



E-NEWSLETTER

May 12, 2016

From The City of Sea Isle City, New Jersey

MAYOR'S MESSAGE:

I am happy to report that the Sea Isle City Environmental Commission's yearly Beach Clean-Up on May 30 was a huge success. According to the event's organizers, it was the largest Clean-Up to date with more than 250 volunteers – which is a record number of participants. My thanks go to everyone at the Environmental Commission and all those who pitched-in to make the event a triumph.

On May 7, Chamber of Commerce & Revitalization President Chris Glancey and I attended two ribbon cutting ceremonies in our downtown business district. The first took place at Forza Fitness, a workout center and aerial yoga studio at 3514 Landis Avenue, where we met some very enthusiastic, energetic people. Next, we walked two blocks north to a new ice cream parlor called Sundaze, located at 3708 Landis Avenue, where the owners explained the many tempting options offered on their menu. Without a doubt, both establishments are welcomed additions to Sea Isle's business community – and the best part is you can enjoy a delicious ice cream concoction at Sundaze then take a short stroll along Landis to Forza Fitness, where you can work-off those calories. –Who could ask for anything more?!?

Are you aware that this is National Police Week? Since 1962, when President Kennedy declared May 15 to be Peace Officers Memorial Day and the week it falls on as National Police Week, people have been encouraged to, in the words of JFK, "pay tribute to the law enforcement officers who have made the ultimate sacrifice for our country and to voice our appreciation for all those who currently serve on the front lines of the battle against crime."

On Tuesday, I was privileged to speak during a ceremony that honored all our officers at the Cape May County Police Academy. I was joined at the podium with Freeholder Director Gerald Thornton, Senator Jeff Van Drew, Assemblymen Bruce Land and Robert Andrzejczak, and County Prosecutor Robert Taylor, each of whom had words of praise for our fine men and women in blue. Also present at the ceremony were the participants of the 2016 Police Unity Tour, who were bicycling through Cape May County on their way to Washington, D.C., Sea Isle's Police Chief Tom D'Intino and Captain Tony Garreffi, hundreds of law enforcement personnel from across New Jersey and other States, representatives from the United States Coast Guard, and Middle Township Police Chief Christopher Leusner, who served as Master of Ceremonies. I encourage everyone to take the time to thank our police officers for the important work they perform in our communities. Remember, they deserve our thanks throughout the year, not just during National Police Week.

Looking ahead, there are a number of events you won't want to miss in the weeks to come, including the Karl Boehret Surf Fishing Tournament on May 14, the Sea Isle City Garden Club's annual Flower Sale at Dealy

Field on May 14 and 15, the Michael Mulhall 5K Run and Walk on May 21, and the Beachcomber Tour Guide's popular "Turtle Party" at the Lobster Loft Restaurant on May 22. Of course, we can't forget Sea Isle City's annual Community Day celebration, which takes place from 10:00 a.m. to 12 noon on May 21 at the Community Lodge, where you can place a bid during our annual Municipal Bicycle Auction, shred personal documents, safely dispose of unwanted medications, speak with City officials, and learn all about what's happening in Sea Isle City. Before we know it, we'll be gathering at Veterans Park on Memorial Day to honor our nation's heroes, and then the summer season will be underway – so be sure to make the most of the spring while it lasts, and enjoy every moment you can here in Sea Isle City.

This week's "Shout Outs" go to Approach Clothing Company, located at 63rd and Landis Avenue, and Mike's Seafood Market and Restaurant in historic Fish Alley. The good folks at Approach generously donated t-shirts for the Beach Clean-Up's volunteers on April 30, and Mike's Seafood treated those same volunteers to a terrific buffet luncheon after our beaches and dunes were cleaned. It's obvious that Sea Isle City is filled with fine people who love and appreciate this community; and my thanks go to both Approach Clothing Company and Mike's Seafood for their generosity.

Smile...You're in Sea Isle!



Mayor Leonard C. Desiderio

CITY COUNCIL'S MESSAGE:

Our next City Council meeting will take place on Saturday, May 21, at 9:00 a.m. in Council Chambers, located on the third floor of City Hall, 233 JFK Boulevard. The May 21 meeting coincides with the City's annual Community Day, which takes place at the Community Lodge from 10:00 a.m. to 12 noon. In addition to the City Council meeting on May 21, don't miss Community Day's bicycle auction, free document shredding, award ceremony and other planned activities. For more information, see the Community Day section in this newsletter.

On the meeting agenda for May 21, Ordinance No. 1591 will be listed for introduction. The Ordinance will provide consideration for a change in Floor Area Ratio (FAR) to .85 that would require an additional parking spot in residential new construction projects and will clarify what is included in the FAR calculation regarding "bump-outs" and covered porches. These changes have been discussed at Council meetings for the past several months with not all Council members in agreement on the solution. If adopted on Introduction, the Ordinance will be forwarded to the Planning Board for its master plan consistency review prior to the Council holding a second reading and public hearing for adoption.

Best regards from the members of City Council.

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PROJECT UPDATES:

Beach Replenishment

In April, sand pumping operations concluded in Sea Isle City. The City received over 900,000 cubic yards of sand as part of the refill operations, which were undertaken following the past fall and winter nor'easters. This was in addition to the roughly 2 million cubic yards of sand received during the initial beach fill in 2015. The downtown beaches fronting the Promenade were substantially widened beyond the original design with this refill.

There remains some corrective work to dune crossovers damaged by winter storms, which may be taking place into early summer – but this should not impede access to any beaches. Our Public Works Department will be performing maintenance work on beach accesses and will coordinate with the contractors to ensure beach accesses are in good shape. In any event, all beaches will be open for the coming season.

Utility Reconstruction, 36th & 37th Streets (fall 2015 construction)

On March 26, 2015 the council awarded a bid to Garden State General Construction in the amount of \$431,353.40 for the utility reconstruction of 36th Street & 37th Street from Cini Street to Landis Avenue. As of this date all work has been completed. Due to the inclement weather over the winter the area did not have sufficient time to settle, therefore, the City will reconstruct the streets in early fall.

Utility Reconstruction, various streets

On October 27, 2015 the council awarded a bid to RTW Construction of Southampton, New Jersey in the amount of \$744,713 for utility reconstruction at the following locations:

- 47th Street from Landis Avenue to Promenade – substantially completed.
- 49th Street from Landis Avenue to Promenade-substantially completed.
- 65th Street from Landis Avenue to Central Avenue
- 65th Street from Landis Avenue to Pleasure Avenue – substantially completed.
- 69th Street from Landis Avenue to Central Avenue – in progress.
- 76th Street from Landis Avenue to Pleasure Avenue – substantially completed.

Work to install new sanitary main, sanitary laterals, new water main and water services on 47th , 49th , and 65th from Landis to Pleasure is substantially completed.

Work to install new water main & sanitary main, sanitary laterals and water services on 69th is underway.

Roadway reconstruction program – various streets

On March 15, 2016, City Council awarded a bid to Ricky Slade Construction, Inc. of Bridgeton New Jersey in the amount of \$299,437.50 for road reconstruction at the following locations:

- 44th Street from Landis Avenue to the Promenade – substantially completed
- 46th Street from Landis Avenue to the Promenade – substantially completed
- 56th Street from Landis Avenue to the Promenade – substantially completed
- Roadway elevation on selected areas of 44th Street and Venicean Road – substantially completed

This project is substantially completed. The punch list items will be addressed shortly. The photos below of 46th Street (at left) and 56th Street (at right) were taken on May 10...



The photo below of Venicean Road were taken on May 10...



Bulkhead Construction, 80th Street and 93rd Street

On August 25, 2015 City Council awarded a contract to Colonnelli Brothers, Inc. of Hackensack, New Jersey in the amount of \$199,880 for the construction of bulkheads at the above locations. Larsen Marine, Inc. has been hired as a subcontractor. After some delays the mobilization of this project occurred on March 15th. The 93rd Street location is **substantially** completed. The 80th Street Bulkhead is substantially completed, and the restoration to the asphalt roadway and sidewalk are underway. Punch list items will be addressed shortly. The photos below of the 80th Street Bulkhead were taken on May 10...



93rd Street Bulkhead...



Sea Isle Boulevard

The Cape May County Board of Chosen Freeholders, at their May 13, 2014 meeting, awarded a \$12.7 million contract to South State, Inc. for the Sea Isle Boulevard Improvement project that will raise the roadway by approximately 4.5 feet and otherwise reconstruct Sea Isle Boulevard. Traffic has been diverted to the south side of the boulevard; and the contractor has placed fill on the north side of the causeway to an average height of about 6.5 feet, which is 2 feet higher than the eventual height of the completed roadway. The additional 2 feet, which will be removed prior to the next construction phase, is surcharge to compress the underlying layers of soil. The goal is to obtain as much settlement as possible prior to paving on top of the new fill. The current plan is to start paving of the north side this coming fall.

Prior to the coming summer season, the entrance to the northbound parkway will be reconfigured in order to provide room for eastbound vehicles to travel around vehicles making a left turn onto the parkway entrance.

Motorists are advised to be aware of the revised traffic patterns in the construction zone and the reduced speed limit.

Streetscape Improvement on Landis Avenue

On September 8, 2015 council awarded a bid to Think Pavers Hardscaping of Swedesboro, NJ in the amount of \$796,648.33 for streetscape improvements on Landis Avenue from 43rd Street to 39th Street. This project includes various aspects of beautification which includes new sidewalks, paver crosswalks, traffic striping, lighting, sod, stone mulching, various tree plantings & tree grates, benches and bike racks. The block from JFK to 40th was previously completed as part of the JFK Gateway Project.

Punch list items will be addressed in the coming days and Landis Avenue is now open to all vehicular traffic. The photos below of the 4200 block of Landis Avenue were taken May 10...



Public Works Maintenance Garage – 80th Street & Central

On March 23, 2016 council awarded a bid to Archetto Construction of Vineland, NJ to replace the roof, siding and insulation at this location. Work will commence once all permits are in place and materials have been secured.

Sea Isle Ambulance Corps. Building

On November 18, 2015 a bid was accepted from Baruffi, Bros. Inc. of Vineland for needed stucco work to the exterior of the volunteer ambulance corps building in the amount of \$9,975. Due to the need for warmer weather conditions, work did not begin until April 8, 2016; and is progressing as weather permits. The Public Works Department is also doing exterior improvements to the garage door surrounds; sanding and painting exterior doors; and necessary interior repairs to this facility. The stucco work as of this date has been completed.

Townsend Inlet Bridge

The TI Bridge was opened to traffic prior to Polar Bear Plunge Weekend, and remains open.

MASTER PLAN RE-EXAMINATION:

The Planning Board has completed their special meetings to review the various categories for the Master Plan Re-Examination. Completion of the draft re-examination report by Maser Consulting is expected by the end of May. Following review of this document by the Planning Board subcommittee, the draft re-examination will be provided to the full Planning Board for review and comment.

A public hearing on the Master Plan Re-Examination is anticipated to be held in July. Once the hearing date has been firmly established, it will be advertised in advance and the City will issue an E-Alert notification regarding the public hearing.

Following the public hearing, the Planning Board will consider any additional modification to the Master Plan Re-Examination, with the expectation that it will be formally adopted at an August or September meeting, and then sent to City Council for their consideration and action.

PARKING METERS IN EFFECT MAY 15:

Please be aware that Sea Isle City's parking meters and parking kiosks go into effect starting Monday, May 15. The parking fee rate is 25-cents for 15-minutes up to the maximum time allowed.

Seasonal and Weekly Parking Passes can be purchased at the Municipal Clerk's Office on the second floor of City Hall, 233 JFK Boulevard, Monday through Friday (except holidays), 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Weekly Parking Permits cost \$30 each and Seasonal Parking Permits cost \$200 each. For more information about Sea Isle City Parking Permits, phone 609-263-4461, ext. 1216.

NO DOGS ON BEACH OR PROMENADE:

From May 1 to September 30, dogs are not permitted on Sea Isle's beaches, beach approaches, beach pathways or Promenade. No matter what the season, dogs must be licensed, leashed (no longer than 6-feet), curbed at all times, and feces must be removed immediately.

BIKING OR WALKING? IMPORTANT INFO YOU SHOULD KNOW:

Attention Pedestrians:

--By law, pedestrians must cross streets at corners and intersections. Failure to obey pedestrian signals and use crosswalks at signaled intersections comes with a \$54 fine.

--Be on the lookout for vehicles turning right on red – always look left, right, and left again before crossing any street.

--Be visible when walking at night and in inclement weather.

--Only walk sober.

--Eliminate all distractions while walking, such as texting and talking on the phone.

Attention Bicyclists:

--Bicyclists must follow the rules of the road (stop at stop signs, yield to pedestrians in crosswalks, etc.).

--New Jersey law requires anyone under age 17 who rides a bicycle, is a passenger on a bicycle, or is towed as a passenger by a bicycle to wear a safety helmet (N.J.S.A. 39-4-10.1).

--Children should only ride bikes that fit their size – not bikes they will “grow into.”

--No one should ride a bike at night without bicycle lights, N.J.S.A. 39-4-10 (a white light on the front and a red light on the rear of your bike) – and always wear brightly-colored clothing at night (reflective clothes and reflective strips are ideal).

--A bell or other warning device is a legal requirement in New Jersey. It will probably not be heard by motor vehicle drivers, but it is useful as a warning and as a courtesy to alert other bicyclists and pedestrians of your approach (N.J.S.A. 39:4-11).

--Everyone should keep their bikes tuned-up and functioning properly.

SUMMER EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES:

Sea Isle City's Department of Public Works is now hiring seasonal employees for the summer of 2016 – including janitors. Applicants must be at least 18 years old. For additional info, phone 263-6000, ext. 17. To apply online, go to <http://seaislecitynj.us/human-resources.aspx> and click the “Summer Employment Application” link.

The Sea Isle City Beach Patrol is also hiring summer employees. The test for prospective lifeguards will take place on Saturday, June 11, and Sunday, June 12. For more info, go to the Beach Patrol's website: www.sicbp.com.

BUY BEACH TAGS AT THE PRE-SEASON RATE WHILE YOU CAN:

2016 Seasonal Beach Tags are now on sale at the pre-season price of \$20 each. The pre-season price expires on May 15, after that date the cost for a 2016 Seasonal Beach Tag increases to the regular price of \$25 each. Beach Tags are available seven days a week at the Welcome Center Beach Tag Office, 300 JFK Boulevard, and also Monday through Friday at the Tax Collector's Office on the second floor of City Hall, 233 JFK Boulevard. For more information about Sea Isle City Beach Tags, please phone 263-8687, ext. 106.

BEACH TAG MOBILE APP:

Sea Isle City's Beach Tag Office has gone mobile! Apple mobile device users can save time by ordering their 2016 seasonal beach tags via a free app from Vibly (download the Vibly app at the iTunes store...the Vibly web link will show you how it works). Once you purchase your beach tags with the Vibly app, you can pick them up at your convenience at the Sea Isle City Beach Tag Office on JFK Boulevard, where you will simply use your mobile device to scan-in and get your tags. A nominal service fee per tag will be applied at the time of purchase. For more info, visit www.seaislecitynj.us/beach-tags.aspx.

DON'T MISS THESE EVENTS:

FLOWER SALE: Saturday & Sunday, May 14 & 15, Dealy Field. Proceeds benefit the charitable efforts performed by the Sea Isle City Garden Club (263-1157).

KARL J. BOEHRET SURF FISHING TOURNAMENT: Saturday, May 14, 5:50 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., Community Lodge, 300 JFK Boulevard (609-624-1427 or www.asaonline.org).

SEA ISLE CITY COMMUNITY DAY: Saturday, May 21, 10:00 a.m. to 12 noon in the Community Lodge. Come speak with elected officials, department heads and civic groups organizers – and get your personal documents shredded for free! (263-4461, Ext. 1245 or www.VisitSICNJ.com).

MICHAEL MULHALL FOUNDATION 5K RUN/WALK: Saturday May 21, JFK and the Promenade (610-310-8791 or www.mulhallfoundation.com).

TURTLE PARTY: Sunday, May 22, 6:00 p.m., Lobster Loft Restaurant. Proceeds support Sea Isle's Beachcomber Guided Tours (263-9643).

MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONY: Monday, May 30, 10:00 a.m., Veterans Park. Please join us as we honor those who made the ultimate sacrifice for our nation's freedom (263-4461, Ext. 1245).

For a complete list of events taking place in Sea Isle City, visit us online at www.VisitSICNJ.com or stop-by the Sea Isle City Welcome Center at 300 JFK Boulevard.

FLOWER SALE MAY 14-15:

The Sea Isle City Garden Club will host their annual Flower Sale at the Dealy Field Recreation Complex, 6108 Central Avenue, on Saturday & Sunday, May 14 & 15 (9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Saturday; 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on Sunday). The Flower Sale will feature a large selection of flowers sold in flats, hanging baskets and pots. Proceeds from the Flower Sale will benefit the Garden Club's scholarship program and other charitable efforts. For more info, phone (609) 263-1157 or email ladybugsic@comcast.net.

COMMUNITY DAY MAY 21:

Don't miss Sea Isle City's annual Community Day on Saturday, May 21, 10:00 a.m. to 12 noon, at the Community Lodge, 300 JFK Boulevard. **DON'T FORGET:** There will so be a City Council meeting at 9:00 a.m. on Community Day and the following activities...

- Free Document Shredding
- Bicycle Auction
- Prescription Drug Disposal
- Meet City Officials & Civic Groups
- Bike Registration & Kid's Safety Info
- Free Health Screenings
- Community Award Ceremonies
- Project Lifesaver info for people with Alzheimer's, Down's Syndrome & Autism
- Face Painter and more

TURTLE PARTY FUNDRAISER MAY 22:

The Sea Isle City Environmental Commission's Beachcomber Guides will host their annual "Turtle Party" fundraiser at the Lobster Loft Restaurant, 6:00 to 10:00 p.m. Tickets cost \$35 per person, which includes appetizers, a buffet dinner, house beer and wine, entertainment, and dancing. Guests will have the chance to win an amazing array of raffle items. Proceeds from the Turtle Party benefit Sea Isle Beachcomber Tour Program, which has been educating and delighting families for more than 25 years. For tickets call (609) 263-9643.

APRIL 2016 POLICE REPORT:

1. Investigations Conducted: 17
2. Adult Arrests (Criminal, Disorderly Persons, Ordinance, DWI): 2
3. Juvenile Arrests: 0
4. Motor Vehicle Summons Issued:
 - Moving Violations: 47
 - Parking Violations: 4
5. Public Service Calls:

Assist Public/Motorist: 12
Medical Calls: 10
Property Checks: 551
Alarms: 24
Suspicious Person/Vehicle: 8
Escorts/Relays: 0
Walk-In Complaints: 0
School Bus Escorts: 116
Motor Vehicle Stops: 98
Fingerprint Detail: 3
9-1-1 False Alarms: 17
Lockout Assists: 1
Domestic Violence Calls: 0
Animal Calls: 2
Check Resident's Well Being: 4
Messages Delivered: 1
Investigations: 7
Disturbances: 0
Thefts: 2
Warrants/Subpoenas: 3
Fights: 0
Noise: 3
Fire: 1
Crowd Control: 0
TOTAL: 863

6. Code Enforcement Violations: 13

The information above was provided by the Sea Isle City Police Department.

EXERCISE CLASSES & REC PROGRAMS:

CURRENT WEEKLY FITNESS CLASSES:

TOTAL BODY FITNESS: Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9:00 a.m., Welcome Center Community Lodge, \$5 per class or \$40 for ten classes (263-0050).

SIT-AND-BE-FIT FOR SENIORS: Tuesdays at 4:45 p.m., and Wednesdays and Fridays at 2:30 p.m., Welcome Center Community Lodge. Please note new times for Wednesday and Friday classes. No fee required; please bring photo i.d. (263-0050).

YOGA: Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. and Fridays at 7:30 a.m., Welcome Center Community Lodge. Fee: \$10 per class. PLEASE NOTE: Friday's Yoga classes move outdoors to the JFK Boulevard beach starting May 2. (www.njbeachyoga.com or 602-3398).

SUMMER FITNESS PROGRAMS:

BEACH YOGA: Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays on the JFK Boulevard Beach (May 2 to September 30). Rain Location: Community Lodge. \$10 per class.

BOOT CAMP ON THE BEACH: Boot Camp begins with a limited schedule on the 45th Street Beach starting May 28; additional classes will be added as the season unfolds. \$10 per session.

BEACH BOXING: On the 36th Street Beach on Tuesdays and Thursdays. \$10 per class (May 17 to September 15).

For more information about these and other Recreation programs, please visit us online at <http://seaislecitynj.us/recreation.aspx> or phone the Recreation Office at 263-0050.

TRASH & RECYCLING INFO:

Curbside trash and recycling collections currently take place once each week on the following streets:

1st to 44th Street = Wednesdays

45th to 70th Street = Mondays

71st to 94th Street = Tuesdays

Don't Forget: The City will not collect carpeting or other construction materials, propane tanks, tires or batteries. Sea Isle City is a Single Stream Recycling Community, which means residents can combine all of their recyclable materials (paper, cans, glass and plastics) in one curbside collection bin. Recycling is not just a good idea...it's the law in Sea Isle City.

Sea Isle City's Trash and Recycling Depot, located next to the Bridge on JFK Boulevard, is open seven days a week (7:15 a.m. - 2:45 p.m.). The Depot will be closed on holidays (except New Year's Day, Presidents Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day and Labor Day). The Depot will accept drop-offs of trash and recycling, however Bulk Trash is not accepted at that location. **Free Refrigerator Magnets** with a complete list of Sea Isle City's year-round trash and recycling information are now available at the Public Works Building, 3905 Central Avenue, and at the Welcome Center, 300 JFK Boulevard. For additional information about Sea Isle's trash and recycling regulations, please phone 263-6000, ext.14.

ORGANIZATIONS, BOARDS & COMMISSIONS:

A.A.R.P. CHAPTER 710: Meetings take place on the 2nd Thursday of the month, 1:00 p.m., Community Lodge (263-1453)

BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE: Meetings take place on the 3rd Thursday of the month (September to November and March to May), 2:00 p.m., Welcome Center Meeting Room (263-7758 or 263-3914)

BOY SCOUT TROOP 76: Meetings take place on Fridays, 5:30 p.m., former Public School Gymnasium, 4501 Park Road (263-5370).

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS: Meetings take place on the 3rd Tuesday of the month, 7:00 p.m., Saint Joseph Parish Auditorium, 132 - 44th and Central Avenue (263-6171).

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE & REVITALIZATION: Meetings take place on the 1st Tuesday of the month, 9:00 a.m., City Council Chambers, City Hall (263-9090).

COMMODORE CLUB: 3700 Boardwalk, on the Promenade at The Spinnaker (263-4440).

DEMOCRATIC CLUB: (263-3656).

ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION: Meetings take place on the 2nd Wednesday of the month (March to November), 7:00 p.m., Public Works Building, 3905 Central Avenue (263-2081)

GARDEN CLUB OF SEA ISLE CITY: Meetings take place on the 1st Thursday of the month (March to June and September to December), 7:00 p.m., Community Lodge (263-3331).

GARDEN CLUB OF TOWNSENDS INLET: (263-3002)

HISTORICAL SOCIETY & MUSEUM: 4800 Landis Avenue (www.seaislemuseum.com or 263-2992).

ITALIAN AMERICAN CLUB: Meetings take place on the 2nd Wednesday of the month, 6:00 p.m., 309 JFK Boulevard (263-0700).

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Meetings take place on the 2nd & 4th Thursdays of the month, 7:30 p.m., Saint Joseph Parish Auditorium, 132 - 44th Street (263-1271).

PLANNING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENTS: Meetings take place on the 2nd Monday of the month (except holidays), 7:00 p.m., City Hall (263-1166)

REPUBLICAN CLUB: (263-1176)

RECREATION COMMITTEE: Meetings are held in the former Public School Building, 4501 Park Road, March 8, May 3, and October 4 (609-263-0050).

SCHOOL BOARD: Meetings take place at 7:00 p.m. in the former Public School Building, 4501 Park Road, on May 10, June 28, September 13 and November 8 (263-6142).

SEA ISLE CATS INC.: Visit the Crooked Tail Thrift Shop, 4208 Landis Avenue, for meeting times and dates (609-972-5887)

SEA ISLE CITY TAXPAYERS ASSOCIATION: Meetings take place on the 2nd Saturday of the month, 10:00 a.m., Community Lodge (263-6817 or www.sicta.org).

SHADE TREE COMMITTEE: Meetings take place on the 2nd Wednesday of the month, 6:30 p.m. (March – November), Public Works Building, 3905 Central Avenue.

TOWNSENDS INLET YACHT CLUB: 87th Street & the Bay (609-263-2503 or www.tiyachtclub.com).

TOWN WATCH / TOWN PRIDE: P.O. Box 17, Sea Isle City, NJ (263-8348).

TOURISM COMMISSION: Meetings take place in the Sea Isle City Welcome Center, 300 JFK Boulevard, 10:00 a.m., May 12 and October 13 (263-8687).

V.F.W. POST 1963: 301 JFK Boulevard (609-263-1711 or www.vfwpost1963.com).

WOMEN'S CIVIC CLUB: Meetings take place every Tuesday, 11:30 a.m., Community Lodge (263-8149).

YACHT CLUB OF SEA ISLE CITY: 4487 Venician Road (263-7282 or www.ycsic.com).

ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENTS: Meetings take place on the 1st Monday of the month (except holidays), 7:00 p.m., City Hall (263-1166).

DO YOU HAVE A QUESTION?

If you have questions or concerns, there is no need to wait for an upcoming City Council meeting to express your thoughts. You can contact the head of any City Department to obtain the answers you need. For a complete list of contact information, visit our Municipal Website, www.seaislecitynj.us, or phone City Hall at 263-4461.

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RECENT PHOTOS:

On April 29, the participants of Sea Isle's Sit-Be-Fit classes honored their beloved instructor Ally Chervenak (back row, far left). Sit-Be-Fit is a free low-impact exercise class for seniors held in the Community Lodge on Tuesdays at 4:45 p.m. and Wednesdays & Fridays at 2:30 p.m...



In cooperation with the Drug Enforcement Administration, Sea Isle City's Police Department hosted a Prescription Drug Disposal Event on April 30. SICPD Detective Shawn Lesniewski is shown during the collection accepting unwanted medications from Ron Custer, of Sea Isle City...



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