



THE BRINY BUGLE

MAY 2016

FRIDAY		
Trash Pickup	Early Morning	
Water Aerobics with Tape	9:30 a.m.	Pool
Friday Night BBQ (5/6 & 5/20)	6:00 p.m.	Pool Cabana
Movie & Discussion (5/13)	6:30 p.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Dominos	7:00 p.m.	West Clubroom
SATURDAY		
Ping Pong	7:00 p.m.	Community Center
SUNDAY		
Hand & Foot	7:00 p.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
MONDAY		
Paper & Aluminum Pickup	Early Morning	
Lawn Debris Pickup	Early Morning	
Water Aerobics with Tape	9:30 a.m.	Pool
Sewing and Crafts	1:00 - 4:00 p.m.	Hobby Club
Board Games	7:00 p.m.	West Clubroom
TUESDAY		
Trash Pickup	Early Morning	
Sales & Rental Committee (5/3)	10:00 a.m.	Community Center
Bridge	12:00 – 4:00 p.m.	Community Center
Pinochle	6:45 p.m.	Community Center
Board Games	7:00 p.m.	West Clubroom
WEDNESDAY		
Water Aerobics with Tape	9:30 a.m.	Pool
Happy Hour	5:00 p.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Board Games/Rummikub	7:00 p.m.	West Clubroom
THURSDAY		
Lawn Debris Pickup	Early Morning Only	
Fining & Violation Committee (5/19)	9:00 a.m.	Community Center
Pinochle	1:00 p.m.	Community Center
Town Council Meeting (May 26)	4:00 p.m.	Town Hall
Open Games	7:00 p.m.	West Clubroom

*** ARTICLES FOR THE JUNE BUGLE ARE DUE BY NOON ON TUESDAY, MAY 24th ***

IN MEMORY Tom Joyce, a longtime renter (CD20), passed away peacefully at his home in Brockton, MA, on Tuesday, April 19, 2016. Tom treasured his time at Briny and especially loved all the wonderful people who make Briny the special place that it is. His full obituary and video tribute may be viewed at: www.russellpicafuneralhome.com Condolences may be sent to Georgia Joyce, 19 Fairway Drive, Brockton MA 02301.

HELP ME FIND SOMEONE! I met a nice family at a Briny dinner a few months ago with a mom (or aunt) who wasn't there but lives in Briny. She is about 87 years old and graduated from Syracuse University in 1950. My mom (who has passed) also did and I'd love to meet/interview her about her experiences but I don't have her name. Please help! If you are this person, or know her please call Nancy (I-208) at (561)308-6956. Thank you!

THANK YOU

We would like to thank all of our volunteers who helped with various duties in the office including Anne Hart, Nancy Aceto, Char Murray, Elaine McGee, Doris Studer, Velda Armstrong, Cindy Holbrook, MaryAnn Sperazza....forgive us if we forgot anyone! We appreciate you all!

NEWSPAPERS

Remember to cancel your subscription to the Palm Beach Post before you leave for the north. Use the word CANCEL! Brenda Dooley will be taking subscriptions for Boating & Fishing (856)982-2412 Post subscriptions from now on. Thank you.

COMMUNITY CARING CENTER FOOD COLLECTION

If you have any food, cans, unopened boxes or unopened toiletries that you wish to donate, please leave on my patio (G-11). The center appreciates our donations which help supply groceries to local families. Ann Kimlicka

LIBRARY NEWS

New Books donated by Carl Miller in memory of his son Bruce:

Fool Me Once by Harlan Coben. Former special ops pilot Maya, home from the war, sees an unthinkable image captured by her nanny cam while she is at work: her two-year-old daughter playing with Maya's husband, Joe—who was brutally murdered two weeks earlier.

The Promise. Elvis Cole and Joe Pike are joined by Suspect heroes LAPD K-9 Officer Scott James and his German shepherd, Maggie, in the new heart-stopping thriller from #1 New York Times-bestselling author Robert Crais.

Suzanne Snyder-Carroll donated her “On the Edge of Dangerous Things” trilogy to:

- Rene Brandenburger
- Jenelle Zerull
- Bob Zerull

Those books are on the “newly donated” shelf; beside the new books. Thank you Susanne!

Missing movies: Creed, The Danish Girl, Room. All were taken from the library without being checked out. When you check out an item, you borrow - when you take an item without checking it out - that is called something else. Please do the right thing & follow the library procedures.

Summer librarian hours are flexible so if you have questions or requests, leave a note or contact me.
Donna Clarke, Librarian

Bookmobile

Parked beside the pool on Fridays 1:30 - 2:30. Next visits are May 6, May 20 & June 3.

FRIDAY NIGHT MOVIE & DISCUSSION

May 13th - 6:30 to 8:30 - Ocean Club House TV Lounge

The film is set amid the Italian occupation of Greece during World War II. Based on actual events of the war including cultural differences, power and resistance, as well as the devastating brutality of war. A timeless love story between an occupying force and a local villager. As the war intensifies the two are forced to choose between their allegiance to their country and the love they feel for one another. Approx. 120 min. / R rated

FRIDAY NIGHT BBQ IS BACK!

We will have the Friday night BBQ on May 6th and May 20th this month at the pool cabana. Bring your own meat/main dish to cook on the grill, your own drinks and a side to share with everyone. Also, you need your own utensils and plates. Come join the fun, conversation and good times. See you there.
Ted and Kathy Gross

GARDEN CLUB

With most of us home now, the thought of returning to Briny is in the far distant future. However, before long we will be saying, “where did the summer go “. Something to look forward to for the upcoming season is the Briny Garden Club's trip to Kampong Gardens. Kampong Gardens is in Miami and although the Fairchild Gardens were named after Famed Horticulturist David Fairchild it was not his residence. Although he is the namesake.

The Kampong Gardens were not open to the public for a great many years, and was originally purchased as the winter home for David Fairchild and his wife Marian in 1916. In 1928 it became their permanent residence until their passing. The Kampong as it is often referred to, is the private 9-acre botanical garden of David Fairchild. The garden now a non-profit National Tropical Botanical Garden, is one of only five of its kind in this country and listed on the National Registry of Historic places to visit. Along with the gardens that extend to Biscayne Bay. The main floor of the house with its Spanish and Southeast Asian influence and the museum is part of the tour. This is a walking tour with rest benches along the way. The date is Tuesday February 21, 2017. Watch for further details in the upcoming Bugle Publications.

GARDEN CLUB PLANTING TIPS

Now that the majority of us have left our beloved Briny for the season. It is back to reality and our summer responsibilities, such as planting of flowers, shrubs or trees. A few helpful tips to consider. Depending on the size of your project. If you have an organization such as Dig Safe in your area. Be sure to check with them to eliminate digging into any areas that may contain any electrical lines or gas lines etc. An alternative would be to check your local Public Utility Company.

Take into consideration space availability, amount of sun or shade? If it is a garden or patio area the proximity of a close water source will be important. Always be sure that in selecting your plant(s) that they are tolerant to your area. The Cooperation Extension Service, or a reputable nursery can help you determine what regional zone you are in and can make recommendations based on what type of plant(s) that interest you.

Consider whether you are looking for seasonal annuals or perennial plants that will survive the winters in your area. If it is a tree(s) and or shrub(s) be sure to research the rate and maximum growth taking into consideration space allotment, power lines and the amount of maintenance, required to maintain plantings. Whether the selected plant has a shallow root base or a deep root base should also be a consideration as where to plant. Watch for more Gardening tips in future publications of the Bugle. Happy Plantings.

PRESIDENTS NOTE

Don't run for the "ropes" just yet...

As you are aware, the board voted to have the "ocean ropes" re-installed after turtle and hurricane season (November.) During our board discussions we advised that the vendor who had been supplying and installing the ropes for many years didn't think we would need a permit because the "anchors" should still be in the water...

As we have learned many times in the past few years, things are not as simple as they used to be. After adding funding back into the budget for the ropes in February, our GM was asked to find out from the EPA (Environmental Protection Agency) if permits for the ropes would be required. An immediate answer was not provided and Theresa was told they would follow up. As you know, the EPA has been called out to Briny by several shareholders on repeated occasions with complaints that we were destroying the sea grapes, re-planting dunes plants improperly and most recently about the beach hut... The EPA watches our beaches very closely.

The day after the board voted to re-install the ropes, we again checked with our representative who said ropes MAY be allowed, but we 1st needed to get permission from the FDEP (Florida Department of Environmental Protection). Why not just reinstall the ropes you are asking? Well due to all of the inquiries that the EPA receives from Briny shareholders, they monitor our beach weekly. Yes weekly. So spending \$5,000 to 7,000 to reinstall ropes only to be told to remove them a few days later is NOT the responsible way to proceed.

Long story short...

The FDEP *may* grant us approval to LEASE the portion of the ocean if we submit an application and it is approved... The cost is determined AFTER the application is approved and it is based on the square footage area that is requested.

In order to submit an application for consideration we 1st need EPA approval for the ropes to go from our property (above the mean high water line/dunes) and over/under the EPA controlled beach and then into the FDEP controlled ocean. IF the EPA grants us a permit to do this, then we need to have a new survey of our oceanfront property completed (a very expensive task) to then be able to fill out the FDEP application and possibly be considered for this "ocean lease." So as I said, don't run for the ropes just yet. We will keep you posted. Best, Michael

MANAGER NEWS

Boynton Beach Flushing Water Lines: *The City of Boynton Beach will begin flushing water lines with chlorine beginning April 18 through May 16, 2016. Residents may notice a slight odor or chlorine taste in tap water. This is an annual preventative maintenance. For more information, please call [561-742-6964](tel:561-742-6964).*

AT & T INFO: Vacation Mode Suspension is a charge of \$5.00 per month per service item. It is all or nothing – suspend all or suspend nothing. If you choose the Vacation Mode Suspension, you will be charged \$5.00 per month for the Cable, which will be credited back to you on your account. Once you set up the Vacation Mode Suspension, you will then need to call Teresa Jackson at 561-312-1990, to receive your credit of \$5.00 per month for the cable charge.

BUT if you CANCEL internet for a month (or 6 or 7), the cable will stay on. Then when you return, you call and reconnect the internet. There is no fee monthly.

HISTORICAL PRESERVATION COMMITTEE

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The Little City of Luxury Trailers

Briny Breezes is a small city of trailer homes where Cadillacs abound and yachts are tied up in the front yard. Its 1700 or so winter residents say that there is no other place like it and the visitor is quick to agree with them.

The waters of the blue Atlantic Ocean roll up on one side of the trailer park and the Inland Waterway flows past on the other. People from all over the U.S. and Canada call Briny Breezes their home during the winter months. They represent doctors, lawyers, clergymen, businessmen, artists, writers and those who have retired. Here for a few months, they leave behind the cares of business and home responsibilities in the north to enjoy 'trailer life'.

This includes a leisurely way of going from one day to the next – fishing before breakfast, swimming whenever they feel like it, playing a shuffleboard game or just visiting with other 'trailerites' whose backgrounds are of a wide variety.

There are people like Janet Folsum, who took home the top honor of the Boca Raton Art Show in February with one of her oil paintings. A small colony of artists has developed at Briny Breezes and among them are Frank C. Burritt, Marie Butts, Dorothy L. Gluek, Madeline Ives, Mildred Miller, Guy W. Phelps, Valida Robinson, who is instructor in water colors at the Park, R.R. Sheibenberger and Marie M. Zielinski.

These are only a few people at Briny Breezes, selected at random to give some idea of who spends the winter in the trailer park that like Topsy, just 'grew and grew'. ~ *Dorothy McNeice, February 2002*

***THE OFFICE STAFF AND MAINTENANCE CREW
WISH YOU ALL A HAPPY, HEALTHY SUMMER!!***



