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JUNE 2010

Surfside Celebrates 75 Years With Parade & Beach Barbecue

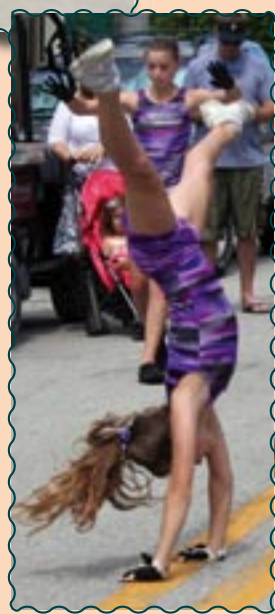


The hometown spirit of Surfside was in full display on May 16 as streets were lined with residents and families enjoying an old-fashioned parade complete with clowns, antique cars, gymnasts, dancers, police and fire rescue vehicles, floats and the Miami Beach High marching band.



The parade marched through the Town and ended at the beach, where more than 700 enjoyed a catered barbecue picnic under a huge tent in front of the Surf Club. Dessert included pieces of the Town's 75th anniversary birthday

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SURFSIDE BRIEFS

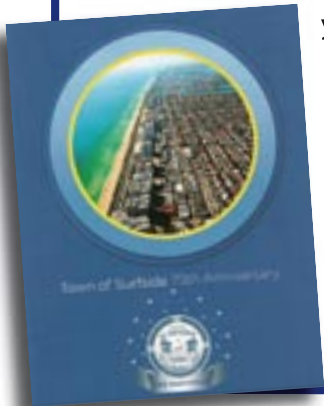
Increased Police Presence at 96th St. Park

The Surfside Police Department and the Parks and Recreation Department are working to provide a more visible presence at the 96 Street Park on Friday afternoons. Bal Harbour and Bay Harbor Island Police Departments have also partnered with Surfside and assigned a police officer to the Park on Friday afternoons to ensure the safety of our children. In addition, a Surfside Police Officer has conducted weekly presentations at assemblies at Ruth K. Broad K-8 School in Bay Harbor Islands on bullying, gang prevention and proper behavior after school at the park.

Souvenir 75th Anniversary Brochure Available

The 75th Anniversary Souvenir Brochure is available from the Parks & Recreation/Tourist Bureau office in the trailer on Collins Ave at 93rd Street. Please stop by between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Monday through Friday for your complimentary copy (while supplies last). A limited number of copies will also be available at Commission Meetings and Workshops. This brochure, along with a copy of the Town's Silver Anniversary (50th) Anniversary brochure, can be downloaded from the Town's website: www.townofsurfsidefl.gov.



Anniversary Souvenirs Available at Town Hall

Souvenirs commemorating Surfside's 75th Anniversary are available in fashionable navy blue and white featuring the Anniversary logo. They can be purchased at the Town Hall Front Desk.

Large Beach Towels \$12

Beach Tote Bag \$12

Visor \$6

Coffee Mug \$6

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Public Works Update

- Flower planters were installed on 15 light posts between 94th and 96th Streets on Harding Avenue. This is a project of the Beautification Committee. The purple and pink bougainvillea flowers make a significant aesthetic contribution to the Town's business district.
- The 95th Street "Beach House" lot fence was improved by installing a colored mesh around its perimeter.
- The 93rd Street shower on the north side of the Community Center construction site was given a thorough maintenance treatment in anticipation of increased use during the Center's construction.
- Stormwater drain catch basins were cleaned out as part of the annual spring maintenance program.
- All yellow sidewalk curbs indicating "No Parking" were repainted. Many parking signs were replaced and added as needed throughout the Town.
- The lifeguard stand is being painted and the windows and door will be installed in late May. Projected completion is late May-early June.

Book Club Meets June 15

The next meeting of the Surfside Book Club will take place on Tuesday June 15. The book selection will be *Conquering Fear: Living Boldly in an Uncertain World*, by Harold Kushner. For more information contact Kim Millerick at kimjo614@the-beach.net or (305) 867-1336.

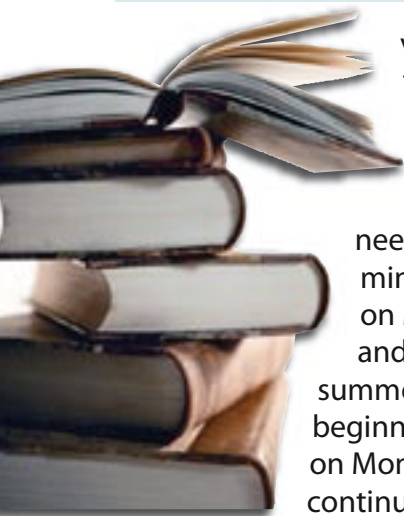
Residents Must 'Scoop the Poop'

Every dog owner, walker or custodian is required to immediately pick up pet waste made by their animal on public or private property and properly dispose of the waste. Failure to keep our community in a sanitary condition is considered a violation.

New Utility E-billing Notification Service

Surfside is pleased to announce a **NEW utility e-billing notification service!** The service allows for Surfside customers to receive an email notification of their utility bill. We encourage you to participate by providing your name, address, account number (if available) and email address, to utilities@townofsurfsidefl.gov. Please note, this service will be in addition to the normal monthly printed utility billing you receive via regular mail. Don't wait, sign up today!

Town Seeks Library Volunteers



Book-loving volunteers are needed to assist in the proposed operation of the Town Library.

Respondents need to commit to a minimum three-hour shift on Monday, Wednesday and Friday during the summer opening period beginning approximately on Monday, June 7 and continuing to on or about Monday, September 6.

Please respond as soon as possible to Duncan Tavares at dtavares@townofsurfsidfl.gov or call (305) 864-0722.

Hurricane Season Begins June 1, 2010 Emergency Evacuation Assistance Program

The Surfside Police Department encourages residents who meet the special needs criteria to register with the Miami-Dade County People with Special Needs and Emergency Evacuation Assistance Program (PSN/EEAP) in the event of a natural disaster.

Surfside residents who, on a daily basis, require skilled nursing care, assistance with daily living or have life saving medical equipment dependent on electricity, should register with the PSN/EEAP at www.miamidadecounty.gov/oem/eeap.asp or call (305)513-7700 or (888)311-DADE or (305)468-5402(TDD/TTY). Applications are available in English, Spanish and Creole.



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cake.

Accolades go out to all the volunteers and Town staff who made the day a success, including the Parks and Recreation Department, Surfside Tourist Bureau, Surfside Police Department, Public Works and Town Hall staff.



Town Commission Highlights

At the May 11, 2010 Town Commission Meeting, the Town Commission took the following actions:

Voted to approve the following resolutions:

- To temporarily abate progressive code enforcement for 120 days for all courtesy code violations that were issued prior to May 31, 2010 except for life safety violations.
- To appoint members to the Planning and Zoning Board
- Dispose of surplus equipment from the Police Department
- Approve a contract for insurance broker for all of the Town's services related to employee health, disability, life, dental and other related benefits programs

Voted to adopt the following ordinances on second reading:

- An ordinance that provides specific construction fencing requirements
- An ordinance that imposes a new requirement for notice of site plan approvals

Voted to introduce on first reading:

- Landscape ordinance that exempts the SD-B40 from the recent increase in landscaping requirements in order to avoid making every property in the district non-conforming.

- Base Flood Level Elevations ordinance to change the definition of substantial improvement

Town Commission voted to:

- A vote of confidence in the Town Attorney and Town Attorney's office
- Accept the recommendation of the Town Manager to move forward with the RFP process for the disposition of town owned property at 9255 Abbott Avenue.
- Televis Town Commission agenda meetings

Make Your Home or Business More Secure

Residential And Commercial Security Assessment Offered

The Surfside Police Department is now offering Surfside residents and business owners the opportunity to receive a residential or commercial security assessment at no charge. The surveys will be conducted by Ofc. Jay Matelis, a State of Florida Crime Prevention Practitioner.

For further information or to schedule an appointment please contact Dina Goldstein at (305) 861-4862 x210 or dgoldstein@townofsurfsidefl.gov.

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Commission Agenda Review Meetings Scheduled

In an effort to become better informed and streamline regular Town Commission meetings, the Town Commission has agreed to conduct agenda review meetings on the Monday morning preceding the regular Tuesday evening Town Commission meetings. These review meetings will be held in the Commission Chambers at 8:30 a.m. Meetings will not be televised, however they will be open to the public. All interested persons are encouraged to attend.

ADVERTISING IN THE GAZETTE

Reach the residents and businesses of Surfside by advertising your products and services in the monthly *Gazette*.

For rates, deadlines or more information, contact dhunziker@townofsurfsidefl.gov.

Beach High Band Draws a Crowd at Encore Thursday

Residents and guests enjoyed the talents of the Miami Beach High Rock Ensemble during the May Encore Third Thursday event at 94th and Harding. The event capped a successful season for the Third Thursday series, bringing music, arts and activities to the Surfside business district. Look for information on next season's schedule.



Police Department Offering Surplus Equipment For Sale

Residents have an opportunity to purchase surplus town equipment such as vehicles, cameras, laptop computers and other items. All items are sold *as is*. Items will be on display at Town Hall on Tuesday, June 15 from 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

A sealed bid must be submitted for each item to the Town Clerk by 5 p.m., Friday, June 18. The Town reserves the right to reject any and all bids in the best interest of the Town. If two or more bids are received on the same item in the same amount, the item will be awarded to the bid that was received first by the Clerk. Items include:

- 1996 Ford Crown Victoria (not running) mileage: 61,912 (odometer not working, mileage is higher). VIN: 2falp71w8t15992

- 1999 Ford Crown Victoria (not running) mileage: 92,921 VIN: 2fafp71w8x16739
- Sixty parking meter mechanisms
- Three polaroid cameras
- Two Sony video cameras
- Two Dell monitors(not functioning)
- Two laptop computers (hard drive removed)
- Polaroid identification system
- Polaroid laminator
- Speed monitoring trailer (not functioning)
- AM-FM receiver
- Segway personal transport (not functioning)

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EMERGENCIES SEEN THE SAME DAY

Surf's Up In Surfside



Live the thrill of riding a wave in Surfside. Join in the surf lessons taught by Florida Surf Lesson-certified instructors. This program will enhance your child's relationship with the ocean. Boys and girls will be taught the basics of surfing, paddling, judging and catching a wave, standing and, most importantly, safety.

Space is limited!

Lessons will be held at 9301 Collins Avenue in front of the Lifeguard Tower. Surfboards will be provided.

Lessons will be held on Sundays from June 6 - June 27.

Ages 5 - 10 9:30 - 11 a.m. Ages 8 - 15 11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Fees for four lessons: Resident \$100; non-resident \$150.

All participants must be able to swim, no exceptions.

Proof of residency required at the time of registration.

For more information, call (305) 866-3635 or visit www.townofsurfside.gov

Letter

Thanks to Those Who Made 75th Anniversary a Success

The Town of Surfside celebrated its 75th anniversary this year, which incorporated in May 1935. Festivities culminated in a parade and beach barbecue on Sunday May 16th, with over 750 people in attendance.

Many thanks to the 75th Anniversary Committee, Ricardo Maulin, Dana Kulvin, Anthony Blate, Randy Rubin and Vice Mayor Joe Graubart and many others who contributed to this effort and the 75th Booklet. Special recognition goes out to Tim Milian, Parks and Recreation Director and Duncan Tavares, Tourist Bureau Director for their hard work and dedication to our slice of paradise, a place we call home, a place called Surfside. Thank you for a job well done.

– Town of Surfside Commission

Surfside Residents are eligible to use the Miami Shores Aquatic Center • 10200 Biscayne Blvd

Fees: \$6 per person /per visit,
Children 6 months and under are FREE
(Surfside Residents must present a valid/current resident ID card upon entry)

For hours of operation, please call (305)795-2241 or visit www.miamishoresvillage.com
Surfside bus service schedule available at:
www.townofsurfsidefl.gov

Box Tops Fundraiser For Ruth K. Broad Bay Harbor K-8 Center

Ruth K. Broad Bay Harbor K-8 Center is launching a Box Tops for Education fundraising campaign, hoping to raise \$1,400. The program, started by General Mills in 1996, has helped America's schools raise over \$320 million. You can collect Box Tops when buying groceries, shopping online and buying books. Schools can earn a total of up to \$60,000 each year. Please clip your box tops and send them to Nadine, Box Tops Coordinator, at RKB Bay Harbor K-8 Center, 1155 93rd Street, Bay Harbor, FL 33154 or sign up to help the school at www.btfe.com.



TeenCamp 2010!

June 14 – August 6 For ages: 12-15
(Participant must be of age before the start of camp)

Surfside Parks and Recreation Department will again have a summer Teen Camp for youths aged 12-15. The Teen Camp will provide an opportunity to learn pre-counselor training (CIT) skills while enjoying summer with age-appropriate activities. Teens must be willing to participate as a volunteer CIT twice a week. Campers will receive volunteer service hours.

Please note changes to registration dates & times

Camp meets M-F 9 am–5 pm (unless otherwise noted)
Schedule: Monday and Thursday CIT with summer camp.
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday – Teen Camp field trip

Registration Fees: (Excluding field trips)

8 Week Session: **Resident: \$270 Non-Resident: \$540**

A payment for the first two weeks of field trips must be made in cash at the time of registration - approximately \$120 per camper. Field trips must be paid in cash in full on Mondays, at least two weeks prior to the trips.

Registration Schedule

Application & fees accepted from:
Mon–Thur: 9 am - 6 pm and Fri–Sun: 9 am - 4 pm
Non-Residents begin registration **May 24**

Deadline to register for Teen Camp is June 3

Requirements: Campers must be able to swim, must volunteer for CIT on designated days and must have proof of insurance

Summer Camp 2010!

Begins June 14 • For ages: 6 - 12

(Child must be age 6 by Sept. 1, 2010. Proof of age required)

Surfside is proud to announce the 2010 Summer Camp. Your child's summer will be filled with activities such as arts and crafts, football, soccer and more. Awesome field trips include, but not limited to, Wannado City, Palladium, bowling and plenty of water parks. **Camp meets M-F, 8 am – 6 pm**

Registration Fees

(Excluding field trips, cannot combine sessions)

Session	Res:	Non Res:
Full Session (2 shirts) June 14 - Aug. 6 (8 Weeks)	\$472	\$1,080
Session One (1 shirt) June 14 - July 9 (4 Weeks)	\$305	\$610
Session Two (1 shirt) July 12 - Aug. 6 (4 Weeks)	\$305	\$610
Extended Camp (1 shirt) Aug. 9 - Aug. 20 (2 weeks)	\$115	\$310

A payment for the first two weeks of field trips must be made in cash at the time of registration - approximately \$80 per camper. Field trips must be paid in cash in full on Mondays, at least two weeks prior to the trips.

Registration Schedule

Application & fees accepted from:
Mon–Thur: 9 am - 6 pm and Fri–Sun: 9 am - 4 pm
Non-Residents begin registration **May 24**

Deadline to register for Summer Camp is June 3

Please Note: Camp fees must be paid in full at the time of registration. Additional costs for field trips. **NO REFUNDS ON FIELD TRIPS.** Registration spaces are limited and will be on a first come first serve basis. Everyone must present proof of residence such as a current utility bill. Driver licenses not accepted.

SURFSIDE TENNIS CENTER

Hours of Operation: Monday - Thursday 8:30 am to 10:30 pm Friday - Sunday: 8:30 am to 6:30 pm

Class Name (Reservation Required)	Skill Level & Age Group	Day	Hours	Fee (Per person)
Meet, Greet & Play Tennis	Advanced Adult	Monday	7:30 pm - 9:30 pm	Resident \$10 or four for \$35 Non-Resident \$12 or four for \$40
Junior Clinic	Intermediate 10 - 13 yrs.	Wednesday	5:30 pm - 6:30 pm	Resident \$10 Non-Resident \$12
Ladies Doubles	Beginner	Tuesday & Sunday	6:30 pm - 8 pm 7:30 am - 9:00 am	Resident FREE Non-Resident \$5
Pee-Wee	Any	Sunday	6 pm - 7 pm	Resident \$10 Non-Resident \$12

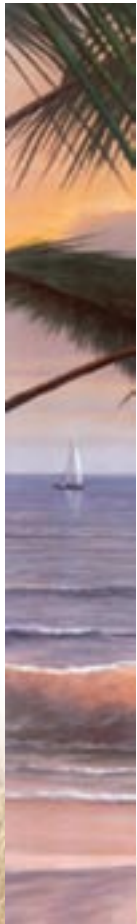
Attention:

Adult Recreation Programs will resume in August and Youth Programs will resume in September. For information on Summer Adult Programs, contact Parks & Recreation office at (305) 866-3635.



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MEETING CALENDAR

Town Commission Agenda Review	2nd Monday of the Month	8:30 a.m.
Town Commission	2nd Tuesday of the Month	7 p.m.
Beautification Committee	2nd Monday of the month	7:15 p.m.
Parks & Rec. Committee	3rd Thursday of the month	6 p.m.
Tourist Bureau Board	1st Monday of the month	5:30 p.m.
75th Anniversary Committee	1st Tuesday of the month	6 p.m.

Please note that all times and dates listed, except Town Commission meetings, are tentative and subject to change.

To verify the information, contact Town Hall at (305) 861-4863, visit the website www.townofsurfsidefl.gov or tune in to Channel 77.

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- Town Hall (305) 861-4863
- Rec Center (305) 866-3635
- Tennis Courts (305) 866-5176
- Tourist Bureau (305) 864-0722
- Police (305) 861-4862
- Fire Rescue (305) 861-1115

TOWN WEBSITE

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