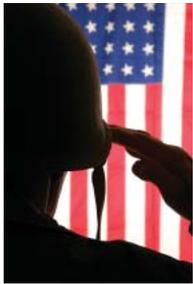




VETERANS DAY NOV. 11

The public is invited to the Town’s Veterans Day ceremony (see the story on Page 3) on Wednesday, Nov. 11 at



10AM at Town Hall, 4501 N. Ocean Drive. The event features music, a keynote speech

and refreshments right afterwards in Jarvis Hall.

FARMERS MARKET

The popular Farmers Market at Town Hall returns on Sunday, Oct. 18th and will be open every Sunday from 9AM to 2PM until May 8th. Local vendors



sell a wide variety of natural foods, plants, honey, pickles, drinks, soaps, dry

goods and other unique products not always available in traditional stores.

LBTS fire fees 2nd, taxes 3rd lowest in County

For the third year in a row, the **Town Commission** has been able to keep the **residential fire assessment fee** at \$123.50, due to the fine work of the **Volunteer Fire Department**. Only one city in Broward County has a lower fee.

The Commission also lowered the property rate from **\$3.8** per thousand dollars of assessed property value to **\$3.7379** when it adopted the Town’s annual budget on **Sept. 28th**. In making the decision on the tax rate, the Commission noted that the reserve for emergency repairs has not been increased in more than 10 years, despite rising construction costs, and that funds are needed to continue infrastructure repairs

See **BUDGET** on Page 8

Street art coming in October to Lauderdale-By-The-Sea

A cute little bug-eyed alien may be landing soon in **Anglin’s Square**.

To add some excitement to **Lauderdale-By-The-Sea** at what is always a slow time of the year for hotels and businesses, the **Town** has commissioned Michigan chalk artist **David Zinn** to create some temporary art works on our streets and sidewalks on **Oct. 23rd, 24th and 25th**.



Doug Coombe Photo

Michigan chark artist David Zinn will be bringing his talents in late October to Lauderdale-By-The-Sea.

His creations only last until the next time it rains, but that doesn’t bother Zinn in the least. He said using chalk enhances the joy of making art, “rather than the keeping of it.”

Zinn, who has done chalk art at festivals all over the country and in Europe, never knows what he will draw until he arrives in a new place and gets to look at his canvass, which are the sidewalks, walls and streets where he’ll be working. “I try to incorporate as much of the real world as possible,” he said.

Two of his recurring figures are a flying pig and **Sluggo**, a green alien. “He’s sort of my mascot or partner in crime,” said Zinn, who will spend three full days creating his art on sidewalks in the Town’s commercial areas.

See **ART** on Page 4

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Town Topics is published quarterly and available on the Town's Web site. To submit information, e-mail the Public Information Office: steved@lbts-fl.gov.

Cover photo: Sea turtle photo courtesy Sarosh Jacob, who entered the picture in this year's BugFest photo contest.



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 exceptions to this schedule based on location. If you need to confirm your pick-up day, call **Waste Pro** at **954-967-4200**.

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.

- 11/05/15
- 12/03/15
- 01/07/16
- 02/04/16

NORTH OF COMMERCIAL

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

- 11/06/15
- 12/04/15
- 01/01/16*
- 02/05/16

*There will be bulk pick-up on New Year's Day.



TOWN MEETINGS

Town Commission

OCT. 13 | 7PM
OCT. 27 | 7PM

NOV. 10 | 7PM
NOV. 24 | 7PM

*DEC. 8 | 7PM
*DEC. 22 | 7PM

*Subject to holiday changes.

Planning & Zoning Board

OCT. 21 | 6PM
NOV. 18 | 6PM
DEC. 16 | 6PM

Board of Adjustment

NO OCTOBER MEETING
NOV. 4 | 6PM
DEC. 2 | 6PM

Code Magistrate

OCT. 26 | 5PM
NOV. 23 | 5PM
DEC. 28 | 5PM

Parking Ticket Hearings

OCT. 26 | 4PM
NOV. 23 | 4PM
DEC. 28 | 4PM

PUBLIC ACCESS

- The Town Commission agenda and backup material are available for review in Town Hall and also posted on our Web site (www.lbts-fl.gov) the Friday before the meeting.
- Commission meetings are televised on Channel 78 and our Web site. Meetings are re-broadcast daily on TV at noon, as well 7 PM Thursday through Sunday. Videos of all meetings are also online. Commission meetings can also be seen on Channel 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.

Town veterans to be honored on Nov. 11th at 10AM

The **Town of Lauderdale-By-The-Sea** will host a **Veterans Day** ceremony on **Wednesday, Nov. 11th** to pay tribute to Town residents and others who bravely served in their country in the military.



The free event is scheduled for **10AM** at **Town Hall**, 4501 N. Ocean Drive. The keynote speaker is **Stephen Moss**, an Army veteran and a law partner with the law firm of **Holland and Knight** in Fort Lauderdale.

Moss founded **Mission United of Broward County** to help local veterans. Since its inception in 2013, Mission United has assisted more than 2,000 local veterans and their families secure jobs, housing,

education, needed health care and legal aid.

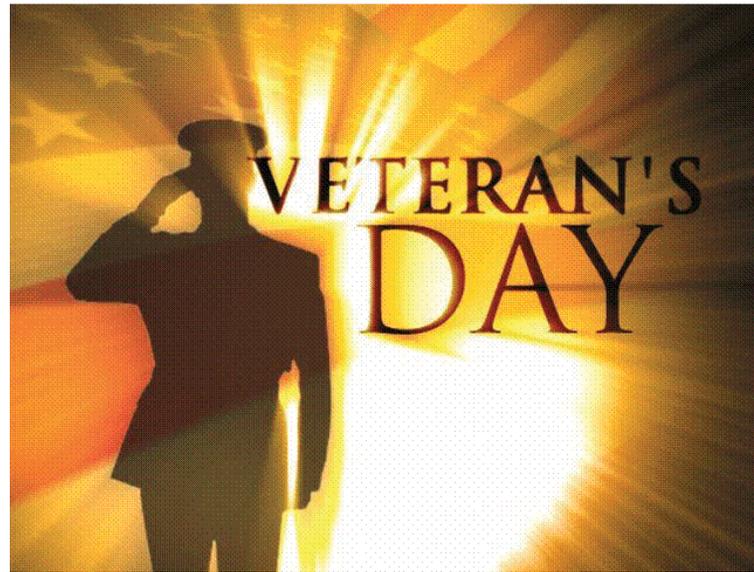
The Town's Veterans Day ceremony, the first in recent memory, will feature a presentation of the colors by the **Lauderdale-By-The-Sea Volunteer Fire Department Honor Guard**. Music for the event will be provided by the **Patriot Brass Trio**.

Food and refreshments will be provided afterwards in **Jarvis Hall**, which is adjacent to **Town Hall**. The public is warmly invited to attend to help honor our nation's veterans.

Veterans Day History

President Woodrow Wilson proclaimed **Nov. 11, 1919** as the first annual commemoration of what was then called **Armistice Day**, marking the end of hostilities in **World War I**.

The war officially ended with the signing of the



No Town Halloween Party

The **Town of Lauderdale-By-The-Sea** will **not** sponsor a **Halloween** party in October. Observing that the majority of trick or treaters who attended the event were not Town residents, the **Town Commission** asked for public input from residents.

After little public support was expressed for the Halloween festivities, the Commission decided not to hold a Halloween party and decided to sponsor a **Veterans Day** event instead.

Treaty of Versailles on June 28, 1919, but the fighting actually ceased several months earlier when a truce between the Allied nations and Germany went into effect on the **11th** hour of the **11th** day of the **11th** month. For that reason, **Nov. 11, 1918**, is regarded as the official end of what was generally regarded by people around the world at the time as the "the war to end all wars."

President Dwight Eisenhower later changed the name from Armistice Day to **Veterans Day** in 1954.

Be notified sooner about emergency boil water notices

Lauderdale-By-The-Sea residents who receive water service from the **City of Fort Lauderdale** and want to be notified as soon as possible about **emergency boil water notices** are advised to update the telephone number associated with their water bill on the **Fort Lauderdale Utilities Web site** at **www.utilitybilling.fortlauderdale.gov/**.

Fort Lauderdale makes robo-calls to its customers about boil water notices, but you will not receive one if the telephone number associated with your bill is not current.

Many Town residents were called by Fort Lauderdale when

a boil water notice was issued in August. When Town staff realized that some residents did not receive calls, it used its **CodeRed** notification system the next day to alert residents about the emergency notice.

But you can be assured you will get notified more quickly if you sign up for direct notice from Fort Lauderdale. You can sign up for the Town's **CodeRed** system by going to the Town Web site: **www.lbts-fl.gov**.

Residents who reside north of the Village of Sea Ranch Lakes receive water service from Pompano Beach. Pompano Beach does not make robo-calls for boil water notices, but you can sign-up for its CodeRed system by going to its Web site: **www.pompanobeachfl.gov/pages/misc_pages/code_red/code_red.html.php**.

TOWN EVENTS

LBTS EVENTS ONLINE

Please be sure to check out the Town's events Web site at www.lbtsevents.com.

Oktoberfest!

The Lauderdale-By-The-Sea **Kiwanis Club** will hold its Oktoberfest on **Saturday, Oct. 10** starting at **6:30PM** at **Athena-By-The-Sea**



restaurant. There will be German music, singing and dancing and your choice of German

food or regular menu items. For more information, please call Athena at **954-771-2900** or Kiwanis at **954-229-1922**. You can also visit the Kiwanis Web site at www.lbts-kiwanis.club.

Free Turkey!

If you are unable to be with family or friends in November, you are invited to attend the **Thanksgiving Holiday Orphan Meal** on **Thanksgiving** from **11AM** to **2PM** in **Jarvis Hall**, 4505 N. Ocean Drive. Hosts



Eric Yankwitt, Verence Rapaport and the **Florida Community Support**

organization sponsor this free event to provide prizes, music and a traditional Thanksgiving meal for everyone who shows up.

Volunteers are also needed to decorate Jarvis Hall the night before from **5 to 8PM**, and to help from **10AM** to **4PM** (in shifts) on Thanksgiving Day. For more information or to RSVP or perhaps volunteer, please call **954-449-4368**.

Santa's Coming!

The 10th annual **Marie White's 'Santa's Coming to Town'** event is **Saturday, Dec. 12** from **12**



to **3PM** at the Beach Pavilion. There will be refreshments and the chance for children to meet Santa Claus. For more information, please call **954-290-1553**.

Menorah Lighting

A **Menorah Lighting** will be held on **Sunday, Dec. 13** from **5 to 9PM** at the **Beach Pavilion**. There will be music,



speeches and refreshments. The ceremony is sponsored by **Chabad Lauderdale-By-The-Sea**. For more info, call **954-607-1104** or send an e-mail to rabbi@jewishlauderdale.com.

Candlelight Service

The **Community Church of Lauderdale-By-The-Sea** will hold its annual **Candlelight Service** on **Christmas Eve** at **7PM**. For more information about this holiday Mass, call the church at **954-776-5530**.



Beach Cleanup

The **Florida Community Support organization** will hold its next beach clean-up on **Oct. 10, Nov. 14** and **Dec. 12**. Volunteers meet at the **Sea Watch Restaurant** at **9AM**. For more information, please call **954-590-8658**.

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He enjoys engaging and talking with people who wander by to watch him create. The size of his works range from two or three inches wide to two or three feet.

"I try to incorporate as much as the real world as possible." – David Zinn

Zinn said using colored chalk helps demystify the process of creating art. Unlike other mediums, he said there's much less of a line between professional and amateurs.

The Town wishes to thank **Dave Gadsby** and the **Beachside Village Resort** for providing free lodging for Zinn during his visit.

The Town will promote Zinn's presence and schedule via media releases, social media and the Town's Web sites: www.lbts-fl.gov and www.lbtsevents.com.

DRAWING A CROWD



Myra Klarman Photo

Michigan artist David Zinn will bring his creative talents to the streets and sidewalks of Lauderdale-By-The-Sea on Oct. 23, 24 and 25. His temporary street art is composed entirely of chalk, charcoal and found objects, and is always improvised on location.



Ryan Doyle Photo

Bugfest 2015 attracts record number of participants

BugFest-By-The-Sea (July 24-Aug. 1), the Town's annual dive festival, was another great success this year, attracting 200 divers and almost 1,000 people to various events and seminars during the week.

BugFest began in 2012 to promote the Town's great beach diving to divers. It is held in late July during the week in which Florida's two-day **lobster mini-season** occurs. Divers call lobsters "bugs."

BugFest this year included more than 20 events. In addition to lobster hunting contests, there were dive seminars, a wreck diving workshop, lobster chef competition, underwater photo contest, a pier clean-up, and a presentation by **John Chatterton** about his discovery of a **German World War II U-Boat** off New Jersey in 1991. His efforts were the subject of the book *Shadow Divers*.

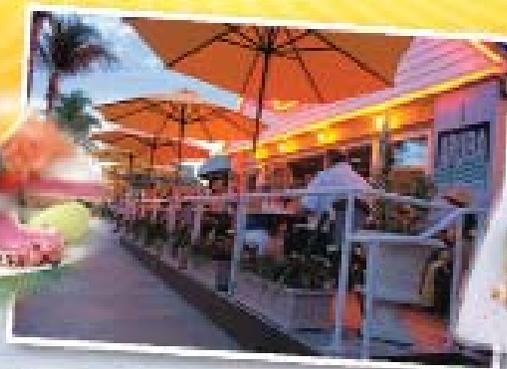
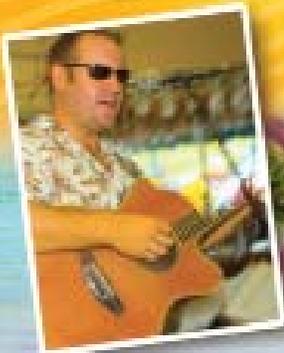
This year's main BugFest sponsors were Minto Communities and Reef Safe, a Daytona Beach sun care products company. Other supporters included Aruba Beach Cafe, Gold Coast Scuba, Lenore Nolan-Ryan Catering, South Florida Diving Headquarters, Windjammer Resort, Driftwood Inn, Beachside Village Resort, High Noon, Coast Boutique, Tides Inn, Argenti Design Jewelers, By-The-Sea Realty, Force E Scuba, Paddleboard of Florida, Stoked On Salt, the Seagrape Surf Shop, ScubaNation TV and ScubaRadio.

Dive Buddies



Scuba divers Sherry Williams and Frank Schmidt shared the \$1,000 Buddy Team prize for catching the biggest 12 bugs on lobster mini-season opening day at BugFest-By-The-Sea in July.

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Dance program returns to Anglin's Square

Dancing returns to Lauderdale-By-The-Sea in mid-October!

Shall We Dance? - the popular free dance lessons offered by the Town in the **Ocean Plaza at Anglin's Square** - returns on **Sunday, Oct. 11th** and will run through **April 24**.

Danny Carter of **Dance Moves**, a Town business, offers fun and free dance lessons on the **second and fourth Sundays** of the month from **5 to 7PM**. Music is provided by **DJ Samour**. The program features different dance styles as the season progresses, including salsa, tango, ballroom and swing.

A former Broadway dancer, Carter is an encouraging dance instructor who makes all feel at home on the dance floor, even those of us with two left feet.

The program is popular with Town residents, tourists and locals.



The Town's free dancing program, Shall We Dance, is popular with residents and tourists. It starts again on Oct. 11 and ends April 24.

"This is great fun," said **Debbi Warren** of Tampa, who was in Town with her cousin. "We're going to come back again."

Nathan and **Jiana Wessel** of Fort Lauderdale come as often as possible and were dancing in Ocean Plaza back in May before the program shut down for the summer when we interviewed them.

"This is totally a lot of fun," Jiana said.

"This is a great thing you guys have going on down here." – Nathan Wessel

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"This is totally a lot of fun," Jiana said. The DJ, Samour, said some people dance while waiting for a table at **Aruba Beach Café**.

"Everyone loves it," he said. "We always have an awesome turnout. People come right off the beach to dance."

During last year's Christmas season, the program was attracting between 100 and 150 people.

"With all the Christmas lights, it's so festive," Carter said. "With holiday parties coming up, it gave people a great place to learn, practice and meet other dancers and make new friends."

Nathan and Jiana were looking forward to the program resuming this fall.



The Town's bi-monthly dance lessons in Ocean Plaza are taught by Danny Carter of Dance Moves in Lauderdale-By-The-Sea. He makes everyone feel welcome, regardless of their level of expertise.



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Christmas-By-The-Sea is Wednesday, Dec. 2

Excitement is building for the Town's annual **Christmas-By-The-Sea** festivities on **Wednesday, Dec. 2** from **5:30 to 9PM** in **Anglin's Square**.

Christmas-By-The-Sea is always a wonderful night for the entire family! There will be holiday music and dancing to delight one and all.

The Town's Christmas tree will be beautifully lit for the holiday season. The **tree lighting** in **Anglin's Square** will occur around **6PM** in the midst of a festive and expanded yuletide market offering great gift items, stocking stuffers and delicious foods.



Town restaurants and businesses will be open and participating in the festivities. Be sure to come hungry and bring your holiday shopping list!

Popular children's activities will keep your children and grandchildren engaged, creating ornaments, decorating cookies and writing letters to **Santa Claus**.

Keeping with tradition, Santa will arrive atop a **Lauderdale-By-The-Sea Volunteer Fire Department** truck with lights and sirens blazing. The children will then have the opportunity to visit with him in **Santa's Village**.

Holiday cutout boards will provide photo ops for what are sure to become family greeting cards.

Sponsorship opportunities also abound, so don't miss out on the chance to have your business shine in the Town's much anticipated Christmas event.



I'VE BEEN GOOD: Santa Claus will make a very special visit to Christmas-By-The-Sea in Anglin's Square on Wednesday, Dec. 2.

Gifts offered for sale should be holiday or seaside-related hand-crafted items. Town businesses, non-profits, civic and neighborhood associations are urged to be vendors in this great community event that draws townspeople, tourists from around the country and folks from our neighboring communities.

If you are interested in being a sponsor or vendor, please call **Pat Himelberger** at **954-640-4205**. You can also e-mail her at path@lbts-fl.gov.

New recycling totes

The **Town's** new and convenient **Recycling Totes** will be delivered in November or December.

The large multi-family condo buildings in Town will be provided with totes for residents to encourage them to recycle. Additional totes can be purchased for just \$1.50 at **Town Hall**.

The Recycling Tote is a great way to collect your recyclables before taking them to your building's recycling cart.

The Tote is made from almost 100 percent recycled plastic bottles and easily wipes clean with a damp cloth.

Headed to the grocery store? Empty your Recycling Tote on

your way out and it serves as a handy bag to bring your grocery store items home in, further reducing plastic bag waste.



Holiday recycling Ideas

The holidays produce lots of **recyclables** and materials that can be repurposed. During the coming holiday season and all year, the **Town** encourages everyone to think before you throw. Remember that all those boxes, cardboard, wrapping paper, tissue paper, hard plastic packaging and holiday greeting cards belong in your recycling cart! A complete list of recyclable materials can be found on our Web site at www.lbts-fl.gov/recycle_trash.

Broken Christmas lights can also be donated to non-profits such as the **Trash to Treasure Creative Reuse Center**, 1350 E. Sunrise Blvd, Fort Lauderdale. T2T is equally happy to accept your ribbons, bows, bobbles, beads, buttons, broken jewelry, gently used or slightly damaged ornaments (excluding broken Christmas balls), other holiday themed decorations, bottle corks, games with missing pieces, broken pottery, or any small item that has the potential to be repurposed as a valuable educational resource.

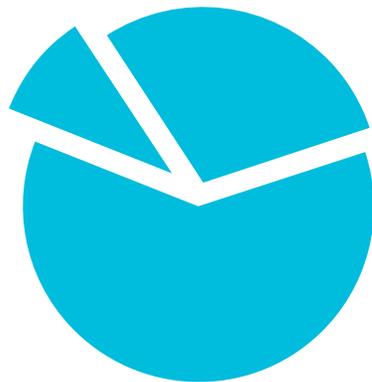
You can visit www.trash2treasurefl.org for more info. Please do your part this holiday season to minimize trash and maximize recycling (or repurposing).

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(e.g. drainage improvements, road resurfacing, etc.) throughout the Town.

As a result of this decision, Lauderdale-By-The-Sea will have the **third lowest tax rate** among Broward County's 31 cities. This means you pay less property taxes to the Town than you would if you owned a house or condo worth the same amount in 28 other Broward cities.

Your Lauderdale-By-The-Sea property taxes, which fund police, emergency medical and other essential government services, account for approximately 19 percent of your total tax bill. **Broward County** and the **Broward School District** account for most of your total property taxes.



This year the average single-family homeowner in LBTS will pay \$5.88 more per month in property taxes to the Town than last year. The average condo owner will pay \$4 more per month. (The difference reflects only the fact that condos in Town have a significantly lower average taxable value than do single-family homes.)

The additional tax revenue will pay for increased costs of the Town's contracts with the **Broward Sheriff's Office** (\$221,000) and the **Volunteer Fire Department** (\$114,000).

The cost of the emergency medical services contract with American Medical Response not increasing for the fourth year in a row, but the fees they charge for transport and medical services will increase. The Town compared the fees requested by **AMR** with other cities' EMS fees and found that, even with the increases AMR proposed, our rates will still be among the lowest in Broward County.

Budget Priorities

This new budget reflects a continued commitment to upgrade the Town's infrastructure and aesthetic appearance. The most significant projects are:

- The completion of the **Basin Drive** drainage improvements already underway.
- The completion of the **Commercial Boulevard streetscape improvements** between Ocean Drive and Seagrave Drive.
- The construction of **public bathrooms on El Mar Drive** just south of Anglin's Square.
- Completion of **improvements to Friedt Family Park**.

The Town's sewer rates for residents in the south part of Town will increase by 3.5 percent effective in October to help fund the capital expense that will be required in 2020 to make necessary repairs to the lift station that pumps the sewage north to Pompano Beach for treatment.

Garbage collection rates stay the same for third consecutive year

The Town's **garbage and recycling collection rates** will **stay the same for the third year in a row**.

When the **Solid Waste Recovery Board's** contract with **Wheelabrator** ended in 2013, the Town was allowed to seek alternative disposal sites. The Town selected **Sun-Bergeron** which enabled the Town to reduce garbage rates by 5 percent in Fiscal Year 2014. The rates were not increased in FY2015. The Town's monthly garbage/recycling fees for single-family homes will remain at \$14.37. The multi-family rate remains at \$14.64.



Actors wanted for Community Center show!

The Town's **Community Center** is seeking actors and backstage hands willing to take part in its upcoming theater production in late January. If you are interested in volunteering,



please come to **Jarvis Hall** on **Friday, Oct. 16** from **2 to 4PM**. Jarvis Hall is located at 4505 N. Ocean Drive, which is adjacent to **Town Hall**. The center plans to produce several 10-minute plays in Jarvis Hall on **Jan. 29, 30 and 31**.

There are open roles for adult men and women. If you can't make the meeting that day, you can still take part in the production by calling **Armilio Bien-Amie** at **954-640-4225**.

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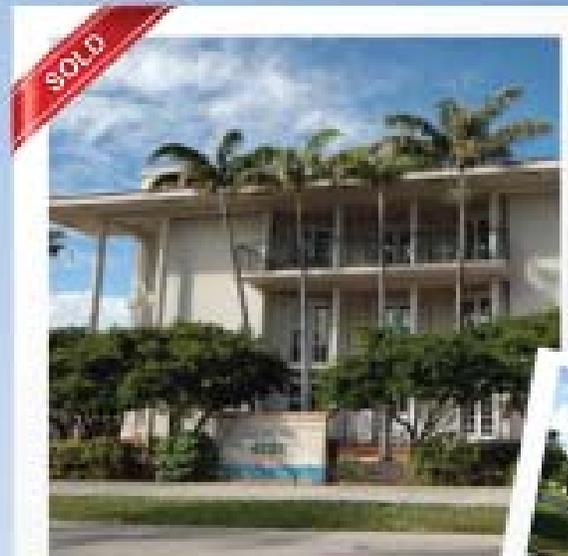


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<p>JOIN OUR GREAT PERSONAL COMPUTER CLASSES TODAY!</p> <p>Please only bring battery-powered laptop/notebook computers to hands-on classes; electrical outlets are not available. Responsibility for computer operation and safety rests with the owner/operator. The computer instructor does not provide any repair assistance or technical support help 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 are in Jarvis Hall, 4505 N. Ocean Drive (next to Town Hall).</p>			<p>1</p> <p>10AM-11AM Buying a computer, tablet or cell phone.</p> <p>11:45AM-12:45PM Tai Chi</p> <p>1-4PM Windows, IOS, Android Operating System & computer Q&A</p>	<p>2</p> <p>10AM-12P Bridge interior decorating, I-Pad and I-Phone.</p> <p>12-4PM Bown bag Friday, News & Views, Performing Arts & Italian</p>
<p>5</p> <p>10AM-11:30AM Mastering the keyboard, and mouse, English as a Second Language (ESL)</p> <p>1-3:45PM Bridge, Spanish, and organizing files and folders.</p>	<p>6</p> <p>10-11:30AM Beginner word processing</p> <p>11:45AM-12:45PM Italian</p> <p>1-3:45PM Spanish and all handheld devices</p>	<p>7</p> <p>10AM-11:30AM Drawing</p> <p>12:30-3:30PM Arts&Crafts</p> 	<p>8</p> <p>10AM-11:30AM Skype</p> <p>11:45AM-12:45PM Tai Chi</p> <p>1-4PM E-mail, Internet and computer Q&A</p>	<p>9</p> <p>10AM-12PM Bridge interior decorating, I-Pad and I-Phone.</p> <p>12-4PM Bown bag Friday, News & Views, Italian and performing arts</p>
<p>12</p> <p>10AM-11:30AM English as a Second Language (ESL), buying and use digital cameras.</p> <p>1-3:45PM Bridge, Spanish and photo editing software</p>	<p>13</p> <p>10-11:30AM Intermediate Windows</p> <p>11:45AM-12:45PM Italian</p> <p>1-3:45PM Spanish and all handheld devices</p>	<p>14</p> <p>10-11:30AM Watercolors</p> <p>12:30-3:30PM Arts&Crafts</p> 	<p>15</p> <p>10-11:30AM Playing music on your MP3 player.</p> <p>11:45AM-12:45PM Tai Chi</p> <p>1-4PM Word processing and computer Q & A.</p>	<p>16</p> <p>10AM-12PM Bridge, interior decorating, and all handheld devices.</p> <p>12-4PM Brown Bag Friday, news and views, Italian and performing arts.</p>
<p>19</p> <p>10AM-11:30AM English as a Second Language, Internet and e-mail</p> <p>1-3:45PM Bridge, Spanish, and organizing files and folders</p>	<p>20</p> <p>10-11:30AM CD-DVD drives</p> <p>11:45AM-12:45PM Italian</p> <p>1-3:45PM Spanish and all handheld devices.</p>	<p>21</p> <p>10-11:30AM Drawing</p> <p>12:30-3:30PM Arts&Crafts</p> 	<p>22</p> <p>10-11:30AM Using scanners and printers</p> <p>11:45AM-12:45PM Tai Chi</p> <p>1-4PM Downloading from the Internet, e-mail attachments, & computer Q & A.</p>	<p>23</p> <p>10AM-12PM Bridge, Interior Decorating, tablets and cell phones.</p> <p>12-4PM News & Views Brown Bag Friday, Italian and performing arts.</p>
<p>26</p> <p>10AM-11:30AM Intermediate Windows, English as a Second Language (ESL)</p> <p>1-3:45PM Bridge, Spanish, and word processing.</p>	<p>27</p> <p>10-11:30AM Organizing Computer files and folders</p> <p>11:45AM-12:45PM Italian</p> <p>1-3:45PM Spanish and all handheld devices</p>	<p>28</p> <p>10AM-11:30AM Watercolors</p> <p>12:30-3:30PM Arts&Crafts</p> <p>Evening at Jarvis Hall Series: 7-8PM Dr. Nicholas Tranakas on Melanoma Skin Cancer</p>	<p>29</p> <p>10-11:30AM Facebook for beginners</p> <p>11:45AM-12:45PM Tai Chi</p> <p>1-4PM Google drive, Dropbox, iCloud, OneDrive, and computer Q & A.</p>	<p>30</p> <p>10AM-12P Bridge interior decorating, I-Pad and I-Phone.</p> <p>12-4PM Bown bag Friday, News & Views, Performing Arts & Italian</p>

LBTS COMMUNITY CENTER NOVEMBER 2015 CALENDAR

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<p style="text-align: center;">2</p> <p>10-11:30AM Windows for beginners.</p> <p>11:45AM-12:45PM ESL</p> <p>1-3:45PM Games, Spanish and mastering the keyboard & mouse</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">3</p> <p>10-11:30AM Organizing computer files & folders</p> <p>11:45AM-12:45PM Italian</p> <p>1-3:45PM Spanish and word processing for beginners</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">4</p> <p>10-12:30AM Drawing</p> <p>12:30-3:30PM Arts & Crafts Workshop</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">5</p> <p>10-11:30AM Internet, E-mail, Digital Tablets, etc.</p> <p>11:45AM-12:45PM Tai Chi (video)</p> <p>1-4PM Yoga, Yoga & Beyond, Computer</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">6</p> <p>10AM-12PM Bridge, Interior Decorating, and electronic devices.</p> <p>12PM-4PM Brown Bag Friday, News & Views, Performing arts, Ping Pong, Italian</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">9</p> <p>10-11:30AM Digital cameras, smartphones.</p> <p>11:45AM-12:45PM ESL</p> <p>1-3:45PM Games, Spanish and photo editing software</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">10</p> <p>10-11:30AM Word processing (intermediate)</p> <p>11:45AM-12:45PM Italian</p> <p>1-3:45PM Spanish, and handheld devices.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">11</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">12</p> <p>10-11:30AM Installing and removing software</p> <p>11:45AM-12:45PM Tai Chi</p> <p>1-4PM Yoga, Yoga & Beyond, Computer Q&A.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">13</p> <p>10AM-12PM Bridge, Interior Decorating and electronic devices.</p> <p>12PM-4PM Brown Bag Friday, News & Views, Performing Arts, Ping Pong, Italian</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">16</p> <p>10-11:30AM Intermediate Windows</p> <p>11:45AM-12:45PM English as a second language.</p> <p>1-3:45PM Games, Spanish and Skype</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">17</p> <p>10-11:30AM Skype</p> <p>11:45AM-12:45PM Italian</p> <p>1-3:45PM Conversational Spanish, tablets and other electronic devices</p> <p>Evening at Jarvis Hall Series: 7-8:30PM Line Dancing</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">18</p> <p>10-11:30AM Watercolors</p> <p>12-3:30PM Arts&Crafts</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">19</p> <p>10-11:30AM Using scanners, QR Code readers & printers</p> <p>11:45AM-12:45PM Tai Chi</p> <p>1-4PM Yoga, Yoga & Beyond, Computer Q&A.</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">20</p> <p>10AM-11:45AM Bridge, Interior Decorating, Ipad, Ipod & other electronic devices.</p> <p>12-4PM Brown Bag Friday, News & Views, Performing Arts, Italian</p> 
<p style="text-align: center;">23</p> <p>10-11:30AM CD-DVD drives</p> <p>11:45AM-12:45PM ESL</p> <p>1-3:45PM Bridge, Spanish and word processing</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">24</p> <p>10-11:30AM Computer maintenance, installing software</p> <p>11:45AM-12:45PM Italian</p> <p>1-3:45PM Conversational Spanish and how to use handheld devices</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">25</p> <p>10-11:30AM Drawing</p> <p>12:30-3:30PM Arts&Crafts</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">26</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">27</p> <p style="text-align: center;">No Scheduled Activities</p> 
<p style="text-align: center;">30</p> <p>10-11:30AM Internet and e-mail</p> <p>11:45AM-12:45PM ESL</p> <p>1-3:45PM Bridge, Spanish and intermediate Windows</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">31</p> <p>10-11:30AM Google Drive, iCloud & OneDrive</p> <p>11:45AM-12:45PM Italian</p> <p>1-3:45PM Spanish and using tables, cell phones & other handheld devices</p>	<p style="font-size: 1.2em; font-weight: bold; color: #00a0c0;">COMMUNITY CENTER INFORMATION</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● All Community Center classes and activities are held in Jarvis Hall, 4505 N. Ocean Drive (next to Town Hall). For information, call Community Center Director Armilio Bien-Aime at 954-640-4225. The Community Center calendars are also posted each and every month on the Town's Web site at www.lbts-fl.gov. 		

Commercial Boulevard Streetscape

Construction crews are hard at work completing the final two blocks of the Town's award-winning **Commercial Boulevard Streetscape Project**.

The project will extend the paver treatments and lighting that was installed in the western two blocks of Commercial all the way to Ocean Drive. Work began on the north side of the roadway in late July and the new paver sidewalk looks beautiful. Landscaping will be installed on the north side in early October.

The Town has given its contractor a deadline to complete the bulk of the work on the southern segment by Thanksgiving. On the south side of the roadway, the Town has been waiting for **TECO Gas** to move a gas line so that construction can begin there.

Lighting fixtures are always delayed by the manufacturers, so the poles will be installed but it will be December, and possibly January, before the lamps are installed.

Public seating and bike racks will be installed along the new sidewalks. The wider sidewalks will allow businesses to add sidewalk dining (for which they will need state approval, in addition to a Town license) and for pedestrians to enjoy a more pleasant and safer stroll.

During construction, traffic along the street has been narrowed into single lanes, and some temporary detours are necessary. That has worked fine during August and September, but will be more problematic as snowbirds return in late October and November.

Please exercise extreme caution when driving or walking through this construction site.

Adjacent businesses always struggle during streetscape



The new sidewalk on Commercial Boulevard is taking shape with new pavers identical to the ones located west of Seagrape.

projects and the contractor does everything possible to keep access to stores and restaurants open during construction.

Please help mitigate the economic impact of construction by making the effort to support and patronize these businesses.

The Town's prior Commercial Streetscape projects were recognized as the **2013 Public Works Project of the Year** by the **Florida Chapter of the American Public Works Association**. It also won the **2014 President's Award** from the **Florida Redevelopment Association**, which is given to the "Best of the Best" redevelopment projects in the state.

A two-week look-ahead construction schedule for the project is always posted on the Town's Web site at www.lbts-fl.gov.

Basin Drive Drainage

Construction crews are also working on a drainage improvement project on **Basin Drive** and portions of **East Tradewinds Avenue** as part of the Town's ongoing infrastructure efforts to upgrade stormwater drainage in **Lauderdale-By-The-Sea**.

Construction began on Aug. 31st and will be completed within the next few months.

Drainage will be upgraded along Basin Drive between **Seagrape Drive** and **West Tradewinds Avenue**. Drainage will also be installed in the one block area of East Tradewinds, between Commercial and Basin.

Crews began work in front of the marina and will move west along the roadway.

The project almost immediately



ran into problems when an old sewer line was accidentally broken by the construction crew and took almost two weeks to repair.

There will be temporary detours and road closures during the duration of the project, but only local traffic will be impacted to any great degree. After the new drainage is installed, the roadway will be milled and resurfaced.

Please be careful and exercise extreme caution while driving or walking through this construction area. Please also support and patronize the businesses in this area during construction.

A two-week look-ahead construction schedule is regularly posted on the Town Web site at www.lbts-fl.gov.