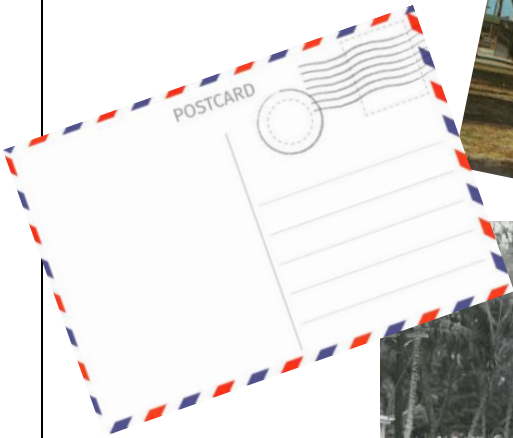


THE BRINY BUGLE



APRIL 23, 2021

The Bugle Calendar

MONDAY		
Trash Pickup	Early Morning	
Water Aerobics by Tape	9:15 a.m.	Pool
Water Aerobics by Tape	10:15 a.m.	Pool
TUESDAY		
RECYCLING	Early Morning	
Lawn Debris Pickup	Early Morning	
Sales & Rental Meeting	Paperwork deadline - 4/13	Meeting - 4/27
WEDNESDAY		
Water Aerobics by Tape	9:15 a.m.	Pool
Water Aerobics by Tape	10:15 a.m.	Pool
Happy Hour at the OCH	5 p.m.	OCH
THURSDAY		
Lawn Debris	Early Morning	
FRIDAY		
Trash Pickup	Early Morning	
Water Aerobics by Tape	9:15 a.m.	Pool
Water Aerobics by Tape	10:15 a.m.	Pool

If you have anything that needs to be included in the Bugle, please type all submissions, 225 words or less by Thursdays at Noon and email to Mary in the office at brinybugle@gmail.com. Thanks!

NEWS FROM BRINY OFFICE

For any Briny assistance, call the office (561) 276-7405 or email:

brinyassistant@gmail.com (Sharon)

brinybookkeeper@gmail.com(Cindy)

brinybugle@gmail.com (Mary)

brinybreezesgm@gmail.com (Michael)

New Access Badges

Did you pick up your new access badge yet? If not, you will not be able to get into any Corporate Buildings, the Pool or OCH, especially the Mail Room. Stop by the office.

YOU MUST WEAR YOUR BADGES EVERYWHERE
IN THE PARK!

Shareholders must let the office know in advance of ALL visitors coming to Briny, whether they be family or friends. Please email the office with the information. Owners, renters or guests are required to “check in” to the office upon arrival. We will make sure you/they get parking passes and any other important Briny information. See Briny Rules, Pg. 1.

What?! You didn't pick up your 2021 parking decal yet? Where have you been? We've been waiting for you! Bring your current car registration to the office to get your decal. Tickets are being issued daily by the Ocean Ridge Police Department for expired decals, you will be ticketed!

“DID YOU KNOW?”

Did you know?...

There's a checklist that we have to help guide you on how to close up your unit for the summer? Yes! Swing by the office or mailroom and pick it up along with other information to help your departure go smoothly.

If you have any suggestions/submissions for this section, send them to: brinybugle@gmail.com

NEWS FROM THE TOWN

FEMA Update

As many of Briny residents already know, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has issued preliminary Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM), December 2019. On April 9, 2021 and again on April 16, 2021 FEMA published a notice of the proposed flood hazard determinations and notification of the appeal process. The appeal process begins on April 17, 2021 and will continue for 90 days. Please note that the sole basis for such appeals is the possession of knowledge or information indicating that the proposed flood hazard determinations are scientifically or technically incorrect. Only appeals supported by scientific or technical data will be forwarded to and considered by FEMA.

All appeals and supportive scientific and technical data should be forwarded to the Town of Briny Breezes, 4802 North Ocean Blvd., Briny Breezes, FL 33435 or emailed to brinytownclerk@yahoo.com.

April Household Hazardous Waste Tip

~ Rechargeable batteries can cause fires if put in recycling bins or the trash~
Throwing rechargeable batteries in a recycling bin or the garbage can put property and people's lives at risk. In fact, fires traced to lithium ion batteries have been reported at recycling facilities nationwide, and fires have started in garbage trucks.

These batteries power our cell phones, cordless power tools and even hover boards. According to [a recent Resource Recycling article](#), they have components that are flammable. The battery heats up when shorted or damaged, and when that happens, they produce oxygen, which facilitates combustion.

Fortunately, Palm Beach County residents can dispose of rechargeable (non-alkaline) batteries at any of the SWA's [Home Chemical and Recycling Centers](#).

Regular alkaline batteries (AA, AAA, C, D and 9 volt) can be placed in your garbage. But any other type of battery (rechargeable, nickel-cadmium, automotive, lithium-ion, cell phone, lead-acid) should be dropped at one of the [Home Chemical and Recycling Centers](#).

The SWA's locations closest to Briny Breezes are:

- Lantana Central County Transfer Station

1810 Lantana Road in Lantana

Monday - Friday: 7 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Saturday: 7 a.m. - 12 p.m.

- Delray Beach – East; South County Transfer Station

1901 SW 4th Ave. in Delray Beach

Monday - Friday: 7 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Saturday: 7 a.m. - 3 p.m.

In addition to these locations, many major retailers will recycle batteries for free, and have drop-off containers placed near the front of their stores. We're asking all Briny Breezes

OCEAN RIDGE

Reminder: Tomorrow **April 24, 2021**, is the [National unused Drug Take Back Event](#). As part of our effort to keep unused drugs out of the trash and off the streets, our drop box for unused prescriptions is available for drop offs in the police department lobby 24 hours per day. Feel free to stop in anytime with your unused prescriptions for disposal.

Thanks in advance for making this event a success!

BBC-8

To get BBC-8 on your TV, turn on TV with remote and enter 8001, press OK, then OK again, choose Briny Breezes Program or Briny Breezes scroll, press OK. To return to regular AT&T programming press "Exit to TV". If you are not able to get channel 8001 on your TV, please contact our ATT Representative Matthew Provan by phone 407-634-9746 or via email to: mp1166@att.com

Bazaar Update

As of April 30th, the bazaar will not be accepting any more donations. Thank you so much for all that you have donated this past year and we are looking forward to a new and healthy next season!

Library News

The Academy Awards will be announced on Sunday, April 25 and during this time we think of Paul Ruopp. Many of you remember Paul Ruopp as our own Briny Movie Critic. He was on BBC each year talking about the movies that were nominated for that year's awards. This year, we don't have Paul's voice to guide us. He was a huge movie lover and donated many movies to the Briny Library. It didn't start immediately, but soon we started keeping track of the movies he bought in memory of his "dear friends". He purchased 51 movies for our library. We miss Paul, and not just for the movies he bought!

We hope you will think of Paul as you watch the next award show. Your library will be purchasing all the nominated movies as they become available on DVD. We have received donations in memory of Paul - and although we will buy a book or two - mostly it will be the movies we will buy. Also, Paul left us with enough money for a few movies. He always wanted to have a balance with us in which to purchase memorial movies. Thank you Paul!

New Books:

The Souvenir Museum by Elizabeth McCracken. A powerfully written new collection of short fiction that explores the mysterious bonds of family.

Bookmobile

May 5, 1:00-1:45

Orientation for New Owners/Renters

Given the pandemic we stopped offering Orientation to our Community, our Corporation and Town last March. Using a new format we will again offer this via remote Zoom. The dates we will be offering them are listed below. If you have not had an opportunity to participate as a newer shareholder or if you just want a refresher, chose a time that works for you and RSVP to Susan Brannen - sjbrannen28@gmail.com. Typically the Orientation lasts for about an hour. Following the completion of the orientation we will notify the office of your participation. If you do not have access to the internet or to Zoom, let us know- we will try and set up something for you at Briny. Two members of the committee will join with you to Welcome you and help you enjoy the Briny community. Help us catch up, sign up now. Many thanks Susan J. Brannen, Chair 585-734-4890

Dates and time:

Thursday April 29 at 11 am

Thursday May 6 at 7 pm

Memorial Fountain Bricks

We would like to remind our Briny residents that Fountain Circle Bricks are still available and can be ordered in two sizes, 4" x 8" and 8" x 8". Please find the application forms in the Briny Mailroom. We will be ordering another batch soon and the more bricks we order to be customized, the easier it is to arrange for installation. Remember, the bricks can be

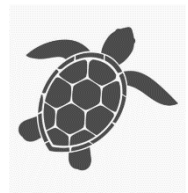
engraved with special tributes to family members, memorializing special events or people. Also, some bricks have been created for various clubs and organizations.

SHARING IS CARING!

Last year, the Community Caring Center became part of a larger organization, Boca Helping Hands, to distribute food locally. They thank all of you for your donations last year. I will continue to drop off the food here in Boynton Beach where they distribute it from the church on Seacrest/Boynton Beach Blvd. If you have any food, cans, unopened boxes or unopened toiletries that you wish to donate, please leave on G-11 patio, in the box on the patio table. The center appreciates our donations which help supply groceries to local families. Also, kindly check the expiration dates before donating. Stay safe and healthy and we'll see you again next season! Thank you very much. Barbara Molina

Sea Turtle Nesting Season Begins March 1st

Florida's beaches are important nesting areas for sea turtles, and the sand dunes are home to many unique plants and animals. *Please help protect Florida's sea turtles, other wildlife and the coastal habitats upon which they depend. The sea turtle nesting season in Florida runs from March through October on the Atlantic coast. During the sea turtle season, please remember a few simple things to help protect these magnificent creatures and their habitat:*



- It is against the law to touch or disturb nesting sea turtles, hatchlings, or their nests. Sea turtles are protected by both the Federal Endangered Species Act and the Florida Marine Protection Act.
- **If you see an injured or dead sea turtle, call the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission 1-888-404-FWCC (3922) or *FWC from your cell phone.** Please be prepared to answer the following questions: What is the exact location of the animal? Is the turtle alive or dead? What is the approximate size of the turtle? Is the turtle marked with spray paint? (This indicates that the turtle has been documented.) What is the location of the closest access point to the turtle?
- Avoid going to the beach at night. If you must be on the beach at night, limit your walking and do not use flashlights or flash photography. The light may cause the female to abort the nesting process, or other sea turtles nearby may be discouraged from nesting if there are lights on the beach.
- Turn off outside patio lights and shield indoor lights from shining directly onto the beach by closing the drapes at night. Lights disturb nesting sea turtles and hatchlings. Please make sure your beachfront lights are in compliance with the law.
- While enjoying the beautiful beaches during the day, avoid disturbing marked sea turtle nests, and please take your trash with you when you leave the beach.

- When crossing a dune, please use designated cross overs and walkways. Do not climb over the dunes or disturb the dune vegetation.

Water Aerobics with Stan

A huge "Thank you" from me to all of my water aerobics attendees for the generous donations I have received. Nothing please me more than knowing you appreciated by efforts to keep you healthy & fit. It was a crazy season trying to deal with Covid-19 and keeping everyone safe. I look forward to seeing you all next season!

~Stan Brunell

~ Classes & Clubs ~

If you would like your Class or Club's info in the Bugle, please send to Mary at brinybugle@gmail.com by noon on Thursdays. Thanks!

Beach Club News

Happy Hour continues every Wednesday night at 5 p.m. on the clubhouse porch. Bring your favorite beverage and join your neighbors for conversation and 50/50 Raffle.

Don't forget to pay your dues. \$3.00 per person, mailed to Carol Ellis, I-204. Thanks!

Zumba Class

Nancy Greenblatt is inviting you to Zumba. To join via Zoom meeting every Tues/Thurs at 9:00 am, go to:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6227639253?pwd=dTAzUXI2SHE0Y1RHcTBydWFSaStUZz09>

Meeting ID: 622 763 9253 Passcode: Nancy

Nancy Greenblatt, 207-838-3317, Nanseegee@gmail.com

Chiseler's Club

IN MEMORIUM Leonard W. D'Errico

Fellow Wood Worker and Furniture Maker, who enjoyed participating in many of the Club Activities with his friends at Chiseler's and the many neighbors in Briny

We have received very generous donations from the following friends of Leonard W. D'Errico:

Joe and Ann Amaturro

Frank C Baker

Marie A and Richard J Barisano

Steven C. and Susan L Bohl

Stanley A and Carole D Brunell

Donna Clarke

Nancy Greenblatt

Leon and Alicia Hauser
Keith, Teresa, Nicholas and Lauren Orłowski
Harry R and Carlene Anne Towne

The Briny Breezes Chiseler's Club greatly appreciates these donations and as requested, will use the funds to purchase tools and materials which other Chiseler's can use to create their own masterpieces.

2021 CHISELERS END OF SEASON NOTE

Dear Chiseler:

As we come to the end of the challenging 2020/21 Briny Season, The Chiseler's Club, with your support through Dues and Donations, is in good financial condition. We have replaced the well-worn thickness planer and continued to maintain our other equipment so that, upon your return next season, we can have a more normal season of projects and meetings with more of you in attendance. Please contact the Chiseler's Executive board via e-mail throughout the summer with your questions. We will be posting any changes in the monthly Bugle. The Chiseler's Club Workshop will be available for use by Dues and Locker Fees Paid Members throughout the Summer Season. Please report any equipment repair issues to Ira Freedman, as he will be in Briny throughout the Summer. Any outstanding Dues will be collected at the beginning of next season. Locker/Bin Fees are to be paid this season to retain locker/bin currently used. Locker and Bin Assignments will be determined next season after we have had the December Meeting.

Have a Safe Summer!

Chiseler's Executive Committee members:

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Linc Musto: lincmusto@comcast.net

Alan Saxton: alans@saxtons.com

Ira Friedman: briny3000@gmail.com

Mario Santarelli: mjsrowley@verizon.net