Peek at the Week

Barefoot Bay Recreation District

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Food & Beverage Entertainment Highlights

Monday

Music Bingo

Building A

5:30-8:30pm

Bar opens at 4pm

Boxed Lunches

Tuesday

Karaoke

Taco Tuesday

Lakeside of the Lounge Stage 5-10pm

\$2.50 tacos

Wednesday

Trivia Night

Lounge 6:30-8:30pm Boxed Lunches

Friday

DJ Terry

Lakeside of the Lounge Stage 7-10:30pm

Hot dogs

Saturday

Dreamer

Lakeside of the Lounge Stage

6-10pm

Special sandwiches

Sunday

19th Hole

Open 8am-8pm

Breakfast 8am-11am

Lounge

Open 11am-9pm

Boxed Lunches

Farewell Ceremony for Community Mngr. Coffey





After Thursday, May 12th BOT meeting, staff, Trustees, and residents gathered to honored Community Manager John W Coffey for his 8.5 years of service in Barefoot Bay.

Free Stuff: Homeowners and residents are reminded that they may obtain one free copy of each of the following documents per a calendar year:

- Charter
- Deed of Restrictions
- ARCC Guidelines
- Policy Manual
- Employee Handbook
- Homeowners' Copy of Proposed Budget
- Homeowners' Copy of Approved Budget

Please see a customer service representative at the Admin. Building for your free copies. They are also available online at www.bbrd.org

Kid's Swim Program:

The last two hours of every Wednesday at Pool #2 will be BBRD's official Kids' Swim. Homeowner/renters badges or guest passes are required. For those kids under 16 years old who do not have a homeowner or renters badge, their parent or guardian can bring the child and proof of residency in BBRD (driver's license, utility bill, etc.) and obtain a "Kids' Swim badge that will allow the child access to Pool #2 during the Kids' Swim weekly event. The Kids' Swim badge will not allow access to the pools or other amenities outside of the Kids' Swim events. All regular Pool Rules will apply (see the BBRD Policy).



Community Manager, Office of the District Clerk, Finance Department, Resident Relations Department (including DOR Enforcement) and Food & Beverage Manager's Office.

Administration Building 625 Barefoot Blvd., 772.664.3141 www.bbrd.org

All recognized clubs or organizations can contribute to the *Peek* by sending your information via email to the District Clerk's Office: mleiva@bbrd.org or call 772.664.3141.

The editor reserves the right to edit or reject submittals as necessary.

Notice: Lost and Found items are kept in the Administration Building.

Barefoot Bay... "the perfect place to live, eat, and play."

Meeting Notices: All meetings are open to the public

RFP #2022-04 Lounge Outside Bar Evaluation Committee Meeting: Thurs., May 19th, Admin. Bldg. Conf. Room at 2pm

<u>Arch. Review Control Comm. (ARCC) Mtg.</u>: Tues., May 24th, Admin. Bldg. Conf. Room at 9am

<u>BOT Regular Meeting</u>: Tues., May. 24th, Bldg. D/E at 1pm (CANCELLED) RFP #2022-04 Lounge Outside Bar Evaluation Committee Meeting: Thurs., May 26th, Admin. Bldg. Conf. Room at 1pm

<u>Violations Comm. Meeting</u>: Fri., May 27th, Admin. Bldg. Conf. Room at 10am <u>Arch. Review Control Comm. (ARCC) Mtg</u>.: Tues., June 07th, Admin. Bldg. Conf. Room at 9am

BOT Regular Meeting: Thurs., June 09th, Bldg. D/E at 1pm Violations Comm. Meeting: Fri., June 10th, Admin. Bldg. Conf. Room at 10am

Summertime Peek "Back to Basics" Series Returns Early in 2022

As started in 2019, each summer as vacations are taken and conversations turn to who will be running for Trustee, upcoming football season, and the NASCAR Playoffs, Club submittals for articles in the Peek decline in numbers. Rather than have jumbo sized clip art or useless excerpts from documents people tend not to read, I (Management Analyst, Mackenzie Leiva) will use the extra space to cover the basics of how BBRD works, why a Special District is a better form of governance than a HOA, which services are provided by BBRD versus Brevard County and other facts some of our new residents may not yet know or that some long-term residents may have forgotten. Since Summer 2022 looks like it will be better than 2021 but still slower than seasonal Peek submittals, I will get a jump start on the summer series.

If anyone has a topic they would like me to cover, please e-mail me mleiva@bbrd.org and I will put it in the queue. Hopefully, mother nature cooperates and we have an eventless summer where I can cover all the topics. Of course, if clubs/organizations submit items, they will be given priority for Peek space. So I will get started below:

Why don't homeowners get to vote on the budget?

The answer is simple. BBRD residents like every other American citizen live in a democratic republic where electors vote for people to "represent" them. While some very small towns in the Northeast have townhall type of local government where everyone gets to vote on everything, "direct democracy" does not work well in practice as it takes a lot of time to understand all the facts of specific issues and "majority rule" that is not based on law has resulted in some very bad outcomes in the past when it was used (i.e. suppression/discrimination/etc. of religious/racial/ethnic minorities).....hence, it is important to vote for the trustee candidate(s) you think will best represent you and not just the fresh face(s) in the election.

Spring Cocktail Recipe: Tequila Honeysuckle

2oz Tequila of choice

.75 oz honey syrup

.75 oz lime juice

Combine ingredients in a shaker and shake with ice. Strain into a coupe and garnish with a lime wedge.

This Week in History

Mon., 16, 1866

Root Beer was invented by Charles Elmer Hires in Philadelphia, PA.

Tues., 17,1897

The first successful submarine that can run submerged for any considerable distance is launched in the USA by John Philip Holland.

Wed., 18,1631

John Winthrop is elected 1st Governor of the Massachusetts Bay Colony.

Thurs., 19, 1935

NFL adopts an annual college draft to begin in 1936.

Fri., 20, 1926

Congress passes Air Commerce Act, licensing of pilots & planes.

Sat., 21, 1932

Amelia Earhart completes the 1st transatlantic solo fight by a women.