heitman-Evans

Hardware building, when decades ago, it became Heritage Square. Still standing on the northwest corner of First and Hendry, it is now a law office.

Another note on those salvaged bricks: At some point, the Crescent Building’s classic red bricks were painted a shade of light green, as evidenced in the 1961 photo. Some locals remember that color as definitely unappealing.

If you’re curious to judge that “Crescent-green” color for yourself, visit the Southwest Florida Historical Society’s research center and see a salvaged brick – only one of many fascinating things to discover there.

The all-volunteer non-profit organization is located at 10091 McGregor Boulevard on the campus of the Lee County Alliance for the Arts.

Contact the society at 939-4044, or visit on Wednesday or Saturday between 9 a.m. and noon.

Be sure to take a stroll to Second and Royal Palm and see the former site of the Crescent Building. Then walk a few blocks to the Southwest Florida Museum of History, where you can learn more about the county’s race to build enough schools.

For information, call 321-7430 or go to www.museumofhistory.org. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Tuesday through Saturday.

Sources: Archives of the Southwest Florida Historical Society; *The First 100 Years, Lee County Public Schools, 1887-1987* by Donald O. Stone and Beth W. Carter; *The Story of Fort Myers*; and the *Fort Myers News-Press*.*

Greeters Club July Meeting

Do you enjoy meeting new people, attending interesting events and activities and engaging conversation? Then search no further! You are welcome to attend the Thursday, July 18 luncheon meeting of the Greeters Club of Greater Fort Myers. It is held on the third Thursday of the month at the Colonial Country Club, located at 9181 Independence Way in Fort Myers.

There will be an opportunity to find out about our activities, meet members and enjoy an interesting program. Call today to make a luncheon reservation (cost is \$20 per person) and to find out more about joining this dynamic group of Lee County women.

Contact Marie Gaither at 791-8966 or email wmgaither@aol.com. You can also check us out on Facebook at Greeters of Fort Myers.*

Lee Republican Women’s Club Monthly Meeting

The Lee Republican Women’s Club (Chartered) will hold its monthly luncheon meeting at the Crowne Plaza Holiday Inn at 13051 Bell Tower Drive in Fort Myers on Tuesday, July 9. Social hour begins at 11:30 a.m., with the luncheon and program to follow at noon.

Dane Eagle, Florida State Representative from District 77, will be the featured speaker. Members of the public and guests are welcome to attend.

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Rotary Club Installs New Officers, Board

Rotary Club of Fort Myers South announced the installation of their 2013-14 officers and board. District Governor Steve Schlueter, District 6960, installed the new officers and board members on June 15 at the Rotary Club of Fort Myers South Annual Installation Banquet held at the Crowne Plaza at Bell Tower Shops in Fort Myers.

With over 75 Rotarians and guests in attendance, Clark Rambo, President for 2012-13, joined the Past Presidents Council with much gratitude and thanks from his fellow officers, board members and Rotarians.

New officers for 2013-14 are Roger Mercado as President, Rebecca Goff as President Elect Nominee Designate, John Kozak as Treasurer and Mark Rupalo as Assistant Treasurer. New board members include John Doramus, Kimberly Christian, Jonathan Gabel, Matthew Muller, Clif Parker and Steve Wassman.

Board members who completed their term were Joe Rider, Pete Doragh, Bo Turbeville and Maureen Grabowski. Rounding out the board, Victor Mayeron



Incoming President of the Rotary Club of Fort Myers South, Roger Mercado, was presented with the Rotarian of the Year Award by Outgoing President Clark Rambo

was named the new Assistant Governor and newly installed President, Roger Mercado, was named Rotarian of the Year.

Guests are invited to visit weekly lunch meetings that are held each Monday at noon at the Crowne Plaza Select at Bell Tower Shops, located at 13051 Bell Tower Drive. For more information, visit rotarysouthftmyers.org.

Harry Chapin Food Bank Receives Highest Charity Navigator Rating

The Harry Chapin Food Bank of Southwest Florida is listed as the highest-ranked non-profit organization in Florida and is among the top 11 charities in the country for accountability and transparency by Charity Navigator, America's top independent evaluator of charitable organizations.

Charity Navigator awards four-star designations to non-profits that exceed industry standards in financial stability, organizational efficiency, revenue growth, administrative expenses and other key management areas.

"As proud Chair of the Board of the Harry Chapin Food Bank for the past four years, I have the personal knowledge of what it takes to earn the highest rating possible with Charity Navigator," said Jo Anna Bradshaw. "Charity Navigator helps potential donors make wise and informed choices on which charitable organizations to donate their hard-earned money to. Our four-star rating validates that the food bank values our donors and potential donors. Ethics, good governance and transparency are at the heart of what we do every day to serve our clients, partner agencies and the people and businesses who support our mission."

The mission of the Harry Chapin Food Bank is to overcome hunger in Charlotte, Collier, Hendry, Glades and Lee counties through education and by working in a cooperative effort with affiliated agencies in the procurement and distribution of food, equitably and without discrimination.

Southwest Florida's fragile economy has left many more families and communities underserved. In response, the food bank's operational expansion and success depends on its ability to increase the amount of food that can be provided to our 150-plus partner agencies.

The partner agencies the food bank serves include church food pantries, neighborhood centers, senior nutrition centers, soup kitchens, emergency shelters, mobile pantries, in-school pantries and disaster relief agencies.

For additional information about or to contribute financially to the Harry Chapin Food Bank, call 334-7007 or visit www.harrychapinfoodbank.org.

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Southwest Florida. The talk will focus on the reasons these wild animals are admitted to CROW. The presentation is suitable for the entire family and proceeded from admission benefit the care of clinic's patients, as they do not have health care to pay for their treatment. It is an experience like no other.

CROW's Visitor Education Center is located 3883 Sanibel-Captiva Road, Sanibel. For more information, call 472-3644 ext. 228 or go to www.crowclinic.org



Celebrate a Neurotic Fourth of July this year at Nervous Nellie's on Fort Myers Beach

org for a full schedule of events.

The 3rd annual **Fort Myers Freedom Fest** is Thursday, July 4 from 6 to 10 p.m. Bring the entire family to the free event in downtown Fort Myers' historic River District. Lawn chairs are welcome, but leave your coolers at home. Food and beverages will be served by local vendors during the block party, along with a bounce house to entertain children and live music by DJ Tom. Additionally, restaurants, bars and retail shops are open. A spectacular fireworks display begins at 9:30 p.m.

Plenty of free parking is available as well as access to a handicapped parking lot at the Post Office on the corner of Edwards and Monroe. The City of Fort Myers parking garages are open for a fee.

For more information, go to www.riverdistrictevents.com.

What better place to watch the downtown Fort Myers fireworks than from the balcony above **The Morgan House**? Located in the Patio de Leon, the party begins at 6 p.m. and features live music along with food and spirits. The Morgan House has brought back to life the area's historic purpose, making it a place for entertaining and socializing, just as it was a century ago.

The restaurant and bar features 14 beers on tap, full liquor bar and daily happy hour. Casual dining is available either inside in air-conditioned comfort, outside on the terrace, upstairs at the rooftop bar or in the posh Miami-style Red Corner.

The Morgan House is located at 33 Patio de Leon, downtown Fort Myers. Call 337-3377 or go to www.morganhouserestaurant.com.

If you simply want a cool place to retreat from the crowds during the 4th of July block party, slip in to **Ichiban** for great Chinese and Japanese cuisine. Ample seating is available inside the restaurant or outside in the climate-controlled gallery located in the historic Post Office Arcade.

The downtown hot spot has had a loyal following among River District diners for eight years. Family owned and operated, it offers friendly service, great lunch and dinner specials along with art-

fully crafted sushi rolls and sashimi; best enjoyed with a cold Kirin Ichiban beer or a selection of cold (or hot) sake.

There are multiple ways to get to Ichiban: enter through the main Post Office Arcade entrance on Broadway, through the lobby of Hotel Indigo on Main Street, or from First Street courtyard across from the City of Palms parking garage.

Ichiban is located at 1520 Broadway, downtown Fort Myers. Hours are Monday through Thursday from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m., Friday and Saturday from 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. and Sunday from noon to 9 p.m. For more information, call 334-6991.

Headed to Fort Myers Beach for the holiday? **Nervous Nellie's Crazy Waterfront Eatery** in Fort Myers Beach is hosting its annual Neurotic Fourth of July celebration from noon to 9 p.m. Celebrate with BBQ and live music. Happy hour specials are available all day upstairs at **Ugly's Waterside Bar**. Stay to watch the fireworks show at dusk from Nellie's spacious waterfront patio.

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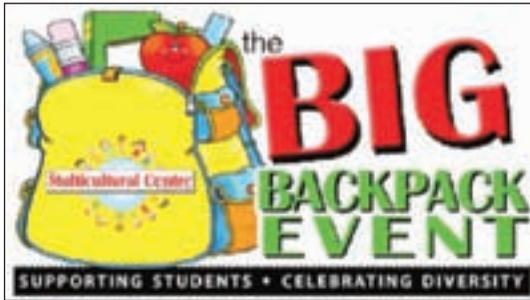
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The Multicultural Centre Of SWFL's 14th Annual Big Backpack Event

The Multicultural Centre of Southwest Florida presents the 14th annual Big Backpack Event to celebrate back-to-school and diversity in our community. The event will be held on Sunday, July 21 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Harborside Event Center in downtown Fort Myers.



For the past 14 years, the Multicultural Centre of Southwest Florida has been hosting this popular community outreach event that to date has provided new backpacks and school supplies to near 30,000 students over the years. The event lends a helping hand to students and families in need, as well as, celebrates the diversity in Southwest Florida with live multicultural entertainment on the main stage including Irish step dance, salsa and more.

The event draws an estimated crowd of 15,000 people each year. Although the event begins at 11 a.m., the line begins to form around Harborside Event Center as early as 7 a.m. The first 2,000 students ages 5 to 12 will receive free backpacks and school supplies. Parents or guardians must bring their school age children in order to receive the free supplies. Thanks to sponsors and vendors, students may also receive eye exams, haircuts, and other fun giveaways at the event while supplies last. Families will enjoy other event festivities such as face painting, inflatable slide and bounce house, clowns and live entertainment.

"We are so very appreciative of the support we receive from local businesses and individuals who partner with us each year to support students and families in need," said Leonardo Garcia, co-founder of the Multicultural Centre of SWFL. "Thanks to the support of sponsors and our dedicated event committee, we hope to help more than 2,000 students with their back-to-school needs again this year."

Sponsors for this year's event includes Walmart, Harborside Event Center, City of Fort Myers, Lee County Public School Principals, Pendas Law Firm, Jason's Deli, CONRIC PR & Marketing, Fuller Online Solutions, Univision, D'Latinos, Nuevos Ecos, Lee Family News, News-Press Media Group, Beasley Broadcasting, Azteca America and HABA.*

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Spilman Named To Dean's List

Alexandra Spilman, a resident of Fort Myers, is on Cazenovia College's 2013 spring semester Dean's List. Spilman is a sophomore majoring in management specializing in fashion merchandising. Spilman is a graduate of Carlbrook School in Halifax, Virginia.*

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Tips For Beating The Summer Heat



by Capt. Matt Mitchell

Our oppressive heat really arrived this last week with the official start of summer. Getting out early and off the water by midday is my way to stay somewhat comfortable out

there. Another option this time of year is go out at night after the afternoon thunderstorms have passed. Fishing action has been good with both of these options. Like us, the fish just don't seem to be very active during the hottest part of the day.

Big high tides this week had the redfish feeding well, at least once you located them. Several times this week I got on some hot redfish action while flipping baits deep up in the shade of the mangroves. Small grunts, pinfish and cut baits all caught reds up to 35 inches. The



Paul Black from Sea Isle City, New Jersey, with a 35-inch redfish he caught and released while fishing with Capt. Matt Mitchell this week

mouth of the river seems to be holding some of the larger redfish around, but the bite is not as consistent as the mangrove keys and oyster bars in the middle sound. Floating grass made lots of the mangrove shoreline in the northern sound simply unfishable this week.

Catch-and-release snook action keeps getting better and better. The passes and the beaches are holding great numbers of snook of all sizes. Walking the beach is a great way to go for shorebound anglers. These snook on the beach can be anywhere from right against the sand out to the first and second troughs. During high sun periods it's possible to sightfish these fish. White bucktails and swim baits that look like a shiner are hard to beat for artificials. If you are fishing the beaches from a boat, look for any snags or blowdowns and a few scoops of live chum will quickly let you know if you are in the right place.

Live bait is king in and around the passes, with the bigger the bait better. Try to fish during the fastest moving water and target the rips and eddies. In the smaller passes like Blind Pass, it always amazes me how many fish are right out in the middle of the pass. They probably sit behind sand humps on the bottom as they drift against the fast moving tide. Once you locate the areas in the pass the fish are using, you'll catch fish after fish.

While snook fishing in the passes, we have also seen some good-sized trout in the mix. There are not lots of them but the ones we are catching are the biggest ones around right now, with most of them are over 20 inches. These pass trout prefer a little bit smaller bait.

Out on the flats, finding clear water within close proximity of the passes seems to be where the trout are holding. I have been using small grunts and shiners fished under a popping cork. Working the

sand holes at the edges of the shallower bars resulted in good numbers of keeper-sized trout, although by midday this bite was over. Most of these fish having been running 16 to 20 inches.

Our tarpon are still around though the number of boats chasing them keeps getting less and less. Hot, sticky, calm conditions are perfect for targeting tarpon; the lower the oxygen content in the water, the more they have to roll and the easier they are to locate. While on a tarpon charter one day midweek, we found a few fish at the morning's first stop up by Captiva Pass, but as the winds looking was slowly increased, the fish seemed to vanish. Running out along the beaches of Cayo Costa and North Captiva, it was not any better. Heading back to the southern sound, I opted to set up at one of my confidence spots. After about 30 minutes, things got really slick calm and tarpon started appearing out of nowhere. Once the fish showed themselves, it did not take long to get a hook-up and land a tarpon.

Summertime fishing offers so many choices on what species we want to fish for. Do like the locals do and get out early or late and enjoy some of the most consistent and uncongested fishing of the year.

Capt. Matt Mitchell has been fishing local waters since he moved to Sanibel in 1980. He now lives in St. James City and works as a back country fishing guide. If you have comments or questions, email captmattmitchell@aol.com. ✪

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CROW Case Of The Week:

Fishing Lures: A Cautionary Tale



by Patricia Molloy

A Double-crested cormorant (*Phalacrocorax auritus*) was admitted to CROW after swallowing a very large fishing lure. The hook had penetrated not only the bird's esophagus,

but also the membrane that surrounds its heart, causing massive inflammation.

"I had to remove the entire lure. We were in surgery for hours," said Dr. Heather solemnly. "It was certainly a highly-technical surgery."

Cormorants are commonly seen on Sanibel, standing ashore or on pilings, wings expanded, drying them in the breeze. The reason behind this behavior is that their feathers do not possess the waterproofing oil of other seabirds. The lack of oil, however, enables them to dive to remarkable depths for fish.

Fortunately for the patient, an electrocautery unit had recently been donated to the wildlife clinic. "Donations really make a difference, because this bird probably would not have survived the surgery without this piece of equipment. I was performing microsurgery because its

esophageal cavity is so small. I was able to cauterize the incisions I had made with the electrocautery unit. A lot of high-specialized equipment went into making sure he survived: an IV catheter, IV pump fluids, a doppler to monitor heart rate and blood pressure, and what we call a 'bear hugger' that provides supplemental heat. He was also on pain medication, medication to help his heart beat normally, antibiotics and a whole host of other medications to try to keep him stable and the infection under control."

Only four days after undergoing such a dramatic medical procedure, the cormorant was ready to be relocated to one of the clinic's outdoor flight cages. "It is amazing he lived; he is doing fine now. He will remain on antibiotics for approximately 10 days. If everything goes well, he will be released after he has completed the round of antibiotics."

The story of this Double-crested cormorant, patient #1415, is another example of how CROW plays an important part in balancing the impact that humans have on the delicate ecosystem of the islands with the health of the native and migratory wildlife. Tourism dollars are the driving force of the local economy. Why do visitors return year after year? The beautiful beaches and magnificent wildlife.

CROW (*Clinic for the Rehabilitation of Wildlife, Inc.*) is a non-profit wildlife hospital providing veterinary care for native and migratory wildlife from our local area. The



The Double-crested cormorant's name is derived from Latin for "sea crow"

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Pathways

by Justen Dobbs

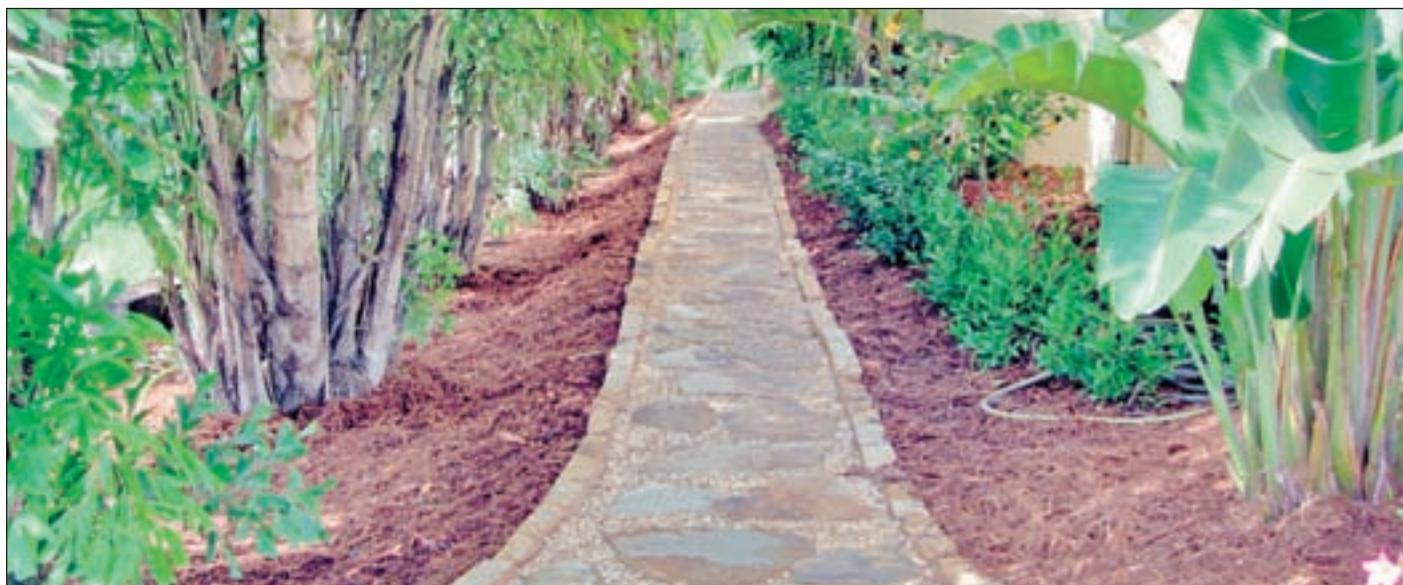


Pathways are an important part of any landscape. They should direct you through the garden or landscape in a particular way so as to show off your featured trees and plants. Also, if you

have grass, you don't want to encourage a lot of foot traffic through your grass, so it is best to build a pathway either through it or next to it. Before building your pathways, you should ask yourself a few questions: "Who is going to be walking through this area? My pets? People? "Is this an area that gets a lot of rain runoff or washout? "How much money do I want to spend on my pathways?"

If you are allowing your dogs or pets to run through a part of your landscape, you may want to consider making a pathway that is safe for their little feet and also low maintenance for you. Mulch, pine straw, crushed shell and sand work well for pet pathways. Try to avoid grass or dirt as they can become messy with a lot of foot traffic.

Low spots around the yard sometimes fill with water during our rainy season,



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so you may want to raise them up with some rock or crushed shell. This will allow you and your pets to walk around on raised ground without getting your feet wet or muddy.

The most inexpensive pathway you can create is with basic one inch diameter white rock. This can be purchased by the truckload and spread fairly easily. Rock lasts a long time and deters a lot of weed growth. The most expensive pathway you can create is with imported flagstone (usually from Georgia, Tennessee or Alabama) laid over concrete. This is a very time-consuming process and the

materials are expensive, but it is very permanent, deters almost all weed growth and really accents the landscape nicely.

A pathway should meander throughout your yard. Ideally, it should not have any straight lines in it (which would give it more of a commercial look), but instead it should flow naturally in-between your palm trees, hardwood trees, planter beds and other features in your landscape. If your pathway is more for function than form, it is acceptable to make it straight and simple so that you can get from one place to another quickly – especially if you have a large property.

It is helpful to map out your landscape and create a drawing showing where your beds and pathways are going to be. This will give you an overall concept to work off of and usually guarantees that your landscape will have good flow to it, good function, and lastly give you a good platform to work off of. Do some research online and talk with your landscaper – the more counsel you get, the better the end result!

Justen Dobbs is a landscape architect in south Florida specializing in custom, upscale landscapes. He can be reached at seabreezenurseries@gmail.com.✪

Plant Smart

Yellow Milkwort

by Gerri Reaves

Yellow milkwort's (*Polygala rugelii*) natural habitat is the moist pine-lands and prairies of the Florida peninsula. It has the distinction of being an endemic species, which means it is found nowhere else.

The Institute for Regional Conservation gives yellow milkwort an "imperiled" status.

Also known as yellow bachelor's button, this pretty native wildflower loves sun and blooms throughout the year, but most profusely in summer and early fall.

The thimble-shaped dense flower heads measure about one and one-half inch across and are made up of numer-

ous tiny flowers.

The lower (basal) leaves are comparatively oval or spoon-shaped and the upper ones lance-like or linear.

The solitary flower heads top stems that are sometimes branched. The plant can grow as tall as three feet, but is usually much shorter.

The Seminole and Miccosukee Indians have various traditional medicinal uses for yellow milkwort, including as heart medicine, a respiratory aid and a snakebite remedy.

Sources: *The Guide to Florida Wildflowers* by Walter Kingsley Taylor, *National Audubon Society Field Guide to Florida*, regionalconservation.org, and herb.umd.umich.edu.

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Yellow milkwort is endemic to Florida

photo by Gerri Reaves

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Gulf Coast Humane Society Report: Roxine's Surgery A Success



Roxine and Dr. Eisle after surgery



Roxine in a cast after surgery

The Gulf Coast Humane Society's Second Chance Fund has proven successful. Roxine, an almost 3-year-old black mouth cur mix, underwent surgery June 20 and is back in her foster home to recuperate.

Roxine had two torn cruciates in her rear legs and was in need of surgery to repair both legs. With a discount from Dr. Eisele, DVM, with Specialists in Veterinary Surgery, Roxine's surgery cost \$2,850, an amount raised entirely by donations, in over one week.

Dr. Eisle said, "Roxine had bilateral tibial tuberosity advancements performed to treat ruptured ACLs. This procedure was adapted from a surgery performed in people. Surgery went very well and she is weight-bearing in the pelvic limbs today. We plan to start physical rehabilitation with Roxine in the underwater treadmill after suture removal. We hope to have her running, jumping and playing again in two to three months."

For more information about Roxine or the Gulf Coast Humane Society's Second Chance Fund, call 332-0364 or email Jennifer@gulfcoasthumanesociety.org.✪

Humane Society Offers Basic Obedience Classes

The Gulf Coast Humane Society, located at 2010 Arcadia Street in Fort Myers, has partnered with K-Nine Connections to begin Basic Obedience classes for adopted or rescued pets. Classes will be held on Thursdays at 6 p.m. Each class will run for approximately one hour.

The cost for one six-week program is \$80 for those pets adopted from the Gulf Coast Humane Society and \$100 for those adopted elsewhere. Students can attend the six classes non-consecutively. Proof of current age appropriate vaccina-

tions are required upon registration.

Offering these classes will help give pet owners the tools to teach proper manners by ensuring that well behaved dog stays in their forever home.

To register for the Basic Obedience class or for more information, call 332-2719 or e-mail info@gulfcoasthumanesociety.org.✪

Guided Walks At Bunche Beach

Lee County Parks & Recreation are offering free guided walks at Bunche Beach. Don't miss out on the fun!

- Low Tide Loafing At Sunset – A Guided Exploration

Join a naturalist guide as you leisurely explore the mud flats to see what mysteries the low tide uncovers while enjoying a beautiful Florida sunset. Bunche Beach is a wonderful place to explore and learn about the amazing variety of shore birds, shells and possibly spot a manatee or dolphin playing along the shore. Bring a camera, shoes that can get wet, bug spray and drinking water.

Our next walk will be held on Tuesday, July 9 and again on Tuesday, August 6 from 7 to 8 p.m. Bunche Beach Preserve is located at 18201 John Morris Road, Fort Myers Beach. Walks meet at the picnic tables on the beach. The walk is free. Parking is \$2 per hour or free with a valid Lee County Parks & Recreation parking sticker. Visit www.leeparks.org for more information.✪

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Diving The *USS Mohawk*

by Michael Heider and Patricia Molloy

One year after the sinking of the *USS Mohawk*, members of *The River Weekly News* and *Island Sun* team dove to the depths of the Gulf of Mexico to investigate firsthand the Mighty Mo's integration with the ocean.

The former WWII ship has been transformed into an artificial reef teeming with life; from small crustaceans and sea urchins to large schools of bait fish, barracudas and 600-pound Goliath groupers.

While resting on the boat between dives, our conversation turned to reports of gigantic whale sharks seen gliding gracefully through the waters around the wreck and sea turtles quietly sleeping on her deck. It is remarkable how rapidly the ship has come alive in its environment on the ocean floor.

Located only 28 nautical miles off the coast of Captiva and Sanibel islands at a depth of 90 feet, the *USS Mohawk* is a one-of-a-kind dive destination made possible by Joe Weatherby, ship wrecker for Reef Makers, and Mike Campbell, Lee County natural resources senior environmental specialist.

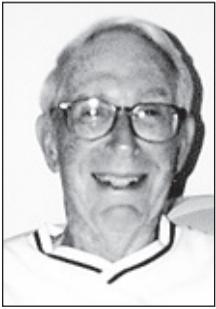
Scubavice Diving Center in Fort Myers organizes guided trips to the *USS Mohawk*. To explore this underwater marvel, call 481-4733.*

Right: A Goliath grouper cruises through the wreck



Fish shoal within the structure of the sunken ship

Golf Pro Gene Sauers Has Found Success On The Champions Tour After Battling A Mysterious Disease



by Ed Frank

The name Gene Sauers is well known in golf circles. He had a steady career on the PGA tour for 20 years, with three PGA wins and earnings of more than \$4.6 million. And last year, he joined the Champions Tour when he reached 50 years old.

But what is not known by many is the fact that he battled a mysterious disease two years ago that threatened not only his career, but his life.

We caught up with Sauers this past weekend during a trip north to Chicago where Sauers was playing in a new Champions Tour event, the Encompass Championship. It was his ninth

tournament of the year after launching his 2013 season here in February at the Ace Group Classic in Naples.

"You might say that I am the Miracle of 51," he laughed, referring to his age and his successful fight to overcome a rare and devastating skin disease known as Stevens-Johnson syndrome.

This time two years ago, the likeable Sauers was in the midst of a seven-week hospital stay where he battled this sinister disease that eats at the body from the inside. He sometimes questioned whether he would ever leave the hospital alive, let alone ever play professional golf again.

It was a brutal, painful recovery process that resulted in at least 12 skin grafts on his arms and legs. The cause of the disease is unknown. In fact, doctors first thought he had rheumatoid arthritis

The disease has left his arms and legs scarred and discolored, but it didn't cause him to lose his competitive desire.

In his nine Champions Tour events this year, he has three top 10 finishes, including two seconds and one third while earning \$492,272, placing him 19th in the Charles Schwab Cup rankings. He finished a respectable 14th in February's Ace Group Classic.

The numerous skin grafts did result in stiffness, although stretching exercises each morning helps alleviate that symptom.

"I plan to play in every Champions Tour event on the schedule this year - 20 or 21 tournaments," he said.

He has a two-year exemption on the Champions Tour as a result of his career wins. Based on his early success on the 50-and-older tour, Sauers should have no problem keeping his exemption.

Sauers' story is one of inspiration to anyone suffering a debilitating illness as it is a story of courage, commitment and the willingness to live.

He is an inspiration to his fellow pros who have welcomed him back to the links with warm embraces. We wish him continued good health and success.

Miracle Off To Good Second-Half Start After Winning First-Half Championship

The Fort Myers Miracle baseball team, Florida State League South Division Champions for the season's first-half, got off to a 3-1 start in the second half of the season after winning three of four games last week from Jupiter.

The Miracle are home at Hammond Stadium for three games this weekend - Saturday, Sunday and Monday - against the St. Lucie Mets.

On Saturday's 6:05 p.m. game, the Miracle will welcome back TNT basketball analyst Craig Sager, who will pose for pictures and sign autographs.

Sager's early announcing career was here at WINK-TV, where he was the sports director. He is known for his colorful suits and shirts.

Miracle To Be Represented At Futures Game

Soccer Camp Coming To JetBlue Park

About 300 young soccer players from around the country and up to 40 coaches will converge on Fort Myers' JetBlue Park in July as part of Futbol Club Barcelona's affiliate for youth soccer.

This is the first year the club - designed for 6- to 14-year-olds - has staged a camp in Fort Myers. The youth day camp runs July 8 to 12 and the coaches' camp runs prior to that on July 6 and 7.

The Barcelona group is among the highest profile soccer teams worldwide. Futbol Club Barcelona hosts the largest number of spectators of all stadiums in Europe, according to its website, with 98,800 seats sold.

JetBlue Park, home of the Boston Red Sox spring training, is a Lee County Parks & Recreation facility that touts six youth soccer fields that are used for tournament play and youth soccer about 10 months out of the year.

For more information on the camp, visit www.fcbarcelonasoccercamps.com or call 954-652-8484 for registration. For information on JetBlue Park and other Lee County Parks & Recreation sites, visit www.leeparks.org or call 533-7275.✪

Current Fort Myers Miracle pitcher Liam Hendriks and former Miracle outfielder Ben Revere have been selected to play in the 12th Annual XM All-Star Futures Game July 11 in Anaheim, California.

The games features the best Minor League prospects in the United States against the best from the rest of the world.

Hendriks, from Perth Australia, is one of the top pitchers in the Minnesota Twins organization. The 21-year-old right-hander started the week with a 1.38 ERA.

Revere, a former Miracle, is currently playing for Double-A New Britain. The speedy outfielder was a first-round draft selection by the Twins in 2007.

Byron Buxton Promoted To Fort Myers

The Minnesota Twins announced the promotion of highly touted prospect Byron Buxton to the Advanced-A Fort Myers Miracle on Monday.

The second overall pick in 2013, Buxton joins the Miracle after spending 68 games with the Cedar Rapids Kernels, the Midwest League affiliate of the Twins. Buxton hit .341 with 15 doubles, 10 triples, eight home runs and 55 runs batted in. Buxton also has 32 stolen bases.✪



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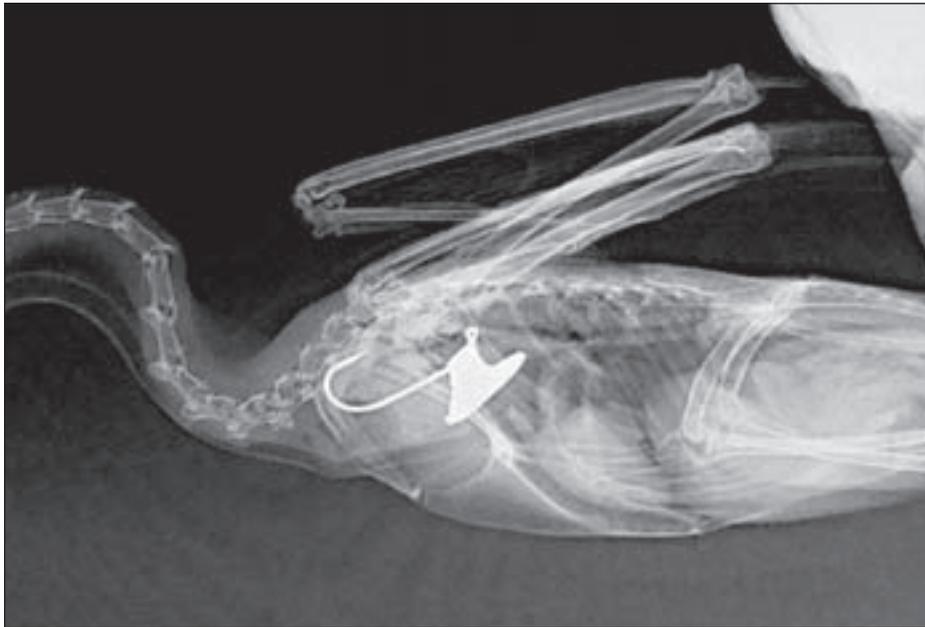
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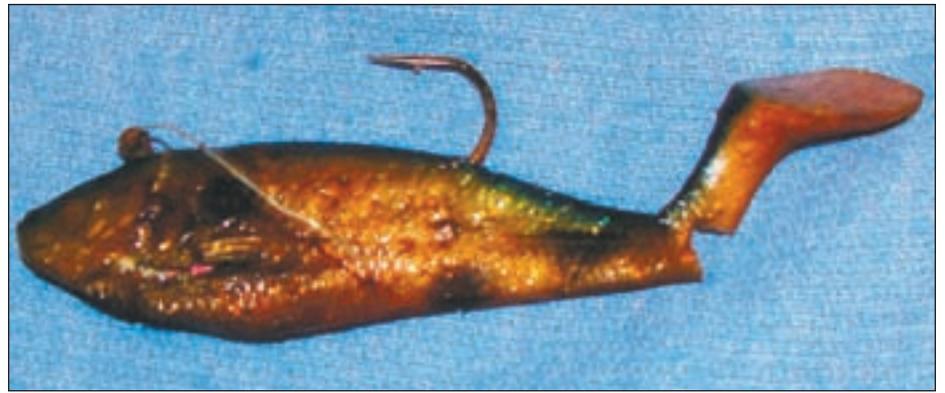
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CROW Case Of The Week



Radiographs show the precarious location of the fishing lure before surgery



The 15 millimeter fishing lure that was swallowed by the cormorant

'Tie One On' Preview Event At Robb & Stucky

The 25th Annual Arts for ACT Fundraiser officially started with the celebrated preview party reception at Robb & Stucky International, located at 13170 S. Cleveland Avenue in Fort Myers.

Over 150 people attended the event – among them community leaders, engaged Fort Myers residents, Robb & Stucky designers and executives, ACT directors and staff, and many local artists who support ACT with their donations. In support of the night's theme, many of the artists wore specially created bow ties during the reception that could be purchased by attendees, with the proceeds going to ACT. Dr. Jazz's Ragtime Band set the energetic rhythm for the evening, which also included wine, hors d'oeuvres and lively conversation.

The reception was the very first in a series of preview events, which will culminate with "An Evening of Cabaret" on Saturday, August 10 at the Harborside Event Center in the River District, Downtown Fort Myers.

The evening will feature unique items and artwork from often-famous local, national and international artists, to be auctioned. There will also be a silent auction and a prize raffle sponsored by local shops, businesses, and galleries. All proceeds support ACT.

According to Robb & Stucky International President Steve Lush, "The entire Robb & Stucky team was proud to be part of this event. It was an honor to host last week's kick off. Our company is dedicated to creating peaceful and welcoming environments. Like ACT, we want to end domestic and sexual violence. Arts for ACT is an important fundraiser that helps move our community closer toward that goal."

Tickets to the auction event may be purchased online at www.actabuse.com/event/arts-for-act-2013.✪

Shell Point Offers American Art Lectures In July

The Academy of Lifelong Learning at Shell Point Retirement Community welcomes the public to its July American Art lectures. Taught by instructor Dorothy "Dottie" Magen, M.A., the classes are scheduled for July 3, 10 and 17 from 10 to 11:30 a.m. in the Grand Cypress Room of The Woodlands. Space is limited and registration is required by calling 489-8472. Tickets for each session are \$10.

American Art: Colonial to Contemporary Session 1 on Wednesday, July 3 will focus on the 18th and 19th centuries. From the earliest itinerant portrait painters to the most current abstract artists, American painting and sculpture

will be explored through slides, lecture, and discussion.

American Art: Colonial to Contemporary Session 2 on Wednesday, July 10 will focus on the 20th century, including the diversity of "The Ash Can School," expatriates and regionalists, and "The New York School."

American Folk Art on Wednesday, July 17 will explore the arts of common people expressed through paintings, carvings, and textiles. The development of American folk art will be investigated through contributions of European influences, American tastes and Native American crafts.

"Dottie's American Art lectures are particularly well-timed as we celebrate our country's independence this month," said Teri Kollath, manager of The Academy of Lifelong Learning and the Auxiliary.

To learn more about Shell Point, visit www.shellpoint.org or call 1-800-780-1131.✪

Guelcher's Artwork On Display In Commissioner Hall's Offices

Lee County Commissioner Tammy Hall is supporting local artists by giving them an opportunity to display their artwork in her Fort Myers office on the first floor of the Old County Courthouse, 2120 Main Street in downtown Fort Myers. The newest display is from artist Scott Guelcher.

Guelcher will show his work in the District 4 Office until Friday, July 26. The public is welcome to stop by and view the 13 framed pieces and learn more about the artist. Call 533-2226 to confirm office hours for viewing the artwork.

"The arts are an important part of the cultural and development of our community," said Hall. "I believe that government can play an important role in public awareness, developing the use of public spaces for display and interaction of art, and for the encouragement and commitment of continued financial support both public and private of all the arts."

Commissioner Hall is the recipient of the Angel of the Arts Award – Business Sponsor 2009. She was elected to the Board of Lee County Commissioners in 2004 and re-elected in 2006.

Based in Southwest Florida, Guelcher's art is well known for a blend of pop art images and abstract backgrounds. In addition to being an artist, he was the event chair for Art Royale 2008, the signature fundraiser for the Lee County Alliance of the Arts in Fort Myers and currently teaches art at Island Coast High School.

Guelcher looks for new opportunities to educate and inspire the community through the arts. He gives back to the community through philanthropy by donating works of art to charity fundraisers for different causes. He also promoted some global subjects during his span as an artist, specifically a solo exhibition titled "Bikinis and Bombs." This show was about the testing of the hydrogen bomb by the U.S. government conducted in the Marshall Islands on Bikini Atoll. The show gained local and international recognition.

"I paint random everyday objects that represent one of three themes: People, Places or Things," said Guelcher. "My paintings allow the viewer to experience personal meaning which transforms the objects from ordinary to extraordinary."✪



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Broadway Palm And The Cast Of *Shrek The Musical* To Host Benefit

Broadway Palm will be presenting *Shrek The Musical* from June 27 through August 10. All of the opening week performances – Thursday, June 27 through Sunday, June 30 – are benefit performances in which Broadway Palm will donate \$5 for every ticket purchased directly to Golisano Children’s Hospital of Southwest Florida.

Golisano Children’s Hospital of Southwest Florida, part of Lee Memorial Health System, is committed to providing the highest level of care to the sick and injured children and families of Southwest Florida. To meet the growing demands of pediatric health care needs in Southwest Florida, Golisano Children’s Hospital of Southwest Florida must expand. The plan includes construction of a new 128-bed state-of-the-art pediatric medical facility on the campus of HealthPark Medical Center in Fort Myers.

The hilarious story of everyone’s favorite ogre comes to life on the Broadway Palm stage and is part romance, part twisted fairytale and all irreverent fun. *Shrek The Musical* tells the story of a swamp-dwelling ogre who goes on a life-changing adventure to rescue a feisty princess and reclaim the deed to his land. Throw in a wise-cracking donkey, a villain with a short temper, a cookie with an attitude and over a dozen other fairytale misfits and you’ve got a mess that calls for a real hero... Shrek!

Come take a trip to the swamp with *Shrek The Musical* at Broadway Palm from June 27 through June 30 and help save the lives of local children. The benefit performances are Thursday through Sunday, with selected matinees. Ticket prices range from \$35 to \$55, with discounts available for groups of 20 or more. There is a summer special for children 18 and under, tickets are just \$18 for the buffet and the show. Tickets are now on sale and can be reserved by calling 278-4422, by visiting www.BroadwayPalm.com or by stopping by the box office at 1380 Colonial Boulevard in Fort Myers.*

Call To Artists For Exhibit At BIG ARTS

BIG ARTS invites artists to submit entries for the 22nd annual International Society of Experimental Artists (ISEA) exhibit. Entries of original experimental artwork in any media are due by Monday, July 1. Works must have been created within the last three years and not shown in previous ISEA exhibits.

Since 1991, ISEA has been promoting the creation and awareness of experimental art. Experimental art means the work is innovative in concept, attitude, technique or materials. ISEA’s mission is to create an environment where contemporary visual artists can come together to share ideas, grow and take risks. These exhibits are held in the U.S. and around the globe.

The ISEA International Juried Art and the ISEA/NWS Wales International Exchange exhibits will be open at BIG ARTS Saturday, October 19 through Saturday, November 28. There will be \$10,000 in awards. All entries must be entered for submission online at the ISEA website at www.iseaartexhibit.org. BIG ARTS will not accept any entries.*

English Country Dancing

Learn the social dances of the 17th, 18th and 19th centuries at the Wa-ke Hatchee Recreation Center. Lessons are offered on Tuesdays from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. all year round. Dress is casual, and participants should wear flat shoes with non-slip soles. Partners are not necessary, and beginners are welcomed.

Lessons are free after a one-time pay-

ment of \$10, which covers lifetime membership to Wa-ke Hatchee Recreation Center. Contact Gillian Carney at 603-9828 or email fortmyersdancers@hotmail.com. Also, visit <http://dancefl.us/ecd/FtMyersECD.shtml>.

Wa-ke Hatchee Recreation Center is located at 16760 Bass Road in Fort Myers. Call 432-2154 for more information.*

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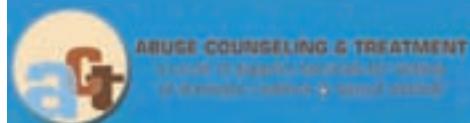
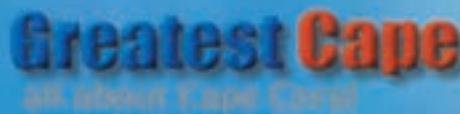


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Financial Focus

Look Beyond U.S. Borders For Investment Opportunities



by Jennifer Basey

Are you traveling abroad this summer? If so, you won't be alone. Increasingly, Americans seem to have gotten the "travel bug." In fact, over one-third of the population now holds valid pass-

ports, according to the U.S. Department of State. Of course, seeing the world can help broaden our horizons in many aspects of life – including how we invest.

Investment prospects now exist in every part of the planet. However, you might wonder why you should invest globally. Aren't there enough good opportunities right here in the United States?

The U.S. does indeed provide a wealth of investment choices. But you can still receive at least two key benefits from international investing. Let's take a quick look at them:

- **Growth potential** – As you know, the United States is a highly developed economy. That doesn't mean, of course, that we have no "upside" here. We do, and we always will.

Nonetheless, you can also find growth opportunities in foreign markets. Which ones? There's never any one "right" answer. In one year, a particular country, or even an entire region, such as the Pacific Rim, might lead the way, as far as performance. Then, the very next year, a different country or region could top the list. Since it's almost certainly futile to try to guess which areas will perform the best in any given year, you're much better off looking for solid investment opportunities in all regions of the world.

- **Diversification** – By investing internationally, you can help diversify your portfolio. The world's financial markets are connected to each other, but they don't always move in unison. In any given year, the U.S. markets may be down, but international markets might be doing significantly better. Consequently, if, during that

result of the prior visit. Also, I am appreciative of the college's willingness to work with me on realigning our academic organization, filling our leadership positions, and improving our systems. I believe the outcome of the vote today shows that we are taking the 'right steps' for Edison State to better serve our students and region."

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year, you had only invested in U.S. companies, your portfolio would have taken a hit, but if you had spread your investment dollars around the world, your year-end results might have looked considerably different. Keep in mind, though, that while diversification can help reduce the effects of volatility, it can't guarantee profits or protect against all losses.

Although international investing does provide some key benefits, it also carries some unique risks. For example, when you invest in companies based overseas, you may encounter political instability, which could threaten the financial markets of a country or an entire region. You could also experience currency risk, which means that changes in the value of the U.S. dollar, relative to foreign currencies, could harm the value of your investments.

In any case, you probably won't want international holdings to ever take up a majority of your portfolio. How much should you own? Again, there's no right answer for everyone. Your investment mix should be based on your risk tolerance, time horizon and individual goals.

And, because of the complexities involved with foreign markets, you may well want to work with a financial professional – someone with the expertise and resources to evaluate the pros and cons of international investments.

By looking past U.S. borders for investment opportunities, you can expand your horizons for potential investment success. Bon voyage!

Jennifer Basey is a financial advisor in Fort Myers. She can be reached at jennifer.basey@edwardjones.com.✪

Edison State Reaffirmed By SACSCOC

Edison State College President Jeff Allbritten announced that he received word from the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of College and Schools (SACSCOC) Board of Trustees, who voted this morning to grant Edison State College full reaffirmation and to remove the college from probation, effective immediately.

"As I have said often, accreditation is not an event, but a process of continuous renewal and improvement. While this is an outstanding accomplishment, we must maintain our process of continuous improvement," said Dr. Allbritten. "I want to thank each person that has worked so hard over a long period of time to address the findings of noncompliance that were a

Lee County's First Certified Guest Services Class Passes National Exam

The Lee County Visitor & Convention Bureau (VCB) announced and congratulates the members of its first graduating class in top-notch customer service.

In a first-of-its-kind partnership with the American Hotel & Lodging Educational Institute (EI), a dozen industry partners received the Certified Guest Service Professional (CGSP) certification recently as part of the VCB's Guests First Customer Service Training Program. The VCB kicks off this partnership with the goal of becoming the world's first Certified Guest Service destination in the country to certify industry partners, including all area hotels.

"We're on our way to completing that goal," said Tamara Pigott, VCB executive director. "Being the first Certified Guest Service destination partner is a real honor. The fact that everyone in the program passed is a testament to the training provided and the commitment by our partners. Knowing how to make every guest's visit enjoyable and memorable is the cornerstone to every successful hospitality entity."

To earn certification, participants must complete Guests First, the VCB's award winning, seven-module customer service program. The participants are the eligible to take the AH&LA Educational Institute's CGSP final exam, nationally known as Guest Service Gold Training and Certification. Both programs are designed to educate guest service-oriented, front-line employees on the best ways to provide outstanding guest service.

Michael Mahoney, director of business development for Dolphin Transportation, is proud to have earned his national certification in the inaugural class.

"This designation recognizes true hospitality professionals who take customer service seriously," Mahoney said.

Mahoney joins 11 other graduates in his class: Luisa Buitrago Cortes, Jo Ann Compton, Cinder Danzey, Betsy Dekker, Melissa Jackson, Debbie Kwok, Elise Mahaney, Penny Rodriguez, Donna Sage-Nestra, Robert Skrentny and Klaus Zingraff.

Hospitality employees must have effective guest service skills in today's competitive market. They must be able to engage and connect with their guests to go above and beyond the call of duty. EI's designation provides recognition for those individuals who know how to deliver exceptional service by engaging guests and creating impressive experiences. Recognized worldwide, the CGSP designation is the highest acknowledgment of award-winning guest service for employees in the hospitality industry. Successful graduates receive a certificate and CGSP gold lapel pin, to be worn on their uniform in recognition of their knowledge and skills in guest service.✪

Top 10 Real Estate Sales

Development	City	Year Built	Square Footage	Listing Price	Selling Price	Days on Market
The Sanctuary	Sanibel	1996	3,553	\$1,495,000	\$1,275,000	269
Hermitage	Cape Coral	1998	3,735	\$1,290,000	\$1,125,000	336
Bonita Beach	Bonita Springs	1971	1,758	\$1,895,000	\$1,080,000	975
No Subdivision	Sanibel	1994	2,495	\$1,199,999	\$935,000	415
Sanibel Harbours	Sanibel	1983	1,875	\$889,000	\$869,000	18
Shell Harbor	Sanibel	1982	2,036	\$879,000	\$800,000	68
Laguna Shores	Fort Myers Beach	2000	2,686	\$755,000	\$745,000	5
Cypress Cove	Estero	2002	3,021	\$595,000	\$555,000	43
Trentino Estates	Fort Myers	2006	2,750	\$549,900	\$525,000	38
Imperial Shores	Bonita Springs	1989	1,791	\$599,000	\$500,000	44

Courtesy of Royal Shell Real Estate

School Smart



by Shelley M. Greggs, NCSP

Dear Shelley,
My son will enter ninth grade in August and we are planning his classes now. I want to know more about AP classes and dual enrollment classes.

Is one better than the other?

Thomas M., Fort Myers

Thomas,

This is a complex and important question. Advanced Placement (AP) classes are classes taken in high school that may provide high school credits and may provide college credits if the student taking the class passes an end of year test with a satisfactory grade. Dual enrollment or dual credit is a program that allows high school students to simultaneously earn college or vocational credit toward a post-secondary diploma, certificate or degree at a Florida public institution that will also count as credit toward a high school diploma. Other states have their own unique programs.

There are clear differences in these two types of classes in regard to who can enroll, class structure, cost and credits. Either choice provides students with challenging coursework that may help them complete a college degree more quickly.

Enrollment in an AP class varies among high schools; some require a teacher's recommendation and of course the school must offer these courses. In Florida, juniors or seniors with a GPA of at least 3.0 may participate in dual enrollment and as well as any admissions criteria set by the postsecondary institution they student attends.

Currently, AP courses cost approximately \$89 in order to take the exam. There may be other costs associated with the class depending on the school. Public school students who are dually enrolled in a Florida public college or university are exempt from registration, matriculation or laboratory fees for courses taken through dual enrollment and textbooks are provided free of charge to these students.

In AP classes a passing score on an exam is a 3 out of 5, but the required minimum score for college credits differs among colleges with many requiring at least a score of 4 or 5. Dual enrolled students are graded on their coursework through the semester and receive college credits/transcript after completing the course. Out of state and elite colleges are not likely to accept the credits, but most state colleges and universities do.

The two approaches – dual credit and AP – offer different ways to helping high school students earn college credits. AP prepares students to pass an exam to prove their mastery of college-level curriculum. Dual credit in effect enrolls students in college courses while they are still in high school, allowing them to earn credit for both.

Experts say both approaches can work and many students are able to gain an entire year or more of college before they even get there, but there are drawbacks to both. Students in AP classes, for example, may find that although they passed the exam, their score isn't high enough to earn college credit. At some colleges, even the highest mark won't count or a college may only accept credits from two or three AP classes even though the student may have taken far more AP classes.

For dual enrollment students the drawbacks include issues with time spent commuting to take college courses as well as maturity concerns. Expectations both academic and social at the college level are generally higher than those at the high school level and some students simply cannot handle the pressures or have not yet developed the academic and social skills required to be successful at this level.

There is a great deal to consider in choosing an acceleration program. You can learn more information for both programs by visiting www.princetonreview.com/college/advanced-placement-classes-and-exams.aspx or www.fldoe.org/articulation/pdf/dualenrollfaqs.pdf.

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submitted can be addressed through this publication.*

Mathew Named To Dean's List

Antony Mathew has been named to Siena College's Dean's List for the Spring 2013 semester. Mathew is a biology major from Fort Myers.*

Cary Named To Dean's List

Clark Cary, a resident of Fort Myers, was named to the Dean's List for the spring semester at Samford University's Cumberland School of Law.*

Pelkey Graduates

Joshua Pelkey, a resident of Fort Myers, graduated from the Crown College School of Arts and Sciences, St. Bonifacius, during the 96th Annual Commencement Ceremony held in May. Pelkey earned a degree in Youth and Family Ministries.*

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CCMI Staff Completes Life Coach Training

Seven Community Cooperative Ministries, Inc. staff members recently completed training to become certified life coaches.

According to CCMI's Division Director of Social Services and Education Roger Mercado, Jr., during the past year, direct service staff within CCMI's Department of Education and Social Services made the transition from the traditional case-manager model to life coaches.

Staff members who completed the certification are Nilsa Amaya, Daphne Azpiazu, Emmanuella Charles, Colleen Hentz, Jo Ellen Keller, Kaysy Maradiaga and Blanca Perez.

"These coaches' roles and responsibilities are to help customers of CCMI discover their true potential, assist in changing the way they think regarding goals and accomplishments, and aid and coach customers in making better life choices and decisions," said Mercado. "Our primary goal is to bring out the powerful potential that lies within each of our staff members. This training will uniquely serve to enhance their abilities and bring their talents to the surface."

CCMI staff members were coached by Certified Life Coach Mary Lynn Ziemer for 10 weeks prior to being trained as life



Pictured in the back row, from left, is Blanca Perez, Colleen Hentz, Roger Mercado, Mary Lynn Ziemer, Jo Ellen Keller and Daphne Azpiazu. In the front row is Kaysy Maradiaga, Nilsa Amaya and Emmanuella Charles

coaches for another 10 weeks utilizing passive, active and collaborative learning techniques including classroom training, online work, self-study and group work, one-on-one coach training, live coach/client practice modules and more.

The Southwest Florida Community Foundation provided \$5,000 in funding to help with the training costs for these life coaches who will serve CCMI's clients throughout the greater Lee County area.

CCMI is an innovative nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization made up of social service entrepreneurs fighting to end homelessness and hunger in our community. The agency provides more than

15,000 meals each month through its Everyday Cafés and Meals on Wheels programs. CCMI also educates 40 children in its Community Montessori Preschool, offers homeless services and comprehensive case coaching services through its United Way Resource Houses, oversees a community mobile food pantry, as well as school pantries and a weekend backpack program that supplies emergency food to more than 1,500 children each school year.

CCMI serves Fort Myers and the greater Lee County area, including Bonita Springs, Cape Coral and Lehigh Acres. CCMI works in partnership with United

Way of Lee, Hendry and Glades, Harry Chapin Food Bank and regional community foundations as well as collaborating with fellow community and service groups including The School District of Lee County and numerous churches, businesses and community support organizations.

For more information, call 332-7687 or visit www.ccmileecounty.com.

'Luck Of The Draw' Hospital Blood Drives

Lee Memorial Blood Centers will be hosting blood drives to combat summer shortages. You can be someone's "Lucky Charm" by giving them life and you will be rewarded in more ways than one.

All donors will receive a Florida Lottery scratch-off ticket, cafeteria meal ticket and discount coupons to local businesses. You will also be entered in a drawing to win tickets for the Key West Express, gift cards and five Apple mini iPads. Refreshments will be provided.

Lee Memorial Hospital (in the auditorium), located at 2776 Cleveland Avenue

in Fort Myers, will host two events:

- Thursday, June 27 from 9 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
- Friday, June 28 from 7 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

The need for blood locally remains constant and donations are needed to offset summer blood shortages. People can donate a pint of blood every 56 days. Donors are encouraged to eat a meal prior to giving blood and drink plenty of water.

Photo ID is required at donation time. Blood donation requirements include a minimum weight of 115 pounds and minimum age of 17. A 16-year old may donate blood with written parental consent. There is no upper age limit for donating blood. Most health conditions and medications do not prevent someone from donating blood. People taking

insulin, blood pressure, thyroid and cholesterol medications, aspirin, antidepressants and hormone replacement can give blood. Tattoos are also permitted as long as they are healed and have been done in a licensed tattoo facility.

Should you have any questions, call 343-2333.

Fundraiser For Children In Need

On Saturday, June 29, Books A Million at The Forum will host a Books and Bears fair to benefit the Children's Advocacy Center of Southwest Florida. A portion of the sales generated that day will be donated to the center.

Contributions will help fund medical exams, forensic interviews, crisis intervention and therapeutic counseling for abused and neglected children. "It is our hope that the community will come out and support Books A Million's efforts to help the at-risk children of Southwest Florida," said Jill Turner, CEO. Books A Million is at 9360 Dynasty Drive in Fort Myers. Saturday store hours are 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

For more information, call 939-2808 or visit <http://www.cac-swfl.org>.

Shell Point Offering Free Lecture

The Academy of Lifelong Learning at Shell Point Retirement Community welcomes the public to The Comfort of Hospice Care, a free lecture on Friday, July 12 at 10:15 a.m. in the Social Center on the Island at Shell Point.

Join us as healthcare experts from Shell Point and Hope Hospice dispel the myth that hospice care is only for your last days. With palliative care, there is life after diagnosis. As Hope Hospice's motto says, "Each day is a gift."

"We often hear people say they wish they had known about hospice care," said Teri Kollath, manager of The Academy of Lifelong Learning at Shell Point and the Auxiliary. "This lecture is a great opportunity to ask questions about the benefits hospice provides patients and learn more about the comfort it gives to families."

This course is free; however, space is limited and registration is required by calling 489-8472.

The Academy of Lifelong Learning at Shell Point is an educational initiative for the residents of the retirement community. The Academy provides approximately 80 classes each semester that encompass a well-rounded curriculum of educational opportunities for senior adults. The Academy of Lifelong Learning at Shell Point was named as one of 2008's most innovative active aging programs by the International Council on Active Aging, an association that supports professionals who develop wellness/fitness facilities and services for age 50-plus adults.

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Totally Stoked



by Dr. Dave Hepburn

Skateboarding is PAIN personified. A skateboarding park recently opened up around the corner from my clinic. This has added color (primarily red) to my practice

and hipness to my vocabulary. With no shortages of fractured this and lacerated that now skating through my office door, I have become, unofficially, the doctor to these cement-surfin' sons of stitches.

"Yo, doctor dude, I was carvin' some phat air, like I was totally amped bro, when I ate it and bought me this gnarlacious swellbow."

Translated: "My elbow hurts."

What has surprised me is that these swellbow, tweaker and hipper victims are not only 16-year-old baggy-pant boarders but also dudes and dudettes in their 20s and 30s who actually hold jobs that don't require supersizing stuff. In fact, 170 injured skateboarders who were hospitalized last year in North America were over age 65!

And so I have decided to give the wheels a go. Sort of. My sons, with a twinkle in their eyes, convinced me that

I should try rollerblading, a sport which I have eschewed, possibly due to the frequency with which rollerbladers tend to end up on the hood of my car with relatively little effort on my behalf. And for a lifelong hockey player, rollerblades are frightening. Stopping on ice skates means a quick turn to the side. Doing the same thing on rollerblades means a quick turn to the hospital. And so it was, that with 600 pounds of armor draped about my joints, head and any skin that might possibly become intimate with asphalt, I teetered on these blades like a newborn giraffe on ice on the Serengeti during an unusual equatorial blizzard, during a hockey game. "Cowabunga, dad!" My fear of these wheels of death was validated when I met my first speed bump at ramming speed. Unable to brake, I was promptly launched headlong, in a horizontal plane, landing with an unceremonious splat and coming to a halt only after deploying my elbows as brakes. First day, first swellbow, a condition known to the uncool as bursitis of the elbow.

At least I didn't have a hipper or a tweaker.

More than 100,000 skateboard injuries show up in the emergency room each year, a third of whom have less than one week's experience. Most experienced boarders treat themselves, usually by punching their head repeatedly until the injury hurts less than their head. Skaters suffer some significant smacks to the skull, followed by broken wrists, face and ankles.

Hipper: "Yo, doctor dude. I got this

Mom And Me



by Lizzie and Pryce

Lizzie and Pryce answer your questions and give advice about aging concerns from a two-generational perspective. A mother and daughter team, Lizzie is a retired RN and health educator, and Pryce is a licensed psychotherapist in private practice who specializes in the care of elders and people with chronic illnesses.

Dear Mom & Me,

We joined a group of neighbors to go to a four-lecture series on birding. The lectures were going to be given by a local general surgeon whose hobby is, by the old-fashioned term, bird watching. It sounded very interesting to all of us, so we signed up.

I recently have been troubled with abdominal problems, and we thought we should get a second opinion. My husband and I immediately thought I should go to this doctor and maybe he would give me good service.

Good service, well, I don't think so!

At the lecture after my tests, he immediately started giving me the results all within earshot of the other members of the group. I had a spot on my lung, which may be malignant. My pancreas was not normal, and on and on he went.

I have reason to be very worried about my medical problems. I am so embarrassed and annoyed that so many of my neighbors also know of my problems. Was it ethical for him to treat me like this?

Andrea

Dear Andrea,

So goes the problem "dual" relationships... Having your doctor as a social friend, having your staff member's daughter as a tenant. These relationships are very difficult to manage. Your physician should not have discussed your private health information in such a public setting: with the privacy laws of today, I am surprised he did.

Pryce

Dear Andrea,

It seems most unethical to me for you to be treated in this manner, but I am not an attorney or a physician. Any patient who feels that they have been treated in an unprofessional, unethical manner or that their privacy has been invaded can file a complaint with their state's medical board. The complaint can be done very easily at the medical board's website or mailed to their address in the state where you live.

If you file a complaint, you may be helping others as well as yourself.

Lizzie

Lizzie and Pryce's email address is momandmeaging@hotmail.com.

outrageous hipper from goofy-footin' into a fakie."

To inspect a patient's hip, it is necessary to remove some clothing, but given the skaters' sartorial tastes, this is rarely required. "Yep, I can see it from here, you have a traumatic greater trochanteric bursitis."

"Whoa, awesome! Can I keep skating or do I smoke some, ... er... play xBox for a while?"

Reach down to where you think your hip is located. Feel that bony thing jutting out? (If not, consider Atkins.) This is the infamous greater trochanter, a part of the femur that is covered in a fluid-filled sac called a bursa, a shock absorber that prevents muscle from rubbing up against bone. Bump this too hard or lie on it too long and the bursa will be traumatized, swell and hurt. If it doesn't get better on its own, then a well-placed cortisone shot works wonders.

Swellbow: Another bodacious bursa sits over the bony part of the bent elbow. This olecranon bursa is easily traumatized as well as easily infected. This swollen bursa (bursitis) blows up like a blowfish's blowpop and feels like a jug of water has

dearPharmacist

Joint Script For Arthritis Pain



by Suzy Cohen, RPh

Dear Pharmacist:

I have osteoarthritis and take ibuprofen and hydrocodone. Glucosamine helps, but even after six months, I'm still stiff and riddled with pain. What else can I do?

DY, Sarasota, Florida

You're not alone, 27 million Americans live with osteoarthritis (OA) and the affliction worsens over time. Left untreated, it can completely disable you, so luckily you are doing something. I like glucosamine. I prefer the glucosamine "sulfate" form over other forms, because it provides sulfur to the body... sulfur, not to be confused with sulfa, a drug that many people are allergic to.

OA always involves pro-inflammatory cytokines; you've heard me mention those before. Cytokines are pain-causing chemicals. But get used to the word cytokine, I use it frequently in my writings. Cytokines aren't bad until your body pumps them out in excess, and that's exactly what happens with OA, and it's exactly what you need to reduce. That controls pain and improves range of motion. Ibuprofen reduces the cytokines called prostaglandins and IL-1B. You want that. Glucosamine is a precursor for glycosaminoglycans and that is a component of joint cartilage. Consider these:

MSM - This is a sulfur-based compound that is actually a by-product of DMSO (DMSO is applied topically to joints, but it's intended for vet purposes, the FDA doesn't like humans using it even though many of you do). Anyway, MSM,

been taped to your arm. I will often drain these and place a pressure dressing on them (or they fill right back up). If they do fill back up, then a cortisone injection may keep it at bay. An infected bursa, however, is a serious bummer given its proximity to the joint.

Tweaker: Kickflip down a rail, fall on an outstretched hand and you may suffer several serious injuries to the wrist. You may fracture one of eight wrist bones, the scaphoid bone being the most dangerous. The fracture may not be overtly obvious, but persistent pain where the thumb seems to join the wrist (the snuffbox) is highly suspicious. More than a wrist tweaker, if a fractured scaphoid is not set properly, you may be in for some real gnarly surgery.

Yep, these skaters have brought some outrageous injuries into my clinic, and for that... I am totally stoked.

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Contact Dr. Dave or read more at www.wisequacks.org.

an oral supplement is sold at health food stores and does wonders for joint pain.

Bromelain - This pineapple extract gets mixed reviews. One study found it to be as effective as diclofenac, a prescription anti-inflammatory. I personally like this and frequently recommend it.

Devil's Claw - Slightly more exotic, devil's claw is so named because of its hooked fruit. A 2011 study from Phytotherapy Research concluded that the herb could block the release pro-inflammatory cytokines. In another study, Devil's Claw performed as well as the prescription drug Vioxx (now off the market, however Celebrex which is safer does remain). The point is that Devil's Claw is strong; it interacts with medicine, ask your doctor if it's right for you.

Boswellia - A resin from a tree. A 2013 study from the *Journal of Headache and Pain* studied the biological active ingredients in boswellia (pentacyclic triterpene acids) for their potent anti-inflammatory and analgesic properties. Boswellic acid is another major active ingredient. This is (in my mind) Mother Nature's ibuprofen.

This may sound obvious, but take pressure off your joints. Extra weight does no favor to your painful knees and hip joints. You may have to start gently with yoga, or Tai Chi, but keep those joints moving. And finally, consider ramping up immunity, some forms of arthritis are due to infections, either fungal, viral or bacterial. Compounds in green tea reduce the cytokine called TNF alpha, often high in arthritic conditions. One cup of green (or matcha) tea could beat up germs and improve immunity. The L-theanine it contains is relaxing too. Drink it daily.

This information is not intended to treat, cure or diagnose your condition. Suzy Cohen is the author of The 24-Hour Pharmacist and is a registered pharmacist. To contact her, visit www.dearpharmacist.com.

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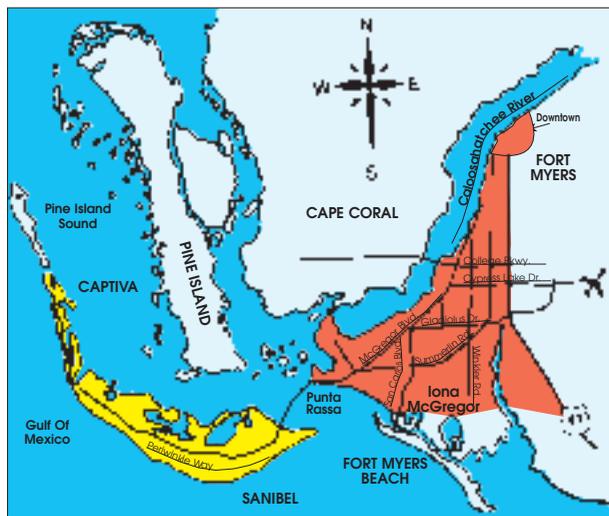
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3 tablespoons unsalted butter
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2 limes, juiced
Canola oil

Kosher salt and fresh ground pepper to taste

Make sure your chicken cutlets are thin and even in thickness. Lightly dust both sides of the cutlets with the Latin spice mix.

Preheat a large sized sauté pan over medium high heat. Add 1 tablespoon canola oil to preheated sauté pan. Add the spiced cutlets to the pan carefully without crowding the pan. Cook chicken for 2 to 3 minutes per side. The chicken should be golden brown and cooked completely through. Insert a internal cooking thermometer into the chicken cutlet, it should read 165 degrees for correct doneness. Remove from pan and let cool slightly.

Turn the heat on the pan down to medium low. Add 1/2 cup of water to pan and stir to remove any bits of flavor from the bottom of the pan. Reduce the water in the pan by half (this should only



Latin Spiced Florida Chicken with Cilantro and Lime Butter

take a minute or so). Add lime juice to the pan and continue to stir. Add the butter to the pan sauce while stirring constantly. The butter should blend with the pan sauce to form a thicker pan sauce. After the butter is combined to make the

sauce, remove from heat and add cilantro. Taste pan sauce and adjust seasoning with salt and pepper.

Serve the chicken with rice and fresh vegetables for a complete meal. Spoon the pan sauce over the chicken. Garnish with extra cilantro and lime wedges.*

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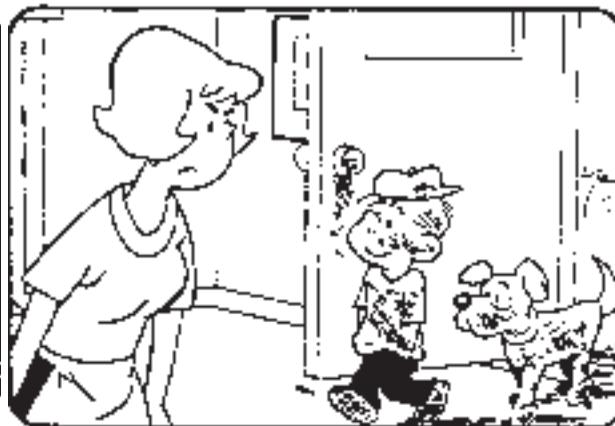
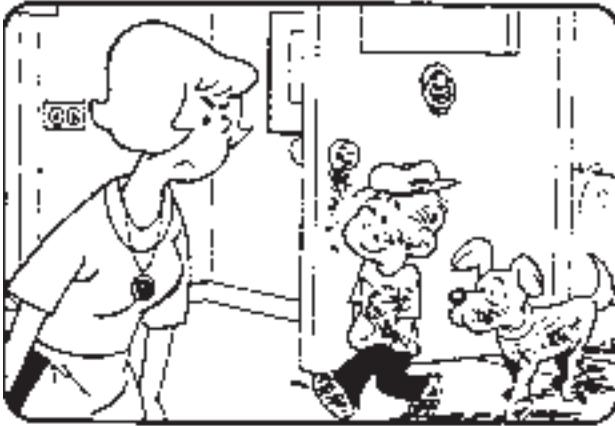
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SCRAMBLERS



"Strike three, you're out — and don't argue with me, have your see my agent!"

SCRAMBLERS

Unscramble the letters within each rectangle to form four ordinary words. Then rearrange the boxed letters to form the mystery word, which will complete the gag.

Scheme
CITCAT

Midway
MUMIED

Burn
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Connect
TEALER

TODAY'S WORD

answer on page 27

solution

1. Tactic; 2. Medium;
3. Singe; 4. Relate

Today's Word:

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ANNUAL RENTAL WANTED
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 *NS 6/21 CC 7/12

ANNUAL RENTAL WANTED
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 Call 917-680-4440.
 *NS 5/31 CC TFN

ANNUAL RENTAL

FOR RENT
 Community Housing & Resources (CHR) has apartments for rent to individuals who work full time on Sanibel. Rent based on income.
 For information call 239-472-1189.
 *RS 3/15 CC 8/30

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ANNUAL RENTALS SANIBEL

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HELP WANTED

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HELP WANTED

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 *NS 1/18 NC TFN

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers needed for the
 After School Program which runs
 Mon.-Th, 2:30 - 3:15 pm
 call Linda Reynolds 472-1617
 *RS 1/4 NC TFN

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

At The Sanibel School
 Call Michelle Wesley
 239-910-8000
 *RS 1/4 NC TFN

HELP WANTED



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VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

The Sunshine Ambassador Program
 is a new and exciting volunteer opportunity
 offered at the Golisano Children's Hospital
 of Southwest Florida located within
 HealthPark Medical Center. The Sunshine
 Ambassadors will greet, assist and be a
 positive first point of contact for patients,
 families and visitors entering the hospital.
 The Ambassadors also make a difference
 to families by providing educational
 and healthful resources to assist in
 GRANDparenting for GRANDchildren.
 We are currently seeking
 year-round volunteers to work
 one 4-hour shift Monday through Friday
 from 8:00 am to 12:00 pm
 or 12:00pm to 4:00 pm.
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PETS

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LOST AND FOUND

TOOL BOX WASHES UP ON SANIBEL



This tool box with motor parts
 washed up on shore Saturday morning,
 May 8 about 8:30 on the beach
 at Sundial Resort on Sanibel Island.
 To claim call Sundial Resort Security
 239-472-4151.
 *NS 6/14 CC TFN

LOST

Lost Ladies Watch
 Make: Brighton
 Area of Mucky Duck on Captiva Island
 Lost on Dec. 10, 2012 around noon
 If found call: 941-639-5395
 *RS 1/4 NC TFN

FOUND

Prescription sunglasses found in parking
 lot of Limetree Center on Wednesday,
 February 27. Claim at Island Sun
 newspaper, suite 2 in Limetree Center,
 or call 395-1213.
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SUDOKU

To play Sudoku:
Complete the grid so that every row, column and every 3x3 box contains the numbers 1 through 9 (the same number cannot appear more than once in a row, column or 3x3 box.) There is no guessing and no math involved, just logic.

answer on page 27

Pets Of The Week

Hello, my name is Mexi. I am a 1.5-year-old female brown Chihuahua. You won't find a more precious little lap dog than me! I'm friendly, well-mannered and I don't bark (at least they haven't heard me bark yet at the shelter). I was found with two of my buddies who have already been adopted, so I'm feeling rather lonely. Please come see me and you'll wonder how you every got along without me!

My adoption fee is \$75.

Hello, my name is Macey. I am a 1-year-old female gray tabby domestic short hair. I was a teenage mom who showed up at the shelter with my babies. I'm ready to be adopted so I will be spayed and won't have any more babies. I'm affectionate, playful, get along with other pets and would make a perfect companion for your whole family.

My adoption fee is \$25.

For information about this week's pets, call 533-7387 (LEE-PETS) or log on to Animal Services' website at www.LeeLostPets.com. When calling, refer to the animal's ID number. The website updates every hour so you will be able to see if these or any other pets are still available.

The shelter is open for adoptions from 11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday through Saturday. The shelter is located at 5600 Banner Drive in Fort Myers, next to the Lee County Sheriff's Office off Six Mile Cypress Parkway.

All adoptions include spay/neuter surgery, age-appropriate vaccinations, rabies vaccination and county license if three months or older, flea treatment, worming, heartworm test for dogs six months and over, feline AIDS and leukemia test for cats, training DVD, 10-day health guarantee and a bag of Science Diet pet food.

The adoption package is valued at \$500.*



Mexi ID# 567039

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Macey ID# 565426

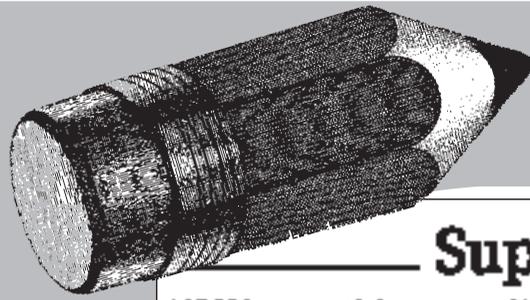


Emergency.....	911
Lee County Sheriff's Office.....	477-1200
Florida Marine Patrol.....	332-6966
Florida Highway Patrol.....	278-7100
Poison Control.....	1-800-282-3171
HealthPark Medical Center.....	1-800-936-5321
Ft. Myers Chamber of Commerce.....	332-3624
Foundation for Quality Childcare.....	425-2685
Ft. Myers Beach Chamber of Commerce.....	454-7500
Fort Myers Beach Library.....	463-9691
Lakes Regional Library.....	533-4000
Lee County Chamber of Commerce.....	931-0931
Post Office.....	1-800-275-8777
Visitor & Convention Bureau.....	338-3500
ARTS	
Alliance for the Arts.....	939-2787
Art of the Olympians Museum & Gallery.....	332-5055
Arts For ACT Gallery & Studio.....	337-5050
Art League Of Fort Myers.....	275-3970
Barbara B. Mann Performing Arts Hall.....	481-4849
BIG ARTS.....	395-0900
Broadway Palm Dinner Theatre.....	278-4422
Cultural Park Theatre.....	772-5862
Edison Festival of Light.....	334-2999
Florida Repertory Theatre at the Arcade.....	332-4488
Florida West Arts.....	948-4427
Fort Myers Symphonic Mastersingers.....	472-0168
Gulf Coast Symphony.....	489-1800
Harmony Chorus, Charles Sutter, Pres.....	481-8059
Naples Philharmonic.....	239-597-1111
The Schoolhouse Theater.....	472-6862
S.W. Florida Symphony.....	418-0996
Theatre Conspiracy.....	936-3239
Young Artists Awards.....	574-9321

CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS

Angel Flight.....	1-877-4AN-ANGEL
Animal Refuge Center.....	731-3535
American Business Women Association.....	357-6755
Audubon of SWFL.....	339-8046
Audubon Society.....	472-3156
Caloosahatchee Chapter DAR.....	482-1366
Caloosahatchee Folk Society.....	321-4620
Cape Chorale Barbershop Chorus.....	1-855-425-3631
Cape Coral Stamp Club.....	542-9153
duPont Company Retirees.....	454-1083
Edison Porcelain Artists.....	415-2484
Ft Myers UDC Chapter 2614	
(United Daughters of the Confederacy @.....	728-3743
Friendship Force Of SW FL.....	561-9164
The Horticulture and Tea Society.....	472-8334
Horticultural Society.....	472-6940
Lee County Genealogical Society.....	549-9625
Lee Trust for Historic Preservation.....	939-7278
NARFE(National Active & Retired Federal Employees.....	482-6713
Navy Seabees Veterans of America.....	731-1901
Paradise Iowa Club of SWFL.....	667-1354
Sons of Confederate Veterans.....	332-2408
Southwest Florida Fencing Academy.....	939-1338
Southwest Florida Music Association.....	561-2118
Kiwanis Clubs:	
Fort Myers Beach.....	765-4254 or 454-8090
Fort Myers Edison.....	694-1056
Fort Myers South.....	691-1405
Gateway to the Islands.....	415-3100
Iona-McGregor.....	482-0869
Lions Clubs:	
Fort Myers Beach.....	463-9738
Fort Myers High Noon.....	466-4228
Estero/South Fort Myers.....	898-1921
Notre Dame Club of Lee County.....	768-0417
POLO Club of Lee County.....	477-4906
Rotary Club of Fort Myers.....	332-8158
Sanibel-Captiva Orchid Society.....	472-6940
United Way of Lee County.....	433-2000
United Way 211 Helpline (24 hour).....	211 or 433-3900
AREA ATTRACTIONS	
Bailey-Matthews Shell Museum.....	395-2233
Burrough's Home.....	337-9505
Calusa Nature Center & Planetarium.....	275-3435
Edison & Ford Winter Estates.....	334-3614
Fort Myers Skate Park.....	321-7558
Imaginarium Hands-On Museum & Aquarium.....	321-7420
JN "Ding" Darling National Wildlife Refuge.....	472-1100
Koreshan State Historic Site.....	239-992-0311
Ostego Bay Foundation Marine Science Center.....	765-8101
Skatium.....	321-7510
Southwest Florida Historical Society.....	939-4044
Southwest Florida Museum of History.....	321-7430
True Tours.....	945-0405

If you would like your club/organization listed in The River Calling Card, phone 415-7732



BEACH CHAIR PASTIME

Answers on page 25

Super Crossword

"BOTTOMS UP!"

- ACROSS**
- 1 Life-positive attitude
 - 10 Phew!
 - 16 Told us a bel-
 - 20 Personal the helm
 - 21 Gift tag
 - 22 Hiver of
 - 23 Comparison of the scene
 - 25 Highlight
 - 26 Z'achon
 - 27 Musical lowering
 - 28 Muz-
 - 30 Manhattan's actor Jackie
 - 31 Baseball's name
 - 36 skull tower's hood
 - 37 Thrive
 - 39 English back
 - 40 Quarter
 - 43 Clamping
 - 45 Syn-
 - 44 Next year's
 - 46 Suffix with
 - 48 Organism on a slice
 - 48 Fraction of a
 - 51 Longtime
 - 59 Call for help
 - 60 Hydrant
 - 61 Invertebrate
 - 62 Gavel
 - 65 Historical
 - 69 Go with the
 - 70 Medium of
 - 72 American
 - 74 Anti-
 - 75 Tomatoes
 - 81 - stone
 - 82 Deadweight
 - 83 Suffix with
 - 84 Rival
 - 86 - person
 - 87 Accident
 - 94 Spring
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 - 99 Yummy
 - 100 Inside of the
 - 103 "A Lady"
 - 104 Ancient
 - 105 Dream of
 - 106 legendary
 - 108 Hong
 - 109 Castanets
 - 116 Knight's
 - 117 Dissimilar
 - 118 Rodeo
 - 119 Camera
 - 120 Willow
 - 121 Consensus
- DOWN**
- 1 Name
 - 2 South
 - 3 Lake
 - 4 Frontier
 - 5 New York
 - 6 White
 - 7 Aligned
 - 8 Leisurely
 - 9 Bruno
 - 10 Gamble
 - 11 Actor
 - 12 Mrs.
 - 13 English
 - 14 Statue
 - 15 Free
 - 16 Shouts
 - 17 Least
 - 18 King's
 - 19 Green
 - 24 Scotland
 - 29 Race
 - 30 Machine
 - 31 L.S.
 - 32 Dairy
 - 33 Ghetto
 - 34 Isopods
 - 35 Violent
 - 37 Sakon
 - 38 Canyon
 - 42 French
 - 43 "bad boy"
 - 44 Drinking
 - 45 Frontier
 - 46 Sailing
 - 47 S. Lamb
 - 48 Angry
 - 49 Hiker
 - 50 letter plus
 - 51 Sanding
 - 52 City in south
 - 53 Lake
 - 54 "Stripes"
 - 55 Rapier
 - 56 F.L.
 - 57 Of
 - 58 Local
 - 59 Chalk
 - 63 Well
 - 64 British
 - 66 Syntax
 - 67 Take me as
 - 68 Ely
 - 71 Call
 - 72 Composer
 - 76 City plus
 - 77 Shimmer
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 - 79 Same
 - 80 Club
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 - 85 "And
 - 87 Yell
 - 88 Stevedores
 - 89 Ever
 - 90 More
 - 91 Put in
 - 92 What
 - 93 Club
 - 94 Latin
 - 95 Watson
 - 96 busy
 - 97 Bronx
 - 98 Nehemiah
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King Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 Old-fashioned
- 3 On
- 5 Floor
- 7 Employee
- 12 21-Days
- 13 Arena
- 14 Black
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- Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.
- Balmoral
 - Beanie
 - Deret
 - Coonskin
 - Derby
 - Fez
 - Hard hat
 - Homburg
 - Panama
 - Sombrero
 - Stetson
 - Stovepipe
 - Tam
 - Top hat
 - Turban



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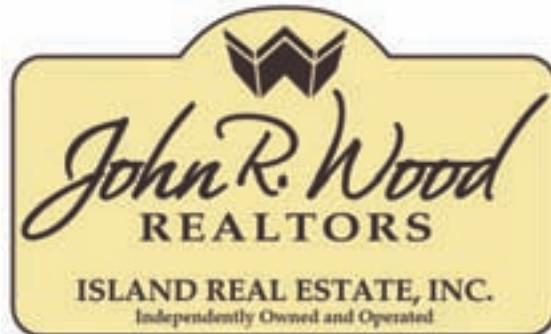
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