



EASTER-BY-THE-SEA

The Town's annual Easter-By-The-Sea event is Saturday, April 19 at Town Hall and Jarvis Hall from 9 to 11:30AM. Please see the flyer on



Page 12 for more details. Volunteers are needed to fill plastic Easter Eggs with candy on Friday, April 11 at 6PM in Jarvis Hall. Please drop by if you can lend a hand.

FARMERS MARKET

The Town's successful Farmers Market in El Prado Park, which was slated to end on April 27, has been extended for



two more months. In addition to April 20 and 27, there will also be

Farmers Markets on May 11 and 25, and June 8 and 22. The market's vendors sell a variety of natural foods, unique products and plants.

April 16th meeting on El Mar Drive's future

The **Town** will hold a meeting later this month to solicit feedback from residents and business owners about making **El Mar Drive** a nicer place to live, work and visit.

El Mar Drive, which runs parallel to the ocean from **Palm to Pine Avenues**, is already a popular spot for pedestrians and joggers. It is home to residents, businesses, two parks, all of our beach portals and several beachfront hotels. The intersection of El Mar and Commercial (**Anglin's Square**) is the very heart of our downtown oceanfront district.

The **Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT)** and the **Broward County Metropolitan Planning Organization's (MPO)** are interested in possibly funding a multi-million dollar improvement project in the **Town** along El Mar Drive.

The DOT and MPO want to create a greenway that provides a safe and comfortable pathway for pedestrians and bicyclists along the coast the entire length of the County. The Town believes the proposed greenway is consistent with what residents want on El Mar: improved safety for pedestrians and bicycles, wider sidewalks and better lighting.

The first step is determining if there is sufficient Town support for state designers to move forward with developing several proposed concepts for our consideration. The Town will host a public meeting on **Wednesday, April 16 at 7PM in Jarvis Hall**.

A presentation will be made to discuss how residential streets such as El Mar Drive can be redesigned to more safely accommodate vehicles, bicyclists and pedestrians.

State officials will then explain what they hope to accomplish in a Town greenways plan and seek input from Town residents, property owners and business operators about whether the Town can envision El Mar Drive being able to fulfill those goals.

See **EL MAR** on Page 5



Florida Project of the Year!

The Town's East and West Commercial Streetscape and Drainage projects were recognized as the **2013 Public Works Project of the Year** by the Florida Chapter of the **American Public Works Association!** Our project is now in the national competition. The award promotes excellence in the management and administration of public works projects by recognizing the alliance between the city, design consultants, engineer and the contractor who, working together, completed a public works project under \$5 million. To see how the photo at left was taken, see Page 9.

 TOWN DIRECTORY

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REGULAR TRASH, RECYCLING & YARD WASTE SCHEDULE

SOUTH OF COMMERCIAL

MONDAY

Trash & Yard Waste Pick-Up

THURSDAY

Trash & Recycling Cart Pick-up

NORTH OF COMMERCIAL

TUESDAY

Trash & Yard Waste Pick-Up

FRIDAY

Trash & Recycling Cart Pick-Up

There are a few exceptions to the above schedule based on location. If you need to confirm your pick-up schedule, call **Progressive Waste Solution** at **954-623-6231**. **Please Note:** If your yard waste or recycling cart is not placed on the curb on the correct day, it will not be picked up.

For updated recycling information, please go to the Town's Web site at www.lauderdalebythesea-fl.gov/recycle_trash/



UPCOMING BULK TRASH SCHEDULE

SOUTH OF COMMERCIAL

Bulk trash south of Commercial Boulevard is picked up on the **first Thursday** of the month.

5/01/14

6/05/14

7/03/14

NORTH OF COMMERCIAL

Bulk trash north of Commercial is picked up on the **first Friday** of the month without exception.

5/02/14

6/06/14

7/04/14



TOWN MEETINGS

Town Commission

APRIL 8 7PM

APRIL 22 7PM

*APRIL 7 6PM

**APRIL 16 7PM

*Town Commission workshop.
**The future of El Mar Drive.

MAY 13 7PM

MAY 27 7PM

JUNE 10 7PM

JUNE 24 7PM

Planning & Zoning Board

APRIL 23 5PM

MAY 21 6:30 PM

JUNE 18 6:30 PM

Board of Adjustment

NO APRIL MEETING

MAY 7 6:30PM

JUNE 4 6:30PM

Code Magistrate

APRIL 21 5PM

MAY 19 5PM

JUNE 16 5PM

Parking Ticket Hearings

APRIL 21 4PM

MAY 19 4PM

JUNE 16 4PM

MEETING DATES SUBJECT TO CHANGE.

PUBLIC ACCESS

- The Town Commission agenda and backup are available in Town Hall. The agenda and backup material is also posted on our Web site on the Friday before the meeting at www.lbts-fl.gov.
- Commission meetings are televised on Channel 78 and our Web site. Meetings are re-broadcast at noon on Monday, Wednesday & Friday (and 7 PM on Thursday). A video archive of all meetings is also available online.
- Commission meetings can also be seen on Chananel 99 by AT&T customers who subscribe to U-verse.
- The Town will provide the appropriate auxiliary aids and services under the Americans with Disabilities Act. Please contact the Town Clerk's office at 954-640-4200 for further assistance.

Newly-elected Town officials take oath of office

Voters elected a new **Mayor** and two **Town Commissioners** in March while also approving four of six proposed **Town Charter amendments**.

Mayor Scot Sasser and **Commissioner Chris Vincent** were elected unopposed on March 11. Vincent was later chosen by the Commission to serve as **Vice Mayor**.

In the only contested race, **Elliot Sokolow** defeated **Birute Ann Clotney** and **Eric Yankwitt** for the **District 1 Commission Seat**.

The new Commission was seated on March 18th. Former **Mayor Roseann Minnet's** many accomplishments were acknowledged by her fellow Commissioners at that same meeting.

Charter Amendments

Voters **approved** four proposed Charter amendments, including measures to:

- ◆ Give the Commission flexibility in determining if a Town Manager candidate's education and experience is commensurate to the Charter qualifications.
- ◆ Clarify the meaning of Charter provisions on term limits for Commissioners.
- ◆ Require the Commission to select a vice mayor before the second regular meeting following the election.
- ◆ Establish procedures for situations when a candidate files for election, then does not remain a candidate for any number of reasons.



SIGN HERE: Mayor Scot Sasser signs an Oath of Office form after being sworn in by Acting Town Clerk Tony Bryan (r) along with Vice Mayor Chris Vincent (l) and Town Commissioner Elliot Sokolow (right of Vincent).

Town voters **rejected** Charter amendments to:

- ◆ Allow a term-limited Mayor to run for Commission without a two-year break.
- ◆ Allow the Commission to consider lesser penalties other than forfeiture of office in the case of standard of conduct or code of ethics violations.



SQUID ROW

Howard Goldberg, a Board of Directors member of the Lauderdale-By-The-Sea Chamber of Commerce, stands next to the Town's new Caribbean Squid art sculpture in the northwest business plaza on Commercial Boulevard moments after it was unveiled on March 6. The sculpture was the last of the five planned public artworks for the West Commercial Streetscape Project. Three other beautiful marine sculptures (a sea turtle, sting ray and parrot fish) already grace the other three plazas on Commercial between Sea Grape Drive and the Intracoastal Waterway Bridge, as well as the Town's new coral reef entryway sculpture. Those artworks were unveiled in mid-December, when the Town's West Commercial Boulevard Streetscape Project was completed.

Citizen observers help keep Town residents safe

Citizens Observer Patrol Col. Bill Johansen

maneuvers through **Terra Mar Island**, putting “eyes and ears” on the Town’s northern-most neighborhood.

After completing his Terra Mar Island patrol, he will return to **State Road A1A** and drive south before taking a left on **Pine Avenue** and heading south again along **El Mar Drive**.

Unlike COP programs in larger cities, where volunteers often just patrol their neighborhoods, COP members in **Lauderdale-By-The-Sea** patrol the entire Town.

Johansen and the 35 other Town COP members are not police officers and do not carry guns. Their job is to report suspicious people to the Broward Sheriff’s Office, the police agency which protects the Town’s 6,000 residents.

COP volunteers also assist at accident scenes, provide extra security in **Anglin’s Square**, direct traffic when

needed and check on homes when people are away.

In addition, COP volunteers help BSO at numerous Town functions, including July Fourth, Taste of the Beach and others.

Every time a COP member handles a routine law enforcement matter for BSO, that’s one less certified deputy who has to be pulled off road patrol or placed on overtime.

“The COP program is invaluable to us,” said **Capt. Fred**

Wood, who supervises BSO in Lauderdale-By-The-Sea. “It’s a really close-knit group here.”

COP members drive marked Citizen Observer Patrol BSO vehicles. Except for the name and lack of rooftop blue lights, the cars look just like BSO patrol vehicles.

Most volunteers go on patrol about three hours a week and always ride in pairs.

Wood said their presence on the Town’s streets provides an extra deterrent to crime.

Several months ago COP volunteers spotted a man with a backpack walking through Town who seemed to be looking for a crime of opportunity. They notified BSO who quickly arrived on the scene to question the man. A BSO deputy



EYES AND EARS: Col. Bill Johansen patrols along El Mar Drive.

HOW TO JOIN COP

To learn more about the Citizens Observer Patrol, go to www.sheriff.org/about_bso/community/cops.cfm. If you have questions about the LBTS program, call Capt. Fred Wood at 954-640-4240.



ALL EARS: COP members Bill Johansen (c) and Dr. Lou Barbara (l) chat with a tourist in Anglin’s Square.

arrested him after discovering he was wanted on warrants.

“We helped take a bad guy off the streets,” Johansen said proudly.

At the **Arts and Crafts Festival** in March, an 84-year-old woman with dementia was reported missing. Johansen was patrolling nearby and safely located the woman, who did not know where she was and was not able to tell police her name.

“This is just another example of the amazing work and impact the (COP) volunteers have on this community,” said **Lt. Thomas Palmer**, BSO’s executive officer in Town.

Johansen received a commendation, but downplayed his role. “I just happened to be the first one to find her,” he said.

About six months ago, COP member **Dr. Lou Barbara**, a retired physician and the son of former **Town Mayor Joseph Barbara**, responded to a minor traffic accident on A1A, where the driver of one vehicle had passed out. Barbara immediately recognized the man was suffering from an “insulin reaction.”

While COP volunteers do not provide medical assistance, Barbara relayed his assessment (which proved correct) to Town paramedics who arrived shortly to treat the victim.

See COP on Page 5

Vacation home regulations help keep the peace

One sure way to tell that it is still tourist season in South Florida is to see the number of people vacationing here in **Lauderdale-By-The-Sea**.

And while we are happy to host their vacation, the **Town Commission** has set forth regulations to ensure a peaceful co-existence between our visitors and our residents.

The popularity of vacation rentals has continued to grow and having this transient use encroach into our neighborhoods isn't always easy. Recognizing the need for some regulations for these uses, the Commission in 2009 established some rules for vacation rentals to protect the quality and character of our residential districts.

These regulations are set forth in **Section 30-327** of our **Town Code**. A vacation rental license is required for all single-family or townhouse properties before the property is leased as a short-term vacation rental. To secure and keep a vacation rental license, the property owner must follow these rules:

- ◆ Register the vacation rental property with the Town;
- ◆ Agree to rent the property for no less than a 7 day minimum stay;
- ◆ Rent to no more than 10 persons at any time (the maximum number allowed is property-specific and is based on the number of bedrooms and square footage);
- ◆ Identify a vacation rental agent that is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week to handle any problems arising from the vacation rental use; and
- ◆ Pass an inspection for compliance with zoning, building, housing, density, life/safety and fire code regulations.

Code Enforcement

The Town's **Code Enforcement** officers are responsible



for ensuring that the properties in the Town, including vacation rentals, follow our regulations. Since there are only two officers for the entire Town, that is no small feat.

So, if you live near a vacation rental property that has tenants that are not being good neighbors, please:

- ◆ Call the Code Enforcement office at **954-640-4216** or e-mail at **SharonF@lbts-fl.gov** or **CarmenS@lbts-fl.gov** regarding the problems and issues you are having;

- ◆ For matters requiring law enforcement response or if after hours, please contact the **Broward Sheriff's Office** non-emergency dispatch center at **954-973-7222**. Call **911** for crimes in progress.

- ◆ Take pictures with date and time of the incident;
- ◆ Be willing to testify before the Town's **Special Magistrate**, who serves as a code enforcement judge.

Currently, Florida law does not allow local communities to increase their existing regulations for vacation rental properties. The Commission already passed a resolution supporting legislation to give control back to the cities to regulate such rentals, but the vacation rental lobby is actively fighting this. If you would like the Town to have more control over our vacation rental properties, the

Town's state legislative representatives need to hear from you now, as the bill comes up very soon for a vote this session in the state legislature. Contact them and tell them how you feel.

- ◆ **State Senator Maria Sachs: 561-279-1429**. Her e-mail is **sachs.maria.web@flsenate.gov**.

- ◆ **State Representative George Moraitis, Jr: 954-762-3757**. His e-mail is **George.Moraitis@myfloridahouse.gov**.

If you have additional questions regarding vacation rentals or the Town's Code Enforcement efforts, please contact **Sharon Foster** or **Carmen Sanchez** at **954-640-4216**.

COP (continued from Page 4)

Johansen said many COP volunteers bring valuable "life experiences" to the job. Other COP volunteers in Town include a pilot, lawyer and a car dealer.

Most are retired, but some still work 9 to 5 jobs. Johansen's own career experience was working in finance in Miami.

Johansen enjoys the "sense of accomplishment" he gets from volunteering to help keep the Town safe, but he also praises BSO for its efforts in developing a solid working relationship with the COP program members in Lauderdale-By-The-Sea.

"They make us feel important," he said. "They make us feel wanted."

EL MAR (continued from Page 1)

If public sentiment is supportive, state transportation designers will develop a number of conceptual ideas for El Mar Drive at no cost to the Town! The state would then return in the fall to see what the Town thinks, and, hopefully, indicate which one we would prefer. The April 16 meeting would be the first of several meetings on this proposed project, assuming the Town supports it. Subsequent public meetings would be held, for example, when state designers come up with their proposed conceptual drawings.

If you have any questions, please call **Town Planner Linda Connors** at **Town Hall** at **954-640-4213**.

SS Copenhagen Historic Shipwreck

SS Copenhagen, a 19th Century British steamship, struck a coral reef in 25 feet of water about one mile off this site in present-day Lauderdale-By-The-Sea on May 26, 1900. The 325-foot vessel was hauling coal bound for Cuba. Trying to avoid the northward Gulf Stream, the ship veered too close to shore and struck a reef.



An illustration of SS Copenhagen as she appeared in her short-lived career as a modern and innovative steam-powered cargo ship.

Efforts to free the ship were abandoned when salvage crews were diverted elsewhere. **Copenhagen** reflected a major change in technology as shipbuilders switched from wooden sailing vessels to steam-powered cargo ships made of steel.

The wreck remained visible above water for decades and was used for target practice by Navy pilots stationed in South Florida during World War II.



Copenhagen had aground on a reef.




Many structural features of the wreck survive today, making it a great destination for divers and snorkelers.





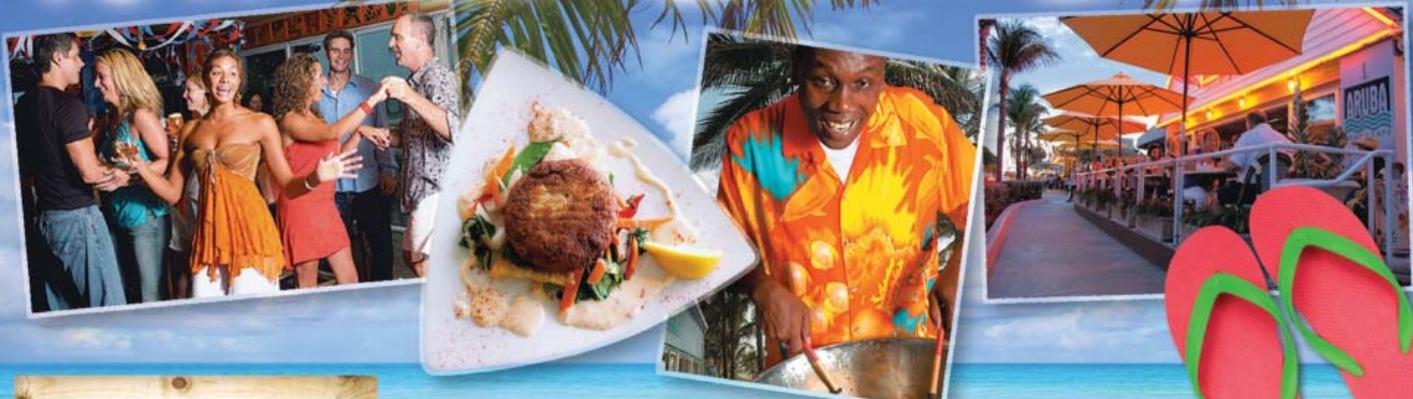
Copenhagen is protected by state and federal laws prohibiting the removal of any ship artifacts.

Copenhagen illustration (top right), Owen Cobby Interpretive Services. Photo Credits: St. Augustine Historical Society photo (top left), Jason Spitz and Monica Schandl (bottom five photos).



HISTORIC SITE: The Town recently placed historical interpretive signs about the SS Copenhagen on the Town's beach in front of Washingtonia Park and just north of the Sea Watch Restaurant. The historic SS Copenhagen shipwreck is listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

Relax. Eat. Drink. Enjoy...






One Happy Restaurant! SM

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 Lunch & dinner daily • Sunday Breakfast Buffet
 Outdoor oceanside seating • Live music seven days
 Three tropical bars • Happy hour 4pm-7pm Mon-Fri

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PROPERTY TAX & RESIDENTIAL FIRE ASSESSMENT RANKINGS

Lauderdale-By-The-Sea has the County's **fourth lowest municipal tax rate**, and the **second lowest residential fire assessment fee**. Less than **20 percent** of your ad valorem property taxes this year went to the Town of Lauderdale-By-The-Sea. The lion's share (66 percent) went to the Broward School Board and Broward County.

PROPERTY TAX RATES

Weston	1	\$2.0000
Hillsboro Beach	2	\$3.3900
Lighthouse Point	3	\$3.8307
Lauderdale-By-The-Sea	4	\$3.9312
Southwest Ranches	5	\$3.9404
Parkland	6	\$3.9900
Fort Lauderdale	7	\$4.3263
Coral Springs	8	\$4.7730
Pompano Beach	9	\$4.8712
Plantation	10	\$5.6142
Hallandale Beach	11	\$5.6833
Davie	12	\$5.9540
Cooper City	13	\$5.8772
Lazy Lake	14	\$5.9363
Sunrise	15	\$6.0543
Dania Beach	16	\$6.2688
Pembroke Pines	17	\$6.2776
Oakland Park	18	\$6.3995
Coconut Creek	19	\$6.3250
Miramar	20	\$6.4654
Deerfield Beach	21	\$6.7688
Wilton Manors	22	\$6.9319
Tamarac	23	\$7.3985
Sea Ranch Lakes	24	\$7.5000
Margate	25	\$7.5593
North Lauderdale	26	\$7.6078
Hollywood	27	\$7.8436
Pembroke Park	28	\$8.5000
Lauderhill	29	\$8.6502
West Park	30	\$9.4200
Lauderdale Lakes	31	\$10.8959

FIRE ASSESSMENT FEES

Lighthouse Point	1	\$90.34
Lauderdale-By-The-Sea	2	\$123.50
Pompano Beach	3	\$134
Coral Springs	4	\$141.36
Hallandale Beach	5	\$145
Coconut Creek	6	\$148.28
Wilton Manors	7	\$156.40
Dania Beach	8	\$160
Cooper City	9	\$161.28
North Lauderdale	10	\$164
Davie	11	\$166
Sunrise	13	\$169.50
Deerfield Beach	12	\$175
Hollywood	14	\$189
Unincorporated Broward	15	\$190
Oakland Park	16	\$196
Parkland	17	\$210
Fort Lauderdale	18	\$225
Margate	19	\$225
Pembroke Pines	20	\$252.71
Tamarac	21	\$265
Lauderdale Lakes	22	\$296.67
Miramar	23	\$304.90
West Park	24	\$381
Weston	25	\$386.32
Lauderhill	26	\$388
Southwest Ranches	27	\$472.14

Source: Broward County Property Appraiser's Office. There were no fire service fees listed for Hillsboro Beach, Lazy Lake, Plantation, Sea Ranch Lakes and Pembroke Park.

New board members

The **Town Commission** appointed 17 residents to the following **Town boards** and **committees** for the next two years. The Town residents appointed were:

Planning & Zoning

Roseann Minnet
 Yann Brandt
 Charles Clark
 David Chanon
 Patrick Potts
 Patrick Murphy 1st Alternate
 William Brady 2nd Alternate



Board of Adjustment

Sandra Booth
 Helene Wetherington
 Carmen Miller
 Carolyn Zaumeyer
 Charles Baclet
 Gerri Ann Capotosto 1st Alternate
 Verenice Rapaport 2nd Alternate

Audit Committee

Ben Freeny
 John Oughton III
 Patrick Murphy

Firefighter Pension Trust Fund Board

John Oughton III
 Linda Collins



SEE OATS: Seventy-five volunteers turned out recently to help plant erosion-fighting sea oats on the beach. The Youth Environmental Alliance program drew volunteers from Best Buy, HandsOn Broward and residents and tourists. Many volunteers were area school children who wanted to help preserve the beach for nesting sea turtles. Thanks to Commissioner Mark Brown for setting up the Town event and Aruba Beach Cafe for providing lots of free water and snacks!

MUST SEA TV!



ScubaNation TV hosts Billy and Mitch film a promo on the Town's beach. The show about LBTS airs on Fox Sun Sports (Comcast Channel 38) on April 18 (1PM), 19 (9AM) and 21 (7:30AM). The show's title is **Dive to the Future**.



ScubaNation TV host Billy Catoggio (c) listens as Mayor Scot Sasser talks about the Town's old Florida charm and our connection to its near-shore coral reefs for the upcoming show featuring Lauderdale-By-The-Sea.

TOWN EVENTS

Movie Night

Movie Night, sponsored by **Florida Community Support**, is held in **Jarvis Hall** at **7PM** on the second Wednesday of the month. *Schindler's List* is on **April 9**; *Gone with the Wind* is **May 14**; and *Poseidon Adventure* is **June 11**. For more information about Movie Night, call **954-590-8658**.



Beach Clean-up

The **Florida Community Support organization** sponsors a beach clean-up on the **second Saturday** of each month. The next clean-ups are **April 12**, **May 10** and **June 14**. Volunteers meet at the **Sea**



Watch Restaurant at **9AM**. The clean-up ends at **11AM**. Supplies provided on a first come basis. For more info, call **Eric Yankwitt** at **954-590-8658**.

Lecture Series

The Town's **Evening of Conversation Lecture Series** continues on **April 30** at **7PM** in **Jarvis Hall** with a concert featuring **Creole Cello performer Serge Dor**. And on **May 7** at **7PM** in Jarvis Hall, there will be a seminar on buying and using the latest electronic devices. For info, call **954-640-4225**.

Shall We Dance

Danny Carter of Dance Moves in LBTS offers free dance lessons in **Anglin's Square** on **April 13** and **27**, and also on **May 11** and **25**. The time is from **5 to 7PM**. April's theme is ballroom-style dances. May's dance theme is Tango.

Jarvis Hall Seminars

The **Florida Community Support organization** sponsors free seminars on the **third Thursday** of each month in **Jarvis Hall** from **6 to 7:30PM**. The topics are **April 17**, *Increase Your Home's Value*; **May 15**, *Disability Social Security*, and **June 19**, *Longterm Care*. For more information, call **954-590-8658**.

Relay For Life April 26 in El Prado

An **American Cancer Society Air & Sea Relay for Life** fundraising event will be held in **El Prado Park** on **Saturday, April 26** from **9AM to 11PM**. Last year's efforts raised \$40,000.

The event so far includes 39 volunteer teams. The events include walking, scuba diving, stand-up paddle boarding, kayaking and playing beach volleyball. There is a **Luminaria Ceremony** in El Prado at **8PM**, where you can honor the memory of someone lost to cancer. The paper bags used in the ceremony, where you can write a message and the name of a friend or family member lost to cancer, cost \$10. You can also donate more if you wish.



John Boutin, general manager of the **Windjammer Resort & Beach Club**, who organizes the event, said the activities on April 26 are just the culmination of all the fundraising that takes place beforehand.

Free Benefit Concert

A free concert to benefit **Relay For Life** is scheduled for **April 16** at **7PM** in the Community Church, 4433 Bougainville Drive. The 'Healing Power of Music' concert will feature **Udi Bar-David**, a cellist of the **Philadelphia Orchestra**, and **Keiko Sato**, a concert pianist with the **Curtis Institute of Music**. Admission is free.

To participate in this year's Relay For Life by starting a team or donating money, please call **Jessie Brooks** at the **American Cancer Society** at **954-564-0880**.

More information can also be found online at **www.relay-forlife.org**. For specific information about the Lauderdale-By-The-Sea Air and Sea Relay event, go to the Relay For Life Web site and type in the Town's name or ZIP code: 33308.



HOW WAS THIS PHOTO TAKEN?

Photographer Dan Q. Pham (l) took a series of aerial photos (see photo at right) for the Town using a GoPro camera attached to a small white drone, which has a range of one-mile. The drone cruises over an area shooting video, which Dan later converts to still photographs. Dan is a civil engineer by trade, but a "techie" at heart.



LBTS COMMUNITY CENTER APRIL 2014 CALENDAR

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	1 10-11:30AM Beginners computer, buying a PC. 11:45AM-12:45PM Italian. 1-3:45PM Mastering the keyboard & mouse, Spanish	2 10-11:30AM Drawing 12:30-3:30PM Arts & Crafts Workshop 	3 10-11:30AM Windows for beginners. 11:45AM-12:45PM Tai Chi (video) 1-4PM Yoga, Yoga & Beyond, computer Q&A	4 10AM-12PM Bridge, Interior Decorating, Ipad and Ipod review 12PM-4PM Brown Bag Friday, News & Views, Social: Acting Workshop
7 10-11:30AM Organizing computer files & folders. 11:45AM-12:45PM English as a second language (ESL). 1-3:45PM Games, e-mail and Spanish	8 10-11:30AM Beginner word processing 11:45AM-12:45PM Italian 1-3:45PM Spanish, scanners and printers.	9 10-12:30AM Watercolors and calligraphy 12:30-3:30PM Arts & Crafts Workshop 	10 10-11:30AM CD Drives 11:45AM-12:45PM Tai Chi (video) 1-4PM Yoga, Yoga & Beyond, computer Q&A	11 10AM-12PM Bridge, Interior Decorating, Ipad, Ipod, tables, etc. 12PM-3:45PM Brown Bag Friday, News & Views, Social: Acting Workshop
14 10-11:30AM Internet downloading 11:45AM-12:45PM ESL 1-3:45PM Bridge, games, Spanish and computer updates. 	15 10-11:30AM Windows 11:45AM-12:45PM Italian 1-3:45PM Conversational Spanish and word processing. 	16 10-11:30AM Drawing 12-3:30PM Arts&Crafts 	17 10-11:30AM Digital cameras 11:45AM-12:45PM Tai Chi 1-4PM Yoga, Yoga & Beyond, computer Q & A 	18 10AM-11:45AM Bridge, Interior Decorating, Ipad, Ipod & other electronic devices. 12-4PM Brown Bag Friday, News & Views, Social: Acting Workshop 
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28 10-11:30AM Word processing (intermediate). 11:45AM-12:45PM English as a second language. 1-3:45PM Games, bridge, e-mail and intermediate Spanish	29 10-11:30AM Music on MP3s, computers, etc. 11:45AM-12:45PM Italian 1-3:45PM Spanish and Intermediate Windows	30 10-11:30AM Drawing 12-3:30PM Arts&Crafts 7-8:30PM Evening of Conversation Series: Music concert with Creole Cello performer Serge Dor.	<div style="background-color: #00a0c0; color: white; padding: 10px; text-align: center;"> <h2 style="margin: 0;">LAUDERDALE BY·THE·SEA</h2> <h3 style="margin: 0; color: #00a0c0;">CENTER INFORMATION</h3> <p style="margin: 0; font-size: small;">● All Community Center classes and activities are held in Jarvis Hall, 4505 N. Ocean Drive (next to Town Hall). For info, call Community Center Director Armilio Bien-Aime at 954-640-4225. Community Center calendars are posted each month at www.lbts-fl.gov.</p> </div>	

LBTS COMMUNITY CENTER MAY 2014 CALENDAR

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<p style="text-align: center;">JOIN OUR GREAT COMPUTER CLASSES TODAY!</p> <p>Please only bring battery-powered laptop/notebook computers to hands-on classes; electrical outlets are not available. Responsibility for computer operation and safety rests with the owner/operator. The computer instructor does not provide any repair assistance or technical support beyond the class-related coursework. For more info, call Community Center Director Armilio Bien-Aime at 954-640-4225. Calendars are also online at www.lbts-fl.gov. All activities and classes are held in Jarvis Hall, 4505 N. Ocean Drive (next door to Town Hall).</p>			<p style="text-align: center;">1</p> <p>10AM-11:30AM Shopping for a computer 11:45AM-12:45PM Tai Chi 1-4PM Yoga, Yoga & Beyond, computer Q&A</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">2</p> <p>10AM-11:30AM Bridge interior decorating, I-Pad and I-Phone. 12-4PM Bown bag Friday, News & Views, social: Acting Workshop.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">5</p> <p>10AM-11:30PM Windows for beginners 1-3:45PM Bridge, Spanish & mastering the keyboard and mouse</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">6</p> <p>10-11:30AM Mastering the keyboard and mouse. 11:45AM-12:45PM Italian 1-3:45PM Spanish for beginners, organizing computer files & folders</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">7</p> <p>10-11:30AM Watercolors 11:30-12:30PM Calligraphy 12:30-3:30PM Arts&Crafts 7-8:30PM Evening of Conversation Series: Buying and Using the latest electronic devices.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">8</p> <p>10AM-11:30AM Internet & e-mail overview 11:45AM-12:45PM Tai Chi 1-4PM Yoga, Yoga & Beyond, computer Q&A</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">9</p> <p>10AM-11:30AM Bridge interior decorating, I-Pad and I-Phone. 12-4PM Bown bag Friday, News & Views, social.</p> 
<p style="text-align: center;">12</p> <p>10AM-11:30PM Using Skype, Facetime & Zoom 1-3:45PM Bridge, Spanish and buying and using a digital camera</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">13</p> <p>10-11:30AM Intermediate Windows 11:45AM-12:45PM Italian 1-3:45PM Spanish for beginners & CD Drives.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">14</p> <p>10-11:30AM Drawing 12:30-3:30PM Arts&Crafts</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">15</p> <p>10-11:30AM Music on your MP3 player, Ipod, etc. 11:45AM-12:45PM Tai Chi 1-4PM Yoga, Yoga & Beyond, computer Q&A</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">16</p> <p>10AM-12PM Bridge, interior decorating, Digital Workshop 12-4PM Brown Bag Friday, news and views, social: Acting Workshop</p> 
<p style="text-align: center;">19</p> <p>10AM-12:45PM Using scanners and printers 1-3:45PM Bridge, Facebook & Spanish</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">20</p> <p>10-11:30AM Photo and graphic editing software 11:45AM-12:45PM Italian 1-3:45PM Spanish for beginners, organizing files and folders.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">21</p> <p>10-11:30AM Watercolors 11:30-3:30PM Calligraphy and Arts&Crafts</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">22</p> <p>10-11:30AM Yahoo, Google and other Web sites 11:45AM-12:45PM Tai Chi 1-4PM Yoga, Yoga & Beyond, computer Q&A</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">23</p> <p>10AM-12PM Bridge, Interior Decorating, I-pod, I-pad tablets and cell phones. 12-4PM News & Views Brown Bag Friday, social: Acting Workshop</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">26</p> <p>10AM-11:30AM Internet and e-mail 1-3:45PM Bridge, Windows & Spanish.</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">27</p> <p>10-11:30AM CD drives 11:45AM-12:45PM Italian 1-3:45PM Spanish for beginners, intermediate word processing</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">28</p> <p>10-11:30AM Drawing 12:30-3:30PM Arts&Crafts</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">29</p> <p>10-11:30AM Buying and using a digital camera 11:45AM-12:45PM Tai Chi 1-4PM Yoga, Yoga & Beyond, computer Q&A</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">30</p> <p>10-11:45AM Bridge, interior decorating, Ipad, Ipod, Iphone, etc. 12-4PM Brown Bag Friday, news and views, social: Acting Workshop.</p>

EASTER BY THE SEA

EASTER EGG HUNT



***BONNET CONTEST**

***REFRESHMENTS**

***MUSIC**

Special Guest: the Easter Bunny!

Egg Hunts:

Three Age Groups

- 0 - 3 year olds
- 4 - 7 year old
- 8 years and up

Bring your Easter baskets and cameras!

Hunt starts promptly at 9:30 a.m.

Bonnet Contest

Two Age Groups

- 0 - 12
- 13 and up

Starts immediately after the last egg hunt.

Prizes awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners!

Town Hall

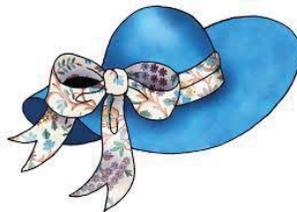
4501 N. Ocean Dr.

9:30 - 11:00 a.m.

Saturday, April 19, 2014

Please join us for this festive good time.

Light refreshments, music and a visit from the Easter Bunny!



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