



Ocean Ridge Tidings



A monthly email newsletter for the residents of Ocean Ridge

October 2010

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Garbage/Trash & Alarm Billing

In the next few weeks, Town Hall will be mailing the annual garbage/trash and alarm bills to our residents for fiscal year 2010-2011. The new garbage/trash rate is \$204 for single family and \$142.80 per unit for multi-family. The alarm rate remains unchanged at \$180 with user fee of \$2.00.

New Building Permit Surcharge

Effective October 1, 2010, there will be an additional surcharge added to the building permit fee as per FL HB663 (2010). The BIF/DCA Permit Surcharge is 3% of the building permit fee with a minimum of \$4.00 for all building permits. The proceeds from the surcharge will be allocated to fund the Homeowners' Construction Recovery Fund established by s. 489.140 and the functions of the Building Code Admin. & Inspectors Board. (Hb663, 2010) For an updated permit fee schedule, please see page 11. This is just another unfunded state mandate.

Delta Demon Care Package Donation Drive

For the entire month of October, Town Hall will be a drop-off location for the City of Boynton Beach's Delta Demon Care Package Donation Drive. We are collecting donations that we be made into care packages and sent to the troops in time for Hanukkah and Christmas.



You may drop off donations at Town Hall, Monday through Friday between 8:30am and 3pm or after hours at the Ocean Ridge Police Department. Please see pages 8-10 for suggested donation items and additional drop-off locations.

New Art Exhibits

A collection of photographs has been submitted by Ocean Ridge residents and is on exhibit in Town Hall until the end of this year.

Florida photographs from Clyde Butcher and Junko Nomura and a lithograph from Eleonore & Richard Foster have been submitted by Commissioner Terry Brown. To read the interesting background about each piece, you may pick up a copy when viewing this collection at Town Hall.

A second collection of photographs has been submitted by photographer and resident Joyce Bruck. Her collection of 30 photographs titled "Portraits of Women Around the World" has been exhibited at the Delray Beach Public Library in the Artists Series 2004, the Boca Community Center in April 2005, and again in Delray Library in 2008. In 2009, her collection entitled "People, Places, and Things" was on display at the Delray Beach Library including many from Namibia, Africa and Ecuador, South America.



Photo credit: Joyce Bruck, International Travel News 2009

The photographs in Joyce's collection that are available at Town Hall is a selection of birds, other animals, flowers, and portraits of people from various countries. These and others are available for sale at \$70 each. For information about purchasing or anything related to her collection, contact Joyce Bruck at jbruck@bellsouth.net or 561-738-9311.

Residents that are interested in participating in upcoming art exhibits, please contact the Town Manager, Ken Schenck, at 561-732-2635 or email kschenck@oceanridgeflorida.com for more information.



October 2010

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Regular Town
Commission
Meeting @ 6pm

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Code
Enforcement
Hearing @ 10am

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Book Club
@ 5:45pm
Community Room

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National
Children's Day



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Sand Sifters
Beach Cleanup
@ 8-10:15a



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Columbus Day-
Town Hall Closed



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National Boss
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Lantana
GreenFest
@ 10am-3pm

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Halloween





Ocean Ridge Police Department News

By Chief Christopher T. Yannuzzi

There's A New Marshall In Town

On Thursday, September 23, 2010 yours truly took the oath as the new Town Marshal for Briny Breezes. In turn, I was authorized to swear in all other Ocean Ridge Police Officers as "Deputy Town Marshals". These appointments take effect on October 1st; and thus begins a three year contract for law enforcement services at \$185,000 per year.



Alderman Nancy Boczon administers the Town Marshal Oath to ORPD Chief Christopher T. Yannuzzi



The members of the Ocean Ridge Police Department are honored to have been chosen to provide these services to the residence of the Town of Briny Breezes. Many employees were here prior to October 2007 and have provided this protection before. Everyone is anxious to get reacquainted with those whom we've known before and to meet those who are new to the community.

Standing Left to Right – Alderman Nancy Boczon, Mayor Roger Bennett, Council President Sharon Kendrigan, Town Marshall Christopher T. Yannuzzi, and Alderman Peter Fingerhut. Seated left to right – Town Attorney Jerome Skrandel and Town Clerk Pro Tem Kathleen Bray

"Tis The Season"

October marks the beginning of the pilgrimage of those returning from the "Great White North". As they rush to escape the cooler temperatures, their presence will be felt via the volume of vehicular traffic, lines at our favorite eateries & attractions (even in a slow economy), and increased Calls for Service.

The Police Department would ask those who have been getting this monthly newsletter to tell their neighbors about it and the safety and crime prevention tips that we share. Encourage them to subscribe by contacting Lisa Burns in Town Hall at lburns@oceanridgeflorida.com or phone 561-732-2635. Their extra eyes and ears being watchful for suspicious activity will be beneficial to all.

Fall not only brings a change in season, it marks the return of two types of "Snow Birds" – those that are law abiding and those that are criminals. We continue to be faced with hard economic times. For those of us in law enforcement, our experience tells us that such a combination of events will result in an increase in crime. Therefore, we remind you that every citizen is an integral part of the crime prevention effort – whether you are in Town, shopping at a nearby Mall, or going to the Movies.

Therefore:

- * Keep your doors locked – homes and vehicles – and, if you have an alarm system, activate it.
- * Any unsolicited visitors offering to perform services or attempting to sell products should be denied access to your home.
- * IMMEDIATELY report any suspicious activity to the Police.

Halloween Safety Tips & Tricks

Source: LAFD <http://www.lafd.org/hween.htm>

BEFORE HALLOWEEN:

- Plan costumes that are bright and reflective. Make sure that shoes fit well and that costumes are short enough to prevent tripping, entanglement or contact with flame.
- Consider adding reflective tape or striping to costumes and trick-or-treat bags for greater visibility.
- When shopping for costumes, wigs and accessories, purchase only those with a label indicating they are flame resistant.
- Think twice before using simulated knives, guns or swords. If such props must be used, be certain they do not appear authentic and are soft and flexible to prevent injury.
- Obtain flashlights with fresh batteries for all children and their escorts.
- Plan ahead to use only battery powered lanterns or chemical lightsticks in place of candles in decorations and costumes.
- Teach children their home phone number and to how call 9-1-1 (or their local emergency number) if they have an emergency or become lost. Remind them that 9-1-1 can be dialed free from any phone.
- Review with your children the principle of "Stop-Drop-Roll", should their clothes catch on fire.
- Openly discuss appropriate and inappropriate behavior at Halloween time.
- Take extra effort to eliminate tripping hazards on your porch and walkway. Check around your property for flower pots, low tree limbs, support wires or garden hoses that may prove hazardous to young children rushing from house to house.



BEFORE NIGHTFALL ON HALLOWEEN:

- A good meal prior to parties and trick-or-treating will discourage youngsters from filling up on Halloween treats.
- Consider fire safety when decorating. Do not overload electrical outlets with holiday lighting or special effects, and do not block exit doors.
- Agree on a specific time when revelers must return home.
- Along with flashlights for all, older children and escorts should wear a wristwatch and carry coins for non-emergency phone calls.

Confine, segregate or otherwise prepare household pets for an evening of frightful sights and sounds. Be sure that all dogs and cats are wearing collars and proper identification tags. Consult your veterinarian for further advice.

- Remind all household drivers to remain cautious and drive slowly throughout the community.

Adult partygoers should establish and reward a designated driver.

WHEN TRICK-OR-TREATING:

- A Parent or responsible Adult should always accompany young children on their neighborhood rounds.
- Remind Trick-or-Treaters:
 - o Only trick-or-treat in well known neighborhoods at homes that have a porch light on.
 - o Never enter a stranger's home or car for a treat.
 - o Only cross the street as a group in established crosswalks (as recognized by local custom).
 - o Never consume unwrapped food items or open beverages that may be offered.
 - o No treats are to be eaten until they are thoroughly checked by an Adult at home.



Halloween Safety Tips

No Scaredy Cats This Halloween: Top 10 Safety Tips for Pet Parents

Attention, companion animal caretakers! The ASPCA would like to point out these common-sense cautions that'll help keep your pets safe and stress-free this time of year. If you do suspect your pet has ingested a potentially dangerous substance, please call your veterinarian or the ASPCA Animal Poison Control Center at (888) 426-4435.



1. No tricks, no treats: That bowlful of candy is for trick-or-treaters, not for Scruffy and Fluffy.

- Chocolate in all forms—especially dark or baking chocolate—can be very dangerous for dogs and cats. Symptoms of significant chocolate ingestion may include vomiting, diarrhea, hyperactivity, increased thirst, urination and heart rate—and even seizures.
- Candies containing the artificial sweetener xylitol can be poisonous to dogs. Even small amounts of xylitol sweetener can cause a sudden drop in blood sugar, which leads to depression, lack of coordination and seizures. In cases of significantly low blood sugar, liver failure has been known to occur.
- Ingesting tin foil and cellophane candy wrappers can pose a choking hazard or cause intestinal blockage.

2. Popular Halloween plants such as pumpkins and decorative corn are considered to be relatively nontoxic, yet they can produce gastrointestinal upset should pets ingest them. Intestinal blockage could even occur if large pieces are swallowed.

3. Keep wires and cords from electric lights and other decorations out of reach of your pets. If chewed, your pet could experience damage to his mouth from shards of glass or plastic, or receive a possibly life-threatening electrical shock.

4. A carved pumpkin certainly is festive, but do exercise extreme caution if you choose to add a candle. Pets can easily knock a lit pumpkin over and cause a fire. Curious kittens especially run the risk of getting burned or singed by candle flames.

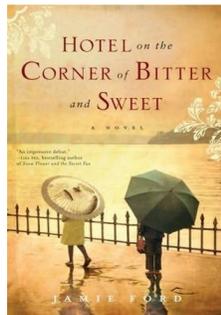
5. Dress-up can be a big mess-up for some pets. Please don't put your dog or cat in a costume UNLESS you know he or she loves it (yup, a few pets are real hams!). For pets who prefer their "birthday suits," however, wearing a costume can cause undue stress.

6. If you do dress up your pet, make sure the costume isn't annoying or unsafe. It should not constrict the animal's movement or hearing, or impede his ability to breathe, bark or meow. Also try on costumes before the big night. If your pet seems distressed, allergic or shows abnormal behavior, consider letting him go au naturel or donning a festive bandana.

More Town Hall News

Book Club

The Book Club resumes their monthly discussions on Wednesday, October 6 at 5:45pm in the Town Hall Community Room. The book to be discussed will be The Hotel at the Corner of Bitter and Sweet by Jamie Ford. The discussion will be led by Linda Soensen. Residents are encouraged to join the discussion.



Stuff the Bus!

Last month, the Town Hall was a drop-off location for the countywide United Way & Palm Beach County Community Food Alliance Stuff the Bus Food Drive. Our barrel was about three-quarters full thanks to public and employee donations. According to the Palm Beach Post article dated September 30, 2010, “more than 30 businesses throughout the county collected enough non-perishable items to stuff a Palm Tran Bus.”



Oceanfront Park Beach Conditions
Call 561-742-6775



Proclamations

At the October 4 Regular Town Commission Meeting, the following Proclamations will be signed by Mayor Kaleel:

- * Endorsing the Let's Move Campaign
- * Lights on Afterschool Day
- * Domestic Violence Awareness Month (October)

The *Let's Move* campaign hopes to combat childhood obesity through a “comprehensive approach that builds on effective strategies, and mobilizes public and private sector resources.” Let's Move's goals are to involve every sector that impacts children's health and will provide tools to parents, schools, and communities to help kids become more active and eat better. (whitehouse.gov 2/9/10)

Town of Ocean Ridge endorses *Lights on Afterschool* and commits our community to engage in innovative afterschool programs and activities that ensure that the lights stay on and the doors stay open for all children after school.

Domestic Violence Awareness Month provides an excellent opportunity for citizens to learn more about preventing domestic violence and to show support for the numerous organizations and individuals who provide critical advocacy, services and assistance to victims.



To My Fellow Palm Beach County Residents

From the desk of Palm Beach County Commissioner Steven L. Abrams

Reportedly, people have been living in southern Palm Beach County for the last 2,500 years!

Archaeologically, Palm Beach County has a rich history that includes some amazing prehistoric Native American sites. The oldest site is the Hungryland Slough, which dates back to 6000 years before the present. That is approximately 2000 years older than the pyramids in Egypt.

Boca Raton, Delray Beach, Highland Beach and West Boca have/had some wonderfully interesting archaeological sites. There are two major archaeological complexes in these areas. The first is the *Boca Raton Inlet Complex* and the second is the *Spanish River Complex*.

The Boca Raton Inlet Complex consisted of three "shell and black earth middens" and at least one or two sand burial mounds. A midden is a trash heap that people would live on or near. While such an idea may seem strange to us today, it was very common and practiced around the world. In the near east (Turkey, Lebanon, and Israel) middens are called "Tels." The most famous of these is modern day Tel Aviv.

The Spanish River Complex is located in and around Highland Beach. This was one of the largest aboriginal localities in South Florida. Experts believe it contained eight sites, four burial mounds, and four midden sites. Again, based on the types of ceramics found at the sites, it is inferred the sites date between 750 A.D. – 1763 A.D.

One of the largest human skeleton collections (over 120) in South Florida was removed from the Highland Beach Burial Mound. Analysis of the skeletal remains indicated the people had a long life expectancy and low infant mortality. Also, in Highland Beach, bones from the Great Auk (now extinct) and the Razor Billed Auk have been identified by scientists. These are flightless birds that are thought to have migrated this far south when world and sea temperatures were significantly cooler.

If you want to know more about Florida's (and Palm Beach County's) prehistory, please visit the University of Florida's online library and look at the ***Florida Anthropologist*** journals:

<http://ufdcweb1.uflib.ufl.edu/ufdc/?a=all&m=hdBI&i=60526> (Vol 55, numbers 3&4, are entirely dedicated to the archaeology of Palm Beach County).

Please contact me if I can be of assistance or if you have any comments and/or suggestions. I can be reached at sabrams@pbccgov.org or at my office at 561-355-2204 (West Palm Beach) or 561-276-1220 (Delray Beach). Please visit my Web site at <http://www.pbccgov.com/countycommissioners/district4/> for updates and links to county divisions and other governmental agencies.

(The above information was provided by the Palm Beach County Archeologist, Christian Davenport. If you have any questions or require additional information, he can be reached at 561-233-5331).



Delta Demons Care Package Donation Drive



The Town of Ocean Ridge is once again working with The City of Boynton Beach as a drop-off location for The Delta Demons Care Package Donation Drive.

The Delta Demons are The 2nd Battalion, 327th Infantry Regiment of the 101st Airborne Division (Air Assault), that are currently participating in the heaviest fighting in Afghanistan.



Your donations will be made into care packages and sent to the soldiers by the City of Boynton Beach in time for Hanukkah and Christmas.



You may drop off donations at Town Hall in October, Monday through Friday, between 8:30am- 3pm. After hours, you may drop off your donations at the Ocean Ridge Police Department.

Additional drop-off locations include:

Boynton Beach City Hall Monday—Thursday, 7am-6pm, in City Hall Lobby.

Schoolhouse Children's Museum—129 E. Ocean Ave. Boynton Beach

Supply Wish List

Letters of Encouragement (Unsealed)
 Books
 Comic Books
 Crossword Puzzles, Word Searches, Sudoku
 Deck of Cards
 Magazines
 Movies
 Phone Cards
 Travel Size Games (Chess, Checkers)
 Baby Powder
 Baby Wipes
 Body Wash
 Body Spray
 Chapstick
 Hand Warmers
 Febreze
 Foot Warmers
 Laundry Detergent (travel size)
 Mouthwash
 Suntan Lotion

Tooth Brushes
 Sun Glasses
 Beef Jerky
 Cookies
 Crackers
 Crystal Lite On-The-Go Packets
 Hard Candy
 Powdered Drinks, esp. Gatorade
 Pringles
 Blank Birthday Cards
 Blank Writable CD's
 Blue & Black Pens
 Digital or Disposable Cameras
 Envelopes
 Fly Paper (some areas where the soldiers live have lots of flies)
 Memory Cards (i.e. PS P's)
 Memory Sticks
 Notebooks



For a list of additional suggested items, please call 561-732-2635 or send email request to info@oceanridgeflorida.com

SUGGESTED CARE PACKAGE ITEMS:

WHAT CANNOT BE SENT: Pork products, alcohol, pornographic materials, liquid hand sanitizer, or aerosol cans (they may explode). Do not send products in glass containers (unless they are bubble-wrapped a few times). Package all food items that may leak in zip-lock bags. Put all liquid items in a zip-lock bag. Due to the extreme heat, chocolate is not mailed during the summer months.

Canned Items

Canned fruit
Sardines
Tuna cans or pouches

Condiments

Cajun seasoning
Catsup packets
Garlic salt
Honey packs
Hot sauce
Salt/pepper, sugar packets
Spices
Sweet N Low

Coffee / Tea / Hot Chocolate

Cappuccino
Coffee creamer
Hot chocolate mixes
Instant coffee
Tea bags

Powdered Drink Mix Singles

Crystal Light

Gatorade
Kool-Aid
Propel, etc.

Snacking Foods

Beef Jerky / beef sticks,
Dry Cereal (Small boxes)
Chex Mix
Chips
Cookies
Crackers for snacking
Doritos
Dried fruit
Energy bars / Cereal Bars / high protein bars / Granola Bars
Fruit pies
Gum, Hard Candy wrapped (no chocolate in summer)
Little Debbie's & other snack cakes
Nuts (all kinds)
Pudding cups

Toiletries

Advil, Tylenol, Cold/Cough drops, Sinus Meds
Antacids
Antibiotic Cream (Neosporin)
Anti-Bacterial Wipes
Baby Oil, Baby Powder
Baby Wipes
Body Wash / soap



On February 18, 2003, the City Commission, by resolution, re-affirmed the City Of Boynton Beach's support of Company D, 2nd Battalion, 327th Infantry Regiment of the 101st Airborne Division Air Assault, a.k.a. DELTA DEMONS, based out of Ft. Campbell, Kentucky. The City has adopted the Delta Demons through the national nonprofit organization "America Supporting Americans" (ASA). The objective of the ASA is to establish an "Adoption" program for every branch of the United States Armed Services by an American town. Members of the Boynton Beach City staff have taken the initiative to act in the capacity as organizers and liaisons to the community to provide morale support to our soldiers. Our goals are to, collect supplies for care packages, establish a pen-pal network between soldiers and the community, establish a web link to information on the City Of Boynton Beach web page, and raise awareness and encourage community involvement through periodic special events.

Donated Items Drop Off Locations

**City of Boynton Beach City Hall
100 E. Boynton Beach Blvd.
Boynton Beach, FL**

**Town of Ocean Ridge Town Hall
6450 N. Ocean Blvd.
Ocean Ridge, FL**

**Schoolhouse Children's Museum
129 E. Ocean Ave.
Boynton Beach, FL**

Chapstick
 Clothes Pins/Line
 Contact Lens Cleaner
 Cotton Balls
 Dental Floss
 Deodorant
 Disposable hand and feet warmers
 DUSTING CLOTHS for removing the sand from everything and every surface
 Eye Drops
 Eyeglass Kit
 Face Soap
 Foot/Boot Powder
 Insect Repellent Wipes/ non aerosol spray
 with Deet (need in spring/summer)
 Imodium (Tablets)
 Laundry Soap / Fabric Softener
 Air Freshener
 Lotion for body and hand
 Mirror
 Mouthwash
 Nasal Spray/Drops
 Packaged Wet Ones / baby wipes
 Pepto Bismol (Tablets)
 Pocket Size First-Aid Kit
 Q-Tips
 Shampoo
 Sunglasses
 Sunscreen
 Toenail/Fingernail Clippers
 Tooth Paste / Tooth Brush
 Tooth Picks
 Razors
 Shaving Cream in a tube
 After-shave lotion (no fragrance)
Suggested Fun Time Materials
 Balls: soccer ball, baseballs, basketballs, volley ball sets, football
 Batteries: AA- C -D -9 volt
 Board Games
 Playing Cards
 CD Player with CDs / send batteries
 Disposable cameras
 DVDs
 Electronic/Battery Hand held games (include batteries)
 Frisbee
 Greeting Cards they can send back home (variety)
 Mag flashlight bulbs,
 Mailing Envelopes (no stamps) / Pens with Stationary
 Magazines (all kinds)
 Nerf Balls
 Packaged Poker Sets
 Crossword Puzzles, Word Searches, Soduku
 Sewing Kits
 Small flash light for reading at night
 Water guns
 Yo-Yo's
 Zip Lock Bags & Plastic lock containers for sealing leftovers and personal items



Building Permit Fees

Effective October 1, 2008 and Revised October 1, 2010

The Town of Ocean Ridge still contracts for zoning/building review with Hy-Byrd Inspections, Inc. It includes all aspects of the process including building permit application submittal, issuance, scheduling of inspections, final inspection, and issuance of certificate of occupancy when necessary.

The Permit Fee Schedule Will Be As Follows Reflecting the BIF/DCA Building Permit Surcharge:

Building Permit Fee Schedule	
<i>The fee is based on the estimated cost of the work rounded up (ex. \$7200 = \$8000) plus the BIF/DCA Building Surcharge. We accept cash or check only. Payment is due during permit submittal.</i>	
Estimated cost of job less than \$1,000	\$45.00
Estimated cost of job between \$1,000 and up to \$3,000.00	\$100.00
Estimated cost of job over \$3,000.00 up to \$100,000.00	\$100.00 plus 1.5% of the amount exceeding \$3,000.00
Estimated cost of job over \$100,000.00	\$100.00 plus 1.5% of the amount exceeding \$3,000.00 up to \$100,000.00 plus 1.0% of the amount exceeding \$100,000.00
plus BIF/DCA Building Permit Surcharge	
BIF/DCA Building Permit Surcharge as per HB663.	3% of the permit fee with a minimum of \$4.00 per permit.

Re-inspection/Revision Fees: A \$50.00 re-inspection fee will be charged for each discipline/trade re-inspection after two (2) failed inspections. Engineering inspections will be charged \$150.00 each inspection after the first initial inspection. Major revisions, as determined by the Building & Zoning Official, will be charged an additional \$45.00 hourly rate for review. Major revisions requiring re-review by the Town Engineer will be charged at the current hourly Town rate for engineering services.

Penalty Fees: Ordinance 585 states that work commencing on any building or structure prior to obtaining the necessary permits will be subjected to penalty fees as follows: **AMENDING CHAPTER 67, ARTICLE III, SECTION 67-58(c) Permit Fees.** (c) If any person commences any work on a building or structure before obtaining the necessary permit under this article, the fee for the permit, when obtained, shall be double the total amount of the permit fee otherwise required plus \$200.00 if the total cost of the work on a building or structure is equal to or less than \$5,000, and four times the total amount of the permit fee otherwise required if the total cost of the work on a building or structure exceeds \$5,000.

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Facts:

28% of our fourth grade students read below grade level

1 in 7 adults in Palm Beach County lacks basic prose literacy skills

The Coalition distributes more than 80,000 new books a year to Palm Beach County children and families

For more information on any of the programs listed, please call

(800) 273-1030

551 SE 8th St., Suite 505
Delray Beach, FL 33483
Fax: (561) 265-3579
www.literacypsc.org

Adult Literacy

- Outreach to Adult Learners and Volunteer Tutors
- Tutor Training and Referral
- Workplace and Community Education instruction for local employees and residents of underserved neighborhoods
- Regional Training Council serving Palm Beach, Broward, Miami-Dade and Monroe Counties

Family Literacy

- Glades Family Education Program, Belle Glade
- Village Readers Family Education Program, Delray Beach

Reach Out and Read

- Giving books and Prescriptions for Reading to 25,000 families in 29 pediatric clinics

Children's Literacy

After School Reads

Providing training on reading and literacy strategies to 198 after school care staff

Budding Readers

Providing training and on-going support for Reading Partners who share books weekly with 300 three-year-old children

Care to Read

Providing training on literacy strategies to 124 childcare providers in family child care homes and childcare centers and to Healthy Beginnings nurses

Parent-Child Home

Delivering a research-based home visiting model that prepares up to 250 young children for school success

Literacy AmeriCorps

- 40 members giving 68,000 hours of tutoring with adults, children and families

LANTANA greenfest 2010

October 23

10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

2 SESSIONS OF GREEN IDEAS

- Water Conservation/Landscaping -10:30
 - * Bush Wildlife Show - Noon
- Energy Efficiency & Conservation -1:00

FREE FAMILY

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FREE FOOD



Red MacDonald



Town Hall
500 Greynolds Circle Lantana
www.lantana.org for info.



Partner Cities: Atlantis; Haverhill; Ocean Ridge; Palm Beach Shores

Anyone
Can
Participate!

The City of Boynton Beach Recreation & Parks Department presents



Hometown Pie Contest

Featuring a

Craft & Treasure Sale

**SATURDAY,
JANUARY 22, 2011
12—4 P.M.
BOYNTON BEACH
CIVIC CENTER
128 E OCEAN AVENUE
FREE EVENT!**

**ONLY \$5 PER
PIE TO ENTER**

**PIES ENTRIES MUST BE DROPPED OFF
BETWEEN 12—12:30 P.M. PROMPTLY!**



*In conjunction with Sand Sifters,
a volunteer organization
cleaning the beaches and parks
of Palm Beach County!*

- Craft Vendors
- Demos & Free Samples
- Drawings for free pies
every half hour
- CASH prize of \$150 for
Best of Show
- Pie Eating Contest
for Kids
- Prizes awarded for
each category

CONTACT:

Craft Show Vendors:

Janice Phillips, Supervisor

(561) 742-6243 or phillipsj@bbfl.us

Pie Contest: Gary Solomon

(561) 734-9128 or

gsolomon@sandsifters.org

Official Rules:

1. Contest is open to individuals 16 & older or groups working a team.
2. Recipe MUST accompany the entry on a 4x6 card.
3. Pies must have bottom and side crust and MUST be made from scratch—no store bought pies!
4. If pie plate is non-disposable, it must be clearly marked.
5. Contestants agree to have their photos and recipes published without compensation as deemed appropriate.



Judging of Pies:

1. Completed entry form and check payable to the City of Boynton Beach must be submitted by January 10.
2. Pies must be delivered between 12—12:30 p.m. at the Civic Center.
3. Judging will begin at 1 p.m. and winners will be announced around 3 p.m.
4. Judging is based on Taste (50%), Appearance (30%) & Creativity (20%).



Return completed entry form and check or money order by mail to:

City of Boynton Beach
Recreation & Parks Department
ATTN: Janice Phillips, Supervisor
100 E Boynton Beach Boulevard
Boynton Beach, FL 33425

Or in person:
Civic Center
128 E Ocean Avenue
Boynton Beach, FL
561) 742-6243

**Entry Form
Hometown Pie Contest**

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____

Email: _____

Name of Pie : _____

Entry Category *(please check one)*:

Apple Cream Nut

Pumpkin/Sweet Potato

Citrus Fruit/Berry

Signature: _____

Volunteer Opportunities



Sand Sifters Beach Cleanup: Halloween Clean

What: Join the Sand Sifters for beach cleanup.

When: First Saturday of every month. Next cleanup: **October 2**

Where: Oceanfront Park, 6451 N. Ocean Blvd. On A1A, just north of the Ocean Ave. bridge in Ocean Ridge. Meet at the pavilion in the lower parking lot.

Time: 8-10:15am

Who: Individuals, schools, churches, clubs, businesses, organizations, and families are all encouraged to participate. All ages.

What's provided: Free parking, bags, gloves, and refreshments available to participants only. School and community service volunteer credit forms available.

What to bring: Please bring water, sunscreen and a hat.

Contact: Gary Solomon at 561-734-9128

Town Hall Library

What: Shelve and organize books in the Town Library.

When: Ongoing.

Where: 6450 N. Ocean Blvd. at Town Hall.

Time: Any time between 8:30am—3pm.

Who: Residents of all ages welcome. Those with library experience are encouraged to volunteer.

What's provided: School and community service volunteer credit available.

Contact: Town Hall 561-732-2635

**We need volunteers
to shelve books.
Shelve a few or
shelve them all.**

Recipe: Mesclun Meanies

Source: Myrecipes.com

Ingredients

8 large, thick-skinned oranges
3 tbsp red wine vinegar
2 tbsp maple syrup
2 tsp grainy mustard
1/2 tsp fresh lemon juice
1/4 tsp ground ginger
Freshly ground black pepper to taste
1/4 tsp salt
1/4 olive oil
1 (5oz) bag baby mixed greens
1/2c toasted pumpkin seeds

Directions

Grate 1/4tsp zest from top of an orange. Slice 1/2 inch slice off top of oranges and carve out pulp; slice enough off bottom of oranges so they won't roll. Slice pulp of four oranges into half moons (1.5c; set aside. Juice rest of pulp (1.4c); set aside.

Cut a jack-o-lantern on each orange.

Whisk together reserved orange zest and juice with vinegar, maple syrup, mustard, lemon juice, ginger, pepper and salt. Whisk oil in until combined.

Toss greens and reserved oranges pieces with 2 to 3 tbsp dressing. Stuff orange shells with salad; top with pumpkin seeds.

