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The winter holiday season is most definitely here; cooler weather, out-of-town guests, shopping trips, sunburned tourists and twinkling decorations everywhere you turn. Through it all though, the beauty of our Bay Harbor Islands shines through. What a special place to call home.

Last month, we kicked-off our 2019-20 Outdoor Concert Series at the 95th Street Park. On a simply perfect night, residents enjoyed a wonderful concert performed by local artists, the Warren Hill Septet, accompanied by Jim Berry of CBS Sports fame and our own Council Member Salver! The park looked absolutely beautiful with the new lights and the music was a delight. Thank you all who had a hand in making the evening such a treat. The next concert in the series will be on Sunday, December 29th, when we will experience a return performance by the lovely Shana Douglas and members of the Glenn Douglas Winter Chamber Music Festival. You won't want to miss it (see page 2).

November also brought us the Veterans Day holiday and our Veterans Day Barbecue & Block Party. A huge thank you, to our Town staff and the Police Department for their excellent work at the this especially meaningful annual event. Thank you, too, to all who came out to honor our veterans and share a burger or hotdog with their neighbors.

Coming this month are new programs at our Morris N. Broad Community Center. I'm always surprised when I hear people say they have yet to make it over there. It's your Center – take advantage of all it has to offer. There are programs for literally everyone. You can learn more by reading the pages inside or by just stopping in.

When out shopping for gifts this holiday season, please consider visiting the stores, restaurants and businesses here in Bay Harbor Islands first. You will find a variety of high level goods and services right here in your neighborhood. We are offering free parking on Kane Concourse from December 15th - January 2nd, so take advantage and support our businesses.

Finally, I want to remind everyone that our Annual Toy Drive has begun. Donations of unwrapped new toys may be dropped off at the Police Department or Town Hall. Happy holidays everyone and all the very best to you and yours in the coming new year.



- *Stephanie*

School Safety Patrols are Honored at Council Meeting



In what could be an all-time record number of Certificate of Recognitions presented in one night, the members of Ruth K. Broad Bay Harbor K-8 Center School Safety Patrol proudly held up their awards at the November 12, 2019 Council meeting. The students were recognized for their dedicated efforts to provide added safety in the school zone throughout the school year.

Council Member Isaac Salver Receives Proclamation

Council Member Isaac Salver received a proclamation from the Florida League of Cities for his 20 years of service to the Bay Harbor Islands Council and the Town. Council Member Salver also currently serves as President of the Florida League of Cities.

(L-R) Executive Director of the Florida League of Cities Carol Westmoreland, Council Members Kelly Reid, Elizabeth Tricoche and Isaac Salver, Mayor Stephanie Bruder, Council Member Robert Yaffe, Vice Mayor Josh Fuller and Council Member Jordan Leonard.



Leadership of Town Manager JC Jimenez Recognized

At the November Council meeting, Town Manager J.C. Jimenez was surprised with an award from the Town staff for his outstanding leadership and innovative achievements during his first year as Town Manager.



An Evening of Classical Music in the 95th Street Park

Featuring "Shana Douglas and Friends" performing works by Beethoven, Hyden, Dvořák, Smetana and more.

For residents only, proof of residency will be required at the entrance

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 29, 2019 • 1185 95TH STREET • 6 PM

For more information call (786) 646-9970

A Breeze of Cool Tunes in Bay Harbor Islands



The first performance of the 2019-20 Concert in the Park series, “MoJazz presents the Warren Hill Septet featuring CBS4 Sports Anchor Jim Berry on vocals,” enticed Bay Harbor Islands residents to the 95th Street Park for an evening of cool jazz in cool weather.

The talented musicians of the septet were joined on stage by Council Member Isaac Salver on the congas. Attendees enjoyed a most memorable and relaxing night.

The next concert in the series will take place on December 29 and will feature chamber music performed by “Shana Douglas and Friends” of the Glenn Douglas Winter Chamber Music Festival. Concerts in the Park are provided exclusively for Bay Harbor residents only. For details on upcoming events in the Town, follow @bayharborislands on Social Media or call (786) 646-9970.



(L-R) Council Member Jordan Leonard, CBS4 Sports Anchor Jim Berry, Warren Hill, Council Member Isaac Salver (who played the congas) and Council Member Robert Yaffe.



Council Members Attend FAST Fly-in to Washington, D.C.

The Federal Action Strike Team (FAST) Fly-in is a federal advocacy trip to Washington, D.C. organized by the Florida League of Cities. During the October Fly-in, Vice Mayor Josh Fuller,



Council Members Jordan Leonard and Robert Yaffe and other attendees met with members of Florida’s congressional delegation to discuss key federal issues affecting municipalities.

Happy Holidays
 from the Town of
Bay Harbor Islands
 Enjoy **free parking** on Kane
 Concourse as our gift to you!
December 15th - January 2nd!



Please drive safely



Holiday Toy Drive!

Bay Harbor Islands is holding its Annual Toy Drive to benefit the Miami Children’s Health Foundation and Nicklaus Children’s Hospital. Bring a new, unwrapped toy to Town Hall, 9665 Bay Harbor Terrace, and brighten the life of a young patient this holiday season. **Toys will be collected until Friday, December 20, 2019.**

Veterans are Honored for their Service

On November 11, 2019 Bay Harbor Islands proudly hosted the Town's Annual Veterans Day Barbecue and Block Party. Residents, Town staff and guests saluted those who have served in the U.S. military and helped to keep the country strong. Veteran and resident Allyn McKinney spoke of the importance of remembering veterans not just on Veterans Day but throughout the year. Town Manager J.C. Jimenez announced that a sponsor is providing funds to create a Veterans Garden on the north side of Town Hall at the Mayor Joseph J. Gardner Government Center. It will be completed in early 2020. Veterans in attendance were invited to come forward for a photo.



Town Crossing Guard and veteran Janet Kilroe was honorably discharged from the Navy in 1964. At 80 years young, she is the eldest Town employee.



Free Shuttle Ride to Costco

Bay Harbor Islands residents can catch our exclusive Costco shuttle on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month. The shuttle departs from the Community Center at 10 a.m., transports you to Costco and then brings you home to your Bay Harbor Islands residence! Registration is requested but not required. Call (786) 646-9970 for more information and to sign up. Costco trips are for Town residents only.

- Wednesday, Dec. 11, 2019 • Wednesday, Jan. 8, 2020
- Friday, Dec. 27, 2019 • Wednesday, Jan. 22, 2020

Outdoor Movie is Toy Story 4 on Saturday, December 21, 2019

Toy Story 4 will be the Bay Harbor Islands' Outdoor Movie at 7 p.m., Saturday, December 21, 2019 at the 95th Street Park, 1185 95th Street.

The movie and parking is free. Bring your own chair or blanket, but please leave your pets at home. Popcorn and snowcones will be available!





MORRIS N. BROAD COMMUNITY CENTER

Open Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.; on Saturday & Sunday 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. Phone (786) 646-9970

TWO ACTIVE SENIORS ON THE GO EVENTS FOR DECEMBER!

Friday, December 13, 2019 • Sawgrass Mills Mall

Bus leaves from Morris N. Broad Community Center at 10 a.m. Take a trip to the 11th largest mall in the nation and the largest single story outlet mall. There are over 329 retail outlets and name brand discounters for you to visit!



Friday, December 20, 2019 • HistoryMiami Museum

Bus leaves from Morris N. Broad Community Center at 10 a.m. and cost is \$8 per person. Located in downtown Miami, this museum presents Miami's history through exhibitions, artistic endeavors, collections and more. At HistoryMiami, the past shapes Miami's future.



Trips are for residents only; proof of residency will be required for registration. Residents may bring guests but must register for the group.

SENIOR MATINEE

The Holiday (2006) on Friday, December 27, 2019 at 1:30 p.m.

Englishwoman Iris agrees to swap homes with an unlucky-in-love Californian Amanda for a much-needed break. Iris finds herself in a palatial Hollywood mansion while Amanda navigates the lanes of a picture perfect English village. The January matinee will be *The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel*, Friday, January 24, 2020.



GAME DAY AND SOCIAL

Every Wednesday, 10 a.m. - 12 noon

Join us every Wednesday, from 10 a.m. - 12 p.m. for conversation, cards and board games. Play bridge, mahjong, chess, rummy and checkers. Refreshments will be available.



SENIOR BRIDGE

Are you a bridge player? Join our Community Center group every Wednesday from 10 a.m. to noon for Party Style Bridge!

YOUTH GAME ROOM

Fridays from 3 - 5 p.m. and weekends from 12 - 4 p.m.

YOUTH MATINEE

Dr. Seuss' *How the Grinch Stole Christmas* (2018) on Saturday, Dec. 7, 2019 at 1 p.m.,

The Grinch lives a solitary existence in a cave. His main source of aggravation comes during Christmastime when Whoville celebrates the holidays with a bang. The disgruntled Grinch wants peace and quiet. The green grump hatches a scheme to pose as Santa Claus, steal Christmas and silence the Whos' holiday cheer. January's movie will be *The Santa Clause* (1994) on Saturday, January 4, 2020 at 1 p.m.



On Facebook? So are we! See what is happening now at the Morris N. Broad Community Center. Like and follow @BHCommunityServices. Get access to Community Events, Youth Athletic Highlights and New Updates.

For more information about the Community Services Department, call the Morris N. Broad Community Center at (786) 646-9970.



Thank You!

The Community Services Department thanks our Town businesses for their support and contributions that have made our Town's events a success:

Founders Day Concert • Car Show • Halloween Parade and Carnival

BAY HARBOR ISLANDS BABY CLUB



Monday-Friday, 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Children under three and their caregivers are welcome to join us for this free program where we will turn Room 1 into an indoor play area for children. Make friends and socialize with other caregivers. Age appropriate toys will be available or bring your own. This program is for Bay Harbor Islands residents only.

ENRICH YOUR LIFE WITH COMMUNITY CENTER CLASSES

All classes are eight weeks and registration is open. Call (786) 646-9970.

- **Computer Class for Senior** - Learn the basic knowledge of computer, tablet, cell phone or any smart device, and software such as Word, Excel, Access, PowerPoint, email, social media and more. Wednesdays from 10 a.m. -12 p.m. \$40 residents/\$90 non-residents.
- **Zumba** - A great way to improve your health. Tuesdays & Thursdays from 6:30 pm-7:30 pm. \$80 residents/\$120 non-residents.
- **Just You & Me Club** - Learn Spanish! From introductions to numbers to simple dialogues. Tuesdays from 5:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. \$60 residents/\$90 non-residents plus material costs.
- **Kids yoga** - Children will improve strength, flexibility, and coordination as they learn challenging poses, focus, breathing, visualization techniques and respect, Saturdays from 11 a.m. to 12 p.m. \$60 residents and \$90 for non-residents

Storytime in the Park

Storytime will take place at 4 p.m. on the 1st & 3rd Friday at the 96th Street Tot Lot

Friday, Dec. 6, 2019 • Friday, Dec. 20, 2019

Friday, Jan 3, 2020 • Friday, Jan. 17, 2020

96th Street and West Broadview Drive

Pee-Wee Soccer at 98th Street Park

Pee-Wee Soccer has begun in the 98th Street Park. Children ages 12 months to five years of age play and learn the fundamentals of soccer in 8-Week sessions.

The Monday & Wednesday class is \$185 for residents/\$235 for non-residents. Plus \$10 registration fee per family.

- Ages 1 to 2-year-old 3:30 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.
- Ages 2 to 3-year-old 4:30 p.m. to 5:15 p.m.
- Ages 4 to 5 years old 5:15 p.m. to 6 p.m.

The Sunday class is \$95 for residents and \$135.00 for non-residents, plus \$10 registration fee per family.

- Ages 1 to 2-year-old 9 a.m. to 9:45 a.m.
- Ages 2 to 3-year-old 10 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.
- Ages 4 to 5-years-old 11 a.m. to 12 p.m.

SNOW DAY

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 15, 2019

2 - 5 PM • TOWN HALL

9665 BAY HARBOR TERRACE

The Town of Bay Harbor Islands invites children and families to this popular holiday event that will include rides, refreshments, games and SNOW!



BAY HARBOR ISLANDS BOOK CLUB

JOIN THE BOOK CLUB !



Next Meeting on Wednesday, Dec. 11, 2019 at 6:15 p.m.

The Library Book by Susan Orlean will be discussed. Brimming with Orlean's signature wit, insight, compassion and talent, the book is a thrilling journey through America's libraries. For January 8, 2020, the Club will discuss *The Paris Architect* by Charles Belfoure.

SAVE THESE 2020 DATES !

Teen Night Out

January 11, 2020 • 6 to 8 p.m.

A fabulous party with music, dancing, games, pizza and more!
Teen Residents only ages 13-17

Bay Harbor Islands Concert in the Park Series

Saturday, January 25, 2020 • 6 p.m.
at the 95th Street Park

14th Annual 5K/10K Run & Walk

Sunday, January 19, 2020 • 8 a.m.
Start training today!

For more information call (786) 646-9970

NEW AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMS FOR 2020

Join us for a variety of sports, arts, music, languages and technology at Ruth K. Broad Bay Harbor K-8 Center. Fees are based on Annual (complete 2019-2020 school year) or seasonal rates (as specified).

Applications are available online and at the Morris N. Broad Community Center. For more information on the 2019-2020 Afterschool Program call the Morris N. Broad Community Center at (786) 646-9970.

Winter Camp

MAKE YOUR WINTER BREAK GREAT!

Arts and crafts, games and field trips!

Campers must bring their snacks and lunches daily.

Camp is from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Begins on Monday, Dec. 23, 2019 and ends on Jan. 3, 2020.
(No camp on Dec. 24 -25, 2019 and Jan. 1, 2020.)

One week: \$100 residents/\$130 non-residents plus a \$20 Registration fee.

Two weeks: \$120 residents/\$150 non-residents plus a \$20 registration fee.

For more information, call the Morris Broad Community Center at (786) 646-9970.

It's a Sweet Halloween at the Annual Parade & Carnival

Bay Harbor Islands celebrated the annual Halloween Parade & Carnival on October 31, with hundreds of costumed children and parents who walked from Ruth K. Broad Bay Harbor K-8 Center, up and down Kane Concourse and back to a fun carnival at the 95th Street Park.

Local businesses and their employees dressed up and handed out treats and other goodies to the children as they paraded along the sidewalks. Back at the 95th Street Park a carnival awaited with treats, face painting, games, giant slides, bounce houses and refreshments.

Thank you to BHI Community Services, Town Staff, the Police Department and all the participating business for making the day's events such a huge success.



Yoga on the Beach

Sponsored Complementary event by Dr. Anatoly Ripa

Ask us how to join us!



When:

Please give us a call to inquire about our next event date

Call (305) 615-5722 to Reserve Your Spot!

Painting with a Twist

Sponsored Complementary event by Dr. Anatoly Ripa

Ask us how to join us!



When:

Please give us a call to inquire about our next event date

Call (305) 615-5722 to Reserve Your Spot!

Join us for an Evening of Chamber Music in the Park

Sunday, December 29th at 6 p.m.
at the 95th Street Park

Enjoy a delightful evening of music under the stars, exclusively for Bay Harbor Islands residents, featuring musicians of the Glenn Douglas Winter Chamber Music Festival, "Shana Douglas and Friends!"

The 95th Street Park is located at 1185 95 Street, next to the Morris N. Broad Community Center. Blankets, chairs, and picnic baskets are welcome but no pets or glass containers, please. Residents only; proof of residence will be required.

PRESENTED BY THE TOWN OF BAY HARBOR ISLANDS

Little Princess

SUNDAYS DAY SPA PARTY

CELEBRATE YOUR LITTLE PRINCESS WITH A SPECIAL SPA DAY

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Upcoming Town Meetings

The Town Council welcomes your attendance at meetings. Regular Council meetings are scheduled for the second Monday of the month at 7 p.m. and the regular scheduled Planning & Zoning Board meetings are scheduled for the first and third Tuesday at 7 p.m. To confirm all dates and times, contact the Town Clerk's Office at 305-866-6241. All meetings, unless regarding topics specifically exempt by state law, are open to the public.

- The Town Council will not hold a regular monthly meeting in December
- Planning & Zoning Board
Tuesday, Dec. 17, 2019 at 7 p.m.

The following future meeting dates are tentative and subject to change. Check the Town's website, www.bayharborislands-fl.gov.

All meeting dates are subject to change.

Public Hearing

Tuesday, January 7 at 7 p.m.

Regular Council Meeting

Monday, January 13, 2020

Planning & Zoning Board Meeting

Tuesday, January 21, 2020

Council Action at the Nov. 12, 2019 Meeting

- **Approval** of an ordinance on **second** reading to prohibit plastic beverage straws and plastic beverage stirrers.
- **Approval** of an ordinance on **second** reading amending the Chapter 5 of the Town Code to require a demolition bond.
- **Approval** of a resolution updating the employees recognition awards.
- **Approval** of an amendment to the Address Verification Plan Agreement between the Town and Miami Dade County School Board.
- **Approval** of contract award for project BHI-204 Parking Garage Expansion Joint Replacement and Repairs to concrete protection and restoration in the amount of \$54,880.50.
- **Approval** of a proposal from Coastal Risk Consulting in the amount of \$73,500 to conduct a Vulnerability Assessment and Adaption recommendations study.

Anticipated Discussion Items for Jan. 13, 2020

At the time of printing, the topics listed below are anticipated for discussion or possible action. All items are subject to change.

- **Consideration** and **Approval** of an ordinance on **second** reading amending Section 23-9 of the Town Code to revise the size of units in the B-1 Business District.
- **Consideration** and **Approval** of an ordinance on **second** reading amending Chapter 20 of the Town Code providing for water meters and sub-meters for potable water that do not utilize the Town sanitary sewage system.
- **Discussion** and **direction** regarding a possible amendment to the Town Code as it relates to the minimum floor to ceiling heights.