

*Welcome*

*Back to*

*Briny!*

*Week of November 8-15, 2019*

# THE BRINY BUGLE

November 8-15, 2019

<b>FRIDAY 11/8</b>		
Trash Pickup	Early Morning	
Water Aerobics by Tape	9:15 a.m.	Pool
Knitting	10:00 a.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Water Aerobics with Stan	10:30 a.m.	Pool
Duplicate Bridge	6:15 p.m.	Community Center
Dominos	7:00 p.m.	West Clubroom
<b>SATURDAY 11/9</b>		
Ping Pong	7:00 p.m.	Community Center
<b>SUNDAY 11/10</b>		
Church Services	10:30 a.m.	Auditorium
Hand & Foot	7:00 p.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
<b>MONDAY 11/11</b>		
Trash Pickup	Will be done Tuesday due to Holiday	
Paper & Aluminum Pickup	Will be done Tuesday due to Holiday	
<b>VETERAN'S DAY OBSERVED</b>	<b>OFFICE CLOSED</b>	
Water Aerobics by Tape	9:15 a.m.	Pool
Water Aerobics with Stan	10:30 a.m.	Pool
Open Sewing	1:00 p.m.	Hobby Club
Budget Meeting 2019/2020	4:00 p.m.	Community Center
Duplicate Bridge	6:15 p.m.	Community Center
Veterans Day Memorial & Movie	6:30p.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
<b>TUESDAY 11/12</b>		
Lawn Debris Pickup	Early Morning	
Zumba	9:30 a.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Tuesday Bridge	12:30 p.m.	Community Center
Fun Days - Shuffleboard	12:30 p.m.	Shuffleboard Courts
Penny Games	7:00 p.m.	West Clubroom
<b>WEDNESDAY 11/13</b>		
Board Meeting	9 a.m.	Community Center
Water Aerobics by Tape	9:15 a.m.	Pool
Water Aerobics with Stan	10:30 a.m.	Pool
Happy Hour at the OCH	5:00 p.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Euchre	6:45p.m.	Community Center
Board Games/Rummikub	7:00 p.m.	West Clubroom

<b>THURSDAY 11/14</b>		
Lawn Debris Pickup	Early Morning	
Zumba	9:30 a.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Zumba Gold	11:00 a.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Open Games	7:00 p.m.	West Clubroom
<b>FRIDAY 11/15</b>		
Trash Pickup	Early Morning	
Dune Restoration & Cleanup	8 a.m.	Beach
Pilates	8:30 a.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Aerobics	9:15 a.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Water Aerobics by Tape	9:15 a.m.	Pool
Knitting	10:00 a.m.	Ocean Clubhouse
Water Aerobics with Stan	10:30 a.m.	Pool
Duplicate Bridge	6:15 p.m.	Community Center
Dominos	7:00 p.m.	West Clubroom

**The Briny Breezes office will be closed in observance of Veteran's Day, Nov 11<sup>th</sup>**

**FROM THE DESK OF DONNA**

It has been so much fun greeting each of you as you come back to Briny for the winter months. The staff has been extra busy. Monday alone we had 17 resident returns. Remember to come into the office and let us know you are back. Be sure to pick up your proper parking passes/decals for your vehicles. Ocean Ridge Police Department took over the protection of Briny on October 1. They have been very proactive in issuing tickets; parking was important to the Town of Briny Breezes as they contracted with Ocean Ridge. There have been many tickets issued.

We are experiencing a bit of frustration with Amazon deliveries lately as the company itself is now delivering packages, instead of by the US Post Office. We have had no less than 10 different Amazon delivery drivers in the last few weeks and none were familiar with our lovely community. **It is imperative that you remember: you MUST address your orders with your unit # and street name in order to get your packages.** If your order does not have your specific street address and it happens to be dropped off at the office instead, we do not call you when it arrives, and we do not receive packages on the weekends or after 4:00 during the week.

If you have applied for a construction permit, please notify the office that the permit has been issued. The process begins in our office, but the permits are issued by The Town of Briny Breezes. Your contractors **MUST** come into the office to advise us when work is beginning, they **MUST** get parking passes (Vendor Passes). It does not matter that they may have a company sign on their vehicle. They will get a ticket if they do not have a proper parking pass. No work should be started without picking up their parking pass and understanding the requirements of Appendix 2.

The November Board of Directors meeting is scheduled for Wednesday November 13, 2019 at 9:00 am, a special meeting regarding rules will follow the Board meeting.

We are looking for Volunteers to decorate the Ocean Club House for the Holidays after Thanksgiving. If you are interested, please call the office 561-276-7405.

When using the car wash, please be considerate of your fellow residents and stay at the hoses long enough to wash your vehicle but move to the side to dry and detail it. Thanks!

## **NEWS FROM BRINY BREEZES OFFICE**

### Get your Parking Passes and Car Decals

As you return to Briny for the season, be sure to get your 2020 parking passes and decals for your vehicles. The office is issuing all new parking decals to everyone. You will need to come into the office, bring your registration and you will receive a new decal. If you have care takers, housekeepers, yard workers or contractors they can receive a Vendor Parking Pass. Everyone MUST display a proper parking pass. Be sure to get your picture taken for your swipe card/badge if you haven't already done so while you are in the office, too!

### The Holidays at Briny Breezes

It is that time of year when Brinyites return to the Brine, which means that the holidays are coming quickly. We have been planning our décor for the office area for several months. I would like to invite each district, street, club or home to dress Briny up special this year.

We just need to be aware of your neighbors and avoid lights shinning in windows or blocking roadways. Thinking of themes: "Most Festive", "Reason for the Season", "Tropical Christmas", "Old Florida Whimsy", "Most Sophisticated" and what would a trailer park be without "The Tackiest", perhaps we can ask our most senior Brinyites to judge if a competition is even necessary.

Also, the staff would like to ask you to consider donating to "Toys for Tots" at the office. Just bring an unwrapped gift to the office we will donate them during the Boynton Beach Christmas Boat Parade for "Toys for Tots".

We are all looking forward to our seasonal Briny residents!

## **NEWS FROM THE TOWN**

The Solid Waste Authority has scheduled a free shred event as well as a free home chemical collection. The shredding event will be at the Solid Waste Authority, 6751 N. Jog Road, West Palm Beach on Saturday, November 16th from 9:00 am - 2:00 pm. Residents can have up to 6 banker box size cartons shredded for free. The home chemical drop-off can be done at the Home Chemical and Recycling Center, 6161 N. Jog Road, about 1 mile south of their main facility, that same day, from 7:00 am until 5:00 pm.

The next election for municipal office will be held on March 17, 2020. The qualifying period to become a candidate for office will open at noon on Tuesday, November 12, 2019 and will close at noon on Tuesday, November 26, 2019. The offices to be filled for this election will be the Mayor, three Aldermen, and Town Clerk. Persons interested in running for election must be registered voters in the Town of Briny Breezes and must register their candidacy during the dates above.

Remember that due to the Holidays in Nov/Dec, the regular Town Council Meeting usually held on the last Thursdays of each month has been changed. There will only be one combined meeting for both months and it will be on December 5th.

The Briny Breezes Town Hall has expanded hours. It is now open to the public from 9am-2pm Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. These expanded hours are on a trial basis ending soon. Please express your thoughts on the expanded hours by phone 561-272-5495 or email [Brinytownclerk@yahoo.com](mailto:Brinytownclerk@yahoo.com).

Our Town Manager Dale Sugerman has notified council members that he will be leaving Briny Breezes at the end of November to be able to spend more time with his family. Dale has been with Briny since January 2018 when the town manager position was created. We are grateful for the 42 years' experience he brought to Briny and wish him well as he moves on. If you know of anyone with government management experience, please don't hesitate to let them know of our opening for part-time town manager. Interested individuals can contact Maya Coffield, Town Clerk, at 561-272-5495 or [brinytownclerk@yahoo.com](mailto:brinytownclerk@yahoo.com)

## **CHURCH NEWS**

It is so good to see everyone! Welcome back! I know we are all looking forward to a busy Briny Season. The 1<sup>st</sup> Briny Church will be on Sunday, **Nov 10<sup>th</sup>**. Everyone is invited to attend the service at 10:30 a.m. in the auditorium. We all will receive so many Blessings! The first service Rev. Ray Brower will be pastor. Looking forward to seeing all of you! Betty Foland (561) 676-7413

## **VETERANS DAY around BRINY FOUNTAIN**

Originally known as Armistice Day commemorating the end of World War I. Officially "The War to End All Wars" ended on (Nov.11,1918) at the 11th hour, on the 11th day, of the 11th month. The Red Poppy became the visual symbol for this day of remembrance as well as a way to show appreciation for our WWI Veterans. In 1954, at the urging of Veterans service organizations, the US Congress changed the word "Armistice" to "Veterans." as a day to honor American Veterans of all wars. Unlike Memorial Day (May) which honors those who have died while in military service, Veterans Day celebrates the service of all U.S. military veterans. Every year in November, the nation marks the wars that have scarred our past along with the bravery of the men and women who fought them. Across the country communities will host a wide range of commemorations for Remembrance Day (Canada) and Veterans Day in

the USA. This year, thanks to the generosity of several Briny residents, flags around our fountain and banners in the auditorium marquees will offer us all a chance to remember those who fought so we can enjoy peace.

### **REMEMBRANCE DAY for our CANADIAN RESIDENTS**

In Canada November 11th continues to be called Remembrance Day, but it is also known as Armistice Day or Poppy Day.

**POPPIES of FLANDERS FIELDS** - Shortly after losing a friend in Ypres, Belgium, a Canadian doctor, Lieutenant Colonel John McCrae, was inspired by the sight of poppies growing in battle-scarred fields to write a now internationally famous poem called 'In Flanders Fields'.

### **VETERANS DAY at the MOVIES**

Monday Night November 11th, Briny will commemorate the day by showing a war drama about WWI. The film follows a British countryside family being drawn into the battlefields of France. PG-13/2.5 Hours. Join us at the Ocean Clubhouse.... 6:30 social time followed by 7PM showing.

### **DUNE RESTORATION & OCEAN PARK WORK DAY**

**Friday Nov 15th** 8:00-10:00 AM @ Ocean Clubhouse

Volunteers needed to help Clean Dune, Trim and Plant Briny's Ocean Park. Please grab a neighbor and meet us for 1-2 hours of light work. Questions contact Ken at 708-646-6361

### **BEACH CLUB HAPPY HOUR**

Every Wednesday evening 5-7:00 PM

Welcome Back! Meet old friends and/or meet new ones. Wednesday evenings are the easiest way to meet your neighbors so pull up a 'rocker' and relax on the Ocean Clubhouse Porch. Bring your own beverage and a snack to share.

### **THANKSGIVING AT BRINY BREEZES**

November 28, 2019 2:00 PM - Thanksgiving Dinner at the Ocean Clubhouse. We are limited to 120 people so sign up early. Sign up in mailroom before Tuesday Nov 26. If you wish to sit with a group, please sign up all together (first and last names) so we do not duplicate. We are asking for a \$3.00 per person donation to offset the cost of tablecloths, plates, utensils etc. Please put your \$3.00 pp donation with your name in an envelope and drop it in the mailroom drop box Attn: Sue Gross N-203. Bring a dish to share & BYOB (Bring your own Beverage). If you are bringing more than 4 people, please bring an extra dish to share. Let us know what you are bringing when you sign up.

## LIBRARY NEWS

### New Books:

In memory of Vivian Billock from The Library Volunteers: **Blue Moon** by Lee Child. Jack Reacher comes to the aid of an elderly couple . . . and confronts his most dangerous opponents yet.

**Olive, Again.** Pulitzer Prize winner Elizabeth Strout continues the life of her beloved Olive Kitteridge, a character who has captured the imaginations of millions.

**The 19th Christmas** by James Patterson & Maxine Paetro. Book 19 of 20 Women's Murder Club.

**Lethal Agent** by Vince Flynn. An unprecedented and terrifying bioterrorism plot threatens to kill millions in the midst of a divisive presidential election in this new thriller from the #1 New York Times bestselling Mitch Rapp series.

**Bloody Genius** by John Stanford. An unprecedented and terrifying bioterrorism plot threatens to kill millions in the midst of a divisive presidential election in this new thriller Mitch Rapp series.

### New Large Print:

**Bloody Genius** by John Sanford.

**The Dark Side** by Danielle Steel.

We have a copy of the Comprehensive Plan of the Town of Briny Breezes along with the most recent amendment available by request from any of our Briny Librarians.

**Bookmobile Fridays 1:30-2:30 - parked by pool: November 8, 22**

## BLOOD DRIVE

Thank you for participating in the recent blood drive!

Our Hall of Fame for 11/1/19: Christine Devens, Jeffrey Devens, Donna Coates, Joseph Tagliareni, Cindy Billock and Karl Scott

With the help of the individuals who were able to donate, we saved 18 lives! Amazing! The next drives are scheduled for January 8, 2020 and March 5, 2020. Please drop by and help save a life!

## BRINY BREEZES MEMORIAL FUND aka THE CHIMES

Recent donations have been made in memory of:

Pat Henderson

Jane Fox                      Generously donated

Jack Taylor                      by

Art LeBlanc                      Chuck and Betty Foland

Tom Clark

Don Strong

Art LeBlanc    donated by Tom and Tootie Goudreau

Tom Clark     donated by Tom and Tootie Goudreau

Thank you for your support of our Chimes. Nancy Aceto, Trustee

## **IN REMEMBRANCE**

“Thomas Joseph Byrne III passed away on November 3, 2019. Tom was born on December 20, 1938 in Brooklyn NY. He was an extremely proud American, Irishman and Army Veteran. He was a graduate of St. Bonaventure and worked for ALLSTATE Insurance for more than 30 years. He was an avid fisherman who taught his 4 grandsons (his princes) to fish. He was married to Maureen for more than 40 years, she passed in February of 2003. He has shared more than 15 years with his constant companion, fiancé and caretaker Jean Archibald. He was larger than life, LOVED to tell stories, was a very proud drum major for the AOH Babylon Saffron Kilts. He was a talented carver of wooden birds and he loved to gift them to family and friends so there are quite a few scattered across the country. Tom and Maureen retired to Briny Breezes and lived in several places in NY including his favorite place Oak Beach NY where he famously caught a 40 lb. striped bass. Tom’s wishes are that you remember him at his best and happiest times of his life.” “Please raise a toast to the “Big Guy”

## **BRINY BAZAAR**

It’s that time again if you have not already done so, to check your jewelry drawer and set aside ALL your unwanted costume jewelry and take them to Briny for the “Briny Baubles” 2020 Bazaar. Drop them off as well as scarfs, hair items and unused cosmetics to L-201. Thanks for all your past contributions.

## **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 mother’s (Ann Kimlicka) patio, G-11 Ruthmary 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. Thank you very much, Barbara Molina

## **FOUNTAIN LIGHTING**

New illumination lighting of the Briny Sailfish was installed recently in memory of Jane Fox. Memorial gifts provided are being used to complete the Legacy Fountain and the surrounding landscape area.

Jane Fox - given by Alice and Joe Coyner

## **CHRISTY GAUGER PAVER**

Several residents have approached us with donations asking that we design and install a paver around the fountain in appreciation for her 13 years of service to Briny. If interested in helping, please forward donations to “Briny Landscape Club”.



## **BUGLE COOKBOOK**

It has been many years since Briny published its last cookbook. We all know Briny residents are great cooks. Put together 3 or more of your successful recipes and submit them for this new edition. We need quite a few to fill a cookbook. It will be fun! Drop recipes in Mailbox # V-210 or email to [kennedy.1005@yahoo.com](mailto:kennedy.1005@yahoo.com).

## **TIE DOWN PROGRAM UPDATE**

Good news! Storm Ready Services has finished the initial round of tie down installations for all units that turned in the signed forms. They have advised us that they can do another round in Briny to install tie down at any additional homes in order to help us ensure that everyone possible is assisted. If you are late signing up, have not signed up yet, or if your unit may have had difficulty accessing before and the unit owner is now in town to remove debris or obstructions, it may still be possible to have your unit done. The forms are on the Briny Breezes web site (right-hand side of the yellow home page). Please sign both forms and return them via email to [sthaler@yahoo.com](mailto:sthaler@yahoo.com) or to Briny Breezes, 5000 N. Ocean Blvd, Briny Breezes, FL 33435. If you have questions about the program, you can call the office or call Sue Thaler at 703-201-8087 or write [sthaler@yahoo.com](mailto:sthaler@yahoo.com). **FORMS CAN BE SUBMITTED UNTIL MID-DECEMBER.** Call your neighbors if you want to remind them that it's not too late to sign up. If a home is not securely tied down, it can be blown in hurricane-force winds or floated in storm surge and damage the homes around it. All our homes are safer if each of them is securely tied down.

## **DUPLICATE BRIDGE**

For all those who play bridge and are interested in playing with the Duplicate Bridge group it will be starting November 11th at 6:15 pm in the Community Center. You do NOT need to have a partner and we will pair folks up who come and want to play. We need as many people as possible so come join us and don't worry about it being "Duplicate Bridge". If you plan to join us maybe you can give me a call or email etc. so I have some idea about numbers. Bottom Line... come play bridge and have fun!!  
Jo Aldred, President, Duplicate Bridge Group

## **TUESDAYS BRIDGE**

Tuesday Bridge Winners for Nov 5, 2019

#1 -- Shirley Smith

#2 -- Joanne Long

#3 -- Jan Hagerman

## **CLUB UPDATES**

### **BOATING & FISHING CLUB**

For Palm Beach Post subscriptions, call Jerry at (561) 577-8731. If you get voicemail, please leave a message and he will call you back. Karen should be back in early December but don't wait, call Jerry.

### **HOBBY DATES TO MARK ON YOUR CALENDAR!!**

November 8th is our first Hobby Club Meeting this season. 8:30 am for socializing and 9 AM Meeting. Set up will be Thursday, November 7th at 4 PM. December 13th is our Hobby Club Christmas Party. We will be having a spaghetti luncheon. Sign-up sheets are available in the Hobby Club. Sign-ups are available until Monday, December 9th. Here we go with the new season. See you at Hobby! Be sure to check the Briny Calendar for all our meetings and events!

Kathy Gross, Secretary