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# City will widen Coastal Gateway Blvd. (County Rd. 8)

#### By John Mullen

Gulf Shores is making plans to move forward with a widening of the former County Road 8, taken over and renamed by the city as Coastal Gateway Boulevard.

It was just one of several ambitious projects city officials said they will be working on soon including the final phase of the Gulf Place Project on city Gulf front between the Phoenix All-Suites Hotel on the west and Regatta condos on the East. Another project will extend Commercial Drive in the Business and Aviation Park near the airport to service a new building to be built by Resicum Iternational, an aerospace company.

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That's the reason for the size and design of the road. Not only for the residential growth but also for using that as an entry to Gulf Shores from the beach express." "We've been working on a project to widen Coastal Gateway (**pictured below**) to a four-lane road with a divided median, closed drainage system, curb and gutter, bike lanes, sidewalks," Public Works Director Mark Acreman said.

The city is looking to pay Hosea Weaver and Sons out of Mobile about \$9.2 million for the refurbished road. This does not include another \$3.5 million for inspections and testing on the new roadway.

Mayor Robert Craft said it will provide an alternative route for those traveling to Gulf Shores. There are also already several subdivisions along the road and more are being planned.

"This will be our direct access to Gulf Shores with signage for people coming from the Foley Beach Express trying to get to Gulf Shores," Craft said. "That's the reason for the size and design

of the road. Not only for the residential growth but also for using that as an entry to Gulf Shores from the beach express."

It will take about 18 months to finish the project, Acreman said, and it will start with moving utilities and improving them in the process.

"The good news is because of the rapid growth that we are seeing on Coastal Gateway Boulevard a lot of these utilities will be upgraded during this process," Acreman said. "Baldwin EMC is going to upgrade their capacity because of the demands that are being placed, not only now but in the near future as some of these properties develop as well as Gulf Shores Utilities water and sewer capacities in these areas."

At either end of the new roadway both the intersection at State Route 59 and the Foley Beach Express will be upgraded as well.

<sup>a</sup>When we are completed we will have improved both the intersections at Highway 59 and the Foley Beach Express," Acreman said. "At Highway 59 we are adding a northbound right turn lane, we're adding a northbound right turn lane to the west off of Highway 59 and we'll have dual left turns going south."

On the Foley Beach Express, the city is looking to have

a traffic signal and is seeking support from the City of Foley, Baldwin County and the Baldwin County Bridge Company.

"We have to get three groups to support because it is part of the beach express connection," Acreman said. "We've had a positive response from all three entities."

Included in this project is a quarter mile spur to the south about halfway between State Route 59 and the beach express. It will be a two-lane road with sidewalks and bike paths and the city hopes to extend it all the way to Oak Road East or County Road 6.

"Initially we are only focusing in on this first 40 acres but our goal is to continue that road in the near future all the way to Oak Road East and have another opportunity for people to use a two-lane highway and avoid having to cut through a residential neighborhood,"

#### GULF PLACE PROJECT

This lot is undeveloped Gulf front the city will improve with amenities similar to the new Gulf Place in the area of the Hangout.

"This is a significant change in our world," Mayor Robert Craft said. "The good news about this is we've been focused for a long time on our middle third of our half mile. We have now spread this out to where the full half mile of property that we own is available to the public with access points, fire substation, public safety building and police substation. We'll have folks housed there to help us manage it and react if anything happens."

Other amenities will include more parking, a restroom building, improved pedestrian access points, shade structures, a 20-foot wide boardwalk and an improved walkover.

The city added a public safety building at the west end of Gulf Place in phase one of the project and will add a police substation at the east end with this final phase.

"We'll have folks housed there to help us manage it and react if anything happens," Craft said.

Cunningham Delaney had the lowest conforming bid at just more than \$2.5 million and is scheduled to start work on Oct. 29. Environmental/Grants Coordinator Dan Bond said. Work is expected to completed by April 30.

#### EXTENDING COMMERCE DR.

The council authorized the mayor to sign a grant from the Alabama Department of Transportation industrial access grant worth almost \$360,000 for the extension

#### of Commerce Drive.

Resicum International, an aerospace maintenance, repair and overhaul company, is relocating its headquarters from Pensacola to a new 21,000-square-foot building on the extended portion. This grant will pay for roadway and drainage constructions costs as well as construction, engineering and inspection but does exclude design and utility expenses. The council also approved \$70,000 to Barge Design solutions to complete the necessary survey, geotechnical and design services for this project.

Economic Development Coordinator Blake Phelps said Barge will also complete the design for the entire loop of Commerce Drive near the state's Mariculture Center.

"We are not proposing at this time to fund that at this time but while we had crews out there it made a lot of sense to complete the design on the loop," Phelps said. "It's basically \$18,000 more to get them to complete design of that loop."

#### IN OTHER BUSINESS:

• The council continued the alcohol ban on the beach during spring break for the fourth year. Dates for the ban are March 2 through April 28. The first ban came midway through the 2016 spring break season when unruly crowds gathered daily on the beach in Gulf Shores. The ban was enacted in a specially called meeting and has been reinstated each year since.

• The council agreed to OK a lease agreement with Gulf Shores Power Sports on a half-acre at Jack Edwards National Airport. Owners Morgan and Blakely Kitchens want to build an 8,100 square foot hangar and lease it for 40 years. Monthly rental would be about \$5,400 and go up yearly based on the consumer price Index or by 3 percent. The hangar will be used for the storage, maintenance and repair of aircraft owned by the Kitchens.

• The council agreed to a memorandum of understanding with Baldwin County for a school resource officer at the elementary, middle and high schools in Gulf Shores. The Baldwin County Board of Education will provide \$50,000 for each officer to help offset the cost.

• The council agreed to pay Skipper Consulting \$93,000 to develop a Master Street Plan that will prioritize upcoming transportation improvements and develop additional strategies to address future traffic growth.

• The council agreed to reappoint Morgan Szapiel, Bobbie Rooker, Susan Brush to the Library Advisory Board and Councilman Jason Dyken to the Library Board.

• The council OK'd a special event liquor license for the Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association Fly-In on Oct. 26-27 at Jack Edwards National Airport.





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### AROUND TOWN

Sirens of Sea Treasure Trove Estate Sale Oct. 27 at Pelican Place

#### By Angela Martin

Sirens of the Sea, a local Women's Mardi Gras organization is having their Second Annual "Treasure Troves" Estate Sale. It will be held Saturday, October 27, 2018 at the Pelican Place Shopping Center, Retail Suite #402, next to Dairy Queen in Gulf Shores from 9 a.m. to p.m. "Treasure Troves" are defined as wonderful finds and collectibles. There will be a wide array of decorative items including beautiful vases, serving platters, housewares, lamps, framed artwork, Christmas /Holiday decorations, dishes, furniture and much more. There will be many treasures to select from. Come out and join us. To see pictures of items, go to EstateSales.net. Sirens of the Sea support our local communities with their charitable donations to several local selected charities. Their Annual Sirens Scholarship Fund is awarded to a local high school senior for college tuition. For more information, contact Angela Martin, 251-923-6082 or Sylvia Hinson, 251-709-9525.

#### Free butterfly walks Oct. 25 & Nov 1 at Bon Secour Wildlife Refuge

**B**on Secour National Wildlife Refuge will be conducting guided Butterfly tours on Thursday, October 25 and Thursday, Novem-



ber 1. The tours are free to the public and reservations are required. Tours are limited to 12 people and each tour will consist of a 2 hour round trip walk down one of the refuge trails. At least 24 hours notice for cancellations. binoculars are helpful but not required to enjoy the tours. Restroom facilities are available at the refuge office and Pine Beach Trail. For more info about the bird or butterfly watching tours or to sign-up for a tour, contact the Refuge Office, Monday – Friday, 9: a.m. – 2 p.m. at (251) 540-7720.

#### Nov. 15 public hearing to address new bridge over Intracoastal

The Alabama Department of Transportation will host a public meeting to review project information concerning a proposed bridge connecting Canal Rd. near the border of Orange Beach and Gulf Shores with the Foley Beach Expressway on Thursday, November 15 from 5-7 p.m. at the Gulf Shores Activity Center, located at 260 Clubhouse Dr. in Gulf Shores.

Orange Beach is already proceeding with plans to build a bridge across the waterway at Orange Beach Blvd. (County Rd. 161) using money collected from bed taxes. The proposed bridge west of the Foley Beach Express, projected to cost \$87 million, will be funded by the State of Alabama.

The meeting format will be formal, where the public may review project information and exhibits on display and will also have an opportunity to publicly speak. People wishing to provide comments during the public hearing should register at the sign-in table. There is a two minute time limit for each person to speak. Representatives of the Alabama Department of Transportation (ALDOT) will be available to answer questions throughout the meeting. A court recorder will be present to record public comments.

Comment sheets will be provided, and citizens can also comment through e-mail at swinfo@dot.state.al, fax at (251) 473-3624 or by mail: Vincent E. Calametti, P.E., Region Engineer, Southwest Region, ATTN: Edwin L. Perry III, P.E., Alabama Department of Transportation, 1701 I-65 West Service Road N; Mobile, Alabama 36618.



### Ancient Canoe Canal in Gulf Shores topic of free Nov. 8 lecture at Cultural Center

The University of South Alabama Gulf Coast Campus will sponsor a free lecture about the discovery of an ancient canoe canal in Gulf Shores on November 8 from 7 - 8 p.m. at the Gulf Shores Culture Center Auditorium, located at 19470 Oak Road West (County Road 6), about a half-mile east of the Gulf Shores Sports Complex. There is no cost to attend, but please register in advance so that seat-

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ing can be planned. Register by calling 251-460-7200, online at usacontinuinged.com or by emailing aplatt@southalabama.edu.

Local lore and circumstantial evidence have long identified a large, long, ditch-like feature across the Fort Morgan Peninsula as an ancient canal. An ongoing volunteer effort, organized by citizens of Gulf Shores, has now confirmed that folk identification.

Archival, geo-archaeological, and radiocarbon evidence points to a Middle Woodland date for construction of the canal, early in the seventh century AD. The canal once ran for a mile between Oyster Bay and Little Lagoon, connecting Mobile Bay to the Gulf of Mexico. This may be the northernmost ancient canoe canal yet identified in the Southeast. The City of Gulf Shores plans to highlight a preserved section of canal in a heritage trail.

Leading the lecture is Gregory Å. Waselkov, a professor at the University of South Alabama. Dr. Waselkov holds a PhD in anthropology from the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill and began teaching at the University of South Alabama in 1988. Many of his research projects have investigated prehistoric life on the Gulf Coast, particularly during the Woodland and Mississippian periods, from AD 500 to 1550. As director of the Center for Archaeological Studies, he has overseen more than 1,000 research projects in southwestern Alabama since the Center's creation in 1992.

**Pictured:** (top) A ancient canoe found in South Baldwin County is now on display as part of the Alabama Voices exhibit at the Alabama Department of Archives and History; (above left) Lecturer Dr. Greg Waselkov.

### Aircraft Owners & Pilots Assn. Fly-In on Oct. 26-27 at Jack Edwards Airport

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Jack Edwards Airport is hosting a Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association Fly In on Oct. 26-27. AOPA's fly-ins are designed to give AOPA pilots \_\_\_\_\_\_ and other aircraft



to the public, with the exception of the Rusty Pilots seminar which is free for AOPA members and \$69 for non-members. Tickets can be purchased online for the Friday workshops, Barnstormers Party and pancake breakfast. For more info, visit aopa.org. AOPA Fly-In Schedule Friday, Oct. 26

9 a.m. – 4 p.m.: Early-bird workshops.
Registration and tuition fees apply
Noon – 6 p.m.: Exhibit Hall, AOPA Village and
Aircraft Display are open
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#### \_\_\_\_\_\_AROUND TOWN\_\_\_\_\_ OB police/fire dept. awards presented at Nov. 5 community potluck

The November 5 Orange Beach Community Potluck will feature the annual police and fire awards ceremony at the Orange Beach Community Center. The Firefighter of the Year and the Officer of the Year will be announced. Doors open at 6 p.m. and dinner starts at 6:30 p.m. Everyone is invited; just bring a dish or dessert to share. The Orange Beach Community Association hosts the monthly potlucks on the first Monday of each month, September through May. The Orange Beach Community Center is at 27235 Canal Road. For more info, call 251-981-6060.

#### Patriots' Car Show Nov. 3 at Gulf Shores American Legion Post 44

American Legion Post 44 in Gulf Shores will host its Patriots' Car Show on Saturday, November 3 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Activities will also include a fish fry and silent auction fundraiser for the Foley High School Air Force JROTC. All cars are welcome. The theme is patriotism. "We'd like the participants to feature their service in the military or the service of a family member while showing their car," said coordinator Donna Stacey. Funds from the car show will benefit the South Alabama Veterans Retreat. Post 44 is located t 6781 AL-59 in Gulf Shores (251-948-6119).

#### Adopt a GSUMC Chancel Choir member to support NYC trip

The community response to the planned November trip by the Gulf Shores United Methodist Church Chancel Choir to sing at Carnegie Hall in New York City has been very enthusiastic and generous, according to Cody Johnson, Director of Worship Arts at GSUMC.

"This is a once-in-a-lifetime event for the more than 40 singers who will be part of a larger choir at the famed New York City venue," he said. "However, it is also expensive and to that end, there is one additional opportunity to become part of this adventure through Adopt a Choir Member. No donation is too small or too large and specific choir members may be adopted or donations may go to the choir as a whole."

Checks should be payable to GSUMC and designated for the Choir Carnegie Trip. All donors will have an opportunity to see a video of the entire Carnegie concert at GSUMC following the performance, and those details will be announced later. For more info, visit gulfshoresumc.org or call 251-968-2411.



### Elberta Sausage Festival Oct. 27 in Town Park

The Elberta Sausage Festival returns to TownPark (13052 Main St. Elberta) on Oct. 27 from 8 a.m. 'til 5 p.m. Admission is free. Held just north of the town's only stop light on Hwy. 98, the event attracts up to 20,000 revelers, according to organizers.

A 40 plus year tradition in the historic town, the festival is a major regional event that attracts a cross section of the community in what has become a reunion type atmosphere. It is also the main revenue source for the area's volunteer fire department.

Enjoy Elberta's famous German sausage and sauerkraut, plus continuous entertainment, and 250 arts & crafts booths. There will also be carnival rides. Of course, there will also be a Bier Garten featuring a large selection of imported and domestic beers. Other scrumptious foods will include German-style filled cabbage, potato salad, goulash, red beans and rice, hamburgers, hot dogs, BBQ sandwiches, ice cream, popcorn, peanuts and homemade baked goods. The Bellview Stumpfiddle Band will perform with the North End Stompers and other cloggers. There will also be polka, country and German music.

Spearheaded by Elberta's Volunteer Fire Department since 1978, festival proceeds are used for improving not only the fire department, but the town as well. Additionally, local non-profits benefit from the festival through proceeds from their booth sales and parking lot fees. The festival is held twice a year – on the last Saturday of March and the last Saturday of October. Although it has been tweaked a bit over the years, the original secret recipe for Elberta's famous sausage is credited to Alfred Stucki, who managed Elberta's Locker Plant from 1953 until his death in 1973. About 7,000 pounds of German Sausage are consumed at each fest. More info: elbertafire.com.

#### Friends of P-Cola State Parks Heron Trot Nov. 3

The Friends of Pensacola State Parks will host the Heron Trot 5K race for walkers and runners on Saturday, November 3 at 7 a.m., with late registration (\$25) beginning at 6 a.m. on race day. The race will be held start and finish at the Big Lagoon State Park Amphitheater, located at 12301 Gulf Beach Hwy., just 1.5 miles east of Perdido Key. Participants can pre-register at eventbrite.com. FOPSP is seeking funds for its park projects while cultivating an active group of individuals who support state parks. For more race info, call 850-776-9747.

Registration includes water and light snacks. A free yoga class will be held following the race. The nature inspired 5K will help Friends of Pensacola State Parks to continue and create in-park projects. Walkers and Runners of all ages are welcome.

#### Prodisee Pantry hosts Oct. 27 Turkey Trot

The 9th Annual Prodisee Pantry Turkey Trot runs through Old Towne Daphne on Saturday, October 27th with both a certified 5K Race and a 1-mile Fun Run/Walk. The 5K Race starts at 8 a.m. on Main Street at City Hall. The Fun Run/Walk begins at 9 a.m. Walkers are encouraged to participate in the Fun Run. More info: prodiseepantry.org or 251-626-1720 or director@prodiseepantry.org.



### Orange Beach Elementary School Terrific Kids

Orange Beach Elementary School Kiwanis Terrific Kids for October include (Left) - PreK – 2nd Grade: Front Row - Mako Savage, Rhett Hodges, Makynlee Allen, Averi Adams, Kyleigh Hurst. Back Row - Logan Jackson, Teddy Charrier, Hutch Semikclose. (Right) . 3rd – 6th Grade - Front Row Kayleigh Jones, Ella Price, Rayley West, Ella Underwood, Piper Rust, Back Row - Bryce Doyle, Connor Anderson, Kyndell Lymon, Lilly Fagan, Ellie McAleer, Conner Craig, Lilly Kate Logan.





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#### \_\_\_\_\_AROUND TOWN\_\_\_\_\_ Nov. 15 Honours Golf Charity Classic raises funds for CSC

Craft Farms Golf Resort, Peninsula Golf and Racquet Club and Rock Creek Golf Club have joined together to host the Annual Honours Golf Charity Classic sponsored by Lucy Buffett's LuLu's. The tournament will be on Nov.15 at Craft Farms Golf Resort. The goal of this golf tournament is to raise funds for the Christian Service Center, with 100 percent of tournament proceeds going to the organization.

The Charity Classic will donate 100 percent of proceeds back to the Christian Service Center. The tournament is a four-person scramble and open to the public. Prizes will be given for the top three places in both gross and net divisions. Additional prizes include longest drive, closest to the pin, and longest putt.

Currently, committees are at work securing golfers, sponsors and raffle prizes. The tournament can accommodate up to 120 golfers at \$125 per player. Tournament fees include lunch, drinks on the course, prizes and a tee gift. To sign up to play in this event, or for sponsorship opportunities, please contact Ryan Mello, club manager of Craft Farms Golf Resort by calling 251.968.3002.

The Title Sponsor for this year's tournament is Lulu's Gulf Shores. Gulf Shores Garden Club has also signed on as a sponsor. "We decided to host the Honours Golf Charity Classic, because we want to continue to give back to our community," said Chad Leonard, regional director of club operations for Honours Golf. "We're looking forward to working with the CSC again. We hope to provide them with additional funding to continue their mission of helping people when they need it the most."

Lucy Buffett's LuLu's has returned as the title sponsor of the Charity Classic for the second consecutive year and is proud to partner with an organization like the Christian Service Center.

"Christian Service Center's impact on our community is of utmost importance," said Gerald Tipton, Regional General Manager, LuLu's. "The services they provide are critical to our community. We are excited to be the title sponsor for an event where all proceeds go toward meeting the needs of the community."



**GSES MATH GAMES:** These first grade students at Gulf Shores Elementary School worked on addition – and had fun doing it - by playing an AMSTI math game called Double Compare: **Pictured:** Catherine Mc-Aleer, Kalea Morgan.



#### Boating Knowledge & Safety Class Nov. 10 at Lillian Recreation Park

The Perdido Bay Power Squadron is offering its Boating Knowledge and Safety Class on Saturday, November 10, 2018, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Lillian Recreation Park, located at 33914 Widell Ave. in Lillian. For additional information, call Richard Carson at (251) 980-1536.

Certified instructors from the Perdido Bay Power Squadron provide instruction as a courtesy to advance



recreational boating knowledge. The course includes information on getting started, what is needed, required and recommended safety equipment, boating rules to live by, navigation chart overview, and related topics. The cost is \$50 for student materials and lunch. Please make out your check to Perdido Bay Power Squadron. Student materials include

a student manual, graduation certificate, and copies of federal and state rules. Two persons in the same household may share a single book. For those sharing a book, there is an \$8 charge for the additional lunch. Classes are limited to 16 students. Minimum age is 12, and an adult must accompany anyone under 16. Walk-ins are welcome if space is available. Successful completion of the course meets the basic boating knowledge requirements of most states and territories. Education on Alabama boating law is included in the course and comprehension assessed as part of the course final examination. Purchasing and reviewing the student manual prior to the class is recommended. Register and buy the student manual at either Coleman Outdoor Outlet or Blue Water Ship's Store. Materials may also be obtained on class day at the Lillian Recreation Park.

#### -HANGOUT OYSTER COOK-OFF & CRAFT BEER WEEKEND: NOV. 2-3-

# Whole lotta' shakin' & shuckin' goin' on

Acclaimed celebrities and James Beard Award winning chefs will try to topple the Gulf Coast's own culinary artists during the Nov. 2-3 Oyster Cook-Off & Craft Beer Weekend at the Hangout at Gulf Shores Public Beach.

The Friday Craft Beer Kickoff & Brew B'Que Celebration is from 6 - 11 p.m. and includes tastings of 60 beers from 30 breweries. Tickets are \$40 and \$50 at the door. Matt Maeson and Billy Raffoul will entertain and a vendors will be selling BBQ.

Saturday's Oyster Cook-Off is from 11 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. and wil feature competition in three categories (Rockefeller, Gulf Coast Cajun and Raw). Admission is \$10 per person, free for children 12 & under. Michael Ray and The Red Clay Strays will play. Tasting books are required to purchase food. Booklets are \$30 for 15 tickets.

More info: hangoutcookoff. com.

Celebrity chefs joining representatives from 40 restaurants at the fest include Martie Duncan, Justin Warner and Cory Bahr from The Food Network. Other attractions include selections of boutique-farmed oysters from New England, the Pacific Northwest, the Mid-Atlantic, California and the Gulf Coast, oyster shucking instructions sponsored by Alabama Gulf Seafood and the new Hands-On Demo Stage presented by Rouses Markets.

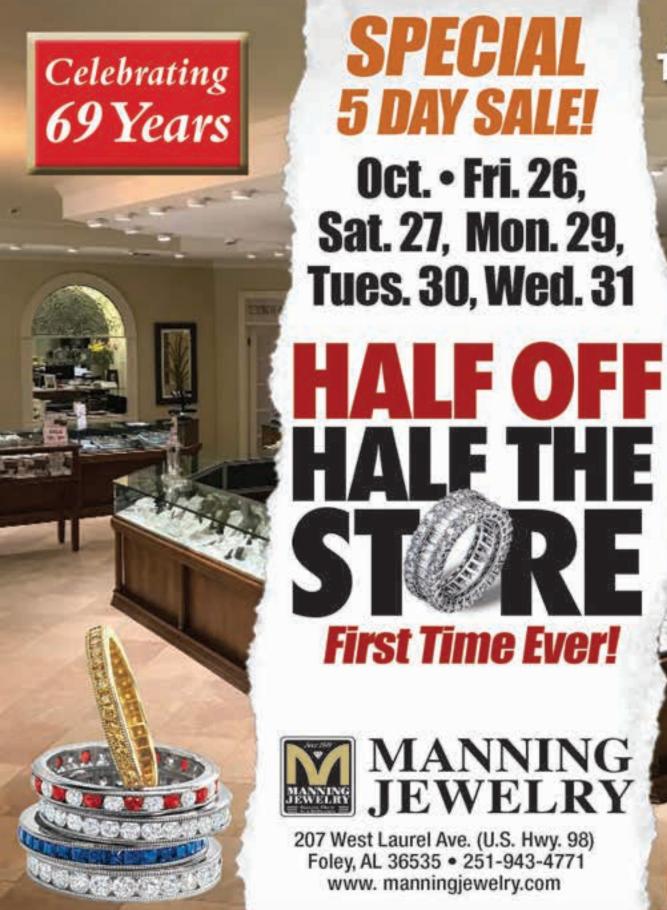
Among the most anticipated fest events are fastest oyster shucker an best bloody mary contests. More info: hangoutcookoff. com.







Local participating chefs include (clockwise from top left) Pete Blohme of Panini Pete's and The Sunset Grille; Irv Miller of Jackson's Steakhouse; Brody Olive of The Perdido Beach Resort; John Hamme of Coast Restaurant at The Beach Club; Nate Sloan of Rotolos; J.R. Hawkins of Picnic Beach; Brandon Lykins of King Neptune's Seafood Restaurant; Marcus Walden of The Hangout; Michelle Adair of Sunliner Diner; Zach Peninger of Gulf Island Grill. Not Pictured: Tim Hensley of The Royal Oyster; Joshua Mileski of Bar 45 at One Club; Landon Benton of Salt at San Roc Cay; grillican of Live Bait; Justin Componation of The Gulf.



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# Orange Beach to spend \$107,000 on recreation complex redesign

#### By John Mullen

Örange Beach is looking to spend about \$107,000 to begin a redesign of the recreation complex at the northwest corner of Canal Road and Wilson Boulevard.

"We're trying to maximize that property to get the most out of it because it's shrinking fast," Mayor Tony Kennon said during the Oct. 16 regular council meeting. The council also had a work session after the regular session and discussed how the city will send help to Bay County, Florida in the aftermath of Hurricane Michael.

The city's highly successful Expect Excellence program growth is taxing what space there is at the current recreation center.

"We don't have enough space for activities for our kids," Kennon said. "We're up to 230 kids in our after-school program and there's up to 80-90 over at Camp Sunshine."

A new gym and where it will go has already been decided to help alleviate this problem. It will go west of the current gym on the lawn between the recreation center and community center. Davis Architects will provide the design and engineering for the new gym at a cost of around \$72,000 and is working on an estimate for construction costs.

"We're adding on another gym to the current rec center because one's not enough with all the kids and the activities and the pickleball," Kennon said.

One fix he'd like to see is another building for older patrons separate from the current recreation center and new gym.

"We're also looking at building another building over near the pool and move all of the adults to that building," Kennon said. "The weight room, cardio room, aerobics room, everything and a basketball court for the adults. We have so many kids now, we've got adults and we have so many people coming from outside we don't know intertwined. We're going to separate the two. The current rec center will become an after school and training facility, education facility all for kids. That's sort of our vision and we're working through that."

Davis was also hired to come up with a master plan for phase one of the project and it will cost the city about \$35,000 which will include the new building. How it will look after it's done will be decided as they develop a plan, Kennon said.

"It's all up for discussion," Kennon said. "This is part of what we are asking them to do. Help us design where we want to put things and the traffic flow and how we would redesign traffic flow to accommodate both."

Not up for discussion is the new gym. Kennon and the council would like to see it up and running as soon as possible.

"We hope to have the gym next to the current rec center done within nine to 10 months," Kennon said. "We're moving as fast as we can to make sure we have it before next basketball season because we don't have enough gym space.

"The other building, I'd like to see it done in a year and a half to two years."

#### Hurricane Michael Relief

While most group are collecting cleaning supplies, hygiene items, first aid kits and pet needs, the City of Orange Beach is planning a special effort for first responders who are also victims of the storm.

"We're going to try to deploy an immediate team of employees to help with some things there in Bay County, Florida," City Administrator Ken Grimes said. "Within about two weeks they'll be in more full recovery mode and we're going to try to get their lives back in order. But right now, their first responders and everybody is in need there's just a whole lot of things we can do to help."

Grimes said citizens wanting to help have plenty of opportunities to with multiple organizations collecting supplies in the city.

"We are getting a lot of questions as to what is going on related to hurricane relief and support and I think it's important that a lot of our businesses are starting to rally donations," Grimes said. "We're being supportive where we can help but a lot of that right now it is not the time to go unless you are needed. Keep watching social media and city posts as a kind of guide if you want to make donations. I'd say through the churches is the best way right now."

During the regular session council:

• Passed a resolution awarding the bid for construction of the Backcountry Trail Interpretive Loop and Sidewalks to Cunningham DeLaney Construction in an amount not to exceed \$658,242.

• Passed a resolution authorizing the execution of a professional services agreement with Lathan Associates-Architects for architectural services and another hiring Lathan Associates-Architects to provide general city facility architectural services in an amount not to exceed \$43,000.

• Passed a resolution awarding the bid for holiday decorations to Winterland, Inc., in the amount of \$14,430.



**During the work session council also:** • A resolution awarding the contract for EMS Patient Transport Billing Serv• A resolution awarding the bid for design and construction of Metal Buildings at the Wastewater Treatment Plant.

• A resolution authorizing the execution of a memorandum of understanding with Baldwin County for a School Resources Officer.

• A resolution authorizing the execution of a professional services agreement with Computer Backup, Inc., for technology support and managed services.

• A resolution authorizing the execution of a task order with McCollough Architecture, Inc., to provide schematic design for a Coastal Resources Office Building in an amount not to exceed \$10,800.

• A resolution authorizing the execution of an addendum to the service agreement with Inner Parish Security Corporation for maintenance of the City's surveillance system.

• A resolution accepting the donation of a piano from Friends of the Arts.

• Voted against a resolution allowing Kimberly Goodwin to keep her pet spider monkey and various other exotic animals.

**Pictured:** Orange Beach Police Chief Joe Fiero introduced two new police officers at the Oct. 16 city council meeting. They are Kendra Bryan and Joseph Jinks. (City of Orange Beach photos)

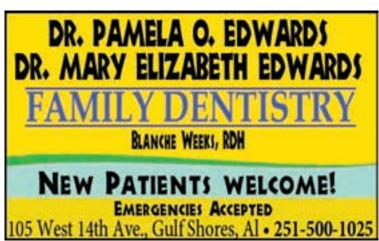


#### **Orange Beach Police & Fire to host free cook-out on Oct. 27** Waterfront Park event way to thank community for support



The community is invited to come out and spend some time with the Orange Beach Fire and Police Departments at a free cookout at Waterfront Park on Canal Rd. from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturday, October 27. The event was organized by the hosts as a way to say thank you to the community they love to serve.







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#### AROUND TOWN\_



#### Battle at Beach Pickleball Tourney Nov. 2-4 in Gulf Shores

The first annual Battle at the Beach Pickleball Tournament is coming to the George C Meyer Tennis Center in Gulf Shores November 2-4. Approximately 175 participants from around the country will descend upon Gulf Shores to compete in men's, women's and mixed doubles. Friday will be a practice round for all players.

"I really didn't know how many we will have sign up," said Eddie McDonald, local pickleball ambassador. "We started registration late and this tournament is the same week as the Pickleball Nationals Tournament in Indian Wells, California. We were hoping between 100-150 players would sign up. But to have nearly 175 players in our first year is fantastic. Our hope is to put on a first class event. If we can pull it off, our numbers next year will take care of itself."

The local pickleball community, with the support of the Gulf Shores and Orange Beach Sports Commission and the Gulf Shores Recreation Department, hope to make this event a huge success. McDonald would also love to see those come by the tennis center who may not be familiar with the sport.

"Everyone involved have been so helpful," McDonald said. "We are all hoping to make this the best tournament experience for all of our participants.

"I know there are a lot of people who may not know what pickleball is. There are others who have heard of the sport, but still have questions. I would love for all in our local community to come by and see what all the excitement is about," he said. **Pictured:** Local pickleball embassador Eddie McDonald; South Baldwin based pickleballers in action.

#### Grief Share Group, Surviving Holidays will meet Nov. 12

The Grief Share Group, Surviving The Holidays will meet on Monday, November 12 from 1-3 p.m. at Thomas B Norton Public Library in Gulf Shores. The meeting is ponsored by Peace Lutheran Church and will be led by Pastor David Zandt.

### Gumbo Bazaar at Magnolia Springs St. John's Nov. 17-18

The Annual Country Gumbo Bazaar at St. John's Catholic Church in Magnolia Springs will be held on Saturday, Nov. 17 from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Sunday, Nov. 18 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on the church's oak-shaded church grounds off County Road 26 West.

The area's best seafood gumbo and shrimp creole will be available. Also, expect to find handmade crafts, gift baskets and baked goods. A silent auction, raffle, with \$150 cash as 1st prize (drawing on Sunday at noon) will also help raise funds for church charities. Beverages will be available. More info: 251-988-1468 or 251-942-9067.

#### Baldwin Heart Walk November 3 at OWA

The 2018 Baldwin Heart Walk, an event to benefit the lifesaving work of the American Heart Association, will take place on November 3, 2018 beginning at 8:00 a.m. at OWA in Foley. Approximately 1,000 guests are expected to attend the walk.

Combining fitness and philanthropy, this annual walk brings together walk teams, individual walkers, survivors of heart disease and stroke, and lifestyle change heroes who are all taking steps toward a healthier lifestyle while raising funds to combat heart disease and stroke, the No. 1 and No. 5 leading killers of American men and women. Proceeds go toward funding research, education and community programs targeting these issues. For more info, call (228) 604-5316 or visit baldwinheartwalk.org.



LEGENDARY AD VISITS GCAC: Sam Jankovich (pictured), legendary athletic director at both Washington State and Miami, spoke to the GCAC membership at their recent meeting at the Craft Farms Golf Resort in Gulf Shores. Sam as the AD at Miami had three National Football Championships. He was also the CEO & Gen. Mgr. of the New England Patriots from 1991 to 1994. Sam flew down from his retirement home at Havden Lake, Idaho via Spokane, to Dallas, and to Mobile to speak to the group. He intended on spending the rest of the week on our famous beaches but was interrupted by Hurricane Michael. But he loved the area and the people and made his flights home safely to Spokane on Thursday after the Storm passed.

Upcoming GCAC speakears include Oct. 22-Joe Gottfried; Nov. 5-Sylvester Croom; Nov. 19-Cole Cublic. For GCAC membership info, call 251-223-3622.



#### World War Memories of Baldwin Co. Exhibit opens at BCHM

The sixth annual WWI & WWII - Memories of Baldwin County exhibit will be on display at the Baldwin County Heritage Museum (BCHM) in Elberta thru Dec. 16. Admission is free and the Museum is open from 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. Wednesday thru Saturday. The Exhibit is endorsed by the Alabama Bicentennial Commission and is sponsored by BCHM.

The Exhibit features the role Baldwin County played in World War II with the Navy's Outer Landing Fields (OLF), the training for the secret mission of Operation Ivory Soap, and the POW Camps in our county. Storyboards feature the military service of citizens from Baldwin County and civilians who were ground observers and work for Office of Price Administration. There are military artifacts along with home front items.

#### Feedsacks' role in war effort presentation scheduled Nov. 3

An added feature this year is a presentation by Coletta Bailey on FeedSacks: Their Role in WWI & WWII. Using a power point presentation along with examples of wartime feed sacks, Bailey explains the role of the cotton bag with focus on saving a nation from starvation in WWI and the bag manufacturers contribution to the war effort in WWII. The presentation will begin at 1 p.m. sharp on November 3 and is endorsed by Alabama Bicentennial Commission. The Exhibit and presentation are appropriate for all ages. Call 251-986-8375 or 251-228-0525 for more info.

### SBCT's presentation of The Crucible continues Oct 26-28

South Baldwin Community Theatre's production of The Crucible continues Oct. 26-28, with performances at 7:30 p.m. on Friday and Saturday and at 2 p.m. on Sunday. South Baldwin Community Theater is located at 2022 West 2nd St. in Gulf Shores.

Tickets are available at the Theatre Box Office before each show. Tickets are also available online at sbct.biz. Cost is \$15 for students and \$18 for adults.

Written by Arthur Miller in response to McCarthyism, The Crucible is a fictionalized account of the Salem Witch trials. This story focuses upon a young farmer, his wife, and a young servantgirl who maliciously causes the wife's arrest for witchcraft. The farmer brings the girl to court to admit the lie—and it is here that the monstrous course of bigotry and deceit is terrifyingly depicted. The farmer, instead of saving his wife, finds himself also accused of witchcraft and ultimately condemned with a host of others.



# Summit provides updates on RESTORE progress in Alabama

#### 22 projects valued at more than \$711 million of restoration efforts have occurred or are underway so far

#### By David Rainer

#### AL Dept. of Conservation and Natural Resources

Although the inaugural Governor's Restoration Summit had held a firm spot on Governor Kay Ivey's schedule for months, Hurricane Michael required a change of plans for Governor Ivey as the devastation left in its wake called for her immediate attention. Fortunately, Governor Ivey was able to leave the important business of the Summit under the leadership of Alabama Department of Conservation and Natural Resources Commissioner Chris Blankenship, a man very familiar with the Deepwater Horizon oil spill that initiated the 8-year path to the Summit.

The Summit, held last week at the Spanish Fort Community Center, provided updates on the progress of restoration efforts related to the Deepwater Hori-

With RESTORE funding, Alabama has been able to acquire more than 4,000 acres of environmentally sensitive coastal habitat. zon oil spill as well as the opportunity for public input on proposals for work that will continue for the foreseeable future.

"The most exciting thing to point out from the Summit is that 122 projects valued at more than \$711 million of restoration efforts have occurred or are underway so far in Alabama," Blankenship said. "We've done good work in all these restoration projects, but there is still more work to do. It's important

to have events like this to hear from the public about what's important to them and what type of projects we need to do moving forward to continue to restore Alabama.

"The settlement from BP will continue to be paid out over 15 years, through 2032, so it's a long process where we will be doing restoration work, and we want to continue to stay engaged with the public. We want to make sure we provide information about projects that are being done, how those projects are going and listen for what we can do better in the future."

The Deepwater Horizon oil spill that occurred in 2010 forever changed the way of life along the Gulf Coast from the economic impact to the curtailment of recreational opportunities and property access. In 2016, a settlement was reached with BP to fund restoration efforts and recover economic damages for Alabama and the rest of the Gulf states.

"Each of us has a special interest in preserving our state's natural resources," Blankenship said. "I love our coast and what it means to our way of life and quality of life here. This is my home and, for most of you, your home. As Commissioner, I commit to you that we will strive to ensure that our state remains Alabama the beautiful."

Blankenship said the interest citizens have shown in the state's natural resources continues to demonstrate that the state's most valuable resource is the people of Alabama. "It warms my heart to see so many people who care deeply for Alabama and its natural resources," he said. "Gov. Ivey also cares very much about the restoration work underway and what still needs to be done."

Blankenship shared the successes in Alabama from the \$711 million allocated for 122 restoration projects to date.

"With these projects, we are improving water quality in Mobile Bay and protecting the Grand Bay Savanna," he said. "We are protecting oyster habitats, turtle-nesting habitats, bird-nesting habitats and other wildlife. We are restoring the marsh and shoreline at Lightning Point in Bayou La Batre.

"We are expanding public fishing opportunities by restoring the fishing pier at Fort Morgan. We also have the beautiful new Lodge at Gulf State Park that will open on November 2. We are promoting growth in south Alabama's economy with important infrastructure projects."

Other types of restoration projects include oyster management, artificial reef construction and research, ecosystem research and improving the stranding response network for marine mammals.

"In case you've never heard me say this before, Alabama has the largest artificial reef program in the country," Blankenship said. "Through this funding, we have been able to build more artificial reefs and do research around those reefs that will continue to provide habitat and production for decades.

"And everybody loves oysters. A lot of work has been done and will be done to restore oysters."

Regarding community resilience, Blankenship said the goal is for a community to use available resources to respond to, withstand and recover from adverse situations like natural disasters and environmental catastrophes.

For economic development and enhancement, the projects include an Africatown Museum and Welcome Center as well as various road and highway improvements, Port of Mobile enhancements and water system improvements in coastal Alabama.

With RESTORE funding, Alabama has been able to acquire more than 4,000 acres of environmentally sensitive coastal habitat. So far more than \$100 million has been designated for land acquisition and conservation.

"ADCNR, in close coordination with the Forever Wild Land Trust program, as well as state and federal partners, has invested and will continue to invest in land conservation and other restoration efforts across coastal Alabama," Blankenship said.

The Commissioner said watershed management plans are a foundational piece of the restoration strategy with the goal of improving water quality.

"Clearly, we are making progress, but we're not stopping there," Blankenship said. "We need to do more. I'm grateful to our federal partners and local partners on each of these projects."

The Governor's Office and ADCNR recently produced the 2018 Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill Restoration Progress Report that highlights the progress through the middle of 2018. Go to alabamacoastalrestoration. org to review the complete report online.

"The Governor's Restoration Summit is the first opportunity we have had to put together a document that has all the projects showcased in one place, regardless of funding source," Blankenship said. "When all the projects are grouped by restoration type it shows that, overall, restoration projects for Alabama cover all restoration types pretty fairly and that when aggregated it is over 120 projects and \$711 million, which is pretty impressive.

"The important part is these projects come from you (the public). These projects started with a suggestion from somebody – a group, an organization, a municipality, a county or state agency. That is the primary reason for this summit – to hear from you on projects from 'Bucket 2' of the federal RESTORE Act. Restoration is definitely a team effort. The Governor's Restoration Summit further proves the power of working together."

Over the next 15 years about \$1.4 billion is allocated to Alabama for restoration projects related to the Deepwater Horizon oil spill from NRDA, NFWF and the Alabama RESTORE Council. About \$1.6 billion will be allocated by the federal RESTORE Council gulf-wide from Bucket 2. That money is not distributed or divided to each state by any formula. All five Gulf states and six federal agencies will work to put together a plan that meets project needs in each state. Ben Scaggs, Executive Director of the Gulf Coast Ecosystem Restoration Council, participated in the Summit and shared with the attendage planet.

Summit and shared with the attendees plans and timelines for developing Funded Priorities Lists by the federal RESTORE Council over the next two years as well as over the next couple of decades.

**Pictured:** The New Venture, a 250-foot research vessel, was deployed off the Alabama Gulf Coast using funds from the RESTORE Act. A portion of those RE-STORE funds are also being used to replenish oyster habitat and expand artificial reef programs that benefit the Gulf reef fish population. (Photos by David Rainer)





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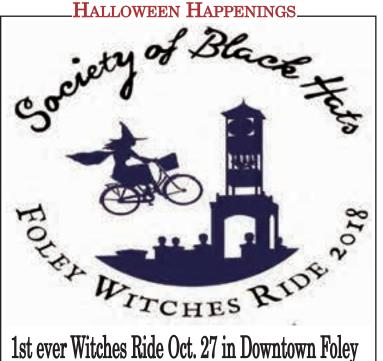
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#### 1st ever Witches Ride Oct. 27 in Downtown Foley

#### By Anne Stevens

Society of Black Hats announces the 1st ever Foley Witches Ride that will take place on Saturday, October 27 in downtown Foley. The community is invited to come out and watch over 150 witches ride to raise money for Family Promise and the Backpack feeding program. The ride will have its very own Grand Witch, Mrs. Margaret Krupinski, who will lead this unique and fun bike parade. The event begins at 5 p.m. with the witches riding west on West Jessamine Avenue, then north on North Pine Street, west on West Satsuma Avenue, south on North Oak Street, east on West Rose Avenue, south on North Pine Street, east on West Jessamine Avenue. At the conclusion of the Witches Ride there will be an after party at the Magnolia Hotel Courtyard.

All riders will have free entry to the party, others, must pay a \$10 donation to enter. All participants must be 21 & older to ride and party. There will be live music and food trucks on site, bring your chair and your favorite witchy beverage and enjoy and frightfully fun evening for a good cause.

To sign up please go to foleywitchesride 2018.eventbrite.com, the fee to ride is \$35. You can also follow us on Facebook at Foley Witches Ride and or email questions to foleywitchesride @gmail.com.

### Annual Foley Uptown Halloween Party Oct. 25

With a touch of fall in the air, it's time to get those spooky and awesome costumes ready for the annual Uptown Foley Halloween Party, set this year for Thursday, Oct. 25 from 5:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. Plan to join in the festivities in the streets of historic downtown Foley as merchants, local businesses, churches, clubs and civic groups join together to create a fun-filled and safe Halloween party for all ages.

Admission is free and the event takes place rain or shine. The Halloween party boasts a large assortment of games, costume contest (think original and creative - infants to adult), inflatable bounce houses, balloon creations, a hayride ... and lots of trick-or-treating! There will be even more booths this year as merchants and organizations gear up to give the community a safe and happy Halloween celebration. Local Boy Scout Troop 77 will be selling hot dogs, pizza, cotton candy and many of your other favorite snack foods as well as the annual cake walk full of tasty desserts. Booth space is still available and there is no charge to set up a booth.

Please contact Beverly Manley, events coordinator with the city of Foley at 251-943-1300, for your business, church or civic group to reserve a booth. Pictured: Fun times at Uptown Halloween 2017.

#### Graham Creek Haunted Forest Oct. 26-27

Graham Creek will host its 4th year of the Haunted Forest on October 26 & 27. This year the forest will open at 7 p.m. offering entry every 20 minutes until 10 pm.

Participants will embark on a wagon to enter the haunted forest where they will walk 1/3 mile with a storyteller. Local legends and tales are the basis of the haunts. Visitors should wear close toed shoes. Tickets are \$15 per person and may be purchased in advance on eventbrite.com or at Graham Creek Interpretive Center with cash. Don't get lost in the forest. This event is not for the faint at heart as it is geared for late teens and adults. Graham Creek Nature Preserve is located at 23460 Wolf Bay Dr. in Foley.

#### Wales West Pumpkin Express through Oct. 31

Pumpkin Patch Express and Scary Night Train continues nightly at Wales West through October 31. It is open weekdays from 5-9 p.m. and weekends from 1-9 p.m. Tickets may be purchased online or onsite. Cost is \$15 per person, plus tax; with children 2 and under admitted free. For more info, visit waleswest.com or call 251-232-2322 or 888-569-5337. Wales West is located at 13670 Smilev St. in Silverhill.

Ride an authentic Steam Train to the Haunted Barn Maze and Kiddie-Friendly Pumpkin Patch, decorate a Free Pumpkin, enjoy the Mini-Train Ride, Hay Ride, Bounce House, Pumpkin Cannon, Petting Zoo/Pony Rides, Cafe, and Gift Shop available for a slight fee. Day trains are kid friendly.



# **Treasures of Isle host Oct. 27 Halloween Party**

The Treasures of the Isle Halloween Costume Party will be held Saturday October 27 from 7 - 11 p.m. at the Orange Beach Event Center at the Wharf. Wear your most spooktacular or creative costume and qualify for Prizes for Best Male, Female, & Couple. Plus, Best Group Costumes and Decorated Table. Dance to music from The Knee Deep Band. Tickets are \$25 in advance and \$30 at the door. Tickets include light appetizers. (BYOB). Setups are provided. For additional information call Rusti Price 205-910-0279. Limited tickets are available at Tacky Jacks Orange Beach Gift Shop or Tacky Jacks Gulf Shores Gift Shop or any TOI Member. Pictured: Scenes from the 2017 TOI Halloween Party.

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### HALLOWEEN HAPPENINGS Wharf's Oct. 27 Spooky on the Lawn event includes hay rides, treats and family movie

Gather on the Wharf Marina Lawn with for an evening of spellcasting, cinematic fun. Come down before the movie and enjoy a hayride provided by Kutter's Landscaping or any of the familyfriendly activities during the October 27 Spooky on The Lawn event at the Orange Beach shopping center. Bring a blanket or some chairs and get comfy with your crew. Come dressed in costume and trick or treat at participating shops beginning at 2 p.m. Complimentary popcorn by AMC Theatre and free hot chocolate from The Southern Grind! Trick or Treat begins at 2 p.m. Participating stores will be identified with door hangers. Kids activities begin at 4 p.m., including pony rides, face painting and bouncy house. Hayrides are from 5-7 p.m. The movie begins at 7:30 p.m.

#### Christian Life Church Trunk or Treat Oct. 31 at The Wharf

Christian Life - The Island Church will host its annual Trunk or Treat, a spectacular family festival, on Halloween night, Oct. 31 from 6-8:30 p.m. all along Main St. and Wharf Pkwy. at The Wharf on Canal Rd. in Orange Beach. In addition to lots - and we mean lots - of candy for children of all ages, there will be a costume contest for all the festive folks and kid's activities galore. This safe and festive event is the best alternative to door-to-door trick or treating and is appropriate for all ages. Everyone is invited to participate, and candy will be distributed from a long lines of decorated cars. For more information, call Christian Life - The Island Church in Orange Beach at 251-967-4840.

### \$2,000 up for grabs at 'Bama costume contest

The Flora-Bama Halloween Costume Contest and Big-Earl-O-Ween will be held on Wednesday, October 31. Big Earl and the Sexual Biscuits will be heading up the tent stage at 8 p.m. with Big Earl set to emcee the costume contest beginning at 9 p.m. All patrons dressed up in costume get in free and can sign up the night of the contest by the tent stage. Cash & prizes awarded to first, second and third place total more than \$2000.

#### Two parties at Post 44

American Legion Post 44 in Gulf Shores will host its Zombie Dance Party on Saturday, Oct. 27 from 6 to 10 p.m. featuring The Legend Band and a Zombie themed costume contest with cash prizes and a dance contest. The second party is on Sunday, Oct. 28 from 5 to 9 p.m. with Music Man and Co. This is also the October Birthday Bash and



## Foley Library Halloween Extravaganza Oct. 27

The Foley Public Library's 5th Annual Halloween Extravaganza will be held on Saturday, Oct. 27 from 6-9 p.m. This is a family friendly event with something for all ages. For more info, call 251-943-7665 or visit foleylibrary.org or look us up on Facebook. There will be an outside carnival in the front/south parking lot with a book walk, face painting, balloon artistry, Candyland, a bean bag toss, an obstacle course, a Sponge Bob Toilet Toss, Mad Slime-atists, and more. A live DJ will be on hand to supply music and book themed characters will be in attendance throughout the carnival. Feel free to stop them for a photo op. For our older guests, we will have a frightening "Gore & More" Haunted Stacks Tour through the upstairs of the library. This is recommended for teens and adults. That means super scary! **Pictured:** Costumers at last year's party.

## Full day of kids Halloween fun Oct. 27 at LuLu's

Enjoy a day full afternoon of Halloween festivities and kid's costume contest at LuLu's Annual BooLu's. Grab a broomstick and fly in for the fun from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturday, October 27. BooLu's will have pumpkin decorating, kid's crafts, inflatable play area, and costume contest. Trunk or Treat will feature trick-or-treating on the LuLu's grounds during BooLu's with various businesses and non-profits handing out candy treats to the little goblins. Registration and judging for the costume contest, by age category, will be from 2 to 5pm. Kids can come dressed in their most creative costumes such as witches, zombies, ghosts, super heroes, fairies and the like to partake in the costume contest with prizes for the winners. Best of all, this day of fun events is all free.

"All in all, it's a great Halloween celebration for kids of all ages and their families," said Lucy Buffett, LuLu's owner and author. "BooLu's is definitely in keeping with our family-oriented tradition at LuLu's. We love spreading the gumbo love!"

LuLu's in Gulf Shores is located at the northern foot of the bridge off Gulf Shores Parkway at 200 East 25th Avenue. For further information, call (251) 967-5858, or visit lulubuffett.com/gulf-shores and Facebook, Twitter and Instagram.

## Trunk-or-Treat Oct. 31 at Perdido Bay Methodist

If you've ever attended the event before, then you already know that on Wednesday, Oct. 31, the place to be for the best Halloween candy opportunity on the Gulf Coast is Perdido Bay United Methodist Church. The annual tradition will be held from 5:30-6:30 p.m. on the church's Innerarity Point Rd. campus in Pensacola.

Come out and park on the front lawn, bring your lawn chairs and candy or treats, pop open the trunk (decorate if you want), and let the children come to your car. Trunk-or-Treat has become a favorite community event for area children and adults! This is a great way to encourage a safe environment for the kids to have fun without going door to door.

There will be delicious hamburgers and hotdogs for sale, and, of course, trunk loads of treats. If you plan to enter the trunk decorating contest and take ownership of the coveted "Trunk-or-Treat Trophy" for a year, please arrive well before 5:30 p.m. Friendly costumes are encouraged. For more info, call 850-492-2135.

## Town of Terror part of OWA's Park After Dark

Halloween makes a comeback at OWA with another jam-packed season of tricks and treats for all ages. In addition to OWA's Town of Terror: Circus Asylum, The Park at OWA will also feature kid-friendly events every Saturday and Sunday from 5:30-7:30 p.m. throughout October.

Each Saturday and Sunday in October, OWA's gated amusement park will have Halloween-themed fun for "The Park After Dark." From daytime activities to family-friendly evening events, The Park After Dark is the perfect place to make Halloween memories with the young ones. Once inside The Park at OWA, enjoy free activities such as a pumpkin painting contest, trick-or-treating, rock painting, a costume contest, and hay bale maze with friendly costumed characters. Plus, you can also enjoy unlimited access to more than 21 different attractions throughout the day with Park admission. For more info, go to VisitOWA.com.

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#### WHAT'S HAPPENING



### Pink Event & PJ Party Nov. 3 at Bodenhamer Center

The Fifth Annual Pink Beach Event & PJ Party will be held on Nov. 3 from 9:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. at the Bodenhamer Center, located at 310 West 19th Ave. in Gulf Shores. Zumba starts at 10:30 a.m. and a cash only silent auction starts at 10 a.m. Wear your PJ's andd join the fun. The event is a fundraiser for Joy To Life.org, a charity that raises awareness and funds for breast cancer and research. Tickets are \$10 per person, with kids admitted free. There will be Classic Cars parked outside the Bodenhamer. A photo area and concessions will also be part of the event. Patrons are encouraged to wear PJ's and enjoy the fun. For more info, contact host Sherie Coyne, a Gulf Shores based licensed zumba instructor, at 251-377-1050. Pictured: Fun at the 2017 Pink Beach Event.

### WED, OCT 24 • Flora-Bama Possible Probables: 2 p.m.

'til; (Sched. on pages 32-33), Flora-Bama, Perdido Key.

• Flora-Bama Bingo: free; 1-4 p.m.; great prizes, family friendly; 17401 Perdido Key Dr., Perdido Key.

• Pumpkin Patch Express: Wales West RV Park, 1-9 p.m.; 13650 Smiley St., Silverhill.

• Adam Holt: 5; Lulu's at Homeport Marina, Gulf Shores.

 Open Mic: 5:30; Tacky Jacks, Gulf Shores.

• John Brust: 6; The Lobby Bar at Perdido Beach Resort; Órange Beach.

 Bailey Middle School Benefit for their Positive Behavior Program & Crayon Drive for the Crayon Initiative: 8; Live Bait, Orange Beach.

• Rodger Plemons: 5; Tacky Jacks, Ft. Morgan.

• John Lee Sanders: 6; Voyagers Restaurant at Perdido Beach Resort; Orange Beach.

• Karaoke: 10; The Undertow; Orange Beach.

• Karaoke w. Cindy & Mary: 5; American Legion Post 99; Foley.

• West Coast Swing Dance: 7; American

Legion Post 199; Fairhope. • Karaoke w. Aaron Phillips: 6; American

Legion Post 44, Gulf Shores.
John Joiner & Friends: 7; Hub Stacy's,

Innerarity Point. • Smokey Otis & Mark Laborde: 8; Pappa

Rocco's; Gulf Shores.

• Karaoke: 9; The Office, Foley.

• Big Beach Running Club: 5:30 p.m.; Big Beach Brewery in Gulf Shores; all levels welcome.

• Magnolia Springs Garden Club: 10; 4th Wed. Oct - May; Magnolia Springs Community Hall; guests & new members are always welcome!

• Family Night Dinner & Activities: 5:45 p.m.; Saint Andrew by the Sea, 17263 Fort Morgan Rd., Gulf Shores; 678-361-2762

• Open Mixed Doubles Tennis: 7:15 a.m.; all levels welcome; Gulf Shores Tennis Center; corner of West 19th Ave. and West 2nd St.

• Veteran's Bingo: 10 a.m. -2 p.m.; American Legion Post 99, Foley.

• Grief Support Group: 10 a.m.; Perdido Bay UMC Activities Center, 13660 Inner arity Point Rd., (Innerarity Point) Pensacola; 850-492-2135

 Food Bank: 9-11 a.m every Wednesday, Perdido Bay Baptist Church, 12600 Sorrento Rd. Pensacola; call for eligiblity requirements at (850) 492-2604.

• Bread Ministry: 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.; Orange Beach United Methodist Church Brook's Center.

• Food Ministry For Hungry Families: noon-1 p.m.; Grace Lutheran Church, cor-

ner of West 23rd Ave. and West 4th St. in Gulf Shores; 251-968-5991.

• Perdido Key Rotary Club: 7:30 a.m.; every Wednesday at Triggers. 850.492.8335.

• Storytime at Pensacola Southwest

Branch Library: free; infant to 5; 10:30-11; 12238 Old Gulf Beach Hwy; (850)453-7780

• Gulf Shores Lions Club: noon; 2nd & 4th Wednesday; noon; Gulf Shores Adult Activity Center, 300 E. 16th Avenue; 251 968-2823

• AA: Noon; Perdido Bay UMC Worship Center, 13660 Innerarity Point Rd., (Innerarity Point) Pensacola.



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Pumpkin Patch Express: Wales West RV Park, 1-9 p.m.; 13650 Smiley St., Silverhill.
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 Smokey Otis & Mark Laborde: 7; Pappa Rocco's; Gulf Shores.

 Alabama Adult Combo Tennis State Champi-onships: Peninsula Golf and Racquet Club, Gulf Shores.

• Open Mic: 7; Snapper's; Orange Beach. • Coconut Radio: 2; Sassy Bass Amazin' Grill, Ft. Morgan.

• Karaoke on our Tiki Bar: 8; Live Bait, Orange Beach.

• Justin Yawn: 5; Lulu's at Homeport Marina, Gulf Shores.

• John Lee Sanders: 6; Voyagers Restaurant at Perdido Beach Resort; Orange Beach.

• Bridge: noon; American Legion Post 44, Gulf Shores. • John Brust: 6; Lobby Bar at Perdido Beach Resort;

Orange Beach.

- Greg Lyon: 7; Hub Stacy's, Innerarity Point. Karaoke: 5:30; Tacky Jacks, Gulf Shores.
- Karaoke: 8; Tacky Jacks, Ft. Morgan.

 Karaoke: 10; The Undertow; Orange Beach.24 Smokey Otis & Mark Laborde: 8; Pappa Rocco's; Gulf Shores.

• 8 Ball APA: 7:30; The Office, Foley.

• Bingo: 10 a.m.; American Legion Post 44, 6781

**Marine Corps League of South Baldwin County:** 6 p.m. on 4th Thursday; The Gulf Bowl, 2881 S.
 Jupiter St., Foley; current and former Marines and County of the County of the

Corpsman welcome. • Rotary Club of Gulf Shores/Orange Beach: noon; Gulf Shores Golf Club; visiting Rotarians and guests invited; 251-968-2000.

 Gulf Shores United Methodist Church Bread Ministry: 9-10; every Thursday; room 103 on the south

campus, next to Crossroad; 251 968-2411. • South Alabama Senior Travelers: 9 a.m; Foley Senior Center; visitors welcome; 251-928-4494. • South Baldwin Amateur Radio Club: 7 p.m. 4th Thurs. of every month; Baldwin County Emergency Operations Center, McAuliffe Rd., Robertsdale; 251-042-9052 943-2953.

• **Bingo:** Bear Point Civic Association on Bay La Launch Rd. in Orange Beach; doors open at 6:30

p.m., games at 7 p.m; hotdogs, drinks and snacks available; all invited; 981-5734.
Orange Beach Bridge Club: Tue. & Thur at noon; Orange Beach Senior Center; visitors and new members welcomed even without a partner; 251-981-0449 3440.

• AA: Noon; Perdido Bay UMC Worship Center, 13660 Innerarity Point Rd., (Innerarity Point) Pensacola.

FRI, OCT 26 • Flora-Bama Possible Probables: 2 p.m. 'til; (Sched. on pages 32-33), Flora-Bama, Perdido Key. • Flora-Bama Bingo: free; 1-4 p.m.; great prizes, family friendly; 17401 Perdido Key Dr., Perdido Key. • The Crucible: 7:30 p.m.; South Baldwin Community Theatre; Gulf Shores.

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#### Battles of Tarawa & Makin Island Living History Nov. 2-3

Fort Morgan will host a living history event in remembrance of the 75th Anniversary of the Battles of Tarawa and Makin Island on Nov. 2-3 from 9 a.m. 'til 5 p.m. both days. The event will include WWII weapons demonstrations and living history programs sponsored by the Sgt. Foster L. Harrington Detachment #1449 of the Marine Corps League. Regular admission prices for the fort will be charged. Ft. Morgan is 18 miles west of Hwy. 59 in Gulf Shores on the Ft. Morgan Peninsula.



#### Blue Angels homecoming shows Nov. 2-3 at NAS Pensacola

The 2018 NAS Pensacola Blue Angels Homecoming Air Show will be held Nov. 2-3 onboard NAS Pensacola. Gates open at 8 a.m., the show starts at 9:30 a.m., and the Blue Angels take off from Sherman Field between 1:30 p.m. and 2 p.m., after demonstrations from 11 other aerial professionals. Admission and parking are free, and preferred paid seating options are available at naspensacolaairshow.com. (Cathy Deal photo)

• Town of Terror: Circus Asylum: 6 p.m.; OWA Town Center; 1501 OWA Blvd Foley.

• Pumpkin Patch Express: Wales West RV Park, 1-9 p.m.; 13650 Smiley St., Silverhill.

• The Park After Dark at OWA: 5:30 p.m.; 1501 South OWA Blvd. Foley. Alabama Adult Combo Tennis State Championships: Peninsula Golf and Rac-

quet Club, Gulf Shores. Rib Eye Dinner to help Veterans and

Families: 5 p.m.; music & dancing at 7 p.m.; American Legion Post 44; Gulf Shores

• My Girl, My Whiskey & Me: 6:30 p.m.; Big Beach Brewing Company, Gulf Shores

- Ronnie Caldwell: 7; The Office, Foley. • Bo Grant (formerly of The Platters): 7;
- Papa Rocco's; Gulf Shores. Sandra Kaye & The Legends: 8; Lucky Horseshoe, Fairhope.
- Beyond The Break: 7; Hub Stacy's, Innerarity Point.
- Club DJ's: 9; Live Bait, Orange Beach. • Karaoke on our Tiki Bar: 8; Live Bait,
- Orange Beach. • Lee Yankie: 5; Lulu's at Homeport Ma-
- rina, Gulf Shores. John Lee Sanders: 6; Lobby Bar at Per-

dido Beach Resort; Orange Beach. • Karaoke w. John Henry: 5; American

- Legion Post 99; Foley.
- **Karaoke:** 8; Snapper's; Orange Beach. **Karaoke:** 10; The Undertow; Orange Beach
- Open Jam: 8; American Legion Post 199; Fairhope.

• Open Mixed Doubles Tennis: 7:15 a.m.; all levels welcome; Gulf Shores Tennis Center; corner of West 19th Ave. and West 2nd St.

• Bingo: 5:30; Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 5659; Elberta.

• Alcoholics Anonymous: noon; Perdido Bay UMC Worship Center; 13660 Innerarity Pt. Rd.; 850-492-3056 or 492-6362.

SAT, OCT 27 • Opera "La Fanciulla del West" by Giacomo Puccini: 11:55 a.m.; in high definition from The Metropolitan Opera, Cobb Pinnacle 14 movie theater.

• Flora-Bama Possible Probables: 2 p.m. 'til; (Sched. on pages 32-33), Flora-Bama, Perdido Key.

 The Original German Sausage Festival: 9 to 5; Elberta Town Park.

• The Crucible: 7:30 p.m.; South Baldwin Community Theatre; Gulf Shores.

• Town of Terror: Circus Asylum: 6 p.m.; OWA Town Center: 1501 OWA Blvd

Foley. Alabama Adult Combo Tennis State

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Club, Gulf Shores.

• John Brust: 6; The Lobby Bar at Perdido Beach Resort; Orange Beach. • Pumpkin Patch Express: Wales West RV Park, 1-9 p.m.; 13650 Smiley St., Silverhill.

 Adult Halloween Party: 6:30.; American Legion Post 99; Foley.

 5th Annual Speckled Trout Tournament Weigh-In Party and Fish Fry: St. Paul's Episcopal Chapel; Magnolia Springs, (251) 965-7452.

• Sirens of the Sea Treasure Troves Estate Sale: 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.; Pelican Place at Craft Farms; Gulf Shores, (251) 923-6082 Halloween BooLu's and Trunk or Treat: 2-6 p.m.; Lucy Buffett's LuLu's; Gulf Shores, (251) 967-5858.

• Spooky Movie on the Lawn; dusk; The Wharf in Orange Beach; Come down before the movie and enjoy a hayride & other activities.

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### SEC Women's Soccer Championship starts Oct. 28 in O.B.

Vandy, Arkansas, South Carolina, Texas A&M, Tennessee among nation's best

First round matches in the single elimination SEC Women's Soccer Championship between the respective 10th & 7th seeded teams and 8th & 9th seeded teams are scheduled on Sunday, Oct. 28 at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. at the Orange Beach Sportsplex.

The quarterfinals will be played on Oct. 30 at noon, 2:30 pm., 5



p.m. and 7:30 p.m., with the surviving semifinalists set to play on Nov. 1 at 3:30 p.m. and 6 p.m. The tourney final will be played on Sunday, Nov. 4 at 2 p.m. and will be televised live on ESPN.

The tourney will include the top 10 teams in the conference based on winning percentage of conference games (regardless of division). The tourney winner receives the SEC's automatic bid to the NCAA Division I

Women's Soccer Championship.

Orange Beach has a contract to host the women's title tournament through 2020, at the very least. The Orange Beach Sportsplex is located at 4389 William Silvers Parkway in Orange Beach, about 1 mile from the Foley Beach Express exit on Canal Road. Tickets will be available at the gate. Adult tickets are \$5 per game and children (K-12) are \$2 per day.

Texas A&M (pictured) got an 88th minute goal from Emily Bates to top the Arkansas Razorbacks, 2-1, in the 2017 SEC Tournament championship match.

The SEC standings with league records on Oct. 23: Vanderbilt, 8-0-1; Arkansas, 6-2-1; South Carolina, 6-2-1; Tennessee, 6-2-1; Ole Miss, 5-3-1; Texas A&M, 5-3-1; LSU, 4-4-1; Florida, 3-4-2; Auburn, 3-5-1; Missouri, 3-5-1; Alabama, 2-5-2; Mississippi St, 2-5-2; Georgia, 1-5-3; Kentucky, 0-9-0.

Texas A&M is ranked fourth and South Caroina eighth nationally. Vanderbilt is ranked 12th and Tennessee 18th nationally. Those teams are already assured at large slots in the the NCAA Championship Tourney that starts the following week. Mississippi State is ranked 25th and Auburn and Arkansas also received votes in the poll. The championship field of 64 teams includes 31 conference champions who qualify automatically; the balance of the field is selected at-large by the NCAA Division I Women's Soccer Committee.

There are 333 NCAA member institutions that sponsor Division I Women's Soccer teams and are eligible to compete in the National Championship Tourney. The 2018 Women's College Cup will be held at WakeMed Soccer Park in Cary, North Carolina. Single elimination semifinals games will be held November 30. The winners compete for the national championship on Dec. 2.

#### Winter Invitational Dec. 8-9 at GlenLakes

Foley's GlenLakes Golf Club will host its annual Winter 2-Player Invitational Dec. 8-9. The entry fee is \$100 per team and play starts at 8:30 a.m. both days in Championship, Net & Couples flights. Players must have handicap or verification. Cart fee is not included. Entry deadline is Dec. 5 and play is limited to 60 teams. For more info, call David Musial, PGA General Manager, GlenLakes Golf Club, 251-955-1220-X4 or email musialgolf@ yahoo.com. GlenLakes Golf Club is located at 9530 Clubhouse Drive in Foley.

#### Foley Rotary Oyster 5K Nov. 10 at Blossom Square

The 26th Annual Foley Rotary Club Oyster Run 5K Run/Walk & 1 Mile Fun Run & Baldwin Bike Fest will be held on Saturday, Nov. 10 at Orange Blossom Square in Foley. The 5K run starts at 8 a.m. and the one mile run at 9 a.m.

The out and back 3.1 mile (5K) course begins and finishes at Orange Blossom Square. Water is supplied on the course with splits at each mile. Awards will be presented in all age divisions masters divisions at 10 a.m. during the post race party. Runners are treated to food, beverages, and lots of door prizes, including a weekend stay at the Beach, during the post race party. Money raised benefits Rotary charities. 5K registration is \$20 before the race or \$25 on race morning. For more info, call Dr. Chance McLemore at 251-943-3368 or register at active.com.

#### Artists can submit work for Hot Air Balloon Fest poster

The 15th Annual Gulf Coast Hot Air Balloon Festival committee is seeking an artist to produce the t-shirt and poster artwork for the 2019 Gulf Coast Hot Air Balloon Festival. Artwork must be original and artists submitting work must be 18 years \$500. Artists are asked to submit proposed sketches/drafts by Friday, November 2. Submissions should be delivered to the South Baldwin Chamber at 112 West Laurel Ave in Foley or mailed to PO Box 1117, Foley, AL. 36535.

Gulf Shores; 251-968-5732. • Foley Witches Ride: 5:30 p.m.; after party in the alleyway behind the Hotel Magnolia, Foley; benefits Family Promise. • JoJo Press & Halloween Party: 9; drink specials, costume contest; The Office, Foley.

• Annual Treasure of the Isle Halloween Costume Party: Orange Beach Event

Center at The Wharf; 205-910-0279. • Halloween Bash and Costume Contest: Live Bait Food & Spirits; Orange Beach; 251-974-1612.

• The Park After Dark at OWA: 5:30 p.m.; 1501 South OWA Blvd. Folev.

• Foley Library's 5th Annual Halloween Extravaganza: 6 p.m.; Foley Public Library; 319 E. Laurel Ave.

 5th Annual Speckled Trout Tournament Weigh-In Party and Fish Fry: 6:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.; St. Paul's Episcopal Chapel; 14755 Oak Street Magnolia Springs.

• Karaoke on our Tiki Bar: 8; Live Bait, Orange Beach.

- Whyte Capps: 7; Hub Stacy's, Innerarity Point.
- Bingo: 6; American Legion Post 44, Gulf Shores, open to pubic.
- Club DJ's: 9; Live Bait, Orange Beach.
- **Bo Grant (formerly of The Platters):** 7; Papa Rocco's; Gulf Shores.

• John Brust: 6; Lobby Lounge at Perdido Beach Resort; Orange Beach.

 Nikki Talley Duo: 5; Lulu's at Homeport Marina, Gulf Shores. • Karaoke By Kelly: 9: Island Time

- Daquari Bar, The Wharf, Orange Beach. • Karaoke: 8; Tacky Jacks, Ft. Morgan.

• Open Jam: 8, American Legion Post

199; Fairhope.

• Karaoke: 10; The Undertow; Orange Beach

 Optimist Club of Perdido Bay: breakfast every Saturday at 7 a.m. at the Lillian Community Club in Lillian; (251) 961-2620

• AA: 10 a.m.; Perdido Bay UMC Worship Center, 13660 Innerarity Point Rd., (Innerarity Point) Pensacola.

• AA: 7 p.m.; Perdido Bay UMC Worship Center, 13660 Innerarity Point Rd., (Innerarity Point) Pensacola.

 Ladies AA: 9 a.m.; Perdido Bay UMC Worship Center, 13660 Innerarity Point Rd., (Innerarity Point) Pensacola.

SUN, OCT 28 • Central Flora-Bama Church: Church experiences, 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.; Flora-Bama Tent Stage, Perdido Key. Unity Church Beach Service: 9:45 a.m.: The Royal Oyster, Hwy. 59, three blocks

from beach in Gulf Shores. • The Crucible: 2 p.m.; South Baldwin

Community Theatre; Gulf Shores. • Town of Terror: Circus Asylum: 6 p.m.;



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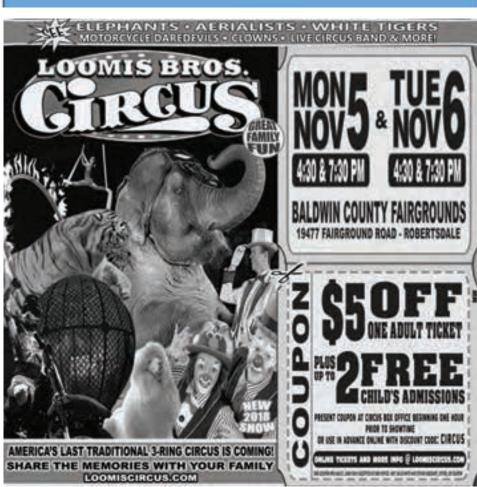


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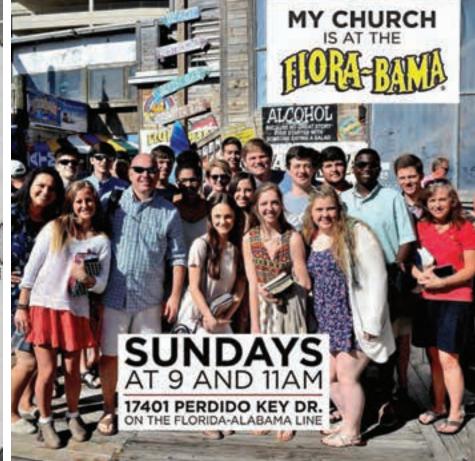
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#### WHAT'S HAPPENING

# COOKIN' WITH CAROLYN By Carolyn Godfrey

#### Bats and Cobwebs

I found this recipe from Allrecipes online. The bow-tie pasta is the bats and the stringy,gooey mozzarella cheese is the cobwebs. Use your favorite pasta sauce and you can't miss.

- 1 (8 oz.) pkg bow tie pasta
- 1 pound ground beef
- 1 small onion, chopped (opt.)
- 1 (28 oz.) jar pasta sauce

8 oz. mozzarella cheese, cut into 1/2 inch cubes 1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese

Preheat oven to 400 degrees. Fill a large pot with lightly salted water, bring to a rolling boil over high heat. Stir in the bow tie pasta and return to a boil. Boil pasta, stirring occasionally, until cooked through but still firm to the bite, about 12 min. Drain well. Cook and stir ground beef and onion in a large skillet until beef is no longer pink, about 5 minutes. Drain fat. Stir in pasta sauce and bring to a boil. Reduce heat to simmer. Stir cooked pasta and half of the mozzarella cheese into the sauce; toss to combine.. Transfer to a 2-quart baking dish. Top with remaining mozzarella and Parmesan cheese. Bake in preheated oven until lightly browned and bubbly, 15 to 20 minutes. **Enjoy!** 

### Harvest - Festival of Gifts Nov. 3 at G. S. Methodist

Join Gulf Shores United Methodist Church Mother's Day Out & Preschool on Saturday, November 3 from 9am to 3pm for its 10th annual fundraiser, The Harvest - A Festival of Gifts, at GSUMC's south campus behind Zaxby's. Proceeds from The Harvest will benefit the Mother's Day Out & Preschool scholarship fund. Admission is free and the first 200 guests will receive a free shopping bag. For more info, call 251-968-4328, or visit gulfshoresumc.org.

You won't want to miss the special 10th Anniversary diamond pendant necklace giveaway valued at \$890, courtesy of Diamond Jewelers of Gulf Shores. You do not need to be present to win. The Harvest will highlight local artists and crafters selling their original, homemade creations, an extensive Silent Auction, and the ever-popular Sweet Shop, which will feature decadent confections created by local bakers. OWA Town Center; 1501 OWA Blvd Foley.

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- Lisa Christian: noon; Tacky Jacks, Gulf Shores.
- Karaoke on our Tiki Bar: 8; Live Bait, Orange Beach.
- Music Man & Company: 5; American Legion Post 44, Gulf Shores.
- Lisa Zanghi: 6; The Lobby Bar at Perdido Beach Resort; Orange Beach.
- Grange Beach.
  Karaoke: 7; Live Bait Tiki Bar, Orange

Beach. • John Lee Sanders: 6; Voyagers Restaurant at Perdido Beach Resort; Orange Beach.

- Karaoke: 5; Monthly Birthday Potluck; American Legion Post 99, Foley.
  John Joiner & Friends: 4; Hub Stacey's
- at the Point; Innerarity Point.
- Blind Draw Dart Tournament: 5; American Legion Post 99, Foley.
- 9 Ball APA: 6; The Office, Foley.

#### MON, OCT 29

- Flora-Bama Possible Probables: 2 p.m. (til; (Sched. on pages 32-33), Flora-Bama, Perdido Key.
- Flora-Bama Bingo: free; 1-4 p.m.; great prizes, family friendly; 17401 Perdido Key Dr., Perdido Key.
- Pumpkin Patch Express: Wales West

RV Park, 1-9 p.m.; 13650 Smiley St., Silverhill.

• Trivia Night at Big Beach: 7; Big Beach

- Brewing Company; Gulf Shores.
   Brent Burns: 5; Lulu's at Homeport
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     Marina, Gulf Shores.
  - Smokey Otis & Mark Laborde: 7; Pappa Rocco's; Gulf Shores.
  - **Open Mixed Doubles Tennis:** 7:15 a.m.; all levels welcome; Gulf Shores Tennis Center; corner of West 19th Ave. and West 2nd St.
  - **Bingo:** 6; American Legion Post 44, Gulf Shores.
  - 8 Ball APA: 7:30; The Office, Foley.
  - Overeaters Anonymous: 6; Holy Špirit Episcopal Church; Gulf Shores, 616 Ft. Morgan Rd : 251-709-5907

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weigh-in 5:30; meeting 6; First Presbyterian Church of Foley; (Berry & Highway 59).

• AA: Noon; Perdido Bay UMC Worship Center, 13660 Innerarity Point Rd., (Innerarity Point) Pensacola.

• **AA**: 7 p.m.; Perdido Bay UMC Worship Center, 13660 Innerarity Point Rd., (Innerarity Point) Pensacola.

• Ladies AA: 10 a.m.; Perdido Bay UMC Worship Center, 13660 Innerarity Point Rd., (Innerarity Point) Pensacola. • Line Dancing Classes: 5-5:45 p.m.; \$3 per person, 309 E. 21st Ave.; 517-740-5460.

#### TUE, OCT 30

Flora-Bama Possible Probables: 2 p.m. 'til; (Sched. on pages 32-33), Flora-Bama, Perdido Key.
Flora-Bama Bingo: free; 1-4 p.m.; great prizes, family friendly; 17401 Perdido Key Dr., Perdido Key.





#### Gulf Coast Art Alliance Market Nov. 3 at Waterway Village

The next Gulf Coast Arts Alliance Art Market will be held on Saturday, Nov. 3 from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. in the Waterway Village, located under the Hwy. 59 Intracoastal Waterway Bridge in Gulf Shores! Spend the day walking around and enjoying the culture of coastal living in beautiful Alabama. For more information visit Gulf-CoastArtsAlliance.com, our Facebook page, Gulf Coast Arts Alliance, or visit our gallery 225 E 24th Ave, Gulf Shores. (By Joanna Almond). **Pictured:** Artists displaying work at the Sept. market. Food, music, local, and regional original art are featured at the monthly markets.





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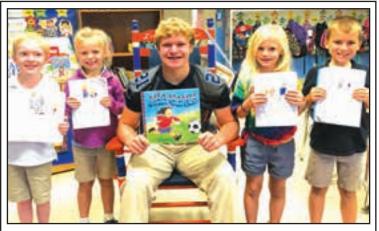


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#### HAT'S HAPPENING



OBES SECOND GRADERS READ TO WIN!: Ms. Baggett's 2nd grade class at Orange Beach Elementary School participated in "Be a Champion and Read". The students were super excited to read and share their books with others. The "Be a Champion and Read" contest is sponsored by the Alabama Education Association. Students read for a chance to win tickets to the Iron Bowl.



 $GSES \ Football \ Buddy: {\tt The students in Mrs. Tammy Shirley's first grade}$ class at Gulf Shores Elementary School wrote in their journals about their Reading Football Buddy, Dawson Shirley. They are thrilled to have a football player come to their classroom to read to them and help with their reading. A big thank you to Coach Matt Blake and the coaching staff for implementing this program that cre-ats a huge win-win and helps build community! Go Dolphins. **Pictured** l to r: William England, Ella Jones, Dawson Shirley, Catherine McAleer and David Pegza

#### • Pumpkin Patch Express: Wales West RV Park, 1-9 p.m.; 13650 Smiley St., Silverhill

- John Brust: 6; Perdido Beach Resort Lobby Bar; Orange Beach.
- Smokey Otis & Mark Laborde: 8; Pappa Rocco's; Gulf Shores.
- Chauncy Crandall: 5; Lulu's at Homeport Marina, Gulf Shores.
- Karaoke: 5:30; Tacky Jacks, Gulf Shores.
- Karaoke: 5; Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 5659; Elberta.
- Karaoke: 7; American Legion Post 199; Fairhope
- Free Line Dance Lessons With Lori: 6; American Legion Post 44, Gulf Shores.
- Karaoke w. John Henry: 5; American
- Legion Post 99; Foley. Lisa Christian: 6; Sunset Cork Room, Gulf Shores
- Free Line Dance Lessons With Lori: 6;
- American Legion Post 44, Gulf Shores. Open Mic Karaoke: 5; American Legion
- Post 99; Fairhope.
- JW Karaoke: 6; Hub Stacy's At The Point, Innerarity Point.
- Bowling Tourney: 7; Snapper's; Orange Beach
- NAPA Pool League: 7:30; The Office, Foley
- **Bingo:** 10 to 2; Gulf Coast Elks Lodge 2782, Foley: 251-971-2782.
- GriefShare Support Group: For men and women; 6-8 p.m.; Point Church, 13801 Innerarity Point Rd. Info: Shirley
- Johnson Parker, 601-278-6973 • Orange Beach Library Children's Story
- Time: 10 a.m.; preschool; 981-2923. Southwest Branch Library Children's Story Time: 10:30 a.m.; preschool; 12248 Gulf Beach Hwy, Pensacola; (850) 453-
- 7780 Gulf Shores Kiwanis Club: Palmer Din-
- ing Room at Craft Farms; noon; new members and guests always welcome; 251-981-9999
- Kiwanis Club of Big Lagoon: 7:30

a.m.; Perdido Bay UMC Activities Center, 13660 Innerarity Point Road, Pensacola, 850-867-5873 or 901-734-1066

- Kiwanis Club of Foley: Noon on Tuesdays at Ryan's in Foley; 251-968-6288. • AA: Noon; Perdido Bay UMC Worship Center, 13660 Innerarity Point Rd., (Innerarity Point) Pensacola.
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- WED, OCT 31 Flora-Bama Possible Probables: 2 p.m. 'til; (Sched. on pages 32-33), Flora-Bama, Perdido Key.
- Flora-Bama Bingo: free; 1-4 p.m.; great prizes, family friendly; 17401 Perdido Key Dr., Perdido Key.
- **Town of Terror: Circus Asylum:** 6 p.m.; OWA Town Center; 1501 OWA Blvd Foley.
- 1st Annual Spooktacular Halloween Bash; 7 p.m.; \$1000 in cash and prizes. Pong Tournament with Bud Light starts
- @ 8; Live Bait; Orange Beach. • Halloween Spooktacular: 5:30-8:30 p.m.; Perdido Beach Resort; Orange
- Beach.
- Midnight Cruise Porter Tapping: 6 p.m.; Big Beach Brewing Company, Gulf Shores.
- Boos and Booze Halloween Costume
- Contest: sign-ups start at 6 p.m.; contest starts at 9 p.m.: \$2,000 cash prizes: Flora-Bama; Perdido Key.
- Trunk or Treat: sunset; The Wharf in Orange Beach
- Pumpkin Patch Express: Wales West RV Park, 1-9 p.m.; 13650 Smiley St., Sil-
- verhill. • Open Mic: 5:30; Tacky Jacks, Gulf
- Shores. • Gypsy Pearl: 5; Lulu's at Homeport Ma-
- rina, Gulf Shores. • John Lee Sanders: 6; Voyagers Restau-
- rant at Perdido Beach Resort; Orange

#### FREE GOSPEL CONCERTS

Beach

- Rodger Plemons: 5; Tacky Jacks, Ft. Morgan.
- John Brust: 6; The Lobby Bar at Perdido Beach Resort; Orange Beach. • Karaoke: 10; The Undertow; Orange
- Beach
- Karaoke w. Aaron Phillips: 6; American
- Legion Post 44, Gulf Shores John Joiner & Friends: 7; Hub Stacy's,
- Innerarity Point Smokey Otis & Mark Laborde: 7:
- Pappa Rocco's; Gulf Shores.
- Karaoke: 9; The Office, Foley.
  - Big Beach Running Club: 5:30 p.m.;
  - Big Beach Brewery in Gulf Shores; all evels welcome.
    Family Night Dinner & Activities: 5:45
  - p.m.; Saint Andrew by the Sea, 17263 Fort Morgan Rd., Gulf Shores; 678-361-
  - 2762.• Open Mixed Doubles Tennis: 7:15 a.m.; all levels welcome; Gulf Shores Tennis Center; corner of West 19th Ave. and West 2nd St.
  - Veteran's Bingo: 10 a.m. -2 p.m.; American Legion Post 99, Foley.
  - Grief Support Group: 10 a.m.; Perdido Bay UMC Activities Center, 13660 Inner arity Point Rd., (Innerarity Point) Pensacola: 850-492-2135
  - Food Bank: 9-11 a.m every Wednesday, Perdido Bay Baptist Church, 12600 Sorrento Rd. Pensacola; call for eligiblity requirements at (850) 492-2604.
  - Bread Ministry: 11 a.m. 1 p.m.; Orange Beach United Methodist Church Brook's Center.
  - Food Ministry For Hungry Families: noon-1 p.m.; Grace Lutheran Church,
  - corner of West 23rd Ave. and West 4th St. in Gulf Shores; 251-968-5991. • Perdido Key Rotary Club: 7:30 a.m.;
  - every Wednesday at Triggers. 850.492.8335.

 Storytime at Pensacola Southwest Branch Library: free; infant to 5; 10:30-11; 12238 Old Gulf Beach Hwy; (850)453-



ange Beach Garden Club has chosen a incredible yard for the month of October. Burling Slelson, Teri Mondello & Terry Slelson along with Paula Revis stand in their wonderful Oak Grove at 28318 Burkart Dr. The trees have varigated plants underneath them, making it especially pretty.



#### Lookin' Up Quartet at Bayside Baptist Nov. 4

Come enjoy a free community-wide Gospel Singing at Bayside Baptist Church, 3677 US Hwy. 98 in Lillian featuring (pictured) Lookin' Up Quartet on Sunday, Nov. 4 at 6 p.m. Performing Southern Gospel from old favorites to current top 40, this quartet from Pensacola has been together for over 20 years. Known for their tight harmonies, and uplifting presentation, the quartet includes Ernde, Maureen Spirakis, Bonnie Wooton, and Chuck Hendrix. Bayside Baptist Church members would like to invite everyone to stay after the concert for refreshments and fellowship. For more information, contact 251-256-0266. The concert is free, but a love offering will be taken.

#### Gospel Fest slated Oct. 26 in Fairhope

Gospel Fest, part of the Alive At Five Series at Coastal Alabama Community College in Fairhope, will be held on Friday, Oct. 26 at 5 p.m. at the school's amphitheater.

Featured acts will include The African Universal Church Choir, The Eastern Shore Choral Society and the newly formed Path To Peace Choir.

Admission is free, but donations will be accepted. Bring chairs and blankets for this fun way to spend the early part of your Friday evening. Enjoy sing-alongs and a chance to win door prizes. Food will be available for purchase. The fest is a very valuable fundraiser for the Fairhope Rotary Youth Club.







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### What's Happening

#### Fairhope High announces 2018 Hall of Fame class

Fairhope High School Hall of Fame Committee has announced the 2018 Fairhope High School Athletic Hall of Fame Inductees: Wyatt Brown,



Football, Track and Field; Daniel Keyser, Cross Country, Soccer; Taylor Klarman, Football; Matt McKelvain, Tennis ; Michael Raia, Baseball; Missy Williams, Volleyball,

Basketball; Arnold Woodyard, Football. Associate Members: Sharon Pippen, Service to FHS; Retired Chief Joseph Petties (pictured), Service to FHS.

The recipients will be honored at the FHS Induction Ceremony Friday, Nov. 2 in Fairhope's game vs. McGill-Toolen. The FHS Hall of Fame honors graduates who excel athletically during their time at Fairhope High School and their service to community and school.



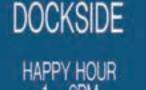
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# WHAT'S HAPPENING

# **GSPD** National Night out Nov. 14 at Pelican Place

The Gulf Shores Police Department sponsored National Night Out, originally scheduled on Oct. 9, will be held on Wednesday, Nov. 14 from 5-8 p.m. at Pelican Place Mall, located at 3800 Gulf Shores Pkwy. For more info, call 251-968-2431.

Free festivities include a cookout sponsored by Target, Publix, and Pelican Place Mall. The party will also feature displays by the Gulf Shores Police Dept., Gulf Shores Fire/Rescue, and Alabama State Trooper Aviation Unit. Join and meet your police officers and have your children fingerprinted as a part of a family safety plan.

The GSPD Mobile Command Post and Police Tahoes will be on display. The GSPD K-9 Unit will be providing a demonstration.

There will also be a police car show and numerous displays by area businesses. National Night Out is an annual community-building campaign that promotes police-community partnerships and neighborhood camaraderie to make our neighborhoods safer, more caring places to live. National Night Out enhances the relationship between neighbors and law enforcement while bringing back a true sense of community.

sort; Orange Beach. • Smokey Otis & Mark Laborde: 7; Pappa Rocco's; Gulf Shores.

• Karaoke: 5:30; Tacky Jacks, Gulf Shores. • Karaoke: 7; Tacky Jacks, Ft. Morgan.

• Karaoke: 10; The Undertow; Orange Beach.

• 8 Ball APA: 7:30; The Office, Foley.

 Bail AFA: 17:50, The Office, roley.
 Bridge: non; American Legion Post 44, Gulf Shores.
 Rotary Club of Gulf Shores/Orange Beach: noon; Gulf Shores Colf Club; visiting Rotarians and guests invited; 251-968-2000.

• Gulf Shores United Methodist Church Bread Ministry: 9-10; every Thursday; room 103 on the south

campus, next to Crossroad; 251 968-2411. • Grief Support Group: noon-1:30 p.m.; First Presby-terian Church of Foley; 195 E. Berry Ave.; for all who are grieving; 943-8325.

Adult Bible Study: 10 a.m.; Gulf Shores Presbyterian Church; all welcome; (251) 968-7720.
Gulf Shores Library Pre-school (3-5) Story Time:

10:30 a.m.; 251-968-1176.

• Orange Beach Bridge Club: Tue. & Thur at noon; Orange Beach Senior Center; visitors and new mem-bers welcomed even without a partner; 251-981-3440

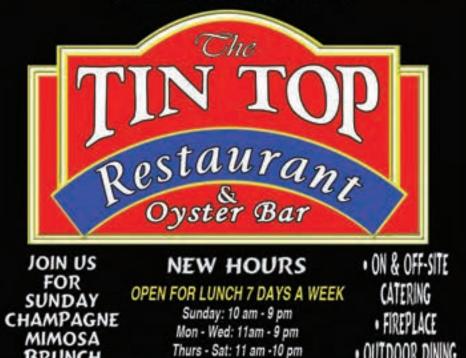
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• GCAA Art Market: 10 a.m.; Waterway Village;

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p.m.; Gulf Shores Public Beach.

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#### FRI, NOV 2

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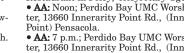
- Flora-Bama Bingo: 1-4 p.m.; Flora-Bama Loung Tent Stage; Perdido Key.
- Craft Beer Festival: 6-11 p.m.; The Hangout; Gulf Shores Public Beach.
- Krissta Allen & Mary Alice: 7 p.m.; Bluewater BBQ; Orange Beach. • First Friday Art Walk: 6; Downtown
- Fairhope.
- Matt Bush: 7; The Office, Foley.
   Adam & Julian Holt: 5; Lulu's at Homeport
- Marina, Gulf Shores. • Sugarcane Jane: 6:30 p.m.; Big Beach Brew-
- Rhonda Hart:: 6; Fin & Fork, Orange Beach.
- Club DJ's: 9; Live Bait, Orange Beach.
- Karaoke on our Tiki Bar: 8; Live Bait, Or-
- ange Beach

• Rib Eye Dinner to help Veterans and Fami-

lies: 5 p.m.; music & dancing at 7 p.m.; American Legion Post 44; Gulf Shores. • Crosstown: 7; Hub Stacy's, Innerarity Point.

- Sandra Kaye & The Legends: 8; Lucky Horseshoe, Fairhope. • John Lee Sanders: 6; The Lobby Bar at Per-
- dido Beach Resort; Orange Beach.
  Karaoke w. John Henry: 5; American Legion
- Post 99; Foley.
- Karaoke: 8; Snapper's; Orange Beach. • Karaoke: 10; The Undertow; Orange Beach.
- Open Jam: 8, American Legion Post 199;
- Fairhope. • Open Mixed Doubles Tennis: 7:15 a.m.; all
- levels welcome; Gulf Shores Tennis Center; core Bingo: 5:30; Veterans of Foreign Wars Post
- 5659; Elberta.
- Foley Rotary Club: 12:15 p.m.; Gift Horse Restaurant in Foley; foleyrotary @gulftel.com.
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# Maidens in Pink Stilettos host Nov. 17 rummage sale

The Maidens in Pink Stilettos will host a fall fundraising rummage sale on Nov. 17 from 8 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. at the Gulf Shores Activity Center, located at 260 Clubhouse Dr.

The sale will include a variety of items, including holiday themed deals, furniture, appliances, houswares, toys, home decor, clothing, sports equipment and kitchen utensils. There will items for every budget.

# What's Happening

- Rhonda Hart:: 6; Fin & Fork, Orange Beach.
  - Karaoke on our Tiki Bar: 8; Live Bait,
- Orange Beach. Club DJ's: 9; Live Bait, Orange Beach. Lee Yankie: 5; Lulu's at Homeport Ma-
- rina, Gulf Shores. • Jason Abel Project: 9; The Office, Foley.
- Raising Karma: 7; Hub Stacy's, Innerarity Point.
- John Brust: 6; Lobby Lounge at Perdido
- Beach Resort; Órange Beach. Lisa Zanghi: 6; Lobby Lounge at Per-
- dido Beach Resort; Orange Beach. • Karaoke By Kelly: 9: Island Time
- Daquari Bar, The Wharf, Orange Beach. • Karaoke: 8; Tacky Jacks, Ft. Morgan. • Open Jam: 8; American Legion Post
- 199; Fairhope. • Karaoke: 10; The Undertow; Orange
- Beach.
- Optimist Club of Perdido Bay: Breakfast every Saturday at 7 a.m. at the Lillian Community Club in Lillian; (251) 961-2620
- AA: 10 a.m.; Perdido Bay UMC Worship

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• Ladies AA: 9 a.m.; Perdido Bay UMC Worship Center, 13660 Innerarity Point Rd., (Innerarity Point) Pensacola.

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# St. Patrick Auxiliary Christmas Bazaar starts Nov. 30

The St. Patrick's Ladies Auxiliary invites you to its yearly Christmas bazaar on November 30 and December 1. Doors open at 8:00 a.m. at St. Patrick's Catholic Church, 23035 AL 59 in Robertsdale. These ladies invested their time, money and talents all during the year for the benefit of others. The bazaar features approximately 130 gift baskets, unique hand crafted items, needlework, pet gifts, yard art, holiday decor, baked goods, and much more. Several items will be available at silent auction. Other items available for purchase include Afghans, scarves and caps and other unique items. Proceeds from sales benefit community charities, St. Patrick's church and school. Get your holiday shopping done early!



# First Presbyterian After-School Strings Program in Full Swing

Captured in a musical moment is new strings teacher, Kedra Kinney, with students from the community taking lessons in violin and cello at First Pres. in Gulf Shores. In addition to teaching private violin lessons, she has taught general music and orchestra classes at schools in Idaho, Washington, and Minnesota, and performed with the Everett Symphony in Washington. Kedra holds a Master of Arts in Ethnomusicology from Bethel University, St. Paul, Minnesota and a Bachelor of Music from the University of Wyoming. For more info. on the strings program, call 251-978-8130.



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# What's Happening

# **Big Lagoon Kiwanians sponsor Wreaths at Barrancas Cemetary** Local group will spread 12,000 wreaths on Veterans Day (Nov. 11)

The Kiwanis Club of Big Lagoon is well into the planning for its annual Wreaths Across American program, part of a nationwide charity that delivers wreaths to all 50 states. Big Lagoon Kiwanians solicit memorial wreath sponsorships specifically for Barrancas National Cemetery onboard NAS in Pensacola and will place the wreaths on veterans' headstones in December on National Remembrance Day/Veteran's Day, Nov. 11. For more info, call (850) 207-1217.

Every year, the club organizes the distribution of over 12,000 wreaths with the help of volunteers, including youth groups. The goal is to not only to honor the brave men and women who have fought for our country but also to teach young people about the sacrifices veterans have made throughout history.

Barrancas is the resting place for a variety of troops, including 251 African-American soldiers who fought during the Civil War.

### Community Thanksgiving service Nov. 18 at New Mount Marriah Baptist

The 2018 Community Thanksgiving Service sponsored by the Optimist Club of Perdido Bay will be held at 4 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 18 at New Mount Marriah Missionary Baptist Church, located at 32852 US Hwy. 98 in Lillian. All Lillian churches are invited to participate, with the pastors or their representatives taking an active role. The service includes scripture readings, prayer, a Thanksgiving message and music performed by James Gorham and the New Mount Marriah Missionary Baptist Church choir directed by Marvin Showers. Fellowship will be held in the church hall following the service. This event has served as the beginning of the holiday season for many years and provides an opportunity for the community to gather together to thank God for the many blessings He has bestowed on Lillian in the past year and to ask for His continued help in the next.



# FOE Charity Painting Party scheduled Nov. 10

Set aside the date: November 10 at 2 p.m. at the Fraternal Order of Eagles #4549, for a painting party - a wine glass painting party. Proceeds will go to Pilots for Christ. Cost is only \$15, which includes the glass, snacks and the paint, also a beverage. Call 251-971-4549 to reserve your spot. Address is 3859 Gulf Shores Parkway suite 6 (highway 59 north). **Pictured**: One of the design selections; or you can try your own design. • Central Flora-Bama Church: Church experiences, 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.; Flora-Bama Tent Stage, Perdido Key. • Unity Church Service: 9:45 a.m; The Royal Osyter, Hwy. 59, three blocks from beach in Gulf Shores.

• **Turkey Shoot:** sign-up at 11 a.m.; Elberta VFW, Elberta.

• **J.E.R.I.**: 5; Lulu's at Homeport Marina, Gulf Shores.

• Rhonda Hart:: 6; Fin & Fork, Orange

Beach.

• Dinner & Dance w. Music Man and Co.: 5; American Legion Post 44, Gulf Shores. • The Bell & The Bull: 4 p.m.; Big Beach

Brewing Company, Gulf Shores. • Lisa Christian: noon.; Tacky Jacks, Gulf Shores.

• John Joiner & Friends: 4; Hub Stacey's at the Point; Innerarity Point.

• John Lee Sanders: 6; Voyagers Restaurant at Perdido Beach Resort; Orange Beach.

• Lisa Zanghi: 6; The Lobby Bar at Perdido Beach Resort; Orange Beach.

• Karaoke: 7; Live Bait Tiki Bar, Orange

MON, NOV 5 • Flora-Bama Possible Probables: 2 p.m. til; (Sched. on pages 32-33), Flora-Bama,

• Open Mic Karaoke: 6: American Legion

Blind Draw Dart Tournament: 5; Amer

• AA: 5 p.m.; Perdido Bay UMC Worship

Center, 13660 Innerarity Point Rd., (In-

• 9 Ball APA: 6; The Office, Foley.

ican Legion Post 99, Foley.

nerarity Point) Pensacola.

Perdido Key. • Flora-Bama Bingo: free; 1-4 p.m.; great prizes, family friendly; 17401 Perdido

Key Dr., Perdido Key. • Lisa Zanghi: 6; The Lobby Bar at Per-

dido Beach Resort; Orange Beach.

• Brent Burns: 5; Lulu's at Homeport

Beach

Post 99, Foley

Marina, Gulf Shores.

• Smokey Otis & Mark Laborde: 7; Pappa Rocco's; Gulf Shores.

• **Open Mixed Doubles Tennis:** 7:15 a.m., all levels welcome; Gulf Shores Tennis Center; corner of West 19th Ave. and



**GIFTS FROM ST. ANDREW'S TO GSES TEACHERS:** Gulf Shores Elementary teachers loved the delicious cookies from the women of St. Andrew by the Sea! **Pictured:** I to r: GSES teachers Casey Bowman, Beth Pearse, Courtney Creel,



# Mirams host annual Taste of the Islands Nov. 30 at O.B. Event Center

Royalty for The Mystical Order of Mirams, Queen Missy Jones and Emblem Sherri Whalen, will be presented this year at the mardi gras krewe's annual The Taste of the Islands on Friday, November 30 at 6 p.m. at The Wharf Event Conference Center in Orange Beach. Tickets are on sale now for \$60 per or you can buy a table of 10 for \$600. The Mirams are selling only 400 tickets this year so they are going fast. Purchasing a table or two would also make a great company Christmas Party for your office. There will be tastings from 30 restaurants, an open bar and music from the fabulous Mr. Big and The Rhythm Sisters, an 8-piece dance band out of Pensacola. For more information on the Mystical Order of Mirams, and ticket information on this year's Taste of the Islands, visit mirams.info or go to Facebook!

**Pictured:** Queen Missy Jones and Emblem Sherri Whalen; Dave Miller with Acme Oyster House, Mirams B.B. Alfred and Marie Dunlap and Publix OB Store Mgr. Bennie Dalzell. Publix and Acme are among the many participating eateries.



### Deadline to enter Alabama State Parks Photo Contest is Oct. 31

Do you love Alabama's state parks and love making photographs? If so, consider entering the 2019 Outdoor Alabama Photo Contest. Entries for the contest are being accepted through October 31. Judges are looking for photos of park visitors participating in recreational activities; park facilities such as lodges, cabins, piers, trails, etc.; beautiful scenery or events being held at any state park operated by the Alabama Department of Conservation and Natural Resources. Thanks for your support. For more info, visit outdooralabama.com. **Pictured:** Photo submitted by David Blue in 2015 contest.

# WHAT'S HAPPENING

West 2nd St.

• Trivia & Bluewater BBQ: 7; Big Beach Brewing Company, Gulf Shores.

• Bridge: noon; American Legion Post 44, Gulf Shores. • Bingo: 6; American Legion Post 44, Gulf Shores

 8 Ball APA: 7:30; The Office, Foley. Overeaters Anonymous: 6; Holy Spirit Episcopal Church; Gulf Shores, 616 Ft. Morgan Rd.; 251-709-

5907. Orange Beach Community Center Association

Monthly Covered Dish Dinner: social at 5, dinner at 6:30 p.m.; all winter guests welcome; Canal Road next to the Recreation Center; 251-981-1942.

 T.O.P.S. (Take Off Pounds Sensibly): weigh-in 5:30; meeting 6; First Presbyterian Church of Foley; (Berry & Highway 59).

• AA: Noon; Perdido Bay UMC Worship Center, 13660 Innerarity Point Rd., (Innerarity Point) Pensacola.

• AA: 7 p.m.; Perdido Bay UMC Worship Center, 13660 Innerarity Point Rd., (Innerarity Point) Pensacola

• Ladies AA: 10 a.m.; Perdido Bay UMC Worship Center, 13660 Innerarity Point Rd., (Innerarity Point) Pensacola.

• Flora-Bama Possible Probables: 2 p.m. 'til; (Sched. on pages 32-33), Flora-Bama, Perdido Key.

• Flora-Bama Bingo: 1-4 p.m.; Flora-Bama Loung Tent Stage; Perdido Key.

• Free Line Dance Lessons With Lori: 6; American Legion Post 44, Gulf Shores.

• John Brust: 6; The Lobby Bar at Perdido Beach Resort: Orange Beach.

• Brian Hill: 6; Fin & Fork, Orange Beach. Lefty Collins: 5; Lulu's at Homeport Marina, Gulf Shores

 Lisa Christian: 6; Sunset Cork Room, Gulf Shores. Smokey Otis & Mark Laborde: 8; Pappa Rocco's; Gulf Shores.

• JW Karaoke: 6; Hub Stacy's At The Point, Inneraritv Point

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• NAPA Pool League: 7:30; The Office, Foley.

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PLASTIC SURGERY

• Karaoke: 7; American Legion Post 199; Fairhope. • Karaoke: 5; Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 5659; Elberta

• Open Mic Karaoke w. John Henry: 5; American Legion Post 99; Foley.

• Bereaved Parents of Baldwin County: 7 p.m.; for parents, and grandparents who have had a child, or grandchild die; First Presbyterian Church of Gulf Shores; 251-223-7270.

• Lefty Collins: 5; Lulu's at Homeport Marina, Gulf Shores

• Bowling Tourney: 7; Snapper's; Orange Beach. Orange Beach City Council Meeting: 5 p.m.; City Hall; 980-INFO.

• Bingo: 10 to 2; Gulf Coast Elks Lodge 2782, Foley: 251-971-2782.

• GriefShare Support Group: Resumes 9/27;For men and women; 6-8 p.m.; Point Church, 13801 Innerar-ity Point Rd. Info: Shirley Johnson Parker, 601-278-

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# Weeks Bay Foundation accepting entries for photo contest

Amateur photographers from across the Gulf Coast have two more weeks to get their entries in for the 19th Annual Weeks Bay Photo Contest. The official deadline is October 22 at 5 p.m.

With four categories and two divisions, adult and junior (16 and under), there are numerous ways to compete for the prizes, and the honor of having your photos seen throughout the year in Weeks Bay Foundation literature, website, social media and more. Winners will be chosen for first place, second place, third place, and honorable mention in each of the four categories in each division. Plus, the Best of Show honoree will receive a \$100 grand prize. Judges this year are Rodney Kilgore, Stephen Savage and Lynn Oldshue.

The categories are: Flora: plants, trees, shrubs, flowers, etc; Fauna: animals, insects, fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds, mammals, etc.; Habitat: outdoor scene or landscape; People in Nature: people recreating or enjoying the coastal resources.

Photos must have been take in an area near or around the water and waterways of coastal Alabama, or on coastal waters. They must be submitted electronically through Eventbrite. For a complete list of contest guidelines, and a link to the Eventbrite entry form, visit weeksbay.org or call 251-990-5004. **Pictured:** The Bestin Show photo by Debi Parnell from the

2017 contest.

# "Life in the Third Act" book signing Nov. 1 at SWBL

Author Patricia Peters Martin will host a book signing of her latest just-published book 'Well-Come to Retirement: Thriving in Your Third Act' on Wednesday, November 1 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Southwest Branch Library, 12248 Gulf Beach Hwy, Pensacola. The event is sponsored by The Friends of the Southwest Branch Library. The book features 40 real life stories showing how to live to the fullest and embrace aging. Perdido Key's own quintessential volunteer, Bill Stromquist is featured. Dr. Martin's previous books include 'Liars, Cheats, and Creeps: Leaving the Sociopath Behind' and 'The Other Couch'. She is the daughter of the late Ed Peters, a founding member of the Friends of the Southwest Branch Library. For more info, call 850-453-7780 or visit mywfpl.com.

# WHAT'S HAPPENING

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Orange Beach Bridge Club: Tue. & Thur at noon; Orange Beach Senior Center; visitors and new members welcomed even without a partner; 251-981-3440.
Orange Beach Library Children's Story Time: 10 a.m.; preschool; 981-2923.
Southwest Branch Library Children's Story Time: 10:30 a.m.; preschool; 12248 Gulf Beach Hwy, Pensacola; (850) 453-7780.

• Gulf Shores Kiwanis Club: Palmer Dining Room at Craft Farms; noon; new members and guests always welcome; 251-981-9999.

• Kiwanis Club of Big Lagoon: 7:30 a.m.; Perdido Bay UMC Activities

Center, 13660 Innerarity Point Road,

Pensacola, 850-867-5873 or 901-734-1066.

 Kiwanis Club of Foley: Noon on Tue days at Ryan's in Foley; 251-968-6288.
 AA: Noon; Perdido Bay UMC Worship Center, 13660 Innerarity Point Rd., (In-

• **AA:** 7 p.m.; Perdido Bay UMC Worship

Center, 13660 Innerarity Point Rd., (In-



# Fairhope Film Festival Nov. 8-11 at six downtown venues

Organizers promise four days of brilliant, entertaining and award-winning films screened throughout the city during the 6th Annual Fairhope Film Festival, scheduled Nov. 8-11. The five festival venues are all located within walking distance of each other in the famous, flower-filled downtown area.

The venues include The Book Cellar; 32 S Section St.; Coastal Alabama Community College Centennial Hall, 450 Fairhope Ave.; Fairhope Film Festival Office. 122 Fairhope Ave.; Coastal Amphitheater at Coastal Alabama Community College, School Street near corner of Morphy Ave.; Fairhope Public Library Giddens Center, 501 Fairhope Ave..

The fest is a film lover's film festival held each year on the second weekend in November, offering participants the opportunity to see world-class award winning films in a unique, picturesque location over a four-day period.

The focus is on national and international film festival competition finalists of the past year: the "best of the best" in cinema arts. Notable foreign and feature films, documentaries and shorts—many that never made it to the big box theaters or were only there briefly–will be selected for appreciative audiences.

Although the festival will pull out all the stops, Southern-style, to host opening and closing events and parties, the emphasis will be on the art of filmmaking and the experience of seeing exceptional films. Directors, actors and screenwriters will participate in the screenings both in person and via live electronic transmission.

The Fairhope Film Festival focus is on national and international film festival competition finalists of the past year. Notable foreign and feature films, documentaries and shorts will be included. And the fest will open and close with parties.

Directors, actors and screenwriters will participate in the screenings both in person and via live electronic transmission.

Tickets are \$15 each. Please bring cash or a check made out to Fairhope Film Festival. The box office is located at 20 N. Section St. For more information visit fairhopefilmfestival.org or call 251-990-7957.

**Pictured:** The festival's opening night film will roll at 6 p.m. on Nov. 8 at Coastal Alabama Community College: Centennial Hall. In the film, the leader of New Orleans' famed Preservation Hall Jazz Band seeks to fulfill his late father's dream of retracing their musical roots to the shores of Cuba. Join the band as they travel post-embargo Cuba in search of the indigenous music that gave birth to the New Orleans jazz. Encounters with some of Cubas' most iconic musicians leads to spontaneous and soulful collaborations. A Tuba to Cuba celebrates the triumph of the human spirit expressed through universal language of music and challenges us to dig deeper; to find that common ground we all have inside us, and there, resolve to build bridges, not walls.







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# Oct. 27-28 fundraiser benefits Gulf Coast Medical Musicians Fund 40 acts donating time & talent on two stages at inaugural event

The inaugural fundraiser the Gulf Coast Medical Musicians Fund will be held Oct. 27-28 at Pensacola's The Point Restaurant (14340 Innerarity Point Rd.) beginning at noon each day. Cover charge is \$10 at the door and the event will feature musicians from Florida to Louisiana donating their time and talent on



stages inside the restaurant and in the courtyard.

The GCMMF is the brainchild of songwriter/entertainer Webb Dalton (pictured above), and it is now up and running with donations received from local music lovers. Dalton recorded a full gospel album with all CD proceeds going to the fund. For more info about the CD, the fund or the concert, visit GCMMF.org, call 251-233-3306 or email

webbdaltonbama@gmail.com.

"We all know that musicians normally don't receive health care so to help with that," Dalton said. "All proceeds pay for doctor visits and high dollar prescriptions. Find out more at the fundraiser."

Acts scheduled to appear on Oct. 27 include Sugarcane Jane, Trey Rowell JoJo Pres, Susanne Jerome Taylor and Ronnie Caldwell, Jack Robertson, Laurie Anne Armour, Ricky Crook & The Horseshoe Halo Band, Brooke Brown & Mark Harris, John Joiner & Darrel Roberts, Lisa Christian, Justin Wall & Chris Hergenroder, Paul Simpson, Jason Justice & Jonathan Newton, Webb Dalton Band, Medicine Man Show, Soul Bells and Bubba 'n Them.

The Oct. 28 line-up features Elaine Petty & LeaAnnne Creswell, Christina Christian & Nick Beibricher, Double Dee, Josh Morrow, Poarch Ninjas, Jonathan Puzan, Gypseas, Tommy Crawford, Johnny Barbato & The Lucky Doggs, Robert Ragno, The Bell & The Bull, The Books (pictured left), Ole River String Band, Top Hat & Jackie, The Beachbillys, Platinum Premier Band, Zachary Diedrich, Kelly McKee & Dave Caluger, and Stephanie Leigh Hall.

# WHAT'S HAPPENING **Orange Beach Golf Center**

# Skins Game slated Nov. 4

The City of Orange Beach Golf Center will hold Skins Game Tournaments on the first Sunday of each month through April, with a shotgun start at 1 p.m. The public is welcome. The next tourney is Nov. 4.

Cost is \$5.50 for Golf Center members and \$22 for non-members. Registration starts at noon. Each player places \$5 to a pot for Skins and \$2 in a pot for closest-to-the-pin on a designated hole.

There are nine Orange Beach merchants sponsoring a hole-in-one, which pays \$250. Free hot dogs, chips and drinks will be served prior to the tournament.

The Orange Beach Golf Center is located at 4700 Easy Street, off of Canal Road. The 9-Hole, Par-3 Course is open daily from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. and the lighted Driving Range is open from 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. For more information, call 251-981-GOLF(4653).

# WWI & Ft. Morgan lecture slated Nov. 12

A free lecture about Fort Morgan's military role in World War I will be held on Nov. 12 from 2-3 p.m. at Ft. Morgan, located at 110 Hwy 180 (Ft. Morgan Rd.) in Gulf Shores. Regular Ft. Morgan admission fees apply.

Dylan Tucker's lecture will focus specifically about training of the Coast Artillery, Trench Mortar Battalion, Gas Corps and field artillery. A photo gallery will also be displayed.

For more info, call 251-540-5257 or visit fort-morgan.org.

nerarity Point) Pensacola. • Al-Anon: Noon; Perdido Bay UMC Activities Center, 13660 Innerarity Point Rd., (Innerarity Point) Pensacola.

#### WED, NOV 7

• Flora-Bama Possible Probables: 2 p.m. (til; (Sched. on pages 32-33), Flora-Bama, Perdido Key.

• Flora-Bama Bingo: 1-4 p.m.; Flora-Bama Loung Tent Stage; Perdido Key.

• John Lee Sanders: 6; Voyagers Restaurant at Perdido Beach Resort; Orange

Beach. • Adam Holt: 5: Lulu's at Homeport Ma-

rina, Gulf Shores. • Justin Jeansonne:: 6; Fin & Fork, Orange Beach.

• West Coast Swing Dance: 7; American

Legion Post 199; Fairhope. • John Brust: 6; The Lobby Bar at Perdido

Beach Resort; Orange Beach. • Rodger Plemons: 5; Tacky Jacks, Ft. Mor-

gan. • John Joiner & Friends: 7; Hub Stacy's, Innerarity Point.

 Smokey Otis & Mark Laborde: 7; Pappa Rocco's; Gulf Shores.

• Karaoke w. Cindy & Mary: 5; American

Legion Post 99; Foley. • Karaoke w. Aaron Phillips: 6; American

Legion Post 44, Gulf Shores. • Karaoke: 10; The Undertow; Orange

Beach. • Big Beach Running & Social Club: 5:30 p.m.; Big Beach Brewery in Gulf Shores; lafleetfeet.com.

• Family Night Dinner & Activities: 5:45 p.m.; Saint Andrew by the Sea, 17263 Fort Morgan Rd., Gulf Shores; 678-361-2762

• Open Mixed Doubles Tennis: 7:15 a.m.; all levels welcome; Gulf Shores Tennis Center; corner of West 19th Ave. and West 2nd St.

 Veteran's Bingo: 10 a.m.-2 p.m.; American Legion Post 99, Foley.

• Prayer Shawl Ministry: Noon; Perdido Bay UMC Activities Center, 13660 Innerarity Point Rd., (Innerarity Point) Pensacola.

• Food Ministry For Hungry Families: noon-1 p.m.; Grace Lutheran Church, cor-

ner of West 23rd Ave. and West 4th St. in Gulf Shores: 251-968-5991.

• Bread Ministry: 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.; Orange Beach United Methodist Church Brook's Center.

• Food Bank: 9 - 11 a.m every Wednesday, Perdido Bay Baptist Church, 12600 Sorrento Rd. Pensacola; call for eligiblity requirements at (850) 492-2604.

 Perdido Key Rotary Club: 7:30 a.m.; every Wednesday at Triggers 850.492.8335.

 Storytime at Pensacola Southwest Branch Library: free; infant to 5; 10:30-11; 1-2238 Old Gulf Beach Hwy;

(850)453-7780.

• Gulf Shores Garden Club: 9:30 a.m.; first Wednesday of each month September thru May; Gulf Shores Activity Center; 300 E. 16th Avenue, Gulf Shores; new members and guests always welcome; 251-968-5683.

• AA: Noon; Perdido Bay UMC Worship Center, 13660 Innerarity Point Rd., (Innerarity Point) Pensacola.

• AA: 7:30 p.m.; Perdido Bay UMC Worship Center, 13660 Innerarity Point Rd., (Innerarity Point) Pensacola.

#### THU, NOV 8

• Frank Brown Songwriters Festival: various venues around Perdido Key, Pleasure Isle & Pensacola, check fbisf.com for complete details.

• Flora-Bama Possible Probables: 2 p.m. 'til; (Sched. on pages 32-33), Flora-Bama, Perdido Key.



DAYBREAK SENIORS VISIT NATURE CENTER: The seniors at DayBreak Senior Care at Gulf Shores United Methodist Church recently visited the Nature Center at the Gulf State Park where participants and volunteers were treated to a great picnic lunch while overlooking the park. After lunch they enjoyed a guided tour of the Center conducted by Kelly Reetz, Park Naturalist. Everybody had a great time as they learned about our region's wildlife. Pictured here, Kelly is introducing everyone to the Center's resident Screech owl. Seated on the front row, from the left, are Sharon Mercke, Jean Cocker, Velma Tuttle, Blan Blankenship, Carol Hines and Marianne Hawkins. In the back row are Terry Fowinkle, founder of DayBreak and our BRATS van driver Kathy. DayBreak Senior Care provides a secure, loving environment for individuals suffering from Alzheimer's or other forms of dementia. More info: 251-752-1849 or 251-968-2549.

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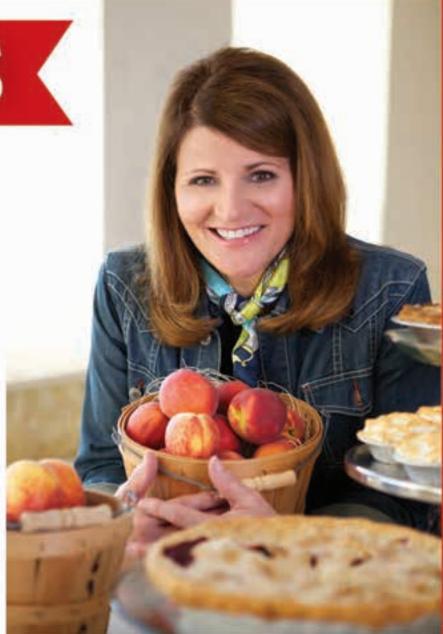
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• Karaoke on our Tiki Bar: 8; Live Bait,

• Greg Lyon: 7; Hub Stacy's, Innerarity

• **Open Mic:** 7; Snapper's; Orange Beach.

• Karaoke: 10; The Undertow; Orange

• **FBISF Songwriters:** 5; LuLu's at Homeport Marina, Gulf Shores.

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Point.

• Flora-Bama Bingo: free; 1-4 p.m.; great prizes, family friendly; 17401 Perdido

Lecture About Discovery of an Ancient

p.m.;Gulf Shores Cultural Center; 19470

• Jesse Duncan:: 6; Fin & Fork, Orange

Coastal Alabama Couples Classic Golf

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Alabama Southern Combos Doubles

Canoe Canal in Gulf Shores: free; 7

• Elaine Petty: 2 p.m.; Sassy Bass Amazin' Grill, Ft. Morgan.

Key Dr., Perdido Key.

Club, Gulf Shores.

Beach.

Oak Rd. W.; 251-460-7200.

- John Lee Sanders: 6; Voyagers Restaurant at Perdido Beach Resort; Orange Beach.
- John Brust: 6; The Lobby Bar at Perdido Beach Resort; Orange Beach.
- Karaoke: 5:30; Tacky Jacks, Gulf Shores.
- Karaoke: 8; Tacky Jacks, Ft. Morgan. • Smokey Otis & Mark Laborde: 7; Papa
- Sinoley Gulf Shores.
  Arts at the Market: 4-8 p.m.; Coastal
- Alabama Farmer's & Fishermen's Market, Foley, 2nd Thurs. of each month; great artists & crafters from our area; Info: (251) 229-9885.

#### Wild & Wicked Beach Bash At Gulf Shores Public Beach

• 8 Ball APA: 7:30; The Office, Foley. Rd., (Innerarity Point) Pensacola.

#### ONGOING EVENTS

• Coastal Alabama Pickleball Club: Sun., Tue., Wed., Thu., Sat. in Gulf Shores; Info & Schedule: 619-321-7325.

• Free Boating Safety Inspections: US Coast Guard Auxiliary FL32 offers free boating safety inspections (Vessel Exams) for all types of recreational boats. These exams are in accordance with Federal and State laws. You can call Wayne Kindred at 251-284-3823 for an appointment.

#### • Gulf Coast Arts Alliance Gallery: 225

East 24th Ave. in the Waterway Village neighborhood of Gulf Shores; 30 local and regional artists have their works on display; 251-948-2627 or gulfcoastartsalliance.com.

• The Susan N. McCollough Gallery/Studio: 350 Cypress Bend Blvd. (at the Mc-Collough Institute in Gulf Shores); 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday; admission free; weekends with appointments; 251-967-7677.

• Swift-Coles Historic Home: Located at 17424 Swift Coles Lane in Bon Secour; open for tours Tuesdays and Fridays









# -What's Happening



# Coastal Half-Marathon, 5K and 1-Mile Fun Run Nov. 24

Come for family time, stay for fitness during Thanksgiving weekend race

The 2018 Run the Beach Half-Marathon series concludes with a Thanksgiving weekend tradition – the Kaiser Realty by Wyndham Vacation Rentals Coastal Half-Marathon, 5K and 1-Mile Fun Run – on Saturday, Nov. 24, at the Orange Beach Sportsplex (4385 William Silvers Parkway). The 5K race will serve as the Road Runners Club of America (RRCA) Alabama State 5K Championship.

"With cooler temperatures and holiday happenings, Thanksgiving is the perfect time to reconnect with family and friends along Alabama's beaches," said Beth Gendler, vice president of the Gulf Shores & Orange Beach Sports Commission. "The Kaiser Coastal Half-Marathon, 5K and 1-Mile Fun Run gives participants the opportunity to enjoy wellness at any fitness level on the paved, wheelchair-accessible Hugh S. Branyon Backcountry Trail at Gulf State Park."

Packet pick-up will take place Friday, Nov. 23 at the Orange Beach Event Center at The Wharf, while Saturday's pre- and post-race activities will happen at the Orange Beach Sportsplex. Participants are encouraged to celebrate the season of giving by donated canned goods on-site for the Christian Service Center.

To register, visit Team-Magic.com/Events/122, and book stays with Kaiser Realty by Wyndham Vacation Rentals at WyndhamVacationRentals.com/Alabama.

Civic groups or individuals interested in earning \$40 per person per four-hour shift worked for their organizations may volunteer at this event with the Gulf Shores & Orange Beach Tourism Volunteer Incentive Program. For more information, contact Sarah Cooper at SCooper@GulfShores.com.

For information on upcoming athletic events along Alabama's Gulf Coast, visit GulfShores.com/Sports, or call 1-800-745-SAND.

**Pictured:** A Thanksgiving weekend tradition, the Kaiser Realty by Wyndham Vacation Rentals Coastal Half-Marathon, 5K and 1-Mile Fun Run takes place Saturday, Nov. 24, at the Orange Beach Sportsplex.



**O.B. GARDEN CLUB YARD OF THE MONTH:** The Orange Beach Garden Club has selected Pandion Ridge RV Resort at 22800 Canal Road as its commercial yard of the month. The beautiful flowers surrounding the fountain add to the eye appeal of this exceptional landscape. Hats off to Owner Ed Trehern for his unique vision that created this remarkable scenery for our community's enjoyment. **Pictured:** The resort manager Lynn Lynn Stiebe and garden club member Paula Revis stand in front of the Pandion fountain ("Pandion" is the French word for osprey, which is a special bird in our area).



HURRICANE RELIEF FUNDS FROM GSES: Thank you to the students, teachers and staff, families and community members of Gulf Shores Elementary for their support and donations to those affected by Hurricane Michael. GSES raised over \$1,000 and hundreds of supplies for hurricane relief. We appreciate the service efforts of our students and K-Kids Club and the time they spent collecting and organizing the donations. Pictured: K-Kids Club officers gather ed hundreds of donations from Gulf Shores Elem. School students as they entered school on October 19. K-Kids Club Officers pictured are: (left to right) Coolie Grover, President; Jeb Bathrick, Treasurer; Claire Colvin, Secretary; Ana Bathrick, Vice President; and Annica Farris, Sergeant at Arms.

from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. last tour at 3 p.m. Adults-\$10; Children 6-12-\$5; Under 6 Free; Sandy Forsman, 251-949-5550. • **Orange Beach Indian & Sea Museum:** Discover local history including Indian culture and the importance of fishing to

#### the area. Free admission. • Baldwin County Heritage Museum:

25521 Highway 98, Elberta, 10am-3pm, Wednesday-Saturday; free; exhibits that highlight the heritage of the area; 251-986-8375.

• City of Foley Museum Archives and Model Train Exhibit: All aboard for fun!

Model trains are operated on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays from 10am to 2pm. Free admission.

• Mobile Bay Ferry: (Seasonal) This auto/passenger ferry connects Fort Morgan to Dauphin Island. Call 251-540-7787 for rates and schedule.

• Fort Morgan: History echoes off brick walls at this pre-Civil War fort. Designed to control the shipping channel into Mobile Bay, today the mission is to share lessons from the past. Adults-\$7; Child-\$4; 65 and older-\$5.

• **Gulf State Park Pier:** See what's biting with a visit to the longest pier on the Gulf of Mexico. Sight-seeing passes are available for those who don't want to drop a hook. Children under 12 admitted free with paying adult.

 Hugh S. Branyon Backcountry Trails at Gulf State Park: Hike or cycle into the wilderness of the Alabama Gulf Coast with trails that guide you along marshes, secondary sand dunes, swamps and creeks. Free.

• Alabama Gulf Coast Zoo: downtown Gulf Shores, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. daily, 251-968-5731.

• Baldwin Museum of Art: 111 W. Laurel Ave. (Hwy.98) in Foley. Hours: 10am -4pm. Monday through Friday (251) 970-1818. Admission is free.

• The Hot Shop & The Clay Studio: Classes, & workshops. Info: 251-981-ARTS.

• **Performing Arts Association**: exhibits by local artists; free; 119 West Laurel Ave. in Foley; 251-943-4381.

• Gulf Shores Museum: Special Exhibit-From Sea to Shining Sea: 200 Years of Charting America's Coast. Museum also features a backyard "Grandma's Garden,"



**GSMS KIWANIS CLUB BUILDERS CLUB UNVEILS FLAG:** The newest officers for the Gulf Shores Middle School Builders Club was chartered at GSMS in September of 2017, but the club didn't officially begin until September of 2018. Anita Forrest is the faculty advisor and Luke Roberson and Kimberly Ray are the Kiwanis Club advisors. Meetings are typically held on the 2nd and 4th Friday of each month. Be on the lookout for how you as a wonderful community can help these students achieve their goals and plans for the school year. **Pictured:** Holding the Builders Club banner (I to r) are Emilie Rattner (President), Logan Wiese (Vice President), KK Hoff (Treasurer) and Anna Grace Fields (Sergeant at Arms) - Blair Moss (Secretary) is not pictured.



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# What's Happening

# **BUSINESS BRIEFS**

LULU'S QUALIFIES THREE FOR ARHA AWARDS: The Alabama Restaurant & Hospitality Association (ARHA) has announced the 2018 Stars of the Industry Awards finalists and Lucy Buffett's LuLu's has three qualifiers. LuLu's COO George Martin is listed as a finalist for Restaurateur/Operator of the Year. Gabrielle Barnett, LuLu's Marketing & Communications Manager is a contender for Tourism Promoter of the Year and LuLu's own bartender **Don Delong** is in the running for Alabama Bartender of the Year. The Alabama Restaurant and Hospitality Association (ARHA) represents over 1,200 members including restaurants, lodging, tourism, and hospitality service companies.

The food service, hospitality and tourism industry is Alabama's second-largest employer--making ARHA members the cornerstone of the state's economy. Each year the Stars of the Industry campaign solicits nominations from across the state to find the "best of the industry" in various categories. The ARHA Board of Directors reviews all the submissions received and selects finalists in each group. Since the committee only selects a few nominees in each category, being named a finalist is a great honor.

All finalists will be honored at the annual gala awards ceremony and dinner on Monday, October 29 at the Grand Bohemian Mountain Brook Hotel in Birmingham. The winner in each category will be announced from among the finalists that evening.

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BALDWIN CO. WINS BIG AT AL. RETAIL DAY: Four Baldwin County businesses walked away winners Tuesday - the most awards for a single county - at the statewide Alabama Retail Day awards luncheon in Birmingham:

• Gold Alabama Retailer of the Year, Annual Sales Less Than \$1 Million: Lisette Normann, owner of The Fairhope Store; nominated by the Eastern Shore Chamber of Commerce. Silver Alabama Retailer of the Year, Annual Sales \$5 Million to \$20 Million: (Two-Way Tie):

• Charlene Haber, owner/president of Wolf Bay Restaurant, Bar & Boutique in Foley and Orange Beach; nominated by the South Baldwin Chamber of Commerce.

• Brian and Jodi Harsany, owners of Cobalt The Restaurant in Orange Beach; nominated by the Alabama Small Business Development Center - University of Alabama; and the city of Orange Beach.

• Centennial Insurance Agency: Thames Batré Insurance in Mobile and Gulf Shores. Founded in 1891 by Gustav Thames and Lloyd Batré. Currently owned by Harry W. Mattei, Harlon Ison, Lewis Beville, Allen H. Ladd, Ernest Ladd, Pavton Mattei and Taylor Beville. The Alabama Retail Association was formed in 1943 for retailers by retailers who saw a need for representation in public policy was made. More info: alabamaretail.org

#### .....

PEE PAW'S OFFERING HISTORICAL TOURS OF PERDIDO KEY: If you want to learn little known historical facts about Perdido Key and its surrounding neighborhoods, you would do well to ask a local, right? If you are lucky that local will be as enthusiastic about sharing his knowledge as John Vick, who grew up around the stretch of beach between the Flora-Bama, Innerarity Island and Trout Point. John's new company, Pee Paw's Histerical Key Tours, offers unique two-hour guided driving tousr of Perdido Key, Johnson Beach, NAS, and Innerarity Point. In addition to providing information about things to do, history, John has a plethora of local funny stories to share with photos and tracts of music to back up many of the tales. John's van is available for trips daily from 1-11 a.m. or 1-3 p.m. a a cost of \$35 per person.

Learn where locals eat, Al Capone staved and Perdido's connection to the Beatles and laugh aloud the entire time you are getting more familiar with John's special paradise. For more info, go to peepawstours.com or call 850-490-2659. ........

KIVA DUNES EARNS GOLF ADVISOR NO. 1 RATING: Kiva Dunes Golf Club was recently scored dual aces, after being named the No.1 rated Public Golf Course in the state of Alabama by Golf Advisor and earning a Top 100 Golf Resorts listing in 2018 by Golf Week.

Kiva was also cited as one of the Top 100 Golf Resorts by GolfWeek in 2017 and has earned additional awards from Golf Digest, and Links Magazine. The distinction from Golf Advisor encompasses everything from architecture to course layout, and staff friendliness.







Lisette Normann: Jim Edgemon:

Developed by avid golfer Jim Edgemon, and designed by Jim's University of Alabama classmate and professional golfer, Jerry Pate, the 1976 U.S. Open champion, Kiva Dunes exemplifies the longtime friends' great love, and respect for the game. First opened in 1995, Kiva Dunes has proven itself a testament to it founders' shared love of golf in the two decades since.

In addition to Pate's original 1995 design, a \$1.5 million renovations in 2015 improved upon an already breathtaking layout. The makeover included an upgrade to Bermuda Tiff Eagle grass on the greens.

 $\bar{\text{Kiva}}$  comes in at just over 7,100 yards with exposed sand and gnarly scrub oak part of its lore. The manicured track winds through acres of secluded, coastal greenery and natural marsh in a pristine conservation area on the Fort Morgan peninsula, 13 miles west of Hwy. 59 in Gulf Shores.

Though unique and challenging, the course does not penalize every bad shot like other high-ranked courses. Kiva has a different feel every day, depending on the shift in winds between the Gulf of Mexico and Mobile Bay. Open to the public, course pricing changes in real-time. Visit KivaDunes.com for more course info.

Kiva's 2015 renovations were in celebration of its 20th anniversary, and Pate came back to supervise the overhaul and renovation process and create a golfing environment that is conducive to the full range of golfer, from juniors and those new to the game, all the way up to the experienced tournament veteran. "We're making a statement that Kiva Dunes is here for the long haul and will continue to be recognized as one of the premier golf and beach resorts in not only the Southeast, but also the United States," Edgemon said at the time about an idea that he and Pate discussed well before the club's 1995 opening.

It all started decades back when Jim "Scrappy" Edgemon was on the tee of the par 3, 16th hole at the University of Alabama course in Tuscaloosa waiting for a nearby golfer to clear the green. The golfer on the green waved him on, and Scrappy hit a hole-in-one. The green-side golfer recalls thinking, "Man, that looks pretty good." The two golfers met that day, and that was the beginning of what would become a prosperous partnership.

If you haven't already guessed as much the second golfer was Pate, who was a rooke when he won the 1974 U.S. Open. "He's been a winner at everything he's ever done," Edgemon said when he hired Pate to design his golf course. "I'd seen his work and I knew his passion. I knew, when given the best land, he'd do the best job. And he did. Kiva Dunes is recognized the world over as one of golf's best and most unique challenges.'

Almost 30 years and multiple national awards later, Kiva Dunes is stronger than ever and has had tens of thousands of golfers high-fiving one another over the one-in-a-million golf course that it is.

shrimping and hurricane picture exhibits and gift shop; 244 West 19th Ave., Gulf Shores: 251 968 1473

• Big Lagoon State Park: 'til dusk; 12301 Gulf Beach Hwy.; nature trails, beach, picnic area, scenic look-out; \$4 admission; (850) 492-1595.

 Bon Secour National Wildlife Refuge: 12295 State Hwy. 180 in Gulf Shores; Enjoy more than six miles of hiking trails and beach access. Open from sunrise to sunset; (251) 540-7720.

• Perdido Key State Park: Covered picnic tables overlooking the beach provide a great place for family outings.15301 Perdido Key Dr.; \$3 per car; (850) 492-1595. Tarkiln Bayou Preserve State Park:

Home to four species of endangered pitcher plants. A boardwalk offers visitors a view of the wild and beautiful Tarkiln Bayou; Bauer Rd.; 2 miles south of US 98; (850) 492-1595.

 National Museum of Naval Aviation: Free admission. Open 7 days a week from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. See more than 170 aircraft on display. IMAX theater every hour; onboard NAS Pensacola. Info: 850-452-3604

• Fort Barrancas: On board the Pensacola Naval Air Station, open daily from 10:30a.m.-4 p.m. with daily guided tours of the fort at 2 p.m. Completed in 1797. Info: 850-934-2604.

# Holy Spirit Episcopal Pirates & Princesses Putt Putt Oct. 27

Holy Spirit Episcopal Church inaugural Pirates & Princesses putt putt tournament will be held Saturday, October 27th from 10am to 1pm at Pirate's Island Adventure Golf on Hwy 59. The event includes 18 holes of putt putt and a picnic lunch. All proceeds will benefit the Holy Spirit Day School. Tickets are \$20.00 for ages 13 and up, \$15.00 for ages 5 to 12, and \$5.00 for ages 4 and under. Please contact the Church office to purchase tickets@

The non-profit zoo, located at 1204 Gulf Shores Parkway in Gulf Shores, will open its gates after hours for an Animal Art Safari where guests can purchase original pieces of art created by some of the zoo's wildest bunch of "artists-in-residence." It's a unique and delightful opportunity to get up-close and personal with the zoo's animal ambassadors, feast on gourmet treats — and participate in a worthy cause.

The silent auction will be held from 5 to 6:45 p.m., followed by a live auction of a few select pieces at 7 p.m. Musical entertainment is provided by Roman Street Band and Dr Rock; gourmet picnic-style food is by COASTAL Catering; craft beers will be served by Fairhope Brewery, plus a selection of specialty wines by M&J Wines. The Alabama Gulf Coast Zoo is home to more than 600 exotic animals.





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Kendra Richardson shares a picture of a monarch butterfly she spotted on Ft. Morgan.



Grant Stewart, a seventh grader at Gulf Shores Middle School, took this picture in his backyard in Gulf Shores. It is the back side of a crab spider in its web.

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This "Tiki man Jak-O'-Lantern" picture was taken by Samantha Richerson of Bon Secour.



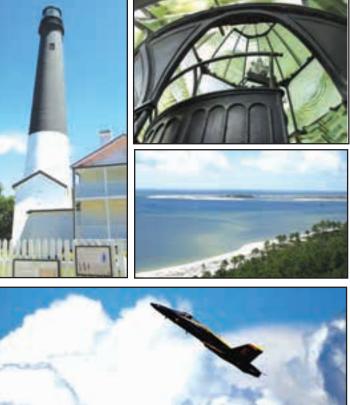
"Can he eat the whole fish?" asks Charles Cantrell.



"A beautiful October Sunset on Ole River," wrutes Maggie Warren.



Cathy Deal shares amazing pictures taken from the top of the 150 ft. Pensacola Lighthouse duringa a Blue Angels practice at NAS Pensacola.

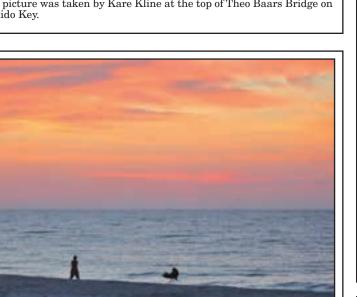




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This picture was taken by Kare Kline at the top of Theo Baars Bridge on Perdido Key.



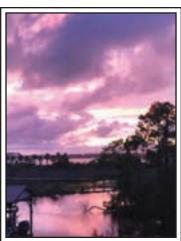
Cathy Deal shares her picture of a Great Blue Heron flying in to greet a walker at Johnson Beach.



"Taken at cloudy sundown yesterday. It's amazing how still Little Lagoon gets after a hard rain," writes Ken Matthews.



A beautiful sunset on West Beach in Gulf Shores shared by Lori Russell.



"Ever changing," writes Loretta Scruggs about the sunset view from Ono Island.



Gwen Waldo shares this beautiful picture of a rainbow that followed a Gulf storm.



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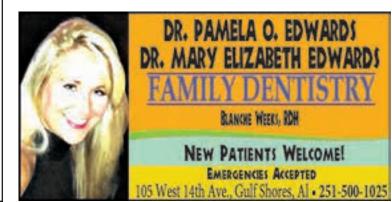


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# Jensen's Heart of Gold Foundation supports local families with children fighting cancer

# Registration is now open for 9th Annual Super Slugger Softball Tournament scheduled September 6-8, 2019

Did you know that there is a non-profit organization right here in your community that raises much needed funds for families who have a child fighting cancer?

Jensen's Heart of Gold Foundation was founded by the Byrd family in 2010 after the loss of their 5 year old son, Jensen Daniel Byrd. Jensen was diagnosed with cancer at the age of two and fought for 3 long years succumbing to his disease on August 24, 2010 at the all too young age of 5 years old.

Survived by his mother Melissa, father Lynn, and sister Jayden, they knew they could not go back to a normal lifestyle. On average, 46 children are diagnosed with cancer each and every day. They could not move forward turning a blind eye to that. The incident rate of childhood cancer in their own community seemed alarmingly high. It became their mission to afford those families in their area who are on the same path, the opportunity to make memories with their child. Something the Byrd's feel they did not have enough of.

The inaugural and cornerstone event of the charity, the Super Slugger Softball tournament, began as a way to commemorate one

of the last and fondest memories the Byrd family had of their precious angel.

Melissa, founder and President of JHG, called upon her friends in the adult softball community to come together and play a double elimination co-ed tournament. She organized the event to name each team after a Super Mario character just as Jensen had done with them in their backyard only days before his passing. He did not let the pain deter him from living out the Super Slugger Nintendo game with his family in his back yard. He put his morphine pump in his new Luigi backpack that was intended for his first day of Kindergarten, a day he never experienced.

To their surprise, 22 teams formed and came together at that 1st Annual tournament. Melissa was overwhelmed

and humbled by the turnout. The community had rallied in a big way. Fast forward to 2018 and the 8th Annual Super Slugger Softball tournament. 50 teams showed up from several different states this year on September 8 - 9. Byrd had to close registration three weeks early due to the volume of teams and the limited number of hours in a day! The first year raised just over \$8,000. JHG proudly an-

nounced to us that this year they grossed nearly \$60,000 on

that single event! They also proudly report that all expenses were covered with corporate and community sponsorships!

Since the formation of JHG, the Byrd's have expanded into Central Florida with their Florida Chapter. Ran by Emily Pierce, their efforts collaboratively have raised nearly \$500,000 in the last eight years and have assisted dozens of families in need. Emily, mother of childhood cancer warrior Morgan Pierce, met the Byrd family while both children were being treated in NYC at Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center. The two families became fast friends and

continue to honor Jensen's memory together even through their own continued 10 year battle with childhood cancer.

September is childhood cancer awareness month. Gold is the color of ribbon that symbolizes that fight. If you want to get involved in your community to support the cause, visit www.jensensheartofgold.com for the many ways you can help spread awareness. Registration is also now open for the 9th Annual Super Slugger Softball Tournament on September 6-8, 2019.

**Pictured:** (above) Jensen Byrd; Scenes from softball tourney; Theodore Prive, who at four months old was diagnosed with Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia (ALL) and spent 227 days straight at USA Children's and Women's Hospital in Mobile. Theo is now home and continue daily low dose chemo until maintenance completion date on 8/31/2019.









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#### **Coconut Shrimp**

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#### Shrimp Creole

Spicy tomato and vegetable sauce over yellow rice. Served with one side dish. \$17.99

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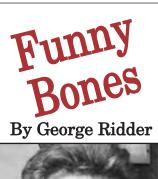








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Bookseller conducting a market survey asked a woman, "Which book has helped you most in your life?"

The woman replied, "My husband's check book!!"

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A prospective husband in a book store. "Do you have a book called

'Husband – the Master of the House?'' Sales girl: "Sir, fiction and comics are on the 1st floor!"

Someone asked an old man, "Even after 70 years, you still call your wife – darling, honey, luv. What's the secret?" Old man, "I forgot her name and I'm scared to ask her."

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Pharmacist to customer: "Sir, please understand, to buy an anti-depression pill you need a proper prescription. Simply showing marriage certificate and wife's picture is not enough."

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There are three kinds of men in this world. Some remain single and make wonders happen. Some have girlfriends and see wonders happen. Rest get married and wonder what happened!

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My wife to my mom: "Don't teach me how to handle my children. I am living with one of yours and he needs a lot of improvement."

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Teacher: "Okay class let's start by sharing our dreams. What's yours David?"

David: "My dream is to earn \$20,000 a month like my dad." Teacher: "Wow! Your dad earns that much?"

David: "No ma'am, that's also my dad's dream."

#### ......

I was sitting at the bar staring at my drink when a large, troublemaking biker steps up next to me, grabs my drink and gulps it down in one swig.

"Well, whatcha' gonna do about it?" he says, menacingly, as I burst into tears. "Come on, man," the biker says, "I didn't think you'd cry. I can't stand to see a man crying."

"This is the worst day of my life," I said. "I'm a complete failure. I was late to a meeting and my boss fired me. When I went to the parking lot, I found my car had been stolen and I don't have any insurance. I left my wallet in the cab I took home. I found my wife with another man ... and then my dog bit me.

"So, I came to this bar to work up the courage to put an end to it all. I buy a drink, I drop a capsule in it and sit here watching the poison dissolve. Then you show up and drink the whole damn thing!

"But enough about me, how are you doing?"

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

A lettuce and a tomato were in a race.

Who won?

The lettuce went a head, but the tomato never could ketchup.

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"I am worried about my wife. She is out all night, every night, going from bar to bar." "Are you saying she's an alco-

holic or do you think she's cheating?"

"No, she is looking for me."

A Viking explorer returned home from a voyage and found his name missing from the town register.

His wife insisted on complaining to the local civic official, who apologized profusely saying, "I must have taken Leif off my census."

Alcohol and calculus don't mix ... Never drink and derive.

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What do you do when you see a Spaceman?

### You park your car in it!

A newly married sailor was informed by the navy that he was going to be stationed a long way from home on a remote island in the Pacific for a year. A few weeks after he got there he began to miss his new wife, so he wrote her a letter. "My love," he wrote "we are going to be apart for a very long time. Already I'm starting to miss you and there's really not much to do here in the evenings. Besides that we're constantly surrounded by young attractive native girls. Do you think if I had a hobby of some kind I would not tempted?"

So his wife sent him back a harmonica saying, "Why don't you learn to play this?"

Eventually his tour of duty came to an end and he rushed back to his wife. "Darling" he said, "I can't wait to see you!"

"First let's see you play that harmonica," she said.

#### .....

A woman walks into her psychiatrist's office and says, "Hey doc, you know how we have been talking about saying things that don't come out the way we meant them to?"

The psychiatrist replies, "You mean Freudian slips?"

"Exactly, those. Well, I had the most amazing one last night. I was eating dinner with my husband, and I meant to say, 'Honey, could you please pass the salt,' but instead I said, 'You damn fool, you ruined my life.'"

#### ......

My laptop was driving me crazy. "The A, E, and I keys always stick," I complained to a friend. She quickly diagnosed the problem, "Your computer is suffering from irritable vowel syndrome."

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My Friday is ruined!" "Why, what happened?" "I realized today is Tuesday."



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#### SERVICES

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#### FITNESS/EXERCISE CLASS:

NEW Zumba (R) Fitness class invitation; FREE for 9am Mondays SEPT. 10,17,24 @ Coastal Ballet Academy. Oct 1 Monday begins \$5 for the class. Bring friends, water, towel, wear comfy workout attire. Contact Irene icozad0825@gmail.com (or) 251-752-8323 (9/22)

#### ART LESSONS

Art Lessons w Talis @ Artworks Studio and gallery @Villagio on Perdido Key; tues & Thursday 10:30-12:30 am; Paint & Wine Class Wed 5-7 (or by special request); Call for more information or reservations; Talis 850-261-9617; 13700 Perdido Key Dr. LEARN MOSAIC FOR \$15

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